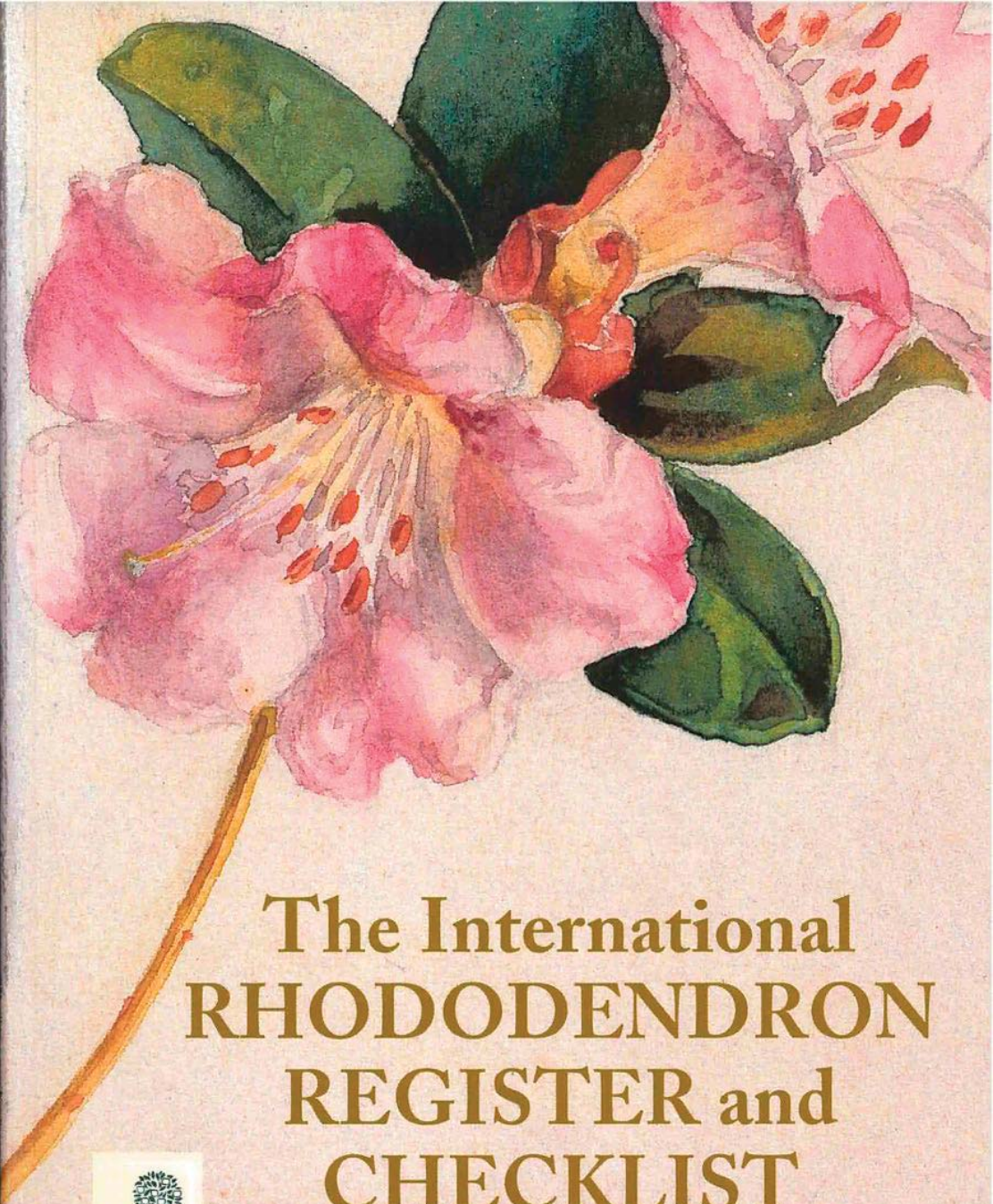

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INTRODUCTION

This is the second edition of the International Rhododendron Register to be published by the Royal Horticultural Society in its role as International Cultivar Registration Authority (ICRA) for the genus *Rhododendron*. The first edition, published in 1958, came just three years after the Society's initial appointment as ICRA by the International Society for Horticultural Science. Since then 40 Supplements have been produced by the Society. These were initially (1961-1986) included as an integral part of the *RHS Rhododendron and Camellia Year Book* but from 1987 onwards have been produced as independent publications.

Work on this second edition began in 1983. Initially the intention was merely to integrate all the published registration lists. However it soon became evident that a more extensive revision of the earlier entries would be required to bring nomenclature up-to-date, to make the format of entries consistent and to incorporate new data for many entries. Furthermore a considerable number of additional, unregistered uses of names had come to light and it was decided to include these as part of a new Checklist function for the work, integrated with the Register itself. This has now been done. Whilst this Register and Checklist is thus demonstrably a more comprehensive guide than its predecessor it must be acknowledged that coverage, both of past and present usage is still now not complete and the Society would welcome the receipt of any new, revised or supplementary material. This Register and Checklist comprises over 28,000 entries for cultivar and Group epithets (including their synonyms) as well as the names of nearly 2000 individuals or firms that have played a role in the raising, naming, introduction or registration of these plants.

Scope of the Register and Checklist

This Register and Checklist incorporates a record of all epithets known to have been used for cultivars or Groups within the genus *Rhododendron* up to the end of December 2002. It thus covers all azaleas, azaleodendrons and vireya rhododendrons as well as what might be thought of as the 'core' of hardy rhododendrons. All epithets published in the 1958 Register as well as in the forty published Supplements are included, together with a very large number of additional uses of epithets that have come to light in the course of ongoing research. Neither common names, nor the botanical epithets of species are included as individual entries. Nor are trademarks included as such. On occasions a cultivar or Group epithet is included which is based on a published botanical epithet, but its appearance in the Register and Checklist indicates that, at some time at least, the entity it represents has been treated as a cultivar or Group.

Duplicated uses of epithets are each treated individually wherever they are known to have occurred. Whilst the registration system exists to try and prevent such duplications (and it has certainly helped to reduce their occurrence) no such voluntary scheme can hope to eradicate the practice of reuse entirely – and there is an historical reservoir of duplicated usages especially from the time in the nineteenth century when *Azalea* was treated as a separate genus. It will be of value to *Rhododendron* enthusiasts to have such multiple usages highlighted with as much information as possible provided to distinguish one usage from another. An element of judgement has had to be exercised in whether to interpret many early usages as duplications based on separate entities or merely the same plant described or referred to in a different way.

Nomenclature

Botanical nomenclature and classification followed in reporting on parentage and origin of the cultivars and Groups in this listing follows the *Rhododendron Handbook 1998* (RHS, 1997). This is based on the revision of the genus pioneered by David Chamberlain and James Cullen and published by the Royal Botanic Garden, Edinburgh during the last quarter of the 20th century. This revision, controversial in its time, now seems to have been widely accepted as the basis of most modern accounts of the genus, both in the wild and in cultivation.

The Register and Checklist deviates from the Edinburgh revision in only one significant case: the treatment of the uniquely popular and influential species *R. yakushimanum*. In the 1998 *Handbook* this taxon is treated as a subspecies of *R. degronianum* whereas for convenience and the sake of familiarity and brevity in the Register and Checklist it is retained as a species.

The use and spelling of botanical epithets follows the rules and recommendations of the *International Code of Botanical Nomenclature* (ICBN) (IAPT, 2000). The use of Latin-form cultivar and Group epithets and the use and formation of cultivar and Group epithets in languages other than Latin follow as far as possible the *International Code of Nomenclature for Cultivated Plants* – 1995 (ICNCP) (Quarterjack Publishing, 1995). (Note: the text of this Register & Checklist was completed prior to the publication of the subsequent (2004) edition of the Code. Some of the changes that would now be required as a result are noted in the relevant parts of this Introduction.)

Grex epithets

Following what has become general practice, the entries in the 1958 Register for grex epithets have here been treated as representing Groups. The term grex is now restricted for use in orchids alone.

Synonyms
In this Register and Checklist the word synonym (abbreviated as "syn.") has been used to represent a very broad concept and incorporates any epithet (or variant of an epithet) which is not the currently accepted one for that cultivar or Group. Thus later names for the same cultivar, misspellings, translations etc. may all be treated as synonyms. The development of a distinction between synonyms and trade designations as now set out in the latest *International Code of Nomenclature for Cultivated Plants* (ISHS, 2004) came too late to be systemically incorporated here.

Ordering of Entries
The Register and Checklist is presented in one integrated alphabetical listing. This strict alphabetical ordering initially ignores casing, accents, spaces or punctuation marks e.g. 'A.B. Mitford' lists after 'Abessa'. When epithets differ only in whether the epithet is rendered as one, two or more words, the version with a multiple word epithet is listed first e.g. 'Appleblossom' lists after 'Apple Blossom'.

When the same epithet has been used more than once their individual order is determined by the broad category to which the plant belongs so that they appear in the following order:

(a) = azalea
(r) = rhododendron (excluding azaleas, azaleodendrons and vireyas)
(v) = vireya rhododendron
(az) = azaleodendron

Should this still leave duplicated entries the epithets are listed in date order.

Where a cultivar belongs to a Group and both share the same epithet then the two entries are printed together (the ordering process in this case ignoring the word Group).

Gender of epithets
When *Azalea* was recognised as a genus separate from *Rhododendron* latin form cultivar epithets of azaleas had to agree with feminine gender of *Azalea*. When the two are united under the neuter genus *Rhododendron* such latin form epithets have to change to reflect this. Thus in this Register and Checklist azalea cultivars originally published as 'Alba' and 'Iveryana' will now be found listed as 'Album' and 'Iveryanum'. This can sometimes make a significant difference to their position in the alphabetical listing and should be borne in mind if an epithet appears at first to be missing from the Register and Checklist.

Transliteration of Japanese Epithets
It has not yet been possible to undertake a thorough and consistent revision of the transliterated versions of Japanese epithets to bring them into line with the ICNCP. The Code requires adherence to a modified Hepburn system of transliteration and to ensure accuracy in this regard the original Japanese characters need to be available. The rendition of many such epithets in the Register and Checklist must therefore be regarded as provisional until further work can be done. In general they have been reproduced here as found in the literature with some limited attempt to eradicate apparent inconsistencies in their format and spelling. (Note: the 2004 Code now treats the rendition of a nonalphabetic script into an alphabetic script as transcription, not transliteration.)

Interpretation of Individual Entries
Information on each entry in the Register and Checklist is presented in a consistent style, format and order. It may consist of all or some of the following:

(a) Category of plant. Each entry starts with an indication of a broad category to which that plant belongs i.e. azalea (a), azaleodendron (az), rhododendron (r) or vireya (v). The category rhododendron in this context refers to any plant that does not fall into any of the other three.

(b) Epithet. The cultivar or Group epithet is given in bold typeface. In nearly all cases words are spelt out in full and not abbreviated (even where such abbreviations are permitted). e.g. Doctor not Dr, Professor not Prof. The expanded form of an abbreviation may depend on the language in which the epithet was first established.

(c) Status. An indication of status is given using the following abbreviations:

cv. = cultivar
gp = Group

All cultivar epithets are distinguished by being placed within single quotes. Entries in the 1958 Register which are designated as grex epithets are here treated as Groups.

(d) Subcategories. An indication is given of whether the plant concerned belongs to one of the following subcategories:-

Evergreen azalea
Deciduous azalea
Semi-evergreen azalea
Lepidote rhododendron
Elepidote rhododendron
Azaleodendron
Elepidote/Lepidote cross

(e) Parentage. When the direction of parentage is known the seed parent is given first and indicated by (s). The two parents are separated by a large multiplication sign (×). When an individual parent consists of a hybrid formula (i.e. it is not an individually named cultivar or Group) its parental elements are given separated by a small multiplication sign (×) e.g. 'Rosa Belton' × *oldhamii* (s) × *prinophyllum* in which the direction of the cross is known but the seed parent is an unnamed derivative of 'Rosa Belton' × *oldhamii*.

It is likely that most hybrids listed with *R. lochiae* as a parent are in fact hybrids of *R. viriosum*, the latter being the prevalent plant in cultivation before the two were distinguished.

In many cases where both a Group and a cultivar derived from it bear the same epithet it has been impossible to say with certainty in which sense the epithet has been used when given as part of a parentage. In such cases the Register and Checklist errs on the side of caution in treating them all as representing the Group. It is likely, but by no means always the case, that where there is an awarded cultivar from the Group which bears the same epithet, it is that award cultivar which has been used in producing further hybrids.

Reference is sometimes made under parentage – and elsewhere – to collectors' numbers, the distinctive set of initials and numbers used by collectors to distinguish individual accessions of seeds or plants made in the wild (e.g. L&S114, a Frank Ludlow and George Sherriff collection made on their 1934 expedition to Bhutan & SE Tibet). Details of such collections are to be found in *The Rhododendron Handbook 1998* (RHS, 1997).

(f) Roles. A record is given of the names of those concerned in the various roles involved in the development and recording of each plant. These are distinguished by the following letters (given in the order in which they are cited in the text).

R = raised by … (used in many earlier records and generally assumed to include what would now be distinguished as H & G.)

H = hybridised by … (when a plant is indicated to be the result of an open-pollination the role letter "H" is still employed and in such cases it should be understood that the cross took place whilst the plant was in the possession of the individual or firm named, who will also have collected the seed.)

G = grown to first flower by …

S = selected by …

N = named by …

I = introduced by …

INC = incorporated into records at the time of publication of the first Register (1958). Any name known to have been in use prior to 1958 is treated in this way irrespective of whether it was actually listed in the 1958 Register.

REG = registered by …

In some cases the only information available is that the plant was listed by a particular nursery or another source. Such cases are given as "L" = listed by … (the source will either be given in the list of names and addresses on pp1492–1543 or in the bibliography on p.1544).

As was the custom in the past many plants raised on large estates are credited to the owner of that estate. It should be recognised however that in many of these situations there would have been an influential (head) gardener who did much (or all) of the work concerned. Today such individuals would get the direct credit they deserve. Wherever possible in this Register & Checklist mention is made in the list of names and addresses at the back of the Register of the key gardeners involved.

(g) Description. The descriptions vary widely in length depending on the information that is available. Plants which have been registered recently may often have lengthy accounts and this detail can be of considerable value in determining identity and distinctness. On the other hand for some early cultivars no descriptive data may be available.

On occasions where sources differ in descriptive detail, or where the origin of the information is other than from the raiser, the sources may be given in parenthesis.

(i) Measurements All measurements are in metric units and where combined length/breadth measurements of parts of a plant are given length is always given first e.g. Fls 55 × 60mm indicates that the individual flowers are 55mm long and 60mm broad. Overall plant height/width is given with height before width e.g. Shrub 1.5 × 2.0m indicates a plant 1.5m tall and 2.0m wide.

Corolla length should be the length from the base of the tube to the tip of the longest lobe measured along the flattened surface of the corolla.

(ii) Colour When no Colour Chart was employed colour names follow those used by the registrant or other source.

References to three Colour Charts will be found within the text and can be identified by the distinctive format of the colour references as follows:

RHS ColourChart (1966, 1986, 1995 & 2001)
e.g. 187B
Horticultural Colour Chart (1942)
e.g. 403/3
Nickerson Colour Fan (1957)
e.g. 2.5RP 9/5

When it has been possible to do so consistently within an entry colours formerly listed using the HCC have been converted to those of the RHS Colour Chart, using the Table of Cross-References provided with the 1966 edition. Colour names for references to the RHS Colour Chart are those employed by R.D. Huse & K.L. Kelly in *A contribution toward standardization of color names* (ed. D.H. Voss and published by the American Rhododendron Society in 1984). Although every effort was made to ensure that the relevant colours in the four editions of the RHS Colour Chart matched each other some discrepancies have been noted. If required the ICRA can sometimes supply details of the edition used in an individual entry should this be of critical importance.

(iii) Flowering time will usually be as given by the registrant and relates to the place of origin. Times relate to the Northern Hemisphere unless indicated to the contrary.

(h) Awards. Awards made to rhododendron and azalea cultivars by the Royal Horticultural Society are included in the Register and Checklist. The following abbreviations are used:

FCC = First Class Certificate
AM = Award of Merit
SCC = Second Class Certificate (discontinued)
PC = Certificate of Preliminary Commendation
HC = Highly Commended (discontinued)
C = Commended (discontinued)
* = award made after Trial

The Society also gives an Award of Garden Merit – AGM – for plants of 'outstanding excellence for ordinary garden decoration or use'. The award was re-instituted in 1992 at which time all previous AGMs were rescinded. The award is now subject to regular review at which times names may be added to or deleted from the list. These awards are not given here but updated lists may be found in a regularly published AGM listing by the Society and on its website.

(i) Synonyms. Synonyms are given after any awards and are cross-referenced. Also included here are any relevant breeders' codes or other references which may have gained some more general use before the plant was named: although there are exceptions these are not generally to be treated as epithets.

(j) Informal Groupings. In the 1958 Register most azalea cultivars were allocated to informal groupings based on their parentage, raiser or a combination of the two. These have been repeated in the relevant entries in this Register and Checklist, but no systematic attempt has been made to allocate later entries to these groupings or to recognise new ones. These groupings and many more can be found listed in F.C. Galle's *Azaleas* (1987), where their origin and characteristics are described. Those employed in this Register and Checklist for azaleas include:

Deciduous azaleas

Ghent	Occidentale
Knap Hill (including Exbury)	Rustica
Mollis	

Evergreen azaleas

Amoena	Kurume
Arendsii	Oldhamii
Back Acres	Pericat
Bobbink & Atkins	Rutherford
Coolidge	Sander
Gable	Satsuki
Glenn Dale	Vuykiana
Indian	Wada
Kaempferi	

Tsutsuji is recorded from Ito (1692) as a grouping for azaleas other than Satsuki.

One informal grouping of rhododendrons is used: the Hardy Hybrids, being a popular designation for a range of very hardy, floriferous plants tolerant of exposure and sun and found in a wide range of colouring.

None of the informal groupings mentioned above are treated here as Groups under the terms of the *International Code of Nomenclature for Cultivated Plants.*

(k) Parenthesised notes. An entry may finish with various relevant entries within a parenthesised note. These may include references to:

(i) The original place of publication where the name was first established
(ii) The nature and location of any Standard specimen. (Note: Now, under the 2004 Code, to be styled as a nomenclatural standard.)
(iv) Further details on origin
(v) The name of the formal Group to which a cultivar belongs
(v) Other relevant comments

Cross references from a synonym entry to the accepted name are also listed in these notes.

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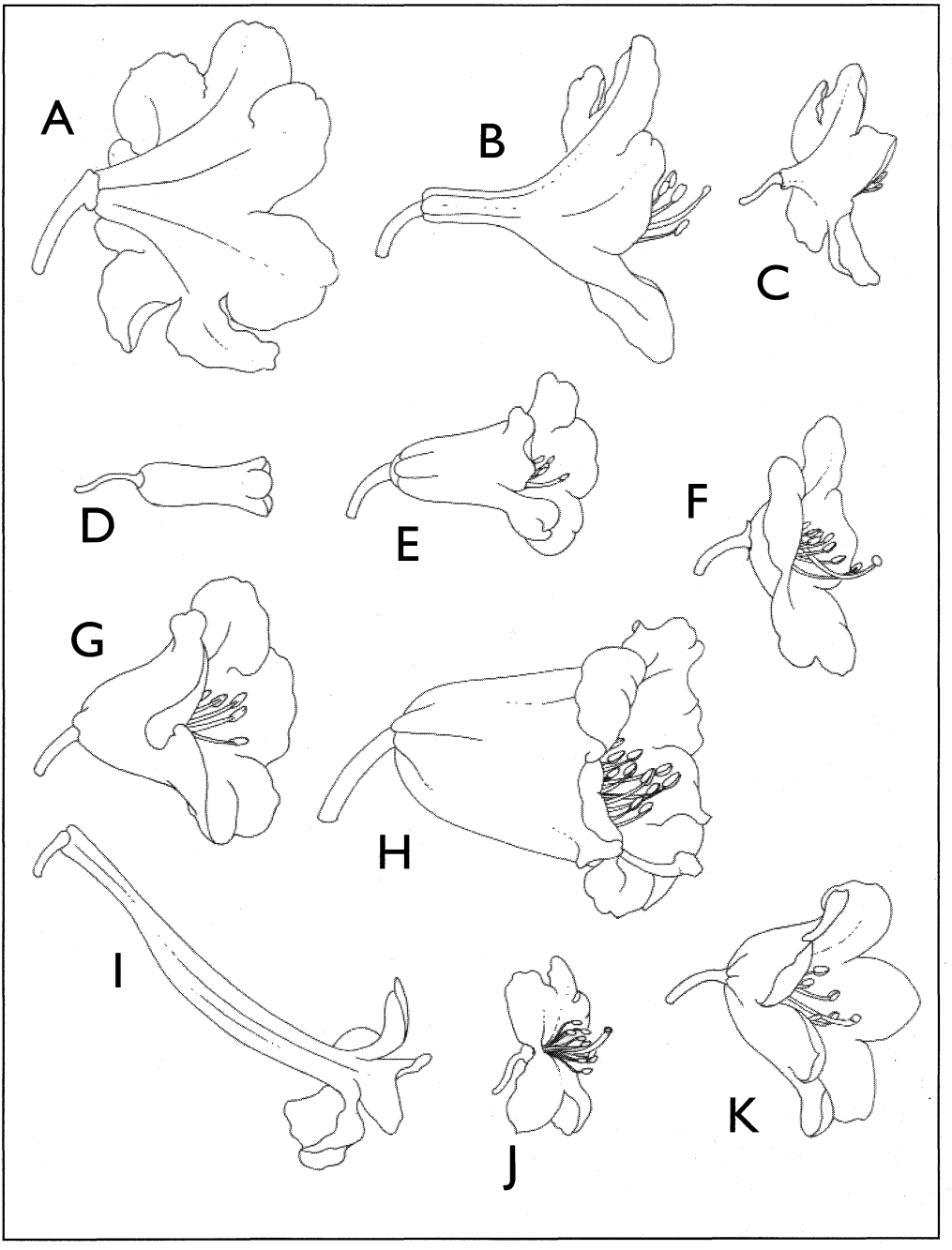
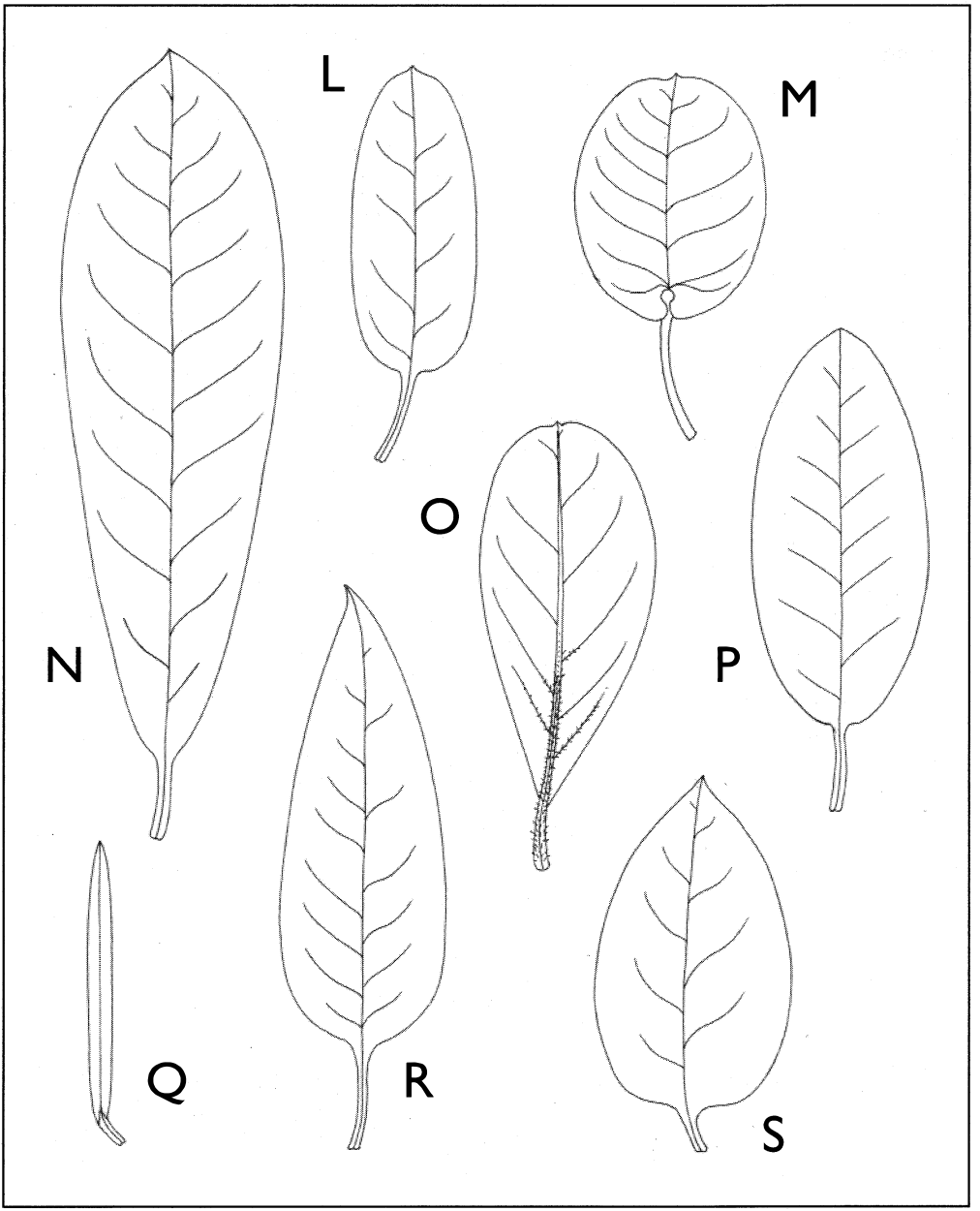
GLOSSARY

ACUMINATE tapering very gradually to a point
ACUTE coming to a point that would be contained within two lines set at 90°
ANEMONE-CENTRED of a double flower with numerous petaloid segments in the centre
ANTHER the pollen-bearing part of the stamen, borne at the end of the stalk-like filament
APICULATE terminating in a small, abrupt point (the point formed only from the vein or midrib)
APPRESSED lying flat
ARISTATE extended into a long bristle
ATTENUATE narrowing gradually
AURICULATE with small, ear-like projections at the base of the leaf
AXILLARY growing from the angle formed by the junction of leaf and stem
BLOOM waxy covering
BLOTCH a defined area of often contrasting colour; may be solid, spotted or a mixture of the two
BULLATE with a blistered or puckered surface
CALYX the outermost whorl of floral parts; in some rhododendrons reduced to a mere rim
CAMPANULATE see figs G and K
CAPITATE forming a dense head-like structure
CILIATE fringed with hairs
CLONE two or more genetically identical individuals originally derived from one plant by asexual propagation
CORDATE with two rounded lobes forming a deep sinus
CORIACEUS leathery
COROLLA the whorl of floral parts immediately inside the calyx; in rhododendron flowers usually fused to form a corolla tube towards the base with free lobes towards the apex
CRENULATE with small rounded teeth
CUNEATE with straight sides converging at the base
CUSPIDATE tapering to a short, narrow point
DENDROID of a hair that is branched like a tree
DETERSILE of a indumentum that is eventually completely shed
DIMORPHIC of scales or leaves that are of two distinct kinds
DORSAL in a rhododendron flower used to refer to the top or upper lobe or lobes
DOUBLE of flowers with numerous extra petals or petal-like organs within the corolla (often developed from and replacing the stamens and or pistil)
EGLANDULAR lacking glands
ELLIPTIC see fig. P
EYE sometimes used interchangeably with blotch but typically a contrasting marking restricted to the base of the corolla
FERRUGINOUS rusty brown
FILAMENT the stalk-like part of the stamen, bearing the anther at its apex
FIMBRIATE with a fringed margin
FLARE sometimes used interchangeably with blotch, but usually a marking with a flame-like outline.
FLOCCOSE with dense woolly hairs that fall away in tufts
FUNNEL-CAMPANULATE intermediate in shape between funnel-shaped and campanulate
FUNNEL-SHAPED see figs A and C
GLANDULAR HAIRS hairs bearing glands at their tips
GLAUCESCENT becoming bluish green
GLAUCOUS bluish green
HOSE-IN-HOSE of flowers with two corolla whorls, one within the other; a normal calyx may or not be present
IMBRICATE overlapping at the margins
INFLORESCENCE a flower cluster
INDUMENTUM the covering of hairs and/or scales; may range from very sparse to dense and multilayered
LAMINA the blade of the leaf
LANCEOLATE see fig. R
LEPIDOTE bearing scales
LINEAR see fig. Q
MATT with a dull surface
MUCRONATE terminating abruptly in a short, hard point (the point formed from the limb and vein/midrib)
NECTAR POUCHES see under nectary
NECTARY nectar-bearing areas on the corolla, sometimes in sac-like protuberances or pouches
OBLANCEOLATE see fig. N
OBLIQUE of a leaf base where the two margins reach the petiole asymmetrically
OBLONG see fig. L
OBOVATE see fig. O
OBTUSE rounded end which would not be contained within two lines set at 90°
ORBICULAR see fig. M
OVARY the basal part of the pistil, containing the ovules; it matures to form the capsule containing the seeds
OVATE see fig. S
PEDICEL the stalk of an individual flower
PETALOID petal-like
PETIOLE the stalk of a leaf
PILOSE with long soft hairs
PISTIL the female reproductive organ, consisting of the ovary at the base, which is prolonged apically into the style that is tipped by the stigma
PLASTERED an indumentum with the components stuck together to form an apparently continuous sheet (sometimes described as agglutinated)



Figs A to K: Flower shapes
A = funnel-shaped
B = tubular funnel-shaped
C = broadly funnel-shaped
D = tubular
E = tubular-campanulate
F = saucer-shaped
G = campanulate
H = ventricose-campanulate
I = trumpet-shaped
J = rotate
K = broadly campanulate



Figs L to S: Leaf shapes

L = oblong
M = orbicular
N = oblanceolate
O = obovate
P = elliptic
Q = linear
R = lanceolate
S = ovate

PUBERULOUS minutely hairy
PUBESCENT with short hairs
RACEMOSE of an inflorescence whose growing point continues to add to the inflorescence, usually lacking a terminal flower and with a lengthened axis
RETICULATE marked with a network of veins
RETUSE with a shallow, blunt notch at the apex
REVOLUTE rolled downwards
RHACHIS the axis of the inflorescence
ROTATE see fig. J
RUFESCENT becoming reddish
RUGOSE with a wrinkled surface
SALVERFORM a corolla with a long narrow tube and a shorter spreading border at its mouth
SAUCER-SHAPED see fig. F
SELF refers to a corolla of only one colour
SEMI-DOUBLE of flowers with a few extra petals or petal-like organs within the corolla
SESSILE with no stalk
SETOSE of an indumentum consisting of stiff hairs
SINGLE of flowers without additional petals or petal-like organs within the corolla
SINUS the depression between two lobes or teeth
SPATHULATE paddle-shaped
STAMEN the male reproductive organ, consisting of a stalk-like filament bearing the pollen-bearing anther
STELLATE star-shaped
STIGMA the apical part of the style which is receptive to pollen
STOLONIFEROUS with (at least some) procumbent stems
STRIGOSE of an indumentum consisting of stiff, appressed hairs
STYLE the usually attenuated, often stalk-like beak to the ovary, with the stigma at its apex
TOMENTOSE with a dense covering of short often more-or-less matted hairs
TRUMPET-SHAPED see fig. I
TRUNCATE terminating very abruptly, as if a piece had been cut off
TRUSS a cluster of flowers
TUBULAR see fig. D
TUBULAR-CAMPANULATE see fig. E
TUBULAR FUNNEL-SHAPED see fig. B
UMBELLATE an inflorescence in which all the pedicels arise from the top of the stem
VENTRAL in a rhododendron flower used to refer to the bottom or lower lobe or lobes
VENTRICOSE swollen or inflated on one side
VENTRICOSE-CAMPANULATE see fig. H
VILLOUS shaggy
VISCID sticky
ZYGOMORPHIC having only one plane of symmetry

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(r) **'1964'** (Syn. of 'Doctor Joseph Rock')

(a) **'A. Abels'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with a yellow blotch. Mollis

(a) **'Aalsmeer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, blood red; late. Indian

(r) **'Aaron Dean'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' (s) × 'Dianta' H: M. Stockman (1983), G: M. & H. Stockman (1989), N: M. & H. Stockman (1992), I: M. & H. Stockman (1992), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1992) Fls 10/flattened ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 44 × 76mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, moderate purple (82C) at margins, shading lighter at midribs and with greyish yellow-green (191A) spotting on dorsal and portions of adjacent lobes, the spots aging to dark red (187B); stamens 10, curved, unequal. Calyx 13mm long, light green. Pedicels 22mm long, light green. Lvs oblanceolate, 105 × 35mm, convex, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, bullate and glossy, very dark green above, hairless; petioles 16mm long, light green. Shrub 0.6 × 0.8m in 9 years. Mid May

(r) **'Aaron Heckler'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *degronianum* (infra specific variant uncertain) G: R.R. Huber (1977), N: R.R. Huber, REG: R.R. Huber (1998) Fls 11/domed truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 65 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (55B) in bud, opening very pale purple (69D) inside, shading darker to very pale purple (69B) at margins, with sparse, vivid reddish orange (34B) speckling; outside very pale purple (73D), with light purple (78C) midribs. Calyx c1.5mm long, pale yellow-green (195D). Lvs oblanceolate, 175 × 40mm, decurved at margins, acute at apex, oblique at base, glossy and moderate olive green (137A) and hairless above, with persistent, felted hairs below (hairs persistently brownish orange (165B)). Shrub 1.4 × 1.5m in 30 years. Mid April. (Seed obtained (1967) from the American Rhododendron Society, Valley Forge Chapter seed exchange)

(a) **'Aaron Stewart Jordan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Rosa Belton' × *oldhamii* (s) × 'Rosa Belton' × *oldhamii* H: E.W. Jordan (1993), G: E.W. Jordan (1996), N: E.W. Jordan (1997), REG: E.W. Jordan (1997) Fls 3/open, flat truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 30 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, very light purple (75C) in bud, opening very light purple (75C) throughout, finely striped rose and with a mauve blotch on the dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 50 × 15mm, margins flat, acute at apex, attenuate at base, ciliate. Shrub 0.6m tall in 3 years. August-September (Australia)

(a) **'Aartje'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Felix & Dijkhuis (pre 1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep purplish pink (54B), with a blotch of dark spots. Vuykiana

(a) **'Aase'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Frits Sander' × 'Ernst Thiers' I: C.J. Wille & Co. (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, deep red. Indian

(r) **Abalone Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* (s) × *callimorphum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls apricot in bud, opening pale primrose tinted with pink. Lvs 75mm long, mid-green and glossy above, margins often slightly recurved, very pale green below. April-May

(r) **'Abbey Grange'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalode' (s) × 'Francesca' H: R.H. Gustafson (1984), G: R.H. Gustafson, N: R.H. Gustafson (1998), REG: R.H. Gustafson (1998) Fls 14/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, 6-lobed, yellowish white (156D), with a 6-9mm wide edging of strong purplish red (67A-60C), and with moderate yellow-green (139C) stippling on the dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 190-225 × 75mm, flat, semi-glossy, moderate olive green (147A), hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 2.1m in 14 years. Early May

(r) **'Abbeyi'** cv. Parentage unknown R: G. Abbey (pre 1900), I: Stocker (1900), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large trusses, campanulate, delicate pink, suffused and veined pink on the exterior

(a) **'Abbot'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum* (s) × 'Hatsushimo' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 1-4/truss, 65-75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink, paler at base, with vivid purplish red spotting. Shrub to 1.5m tall. Early. Glenn Dale

(r) **Abbot Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* (s) × *arboreum* subsp. *delavayi* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red. Early February

(a) **'Abbott's Orange Glow'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *prinophyllum* × unknown H: F.L. Abbott, S: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985) Fls large, soft orange. Late May

(a) **'Abbott's Rose Ruffles'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *prinophyllum* × unknown H: F.L. Abbott, S: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985) Fls saucer-shaped, with wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink. Early June

(r) **'Abby Boulter'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor Stocker' (s) × unknown H: V.J. Boulter, G: V.J. Boulter

(1975), I: F. Boulter, REG: F. Boulter (1986) Fls 11-13/truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 100mm, white, with pink spots on the dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 90 × 35mm. Pedicels flushed pink. Shrub 2.0m

(a) **'Abd-el-Kader'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L.L. Liebig (pre 1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark orange-red. Indian

(r) **'Abd-el-Kader'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple and dark purple, with black spots. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Abe Arnott'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marchioness of Lansdowne' (s) × 'Lee's Dark Purple' H: E.O. Weber (1957), G: E.O. Weber (1966), N: E.O. Weber, I: E.O. Weber (1973), REG: E.O. Weber (1974) Fls up to 16/ball truss, flat saucer-shaped, 75 × 100mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, orchid purple(31/2), with heavy blotch of dahlia purple(931/1) on the dorsal lobe extending into the throat and onto the lateral lobes. Calyx 3mm long, orchid purple(31/2). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 150 × 45-50mm, very dark green, hairless. Shrub 1.9 × 1.0m in 15 years

(r) **'A. Bedford'** (Syn. of 'Arthur Bedford')

(r) **'Abegail'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loder's White' (s) × *calophytum* (pink form) H: C.H. Phetteplace (1962), G: C.H. Phetteplace, I: C.H. Phetteplace, REG: C.H. Phetteplace (1979) Fls up to 14/ball-shaped truss, moderate purplish pink (62B), with a deep purplish pink (62D) blotch. Calyx minute, strong purplish red (63A). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 140 × 50mm, moderate yellowish green (138A), hairless. Shrub 2.7 × 1.8m in 15 years. Early April

(r) **'Abeille'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: (*calostrotum* subsp. *keleticum* × *dauricum*) open-pollinated G: J.B. Brueckner (1981), N: J.B. Brueckner, REG: J.B. Brueckner (1986) Fls 3-5/lax truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 17 × 35mm, 5-lobed, vivid to strong reddish purple (78A-B), with diffuse red dorsal spotting. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 25 × 10mm, glossy, moderate yellow-green (137C), with tiny brown scales below. Shrub 0.5 × 0.7m in 7 years. Early May. (Raised from seed collected by Brueckner in 1978)

(r) **'Abel'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark carmine, with a green blotch

(a) **'Abel Carrière'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: G. Croux (pre 1902), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose pink, with a pale centre. Mollis

(r) **'Abelianum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: A. Henderson & Co. (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, spotted

(r) **'Abelianum Compactum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: R. Veitch & Son (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear white, with dark spots. Dwarf

(r) **'Abendglut'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Essex Scarlet' × *forrestii* Repens Group R: D.G. Hobbie, I: D.G. Hobbie (1967) Fls campanulate, dark scarlet red. Shrub c1.0m

(r) **'Abendleuchten'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group (s) × *smirnowii* H: H. Müller (1990), G: H. Müller (1996), N: H. Müller (1997), REG: H. Müller (1998) Fls 13-15/broadly rounded, compact truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, carmine red in bud, opening inside white, shaded yellow in centre and with broad pink margins, outside pink, tinged yellow; olive green dorsal spots on a golden yellow ground; filaments red, anthers brown; style red, stigma brown. Calyx 27mm long, yellow-green. Lvs oblanceolate, 135 × 45mm, margins flat, matt green, pointed at apex, tapered at base, hairless. Shrub c1.4 × 1.4m in c10 years. May

(r) **'Abendrot'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Essex Scarlet' (s) × *forrestii* Repens Group R: D.G. Hobbie, N: W. Schmalscheidt (1982), I: D.G. Hobbie (c 1965) Fls red. Lvs glossy, dark green. (Circulated earlier as clone 6B)

(r) **'Abendsonne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'John Walter' (s) × *dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* R: D.G. Hobbie (c 1952), N: K.H. Albertzard (1976) Fls orange-red outside, orange inside and fading to coppery yellow. Syn: 'Vorwerk Abendsonne'

(a) **'Aberdeenii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **Abessa Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Laura Aberconway' (s) × Elizabeth Group H: Lord Aberconway (1940), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet

(r) **'Abigail'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goldsworth Orange' × 'Mrs P.D.Williams' R: F.J. Street, L: Leonardslee Gardens Nursery (1987) Fls pink, with orange undertones. Lvs pale green, with maroon stalks. Shrub to c1.5m. May-June

(a) **'Abigail Adams'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Royal Pillow', open-pollinated H: E.V. Mezitt (1978), G: Weston Nurseries (c 1982), N: R.W. Mezitt (1998), I: Weston Nurseries (1994), REG: R.W. Mezitt (1998) Fls 3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, c50 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (66C). Calyx 6mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 50 × 20mm, margins flat to decurved, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, with discrete hairs below. Shrub 0.6 × 0.75m in 7 years. Mid May. (Published in Weston Nurseries cat. (1994))

(r) **'Abigail Jury'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* subsp. *yakushimanum* (s) × Dido Group H: F.M. Jury, G: F.M. Jury, N: F.M. Jury, I: F.M. Jury, REG: F.M. Jury (1982) Fls 9-10/truss, 50 × 90mm, 6-lobed, white, flushed carmine rose(621/2), the dorsal lobe with

green and red spots. Lvs 90 × 35mm, with a fawn, suede-like indumentum when young

(r) **'Abington'** (Syn. of 'Dexter's Agatha')

(a) **'Ablaze'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Miss Cottage Garden' × 'Firelight' R: D. Lewis, N: D. Lewis (pre 1987) Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, 70-80mm wide, with slightly ruffled lobes, strong purplish red (63A). Early-late season

(r) **'A.B. Mitford'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1911), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson

(a) **'Abondance'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Mr Millet' × 'Easter Greetings' I: A. Haerens (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, 75mm wide, bright red. Syn: 'Abundance'. Indian

(a) **'Abondantia'** (Syn. of 'Abondantia Rubra')

(a) **'Abondantia Rubra'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Haerens, I: A. Haerens (1923), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, red. Syn: 'Abondantia'. Indian (Like 'Hexe' but not as bright)

(a) **'A. Borsig'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Gebr Mardner, N: Gebr Mardner, I: Gebr Mardner (1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pure white, sweetly scented. Late. Syn: 'Borsig'. Indian

(r) **'Abraham Dixon'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1905), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls mauve, with a yellow eye

(r) **'Abraham Lincoln'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* × unknown R: S.B. Parsons, N: S.B. Parsons, I: S.B. Parsons (pre 1875), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 14/hemispherical truss, 45 × 50-60mm, light magenta crimson, with dark crimson spots and streaks at the base of the dorsal lobe

(a) **'Abricotée'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L.van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (First listed by van Houtte (1868) as 'Abricot')

(a) **'Abundance'** (Syn. of 'Abondance')

(a) **'Abundans'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1877), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(az) **'Abundant Life'** cv. Azaleodendron: 'Margaret Dunn' (s) × evergreen azalea R: A.C. Martin (pre 1970), N: A.C. Martin Fls with occasional extra petals, wide open, deeply lobed, deep purplish pink(7.5RP 6/12). (Male parent listed as a "Belgian-Kurume-*mucronatum* semi-double, rose red azalea")

(r) **'Acadia'** (Syn. of 'Cornwallis')

(a) **'Accent'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Linda Jean' × 'Hahn's Red' L: Greenwood Gardens (1985) Fls hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, deep purplish pink (64D), with darker dorsal spotting; filaments and styles also purplish pink. Midseason

(r) **'Acclaim'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pygmalion' × *haematodes* × 'Wellfleet' H: C.O. Dexter (c 1940), G: Scott Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister, I: Scott Arboretum, REG: The Tyler Arboretum (1980) Fls 16/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 100mm wide, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red(10RP 4/12), with a small, dark eye (10RP 3/10) deep in the throat and oblong, deep purplish red spots all over the corolla (paler on the lower lobes). Lvs elliptic, 115-130 × 50-65mm, light green, hairless. Shrub 2.4 × 2.1m in 18 years. Mid May. (Exact combination of parents not known)

(r) **'Accolade'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Essex Scarlet' (s) × *fortunei* H: B. & M. Shapiro (1958), G: B. & M. Shapiro, N: B. & M. Shapiro, REG: B. & M. Shapiro (1989) Fls 12-13/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 83mm, with 5-7 smooth-edged lobes, vivid to strong purplish red (61C/B) in bud, opening white suffused strong purplish pink (68B), shading to deep purplish pink (68A) at margins and with an irregularly shaped, dark red marking in the throat; slightly scented. Calyx 1-2mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 127-152 × 51-64mm, flat to slightly convex, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.5m in 30 years. Mid May

(r) **'Accomac'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pygmalion' × *haematodes* × 'Wellfleet' H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: Scott Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister, I: Scott Arboretum, REG: The Tyler Arboretum (1980) Fls 14/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (10RP 4/12), with deep purplish red (10RP 3/19) spotting on the three dorsal lobes, very dark in the throat. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 55mm, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 2.1m in 20 years. Mid May. (Exact combination of parents unknown)

(r) **'Accomplishment'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pygmalion' × *haematodes* × 'Wellfleet' H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: Scott Arboretum, N: Scott Arboretum, I: Scott Arboretum (c 1950), REG: The Tyler Arboretum (1985) Fls 15/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 80mm, with 5-7 wavy-edged lobes, white, with a 13mm wide border of strong purplish red (7.5RP 5/12). Lvs elliptic, 140 × 55mm, hairless. Shrub 3.0 × 3.0m in 18 years. Mid May. (Exact combination of parents unknown)

(a) **'Achievement'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1990) (Listed as a parent of 'Jim Baggette')

(r) **'Achievement'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1881), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy scarlet, with a white centre

(r) **'Achiever'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *minus* Carolinianum Group G: W.E. Delp, S: W.E. Delp (1952), N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 8/truss (from multiple buds), broadly funnel-campanu-

late, 28 × 45mm, 5-lobed, light reddish purple (74C) and moderate purplish pink (74D) in bud, opening to a blend of light and very light purple (75B, C) and moderate purplish pink (74D), with sparse, light reddish purple (74C) dorsal spots; filaments very light purple (75C); style moderate purplish pink (74D); stigma vivid reddish purple (74B); anthers pale orange-yellow (159C). Lvs 38 × 19mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, scaly. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 40 years. Mid May. Syn: 'Delp's Pink Carolinianum'

(r) **'Achille Fould'** cv. Parentage unknown L: A. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Achille Proust'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Barbier & Co. (1913), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(r) **'Achilles'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Firma Seidel (pre 1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft pale rose, with ruby red filaments

(r) **'Achilles'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. (Grown in The Netherlands pre 1896)

(r) **'Achilles'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Barclayi Group × 'Werei' R: E.G.W.W. Harrison, N: E.G.W.W. Harrison, REG: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1968) Fls 16/truss, 55 × 75mm, 5-lobed, cherry red

(v) **'Acidalia'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Amabile' × *javanicum* var. *teysmannii* R: J. Veitch & Sons, N: J. Veitch & Sons, I: J. Veitch & Sons (1891), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very pale primrose

(r) **'Acierto'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Chlorops' × *decorum* subsp. *diaprepes* (s) × 'Bonito' H: D.W. Goheen (1963), G: D.W. Goheen (1977), N: D.W. Goheen, I: L.W. Bulgin (1982), REG: D.W. Goheen (1986) Fls 16-18/truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 100mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (55C), with deep pink rays (c25mm long) deep in the dorsal throat, a few spots above the rays and ventral part of the throat pale yellowish pink (27C). Calyx 3mm long, green, edged red. Lvs between oblanceolate and narrowly obovate or between narrowly elliptic and elliptic, 125 × 50mm, hairless. Shrub 3.8 × 1.9m in 20 years. Early May

(v) **'Acis'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Duchess of Edinburgh' × 'Princess Alexandra' R: J. Veitch & Sons, N: J. Veitch & Sons, I: J. Veitch & Sons (1891), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon

(r) **'A.C. Kendrick'** cv. Parentage unknown R: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1929), N: M. Koster & Sons, I: M. Koster & Sons (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12/conical truss, 60 × 100mm, rich rose in bud, opening to lilac rose with a broad ray of maroon on a light ground; nectaries crimson.

(r) **'Acklandianum'** (Syn. of 'Aclandianum')

(r) **'Aclandianum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1858), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls madder pink, with scarlet or chocolate spots. Syn: 'Acklandianum' (Listed by C.Noble in 1858, his 1862 entry describes the ground colour as blush)

(a) **'Acme'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark claret. FCC 1870. Indian

(a) **'Acme'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Fielder's White' (s) × *kaempferi* R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, 55-75mm wide, deep purplish pink at centre, gradually shading to dark pink near the margins; spots in the blotch not conspicuous. Shrub 1.9-2.2m. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Acrobat'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' × 'Willy' (s) × 'Mrs Carmichael' × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 65mm wide, white, heavily sanded and with a few stripes of mallow purple. Shrub to 1.2m. Midseason. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Acronimink'** (An error for 'Aronimink')

(a) **'Acteon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (c 1873), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Action Packed'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Wizard' (s) × 'Cat's Pajamas' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp (pre 1995), N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls 12/truss, with very wavy-edged lobes, moderate red (181A), light greenish yellow (4C) and pale yellow-green (4D) in bud, opening light greenish yellow (4C) and pale yellow-green (4D), edged strong red (51A) and deep pink (51B-C), with a brilliant greenish yellow (4A) dorsal flare; filaments and style pale yellow-green (157A); anthers moderate yellow (161A); stigma strong yellow-green (144A). Shrub 0.6 × 0.9m. (Published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Active Duty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'King Tut' (s) × 'Ken Janeck' H: A.W. Smith (pre 1992), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish red (64A) and strong purplish red (64B-C) in bud, opening white, edged vivid purplish red (67B); filaments and style deep purplish pink (67C); anthers strong purplish red (67A). (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Actonii'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1991) Fls creamy white. Tree-like form. May. (Grown at Kilmacurragh, Co. Wicklow, Ireland)

(r) **'Actress'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Lady Alice Fitzwilliam' (s) × *edgeworthii* R: E.G.W.W. Harrison, N: E.G.W.W. Harrison, REG: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1964) Fls 3/truss, 55 × 90mm, pure white within, red without. Shrub c1.0m

(r) **'Acubifolium'** (An error for 'Aucubifolium')

(r) **'Acutilibrum'** (See note under 'Acutilobum')

(r) **'Acutilobum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably an *arboreum* form or hybrid I: A.van Geert (c. 1857),

INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large rounded trusses, campanulate, with 5 acutely pointed lobes, rosy white inside, edged crimson and with some crimson spots on the dorsal lobe, outside rose. Lvs brownish red below, glossy green above. (Listed in error as 'Acutilibrum' in the 1958 Register)

(r) **'Ada Agnes Archer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Polar Bear Group (s) × 'Vulcan's Flame' H: A.J. Holden (1967), G: A.J. Holden, N: A.J. Holden, I: A.J. Holden, REG: A.J. Holden (1981) Fls 10/truss, open funnel-campanulate, 75 × 125mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (66C), the throat deep red (185A), dark red (187B) spotting on dorsal lobe and moderate red (185B) rays, 7mm wide, from throat to lobe edges; scented. Calyx up to 25mm long, moderate red (185B). Lvs narrowly elliptic to narrowly oblong, 150 × 50mm, convex, apiculate at apex, slightly cordate at base, dull, moderate olive green (147A) above, with wavy margins, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 12 years. Mid-late June

(a) **'Ada Brunières'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, lightly suffused light purplish pink (56A), with a vivid yellow (13A) blotch. Midseason. Knap Hill (Sometimes listed as 'Ada Bruniers'. Perhaps correctly placed as a Ghent azalea and raised by Koster)

(a) **'Ada Bruniers'** (See note under 'Ada Brunières')

(a) **'Adagio'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Croux (pre 1984), N: Croux Fls single, red

(a) **'Adalaide Pope'** (See note under 'Adelaine Pope')

(r) **'Adalbert'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* × unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1905), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a dense, rounded truss, with slightly frilled lobes, strong reddish purple (2.5RP 5/14), marked deep purplish red (10RP 2/6); pistil and filaments pinkish. Shrub to c3. m

(r) **'Ada Lohr'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Janet Blair' × 'Ice Cube' R: R.L. Blough (pre 1987), N: R.L. Blough Fls in large trusses, beige to flesh-coloured with a golden blotch. Compact, medium-sized shrub. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Adam'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Limbatum' × 'Diadema' H: T.J.R. Seidel (1891), N: T.J.R. Seidel, I: T.J.R. Seidel (1906), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls flesh pink, with a blotch

(r) **'Adamant'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Barclayi Group (s) × 'Werei' R: E.G.W.W. Harrison, N: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1961), REG: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1961) Fls 15/tight truss, 50 × 75mm, deep red, without a blotch

(r) **'Adam Bede'** cv. Parentage unknown R: I. Davies (pre 1893), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, deep rose, with a dark blotch

(r) **'Adana'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × *decorum* subsp. *diaprepes* (s) × 'Noyo Chief' H: D.W. Goheen (1963), N: D.W. Goheen, I: D.W. Goheen (1980), REG: D.W. Goheen (1986) Fls 14-16/ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 50 × 75mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish orange (41A), with a vivid red (52A) blotch (c20mm wide) deep in and encircling the throat which is deep yellowish pink (39B). Calyx minute, green. Lvs between narrowly elliptic and elliptic, to more-or-less oblanceolate, 150-175 × 55-75mm, glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above; new foliage bronze. Shrub 1.5x 1.9m in 12 years. Early-mid April

(r) **'Adansonnii'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Gheldolf (1844), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls reddish brown, with a central yellow band

(v) **'Ada Verspeek'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *konori* (s) × *zoelleri* H: unknown, G: R. Macdonald (1991), N: R. Macdonald (1993), I: Foothills Nursery (1993), REG: Foothills Nursery (1993) Fls 4-6/flat truss, tubular-funnel-shaped, 80 × 120mm, with 7 smooth-edged lobes, light yellow (10C) in bud, opening light yellow (11B) with vivid red (52A) lobes inside; outside light yellow (11B). Lvs ovate, 160 × 90mm, wavy-edged, matt green above, cordate at base, acuminate at apex, scaly above and below. Shrub 2.0m. Autumn

(r) **Adder Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* (s) × *diphrocalyx* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 7/loose truss, campanulate, 40 × 50mm, blood red (820/2), faintly spotted. Calyx petaloid

(a) **'Addisonii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: T. Jackson & Son (1851), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Probably the same plant shown by Jackson (1843) as 'Addisonia')

(a) **'Addy Wery'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Suetsumu' × 'Malvaticum' R: H.den Ouden & Son, N: H.den Ouden & Son, I: H.den Ouden & Son (1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-2/truss, funnel-shaped, 45mm wide, blood red (820/2) on orient red (819/2) with a dull orange bronze flush. Shrub to 2.0m. Early. *AM 1950 Syn: 'Mrs Addy Wery', 'Mrs A.Wery, 'Mrs Wery', 'Mevrouw Wery'. Kurume

(r) **'Adeeno'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Frango' (s) × 'Markeeta' H: D.W. Goheen (1982), G: D.W. Goheen (1990), N: D.W. Goheen, I: A Sandy Rhododendron, REG: D.W. Goheen (1996) Fls 12-14/flattened dome truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 65 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (54A) in bud, opening white, heavily spotted strong purplish red (54A) on upper dorsal throat; outside tinged strong pink (54C) to moderate purplish pink (54D), mostly at middle of lobe tips; stamens 10, curved, unequal; slightly scented. Calyx 4-5mm long, deep purplish pink (54B). Pedicels 40mm long, strong pink (54C). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 100-150 × 25-50mm, margins decurved, cuneate at base, broadly acute at apex; dull, bullate and moderate

yellowish green (138A) above, with a felted, tawny white indumentum below (ageing to moderate orange (170C)); petioles 20-25mm long, light green above, tawny below, with glandular hairs. Shrub 1.5 × 1.8m in 10 years. Mid-late April

(a) **'Adélaide'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1840), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Adelaide'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Dallière (1852), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Adelaide'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, orange-yellow, with a red blotch. Mollis

(r) **'Adelaide'** cv. Parentage unknown L: B.S. Williams & Son (1872), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white, tinged with pink and spotted with brown

(r) **'Adelaide'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Aurora' (s) × *thomsonii* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c12/flat-topped truss, funnel-campanulate, 80-90mm wide, scarlet and faintly primrose with a waxy gleam, lightly spotted in dorsal tube and with 5 dark nectar pouches at the base. Calyx c12mm long, pale greenish, with rounded lobes. Lvs ovate, 85-110 × 50-60mm, green above, glaucous below. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. April. AM 1935 (Adelaide Group. Standard: painting of award plant (WSY 0019909))

(r) **Adelaide Group** gp Elepidoterhododendron: 'Aurora' (s) × *thomsonii* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1930), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Adelaine Pope'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Sherwood Red' × 'Ruffled Giant' R: N.Carolina/Louisiana State Univ., N: N.Carolina/Louisiana State Univ., I: N.Carolina/Louisiana State Univ. (1976) Fls single, 50-75mm wide, strong red (51A), with a deep red (53A) blotch. Shrub 1.2-1.5m. (Has been listed as 'Adalaide Pope')

(a) **'Adèle'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: W.C. Hage & Co., N: W.C. Hage & Co., I: W.C. Hage & Co. (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep pink. Early. Kaempferi

(r) **'Adèle'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Byls (pre 1854), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep plum colour

(r) **'Adele's Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* (s) × seedling from AzorGroup H: W.M. Fetterhoff (1961), G: W.M. Fetterhoff (1968), N: W.M. Fetterhoff, I: W.M. Fetterhoff, REG: W.M. Fetterhoff (1980) Fls 14-16/domed to tall truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 65mm, with 6 flat to wavy-edged lobes, deep rose pink in bud, opening strong purplish pink(55B) on lobes, shading to creamy white in centre of lobes and in the throat, with a blotch of dense spotting on the dorsal lobe, 15 × 25mm, moderate reddish brown (174A-177A) shading to moderate red(179A) in the centre, all on a yellow ground; green stain deep in the throat; outside pink. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 90-130 × 30-45mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, with sparse, colourless hairs. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 19 years. Early-mid June

(r) **'Adele's Yellow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* (s) × *wardii* H: W.M. Fetterhoff (1964), G: W.M. Fetterhoff (1971), N: W.M. Fetterhoff, I: W.M. Fetterhoff (1973), REG: W.M. Fetterhoff (1980) Fls 13-14/domed truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 30 × 40mm, with 5 evenly rounded lobes, cream and pink in bud, opening primrose yellow(601/3), with a uranium green(63) to fern green(0862/2) blotch. Calyx 4mm long, light green. Lvs oblanceolate to narrowly elliptic, 80-150 × 25-45mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, with a very inconspicuous, patchy, appressed, buff indumentum. Shrub 0.8 × 1.2m in 15 years. Early June

(r) **'Adeline Allison'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Wheatley' (s) × 'Kimberly' H: M.J. Whitman (1989), G: M.J. & B. Whitman (1996), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (1998), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (1999) Fls 14/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 90mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, buds strong purplish pink (63C) at base shading to strong purplish red (63B) at apex, opening very pale purple (69C) inside and out, with fine, faint veining of deep purplish pink (68A) at margins and with a faint, strong purplish red (63B) marking at base of dorsal lobe; anthers brown. Lvs ovate, 150 × 55mm, flat, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 0.6m in 10 years. Early May

(r) **'Adelphia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pygmalion' × *haematodes* × 'Wellfleet' H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: Swarthmore College, N: Swarthmore College (pre 1978) Fls bicoloured red. (Exact parental combination not known)

(a) **'Ademurasaki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1976), N: Japan Fls deep purple. (Raised on Hirado Island, Japan)

(r) **Adenarb Group** (Syn. of Arbad Group)

(r) **Adenophorum Group** gp gp Elepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. adenophorum*

(a) **'Adinda'** cv. Evergreen azalea: radiation-induced sport of 'Karl Glaser' R: ISRIA,Belgium, N: ISRIA,Belgium (c 1976) Fls deep yellowish pink(46D), otherwise resembling 'Karl Glaser'. Indian

(r) **Adjutant Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *neriiflorum* (s) × *sperabile* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red to scarlet. Small, compact shrub up to 1.5m. April-May

(r) **Adlo Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Adonis' (s) × Loderi Group H: Lord Aberconway (1931), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink

(a) **'Admiraal de Ruiter'** (Syn. of 'Admiraal de Ruyter')

(a) **'Admiraal de Ruyter'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: L.van Houtte (1849), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep blood red, slightly spotted orange (L. van Houtte, 1871). This description was used quite widely in the second half of the 19th century by van Houtte and others. The name was first substituted for 'Cardinal' in van Houtte's 1849 list where the description (deep rose, edged more red and with a yellow blotch) indeed equates with the earlier description for 'Cardinal' (cf. D. Spae, 1846): this earlier use is treated as a synonym of 'Cardinal'. It seems likely, however, that van Houtte had two plants under the name 'Admiraal de Ruyter' and the apparent later use is recorded here. Syn: 'Admiraal Ruyter', 'Admiral de Ruyter', 'Amiral Ruyter', 'Admiral de Ruiter'

(a) **'Admirable'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: Belgium, N: Belgium, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, orange pink, with an orange blotch. Mollis (Perhaps the plant listed by M. Koster & Sons (1931) with fls rose)

(r) **'Admirable'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R. de Belder, N: R. de Belder, REG: R. de Belder (1968) Fls 10-14/truss, with wavy-edged lobes, whitish rose, edged vivid purplish red(67B), with a brownish green blotch. Late

(a) **'Admiral de Ruyter'** (Syn. of 'Admiraal de Ruyter')

(r) **'Admiral Piet Hein'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sir Charles Butler' (s) × 'Halopeanum' R: C.B. van Nes & Sons (pre 1925), N: C.B. van Nes & Sons, I: C.B. van Nes & Sons (c 1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12-14/flattened, dome-shaped truss, funnel-shaped, 115 × 65mm, with wavy-edged lobes, pastel mauve(433/1) at the lobe edges, almost white in the throat and with yellow dorsal spotting; sweetly scented. Lvs 160 × 70mm, dark, glossy green. Shrub 1.1m. *HC 1957

(a) **'Admiral Ruyter'** (Syn. of 'Admiraal de Ruyter')

(a) **'Admiral Schley'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Petrick (1900), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, lively carmine rose, with a dark blotch. Indian

(a) **'Admiral Tegetthoff'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Jusa (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, dark red. Indian

(a) **'Admiral Tromp'** cv. Deciduous azalea: Gandavense Group (s) × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: C. Vuylsteke (pre 1938), N: C. Vuylsteke, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls creamy orange. Ghent

(a) **'Admiranda'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: F. Schneider (1863), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Admiration'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lateritium' × 'Iveryanum' R: J. Ivery (pre 1853), N: J. Ivery, I: J. Ivery, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with rose and scarlet stripes. Indian

(a) **'Admiration'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1921), N: Domoto Bros, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, pink. Kurume (Imported to USA by Domoto Bros from Japan and renamed by them)

(r) **'Admiration'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rosy crimson, with very dark spots. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Adolf'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid (s) R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac rose

(a) **'Adolf Czullik'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L.van Houtte (1882), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, large, pale rose, edged white, with a deep carmine red blotch. Indian

(a) **'Adolf Grille'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ernst Thiers' × 'Hexe' I: R. Ambrosius (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, deep pink(50B). Calyx normal, green. Indian

(a) **'Adolphe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1859), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, purple. Indian (Perhaps the same plant as 'Adolphi Flore Pleno')

(a) **'Adolphe'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Sunningdale Nurseries (1898), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls slightly bluish pink on a paler ground, with an orange flare; becoming almost bluish with age. Ghent

(a) **'Adolphe de Vervaene'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Camellia Grove Nursery (1954) Fls double, deep rose. Indian

(a) **'Adolphe d'Haene'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Camellia Grove Nursery (1954) Fls double, pale pink, edged white with a dark crimson throat (Kelmscott, 1984); fls double, pale to rose pink, deep throat (Camellia Grove, 1954). Indian (Also seen as 'Madame Adolphe' (Galle, 1987))

(r) **'Adolphe d'Haene'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Firma Seidel (pre 1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark scarlet red

(r) **'Adolphe Papeleu'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Vervaene (1864), INC: ICRA (1958) (Attributed to Verschaffelt)

(a) **'Adolphe Thiers'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L.van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rose satin to white, with a saffron red blotch. Indian

(r) **'Adolph Heineman'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Jasper Group × Tally Ho Group R: C.S. Seabrook, N: C.S. Seabrook, REG: C.S. Seabrook (1964) Fls in a full, flat truss, 50 × 50mm, campanulate, brilliant yellow(13C), with pink tips, fading with age

(a) **'Adolphi'** (See note under 'Adolphine')

(a) **'Adolphi Flore Major'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Vervaene (1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, dark purple, with a black blotch. Indian

(a) **'Adolphi Flore Pleno'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. van Geert (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, violet rose. Indian

(a) **'Adolphi Masquilier'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1881), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls reddish scarlet, the dorsal lobe blotched crimson. Indian

(a) **'Adolphine'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L.van Houtte (1871), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, lemon yellow, with darker yellow spots. Ghent (Probably the plant listed earlier (1868) by van Houtte as 'Adolphi', perhaps also the 'Adolphi' of A. Verschaffelt (1853))

(a) **'Adolph van Hecke'** (Syn. of 'Hexe de Saffelaere')

(a) **'Adonia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: O. Stahnke (pre 1983), N: O. Stahnke Fls semi-double, strong purplish red(71D) inside and out, with deep purplish red markings(59B). Indian

(a) **'Adonis'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Henderson & Co. (1852), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Adonis'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Truus' × 'Azuma-kagami'? R: Felix & Dijkhuis, N: Felix & Dijkhuis, I: Felix & Dijkhuis (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, with wavy-edged lobes, white. Shrub 0.5-0.6m. Midseason. Kurume (Some authors give 'Salmon Beauty' as a parent)

(r) **'Adonis'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1847), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose, spotted. Hardy Hybrid (Perhaps raised by J.Byls)

(r) **Adonis Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Vanessa Group (s) × Sunrise Group H: Lord Aberconway (1932), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink

(a) **'Adorabile'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. de Cock & Soeur (1870), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Said by de Cock to be from Mardner)

(a) **'Adorable'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Mucronatum Roseum' (s) × *indicum* R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3-4/truss, 75-95mm wide, slightly darker than phlox pink, with a heavy blotch and fine spots of tyrian rose. Shrub to 1.5m. Midseason. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Adorée'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Jamin & Durand (1858), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls creamy white (L. van Houtte, 1876). Ghent

(r) **Adota Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Adonis Group (s) × CoretaGroup H: Lord Aberconway (1936), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(r) **Adrastia Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *williamsianum* (s) × *neriiflorum* H: Lord Aberconway (1929), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep pink

(r) **Adrean Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Adrastia Group (s) × *beanianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1935), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(a) **'Adriaan Brouwer'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Gebr Kersbergen (pre 1931), N: Gebr Kersbergen, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, deep orange-red. Mollis (Sometimes listed incorrectly as 'Adrian Brouwer')

(a) **'Adriaan Koster'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: M. Koster & Sons (1901), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, deep yellow, with orange spotting on the dorsal lobe. AM 1935. Mollis

(r) **'Adriaan Koster'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* hybrid (s) × 'Mrs Lindsay Smith' I: M. Koster & Sons (1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a compact truss, campanulate, creamy yellow, with a small red blotch in the throat. Robust shrub. May-June. *AM 1935

(r) **'Adrian'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1875), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose, with a dark centre. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Adrian Brouwer'** (An error for 'Adriaan Brouwer')

(r) **'Adrian Waterer'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Vuylsteke (1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose, darker in the centre. (Has been seen as 'Adrien Waterer')

(a) **'Adriatic'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Dancing Butterfly' (s) × 'Girard's Hot Shot' R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls hose-in-hose, 3/truss, 65-75mm wide, fuchsia-coloured, with a dark red blotch. Upright shrub. Late April. (First published in Holly Springs cat., 1990)

(r) **'Adrienne Elizabeth'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Horace Fogg' (s) × Loderi Group H: B.M. Smith (1975), G: B.M. Smith (1981), N: B.M. Smith, I: B.M. Smith, REG: B.M. Smith (1989) Fls 10/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 114mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink(54B) in bud, opening pale purplish pink(56D), shading to yellowish white(155D) in the throat and with a strong purplish pink(55B) edging of irregular width and a dark red(59A), star-shaped blotch (13mm wide) in the throat, outside pale to strong purplish pink(56D/55B). Calyx c5mm long, green with reddish edges. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 165-222 × 44-83mm, concave, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 12 years. Late April

(a) **'Adrien Steyaert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, strong reddish purple(72C). Calyx normal, green. Lvs deep green. Indian

(r) **'Adrien Waterer'** (See note under 'Adrian Waterer')

(r) **'Adrie Schipper'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Mrs Horace Fogg' H: H.L. Larson (1968), G: E. Weesjes, N: E. Weesjes, REG: E. Weesjes (1993) Fls 9-11/ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 57 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (55B) fading to pale purplish pink (55D) and with a vivid red (52A) throat; stamens 10, straight, unequal. Calyx minute. Pedicels 38mm long, yellowish. Lvs oblanceolate, 114 × 33mm, with wavy margins, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull medium green and hairless above, with a thin, felted indumentum below (light tan at first, ageing to tan). Petioles 25mm long, yellowish green. Shrub 1.2 × 2.1m in 24 years. Early May

(a) **'Advance'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Frost (1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose lilac, with a carmine red to chestnut brown blotch. Indian (Perhaps the same plant listed in *Floral World* 1859)

(a) **'Advance'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' × 'Willy' (s) × 'Mrs Carmichael' × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50mm wide, 2-4/truss, between tyrian rose and rose red; very floriferous. Shrub to 1.5m. Midseason. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Advance'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: M. Koster & Sons (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep pink, with a yellow blotch. Midseason. Occidentale

(a) **'Advancer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1864), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls of a rosy tint. Indian (May be the same plant as 'Advance' (Frost))

(r) **'Advent'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Grierosplendour Group (s) × 'Millard Kepner' H: M.E. Byrkit (1975), G: M.E. Byrkit (1981), N: M.E. Byrkit, REG: M.E. Byrkit (1988) Fls up to 14/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 30 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink(68A), with a prominent, spotted red blotch on the dorsal lobe. Calyx minute, coloured as the corolla. Lvs elliptic, 130 × 80mm, cuspidate at apex, cuneate at base, dull green and slightly convex above, hairless. Shrub 1.7-1.8m in 10 years. Mid-late May

(a) **'Advent Bells'** (Syn. of 'Adventglöckchen')

(a) **'Adventglöckchen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Paul Schäme' × 'Frits Sander' I: R. Ambrosius (1929), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, cup-shaped, strong purplish red(54A), with an average of 2 stamens. Calyx normal, green. Early. Syn: 'Advent Bells', 'Chimes'. Indian (According to Schimmler (*Die Entwicklung der Kamellien-, Azaleen- und Erikenkulturen Deutschlands*, 1935) this should be 'Adventsglocke'. No original listing by Ambrosius has yet been traced to confirm this)

(r) **Advie Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Cornubia Group (s) × *diphrocalyx* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rose. Shrub of compact habit. April-May.

(a) **'Advokaat de Cnyf'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pale rose, paler at edges. Indian

(r) **'A. Dvorak'** (Syn. of 'Antonín Dvořák')

(a) **'Adzuma-no-hana'** R: Chugai Nursery Co., N: Chugai Nursery Co., I: Chugai Nursery Co. (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) (An error for 'Azuma-no-hana')

(r) **'Aeneas'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy crimson. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Aeolus'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Lady Bessborough Group × *souliei* H: L. de Rothschild, G: L. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild, REG: E. de Rothschild (1994) Fls c10/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, up to 50 × 120mm, 7-lobed, deep purplish pink in bud, paling on opening through shades of purplish pink (65) to pale purplish pink (65D) to almost white, dorsal throat blotched deep red (53A); stamens 14, filaments white, anthers pale brown; style glandular. Calyx rudimentary, green, fringed and lightly covered with red gland-tipped hairs. Lvs ovate, up to 110 × 55mm, dull matt green above, paler and hairless below. AM 1994 (Halcyone Group)

(a) **'Aeritinctum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.R. Gowen (1829), N: J.R. Gowen, INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Published in *Botanical Register*, 1830, under t.1366, where two possible parental combinations are discussed)

(r) **'Aesthetica'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* (s) × *bureavii* H: B.F. Lancaster (pre 1960), G: B.F. Lancaster, N: C. Hoffman, I: C. Hoffman (1994), REG: C. Hoffman (1995) Fls 10-15/ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 70-76mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, pink in bud, opening light purplish pink and fading to white. Lvs oblong/elliptic, 152 × 64mm, convex, with wavy margins, acute at apex, cuneate at base, very dark green and glossy above, with a thick, woolly covering on the bright emerald green new growth; indumentum white at first ageing to deep brown, only present on lower surface of mature lvs. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Aestivale'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *cinnabarinum* R: S.R. Clarke, N: Hutchinson (1932), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c8/truss, tube 25-30mm long, lobes 15-20mm long, tube cinnabar red, lobes pale yellow and suffused red; stamens 10, filaments deep pink. Lvs oblong-lanceolate, 60-80 × 20-25mm, rounded and mucronate at apex, shiny green and hairless above, densely scaly below. (Published as a botanical variety in *Gardeners' Chronicle* 92 (6 August) 1932, p.98)

(a) **'Aestivale Concinnum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1867), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Aetna'** cv. Parentage unknown L: B.S. Williams & Son (1872), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright scarlet

(r) **'Affectation'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *ambiguum* (s) × *cinnabarinum* Blandfordiiflorum Group H: Sunningdale Nurseries (1942), G: Sunningdale Nurseries (1951), I: Sunningdale Nurseries, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale yellow, with rose tips

(r) **'Afghan'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep blood red

(r) **'Afghan Chief'** cv. Parentage unknown R: I. Davies (pre 1884), N: I. Davies, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'A Fine Romance'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, in large trusses, bright pink with a large yellow flare on the dorsal lobe. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Mid-late July

(r) **'Aflame'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'China Boy' × 'Charles Dickens' × 'Mars' H: J. Looye (1988), G: W.E. Delp (1992), N: Mrs V. Delp (1992), I: W.E. Delp (1992), REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 16/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 38 × 38mm, 5-lobed, dark red (187A) and strong red (46A) in bud, opening to a blend of deep, strong and vivid red (54A-D, 45A) with vivid red (45A) veins on the reverse; filaments and style moderate purplish pink (54D); anthers greyish brown (166A); stigma dark reddish orange (173A). Lvs 102 × 31mm, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, with a woolly tan indumentum. Shrub 0.3 × 0.3m in 4 years

(v) **'African Queen'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' (s) × *laetum* × *aurigeranum* H: B. Clancy(1988), G: B. Clancy (1991), N: B. Clancy (1991), I: Vireya Valley Nursery (1999), REG: G. Roelink (1999) Fls 8-14/open truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 25 × 83mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, light yellow (10C) in bud, opening inside light yellow (10C) in the throat, with vivid reddish orange (43A) lobes; outside similarly coloured; unmarked; anthers dark brown to black. Lvs elliptic, 87 × 50mm, flat, attenuate at base, obtuse at apex, glossy green above. Shrub 1.2 × 0.6m in 10 years. Autumn-spring

(a) **'After All'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, white. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Mid-late July

(a) **'Afterglow'** (Syn. of 'Thérèse')

(a) **'Afterglow'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Mrs Carmichael' (s) × 'Alice' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 45-50mm wide, vivid purplish red, with a large darker blotch. Shrub to 2.0m. Early. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Afterglow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × *catawbiense* hybrid R: W.C. Slocock, N: W.C. Slocock, I: W.C. Slocock (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink and mauve

(a) **'Afternoon Delight'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Crimson Queen' (azalea) (s) × 'Eiko' R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls 100-115mm wide, with 5-6 wavy-edged, imbricated lobes, light pink at centre, bordered strong rosy pink and with an amber blotch. Shrub 0.6 × 0.9m. Mid May. (First published in Holly Springs cat., 1990)

(r) **'Agadir'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Souvenir of Anthony Waterer' F2 × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' (s) × 'Marrakesch' H: H.J.A. Guyens (1994), G: H.J.A. Guyens (2000), N: H.J.A. Guyens (2001), I: H.J.A. Guyens, REG: H.J.A. Guyens (2001) Fls 15-18/tight, globular truss, saucer-shaped, 60 × 70mm, with 6-7 rather wavy-edged lobes, green in bud, opening creamy yellow with a pink margin; outside bordeaux red to salmon red; dorsal lobes olive green and brown with ochre marking and spots. Calyx 25-35mm long, cream, tinged pink, making a strong contrast with the corolla. Lvs elliptic, 90-125 × 35-45mm, flat to boat-shaped (margins upcurved), slightly shiny above, with a silvery, felted indumentum on young leaves. Shrub 0.7 × 0.8m in 7 years. Late April-early May

(a) **'Agamemnon'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. van Geert (1877), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cherry, with an orange flare. Ghent

(r) **'Agamemnon'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (c 1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose crimson, with a paler centre. (Previously credited to A.Waterer (at Knap Hill), but J.Waterer & Sons cat. c1865 states it was raised at Bagshot)

(r) **'Agamemnon'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R.T. Pince (pre 1868), N: R.T. Pince, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large, compact trusses, light rosy purple, densely spotted; stamens pure white. Foliage glossy

(a) **'Agamujin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, with very frilly lobes, pure white, with green spots. Kurume

(r) **'Agape'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale blush, with a fine brown eye

(r) **'Agateen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Henriette Sargent' H: F. Arsen (1969), G: F. Arsen, N: F. Arsen, I: F. Arsen (1974), REG: F. Arsen (1983) Fls 15/truss, c40 × 60mm, open funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, deep purplish pink(55A) in bud, opening deep purplish pink(54B), fading to strong pink(54C) and with dorsal spotting of strong greenish yellow(153C), outside strong purplish red(58B). Calyx 3mm long, pale yellow-green. Lvs c115 × 40mm, narrowly elliptic, moderate olive green(147A) above, with

a plastered brown indumentum below. Shrub c1.1m in 13 years

(r) **'Agate Pass Jewell'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* (s) × unknown H: B. Nelson (c 1965), G: F. Putney (1968), N: F. Putney, I: F. Putney (1974), REG: F. Putney (1974) Fls up to 5/lax truss, obliquely campanulate, 45 × 40mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong orange-yellow(163B) striped light pink(39A) in bud, opening brownish orange(164A), with faint green stripes down both the inside and outside, spotted moderate orange-yellow(164B) in the throat and with strong red(46A) nectar pouches. Calyx 30mm long, moderate yellow(162A), with faint green stripes. Lvs elliptic, 80 × 40mm, moderate olive green(146A), hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m in 9 years. Mid June

(a) **'Agatha'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish red. Mollis (Perhaps the same plant offered as 'Agathe' by L.van Houtte in 1900 and described as "tender rose, spotted purple")

(a) **'Agatha'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a small truss, with rather curled lobes, deep salmon pink, the blotch in two shades of orange. Ghent (Listed by Sunningdale in 1960s)

(r) **'Agatha'** (Syn. of 'Dexter's Agatha')

(a) **'Agathe'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1851), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Agathe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: F. Schneider (1863), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Agathe Pallidum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1851), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Ageeth'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Vuyk's Scarlet' S: H.T. Hooftman (c 1973), N: H.T. Hooftman, I: H.T. Hooftman (1981), REG: Royal Boskoop Hort.Soc.(1988) Fls 1-5/truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 65-75mm, vivid red(45C), paling slightly with age and with a very faint brown-red blotch. Lvs broadly elliptic to obovate, 25-40 × 13-23mm. Shrub 1.0 × 1.5m. Late April

(a) **'Agemaki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1918), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vivid crimson, resembling 'Hi-no-degiri', but without the scarlet flush. Syn: 'Jose'; Wilson no. 41. Kurume

(a) **'Ageromata'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1849), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Agger'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Noordtianum' (s) × *kaempferi* and several Kurume azaleas R: G. Arends (pre 1914), N: G. Arends (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale lilac, with pale reddish markings. Shrub 1.0-1.2m. Arendsii

(r) **'Aggie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cynthia' (s) × 'Purple Splendour' H: M. Stockman (1986), G: H. & M. Stockman (1994), N: M. Stockman (1996), REG: H. & M. Stockman (1996) Fls 8/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside close to deep purplish pink (72C) at edges, with a white, star-shaped centre and yellow spotting in the dorsal throat; outside with margins near deep purplish pink (72D), shading darker to near vivid purplish red (67B) at base. Calyx less than 2mm long, green. Pedicels 30mm long, green, tinged red above. Lvs narrowly oblong, 100 × 40mm, flat, cuneate at base, broadly acute at apex, dark glossy green above, hairless; petioles 20mm long, light green. Mid May

(r) **'A. Gilbert'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* R: T.H. Lowinsky, N: T.H. Lowinsky, I: T.H. Lowinsky (1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c9-10/truss, 55 × 70-80mm, 5(-6)-lobed, apricot in bud, opening pale primrose tinged pink at the margin and with two crimson flashes. AM 1925 (Standard: painting of award plant (WSY 0019908))

(r) **'Aglaia'** cv. Parentageunknown L: J. Standish(1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a blotch of purple spots.

(r) **'Aglare'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Arthur Osborn' (s) × Rapture Group H: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1947), G: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1954), N: E.G.W.W. Harrison, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12/truss, 65 × 75mm, deep red

(r) **'Agleam'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Arthur Osborn' (s) × Isabella Group R: E.G.W.W. Harrison (pre 1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright red

(r) **'Aglo'** (Syn. of 'Weston's Aglo')

(r) **'Aglow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* subsp. *diaprepes* (s) × 'Arthur Osborn' R: E.G.W.W. Harrison (pre 1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, with a darker centre

(a) **'Agnes'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1845), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Exhibited in London (May, 1845))

(r) **'Agnes'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine lilac-red, with a dark blotch

(r) **'Agnes'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × 'Norman Gill' R: Lord Swaythling (pre 1943), N: Lord Swaythling, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls shallowly funnel-shaped, 115mm wide, deep purplish pink(55A) in bud, opening paler and eventually deep pink only at the edges and at the base of the tube. AM 1943 (Standard: painting of award plant (WSY 0019910))

(v) **'Agnes'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *konori* (s) × 'Pink Delight' × *jasminiflorum* H: P. Sullivan (pre 1983), N: P. Sullivan (pre 1983), I: P. Sullivan

(r) **'Agnes Beaufort'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: J.H. Mangles (pre 1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c12/dense, domed truss, 75-80 × 100-105mm, open campanulate, 5-lobed, white, slightly flushed deep purplish pink(64D) on the edges and midveins at first, with a few, green to yellowish green spots on a very pale ground on the dorsal lobe. Calyx up to 6mm long, regular, narrowly edged red. Lvs oblong, up to 219 × 95mm, very dark shiny green above, with minute, scattered brown hairs below. (Now firmly attributed to Mangles and regarded as a clone)

(a) **'Agnes Gault'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1980) (Parent of 'Crinkle Cut')

(a) **'Agnes Harvey'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Mr & Mrs F.W. Harvey, N: Mr & Mrs F.W. Harvey, I: Bovees Nursery (1962), REG: Mr & Mrs F.W. Harvey (1972) Fls 90-100mm wide, white, lightly flushed pale pink(2.5R 9/3), with strongly frilled lobes. Lvs c100mm long. Shrub up to 1.2m. May. Knap Hill

(r) **Agnes Lamont Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loder's White' (s) × *thomsonii* R: RBG, Edinburgh (pre 1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in various shades of pink

(r) **'Agnes Mangles'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: J.H. Mangles (pre 1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c7/small, domed truss, funnel-shaped, 45-50 × 65-70mm, 5-lobed, vivid purplish red(57B) at first, fading with age and paling to centre and edges, but remaining more darkly suffused on the dorsal lobe, unspotted; nectaries dark red(59A). Calyx up to 7mm long, pink. Lvs elliptic, up to 120 × 50-55mm, mid-green and shiny above with pale margins, very sparsely hairy below

(a) **'Agnes Neale'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: F. Lovegrove, N: F. Lovegrove, I: Camellia Grove Nursery (1966) Fls single to semi-double, with frilled lobes, soft lilac mauve. Indian

(r) **'Agnes Wallace'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (c 1905), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cherry red with a white centre. (Raised at Lochryan, Wigtownshire, Scotland)

(r) **Agricola Group** gp Parentage unknown R: T. Methven & Son (pre 1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson lake

(r) **'A.G. Rogers'** cv. Parentage unknown L: W.H. Rogers (1901), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'A.G. Soames'** cv. Parentage unknown R: van Nes (pre 1922), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson red with pink interiors, heavily spotted burnt umber; style and anthers cream

(r) **'Ahren's Favourite'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1994)

(r) **'Aibette'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cotton Candy' (s) × 'Purple Splendour' H: M. Stockman (1983), G: M. & H. Stockman (1989), N: M. & H. Stockman (1992), I: M. & H. Stockman (1992), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1992) Fls 9/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 64 × 95mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light purple (75A) shading to lighter centre with a strong red (46A) spotted flare in throat which extends on to dorsal lobe as moderate yellow (161A) spots; outside light purple (75A); stamens 10, straight, unequal; filaments pink, anthers creamy; slightly scented. Calyx 10mm long, light green. Pedicels 25mm long, pink above, light green below. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 114 × 38mm, convex, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, matt dark green above, hairless. Petioles 13mm long, brown above, light green below. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 9 years. Early May

(a) **'Aida'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Smet, I: C. Vuylsteke (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 45mm wide, pale rose, dorsal lobes edged bright rose, with a yellowish rose blotch; scented. Shrub up to c2.0 × 1.5m. Mid-late. Rustica

(a) **'Aida'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1958), INC: ICRA (1958). Kaempferi

(r) **Aida Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'George Hardy' (s) × *auriculatum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with dark red markings

(v) **'Aida's March'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* (s) × *zoelleri* H: G.L.S. Snell, G: G.L.S. Snell (1989), N: R. Macdonald (1991), I: Foothills Nursery (1991), REG: Foothills Nursery (1992) Fls 10-12/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 90 × 90mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, vivid yellow (15B) inside, with strong reddish orange (40C) lobes, outside vivid yellow (15B); unspotted. Lvs obovate, 110 × 60mm, matt green, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 1.0m. Spring to autumn

(a) **'Aiden'** (Syn. of 'Sakuragata')

(a) **'Aigyoku'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 40-50mm wide, with rounded lobes, dark pink, with white tips and a dark pink blotch. Early. Satsuki

(a) **'Aikoku'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Koho' × 'Tanima-no-yuki' R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65-75mm wide, white, with occasional stripes of deep purplish pink, some solid deep purplish pink edged white, others white at centre bordered purplish pink. Satsuki

(r) **'Aileen Henderson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1929), N: M. Koster & Sons, I: M. Koster & Sons (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls opening yellow, becoming creamy white, with a brown-yellow blotch

(r) **'Aileen O'Rourke'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Letty Edwards' (s) × 'Odee Wright' H: H. O'Rourke (1983), G: H. O'Rourke (1990), N: H. O'Rourke (1999), REG: H. O'Rourke (1999) Fls 9-10/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 55 × 88mm, with 6 wavy-edged

lobes, moderate red (47A) in bud, opening inside light yellowish pink (38C) at lobe edges, light orange-yellow (24C) in centre of each lobe; outside strong yellowish pink (37A) at lobe edges, light orange (28D) near calyx and in the centre of each lobe; slight, vivid red (46B) markings deep in the throat at the base of the three dorsal lobes. Calyx minute. Lvs elliptic, 85-90 × 25-30mm, flat, truncate at base, obtuse and apiculate at apex, semi-glossy, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 16 years. October-November (Tasmania). (Standard: herbarium specimen provided by registrant (WSY 0021409))

(a) **'Ailsa'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *arborescens* R: G.M. Adams-Acton (pre 1952), N: G.M. Adams-Acton, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c10/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 45 × 50mm, white, with a yellow dorsal blotch, scented. AM 1952

(r) **'Ailsa Jean'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *tephropeplum* (s) × *moupinense* R: G.M. Adams-Acton, N: G.M. Adams-Acton, I: G.M. Adams-Acton (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3-4/truss, 28 × 50mm, funnel-campanulate, 5-lobed, bright scarlet in bud, opening amaranth rose(530/1) externally, paler towards the tips and within. Lvs elliptic to obovate, 40-65mm long, scaly below. AM 1946 (Standard: painting of award plant (WSY 0019911). Ailsa Jean Group.)

(r) **Ailsa Jean Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *tephropeplum* (s) × *moupinense* R: G.M. Adams-Acton (pre 1942), N: G.M. Adams-Acton, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Ai-no-tomo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish crimson on white. Indian (In view of its Japanese name this may be incorrectly listed as an Indian cv)

(a) **'Ain't She Sweet'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, light pink with deeper pink picotee edges and stripes down the centre of each lobe and a soft yellow dorsal flare on an almost white ground; scented. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Late June-July

(a) **'Aioi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1918), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, pale yellowish pink(36D), shaded light yellowish pink(36C). Syn: 'Fairy Queen'; Wilson no. 43. Kurume

(a) **'Airport Red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* × *nakaharae* H: T. Rokujo (pre 1985), G: Mrs J.W. Hill, N: Mrs J.W. Hill Fls flame-coloured

(r) **'Airspun'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ('Vinecrest' × 'Marypat') × ('Wizard' × *aureum*) (s) × 'Dead Ringer' H: A.W. Smith (1985), G: W.E. Delp (1992), N: Mrs V. Delp (1992), REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 10/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 38 × 57mm, 5-lobed, deep and strong red (53A, 46A) in bud, opening light yellow-green (2C) edged lightly with strong red (47B), with a brilliant greenish yellow (1B) flare; filaments and style pale greenish yellow (1D); anthers moderate orange-yellow (164B); stigma reddish brown (166B). Calyx 3mm long. Lvs 76 × 32mm, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 7 years. Early June

(r) **'Airwaves'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ('Vinecrest' × 'Marypat') × ('Wizard' × *aureum*) (s) × 'Dead Ringer' H: A.W. Smith (1985), G: W.E. Delp (1992), N: Mrs V. Delp (1992), REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 8/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 43 × 64mm, 5-lobed, moderate red (179A) in bud, opening light greenish yellow (4B, C) edged with a blend of deep and moderate yellowish pink (39B, C) and light pink (39D), throat light greenish yellow (4B); filaments pale yellow-green (157A); style brilliant greenish yellow (1B); anthers strong orange-yellow (163B); stigma brilliant yellow-green (149A). Calyx 6mm long. Lvs 89 × 32mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 7 years. Early June

(r) **'Airy Fairy'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lutescens* (s) × *mucronulatum* 'Cornell Pink' H: Mrs F. Maloney (c 1968), G: Mrs M.K. Granston, N: Mrs M.K. Granston, I: Mrs M.K. Granston (1975), REG: Mrs M.K. Granston (1976) Fls 3/flattruss, broadly funnel-shaped, 25 × 45mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink(55B), with greyish red(182B) dorsal spotting. Calyx minute. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 70 × 25mm, glossy and moderate olive green(137A) above, minutely scaly, more-or-less deciduous in winter. Shrub 1.1 × 0.5m in 7-8 years. Late March-early April. *AM 1984

(a) **'Aishifu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 40-50mm wide, white, with flakes and sectors of strong reddish purple and a greenish blotch. Satksuki

(r) **'Aitonii'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Gheldolf (1844), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Ajax'** (Syn. of 'Monstrous')

(v) **'Ajax'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Crown Princess of Germany' × *javanicum* R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1890), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65mm wide, bright orange-red, toned with tawny yellow and with a pink centre. AM 1890

(a) **'A.J. Blom'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Gebr Kersbergen (pre 1947), N: Gebr Kersbergen, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls brilliant red. (Probably deciduous azaleas; a seed race not a clone)

(r) **'A.J. Downing'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: hybrid of *campanulatum* R: L. van Houtte (pre 1861), INC: ICRA (1958) Syn: 'Downing'

(a) **'A.J. Richers'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Schulz (pre 1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, red. Indian

(a) **'Akaidai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Aka-koshimino'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red, with strap-like segments between the calyx and corolla. Satsuki

(a) **'Akarizuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c60mm wide, 5-6-lobed, red. Satsuki

(a) **'Aka-shiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c40mm wide, red, flowering for a long period in the spring and again in the autumn. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Akatsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *eriocarpum* × *kaempferi* I: K. Wada, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2/truss, 70mm wide, strong purplish pink(62A). AM 1962

(a) **'Akatsuki-no-zao'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1997), N: Japan Fls single, with pointed lobes, white, with salmon pink stripes. Sports solid pink fls with white edge and solid salmon pink fls often with a pale to white centre. Satsuki

(a) **'Aka-yodogawa'** (Syn. of 'Maxwellii')

(r) **'Akbar'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi King George' (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12/flat-topped truss, 75 × 125mm, rose madder(23/2), with a small blotch of streaked crimson staining in the throat; sweetly scented. June. AM 1952

(r) **Akbar Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi King George' (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1933), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Akebonar Ruykin'** (See under 'Akebono Ryukyu')

(a) **'Akebono'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, c40mm wide, held in dense clusters, pale off white, flushed purple. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Akebono'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, very pale crimson. Kurume

(a) **'Akebono'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1965) Fls single, broadly funnel-shaped, 75mm wide, light purple. (Closely related to 'Phoeniceum')

(a) **'Akebono'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Zuio' R: Japan (pre 1965) Fls single, more-or-less flat, 100-115mm wide, with 6 broadly overlapping lobes, white, with a blush of pale purplish pink, a few pink flecks and a very faint green blotch. Satsuki

(a) **'Akebono'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1995), N: Japan Fls single, 5-lobed, pale pink, with a darker pink, spotted, dorsal blotch. Tsutsuji (Said to be from the wild at Hirado, Nagasaki Pref., Japan)

(a) **'Akebono Ryukyu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Malvaticum' (s) × *kaempferi* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, shaded pale mauve(633/2) and with a deep rosy purple blotch. Shrub 0.4m. *AM 1948 (Previously listed incorrectly as 'Akebonar Ruykin')

(a) **'Ake-kagami'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975)

(a) **'Akikoku'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, large, white, with wisteria purple, "rain-line" stripes and shuttlecock shaped-spotting. Satsuki

(r) **'Aki-no-hana-kanzashi'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *mucronulatum* (a form attributed to var. *ciliatum*) S: F. Ishii (1993), N: F. Ishii (1995), REG: F. Ishii (1995) Fls 1-3/lax truss, flat saucer-shaped, 25 × 40mm, 5-lobed; lobes extending almost to base, narrow, themselves deeply lobed to c1/3, wavy; strong reddish purple (72B) in bud, opening strong reddish purple (72B) throughout, unspotted. Calyx 10-25mm long, strong reddish purple (72B). Lvs elliptic, 30 × 20mm, wavy-edged, matt green above, cuneate at base, acute at apex, with pale brown scales. Shrub to at least 1.0 × 0.8m. (Found in the wild by Mr Ishii on a hill above Hiroshima city)

(a) **'Akita-nishiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, large, white, with red hair-line spotting. Satsuki

(a) **'Akoya-hime'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, large, white, with deep purplish red, wavy stripes. Satsuki

(r) **'Aksel Olsen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Essex Scarlet' × *forrestii* Repens Group R: D.G. Hobbie (pre 1950), N: D.G. Hobbie, I: D.G. Hobbie (1964), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3-5/truss, blood red. Lvs 45-55mm long. Shrub c0.3m. (Sometimes seen incorrectly spelt as 'Axsel Olsen')

(a) **'Alabama'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia/New Zealand (1984) Fls single, deep pink. Indian

(a) **'Alabammy Bound'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *alabamense* R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1987), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls white, flushed pink; scented

(a) **'Alabaster'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' × 'Amoenum' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls irregularly hose-in-hose, 2-4/truss, 50-65mm wide, white, with very few flakes of purplish pink. Shrub to 1.5m. May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Aladdin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: W.C. Hage & Co., N: W.C. Hage & Co., I: W.C. Hage & Co. (1943), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls geranium lake(20/1). Kurume

(a) **'Aladdin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Multiflorum' × *kaempferi* R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA

(1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls geranium pink, white at the base of the corolla tube and with an inconspicuous blotch of a few red dots. Shrub 1.5-1.9m, almost deciduous. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Aladdin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × *auriculatum* R: J.J. Crosfield (1930), N: J.J. Crosfield, I: J.J. Crosfield (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 14/truss, up to 115mm wide, funnel-shaped, bright vermilion, more orange outside and paling to a bright but soft rose on the lower part of the flower. Lvs oblong-elliptic, 175mm long, thinly brown hairy below. Large shrub. AM 1935 (Standard: painting of the award plant (WSY 0019912))

(r) **Aladdin Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × *auriculatum* R: J.J. Crosfield (1930), N: J.J. Crosfield, I: J.J. Crosfield (1935), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Aladdin's Jinni'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Impi' × *hemsleyanum* (s) × 'Aladdin' H: D.W. Goheen (1988), G: D.W. Goheen (1996), N: D.W. Goheen, I: A Sandy Rhododendron (2000), REG: D.W. Goheen (2000) Fls 14-16/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 100 × 100mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (51A) in bud, opening inside deep pink (51C) shading darker to deep pink (51B) in the throat, with a small, strong red (51A) blotch in the base, a dorsal flare of the same colour and some spotting of vivid reddish orange (33B) and strong yellowish pink (33C); outside deep pink (51C), streaked with strong red (51A); moderately scented. Calyx 9-13mm long, deep pink (51B). Lvs elliptic, 200-225 × 75-90mm, cuspidate at apex, cuneate at base, wrinkled and powdery on the dull, mid green upper surface, with light tan, felted hairs below and some glandular hairs on the veins; petioles hairy. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 11 years. Late June.

(r) **'Aladdin's Light'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Peach Lady' (s) × Aladdin Group R: B.F. Lancaster (1955), N: B.F. Lancaster, I: B.F. Lancaster (1964), REG: B.F. Lancaster (1965) Fls 12/truss, broadly campanulate, up to 70 × 100mm, 6-lobed, a blend of shell pink and delft rose, with radiating lines of deeper colour. Lvs up to 225 × 65mm, of *auriculatum*-like texture. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'A la Mode'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vinecrest' (s) × 'Kettledrum' H: A.W. Smith (pre 1995), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls strong purplish red to deep purplish pink (67A-C) in bud, opening pale yellowish pink (159D), edged strong reddish purple (70B), with a moderate reddish purple (70A) throat and 70A dorsal spotting; filaments and style pale purplish pink (65D); anthers moderate orange (173C) and moderate purplish red (185C); stigma dark red (187A). (Published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **Alan Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Ethel Group (s) × F.C.Puddle Group H: Lord Aberconway (1938), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blood red.

(r) **'Alandale'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* H: G.G. Nearing (pre 1938), G: J.B. Gable, N: Scott Arboretum (pre 1972)

(r) **'Alane'** cv. Parentage unknown R: (pre 1871), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **Alaric Group** gp Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a dense, rounded truss, strong reddish purple(3.5RP 5/13), with a few, but pronounced, deep purplish red(10RP 2/6) markings; stigmas nearly black; styles and stamens purplish

(r) **'Alarich'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark carmine red, tinged lilac, with dark red markings

(r) **'Alaric Hamilton'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: (Tortoiseshell Group) 'Champagne' (s) × 'Albatross' H: I. Hamilton (1983), G: I. Hamilton(1989), N: I. Hamilton, REG: I. Hamilton (1989) Fls 12-14/broad, lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 60 × 100mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, creamy white without blotch or spots, but with a faint pink mark on each lobe. Calyx 20mm long, cream. Style and filaments creamy white, stigma green, anthers brown. Lvs up to 200 × 60mm, hairless; foliage paler, more lax and growth less stiff than in 'Mrs Innes Hamilton'. Shrub probably up to 2.5-3.0 × 2.5m. Late May-early June.

(r) **'Alarm'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a *maximum* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1860), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c14/conical truss, campanulate, 35 × 50mm, deep crimson with a white centre and two lines of light brown markings on the dorsal lobe; filaments white, anthers dark purple-brown; style crimson at top, white at base, stigma black-crimson. Calyx with eccentric lobes up to 10mm long. Lvs oblanceolate, up to 250 × 60mm, dark glossy green above, paler below, with vestiges of juvenile indumentum. Shrub to at least 3.0m. June. (Description of plants at Tatton Park (UK) in 1941; plants cultivated in Germany (1994) have slightly different markings and are considered an *arboreum* hybrid)

(a) **'Alaska'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Bobbink & Atkins (pre 1930), N: Bobbink & Atkins, I: Bobbink & Atkins, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, semi-double or double, 50mm wide, white, with a chartreuse blotch. Late midseason. Rutherford

(a) **'Alaska'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt, I: E.A. Merritt (c 1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, coppery pink. Kurume

(r) **'Alaska'** (Syn. of 'Finlandia')

(r) **'Alatum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1847), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rosy lake. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Alatum Plenum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Alba'** (See entries under 'Album')

(a) **'Albacore'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1959), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. Knap Hill

(a) **'Albatross'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (c 1941), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 8-10/lax truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 70mm, lobes frilled, buds cream, opening white and suffused pink outside. Young foliage tinged bronze red. Shrub c1.0m. *AM 1953. Knap Hill

(r) **'Albatross'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Loderi Group (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* R: L. de Rothschild (c 1930), N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12/truss, c115mm wide, broadly funnel-shaped, delicate pink, slightly spotted yellow in the throat. Lvs obovate, c225mm long, hairless below. Shrub up to 2.0m in 10 years. AM 1934 (Albatross Group. 'Exbury Albatross' is the FCC clone from this Group. Standard: painting of the AM plant (WSY 0019913))

(r) **Albatross Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Loderi Group (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* R: L. de Rothschild (c 1930), N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Resembles Loderi Group in the large, scented, 7-lobed flowers, white to delicate pink from deeper-coloured buds. The influence of *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* shows in the tall growth, later flowering and often in the pronounced green or maroon ray in the throat (*fide* Bean). ('Exbury Albatross' is the FCC clone from this Group)

(r) **'Albatross Townhill Pink'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1988)

(r) **'Albatross Townhill White'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1988)

(r) **'Albert'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Viola' (s) × 'Everestianum' R: T.J.R. Seidel (c 1891), N: T.J.R. Seidel, I: T.J.R. Seidel (1899), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a dense, rounded truss, delicate lilac, with faint, dark brown spots. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(a) **'Albert and Elizabeth'** (See 'Albert-Elisabeth')

(r) **'Albert Close'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* (s) × 'Mrs Jamie Fraser' H: G. Fraser (pre 1944), G: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a compact, conical truss, rose pink, the throat heavily spotted chocolate red. Foliage bluish green Late. Shrub c2.0m. (Pollen parent is often claimed to be *macrophyllum*)

(r) **'Albert de Mezey'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *williamsianum*, open-pollinated G: H. Vaartnou, S: A. de Mezey (1975), N: H. Vaartnou, I: H. Vaartnou (1990), REG: H. Vaartnou (1992) Fls 6/lax truss, open campanulate, 51 × 70mm, with 5-7 wavy-edged lobes, strong yellowish pink (43D), shading to light yellowish pink (36A); slightly scented. Calyx minute, green. Pedicels 44mm long, green. Lvs ovate, 64 × 32mm, convex, broadly acute at apex, cordate at base, glossy and glaucous above, hairless; petioles 25mm long, hairy, green. Shrub 0.9 × 1.5m in 7 years. April

(a) **'Albert-Elisabeth'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Haerewille Pink Pearl' I: Haerens & Wille (1921), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, with wavy-edged lobes, white, with deep pink(52C) edges and a green-tinted blotch. Late. AM 1926 Syn: 'Ohkan'. Indian (Found near Ghent c1910. Sometimes seen incorrectly as 'Albert and Elizabeth')

(a) **'Albertii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Knight & Perry (pre 1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, red. Indian (Perhaps the 'Albertus' exhibited by Dallière at Ghent in 1852)

(r) **'Albertii'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *falconeri* × *ponticum*? R: unknown (pre 1843), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls whitish pink, well-spotted (Standish & Noble, 1850); light pink, changing in heat to almost white (Fraser, 1865); flesh white, spotted brown (L. Leroy, 1893). Syn: 'Albertus', 'Alburtus' (The description listed in the 1958 Register seems to have been in error)

(r) **'Albert Schweitzer'** cv. Parentage unknown R: A.P.van Nes (pre 1960), N: A.P.van Nes, I: A.P.van Nes, REG: ICRA (1961) Fls 13-14/large, pyramidal truss, pale pink(25/3), with a reddish(821/3) blotch. Large shrub

(a) **'Albert Steyaert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light purple, almost sky blue. Indian

(a) **'Albertus'** (See note under 'Albertii' (Knight & Perry))

(r) **'Albertus'** (Syn. of 'Albertii')

(r) **'Albertus Grandiflorus'** cv. Parentage unknown I: T. Methven & Son (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, with dark spots

(r) **'Albescens'** cv. Parentage unknown L: R. Veitch & Son (1913), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, white, marked with sulphur yellow at the base; scented. Very dwarf. (Greenhouse rhododendron according to Veitch)

(a) **'Albicans'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* × *occidentale* R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1894), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a yellow blotch; scented. AM 1894. Occidentale (The name applies to the award clone only not to all the early *occidentale* hybrids raised at Knap Hill)

(a) **'Albicans Perle Blanche'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Moser & Son (1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 15-16/truss, milk white, lightly marked pale yellow. May-June. Ghent

(r) **'Albidum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid R: J. Booth (pre 1838), N: J. Booth, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, *catawbiense*-like in form

(a) **'Albiflorum'** cv. Semi-evergreen azalea: selection from *serpyllifolium* L: H. E. Greer (1982) Fls white

(a) **'Albiflorum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* L: Firma C. Esveld (1984) Fls white. Shrub up to 0.3m

(r) **'Albiflorum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *flavidum* L: Firma C. Esveld (1984) Fls white. Shrub 0.5-0.6m

(r) **'Albiflorum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *russatum* L: Firma C. Esveld (1984) Fls white. Shrub 0.5-0.6m

(r) **'Albiflorum Laciniatum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *hirsutum* L: Groebel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, in terminal clusters. Lvs deeply incised

(r) **'Albin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, carmine rose

(r) **Albino Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* (s) × 'Loder's White' R: S.R. Clarke (pre 1930), I: W.I. Whitaker (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c13/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 35 × 55-60mm, with wavy-edged lobes, primrose yellow, with numerous crimson markings. (See also 'Serin')

(v) **'Albino'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1903), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pale cream. (Grown at Veitch Nursery)

(a) **'Albion'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. Indian

(a) **'Albion'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Bobbink & Atkins (pre 1930), N: Bobbink & Atkins, I: Bobbink & Atkins, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, white, usually with a green throat. Late. Rutherford

(r) **'Albion'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1847), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy red, spotted. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Albion Ridge'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *macrophyllum* S: J.H. Drewry, N: E.R. German, I: J.H. Drewry (1965), REG: E.R. German (1976) Fls 12-15/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 30 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, white, with a strong yellow-green(142A) dorsal blotch consisting of small inverted u-shaped spots. Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 169 × 73mm, spinach green(0906/1), hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 1.5m in 10 years. Late April-early June. (Layered in the wild (on Albion Ridge, USA))

(a) **'Alboardens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: derived from 'Lateritium' R: Smith (pre 1854), N: Smith, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Albocinctum'** (Syn. of 'Iveryanum Albocinctum')

(a) **'Alboflavescens Rosaceum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1839), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls straw yellow, striped rose (C. van Geert, 1877). (Probably the plant seen listed later as 'Album Rosaceum' or 'Album Flavescens Roseum')

(a) **'Albo-plenum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: listed under "Azalea pontica" R: J. & S. Rinz, N: J. & S. Rinz (pre 1855), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white. Ghent

(r) **'Alborada'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *brachycarpum* subsp. *fauriei* × Inamorata Group (s) × *smirnowii* H: J.B. Brueckner (1978), G: J.B. Brueckner (c 1985), N: J.B. Brueckner, REG: J.B. Brueckner (1989) Fls 10-14/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 48 × 76mm, with 5 smooth or slightly wavy-edged lobes, buds vivid purplish red(57C/D), opening pale purplish pink(65B/C), aging to ivory white; some greenish yellow spotting on lower half of the dorsal lobe. Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 83 × 51mm, flat to concave, mucronate at apex, cordate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 0.7m in 11 years. May.

(r) **'Alboroseum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid R: J. Booth (pre 1838), N: J. Booth, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, tinged cherry pink

(r) **'Alboroseum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed under *caucasicum* R: unknown (pre 1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, rose, fading to very pale flesh or almost white. Lvs elliptic, thick and shiny, usually flat, green above, a little ferruginous below. Petioles and young bark green

(r) **'Albrecht Dürer'** cv. Parentage unknown R: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1929), N: M. Koster & Sons, I: M. Koster & Sons (1931) Fls bright red, very wavy-edged

(r) **'Albula'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ice Cube' (s) × *yakushimanum* (Exbury form) H: J.B. Brueckner (1969), G: J.B. Brueckner (1975), N: J.B. Brueckner, REG: J.B. Brueckner (1988) Fls 17-21/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 38 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light pink in bud, opening white with faint yellow spotting on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs obovate, 102-159 × 38-51mm, flat, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless and slightly glaucous above, with a grey-white indumentum below on the young leaves which matures to a tan colour and is easily rubbed off. Shrub 1.2 × 2.1m in 19 years. Late May-early June.

(a) **'Album'** (Syn. of 'Album Maculatum')

(a) **'Album'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *viscosum* L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1811), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Album'** cv. Deciduous azalea: listed as a selection from *Azalea nudiflora* L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1823), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Album'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *luteum* L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1826), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (J. Veitch (1867) also lists a 'Ponticum Album', raised by Thompson, with creamy white fls)

(a) **'Album'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. A good forcer. Indian

(a) **'Album'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from Obtusum Group L: K. Wada (pre 1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, white. Shrub tall, upright. Late. Kurume (Probably a synonym of 'Ramentaceum')

(a) **'Album'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* L: Galle (1985) Fls white

(r) **'Album'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *maximum* L: Whitley (Fulham) (1826), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white

(r) **'Album'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *ponticum* L: Lefevre (1837), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white

(r) **'Album'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *hirsutum* L: Firma C. Esveld (1984) Fls white. Dwarf shrub

(r) **'Album'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *flavidum* L: UK (1988)

(r) **'Album'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *rigidum* L: UK (1988)

(r) **'Album'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *virgatum* L: Ballalheannagh Gardens (1988)

(a) **'Album Aurantiacum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Maupoil & Fils (1853), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Album Azureum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Firma Seidel (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a bluish tinge

(a) **'Album Blandinum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L.L. Liebig (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. Indian

(a) **'Album Cinctum'** (Syn. of 'IveryanumAlbocinctum')

(r) **'Album Coeruleum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Gheldolf (1844), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac white, margins toothed and wavy

(r) **'Album Compactum Elegans'** cv. Parentage unknown L: R. Veitch & Son (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls a delicately shaded white. Dwarf

(r) **'Album Crispatum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1861), INC: ICRA (1958) (Exhibited at Metz in 1861 by Backès of Luxembourg)

(a) **'Album Crispiflorum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C.M. Hovey, N: C.M. Hovey (c 1840), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. Indian (A plant offered by Schulz in 1895 may be the same; it was listed as 'white with some stripes')

(a) **'Album Cupreum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Attributed to Baron de Pronay)

(a) **'Album Delectum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Verschaffelt (1861), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, often with purple stripes. Indian

(a) **'Album Delicatissimum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls snow white. (Exhibited by C.Michel (France) in 1852; probably the same plant as the Indian azalea exhibited in London in 1862)

(a) **'Album Delicatissimum Foliis Variegatis'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white. Indian

(a) **'Album Depaep'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Belgium (1984) Fls double, white. Indian (Corrupted name?)

(a) **'Album Duplex Striatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L.van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Album Egregium'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection or hybrid of *caucasicum* L: H. Laurentius (1869), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Album Elegans'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection or hybrid of *catawbiense* R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1847), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12-18/dome-shaped truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45 x 60-70mm, pale mauve, fading to white, with greenish yellow spots on the dorsal lobe and a greenish yellow throat. Shrub c2.0m

(a) **'Album et Rubrum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1814), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Album Fimbriatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C. Schulz (pre 1863), N: C. Schulz, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, spotted. Indian

(a) **'Album Fimbriatum Plenum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Costantini (1886), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Album Flavescens'** cv. Parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1840), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellowish white. Ghent

(a) **'Album Flavescens Roseum'** (Probably the plant listed earlier as 'Alboflavescens Rosaceum')

(r) **'Album Flavum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1856), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush white, with orange-yellow spots (1958 Register); yellow (Baumann, 1856)

(a) **'Album Flore Pleno'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from *R.* × *pulchrum* R: Leuven, Belgium (c 1831), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white. Indian (Probably introduced by de Schrynmakers de Dormael)

(r) **'Album Formosum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection or hybrid of *catawbiense* L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale blush. Syn: 'Catawbiense Album Formosum'

(a) **'Album Giganteum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *eriocarpum* L: K. Wada (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 150mm wide, white, with greenish markings

(a) **'Album Graciosum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pure white. Indian

(a) **'Album Grandiflorum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1840), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a yellow blotch; scented. Ghent (Probably the plant listed by L. van Houtte, 1877 as 'Sinense Album Grandiflorum')

(a) **'Album Grandiflorum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: T. Jackson & Son (1851), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white. Indian

(r) **'Album Grandiflorum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection or hybrid of *catawbiense* R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1850), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 25/dome-shaped truss, broadly funnel-shaped, up to 50 × 75mm, with slightly frilled lobes, pale mauve, changing to white and with a small, greenish yellow blotch; stigma red. Syn: 'Catawbiense Album Grandiflorum'

(a) **'Album Humile'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1804), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Listed under *viscosum*)

(r) **'Album Hybridum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1885), INC: ICRA (1958) (Parent of 'Frau Doktor Schiffner')

(a) **'Album Illustratum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Verschaffelt (pre 1854), N: A. Verschaffelt, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white, with violet bands and a pale yellow dorsal blotch. Indian

(a) **'Album Illustratum Flore Pleno'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Klein (pre 1873), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white. Indian

(a) **'Album Insigne'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *mucronatum* I: Germany (pre 1847), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, white

(a) **'Album Insigne Plenum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: F. Schneider (1863), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Album Lutescens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: unknown (1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with red stripes. Indian

(a) **'Album Lutescens Supremum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: derived from 'Lateritium' I: Smith (pre 1854), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Album Macranthum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Album Maculatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: possibly derived from *mucronatum* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 1-3/truss, 75mm wide, white, with a faint chartreuse blotch; stamens 10; style long. Spreading habit. Midseason. Syn: 'Album'. Indian

(a) **'Album Magnificum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L.van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. Indian

(a) **'Album Magnificum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls glossy white. Indian

(a) **'Album Magnificum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pure white. Indian

(a) **'Album Magnificum Plenum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1862), INC: ICRA (1958) (Exhibited by J. Fraser, 1862)

(a) **'Album Magniflorum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: T. Jackson & Son (1851), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Album Magnum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, sometimes striped. Indian (Attributed to Fraser by Jacob-Makoy, but perhaps the same plant the 1958 Register lists as introduced by O.Forster)

(a) **'Album Magnum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Henderson & Co. (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear white, not striped. (Attributed to Green by Henderson. A single, scented, white-flowered plant with a green throat is still grown in Australia (1970's). *Revue Horticole* 2:57(1853)also lists a 'very large, pure white' as new in 1853)

(r) **'Album Magnum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* × unknown N: L. Jacob-Makoy (pre 1857), I: L. Jacob-Makoy, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Album Magnum Variegated'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Camellia Lodge Nursery, N: Camellia Lodge Nursery (pre 1984) Fls single, white. Lvs veined white at edges. Indian

(a) **'Album Marginatum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L.van Houtte (1868), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Album Meliorus'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1864), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, white. Indian (Exhibited by Lane, 1864)

(a) **'Album Multiflorum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1861), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with faint lilac markings. Indian

(r) **'Album Multimaculatum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: derived from *ponticum* N: L. Jacob-Makoy (pre 1851), I: L. Jacob-Makoy, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Album Novum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense*× unknown R: L.van Houtte (pre 1896), N: L.van Houtte, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, tinged rose lilac, with greenish yellow spots. Shrub to 3.0m. (Perhaps the plant listed by C. Vuylsteke (1890) as pure white, with a lemon blotch)

(a) **'Album Ochroleucum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: L.van Houtte (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as a hardy azalea)

(a) **'Album Odoratum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1849), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white; strongly scented. Ghent

(a) **'Album Odoratum Plenum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: W. Paul & Son (1891), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pinkish white, scented. AM 1891. Ghent

(a) **'Album Parmentier'** cv. Deciduous azalea: listed under "*Azalea pontica*" L: Whitley & Osborn (1850) Shrub 1.0-1.5m. Ghent

(r) **'Album Pectinatum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Standish (pre 1870), N: J. Standish, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, spotted red and black

(a) **'Album Perfectum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1847), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, white, sometimes marked with red lines

(a) **'Album Perfectum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, white. Indian

(r) **'Album Perfectum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Moerloose (pre 1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Album Pictum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: H. Laurentius (1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with dark spots. (Perhaps the same plant exhibited by Paillet in Paris in 1843)

(a) **'Album Plenum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Son (1826), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Album Plenum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Perhaps the plant listed by J. Verschaffelt, 1860 (and said to have been raised by him))

(az) **'Album Plenum Odoratum'** cv. Azaleodendron: 'Magnificum' × 'Comet' R: O. Hartl (c 1892), N: O. Hartl, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls more-or-less double, white

(r) **'Album Praecox'** cv. Parentage unknown L: A. Henderson & Co. (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls early, white

(a) **'Album Pulchellum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1849), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Album Punctatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 1-2/truss, 50mm wide, white, with an occasional flake or stripe of magenta; stamens 5. Lvs small, dark green. Low spreading habit. Syn: 'Album Punctulatum'. Indian

(a) **'Album Punctulatum'** (Syn. of 'Album Punctatum')

(r) **'Album Purpureum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: H. Laurentius (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with purple spots. (Perhaps the same plant listed in *Florists Journal*, 1841)

(a) **'Album Robustum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. Indian

(a) **'Album Rosaceum'** (Probably a synonyn of 'Alboflavescens Rosaceum')

(a) **'Album Roseum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Attributed to Baron de Pronay)

(a) **'Album Rotundum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1844), INC: ICRA (1958) (Attributed to Baron de Pronay)

(a) **'Album Simplex'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1831), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Album Sion'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: derived from *campanulatum* L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Album Speciosum'** cv. Parentage unknown I: A. Verschaffelt (pre 1854), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Album Speciosum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Flspure white, with light and dark crimson spots

(a) **'Album Speciosum Plenum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: M. Schulz, N: M. Schulz, I: M. Schulz (1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pure white. Indian (A seedling)

(r) **'Album Splendens'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a *caucasicum* hybrid R: unknown (pre 1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 4-12/flattened truss, 40-60mm wide, with strongly wavy-edged lobes, white, tinged lilac at margins and on ribs externally, with yellowish brown to red-brown markings on the three dorsal lobes. Early May.

(r) **'Album Splendidum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* hybrid R: unknown (pre 1854), INC: ICRA

(1958) Fls 11-20/compact truss, 50-60mm wide, 5-6-lobed, rosy white, with greenish yellow to yellow markings. Early May

(a) **'Album Striatiflorum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Dallière (1852), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Listed as well as 'Album Striatum')

(a) **'Album Striatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Knight & Perry (pre 1846), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, striped red, or fls all red or all white, side-by-side. Indian (Grown in England according to Paxton in *Revue Horticole* (3rd series)2:285 (1848))

(a) **'Album Superbum'** (Syn. of 'Blanche Superbe')

(a) **'Album Superbum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1846), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Album Superbum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1877), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(r) **'Album Superbum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: derived from *arboreum* R: J. Booth (pre 1838), N: J. Booth, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a few yellow spots.

(a) **'Album Supremum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1853), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed in *Revue Horticole* 2:57 (1853))

(a) **'Album Supremum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1877), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Album Tardivum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958) (Described as a hardy azalea)

(r) **'Album Triumphans'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1871), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. (A plant offered under this name in Australia is described as very soft mauve (Chandler cat., 1984))

(r) **'Album Vervaeneanum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Vervaene (1864), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Album Violaceum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (pre 1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, tinted rose, with a yellow blotch. Ghent

(r) **'Album Virginale'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear white. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Alburtus'** (Syn. of 'Albertii')

(r) **'Alcesta'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lutescens* (s) × *burmanicum* H: Lord Aberconway (1928), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3-6 in each of 2-3 clustered trusses, funnel-shaped, 30-50 × 60-70mm, pale creamy yellow, with a darker yellow blotch on dorsal part of tube. Lvs elliptic, 60-90 × 25-48mm, bright green above, paler below, scaly on both surfaces. AM 1935 (Alcesta Group)

(r) **Alcesta Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *lutescens* (s) × *burmanicum* H: Lord Aberconway (1928), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1933), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Alceste'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Dallière (1852), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **Alcibiades Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Hiraethlyn Group (s) × 'F.C.Puddle' H: Lord Aberconway (1933), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls turkey red

(a) **'Alclara'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Snowclad' (s) × 'Coccineum' H: A.A. Raustein (1963), G: A.A. Raustein (1965), N: J. Scarbeck, REG: J. Scarbeck (1986) Fls single, 2-3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (45D) in bud, opening vivid purplish red (57D), with heavy strong purplish red (58B) spotting on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 7mm long, light yellowish green (135D). Lvs broadly elliptic to obovate, 40 × 25mm, glossy, moderate olive green (137A) above, strigose. Shrub 0.8 × 1.2m in 21 years. Late May

(a) **'Alda Lea'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Eri' (s) × 'Professeur Wolters' R: W.A. Myers, N: W.A. Myers, REG: W.A. Myers (1967) Fls double, 2-3/truss, 65mm wide, including up to five colours:from a red centre, with a blotch, to pink and white edges. Shrub 0.3-0.35m. Indian

(r) **'Aldham'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × Atrier Group × (*decorum* × *haematodes*) H: L. Bagoly (1969), G: C. Herbert (1974), I: C. Herbert, REG: C. Herbert (1978) Fls up to 12/truss, 75mm wide, 6-lobed, strong pink (49A) in bud, opening light pink (49C), rose red in the throat and spotted light pink on the dorsal lobe, outside pale pink (49D) with strong pink (49A) ribs

(a) **'Aldis-ieva'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Niobe' R: unknown (c 1967) (Probably of Latvian origin)

(a) **'Aleida'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Vuyk's Scarlet' S: Boskoop (Proefstation voor de Boomkwekerij) (pre 1978), N: Boskoop (Proefstation voor de Boomkwekerij), I: Boskoop (Proefstation voor de Boomkwekerij, REG: Boskoop (Proefstation voor de Boomkwekerij) (1979) Fls 1-2/truss, 60-75mm wide, vivid reddish orange (44C), with a pale red-brown blotch. Lvs glossy green. Vuykiana

(a) **'Alena'** (Syn. of 'Kleopatra')

(r) **'Alena'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* (s) × 'Cunningham's White' R: J. Kyndl, N: J. Kyndl (c 1970), REG: ICRA (1992) Fls 11-14/globose truss, whitish pink in bud (627/1-627/3), opening pure white, with slight pink shading along the main veins (627/3) and a lemon yellow (763/2-763/3) blotch. Lvs broadly elliptic, 140 × 50mm, glossy. Shrub 1.2m in 9 years

(r) **Alesia Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Portia' (s) × *meddianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1936), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson scarlet

(r) **'Alessandro Volta'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably derived from *catawbiense* H: Cattaneo Vivai (1975), G: Cattaneo Vivai, N: Società Ortofloricola Comense (1999), I: Società Ortofloricola Comense and Cattaneo Vivai (1999), REG: Società Ortofloricola Comense (2000) Fls 5-6/truss, with wavy-edged lobes, pink in bud, opening inside light pink, darker at the tips; outside similar (sometimes darker). Calyx very light green. Lvs 110-130 × 40-50mm, flat, rounded at apex, narrow at base. Shrub 5.0-6.0 × 3.0m in 30 years. April-May. Its most distinctive character is a very strong and pleasing scent, reminiscent of *Trachelospermum jasminoides*. (Standard: colour slide provided by registrant (WSY 0028343))

(v) **'Alexa'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *gardenia* × *aurigeranum* (s) × *aurigeranum* H: W.A. Moynier (1983), G: W.A. Moynier (1991), N: W.A. Moynier, REG: W.A. Moynier (1999) Fls 10-15/domed, well-rounded truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 80 × 80mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, vivid yellow (14A) throughout, sometimes lightly flushed pastel orange at lobe tips with age. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 55mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, with upcurved margins, dull green above, with tan scales below and on petioles. Shrub of upright, dense habit, 1.0 × 1.0m in 14 years. Intermittent flowering throughout year. (The identity of the *gardenia* parent requires confirmation)

(a) **'Alexander'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *nakaharae* (s) × 'Kin-no-zai' H: T. Rokujo (1962), G: Mrs M.L.B. Hill (c 1967), N: Mrs M.L.B. Hill, I: Mrs M.L.B. Hill (c 1970), REG: Mrs M.L.B. Hill (1977) Fls single, solitary, open funnel-shaped, 47-52 × 47-52mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink (5R 6/11) to vivid red (5R 5/13), with light dorsal spotting of strong red (5R 4/12). Calyx 10mm long. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 30 × 10mm, glossy and moderate olive green (5GY 4/3)above, with reddish hairs; becoming purple grey-green to bronze in winter. Shrub creeping, 0.2 × 0.9m in 9 years. June-July

(r) **'Alexander Adie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* × *catawbiense* R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy scarlet, with black spots. Syn: 'Jay Gould'. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Alexander Dancer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* × unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a dense, pyramidal truss, bright rose, with a lighter centre and a few dark red marks; style and filaments pink

(r) **'Alexander Potemkin'** cv. Parentage unknown R: L.L. Liebig (pre 1863), N: L.L. Liebig, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark red

(r) **'Alexander's Lockington'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lockington Pride' (s) × 'Coronation Day' H: D.J. Dosser (c 1983), G: D.J. Dosser (1988), N: D.J. Dosser, I: Lockington Nursery (1989), REG: D.J. Dosser (1990) Fls 11/truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 120mm, 7-lobed, white (155D), spotted with red on the dorsal lobe, pale green in the throat. Lvs elliptic, 130 × 45mm, twisted, hairless. Shrub 1.0m

(r) **'Alexander Steffen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' × *williamsianum* R: D.G. Hobbie (pre 1945), N: D.G. Hobbie, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose

(a) **'Alexander von Humboldt'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C. Schulz (pre 1863), N: C. Schulz, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Alexander von Humboldt'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C.J.H. Walther (pre 1860), N: C.J.H. Walther, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls flesh lilac coloured, with an orange blotch and brown spots. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Alexander Witches' Broom'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Alexander' R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls smaller than parent, deep reddish orange. Lvs small. Vigorous, prostrate shrub. Very early

(r) **'Alexandra Gordon'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* Roylei Group (s) × *augustinii* subsp. *chasmanthum* H: Lady Adam Gordon (1976), G: Lady Adam Gordon (1985), N: Lady Adam Gordon (1985), REG: Lady Adam Gordon (1985) Fls 7/truss, 52 × 50mm, 5-lobed, phlox purple (632/2), flushed magnolia purple (030/2), spotted red. Calyx 2mm long, green/brown. Lvs oblanceolate, 80 × 25mm

(r) **'Alexandra's Ruby'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' (s) × 'Inca Chief' H: J.A. Leonard (1986), G: J.A. Leonard (1992), N: J.A. Leonard, REG: J.A. Leonard (2000) Fls 15/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep red (53A); anthers white. Calyx c3mm long, greyish yellow-green (148D) with strong red (53B). Lvs elliptic, 75-150 × 30-65mm, apex obtuse, base rounded, margins flat, dull and moderate olive green (146A) and bullate above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 2.4m in 12 years. Late May-early June

(a) **'Alexandre II'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L.van Houtte (1857), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, spotted and striped carmine red. Indian

(r) **'Alexandre Daniel'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Nomblot-Bruneau (c 1922), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with a bright rose centre

(a) **'Alexandria'** (Deciduous azalea: see note under 'Alexandrina')

(a) **'Alexandria'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Henderson & Co. (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine, spotted. Indian

(a) **'Alexandria'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' × 'Louise' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA

(1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with spinel red stripes. Shrub 1.9m. Early. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Alexandria'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: derived from *catawbiense* L: R. Veitch & Son (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson purple, with brown spots. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Alexandrianum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: G. Morlet (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) (Published in *Horticulture Français*, 1854: 107-111)

(a) **'Alexandrina'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vermilion red. Ghent (Perhaps the plant listed without description by T.J. Seidel in 1846 (and as 'Alexandria' in 1859 !))

(r) **'Alexandrina'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white

(a) **'Alex de Somer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Haerensianum' I: A.de Schrijver (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep pink (47D), otherwise similar to 'Mademoiselle Louise Cuvelier'. Indian

(a) **'Alex Hill'** L: UK (1996) (Perhaps an error for Mrs Hill's 'Alexander')

(r) **'Alexina'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1847), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy lilac, with black spots. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Alexis'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hyperion' (Knap Hill) (s) × 'Herme H: H. Hachmann (1980), G: H. Hachmann (1986), N: H. Hachmann (1991), I: H. Hachmann (1991), REG: G. Stück (1994) Fls 15-17/conical, rounded, fairly compact truss, open funnel-shaped, 45-52 × 65-78mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid to light purple (81A-C) in bud, opening light purple (84B) with strong purple (84A) edges and shading to light purple (84C) in the throat; outside light purple (84B/C); 3 dorsal lobes have copious spotting of dark red (187A shading to 187B/C) on a dark blotch which shows through to outside of corolla; stamens 10; filaments white, anthers pale purplish pink (56C/D); style pale purplish pink (56A/B), stigma deep red to strong purplish red (60A/B). Calyx 2-3mm long, yellowish green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 105-115 × 38-45mm, flat, dark green and glossy above, cuneate at base, acute at apex, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.7m in 10 years. Late May-mid June

(a) **'Alexis Dallière'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L.van Houtte, N: L.van Houtte, I: L.van Houtte (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, salmon, with a chocolate brown blotch. Indian

(r) **'Alex Olsen'** (Error for 'Aksel Olsen')

(a) **'Alfa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Rubis de Meirelbeke' × 'Hexe' × 'Ernst Thiers' (exact combination uncertain) R: J. Šesták (c 1961), N: J. Šesták Fls single, 70mm wide, shining red. Lvs elliptic, rich glossy green

(r) **'Alf Bramley'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *nuttallii* (as var. *stellatum*) × *dalhousiae* R: A.C. Bramley, N: A.C. Bramley, REG: A.C. Bramley (1969) Fls 3-4/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 100 × 100mm, yellow in bud, opening to white flushed pink and fading to white; slightly scented. Lvs 125 × 40mm, mucronate at apex, mid green. Shrub 1.0m

(r) **'Alfeld Eos'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* hybrid × *dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* (s) × *yakushimanum* H: W. Reich (1980), G: W. Reich (1987), N: W. Reich, REG: W. Reich (1991) Fls up to 17/domed truss, ventricose funnel-shaped, 50-55 × 50mm, with very wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (54C) in bud, opening light to pale yellowish pink (29C/D), with a vivid to brilliant yellow (9B/C) throat, sparsely spotted with greenish yellow, margins flushed strong to light purplish pink (55B/C); fading to light greenish yellow (4C) to pale yellow-green (4D); moderately scented. Calyx 6mm long, moderate to light yellow (160A/B); pedicels 40mm long, vivid yellow-green (154A). Lvs oblong to oblanceolate, 50-104 × 17-33mm, convex, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, dull green and hairless above, with a thin felted indumentum below (moderate to light olive brown, 199A/B, on young foliage); petioles 14-23mm long, strong yellow-green (144A), hairy. Shrub 0.55 × 0.85m in 10 years. Late May

(r) **'Alfred'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Everestianum' (s) × 'Everestianum' H: T.J.R. Seidel (1891), G: T.J.R. Seidel, N: T.J.R. Seidel, I: T.J.R. Seidel (1899), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac, with weak greenish yellow spotting on a clear ground; lobes strongly frilled. Lvs narrowly ovate. Shrub up to 1.5m or more

(r) **'Alfred A. Raustein'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *vernicosum* aff. (Rock 18139) (s) × 'Clara Raustein' H: A.A. Raustein (1977), G: D.B. Johnson (1989), N: D.B. Johnson (1997), REG: D.B. Johnson (1997) Fls 16/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (67C) in bud, opening inside pale purplish pink (65C) with a light yellow (20B) flare - about 20mm long - at base of tube, outside moderate purplish pink (68C). Lvs oblong, 125 × 65mm, margins upcurved, rounded at base, obtuse at apex, dull moderate olive green (146A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 1.2m in 20 years. Early May

(r) **'Alfreda Wiaczek'** cv. Lepidoterhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group (s) × *dauricum* H: G.D. Lewis (1975), G: G.D. Lewis (1978), N: G.D. Lewis, I: G.D. Lewis (1984), REG: G.D. Lewis (1987) Fls 6-12/ball truss (composed of 2-4, 3-fld clusters), open funnel-shaped, 25 × 41mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish purple (74A) shading to white at base in bud, opening strong reddish purple (78B) shading to white at centre. Calyx vestigial. Lvs elliptic, 51 × 27mm, moderate olive green (146A) above in summer, light olive green (152B) below, scaly on both surfaces; foliage becomes dark red (183A) in winter. Shrub 0.8 × 0.9m in 10 years. Mid April

(r) **'Alfred Coates'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × *facetum* H: A. Coates (c 1938), G: A. Coates (c 1948), I: Royal Botanic Gardens, Wakehurst, REG: Royal Botanic Gardens, Wakehurst (1977) Fls c13/truss, 60 × 75mm, 6-7-lobed, rose madder (23/2). Calyx 2-3mm long, pale green with a ciliate, pink rim. Lvs oblong-elliptic to oblong-lanceolate, up to 180 × 50mm, hairless. Tree-like habit, up to 6.0m in 30 years. June-July

(a) **'Alfred Delimon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Baumann (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, rose. Indian

(a) **'Alfred Dimmock'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ernest Eeckaute' (s) × 'Madame van der Cruyssen' I: A. Haerens (1911), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, bright dark rose. Indian

(a) **'Alfred H. Holbrook'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Treasure' (s) × 'Nuccio's Pink Champagne' H: S.C. Early (pre 1978) Fls semi-double, 65mm wide, pale pink

(a) **'Alfred Mame'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* × *luteum* I: G. Croux (c 1902), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rosy lilac

(r) **'Alfred Martin'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *edgeworthii* (s) × 'Else Frye' H: J.P. Evans (1968), G: J.P. Evans (1971), N: Mrs J.P. Evans, REG: Mrs J.P. Evans (1988) Fls 5/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 64 × 102mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink (47C) in bud, opening light to pale purplish pink (55C&D) with lighter pink to white edging of irregular width, dorsal lobe blotch brilliant yellow (12B) and with scattered brown spots, outside with deep to strong purplish pink (55A&B) rays. Calyx 13mm long, deep pink (48B). Pedicels 25mm long, deep pink (48B), hairy. Lvs broadly elliptic to elliptic, 83-95 × 35-44mm, flat, with slightly wavy margins, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base; dull green, hairy and bullate above, with a thin to medium tan indumentum as well as white scales below; petioles rusty brown with thick hairs. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years, with moderately scented fls. Early March

(r) **'Alfred Topf'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alstroemerioides' hybrid R: J.B. Müller (c 1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with many spots

(a) **'Alfred Vernimmen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L.van Houtte, N: L.van Houtte, I: L.van Houtte (1891), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson scarlet. Indian

(r) **'Algerienne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Margaret Dunn' (s) × 'May Day' R: Sunningdale Nurseries, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls ivory, flushed pale rose at tips and with a slight olive stain in the throat

(a) **'Algiers'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 20mm wide, rose pink to deep rose pink. Kurume

(a) **'Alhambra'** cv. Deciduous azalea: seedling from *cumberlandense* S: J.B. Gable, N: W. Baldsiefen, I: W. Baldsiefen (pre 1974) Fls single, brilliant red/vivid reddish orange. Shrub up to c2.0m. Late

(r) **'Alhart'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (1899), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine red, with few dark spots

(r) **'Alibaby'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cotton Candy' (s) × 'Evening Glow' H: M. Stockman (1972), G: H. & M. Stockman (1980), N: H. & M. Stockman (1992), I: H. & M. Stockman (1992), REG: H. & M. Stockman (1992) Fls 9/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 64 × 95mm, with (5-)6 wavy-edged lobes, white, with strong to moderate purplish pink (68B, C) markings (5-10mm wide) extending a third to a half the distance from sinuses to tip of each lobe on inside and outside; slightly scented. Stamens 8, straight, equal. Calyx 3mm long, light green. Pedicels 25mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 102 × 44mm, concave, cuspidate at apex, rounded at base, bullate and matt dark green above, hairless; petioles 19mm long, light green. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m in 7 years. Late May

(a) **'Alice'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Duc de Nassau' I: L.van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, deep rose, with a broad vermilion blotch. Indian

(a) **'Alice'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Malvaticum' (s) × *kaempferi* R: C.B.van Nes & Sons (1922), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon red, with a dark blotch. Kaempferi

(a) **'Alice'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pure white. Late. Indian

(a) **'Alice'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: O.S. Pride (pre 1985), N: O.S. Pride Fls pale yellowish white. Compact habit. Knap Hill

(r) **'Alice'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: derived from *griffithianum* R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1910), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 14-18/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50-60 × 80-90mm, mottled rose pink, with a whitish patch above the ovary, unspotted. Calyx lobes up to 13mm long. Lvs to 150mm long. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. AM 1910

(a) **'Alice Baumann'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Baumann, N: J. Baumann, I: J. Baumann (1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white, slightly scented. Ghent

(r) **'Alice Bedford'** (Listed in UK(1988): perhaps an error for 'Arthur Bedford')

(r) **'Alice D'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sappho' × 'Catanea' (s) × 'Sappho' × 'Catanea' H: S. McDonald (1980), G: S. McDonald (1990), N: S. McDonald, REG: S. McDonald (1997) Fls 20/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 70 × 60mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, very light purple (75C) in bud, opening inside white, edged very light purple (75C), with strong yel-

low (153D) dorsal spotting; outside white, with lavender near the margins. Calyx 1mm long, greyish yellow-green (148C). Lvs oblong, 120 × 50mm, margins decurved, cuneate at base, broadly acute at apex, semi-glossy and greyish yellow-green (148C) above, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.4m in 16 years. Early May

(a) **'Alice de Stuers'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: M. Koster & Sons (1910), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 10/compact, domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 70 × 95mm, strong yellowish pink, with a deep orange blotch. Lvs 90 × 40mm, mid green. *AM 1959 Syn: 'Lady Alice de Stuers'. Mollis

(a) **'Alice Erauw'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Eclaireur' I: J. Sonneville (1944), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls strong red (53C), otherwise similar to its parent. Indian

(r) **'Alice Franklin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ole Olson' (s) × 'Loderi King George' H: H. Lem, G: H.L. Larson, N: H.L. Larson (1959), REG: H.L. Larson (1959) Fls up to 10/large, rounded truss, funnel-campanulate, 100mm wide, naples yellow (403/3) with a uranium green (63/3) throat. Lvs 125-150 × 65mm. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Alice Gilbert'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1994)

(r) **'Alice Hennessy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* (s) × 'Irene Stead' H: T.A. Garbutt (1982), G: T.A. Garbutt (1991), N: T.A. Garbutt (1997), REG: T.A. Garbutt (1997) Fls 5-9/lax truss, open campanulate, 90 × 140mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pink in bud, inside opening white, outside very pale pink, unspotted; no *griffithianum* scent. Calyx 10mm long, pink and green. Lvs lanceolate, 150 × 45mm, flat, matt green, narrowed at apex and base, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 2.0m in 10 years. Late October (New Zealand)

(r) **'Alice Heye'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C. Frets & Sons (pre 1906), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 17-31/rounded, compact truss, 50-75mm wide, lilac red, with heavy black-red markings. Late May-early June

(a) **'Alice Holland'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Mark Bittinger' × 'Eden Y3' R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith (pre 1987) Fls 100mm wide, vivid reddish purple (78A), with strong purplish red spotting. Shrub 1.0m in 6 years

(r) **'Alice in Wonderland'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: reputedly a hybrid in subsect. *Fortunea* H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), N: The Tyler Arboretum, I: W. Efinger (1959), REG: The Tyler Arboretum (1980) Fls light purplish pink (5RP 8/5), unmarked. Lvs light green. Shrub 1.5m

(r) **'Alice Mangles'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* (s) × *ponticum* R: J.H. Mangles, N: J.H. Mangles, I: J.H. Mangles (1882), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c8/loose, domed truss, funnel-shaped, 50-65 × 70-80mm, 5-lobed, vivid red (57A) in bud, opening to deep purplish pink (66C), the colour particularly concentrated in the veins producing an intricately chequered effect, darkest externally, paling to centre of lobes and to the throat; without or with very few red-purple spots. Calyx 7mm long, lobes acute, spreading, pinkish red. Lvs oblong-lanceolate, 135 × 55mm, dark matt green above and with very sparse, minute hairs below. FCC 1882

(r) **'Alice Martineau'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × *catawbiense* hybrid R: W.C. Slocock, N: W.C. Slocock, I: W.C. Slocock (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy crimson, with a dark blotch and throat. Very late

(a) **'Alice Mueller'** (Syn. of 'Alice W.Muller')

(a) **'Alice Perry'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt, I: E.A. Merritt (c 1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, coral pink. Kurume

(r) **'Alice Poore'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: B.P.P. Moseley, N: B.P.P. Moseley, REG: R.H. Gustafson (1999) Fls 13/domed ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 6-8 wavy-edged lobes, deep to moderate purplish pink (73A, 74D) in bud, opening inside strong to light purplish pink (73B-C) at edge, fading to light purplish pink (73C) and very pale purple (73D) at lobe centres and in the throat, with deep greenish yellow (153A) dorsal spotting; outside strong purplish pink (73B) at edge shading to light purplish pink/very pale purple (73C/D) at centre. Lvs elliptic, 75 × 45mm, flat, obtuse at apex with a small mucro, rounded at base, dull and moderate yellow-green (138A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 2.1m in 12 years. Mid-late May. (Published in *Q.Bull.Am.Rh.Soc.* 15 (2):108 (1961))

(a) **'Alice Sargent'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from Sanderi Group R: C. Sander (c 1885), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright salmon rose. Sander

(r) **'Alice Spring'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Alice' H: G.W. Clarke, G: G.W. Clarke, N: Mrs G.W. Clarke, I: G.W. Clarke, REG: Mrs G.W. Clarke (1991) Fls 15-16/domed truss, tubular campanulate, 51 × 44mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (66A) in bud, opening vivid purplish red (66B), fading to strong purplish pink (62A); a few brown freckles on the dorsal lobe; slightly scented. Calyx 6mm long, green. Lvs narrowly oblong, 114 × 32mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, with a felted indumentum below (fawn on young foliage, aging to tan); petioles 19mm long, hairy. Shrub 0.9-1.2 × 0.9m in 8 years. May

(r) **'Alice Street'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Diane' (s) × *wardii* R: M. Koster & Sons, N: M. Koster & Sons, I: M. Koster & Sons (1953), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls campanulate, up to 65mm wide, light lemon yellow. Lvs rounded, glossy emerald green. Shrub 1.0-2.0m. Syn: 'Miss Street'

(r) **'Alice Swift'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *mucronulatum* × *racemosum* (s) × *minus* Carolinianum Group H: L. Yavorsky (c 1960), G: L. Yavorsky (c 1963), N: L. Yavorsky, I: L. Yavorsky, REG: L. Yavorsky (1987) Fls 12-16/truss, open funnel-shaped, 32 × 38mm, 5-lobed, light reddish purple (74C), shading to moderate purplish pink (74D) in the throat and with vivid purplish red (66B) spotting on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 1mm long, pale yellow-green. Lvs elliptic, 41-64 × 13-25mm, scaly; bright green in winter. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m in 8 years. Mid-late April. Syn: 'Pical No.1'

(a) **'Alice W. Muller'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, bright pink, with a crimson sheen. Syn: 'Alice Mueller' (USA,1960's). Indian

(a) **'Alight'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × 'Kagetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls65mm wide, spinel pink, with paler centres, a white eye and a dorsal blotch of rosalane purple. Shrub 1.5m. Midseason. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Alimo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Eden Jane Alcott' × 'Pink Pearl' × 'Eden Frank Preston' × 'How-raku' R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith (pre 1987) Fls 100mm wide, shades of strong red and deep pink (50A, B), with strong spotting. Lvs bronzed in winter. Shrub 1.2m in 8 years

(a) **'Alīna'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Uguns' (s) × unnamed seedling (no. Ex-5) H: R. Kondratovičs (1976), G: R. Kondratovičs (1982), N: R. Kondratovičs, I: Rhododendron Nursery "Babīte" of University of Latvia (2000) Fls single, 8/slightly domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 85 × 85mm, with 5 narrowly wavy-edged lobes, inside strong orange (30D); outside moderate reddish orange (41C), dorsal lobe almost entirely strong orange (25A); filaments light pink, anthers yellow; style light pink, stigma green. Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 105 × 45mm, margins wavy, glossy green above, pointed at apex and base, with white hairs above when mature. Shrub 1.8 × 1.7m in 15 years. Late May-early June. (Published in *Dārzs un Drava*: 26 (January, 2001). An unacceptable name, but established as part of Latvian PBR cert. no. ROD-19 (3 March, 2000))

(a) **'Alindia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1965) Fls off-white, with a light purple edge. Indian (Grown in Australia, early 1960's)

(a) **'Aline'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling of unknown parentage R: K. Glaser (pre 1985), N: K. Glaser Fls double, few/truss, open funnel-shaped, white (155D) throughout, not marked. Calyx normal. Lvs broadly elliptic, dark green above, paler below. Early. Indian

(r) **'Alinta'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sir John Waterer' (s) × 'Vesuvius'(Standish & Noble) H: V.J. Boulter, G: V.J. Boulter (1961), N: V.J. Boulter (1962), I: V.J. Boulter, REG: V.J. Boulter (1962) Fls 14-16/spherical truss, campanulate, 40 × 40mm, 5-lobed, solpherino purple (26). Lvs dark green, with attractive veining. Shrub 80cm tall

(v) **'Alisa Nicole'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lochiae* (s) × *gracilentum* H: G.L.S. Snell, G: G.L.S. Snell (1984), N: G.L.S. Snell, I: Shrublands Nursery (1987), REG: Shrublands Nursery (1988) Fls 2-3/truss, shortly funnel-shaped, 35 × 30mm, 5-lobed, deep purplish pink (54B). Lvs elliptic, 40 × 20mm, hairless. Shrub 0.3m tall. Summer-autumn

(r) **'Alison Johnstone'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *yunnanense* (s) × *cinnabarinum* subsp. *xanthocodon* Concatenans Group R: G.H. Johnstone (pre 1945), N: G.H. Johnstone, I: G.H. Johnstone, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 9-10/truss, funnel-shaped, 40mm wide, with a slender tubular base, yellowish at first, becoming amber flushed with pink, unmarked. Shrub up to 1.5/2.0m. AM 1945 (Standard: painting of AM clone (WSY 0019916)). (Alison Johnstone Group)

(r) **Alison Johnstone Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *yunnanense* (s) × *cinnabarinum* subsp. *xanthocodon* Concatenans Group R: G.H. Johnstone (pre 1945), N: G.H. Johnstone, I: G.H. Johnstone, INC: ICRA (1958) The AM clone ('Alison Johnstone') is unmarked, but in other seedlings the flowers may have bands of spots inside

(r) **'Alissa Charlene'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Emily Allison' (s) × a yellow-flowered *decorum* H: C. Weeks (1985), G: C. Weeks (1990), N: C. Weeks, I: Westgate Gardens Nursery (1994), REG: C. Weeks (1995) Fls 8/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 75 × 125mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, very pale purple (75D) inside, with strong purplish red (67A) markings deep in the throat and a slight tinge of yellow; outside light purple (75B); stamens 15, curved, unequal. Pedicels 50mm long, moderate purplish red (186B) above, strong greenish yellow (151B) below. Lvs lanceolate, 152 × 51mm, flat to slightly wavy, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (147C) below, hairless; petioles c30mm long, moderate yellow-green (147B). Shrub 1.4 × 1.1m in 9 years. Mid April

(r) **'Alix'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *barbatum* (s) × *hookeri* R: L.de Rothschild, N: L.de Rothschild, I: L.de Rothschild (1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c12/compact, globose truss, campanulate, 40 × 55mm, brilliant clear crimson; stamens and style very pale pink. Lvs oblong-elliptic, 130-180 × 50-60mm, rounded at base and apex, dull green above, glaucous below; petioles 20-35mm long. March. AM 1935 (Standard: painting of AM clone (WSY 0019917)). (Alix Group)

(r) **Alix Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *barbatum* (s) × *hookeri* R: L.de Rothschild, N: L.de Rothschild, I: L.de Rothschild (1930), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Al Jolson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' (s) × *sanguineum* subsp. *sanguineum* var. *haemaleum* R: C.S. Seabrook, N: C.S. Seabrook, REG: C.S. Seabrook

(1968) Fls 4-8 in a loose truss, campanulate, 55 × 50mm, deep red (53A). Compact plant with small lvs. Late May

(a) **'All-a-glow'** (Syn. of 'Sakura-tsukasa')

(r) **'Allah'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Everestianum' (s) × 'Everestianum' R: T.J.R. Seidel (1891), N: T.J.R. Seidel, I: T.J.R. Seidel (1913), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light lilac rose, with gold spotting on a paler ground. Late. Shrub to 3.0m

(r) **'Allan Dale'** (Cultivated in USA 1980's, presumably an error for 'Alandale')

(r) **'All Beautiful'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Possibly a *fortunei* hybrid H: R.J. Kersey (1964), G: Mrs H.A. Frederick Jr (1975), I: Mrs H.A. Frederick Jr (1975), REG: Mrs H.A. Frederick Jr (1975) Fls 8/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 90 × 140mm, with 7 frilled lobes, lavender pink in bud, opening brilliant yellow (20A) in the throat, shading to pale purplish pink (56A) towards the lobe edges; scented. Calyx 7mm long, pea green. Lvs elliptic, 150-160 × 90mm, mid green. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m in 10 years. Early May

(r) **'All East'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs H.R. Yates' (s) × *wardii* H: W.E. Delp (1979), G: W.E. Delp (1996), N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1996) Fls 11/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 40 × 65mm, 5-lobed, brilliant to light greenish yellow (4A-B) in bud, opening brilliant to light greenish yellow (4A-C). Lvs 75-40mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base. Early June. (First published in Salley & Greer, *Rhododendron Hybrids*, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Allegory'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange scarlet, finely spotted. Indian

(a) **'Allegory'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' × 'Willy' (s) × 'Mrs Carmichael' × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 70-75mm wide, white, with a greenish blotch and a few, light phlox purple stripes. Shrub 1.5m. Midseason. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Allegretto'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × *haematodes* (s) × 'Erato' H: H. Hachmann (1987), G: H. Hachmann (1992), N: H. Hachmann (1995), I: H. Hachmann (1998), REG: G. Stück (1999) Fls 9-11/rather loose truss, broadly open campanulate, 40-45 × 75-80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside strong red (53B), outside strong red (53B) tinged deep red (53A), with inconspicuous markings of deep red (53A); colour does not fade in the sun; stamens 10, filaments strong red (53D), anthers brownish orange (172C); style brilliant to pale yellow-green (149C-D), stigma deep red (53A). Calyx 40-45mm long, coloured like the corolla. Lvs elliptic to slightly obovate, 110 × 38mm, cuneate at base, mucronate at apex, matt green above, with a brown, hairy indumentum. Shrub 0.6 × 1.1m in 10 years. Mid May-early June. (Published in Hachmann cat., 1998-2000 (1998), with colour photograph)

(a) **'Allegro'** (Syn. of 'Nuccio's Allegro')

(r) **'Allegro'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Azor' (s) × 'Loderi King George' R: B.F. Lancaster, N: B.F. Lancaster, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Allen Harris'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Crest' × 'Yellow Creek' (s) × unknown G: A. Harris, N: Mrs I. Harris, REG: Mrs I. Harris (1987) Fls light greenish yellow (8C) to pale yellow (8D), with a tinge of pink at the margins. Lvs 120 × 40mm. Shrub 1.5m in 13 years. (Grown from seed obtained from the American Rhododendron Society seed exchange, 1973)

(r) **'Allen Johnson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (Exbury form) × 'Lem's Cameo' H: A.P. Johnson (1975), G: A.P. Johnson (1985), N: G. Bell, REG: G. Bell (1993) Fls 17/domed truss, tubular-campanulate, 41 × 70mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, pale orange-yellow (159C), flushed yellow on dorsal lobes, with 13mm wide pale pink (49D) margins and two small flares of tiny, red spots; outside with a moderate purplish pink (54) central stripe on each lobe; slightly scented; stamens 11. Calyx 10mm long, white. Pedicels 32mm long, yellowish white. Lvs elliptic, 70 × 32mm, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, moderate olive green (147A) above (moderate reddish brown (175A) when young), light olive brown (199B), and with sparse hairs, below (buff, ageing to brown). Petioles 13mm long, light yellowish green. Shrub 0.6mx1.1m in 16 years. May

(r) **'Allen's Surprise'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × unknown G: A. Harris, N: Mrs I. Harris, REG: Mrs I. Harris (1987) Fls deep pink in bud, opening moderate purplish pink (62B) to pale purplish pink (62D), throat strong purplish pink (63C), spotted with brown. Lvs 100 × 30mm, with a woolly indumentum. Compact, rounded habit. (Grown from seed obtained from the American Rhododendron Society seed exchange in 1973)

(r) **'Alley Cat'** cv. Parentage unknown R: E. Ostbo, N: E. Ostbo, I: I.O. Ostbo (1960), REG: I.O. Ostbo (1962) Fls 90mm wide, coral pink, with a darker blotch. Lvs 160 × 50mm

(r) **'Alleyne Cook'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: Lady Chamberlain Group (s) × *flavidum* H: L.E. Brandt (pre 1970), G: L.E. Brandt, N: G. Picher (1999), REG: G. Picher (1999) Fls 6/lax truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 25mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, creamy yellow. Lvs elliptic, 65 × 30mm, flat, rounded at base, broadly acute at apex, dull and bluish green above, scaly. Shrub 2.5 × 2.5m in 30 years. Mid May

(r) **'Alley Oops'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Princess Elizabeth' (s) × 'Fiery Orange' H: T.L. Ring (1988), G: W.E. Delp (1992), N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 16/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 58 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep red (53A) in bud, opening pale yellow-green (4D) edged with a blend of strong purplish red, deep purplish pink and strong red (54A, B, 53D); flare pale greenish yellow (2D); filaments

moderate purplish pink (54D); style pale greenish yellow (1D); anthers moderate brown and light yellow (165A, 163D); stigma light yellow-green (145B). Calyx 3mm long. Lvs 114 × 51mm, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.4 × 0.3m in 4 years. Early June

(a) **'All Glory'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1990) Fls single, pink. (Grown in Australia/New Zealand (1980's))

(r) **'Allison Light'** cv. Parentage unknown G: USA (c 1980)

(a) **'Allotria'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Rubinetta' (s) × 'Vuyk's Scarlet' H: H. Hachmann (1968), G: H. Hachmann (1972), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1981), REG: G. Stück (1984) Fls 1-2/truss, 35-40 × 50-55mm, 5-lobed, moderate to strong purplish red (58A/63A), marked dark red (59A). Calyx 5-6mm long, strong yellow-green (144A-B). Lvs elliptic, 25-30 × 14-16mm. Indian

(r) **'All Star Deb'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Redwax' (s) × 'Lord Roberts' H: M. Stockman (1980), G: M. & H. Stockman (1991), N: M. & H. Stockman (1992), I: M. & H. Stockman (1992), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1992) Fls 9/lax truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 38 × 51mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (45A) throughout; stamens 11, slightly curved, unequal, red; style red. Calyx 10mm long, coloured as corolla. Pedicels 25mm long, dark red. Lvs elliptic, 70 × 35mm, convex, cuspidate at apex, cuneate at base, bullate and matt dark green above, with a tan indumentum below (felted when young, becoming much thinner with age); petioles 16mm long, light green, slightly hairy. Shrub 0.6 × 0.8m in 12 years. Mid May

(r) **'All Stars'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Holden' (s) × 'Skookum' H: M.J. Whitman (1996), G: M.J. & B. Whitman (2001), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (2001), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (2001) Fls 15/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (66A) in bud, opening vivid purplish red (66B) inside and out, the colour fading to whitealong midrib of each lobe internally to form a 5-pointed star; filament and style vivid purplish red (66B) to deep purplish pink (66C). Lvs elliptic, 130 × 50m, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, with wavy margins, dull and slightly paler than dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 0.4m in 6 years. Early May

(a) **'Allure'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *simsii* (s) × *mucronatum* R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 4-8/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 65mm wide, moderate purplish pink (68C), with darker veins (66C). Shrub 1.0 × 2.0m in 22 years. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Allure'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group (s) × Dante Group H: Lord Aberconway (1934), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet

(a) **'Alma'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L.L. Liebig (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rose. Indian

(r) **'Alma'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Baker (pre 1870), N: Baker, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rosy lilac, shaded with pale green and with a rusty red blotch (L. van Houtte cat.1870)

(r) **'Alma'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1906), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac pink at margin, centre nearly white; striking bicolor

(v) **'Alma Blanche'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *leucogigas* × *zoelleri* (s) × *leucogigas* H: G.L.S. Snell (1992), G: N. Puddey (1996), N: N. Puddey (1997), I: N. Puddey, REG: N. Puddey (1997) Fls 7/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 65 × 70mm, with 7 smooth-edged lobes, buds cream, opening inside cream with a pink blush, outside cream; unspotted; carnation-scented. Calyx 40mm long, red. Lvs elliptic, 240 × 75-90mm, flat or upcurved, apiculate at apex, attenuate at base, scaly (scales reddish when young). Shrub with long internodes, yet still bushy, 0.7 × 0.5m in 4 years; stems and new growth red. December-July (or longer) (Australia)

(r) **'Alma Peste Paul'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Doncaster' H: F. Peste (1979), G: F.& L. Peste (1984), N: L. Peste, REG: S.P. Johnston (1986) Fls 23/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (57D) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (56C), with a 7mm wide edging of strong purplish pink (62A) both inside and out and with moderate red (179B) spotting on the dorsal lobe; outside with strong purplish pink (62A) stripes down each lobe. Calyx very small. Lvs oblanceolate, 108-140 × 35-45mm, moderate olive green (147A) above, with a red-brown indumentum below. Shrub 0.4 × 0.5m in 6 years. Mid May

(a) **'Alma Tadema'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, light pink, with a red blotch; orange pink in bud. Mollis

(r) **'Alma Tadema'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls creamy yellow, with red-brown markings. (Grown in Germany since at least 1951)

(r) **'Almond Cream'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Weldy' (s) × 'Robert Wheldon' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls large, with very wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (46C) and pale greenish yellow (1D) in bud, opening pale yellow-green (155A) with a deep purplish red (59B) throat; anthers white. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **Almond Thacker Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *racemosum* (s) × 'Rosy Bell' I: T.C. Thacker (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep almond pink

(r) **'Almondtime'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cornubia' (s) × *sutchuenense* N: S.R. Clarke, I: S.R. Clarke (1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright cerise pink, with a few dark crimson dots on the dorsal lobe. AM 1925

(r) **'Almost'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* (s) × 'Goldsworth Orange' R: C.R. & V. Haag (c 1986), H: C.R. & V. Haag, G: C.R. & V. Haag, I: Cardinal Nursery Fls rose, flushed orange

(r) **'Almost Kissed'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Yaku Sunrise' (s) × 'War Dance' H: M.J. Whitman (1994), G: M.J. & B. Whitman (2001), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (2001), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (2001) Fls 19/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 55mm, with 5 wavy to very wavy-edged lobes, inside deep purplish pink (67C), with paler mottling, sparse, dark red dorsal spotting and a small, dark red marking at the base; outside vivid purplish red (66B). Lvs oblong, 90 × 40mm, broadly acute to obtuse at apex, rounded at base, margins flat to slightly wavy, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.5m in 7 years. Early May

(r) **'Aloha'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan' (s) × *yakushimanum* (Exbury form) H: C.H. Phetteplace (1973), G: D.W. Paden (1978), N: D.W. Paden, I: Bruce Briggs (1983), REG: D.W. Paden (1988) Fls up to 19/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 38 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (52A) in bud, opening deep pink (52C), fading to pale purplish pink (56D). Lvs elliptic, 50-80 × 20-30mm, convex, acute at tip, cuneate at base, dull and wrinkled above, indumentum white when young, becoming moderate orange-yellow (164C). Shrub c1.0m tall in 10 years. Late April-early May

(r) **'Alony'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Furnivall's Daughter' (s) × 'Fabia' H: T. Aunsbjorn (1979), G: T. Aunsbjorn (1986), N: T. Aunsbjorn, REG: T. Aunsbjorn (1988) Fls 10/flat truss, saucer-shaped, 30 × 100mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, vivid reddish orange (33A). Lvs oblong, 100 × 50-60mm, indumentum greyish on young foliage, greyish brown when mature. Shrub 0.7 × 0.5m in 9 years. Late May-early June

(r) **'Alonzo'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple lake. (Grown by Standish & Noble pre 1860. Listed by Noble, 1862)

(r) **Alpaca Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sir Charles Lemon' (s) × *neriiflorum* H: L.de Rothschild (1926), G: L.de Rothschild, N: L.de Rothschild, I: L.de Rothschild (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink

(a) **'Alpenrose'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L.L. Liebig (1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, double, rose. Indian

(a) **'Alpenrose'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Marion Lee' × 'Glacier' R: E. Deckert (pre 1980), N: E. Deckert Fls 90mm wide, white with variable blotching and margins of deep yellowish pink. Low shrub. Midseason. Syn: 'Jutta'

(a) **'Alpha'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Germany (pre 1984)

(v) **'Alpha Dawn'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Arthur's Choice' (s) × 'Gardenia Odyssey' H: B. Clancy (1994), G: B. Clancy (1997), N: G. Roelink (2000), I: G. Roelink (2000), REG: G. Roelink (2000) Fls 12-18/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 42 × 75mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, light greenish yellow (3C) in bud, opening inside light greenish yellow (8B) on the tube, the lobes strong yellowish pink (43D), outside light greenish yellow (3C) with the lobe edges strong pink (49A); unmarked; delicately scented. Lvs elliptic, 110 × 50mm, flat, acuminate at apex, cuneate at base, matt green above, scaly (scales brown when young). Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 6 years. Flowering throughout the year

(r) **'Alpha Omega'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Susy' (s) × 'Sefton' H: T.L. Ring, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls dark and vivid red (187A & 57A) in bud, opening strong purplish red (72A, 71B, 67A) and deep purplish red (71A), spotted dark red (187A-B) on three dorsal lobes; anthers light greenish yellow (4C). (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Alphée'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: H. Demay (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellowish rose, with broad white margins and a crimson blotch. Indian

(r) **'Alphonse'** (Syn. of 'Concessum')

(a) **'Alphonse Anderson'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Hazlewood Bros (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, soft clear pink, edged white and with a deeper rose pink throat. Shrub up to 2.0m. Indian (Usually treated as a synonym of 'George Lindley Taber' in Australia)

(a) **'Alphonse Lavallée'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: L.van Houtte (1871), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, bright orange, flushed pink and with a slight citron yellow blotch; slightly deeper in bud. FCC 1874. Mollis

(a) **'Alphonse Pericat'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Pericat, N: A. Pericat, I: A. Pericat (pre 1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, 30mm wide, camellia rose (622). Pericat

(a) **'Alphonsianum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: de Witte (1857), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose. Indian

(a) **'Alpine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from a self-pollinated, un-named seedling of an Indian/Kaempferi hybrid R: USDA, N: USDA (1960), I: USDA (1960), REG: ICRA (1961) Fls hose-in-hose, 2-3/truss, 65mm wide and unusually long, white. Lvs dark glossy green. Compact shrub about as wide as high. (Derived from the work of G.E. Yerkes & R.L. Pryor)

(r) **'Alpine Dew'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *racemosum* dwarf form × 'Tessa' H: J.C. Cowles (pre 1976), G: R. King (1978), N: A.R. Brooks, I: A.R. Brooks (1986), REG: A.R. Brooks (1990) Fls 3-5/bud in a multiple-budded inflorescence, broadly funnel-shaped, 32 × 25mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds pale yellow-green (4D) flushed light yellowish pink (36A), opening white with an occasional faint shading of pale purplish pink (56D) on outside. Calyx minute, strong yellow-green (145A). Lvs elliptic, 32-44 × 16-22mm, convex, acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless and dull green above, scaly. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in 15 years. Early May. Syn: 'Dwarf Early White' (Identity of both parents uncertain)

(r) **Alpine Gem Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *brachyanthum* (s) × *ferrugineum* I: T.C. Thacker (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow, shaded pink

(r) **'Alpine Glow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Loderi Group (s) × *calophytum* R: L.de Rothschild, N: L.de Rothschild, I: L.de Rothschild (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls delicate pale pink; bracts pale brick red. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. AM 1938 (Avalanche Group. Standard: painting of AM plant (WSY 0019933))

(r) **'Alpine Meadow'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: Selection from *leucaspis* seedlings at Dunedin Botanic Garden S: R.W. Balch (1968), N: R.W. Balch, I: unknown (c 1970), REG: Dunedin Rhododendron Group (1985) Fls 2-5/truss, 40 × 60mm, rotate, 5-lobed, yellowish white (155D), deeper in throat (155A); anthers moderate brown (200C). Calyx 10mm long, yellow-green. Lvs elliptic to obovate, 80 × 35mm, scaly. Dwarf.

(r) **'Alpine Rose'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Loderi Group (s) × *calophytum* R: L.de Rothschild, N: L.de Rothschild, I: L.de Rothschild (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls delicate pink, slightly deeper than in 'Alpine Glow'; fls and trusses larger than in 'Avalanche'. (Avalanche Group)

(r) **'Alpine Snow'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lindleyi* × *dalhousiae* (s) × *taggianum* H: C.W. Richards (c 1969), G: D. Spini (1973), N: D. Spini, I: E. Philp (c 1978), REG: E. Philp (1986) Fls 7-11/truss, open funnel-campanulate, 100 × 120mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light yellow-green (145B) to light yellow (10C) in bud, opening yellowish white (155D), with a 15mm long blotch at base of throat which starts moderate reddish orange (173B) and fades to brilliant yellow (13B). Calyx 25mm long, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 130 × 50mm, bullate, moderate olive green (137B) above, pale yellow-green (195C) below, with brown scales. Shrub 2.2 × 1.4m in c12 years. Late April

(a) **'Alpinum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown Fls small, purple. (Grown in The Netherlands, 1960's)

(r) **Alre Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Alan Group (s) × *forrestii* subsp. *forrestii* Repens Group H: Lord Aberconway (1942), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blood red

(r) **'Alsace'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J.P. Martin & Hijos (1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear pink

(a) **'Alsea'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Hugh Wormald' (s) × 'Marion Merriman' R: H.J. Slonecker, N: H.J. Slonecker, REG: H.J. Slonecker (1963) Fls 75-90mm wide, vivid yellow (13A), with a vivid orange blotch

(r) **'Al Smith'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Madras' (s) × 'Delp's Cindy Lou' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls deep, strong and vivid red (53A, 46A, 45A) in bud, opening deep and strong red (53A-B) and vivid red (45A-B), with deep red (53A) dorsal spots. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Alston'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Hawk Group (a selection given as "Exbury A" variety) (s) × *griffithianum* R: L.S. Fortescue, N: L.S. Fortescue, REG: L.S. Fortescue (1970) Fls 5-7/truss, open funnel-shaped, 90 × 55mm, 5-lobed, pale yellow-green (155A), faintly stained pale greenish yellow (1D) at the base of the corolla internally. Lvs ovate-lanceolate, 125-190 × 70-100mm, dark green

(a) **'Alstonii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: presumed to be 'Puniceum' × 'Danielsianum' R: unknown (pre 1854), INC: ICRA (1958) (Cultivated by Margottin in 1854, see *Revue Horticole* 3:62 (1854))

(r) **'Alstroemerioides'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from 'Caucasicum Album' R: B. Boddaert (pre 1853), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish red, spotted deep red with an almost black mark on dorsal lobe (Boddaert, 1853); fls rose, spotted on all lobes (1958 Register). ('Alstromeriiflorum' (L.de Cock cat., 1868, "crimson, spotted black") is perhaps the same plant)

(r) **'Alstroemerioides Album'** cv. Parentage unknown L: E.F. André (1864), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, spotted black

(a) **'Altaclerense'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* × *viscosum* 'Rubescens Major' R: Highclere, N: J.R. Gowen, I: J.R. Gowen (1842), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, white, edged pink, striped pink externally and tinged pale yellow in the throat, with a blotch of yellow spots; scented. Lvs glaucous. Ghent (See *Bot.Reg.* 28, t.27 (1842) where it is clearly described as a clone.Note that this is the correct spelling, not 'Altaclarense')

(a) **'Altaclerense'** cv. Deciduous azalea: described as *molle* (*"sinensis"*) × a Ghent hybrid in *Proc.RHS* 2: 370 (1862) L: J.& C. Lee (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, yellow, with an orange blotch, in a large, globular head. Lvs ovate-elliptic, hairy. FCC 1862 Syn: 'Aureum Grandiflorum' (This is the plant most widely grown under this name, but its origins are uncertain.Often listed as a Mollis Azalea)

(r) **'Altaclerense'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* seedling × *ponticum* × *arboreum* H: J.R. Gowen (1826), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c15/hemispherical truss, campanulate, 40 × 55mm, crimson, with a few

blackish brown spots (19th century description); plants still in cultivation in Cornwall (1988) have vivid purplish red (57C-D) fls with darker spots all over the corolla; the lvs with a pale cinnamon, felted indumentum below. FCC 1865

(r) **'Altaclerense Coccineum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Son (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rich red

(r) **'Altaclerense Elegans'** (Syn. of 'Elegans' (Standish & Noble) cf. *Revue Horticole* 1:508 (1847) listed as an *arboreum* hybrid)

(r) **'Altaclerense Roseum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Gheldolf (1844), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Altaclerense Speciosum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1839), INC: ICRA (1958) (Recorded as an exhibit at Ghent in 1839 and Paris in 1842)

(r) **'Altaclerense Splendens'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Gheldolf (1844), INC: ICRA (1958) (Perhaps the same plant also listed as 'Splendens' (*catawbiense* or *arboreum* hybrid))

(a) **'Altaclerense Sunbeam'** (Syn. of 'Sunbeam')

(r) **'Altaclerense Superbum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1843), INC: ICRA (1958) (Exhibited by Paillet in Paris in 1843; perhaps the old Hardy Hybrid listed as 'Superbum')

(r) **'Altaclerense Triumph'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1842), INC: ICRA (1958) (Exhibited in Paris by M. Guérin in 1842)

(a) **'Altair'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ivory' (s) × 'Kagetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 75mm wide, white, with a few rose purple spots. Shrub 1.2m. Midseason. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Altair'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Exbury? (pre 1977) Fls pale yellow, with a yellow blotch. Knap Hill

(a) **'Altanuwa'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *cumberlandense* × *viscosum* R: O. Holmsomback (pre 1986), N: O. Holmsomback Fls 40mm wide, with pointed lobes, strong yellowish pink (38A), with a faint yellow blotch. Shrub at least 1.9 × 1.0m. Late

(r) **'Altweibersommer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum*, open-pollinated H: H. Müller (1991), G: H. Müller (1996), N: H. Müller (1998), REG: H. Müller (1998) Fls 13-15/broadly rounded, compact truss, campanulate, 45-50 × 55-65mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, dark cherry red in bud, opening inside yellow-white, with light pink margins, outside bright pink (darker along midveins); conspicuous, numerous, dark red to red brown spots on dorsal lobe. Lvs oblanceolate, 140 × 45mm, flat, matt green, pointed at apex, tapered at base, hairless. Shrub c0.8xc1.8m in c15 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Alumni Day'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* H: G.G. Nearing (pre 1972), G: J.B. Gable, N: J.C. Wister (1972) Fls white

(r) **'Alva'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *hemsleyanum* (s) × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: D.W. Goheen (1963), G: D.W. Goheen (1973), N: D.W. Goheen, I: L.W. Bulgin (c 1980), REG: D.W. Goheen (2000) Fls 14-16/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 90-100mm, with 7 wavy to very wavy-edged lobes, white tinged yellow-green in bud, opening yellowish white (155B-D) throughout; unmarked; strongly scented. Calyx c1mm long, pale green and rose. Lvs obovate, 125 × 65mm, flat, mucronate at apex, rounded at base, glossy green above with a thin coating of felted hairs below (white to tan at first, ageing to deep orange-yellow (163A)). Shrub 1.5 × 1.8m in 10 years. May

(a) **'Alvera Hager'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Pink Pearl' × 'Mandarin' × 'Mother of Pearl' (Glenn Dale) R: D. Hager (pre 1984), N: D. Hager Fls single, 50mm wide, light pink, variegated with white towards the margins. Lvs ovate, mid green. Shrub to 1.5m. (The 'Pink Pearl' involved is believed to be the Kurume cv which is correctly 'Azuma-kagami')

(r) **Alvinda Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ivery's Scarlet' (s) × Loderi Group H: Lord Aberconway (1926), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose pink

(r) **'Always Admired'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scintillation' (s) × *haematodes* subsp. *haematodes* H: Swarthmore College (1958), G: The Tyler Arboretum Fls very pale yellow, tinged pink

(r) **'Always a Lady'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: A.A. Childers (c 1966), G: A.A. Childers (c 1972), N: F.E. Burns (2000), REG: F.E. Burns (2000) Fls 11/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, with 7 very wavy-edged lobes, lavender pink in bud, opening inside light yellow (160B) at centre, shading to moderate purplish pink (65A) at margins, with 8 short rays of strong purplish red (58B) surrounding the ovary; outside pale yellow (158B) at the base, shading to light purplish pink (65B) at margins; moderately scented. Calyx c1.5mm long, strong yellow-green (144A). Lvs elliptic, 170 × 65mm, acute at apex, narrowly rounded at base, margins flat, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 2.1m in 20 years. Late May

(r) **'Alwin'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1906), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine rose, with frilled lobes

(r) **'Alyssa Nori'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nancy Evans' (s) × 'Crest' × 'Ken Janeck' H: E.C. Brockenbrough (1975), G: E.C. Brockenbrough (1982), N: B.V. & K. Nelson (2002), I: Nelson's Nursery (2002), REG: E.C. Brockenbrough (2002) Fls 17-20/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 70-75 × 100mm, with 5-6

wavy-edged lobes, inside light orange-yellow (16B), shading lighter to pale orange-yellow (16D) at margins, with small, vivid red (45B) nectaries; outside pale orange-yellow (16D). Calyx 20mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs broadly elliptic, 125-175 × 55-65mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded to slightly cordate at base, margins flat, moderate green (137) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Alyssa Ray'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Weldy' (s) × 'Fiery Orange' H: T.L. Ring (1988), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 10/truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 70mm, with 6-7 very wavy-edged lobes, deep and strong red (53A, B) in bud, opening to a blend of deep yellowish pink (47C), deep pink (47D), moderate, light and pale pink (49B, C, D) and pale yellow (11D), with dark red (59A) spots on 3 dorsal lobes; filaments and style yellowish white (155D); anthers pale orange-yellow (159B); stigma dark red (59A). Calyx 13mm long, deep yellowish pink (47C). Lvs 114 × 38mm, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.3 × 0.3m in 4 years. Early June

(a) **'Alzina'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls coral. Kurume

(a) **'Amabile'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1840), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Amabile'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L.van Houtte (1849), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cream, flushed shell pink, edged and tipped deep rose and with a large, soft yellow flare covering almost the whole of the dorsal lobe (Sunningdale, since 1878); variously listed as bright rose or fire red, with an orange blotch (L. van Houtte, 1871, 1877). Ghent (Probably the plant listed without description by J. Verleeuwen, 1835)

(r) **'Amabile'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: derived from *arboreum*? R: unknown (pre 1842), INC: ICRA (1958) (Exhibited in Paris by M.Guérin in 1842)

(v) **'Amabile'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *javanicum* (s) × 'Princess Alexandra' R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1886), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65mm wide, lobes pale flesh, tinted rose, tube french white. FCC 1886

(a) **'Amabile Roseum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L.van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Amabile Splendens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1845), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Exhibited by W. Smith, 1845)

(r) **'Amadeus'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from 'Jalisco Elect' × ('Crest' × 'King of Shrubs') (s) × 'Sonata' H: J.G. Lofthouse (c 1976), G: C. Wellmeier (1984), N: C. Wellmeier, I: C. Wellmeier (1987), REG: C. Wellmeier (1987) Fls 9-12/truss, campanulate, 65 × 75mm, 5-lobed, deep and moderate yellowish pink (39B&C), with a vivid yellow/pale orange-yellow (16A/D) blotch. Calyx small, brilliant yellow-green (149A). Lvs elliptic, 95 × 40mm, moderate yellow-green (137C), hairless. Compact habit, 1.0 × 1.2m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Amaethyst'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Gisela' (s) × 'Chevalier Félix de Sauvage' R: E. Herrmann (pre 1964), N: E. Herrmann Fls pale lilac, with faint brownish markings on dorsal lobe

(a) **'Amagasa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Hozan' (s) R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 75-100mm wide, with broad overlapping lobes, vivid red, with darker spots on the dorsal lobe. Syn: 'Tengasa'. Satsuki (Also seen mis-spelt as 'Amaghasa' or 'Ami Gasa')

(a) **'Amagashita'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *stenopetalum* R: Japan (pre 1918), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with very deeply lobed corollas, purplish red

(a) **'Amaghasa'** (See 'Amagasa')

(r) **'Amalfi'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cornubia' (s) × *calophytum* R: L.de Rothschild (1933), N: L.de Rothschild, I: L.de Rothschild (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c20/spherical truss, funnel-shaped, 45 × 55mm, deep pink (52C) towards the tips of the corolla lobes, shading to white on the tube; spotted dark red and with a crimson splash at the base within. Lvs more-or-less oblanceolate, 175 × 70mm, dull green above, hairless. Shrub to 6.0m. February-March. AM 1939 (Amalfi Group. Standard: painting of AM clone (WSY 0019918))

(r) **Amalfi Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cornubia' (s) × *calophytum* R: L.de Rothschild (1933), N: L.de Rothschild, I: L.de Rothschild (1939), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Amalia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: F. Wolf (pre 1989), N: F. Wolf

(r) **'Amalia Pfeiffer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* × *maximum* R: C.J.H. Walther (pre 1861), N: C.J.H. Walther, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls reddish, the yellow blotch with rose spots

(a) **'Amanda'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1877), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(r) **'Amanda Joan Young'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan' (s) × un-named Dexter hybrid H: A.T. & S.A. Anderson (1976), G: A.T. & S.A. Anderson (1980), N: A.T. & S.A. Anderson, REG: A.T. & S.A. Anderson (1989) Fls 7-9/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 76mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (55A) at margins, shading to pale purplish pink (55D) in centre, throat very pale purple (69A/D), dorsal spotting varying from strong orange-yellow (163B) to moderate yellow (163C) and brilliant yellow (15C); slightly scented. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs obovate, 102 ×

38mm, acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 0.7 × 0.9m in 11 years. Early May

(a) **'Amanogawa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1963), N: Japan Fls pale red. Satsuki (Previously listed incorrectly as Amaogawa)

(a) **'Amaogawa'** (An error for 'Amanogawa')

(a) **'Amarante'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1849), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rather large, tinged violet. (Exhibited by Margottin (France), 1849.cf. *Revue Horticole* 3:152 (1849))

(r) **'Amarantellum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection or hybrid of *catawbiense* L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Amaranthinum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. Jacob-Makoy (pre 1844), N: L. Jacob-Makoy, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet, tinged sky blue. Indian (Sometimes listed as 'Amarantinum')

(r) **'Amaranthora'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid I: S.B. Parsons, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Amarantinum'** (See note under 'Amaranthinum')

(r) **'Amarantinum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid R: J. Rinz (pre 1864), N: J. Rinz, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark amaranth

(r) **'Amarantissimum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as a *catawbiense* form/hybrid L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Amarantum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1912), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, dark red (like van Houtte's 'Comtesse de Beaufort'), with a crimson blotch on the dorsal lobe. Indian

(a) **'Amarantum Multiflorum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1922), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls amaranth red. Indian

(r) **'Amaretto'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* (s) × 'Hachmann's Marina' H: H. Hachmann (1971), G: H. Hachmann (1976), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1987), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 12(-16)/truss, campanulate, 45-50 × 50-65mm, 5(-6)-lobed, inside light yellowish pink (26D/27A), tinged strong red (45D) and deep yellowish pink (46D), outside 45D/46D; slight markings of 45D/46D internally. Calyx 3-5mm long, moderate red (47A). Lvs ovate, 70-85 × 40-50mm, acuminate at apex, rounded at base, flat but with somewhat recurved margins, deep, slightly glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.1m in 12 years. Mid May-early June

(r) **'Amarillo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *hemsleyanum* (s) × 'Autumn Gold' H: D.W. Goheen (1963), G: D.W. Goheen (1973), N: D.W. Goheen, REG: D.W. Goheen (1986) Fls 12-14/truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 100mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, brilliant yellow (13B) in throat, shading to 25mm wide lobe edging of light yellow (14D), outside moderate yellowish pink (31D); dorsal lobes reflexed. Calyx 3mm long, upper lobes vivid reddish orange (40A), lower lobes light yellow-green (145D). Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 140-165 × 55-70mm, hairless. Shrub 3.8 × 2.6m in 20 years. Late May

(r) **Amaryllis Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Halopeanum' (s) × *haematodes* I: R. Wallace (1934), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **Amasun Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Amaura Group (s) × Sunrise Group H: Lord Aberconway (1935), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose

(r) **Amata Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Adrastia Group (s) × F.C. Puddle Group H: Lord Aberconway (1935), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(r) **Amaura Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × Penjerrick Group H: Lord Aberconway (1926), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink

(r) **'Amazement'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* (s) × *wardii* H: D.L. Hardgrove (1945), G: Mrs D. Royce (post 1964), N: Mrs D. Royce, I: Mrs D. Royce (1974), REG: Mrs D. Royce (1979) Fls up to 13/truss, 75mm wide, 7-lobed, strong red (51A) in bud, opening light greenish yellow (3D). Lvs 125mm long. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Amazing Grace'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Charles S. Sargent' (s) × 'Swansdown' H: O.S. Pride (1952), G: O.S. Pride, N: O.S. Pride, I: O.S. Pride, REG: O.S. Pride (1980) Fls up to 12/truss, 90mmwide, orchid lavender in bud, opening moderate to light purplish pink (62B-C) with an area 20mm wide of yellowish green spotting on the dorsal lobe. Lvs up to 115mm long

(r) **'Amazon'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose pink, with a paler centre. (Probably the plant listed previously as from T.Methven & Son (pre 1887), who may have been the raisers)

(r) **Amazor Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Amaura Group (s) × Azor Group H: Lord Aberconway (1934), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink

(r) **Amba Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *racemosum* (white form) (s) × *burmanicum* H: Lord Aberconway (1926), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale yellow

(r) **'Ambassadeur'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Jan Dekens' × 'Madame de Bruin' R: P. van Nes (pre 1960),

N: P. van Nes, I: P. van Nes, REG: P. van Nes (1962) Fls 20/truss, 75mm wide, deep pink (25/2), with paler pink dorsal lobe

(r) **'Amber'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (pre 1980), N: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg

(r) **'Amber'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *cinnabarinum* subsp. *xanthocodon* Concatenans Group R: unknown (pre 1997)

(r) **'Amber Blush'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'C.I.S.' (s) × Jalisco Group H: N. Sullivan (1982), G: N. Sullivan (1994), N: N. Sullivan (1998), REG: N. Sullivan (1998) Fls 10-12/flat truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 135mm, with 5 wavy to very wavy-edged lobes, dark pink (182D) in bud, opening inside and out a very pale dilution of dark pink (182D), suffused from centre pale yellow (161D), intensifying with age; prominent moderate red (182A) basal blotch. Calyx uneven, to 30mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs ovate, 130 × 50mm, flat, matt green above, obtuse at apex and base, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.0m in 14 years. Mid October (Tasmania)

(r) **'Amber Dash'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' (s) × open-pollinated seedling of 'Gold Mohur' H: O.S. Blumhardt (1982), G: O.S. Blumhardt (1990), N: O.S. Blumhardt (1998), REG: O.S. Blumhardt (1999) Fls 10-12/flat to rounded truss, funnel-shaped, 50×70-80mm, with 5(-6-7) wavy-edged lobes, pink in bud, inside opening pink and fading to cream, outside opening pink and fading to cream with light pink shading; blotch on basal part of dorsal lobe is red on opening, but fades to amber; slightly scented. Calyx 1-5mmlong, greenish. Lvs elliptic, 180-200 × 20-30mm, margins decurved, matt green above, obtuse at apex, tapered to base, with a white indumentum which ages to fawn. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Amber Gem'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Fawn' (s) × Jalisco Group H: D.W. James (1959), G: A.A. & M. Childers (1966), N: A.A. & M. Childers, I: A.A. & M. Childers, REG: A.A. & M. Childers (1977) Fls c 10/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 110-117mm, with 7 smooth- to slightly wavy-edged lobes, strong to moderate yellowish pink (38A-B) in bud, opening light pink (49C) shading to between brilliant orange and light orange-yellow (25C-D) and with a fan-shaped dorsal blotch of orange-red spots; scented. Calyx 3mm long. Lvs oblanceolate, 145 × 53mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded to cuneate at base. Shrub 1.2×1.9m in 17 years. Late May

(a) **'Amber Glow'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Bobbink & Atkins, N: Bobbink & Atkins, I: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 45mm wide, orange red (020/1). Bobbink & Atkins

(r) **'Ambergris'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Dido Group × 'Fawn' H: unknown (USA), G: Mrs R.J. Coker, N: Mrs J.M. Kerr, REG: Mrs J.M. Kerr (1987) Fls 12/truss, 80-90mm wide, funnel-campanulate, 7-lobed, strong yellowish pink (37B) in bud, opening with corolla lobes flushed light yellowish pink (29C) shading through brilliant to light yellow (12B-C). Lvs oblong, 150-160 × 50-70mm, hairless. October (New Zealand)

(r) **'Amber Lantern'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *keiskei* hybrid H: F.A. Arsen (c 1990), G: F.A. Arsen (pre 1995), N: F.A. Arsen, I: Roslyn Nursery (1995), REG: W. Brack (2001) Fls 3-7/flat truss, funnel-shaped, 30 × 40mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish red (58A) in bud, opening inside pale yellow (11C), with green spots in the tube; outside pale yellow (11C), with strong purplish pink (55B) bands on the midribs. Calyx very short. Lvs elliptic, 50 × 15mm, acute at apex, rounded at base, margins flat, dull and moderate olive green (137B) above, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 1.5m in 7 years. Early April

(a) **'Amber Light'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *calendulaceum* G: Crown Estate Commissioners (1978), S: Crown Estate Commissioners (1980), N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1989), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1989) Fls 10-12/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, up to 40 × 30mm, orange (28) in throat, darkening to strong reddish orange (32B) on lobes; filaments dull yellow-orange, anthers bright yellow-orange. Calyx up to 2mm long, green. Calyx and corolla tube densely glandular hairy. Shrub 3.0 × 3.0m (1989). May-June. AM 1989

(v) **'Amber Light'** (Syn. of 'Morning Light'. May also have been listed as 'Amber Lights')

(a) **'Amber Rain'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Exbury, I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1958) Fls single, 11/rounded truss, 50 × 75mm, light orange-yellow (16C), with an orange dorsal blotch. AM 1958. Knap Hill (Galle (1985) lists both a Knap Hill & a Ghent with this name, but the latter is probably an error for the former)

(r) **'Amber Touch'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Brinny' (s) × a Whitney late, frilled, yellow hybrid Fls 16/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 85mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, moderate yellowish pink (39C) at edges, fading to light yellow (20B) with strong red (53C) nectaries; outside light yellow (20B) with strong yellowish pink (37B) stripes on midveins; stamens 11, curved, unequal; stigma strong yellow-green (145A). Pedicels 25mmlong, strong yellow-green (144C), reddish on top. Lvs elliptic, 114 × 54mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (147C) below, hairless; petioles 25mm long, moderate yellow-green (146D). Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 9 years. Early-late May

(r) **'Ambie'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group (s) × 'Gable's Pioneer' H: W.M. Fetterhoff (1969), G: W.M. Fetterhoff, N: W.M. Fetterhoff, I: W.M. Fetterhoff (1976), REG: W.M. Fetterhoff (1980) Fls 5-18/truss (from multiple buds),

broadly funnel-shaped, 25 × 40mm, moderate purplish pink (65A) in bud, opening creamy white, irregularly variegated, with light to pale purplish pink (65B-C) shading on lobes, one lobe of each flower is all pink but not necessarily the same lobe of each flower. Lvs elliptic, 50-70 × 20-30mm, glossy green and sparsely scaly above, moderately scaly below. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in 10 years. Early May

(v) **'Ambient'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *javanicum* (s) × 'Princess Alexandra' R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1891), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pinkish yellow to salmon

(r) **'Ambition'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *ambiguum* (s) × *lutescens* R: C.P. Raffill, N: C. Ingram (1961), REG: C. Ingram (1961) Fls in clusters of 2-3, pale primrose, with a yellowish green flare. Lvs oblong, dark bottle green

(a) **'Ambreis'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: unknown (pre 1874), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Perhaps an error for 'Ambroise')

(a) **'Ambroise'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vermilion orange, spotted chrome yellow. Ghent (Also seen as 'Ambrosii', 'Ambrosie' or 'Ambroisie'; 'Ambrosii' was used by Verschaffelt in 1852)

(a) **'Ambroise Verschaffelt'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red, with a carmine red, dorsal blotch. Indian

(a) **'Ambroise Verschaffelt'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Verschaffelt (pre 1910), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 50mm wide, moderate reddish orange, (013/3) with a vivid orange (11/1) blotch. Mollis

(r) **'Ambroisie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: derived from *arboreum* R: Dallière (pre 1855), N: Dallière, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, edged bright cochineal, with numerous fine spots of the same colour

(r) **Ambrose Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Queen Wilhelmina' (s) × *haematodes* subsp. *chaetomallum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose pink

(r) **'Ambrose Light'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Rochester Pink', open-pollinated G: F.A. Arsen (1984), N: Mrs G. Arsen, I: Roslyn Nursery (1989), REG: F.A. Arsen (1989) Fls 10/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 25 × 44mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, very pale purple (76C) shading to very pale purple (76D) in centre. Lvs elliptic, 51 × 22mm, convex, acute at apex, rounded at base, with wavy margins, hairless above, with brownish scales below. Shrub 0.8 × 0.9m in 8 years. Mid April

(r) **'Ambros(e)um'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Nairn & Sons (1910), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pinkish white

(a) **'Ambrosia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × unnamed seedling (HEA no.34) H: B.Y. Morrison (1929), S: B.Y. Morrison (1939), N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-5/truss, 45-50mm wide, deep yellowish pink, aging to light orange. Shrub to 2.6m. Early. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Ambrosianum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: R. Ambrosius (1920), N: R. Ambrosius, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls more-or-less double, large, with slightly frilled lobes, strong purplish red (58B). Calyx normal, green. Early. Indian

(a) **'Ambrosianum Variegated'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Ambrosianum' R: unknown (pre 1985) Fls similar to 'Ambrosianum', but smaller. Lvs variegated. Indian (Has occurred on a number of occasions)

(a) **'Ambrosianum White'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Dicky' R: R. de Bruyne/ISRIA, Belgium (1980) Fls white, with purplish red flakes. Otherwise similar to 'Ambrosianum'. (Found independently by R. de Bruyne and at ISRIA, Belgium, 1980)

(a) **'Ambrosier'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls 55mm wide, purplish red. Lvs with a whitish margin. (Perhaps an error for 'Ambrosianum Variegated')

(a) **'Ambrosii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Phoeniceum' × 'Smithii Coccineum' I: A. Verschaffelt (pre 1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet red. Indian

(a) **'Ambrosiur'** (Listed in Galle (1987). Almost certainly an error for 'Reinhold Ambrosius')

(a) **'Ambrosius'** (Syn. of 'Reinhold Ambrosius')

(a) **'Ambrosius Superbus'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Frits Sander' × 'Paul Schäme' I: R. Ambrosius (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, glossy dark red. Early. Indian

(r) **'Ambrosoli'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Byls (pre 1868), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Ambush'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1940), N: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1946), I: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 6-10/lax, flat-topped truss, 50-70mm wide, strong pure yellow, margins tinged apricot, with darker yellow flecks on the dorsal lobe. Early-mid May

(a) **'Amegashita'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *stenopetalum* L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very deep purple, with irregular, strap-like lobes. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Amelia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1985) Fls semi-double, 70mm wide, white. Indian

(r) **'Amelia Margaret'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *ambiguum* R: F. Waley, N: D. Sampson, I: D. Sampson, REG: D. Sampson (1987) Fls up to c8/truss (composed of several 2-5 fld clusters), 26 × 30mm, open funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, greenish white (more-or- less

150D), heavily marked green on dorsal lobes; outside flushed green especially below, sometimes with a pink flush on lobes; buds strong yellow-green (145A). Calyx 1-2mm long, pale green, densely scaly. Lvs oblong-elliptic, 40-46 × 20-25mm, shiny, dark yellowish green above, with numerous golden scales below and a few dark brown ones, but scales not obscuring the bluish green surface. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m. April-May

(a) **'Amélie'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cinnabar red, with orange tints. Ghent

(r) **'Amentum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as *arboreum* hybrid L: A. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(a) **'Ameratsu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 30mm wide, rose dorée, shaded scarlet. Coolidge

(a) **'America'** (Syn. of 'Mattapan')

(r) **'America'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Parsons' Grandiflorum' × un-named dark red hybrid H: M. Koster & Sons (1902), I: M. Koster & Sons (c 1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep purplish pink (10RP 3.5/12), with dark red spots and red filaments; others have described it as ruby red to purplish red. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(a) **'American Beauty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hexe de Saffelaere' × 'Mrs Frederick Sanders' I: Haerens & Wille (1907), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rose. Indian

(a) **'American Beauty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 40mm wide, tyrian pink. Kurume

(a) **'American Star'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1910), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, striped red. Indian

(a) **'Americanum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Moser & Son (1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single. Ghent

(a) **'Americanum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958). Kurume

(r) **'Americanum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: sport from 'Britannia' grafted on a *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* hybrid R: B.F. Lancaster, N: B.F. Lancaster, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12-15/ball truss, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, 75mm wide, cherry red (722/1). Lvs 175-250 × 40-50mm, rich green. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years

(a) **'Ames'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from advanced generation hardy hybrids derived from sect. *Tsutsusi* H: W.L. Tolstead (1985), G: W.L. Tolstead (1990), N: W.L. Tolstead, REG: W.L. Tolstead (1992) Fls 5-7/conical truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 30 × 40mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, vivid red (5R 5/13), with a strong red blotch; stamens 5, curved. Calyx 5mm long, light red. Pedicels 10mm long. Lvs elliptic, 25 × 15mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, with scattered hairs above and below; petioles 3mm long. Shrub 0.6 × 0.5m in 7 years. Late May. Very hardy

(a) **'Amethyst'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls light purple. Indian

(r) **'Amethyst'** (Syn. of 'Dexter's Amethyst')

(r) **'Amethyst'** cv. Possibly a hybrid of *niveum* L: Standish & Noble (1847), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls broadly campanulate, with recurved margins, bright rose purple. AM 1931. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Amethyst'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *impeditum* × *hippophaeoides* R: G. Arends (1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3-5/compact truss, 15-25mm wide, light lilac. Lvs grey-green. Stems 30-40cm

(r) **'Amethyst Ice'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: J.B. Parks (1975), G: J.B. Parks (1983), N: J.B. Parks, REG: J.B. Parks (1995) Fls 12-13/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, very pale purple (69B-C); strongly scented. Lvs obovate, 152 × 64mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, glossy and moderate olive green (137A-B) above, moderate yellow-green (148B) below, hairless. Shrub 3.0 × 4.5m in 19 years. Late May

(r) **'Amethystine'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush, tipped with puce and with a yellow blotch. (Believed to have been raised by T. Methven & Son; the original Register card and Noble's list spell it 'Amethystine, the 1958 Register has it as 'Amethystina')

(a) **'Amethystinum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: closely related to *mucronatum* N: E.H. Wilson (1921), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, starry, white, flushed violet red, with a few, faint, rose pink spots

(a) **'Ami Charles Vermeire'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, dark lacquer, with a black blotch. AM 1898. Indian

(a) **'Ami du Coeur'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1886), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls broad, double, with a rosette-shaped centre, deep coral red, with dark red spots. Indian

(a) **'Ami Gasa'** (See 'Amagasa')

(r) **'Amigo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *aberconwayi* (s) × 'Witch Doctor' H: D.W. Goheen (1964), G: D.W. Goheen, N: D.W. Goheen, I: D.W. Goheen (1972), REG: D.W. Goheen (1973) Fls 12-15/ball truss, saucer-shaped, 75mm wide, with 5-6 very wavy-edged lobes, deep pink in bud, opening strong purplish pink (55B),

shading to brilliant yellow (10A) in centre and spotted strong red (51A). Calyx minute, green. Lvs narrowly oblong to narrowly elliptic, 125 × 40mm, dark green, hairless. New shoots bronze green. Shrub 1.1 × 0.5m in 9 years

(r) **'Amigo-two'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Amigo' × *aberconwayi* × *elliottii* 'War Paint' H: D.W. Goheen (1978), G: D.W. Goheen (1988), N: D.W. Goheen, I: D.W. Goheen (1990), REG: D.W. Goheen (1990) Fls 18-20/conical to domed truss, campanulate to saucer-shaped, 51 × 76-89mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (57B) with strong red (53C) spotting heavier on dorsal lobes but present on all lobes; small, dark red nectaries. Calyx 1mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 127-152 × 38mm, convex, somewhat twisted, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dull green and hairless above. Shrub 1.0 × 0.9m in 10 years. Mid April

(a) **'Ami Gustave Guilmot'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1871), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a green blotch striped and spotted with carmine rose. Indian

(r) **'Amilcar'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep, bright, violet purple, spotted black. FCC 1860 (Exhibited by J.Standish, 1860; probably the same plant also seen listed as 'Hamilcar')

(a) **'Ami Oliveira'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Verschaffelt (1876), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon rose, with a blotch. Ghent

(r) **'Amitiay'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Fusilier' H: E. de Rothschild, G: E. de Rothschild (1988), N: E. de Rothschild (1990), I: Exbury Enterprises Ltd (1990), REG: Exbury Enterprises Ltd (1990) Fls 18/truss, funnel-shaped, 35 × 50mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish pink (55B), with heavy strong red (53B) spotting on all dorsal lobes. Lvs ovate-oblong, 130 × 40mm, with a light brown indumentum. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m. May

(r) **'Amity'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Grosclaude Group × 'Britannia' (s) × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: J.A. Elliott (1970), G: J.A. Elliott, I: J.A. Elliott (1978), REG: J.A. Elliott (1983) Fls c15/truss, 40 × 65mm, broadly funnel-campanulate, 5-lobed, rose opal (022), fading to 022/1, spotted jasper red (018)on dorsal lobe. Calyx 30mm long, rose opal (022/2). Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic or oblanceolate to narrowly obovate, 100 × 42mm, spinach green (0960), with heavy dark greyish yellow to moderate orange-yellow indumentum below (199D-165C). Young growth silvery tomentose. Shrub c1.0m in 10 years

(a) **'Ami Universel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, blotch not very distinct. Indian (Resembles 'Madame van der Cruyssen')

(a) **'Ami Victor Cuvelier'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, incarnate rose, with broad, snow white edges and a big, dark red blotch. Indian

(r) **Amkeys Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *ambiguum* (s) × *keysii* H: E.J.P. Magor (1914), I: E.J.P. Magor (1926), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in groups at shoot ends, orange outside fading to yellow at mouth

(r) **Ammerlandense Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' (s) × *williamsianum* R: D.G. Hobbie (pre 1945), N: D.G. Hobbie, I: D.G. Hobbie (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls coral rose, trumpet-shaped. Lvs 40-80mm. Shrub up to 1.5m

(a) **'Ammy Maarse'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Reinhold Ambrosius' I: Fr. A. Maarse (1973) Fls strong red (53B). Otherwise similar to 'Reinhold Ambrosius'. Indian

(r) **'Amocat'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Hallelujah' H: F. Minch (1988), G: F. Minch (1990), N: F. & J. Minch (1992), I: Briggs Nursery (c 1993), REG: F. & J. Minch (1998) Fls 10/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (65A) in bud, opening inside pale purplish pink (65D), unmarked; outside moderate purplish pink (65A). Lvs ovate, 125 × 50mm, decurved, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, dull and dark green (136A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 10 years. Midseason

(a) **'Amoenissimum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1839), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple, tinted yellow and rose (L. van Houtte cat.1870). Shrub 1.0-1.5m. Ghent

(a) **'Amoenissimum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1861), INC: ICRA (1958) (Indian)

(a) **'Amoenum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1840), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light pink (Veitch, 1867). Ghent

(a) **'Amoenum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown, but belonging to the Obtusum Group N: J. Lindley (1852), I: R. Fortune (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 2-3(-6)/compact truss, funnel-shaped, 20 × 23mm, vivid purplish red (57B). Calyx lobes 10mm long, coloured as corolla. Spring lvs elliptic to elliptic-obovate, rich green, hairy. Tall, spreading shrub (up to 2.2 × 4.5m). May. *AM 1965 Syn: 'Kocho-no-mai' in Japan. Kurume (Introduced to UK in 1850 by Robert Fortune from Shanghai, but believed to have originated in Japan)

(r) **'Amoenum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid R: J. Booth (pre 1838), N: J. Booth, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark rose, spotted carmine red. (Listed in Seidel cat. 1862 as a separate cultivar under heading of Jackson's Dwarf Arboreums)

(r) **'Amoenum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *ciliatum* × *dauricum* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Similar to 'Praecox' but with finer fls. April

(a) **'Amoenum Album Duplex'** (Syn. of 'Seikai')

(a) **'Amoenum Coccineum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Amoenum' I: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, light carmine red. Sometimes reverts. Syn: 'Coccineum'

(a) **'Amoenum Duplex'** (Syn. of 'Seikai')

(a) **'Amoenum Floribundum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1857), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, delicate blush pink

(a) **'Amoenum Grandiflorum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1857), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, rich carmine lake

(a) **'Amoenum Lateritium'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Amoenum' × 'Lateritium' L: C. Noble (1857), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, coloured as in 'Lateritium'

(a) **'Amoenum Obtusifolium'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown, but belonging to the Obtusum Group A dwarf form of 'Amoenum'. Shrub 1.0-1.2m. (Listed in Galle, 1985, as a cultivar, in Lee, 1958, as *amoenum* f. *obtusifolium*)

(a) **'Amoenum Purple'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown (Listed as a parent of 'Musical')

(a) **'Amoenum Superbum'** (Syn. of 'Superbum')

(r) **'Amor'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × *thayerianum* H: J.B. Stevenson (1927), G: J.B. Stevenson (1933), N: J.B. Stevenson, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10/lax truss, funnel-campanulate, 65-75mm wide, white tinged with pink, throat red, and slightly red spotted; outside flushed with irregular pink staining. Lvs oblanceolate, with 'skin-like' indumentum below, dark glossy green above. AM 1951 (Amor Group)

(r) **Amor Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × *thayerianum* H: J.B. Stevenson, G: J.B. Stevenson, N: J.B. Stevenson, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Amour'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* (s) × Lady Bessborough Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure, pale yellow. (Hawk Group)

(r) **'Amphion'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1890), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to c20/conical truss, funnel-shaped, 45 × 65mm, purplish rose (3.5RP 5/13) shading to white in centre, where there are a few, greenish brown spots. Syn: 'F.L. Ames' (Probably the plant listed later in continental Europe as 'Ampion')

(r) **'Amphipyros'** cv. Parentage unknown I: J. Standish (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red, dorsal lobe paler and with small, black spots

(r) **'Ampion'** (See note under 'Amphion')

(r) **'Amrie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catacosmum* (s) × *haematodes* subsp. *chaetomallum* H: J.B. Stevenson (1939), G: J.B. Stevenson, N: J.B. Stevenson, I: J.B. Stevenson (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. (Clonal status uncertain)

(r) **'A.M.S.'** (Syn. of 'Spring Delight')

(r) **'Amsel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Burgemeester Aarts' (s) × *williamsianum* R: D.G. Hobbie (pre 1945), N: D.G. Hobbie, I: D.G. Hobbie (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 6-12/truss, very clear rose

(a) **'Amsterdam'** cv. Evergreen azalea: developed from 'Hexe' I: A. Steyaert (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure rose. Indian

(r) **'Amtmann Schnedermann'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C.J.H. Walther (pre 1861), N: C.J.H. Walther, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose lilac, orange-red spots. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Amy'** (Syn. of 'Leon's Amy')

(a) **'Amy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Glacier' R: Tom Dodd Nursery (pre 1987), N: Tom Dodd Nursery Fls hose-in-hose, 65mm wide, strong pink (48D), with a paler centre and a deep pink (51C) blotch

(r) **'Amy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* × unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1930), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in compact trusses, bright rose. Lvs mid green, up to 150mm long. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Amy Ann'** cv. Parentage unknown H: R. Henny, I: L. Henny, REG: R. Henny (1964) Fls 10/truss, brilliant rose opal (022/1-022/2). Lvs to 160mm long. Late

(r) **'Amy Baron'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a brown blotch

(a) **'Amy Bittinger'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Delaware Valley White × *calendulaceum* R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith Fls 50mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, pure white. Shrub 1.2m in 6 years

(r) **'Amy Cotta'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: sport from PJM Group G: S. Cotta (1984), S: S. Cotta (1982), N: S. Cotta (1997), I: Portsmouth Nursery (1998), REG: S. Cotta (2000) Fls 12-15/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 25 × 45mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light purple (75A) in bud, opening inside very pale purple (75D), shading to white in the throat, outside light, very light and very pale purple (75A-D). Calyx 10mm long, strong yellow-green (144A). Lvs elliptic (or sometimes obovate), 32 × 17.5mm, obtuse or slightly retuse at apex, cuneate to somewhat rounded at base, margins downcurved, semi-glossy and darker than moderate olive green (147A) above, with tiny scales: tan and less numerous above, rusty brown below. Compact, slow-growing shrub, 1.1 × 1.6m in

18 years. Mid April. (First published in *Proc. Int. Pl. Prop. Soc.*, Eastern Region, 47 (1998))

(r) **'Amy Jane'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Earl of Athlone' H: D.B. Stanton (pre 1970), G: E Anderson, I: E. Anderson (1980), REG: E. Anderson (1983) Fls 11/truss, 50 × 50mm, broadly funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (58B) in bud, opening light purplish pink (55C) on lobes which have very narrow 58B edges, un-marked inside, outside with pale purplish pink (58C) stripes down centre of lobes. Calyx minute, edged red. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 100 × 40mm, moderate yellow-green (147B-C), with a moderate orange-yellow (164B) indumentum below. New shoots greyish green tomentose. Bush c1.1m in 12 years. Syn: 'Wedding Bouquet'

(v) **'Anacapa'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Marshall Pierce Madison' (s) × *javanicum* H: W.A. Moynier (1989), G: W.A. Moynier (1993), N: W.A. Moynier, REG: W.A. Moynier (1999) Fls 14-19/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 100 × 100mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish orange (43B) throughout. Lvs elliptic, 175 × 65mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, flat, glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, with tan scales below and on petioles. Shrub 1.1-1.2m in 10 years. February-April

(a) **'Anacreon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls delicate salmon pink. Indian

(r) **'Anadyomene'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* × unknown R: J. Standish, I: J. Standish (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush white, faintly spotted yellowish brown

(r) **'Anah Kruschke'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *ponticum* seedling R: F. Kruschke (1948), N: F. Kruschke, I: Wright's Nursery (1955), REG: Van Veen Nursery (1972) Fls 10-12/ball-shaped truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, strong reddish purple (2.5RP 5/10)with a deep purplish red blotch (7.5RP 3/9). Calyx 3mm long, reddish brown. Lvs elliptic, to 125 × 40mm, glossy, moderate to strong yellowish green. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 10 years

(a) **'Anais'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Dallière (1852), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Ananouri'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* R: H. Phipps (c 1955), N: H. Phipps, REG: H. Phipps (1971) Fls up to 12/very compact truss, funnel-shaped to open campanulate, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, moderate red, with an inconspicuous eye. Lvs elliptic, up to 175 × 70mm, matt green. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 15 years

(r) **'Anastasia'** (Syn. of 'Hachmann's Anastasia')

(v) **'Anastasia'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *wrightianum* (s) × *konori* × *laetum* H: Strybing Arboretum (1974), G: P. Sullivan (pre 1983), N: P. Sullivan Fls red. December

(v) **'Anatta Gold'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* × *zoelleri* 'Golden Gate' (s) × *zoelleri* × *leucogigas* H: P. Schick, G: G.L.S. Snell (1985), N: G.L.S. Snell, I: Shrublands Nursery (1987), REG: Shrublands Nursery (1988) Fls 7-8/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 60 × 70mm, 5-lobed, tube light orange (28C), lobes strong orange-yellow (24B). Lvs elliptic, 100 × 50mm, hairless. Shrub 1.5m tall. Summer to autumn

(r) **'Anchorage'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Idealist Group × *fortunei* subsp. *fortunei* R: unknown, I: E. de Rothschild (1981), REG: E. de Rothschild (1981) Fls light yellow-green (150D), deepening to brilliant yellow-green (154C) in the eye, fading to greenish white (157D); speckles on dorsal lobes moderate purplish red (58A)

(a) **'Anchorite'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum* (s) × 'Malvaticum' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50mm wide, rose pink, with an orange undertone. Lvs deep green. Shrub to 1.2m. Early. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Anchor Light'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Elizabeth de Rothschild Group (s) × 'Karen Triplett' H: M. Tanggard (1986), G: B.J. Ogdon (1998), N: B.J. Ogdon (1999), REG: B.J. Ogdon (1999) Fls to 13/flattened ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 72 × 115mm, with 7 slightly wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (47D) in bud, opening pale yellow (11D) inside, tinged pink outside; dorsal throat with a red blotch fading to brown; stigma green; anthers beige. Calyx vestigial. Lvs elliptic, 165 × 66mm, flat, matt green, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 2.0m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Ancient Briton'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark purple

(a) **'Andalouse'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1871), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large trusses, salmon, shaded with red and with a blotch of apricot yellow spots. Ghent (May have been the plant earlier listed as 'Impératrice Eugénie')

(a) **'Andante'** cv. Evergreen azalea: open-pollinated seed from a Gumpo azalea G: Mrs J.W. Hill (pre 1970), N: Mrs J.W. Hill, I: Mrs J.W. Hill (pre 1970), REG: Mrs J.W. Hill (1994) Fls broadly funnel-shaped, 51 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink (39B); slightly scented. Lvs obovate/elliptic, 30 × 10mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, with sparse golden hairs especially above when young, ageing to light tan. Shrub 0.3 × 0.8m in c8 years. Late. (Raised from seed collected by T. Rokujo in 1963.)

(a) **'Andante'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Croux (pre 1984), N: Croux Fls single, bicoloured red

(r) **'Andantino'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Taurus' (s) × 'Carola' (Seidel) H: H. Hachmann (1989), G: H. Hachmann (1995), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 16-

19/fairly compact, rounded truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 60(-70)x75-90mm, with 5 very strongly wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (58B) throughout, dorsal lobe with dark red (187B(-A)) markings; stamens 10, unusually long, filaments strong purplish red/deep purplish pink (58C/D), anthers dark red (187A); style deep purplish pink (58D), stigma deep purplish red (187D). Calyx 3-4mm long, strong purplish red (58B/C). Lvs elliptic to ovate, 170-220 × 75-90mm, flat or often decurved, cuspidate at apex, rounded at base, dark matt green above, with brown hairs below. Shrub 1.6 × 1.8m in 10 years. Late April-mid May. (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030608). First published in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(a) **'Andenken an Hugo Müller'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Andenken an Vater Drewitz' I: F.J. Müller (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. Otherwise similar to parent. Indian

(a) **'Andenken an Vater Drewitz'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Frits Sander' × 'Paul Schäme' I: R. Ambrosius (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, strong red (53D), with slightly wavy edges. Calyx normal, green. Lvs oblong, long-stalked. Midseason. Syn: 'Vater Drewitz', 'Vater Druitz'. Indian

(r) **'Anderson Henry'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* × *thomsonii* R: unknown (pre 1905), INC: ICRA (1958) (Exhibited by J. Whitton, 1905)

(a) **'Andersonii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy carmine, shaded with purple. Indian

(r) **'Andersonii'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid L: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white

(a) **'Anderson's Pink'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed in 1958 Register as a 'clone of *nudiflorum*')

(a) **'Andes'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L.J. van der Meer (pre 1996), N: L.J. van der Meer

(r) **'Andorra'** cv. Parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), N: G.A. Arrington (1958), I: Andorra Nurseries, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink

(r) **'Andra'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goldsworth Orange' × 'Mrs P.D. Williams' R: F.J. Street, L: Leonardslee Gardens Nurs. (1987) Fls deep cream, with a large, yellow flare in centre. Lvs long and narrow, dark green. Shrub c1.5m. May-June

(r) **'André'** (See note under 'Andrej')

(r) **'Andrea'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1997)

(r) **'Andrea Marie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Horace Fogg' (s) × Diva Group × yellow-flowered *decorum* H: C. Weeks (1982), G: C. Weeks (1989), N: C. Weeks, I: Westgate Gardens Nursery (1990), REG: C. Weeks (1996) Fls 8/lax truss, open funnel-campanulate, 80 × 95mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish red (61A) in bud, opening inside strong purplish red (61B) at margins, becoming paler towards the centre, outside strong purplish red (60C); stamens 12, curved, unequal. Calyx c3mm long, deep purplish red (61A). Pedicels 40mm long, strong purplish red (61B). Lvs lanceolate, 150 × 50mm, with wavy margins, rounded and oblique at base, acute at apex, moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless; petioles 30mm long, deep purplish red (61A). Shrub 1.4 × 1.5m in 14 years. April-May

(a) **'Andreas Hofer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: F. Schneider (1863), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Andrej'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia ' × *yakushimanum* R: R. de Belder (pre 1978), I: Boskoop, REG: Boskoop (1979) Fls 11-14/truss, 70-80mm wide, frilled, deep rose in bud, opening pink (625/2) fading to pale pink, and with a pale green-yellow to brown-yellow blotch. Lvs elliptic, 90-140 × 30-50mm, dark green, brown tomentose below. (Named after Jelena de Belder's father whose name was spelt Andrej, not André, as originally registered)

(v) **'Andre Sakharov'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *zoelleri* × *macgregoriae* (s) × *zoelleri* R: P. Sullivan (pre 1983), N: P. Sullivan

(r) **'Andrew Crouch'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Jalisco Eclipse' × 'Crest' H: T. Lelliott, G: T. Lelliott (1990), N: Mrs H. Crouch, I: Mrs H. Crouch (1990), REG: Mrs H. Crouch (1991) Fls 13/truss, funnel-shaped, 60 × 90mm, with 7-8 lobes, strong yellowish pink (32C) in bud, opening light greenish yellow (8C). Lvs elliptic, 130 × 60mm, hairless. Shrub 1.0m (1991)

(r) **'Andrew Eddy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catanea' (s) × 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague' H: A.A. Raustein (1969), G: A.A. Raustein (1978), N: A.A. Raustein, I: A.A. Raustein (1980), REG: A.A. Raustein (1986) Fls 10/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 5 sometimes wavy lobes, deep red (53A) in bud, opening strong purplish red (67A), with light 67A spotting on dorsal lobe. Calyx minute, light yellow-green (145D). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 140 × 50mm, dull, moderate olive green (137B) above, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.2m in 15 years. Mid May

(a) **'Andrew Elphinstone'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, I: D. Stewart & Son (1953), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange

(a) **'Andrew Haskell'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid R: W.D. Smith (pre 1982), N: W.D. Smith Fls 75mm wide, white, with strong red stripes and a yellow throat. (See *The Azalean* 4 (1):4 (1982) for notes on parentage)

(a) **'Andrew Luettgen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid R: W.D. Smith (1968), N: W.D. Smith, I: W.D. Smith, REG: W.D. Smith (1978) Fls with a rosette centre, 75mm wide, white. (See *The Azalean* 4 (1):2 (1982) for notes on parentage)

(r) **'Andrew Paton'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scintillation' (s) × pink form of *calophytum* H: R. Furman (1972), G: D.G. Swift (1983), N: D.G. Swift, REG: D.G. Swift (1988) Fls c20/flat to globular truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 35 × 76mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, white, with deep red (53A) markings on dorsal lobe and part of the two adjacent lobes; markings consist of a central solid blotch (c9mm long) shading into lines of spots (c32mm long); fls may open very pale pink in cold/cloudy weather and then fade to white. Calyx minute. Lvs oblanceolate, 102-240 × 38-83mm, convex, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, undulate between veins. Shrub 0.9 × 1.4m in 14 years. Late April

(r) **'Androcles'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* (s) × *calophytum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 20-30/truss, campanulate, 40mm wide, rhodamine pink (527/3), with 4 lines of darker spots extending from base of tube. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 150-200mm long, dull, dark green above. AM 1948, FCC 1990 (Androcles Group)

(r) **Androcles Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* (s) × *calophytum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1933), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Andromeda'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *neriiflorum* (s) × scarlet form of *stewartianum* I: G. Reuthe Ltd (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson scarlet

(a) **'Andros'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Warai-gishi' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, 50-65mm wide, mallow pink. Shrub 1.9m. Glenn Dale (Originally called 'Archer')

(a) **'Anemoniflorum Kagara'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: K. Wada, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pink. Indian

(a) **'Angel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Getsutoku' × 'Dream' × 'Glacier' R: D. Hager (pre 1984), N: D. Hager Fls 75-90mm wide, with rounded, overlapping lobes, salmon pink, with a red blotch on dorsal lobes; stamens and pistil red. Lvs dark green. Shrub to 0.4-0.6m

(a) **'Angel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: P.E. Girard (pre 1987), N: P.E. Girard Fls 50mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, pure white

(r) **'Angel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Van Nes Sensation' × 'Halopeanum' R: R.L. Rowarth, N: R.L. Rowarth, I: R.L. Rowarth (1971), REG: R.L. Rowarth (1970) Fls 8/truss, funnel-shaped, 130mm wide, white, with pale mauve reverse and red feathering on upper lobe. Lvs deep green. Shrub 1.5m

(r) **'Angel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *yakushimanum* R: H.E. Greer (pre 1971) (Published in *Q.Bull.Am.Rho.Soc.* 25:224 (1971))

(r) **'Angela'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Crest' (s) × 'Naomi Nautilus' H: C. Weeks (1982), G: C. Weeks (1984), N: C. Weeks, I: Westgate Gardens Nursery (1988), REG: C. Weeks (1996) Fls 9/ball truss, saucer-shaped, 75 × 125mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, light yellow with pink margins (the pink usually fades with age). Calyx very small, light yellow. Pedicels 30mm long, strong red (46A). Lvs elliptic, 130 × 75mm, flat, rounded at base, obtuse at apex, strong yellow-green (144A) above, hairless; petioles 45mm long, strong red (46A). Shrub 1.5 × 1.7m in 14 years. Mid April

(r) **'Angela Percival'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *souliei* × *proteoides* H: P.A. & K.N.E. Cox (1984), G: K.P. Percival (1992), N: K.P. Percival (1992), REG: K.P. Percival (1992) Fls 8/lax truss, campanulate, 35 × 30mm, with 5 more-or-less flat-edged lobes, buds deep pink, opening white inside and suffused pink on central part of lobes especially towards tips, outside more strongly suffused pink and with pink stripes on midveins; deep pink spotting on dorsal lobe. Calyx 1mm long, deep pink. Lvs oblong to narrowly ovate, up to 70 × 34mm, slightly convex, slightly glossy green above, obtuse at apex, truncate to slightly cordate at base, very pale green below with pink midrib and very sparse, pale brown, very wavy and tangled hairs; petioles to 14mm long, pink/red with short gland-tipped hairs. Shrub 0.25 × 0.3m in 7 years. April

(a) **'Angela Place'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ivory' (s) × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, 75mm wide, pure white, almost without a blotch. Shrub to 1.2m. Midseason. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Angeletta'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: I.L. Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L. Amann Fls 75mm wide, rather flat, white, with a greenish throat and blotch. Shrub 1.2m. Midseason

(r) **'Angel Falls'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: R.J. Kersey (1962), G: Mrs H.A. Frederick Jr, I: Mrs H.A. Frederick Jr, REG: Mrs H.A. Frederick Jr (1977) Fls 10-12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 100mm wide, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, yellowish white (155B) with a creamy yellow throat and an overall pink blush; scented. Calyx 7mm long, green. Lvs broadly elliptic to slightly ovate, 160-175 × 70-90mm, acute at apex, slightly apiculate, rounded at base, moderate yellow-green (137C) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.4m in 14 years. Late May

(r) **'Angel Food'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Spanish Lady' (s) × probably 'Loder's White' H: M. Stockman (1992), G: M. & H. Stockman (2000), N: M. & H. Stockman (2001), REG: M. & H. Stockman (2001) Fls 12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 80mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (65A) in bud, opening white, lightly flushed pale purplish pink (62D) and ageing to white (155B); dorsal throat with 2 speckled red flares. Calyx with 2 lobes 13mm long,

5 lobes 6mm long, vivid red (46B), persistent and changing to apple green with reddish tips and appearing heart-shaped from above. Lvs oblong, 130 × 40mm, acuminate at apex, rounded at base, flat, dull and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 0.7 × 1.1m in 10 years. Late May

(r) **'Angelic'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ivory Palace' (s) × 'Flashdance' H: W.E. Delp (1985), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 20/truss, open funnel-shaped, 44 × 64mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, pink in bud (49B, C, D), opening pale pink (49D) and fading to white with a slight dorsal flare of light yellow-green (154D), sparsely spotted brilliant yellow-green (154B); filaments and style yellowish white (155B); anthers dark red (187A). Lvs 127 × 51mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base. Shrub 0.9 × 0.75m in 7 years. Late May-early June

(a) **'Angelica'** (Syn. of 'Angelica Nagel')

(a) **'Angelica'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith Fls hose-in-hose, 75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, white, with a green blotch. Shrub 1.2m in 7 years. (For notes on parentage see under Bittinger Group in *The Azalean* 4 (1):2 (1982))

(a) **'Angelica Nagel'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Winston Churchill' (s) × 'Berryrose' R: W. Nagel (1966), N: W. Nagel, REG: W. Nagel (2001) Fls in a rounded, rather loose truss, pale orange, with an orange-yellow, dorsal blotch; outside orange. Shrub 1.5 × 1.0m in 30 years. Syn: 'Angelica'

(a) **'Angelina'** cv. Evergreen azalea: un-named seedling (no. 0020) × un-named seedling (no. 0040) H: J. van der Haegen (1990), I: Hortibreed N.V. (1999) Fls hose-in-hose and double, broadly funnel-shaped, c70mm wide, white inside and out with dorsal spotting of light yellow-green (145B). Normal calyx not present. Lvs slightly obovate, c50 × 19mm, mid green above, mucronate.

(r) **'Angelina'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear white, with a yellow eye

(r) **'Angelique'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan' (s) × *yakushimanum* (Exbury form) H: L.W. Bulgin (1980), G: L.W. Bulgin (1985), N: L.W. Bulgin, I: Ellanhurst Gardens, REG: L.W. Bulgin (1988) Fls 14/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 25 × 47mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (54A) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (56D) with touches of deep purplish pink (55A) at tips of lobes; outside 55A at margins, graduating to white at base; with age the corolla becomes moderate to light purplish pink (62B-C). Lvs elliptic to slightly narrow obovate, 114 × 44mm, slightly convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green and hairless above, indumentum below on young lvs pale yellow-green (157A), dark greyish yellow (199D) when mature. Shrub 0.7 × 0.8m in 8 years. Mid May

(r) **'Angelito Blanco'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' (s) × 'Blue Boy' × 'Susan' H: Y. Workman (1988), G: Y. Workman (1994), N: Y. Workman (1997), I: Hammond Nursery (2001), REG: E.F. Newcomb (2002) Fls 14/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 85mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, light greenish yellow (4C) in bud, opening pale yellow-green (4D) inside and out, with 3 prominent flares of strong red (46A) speckles extending from the base upwards on the dorsal and adjacent lobes; base with a small area of vivid red (46C); fls with an occasional petaloid stamen; ventral lobes deeply incised. Calyx 1.5-6mm long, strong yellow-green (145A) to deep orange-yellow (163A) on outer edge. Lvs elliptic (to obovate), 75-85 × 40-45mm, margins flat (to wavy), broadly acute at apex, cuneate to rounded at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.7m in 13 years. Early May

(r) **'Angelo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 9-10/truss, funnel-shaped, 130mm wide, delicate slightly bluish pink, with deeper reddish brown dorsal markings. Calyx up to 10mm long, irregular. Lvs ovate, c130-180 × 45-75mm, dull green above. Shrub to 6.0m or more. AM 1935 (Angelo Group. Apparently not the same clone which received an FCC in 1947 (see 'Exbury Angelo').Standard: painting of the AM plant (WSY 0019920))

(r) **Angelo Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1930), INC: ICRA (1958) (The same cross had been raised earlier at Caerhays (see Cornish Loderi Group))

(r) **'Angelo Diadem'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* I: M. Haworth-Booth, INC: ICRA (1958) (Angelo Group)

(r) **'Angelo's Red'** (Syn. of 'Francesca')

(r) **'Angel Powder'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Epoch' (s) × white-flowered *mucronulatum* H: W.E. Delp (1986), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 6/head (several trusses making up the head), broadly funnel-shaped, 43 × 64mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, light yellow-green (145C) in bud, opening white, with strong yellow-green (145A)) dorsal spots; filaments and style white; anthers dark and moderate purplish pink (186C, D); stigma light yellow-green (145D). Lvs 83 × 32mm, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, scaly. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 6 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Angel's Breath'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *pseudochrysanthum*, Ben Nelson's form (s) × *yakushimanum* × Leo Group H: M.J. Whitman (1993), G: M.J. & B. Whitman (1998), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (1998), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (1999) Fls 15/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (55B) in bud, opening inside

light purplish pink (55C) with a pale yellow (18C) centre, outside strong purplish pink (55B). Lvs narrowly oblong, 150 × 50mm, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, with wavy margins, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.45 × 0.06m in 6 years. Early May

(r) **'Angel's Touch'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Freckle Pink' (s) × 'Apricot Gold' H: K. Van de Ven (1986), G: K. Van de Ven (1990), N: K. Van de Ven (1996), REG: K. Van de Ven (1996) Fls 14/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 60 × 90mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (58B) in bud, opening inside light purplish pink (55C) on lobe edges, shading in to white and with a pale yellow (11D) flare, fading all over with age to pale purplish pink (56D); outside strong purplish pink (55B), shading to white near calyx, fading all over with age to pale purplish pink (56C); stamens 14, uneven; stigma pink, style yellow. Calyx 5mm long, strong purplish pink (55B). Lvs oblanceolate, 123 × 45mm, margins decurved, matt, moderate olive green (147A) above, attenuate at base, apiculate at apex, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in 10 years. Late spring

(a) **'Angelus'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' (s) × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3-5/truss, 50-65mm wide, white, rarely flushed pale purple at first. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Angelus'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *tephropeplum* × *seinghkuense* R: G.M. Adams-Acton (pre 1942), N: G.M. Adams-Acton, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Angelwing'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum* × *nakaharae* H: D. Wagner, G: S. McDonald, N: S. McDonald Fls single to semi-double, with strap-like lobes, 40-50mm wide, vivid purplish pink. Shrub 0.5 × 0.9m in 10 years. Late

(r) **'Angel Wings'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi Pink Diamond' (s) × Polar Bear Group H: C. Weeks (1981), G: C. Weeks (1987), N: C. Weeks, I: C. Weeks (1991), REG: C. Weeks (1991) Fls 8/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 102 × 165mm, with 6 wavy-edged, slightly reflexed lobes, strong purplish red (63B) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (56C outside, 56D inside) and fading to white; stamens 17, straight, of unequal length; moderately scented. Calyx 3mm long, green. Pedicels 44mm long, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 216 × 67mm, slightly convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (147C) below, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years. Early May

(r) **'Ange Vervaet'** cv. Parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte (pre 1870), N: L. van Houtte, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose with paler margins and white throat, with darker spots all round corolla, heaviest on dorsal lobes. Hardy Hybrid

(v) **'Angi Gita'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *aurigeranum* × *konori* var. *phaeopeplum* H: T. Lelliott, N: R. Cutten, I: R. Cutten (pre 1984), REG: F.R. Waghorn (1988) Fls 4-6/lax truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 60 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside light yellow (10C); outside deeper on back of tube and with light yellow (11B) margins. Lvs elliptic, 90 × 45mm, margins flat, matt green above. Autumn

(r) **'Angiola'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1851), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark scarlet. Hardy Hybrid (Listed in 1958 Register as 'Angeola' but Waterer catalogue of 1851/2 gives 'Angiola' as do other 19th century sources (*e.g.* J.Veitch & Sons 1867))

(a) **'Anglicum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Angus Red'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.S. Yeates (pre 1985), N: J.S. Yeates Fls vivid red

(r) **'Angustifolium'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *ponticum* L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1818), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Angustipetalum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: K Wada (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with very narrow, deeply cut lobes, salmon orange. Lvs small, very narrow. Dwarf shrub. (Lee (1958) equates this with 'Laciniatum')

(r) **'Angustissimum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *ponticum* L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1851), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Anica Bricogne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection or hybrid of *catawbiense* L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale mauve, with a small yellow blotch. Low-growing shrub. (Perhaps the same plant as 'Annie Bricogne'; the spelling 'Annica Bricogne' has also been suggested)

(v) **'Anika Jane'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Channon Marie' (s) × *superbum* H: B. Clancy (1988), G: N. Faragher (1998), N: N. Faragher (1999), I: Vireya Valley Nursery (2000), REG: N. Faragher (1999) Fls 8/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 42 × 120mm, with 5-6 flat-edged lobes, pale greenish yellow (9D) in bud, opening inside deep pink (52B) with a light greenish yellow (8C) throat, outside similarly coloured; scented. Lvs broadly elliptic, 120 × 55mm, acute at apex, attenuate at base, flat, glossy. Shrub 1.0 × 0.8m in 9 years. Flowering throughout the year

(r) **'Anilin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sammetglut' (s) × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: H. Hachmann (1968), G: H. Hachmann (1973), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1983), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 14-18/truss, 40-55 × 60-70mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, lobes deep purplish pink (61D), shaded vivid purplish red (61C) inside and out, centre of lobes and throat more-or-less white, dorsal lobe with sparse 61C markings. Calyx 1-1.2mm long, reddish green. Lvs

elliptic, 120-140 × 35-45mm, margins slightly recurved, acute at apex, cuneate at base, mid green and dull above, with a thin brownish indumentum below; petioles greenish yellow. Shrub 0.55 × 1.1m in 10 years. Mid May - early June

(a) **'Animation'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* hybrid × Obtusum Group R: USDA, N: USDA (1952), I: USDA (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 35mm wide, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, vivid scarlet at first, fading to pink, the throat faintly spotted with darker red; stamens 5 or more. Erect habit. (Derived from the work of G.E.Yerkes & R.L.Pryor)

(a) **'Anita'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Perle de Swynaerde' × 'Fedora' R: P.B. Cornell, N: P.B. Cornell, I: P.B. Cornell (c 1960) Fls double, 75mm wide, white. Compact plant of medium height. Midseason. Indian

(a) **'Anita'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Uguns' (s) × un-named seedling (no. Ex-5) H: R. Kondratovičs (1976), G: R. Kondratovičs (1982), N: R. Kondratovičs, I: Rhododendron Nursery "Babīte" of University of Latvia (2000) Fls single, 10/slightly domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 75-80 × 75-80mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, buds strong red (47B), opening inside strong red (41B); outside deep yellowish pink (43C); a strong orange (25A) blotch over dorsal lobe and part of adjacent lobes; filaments red, anthers light brown; style light pink, stigma light green. Calyx 5mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 85 × 35mm, flat, matt green above, pointed at apex and base, with white hairs above when mature. Shrub 1.2-1.5 × 1.2m in 10 years. Late May-early June. (An unacceptable name but established as part of Latvian PBR cert. no. ROD-10 (3 March, 2000))

(r) **'Anita'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac rose, with greenish yellow spots, lobes more-or-less frilled

(r) **Anita Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* (s) × *griersonianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1930), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow, flushed rose

(r) **'Anita Dunstan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Crest' (s) × 'Hotei' H: W. Hill (1970), G: W. Hill (1980), N: W. Hill, I: Bruce Briggs (1986), REG: Bruce Briggs (1986) Fls 16/truss, open funnel-shaped, 30 × 45mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, brilliant yellow (10A), lobes tipped orange-red. Calyx 20-22mm long, light yellow (10B). Lvs elliptic, 55-75 × 30mm, moderate olive green (146A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.4 × 0.4m in 5 years. Mid May

(r) **'Anita Gehnrich'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague' (s) × *yakushimanum* H: P.M. Waldman (1977), G: P.M. Waldman (1981), N: P.M. Waldman, I: Roslyn Nursery (1984), REG: P.M. Waldman (1988) Fls 14/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 90 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (50A) in bud, opening deep pink (52B), fading to pale purplish pink (56D) in throat, with strong red (50A) spotting on dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 44mm, flat, acute at tip, rounded at base, dark green and glossy above, with a slight brown, felted indumentum below on mature leaves. Shrub 0.8 × 1.2m in 12 years. Midseason

(r) **'Anita Owen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fusilier Group × Jean Group (s) × *sanguineum* subsp. *sanguineum* var. *haemaleum* R: C.S. Seabrook, N: C.S. Seabrook, REG: C.S. Seabrook (1964) Fls 3-6/loose truss, funnel-campanulate, 50 × 65mm, chrysanthemum red (824). Lvs small, dark green. Shrub to 3.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Anja'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *souliei* hybrid R: D.G. Hobbie (pre 1975), N: B. Leendertz (pre 1989), I: B. Leendertz (pre 1989) Fls white, outside tinged rose, inner border tinged pale rose; dark red basal blotch

(r) **'Anja M.'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Arthur Bedford' × 'Spätlese' (s) × Inamorata Group H: H. Müller (1991), G: H. Müller (1999), N: H. Müller (2002), I: H. Müller (2003), REG: H. Müller (2002) Fls 10-13/compact, broadly rounded truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75-80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, white in bud, opening inside a 'warm white', outside white; a large, basal, dark brown blotch running out into red-brown spots; anthers and stigma brown; fls lightly scented. Calyx 5mm long, red-brown. Lvs oblong, 108 × 42mm, margins flat to slightly decurved, pointed at apex, rounded at base, slightly glossy above, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.5m in 10 years. Late May-mid June. (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0032041))

(r) **'Anka Heinje'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' × 'America' H: D. Heinje Baumschulen (1963), G: D. Heinje Baumschulen (1968), N: D. Heinje Baumschulen, I: D. Heinje Baumschulen (1984), REG: D. Heinje Baumschulen (1986) Fls 16-20/truss, 45-50 × 55-80mm, 5-lobed, vivid purplish red (57B-D), with yellow markings. Calyx 25-30mm long, greenish brown. Lvs lanceolate, 110 × 50mm, dark green above, brownish tomentose below. June

(r) **'Anmut'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group × *smirnowii* (s) × 'Spätlese' H: H.L. Meltzer (1984), G: H.L. Meltzer (1989), N: H.L. Meltzer, REG: H.L. Meltzer (1995) Fls 10-14/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 50-60mm, 5-lobed, buds deep purplish pink (64D), opening inside moderate to light yellow (60A-B) in the throat with strong purplish pink (63C) margins and an almost white zone between the two; greenish yellow blotch on 3 dorsal lobes; outside fading to almost white. Lvs elliptic, 130-180 × 25-50mm, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.3m in 8 years. Late May-mid June

(r) **'Ann'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *falconeri* hybrid R: Clyne Castle (pre 1931), N: Clyne Castle, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Anna'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, vivid yellow. Mollis

(r) **'Anna'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Everestianum' × 'Everestianum' R: T.J.R. Seidel (1900), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet, with red-brown/greenish spots and frilled lobes

(r) **'Anna'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Norman Gill' (s) × 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague' G: H. Lem, N: H. Lem, I: H. Lem (c 1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 12/truss, 100mm wide, with very wavy-edged lobes, deep rose pink, fading to pale pink and with a dark red dorsal blotch. Lvs 175 × 65mm, dark green (red-bronze when young). Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. (Seed obtained from F.J. Rose, in England)

(r) **'Anna Almeda'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ben Moseley' (s) × Dusky Maid Group H: A.W. Smith (1984), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 47 × 70mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (64B, C) to deep purplish pink (64D) in bud, opening moderate, light and pale purplish pink (65A-D), shading white, with dark red (59A) spots on 3 dorsal lobes; filaments and style white; anthers very pale purple (75D). Lvs 102 × 38mm, mucronate at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.7m in 8 years. Early June. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Anna Baldsiefen'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Gable's Pioneer', selfed H: W. Baldsiefen (1956), N: W. Baldsiefen, REG: W. Baldsiefen (1964) Fls in 1-3 fld axillary trusses, gathered in short, dense, terminal heads, funnel-shaped, up to 20 × 30mm, throat white, otherwise flushed vivid purplish red to deep purplish pink (66B/C). Calyx rudimentary, green, scaly. Lvs 25 × 13mm, elliptic, dark glossy green above, slightly scaly above and below. Shrub 0.4 × 0.4m in 7 years. PC 1978, *HC 1979, *AM 1987

(r) **'Anna Banana'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vinecrest' (s) × 'Heart's Delight' H: A.W. Smith (1987), G: W.E. Delp (1993), N: Mrs. V Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 13/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 43 × 57mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, a blend of pink and red (47B-D) and pale yellow-green (4D) in bud, opening pale greenish yellow (2D), with sparse strong yellow-green (144C) dorsal spots and strong yellow-green (144A, B) and dark reddish orange (173A) specks in the throat; filaments and style light yellow-green (144D); anthers moderate yellowish pink (173D); stigma strong yellow-green (144A). Lvs 76 × 38mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m in 5 years. Early June

(a) **'Annabella'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange and yellow in bud, opening golden yellow and flushed orange rose. Knap Hill

(r) **Annabella Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *campanulatum* (s) × Loderi Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, flushed light mauve

(a) **'Annabelle'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) (Exhibited in The Netherlands (1987) by J. Stolwijk & Zn)

(r) **'Ann Aberconway'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Peace' × 'Bodnant Yellow' H: C. Puddle (1961), G: C. Puddle (1966), N: Lord Aberconway (1975), REG: Lord Aberconway & The National Trust (1994) Fls 6-8/truss, tubular-campanulate, 50 × 25mm, with smooth-edged lobes, vivid yellow (12A) throughout. Calyx 3mm long, yellow-green. Lvs flat, matt bluish green above, tapered at base, obtuse at apex, with purplish brown scales when young, these ageing to dark brown. Shrub 1.5 × 2.0m in 30 years. Late April

(r) **'Anna Booth'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Joseph Whitworth' (s) × unknown H: D. Whibley, G: D. Whibley, N: D. Whibley (1920s), REG: Australian Rhododendron Society, South Australian Branch (2002) Fls 20/open dome truss, 25 × 55mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (59D) in bud, opening inside moderate purplish red (58A); outside strong purplish red (59D); slight darker spotting on dorsal lobe. Calyx moderate purplish red (58A). Lvs lanceolate, 150 × 35mm, margins flat, pointed at apex, glossy green above. Shrub 2.0 × 2.0m in 10 years. Late October-early November (Tasmania). (Standard: colour slide provided by registrant (WSY 0035245))

(r) **'Anna Caroline Gable'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *adenopodum* × *degronianum* subsp. *heptamerum* R: J.B. Gable (pre 1972), N: J.B. Gable Fls pale pink

(r) **'Anna Deen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Noele Boulter' (s) × 'Earl of Athlone' H: J. Deen, G: J. Deen, N: J. Deen (1993), I: P.C. Deen & Sons (1994), REG: P.C. Deen & Sons (1994) Fls 12-15/truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, wide, inside vivid purplish red (61C) with strong purplish red (61B) lobes; outside vivid purplish red (61C), fading. Calyx 1mm long. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 32mm, flat, matt green above, narrowed at base, acuminate at apex, hairless.

(r) **'Anna Delp'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'America' × 'Blaze' (s) × 'Red Brave' H: W.M. Fetterhoff (1973), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 18/truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 54mm, 5-lobed, deep red (53A) in bud, opening deep red (53A) shading to strong red (46A) with dark red (187A) dorsal spots; filaments pale purplish pink (65D); style vivid purplish red (61C); anthers moderate yellow (163C); stigma dark red (187C). Lvs 95 × 44mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years. Early June. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Anna Dyke'** (See note under 'Ann Dyke')

(a) **'Anna Gaya'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (pre 1984) Fls single, dark red. Kurume

(a) **'Anna Gunkel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Vuylsteke (1899), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pure white

(r) **'Anna H. Hall'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* var. *album* × *yakushimanum* H: D.G. Leach (1952), G: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach (1961), REG: D.G. Leach (1963) Fls 14-15/truss, funnel-campanulate, 55mm wide, 5-lobed, pink in bud (7.0RP 6/12), opening white flushed faintly with light pink. Lvs oblanceolate-elliptic, 120 × 45mm, with a slight brown indumentum below. New growth with a conspicuous indumentum. Shrub at least 0.6 × 1.1m

(a) **'Anna Kehr'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Triumph' (s) × 'Rosebud' H: A.E. Kehr (1961), G: A.E. Kehr, N: A.E. Kehr, I: A.E. Kehr (1978), REG: A.E. Kehr (1978) Fls double (with 25-30 lobes), 65mm wide, light purplish pink (55C). Lvs dark, shiny green. Shrub 0.75m in 10 years

(a) **'Anna Klein'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schäfer (1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. Indian

(r) **'Annalies Van de Ven'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marion' × 'Mrs Henry Shilson' R: K. Van de Ven, N: K. Van de Ven, I: K. Van de Ven (1973), REG: K. Van de Ven (1974) Fls 15/truss, campanulate, 65mm wide, with very wavy edged lobes, strong purplish pink (63C), with a paler centre and red spots. Shrub 0.8m

(r) **'Anna Lise'** cv. Parentage unknown R: O. Prycl (pre 1978)

(a) **'Anna Louise'** (Syn. of 'Anna Louise Grassi' (Evergreen azalea))

(a) **'Anna Louise'** (Syn. of 'Directeur Charles Baumann' (Ghent))

(a) **'Anna Louise Grassi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: white seedling (s) × 'Palestrina' H: L. Yavorsky (c 1965), G: L. Yavorsky, N: L. Yavorsky, I: L. Yavorsky, REG: L. Yavorsky (1987) Fls single, 1-3/truss, 38-44 × 57-64mm, open funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, light pink (49C) in bud, opening white, with a faint spotted flare of light pink (50D). Calyx 13mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic to obovate, 25-29 × 10-13mm, hairy. Shrub 0.4 × 0.9m in 10 years. Early May. Syn: 'Anna Louise'

(a) **'Annamaria'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: H.T. Hooftman, I: H.T. Hooftman (c 1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. Syn: 'Frau Dekens'. Kaempferi

(r) **'Anna Michelle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Freckle Pink' (s) × 'Apricot Gold' H: K. Van de Ven (1986), G: K. Van de Ven (1992), N: Olinda Nurseries (1993), I: Olinda Nurseries (1994), REG: Olinda Nurseries (1994) Fls hose-in-hose, 20-25/rounded truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, with 6 smooth-edged lobes, light greenish yellow (8C) inside and out, with reddish spots. Lvs elliptic, twisted, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 2.0m

(r) **'Anna Parsons'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: S.B. Parsons (pre 1875), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish red

(a) **'Anna Pavlova'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: E.J. Kraus, I: Beneschoen Gardens (1967), REG: Beneschoen Gardens (1967) Fls double, up to 9/ball truss, 65mm wide, white, lobes ruffled; fragrant. Lvs 75 × 40mm. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m in 8 years. Midseason. Knap Hill (Sometimes seen as 'Anna Pavlowa', but registered as given above)

(r) **'Annapolis Royal'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *falconeri* (s) × *sinogrande* H: L. de Rothschild (1938), N: E. de Rothschild, I: Exbury Gardens Ltd, REG: E. de Rothschild (1983) Fls 25/truss, 80mm long, 11-lobed, pale greenish yellow (1D), faintly striped vivid purplish red (66D) when young. Calyx minute. Lvs oblong-lanceolate or oblanceolate, 500 × 220mm, with a woolly, fawn indumentum

(r) **'Annapurna'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *anthopogon* subsp. *hypenanthum* R: Glendoick Gardens, N: Glendoick Gardens, I: Glendoick Gardens (1974), REG: Glendoick Gardens (1974) Fls 8-9/compact truss, narrowly tubular, 15 × 16mm, with 5 frilled lobes, pale yellow-green (4D) with staining of light greenish yellow (4C). Calyx lobes to 5mm long, green, ciliate, scaly. Lvs elliptic, up to 20 × 10mm, dark green and glossy above, with dense, dark brown scales below. AM 1974 (Raised from SSW 9090)

(r) **'Anna Robenek'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × 'Catharine van Tol' × 'Goldsworth Orange' H: H. Robenek (c 1965), G: H. Robenek (1975), N: H. Robenek, REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1992) Fls 12-21/truss, open funnel-shaped, 42-45 × 55-75mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, outside bright purplish red, inside purplish pink with a lighter throat and strong dark red markings on the dorsal lobes. Calyx 2-6mm long, whitish to light pink. Lvs oblong-elliptic, 60-120 × 26-60mm. Shrub 1.4 × 2.0m in c25 years. Late May-early June. (Published in Schmalscheidt, *Rhododendron- und Azaleenzüchtung in Deutschland, Part II (1930-1988)*, 1989)

(r) **'Anna Rose Whitney'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × 'Countess of Derby' H: W.E. Whitney, G: T. Van Veen Sr, N: W.E. Whitney, I: W.E. Whitney (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12-21/truss, funnel-shaped, up to 100mm wide, rose pink. Lvs up to 200mm long, matt dark green. *AM 1987

(r) **'Anna's Replet'** (Syn. of 'Anna's Riplet')

(r) **'Anna's Riplet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *forrestii* Repens Group × 'Letty Edwards' H: H. Lem (c 1955), G: H. Lem (1961) Fls rosy pink, fading to soft yellow.

Shrub 0.9m in 10 years. Early April. Syn: 'Anna's Replet' (Riplet Group)

(r) **'Anna Strelow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *annae* Laxiflorum Group R: S.R. Clarke, I: R.N. Stephenson Clarke, REG: R.N. Stephenson Clarke (1979) Fls 14-16/loose truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, up to 40 × 50mm, 5-lobed, yellowish white (155D) shading at base to a pale yellow-green (155A); lobes faintly flushed red-purple. Calyx lobes irregular, up to 40mm long, greenish, densely red glandular hairy. Lvs narrowly oblong up to 130 × 35mm, dull green above, glaucous below. (Raised from Forrest seed no. 27706)

(a) **'Ann Callingham'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1958), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls moderate red (50B). Knap Hill

(r) **'Ann Carey'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *keiskei* × *spinuliferum* H: H. Lem (1951), G: Mrs S.E. Anderson, N: Mrs S.E. Anderson, I: Mrs S.E. Anderson (1966), REG: Mrs S.E. Anderson (1977) Fls in a compact head consisting of many axillary trusses, broadly funnel-campanulate, 25 × 25mm, with petaloid stamens in most fls, chartreuse yellow changing to coral pink (0619/1-3). Lvs narrowly elliptic, up to 75 × 30mm, with inrolled margins. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years

(a) **'Ännchen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Anne Frank' S: W. Nagel (1974), N: W. Nagel, I: W. Nagel (1989), REG: ICRA (2000) Fls rosy red. Lvs very small. Shrub very dense and compact, 0.4 × 0.6m in 10 years. (First published in Schmalscheidt, *Rhododendron- und Azaleenzüchtung in Deutschland, Part II*, second edn (1991)

(a) **'Ann Dyke'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Gebr. Kersbergen (pre 1931), N: Gebr. Kersbergen, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red, shaded yellow and green. Mollis (A seed race; not a clone. Also seen as 'Anna Dyke')

(r) **'Anne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* (s) × unknown R: L.C.R. Messel, N: L.C.R. Messel, I: L.C.R. Messel (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink. AM 1928 (Standard: painting of AM plant (WSY 0019922))

(r) **'Anne Bedford'** (Error for 'Arthur Bedford')

(a) **'Anne Chantal'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Exquisite' × 'Crimson Glory' H: B. Smith, G: B. Smith (1985), N: B. Smith, I: B. Smith, REG: B. Smith (1986) Fls hose-in-hose, 1-2/truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 60mm, deep purplish red (71A). Lvs elliptic, 50 × 25mm. Shrub 0.3m

(a) **'Anne Chenée'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Pericat, N: A. Pericat, I: A. Pericat (c 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 65mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, white flushed mallow purple (630/2). Pericat

(r) **'Anne Clarke'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* subsp. *cinnamomeum* var. *roseum* × *sutchuenense* R: S.R. Clarke, I: R.N. Stephenson Clarke (1977), REG: R.S. Stephenson Clarke (1977) Fls 20-22/firm, rounded truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, up to 60 × 60mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish pink (55B), paling to white on opening except for a faint bar of colour along each lobe sinus. Calyx rudimentary, green, lobes irregular up to 2mm long. Lvs narrowly elliptic, up to 165 × 58mm, dark green above, silvery grey felted below. AM 1977

(r) **'Anne Cree'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum*, Exbury form (s) × 'Chevalier Félix de Sauvage' H: Mrs E.M. Watson (1985), G: Mrs E.M. Watson (1990), N: Mrs E.M. Watson, REG: Mrs E.M. Watson (1998) Fls 25/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 70 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, red (54) in bud, opening inside deep purplish pink (54B), with a spotted, strong red (53D) flare - c20 × 20mm - on dorsal lobe, outside fading to pale purplish pink (56B). Calyx c1.5mm long, brilliant yellow-green (149C). Lvs elliptic, 125 × 45mm, flat to decurved at margins, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and dark yellowish green (139A) and hairless above, hairy below (hairs yellowish grey (198C) at first, ageing to greyish yellow-green (198A)). Shrub 0.45 × 0.75m in 12 years. Late April

(r) **'Anne de Rothschild'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* subsp. *caloxanthum* × *eclecteum* H: F. Wynniatt (pre 1970), G: E. de Rothschild (pre 1980), N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1986), REG: E. de Rothschild (1986) Fls 10-12/loose truss, broadly funnel-shaped, up to 45 × 45mm, 7-lobed, buds strongly flushed orange-red, opening cream, with a small, strong red (46A) blotch deep in throat. Lvs elliptic, up to 105 × 45mm, dark green above, pale below, hairless. Shrub 2.5 × 2.5m in 20 years. April. AM 1986

(r) **'Annedore'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, I: T.J.R. Seidel (1926), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in an hemispherical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, c40 × 60mm, carmine red, with a white throat and ochreous spots. Syn: 'Lady Armstrong' (hort. not Knap Hill)

(r) **'Anne Dring'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1990)

(a) **'Anne Frank'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Mother's Day' × 'Multiflorum' R: W. Nagel (1965), N: W. Nagel Fls 5-6-lobed, 40mm wide, pink, with faint reddish markings. Low, broad, rounded habit

(r) **'Anne George'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Day Dream Group × 'Ice Cream' R: A.F. George, N: A.F. George, REG: A.F. George (1965) Fls 14/domed, lax truss, tubular funnel-shaped, margins waved, 65 × 60mm, pale yellowish pink (29D), flushed light purplish pink (55C), either side of midvein with a yellow tinge, dorsal lobe spotted vivid red (45C). Lvs 130 × 50mm, dull, mid grey-green above. Shrub 1.1m. *HC 1982, AM 1990

(r) **'Anne Glass'** (Syn. of 'Mrs Powell Glass'; both 'Anne Glass' and 'Ann Glass' are used but the spelling adopted here reflects the formal record of Mrs Glass's christian name)

(r) **'Anne Glass'** cv. Parentage unknown H: T.F. Wheeldon (pre 1980), N: T.F. Wheeldon

(r) **'Anne Goss'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Roseum Elegans' (s) × 'Scintillation' H: J.B. Parks (1984), G: J.B. Parks (1989), N: J.B. Parks, REG: J.B. Parks (1995) Fls 13-15/domed truss, open funnel-campanulate, 95 × 90mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (72D), opening very pale purple (69B-D) with a dark greenish yellow (152D) blotch; slightly scented. Lvs narrowly obovate, 178 × 83mm, concave, obltuse at apex, rounded at base, glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, moderate yellow-green (138B) below, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 2.4m in 9 years. Early June

(r) **'Annegret Hansmann'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Hachmann's 'Polaris' (s) × Wega Group H: U. Genzel (1988), G: U. Genzel (1992), N: U. Genzel (1996), REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1996) Fls 7-15/rounded, fairly compact truss, flat saucer-shaped, 42-50 × 65-85mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, rosy red in bud, opening inside light purplish pink, shading to nearly white towards centre, outside bright purplish pink; with brownish green markings fading with age to green on a white ground. Calyx 2-3mm long, bright green. Lvs ovate to obovate, 52-105 × 25-47mm, flat, matt green above, cordate at base, apiculate at apex, hairless. Compact shrub 0.5 × 0.65m in 8 years. May

(r) **'Anne Hardgrove'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: C.P. Rafill Group (s) × 'Moser's Maroon' H: D.L. Hardgrove (c 1949), G: D.L. Hardgrove, I: S.V. Burns (1966), REG: S.V. Burns (1979) Fls up to 10-15/truss, open funnel-shaped, 60-90mm wide, 5-lobed, strong red (46A) with black markings. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 150 × 50mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.0m in 8 years. Late May-early June

(a) **'Anne Hazlewood'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Hazlewood Bros (1971) Fls single, light purple, with wavy-edged lobes. Indian (Also seen in error as 'Ann Hazlewood')

(r) **'Anne Henny'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Avalanche Group × *calophytum* (pink selection) H: A. Henny (1951), G: J. Henny, I: C.G. Heller, REG: C.G. Heller (1980) Fls 15/domed truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 90mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink in bud, opening pale purplish pink (56A), fading through pale purplish pink (56D) to white, with a 20mm dorsal blotch of dark red (59A) and with strong red (53A) peripheral spotting extending out to 30mm. Lvs narrowly elliptic to lanceolate, 260 × 70mm, moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 4.9 × 4.3m in 28 years. Late March-early April

(a) **'Anne Ione'** (See 'Ann Ione')

(a) **'Anneke'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: M.C. Pratt (1964), G: M.C. Pratt (1968), N: F. de Jong, I: F. de Jong, REG: M.C. Pratt (1985) Fls 9/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 65-70 × 80-100mm, 5-lobed, brilliant to light yellow (14C-D), darker on tube externally, with dorsal spotting of vivid yellow (14A). Calyx 1-2mm long, green. Lvs elliptic to broadly elliptic, 80 × 35mm, pale green, slightly shiny and glandular hairy above. Syn: 'Gold N'

(r) **'Anneke Plazek'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group × white-flowered *dauricum* (s) × white-flowered *dauricum* × white-flowered *mucronulatum* H: D.N. Hinton (1981), G: D.N. Hinton (1984), N: D.N. Hinton (1998), REG: D.N. Hinton (1998) Fls 20/multi-budded truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 30 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pink in bud, opening inside white, flushed pink, with a yellow blotch; outside light pink. Lvs lanceolate, 100 × 35mm, flat, acuminate at apex, cuneate at base, dull and light green above, scaly below (scales brown at first, ageing to tan). Shrub 1.8 × 1.5m in 16 years. Mid May

(a) **'Annelies'** cv. Deciduous azalea: seedling from 'Gibraltar' R: A.J. Knuttel (pre 1985), N: A.J. Knuttel Fls in large trusses, deep orange, very fragrant. Knap Hill

(r) **'Anneliese'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *insigne* × 'El Alamein' R: W. Bruns (1961), N: W. Bruns Fls 14-22/compact, rounded truss, 50-70mm wide, red in bud, opening rose, paler within, with dark red, dorsal spots. Mid May-early June

(a) **Anneliesiae Group** gp Deciduous azalea: *arborescens* (s) × *calendulaceum* R: Arnold Arboretum (c 1896), N: A Rehder (1921), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, pinkish white with a conspicuous yellow blotch; style purple towards apex, hairy towards base; scented. Calyx lobes ovate. Lvs elliptic to broadly elliptic, rather bluish green above, midrib hairy but otherwise glaucous and hairless below. Ghent

(r) **'Ann Elizabeth'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from open-pollinated *yakushimanum* G: J.E. Ford (1973), N: Plant Name Committee, Ohio State University, REG: J.E. Ford (1984) Fls 11-15/truss, 40 × 48mm, broadly funnel-campanulate, 5-lobed, strong reddish purple (2.5RP 5/10), shading to pale pink in throat, minor strong yellow-green blotch in dorsal throat, outside 2.5RP 5/10. Calyx 2mm long. Lvs more-or-less elliptic, 120 × 54mm, with buff indumentum below; grey tomentum on young lvs. Shrub to 0.8m in 12 years. (Seed collected in 1970 by J.E. Ford)

(a) **'Anne Perry'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Rose Gumpo' × 'Okina-nishiki' H: R.W. Pennington (pre 1978) Fls reddish orange. Compact shrub. Midseason

(a) **'Anne Rothwell'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nanki-Poo' × *kaempferi* H: A.F. George (1963), G: A.F. George (1968), N: A.F. George, I: Hydon Nurseries (1975), REG: A.F. George (1976) Fls 2-3/truss, 35 × 50mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (71C), spotted vivid red (52A). Calyx 5mm long, pale green, hairy. May

(r) **'Anne's Delight'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney, G: W.E. Whitney (1972), N: Mrs A. Sather, I: Mrs A. Sather

(1982), REG: Mrs A. Sather (1986) Fls 14/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 95 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light greenish yellow (7D) in bud, opening light greenish yellow (3D), with deep yellowish pink (46A) markings deep in dorsal throat. Calyx 3mm long, light yellow-green. Lvs near narrowly obovate to almost elliptic, 90-130 × 45-65mm, glossy, moderate olive green (137B) above. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 10 years. Late April

(r) **'Anne's Pet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* hybrid R: W.E. Whitney, N: G. & Mrs A. Sather, I: G. & Mrs A. Sather (c 1975) Fls bright yellow. Shrub 0.9m in 10 years. Late April

(r) **'Anne Sullivan'** cv. Parentage unknown G: N. Sullivan, N: N. Sullivan, REG: N. Sullivan (1989) Fls 20/truss, funnel-shaped, 30 × 70mm, 5-lobed, light purple (87C), with a large, moderate yellow (162A) flare. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 30mm. Shrub 0.9 × 1.4m in 7 years

(r) **'Anne Teese'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *ciliicalyx* × *formosum* R: A.J. Teese, N: A.J. Teese, REG: A.J. Teese (1968) Fls 3/truss, 90mm wide, white, flushed solferino purple (26/3) and striped on outside with 26/2. Lvs 50-80 × 25mm, mid green, hairy. Shrub c1.4m

(a) **'Annette'** (Syn. of 'Pink Annette')

(r) **'Annette'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, tinted pale pink, with brown spots

(r) **'Annette B. Weyerhaeuser'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × *griersonianum* hybrid H: H.L. Larson (1960), G: H.L. Larson (1972), N: H.L. Larson, I: H.L. Larson (1981), REG: H.L. Larson (1982) Fls 11-12/truss, 80 × 90mm, 5-lobed, moderate purplish pink (66D). Calyx c1.5mm long, pale yellow-green (195D). Lvs 140 × 70mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Tall shrub

(a) **'Anne van Hoeke'** cv. Parentage unknown (Listed in UK (1988))

(r) **'Anne Vervaef'** cv. Parentage unknown I: unknown (pre 1870), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Ann Glass'** (See under 'Anne Glass')

(a) **'Ann Hazlewood'** (Listed in error for 'Anne Hazlewood')

(r) **'Annica Bricogne'** (See note under 'Anica Bricogne')

(a) **'Annie Bray'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* × 'Nuccio's Pink Champagne' H: S.C. Early (pre 1987) Fls semi-double, 65mm wide, light pink. (Parents require confirmation)

(r) **'Annie Bricogne'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Bertin (pre 1867), INC: ICRA (1958) (Perhaps the same plant as 'Anica Bricogne')

(r) **'Annie Cordonnier'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1999) (Recorded in collection of Burcina Park, nr Biella, Italy)

(r) **'Annie Dalton'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'America' × *decorum* × *griersonianum* R: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable (1960), REG: J.B. Gable (1961) Fls in a lax truss, broadly funnel-shaped, up to 100mm wide, fuchsine pink (627/2), the throat crimson (22/1). Lvs c200 × 60mm, long and narrow. Spreading shrub, 1.5m in 10 years. (Degram Group)

(r) **'Annie Darling'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *insigne* R: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild, REG: E. de Rothschild (1990) Fls 14-16/full, rounded truss, campanulate, up to 40 × 43mm, 5-lobed, white, strongly marked along the centre of each lobe and on lip with vivid purplish red (57C) and with numerous small spots of deep red (53A) in the throat. Stamens 12-16; filaments white, anthers brown. Calyx 5-lobed, green, up to 2mm long. Lvs lanceolate to elliptic-lanceolate, up to 125 × 43, mid green above, with shiny metallic-coppery, plastered indumentum below. AM 1990

(r) **'Annie Dixwell'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1875), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with a deep magenta blotch. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Annie Dosser'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marion' (s) × unknown H: D.J. Dosser, G: D.J. Dosser, N: D.J. Dosser, REG: D.J. Dosser (1981) Fls 13-17/loose, flat truss, campanulate, 50 × 60mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, inside opening moderate purplish pink (65A) at lobe edges shading to white in the throat, outside deep purplish pink (67C) on lobe edges and middle of lobes, shading to white; unspotted. Calyx minute. Lvs elliptic, 130 × 45mm, wavy-edged, acute at apex, attenuate at base, matt green above, hairless. Early spring. (Standard: herbarium specimen supplied by G. Eaton (WSY 0021406))

(r) **'Annie Dring'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi King George' × 'Corona' H: W.V. Joslin (1967), G: H. Dring, N: H. Dring, I: H. Dring, REG: Mrs. L. Hodgson (1977) Fls vivid purplish red (57C) to strong purplish pink (62A) with a basal blotch of dark red (187A) to strong red (50A)

(r) **'Annie E. Endtz'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pink Pearl' hybrid R: L.J. Endtz & Co., N: L.J. Endtz & Co., I: L.J. Endtz & Co. (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a compact truss, light pink, flushed orange, with wavy-edged lobes. Shrub 1.5-2.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Annie Hewat'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Standish (pre 1870), N: J. Standish, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red, more-or-less spotted all over

(a) **'Annie Laurie'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown S: L.F. Frisbie (pre 1956), N: L.F. Frisbie, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 8/truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 55mm, pale pink, darker at edges and with a yellow blotch. Lvs 70 × 25mm, mid, glossy green. Shrub up to c2.0 × 1.5m. April-May. *HC 1956, AM 1963 (Seedling from Gregg McKinnon Garden. Sometimes seen spelt as 'Annie Lawrie')

(a) **'Annie Nobel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: see *The Azalean* 4 (1):3 (1982) for notes on parentage R: W.D. Smith (pre 1982), N: W.D. Smith Fls single, 50mm wide, cyclamen purple

(r) **'Annie Rhodes'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scintillation' (s) × 'Lem's Cameo' × 'Polynesian Sunset' H: M. Wildfong (1987), G: B.J. Ogdon (1993), N: B.J. Ogdon (1998), REG: B.J. Ogdon (1998) Fls 13/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 53 × 84m, with 7 slightly wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (54A) in bud, opening strong purplish red (54A) inside and out; rust-coloured spotting on dorsal lobes; anthers brown; stigma green. Lvs elliptic, 155 × 63mm, margins flat, matt above, hairless; new growth bronze. Shrub 1.6 × 1.44m in 10 years. Early May

(r) **'Annihilator'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls true scarlet. (Exhibited by J. Waterer, 1865)

(r) **'Annika'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sapporo' (s) × *yakushimanum* H: H. Hachmann (1988), G: H. Hachmann (1994), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 14-16/fairly compact truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40-45 × 54-62mm, with 5 wavy to very wavy-edged lobes, inside white, outside white with a tinge of light purplish pink (55C) at edges, the dorsal lobe with a conspicuous and extensive blotch of dark red (187A/B); stamens 10, filaments white, anthers moderate reddish brown (174A); style pale yellow-green (4D), stigma brilliant greenish yellow (4A). Calyx c1mm long, greenish. Lvs elliptic to ovate, 90-130 × 30-50mm, convex, with decurved margins, slightly acuminate at apex, cuneate at base, dark, glossy green above, with a thin brownish indumentum below. Shrub of compact and rounded habit, 0.8 × 1.1m in 10 years. Mid-late May. (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030607). First published in Hachmann cat., 2001, plus colour illustration)

(a) **'Annina'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: G. Harmsen (pre 1985), N: G. Harmsen

(a) **'Ann Ione'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: P.E. Girard (c 1965), G: R.K. Peters, I: R. Carter, REG: R.K. Peters (1983) Fls 6/truss, 55 × 90mm, tubular funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, buds deep pink (2.5R 6/11), opening pale purplish pink (2.5RP 8/5), unevenly washed purplish pink over lobes, dorsal blotch of orange-yellow (10YR 8/10 to 5 YR 6/11). Calyx 7mm long, yellow-green (5GY 6/8). Lvs oblanceolate, 115-150 × 40-45mm, yellow-green (5GY 5/6), hairy. Shrub c2.2m in 17 years. Knap Hill (Published in error as 'Anne Ione' in *Rhododendrons 1984/85*)

(a) **'Anniversary'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* × 'Blaauw's Pink' H: H. Van de Ven, G: H. Van de Ven (1966), N: H. Van de Ven, REG: H. Van de Ven (1971) Fls hose-in-hose, 60mm wide, pale purplish pink (56A) in bud, fading on opening to 56D, with a blotch of darker spots. Shrub 0.6m

(r) **'Anniversary Gold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'King of Shrubs' × 'Crest' (s) × 'Golden Star' H: C.C. Smith (1976), G: Van Veen Nursery (1983), N: Portland Chapter, American Rhododendron Soc., REG: Portland Chapter, American Rhododendron Soc. (1991) Fls 10-12/ball truss, saucer-shaped (reflexing with age), 64-70 × 95mm, with 5-7 wavy-edged lobes, brilliant greenish yellow (6C) in bud, opening light greenish yellow (1C) with brilliant greenish yellow (1B) throat and with a prominent moderate yellow-green (139C) ovary; outside 1C; 13-16 curved stamens of unequal length; moderately scented; pedicels 38-51mm long, strong yellow-green (145A). Calyx minute, green. Lvs narrowly obovate, 76-102 × 38-51mm, flat, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, hairless; petioles 16-22mm long, minutely hairy, strong yellow-green (144B). Shrub 1.1 × 0.9m in 14 years. Early May

(a) **'Anniversary Joy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Silver Anniversary' R: G. Taylor, N: G Taylor, I: G. Taylor (1980) Fls hose-in-hose, pale pink, with a white blotch. Shrub 1.2-1.5m

(r) **'Ann Katherine'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Odee Wright' (s) × 'Crest' H: J.D. Winberg (1989), G: J.D. Winberg (1994), N: J.D. Winberg (1996), REG: J.D. Winberg (1996) Fls 10/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 80mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (55A) in bud, opening inside light yellow (18A), outside strong pink (49A); unmarked. Calyx 30mm long, light yellow (18A). Lvs elliptic, 125 × 45mm, elliptic, flat, rounded at base, broadly acute at apex, dull, moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 1.0m in 7 years. Mid May

(a) **'Ann Koman'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Hino Crimson' R: D.J. Cole (pre 1987), N: D.J. Cole Fls 30mm wide, red. Dwarf shrub

(a) **'Ann Lee McPhail'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Chikyu-no-haru' × 'Surprise' (Glenn Dale) R: J. Harris (pre 1982), N: J. Harris Fls 75mm wide, 6-lobed, light purplish pink (55C). Shrub 1.2m in 10 years

(r) **'Ann Lindsay'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Blinklicht' × 'Mars' × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: H. Hachmann (1969), G: H. Hachmann (1974), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1985), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 14-17/truss, open campanulate, 35-40 × 45-55mm, 5-lobed, outside and broad margins of corolla lobes inside strong red (53D), centre of lobes and throat white, unmarked. Calyx 1mm long, red. Lvs broadly ovate to ovate-lanceolate, 110-128 × 50-62mm, flat or slightly convex, mucronate at apex, rounded at base, dark green and slightly glossy above, hairless; petioles reddish brown. Shrub 0.8 × 1.5m in 10 years. Mid-late May

(a) **'Ann Louise'** (Error for 'Anna Louise', a synonym of 'Directeur Charles Baumann')

(r) **'Ann Luettgen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: complex parentage including *catawbiense*, *maximum* and possibly unknown hybrids H: W.D. Smith (1971), G:

W.D. Smith, N: W.D. Smith, REG: W.D. Smith (1979) Fls 17/truss, 100mm wide, deep purplish red (10RP 3/10) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (2.5RP 6/10), with heavy spotting of strong purplish red (10RP 4/12)on three dorsal lobes

(r) **'Ann Pascoe'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* subsp. *apodectum* × *camplylocarpum* (Hooker's form) × Idealist Group R: L.E. Brandt, N: L.E. Brandt, REG: L.E. Brandt (1969) Fls 12-14/truss, 45 × 90mm, 7-lobed, brilliant yellow (9C), flushed orange-yellow (22) on opening. Calyx irregular, to 20mm long. Lvs 110 × 45mm. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in c10 years

(a) **'Ann Perkes'** (See 'Ann Perkins')

(a) **'Ann Perkins'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls double, light pink. (Presumably the same plant seen as 'Ann Perkes')

(a) **'Ann Rothwell'** (An error for 'Anne Rothwell')

(r) **'Ann Rutledge'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid H: W.E. Stokes, N: W.E. Stokes, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Ann Willis Fleming'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.H. Rogers & Son (pre 1929), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep pink, with a dark eye

(a) **'Anny'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* × 'Malvaticum' x*kaempferi* R: C.B. van Nes & Sons, N: C.B. van Nes & Sons, I: C.B. van Nes & Sons (1922), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls delft rose (020/1-020/2), with orange shading and a carmine blotch. Very dwarf. *AM 1948

(a) **'Anquistas'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1977) Fls light yellow, outlined in pink; fragrant. Knap Hill

(r) **'Anstie'** cv. Parentage unknown I: C.E. Heath (1934), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Antaeus'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Elsae Group (s) × 'Ernest Gill' H: C. Carlsson, G: F.S. Blake, N: F.S. Blake, REG: F.S. Blake (1996) Fls 16-18/flat truss, tubular-campanulate, 60 × 70mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (57D) in bud, opening inside light purplish pink (65B) on edges, shading to white and with a dark red (59A) ray in the throat; outside moderate purplish pink (66D) at edges, shading to white near the base. Lvs elliptic, 155-195 × 40-60mm, matt moderate olive green (147A) above, margins either slightly upcurved or lightly downcurved, attenuate at base, acute and apiculate at apex, hairless. Shrub 3.5 × 3.5m in 19 years. Mid spring

(r) **'Antagonist'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1847), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep purple-red. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Antares'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Alice' (Kaempferi) R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls nopal red, with a large, showy blotch of pomegranate purple dots which are somewhat diffused, base of tube white. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Antartica'** cv. Evergreen azalea: reported to be derived from *eriocarpum* crossed with various *simsii* cultivars R: H. van Oost (pre 1998), N: H. van Oost Fls semi-double, with a few, small petaloid stamens and 5 rounded, overlapping lobes, blue lilac. Mid January onwards (under glass). Drought and heat tolerant

(r) **'Anthaea'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: J.H. Mangles, N: J.H. Mangles, INC: ICRA (1958) (Also seen as 'Anthea')

(r) **'Anthea'** (See 'Anthaea')

(r) **'Anthea Borch'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × unknown H: T. Lelliott (c 1975), G: T. Lelliott (1986), N: Mrs H. Crouch, I: Mrs H. Crouch (1990), REG: Mrs H. Crouch (1991) Fls 12/truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 60mm, 5-lobed, strong red (53D) in bud, opening to light yellowish pink (36C). Lvs elliptic, 120 × 40mm, hairless. Shrub 1.0m

(a) **'Anthem'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Malvaticum' (s) × 'Yo-zakura' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50-90mm wide, lavender pink, with very few dots of rose in blotch area. Shrub to 1.5m. Midseason. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Anthenon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Iveryanum' R: unknown (pre 1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65mm wide, rose madder, with a dark blotch and white margin. Low shrub. Late. Syn: 'Lady Edith'. Indian

(r) **'Anthon Koster'** (See 'Anton Koster')

(r) **Anthony Group** (Syn. of Shepherd's Delight Group)

(r) **'Anthony'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Arthur Osborn' (s) × *griffithianum* R: E.G.W.W. Harrison, N: E.G.W.W. Harrison, I: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red. (The plant subsequently died without being propagated)

(a) **'Anthony Koster'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: F. de Coninck, I: M. Koster & Sons (1892), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 70mm wide, tinged bronze in bud, opening brilliant yellow (20B), with a brilliant orange-yellow blotch (17B); deeper yellow when forced. Mollis

(a) **'Anthony Roland'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Kurume seedling hybrid R: G. Langdon (pre 1980), N: G. Langdon Fls hose-in-hose, strong purplish pink (55B), spotted deep red

(a) **'Anthony Verschaffelt'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* L: Sunningdale Nurseries (c 1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 17/compact, domed truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 53mm, azalea pink (618-618/1), the throat spotted nasturtium orange (610/1). Lvs mid glossy green. Shrub 1.4 × 1.6m. Mollis

(r) **'Anthony Wayne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scintillation' × Atrier Group H: C. Herbert (pre 1978)

(r) **'Anthony Webb'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lady Primrose' (s) × *campylocarpum* I: T.C. Thacker (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft yellow

(a) **'Antignonne'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (pre 1984) Fls double, yellowish pink. Indian

(a) **'Antigone'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Schulz (1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, ivory white, with purple spots and dots (variable: sometimes white with broad purple bands, or purple dots and lines all over). FCC 1883. Indian

(r) **'Antigone'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor Stocker' × *arboreum* (red) I: J.A. Holmes (1939), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Antigua'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mary Belle' (s) × 'Dexter's Apricot' H: J. Becales (1970), G: C. Herbert (1976), N: C. Herbert, I: C. Herbert (1977), REG: C. Herbert (1977) Fls 10/open to lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 80mm, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes, pink in bud, opening light yellowish pink (38C) at edges, shading to pale yellow (11D) below and strong red (45D) in throat, with a 20mm dorsal blotch, and spotting on all lobes; scented. Calyx very short. Lvs more or less lanceolate, c160 × 65mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (146A), hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 5 years. Early May

(r) **'Antik 97'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'America' × 'Vulcan' R: W. Nagel (1968), N: W. Nagel, I: W. Nagel (1997), REG: ICRA (2000) Fls 12-23/compact ball truss, 35-50mm wide, bright purplish pink, with small, black-red markings on the dorsal lobe

(a) **'Antilope'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *viscosum* × 'Koster's Brilliant Red' H: B.B.C. Felix (1938), I: Felix & Dijkhuis, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c10/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, deep pink (52C) with darker median lines on lobes and an inconspicuous yellow blotch

(a) **'Antique'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × 'Fukuju' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 70-75mm wide, pure white, with a few stripes of phlox purple. Shrub to 1.9m. Late. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Antique White'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* × *yakushimanum* (s) × *maximum* × *wardii* H: W.E. Delp (1982), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 16/truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pink in bud (49A-D), opening pale yellow-green (155A) with strong greenish yellow (151C) dorsal spots; filaments and style dark red (187B); anthers brownish orange 165B); stigma greyish reddish orange (176D). Calyx 3mm long. Lvs 121 × 44mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, with a tan, woolly indumentum. Shrub 0.7 × 0.6m in 10 years. Early June

(r) **'Antiquum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: form or hybrid of *arboreum* R: unknown (pre 1842), INC: ICRA (1958) (Exhibited in Paris by M. Guérin, 1842)

(r) **'Antirrhinum'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with dark spots

(r) **'Antje'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Essex Scarlet' × *forrestii* Repens Group R: D.G. Hobbie, N: D.G. Hobbie, I: D.G. Hobbie (1965) Fls dark red, trumpet-shaped. Shrub up to 1.0m

(a) **'Antoine'** (Syn. of 'Omega')

(a) **'Antoine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Chanson' S: R.D. Gartrell (c 1970), N: R.D. Gartrell, REG: D.H. Voss (1991) Fls (1-)2/bud, semi-double to double, broadly funnel-shaped, 30 × 72mm, pale tints of strong pink (52D) to light pink (49C) or slightly yellowish pink under some growing conditions, hairline edging of strong purplish pink (55B) and spotting of 55B. Calyx 2mm long, light yellow-green (145). Lvs elliptic, 38 × 20mm. Low dense, mounding shrub. Early June. Ref. no U17-3A

(a) **'Antoine Chantin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1868), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Antoine de Roose'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1929), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, red. Indian

(a) **'Antoine Everaert'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Verschaffelt (1876), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red, with a yellow blotch on the dorsal lobe. Ghent

(a) **'Antoinette'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, bright red, spotted yellowish green. Ghent

(a) **'Antoinette'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1870), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Shown by C. Turner, 1870)

(a) **'Antoinette de Roose'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, white. Indian

(a) **'Antoinette Thelemann'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Thelemann, N: Thelemann, I: Thelemann (1861), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright red, with lilac red spots. FCC 1870. Indian

(r) **'Anton'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Everestianum' (s) × 'Everestianum' R: T.J.R. Seidel (1891), N: T.J.R. Seidel, I: T.J:R. Seidel (1906), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in dense, pyramidal trusses, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, violet (7.5P 6.5/8), with deeper edges and greenish to ochre spots; stamens and pistil pinkish

(r) **'Antonia'** (See 'Antonio' (Standish & Noble))

(a) **'Antonín Dvořák'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Reinhold Ambrosius' × 'Haerens Beauty' R: B. Janouch (c 1967), N: B. Janouch Fls single, 60-80mm wide, pink violet. Lvs elliptic, dark green

(r) **'Antonín Dvořák'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* hybrid R: B. Kavka (c 1969), N: B. Kavka Fls 15-19/globose truss, 70mm wide, dark purple in bud (830/3-830/2 plus 727/1), opening dark purple, with a dark purple brown (1028-1029/1) blotch. Lvs elliptic, 133 × 53mm, spinach green (0960). Shrub 0.8m in 9 years.

(r) **'Antonio'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1852) Fls rosy red, with a dark blotch. (Previously listed (1958 Register) as 'Antonia' but contemporary sources, including Standish & Noble catalogues, show that this was an error)

(r) **'Antonio'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Gill's Triumph' (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c10/truss, funnel-shaped, up to 75 × 100mm, suffused rose pink but fading with age, with a crimson blotch and spots; sweetly scented. Lvs 200 × 65mm, dull green above, hairless. Large shrub. June. AM 1939 Syn: 'Exbury Antonio' (Antonio Group. Standard: painting of AM clone (WSY 0019923))

(r) **Antonio Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Gill's Triumph' (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1933), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Antonio Gota Casas'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1885), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls ochre red, with a dark-spotted, brown-red blotch. Indian

(r) **'Antonio Omega'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Gill's Triumph' (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink. Large shrub. (Antonio Group)

(r) **'Anton Joli'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Firma Seidel (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine red, with a few spots

(a) **'Anton Kobisch'** (Syn. of 'Madame Cyrille van Gele')

(r) **'Anton Koster'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Firma Seidel (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with a yellow throat and wavy-edged lobes. (Sometimes listed incorrectly as 'Anthon Koster')

(r) **'Anton Rubinstein'** cv. Parentage unknown H: C.S. Seabrook (pre 1980)

(r) **'Anton Rupert'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Sir Frederick Moore Group × 'Kilimanjaro' (ie FCC clone) R: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild (1970), I: E. de Rothschild, REG: E. de Rothschild (1970) Fls large, pink, colour deepening in throat

(a) **'Antony Roland'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Kurume seedling × unknown H: G. Langdon, G: G. Langdon, N: G. Langdon, I: G. Langdon, REG: G. Langdon (1980) Fls hose-in-hose, strong purplish pink (55B), spotted deep red

(r) **'Antoon van Welie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pink Pearl' hybrid R: L.J. Endtz & Co. (pre 1947), N: L.J. Endtz & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in big trusses, pure deep pink. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Anuschka'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sammetglut' (s) × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: H. Hachmann (1968), G: H. Hachmann (1973), I: H. Hachmann (1982), REG: G. Stück (1983) Fls 11-14/truss, 45 × 55-60mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (54A) shading inwards to light or pale purplish pink (55C(-D)) and pale purplish pink (56D(-62D)), marked dark red/deep purplish red (59A-B). Calyx 2-3mm long, greenish pink. Lvs elliptic, 100-130 × 45-65mm, densely hairy below. Shrub up to 2.0m

(a) **'Anything Goes'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, bright rose, with a subtle orange flare. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Early June

(a) **'Anytime'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. Hahn, N: L. Hahn, I: L. Hahn (1965) Fls semi-double, deep pink. Indian

(a) **'Anytime Tetra'** cv. Evergreen azalea: colchicine-induced tetraploid from 'Anytime' R: USDA (pre 1974) Fls larger, longer-lasting

(a) **'Aoi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Nikko' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, with small, pointed lobes, pale yellowish pink, with deep yellowish pink and reddish markings; some white, blushed pink. Late. Compact shrub. Satsuki

(r) **'Aola'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *valentinianum* seedling R: B.F. Lancaster, N: B.F. Lancaster (1962), REG: B.F. Lancaster (1962) Fls double, 3-5/truss, fimbriated, 65-75mm wide, canary yellow (2/3) changing to chinese yellow. Lvs as for species. Shrub 0.8m in 10 years

(a) **'Ao-umi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958). Kurume (Introduced to USA (USPI no.77081) by R.K. Beattie in 1929. Galle (1987) refers it to 'Seikai')

(a) **'Aozora'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50mm wide, with overlapping lobes, very pale pink, with dark pink stripes and flecks; occasional dark pink spots. Early. Low, spreading shrub. Satsuki

(r) **Apache Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Gill's Triumph' (s) × *thomsonii* R: L. de Rothschild (pre 1930), N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 9/truss, campanulate, 50 × 50-60mm,

rich blood red, darkest on lobes, speckled dark crimson and with black crimson nectaries; stamens 10, filaments white, anthers chocolate. Lvs ovate, c105 × 45mm, deep green above, grey green below, hairless

(r) **Apar Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *aperantum* (s) × *arboreum* H: Lord Aberconway (1937), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red

(a) **'Apelles'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Smet, N: L. de Smet, I: C. Vuylsteke (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, of perfect form, delicate scarlet, shaded with pale pink, with a red and yellow blotch (Millais, 1917). Rustica

(r) **Aperemia Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *aperantum* (s) × Choremia Group H: Lord Aberconway (1937), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red

(r) **Aperme Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *aperantum* (s) × *meddianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1937), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(a) **'Apex Flame'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Silver Frills' × 'Comtesse de Kerchove' R: G. Taylor (pre 1981), N: G. Taylor Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, orange-red

(r) **'Apfelblüte'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* hybrid L: Bulkyard Plants (1994) Fls pink to creamy white, with a red blotch

(a) **'Aphrodite'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J.B. Keteleer (1871), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Aphrodite'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Malvaticum' (s) × *indicum* R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50mm wide, pale rose, with an inconspicuous blotch on dorsal lobe. Shrub to 1.5m. Midseason. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Aphrodite'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: white *arboreum* (s) × *barbatum* R: S. Smith (pre 1926), N: S. Smith, INC: ICRA (1958)

(v) **'Aphrodite'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *javanicum* (s) × 'Princess Alexandra' R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1891), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush pink, suffused white, fading to white; filaments and styles bright rose

(r) **'Apis'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *edgeworthii* (s) × *nuttallii* R: S.R. Clarke, N: S.R. Clarke, I: S.R. Clarke (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white, with a canary yellow base

(r) **Apodeno Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Eupheno Group (s) × *dichroanthum* subsp. *apodectum* H: Lord Aberconway (1935), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vermilion

(r) **Apodorum Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* subsp. *apodectum* (s) × *decorum* I: unknown (1942), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Apollo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Knight, N: J. Knight, I: J. Knight (1843), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, deep scarlet. Midseason. Indian

(a) **'Apollo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1873), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, white, faintly streaked red. FCC 1873. Indian (Exhibited by C. Turner, 1873)

(a) **'Apollo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Schulz (1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, vivid reddish orange (44C); few stamens. Calyx normal, green. Late. Indian (Listed in 1958 Register as 'Appolo' but contemporary sources (*e.g. Revue Horticole* 1882) give it as 'Apollo', which is accepted here)

(a) **'Apollo'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Bovees Nursery (pre 1978), N: Bovees Nursery, I: Bovees Nursery Fls golden yellow. Knap Hill

(r) **'Apollo'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep crimson lake. (Probably the plant listed previously as from T. Methven & Son ("fls scarlet"), who may have been the raisers)

(v) **'Apollo'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Crown Princess of Germany' × *javanicum* R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1891), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rich lemon. (Later catalogues (1893, 1896) indicate flower colour as deep orange-red and claim an FCC not recorded in RHS lists)

(r) **'Apollo II'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* hybrid H: C. Herbert (pre 1978), G: C. Herbert Fls large, white

(a) **'Apollon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: E. van der Cruyssen (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white (striped rose according to J. Veitch & Sons, 1890 cat). (Said to resemble 'Mademoiselle Léonie van Houtte'. Listed in 1958 Register as 'Appolon' but contemporary sources indicate that 'Apollon' is correct and this spelling is adopted here)

(r) **'Apollon'** cv. Parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1877), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish rose, with salmon spots. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Apollonia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Edelweiss' (s) × 'Perlina' H: H. Hachmann (1989), G: H. Hachmann (1995), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 13-16/compact, rounded truss, broadly open funnel-shaped, 50-55 × 75-80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside pure white (at first delicately tinged rose); outside white with midveins softly striped pale purplish pink (62D); dorsal lobe with a large blotch of deep purplish red (187D) spots; stamens 10, filaments white, anthers light yellowish pink (159A); style light yellow-green

(150D), stigma brilliant yellow (15C); ovary white-felted. Calyx 5-7mm long, pale yellow-green (157C). Lvs obovate, 120-130 × 45-60mm, slightly recurved, with recurved margins, acute to apiculate at apex, rounded at base, dark glossy green and hairless above, with a dense, pale brown, woolly indumentum below. Broadly rounded shrub, 0.9 × 1.2m in 10 years. Early-late May. (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030609). First published in Hachmann cat., 2001, plus colour illustration)

(r) **'Apology'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1881), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose, with a dark blotch. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Apotheker Mein'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C.J.H. Walther, N: C.J.H. Walther, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale lilac, spotted red. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Apotheose'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. van Hecke (1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, red. Early. Kaempferi

(r) **'Apotrophia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* subsp. *apodectum* × *facetum* N: E.W.M. Magor (1962), I: E.W.M. Magor (1962), REG: E.W.M. Magor (1962) Fls 8-10/truss, tubular-campanulate, fleshy, shrimp pink, with darker markings on lobes. Calyx 10mm long, unequally lobed, coloured as corolla. Lvs oblong-elliptic, 70-120mm long, with a thin, pale fawn indumentum below (easily rubbed off and leaving a shiny, hairless surface). Shrub 1.5m in 25 years

(a) **'Appalachia'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: O.M. Neal, N: O.M. Neal, REG: O.M. Neal (1966) Fls 20/cluster, up to 70mm wide, brilliant to vivid yellow (11A-14A), sometimes red externally; scented. Lvs large, dull green, with a purple tinge in spring and with a reasonable autumn colour. Shrub 1.0-1.2m in 10 years

(a) **'Appalachian Spectrum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *calendulaceum* × *periclymenoides* S: L.C. Towe (pre 1987), N: L.C. Towe Fls semi-double, with partially petaloid stamens, 45mm wide, ranging from yellow to orange, light to deep pink, with several pastel colours of yellowish pink, blotched yellow or orange: different coloured fls in each truss. Midseason. (Natural hybrid, collected in Oconee County, South Carolina, USA)

(a) **'Appalachian Spring'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *periclymenoides* G: Southeastern Chapter, Am.Rh.Soc. (post 1957), N: Southeastern Chapter, Am.Rh.Soc., I: Southeastern Chapter, Am.Rh.Soc. (1993), REG: Southeastern Chapter, Am.Rh.Soc. (1993) Fls 12-18/ball truss, long tubular funnel-shaped, 32 × 44mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, white with a pink tip in bud, opening clear white; moderately scented; stamens 5, curved, white, 3x as long as the tube; style white, stigma green. Calyx less than 2mm long, bright green, ciliate. Pedicels 6mm long, bright green. Lvs narrowly elliptic to ovate, 38-66 × 13-25mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, bright green and hairless above, margins and mid veins with sparse white hairs. Petiole less than 1mm long, bright green. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 10 years. April-May. (Seedling collected in the wild in North Carolina, c1957, purchased by Mrs P. Caldwell)

(a) **'Appalachian Trail'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *cumberlandense* × *arborescens* R: W.G. Beasley (pre 1984), N: W.G. Beasley

(a) **'Appare'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 40mm wide, crimson. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Appare'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kikerjo' × 'Kimimaru' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65mm wide, white with red sectors (some selfs), or with dots in the throat; some white in centre, edged red. Midseason. Satsuki

(r) **'Appassionata'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Baden-Baden' × 'Kluis Triumph' H: Boskoop (1968), G: Boskoop (c 1980), N: Boskoop, I: Boskoop (1991), REG: Royal Boskoop Hort.Soc. (1991) Fls 6-8/truss, trumpet-shaped, 40-50mm wide, 5-lobed, rosy red fading to pink. Calyx green. Lvs ovate, 50-70mm, dull green, hairless. Compact shrub 1.25 × 1.5m in 15 years. May

(r) **'Applause'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' (s) × 'Adriaan Koster' × *williamsianum* H: D.G. Leach (1958), G: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1970), REG: D.G. Leach (1972) Fls up to 11/globular truss, open campanulate, 55mm wide, 5-lobed, white, with longitudinal, ivory shading on three dorsal lobes. Calyx c1.5mm long, green, edged red. Lvs elliptic, c100 × 55mm, mid green. Shrub 1.5 × 1.9m in 13 years

(a) **'Apple Blossom'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: K. Wezelenburg & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, light salmon pink with yellow markings. Shrub 1.5-2.0m. Mollis

(a) **'Apple Blossom'** cv. Deciduous azalea: wild origin selection of *canescens* S: D. Jacobs (pre 1985), N: D. Jacobs Fls 40mm wide, buds white, tipped pink, opening white, flushed pink, with a faint yellow blotch. Shrub 2.2-2.5m. MidApril. (Found in Troup County, Georgia, USA)

(r) **'Apple Blossom'** (Syn. of 'Dexter's Appleblossom')

(r) **'Apple Blossom'** (Syn. of 'Sandwich Appleblossom')

(r) **'Apple Blossom'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* hybrid R: W.C. Slocock, N: W.C. Slocock, I: W.C. Slocock (c 1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink and white, with a yellow centre

(a) **'Appleblossom'** Syn: 'Ho-o'

(r) **'Appleblossom'** (Syn. of 'Sandwich Appleblossom')

(r) **'Appleblossom'** (Syn. of 'Dexter's Appleblossom')

(a) **'Apple Blossom Delight'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Homebush' × 'White Cloud' R: P.E. Girard (pre 1982),

N: P.E. Girard Fls 20-30/truss, 40-50mm wide, white, tinted pink, with splashes of pink on all petals and a yellow blotch in the centre; slightly scented. Lvs mid green, turning to yellow with orange in autumn

(a) **'Apple Blossom Time'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Pink Pearl' (Indian) × 'Lambertus C. Bobbink' R: D. Lewis (pre 1987), N: D. Lewis Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, deep purplish pink at edges, lighter centre

(r) **'Apple Dumpling'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' × 'Round Wood' × *catawbiense* (red form) H: H.R. Yates (1967), G: Mrs M. Yates (1976), N: Mrs M. Yates, I: Mrs M. Yates (1976), REG: Mrs M. Yates (1976) Fls 7/ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 45 × 70mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, light yellow-green (2C), throat brilliant greenish-yellow (1A), with an indistinct yellow-green blotch. Calyx 7mm long, strong yellowish green (141C). Lvs elliptic, 75 × 40mm, glossy, moderate olive green (147A), hairless. Shrub 0.5 × 0.5m in 8 years. Mid May

(r) **'Appleford'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Portia Group × *barbatum* R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1966) Fls 20/compact, domed truss, campanulate, 45 × 50mm, cardinal red (822). Calyx up to 17mm long (lobes unequal), near carmine (21/2). Lvs narrowly oblong, 150 × 47mm, hairless. AM 1966

(r) **'Apple Pie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown G: Mrs I. Henry, N: Mrs I. Henry, REG: Mrs I. Henry (1991) Fls 4-7/lax truss, 55 × 90mm, with 7 lobes, strong pink (54C) in bud, opening brilliant yellow-green (154C) with light purplish pink (55C) edges to the lobes and strong greenish yellow (151A) spotting in upper throat; style pale green-yellow, stigma green; scented. Calyx 25mm long, with uneven lobes, clasping the corolla tube, greenish yellow. Pedicels 25mm long, green. Lvs oblong 100 × 40mm, hairless. Early-mid December (New Zealand). (Raised from American Rhododendron Society seed received c1974)

(a) **'Apple Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Abbot's Nursery (1961) Fls double, salmon rose. Semi-dwarf shrub. Late

(a) **'Appolo'** (See 'Apollo' (Schulz))

(a) **'Appolon'** (See 'Apollon' (van der Cruyssen))

(a) **'Apricot'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1921), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, flesh pink with darker edges and a darker blotch. Kurume (Introduced to USA by Domoto Bros, pre 1921, and renamed by H.A. Dreer; original name now lost)

(a) **'Apricot'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Louise Gable' × 'Edna' R: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls apricot pink, fading lighter; hardy. Gable

(a) **'Apricot Blush'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Pink Dream' × 'Orchid Gem' H: D.J. Dosser, G: D.J. Dosser (1982), N: D.J. Dosser, I: D.J. Dosser, REG: D.J. Dosser (1986) Fls double, 2-3/truss, funnel-shaped, 30 × 60mm, light yellowish pink (38C), fading to pale yellowish pink (36D) in centre; buds rose-bud shape. Lvs elliptic, 40 × 20mm. Shrub 1.0m. Indian

(v) **'Apricot Charm'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown (Grown in Australia/New Zealand, c1990)

(r) **'Apricot Delight'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Freckle Pink' (s) × un-named apricot seedling H: K. Van de Ven, G: K. Van de Ven (1984), N: K. Van de Ven, REG: K. Van de Ven (1985) Fls 16-18/truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 80mm, light yellowish pink (36A). Calyx 15mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 180 × 60mm. Shrub 1.0m

(a) **'Apricot Falls'** (Syn. of 'April Showers')

(r) **'Apricot Fantasy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' (s) × 'Brandt's Tropicana' H: E.C. Brockenbrough (1971), G: J.P. Smith (1983), N: J.P. Smith, REG: J.P. Smith (1986) Fls 16-17/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 102mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong yellowish pink (40D) in bud, opening light yellowish pink (29C) with a light orange-yellow (22D) throat and 6mm wide moderate yellowish pink (33D) edging; spotting vivid red (45A) in throat and on dorsal lobes; outside 33D. Calyx 44-51mm long, 29C, with 45A spotting. Lvs narrowly obovate, 127-152 × 51-64mm, moderate olive green (137A) above, moderate yellow-green (147C) below, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.5m in 12 years, with scented fls. Mid May

(r) **'Apricot Flambé'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Apricot Fantasy' (s) × 'White Peter' H: G. Woodard (c 1990), G: E.J. Beutler (1995), N: E.J. Beutler, REG: E.J. Beutler (1997) Fls 13/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 85mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong yellowish pink (38A) in bud, opening inside light yellow (18B) with a prominent dorsal flare of vivid reddish orange (33A) spots - almost solid in the throat; outside light yellowish pink (27A). Calyx 45mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs oblong, 120 × 50mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m in 6 years. Early.

(v) **'Apricot Gem'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown L: Australia (1998)

(a) **'Apricot Glory'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* hybrid × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: A.M. Shammarello, N: A.M. Shammarello, I: A.M. Shammarello (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light orange. Mollis

(r) **'Apricot Glow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* (s) × 'Ostbo's Low Yellow' H: W. Hunnewell (c 1958), G: R.L. Ticknor, N: A.R. Brooks (1989), I: Weston Nurseries, REG: A.R. Brooks (1989) Fls 10-14/flattruss, funnel-shaped, 44 × 51mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, deep pink (51C) at tip in bud, shading to

light yellowish pink (19B), opening moderate pink (51D) at margins of lobes, shading to pale orange-yellow (19D) at centre of lobes and at base of corolla. Calyx 3mm long, light olive green (152B). Lvs obovate, 89-159 × 32-51mm, convex, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy dark yellowish green (139A) above, with a very thin, felt-like indumentum below, greyish yellow-green (195B) at first, aging to light olive green (152B). Shrub 1.5 × 2.1m in 19 years. Late May - early June

(r) **'Apricot Gold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tortoiseshell Wonder' × 'Cup Day' H: K. Van de Ven (c 1961), G: K. Van de Ven (1976), N: K. Van de Ven, I: K. Van de Ven (1986), REG: Olinda Nursery (1987) Fls 12-15/truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, 5-lobed, light orange-yellow (16B), flushed pink. Calyx 20mm long, tipped pink. Lvs oblanceolate, 100 × 50mm. Shrub 1.2 × 1.0m in 14 years

(a) **'Apricot Honey'** cv. Evergreen azalea: ('Kagetsu' × *indicum*) × (*mucronatum* × *kaempferi*) × 'Tama-sugata' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1965) Fls single, 2-3/truss, 50-70mm wide, centres between hermosa pink and white, with broad margins between hermosa pink and geranium pink; blotch with ochraceous buff spots on paler central area and almost carmine spots on darker parts. Shrub under 1.0m. Back Acres

(r) **'Apricot Ice'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Freckle Pink' (s) × un-named apricot seedling H: K. Van de Ven, G: K. Van de Ven (1984), N: K. Van de Ven, REG: K. Van de Ven (1985) Fls 20-26/truss, funnel-shaped, 60 × 100mm, light yellowish pink (29C), fading to white. Calyx 20mm long, pink tipped. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 40mm. Shrub 1.0m

(r) **'Apricot Lady Chamberlain'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* subsp. *cinnabarinum* Roylei Group (s) × Royal Flush Group (orange form) R: L. de Rothschild (pre 1930), N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pendulous, apricot. Syn: 'Lady Chamberlain Apricot'

(r) **'Apricot Nectar'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: (*dichroanthum* × *neriiflorum*) × Fabia Group (s) × Jalisco Group R: M.W. Lyons, N: M.W. Lyons, I: M.W. Lyons (1970), REG: M.W. Lyons (1971) Fls 14/loose ball truss, scarlet (19/2) at tips, fading to cadmium orange (18/2), the base oxblood red (00823/2), with orange veins in the centre. Lvs ovate, 160 × 65mm. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years. (Seed parent may also have included *fortunei* subsp. *discolor*)

(v) **'Apricot Nectar'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1990) (Listed as a parent of 'Pacific Sundowner')

(a) **'Apricot Queen'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Miss L. Dosser (c 1955), N: Miss L. Dosser, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft apricot and pink (orange-yellow, with an orange blotch, in Galle, 1985). (Believed to be derived from a native N.American species)

(r) **'Apricot Road'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown G: Mrs I. Henry, N: Mrs I. Henry, REG: Mrs I. Henry (1988) Fls 10/truss, open funnel-shaped, 60 × 90-95mm, 7-lobed, strong red (50D) on lobes, throat and back of tube pale yellow (19C), spotted green on upper lobes; fls gradually pale around lobes with age; slightly scented. Calyx 1-2mm long, green. Lvs narrow oblong, 130 × 50mm, hairless. Shrub 1.6 × 1.6m in 12 years, compact. October-November (New Zealand). (Seed from American Rhododendron Society seed exchange, 1973)

(r) **'Apricot Sherbet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Comstock' × Dido Group R: H.E. Greer (c 1982), N: H.E. Greer, I: H.E. Greer (c 1988) Fls in tight trusses, buff apricot. Shrub of mounding habit

(v) **'Apricot Soufflé'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown L: Vireya Venue (1997) Fls soft apricot. Lvs slender. Shrub to 1.0m or more

(r) **'Apricot Spinner'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Diane' × 'Citronella' × *wardii* × Dido Group H: Waterer (Bagshot) (1963), G: Waterer (Bagshot) (1970), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975) Fls 10-12/truss, 50 × 50mm, 5-lobed, pale apricot in bud, opening primrose, with a tinge of pink inside, shaded apricot outside. Calyx very small. Lvs 70 × 40mm

(r) **'Apricot Sun'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* Houlstonii Group × Veta Group H: V.J. Boulter (1970), G: V.J. Boulter (1976), N: F. Boulter (1991), I: Boulters Olinda Nursery (1991), REG: Boulters Olinda Nursery (1992) Fls 10/flat truss, tubular-campanulate, 40 × 45mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, inside light yellowish pink (27B) with strong pink (48C) lobes, outside also 27B with 48C lobes. Lvs elliptic, 110 × 35mm, twisted, matt green, hairless. Shrub 2.0m. Spring

(r) **'Apricot Sunset'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Weldy' (s) × 'Fiery Orange' H: T.L. Ring (1988), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 18/truss, open funnel-shaped, 41 × 51mm, 6-lobed, moderate reddish orange (178C), dark reddish orange (172B), brownish orange (172C) and moderate orange (172D) in bud, opening light and pale yellow (11B, C) with dark greenish yellow (152C) dorsal spots; outside moderate reddish orange (178C); filaments moderate reddish orange (178D); style light pink (39D); anthers moderate orange (166D); stigma moderate reddish brown (166B). Lvs 114 × 44mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.4 × 0.3m in 4 years. Early June

(a) **'Apricot Surprise'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage uncertain, but probably involves *calendulaceum* H: Minnesota Landscape Arboretum (c 1958), N: H. Pellett, I: Minnesota Landscape Arboretum (1987), REG: Minnesota Landscape Arboretum (1991) Fls single, 10-12/flat truss, broadly funnel-shaped, with an extremely narrow tube, 51 × 44mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes,

vivid yellow (17C), with vivid orange-yellow (23A) markings covering most of dorsal lobe; stamens 5, curved, unequal; scented. Calyx 3mm long, strong yellow-green (144A). Pedicels 10mmlong, strongyellow-green (144A). Lvs elliptic, 51-64 × 25-32mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base; hairy, hairs white at first, becoming light tan, evenly distributed above, on midrib and major veins below; petioles 5mm long, hairy, strong yellow-green (144A). Shrub 1.2-1.5 × 1.5-1.8m in 30 years. Early June

(r) **'April Affair'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pirouette' × 'Promise of Spring' R: J.G. Lofthouse, N: J.G. Lofthouse, I: J.G.Lofthouse (1982) Flswith wavy-edged lobes, hot pinks. Mid April

(r) **'April Beauty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *lacteum* × 'Point Defiance' × Joanita Group R: J.G. Lofthouse, N: J.G. Lofthouse, I: J.G. Lofthouse (1990) Fls white, suffused pink and with a bright maroon blotch

(r) **'April Blush'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group (white form) × *mucronulatum* (pink form) R: G.G. Nearing, N: G.G. Nearing, REG: G.G. Nearing (1969) Fls up to 40mm wide, blush pink fading to vivid white. Lvs c25mm long, narrow and thin, most not evergreen. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 10 years

(r) **'April Chimes'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *hippophaeoides* × *mollicomum* H: Hilliers (1938), G: Hilliers (1941), I: Hilliers (1969), REG: Hilliers (1969) Fls 3-6/terminal truss, funnel-shaped, 25 × 25mm or more, uniform rosy mauve, unmarked. Lvs narrowly elliptic, c25mm long, very scaly below. Shrub to 1.5m. Mid-late April

(r) **'April Cloud'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: (A double-fld selection from PJM Group × pink *mucronulatum*) × white *dauricum* × *minus* Carolinianum Group × PJM Group H: E.V. Mezitt (1978), G: Weston Nurseries (1982), N: M. Maxfield, I: Weston Nurseries, REG: Weston Nurseries (1987) Fls double, 5-8/flat, ball truss, 19 × 38mm, open funnel-shaped, with 3 corollas, outer two each with 5 wavy lobes, inner 3-5-lobed, pale yellow-green (155A); buds light yellow-green (154D). Calyx 0.8mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 19-32 × 13-19mm, slightly convex, apiculate at tip, cuneate at base, scaly above; scales green at first, aging to rusty green. Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in 9 years. Late April

(r) **'April Dawn'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group (white form) (s) × *dauricum* white form H: G.A.L. Mehlquist (1968), G: G.A.L. Mehlquist (1972), N: G.A.L. Mehlquist, I: G.A.L. Mehlquist, REG: G.A.L. Mehlquist (1988) Fls 3-4/terminal truss, broadly funnel-shaped, c20 × 40-50mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, light pink (49C); slightly scented. Calyx very small. Lvs elliptic, 50-100 × 20-30mm, flat, acute/apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, scaly; foliage mahogany colour in autumn. Shrub 1.0-1.2 × 0.6-0.8m in 10 years. April. Syn: 'White PJM'

(r) **'April Dream'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney (c 1955), G: W.E. Whitney, I: G. & Mrs A. Sather (1975), REG: G. & Mrs A. Sather (1976) Fls 12/ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 50 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds strong red (53C), opening strong purplish pink (55B), throat pale purplish pink (55D), with heavy, fan-shaped dorsal spotting of strong red (53B). Calyx minute. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 95-125 × 28-40mm, moderate olive green (147A), hairless. Shrub 1.9 × 1.5m in 10 years. Early April

(r) **'April Gem'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: (*minus* Carolinianum Group (white form) × *mucronulatum* 'Cornell Pink') × (*dauricum* (white form) × *dauricum*) (s) × white selection from *dauricum* (white form) × *dauricum* H: G.A.L. Mehlquist (1974), G: G.A.L. Mehlquist (1978), N: G.A.L. Mehlquist, I: G.A.L. Mehlquist, REG: G.A.L. Mehlquist (1988) Fls double, 2-3/lax, terminal truss, broadly funnel-shaped, with 5 smooth-edged lobes (and most stamens petaloid), pure white; slightly scented. Calyx very small. Lvs elliptic, 50-100 × 20-30mm, acute, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, scaly. Shrub 0.8-1.0 × 0.5-0.6m in 10 years. April. Fls likened to a small-flowered Gardenia.

(r) **'April Glory'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: complex *dauricum* hybrid R: Weston Nurseries (pre 1982), N: Weston Nurseries

(r) **'April Glow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Wilgen's Ruby' (s) × *williamsianum* R: A.C. van Wilgen, N: A.C. van Wilgen, I: A.C. van Wilgen (1967), REG: A.C. van Wilgen (1969) Fls 7-10/truss, campanulate, 40-65 × 90mm, red in bud, opening very pale pink, heavily overlaid deep purplish pink (54B), with light crimson spotting in the throat; outside tinged strong red (53D). Lvs ovate, 80-115 × 55mm, reddish when young, becoming more or less glossy green when mature. Shrub c1.5m. HC 1975 Syn: 'April Shower'

(r) **Aprilis Group** gp *ponticum* (s) × *dauricum* R: W. Herbert, N: W. Herbert, I: W. Herbert (1843), INC: ICRA (1958) (An elepidote/lepidote cross)

(r) **'April Joy'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: un-named double-flowered lavender (no. 73-107) (s) × 'Gable's Pioneer' × PJM Group H: E.V. & R.W. Mezitt (1978), G: Weston Nurseries (1981), N: R.W. Mezitt, I: Weston Nurseries (1981), REG: R.W. Mezitt (1998) Fls up to 5/flat truss, broadly funnel-shaped, fully double (all stamens petaloid), c40 × 50mm, with 15 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (68B). Lvs obovate, 30 × 15mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green, aromatic when crushed. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 10 years. Early April

(r) **Aprilleuchten Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Soulkew Group (s) × 'Metternianum' H: H. Robenek & D.G. Hobbie (c 1952), N: J. Wieting, I: J. Wieting Fls white; buds rosy

(r) **'April Love'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: (Double-fld sel.from PJM Group × pink *mucronulatum*) × white *dau-*

ricum (s) × 'Gable's Pioneer' × open-pollinated PJM Group H: E.V. Mezitt (1978), G: Weston Nurseries (1982), N: R.W. Mezitt, I: Weston Nurseries, REG: Weston Nurseries (1987) Fls double, 6-8/flat, ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 19 × 38mm, with 3 corollas, each with 5 wavy lobes, two outer light purplish pink (55C), inner pale yellow (11C) as flower opens, aging to pale purplish pink (56B). Calyx 1.5mm long, green. Lvs oblong, 32-57 × 16-22mm, flat or convex, acute at tip, cuneate at base, glossy green above, scaly; scales green at first, aging to rusty green. Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in 9 years. Late April

(r) **'April Pink'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* var. *chapmanii* (s) × 'Cornell Pink' H: A.E. Kehr (1969), G: A.E. Kehr (1976), N: A.E. Kehr (1988), I: A.E. Kehr (1988), REG: A.E. Kehr (1994) Fls 3/lax truss, funnel-shaped, 38 × 38mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (56A), throat heavily spotted with red; slightly scented; stamens 10, curved. Pedicels 10-16mm long, red. Lvs elliptic, 35 × 19mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, with light brown scales below, hairless above; petioles very short. Shrub 0.9 × 0.75m in 10 years. April

(r) **'April Reign'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group (white form) × *mucronulatum* 'Cornell Pink' (s) × *dauricum* (white form) × *dauricum* H: G.A.L. Mehlquist (1974), G: G.A.L. Mehlquist (1978), N: G.A.L. Mehlquist, I: G.A.L. Mehlquist, REG: G.A.L. Mehlquist (1988) Fls double, 3-5/lax, terminal truss, broadly funnel-shaped, with 5 smooth-edged lobes (and most stamens petaloid), pink, with a lighter centre; slightly scented. Calyx very small. Lvs elliptic, 50-100 × 20-30mm, acute/apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, scaly. Shrub 0.8-1.0 × 0.5-0.6m in 10 years. April

(r) **'April Rose'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: F2 (*minus* Carolinianum Group (white form) × *mucronulatum* 'Cornell Pink') (s) × *dauricum* (white form) × *dauricum* H: G.A.L. Mehlquist (1972), G: G.A.L. Mehlquist (1976), N: G.A.L. Mehlquist, I: G.A.L. Mehlquist, REG: G.A.L. Mehlquist (1988) Fls double, 3-4/flat, terminal truss, broadly funnel-shaped, c20 × 40-50mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes (and most stamens petaloid), vivid red (46B-C); slightly scented. Calyx very small. Lvs elliptic, 50-100 × 20-30mm, flat, acute/apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, scaly; reddish bronze in autumn. Shrub 0.8-1.0 × 0.5-0.6m in 10 years. April

(r) **'April Shower'** (Syn. of 'April Glow')

(a) **'April Showers'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1965), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1966) Fls pale yellow, with a golden centre and slight dorsal blotch. Compact habit. Early

(a) **'April Showers'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Purple Weeper' × 'Trailing Queen' I: Domoto Bros (pre 1987) Fls hose-in-hose, 55mm wide, strong pink (49A). Pendulous growth habit. Satsuki

(r) **'April Snow'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: (A double fld selection from PJM Group × pink *mucronulatum*) × white *dauricum* (s) × *minus* Carolinianum Group × PJM Group H: E.V. Mezitt (1978), G: Weston Nurseries (1982), N: E.V. Mezitt, I: Weston Nurseries, REG: Weston Nurseries (1987) Fls double, 12/flat, ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 19 × 38m, with 3 corollas, the outer two with 5 lobes each, the inner with 3-5 lobes, yellowish white (155D); buds are light yellowish green (150D). Calyx 0.8mm long, green. Lvs oblong, 19-32 × 10-16mm, acute at tip, cuneate at base, scaly; scales green at first, becoming rusty green with age. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 9 years. Late April-early May

(r) **'April Song'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: (A double fld selection from PJM Group × pink *mucronulatum*) × white *dauricum* (s) × 'Gable's Pioneer' × open-pollinated PJM Group H: E.V. Mezitt (1978), G: Weston Nurseries (1982), N: R.W. Mezitt, I: Weston Nurseries, REG: Weston Nurseries (1987) Fls double, c10/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 25 × 51mm, with 2 corollas, each with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (62B); stamens fused, forming an inner ring of contrasting lighter pink colour. Calyx 1.5mm long, green. Lvs oblong, 25-32 × 16-22mm, convex, acute at tip, rounded at base, glossy green above, scaly; scales green when young, becoming rusty green with age. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 9 years. Mid-late April

(r) **'April White'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: (*minus* Carolinianum Group (white form) × *mucronulatum* 'Cornell Pink') × (*dauricum* (white form) × *dauricum*) (s) × *dauricum* (white form) × *dauricum* H: G.A.L. Mehlquist (1972), G: G.A.L. Mehlquist (1976), N: G.A.L. Mehlquist, I: G.A.L. Mehlquist, REG: G.A.L. Mehlquist (1988) Fls semi-double, 3-4/flat, terminal truss, broadly funnel-shaped, c20 × 40-50mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes (and some stamens petaloid), pure white; slightly scented. Calyx very small. Lvs elliptic, 50-100 × 20-30mm, flat, acute/apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, scaly; bright yellow in autumn. Shrub 0.8-1.0 × 0.5-0.6m in 10 years. April.

(r) **'Apritan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: unknown, N: unknown, REG: R.H. Gustafson (1998) Fls 10-11/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 95mm, with 7 flat-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (55B) in bud, opening pale yellow (161C-D) in centre, edged light to pale purplish pink (55C-D); outside light purplish pink (55C). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 125-150 × 45-50mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, with wavy margins, dull and moderate yellow-green (146B) above, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 1.3m in c14 years. Mid June

(r) **'Aquamarin'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Lauretta' (s) × 'Crater Lake' H: H. Hachmann (1984), G: H. Hachmann (1988), N: H. Hachmann (1988), I: H. Hachmann (1995), REG: G. Stück (1995) Fls 5-8/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 24-28 × 35-42mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, brilliant violet (90D), the colour not fad-

ing in sunlight; unspotted; stamens long (20mm), conspicuous. Calyx 1(-2)mm long, greenish yellow. Lvs broadly elliptic (-ovate), 26-35 × 17-20mm, flat, glossy green above, cuneate at base, obtuse at apex, scaly. Shrub 1.2 × 0.8m in 10 years. May. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1995/96 (illustrated))

(a) **'Aquarell'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Helmut Vogel' R: H. & M. Baetcke, N: H. & M. Baetcke, I: H. & M. Baetcke (1992) Fls double, broadly funnel-shaped, c72mm wide, with 12-20 wavy-edged lobes, white (155D), with margins vivid purplish red (67B) and strong purplish pink (68B), with inconspicuous, light greenish yellow (1C) markings in the throat. Lvs obovate, c52 × 22mm, flat to concave, mucronate at apex, glossy mid to dark green above, with few if any hairs. Very early

(a) **'Aquarius'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls single, 2/truss, 75-90mm wide, with wavy-edged, imbricated lobes, strong reddish orange, with a dark red blotch; occasionally with a light pink centre. Mid May (and again August/September). (First published in Holly Springs cat., 1990)

(r) **'Arab'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *williamsianum* (s) × *sperabile* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink. Dense, compact, low shrub. April. (Arab Group)

(r) **Arab Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *williamsianum* (s) × *sperabile* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1933), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Arabella'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with yellow spots

(r) **'Arabella'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' (s) × 'Kluis Sensation' R: W. Sagemüller (1961), N: W. Schmalscheidt, I: W. Schmalschiedt (1986) Fls in a compact, spherical truss, with 5 tightly wavy-edged lobes, light pink outside; inside white with strong pink margins and dark red, dorsal markings. Lvs grey-green, with a white indumentum below. Shrub 0.8 × 1.8m in 24 years, very compact

(a) **'Arabesk'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Vuykvan Nes (pre 1970), N: Vuyk van Nes Fls 75mm wide, strong red (53D), with an occasional petaloid stamen. Vuykiana

(a) **'Arabesque'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown, REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1957) Fls pink, with frilled petals. (Deciduous azalea?)

(a) **'Arabian Nights'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Berna Park Nurseries (pre 1984) Fls single, terracotta pink. Kurume (Has been seen as 'Arabian Knights')

(a) **'Araby'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kagaribi' (s) × *indicum* R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 70-75mm wide, colour more brilliant than jasper red, not as fine as nopal red, blotch tyrian rose. Shrub to 1.5m. Early. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Araonone'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink, striped rose

(a) **'Arashiyama'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, white, with both broad and narrow, crimson and lighter red stripes and streaks. Satsuki (According to Creech (in the translated edition of Ito) the present day clone under this name is not the same)

(a) **'Aratama'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1978), N: Japan Fls single, up to 45mm wide, vivid red (5RP 5/13), with a darker blotch on dorsal lobes. Kurume

(v) **'Aravir'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *konori* (s) × 'Nancy Miller Adler' H: P. Sullivan (1971), G: W.A. Moynier, I: W.A. Moynier (1977), REG: W.A. Moynier (1980) Fls 7-10/rounded truss, very narrowly tubular funnel-shaped, c80 × 55mm, with (5-)6 wavy to very wavy-edged lobes, pure white; strongly scented. Lvs elliptic, 70 × 40mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, flat, with closely spaced, tiny, brown scales below. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 8 years. November-May

(r) **Arbad Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* subsp. *cinnamomeum* var. *album* (s) × *adenogynum* H: E.J.P. Magor (1917), G: E.J.P. Magor, N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1926), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 9/truss, 65 × 70mm, white, shaded pink externally, boldly spotted and blotched crimson inside. (Magor (pre 1929) also raised plants from *"arboreum kermesinum"* × *adenogynum* which had bright red flowers)

(r) **Arbcalo Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* subsp. *cinnamomeum* var. *album* (s) × *calophytum* H: E.J.P. Magor (1927), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1940), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **Arbcamp Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* (s) × *arboreum* subsp. *cinnamomeum* var. *album* H: E.J.P. Magor (1915), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls creamy white, with faint crimson spots

(r) **Arbking Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* subsp. *cinnamomeum* var. *album* × 'Mrs Kingsmill' R: E.J.P. Magor (pre 1929), N: E.J.P. Magor, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **Arblact Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* subsp. *cinnamomeum* var. *album* × *lacteum* R: E.J.P. Magor (pre 1930), N: E.J.P. Magor, INC: ICRA (1958) (The Endeavour Group is of the same parentage)

(r) **'Arboretum Norr'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Sweden (pre 1996), N: Sweden

(r) **'Arboreum Album'** (Syn. of 'Arboreum Aromaticum')

(r) **'Arboreum Ambrosii'** cv. Parentage unknown L: A. Henderson & Co. (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush pink, with a deep pink throat and bright crimson spots

(r) **'Arboreum Aromaticum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: A. Henderson & Co. (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Syn: 'Arboreum Album'

(a) **'Arboreum Purpureum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1843), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, purple, spotted (as shown by Hall, 1843). Syn: 'Conspicuum Purpureum', 'Purpureum Elegans' (Shown by Mrs L. Hall (1843) as 'Conspicuum Purpureum'; Henderson (1852) attributed it to Smith; other sources indicated introduction by Schulz (Germany) in 1863 and Knight (UK) in 1854. Perhaps more than one plant was involved)

(r) **'Arboreum Rubens'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1845), INC: ICRA (1958) (Exhibited in Antwerp by M.G. Moens. Perhaps correctly 'Rubens')

(r) **'Arboreum Superbum'** (Perhaps an error for 'Superbum' (Hardy Hybrid))

(r) **'Arboreum Violaceum'** (See note under 'Violaceum')

(r) **'Arborfield'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Crest' × 'Loderi Julie' R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners, REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1963) Fls up to 12/truss, shallow campanulate, 75 × 115mm, mimosa yellow (602/3), darkening towards the throat and with a light crimson mark; a few flowers tinged very pale pink. Lvs 150 × 65mm. AM 1963

(r) **Arbsutch Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* pink form × *sutchuenense* R: E.J.P. Magor (1915), N: E.J.P. Magor, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Arbutifolium'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* (s) × *ferrugineum* R: unknown (pre 1833), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12/racemose truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 25 × 30mm, delicate rose with a few crimson spots at base of dorsal lobe. Calyx lobes under 3mm long, slightly ciliate. Lvs more-or- less elliptic, 30-50x up to 22mm, dark dull green above, purplish in winter, with dense brown and scattered darker scales below. Shrub to 1.2m. Syn: 'Waterer's Hybridum'? (Some plants seen under the name 'Daphnoides' are reputed to be 'Arbutifolium')

(a) **'Arcadia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Malvaticum' (s) × *indicum* R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, open funnel-shaped, 75mm wide, between deep purplish pink (61D) and strong purplish pink (62A), deepening along ribs to deep purplish pink (61D) and with dorsal spotting of deep red (60A). Lvs glossy 45 × 13mm, green. Shrub to 2.2m. *HC 1969. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Archer'** (Syn. of 'Andros')

(a) **'Archiduc Albert'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L.de Cock (1868), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Archiduc Ernest'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1887), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, single, bright salmon crimson, with a large, red-brown blotch. Indian

(r) **'Archiduc Etienne'** cv. Parentage unknown I: A. Verschaffelt (1866), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with numerous black blotches (A. Verschaffelt, 1866); later sources give various other descriptions which appear to be errors. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Archiduchesse Stéphanie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. de Kneef (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, hose-in-hose, pure white, grained with carmine red and with a pale green blotch. Indian

(r) **'Archiduc Louis'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid L: E.F. André (1864), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large trusses, dark red, spotted

(a) **'Archiduc Rodolph'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Jules Verne' R: unknown (pre 1887), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with a white margin. Indian

(a) **'Archiduc Sigismund'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1880), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, single, with wavy-edged lobes, striped and dotted rose and carmine-red and with a pale greenish blotch. Indian

(r) **'Archimedes'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1851), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with a paler centre (bright cerise, with a few, light brown spots, in Rollisson cat. 1877). Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Arctic'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × 'Kagetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Flsoften 6-lobed, 65-75mm wide, white, with a greenish blotch. Shrub to 1.0m. Midseason. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Arctic Bear'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* subsp. *decorum* (s) × *decorum* subsp. *diaprepes* H: R.C. Gordon (1949), G: R.C. Gordon (1959), N: R.C. Gordon (1993), REG: R.C. Gordon (1993) Fls 8/ball-shaped truss, open funnel-campanulate, 75 × 130mm, with 8 wavy-edged lobes, very pale pink in bud, opening white, unspotted. Calyx 5mm long, pale green. Lvs oblong, 180 × 67mm, flat, matt green, cordate at base, acute at apex, hairless. Shrub 5 × 7m in 20 years. Late-flowering, the flowers with a strong, sweet scent

(r) **'Arctic Dawn'** (Syn. of 'Glenwood Arctic Dawn')

(r) **'Arctic Dawn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* (white selection) (s) × *brachycarpum* (as subsp. *tigerstedtii*) H: R. Behring (1973), G: R. Behring (1980), N: R. Behring, I: R. Behring (1982), REG: R. Behring (1984) Fls 19/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, 5-lobed, pure white, with 4mm wide, pale purplish pink (56A) edging and brilliant greenish yellow (4A) spotting on dorsal lobe. Calyx 4mm long, light yellow-green (154D). Lvs narrowly elliptic to more-or-less oblanceolate, slightly

glossy above, with a plastered indumentum, moderate to pale yellow (161A-D) below. Shrub 0.8m in 10 years.

(a) **'Arctic Flame'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Glenn Dale azalea seedling G: C. Herbert (1963), N: C. Herbert, I: C. Herbert (1967), REG: C. Herbert (1979) Fls hose-in-hose, 1-3/truss, open funnel-shaped, 30 × 65mm, with 5+5 very wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink (46D), with a dark red dorsal blotch; calyx as long as and coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 45-50 × 20-22mm, acute at apex, cuneate below, dark glossy green above, hairy. Shrub 0.4 × 0.6m in 17 years. Early May. Syn: 'Merci', 'Crown Jewel'. (Chance seedling in C.Herbert's garden)

(a) **'Arctic Fox'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Panda' (s) × *mucronatum* H: P.A. & K.N.E. Cox, G: P.A. & K.N.E. Cox, N: P.A. & K.N.E. Cox, I: Glendoick Gardens, REG: Glendoick Gardens (1998) Fls 2/truss, open funnel-shaped, 60mm wide, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, white flushed pale yellow-green (149D) in bud, opening pure white inside and out; unmarked. Calyx 5mm long, green. Lvs ovate, 15-30 × 10-15mm, flat, matt green, hairy. Shrub 0.6 × 1.0m in 15 years. May

(r) **'Arctic Glow'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group (white form) (s) × *dauricum* 'Arctic Pearl' H: G.D. Lewis (1970), G: G.D. Lewis (1974), N: G.D. Lewis, REG: G.D. Lewis (1988) Fls in a ball truss (composed of 2-3 buds, each with 3 fls), open funnel-shaped, 22 × 38mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light purple (75A) in bud, opening light purple (75B) fading to white in centre, dorsal lobe faintly spotted light purple (75B). Lvs elliptic, 70 × 29mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, scaly above. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 15 years. Late April. Syn: 'Northern Lights'

(r) **'Arctic Gold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: unnamed, low, white hybrid × un-named white with yellow centre H: E.V. Mezitt (1971), G: Weston Nurseries (1975), N: Weston Nurseries, I: Weston Nurseries, REG: Weston Nurseries (1987) Fls 20/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 38 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (54C) in bud, opening pale yellow (8D), with a strong greenish yellow (151A) blotch. Lvs elliptic, 127 × 64mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.6m in 7 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Arctic Pearl'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from white-flowered *dauricum* R: W. Baldsiefen (1960), N: W. Baldsiefen, I: W. Baldsiefen (1970), REG: W. Baldsiefen (1971) Fls 3-5/truss, flat-opening, 50mm wide, white. Lvs elliptic, 25 × 13mm. Shrub 0.6 × 0.4m in 10 years

(a) **'Arctic Regent'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown G: E. de Rothschild (c 1970), S: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: Exbury Enterprises Ltd, REG: Exbury Enterprises Ltd (1990) Fls 10/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 70 × 90mm, 6-lobed, yellowish white (155B), with a vivid yellow (17C) blotch on dorsal lobe. Lvs oblanceolate, 80 × 40mm; hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 1.0m. May. (Solent Group)

(r) **'Arctic Snow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* (white form) (s) × *brachycarpum* (as subsp. *tigerstedtii*) H: R. Behring (1973), G: R. Behring, N: R. Behring, I: R. Behring (1980), REG: R. Behring (1983) Fls 19/truss, 40 × 50mm, broadly funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, light pink in bud, opening white, with considerable dorsal spotting of vivid yellow (13A). Calyx 4mm long, light yellow-green (154D). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 170 × 50-60mm, moderate yellow-green (146B), with a plastered, light tan indumentum below. Shrub c1.1m in 8 years

(a) **'Arctic Sun'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Cecile', selfed H: A.A. Childers (1956), G: A.A. Childers, N: A.A. Childers, REG: A.A. Childers (1983) Fls 11-13/truss, 55 × 100mm, broadly funnel-shaped, 6-lobed, light orange-yellow (16B) in bud, opening yellowish white (155D); dorsal lobe almost wholly strong orange-yellow (17A) to vivid yellow (17B), edged pale orange-yellow (16D); outside retains a pink tinge. Calyx 3mm long, strong yellow-green (143C). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 110 × 35mm, strong yellowish green (135C); bronze-yellow in autumn. Shrub 1.2x 2.6m in 22 years. Knap Hill

(r) **'Arctic Tern'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *trichostomum* hybrid R: H.L. Larson, I: H.L. Larson, REG: P.A. Cox (1982) Fls 20/ball-shaped, crowded truss, open funnel-shaped, 5-8 × 10-15mm, with wavy-edged lobes, pure white, slightly tinged green in throat. Lvs 22-35 × 5-7mm, dark dull green. Shrub up to at least 1.2 × 1.4m. *HC 1982, *AM 1989, AM 1984 (Reported to be a *Ledum* × *Rhododendron* hybrid, hence a × *Ledodendron*)

(r) **'Arden Belle'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Rosy Bell' (s) × *glaucophyllum* I: T.C. Thacker (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose pink

(r) **'Arden Fairy'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *racemosum* (s) × *lutescens* I: T.C. Thacker (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls creamy pink

(r) **'Arden Primrose'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* (s) × 'Pink Pearl' I: T.C. Thacker (1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale yellow

(a) **'Ardens'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1839), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark red. Ghent

(a) **'Ardens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Smith (pre 1845), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange scarlet. Indian

(r) **'Ardens'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Gheldolf (1844), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish deep violet, velvety. Syn: 'Atrosanguineum Velutinum'

(a) **'Ardens Carmosinum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. van Geert (1843), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very dark scarlet red. Ghent

(a) **'Ardens Grandiflorum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. van Geert (1877), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blood red. Ghent

(r) **'Ardent Beau'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Billy Budd' (s) × 'Etta Burrows' H: H. O'Rourke (1987), G: H. O'Rourke (1997), N: H. O'Rourke (2002), REG: H. O'Rourke (2002) Fls 18/flat-topped truss, campanulate, 80 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (45C) in bud and when open, both inside and out. Lvs oblanceolate, 175 × 40mm, margins decurved, acute at apex, obtuse at base, with a light covering of brown hairs. Shrub 1.0 × 0.5m in 14 years, the stems covered in bristle-like hairs. October (Tasmania). (Standard:colour print provided by registrant (WSY0038778))

(a) **'Ardentissimum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, deep vermilion (a lively red in the centre). Ghent

(a) **'Ardeur'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport of 'Santa Maria' R: C. de Coninck-Dervaes, I: L. Sonneville (1965) Fls moderate red (47A)

(r) **Ardis Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *forrestii* Repens Group (s) × 'Werei' H: Lord Aberconway (1936), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright red

(r) **'Ardrishaig'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *bureavii* R: Glendoick Gardens, N: Glendoick Gardens, I: Glendoick Gardens, REG: P.A. Cox (1988) Fls 10-11/truss, campanulate, up to 55 × 80mm, 5-lobed, yellowish white (155D), upper throat densely spotted (and sometimes flushed) moderate purplish red (64A). Calyx yellow-green. Lvs ovate-lanceolate, up to 105×45mm, dark glossy green above, with a rusty brown indumentum below. Early May. AM 1988 (Distinct in having a very large truss for *bureavii*)

(a) **'Arduwi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: B. Arends & Zn (pre 1998), N: B. Arends & Zn

(r) **'Ardy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' × *williamsianum* R: Boskoop, N: Boskoop, REG: Boskoop (1969) Fls 7-8/truss, campanulate, pink (625/1). Lvs broadly ovate, 60-90mm long

(r) **'Arena'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *haematodes* (s) × Matador Group H: F.E.W. Hanger (1947), G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society (1953), I: Royal Horticultural Society (1953), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Arethusa'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Rinz (c 1854), N: J. Rinz, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, creamy white, striped pale nankeen yellow. Ghent

(r) **'Arethusa'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls delicate pink

(a) **'Argenteum Flore Pleno'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: F. Schneider (1863), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Argenteum Rubrum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *grande* × *arboreum* R: Lüdicke (pre 1926), INC: ICRA (1958) (May actually be a Group and possibly identical to Red Argenteum Group; *arboreum* parent listed as "arboreum rubrum": see *Rh.Soc.Notes* 3 (2):113 (1926))

(r) **'Argentina'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (white form) × *yakushimanum* (s) × unknown H: D.G. Leach (1966), G: D.G. Leach (1973), N: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1991) Fls 21/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (57B). Calyx minute, light green. Lvs obovate, 130 × 50mm, slightly convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 3.3 × 3.6m. Midseason. (Pollen parent previously reported as 'Fanfare' × 'Gertrud Schäle' was later considered unlikely by raiser)

(r) **Argiolus Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *augustinii* (s) × *concinnum* Benthamianum Group H: Lord Aberconway (1926), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway (1939), I: Lord Aberconway (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blue to purplish blue

(a) **'Argosy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Maxwellii' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 75-90mm wide, geranium pink, darkening to rose doree on upper half of lobes, blotch conspicuous, with large dots of tyrian rose. Shrub to 1.5m. Early. Glenn Dale

(r) **Argosy Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × *auriculatum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, faintly flushed pink; sweetly scented. June. (Also raised at Tower Court c1924 and described as: fls 6/truss, trumpet-shaped, 90 × 100mm, pure white, with dull crimson ray at base of tube)

(r) **'Argosy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × *auriculatum* INC: ICRA (1958) (Argosy Group. The predominant clone of this Group in cultivation; whether Exbury or Tower Court origin is uncertain)

(r) **'Argosy Snow White'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × *auriculatum* R: L. de Rothschild, I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white. AM 1938 Syn: 'Snow White' (Argosy Group)

(a) **'Argus'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1874), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single or semi-double, bright salmon rose, with a crimson black blotch tinged wine red. Indian

(r) **'Argyll'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'J.G.Millais' × *thomsonii* R: Sir James Horlick, N: Sir James Horlick, REG: Sir James Horlick (1957)

(a) **'Ariadne'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Dallière (1852), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Ariadne'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Smet, I: C. Vuylsteke (1888), INC: ICRA (1958)

Fls double, tinged pink in bud, opening white, with a creamy throat. Rustica

(r) **'Ariadne'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white

(r) **'Ariadne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* (s) × 'Grand Duke of Würtemberg' R: C.B. van Nes & Sons, I: C.B. van Nes & Sons (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, heavily spotted. Shrub of poor habit

(a) **'Ariake'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *eriocarpum* (s) × *kaempferi* R: K. Wada, N: K. Wada, I: K. Wada (pre 1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, brownish purple-red. Dwarf, compact shrub. Wada

(a) **'Ariel'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Standishii' × a Ghent hybrid R: H. White (pre 1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls opening cream, with a deep orange flare, fading to white and yellow respectively. Late. Ghent

(a) **'Ariel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Konigin' Cleopatra' R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with white margins. Indian

(r) **'Ariel'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright pink, with yellow spots

(r) **Ariel Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × 'Memoir' R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white or pale pink. Tall shrub. April-May

(v) **'Ariel'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1893), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 75mm wide, with funnel-like tube, bright yellow (slightly darker than primrose). AM 1893

(r) **'Ariel Sherman'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague' (s) × 'Countess of Derby' H: W.A. Moynier (1971), G: W.A. Moynier (1980), N: W.A. Moynier, I: W.A. Moynier (1981), REG: W.A. Moynier (1985) Fls 13-17/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, opening deep red (53A), fading to strong purplish red (54A), throat white, dorsal spots of 54A. Calyx inconspicuous. Lvs between narrowly elliptic and elliptic, 100-125 × 45-50mm, with a very light, patchy, brown indumentum. Shrub 1.0m in 12 years.

(a) **'Aries'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Waraigishi' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double to semi-double, 75mm wide, rose pink, with a few dots of tyrian rose on the upper petals. Shrub to 1.0m. Late. Glenn Dale (Probably never released)

(r) **'Aries'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* (s) × *neriiflorum* R: Sir John Ramsden (1922), N: Sir John Ramsden, I: Sir John Ramsden (1932), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 5/truss, campanulate, 50-55 × 60-65mm, glowing blood red (820/3), overlaid 820/1, faintly spotted on dorsal lobe. AM 1932, FCC 1938 (Aries Group. Standard: painting of AM plant (WSY 0019926))

(r) **Aries Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* (s) × *neriiflorum* R: Sir John Ramsden (1922), N: Sir John Ramsden, I: Sir John Ramsden (1932), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Ariou'** cv. Parentage unknown L: G. Morlet (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) (Published in *Horticulture Français*, 1854: 107-111)

(a) **'Arista'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Homebush' seedling × 'Strawberry Rose' R: P.E. Girard (pre 1985), N: P.E. Girard Fls 18-28/truss, 65-75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (52B), flushed pale purplish pink (55D), with a brilliant orange-yellow (21B) blotch. Lvs deep green. Early

(r) **'Aristaeus'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Bulstrode Park' (s) × 'Loderi King George' H: M.J. Lane (1985), G: M.J. Lane (1993), N: M.J. Lane (1996), I: G. Reuthe Ltd, REG: M.J. Lane (1996) Fls 10/rounded truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 80mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, buds white at base, shading to strong purplish pink (55B) at tip and with a deep purplish pink (54B) midrib, opening inside white with random patches of light purplish pink (55C); outside white with random patches of light purplish pink (55C) and with a deep purplish pink (54B) dorsal midvein; strong red (46A) spotting on dorsal lobe, extending on to half of each adjacent lobe, spots more numerous towards apex. Calyx 30mm long, vivid red (46B), fading to moderate reddish orange (173B). Lvs oblong, 145 × 50mm, margins decurved, matt green above, cuneate at base, mucronate at apex, hairless when mature. Shrub 1.1 × 0.9m in 11 years (pot grown). Early to late May

(a) **'Aristakes Azarian Effendi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1892), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, flesh pink, with pure white edges and a bright carmine blotch. Indian

(r) **'Aristide Briand'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pink Pearl' × an unknown hardy hybrid R: L.J. Endtz & Co. (pre 1950), N: L.J. Endtz & Co., I: L.J. Endtz & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large trusses, carmine

(r) **'Aristocrat'** (Syn. of 'Buttermint')

(r) **'Aristocrat'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Johannes Vermeer' × 'Britannia' R: M. Koster & Sons, N: M. Koster & Sons, REG: M. Koster & Sons (1964) Fls 10-14/truss, 80mm long, rhodamine pink (527/1) inside, with darker spots on the dorsal lobe

(a) **'Arius'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (pre 1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light pink, spotted. Indian

(r) **'Arizona'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ((unknown × (*catawbiense* (white-fld) × (*fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × Fabia Group)) × 'Mary Belle') × 'Catalgla' (s) × 'Burma'

H: D.G. Leach (1985), G: D.G. Leach (1992), N: D.G. Leach (1995), REG: D.G. Leach (1996) Fls 18/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, red in bud, opening pale yellow-green (4D) throughout, with a dark red (183A) blotch on the dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 50mm, semi-glossy and mid green above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 0.9m in 10 years. Early June

(r) **'Arkadius'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scintillation' (s) × 'Furnivall's Daughter' H: H. Hachmann (1966), G: H. Hachmann (1972), N: H. Hachmann (1992), I: H. Hachmann (1993), REG: G. Stück (1994) Fls 14-16/conical, rounded, fairly compact truss, open funnel-shaped, 45-52 × 85-95mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (68B), with outside and edges deep to strong purplish pink (68A/B), with a white band up to 10mm wide along midveins inside; conspicuous blotch of dark greenish yellow (152C/D) (to deep or strong yellowish green (153A/B)) on dorsal lobe which extends onto adjacent lobes; stamens 8-9; filaments white, tinted rose, anthers reddish brown; style white, stigma deep red (53A). Calyx 3mm long, greenish. Lvs elliptic-ovate, 100-140 × 45-60mm, flat, glossy dark green above, rounded at base, cuspidate at apex, hairless. Shrub 1.7 × 1.7m in 10 years. Mid May-early June. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1993/1994)

(r) **'Arkle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Carmen Group × 'Moonshine Supreme' R: Hydon Nurseries, N: Hydon Nurseries, REG: Hydon Nurseries (1972) Fls strong red (53B)

(r) **'Arkona'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ann Lindsay' (s) × *calophytum* H: H. Hachmann (1983), G: H. Hachmann (1989), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 16-18/compact truss, tubular-campanulate, 50-55 × 70mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, inside pale purplish pink (62D) with edges moderate purplish pink (62B), fading to paler pink to almost white; outside pale purplish pink (62D), midveins moderate purplish pink (62B), fading to paler pink; a conspicuous basal blotch and some spots of dark red (187B/C); stamens 10-12(-14), filaments white, anthers dark brown; the long style light yellow-green (150D), stigma moderate red (182A). Calyx c1-2mm long, pale yellow-green (149D). Lvs elliptic, 230-250 × 60-80mm, slightly convex but with flat margins, cuspidate at apex, rounded at base, matt green above, the lower side with vestiges of felt-like indumentum when mature. Shrub 1.6 × 1.8m in 10 years. Late April-mid May. (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030610). First published in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(r) **'Arlem'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Pinguet-Guindon & Fils (c 1927), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with a white centre, edged carmine

(a) **'Arlene Leach'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Nadine' R: O.S. Pride, N: O.S. Pride, I: O.S. Pride (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, bright pink. Gable

(r) **'Arlene Utz'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage includes *catawbiense*, *maximum* and possibly some unknown hybrids H: W.D. Smith (1968), G: W.D. Smith, N: W.D. Smith, REG: W.D. Smith (1979) Fls up to 11/truss, 75mm wide, 7-lobed, strong purplish red (7.5RP 4/11) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (5RP 6/10) with moderate purplish red (5RP 5/10) edging and shaded deep purplish red (7.5RP 3/9) in the throat

(a) **'Arlequin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, edged white. Indian

(a) **'Arlequin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Vervaene & Schryver, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, purple-red, with purple stripes and spots. Indian

(r) **'Arlequin'** (Syn. of 'Dexter's Harlequin')

(r) **'Arlie'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1988)

(r) **Arma Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *forrestii* Repens Group (s) × *dichroanthum* H: Lord Aberconway (1927), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange scarlet

(a) **'Armada'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Stewart & Son (pre 1965) Fls deep pink

(a) **'Armand'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, red. Calyx dark. Indian

(a) **'Armand Haerens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1923), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, red. Syn: 'Red Picotee', 'Red Leopold Astrid'. Indian

(r) **'Armantine'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1988)

(a) **'Armco'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Stokes (pre 1969), N: W.E. Stokes

(r) **Armia Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* subsp. *xanthocodon* Concatenans Group (s) × *lutescens* H: J.B. Stevenson (1941), G: J.B Stevenson, N: J.B. Stevenson, I: J.B. Stevenson (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow

(a) **'Armide'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L.L. Liebig (1868), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Arminius'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ('America' × *yakushimanum*) open-pollinated G: R. Behring (1989), N: R. Behring, I: R. Behring, REG: R. Behring (1990) Fls 25/tall, domed truss, open funnel-campanulate, 52 × 52mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (55A), with a large, deep red (53A) blotch and gold anthers. Calyx 2mm long, fawn. Lvs elliptic, 127 × 57mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green, hairless, wrinkled. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 13 years. Early June. (From seed collected by R. Behring in 1977)

(r) **'Armistice Day'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid (s) × 'Maxwell T. Masters' R: C.B. van

Nes & Sons (pre 1918), N: C.B. van Nes & Sons, I: C.B. van Nes & Sons (1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10-14/hemispherical truss, broadly campanulate, 50 × 70-80mm, soft rose scarlet, without conspicuous marks. Calyx with narrow lobes. Lvs lanceolate, 150 × 55mm

(a) **'Armstrong's Fall'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls reddish orange. Autumn-flowering. (Said to be a *kamepferi* hybrid)

(a) **'Armstrong's White'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: B.Y. Morrison, N: S.M. Armstrong, I: H. Hill (pre 1987) Fls semi-double, 75mm wide, white. Low, compact shrub

(a) **'Arnamatia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Knight & Perry (pre 1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Arndt'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with greenish brown spots and wavy-edged lobes

(v) **'Arne Jensen'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *loranthiflorum* (s) × 'Taylorii' H: A. Jensen (pre 1985?), G: A. Jensen, N: L. Sorensen-Smith (1996), I: Bovees Nursery (1996), REG: L. Sorensen-Smith (1999) Fls 8-10/domed truss, funnel-campanulate, 45 × 45mm, with 5 wavy- to very wavy-edged lobes, deep, strong and light purplish pink (55A-C) in bud, opening the same colours inside and out, the outside shading to white at the base of the tube; unmarked. Calyx minute, cream, edged light red. Lvs elliptic, (55-)75x(25-)40mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins slightly decurved, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (137B) above. Shrub 0.75-0.9 × 0.75m in 10 years. Flowering twice a year. (First published in The Bovees Nursery cat. (1996))

(a) **'Arneson Baby Doll'** cv. Deciduous azalea: F3 selection from ('Gallipoli' × 'Cecile') (s) × F3 selection from ('Gallipoli' × 'Cecile') H: I. & R. Arneson (1980), G: I. & R. Arneson (1986), N: I. & R. Arneson, I: Arneson Nursery (1994), REG: I. & R. Arneston (1994) Fls up to 14/ball truss, semi-double (some petaloid stamens), broadly funnel-shaped, 44 × 64mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (51B) in bud, opening yellowish white (155D), edged vivid purplish red (61C) and with a brilliant greenish yellow (6A) throat; stamens 0-2, curved, unequal. Calyx 3mm long, green. Pedicels 6mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 76-102 × 25-38mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, slightly bullate above, slightly hairy below; petioles 5mm long, green. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 14 years. May

(a) **'Arneson Gem'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'C.B. van Nes' × 'Koster's Brilliant Red' (s) × unknown H: I. & R. Arneson (1975), G: I. & R. Arneson (1982), N: I. & R. Arneson, I: I. & R. Arneson, REG: I. & R. Arneson (1989) Fls single, 10-15/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 70 × 95mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, buds strong red (41B) with light yellow streaks towards the base, opening vivid yellow (16A) in throat, shading to strong reddish orange (34C) at margins, outside strong red (41B); slightly scented. Calyx 10mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 64-89 × 32-38mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, slightly hairy. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in 12 years. Early-mid May

(a) **'Arneson Little Gem'** cv. Deciduous azalea: unnamed Mollis seedling (s) × 'Arneson Gem' H: I. & R. Arneson (1983), G: I. & R. Arneson (1989), N: I. & R. Arneson (2002), I: Briggs Nursery Inc. (2002), REG: I. & R. Arneson (2002) Fls 10-14/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish orange (42A) in bud, opening inside light orange-yellow (19A), edged vivid reddish orange (42A), with a strong orange-yellow (17A) blotch on the dorsal lobe; outside light orange-yellow (19A), mottled with vivid reddish orange (42A). Calyx c3mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 50-75 × 20-25mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins flat, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (146A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.45 × 0.75m in 18 years. Late April-mid May

(a) **'Arneson Pink'** cv. Deciduous azalea: F3 selection from ('Gallipoli' × 'Cecile') (s) × F3 selection from ('Gallipoli' × 'Cecile') H: I. & R. Arneson (1979), G: I. & R. Arneson (1985), N: I. & R. Arneson, I: Arneson Nursery (1994), REG: I. & R. Arneson (1994) Fls 9/ball truss, semi-double (some petaloid stamens), broadly funnel-shaped, 64 × 89mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong to moderate purplish pink (67D, 62B); stamens 0-5, curved, unequal. Calyx 3mm long, green. Pedicels 16mm long, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 89-102 × 25-38mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, slightly bullate above, slightly hairy below; petioles 9-13mm long, green. Shrub 1.1 × 1.2m in 15 years. May

(a) **'Arneson Red'** (Syn. of 'Red Sunset')

(a) **'Arneson Ruby'** cv. Deciduous azalea: F3 selection from ('Gibraltar' × 'Favor Major') (s) × F3 selection from (('Gibraltar' × 'Favor Major') × 'Wallown Red') H: I. & R. Arneson (1983), G: I. & R. Arneson (1989), N: I. & R. Arneson, I: Arneson Nursery (1994), REG: I. & R. Arneston (1994) Fls 13/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 64 × 89mm, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes, strong red (46A); stamens 6-7, curved, unequal. Calyx 3mm long, green. Pedicels 9mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 76 × 38mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, slightly bullate above, slightly hairy below; petioles 5mm long, green. Shrub 1.4 × 0.9m in 10 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Arnim'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel, N: T.J.R. Seidel, I: T.J.R. Seidel (1906), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple-red, with dark red spots

(r) **'Arno'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Everestianum' hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel (1891), N: T.J.R. Seidel, I: T.J.R. Seidel (1906), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a dense, pyramidal truss, pale lilac to white, with prominent red markings.

(a) **Arnold Group** gp Evergreen azalea: 'Amoenum' × *kaempferi* S: J.T. Dawson (c 1910), INC: ICRA (1958)

Fls single, 25-30mm wide, rose to purple; unusually hardy for evergreen azaleas. (Derived from a chance hybrid at the Arnold Arboretum)

(r) **'Arnold Piper'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anna' (s) × 'Marinus Koster' H: H. Lem (pre 1955), G: A. Piper, I: J.G. Lofthouse (1971), REG: J.G. Lofthouse (1981) Fls 15/ball to domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, c70 × 125mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong to vivid red (46A-B) in bud, opening strong purplish red (58B) and fading to deep purplish pink (58D) with age, with a blotch and heavy dorsal spotting of dark red (187A). Calyx 6mm long, red. Lvs elliptic, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 0.75m in 19 years. Mid May. Syn: 'Pied Piper'

(r) **'Arnold Teese'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: unknown (s) × 'Alice Street' × 'Crest' R: A.J. Teese, I: A.B. Raper, REG: A.B. Raper (1985) Fls 13-15/truss, campanulate, 45 × 70mm, light greenish yellow (5C). Lvs elliptic, 120 × 50mm. Shrub 2.0m

(r) **'Arnošt Silva-Tarouca'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* × 'Caractacus' R: B. Kavka (pre 1972), N: B. Kavka Fls 10-24/truss, 70mm wide, purple pink in bud (28/1-28/3), opening light purple pink (629/2-629/3), blotch brown purple (928/3-928/1). Lvs broadly elliptic, 110 × 56mm, green and glossy (0960). Shrub 1.2m in 9 years

(r) **'Aromana'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: F2 selection from 'Flameheart' R: M. Haworth-Booth, N: M. Haworth-Booth, REG: M. Haworth-Booth (1968) Fls white, with an intense, far-reaching fragrance. Late July

(a) **'Aromi Sunny-side-up'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *austrinum* (s) × 'Golden Sunset' H: E.J. Aromi (1978), G: John Smith (1982), N: D. Ellis, I: Magnolia Nursery (1995), REG: Magnolia Nursery (1996) Fls 8-16/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 36 × 45mm, 5-lobed, vivid yellow (13A), with a vivid orange-yellow (23A) blotch; moderately scented. Calyx more-or-less strong yellow-green (144A). Lvs elliptic, 70 × 33mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and close to strong yellow-green (143A) above, strong yellow-green (144A) and with discrete, yellow-green hairs below. Shrub 1.8 × 1.1m in 10 years. Mid-April. (First published in Fairweather Gardens cat., 1995)

(a) **'Aromi Sunrise'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Hiawatha' (Knap Hill) (s) × *austrinum* H: E.J. Aromi (1978), G: John Smith (1981), N: D. Ellis, I: Magnolia Nursery (1994), REG: Magnolia Nursery (1996) (First published in Fairweather Gardens cat., 1994)

(a) **'Aromi Sunstruck'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *austrinum* (s) × 'White Swan' H: E.J.Aromi (1978), G: JohnSmith (1981), N: D. Ellis, I: Magnolia Nursery (1995), REG: Magnolia Nursery (1996) Fls 14/lax truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 45 × 45mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid yellow (15A), with a vivid orange-yellow (23A) blotch. Lvs elliptic, 60xc25mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, with discrete hairs below. Shrub 1.8 × 0.9m in 10 years. Mid-late April. (First published in Fairweather Gardens cat., 1995)

(a) **Aronense Group** gp Evergreen azalea: derived from crosses between 'Multiflorum' (azalea) & the Arendsii & Indian azaleas R: W. Arends (pre 1960), N: W. Arends Fls smaller than the Arendsii azaleas, but very floriferous. Foliage dark green, colouring well in autumn. Low, compact shrubs, up to c0.6 × 1.0m

(r) **'Aronimink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pygmalion' × *haematodes* × 'Wellfleet': exact combination not known H: C.O. Dexter (c 1940), G: Scott Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister, I: Scott Arboretum, REG: Scott Arboretum (1980) Fls 20/ball truss, 100 × 100mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (7.5RP 4/11), with two, solid, deep purplish red (5RP 3/9) flares and paler, browner, peripheral spotting on dorsal lobe; smaller flares in throat below other lobes. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 115mm, moderate olive green above, hairless. Shrub 2.4 × 2.4m in 16 years. Mid May. (Sometimes listed in error as 'Acronimink')

(a) **'Arosa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1989) Fls rose

(a) **'Arpège'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *viscosum* × 'Koster's Brilliant Red' H: B.B.C. Felix (1938), N: Boskoop (1968), I: Boskoop, REG: Boskoop (1968) Fls 10/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40-45mm wide, light yellow (20B), the tube tinged yellowish pink; fragrant. Late

(a) **'Arrowhead'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nancy of Robinhill' × 'Ledifolium Roseum' R: R.D. Gartrell (pre 1981), N: Cripple Creek Nursery (c 1984) Fls double, 75mm wide, strong pink (49A), but variable and some darker, others lighter with faint pastel shading. Shrub to 1.0m. Midseason

(r) **'Arsen's Pink'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *keiskei* × *racemosum* R: F.A. Arsen (pre 1989), N: F.A. Arsen Fls pink, shading to white. Compact shrub

(a) **'Arsen's Rose'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* R: F.A. Arsen (pre 1989), N: F.A. Arsen

(r) **'Art Childers'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Warm Spring' × 'Yellow Creek' (s) × 'Crest' × ('C.I.S.' × 'Lem's Goal') H: A.A. Childers, G: A.A. Childers (1980), N: M. Childers, I: Bovees Nursery, REG: M. Childers (1988) Fls 14-16/ball truss, open funnel- to flat saucer-shaped, the 7 wavy-edged lobes slightly recurved, buds moderate yellow (162A/B) with a tint of moderate reddish orange (179C), opening light yellow (10C), shading to light yellow (10B) in throat. Calyx 3-10mm long, yellow-green. Lvs oblong to elliptic, 115 × 55mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy, hairless and dark yellowish green (139A) above, moderate yellow-green (138C) below. Shrub 1.8 × 1.2m in 10 years, with moderately scented fls. Late May-early June

(r) **'Art Dome'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marinus Koster' (s) × 'Loderi Pink Diamond' H: D. Griswold

(1974), G: Griswold Nursery, N: W.O. Griswold, I: Griswold Nursery, REG: G. Griswold & O. Holm (2001) Fls 9/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 100 × 90mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, red in bud, opening vivid purplish red (61C) with darker freckles on dorsal lobe, paling slightly with age. Lvs ovate, 115 × 45mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, margins slightly upcurved, moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 2.5m in 25 years. Early May

(r) **'Artemis'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* subsp. *cinnamomeum* var. *album* × *griffithianum* R: E.J.P. Magor (1921), N: E.J.P. Magor, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white

(v) **'Artemis'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Ophelia' × *robinsonii* R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1891), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls primrose yellow

(r) **'Artevelde'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Byls (pre 1854), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, lilac

(a) **'Arthur'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: F. Schneider (1863), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Arthur Baker'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte, père (1891), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet pink. Amoena

(r) **'Arthur Bedford'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: unnamed mauve seedling × *ponticum* R: T.H. Lowinsky (pre 1935), I: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 11-16/compact, pyramidal truss, funnel-shaped, 55 × 90mm, the tube pale mauve, the lobes darker, with dark rose madder to nearly black markings inside; scented. Lvs oblong-elliptic, up to 165 × 65mm, glossy, dark green. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. AM 1936, *FCC 1958 Syn: 'A. Bedford' (The expanded form of the name is to be regarded as the correct spelling)

(r) **'Arthur Charles'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sir Charles Lemon' (s) × 'Gill's Crimson' H: C. Weeks (1981), G: C. Weeks (1987), N: C. Weeks (1989), I: C. Weeks (1989), REG: C. Weeks (1992) Fls 16/slightly lax truss, 70 × 89mm, tubular funnel-shaped, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63B) at margins, shading to strong purplish red (67A) at centre, with heavy spotting of strong purplish red (60B) on 3 dorsal lobes; outside strong purplish red (63B); stamens 10, curved, unequal. Calyx 3mm long, strong red (50A). Pedicels 32mm long, red. Lvs ovate to lanceolate, 140 × 57mm, convex, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, matt, dark yellowish green (139A) above, with a felted reddish indumentum below; petioles 25mm long, strongyellow-green (143A). Shrub 0.9 × 0.7m in 11 years. March

(r) **'Arthur de Smet'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. de Cock & Soeur (1872), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Arthur de Warelles'** (Syn. of 'Madame Arthur de Warelles')

(r) **'Arthur de Warrelles'** (See note under 'Madame Arthur de Warelles')

(r) **'Arthur Hardy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *calophytum* × Idealist Group H: G.A. Hardy, G: G.A. Hardy, N: G.A. Hardy (1986), I: G.A. Hardy (1986), REG: G.A. Hardy (1986) Fls 14-16/rounded truss, campanulate, up to 40 × 100mm, 7-lobed, pale yellow-green (4D), with a small greyed purple blotch in dorsal throat; nectaries prominent. Calyx rudimentary, green. Lvs oblong, up to 190 × 70mm, dark green above, paler below, hairless. AM 1986

(r) **'Arthur Helps'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot) (c 1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark crimson, with a white eye. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Arthur Horsley'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'White Swan' (s) × 'Nestucca' H: D.A. Horsley (1972), G: D.A. Horsley (1979), N: D.A. Horsley, REG: D.A. Horsley (1986) Fls 13-17/truss, open funnel-shaped, 30 × 80mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (55B) in bud, opening yellowish white (155D), with two, small, brilliant yellow-green (150C), finger-shaped blotches in dorsal throat and a few spots of the same colour above blotches. Calyx 3mm long, moderate purplish red (184C) at lobe tips. Lvs between narrowly elliptic and elliptic, 100-115 × 40-47mm, dull, moderate olive green (137A) above, with short, scattered, tan hairs below. Shrub 1.0 × 0.8m in 8 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Arthur Howells'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cilicalyx* × *formosum* H: A. Howells, G: A. Howells, N: Victorian Branch, Australian Rhododendron Soc. (1991), REG: Victorian Branch, Australian Rhododendron Soc. (1992) Fls 4-8/loose, flat truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside light purplish pink (62C), fading to near white, outside strong purplish pink (62A). Lvs oblanceolate, 70 × 30mm, flat, matt green, hairless. Shrub 2.0m. Spring

(r) **'Arthuria'** cv. Elepidoterhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × 'Master Dick' R: J.J. Crosfield, I: E.H. King (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c13/globular truss, funnel-campanulate, 75 × 115mm, rose madder (23/1), darkening in throat, with brown spotting on dorsal lobes. Lvs broadly lanceolate, 175 × 50mm, dull green. AM 1952 (Raiser assumed from origin of exhibited material)

(r) **'Arthurianum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: T. Methven & Son (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale

(r) **'Arthur J. Ivens'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *williamsianum* (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* Houlstonii Group H: A.J. Ivens (1932), G: Hilliers (1944), N: Hilliers, I: Hilliers, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 4-5/truss, nodding, broadly campanulate, 7-lobed, c45-50 × 80-85mm, delicate rose pink (628/3), with two, small, rose-crimson flashes above the ovary and darker veining; buds rose bengal (25/1). Lvs oblong-ovate, up to 70 × 40mm. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. AM 1944 (Standard: painting of AM plant (WSY 0019928))

(r) **'Arthur John Holden'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: un-named salmon-coloured hybrid (s) × 'Purple

Splendour' H: P. Holden (1968), G: Mrs A.J. Holden, I: P. Holden, REG: P. Holden (1981) Fls 13-15/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, c50 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish red (64A) in bud, opening strong purplish red (64C) with strong purplish red (64B) edging, the throat 64C and strong yellowish pink (33C); spotting on dorsal lobe and part of adjacent lobes dark red (187A); outside strong purplish red (71B). Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 135 × 50mm, glossy, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.9m in 11 years. Early May

(r) **'Arthur Osborn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *sanguineum* subsp. *didymum* (s) × *griersonianum* R: Kew (1929), N: Kew, I: Kew (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c6/truss, funnel-shaped, horizontal or pendulous, 65mm wide, ruby-terracotta-coloured, with an orange scarlet tube. Lvs oblong-lanceolate, up to 90mm long, with a fawn indumentum below. Shrub to 1.0m. AM 1933

(r) **'Arthur Ostler'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anna Rose Whitney' (s) × Mrs G.W. Leak' H: A.G. Ostler (1976), G: A.G. Ostler, N: A.G. Ostler, REG: A.G. Ostler (1984) Fls 18/truss, 45 × 75mm, funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, phlox pink (625) in bud, opening 625/2 with a paler centre and a prominent red flare in the throat. Calyx 6-7mm long, pink. Lvs elliptic, 110-160 × 40-55mm, hairless. Medium tall shrub

(a) **'Arthur Pride'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Nadine' G: O.S. Pride, I: O.S. Pride (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, white. Small shrub

(r) **'Arthur Pride'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* × *catawbiense* S: O.S. Pride (c 1979), N: O.S. Pride, REG: O.S. Pride (1979) Fls up to 29/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 50mm wide, white, with light purplish pink (65B) margins and pale greenish yellow (1D) spotting on dorsal lobes. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 95-140 × 40-50mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, with a thin, brown, hairy indumentum below (only partially persistent). Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 44 years. Mid June. (A natural hybrid, collected in the wild in 1934)

(v) **'Arthur's Choice'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: F2 from *christianae* (s) × *lochiae* H: B. Clancy, G: B. Clancy (1972), N: B. Clancy, REG: B. Clancy (1985) Fls 6-7/loose truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40-50 × 60-70mm, 5-lobed, deep yellowish pink (43C), shading to vivid reddish orange (43B) on edges of lobes. Lvs obovate-elliptic, 70 × 40-49mm, flat, matt green above, mucronate at apex. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 10 years

(r) **Arthur Smith Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* (s) × *decorum* R: Lord Digby, N: Lord Digby, I: Lord Digby (1951), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Arthur Stevens'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *souliei* × 'Coronation Day' H: Embley Park, G: Hilliers, N: Hilliers, I: Hilliers (1967), REG: Hilliers (1967) Fls 7-10/truss, open funnel-shaped, 40-45 × 80-100mm, pink in bud, opening white, tinged rose outside at first and with an oxblood red blotch at base of each lobe. Calyx very short, glandular hairy. Lvs narrowly oblong, up to 130 × 50mm, dark green, hairless. AM 1976

(a) **'Arthur Warocque'** (Syn. of 'Monsieur Warocqué')

(r) **'Arthur Warren'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Dido Group × 'Mrs Lindsay Smith' H: O.C.A. Slocock (1952), G: W.C. Slocock Ltd, N: W.C. Slocock Ltd, I: W.C. Slocock Ltd (1965), REG: Slocock Nurseries 1985 Fls 10-12 in a loose, open-topped truss, 45 × 65-75mm, funnel-shaped, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light to pale orange-yellow (24C-D), broadly edged deep purplish pink to strong pink (54B-C), with strong dorsal spotting of strong orange-yellow (22A). Calyx up to 4mm long, green, edged very pale brown. Lvs oblanceolate, up to 100 × 38mm, dull mid green above, with a thin fawn and white indumentum below at first, later hairless. Medium-sized shrub

(a) **'Artie Julia Garrett'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling no.299-49-1 B.A. × seedling no.T49-9 R.H. R: J. & D. Garrett (pre 1987), N: J. & D. Garrett Fls 75-80mm wide, white, with streaks and flakes of purplish red, with a darker blotch. Midseason

(r) **'Artie Moon'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C. Loeb, N: C. Loeb, I: C. Loeb, REG: C. Loeb (1965) Fls in a conical truss, up to 125mm wide, lavender, with a maroon blotch. Shrub to 0.6m. Midseason

(r) **'Artist'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lacs' seedling (s) × *irroratum* R: E.G.W.W. Harrison, N: E.G.W.W. Harrison, REG: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1965) Fls 11-14/truss, funnel-campanulate, 58 × 62-72mm, with 6 smooth- or slightly wavy-edged lobes, white, at first very slightly tinged pink at tips, with a reddish purple blotch at base of dorsal throat, with a very few scattered spots above (not on the lobes); very pale greenish outside. Calyx c1mm long, entire, green, with a few glandular hairs. Pedicels pale yellowish green, with dense, short, glandular hairs. Lvs oblong, 100-170 × 45-48mm, acute at apex, cuneate to truncate at base, dark dull green above, hairless

(r) **'Artmeyer's Frühe'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown: perhaps a derivative of 'Cunningham's White' R: A. Artmeyer, S: W. Schmalscheidt (c 1965), N: W. Schmalscheidt, REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1996) Fls 8-12/lax, broadly rounded truss, pure pink, with dark red-brown spotting on the dorsal lobe and almost regularly in the autumn. Late April-mid May. (First published in Schmalscheidt, *Rhododendron- und Azaleen-Sorten* (1990))

(r) **'Artmeyer's Späte'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown: probably a *catawbiense* hybrid R: A. Artmeyer (1962), N: W. Schmalscheidt, REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1996) Fls 11-19/compact, rounded truss, 40-60mm wide, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, inside vivid purplish red (61C), outside strong to vivid purplish red (61B-C); dark red (59A) markings on a white ground. June. (First published in Schmalscheidt *Rhododendron-Sorten* (1986))

(r) **'Art Tracy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lemon Custard' (s) × 'Loderi Titan' H: W. Elliott (1988), G: W. Elliott (1995), N: W. Elliott (1996), REG: W. Elliott (1996) Fls 14/somewhat lax, domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 75mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, pale greenish yellow (9D) in bud, opening pale greenish yellow (9D) throughout except for a light greenish yellow blotch in the throat. Calyx 25mm long, light greenish yellow (8C). Lvs oblong, 150 × 25mm, flat, oblique at base, obtuse at apex, semi-glossy and moderate yellow-green (147B) above, hairless. Shrub 2.4 × 1.8m in 10 years. Mid May.

(r) **Artus Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Amaura Group (s) × Fabia Group H: Lord Aberconway (1934), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(r) **'Art Wickens'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' × Jasper Group R: C.S. Seabrook, N: C.S. Seabrook, REG: C.S. Seabrook (1967) Fls in a loose truss, campanulate, 50mm wide, turkey red (721/2). Fairly dwarf shrub, of flat, spreading habit

(a) **'Arun'** (Syn. of 'Orwell')

(r) **Aruna Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Penjerrick Group (s) × *wightii* H: Lord Aberconway (1926), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow

(r) **'Arvedson'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale carmine rose, flamed lilac, with purple rose spots

(a) **'Arza'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: B. Arends & Zn (pre 1998), N: B. Arends & Zn

(a) **'Arziemakie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, single, salmon pink, with brighter spotting of a deeper shade. Kurume

(a) **'Asafuji'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50mm wide, with long lobes, white, with yellowish pink flecks, dots, stripes and sectors, occasionally pink self. Satsuki

(a) **'Asagakura'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1998), N: Japan. Satsuki (Grown in the National Arboretum, USA)

(a) **'Asa-gasumi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c40mm wide, light coloured, with white margins. Syn: 'Genji-miyoshi'. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Asa-gasumi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1919), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 25-30mm wide, strong purplish pink (55B). Syn: 'Rosy Morn'; Wilson no.14. Kurume

(a) **'Asagi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c30mm wide, white, with a greenish tint. Satsuki

(a) **'Asagi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *eriocarpum* × *kaempferi* I: K. Wada (pre 1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rose with a paler edge

(r) **'Asa Gray'** cv. Parentage unknown L: L. de Cock & Soeur (1872), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Asahi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rose pink. Kurume (Introduced to USA in 1929 by R.K. Beattie)

(a) **'Asahi-nishiki'** (Listed as a parent of 'Seika')

(a) **'Asahi-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, large, with a light ground and wavy reddish purple stripes. Satsuki

(a) **'Asahi-no-izumi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50mm wide, with rounded, overlapping lobes, white with red specks and vivid red sectors and stripes; blotch green. Early. Satsuki

(a) **'Asahiryn'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with an occasional extra petal, flame pink, deep red in tube. Kurume

(a) **'Asahi-sakigaki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1994), N: Japan. Kurume (Listed as a parent of 'Ashley Ruth')

(a) **'Asahi-tsuru'** (See note under 'Asahi-zuru')

(a) **'Asahi-unzen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c30mm wide, light red-orange, with a white centre. Lvs small. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Asahi-zuru'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65-75mm wide, with rounded lobes, light yellowish pink, with red flecks in the throat, occasionally with white margins or orange-red selfs. Upright habit. Midseason. Satsuki (Previously listed as 'Asahi-tsuru')

(a) **'Asakanonare'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *eriocarpum* (s) × *kaempferi* I: K. Wada, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon. Wada

(a) **'Asawa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Camellia Lodge Nursery (pre 1984) Fls hose-in-hose, soft mauve, muted with white. Kurume

(a) **'Ascendens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'A. Scheurmann'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Gebr Mardner (1864), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright carmine red. Indian

(r) **'Ascot Brilliant'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* × 'Blandyanum' R: J. Standish, N: J. Standish, I:

J. Standish (1861), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10-16/lax truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 45-60mm, 6-lobed (lobes reflexed), inside strong to light purplish pink (63C-D), outside nearly vivid red (45C), with a few dark red markings; filaments and styles pink. Calyx lobes up to 7mm long, often tinged red. Pedicels green, very slightly hairy. Lvs elliptic, up to 115mm long, dark green above, slightly glaucous below. Medium-sized shrub

(r) **'Ascot Warrior'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Fisher, Son & Sibray (1898), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy crimson.

(r) **'Ascreavie'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *maddenii* G: A.E. Hardy, N: A.E. Hardy, I: A.E. Hardy (1978), REG: A.E. Hardy (1978) Fls 3-5/truss, broadly tubular, 5-lobed, 60 × 115mm, white, outside flushed strong purplish red/strong purplish pink (63B-C); scented. Calyx lobes up to 12mm, pale green, scaly. Lvs narrowly elliptic to oblanceolate, up to 130 × 46mm, dark green and slightly scaly above, with dense reddish brown scales below. AM 1978 (Grown from L & S 1141)

(r) **'Ashcombe'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: seedling of *veitchianum* Cubittii Group G: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1962), REG: ICRA (1962) Fls 5/loose, flat-topped truss, 75 × 115mm, white, with an orange-yellow blotch in the throat and some fls faintly tinged pinkish; slightly scented. Calyx very short. Pedicels 20mm long, scaly. Lvs 95 × 45mm. FCC 1962

(r) **'Ashes of Roses'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* hybrid H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), N: H.F. DuPont, I: Gladsgay Nursery, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellowish pink

(r) **'Ashley Catherine'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: (*uvariifolium* × Romany Chal Group) × 'Hotei' (s) × *uvariifolium* × Romany Chal Group H: C. Weeks (1989), G: C. Weeks (1995), N: C. Weeks (2001), I: Westgate Garden Nursery (2001), REG: C. Weeks (2001) Fls 8-9/slightly lax ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 90mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, brilliant greenish yellow (1B) shading to light orange (29B) in bud, opening inside brilliant greenish yellow (3B) shading to vivid yellow (16A) and light orange-yellow (16B); outside light orange (29B); unmarked. Lvs elliptic, 90-100 × 40-45mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, margins slightly downcurved, semi-glossy to dull, dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.7 × 0.7m in 12 years. Early-mid April

(r) **'Ashleyi'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: wild-origin variant of *maximum* N: Coker (1935), REG: ICRA (1995) Differs from the typical plant in its smaller corollas being divided to the base or only joined for a short distance and in its smaller, narrower leaves (to 150 × 25mm), which are dark green and very closely spaced (at least in old plants). Shrub to 3.8 × 2.4m at maturity. (Originally described by Coker as a species; isolated plants found in a number of localities in North Carolina (USA))

(a) **'Ashley Ruth'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Asahi-sakigaki' (s) × 'Margaret Douglas' H: Robert Stewart (1994), G: Robert Stewart (1996), N: Robert Stewart (1998), REG: Robert Stewart (2000) Fls semi-double, 2-3/truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 60-75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes and with some petaloid stamens, white and deep purplish pink in bud, opening white with a broad border of deep purplish pink (close to 55A) both inside and out. Calyx c3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 45 × 25mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, margins flat, glossy and moderate yellow-green (147B) above, hairless. Shrub 0.5 × 0.5m in 6 years. Mid May

(a) **'Asia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt, I: E.A. Merritt (c 1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, single, rose pink. Kurume

(r) **'Asia'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: white-flowered *catawbiense* (s) × *dichroanthum* × (*griffithianum* × *auriculatum*) H: D.G. Leach (pre 1992) Fls dark orange in bud, opening yellowish pink, with a lighter centre

(r) **'Asian Sunrise'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: A.A. Childers (1961), G: A.A. Childers (1968), N: M. Childers (1998), REG: M. Childers & F. Burns (1998) Fls 7-10/lax truss, funnel-campanulate, 70 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (39A) in bud, opening inside strong orange (26B), unmarked; outside strong yellowish pink (37A); stamens 13; stigma strong yellow-green (143B). Pedicels deep red (53A). Calyx 1-3mm long, strong yellowish pink (37A), edged moderate reddish orange (35B). Lvs elliptic, 100 × 45mm, wavy-edged, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 2.8m in 36 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Aspansia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Astarte' (s) × *haematodes* H: Lord Aberconway (1932), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1945), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 8-10/truss, campanulate, brilliant red (820). Calyx petaloid, coloured as corolla. Shrub of dwarf, spreading habit. AM 1945 (Aspansia Group. Standard: painting of award plant (WSY 0019929))

(r) **Aspansia Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Astarte' (s) × *haematodes* H: Lord Aberconway (1932), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1945), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Aspansia Ruby'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Astarte' (s) × *haematodes* H: Lord Aberconway (1932), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blood red. (Aspansia Group)

(a) **'Aspasia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Dallière (1853), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(v) **'Aspasia'** cv. Lepidoterhododendron: 'Maiden's Blush' × *robinsonii* R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1889), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure yellow. AM 1889

(r) **'Assaye'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *calophytum* × *sutchuenense* R: J.C Williams, N: J.C. Williams, REG: J.C. Williams (1963) Fls up to 22/truss, campanulate, white, flushed a pale shade of magenta (27/1), with a blotch and limited spotting of ruby red (827/3). Lvs oblong-lanceolate, 250 × 75mm. Large shrub. AM 1963

(r) **Asta Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *forrestii* Repens Group (s) × *haematodes* subsp. *chaetomallum* R: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red

(r) **'Astabia Group'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Astarte' × Fabia Group R: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(a) **'Astarte'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Osakazuki' (s) × 'Kagaribi' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 70-90mm wide, white at base of tube, amaranth pink shading to tyrian pink above, with a showy blotch of tyrian rose. Shrub to 1.9m. Early. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Astarte'** (See 'Naomi Astarte')

(r) **'Astarte'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* (s) × Penjerrick Group H: Lord Aberconway (1924), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pendulous, c8/truss, tubular-campanulate, 50-55 × 45-50mm, deep rose or salmon pink. Calyx large, coloured as corolla. AM 1931 (Standard: painting of AM plant (WSY 0019930))

(r) **Astel Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Astarte' (s) × Elizabeth Group H: Lord Aberconway (1937), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(r) **Asteno Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Astarte' (s) × Eupheno Group H: Lord Aberconway (1937), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red

(r) **'Aster'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale lilac rose

(r) **Asteroid Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor Stocker' (s) × *thomsonii* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rich rosy pink. April

(a) **'Astonii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Dallière (1852), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **Astos Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Arthur Osborn' (s) × 'Astarte' H: Lord Aberconway (1939), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls brilliant scarlet

(a) **'Astra'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum* (s) × 'Hatsushimo' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65-75mm wide, almost white at base of tube, between mallow purple and tyrian pink above, with a conspicuous, amaranth purple blotch. Lvs narrow. Shrub to 1.5m. Early. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Astra'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *R.* × *kosterianum* (s) × *roseum* H: R. Kondratovičs (1974), G: R. Kondratovičs (1981), N: R. Kondratovičs, I: Rhododendron Nursery "Babīte" of University of Latvia Fls single, 10-12/slightly domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 50mm, with 5 narrowly but very wavy-edged lobes, light yellow-green in bud, opening inside white, outside white and light yellow-green; dorsal lobe with a yellow blotch; filaments white, anthers cream; style white, stigma green. Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 35mm, flat, pointed at apex and base, glossy green above, with white hairs above when mature. Shrub 1.2 × 1.0m in 10 years. Early June. (Published in *Praktiskais Latvietis* no. 17 (189): 12-13 (2000). Unacceptable name, but established as part of Latvian PBR cert. no. ROD-9 (26 February, 1999))

(r) **Asträa** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catawbiense Grandiflorum' (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* R: D.G. Hobbie (1946), N: D.G. Hobbie, I: D.G. Hobbie (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 8-12/truss, 55-100mm wide, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, mallow-coloured to violet with strong, blackish red spotting on a paler ground in the throat. June

(a) **'Astreans'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1876), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls brick red, with an orange blotch. Ghent

(r) **'Astrid'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Fantastica' × 'Hachmann's Feuerschein' H: H. Hachmann (1976), G: H. Hachmann (1981), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1991), REG: G. Stück (1991) Fls 19-21/dense, ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40-50 × 70-85mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53D) inside and out, centre of lobes and throat shading to light red and to near white in throat eventually, dorsal lobe with deep red (53A/60A) markings on a lighter ground; filaments 10, strong red (53C/D), anthers moderate orange-yellow to pale yellow (164C/D); style 53C/D, stigma dark red (187A). Calyx 1-2mm long, greenish red. Pedicels red above. Lvs elliptic/ovate, acute or apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, 100-140(-160)x45-50mm, dark glossy green above, hairy (especially on veins above). Broad, rounded shrub 1.1 × 1.6 in 10 years. Late May-mid June. (Published in *Deutsche Rhododendron Gesellschaft Jahrbuch 1990*, p.70 (1991))

(r) **'Astrobrite'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Idealist Group (s) × Goldfort Group × 'Odee Wright' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls moderate red (180C) and pale greenish yellow (2D) in bud, opening brilliant yellow-green (154C) and light yellow-green (154D) with a vivid yellow-green (154A) throat. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, 1986)

(r) **'Astroglow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' (s) × *aureum* var. *aureum* H: B.C. Potter (1968), G: B.C. Potter (1976), I: B.C. Potter, REG: B.C. Potter (1981) Fls 18/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 65mm, 5-lobed, vivid reddish orange/strong yellowish pink (40B/D) in bud, opening pale orange-yellow (19D) with inconspicuous green dorsal spotting; outside pink to pale pink. Lvs oblanceolate, 60-80 × 20-25mm, dull, moderate olive green (137A) and hairless above, with a light brown, plastered indumentum below. Shrub 0.2 × 0.5m in 11 years. Mid April

(a) **'Astronaut'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: UK (1991)

(r) **Astrow Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Astarte' (s) × *hookeri* H: Lord Aberconway (1936), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark red

(a) **'Asukagawa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, light purple with broad purple stripes; some solid purple or light purple fls; patterns change from year to year. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Atalanta'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* × 'Malvaticum' R: C.B. van Nes & Sons (1923), N: C.B. van Nes & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, deep purplish pink (72D). Shrub to 1.5m. Kaempferi

(r) **Atalanta Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Werei' (s) × *thomsonii* H: E.J.P. Magor (1913), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1926), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls geranium red, with darker spots (1958 Register); soft lilac (Rhododendron Year Book, 1939)

(v) **'Athanasius'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* × (*lochiae* × *macgregoriae*) (s) × *javanicum* H: A.W. Headlam (1973), G: P. Sullivan, N: P. Sullivan, I: P. Sullivan, REG: W.A. Moynier (1986) Fls 8-11/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 45mm, 5-lobed, vivid reddish orange (30B). Lvs elliptic, 100 × 50mm, dull, moderate olive green (137A) above, moderate yellow-green (146C) with tiny, closely spaced, tan scales below. Shrub 0.56 × 0.66m in 9 years. August - March. Syn: 'Clement'

(r) **'Athena'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W. Bergman (pre 1998)

(r) **'Athene'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a yellow blotch. (Probably the plant listed previously as from T.Methven & Son, who may have been the raisers. Perhaps also the 'Athenensis' of A. Leroy cat., 1868 and 'Athènes' of L.Leroy cat., 1868)

(r) **'Athenia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: J. Standish (pre 1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush white, stained olive, with a yellow blotch. C 1860 (Perhaps the same plant listed here as 'Athene')

(r) **'Athens'** (Syn. of 'Last Hurrah')

(r) **Atkar Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Atrosanguineum' × 'Kentucky Cardinal' R: J.B. Gable (pre 1972), N: J.B. Gable Fls red?

(a) **'Atlanta'** (See 'Atalanta')

(r) **'Atlantis'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (white form) (s) × *dichroanthum* × (*griffithianum*) × *auriculatum*) H: D.G. Leach (1952), G: D.G. Leach (1958), N: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1991) Fls 14/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 44 × 76mm, with 5-6 smooth-edged lobes, strong red (51A) in bud, opening light purplish pink (55C), with a pale yellow (11C) centre, outside strong purplish pink (55B). Calyx minute, green. Lvs elliptic, 130 × 55mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 3.0 × 4.0m in 28 years. Late midseason

(a) **'Atlas'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: K. Müssig (pre 1996), N: K. Müssig Fls single, c2-5/truss, with 5 broadly overlapping, often wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink, with a much darker, conspicuous, dorsal blotch. Lvs dark green, glossy

(r) **'Atlas'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls chocolate rose, with dark spots

(r) **'Atomic Blast'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Caractacus' × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × *yakushimanum* H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls vivid reddish purple (74A) in bud, opening vivid reddish purple (74A-B), light reddish purple (74C) and moderate purplish pink (74D), with strong purplish red (61B) dorsal spots. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **Atrier Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Atrosanguineum' (s) × *griersonianum* H: J.B. Gable, G: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable (1945), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large, flat trusses, rose red to red. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Atrier Hardy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from Atrier Group H: J.B. Gable (pre 1945), N: J.B. Gable (pre 1956), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Atrier Oak'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from Atrier Group H: J.B. Gable (pre 1945), N: J.B. Gable (pre 1956), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Atrococcineum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with a white blotch. (H.A.Hesse cat. (1925/26) listed it as dark scarlet (? same plant))

(r) **'Atroflo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Atrosanguineum' (s) × *floccigerum* R: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable (1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10-12/lax, flat truss, trumpet-shaped, up to 50mm wide, bright rose pink (23/1 shading into 623/1). Lvs 195 × 50mm, with a heavy fawn indumentum below. Large shrub. (Gable's original introduction was a clone, but

other forms of the same parentage are now grown under this name)

(a) **'Atropurpureum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vivid reddish purple (74B). Calyx lobes 17mm long. Shrub of spreading habit, similar to 'Formosum'. Indian (Perhaps the plant listed by C. Maupoil & Fils, 1853)

(r) **'Atropurpureum'** cv. Elepidoterhododendron: selection from *ponticum* L: Whitley & Osborn (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark purple. Shrub 1.5-3.0m

(r) **'Atropurpureum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection or hybrid of *catawbiense* L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark purple. (In the same catalogue Veitch also listed a *ponticum* 'Atropurpureum')

(r) **'Atropurpureum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid R: J. Booth, N: J. Booth, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark purple-red, spotted dark blood red

(r) **'Atropurpureum Novum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Verschaffelt (pre 1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark purple

(a) **'Atropurpureum Splendidum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Atror'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *orbiculare* × *williamsianum* (s) × 'Atrosanguineum' H: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable (1945), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pinkish crimson, fading to blush pink

(r) **'Atroroseum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: G. Morlet (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) (Published in *Horticulture Français*, 1854:107-111; probably the same plant listed by C. Gheldorf, 1844)

(r) **'Atroroseum Grandiflorum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: derived from *ferrugineum* L: C.J.H. Walther (1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red, larger than normal. Lvs reddish below

(a) **'Atrorubens'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1840), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls saturn red, with an apricot yellow blotch (L. van Houtte, 1871). Ghent

(a) **'Atrorubens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: W. Smith (1845), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson. Indian

(r) **'Atrorubens'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Standish (pre 1868), N: J. Standish, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson

(a) **'Atrorubens Nanum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Whitley & Osborn (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Shrub 1.0-1.5m. Ghent (Perhaps the plant listed by J. van Geert in 1839 as 'Atrorubens Anna' (sic), without description)

(a) **'Atrorubens Novum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, deep red, with a dark yellow dorsal blotch. Ghent (Probably the plant listed by Rinz as 'Meteor' ('Météore', L. van Houtte, 1871))

(r) **'Atrorubens Superbum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection or form of *arboreum* L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Atrorubranum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Atrorubrum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark red. Ghent

(r) **'Atrorubrum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose crimson. (Perhaps raised at Waterers (Bagshot))

(r) **'Atrorubrum Superbum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid L: A. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(r) **'Atrosanguineum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1851), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c14/conical truss, broadly campanulate, 40 × 60mm, purplish crimson, spotted black on dorsal lobe. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. June

(r) **'Atrosanguineum Velutinum'** (Syn. of 'Ardens')

(r) **'Atrovirens Maculatum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a *ponticum* hybrid R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) (Exhibited in Paris by Modeste Guérin, 1842)

(r) **'Atsonii'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Atrosanguineum' (s) × *thomsonii* H: J.B. Gable, G: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(a) **'Atsumizakura'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1978), N: Japan Fls hose-in-hose, up to 35-40mm wide, pale light pink (5P 7/7 - 5P 8/5), with a purplish white throat. Kurume

(r) **'Atta Girl'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' (s) × *fortunei* (Gable's form) × *wardii* H: R.H. & J.M. Goodrich (1979), G: R.H. & J.M. Goodrich (1987), N: R.H. Goodrich, REG: J.M. Goodrich (1998) Fls 12/lax truss, between broadly funnel-shaped and saucer-shaped, 90 × 80mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, deep pink (50B) in bud, opening inside light pink (50D), with a pale yellow-green blotch; outside deep pink (50B), with light pink (50D) stripes. Calyx 3.5mm long. Lvs elliptic, 160 × 70mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 2.4 × 1.5m in 19 years. Midseason

(r) **'Attar'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *decorum* R: J. Barto, I: R. Henny (1962), REG: L. Henny (1972) Fls in large trusses, funnel-campanulate, 115mm wide, 6-8-lobed, moderate purplish pink (65A), shaded light yellow-green (150D) in throat. Lvs 150 × 65mm.

Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. Mid April. (Raised from seed collected by Hu)

(a) **'Attenuatum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1839), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Attila'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Moser & Son (1894), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(r) **'Attila'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1867), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light rose centre, outside rosy purple (J. Veitch & Sons cat.(1867), as 'Atilla'); claret purple (T. Methven & Son cat., 1867). (Most sources list it as 'Attila', which is adopted here)

(r) **'Attila'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (c1891), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson rose.

(a) **'Attraction'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Ivery (1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. Indian

(r) **'Attraction'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rosy purple, with reddish brown spots

(r) **'Attraction'** cv. Parentage unknown R: M. Koster & Sons, N: M. Koster & Sons, I: M. Koster & Sons (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls velvety mauve, without any blotch

(v) **'Auburn Beauty'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* × *christianae* 'Sunset' H: G.L.S. Snell (1979), G: G.L.S. Snell (1988), N: R. Macdonald (1991), I: Foothills Nursery (1991), REG: Foothills Nursery (1992) Fls 5-7/flat truss, long tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 60mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, inside brilliant yellow (12B), with vivid yellowish pink (28A) lobes, outside brilliant yellow (12B) with vivid yellow (15B) lobes. Lvs elliptic, 65 × 40mm, flat, matt green, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 1.2m. Spring to autumn

(r) **'Auchati-Barbaudum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls coral pink, with deeper veins. (Exhibited by G.H. Johnstone in 1930, as 'Aukatum Barbandi', and cultivated at Sunningdale in 1955. The origin of the name is uncertain)

(r) **'Aucubifolium'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection or hybrid of either *ponticum* or *catawbiense* R: L. van Houtte (pre 1864), N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white to pale lilac. Lvs blotched with yellow

(r) **'Audacious'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *dauricum* Sempervirens Group, open-pollinated H: J.B. Brueckner (1976), G: J.B. Brueckner (pre 1982), N: J.B. Brueckner, REG: J.B. Brueckner (1990) Fls 3/lax truss, flat saucer-shaped, 25-31 × 44-57mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish purple (78B). Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 32 × 16mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, scaly; semi-deciduous. Shrub 2.4 × 2.3m in 12 years. April

(a) **'Audibertii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1849), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Audrey Defane'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan' (s) × Azor Group H: Mrs S. Laxdall (1963), G: Mrs S. Laxdall, N: Mrs S. Laxdall, REG: Mrs S. Laxdall (1989) Fls 8/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 57 × 76mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, deep pink (51C) in bud, opening deep pink (52B) with a strong red (53C) throat and darker pink stripes on reverse. Calyx 3mm long. Lvs elliptic, 188 × 51mm, flat, acute at apex, rounded at base, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 2.9 × 1.8m in 25 years. Late June-early July

(r) **'Audrey Grace'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Azor Group (s) × Argosy Group H: G.T. Witherwick (1967), G: G.T. Witherwick (1986), N: G.T. Witherwick (1988), REG: G.T. Witherwick (1988) Fls c12/truss, funnel-shaped, 70mm long, 7-lobed, white, slightly flushed pink externally and with a slight reddish flush at base of dorsal throat which merges above with a pale yellow flush; buds light pink; scented. Calyx 2mm long, pale green, fringed with sessile, colourless glands. Lvs elliptic, up to 160 × 42mm, obtuse but apiculate at apex, tapered to a truncate of more or less rounded base, glaucous below, hairless; petioles dull red-purple. Large shrub, 2.9m high. Late June-early July

(a) **'Audrey Wynniatt'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Bassett Wood' × *kaempferi* R: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, cerise. Lvs hairy. Shrub to 1.2m

(r) **'Audyke's Favorite'** (Error for 'Oudijk's Favorite')

(r) **'Auftakt'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kokardia' (s) × Inamorata Group × 'Nymphenburg' H: H. Müller (1990), G: H. Müller (1996), N: H. Müller (1997), REG: H. Müller (1998) Fls 7-10/broadly rounded, compact truss, funnel-shaped, 45-50 × 60-70mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, pink with a touch of lilac in bud, opening white, tinged pink, both inside and out; red-brown dorsal blotch at base of corolla; scented as in *fortunei*. Calyx 6mm long, green, tinged red. Lvs lanceolate, 145 × 45mm, flat, matt green, pointed at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.7m in 6 years. Mid May-early June

(r) **Augfast Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *augustinii* (s) × *fastigiatum* R: E.J.P. Magor, N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1921), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blue (according to Magor); fls c3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 20-30 × 33mm, blue-mauve (variable), with a few dorsal markings (plants crossed by A. J. Ivens in 1931, with reverse parentage). Shrub 0.5-0.6m

(r) **'Augie Kehr'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Queen Anne's' (s) × 'Golden Star' H: A.E. Kehr (1981), G: A.E. Kehr (1992), N: A.E. Kehr, REG: A.E. Kehr (1992) Fls fully double, 13-15/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 64 × 89mm, outer whorl with 6 wavy-edged lobes, all stamens petaloid, deep yellow. Calyx 6mm long, green. Pedicels 32mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 152 × 70mm,

flat, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, glossy green above, hairless; petioles 25mm long, green, hairy. Shrub 1.1 × 0.8m in 13 years. Early May. (Published in *J.Am.Rho.Soc.* 48 (2): 87 (1994))

(a) **'Augigasana'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink, deeper at edge of lobes, with brown spots. Kurume

(r) **'August'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Everestianum' (s) × 'Everestianum' R: T.J.R. Seidel (1891), N: T.J.R. Seidel, I: T.J.R. Seidel (1906), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark rose, with strong yellowish green spots

(a) **'Augusta'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1841), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Augusta'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* × 'Malvaticum' (s) × *kaempferi* R: C.B. van Nes & Sons, I: C.B. van Nes & Sons (1922), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose red. Kaempferi

(a) **'Augusta'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (pre 1839), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Augusta-aurantiacum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Puniceum' × 'Danielsianum' ? R: unknown (pre 1854), INC: ICRA (1958) (Cultivated by Margottin (cf *Revue Horticole* 3:62 (1854)))

(a) **'Augusta Beauty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: A. Pericat, N: R.P. Mayo Nurseries, I: R.P. Mayo Nurseries, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 55mm wide, salmon rose. Pericat

(a) **'Augusta Belle'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: A. Pericat, N: R.P. Mayo Nurseries, I: R.P. Mayo Nurseries, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, with partially petaloid calyx lobes, 40mm wide, white, flushed violet red (0625). Pericat

(a) **'Augusta Brez'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt, I: E.A. Merritt (c 1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, jasper red. Kurume

(a) **'Auguste Bultemann'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep orange in bud, opening soft pale orange, tinged with orange-red and with slight orange-yellow spotting. Mollis

(a) **'Auguste Delfosse'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark orange, tinted brown and spotted red. Indian

(a) **'Auguste Duhayon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1891), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, white, with pale rose stripes and a green blotch. Indian

(a) **'Auguste Forel'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958). Mollis

(r) **'Auguste Lemaire'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Moser & Son (pre 1913), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pinkish red

(a) **'Auguste Mechelynck'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1873), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, milk white, tinged lilac rose, with an ochre yellow blotch

(a) **'Auguste van Geert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, satiny rose, with a scarlet red blotch. Indian

(r) **'Auguste van Geert'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *ponticum* hybrid R: C. van Geert (pre 1863), N: C. van Geert, I: C. van Geert, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 14-19/compact, rounded truss, 50-80mm wide, lobes slightly wavy-edged, purplish red, with slight blackish red spotting on a white ground. Late April-May. (Description of material in cultivation (Germany) 1995; some earlier catalogue accounts refer to darker, more prominent spotting)

(r) **'Auguste Walther'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C.J.H. Walther (pre 1861), N: C.J.H. Walther, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls reddish, spotted. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Augustina'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. van Geert (1878), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Augustissimum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Knight & Perry (c 1843), N: Knight & Perry, I: Knight & Perry, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Augustissimum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red and yellow. Ghent

(r) **'August Lamken'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor V.H. Rutgers' × *williamsianum* R: D.G. Hobbie (pre 1945), N: D.G. Hobbie (1971) Fls 5-9/loose truss, campanulate, 55-75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red to deep purplish pink (67C-D), with dark red markings. Lvs ovate. Shrub to 2m. May. (Raised between 1942 & 1944)

(r) **'August Moon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Nobleanum Group (s) × 'Unique' G: V.J. Boulter (1980), N: V.J. Boulter, REG: Boulter's Olinda Nursery (1998) Fls 16-19/loose domed truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside pale yellow-green (157A), with deep red (60A) spots on the dorsal lobes, outside pale yellow-green (157C) with deep red (60A) spotting on dorsal lobes; stamens 12, uneven; anthers moderate reddish brown (174A); ovary light greenish grey (188B), style white (155D), stigma greyish reddish orange (174B). Calyx 1mm long, deep red (60A). Lvs elliptic, 95 × 35mm, margins slightly decurved, matt green above, obtuse at apex, attenuate at base, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 2.0m in 28 years. September (Australia). (Seed originally germinated by Boulter in 1970. Salley & Greer (1992) give parentage as 'Marion' (Cheal) × 'Unique')

(a) **'August Pracht'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Gebr. Mardner, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'August Pratcht'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J.P. Martin & Hijos (1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose, spotted black

(a) **'August through Frost'** (An error for 'August to Frost')

(a) **'August to Frost'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably *mucronatum* (s) × unknown H: M.B. Matlack, G: M.B. Matlack (1940-1950s), N: N. Beaudry (2001), I: Steele's Nursery (1999), REG: N. & J. Beaudry (2001) Fls single, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate yellow-green (139D) in bud, opening inside white with a pale yellow-green (155A) blotch, outside white. Sports to flowers with strong reddish purple (78B) stripes and sectors; some in red/violet group with white and a prominent red/violet blotch; also strong reddish purple (78B) selfs. Calyx 20mm long, moderate yellowish green (137D). Lvs elliptic, 50 × 20mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins flat, semi-glossy and moderate yellowish green (138A) above, with brownish orange (165B) hairs above and below, viscid. Shrub 0.9 × 1.5m in 20 years, flowering continuously but sparingly on current growth from late summer to first hard frost; never fls in spring. (Has been listed incorrectly as 'August through Frost')

(r) **'Augustum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Byls (pre 1868), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine rose, spotted. Hardy Hybrid (Perhaps the same plant listed by C. Gheldorf, 1844)

(r) **'Augustum Novum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *ponticum* hybrid L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Augustus'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish crimson. (According to Waterer & Godfrey, 1867, this was the same plant as 'Alaric')

(r) **'Aukatum Barbandi'** (See note under 'Auchati-barbaudum')

(a) **'Auntie Mame'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: M.E. Greentree, G: Huntingdale Nursery, N: Huntingdale Nursery, I: Huntingdale Nursery (pre 1984) Fls semi-double, large, bright pale pink, with cherry red dorsal blotch. Indian

(a) **'Aunt Jim'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Corsage', open-pollinated G: W.L. Clagett (1981), N: W.L. Clagett, I: White's Nursery (1994), REG: W.L. Clagett (1994) Fls single, 2-3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45 × 50mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (68A) in bud, opening blush white, with moderate purplish pink (65A) markings at tips and adjacent to midveins of lobes; sparse, 65A spotting near base of dorsal lobe; stamens 7, curved. Calyx 7mm long, light green. Pedicels 8mm long, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 36 × 12mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (146A) above, moderate yellow-green (146C) below, hairless; petioles 10mm long, very light green, hairy. Shrub 0.9 × 0.6m in 14 years. Mid May

(a) **'Aunt Kitty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Koromo-shikibu' (s) × *indicum* hybrid (an unidentified florists' azalea) H: W.L. Clagett (1984), G: W.L. Clagett (1988), N: W.L. Clagett, I: White's Nursery (1994), REG: W.L. Clagett (1995) Fls 2-3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, with 5 smooth-edged lobes/whorl (lobes elliptic, not always joined at base), white, lightly flushed chartreuse in centre; stamens c6, curved, unequal. Calyx c30mm long, coloured as corolla, lobes somewhat reflexed. Pedicels 10mm long, very pale green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 60 × 18mm, glossy green above, with discrete, colourless hairs; petioles 10mm long, light green. Shrub 0.35 × 0.45m in 10 years. Late May

(r) **'Aunt Martha'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *ponticum* hybrid I: R.W. Clark, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple-red, speckled gold in centre. Lvs glossy green

(r) **'Aunt Mildred'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Davies Evans' (s) × 'Virginia Delp' H: A.W. Smith (1984), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 17/truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid to deep reddish purple (74B, 77A) in bud, opening light purple (75A) and edged vivid to strong reddish purple (78A, B) with a white flare and dorsal spots of moderate olive green (146A) and moderate yellow-green (146B). Lvs 100 × 41mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.3 × 1.2m in 8 years. Early June. Syn: 'Mildred Cross'

(r) **'Aunty Annie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Betty Robertson' (s) × 'Tortoiseshell Wonder' H: D.J. Dosser (1990), G: D.J. Dosser (1997), N: D.J. Dosser (1997), REG: D.J. Dosser (1997) Fls 10/flat truss, funnel-shaped, 102 × 64mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (50B) in bud, opening inside deep pink (50B) shading to strong pink (50C) in the throat, outside light pink (50D); unspotted. Lvs ovate, 130 × 50mm, margins decurved, acute at apex, unevenly rounded at base, matt green, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 7 years. Late November (Tasmania).

(r) **'Aunty Ivy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs E.C. Stirling' (s) × 'Petra's Debut' H: D.J. Dosser (1983), G: D.J. Dosser (1989), N: D.J. Dosser (1992), REG: D.J. Dosser (1993) Fls 12-15/conical truss, flat funnel-shaped, 40 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light purple (75B) in bud, opening throughout very light purple (76B) and fading to white at the base. Calyx 5mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 130 × 40mm, flat, matt green above, cuneate at base, acute at apex. Shrub 1.2m

(r) **'Aunty Thora'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marinus Koster' (s) × Pilgrim Group H: Mrs S. Laxdall (1963), G: Mrs S. Laxdall, I: Mrs S. Laxdall, REG: Mrs S. Laxdall (1980) Fls up to 12/truss, 125mm wide, tyrian rose (24/1) in bud, opening 24/3 shading to a narrow, uneven border of 24/2; dorsal rays of 24 deep in throat and very slight 24/3 spotting on dorsal lobe; outside with 24/2 stripes

(a) **'Aurantiacum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Dallière (1852), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Aurantiacum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Probably the same as 'Aurantium')

(a) **'Aurantiacum Cupreum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with orange and copper stripes. (Probably the same as 'Aurantium Cupreum')

(a) **'Aurantiacum Elegans'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red, with a golden yellow blotch (L. van Houtte). Ghent

(a) **'Aurantiacum Grandiflorum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: listed under *calendulaceum* by A. Leroy (1868) L: C. van Geert (1843), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange

(a) **'Aurantiacum Grandiflorum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Aurantiacum Macranthum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1868), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Aurantiacum Maculatum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, orange, shaded saturn red and with a golden yellow blotch (L. van Houtte). Ghent

(a) **'Aurantiacum Major'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1843), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Exhibited by E. Soulange-Bodin in Paris in 1843)

(a) **'Aurantiacum Maritimum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: listed under *calendulaceum* L: A. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(a) **'Aurantiacum Mirabile'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Aurantiacum Splendidum'** (Syn. of 'Aurantiacum Superbum')

(a) **'Aurantiacum Splendidum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Linden (1874), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Aurantiacum Superbum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Knight & Perry (pre 1845), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange scarlet. Low shrub. Late. Syn: 'Aurantiacum Splendidum'. Indian

(a) **'Aurantiacum Superbum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Linden (1874), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Aurantiacum Variegatum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in very large trusses, strong orange. (Listed as a hardy azalea. Perhaps the same as 'Aurantium Variegatum')

(a) **'Aurantium'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1804). Ghent

(a) **'Aurantium Coccineum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: R. Veitch & Son (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as a hardy azalea. Perhaps the same plant listed as 'Coccineum Aurantium')

(a) **'Aurantium Crispum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Henderson & Co. (1852), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Aurantium Cupreum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as a hardy azalea. Perhaps the same plant listed later as 'Cupreum Aurantium')

(a) **'Aurantium Elegans'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: W. Youell (1857), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Aurantium Flammeum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: R. Veitch & Son (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as a hardy azalea)

(a) **'Aurantium Grandiflorum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1841), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Perhaps the same plant as 'Aurantiacum Grandiflorum')

(a) **'Aurantium Humile'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1826), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Aurantium Incarnatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (1850), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Aurantium Lucidum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1847), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Aurantium Luteum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: R. Veitch & Son (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as a hardy azalea)

(a) **'Aurantium Magnificum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (In cultivation in UK according to Paxton (cf *Revue Horticole* 1848:285))

(a) **'Aurantium Major'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1826), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale orange. Ghent

(a) **'Aurantium Maximum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1839), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Aurantium Multiflorum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: R. Veitch & Son (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as a hardy azalea)

(a) **'Aurantium Purpureum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: T. Jackson & Son (1851), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Aurantium Rubrum Semipleno'** cv. Parentage unknown L: R. Veitch & Son (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as a hardy azalea)

(a) **'Aurantium Speciosum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale orange

(a) **'Aurantium Superbum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: T. Jackson & Son (1851), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Perhaps the same as 'Aurantiacum Superbum')

(az) **'Aurantium Superbum'** cv. Azaleodendron: *arboreum* × an azalea R: unknown (pre 1843), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark brick red. (Exhibited by W. Smith, 1843)

(a) **'Aurantium Variegatum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Aurantium Versicolor'** cv. Parentage unknown L: R. Veitch & Son (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as a hardy azalea)

(r) **Auredge Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *xanthostephanum* (s) × *edgeworthii* H: E.J.P. Magor (1932), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1938), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Aurelia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L.L. Liebig (1857), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, tinted rose and with orange-red stripes. Indian

(a) **'Aurelia'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: S.B. Parsons (pre 1871), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(r) **'Aurelian'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright lake, with brown spots

(r) **'Aureomarginatum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *ponticum* R: unknown (pre 1860), N: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Lvs edged gold. Large shrub. Syn: 'Aureovariegatum' (Listed in *Illustrierte Gartenzeitung*, 1860)

(a) **'Aureoroseum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange, shaded salmon red, spotted chrome yellow. Ghent

(r) **'Aureovariegatum'** (Syn. of 'Aureomarginatum')

(a) **'Aureum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *flammeum* L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Aureum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *calendulaceum* L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1877), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Aureum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Flsdeep yellow. Mollis

(r) **'Aureum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Taylor & Sangster (1910), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale yellow

(v) **'Aureum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1903), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rich bright yellow. (Grown at the Veitch Nursery, 1903)

(az) **'Aureum'** (Syn. of 'Smithii Aureum')

(az) **'Aureum Broughtonii'** (Syn. of 'Broughtonii Aureum')

(az) **'Aureum Burlingtonii'** cv. Azaleodendron: parentage unknown L: A. Henderson & Co. (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep yellow. Syn: 'Burlingtonii Aureum', 'Burlingtonii' (Fls straw yellow (E. André, 1864, under 'Burlingtonii'); shown by W. Smith (1845) as 'Burlingtonii Aureum', the lemon fls with dark orange spots)

(r) **'Aureum Cavendishianum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Fraser & E. Layton (1874), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as a greenhouse plant)

(az) **'Aureum Chrystallinum'** cv. Azaleodendron: parentage unknown L: A. Henderson & Co. (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed with other azaleodendrons)

(r) **'Aureum Congestum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1856), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow. (Probably the same as 'Congestum Aureum')

(a) **'Aureum Crispum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(az) **'Aureum Cupreum'** cv. Azaleodendron: parentage unknown L: A. Henderson & Co. (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls copper and yellow. (Listed with other azaleodendrons, cf. also 'Smith's Cupreum')

(r) **'Aureum Expansum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1856), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow

(r) **'Aureum Flavescens'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1856), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow

(r) **'Aureum Flavum Glaucum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1856), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow

(az) **'Aureum Flavum Superbum'** cv. Azaleodendron: parentage unknown L: A. Henderson & Co. (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed with other azaleodendrons)

(a) **'Aureum Floribundum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: Gebr. Kersbergen (pre 1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow. Mollis

(r) **'Aureum Floribundum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1853), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls sulphur yellow. (Exhibited by A. Verschaffelt at Ghent in 1853)

(r) **'Aureum Gloriflorum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Fraser & E. Layton (1874), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with yellow spotting. (Listed as a greenhouse plant)

(a) **'Aureum Grandiflorum'** (Syn. of 'Altaclerense')

(r) **'Aureum Grandiflorum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: A. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow. (Possibly an azaleodendron)

(az) **'Aureum Hookeri'** cv. Azaleodendron: parentage unknown L: A. Henderson & Co. (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed with other azaleodendrons)

(r) **'Aureum Hyklarii'** cv. Parentage unknown L: A. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow

(az) **'Aureum Incomparable Album'** cv. Azaleodendron: parentage unknown L: A. Henderson & Co. (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed with other azaleodendrons)

(r) **'Aureum Inflatum'** (Syn. of 'Smith's Aureum Inflatum')

(az) **'Aureum Lindleyanum'** cv. Azaleodendron: parentage unknown L: A. Henderson & Co (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with pink edges and white and yellow centres. (Listed with other azaleodendrons, cf. also 'Smith's Lindleyanum'; probably the 'Lindleyanum' listed by J. Baumann (1856) under yellow rhododendrons)

(az) **'Aureum Luteum Splendens'** cv. Azaleodendron: parentage unknown L: A. Henderson & Co. (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed with other azaleodendrons, cf. also 'Smith's Luteum Splendens'; probably the 'Luteum Splendens' listed by J. Baumann (1856), under yellow rhododendrons)

(r) **'Aureum Macranthum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1856), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow

(r) **'Aureum Maculatum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Nairn & Sons (1910), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow, spotted brown; strongly scented. Dwarf shrub. (Listed as for the greenhouse)

(r) **'Aureum Majesticum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (pre 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Aureum Ornatum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1856), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow

(a) **'Aureum Punctatum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1877), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(r) **'Aureum Punctatum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls primrose, spotted orange

(az) **'Aureum Sabinianum'** cv. Azaleodendron: parentage unknown L: A. Henderson & Co. (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed with other azaleodendrons)

(a) **'Aureum Speciosum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1854), INC: ICRA (1958) (Exhibited by M. Guérin, 1854)

(r) **'Aureum Spectabile'** cv. Parentage unknown L: A. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow. (Possibly an azaleodendron)

(a) **'Aureum Splendens'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Aureum Superbissimum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958)

(az) **'Aureum Superbum'** cv. Azaleodendron: parentage unknown R: W. Smith (1845), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow, with deep orange spots. Syn: 'Superbum' (Norbiton Group. Other sources say purplish with deep orange blotch; perhaps two plants are involved; some sources list it as a greenhouse plant)

(r) **'Aureum Triumphans'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1856), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow

(az) **'Aureum Versicolor'** cv. Azaleodendron: parentage unknown L: A. Henderson & Co. (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow. (Listed with other azaleodendrons)

(az) **'Aureum Victoria Regina'** cv. Azaleodendron: parentage unknown R: W. Smith (pre 1845), L: A. Henderson & Co. (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow. Syn: 'Victoria Regina' (Listed with other azaleodendrons by Henderson; some sources just list it as a greenhouse rhododendron. Norbiton Group)

(a) **'Auriculiflorum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: France (1858), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with deeply cut lobes, coppery scarlet. Indian

(r) **Auriel Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × Polar Bear Group I: Sir James Horlick (1942), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Auriferum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Auriferum Speciosum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(r) **'Auriga'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catawbiense Album' (s) × *wardii* × *yakushimanum* H: J.B. Brueckner (1972), G: J.B. Brueckner (1977), N: J.B. Brueckner, REG: J.B. Brueckner (1988) Fls 10-13/lax, domed truss, 25 × 60mm, open campanulate, with 5 flat-edged lobes, pale greenish yellow (1D), deepening to brilliant yellow-green (154B, C) towards centre. Calyx less than 2mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 102-127 × 51-64mm, flat, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.3 × 1.0m in 15 years. Mid June

(a) **'Aurora'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1839), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(Perhaps the 'Aurorae' raised by J.R. Gowen (1829) and published in *Botanical Register*, 1830 under t.1366)

(a) **'Aurora'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: T. Jackson & Son (1851), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Aurora'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls strong yellowish pink, with an orange blotch. Knap Hill

(a) **'Aurora'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red. Kaempferi

(a) **'Aurora'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange. Mollis

(a) **'Aurora'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Eri' R: Glenorie Nursery (pre 1984), N: Glenorie Nursery Fls double, light pink. Indian

(r) **'Aurora'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R.T. Pince (pre 1847), N: R.T. Pince, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rich brilliant rose, thickly spotted. Dwarf, compact habit. (Lucombe, Pince & Co. cat. c1868; Standish & Noble, 1847, also indicated a yellow eye; J. Verschaffelt, 1863, as bright rose, with a yellow blotch). Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Aurora'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Kewense Group (s) × *thomsonii* R: R. Gill & Sons, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1922), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 8-10/lax truss, trumpet-shaped, 75 × 100mm, 5-6-lobed, soft pink, with 1-2 faint crimson rays; sweetly scented; nectaries crimson. Shrub to 6.0m or more. April-May. AM 1922 (Aurora Group. Standard: painting of AM plant (WSY 0019932))

(r) **Aurora Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Kewense Group (s) × *thomsonii* R: R. Gill & Sons, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1922), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Aurora'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* × 'C.S. Sargent' R: J. Scholz (c 1961), N: J. Scholz Fls 14-21/globose truss, 76mm wide, purple-pink in bud (26-26/1), opening purple-pink (26/1-26/2+27/1), blotch brown-purple (928-928/1). Lvs elongate elliptic, 140 × 60mm, green (0960). Shrub 1.0m in 9 years

(v) **'Aurora'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Crown Princess of Germany' × *javanicum* R: J. Veitch & Sons, N: J. Veitch & Sons, I: J. Veitch & Sons (1892), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light orange, tinted with rose, the centre and filaments rose pink

(r) **'Aurora Australis'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Stokes (pre 1969), N: W.E. Stokes

(a) **'Aurora Lilacina'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Aurora Nova'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Ghent ?

(a) **'Aurora Rosea'** cv. Parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as a hardy azalea; perhaps the same plant listed earlier as 'Aurora')

(a) **'Aurore'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, fire red. Indian

(a) **'Aurore de Rooighem'** (See note under 'Aurore de Royghem')

(a) **'Aurore de Rooyghem'** (See note under 'Aurore de Royghem')

(a) **'Aurore de Royghem'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1859), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls nankeen yellow shaded orange, dorsal lobe darker (L. van Houtte, 1868 and others); fls pale rose, with deep rose stamens and a yellow dorsal lobe (Sunningdale, 1961 and others), Clearly two plants are involved. Ghent (Sometimes seen as 'Aurore de Rooyghem' or 'Aurore de Rooighem')

(a) **'Aurotinctum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.R. Gowen (1829), N: J.R. Gowen, INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Published in *Botanical Register*, 1830, under t.1366, where two possible parental combinations are discussed)

(r) **'Austin Layard'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy crimson, with dark spots and a paler centre. Syn: 'Mrs Layard'. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Austra'** cv. Deciduous azalea: un-named seedling (no. Ex-5) (s) × *luteum* H: R. Kondratovičs (1978), G: R. Kondratovičs (1984), N: R. Kondratovičs (2002), I: Rhododendron Nursery "Babīte" of University of Latvia (2002) Fls single, 17/slightly domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 60-70 × 60-70mm, with 5-6 slightly wavy-edged lobes, orange-green in bud, opening inside brilliant yellow (20A) and vivid yellowish orange (32A), with a weak dorsal blotch of strong orange (25A); outside brilliant yellow (20A) and vivid yellowish orange (32C). filaments light yellow at first, darkening with age, anthers orange-yellow; style pink, stigma bright green. Calyx 4mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 40mm, wavy-edged, pointed at apex and base, matt green above, with sparse white hairs above when mature; reddish brown autumn colour. Shrub 2.4m tall in 20 years. Late May-early June

(v) **'Australia II'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: (*konori* var. *phaeopeplum* × *lochiae*) × *zoelleri* × *leucogigas* 'Hunstein's Secret' H: J.L. Rouse (1979), G: J.L. Rouse (1983), N: J.L. Rouse, I: J.L. Rouse (1986), REG: J.L. Rouse (1987) Fls 9/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 100 × 75mm, 5-lobed, pale yellowish pink (36D). Lvs elliptic, 130 × 70mm. Shrub 2.0 × 1.0m

(r) **'Australian Cameo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Apricot Gold' × 'Lem's Cameo' H: K. Van de Ven, G: K. Van de Ven (1985), N: K. Van de Ven, I: K. Van de Ven, REG: K. Van de Ven (1986) Fls 20-24/truss, fun-

nel-shaped, 60 × 80mm, light orange-yellow (22D), flushed pink. Calyx small. Lvs oblanceolate, 100 × 50mm. Shrub 1.0m

(r) **'Australian Celebration'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Apricot Gold' × 'Lem's Cameo' H: K. Van de Ven (1986), G: K. Van de Ven (1992), N: Olinda Nurseries, I: Olinda Nurseries (1996), REG: Olinda Nurseries (1997) Fls 5-11/lax, flat truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 60mm, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes, inside light greenish yellow (8C), shading to brilliant greenish yellow (1C) in the throat; outside light yellow (11B); unspotted; stamens 14, uneven; style and stigma green. Calyx uneven, 10-20mm long, brilliant greenish yellow (1A). Lvs oblanceolate/elliptic, 60-115 × 20-35mm, matt and moderate olive green (147A), margins decurved, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 0.8m in 8 years. Mid spring

(r) **'Australian Gold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Australian Sunset' (s) × 'Apricot Ice' H: K. Van de Ven (1987), G: K. Van de Ven (1991), N: K. Van de Ven (1992), I: Olinda Nursery (1993), REG: Olinda Nursery (1993) Fls 10-12/conical truss, flat funnel-shaped, 30 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light yellow (10C) throughout, with deeper spotting. Calyx 15mm long, light yellow (10C). Lvs lanceolate, 120 × 50mm, flat, matt green above, cuneate at base, apiculate at apex. Shrub 1.2m

(r) **'Australian Primrose'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Apricot Gold' × 'Lem's Cameo' H: K. Van de Ven, G: K. Van de Ven (1985), N: K. Van de Ven, I: K. Van de Ven, REG: K. Van de Ven (1986) Fls 21-23/truss, funnel-shaped, 65 × 80mm, light greenish yellow (4C). Calyx 30mm long, light greenish yellow (4B). Lvs elliptic, 150 × 70mm. Shrub 1.0m

(r) **'Australian Rainbow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Freckle Pink' (s) × 'Apricot Gold' H: K. Van de Ven (1984), G: K. Van de Ven (1988), N: K. Van de Ven (1990), I: Olinda Nursery (1993), REG: Olinda Nursery (1993) Fls 20-23/conical truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 100mm, with 6 smooth-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (66B) in bud, opening greenish white (155C) inside and strong purplish pink (68B) on the outside (fading with age). Lvs elliptic, 100 × 30mm, margins decurved and twisted, matt green above, auriculate at base, acuminate at apex. Shrub 1.5m. Spring

(r) **'Australian Sunrise'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Apricot Gold' (s) × 'Lem's Cameo' H: K. Van de Ven (1986), G: K. Van de Ven (1992), N: Olinda Nursery (1992), I: Olinda Nursery (1993), REG: Olinda Nursery (1993) Fls 12-14/rounded truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 80mm, wih 6 smooth-edged lobes, vivid reddish orange (42A) in bud, opening deep pink (50B) inside, with a light yellow (11B) throat; outside deep pink (47D) at tips, light yellow (11B) at base. Calyx 20mm long, light yellow (11B). Lvs obovate to oblanceolate, 80 × 30mm, wavy-edged, matt green above, narrowed at base, acuminate at apex. Shrub 3.0 × 3.0m. Spring

(r) **'Australian Sunset'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Apricot Gold' × 'Lem's Cameo' H: K. Van de Ven, G: K. Van de Ven (1985), N: K. Van de Ven, I: K. Van de Ven, REG: K. Van de Ven (1986) Fls 20-24/truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 80mm, strong orange-yellow (24B) on inside, moderate reddish orange (35B) on outside, with a 10mm wide edging of strong red (41B). Lvs oblanceolate, 150 × 50mm. Shrub 1.0m

(a) **'Austrinum Gold'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *austrinum* S: W.G. & M.S. Beasley (pre 1985), N: W.G. & M.S. Beasley Fls 40mm wide, strong yellow, with a darker blotch and light pink tube; scented

(r) **'Autocrat'** (See 'The Autocrat')

(r) **Autumn Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Clotted Cream Group (s) × Fabia Group H: Lord Aberconway (1942), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange

(a) **'Autumnale'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Henderson & Co. (1852), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Autumnale Rubrum'** (Syn. of 'Rubescens')

(a) **'Autumn Amethyst'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Karens' (s) × *oldhamii* 'Fourth of July' H: R.E. Lee (1983), G: R.E. Lee (1987), N: J. Berry (1996), I: Plant Development Services Inc. (1997), REG: R.E. Lee (1997) Fls single, 3-4/bud (1-4buds/domed truss), open funnel-shaped, 40-50 × 45-55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (71D) throughout, with strong red (53B) spotting on the dorsal lobe and two upper laterals. Calyx c5-10mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Lvs elliptic, 45-55 × 15-20mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull, moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (146B) below, hairy above and below (hairs white and soft at first, ageing to moderate orange-yellow (167D)), much of the pubescence lost with age. Shrub 1.5-1.8 × 1.5-1.8m in 8-10 years. March-April and intermittently from July

(a) **'Autumn Beauty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Searchlight' R: F. Lovegrove, I: Camellia Grove Nursery (1971), REG: F. Lovegrove (1971) Fls double, silvery rose. Shrub 0.5m

(v) **'Autumn Berry Wine'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: (*konori* × *laetum*) × *commonae* × *laetum* H: G.L.S. Snell, G: G.L.S. Snell (1990), N: R. Macdonald, I: Foothills Nursery (1990), REG: R. Macdonald (1990) Fls 6-8/truss, funnel-shaped, 60 × 50mm, 5-lobed, moderate red (47A) in bud, opening vivid reddish orange (43A). Lvs elliptic, 80 × 40mm, hairless. Shrub 1.5m. Autumn

(a) **'Autumn Cheer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Sweet Briar' (s) × *oldhamii* 'Fourth of July' H: R.E. Lee (1983), G: R.E. Lee (1987), N: V. Lee, I: Plant Development Services Inc. (1997), REG: R.E. Lee (1997) Fls single, 3-4/bud (with 1-6 buds/ball truss), funnel-shaped, 30-40 × 40-50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong pur-

plish red (54A) throughout, with strong red (53C) spotting on the dorsal lobe and two adjacent laterals. Calyx c5mmlong, strong yellow-green (144B). Lvs elliptic, 25-40 × 15-20mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and strong yellow-green (144A) above, hairy above and below (hairs white and soft at first, ageing to dark greyish reddish brown (200A)), much of the pubescence lost with age. Shrub of dense, rounded habit 1.2-1.5 × 0.9-1.2m in 8-10 years. March-April and intermittently from July onwards

(a) **'Autumn Coral'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Gumpo White Sport' (s) × *oldhamii* 'Fourth of July' H: R.E. Lee (1983), G: R.E. Lee (1987), N: P. Duck (1996), I: Plant Development Services Inc. (1997), REG: R.E. Lee (1997) Fls single, 2-3/bud (with 1-3 buds/domed truss), funnel-shaped, 55-65 × 65-75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (48B) throughout, with strong purplish red (71C) spotting on the dorsal lobe and two upper laterals. Calyx 10-15mm long, moderate olive green (147A). Lvs elliptic, 40-45xc15mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairy above and below (hairs white and soft at first, ageing to greyish reddish brown (200B)), much of the pubescence lost with age. Dense shrub, 0.9-1.2 × 1.2-1.5m in 8-10 years. March-April and intermittently from July onwards

(a) **'Autumn Embers'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Watchet' (s) × *oldhamii* 'Fourth of July' H: R.E. Lee (1984), G: R.E. Lee (1988), N: J. Berry (1995), I: Plant Development Services Inc. (1997), REG: R.E. Lee (1997) Fls semi-double (some petaloid stamens), 2-3/bud (with 1-3buds/domed truss), open funnel-shaped, 55-65 × 65-70mm, with 5-14 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (44A) throughout, with strong red (53B) spotting on the dorsal lobe and on two upper laterals. Calyx 5-10mm long, strong yellow-green (144A). Lvs elliptic, 45-55 × 15-20mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull moderate olive green (146A) above, hairy above and below (hairs soft and white at first, ageing to dark greyish reddish brown (200A)), much of the pubescence lost with age. Dense shrub, 1.2-1.5 × 1.5-1.8m in 8-10 years. April and intermittently from July.

(a) **'Autumn Glow'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vuyk's Scarlet' × 'Tanager' × 'John Cairns' H: W.G.T. Hyde (1967), G: W.G.T. Hyde (1970), N: W.G.T. Hyde, I: W.G.T. Hyde, REG: Woodlands Nursery Gardens (1987) Fls single, 2/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 35-40 × 60mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53D), the base of the dorsal lobes speckled strong red (46A). Lvs 40-50 × 20-40mm, fairly dark and slightly glossy green above. Shrub 0.4 × 1.1m. Early May. *AM 1987

(r) **'Autumn Gold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × Fabia Group R: T. Van Veen Sr, N: T. Van Veen Sr, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10/truss, 90mm wide, apricot salmon, shaded pink. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(a) **'Autumn Rouge'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Double Beauty' (s) × *oldhamii* 'Fourth of July' H: R.E. Lee (1983), G: R.E. Lee (1986), N: G. Smith (1996), I: Plant Development Services Inc. (1997), REG: R.E. Lee (1997) Fls semi-double (with some petaloid stamens), 3-4/bud (with 1-4 buds/truss), open funnel-shaped, 65-75 × 50-55mm, with 8-15 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (54A) throughout, with strong red (53C) spotting on the dorsal lobe and two upper laterals. Calyx 5-10mm long, moderate yellow-green (146B). Lvs elliptic, 55-65 × 20-25mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A)above, hairy above and below (hairs white and soft at first, ageing to moderate orange (167C)), much of the pubescence lost with age. Dense shrub, 1.8-2.4 × 1.2-1.5m in 8-10 years. March-April and intermittently from July onwards

(a) **'Autumn Royalty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Georgia Giant' (s) × *oldhamii* 'Fourth of July' H: R.E. Lee (1983), G: R.E. Lee (1987), N: V. Street (1996), I: Plant Development Services Inc. (1997), REG: R.E. Lee (1997) Fls single, 3-4/bud (with 1-3 buds/ball truss), open funnel-shaped, 65-70 × 90-100mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside strong purplish red (71C), with strong purplish red (64B) spotting on the dorsal lobe and two upper laterals; outside strong purplish red (71D). Calyx 10-15mm long, strong yellow-green (144A). Lvs elliptic, 55-70 × 20-40mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (146B) below, hairy above and below (hairs white and soft at first, ageing to dark greyish reddish brown (200A)), most of the pubescence lost with age. Dense, globose shrub, 1.8-2.4 × 1.2-1.5m in 8-10 years. March-April and intermittently from July onwards

(r) **'Autumn Splendor"** cv. Parentage unknown H: P. Newberry (pre 1980), G: P. Newberry, N: P. Newberry

(a) **'Autumn Sun'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ruby' × 'Hexe' R: N.Carolina/Louisiana State Univ., N: N.Carolina/Louisiana State Univ., I: N.Carolina/Louisiana State Univ. (1981) Fls hose-in-hose, 2-3/truss, up to 45mm wide, with 7-8 stamens, vivid reddish orange (33A). Shrub to 1.1m

(a) **'Autumn Sunset'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Pericat (c 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, dark brick red. Indian

(r) **'Autumn Violet'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *impeditum* (s) × *dauricum* hybrid H: G.A.L. Mehlquist (pre 1971), G: G.A.L. Mehlquist (pre 1974), N: G.A.L. Mehlquist (c 1989), I: Roslyn Nursery, REG: I.E.M. Donovan (2000) Fls 1(-3)/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 20-25 × 30-40mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, vivid purple (87B) in bud, openingvivid violet (87A) throughout, the outside fading to vivid purple (87B); unmarked. Calyx c3mm long, dull yellow-green. Lvs oblong, 13-25 × 6mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, margins decurved, semi-glossy and moderate yellow-green (147B) above, scaly below. Shrub 0.4 × 0.75m in 10

years. Early April and again in September. (First published in Roslyn Nursery cat., 1991)

(a) **'Avalanche'** cv. Parentage unknown R: I. Davies (pre 1898), N: I. Davies, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls snow white; sweetly scented. (A hardy azalea)

(a) **'Avalanche'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, white. Kurume (Imported to USA by Domoto Bros and re-named by H.A. Dreer. Original name lost)

(a) **'Avalanche'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, white

(r) **'Avalanche'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Loderi Group (s) × *calophytum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12-14/truss, funnel-shaped, 100mm wide, 6-7-lobed, pure white, with a small, magenta rose blotch at base extending into 3 lines of colour above. Bracts and pedicels vermilion. Shrub up to 6.0m. AM 1934, FCC 1938 (Avalanche Group. Standard: painting of FCC plant (WSY 0009735))

(r) **Avalanche Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Loderi Group (s) × *calophytum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white or delicate pink

(v) **'Avalon'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Shasta' (s) × *aurigeranum* H: W.A. Moynier (1978), G: W.A. Moynier (1985), N: W.A. Moynier, REG: W.A. Moynier (1994) Fls 9-12/domed truss, 76 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light yellow (18A) throughout, paling slightly towards lobe edges; slightly scented; stamens 10, curved, unequal. Pedicels 25mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 112 × 57mm, convex, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull green, scaly. Petioles 6mm long, light green, scaly. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 12 years. September-April

(a) **'Avalon Exquisite'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Holly Heath Nursery (1978) Fls double, pink

(a) **'Avalon Gardens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1976) (Parent of 'Mrs June Rink')

(r) **'Avania'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Tally Ho Group (s) × Rapture Group H: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1948), G: E.G.W.W. Harrison, N: E.G.W.W. Harrison, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 16/truss, 45 × 65mm, geranium red

(a) **'Ave'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Ernst Thiers' R: M. Srpková (c 1960), N: M. Srpková Fls single, pink, somewhat marbled. Lvs elliptic, dark green

(a) **'Ave Maria'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × 'Fukuju' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65-75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, white, sanded or flaked phlox purple and with a greenish yellow blotch. Shrub 1.5m. Midseason. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Avenir'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'John T.D.Lewelyn' × 'Madame Royer' I: A. Haerens (1911), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, deep pink (52B-C). Calyx normal, green. Midseason. Indian

(a) **'Avenir Albus'** (Syn. of 'Madame Auguste Haerens Alba')

(a) **'Avenir Ruber'** (Syn. of 'Princess Margaretha')

(a) **'Aviator'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Bridal Veil' (s) × 'Azuma-no-hana' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65mm wide, white, striped eugenia red and with a green blotch. Shrub to 1.2m. Midseason. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Avis'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* (s) × 'Glory of Penjerrick' R: R.B. Fox (1913), N: R.B. Fox, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls glowing crimson, unmarked. (Barclayi Group)

(az) **'Avita'** cv. Azaleodendron: *occidentale* (s) × Margaret Dunn Group I: Brandt (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls tangerine orange (9/3)

(r) **'Aviv'** cv. Parentage unknown R: N.E. Hess (pre 1990) (Published in Roslyn Nursery cat., 1990)

(r) **'Aviva Ann'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Mars' R: unknown, N: A.R. Brooks, I: A.R. Brooks (1983), REG: A.R. Brooks (1986) Fls 15-19/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 38 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (55A) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (56C) and shading to strong purplish pink (55B) at edges; outside 55B. Calyx minute. Lvs elliptic, 89-133 × 38-57mm, with a thin, felted indumentum below (moderate yellow green (146D) when young). Shrub 1.4 × 2.3m in 17 years. Late May

(a) **'Avocet'** cv. Deciduous azalea: said to derive mainly from *occidentale* R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, tinged pink, with a yellow blotch. Knap Hill

(r) **Avocet Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *fortunei* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, sweet-scented

(a) **'Avon'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: F.E.W. Hanger (c 1958), G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, REG: Royal Horticultural Society (1961) Fls 14/compact, domed truss, funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, light yellow (604/1), with darker spotting in dorsal throat; lobes wavy. Lvs 70 × 45mm, mid green. Shrub at least 1.2m. *AM 1958. Knap Hill

(r) **'Avondale'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pygmalion' × *haematodes* × 'Wellfleet' H: C.O. Dexter

(c 1940), G: Scott Arboretum (post 1945), N: J.C. Wister, I: Scott Arboretum (post 1945), REG: The Tyler Arboretum (1980) Fls 14/ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 50 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (2.5R 5/12), with black spotting on dorsal lobe; scented. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 100-130 × 40-50mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 2.1m in 10 years. Mid May. (Exact combination of parents unknown)

(r) **'Avonsleigh'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Freckle Pink' (s) × 'Apricot Gold' H: K. Van de Ven (1986), G: K. Van de Ven (1990), N: K. Van de Ven (1992), I: Olinda Nursery (1993), REG: Olinda Nursery (1993) Fls 18/rounded truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 80mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53C) in bud, opening light yellowish pink (38D) inside, moderate pink (49B) and fading, on outside; deeper spotting internally. Calyx 15mm long, pale yellow (8D). Lvs elliptic/lanceolate, 100 × 35mm, margins decurved and twisted, matt green above, cuneate at base, acute at apex. Shrub 1.1m

(r) **'Avril'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *uniflorum* var. *imperator* (s) × *ciliatum* R: B.O. Mulligan, N: B.O. Mulligan, I: B.O. Mulligan, REG: B.O. Mulligan (1965) Fls 2-3/truss, funnel-campanulate, up to 40 × 50mm, amaranth rose (550/1), deeper in bud. Lvs elliptic-lanceolate, 45 × 20mm, hairless. Shrub 0.4 × 0.5m, cushion-forming

(a) **'Awapuni Red'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.S. Yeates (pre 1985), N: J.S. Yeates

(r) **'Award'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anna' (s) × Margaret Dunn Group H: D.W. James, G: C.H. Ward (1969), N: C.H. Ward, I: C.H. Ward (1969), REG: C.H. Ward (1972) Fls 15/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 75 × 115mm, white, shaded pink at edges, with a yellow throat and a greenish yellow blotch with darker green spots; buds pink; scented. Calyx short, pale green. Lvs narrowly oblong, 190 × 50mm, mid green, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 10 years. May. AM 1988

(r) **'A.W. Coates'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Price (1948), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Awesome'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vinecrest' × 'Marypat' (s) × 'Fiery Orange' H: A.L. Smith (1987), G: W.E. Delp (1992), N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 13/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 48 × 57mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, greyish red (178A), dark reddish orange (178B), moderate red (180B, C) and deep pink (180D) in bud, opening light yellowish pink (159A) edged moderate red (180B, C) and deep pink (180D); outside moderate red (180C); filaments deep pink (180D); style pale yellow-green (157A); anthers light yellowish pink (159A); stigma dark red (187B). Lvs 102 × 38mm, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 0.9m in 5 years. Early June

(r) **'Awesome Array'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Skeeter Hill' (s) × 'Robert Weldon' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish red (58A) in bud, opening pale yellow (11D), edged strong purplish red (63B), with a pale yellow (11C) throat and dark red (59A) dorsal spotting; anthers white. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Awesome Blossom'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Yaku Sunrise' × 'Gigi' (s) × 'War Dance' H: M.J. Whitman (1997), G: M.J. & B. Whitman (2002), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (2002), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (2002) Fls 21/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, vivid red (46B) in bud, opening inside strong purplish red (54A) and gradually paling at centre, with sparse spotting of strong red (45D) on the 3 dorsal lobes; outside strong purplish red (54A), lightly tinged vivid red (45B) on midribs. Lvs elliptic, 180 × 65mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, margins wavy and downcurved, semi-glossy and dark green (136A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 0.55m in 5 years. Mid May.

(r) **'Axilena'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nancy Evans' (s) × 'Yellow Pages' H: W.A. Stipe (c 1987), G: W.A. Stipe (1990), N: W.A. Stipe (2001), I: Glynneden Gardens (2001), REG: W.A. Stipe (2001) Fls 18/ball truss, open funnel-campanulate, 50 × 50mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, vivid reddish orange (44B) in bud, opening brilliant yellow (11A) with a slight, vivid reddish orange (44B) marking deep in the throat, outside light yellow (10C). Calyx 13mm long, strong reddish orange (31B). Lvs elliptic, 140 × 45mm, cuspidate at apex, cuneate at base, margins decurved, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 0.9m in 8 years. Mid May

(r) **'Axsel Olsen'** (Error for 'Aksel Olsen')

(a) **'Aya-goromo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1920), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, pink. Kurume

(r) **Ayah Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × *facetum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pastel pink, light yellow in throat. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. (Several forms are in cultivation)

(a) **'Aya-hime'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, to 35mm wide, strong purplish red (7.5RP 5/12), with a paler throat and darker blotches on the dorsal lobes. Kurume

(a) **'Aya-kanmuri'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1918), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 25mm wide, deep yellowish pink (39B), with dark spots and white filaments. Syn: 'Pinkie'; Wilson no. 19. Kurume (Previously listed as 'Aya-kammuri')

(a) **'Aya-nishiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with "dissected petals like pine needles", white, spotted red. Satsuki

(a) **'Aya-no-hamare'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* L: Kyoma Yokata Nursery (1976) Fls purple.

(a) **'Aya-no-kamuri'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rose pink. Kurume (Introduced to USA by R.K. Beattie (USPI no.77121). Probably the same plant listed as 'Aya-kammuri')

(r) **'Ayers Rock'** cv. Parentage unknown R: A.C. Bramley ? (pre 1973) (Grown in Australia)

(r) **'Ayesha Group'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × *arboreum* H: L. de Rothschild (1926), G: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright pink in large trusses. Shrub to c4.0m. Early May. AM 1992

(r) **'Ayrshire'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1900), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple, with a rich yellow eye. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Ayton'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Crest' × 'Golden Dream' H: E. de Rothschild (1954), G: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1982), REG: E. de Rothschild (1982) Fls 12/truss, 55 × 80mm, 6-7-lobed, brilliant yellow-green (154C), fading to light yellow-green (154D) on upper half. Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 130 × 58mm, hairless. May

(a) **'Azafujin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls shell pink, streaked deeper pink and greenish cream, with an occasional rose stripe; anthers white. Kurume

(az) **Azaleoides Group** gp Azaleodendron: *ponticum* (s) × *"nudiflorum"* (?=*periclymenoides/flammeum*) R: Thompson Nursery (c 1820), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 9-12/truss, funnel-shaped, 40×40-50mm, purplish lilac in bud, opening to white, edged purplish lilac, spotted yellow above

(r) **Azamia Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *russatum* (s) × *augustinii* H: J.B. Stevenson (1934), N: J.B. Stevenson, I: J.B. Stevenson (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blue mauve. (Seed parent is recorded as the no longer recognized var. *cantabile*)

(a) **'Azanashi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c50mm wide, light red. Satsuki

(a) **'Azanashi-koshimino'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c50mm wide, red, with strap-like segments between calyx and corolla. Satsuki

(r) **Azma Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × *fortunei* H: J.B. Stevenson (1927), G: J.B. Stevenson, N: J.B. Stevenson, I: J.B. Stevenson (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 100mm wide, in a lax truss, soft salmon pink. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Azonea'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Azor Group (s) × 'Catanea' H: G.G. Nearing (1958), G: G.G. Nearing (1964), N: G.G. Nearing, I: G.G. Nearing (1972), REG: G.G. Nearing (1973) Fls 12/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40×75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (54B) to strong purplish pink (55B), with a few, faint spots of brownish orange (165B). Calyx minute, strong purplish pink (55B). Lvs elliptic, 125 × 50mm, moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 2.2 × 2.2m in 13 years. Early June

(r) **'Azor'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* H: J.B. Stevenson (1927), I: J.B. Stevenson (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls trumpet-shaped, 75mm long, clear pink, with ruddy brown fleckings towards the base. Lvs up to 175 × 50mm, dark green. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. AM 1933 (Azor Group. Standard: painting of AM plant (WSY 0019934))

(r) **Azor Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* R: J.B. Stevenson (1927), N: J.B. Stevenson, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Azorazie'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1994)

(r) **'Azor Sister'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: J.B. Stevenson, N: J.B. Stevenson, I: J.B. Stevenson (1960), REG: J.B. Stevenson (1962) Fls 9/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 75 × 90mm, rhodamine pink (527/1), stained turkey red (721) at petal base and speckled currant red (821) on dorsal lobes. Lvs 160 × 50mm, mid to dark dull green. Shrub to c4.0m. *FCC 1960 (Belongs to the Azor Group according to Bean (1976))

(r) **Azrie Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × *decorum* subsp. *diaprepes* H: J.B. Stevenson (1927), G: J.B. Stevenson, N: J.B. Stevenson, I: J.B. Stevenson (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft salmon pink.

(a) **'Aztec'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum* (s) × 'Tamasugata' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 75mm wide, between rose doré e and peach red, with a heavy blotch with dots of rose red; sometimes with a pure white zone at the base. Shrub to 1.0m. Late. Glenn Dale

(r) **Aztec Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* (s) × *irroratum* H: L. de Rothschild (1926), G: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink

(r) **'Aztec Gold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Indiana Group × 'Inca Gold' H: B.F. Lancaster, N: B.F. Lancaster, I: B.F. Lancaster, REG: B.F. Lancaster (1965) Fls 18/rounded truss, campanulate, 50 × 100mm, deep clear primrose yellow (601/2). Lvs up to 200 × 75mm, glossy green; coppery when young. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years.

(a) **'Aztec Joy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls double, hose-in-hose, 75-90mm wide, lobe margins deeply scalloped or fringed, light to strong yellowish pink

(r) **'Azuma-akane'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *degronianum* subsp. *degronianum* G: M. Oota (1981), S: M. Oota (1980), N: M. Oota (1981), REG: M. Oota (1999) Fls 6-9/open truss, funnel-campanulate, 35-40 × 40-57mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (67C) in bud, opening moderate purplish pink (74D) inside and out, with moderate red (185B) dorsal spots. Calyx 1mm long, moderate purplish red (185C). Lvs narrow oblong-lanceolate, 85-110 × 25-30mm, flat, obtuse at apex, truncate at base, glossy green above, indumentum below strong yellow-green (144A) when young, ageing to moderate olive green (146A). Shrub 1.0m wide in 9 years. (Selected in the wild from Mount Daito-dake, Zao Area, Japan by Mr Oota, 1980. Standard: colour print supplied by registrant (WSY 0021075))

(a) **'Azuma-kagami'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1918), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, sometimes also semi-double, 30mm wide, phlox pink (625/2), flushed darker, fading with age and in sunlight, greenish in centre; anthers pale. AM 1950, *AM 1952 Syn: 'Pink Pearl'; Wilson no. 16. Kurume (The 1950 award was made under the incorrect name 'Apple Blossom')

(a) **'Azuma-kagami'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1994), N: Japan Fls single, white, flushed pink especially around edges and over dorsal lobe which is also darker spotted. Satsuki

(a) **'Azuma-kurenai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c60mm wide, red. Satsuki

(a) **'Azuma-nishiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, with 5-8 lobes, light red, with deep red stripes and speckling. Satsuki

(r) **'Azuma-nishiki'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *degronianum* subsp. *degronianum* S: Japan (pre 1997), N: Japan Lvs variegated

(a) **'Azuma-no-hana'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50-100mm wide, with rounded, overlapping lobes, white, dotted or occasionally with sectorial flakes of strong reddish orange. Satsuki (Sometimes listed in error as 'Adzuma-no-hana'; perhaps originating from Chugai Nursery Co)

(a) **'Azuma-shibori'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, single, white. Kurume (Introduced to USA in 1929 by R.K.Beattie; Hesse cat.(1925/6) describes colour as white, striped red; the spelling in the 1958 Register ('Azumi-shibori') is assumed to be an error)

(a) **'Azur'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: E. de Cock (1909), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Azur'** cv. Probably 'Sir Charles Butler' (s) × unknown R: W. Haye (1975), N: W. Haye Fls 8-12/truss, funnel-shaped, 45-70mm wide, outside lilac, inside whitish lilac with yellow or yellow-brown markings. Mid-late May

(r) **'Azuray'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *augustinii* hybrid (s) × *dauricum* Sempervirens Group H: J.B. Brueckner (1975), G: J.B. Brueckner (1980), N: J.B. Brueckner, REG: J.B. Brueckner (1988) Fls 3-4/lax truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 19 × 57mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, brilliant to light violet (92A, B, C). Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 38-57 × 19-25mm, convex, scaly above and below. Shrub 1.8 × 1.1m in 13 years. Early-mid May

(r) **'Azurella'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Sacko' (s) × *calostrotum* subsp. *riparioides* H: H. Hachmann (1990), G: H. Hachmann (1996), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 3-5 at ends of shoots, broadly funnel-shaped, 20 × 36-40mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, strong purple (82B) inside, paler in throat, strong violet (86B) outside with vivid reddish purple (78A) veins; spots of dark purple (79A) frequently all around the lobes; stamens 10, filaments very light purple (76B) with silvery hairs below; style light purplish pink (73C), stigma dark red (187B). Calyx 3-4mm long, strong yellow-green (144B), edged reddish, with silvery hairs. Lvs elliptic to ovate, 22 × 8mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, flat and slightly glossy, the lower surface heavily speckled with brown or rust and red-brown scales. Shrub 0.45 × 0.6m in 10 years. Late April-mid May. (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030611). First published in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(r) **'Azureum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bluish lilac. (Grown in France in 1861 (*Revue Horticole*:418 (1861) & in UK in 1867 (Waterer & Godfrey))

(r) **'Azurika'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *russatum* (s) × *impeditum* H: H. Hachmann (1963), G: H. Hachmann (1966), I: H. Hachmann (1979), REG: G. Stück (1983) Fls 7-8/truss, 15 × 20-30mm, funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, vivid violet (87A). Lvs 25-28 × 9-10mm, scaly. Shrub up to 1.0m

(r) **'Azurro'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nova Zembla' × 'Purple Splendour' × 'Purple Splendour' H: H. Hachmann (1976), G: H. Hachmann (1981), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1986), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 11-14/truss, funnel-shaped, 40-45(-50)x55-60(-85)mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, deep to strong purple (83B(-C)) inside and out, tinged deep reddish purple (77A) especially on midveins, and with a conspicuous dorsal blotch of dark red (187A-B). Calyx 2-5mm long, greenish/reddish. Lvs elliptic, 110-130 × 35-45mm, flat to somewhat recurved, acute at apex, cuneate at base, mid green and slightly glossy above, hairless; petioles reddish brown on upper sides. Shrub 1.2 × 1.6m in 12 years. Late May - mid June

(r) **'Azurwolke'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *russatum* (s) × 'Blue Diamond' H: H. Hachmann (1961), G: H. Hachmann (1964), I: H. Hachmann (1977), REG: G. Stück (1983) Fls 6-7/truss, 35-40mm wide, funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, light violet (88C). Lvs 30-35 × 17-18mm, scaly. Shrub up to 2.0m

(r) **'Baba'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *haematodes* × Sarita Loder Group R: Sir William Pennington-Ramsden, N: Sir William Pennington-Ramsden, I: Sir William Pennington-Ramsden, REG: ICRA (1964) Fls in a loose truss, funnel-shaped, 75mm wide, deep red, waxy

(r) **'Babette'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: D.G. Hobbie (c 1952), G: D.G. Hobbie, N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1987), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 8-11/truss, campanulate, 5-lobed, pale greenish yellow (2D), with basal blotch internally of strong red (53B-C). Calyx 1-2mm long, brilliant yellow-green (154B), edged red. Lvs elliptic, 80-95 × 34-42mm, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, dark green and strongly glossy above, with a thin brownish indumentum below. Shrub 0.9 × 1.3m in 10 years, of compact habit. Mid May-early June

(a) **'Babeuff'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Gebr Kersbergen (1918), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, bright salmon, shaded orange. Mollis (Consists of more than one clone)

(a) **'Babuschka'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Elsie Lee' (s) × 'Purpurkissen' H: H. Hachmann (1988), G: H. Hachmann (1993), N: H. Hachmann (1996), I: H. Hachmann (1998), REG: G. Stück (1999) Fls double, 2-3/bud, broadly open funnel-shaped, 30 × 42mm, with up to 14-20 lobes, buds opening vivid purplish red/deep purplish pink (61C/D), inside and out becoming deep purplish pink (61D); slight markings of deep to strong purplish red (61A-B); filaments deep purplish pink (61D), anthers brownish orange/moderate orange-yellow (165B/C); style deep purplish pink (54B), stigma moderate (to light) purplish pink (65A(-B)). Calyx 3-4mm long, light green, with silvery hairs. Lvs ovate, 25 × 13mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, matt green above, hairy (hairs pale at first, darker later). Shrub 0.55 × 0.5m in 10 years. Late May-mid June. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1998-2000 (1998), with colour photograph)

(r) **'Baby Bonnet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Rosy Morn' (s) × Dido Group R: R. Henny (pre 1965), I: L. Henny, REG: L. Henny (1965) Fls 12/truss, open bell-shaped, 8-lobed, peach pink, paler at centre, darker at margins. Lvs 100 × 50mm

(r) **'Baby Christina'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Weston's Pink Diamond' (s) × 'Cuddles' H: W.E. Delp (1993), G: W.E. Delp (1995), N: Mrs V. Delp, I: Crystalaire Rhododendron Naturescapes, REG: J.D. Harris (1995) Fls 9/truss (from multiple buds), open funnel-shaped, c25 × 30mm, 5-lobed, moderate reddish orange (173B) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (56B-D) with a pale greenish yellow (1D) flare and light yellow (18A) dorsal spots; filaments and style pale purplish pink (55D); anthers moderate purplish red (186A); stigma moderate red (179A). Lvs 40 × 15mm, cuneate at base, acute at apex. Shrub 0.6 × 0.45m in 3 years. Mid-late May

(a) **'Baby Doll'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: M.E. Greentree (pre 1987), N: M.E. Greentree Fls hose-in-hose, pink. Kurume

(r) **'Baby Doll'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Holden' H: B.F. Lancaster, G: E. Morris (1966), I: E. Morris (1971), REG: E. Morris (1972) Fls 15/ball-shaped truss, 50 × 50mm, cherry pink in bud, opening cherry pink with lighter centre, fading to near white. Lvs lanceolate to ovate, 75 × 25mm, glaucous, dark olive green above, with a thin, tan indumentum below. New shoots with silvery to white indumentum. Shrub 0.4 × 0.4m in 6 years

(a) **'Baby Jill'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: O.R. Bristow, I: Mossholder Nursery (c 1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, semi-double, 75-90mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, lavender pink, with deeper veining

(r) **'Babylon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *calophytum* (s) × *praevernum* R: G. Reuthe Ltd, I: G. Reuthe Ltd (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a chocolate blotch. Lvs large, shining green. Shrub 1.5-2.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Baby Mouse'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *campylogynum* R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, I: C. Ingram (1973), REG: C. Ingram (1973) Fls deep plum purple. AM 1973

(a) **'Baby Pericat'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Pericat, L: Galle (1987) Fls small, hose-in-hose, light purplish pink. Pericat

(a) **'Baby Rosebud'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Linda Jean' (s) × 'Springtime'(Kurume) H: W.L. Guttormsen (1975), G: W.L. Guttormsen (1979), N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen (c 1983), REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1985) Fls 1-2/truss, hose-in-hose and double (6+6-lobed, plus petaloid stamens), broadly funnel-shaped, 25 × 40mm, light purplish pink (62C), with very narrow red edging. Calyx 20mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic to more or less broadly elliptic, 20-30 × 10-20mm, moderate olive green (146A) above, glossy, hairy. Shrub 0.4 × 0.45m in 6 years

(r) **'Baby Sage'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kammer's Ruffles' (s) × 'Purple Splendour' H: M Stockman (1983), G: M. & H. Stockman (1990), N: M. Stockman, I: M. & H. Stockman (1992), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1992) Fls 14/ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 38 × 51mm, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish purple (72C) with a large, vivid red (45C), dorsal

blotch densely spotted moderate purplish red (59C) to almost black; stamens 11, slightly curved, unequal; filaments lavender, anthers cream; style pink. Calyx 3mm long, light green. Lvs oblanceolate, 76 × 25mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy mid green above, hairless. Petioles 13mm long, light green. Shrub 0.4 × 0.4m in 9 years. Mid May

(a) **'Baby Salmon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably a seedling from 'Glacier' R: I.L. Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L. Amann Fls single, 75mm wide, strong yellowish pink (40D). Shrub 0.6-1.0m tall. Midseason

(a) **'Baby's Blush'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* hybrid S: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls star-shaped, white, with light rose speckling in the blotch. Shrub up to 1.0m in 14 years

(a) **'Baby's Bottom'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *periclymenoides* R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls soft pink. Late May

(r) **'Baby Scarlet'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1990)

(r) **'Baccalaureate'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* H: J.B. Gable (pre 1972), N: J.C. Wister (pre 1978) Fls white

(r) **'Baccarat'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: unknown garden hybrid (s) × 'Max Sye' R: A. van Nes, N: A. van Nes, I: A. van Nes (1960), REG: A. van Nes (1961) Fls10-18/compact ball truss, 40-65mm wide, vivid red (52A), with a large black blotch. Mid-late May

(a) **'Bacchante'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Louise' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65-75mm wide, upper lobes strong purplish red, lower lobes lighter, close to spinel pink, with heavy dots of amaranth purple in the blotch. Shrub to 2.2m. Early. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Bacchus'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: G.H. White (pre 1938), I: G.H. White, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish rose, heavily suffused brown-purple. Ghent

(a) **'Bacchus'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hexe' × 'Snow' R: USDA, N: USDA, I: USDA (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, in clusters of 8-20, 40mm wide, pink. (Derived from the work of G.E. Yerkes & R.L. Pryor)

(r) **'Bacchus'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1881), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson, in large trusses. (C. Noble (1862/3) listed a 'Bacchus' described as deep rose with a fine eye: perhaps the same plant)

(v) **'Bacchus'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *christianae* × *jasminiflorum* (Probably raised in USA, pre 1987, from a D.B. Stanton cross; sometimes seen as 'Bachus')

(r) **'Bach Choir'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × Jalisco Group H: E. de Rothschild (1963), G: E. de Rothschild (1970), N: Leopold de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1988), REG: E. de Rothschild (1988) Fls 9/truss, 80 × 100mm, 7-lobed, lobes moderate purplish pink (54D) overlaid with light yellow (20B), deepening and becoming more intense in the centre of the fl. (20B). Lvs oblanceolate-ovate, 170 × 65mm, hairless. May - early June. AM 1988

(r) **'Bacher's Gold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Unknown Warrior' (s) × Fabia Group R: J.G. Bacher (pre 1955), N: J.G. Bacher, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls broadly funnel-shaped, 100mm wide, 6-lobed, edges venetian pink (420/2), shading to saffron yellow (7/3) at centre of lobes, burnt orange (014) spots on dorsal lobes shading to deep crimson (21); outside venetian pink (420/1), deeper on veins. Calyx prominent, 19-38mm long, irregularly lobed, coloured as corolla; pistil prominent, protruding; stamens 12, uneven; filaments light cream, anthers brown. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years

(v) **'Bachus'** (See note under 'Bacchus')

(r) **'Bad Eilsen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Essex Scarlet' × *forrestii* Repens Group R: D.G. Hobbie, N: D.G. Hobbie, I: D.G. Hobbie (1965), REG: D.G. Hobbie (1969) Fls 4-5/rounded truss, 50 × 50-65mm, funnel-shaped, with wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53C) in throat and centre of lobes, margins near strong red (53B), with faint dorsal spotting of deep red (53A). Lvs ovate-lanceolate. Shrub up to c1.0m. *AM 1969

(r) **'Baden-Baden'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Essex Scarlet' × *forrestii* Repens Group R: D.G. Hobbie, N: D.G. Hobbie (1956), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 6/lax, globular truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 50-65mm, red (slightly darker than 46B), with veining and spotting on lower lobes of strong red (46A). Lvs broadly ovate, 75-90 × 30-40mm, dark glossy green. Shrub c1.0m. *HC 1972

(a) **'Badia'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1839), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Jacob-Makoy (1851) suggest it is synonymous with 'Gloria Mundi')

(a) **'Badina'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958) (Perhaps an error for 'Blandina')

(a) **'Badinage'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' × *mucronatum* × *kaempferi* × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: B.Y. Morrison (pre 1965), N: B.Y. Morrison, I: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1965) Fls double, 65-75mm wide, centre white, with broad margins of strong purplish pink washed with strong pink. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Back Acres

(r) **'Bad Sassendorf'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Madame de Bruin' (s) × *yakushimanum* H: J. Bruns Nursery (1964), G: J. Bruns Nursery (1969), N: J. Bruns Nursery (1988), I: J. Bruns Nursery (1989), REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1996) Fls 14-22/compact, broad, rounded truss, funnel-shaped, 30-42 × 35-52mm, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, dark pink in bud, opening

light pink inside, outside light pink with dark vein; dark red markings on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 1-2mm long, pale green, tomentose. Lvs elliptic, 75-155mm long, margins flat or sometimes decurved, matt green above, rounded at base, acuminate at apex. Compact shrub 1.0 × 1.7m in 18 years. Mid-late May. (First published in Schmalscheidt, *Rhododendron- und Azaleenzüchtung in Deutschland*, part II (1930-1988), (1989))

(r) **'Bad Zwischenahn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catharine van Tol' (s) × 'Doncaster' × *yakushimanum* H: W. Bruns (1960), G: W. Bruns, N: W. Bruns, I: J. Bruns (1981), REG: J. Bruns (1985) Fls 8-18/rounded truss, 30-40 × 40-60mm, light pink, with heavy dark red markings on a white ground. Lvs long ovate, 80-100 × 40-50mm, glossy green, the new growth silver. Shrub to c1.2 × 1.8m

(r) **'Bad Zwischenahn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: un-named hybrid × *williamsianum* H: D.G. Hobbie, S: J. Bruns, N: J. Bruns, I: J. Bruns (1968) Fls 5-7/truss, 45-55mm wide, rose

(a) **'Bagatelle'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* (s) × 'Maxwellii' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3-5/truss, 70-90mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink, with an inconspicuous blotch of tyrian rose spots and a white throat. Shrub to 2.2m. Early. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Bagdad'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Illusion' (s) × 'Gaiety' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65-75mm wide, slightly darker than rose pink, with a blotch of tyrian rose. Shrub to 1.5m. Midseason. Glenn Dale (Parentage corrected to accord with USDA records)

(r) **'Bagoly's Beauty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' (s) × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: L. Bagoly (1966), G: M. Tietjens (1972), N: M. Tietjens, I: M. Tietjens (1975), REG: M. Tietjens (1986) Fls 16/truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 55mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (58B), opening moderate purplish pink (68C), outside strong purplish pink (68B). Calyx very small. Lvs narrowly obovate to more or less elliptic, 115-140 × 50-55mm, with a very light beige indumentum below. Shrub 1.5 × 1.9m in 18 years. Mid May

(r) **'Bagshot Brilliant'** (Syn. of 'Brilliant')

(a) **'Bagshot Flame'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Forsterianum' × 'Maxwellii' R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1925), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Bagshot Ruby'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (c 1900), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 14-18/hemispherical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40-45 × 60-70mm, ruby red, with a few dark brown spots on a pale ground on the dorsal lobe. AM 1916

(r) **'Bagshot Ruby Improved'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (c 1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Similar to 'Bagshot Ruby'

(r) **'Bagshot Sands'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *lutescens* I: Mrs R.M. Stevenson, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 13/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 25 × 40mm, primrose yellow (601/2), with some dark spots at base of dorsal lobe. Lvs broadly lanceolate, 75 × 25mm, scaly below. Shrub up to 1.0m. AM 1953

(r) **'Bahram'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1939), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush pink, fading to white

(a) **'Baiho'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kozan' × 'Matsunami' R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 40-50mm wide, white, variegated with deep pink to strong red stripes, with many variations. Upright habit. Midseason. Satsuki

(a) **'Baisetsu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 65-75mm wide, white, with reddish purple stripes. Satsuki

(r) **'Bai Waterer'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1910), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with a scarlet edge and a light centre

(r) **'Bajadère'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac rose, with purple blotch. (Grown in The Netherlands, pre 1896)

(r) **'Bajazzo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Daisy' × 'Oldenburg' H: H. Hachmann (1957), G: H. Hachmann (1963), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1976), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 9-12/slightly loose truss, 45 × 65-72mm, with 6-7 lobes, deep (to moderate) purplish pink (62C(-D)) inside, vivid purplish red (66B) outside, unmarked; some filaments occasionally petaloid. Calyx 1.5-2mm long, light green. Flowering shoot buds intense reddish brown in winter. Lvs elliptic, 90-125 × 52-63mm, cuspidate at apex, cordate-oblique at base, dark green above, hairless; petioles reddish brown. Shrub 0.8 × 0.9m in 10 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Bakerianum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1847), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Bakkarat'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Coccineum Speciosum' × 'Gibraltar' H: H. Hachmann (1959), G: H. Hachmann, N: H. Hachmann (1977) Fls 5-11/truss, 50-65mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, orange-red, with a yellow blotch. Late. Knap Hill

(r) **'Bakkeri'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Gheldolf (1844), INC: ICRA (1958)

(v) **'Bako'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *retivenium* R: unknown (pre 1988) (Reported from New Zealand, *Vireya News* no.6 (1988))

(r) **'Balakyn'** cv. Parentage unknown H: Swarthmore College (pre 1980), N: Swarthmore College

(r) **'Balalaika'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Omega' × a *dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* hybrid H: H. Hachmann (1975), G: H. Hachmann (1980), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1987), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 6-10/rather loose truss, funnel-shaped, 40-45 × 50-60(-70)mm, 5-lobed, edges of corolla lobes inside strong purplish red to deep purplish pink (64C-D), centre of lobes and throat pale yellow (20C), dorsal spotting of greenish yellow (153A(-C)), outside 64C-D, but with less marking of 20C. Calyx 1-2mm long, yellowish green. Lvs elliptic, 95-125 × 35-43mm, mid green and slightly glossy above, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 1.3m in 12 years, making a dense, rounded bush. Early-mid June

(r) **'Balbina'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group × *smirnowii* (s) × 'Spätlese' H: H.L. Meltzer (1984), G: H.L. Meltzer, N: H.L. Meltzer, REG: H.L. Meltzer (1998) Fls 8-10/truss, funnel-campanulate, 70 × 70-90mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, outside strong purplish red (63B) with deep pink (52B) ribs, inside deep purplish pink (64D), with a pale yellow (11C) throat; pale spots on dorsal lobes; stigma green. Calyx 20-30mm long, red-orange. Lvs elliptic, 120-150 × 40-50mm, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 1.0m in 8 years. Late May-early June

(r) **'Balduria 92'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alice Street' (s) × Volker Group R: W. Nagel (1972), N: W. Nagel (1992), REG: ICRA (2000) Fls pure yellow

(r) **'Bali'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* white form (s) × (*neriiflorum* × *dichroanthum*) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* H: D.G. Leach (1952), G: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1974), REG: D.G. Leach (1983) Fls 14-17/truss, 50 × 90mm, broadly funnel-shaped, 5-6-lobed, light purplish pink (55C), throat pale yellow-green (4D), outside deep purplish pink (55A). Calyx minute, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 115 × 50mm, moderate olive green (147A). Shrub c2.0m in 30 years

(r) **'Balinda'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scintillation' (s) × *wardii* H: H. Hachmann (1966), N: H. Hachmann (1980) Fls 7-12/loose, rounded truss, light yellow, with dark red markings and a dark red basal fleck. Compact, rounded shrub, 1.5-2.0m high

(a) **'Balkis'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Rothschild (pre 1942), N: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1958), REG: E. de Rothschild (1961) Fls pale yellowish white, with a large, orange-yellow blotch. Knap Hill

(r) **'Ballad'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: un-named Dexter seedling (L-1) × 'America' R: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1972) Fls up to 15/pyramidal truss, open campanulate, 70mm wide, 6-7-lobed, very pale purple (7.5P 8.3/5), edged moderate purplish pink (10P 7/7) and with a bold, red, dorsal blotch; deeper coloured on outside. Calyx c1.5mm long, green, rimmed pink. Lvs narrowly obovate, 108 × 50mm, mid green. Shrub 1.1 × 2.2m

(a) **'Ballerina'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Cecile' × unnamed white R: L. de Rothschild (1942), N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. Shrub 3.0-4.0m. Knap Hill

(a) **'Ballerina'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Nellie Kelly Nurseries (pre 1962), N: Nellie Kelly Nurseries Fls double, white to pale (orchid) pink ground, edged darker (cyclamen) pink; lobes ruffled. Indian

(a) **'Ballerina'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Paul Schäme' × 'Madame Pericat' R: H. Kerrigan (pre 1965), N: H. Kerrigan Fls double, hose-in-hose, salmon pink

(a) **'Ballerina'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: H.-P. Holz (pre 1996), N: H.-P. Holz

(r) **'Ballerina'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alice' × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1937), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large trusses, soft pink (Waterer catalogues); another plant with pure white fls, with a yellow blotch has also circulated under this name

(a) **'Ballero'** cv. Evergreen azalea: a double pink florists' azalea (s) × 'Clarion' H: USDA (1947), N: (1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 90mm wide, wavy-edged, madder (23/2), with a rose blotch

(r) **'Ballet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: un-named Dexter hybrid (Bosley no.1005) (s) × 'Powell Glass' R: O.S. Pride (pre 1963), N: O.S. Pride Fls in compact, conical trusses, bright purplish pink, with a greenish yellow blotch

(a) **'Ballet Girl'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Kyu-miyagimo' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, jasper red, with a blotch of pomegranate purple spots. Shrub to 1.5m. Early-midseason. Glenn Dale (Parentage following USDA records)

(a) **'Ballet Girl'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark pink. Kaempferi

(a) **'Ball of Gold'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Old Gold' × 'George Reynolds' H: S. Hilscher (pre 1968), G: S. Hilscher

(a) **'Balls of Fire'** cv. Deciduous azalea: grown from imported Knap Hill Nursery seed, parentage unknown G: Bovees Nursery, N: Bovees Nursery, I: Bovees Nursery, REG: Bovees Nursery (1961) Fls 75mm wide, vivid reddish orange (43A). Shrub 1.2m in 10 years

(a) **'Balls of Fire'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *cumberlandense* R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls in tight ball-like trusses, orange-red, frilled. Late June

(r) **'Bally Cotton'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' (s) × *aureum* H: W.A. Reese (1971), G: W.A. Reese, I: W.A. Reese, REG: W.A. Reese (1980) Fls up to 7/ball-shaped truss, 50mm wide, light

orange-yellow (23C) in bud, opening yellowish white (155D), with a light yellow-green (145D) blotch in dorsal throat together with light yellow-green (145C) spotting. Shrub 0.8m in 10 years

(a) **'Balsaminiflorum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *indicum* R: Japan, N: E.A. Carrière (1882), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, c40mm wide, with c40 lobes, deep yellowish pink (47C), without stamens or pistil. Very late. Syn: 'Rosiflorum', 'Komanyo' (the earliest name), 'Rollissonii'. Indian

(v) **'Balsaminiflorum Album'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1882), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white. FCC 1882

(v) **'Balsaminiflorum Aureum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1882), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, bright yellow. FCC 1882

(v) **'Balsaminiflorum Carneum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1887), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, flesh pink, tinted rose, tinted pale yellow on opening. FCC 1887

(v) **'Balsaminiflorum Rajah'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1886), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, 50mm wide, lobes bright fawn yellow, tinted rose towards margins; the small, central, petaloid stamens fawn-edged, striped rose; tube light yellow. FCC 1886 Syn: 'Rajah'

(v) **'Balsaminiflorum Roseum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: J. Veitch & Sons, N: J. Veitch & Sons, I: J. Veitch & Sons (1893), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose pink, suffused light orange; tube pale buff

(r) **'Balta'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: white-flowered *minus* Carolinianum Group (s) × PJM Group H: E.V. Mezitt (1958), G: Weston Nurseries (c 1962), N: E.V. & R.W. Mezitt, I: Weston Nurseries (1978), REG: R.W. Mezitt (1998) Fls c9/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, c30 × 40mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pink in bud, opening yellowish white (155B) to very pale purple (76D), changing to white. Calyx c1.5mm long. Lvs elliptic, 40 × 20mm, margins decurved, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dark green and glossy above, with brownish scales below. Shrub 0.75 × 0.9m in 10 years. Early May. Syn: 'PJM White No. 1' (Published in Weston Nurseries cat. (1978))

(a) **'Baltic Amber'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: Weston Nurseries (1976), G: Weston Nurseries (1980), N: Weston Nurseries, I: Weston Nurseries, REG: Weston Nurseries (1990) Fls single, 10-15/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 40mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong orange (25B), with a vivid orange-yellow (23A) eye; slightly scented. Calyx 10mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 50 × 20mm, blade flat but with wavy margins, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, wrinkled and moderate olive green (137B) above, greyish yellow-green (191A) below; petioles hairy; autumn colour bright red. Shrub 0.8 × 0.3m in 5 years. Early June

(r) **'Baltic Lace'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: F3 generation of an un-named, low, white-flowered hybrid H: E.V. Mezitt (1980), G: Weston Nurseries (1984), N: Weston Nurseries, I: Weston Nurseries, REG: Weston Nurseries (1987) Fls up to 25/tightly packed, ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 32 × 38mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, yellowish white (158D). Calyx less than 1mm long, light green. Lvs oblong, 76 × 32-38mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 0.45 × 0.6m in 7 years. Mid-late May

(a) **'Balzac'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Rothschild (pre 1934), N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10-15/compact truss, 75mm wide, reddish orange, deeper on tube and with a yellowish blotch; filaments reddish orange; style red. Shrub up to 4.0m. AM 1934. Knap Hill (Standard: painting of AM plant (WSY 0019935). The previous listing of this as a Group name was an error)

(r) **'Bambi'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Fabia Tangerine' H: P. Wiseman (1951), G: Waterer (Bagshot) (1957), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1959), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1986) Fls 7-9/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 55mm, 5-6-lobed, strong red (50A) in bud, opening deep pink (51B), fading to strong pink (48D), with speckling on dorsal lobe. Calyx 20-25mm long. Lvs elliptic, 75 × 25mm, hairy. Shrub 1.0-1.2m. May

(r) **'Bambino'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' × *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Lem's Cameo' H: E.C. Brockenbrough, G: E.C. Brockenbrough (1976), N: E.C. Brockenbrough, REG: E.C. Brockenbrough (1988) Fls 12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 80mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, light yellowish pink (38C) with a red flare on the dorsal lobe and red spotting on the upper lobe of the calyx. Calyx 40mm long, light yellowish pink (38C). Lvs elliptic, 120 × 50mm, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.8m in 10 years, with moderately scented fls. Early May

(r) **'Bambola'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Bad Eilsen' × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: H. Hachmann (1968), G: H. Hachmann (1973), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1984), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 3-5/loose truss, funnel-shaped, 35-40 × 35-50mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red to deep purplish pink (54A-B), becoming strong pink to moderate purplish pink (54C-D) in throat, sparse markings of 54A on some dorsal lobes. Calyx 1-1.5mm long, greenish or reddish. Lvs longish ovate, 75-82 × 28-34mm, convex, margins usually recurved, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, dark

green and strongly glossy above, hairless. Shrub very slow-growing, 0.4 × 0.7m in 10 years, of compact habit and with red buds during autumn and winter. Mid-late May

(r) **'Bamboo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from Catfortcampy Group R: J.B. Gable (pre 1972), N: J.B. Gable Fls coral pink, without stamens. Syn: 'Salmon Bamboo'

(a) **'Banana Beauty'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, N: I.G. & S.N. Swan, I: Tawa-Glen Nursery (1989), REG: Tawa-Glen Nursery (1992) Fls 10-14/ball-shaped truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 67 × 95mm, 5-lobed, buds light yellow-green (154D) at base, strongly tipped vivid reddish orange (33B), opening to light yellow (11B) with edges lightly flushed deep yellowish pink (44B), heavy flare of vivid orange-yellow (23A) on dorsal lobe; stamens 5, filaments light yellow (15D), anthers brown. Calyx 4-5mm long, light yellow-green (145B). Lvs oblong, 90-110 × 35-40mm, hairless, slightly bluish below. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m. Mid October-early November (New Zealand)

(r) **'Banana Boat'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *keiskei* (dwarf form) × *dauricum* 'Arctic Pearl' H: G.D. Lewis (1971), G: G.D. Lewis (1975), N: G.D. Lewis, REG: G.D. Lewis (1988) Fls 3-5/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 19 × 38mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light yellow-green (145B) in bud, opening pale greenish yellow (1D), with strong yellow-green (144C) spotting on dorsal lobe; moderately scented. Lvs elliptic, 67 × 22mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green and scaly above. Low, spreading shrub, 0.9 × 1.2m in 15 years. Mid April

(r) **'Bananaflip'** (Syn. of 'Hachmann's Bananaflip')

(r) **'Banana Republic'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Casanova' (s) × 'Barbara Cook' H: C. Trautmann (pre 1996), G: C. Trautmann, N: C. Trautmann

(a) **'Banana Split'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Cecile' × 'Sylphides' R: A.J. Knuttel (pre 1985), N: A.J. Knuttel Fls in a loose truss, pale yellowish white, flushed pink, with a vivid yellow blotch and vivid red throat; lobes ruffled. Knap Hill

(r) **'Banana Split'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Banana Split')

(r) **'Banburiense'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *ponticum* hybrid or selection L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Bandai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65-75mm wide, with up to 9 slightly twisted lobes, white, with red, wavy hair-line stripes; some red selfs. Satsuki

(r) **'Bandoola'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Matador Group (s) × Red Lamp Group H: W.S. Reuthe (pre 1960), G: W.S. Reuthe, N: W.S. Reuthe, I: G. Reuthe Ltd (1960), REG: E.W. Reuthe (1994) Fls 13/flattened truss, funnel-shaped, 50-55 × 65-70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds strong red (53B), opening inside vivid red (45C) and outside strong red (45D); marked vivid red on 3 dorsal lobes; stamens with whitish filaments and black anthers. Calyx 3mm long, dark green (132A). Lvs oblong, 145 × 55mm, matt dark green, margins wavy and decurved, with a moderate orange-yellow (165C) indumentum below when young which ages to bronze; petioles and young stems bristly hairy. Shrub 1.1 × 1.0m in 5 years. April-May. (Published in G. Reuthe Ltd Rhododendron and Azalea cat., no. 75 (Spring 1960))

(a) **'Bangaku'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Shozui' × 'Shomei' R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 75-100mm wide, white, spotted purple and striped red, throat green: may vary to pale rose or pale rose striped and streaked dark carmine rose. Shrub 0.6m. Satsuki

(r) **'Bangaroo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Si Si' (s) × 'Twilighter' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls deep and strong red (53A-B) in bud, opening yellowish white (158D) and strong red (53C-D), with a deep red (53A) throat; filaments pale yellow (158B), anthers dark red (187B); style light yellow-green (150D), stigma deep red (60A). (Published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Bangkok'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* white form × *dichroanthum* × (*griffithianum* × *auriculatum*) R: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1972), REG: D.G. Leach (1973) Fls up to 13/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 45mm long, 5-lobed, light to strong purplish pink (5RP 7.5/9), shading in centre to pale orange-yellow (7.5YR 10/4), outside light to strong purplish pink (7.5RP 7.5/10); blotch and dorsal spotting dark reddish orange (10R 4/9). Calyx minute, green. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 50mm, dark green above, hairless. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(a) **'Bango-nishiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *eriocarpum* × *kaempferi* I: K. Wada, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, orange scarlet. Satsuki (Perhaps an error for 'Bungo-nishiki', with corrupted data)

(a) **'Banjo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 75-100mm wide, with 6 or more rounded and wavy-edged lobes, white, with wavy, red, hair-line markings, occasional marginals and selfs. Satsuki

(a) **'Banjo-no-tsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Zuio' × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: Japan (pre 1949), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 100-110mm wide, white, throat with bands of purple and red spotting and marking; some all white. Shrub 0.6m. Satsuki

(a) **'Banka'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Banjo' R: Japan (pre 1950), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls to 100mm wide, with 6 rounded lobes, white, with flakes of light pink; some solid deep pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Banki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with deep red spots and stripes. Satsuki

(a) **'Banko'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Bunka' R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 75-100mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, rhodamine pink to white, with varying degrees of blotching and streaking of rhodamine pink, and a prominent yellow overlay in throat. Shrub 0.45m. Satsuki

(a) **'Banks Land'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Deerfield Nurseries (pre 1940), N: Deerfield Nurseries, I: Deerfield Nurseries (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 30mm wide, pink. Midseason. Kurume

(a) **'Banku'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan, L: Carter's (1976) Fls 40mm wide, pale to dark porcelain rose, some with darker or lighter tonings. Shrub 0.9m. Satsuki

(r) **'Banned in Boston'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Princess Elizabeth' (s) × 'Kentucky Cardinal' H: J. Shaw (c 1976), G: J. Leonard (1988), N: J. Shaw, I: Briarwood Gardens (1992), REG: BriarwoodGardens (1992) Fls 16-18/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 48 × 70mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, vivid red (45A), with deep red (53A) speckles on dorsal lobes, and a small white spot at base of each lobe; stamens 9, curved. Calyx minute. Pedicels moderate red (179A) above. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 76-152 × 25-51mm, flat, acute at apex, oblique at base, bullate and dull, moderate olive green (137A) above, strong yellow-green (144A) below. Petioles 13-16mm long, moderate yellow-green (146C). Shrub 2.1 × 2.1m in 17 years. Late May.

(a) **'Bano'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 75-90mm wide, usually with 6 overlapping lobes, white, with a few tiny green dots. Satsuki

(a) **'Banquet'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: E. de Rothschild (c 1980), N: E. de Rothschild Fls pink/orange. (Solent Group)

(a) **'Banrai'** (Listed as a parent of 'Iwai-no-tsuki'; perhaps an error for another Satsuki)

(r) **Banshee Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *auriculatum* (s) × 'John Tremayne' R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, flushed pink

(a) **'Banshin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, with broad, round, overlapping lobes, white, with stripes and sections of deep pink, without a blotch. Late. Satsuki

(r) **'Bantam'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'April Gem' (s) × 'Epoch' H: J. Looye (1992), G: W.E. Delp (1995), N: Mrs V. Delp, I: Crystalaire Rhododendron Naturescapes, REG: J.D. Harris (1996) Fls 6/truss, open funnel-shaped, c25 × 30mm, with 5 lobes and some petaloid stamens, deep reddish purple (77A) in bud, opening strong purple (77B) with brownish orange (165B) dorsal spots; stigma moderate purplish pink (74D). Lv 15 × 10mm, cuneate at base, broadly acute at apex. Shrub 0.75 × 0.6m in 4 years. Mid-late May

(a) **'Bantow'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958). Kurume

(a) **'Banzai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright salmon pink, with slightly darker spotting; fades to shell pink with a deep pink bar on each lobe. Kurume (Imported to UK by J.B. Stevenson before 1938 from Yokohama Nurseries or Wada)

(a) **'Banzai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Izayoi' × 'Tamaorihime' R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65-75mm wide, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, white, with strong pink flakes and markings; occasionally pale pink with darker margins. Satsuki

(r) **'Baravalla'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *monstroseanum* L: UK (1994)

(r) **'Barbar'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cynthia' (s) × 'Nova Zembla' H: L.M. Player (1975), G: L.M. Player (c 1983), N: L.M. Player, REG: L.M. Player (1997) Fls 16/conical and domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 85 × 85mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53D) with deep red (53A) margins and a white throat, dark red (187A) spotting on the dorsal lobe; style white. Calyx c3mm long, greyish yellow-green (148C). Lvs elliptic, 140 × 65mm, flat, cuneate at base, broadly acute at apex, dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 15 years. Early May

(a) **'Barbara'** cv. Parentage unknown I: J. Vermeulen (1955), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Barbara'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *tosaense* R: Hilliers (pre 1957), N: Hilliers, I: Hilliers (1957) Fls small, rose-coloured/purplish pink. Lvs 25mm long. Low-growing shrub. April-May. PC 1957

(r) **'Barbara'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple, with a white centre. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **Barbara Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* Elatum Group (s) × Loderi Group H: L. de Rothschild (1934), G: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cream, with a dark blotch

(r) **'Barbara Ann'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Aviva Ann' (s) × 'Great Lakes' × 'America' H: A.R. Brooks (1983), G: H. Wrightington (1991), N: H. Wrightington, I: H. Wrightington (1994), REG: H. Wrightington (1994) Fls 16-18/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 76mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, deep red (53A) in bud, opening moderate purplish pink (66D) with strong purplish red (59D) margins, dorsal lobe much lighter with a large, whitish flare and two rays of brilliant yellow-green (154C) speckles; stamens 10, curved, unequal. Lvs oblong, 102-127 × 38-64mm, convex, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, glossy, moderate olive green (146A) above, moderate yellow-green

(147D) below, with very sparse, strong yellow (153D) hairs along midrib below; petioles 30mm long, green. Shrub 1.2 × 1.4m in 11 years. Mid May

(r) **'Barbara Behring'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sappho' (s) × 'Catalgla' × 'Sappho' H: unknown (c 1979), G: R. Behring (c 1984), N: R. Behring, I: R. Behring (1985), REG: R. Behring (1986) Fls 13/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light purple (84C) in bud, opening white, with dorsal blotch of dark purple (79B) and strong purplish red (72A), outside with light purple (84C) ribs; deep purple (79C) spotting on dorsal lobe. Calyx 1mm long, light yellow-green (145C). Lvs elliptic, 80 × 30mm, moderate olive green (146A) above, strong yellow-green (144C) below, hairless. Shrub 0.3 × 0.3m in 6 years. Late May

(a) **'Barbara Coats'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* × 'Nanki-Poo' H: A.F. George (1963), G: A.F. George, N: A.F. George, I: Hydon Nurseries (1978), REG: Hydon Nurseries (1978) Fls magenta pink

(r) **'Barbara Cook'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mary Belle' (s) × 'Goldsworth Yellow' H: J.J. Brooks (1976), G: Mrs P. Walton (1985), N: Mrs P. Walton, REG: Mrs P. Walton (1989) Fls 6/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 38 × 89-102mm, with 5 wavy to very wavy-edged lobes, strong red (51A) in bud, opening moderate purplish pink (54D) which ages to pale yellow (20D) with deep purplish red (59B) rays deep in the throat. Lvs elliptic, 127 × 51mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 10 years. Mid May.

(v) **'Barbara Crouch'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *rhodoleucum* × *konori* H: T. Lelliott (1976), G: T. Lelliott (1988), N: Mrs H. Crouch, I: Mrs H. Crouch (1990), REG: Mrs H. Crouch (1991) Fls 8-16/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 85 × 50mm, 6-lobed, tube moderate yellowish pink (37C), lobes white, spotted pink. Lvs elliptic, 170 × 100mm, hairless. Shrub 1.0m. Spring-autumn

(a) **'Barbara Gail'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Pericat, L: Blackwell Nurseries (1962) Fls hose-in-hose, light solferino purple. Pericat

(r) **'Barbara Haag'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* (as var. *leachii*) (s) × 'Ted's Yellow No. 2' L: Cardinal Nursery (1991) Fls pale yellow

(r) **'Barbara Hall'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Road Red' (s) × 'Prelude' H: R.M. Steele (c 1962), G: R.M. Steele, N: R.M. Steele, I: Bayport Plant Farm, REG: J.K. Weagle (2001) Fls 12/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45 × 80mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (61C) in bud, opening inside edged deep to strong purplish pink (67C-D) shading to moderate purplish pink (186D), with a prominent, deep red (60A) solid blotch at the base, with peripheral spotting which expands into a V-shaped dorsal flare; outside edged deep to strong purplish pink (67C-D) with slightly darker midveins; stigma deep red (185A). Calyx 3-4mm long, white. Lvs elliptic to slightly obovate, 185 × 70mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, flat or very slightly concave, dull and close to moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless; margins smooth and edged with a very fine yellow line. Shrub 2.5 × 2.5m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Barbara Hardgrove'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × *wardii* × *dichroanthum* H: D.L. Hardgrove, G: D.L. Hardgrove (c 1962) Fls yellow

(r) **'Barbara Hayes'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × Fire Music Group H: I.A. Hayes (1980), G: I.A. Hayes (1987), N: I.A. Hayes, REG: I.A. Hayes (1987) Fls 8/truss, campanulate, 45 × 55mm, 5-lobed, deep purplish pink (55A), midvein stripe pale orange-yellow (24D), dorsal lobe spotted strong yellowish pink (34D). Calyx 30mm long, 24D and 55A. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 180 × 50mm, with young indumentum tawny brown. Shrub 0.3 × 0.6m. May

(a) **'Barbara Hille'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Louise Gable' hybrid R: J.B. Gable (pre 1972), N: J.B. Gable Fls single, salmon pink. Shrub to 0.6m in 12 years. Gable

(r) **'Barbara Houston'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Virginia Scott' (s) × 'Belvedere' H: H.L. Larson (1959), G: H.L. Larson (c 1968), N: H.L. Larson, I: H.L. Larson, REG: H.L. Larson (1978) Fls to 9/domed truss, 64 × 75mm, open funnel-shaped, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, light orange-yellow (22C), edged pink (7mm deep) and with large red spots on the three dorsal lobes. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 45mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (137A) above, bullate, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years. Early June

(a) **'Barbara Jenkinson'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1939), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 7-10/compact, rounded truss, 60-80mm wide, orange apricot-coloured (from reddish brown winter buds: cf. green winter buds in 'Frances Jenkinson') with a flare of deep crimson spots. Lvs dark bronze in autumn. Late May-early June. Knap Hill

(r) **'Barbara Jury'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *maddenii* (s) × 'Sirius' H: F.M. Jury, G: F.M. Jury, N: F.M. Jury, I: F.M. Jury, REG: F.M. Jury (1982) Fls 5-6/truss, 70 × 90mm, 5-lobed, naples yellow (403/3) deepening on outside of tube and flushed pink, orange-yellow within. Calyx green. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 40mm, with brown, scaly indumentum

(a) **'Barbara McKeever'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Pocono Pink' (s) × 'Sherbrook' H: J.R. McKeever (1988), G: J.R. McKeever (1991), N: J.R. McKeever, REG: J.R. McKeever (1993) Fls 2-3/cluster, open funnel-shaped, 44 × 70mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (68A) throughout, slightly darker pink on outer edge of lobes and with a large, dark wine-coloured, spotted blotch on the dorsal lobe, which extends to adjacent lobes; stamens 5, curved, equal. Calyx 22mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 38 × 19mm, flat, acute at apex, oblique at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green

(137B) above, moderate yellow-green (138B) below, with discrete medium red to medium brown hairs below. Petioles 4mm long, light green, hairy. Shrub 0.6 × 0.7m in 4 1/2 years. Late April

(r) **'Barbara Reuthe'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: believed to be derived from the Jalisco Group G: W.S. Reuthe (1975), S: E.W. Reuthe (1976), N: E.W. Reuthe, I: G. Reuthe Ltd (1982), REG: G. Reuthe Ltd (1985) Fls 8/truss, 80 × 90mm, 7-lobed, light yellow (18A) on opening, becoming light yellow (18B). Calyx 20mm long, light yellow (18A). Lvs oblong to elliptic, 115-130 × 50-55mm, hairless. Shrub 1.2m tall in 10 years

(r) **'Barbara Tanger'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: complex parentage including *catawbiense*, *maximum* & possibly some unknown hybrids H: W.D. Smith (1970), G: W.D. Smith, N: W.D. Smith, I: W.D. Smith, REG: W.D. Smith (1979) Fls up to 17/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 90mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish purple (2.5RP 5/10) in bud, opening moderate purplish red (5RP 4/10) with deep purplish red (7.5RP 3/9) dorsal spotting. Lvs elliptic, 95-115 × 50mm, obtuse or acute at apex, rounded at base, moderate olive green (7.5GY 4/4) above, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 1.5m in 7 years. Midseason

(r) **'Barbara Wallace'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Queen Wilhelmina' (s) × 'Helen Waterer' R: C.B. van Nes & Son (pre 1929), N: C.B. van Nes & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls reddish pink, with a white centre

(a) **'Barbara Workman'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Bowman' × 'Stewartstonian' × 'Mrs Doorenbos' R: D. Hager (pre 1984), N: D. Hager Fls hose-in-hose, 65mm wide, rosy salmon, with a light red blotch which gives an orange glow. Lvs ovate, medium green. Shrub up to 1.2m

(r) **'Barbarella'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lampion' (s) × *viscidifolium* × *wardii* H: H. Hachmann (1984), G: H. Hachmann (1989), N: H. Hachmann (1996), I: H. Hachmann (1997), REG: G. Stück (1999) Fls 6-8/rather lax truss, funnel-campanulate, 45 × 45-55mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, inside light yellow (14D) to vivid yellow (17C) in centre, edges strong red (45D); outside deep yellowish pink (43C) blended with strong red (45D), edges strong red (45D) with some vivid yellow (17C) towards base; unmarked; filaments yellowish green, anthers moderate orange-yellow (164B/C); style brilliant yellow-green (150C); stigma strong greenish yellow (153C). Calyx c2mm long, light green/reddish. Lvs elliptic, 60-75 × 22mm, flat, cuspidate at apex, rounded to oblique at base, slightly glossy above; petioles 25mm long. Shrub 0.35 × 0.6m in 10 years. Mid-late May. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1998-2000 (1998), with colour photograph)

(r) **'Barbarossa'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *barbatum* hybrid N: Sir James Horlick, I: Sir James Horlick, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red (as in *barbatum*). March

(r) **'Barbarossa'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: May Day Group × 'Goldsworth Orange' × 'Kluis Triumph' R: J. Bruns Nursery (1961), N: J. Bruns Nursery Fls in a lax truss, pure red

(a) **'Barbatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Attributed by A. van Geert (1849) to Verschaffelt)

(a) **'Barbecue'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown G: E. de Rothschild (1970s), S: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: Exbury Enterprises (1988), REG: E. de Rothschild (1997) Fls semi-double, 8/truss, tubular funnel-shaped (but opening flat-faced), 63 × 82mm, 5-lobed, light orange-yellow (24C), flushed light yellowish pink (29C); dorsal flare strong orange (24A), conspicuously spotted; tube and outside deep yellowish pink (39B); filaments and style orange, some petaloid. Calyx 4mm long, green. Lvs elliptic/obovate, hairless. Shrub 3.0 × 2.0m. May. (Solent Group)

(r) **'Barber of Seville'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1853), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose, with black spots

(a) **'Barber's Orange'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: S. Barber (pre 1975) Fls double, 50mm wide, reddish orange. Shrub to 1.0m, often repeat-flowering

(r) **Barbet Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* (s) × *callimorphum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls creamy pink

(r) **Barbsutch Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *barbatum* (s) × *sutchuenense* H: E.J.P. Magor (1919), G: E.J.P. Magor, N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rose pink, with a crimson blotch

(a) **'Barchester'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Shishu' (s) × 'Hatsu-shimo' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: B.Y. Morrison (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, 50mm wide, white, with small green dots deep in dorsal throat. Shrub 1.5m. Early. Glenn Dale (Not distributed)

(a) **'Barclayanum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Ivery (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, striped and flaked violet. Indian

(r) **'Barclayanum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1851), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a hemispherical truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 50mm, rose with a light pattern of brown-crimson dorsal marks. Syn: 'Le Poussin', 'Poussin'

(r) **Barclayi Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* (s) × 'Glory of Penjerrick' H: S. Smith (1913), N: R.B. Fox, I: R.B. Fox (1921), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls intense crimson to deep blood red

(r) **'Barclayi Helen Fox'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* (s) × 'Glory of Penjerrick' H: S. Smith (1913), N: R.B. Fox, I: R.B. Fox (1921), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep crimson scarlet. Syn: 'Helen Fox' (Barclayi Group)

(r) **'Barclayi Robert Fox'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* (s) × 'Glory of Penjerrick' H: S. Smith (1913), N: R.B. Fox, I: R.B. Fox (1921), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 7-8/truss, 65-70 × 75-80mm, glowing crimson, unmarked; nectaries blackish crimson. Calyx 15mm long, crimson, with a glaucous bloom. Lvs obovate, up to 120 × 65mm. March-April. AM 1921 Syn: 'Robert Fox' (Barclayi Group)

(r) **'Barecanelia'** (Syn. of 'Johann Stern')

(r) **'Barefield's Best Girl'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anna' (s) × (possibly 'Peter Koster' × Loderi Group) H: G.E. Barefield (1958), G: G.E. Barefield, I: Mrs M.W. Barefield (1978), REG: Mrs M.W. Barefield (1980) Fls 15/conical truss, open funnel-campanulate, 110 × 110mm, with 5-7 wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (56C), with a dark red (187A) stain at base of throat, heaviest on the dorsal half; shading to vivid red (46B) at outer edges and with vivid red peripheral spots in dorsal lobe sector; outside strong purplish pink (55B); moderately scented. Calyx 3mm long, strong red (46A). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 230 × 70mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless; new growth bronze. Shrub 2.7 × 2.1m in 18 years. Late May

(r) **'Barefield's Bridget'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anna' (s) × Lodauric Group × Fabia Group H: G.E. Barefield (1959), G: G.E. Barefield, I: Mrs M.W. Barefield (1978), REG: Mrs M.W. Barefield (1980) Fls 14-16/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 90 × 100mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53D) in bud, opening light pink (49C), flushed moderate pink (49B), with a deep red (53A) basal blotch and peripheral spotting, both most prominent in dorsal sector; outside deep pink (52C); moderately scented. Calyx 16mm long, outside deep pink (52C), inside deep red (53A). Lvs narrowly elliptic/oblong, 180 × 50mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.8m in 17 years. Late May

(r) **'Barefield's Granddaughter'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan' (s) × 'Dot H: G.E. Barefield (1958), G: G.E. Barefield, I: Mrs M.W. Barefield (1975), REG: Mrs M.W. Barefield (1980) Fls 14-21/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 100mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, vivid red (57A) in bud, opening strong purplish pink (62A) shading to strong purplish red (58B) edging; outside strong purplish red (58B). Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs narrowly oblong, 165 × 40mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (147A) and glaucous above. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 18 years. Early May

(r) **'Barefield's Liza'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anna' (s) × 'Tudelo × (*lacteum* × Loderi Group) H: G.E. Barefield (1957), G: G.E. Barefield, I: Mrs M.W. Barefield (1978), REG: Mrs M.W. Barefield (1980) Fls 13-16/conical truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 76 × 140mm, with 5-7 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (55A) in bud, opening light purplish pink (55C) at edges and shading to pale purplish pink (56C) at centre; a dark to strong red (59A-46A) stain and some spotting deep in throat; outside deep purplish pink (55A). Calyx minute, green. Lvs lanceolate, 215 × 65mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, wavy, moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless; new growth bronze. Shrub 2.4 × 1.8m in 18 years. Mid May

(r) **'Barefield's P. Lee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Earl of Athlone' (s) × 'Mrs Betty Robertson' H: G.E. Barefield (1958), G: G.E. Barefield, I: Mrs M.W. Barefield (1978), REG: Mrs M.W. Barefield (1980) Fls 14/ball truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 75 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (58C) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (55D), with a 7mm wide strong purplish red (58C) edging. Calyx 3-10mm long, deep purplish pink (58D). Lvs narrowly oblong, 170 × 60mm, acute at apex, rounded at base, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.8m in 18 years. Early May

(r) **'Barefield's Virginia Anne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan' (s) × 'Anna' × 'Ole Olson' H: G.E. Barefield (c 1961), G: Barefield family, I: Mrs M.W. Barefield (1972), REG: Mrs M.W. Barefield (1980) Fls 12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 75 × 75mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, deep red (53A) in bud, opening strong red (51A) and shading to vivid red (45A) in throat; outside with darker stripes. Calyx 3mm long, strong red. Lvs oblanceolate to narrowly elliptic, 115-200 × 40-60mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (137A) above, with a sparse, patchy tan indumentum below. Shrub 1.5 × 1.8m in 16 years. Mid May

(r) **'Bariton'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Arthur Bedford' × 'Purple Splendour' H: H. Hachmann (1974), G: H. Hachmann (1979), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann, REG: G Stück (1988) Fls 14-16/truss, funnel-shaped, 50-55(-60)x80-90(-100)mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, outside strong purple (77B) tinged strong reddish purple (72B), inside 77B to deep reddish purple (77A) at edges, centre light purple (77C-D); conspicuous blotch on three dorsal lobes of dark red (187A(-D)); conspicuous, long, white filaments; pedicels reddish green on upper sides. Calyx 3-4(-5)mm long, reddish green. Lvs narrowly lanceolate, 120-150 × 45-50mm, acute at apex, cuneate-rounded at base, mid green and glossy above, hairless. Shrub 1.6 × 1.4m in 10 years; tightly upright at first, later compact. Late May-mid June

(a) **'Barkeri'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Dallière (1852), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Barkerianum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Barkway'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Pink Cherub' H: J.F. McQuire (1982), G: J.F. McQuire (1990), N: J.F. McQuire, REG: J.F. McQuire (1991) Fls 18/domed truss, funnel-campan-

ulate, 50 × 60mm, with 6 overlapping and emarginate lobes, opens strong red (53C) fading to light purplish pink (55C) and with a large blotch and flecking of vivid red (52A). Calyx very short, green/yellow. Lvs elliptic oblanceolate, 90 × 30mm, more or less recurved, with a dark fawn indumentum on young foliage. Shrub 0.4 × 0.2m in c9 years. Early-mid May

(r) **'Barmstedt'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sammetglut' (s) × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: H. Hachmann (1968), G: H. Hachmann (1973), I: H. Hachmann (1982), REG: G. Stück (1983) Fls 18-22/truss, 50 × 50-65mm, 5-lobed, deep purplish pink (55A), shading inwards to strong (to pale) purplish pink (55B(-D)) and marked deep (to strong) red (53A(-B)). Calyx 2mm long, greenish grey. Lvs elliptic/ovate, 100-130 × 35-50mm, margins strongly revolute, white felted. Shrub up to 2.0m

(r) **'Barnaby Sunset'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *flavidum* × Lady Rosebery Group R: unknown (pre 1994) Fls pale yellow and pink. (Perhaps an error for 'Burnaby Sunset')

(r) **'Barnet Glory'** (Syn. of 'Souvenir de D.A. Koster')

(r) **'Barnettii'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Whitley & Osborn (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Barnsdale'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Naomi Stella Maris' × 'Ilam Canary' H: T.H.N. White (1967), G: J.M. Hudson (1972), N: J.M. Hudson, REG: J.M. Hudson (1985) Fls 15/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 95mm, 7-lobed, stone cream, with a chestnut blotch at the base of the dorsal lobes. Calyx 7mm long, green. Lvs broadly ovate, 160 × 50mm, hairless. Shrub 3.6m. Midseason

(r) **'Barnsdale Deerbank'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Antonio Group × 'Barnsdale Pink' H: T.H.N. White (1971), G: T.H.N. White, N: T.H.N. White, REG: T.H.N. White (1990) Fls 12/truss, 90 × 90mm, 7-lobed, strong purplish pink (55B) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (56B), with lobes becoming white and with a brownish green flare inside the dorsal throat; scented; style pale green, stigma prominent, green. Calyx 3mm long, green. Pedicels 45mm long, green, red flushed on upper side. Lvs oblong, 130 × 50mm, hairless. Mid October-mid November (NZ)

(r) **'Barnsdale Glade'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Antonio Group × 'Barnsdale Pink' H: T.H.N. White (1971), G: T.H.N. White, N: T.H.N. White, REG: T.H.N. White (1990) Fls 10/truss, 60 × 100mm, 7-lobed, moderate purplish pink (62B) in bud, opening to pale purplish pink (62D) and paling to blush white; deep purplish red (59B) spotting and flare in dorsal throat changing to green; style glandular, white, stigma bright green; scented. Calyx 2mm long, red. Pedicels 40mm long, glandular, dark purple-red. Lvs oblong, 130 × 50mm, hairless. Mid November-mid December (NZ)

(r) **'Barnsdale Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Naomi Group hybrid H: T.H.N. White (1963), G: T.H.N. White (1970), N: T.H.N. White, REG: T.H.N. White (1990) Fls 11/compact truss, 70 × 80mm, 7-lobed, pale purplish pink (56A-B) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (56D), with two lines of deep purplish red (59B) spotting inside the upper throat for 20mm; slightly scented; style white, stigma green. Calyx 1mm long, green. Pedicels 35mm long, green, tinged pink, glandular. Lvs oblong, 150 × 40mm, hairless. Late October-mid November (NZ)

(r) **'Barnstable'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: reputedly a subsect. Fortunea hybrid H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: C.O. Dexter & R.Brown, N: J.C. Wister & H.A. Howard, I: The Tyler Arboretum (c 1961), REG: The Tyler Arboretum (1981) Fls 10/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 115mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (10P 8/5) paling to centre, with strong greenish yellow (10Y 7/9) spotting in dorsal lobe sector and somewhat on adjacent 2 lobes, with 2 rays of almost solid colour (10Y 7/9) at junctures of lobes in throat; strongly scented. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 55mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate to slightly oblique at base, flat to slightly wavy, hairless. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years.

(a) **'Barnston'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: M.C. Pratt (1986), G: Ness Botanic Gardens (1996), N: Ness Botanic Gardens, REG: Ness Botanic Gardens (1998) Fls single, 9-12/loose truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink (47C) in bud, opening inside moderate yellowish pink (38B) with median stripes of strong red (41B), outside strong yellowish pink (33C); strong orange (30D) blotch on three dorsal lobes; slightly scented. Calyx 2mm long, strong yellow-green (141D). Lvs elliptic, 25-80 × 10-25mm, wavy-edged, glossy green above, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.0m in 12 years. June-July

(r) **'Baron Adolphe de Rothschild'** cv. Parentage unknown I: G. Croux (pre 1915), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Baron Alphonse Malbet'** (See note under 'Baron Alphonse Mallet')

(r) **'Baron Alphonse Mallet'** cv. Parentage unknown L: France (1903), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose, with a garnet blotch. Late. (Sometimes listed in error as 'Baron Alphonse Malbet')

(r) **'Baron Chandon'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Moser & Son, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Baron Constant de Rebecque'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, deep nankeen yellow, fading paler, with orange-yellow spots. Mollis

(r) **'Baron de Berkholz'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alstroemerioides' hybrid R: J.B. Müller (c 1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls flesh-coloured, flamed rose, striped white

(r) **'Baron de Bruin'** (Syn. of 'B. de Bruin')

(r) **'Baron de Croeser'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Verschaffelt (pre 1862), N: J. Verschaffelt, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose purple, with a large brown blotch. Syn: 'Baron von Kröser', 'Madame Barton'

(a) **'Baron de Hugel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L.L. Liebig (pre 1852), N: L.L. Liebig, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Baron de Prêt'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1861), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac rose, with a saffron red blotch. Indian

(a) **'Baron de Pronay'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Rinz, I: J. Rinz (1843), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet red, dorsal lobes dark violet and strongly dotted. Indian

(r) **'Baron de Pronay'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* form or hybrid L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls spotted laquered rose

(a) **'Baron de Rothschild'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Margottin (1861), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (A plant still grown under this name by Camellia Grove Nursery in 1954 had double violet fls)

(a) **'Baron de Schickler'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Etabl. Linden (1873), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rose, with dark red spots. Indian (Also seen as 'Baron Schickler' (eg. Seidel, 1894) which may be the correct form)

(r) **'Baron de Serret'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Byls (pre 1867), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Baron de Vaine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1864), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Exhibited by Dobson, 1864)

(r) **'Baron de Verdière'** cv. Parentage unknown I: G. Croux (pre 1913), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Baron de Viomenil'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Sweetheart Supreme' R: D.J. Cole (pre 1987), N: D.J. Cole Fls deep rose. Mid April

(a) **'Baron de Vrière'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Vincke (1857), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls snow white, with some broad, red stripes and a sulphur yellow blotch. Indian

(a) **'Baron Edmond de Rothschild'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, strong yellowish pink, with a yellow blotch. Mollis (See note under 'Charles Kékulé')

(r) **'Baron Edmund de Rothschild'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1929), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light pink

(a) **'Baron Edouard Osy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls fiery orange, with a big, dark purple-red spot. Indian

(r) **'Baroness Bolsover'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Fisher, Son & Sibray (1898), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy lilac, spotted. (Described as "new" in 1898 cat)

(r) **'Baroness Henry Schröder'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a *ponticum* hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1896), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 15-23/compact rounde truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40-45 × 50-70mm, maroon in bud, fading to deep rose and finally opening blush, passing to white, spotted maroon on upper lobes. Calyx 3-7mm long. Lvs narrowly elliptic to oblanceolate, c110 × 35mm, felted when young, later hairless. Late May-early June

(v) **'Baroness Henry Schröder'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Princess Royal' × *javanicum* R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1883), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls over 50mm wide, blush white, with bright rose pink filaments and darker anthers. FCC 1883 Syn: 'Baroness Schröder'

(r) **'Baroness Lionel de Rothschild'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c16/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 65mm, rosy crimson in centre, shading to deep crimson margins, with a ray of greenish brown spots on a lighter ground. Calyx up to 6mm long. Lvs lanceolate, up to 130 × 40mm, thinly brown felted below. Hardy Hybrid (Appears to have been listed incorrectly as a grex in the 1958 Register)

(a) **'Baroness Rothschild'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte (pre 1872), N: L. van Houtte, INC: ICRA (1958). Mollis (This may be a synonym of 'Baron Edmond de Rothschild')

(r) **'Baroness Schröder'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Vuylsteke (1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with a white centre, edged brightest pink

(v) **'Baroness Schröder'** (Syn. of 'Baroness Henry Schröder')

(r) **'Baroness von Panwitz'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with deeper edging

(a) **'Baron E. Sutherland'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Cheal & Son (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red. Mollis

(a) **'Baron Georges de Saint-Génois'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1872), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, salmon red, with a darker spotted blotch. Indian

(r) **'Baron Georges de Saint-Génois'** cv. Parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1882), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, edged rose. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Baron G. Pycke'** (see 'Baronne Pycke')

(a) **'Baron G. Pycke'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Messrs Cuthbert (1912), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon red in bud, opening salmon pink,

flushed a deeper colour and with an orange tinge down centre of each lobe; throat orange, with deep orange-brown spotting. Syn: 'B. Pycke'. Mollis

(r) **'Baron G. Pycke'** cv. Parentage unknown R: A. Verschaffelt (pre 1854), N: A. Verschaffelt, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, spotted

(a) **'Baron Hruby'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls satin lilac, tinted white. Indian

(az) **'Baronin Lilla Kister'** cv. Azaleodendron: Indian azalea × an unknown rhododendron R: C. Schulz (1866), N: C. Schulz, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish lilac, with contrasting golden anthers

(a) **'Baron Killish von Horn'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, rounded, bright purple rose. Indian

(a) **'Baron Krayenhoff'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Felix & Dijkhuis (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, vivid reddish orange, with an orange blotch. Mollis

(r) **'Baron Lionel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (Exbury form) × *yakushimanum* G: L. de Rothschild (1934), REG: E. de Rothschild (1981) Fls light purplish pink (62C) in bud, opening to yellowish white (155D), with speckles on dorsal lobe of light yellow-green (145B)

(a) **'Baron L. von Wolff'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1905), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft yellow, with rose margins. Mollis

(a) **'Baron Nathaniel de Rothschild'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1882), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, 90mm wide, rich crimson purple, the dorsal lobes blotched blood red. FCC 1883, FCC 1884. Indian

(a) **'Baronne de Bioul'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Dallière (1852), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Baronne de Rothschild'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Exhibited in Paris as a novelty by Lemoine in 1858, cf. *Revue Horticole* (1858) p.282)

(r) **'Baronne de Snoy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* subsp. *cinnamomeum* × 'Souvenir de Deynze' R: B. Boddaert, N: B. Boddaert, I: B. Boddaert (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, tinted carmine, with deeper margins and deep carmine spots

(r) **'Baronne de Tourmine'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) (Exhibited in France in 1858 by Fleury, cf. *Revue Horticole* (1858), p.320)

(a) **'Baronne de Vrière'** (Previously listed as introduced by L.van Houtte in 1871, but its description is identical to Vincke's 1857 introduction of 'Baron de Vrière' of which this is probably a corruption)

(a) **'Baronne E. de Rothschild'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Moser & Son (1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vermilion orange. Ghent

(r) **'Baronne Gabriel de Saint-Génois'** cv. Parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (pre 1875), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Baronne Pycke'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Verschaffelt (1855), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls nankeen yellow, shaded with orange. Ghent (Apparently the same plant listed in 1894 by L.van Houtte as 'Baron G. Pycke')

(a) **'Baronne Pycke'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Verschaffelt (1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Resembles 'Souvenir de l'Exposition' but with a better and more graceful shape. Indian

(r) **'Baronne Raissa Standersfkiold'** cv. Parentage unknown I: G. Croux (pre 1913), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Baron Osy'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, slightly tinted pale rose, spots deep crimson shaded with brown. (Illustrated in *L'Illustration Horticole*, 1863)

(r) **'Baron Philippe de Rothschild'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Exbury Naomi' × 'Crest' R: E. de Rothschild (pre 1963), N: E. de Rothschild, REG: E. de Rothschild (1963) Fls up to 12/loose truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, up to 67 × 100mm, 7-lobed, light greenish yellow (4C) paling to pale yellow-green (4D) towards rim, with a faint flush of red deep in throat. Calyx lobes irregular, up to 7mm long, green, edged with red glandular hairs. Lvs elliptic, up to 107 × 54mm, dark dull green above, hairless below. AM 1979

(r) **Baron Philippe de Rothschild Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Exbury Naomi' × 'Crest' R: E. de Rothschild (pre 1963), N: E. de Rothschild, REG: E. de Rothschild (1963)

(a) **'Baron Schickler'** (See note under 'Baron de Schickler')

(r) **'Baron Schröder'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1881), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 20 in a dense truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50-55 × 65-75mm, dark plum red, with yellowish green markings on a white ground at base of upper lobe. Lvs oblong-elliptic to oblanceolate, c120 × 35mm, slightly hairy below. (Perhaps the same plant as 'W.H. Punchard')

(r) **'Baron van Dedem'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Rijneveld' × unknown H: Vuyk van Nes (c 1960), G: A. Vuyk (c 1965), N: A. Vuyk, I: Vuyk van Nes (1975), REG: Royal Boskoop Hort.Soc. (1988) Fls 20-28/truss, trumpet-shaped, 40 × 50-60mm, 5-lobed, clear pink. Calyx green. Lvs narrowly lanceolate, 110-150 × 40-

50mm, with a slightly buff-creamy indumentum on younglvs. Shrub 2.0×4.0m. Late April-May. (Published in *Dendroflora* 18:75 (1981))

(a) **'Baron van Heekeren'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light salmon rose, with a yellow blotch. Ghent

(a) **'Baron von de Pforten'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Verschaffelt (1868), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Attributed to Weigt)

(a) **'Baron von Hügel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: F. Schneider (1863), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Baron von Hunefeld'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, salmon rose. Indian

(a) **'Baron von Jungenfeld'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Gebr Mardner (1874), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Baron von Kröser'** (Syn. of 'Baron de Croeser')

(a) **'Baron von Mandell'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Gebr. Mardner (1864), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, inner part with carmine red spots and stripes. Indian

(a) **'Baron von Stuben'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Sweetheart Supreme' R: D.J. Cole (pre 1987), N: D.J. Cole Fls hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, strong pink. Mid April

(a) **'Baroque'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' × 'Willy' (s) × 'Mrs Carmichael' × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65-75mm, white, withgreat variation in striping or sanding with phlox purple. Shrub to 1.5m. Midseason. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Barrey's'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably an *arboreum* form or hybrid L: A. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. Lvs silky below

(r) **'Barrick Norris'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Standish (pre 1870), N: J. Standish, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy lilac, with a very large blotch of black spots

(r) **'Barrowash Beauty'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple rose, with a brown blotch. (Grown in The Netherlands, 1896)

(r) **'Barryb'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: F4 selection from a complex cross of *catawbiense*× *maximum* and possible other unknown hybrids H: W.D. Smith (1969), G: W.D. Smith (1972), N: W.D. Smith, I: W.D. Smith, REG: W.D. Smith (1978) Fls 14/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 70mm long, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep reddish purple (2.5RP 3/8) in bud, opening between strong reddish purple (2.5RP 4/10) and deep reddish purple (2.5RP 3/8), with a vivid greenish yellow (7.5Y 8/12) dorsal blotch; outside deep reddish purple (2.5RP 3/8); not scented. Calyx 1.5mm long, strong greenish yellow. Lvs oblong, 115 × 50mm, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5 in 8 years. Late May.

(a) **'Barry Bittinger'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid R: W.D. Smith (1968), N: W.D. Smith, I: W.D. Smith, REG: W.D. Smith (1978) Fls hose-in-hose, 75mm wide, white, with some indian lake markings. (See *The Azalean* 4 (1):2 (1982) for notes on parentage)

(r) **'Barry Rodgers'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Pink Petticoats' H: F. Peste (1979), G: F. & L. Peste (1984), N: L. Peste, REG: S.P. Johnston (1986) Fls 24/truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 70mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63A) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (62D), with a 10mm wide strong purplish pink edging on inside and faint, brilliant yellow, dorsal spotting; outside strong purplish pink (62A). Calyx very small. Lvs narrowly elliptic to oblanceolate, 95-125 × 30-40mm, moderate olive green (147A) above, with moderate orange indumentum below. Shrub 0.5 × 0.6m in 6 years. Mid May

(a) **'Bartholo Lazzari'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Rinz (1853), N: J. Rinz, I: J. Rinz, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, 50mm wide, flat-faced, moderate yellow, shaded reddish orange. Midseason. Ghent (Also seen as 'Bartolo Lazzaris' or 'Bartolo Lazaris')

(r) **'Bartia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Barclayi Group (s) × Portia Group H: Lord Aberconway (1936), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12/domed truss, funnel-shaped, c70 × 80mm, 5-lobed, turkey red (721/1). Calyx 7-13mm long, crimson. Lvs elliptic, 140mm long, hairless. AM 1948 (Bartia Group Standard: painting of AM plant (WSY 0019936))

(r) **Bartia Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Barclayi Group (s) × Portia Group H: Lord Aberconway (1936), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1948), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Bartlett'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Chinyeyi' (s) × 'W. Leith' H: T. Rokiyo (1961), G: Mrs J.W. Hill, N: Mrs J.W. Hill, REG: Mrs J.W. Hill (1995) Fls solitary, open to broadly funnel-shaped, 45 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong and moderate pink (48D, 49A-B) with a deep purplish pink (54B) blotch on the three dorsal lobes; colour paler at base of tube; stamens 5, unequal; style deep red; slightly scented. Calyx 3mm long, pale green. Pedicels 13mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, sessile, 25 × 13mm, convex, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (137A-B) above, moderate yellow-green (138B) below, with discrete, translucent hairs above and below. Shrub 0.6×2.4m in 30 years. Late June-July. (First published in *J. Am.Rh. Soc.* 48 (1): 9 (1994))

(r) **'Barto Alpine'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: subsect. *Lapponica* hybrid H: J.A. Barto, I: H.E. Greer, REG: H.E. Greer (1963) Fls 4-5/rounded truss, funnel-shaped, fuchsia purple (3RP 6/10), spicily scented. Lvs

elliptic, 25-50 × 13mm, bronze red. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years. Late March-mid April

(r) **'Barto Blue'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *augustinii* R: J.A. Barto, S: C.H. Phetteplace, N: C.H. Phetteplace, I: C.H. Phetteplace, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3/truss, blue

(r) **'Barto Ivory'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a *fortunei* hybrid H: J.A. Barto, G: J. Steinmetz, I: H.E. Greer, REG: H.E. Greer (1961) Fls open funnel-shaped, 100mm wide, 7-lobed, ivory white (7.5Y 13/4), with faint markings on dorsal lobe (11YR 5.2/6); scented. Lvs 175 × 75mm. Shrub 1.8m tall in 10 years

(r) **'Barto Lavender'** cv. Parentage unknown H: J.A. Barto, G: J. Steinmetz, I: H.E. Greer, REG: H.E. Greer (1961) Fls up to 17/truss, orchid pink (7.5P 7/5), spotted below dorsal lobe (8.5RP 3/9); scented. Lvs 108 × 50mm. Shrub 1.5-2.0m in 10 years

(a) **'Bartolo Lazaris'** (Also as 'Bartolo Lazzaris', see note under 'Bartholo Lazzari')

(r) **'Barto Rose'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *oreodoxa* var. *fargesii* R: J.A. Barto, S: D.W. James, N: C.H. Phetteplace (1962), REG: C.H. Phetteplace (1962) Fls 14/truss, campanulate, 55mm wide, 7-lobed, close to rose madder (7.5RP 6/12), with deep purple spots on dorsal part of corolla. Lvs elliptic, 75-100 × 40-50mm. Shrub 3.0 × 2.2m

(r) **'Bas de Bruin'** (Syn. of 'B. de Bruin')

(r) **'Bashful'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Doncaster' R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1970) Fls 16/compact, more or less globular truss, funnel-shaped, 45 × 60mm, inside flushed very pale pink from colour on reverse, centre pale purplish pink (55B-C), dorsal lobe spotted strong orange-yellow to moderate yellow (163B-C). Lvs 100 × 30mm, mid dull green. Shrub 0.9 × 2.0m. Early May. *AM 1989

(r) **'Bashful Betty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Halcyone Group × Carmen Group H: J.A. Elliott, I: Fisher (pre 1988) Fls dark rosy red. Lvs dark green, glossy. Shrub 0.9m in 10 years

(r) **'Basileos'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Albescens' × *ciliicalyx* R: Strybing Arboretum (1958), N: Strybing Arboretum, I: Strybing Arboretum (1970), REG: Strybing Arboretum (1971) Fls 4-5/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 100 × 125mm, white, flushed pink, with deep pink stripes on reverse. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 100 × 40mm. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years

(a) **'Basilisk'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Rothschild (pre 1934), N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12-14/compact truss, 70-100mm wide, rich creamy yellow in bud, opening deep cream, with a yellow blotch, lobes fading to white and tinged pink at edges outside. Shrub c3.0m. AM 1934. Knap Hill (Standard: painting of AM plant (WSY 0019937))

(a) **'Basilissa'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.R. Gowen (1829), N: J.R. Gowen, INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Published in *Botanical Register*, 1830, under t.1366, where two possible parental combinations are discussed)

(r) **'Bassano'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson red, intensely blotched. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Bassett Beauty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 1-2/truss, funnel-shaped, 22 × 25mm, near deep yellowish pink (47C). Shrub 0.8 × 1.5m. Kurume (Previously listed in error as a Knap Hill azalea; possibly from Bassett Park, Southampton, England)

(a) **'Bassett Pink'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, funnel-shaped, c28mm wide, between carmine 21 and 21/1. Shrub 0.8 × 1.6m. Kurume (Previously listed in error as a Knap Hill azalea; possibly from Bassett Park, Southampton, England)

(a) **'Bassett Wood'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) (Used as a parent of 'Audrey Wynniatt')

(r) **'Bass River'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a subsect. *Fortunea* hybrid H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: C.O. Dexter, N: J.C. Wister & H.A. Howard, I: Arthur H. Scott Horticultural Foundation, REG: John J. Tyler Arboretum (1983) Fls 14/truss, 50 × 100mm, open funnel-shaped, 5-7-lobed, moderate purplish pink (2.5RP 7/8), dorsal spotting of strong greenish yellow (10Y 7/9). Calyx 3mm long, light yellowish green. Lvs elliptic, 125-140 × 55-65mm, moderate olive green (5GY 4/3), hairless. Shrub c2.9m tall in 20 years

(r) **'Bast'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale lilac

(r) **'Bastion'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Bibiani Group (s) × *elliottii* R: L. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1961), REG: E. de Rothschild (1961) Fls c19/tight, rounded truss, funnel-campanulate, 50mm wide, with 5 slightly retuse, rounded lobes, uniformly strong red (53B), with darker veining externally and black spotting internally (heaviest on dorsal lobe); nectaries dark, prominent; stamens 10, unequal, filaments pink, anthers brown; style pink, darker towards tips. Calyx 4mm long, red. Pedicels to 15mm, pale green, flushed pink, slightly hairy and glandular. Lvs elliptic to oblong, up to 170 × 65mm, rounded at base, acute at apex, matt green above, with a loose, tawny indumentum below which is partially lost at maturity. PC 1961, AM 1996

(a) **'Bataaf Felix'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Anthony Koster' × red *molle* subsp. *japonicum* seedling I: Felix

& Dijkhuis (pre 1953), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, brilliant yellow. Mollis

(a) **'Batik'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, mauve salmon, with a dark red blotch. Coolidge

(a) **'Baton Rouge'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Morning Glow' × 'Amagasa' × Wakaebisu' R: N.Carolina/Louisiana State Univ. (pre 1981), N: N.Carolina/Louisiana State Univ. Fls hose-in-hose, 65mm wide, salmon, with a white throat. Lvs bronzed in winter. Shrub 0.6m in 6 years

(r) **'Batterseanum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Gheldolf (1844), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **Battle Axe Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Gill's Goliath' (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rich pink

(a) **'Battlemore'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *austrinum* × *cumberlandense* H: G.A. Hardy, G: G.A. Hardy, N: G.A. Hardy (1989), REG: G.A. Hardy (1989) Fls 4-5/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, up to 24 × 30mm, 5-lobed, vivid reddish orange (43A); filaments red; anthers light brown. Calyx 5-lobed, greenish, covered with long hairs. Lvs oblong-ovate. June. PC 1989

(r) **Bauble Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Dawn's Delight' (s) × *campylocarpum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls creamy yellow, spotted; styles and filaments lemon. Lvs small, rounded, glossy. April-May

(a) **'Baudouin'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) FCC 1885 (Exhibited by L.van Houtte, 1885)

(a) **'Baudouin Bras-de-fer'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. de Cock (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark rose. Ghent

(a) **'Baudouin de Constantinople'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. de Cock (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale red. Ghent

(r) **'Bau- und Gartendirektor von Schmidt'** (Syn. of 'Gartendirektor von Schmidt')

(r) **'Baumannii'** cv. Parentage unknown I: J. Baumann (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. (The published 1958 Register gave this as an azalea, the Register card index does not)

(r) **'Bau- und Gartendirektor Schmidt'** (Syn. of 'Gartendirektor von Schmidt')

(a) **'Bayard'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Vuylsteke (1875), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Bayberry'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (pre 1980), N: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg

(a) **'Bayou'** cv. Evergreen azalea: double, pink-flowered florists' azalea × 'Treasure' H: USDA, Glenn Dale (1947), G: USDA, Glenn Dale, N: USDA, Glenn Dale (1958), I: USDA, Glenn Dale (1962), REG: USDA, Glenn Dale (1962) Fls single (with an occasional petaloid stamen), 65mm wide, white, with occasional scarlet (19/2) stripes and flakes. Shrub 1.2-1.9m

(a) **'Bayou'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (pre 1984) Fls semi-double, very pale pink. Indian

(a) **'Bazaar'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Rothschild (pre 1942), N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls strong reddish orange. Knap Hill

(r) **B.B.C. Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: The Don Group (s) × *neriiflorum* Euchaites Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. Foliage resembling Euchaites Group. April

(r) **'B. de Bruin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1910), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 20/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped or campanulate, 45 × 70-75mm, with wavy-edged lobes, dark scarlet, spotted black at base of dorsal lobe. Calyx 1-4mm long. Syn: 'Bas de Bruin', 'Baron de Bruin'. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Beacon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Osakazuki' (s) × 'Kagaribi' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 45mm wide, almost pure rose doré e, but in garden effect appearing nearly scarlet. Shrub 1.5m. Midseason. Glenn Dale

(r) **Beacon Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Arthur Osborn' × Fabia Group H: Lord Aberconway (1935), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls brilliant scarlet

(r) **Beada Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *beanianum* × Ouida Group H: Lord Aberconway (1939), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink

(r) **'Beadsman'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy purple, with a white centre and many spots

(a) **'Bealii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *simsii* R: China (pre 1850), N: R. Fortune (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, white, striped and flaked red. Syn: 'Vittatum Bealii' (Introduced from China by Fortune for Standish & Noble)

(r) **'Bea MacDonald'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* hybrid (Dexter R460) (s) × 'Margaret Dunn' H: J.C. Cowles (pre 1967), G: Heritage Plantation, N: Sandwich Club, REG: Sandwich Club (1993) Fls 7-9/lax truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 57 × 79mm,

with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, light orange-yellow (22D), with a 6mm wide edging of strong pink (48C, D) and a significant red-brown flare; (garden effect being orange buds yielding peach orange fls); stamens 14, straight, unequal. Calyx minute. Pedicels 25-35mm long. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 102 × 25mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 2.1m in 20 years. Midseason

(r) **'Bea's Glory'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: (Naomi Group × *decorum*) × *orbiculare* × (*wardii* × *dichroanthum*) × *fortunei* H: R.R. Emmerich (1974), G: A.R. Brooks (1984), N: Mrs B. MacDonald, REG: Mrs B. MacDonald (1988) Fls 12/flattruss, 51 × 89mm, broadly funnel-shaped, with 5-7 wavy-edged lobes, pale yellow (158A) in bud, opening pale yellow-green (155A) shading to light greenish yellow (4B) in throat and with two, small, deep red (185A) dorsal rays; moderately scented. Calyx 1.5mm long. Lvs elliptic, 95-133 × 44-60mm, with wavy margins, mucronate at tip, cordate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.7m in 12 years. Early May

(r) **'Beate'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, pale lilac, with yellow spots on a white ground

(a) **'Beatrice'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, glowing salmon. Syn: 'Beatrix'. Indian

(r) **'Beatrice'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1857), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls delicate pink

(r) **'Beatrice'** cv. Parentage unknown L: R. Veitch & Son (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls geranium red

(r) **Beatrice Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Choremia Group (s) × *meddianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1937), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink

(r) **'Beatrice'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cunningham's White' × *forrestii* Repens Group R: B. Kavka (c 1962), N: B. Kavka Fls 4-6/broadly globose truss, c55mm wide, irregularly pink in bud (23/1-23), opening pink (23/1), without a blotch. Lvs elliptic, 57 × 25mm, glossy and dark green (0960). Shrub 0.6m in 12 years.

(r) **'Beatrice Eaton'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kimbeth' (s) × 'Kimberly' H: F.R. Waghorn (1985), G: Mrs G. Eaton (1993), N: Mrs G. Eaton, REG: Mrs G. Eaton (1994) Fls 6/flat truss, funnel-shaped, 30 × 70mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, inside light purplish pink (62C) with moderate purplish pink (62B) lobes; outside moderate purplish pink (62B); red blotch in throat. Lvs elliptic, 55 × 25mm, flat, matt green above, cuneate at base, acuminate at apex, hairless. Shrub 0.3 × 0.3m in 7 years

(r) **'Beatrice Hyde'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group (white form) (s) × *dauricum* (white form) H: R. Murcott (1977), G: R. Murcott (1981), N: R. Murcott, REG: R. Murcott (1987) Fls 14/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 25 × 25mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, white. Lvs elliptic, 51 × 16mm, acute at tip, rounded at base, flat. Shrub 1.2 × 0.6m in 9 years. Mid-late April

(r) **'Beatrice Keir'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Logan Damaris' × *lacteum* H: J.B. Stevenson, G: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1974), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1974) Fls 18-20/rounded truss, open campanulate, 5-lobed, 45 × 70mm, light greenish yellow (1C). Calyx glandular ciliate, yellow. AM 1974

(r) **'Beatrice Pierce'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* × *griffithianum* (s) × 'Charles Dickens' H: G.G. Nearing (1935), G: G.G. Nearing, N: G.G. Nearing, I: D.L. Hardgrove (1944), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls open funnel-shaped, 100mm wide, rose, with a maroon centre. Shrub to 2.4m. Mid May

(a) **'Beatrice Stewart'** cv. Parentage unknown R: D. Stewart & Son, N: D. Stewart & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls silver pink

(a) **'Beatrice Varnadoe's Appleblossom'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *canescens*, wild-collected in Randolph Co., Georgia, USA S: A.C. Varnadoe (pre 1987), N: A.C. Varnadoe Fls 40mm wide, white, with a light pink margin; scented. Early

(a) **'Beatrix'** (Syn. of 'Beatrice')

(r) **'Beatrix Anderson'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *burmanicum* hybrid H: E.B. Anderson, G: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1968), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1968) Fls 4-5/loose truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 70 × 100mm, 5-lobed, brilliant yellow-green (150B) in bud, paling to light yellow-green (150D) on opening and dorsal throat spotted with strong greenish yellow (153B). Calyx rudimentary, green, fringed with soft, white hairs. Lvs 100 × 45mm, dark green, with pale reddish brown scales above and below. AM 1968

(a) **'Beattie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* × 'Betty' R: W.G.T. Hyde, N: W.G.T. Hyde, I: Woodlands Nursery, REG: Woodlands Nursery (1972) Fls 2-5/compact truss, open funnel-shaped, 42 × 55mm, near moderate purplish pink (78D), flushed light purple (78C), spotting on lower segments deep purplish red (59B). Lvs 45 × 13-20mm, light dull green. Shrub 0.37 × 1.0m. *HC 1971, *AM 1972

(a) **'Beau'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Stokes (pre 1969), N: W.E. Stokes

(a) **'Beau Bonnie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Violaceum' (s) × 'Teena Marie' H: D.J. Dosser, G: D.J. Dosser (1982), N: D.J. Dosser, I: D.J. Dosser, REG: D.J. Dosser (1984) Fls deep pink (52B)

(r) **'Beau Brummell'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Essex Scarlet' (s) × *facetum* R: L. de Rothschild (c

1934), N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c30/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, up to 45 × 50mm, clear deep red, with darker spots in the throat and black anthers. Lvs narrowly ovate-oblong, up to 150 × 45mm, with a thin brown tomentum below, matt greyish green above. Shrub 1.5-2.0m in 10 years. June. AM 1938 (Beau Brummell Group. Standard: painting of AM plant (WSY 0019938))

(r) **Beau Brummell Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Essex Scarlet' (s) × *facetum* R: L. de Rothschild (c1934), N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1938), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Beaufort'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Boule de Neige' (s) × *fortunei* R: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12-14/tall truss, 55mm wide, white, tinged mauve; scented. Lvs dark green. Shrub 1.2m

(a) **'Beaulieu'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Rothschild (pre 1942), N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep salmon pink in bud, opening soft salmon pink with a deep orange blotch. Knap Hill

(a) **'Beaulieu'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cream, with an orange blotch. Knap Hill

(r) **'Beaulieu'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1939), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls peach pink, with a pinkish white edge

(r) **'Beaulieu Hawk'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* (s) × Lady Bessborough Group R: L. de Rothschild (c 1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale yellow. (Hawk Group)

(a) **'Beaulieu Manor'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown G: E. de Rothschild (1970), N: E. de Rothschild, I: Exbury Enterprises (1989), REG: E. de Rothschild (1989) Fls single, 16/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 20 × 30mm, 6-lobed, vivid red (44A), flushed strong orange (24A) in centre of corolla. Lvs elliptic, 65 × 25mm, hairless. Shrub 1.5-1.9 × 1.2-1.5m. May. (Solent Group)

(a) **'Beauté Céleste'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1859), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose pink, with a canary yellow spotted, dorsal blotch (C. Vuylsteke, 1880). This description has been in fairly consistent use since the late 19th century and in most lists has been identical to that used for 'Cardinal' (Verschaffelt) with the result that the two have often been treated as synonyms. Ghent (See also notes under 'Cardinal')

(a) **'Beauté de Flandre'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Verschaffelt, N: A. Verschaffelt, I: A. Verschaffelt (1855), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon red, spotted dark yellow. Syn: 'Beauty of Flanders'. Ghent

(r) **'Beauté de Flandre'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as an *arboreum* hybrid L: C. Gheldolf (1844), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white at base, with bright red edges

(a) **'Beauté de Ledeberg'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Vervaene (1857), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Beauté de l'Europe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: de Marcq, N: de Marcq, I: de Marcq (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose red, whitish at edges, striped and spotted carmine red (1958 Register); soft pink, with crimson stripes, dorsal lobe blotched violet pink (as shown at Ghent, 1852). Indian

(r) **'Beauté de l'Europe'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Haentjens (pre 1854), N: J. Haentjens, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with a band of deep rose down centre of each lobe.

(a) **'Beauté de Rooighem'** (See note under 'Beauté de Royghem')

(a) **'Beauté de Royghem'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1860), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Also seen as 'Beauté de Rooigham')

(a) **'Beauté Suprême'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Gloire de Belgique' I: D. Vervaene (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright pink-red, edged white and with a red-purple blotch. Indian

(r) **'Beautiful Baby'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (Exbury form) (s) × 'Kimberly' H: M.J. Whitman (1991), G: M.J. & B. Whitman, N: M.J. & B. Whitman, REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (1998) Fls 22/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (67A) in bud, opening inside pale purplish pink (65D), with faint dorsal spotting of strong greenish yellow (153B); outside strong purplish pink (73B), fading to very pale purple (69D). Lvs elliptic, 105 × 45mm, withslightlywavy margins, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, slightly darker than moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.4 × 0.5m in 8 years. Mid April

(r) **'Beautiful Bouquet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: F. Minch, G: R.W. Ward (1994), N: R.W. Ward (1996), I: Whitney Gardens, REG: R.W. Ward (1996) Fls 11/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 80mm, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (68C) in bud, opening inside yellowish white (155D), with deep purplish pink (73A) streaks at mid lobes and small vivid yellow (9A) flares at base, dorsal throat with a moderate orange (172D) flare (solid at base, spotted above); outside yellowish white (155B), with strong purplish pink (73B) mid lobe streaks. Lvs narrowly oblong, 125 × 40mm, margins decurved, rounded at base, broadly acute at apex, semi-glossy and dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.5m in 8 years. June

(r) **'Beautiful Day'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' (s) × 'Crest' H: W.E. Whitney (c 1964), G: W.E.

Whitney (c 1970), I: G. & Mrs A. Sather, REG: G. & Mrs A. Sather (1975) Fls 12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 90 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds moderate reddish orange (35A) to light orange-yellow (22B) at base, opening brilliant yellow (11A) with diffuse, narrow, internal stripes of light orange-yellow (24C) from throat to lobe sinuses. Calyx 10mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 65-95 × 25-40mm, moderate yellow-green (147B), hairless; petioles red. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m in 10 years. Early June

(r) **'Beautiful Dreamer'** cv. Parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney (c 1955), G: W.E. Whitney, N: G. & Mrs A. Sather, I: G. & Mrs A. Sather (1975), REG: G. & Mrs A. Sather (1976) Fls 12/ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 65 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink (139B) in bud, opening pale greenish yellow (2D), light yellow-green (2C) in throat, with touch of light orange on each lobe, fading to yellow. Calyx minute. Lvs oblong to broadly elliptic, 70-95 × 40-55mm, glossy, moderate olive green (146A), hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 10 years. Early April

(r) **'Beaut One'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marion' (s) × 'VanNes Sensation' H: V.J. Boulter, G: V.J. Boulter (1973), I: F. Boulter, REG: F. Boulter (1984) Fls 12-15/truss, campanulate, deep purplish pink (67C), fading to pale purplish pink (65C). Lvs elliptic, 120 × 40mm. Shrub 2.0 × 2.0m

(a) **'Beauty'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) FCC 1887 (Exhibited by J. Veitch & Sons, 1887)

(r) **'Beauty'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Standish (pre 1870), N: J. Standish, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 100mm wide, pale pink, shot with white stripes, much spotted all round with lake and ochre. (SCC 1869)

(r) **'Beauty Alert'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ben Moseley' × 'Besse Howells' H: D.L. Hinerman (1975), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 57 × 80mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (66A, B) and both deep and moderate purplish pink (66C, D) in bud, opening light purplish pink (68D), edged 66A, B, C, with throat and sparse dorsal spotting of dark red (59A); filaments pale purplish pink (65D); style light yellow-green (145B, C); anthers dark reddish orange (175C); stigma greyish reddish orange (174B). Lvs 122 × 51mm, acute at apex, rounded at base. Shrub 1.2 × 1.1m in 17 years. Early June

(r) **'Beautybound'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ginny Mae' (s) × 'Stokes Bronze Wings' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls moderate and strong purplish red (64A-B) in bud, opening light purplish pink (68D), edged deep and strong purplish pink (68A-B), with a yellowish white (158D) flare and dark red (59A) dorsal spots. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Beautymaster'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla', green-eyed form (s) × 'Golden Star' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls strong purplish red (63A-B) and light greenish yellow (3D) in bud, opening with a star-shaped centre of pale greenish yellow (2D), edged strong and light purplish pink (63C-D) and with strong yellow-green (144D) dorsal spotting; filaments and style pale yellow-green (155A); anthers moderate purplish red (186B); stigma strong yellow-green (143C). (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Beauty of Bagshot'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1925), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c13/truss, wide open, 50 × 85mm, white flushed rosy mauve at base of lobes, with a dense blotch of reddish brown on the dorsal lobe and crimson markings at base of adjoining lobes. Calyx lobes 5-9mm long. Lvs oblanceolate

(r) **'Beauty of Benmoi'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *macabeanum* (s) × 'Unique' H: New Zealand Rhododendron Association, G: I.F. Gordon, N: I.F. Gordon, REG: I.F. Gordon (1985) Fls 20-22/truss, 45 × 55mm, 6-lobed, primrose yellow (601), paling to creamy white and with a deep maroon blotch in base of upper nectaries; scented. Lvs oblong-elliptic, 120-160 × 50-80mm, with a buff indumentum below. Compact habit.

(r) **'Beauty of Berry Hill'** (Syn. of 'Beauty of Surrey')

(r) **'Beauty of Cheshunt'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W. Paul & Son (1898), N: W. Paul & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose, with dark blotches

(a) **'Beauty of Dorking'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Ivery (pre 1863), N: J. Ivery, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dull white, with a greenish stain on upper part of tube, and marked with numerous bars and flecks of carmine. Indian SCC 1863

(a) **'Beauty of Dropmore'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Lucombe, Pince & Co. (c 1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, rosy crimson, with dark shaded spots. Indian

(a) **'Beauty of Europe'** (Indian azalea: shown in England in 1857. Perhaps the same as 'Beauté de l'Europe')

(a) **'Beauty of Flanders'** (Syn. of 'Beauté de Flandre')

(r) **'Beauty of Halesite'** cv. Parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), N: Mrs H.C. Schlaikjer, I: Mrs H.C. Schlaikjer (pre 1978)

(r) **'Beauty of Hammer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* hybrid L: Denmark (c 1996)

(r) **'Beauty of Kent'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Stanley (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple, tinted blush, with pale edges, spotted

(r) **'Beauty of Littleworth'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: J.H. Mangles (pre 1884), I: H.A. Mangles (1904), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 13-18 in a loose,

domed truss, funnel-campanulate, 65-75 × 100-115mm, 5-lobed, mauvish pink in bud, opening white, tinged deep purplish pink (68A) on edges (deepest exactly on margin and gently suffused in over 5mm at first), later fading to leave only traces in sinuses, copiously spotted deep purplish red (59B) on dorsal lobe, nectaries strong purplish red (59D). Calyx up to 8mm long, slightly irregular, red. Lvs elliptic, up to 200 × 80mm, mid green and dull to slightly shiny above, with minute, pale brown hairs below, sufficient to give a brownish-green tinge to the naked eye. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. FCC 1904, *FCC 1953 Syn: 'Littleworth Beauty'

(r) **'Beauty of Lockington'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cup Day' (s) × Naomi Group H: D.J. Dosser (1987), G: D.J. Dosser (1994), N: D.J. Dosser (1999), REG: D.J. Dosser (1999) Fls 9/lax, flat truss, funnel-shaped, 76 × 100mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, strong yellowish pink (37B) in bud, opening inside light greenish yellow (8C) in the throat, shading to strong pink (50C) at lobe edges; outside strong pink (50C) at lobe edges, shading to light greenish yellow near calyx; strong red (47B) spots on three dorsal lobes. Calyx minute. Lvs elliptic, 220 × 62mm, margins decurved, obtuse at apex and base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 12 years. October-November (Tasmania)

(r) **'Beauty of Ormskirk'** cv. Parentage unknown R: I. Davies (pre 1896), N: I. Davies, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c16/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 70mm, blush in bud, opening pure white, marked with a dense maroon ray on dorsal lobe. Calyx small. Lvs elliptic to oblanceolate, c100 × 30mm

(a) **'Beauty of Reigate'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Ivery (pre 1852), N: J. Ivery, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with rose stripes. Indian

(a) **'Beauty of Sunninghill'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1853), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, double, purplish rose. (Listed in *Revue Horticole* 2: 57 (1853))

(a) **'Beauty of Surrey'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1872), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, blotched rose. FCC 1872. Indian (Shown by F. & A. Smith, 1872; attributed to Ivery by L. van Houtte (1875))

(r) **'Beauty of Surrey'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1864), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose pink, with darker spotted dorsal lobes. FCC 1872 Syn: 'Beauty of Berry Hill'

(r) **'Beauty of Tremough'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* × *griffithianum* H: R. Gill (1888), I: H.D. Shilson (1902), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 9-12/truss, 115mm wide, deep rose pink on margins, passing gradually to paler pink in tube. FCC 1902 (Beauty of Tremough Group; award description gives parentage as *griffithianum* × *thomsonii*)

(r) **Beauty of Tremough Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* × *griffithianum* H: R. Gill (1888), I: H.D. Shilson (1902), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Beauty of Woking'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1866), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Recorded at Walton's Nurseries, 1866)

(r) **'Beauty Stake'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: F6 derivative from 'Newport' H: W.E. Delp (1960), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 17/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 51 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep, strong and vivid purplish red (71A, 61A-C) and deep purplish pink (61D) in bud, opening to a blend of strong purplish red (72A), strong reddish purple (72B, C) and very pale purple (69D), with a very pale purple (69D) flare and strong greenish yellow (151B) dorsal spotting; filaments and style deep purplish pink (61D); anthers deep reddish purple and light purple (77A, D); stigma dark red (187A). Lvs 102 × 51mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 2.4 × 2.4m in 32 years. Early June

(a) **'Beaver'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vida Brown' (s) × *nakaharae* × 'Vuyk's Scarlet' H: P.A. Cox (1979), G: P.A. Cox, N: P.A. Cox, I: Glendoick Gardens (1993), REG: Glendoick Gardens (1993) Fls 1-2/truss, semi-double, funnel-shaped, 35mm wide, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, vivid red (45A) in bud, opening vivid red (45B) throughout, unmarked. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs 25 × 12mm, margins slightly upcurved, glossy green. Shrub 0.45 × 0.45m in 10 years. Early June

(a) **'Bebita'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Orangeade' × *austrinum* H: G. & T. Elmer Jr (1966), G: G. & T. Elmer Jr (1976), N: G. & T. Elmer Jr, I: G. & T. Elmer Jr (1982), REG: G. & T. Elmer Jr (1984) Fls 12-14/truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 55mm, 5-lobed, strong reddish orange (31A), with dorsal blotch of strong orange (24A); scented. Lvs oblanceolate, 75-90 × 20-35mm, hairy and sparsely setose. Shrub 1.9 × 0.6m in 15 years. Mid-late April

(a) **'Becky'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Hinodegiri' R: Vosters Nurseries, N: Vosters Nurseries, REG: Vosters Nurseries (1965) Fls double, 3-4/truss, 50mm wide, deep pink, blended with strong purplish pink and with a darker blotch. Kurume

(r) **'Beckyann'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: (*fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × *campylocarpum*) selfed H: H.R. Yates (c 1961), G: H.R. Yates (1968), N: Mrs M. Yates, I: Mrs M. Yates (1970), REG: Mrs M. Yates (1976) Fls 11-12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale yellow (158B), with a little moderate red (180A) spotting; colour intensifies with age. Calyx 7mm long, deep red (185A). Lvs 115 × 50mm, glossy, moderate olive green (137A), hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 14 years. Late May

(a) **'Becky Curtis'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably a seedling from 'Dayspring' R: I.L. Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L. Amann Fls hose-in-hose to semi-double, 40mm wide, strong yellowish pink (37A), with a purplish blotch. Lvs rounded, shiny. Midseason

(a) **'Becky's Blush'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Glacier' (s) × 'Mother of Pearl' R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls hose-in-hose, 3/truss, 55mm wide, light pink, with a rosy red blotch, a white throat and darker margins. Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m. Early May. (First published in Holly Springs cat., 1990)

(r) **'Bedazzled'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Caltwins' (s) × 'Delp's Dream' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls light greenish yellow (1C), pale greenish yellow (1D) and white in bud, opening white (155D) with a vivid yellow-green (154A) throat and strong yellow-green (144B) dorsal spots; anthers moderate purplish pink (186D). (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Bedfordianum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1862), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Exhibited in 1862 (UK))

(r) **'Bedfordii'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1841), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large trusses, pale cerise (Gheldorf cat., 1844/45). (On sale in Ghent, 1841; perhaps the same as 'Bedfortianum')

(r) **'Bedfortianum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably an *arboreum* form or hybrid L: A. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. Lvs silky below

(a) **'Bedřich Smetana'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vervaeneanum Album' × 'Kirin' R: B. Janouch (c 1967), N: B. Janouch Fls single to double, 73-77mm wide, light salmon pink. Lvs elliptic, densely pilose

(r) **'Beechwood Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Atrosanguineum' × *fortunei* H: J.B. Gable, N: C. Herbert (1960), REG: C. Herbert (1961) Fls in large trusses, broadly funnel-shaped, 90mm wide, fuchsine pink (627/1) with a spotted basal blotch of indian lake (826), extending upwards on dorsal lobe; outside fuchsine pink (627). Lvs 200 × 75mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base. Shrub 1.2-2.0m in 10 years. Early May

(r) **'Beefeater'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *elliottii* × Fusilier Group H: F.E.W. Hanger (1950), G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, REG: Royal Horticultural Society (1958) Fls c22-26/flat-topped truss, tubular campanulate, 65 × 65-75mm, geranium lake (20/1), with a little pale spotting at base of dorsal lobes and dark crimson nectaries. Lvs 200 × 65mm, dull green above, with traces of indumentum below. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. AM 1958, FCC 1959 (The AM & FCC plants are reported to have been given to different seedlings of the same cross)

(r) **'Beefeater'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *yakushimanum* L: UK (1994)

(a) **'Beeguiling'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *luteum* R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1987), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls pale yellow, with a deep yellow dorsal lobe

(a) **'Bee High'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *luteum* R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls with long, narrow corolla lobes, yellow; scented. Mid May

(r) **'Beekman's Delight'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *macabeanum* × unknown G: J. Beekman, I: J. Beekman, REG: J. Beekman (1981) Fls 20/truss, pale yellow-green (4D), with a purple blotch in the throat. (Grown by J. Beekman from seed obtained from England)

(a) **'Bee Loved'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *luteum* R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls yellow; scented. Late May

(r) **'Bee McBee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.L. Tolstead (c 1977), G: W.L. Tolstead (post 1978), N: W.L. Tolstead (1993), I: Rhody Run Nursery, REG: W.L. Tolstead (1993) Fls 15/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 55-60 × 60-80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish purple (2.5RP 4/10) fading to pale purplish pink (2.5RP 9/2) in the centre and with a strong yellow-green (2.5GY 6/8) blotch. Calyx 2mm long, yellow-green. Pedicels 26-34mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 140-150 × 50-60mm, acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.7 × 1.4m in 15-18 years from seed. Late May

(a) **'Beenak'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Dogwood' × unknown R: L.J. van der Meer (pre 1997), N: L.J. van der Meer Fls double, up to 4/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, c77mm wide, with 9-12 wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink (47B/C) on the edges, remainder deep pink (47D/52B); unspotted; anthers purple. Lvs slightly obovate, c49 × 23mm, flat to concave, mucronate at apex, glossy dark green above. Very early

(r) **'Beer Sheba'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from *cerasinum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild, REG: E. de Rothschild (1963) Fls 5/truss, 40 × 50mm, white, slightly stained rose madder (23-23/3). Shrub 1.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Beesting'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Serendipity' (s) × 'Dead Ringer' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls deep pink (51B) in bud, opening pale yellowish pink (27D), edged deep pink (51B) and with light greenish yellow (8C) dorsal spots. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer (1986))

(a) **'Beethoven'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1869), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Attributed to Mardner)

(a) **'Beethoven'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: H. Knepper & Son, N: H. Knepper & Son, I: H. Knepper & Son (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon orange, with a bronze and purple blotch. Mollis

(a) **'Beethoven'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, bright rose red. Indian

(a) **'Beethoven'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Maxwellii' (s) × 'J.C. van Tol' R: Vuyk van Nes (pre 1941), N: Vuyk van Nes, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 70mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, mauve lilac (31/1), with a deeper blotch. Shrub to 1.0m. Vuykiana

(r) **'Beethoven'** cv. Parentage unknown I: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1929), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac red, with a purple blotch

(a) **'Bee Witched'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *luteum* R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls soft yellow cream, with a brighter yellow flare; scented. Late May

(a) **'Begonia Rose'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt, I: E.A. Merritt (c 1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, strong purplish pink (55B). Kurume

(r) **'Begula'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Polarnacht' (s) × *orbiculare* H: H. Hachmann (1988), G: H. Hachmann (1994), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 12-13/rather loose truss, broadly open funnel-campanulate, 40-45 × 60-65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside vivid purplish red (57D), veins tinged vivid purplish red (57C); outside vivid purplish red (57C), veins tinged vivid red/vivid purplish red (57A/B); wine red markings at base of dorsal lobe are hardly noticeable; stamens 10, filaments light purplish pink (62C), anthers moderate reddish brown/brownish orange (166B/C); style light purplish pink (68D), stigma strong greenish yellow (153B). Calyx c1mm long, reddish green. Lvs ovate, 80-90 × 40-55mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cordate at base, matt green, hairless. Compact, rounded shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in 10 years. Late April-early May. (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0030612). First published in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(r) **'Bei-ma-shan'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *hippophaeoides* R: unknown (pre 1973) Fls of a richer and superior colour, but with an unusually leggy habit. (More than one clone may be circulating under this name)

(r) **'Bel Air'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Jan Dekens' (s) × 'Madame de Bruin' R: P. van Nes, N: P. van Nes, I: P. van Nes (1960), REG: P. van Nes (1961) Fls 13-16/pyramidal truss, 75-100mm wide, strong purplish red (67A), with a pale pink blotch

(r) **'Belami'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Edeltraud', selfed H: H. Hachmann (1988), G: H. Hachmann (1994), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 12-13/dense, ball truss, broadly open funnel-shaped, 50-60 × 80-96mm, with 5 slightly wavy, recurving lobes, pale purplish pink (62D) throughout with paler (but not white) midveins inside, outside similarly coloured but midveins an intensified deep/strong purplish pink (67C/D); conspicuous deep red/strong purplish red (60A/B) blotch near throat and markings spreading on to 3 dorsal lobes; stamens 10, filaments white, anthers moderate/pale orange-yellow (165C/D); style white (near ovary strong yellow-green (144D)), stigma moderate orange (167C); ovary white hairy. Calyx 5-6mm long, light yellow-green (145C), tinged reddish. Lvs obovate, 100-150 × 40-58mm, flat and matt dark green, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.6m in 10 years. Mid May-early June. (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0030613). First published in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(a) **'Belgian Beauty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Charles Pynaert' L: Camellia Lodge Nursery (1964) Fls single to semi-double, with wavy-edged lobes, rose pink. Indian

(a) **'Belgicum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1851), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as 'Viscosa Belgica')

(r) **'Belianum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as an *arboreum* form or hybrid L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Belinda'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *ambiguum* (s) × *cinnabarinum* subsp. *xanthocodon* Concatenans Group H: H. Hachmann (1988), G: H. Hachmann (1994), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 7-8/flat, lax truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 35-40 × 45-58mm, with 5 very slightly wavy-edged lobes, light yellow (11B) inside, throat brilliant yellow (11A), outside light yellow (11B); markings on dorsal lobe scarcely visible; stamens 10, filaments white, anthers dark brown; style pale greenish yellow (1D), stigma strong yellow-green (144C). Calyx 1mm long, greenish. Lvs ovate, 50-75 × 23-35mm, margins decurved, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy above, with dark red-brown scales; half-evergreen. Shrub 1.5 × 1.3m in 10 years. Late April-mid May. (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0030614). First published in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(r) **'Belinda Beekman'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *macabeanum* hybrid H: J. Beekman, G: J. Beekman, I: J. Beekman, REG: J. Beekman (1982) Fls 17-20/truss, white, spotted purple on the dorsal lobes

(a) **'Belinda Lee'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Marilyn Kay' × 'Harry Van de Ven' H: D.J. Dosser (c 1985), G: D.J. Dosser (1988), N: D.J. Dosser, I: Lockington Nursery (1989), REG: D.J. Dosser (1990) Fls 2/truss, funnel-shaped, 25 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, white, with pale green markings on dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 25 × 7-10mm, hairless. Shrub 0.3m

(r) **'Belisar'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably 'Othello' × *catawbiense* H: Firma S. Rinz, G: Firma S. Rinz (1855), N: Firma S. Rinz, I: Firma S. Rinz, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls reddish violet, dorsal lobe spotted black. (Also seen as 'Belsaire')

(v) **'Belisar'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* × *zoelleri* (s) × *macgregoriae* × *zoelleri* H: P. Sullivan (1972),

G: P. Sullivan, N: W.A. Moynier, I: W.A. Moynier (1977), REG: W.A. Moynier (1981) Fls 5-7/truss, 65mm wide, lobes vivid yellowish pink (28A), sharply demarcated from the brilliant orange-yellow (21B) throat. Shrub 1.2 × 0.6m in 7 years. Late spring-autumn. Syn: 'Ioane'

(r) **Belisha Beacon Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Essex Scarlet' (s) × *arboreum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a tight truss, dusky scarlet, deeper in the throat. May

(r) **'Belkanto'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs J.G. Millais' × (*wardii* × 'Alice Street') × ('Omega' × *wardii*) H: H. Hachmann (1977), G: H. Hachmann (1982), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1988), REG: G Stück (1988) Fls 14-17/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40-45 × 60-80mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, inside pale yellow (8D), lobes tinted light to pale yellowish pink (36C-D); outside 36C-D, deep pink (51B) on veins; plentiful dorsal spotting of greenish yellow (152A-D(-151A-B)) on a brilliant yellow-green (154C) ground. Calyx 2-3(-4)mm long, strong greenish yellow (151A), edged red. Lvs elliptic, 80-100 × 35-45mm, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, mid green, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.4m in 10 years, compact. Mid May-early June

(a) **'Bella'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Attributed to Knight & Perry)

(a) **'Bella'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1849), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(r) **'Bella'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1908), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a dense, rounded truss, with wavy-edged lobes, pale lilac rose (2RP 8/6, fading with age), with orange spots; stamens and pistil pinkish

(r) **Bella Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Shilsonii Group (s) × *griffithianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1926), N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose

(r) **'Bellbird'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Isabella Group (s) × *souliei* H: C. Ingram (c 1949), G: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram (1961), REG: C. Ingram (1961) Fls 108mm wide, pure white

(r) **'Bellbird'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *williamsianum* × 'Doncaster' L: V.J. Boulter (1980) Fls 2-3/truss, campanulate, coral pink. Shrub up to 1.2m

(r) **'Belle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × *campylocarpum* Elatum Group R: L. de Rothschild (pre 1933), N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very pale lemon. (Lady Bessborough Group)

(a) **'Belle Aurore'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (1859), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Belle Charlotte'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: P. Verleeuwen (1835), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Belle d'Avril'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(a) **'Belle de Gendbrugge'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1868), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(r) **'Belle de Mars'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet red

(a) **'Belle des Roses Gantoise'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: D. Vervaene (pre 1862), N: D. Vervaene, I: D. Vervaene, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pinkish lilac, edged white and flaked deep rose. Syn: 'Belle Gantoise'. Indian

(a) **'Belle Fanny'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1840), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(r) **'Bellefontaine'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* (s) × *smirnowii* H: R.B. Pike (pre 1958), G: Kentville Research Station, N: Kentville Research Station, I: Kentville Research Station (1975), REG: Kentville Research Station (1977) Fls up to 10/truss, 90mm wide, 7-lobed, rose opal (022) in bud, opening neyron rose (623/3) in throat, shading to 623/1 at edges; dorsal lobe flecked olive brown. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years

(a) **'Belleformis'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Vervaene (1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with a red saffron blotch. Indian

(a) **'Belle Gantoise'** (Syn. of 'Belle des Roses Gantoise')

(a) **'Belle Hélène'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Verschaffelt, N: J. Verschaffelt, I: J. Verschaffelt (1871), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon, with a band of bright yellow on each lobe and a large, yellow blotch on the dorsal lobe. Ghent

(r) **'Belle Heller'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catawbiense Album' (s) × 'Madame Carvalho' R: A.M. Shammarello, N: A.M. Shammarello, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a large, globular truss, 100mm wide, white, with a conspicuous gold blotch. Lvs 125 × 45mm, dark green. Tall shrub up to 4.0m

(a) **'Belle Henriette'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Baumann (1860), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Belle Hortense'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. de Cock (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark rose. Ghent

(a) **'Belle Jeanette'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Vervaene (1857), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Bellejormis'** (Error for 'Belleformis')

(a) **'Belle Joséphine'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. de Cock (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose. Ghent

(a) **'Belle Merveille'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Jamin & Durand (1858), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls flesh white, dorsal lobe with a straw yellow blotch. Syn: 'Belle Vermeille'. Ghent (J. Veitch (1867) listed a plant with deep reddish orange fls that was either an error or another plant with the same name)

(v) **'Bellenden Coral'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *konori* × *lochiae* H: M.D. Cullinane (1982), G: M.D. Cullinane, N: M.D. Cullinane, REG: M.D. Cullinane (1987) Fls 9-12/truss, tubular-campanulate, 70-80 × 40mm, 5-lobed, coral pink throughout. Lvs broadly ovate, 90-100 × 40-50mm, with brown scales generally; also with reddish brown scales on midrib below. Repeat-flowering. Vigorous

(r) **'Belle of Lockington'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *aberconwayi* (s) × unknown H: D.J. Dosser, G: D.J. Dosser (1981), N: D.J. Dosser, REG: D.J. Dosser (1985) Fls 13/truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 80mm, white, with rose spots. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 40mm. Shrub 1.5m

(r) **'Belle of Tremeer'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *rigidum* white form (s) × *augustinii* ? R: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1947), N: E.G.W.W. Harrison, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3-4/erect, compact truss, 65mm wide, pale mauve. PC 1969 (An open-pollinated hybrid)

(a) **'Bellerophon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Baron de Pronay (pre 1845), N: Baron de Pronay, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls velvet red. Indian

(r) **Bellerophon Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Norman Shaw Group (s) × *facetum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10 or more/truss, bright crimson. Shrub to c3.0m. June-July

(a) **'Belle Rosette'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1839), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose and sulphur. Ghent

(a) **'Belle Sophie'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1840), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Belle Vermeille'** (Syn. of 'Belle Merveille')

(r) **'Bellevue'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Erich Herrmann' (s) × 'Germania' H: Holger Hachmann (1991), G: Hans Hachmann (1997), N: Hans Hachmann (2000), I: Hans Hachmann, REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 15-18/dense, rounded truss, broadly open funnel-shaped, 55-60 × 75-80mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (67C), slightly shaded vivid purplish red (67B) on edges, not paler in centre or throat; outside similarly coloured, more intensely 67B on midveins; dark red (187D) markings on dorsal lobe; stamens 10, filaments very light purple (75C), anthers light yellowish brown (199C); style light yellowish pink (38D), stigma deep purplish red (187D); ovary with white felted hairs; colour of corolla not fading in sun. Calyx c1mm long, light yellow-green (145D). Lvs elliptic to ovate, 120-130 × 45-52mm, margins slightly recurved, acuminate at apex, rounded at base, matt green above, hairless. Compact, rounded shrub, 1.2 × 1.5m in 10 years; flowering from a very early age. Mid May-early June. (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0030615). First published in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(r) **'Bellfort'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from Madfort Group H: J.B. Gable (pre 1972)

(a) **'Bellona'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1864), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, bright carmine red. (Exhibited by Smith, 1864; SCC 1864)

(r) **'Bellona'** (Syn. of 'Red Ensign')

(r) **'Bellona'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy pink, paling at centre.

(r) **'Bellona'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R.T. Pince, N: R.T. Pince, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rich claret purple with a fine crimson shade at base of each lobe; profuse flowerer. (Published in Lucombe, Pince & Co. cat., c1868)

(r) **'Bellringer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: A. Consolini, G: A. Consolini & H. & Mrs E. Pilkington, I: H. & Mrs E. Pilkington, REG: H. & Mrs E. Pilkington (1990) Fls 17/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 60 × 83mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light greenish yellow (4C), with moderate reddish brown (166B) freckling fading to brilliant yellow-green (150B); style brownish orange (166C); slightly scented. Calyx very small, light green. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 57mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.8m in 10 years. Early-midseason

(r) **'Bellrose'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* (s) × 'Lady Armstrong' H: P.D. Vossberg (pre 1972), G: unknown, REG: E.T. Connors (1998) Fls 10-12/truss, open funnel-campanulate, 50 × 65mm, 5-lobed, inside strong purplish pink (73B) with a strong purplish red (60B) flare on dorsal lobe and 60B spotting on all lobes; outside strong purplish pink (73B) with strong purplish pink (62A) midribs. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 40mm, decurved, acute at apex, cuneate at base, with wavy margins, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (137B) above, with a plastered, greyish yellow-green (148D) indumentum below. Shrub 1.1 × 1.2m in c19 years. Early May. (Published in *Greer's Guidebook to Available Rhododendrons* (1988) with an incorrect parentage)

(a) **'Bells of Arcady'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably a *mucronatum* hybrid R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 75mm wide, white. Coolidge

(r) **'Bell Song'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Bow Bells' × red selection from Day Dream Group L: Bovees Nursery (1978) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, in two shades of pink. Shrub 0.9m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Bellvale'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group × *dauricum* (white form) H: W. Baldsiefen (1965), G: W. Baldsiefen, N: W. Baldsiefen, I: W. Baldsiefen (1973), REG: W. Baldsiefen (1973) Fls 10-12/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 25 × 50mm, 5-lobed, light pink, with a mauve flare. Lvs broadly elliptic, 65 × 25mm, turning copper purple in autumn. Shrub 1.0 × 0.6m in 7 years

(r) **'Bellwether'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Red Yard' × Naomi Group H: B. & M. Shapiro (1968), G: B. & M. Shapiro, N: B. & M. Shapiro, REG: B. & M. Shapiro (1989) Fls c9/flat, domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 57 × 70mm, with 5-6 smooth-edged lobes, white, with slightly greenish throat; stamens very rudimentary or entirely lacking. Calyx 4-5mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 102-114 × 51-57mm, flat to concave, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.5m in 20 years. Early May. (Published in *J.Am.Rh.Soc.* 42 (2): 64 (1988))

(r) **'Belona'** (Syn. of 'Hachmann's Belona')

(r) **'Belsaire'** (See note under 'Belisar')

(r) **'Belva's Joy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Noyo Brave' (s) × Elizabeth Group H: C.C. Smith (1982), G: M. Sanders (1988), N: M. Sanders, I: Sanders Nursery (1989), REG: M. Sanders (1993) Fls 15-20/flat truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 51 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (45D), not fading; stamens straight, equal. Pedicels 38mm long, light green. Lvs oblanceolate, 89 × 25mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dark glossy green above, with a felted indumentum below (white at first, ageing to tan). Petioles under 5mm long, green. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 11 years. Late April.

(r) **'Belvedere'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Doncaster' (s) × *dichroanthum* H: L. de Rothschild (1927), N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft apricot pink. (Berryrose Group)

(v) **'Bena Bena'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *dielsianum* L: New Zealand (1976) (Collected by W.R. & M.N. Philipson in Papua New Guinea in 1968)

(r) **'Ben Briggs'** cv. Elepidoterhododendron: 'Bow Bells' (s) × 'Loderi King George' H: B.T. Briggs (1976), G: W. Elliott (1982), N: W. Elliott, REG: W. Elliott (1988) Fls 5/lax truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 51 × 89mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, opening with a slightly pink cast, soon fading to white (whiter than greenish white (157D)). Lvs elliptic, 64 × 44mm, concave, mucronate at apex, cordate at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.8m in 10 years. April

(a) **'Ben Brook'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Violaceum' (s) × 'Teena Marie' H: D.J. Dosser, G: D.J. Dosser (1982), N: D.J. Dosser, I: D.J. Dosser, REG: D.J. Dosser (1984) Fls deep purplish pink (54B)

(a) **'Benedict'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Homebush' × 'Cecile' × 'Mephistopheles' × ' Betty Kelly' H: H. Hachmann (1976), G: H. Hachmann (1981), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1991), REG: G Stück (1991) Fls double (most stamens petaloid, but very irregular in size), 9-11/truss, 40 × 50-62mm, with 12-16 lobes in all, deep yellowish pink (47C) throughout, slightly darker (47B) on veins, unmarked; style strong pink (47C-D), stigma greyish brown (166A). Calyx 2mm long, light reddish green. Lvs broadly elliptic, 70-90 × 26mm, hairless. Shrub 1.7 × 1.3m in 10 years; of erect habit. Late May-mid June

(a) **'Bene-giri'** (Syn. of 'Beni-giri')

(a) **'Benelux'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Madame Petrick' I: S. van Damme (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep pink (50B); otherwise similar to its parent. Indian (See notes under 'Madame Emile Van de Sompel', 'Madame Coty' and 'Lumineux')

(a) **'Benelux'** cv. Deciduous azalea: dark red *molle* subsp. *japonicum* seedling × 'Koster's Brilliant Red' I: Felix & Dijkhuis (pre 1953), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, azalea pink, with a blood red blotch (F & D cat., 1953). Later descriptions give it as mandarin red (vivid reddish orange). Mollis

(r) **'Ben Foster'** cv. Parentage unknown L: USA (1985) (? Raised by H.L. Foster)

(r) **'Bengal'** (Syn. of 'Madras')

(r) **'Bengal'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Essex Scarlet' × *forrestii* subsp. *forrestii* Repens Group R: D.G. Hobbie, N: D.G. Hobbie, I: D.G. Hobbie (1960) Fls 4-5/truss, scarlet red. Lvs 45-75mm long

(a) **'Bengal Beauty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *simsii* (s) × 'Daimio' R: M. Haworth-Booth, N: M. Haworth-Booth, I: M. Haworth-Booth (c 1962), REG: M. Haworth-Booth (1964) Fls 2-3/compact truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, with wavy-edged lobes, near strong purplish pink (67D), slightly veined and flushed strong purplish red (63B) and with slight spotting of light reddish brown. Lvs 45-65 × 20-25mm, light glossy green. Shrub 0.6m. *AM 1966, *FCC 1973

(a) **'Bengal Fire'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* (s) × *oldhamii* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 65mm wide, between flame red and brick red. Foliage hairy. Shrub to 1.9m tall, broad. Oldhamii

(v) **'Bengal Merchant'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *zoelleri* (West Irian form) (s) × *christii* H: M.D. Cullinane (1989), G: M.D. Cullinane, N: M.D. Cullinane, REG: M.D. Cullinane (1993) Fls 4-5/lax truss, tubular funnel-shaped and slightly zygomorphic, 50 × 55mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, strong reddish orange (34C) in bud, opening inside and out with vivid reddish orange (34A) lobes, shading to vivid yellow (12A) at the base of the tube; unspotted. Calyx 1mm long. Lvs ovate, 80 × 40mm, flat, glossy green above, acuminate at apex, auriculate at base, with an indumentum of soft fawn scales. Shrub 0.75 × 0.6m in 4 years, of scrambling habit. Repeat-flowering

(r) **'Bengal Rose'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Tally Ho Group (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* R: B.F. Lancaster, N: B.F. Lancaster (1961), REG: B.F. Lancaster (1962) Fls 12-15/truss, open campanulate, 65 × 100mm, 6-7-lobed, deep purplish pink (61D). Lvs to 150-175 × 40mm. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years

(a) **'Bengal Star'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Red Star' (s) × 'Bengal Fire' R: H.L. Larson, N: H.L. Larson, I: H.L. Larson, REG: H.L. Larson (1964) Fls 1-2/truss, campanulate, 40 × 70mm, cardinal red (822 in bud, opening 822/1). Lvs 45 × 20mm. Shrub 1.0m tall in 10 years

(r) **'Bengt M. Schälin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sir Charles Butler (s) × *wardii* R: D.G. Hobbie (1952), N: D.G. Hobbie, I: D.G. Hobbie, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, in loose umbels, funnel-shaped, bright yellow, with red patches in the throat. Shrub to 1.0m. (The *wardii* used was LS & T 5679)

(a) **'Beni-botan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, 90mm wide, red. Satsuki

(a) **'Beni-chidori'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* R: Japan (pre 1984), N: Japan Fls 20mm wide, strong reddish orange. (Grown by Rhododendron Species Foundation, USA, 1984)

(a) **'Beni-choji'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1984), N: Japan Said to be similar to 'Fuji-gasane'. Satsuki

(a) **'Beni-fude'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1918), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 25mm wide, salmon pink, paling in centre and with darker spotting. Syn: 'Sunbeam'; Wilsonno.30. Kurume

(a) **'Beni-fusha'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *scabrum* 'Shonoshin Kerama' × *indicum* 'Robin' R: Kunishige et al. (1982), N: Kunishige et al. Fls hose-in-hose, 70-90mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (57B)

(az) **'Beni-gane'** cv. Azaleodendron: *campylogynum* Myrtilloides Group (s) × 'Tai-yoh' H: M. Hatori (1988), G: M. Hatori (1992), N: M. Hatori (1992), I: M. Hatori, REG: M. Hatori (1997) Fls 2-6/lax truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 25 × 35mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, strong purplish red to deep purplish pink (64C-D) throughout, with no blotch or spots. Calyx 9mm long, green. Lvs 20-40 × 8-15mm, flat, glossy and moderate yellow-green (137C) above when mature, hairy above and with minute scales above and below. Shrub 30 × 35cm in 8 years

(a) **'Beni-gasa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Amagasa' R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan Fls 75-100mm wide, with rounded lobes, strong to vivid red. Early-mid-season. Satsuki

(a) **'Beni-giri'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1910), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 30-40mm wide, rose madder (23/2). Lvs spathulate, not shiny. Syn: 'Bene-giri'. Kurume (Imported to The Netherlands by C.B. van Nes & Sons, 1910)

(a) **'Beni-kagami'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, with rounded lobes, white, with deep reddish orange stripes, markings variable and with some red selfs. Midseason. Satsuki

(a) **'Benikasuri'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1998), N: Japan

(a) **'Beni-kirin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1927), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, bright salmon. AM 1927. Kurume

(a) **'Beni-kirin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1958), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls formal double, 65-75mm wide, lobes overlapping decreasing in size regularly to centre, strong to vivid reddish orange, with a few dark spots in blotch. Satsuki

(a) **'Beni-kirishima'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, large, rounded in outline, warm red, tinged purple and with a purple dorsal blotch. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Beni-kirishima'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, orange red (20/1), with a darker blotch. Satsuki (Imported to USA by R.K.Beattie, 1929)

(a) **'Beni-magaki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, crimson. Satsuki

(a) **'Beni-manju'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls peony-type double, deep cinnabar red. Satsuki

(a) **'Beni-murasaki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c40mm wide, purple, tinted reddish. Satsuki

(a) **'Beni-renge'** (Syn. of 'Karin')

(a) **'Beni-shibori'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c40mm wide, light red, with red streaks and stripes. Satsuki

(a) **'Beni-suzume'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* L: Miyami-en Nursery (1976) Fls single, 20mm wide, vivid reddish orange (43B)

(r) **'Benito'** (Error for 'Bonito')

(r) **Benito Group** (Error for Bonito Group)

(a) **'Beni-tsubame'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Kikoshi' R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan Fls campanulate, with well-spaced lobes, 50-65mm wide, moderate red, with white blotches on the lobes. Satsuki

(a) **'Beni-zakura'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* L: Miyami-en Nursery (1976) Fls pale pink

(a) **'Beni-zakura'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Berna Park Nurseries (1984) Fls white, edged crimson. Satsuki

(a) **'Beni-zikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia/New Zealand (pre 1987) Fls white, with a red margin. (Perhaps correctly 'Beni-hikari')

(a) **'Beni-zuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia/New Zealand (pre 1987) Fls white, with a deep pink border. Satsuki

(a) **'Beni-zume'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan

(a) **'Beni-zuru'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* L: Miyami-en Nursery (1976) Fls 27mm wide, vivid reddish orange (43B)

(r) **'Benjamen'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1996)

(a) **'Benjamin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rose red. Indian

(v) **'Benjamin Macdonald'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *aurigeranum* (s) × *konori* H: J.L. Rouse (1974), G: R. Macdonald (1987), N: R. Macdonald (1993), I: Foothills Nursery (1993), REG: Foothills Nursery (1993) Fls 6-11/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 70 × 70mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, light greenish yellow (4C) throughout. Lvs elliptic, 160 × 85mm, margins decurved, matt green above, cuneate at base, acuminate at apex, with sparse, pale brown scales. Shrub 1.5 × 1.0m in 18 years. Summer-autumn

(a) **'Benjamin Robert Jordan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Rosa Belton' × *oldhamii* (s) × 'Rosa Belton' × *oldhamii* H: E.W. Jordan (1993), G: E.W. Jordan (1996), N: E.W. Jordan, REG: E.W. Jordan (1997) Fls 3/open, flat truss, hose-in-hose, campanulate, 60mm wide, with 5+5 flat-edged lobes, strong purple (80B) throughout, with rose-coloured spots on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 40mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs broadly elliptic, 65 × 27mm, flat, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, ciliate. Shrub 0.6 × 0.3m in 3 years. Spring

(r) **'Ben Lancaster'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lackamas Spice' (s) × 'Evening Glow' R: B.F. Lancaster (1963), N: B.F. Lancaster, REG: B.F. Lancaster (1970) Fls 12/rounded truss, campanulate, 40 × 90mm, brilliant to light greenish yellow (8A-8C), deepening with age; scented. Lvs 125 × 50mm, mid green. Shrub 1.0m in 7 years

(r) **'Benmore'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *montroseanum* R: Younger Botanic Garden, N: Younger Botanic Garden, I: Younger Botanic Garden (1957), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 20/loose, flat-topped truss, campanulate, 55 × 70mm, variable shades of fuchsine pink (627/2), with deep pink staining and a small, deep crimson blotch at the base of the throat. Lvs elliptic, 300 × 140mm, silvery below. Large shrub. FCC 1957

(a) **'Ben Morrison'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: B.Y. Morrison (pre 1951), G: USDA, N: J.L. Creech, I: USDA (1968), REG: J.L. Creech (1994) Fls single, solitary, open funnel-shaped, 54 × 70mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink (39B) speckled with deep red (185A) on dorsal lobe and parts of adjacent lobes, with an irregular white margin on all lobes; stamens 10, curved, unequal. Calyx 5-lobed, 8mm long, green, hairy. Spring lvs elliptic, 44 × 25mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull mid green above, with discrete, colourless hairs above and below; petioles hairy. Shrub 0.8 × 1.5m in c15 years. Mid May. (Published in *The Azalean* 4 (2):9 (1982))

(r) **'Ben Moseley'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: hybrid of subsect. *Fortunea* × unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: C.O. Dexter & B.P.P. Moseley, I: P.D. Vossberg (c 1965), REG: The Tyler Arboretum (1981) Fls 10-14 in dense, rounded trusses, 55-90mm wide, (5-)6(-7) lobed, light purplish pink (2.5RP 8/5), with a 13mm edging of deep purplish pink (2.5RP 610) and a deep reddish purple (2.5RP 3/8) blotch and peripheral spotting on dorsal lobe, the spots spreading onto adjacent lobes

(r) **'Bennan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *meddianum* var. *atrokermesinum* R: National Trust for Scotland (Brodick), N: National Trust for Scotland (Brodick), I: National Trust for Scotland (Brodick) (1977), REG: National Trust for Scotland (Brodick) (1977) Fls c17/open-topped truss, tubular-campanulate, 65 × 75mm, 5-lobed, strong red (53C) with a moderate amount of dark dorsal spots. Calyx red, up to 5mm long. Lvs oblong-ovate, up to 170 × 80mm, dark glaucous green. AM 1977 (Raised from seed collected by Kingdon-Ward)

(r) **'Bennett's Arboreum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *arboreum* L: V.J. Boulter (1980) Fls blood red, in small, tight trusses. Lvs silvery below

(a) **'Benno'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1862), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Exhibited by J. Fraser, 1862)

(r) **'Benno'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale violet, with dark, wavy margins and cherry red spots

(r) **'Ben Shalom'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Red Yard' (s) × unknown H: B. & M. Shapiro (1964), G: B. & M. Shapiro, N: B. & M. Shapiro, REG: B. & M. Shapiro (1996) Fls 7/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 60 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, close to moderate purplish red (70A) in bud, opening inside with a central white star, with c8mm wide edging of very pale purple (69B) and some bright yellow spots on dorsal lobe; outside very pale purple (69B-C). Calyx c2mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 70 × 14mm, slightly upturned at edges, rounded at base, broadly acute at apex, moderate yellow-green (138A-B) and semi-glossy above, with very sparse,

light tan hairs on new growth only. Shrub 1.4 × 2.1m in 30 years. Mid May

(r) **'Ben Shapiro'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' × *R.* × *nikomontanum* H: B. & M. Shapiro (1966), G: B. & M. Shapiro, N: B. & M. Shapiro, REG: B. & M. Shapiro (1989) Fls 16-19/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish purple (72C) in bud, opening very pale purple (69C) with heavy spotting of darkred (59A) to deep purplish red (59B) on dorsal lobe and edges of adjacent lobes. Calyx 1-2mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 121-127 × 64mm, flat, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, glossy green and hairless above, with a light coating of tan hairs on new growth. Shrub 2.1 × 1.5m in 22 years. Mid May

(r) **'Ben's June Bride'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Disca' (s) × 'Graf Zeppelin' H: B. & M. Shapiro (1966), G: B. & M. Shapiro, N: M. Shapiro (1997), REG: R.H. Gustafson (2000) Fls 17/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 60 × 90mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, buds light reddish purple (74C) fading to white at base, opening white, the inside edged moderate purplish pink (62B) and with a brilliant greenish yellow (2B) flare on the dorsal lobe and edges of two adjacent lobes, outside edged moderate purplish pink (65A); strongly scented. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 190 × 50mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 2.1m in 10-12 years. Late June. Syn: 'June Bride'

(a) **'Ben Smith'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Nadine' R: O.S. Pride, N: O.S. Pride, I: O.S. Pride (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, light pink

(r) **Benthamianum Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. concinnum* var. *benthamianum*

(r) **'Ben Veltri'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Witch Doctor' × 'Starfish' H: P. Holden (1969), G: Mrs. A.J. Holden (1978), N: P. Holden, I: P. Holden, REG: P. Holden (1980) Fls 15-20/rather lax truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 40 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (58B) in bud, opening strong purplish red (58C) with strong orange (169B) spotting in mid portion of each lobe (heaviest on dorsal lobe). Calyx lobes 7-28mm long, strong purplish red (58C), with irregular white patches. Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 100 × 45mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull moderate olive green (147A) above, with a slight, moderate reddish brown (166B) indumentum on young growth only. Shrub 0.6 × 0.8m in 10 years. Early May

(r) **Ben Venuto Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *seinghkuense* × *maddenii* I: G.M. Adams-Acton (1942), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Benvenuto Cellini'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Sander & Sons (1923), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, lively carmine red, tinged blue. Indian

(r) **'Béranger'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with red and brown spots

(a) **'Berceuse'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Warai-gishi' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls between deep rose pink and rose, 50-65mm wide. Shrub 1.5m (broader than tall). Early. Glenn Dale (Probably never distributed)

(r) **'Bergensiana'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Madame Jules Porgès' (s) × 'Hachmann's Diadem' H: H. Hachmann (1984), G: H. Hachmann (1990), N: H. Hachmann (1995), I: H. Hachmann (1997), REG: G. Stück (1999) Fls 15/dense, ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45 × 76-80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside white, slightly tinged light purplish pink/very pale purple (73C/D), outside similarly coloured; the dorsal lobe with a large, conspicuous blotch of deep pink/deep red (48A/53A), centre of dorsal lobe and around base of throat moderate/dark red (180A/183A); stamens 10, filaments white, anthers light purplish pink/very pale purple (73C/D); style pale yellow-green (149D), stigma strong purplish red (63A). Calyx 20-35mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic-ovate, 115 × 50mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dark and glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 1.3 × 1.4m in 10 years. Late May-early June. (The epithet is the name of a piece of music by Johan Halvorsen. First published in Hachmann cat., 1998-2000 (1998), plus colour photograph)

(a) **'Bergerette'** cv. Evergreen azalea: un-named seedling (no.32666) × 'Musashino' R: B.Y. Morrison (pre 1965), N: B.Y. Morrison, I: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1965) Fls single, 50-65mm wide, white, washed with shrimp pink at edges and with slightly darker dorsal spotting. Shrub 1.0-1.5m. Back Acres

(r) **'Bergie'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *ciliatum* R: H.L. Larson (pre 1980), N: H.L. Larson

(r) **'Bergie Larson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* (s) × Jasper Group H: H.L. Larson (1959), G: H.L. Larson, N: H.L. Larson, I: H.L. Larson, REG: H.L. Larson (1978) Fls up to 12/truss, 75mm wide, brilliant orange-yellow (23B), with slight, red spotting on dorsal lobe; a 7mm wide edging inside, and all of outside, vivid reddish orange (43A). Lvs oblong, 100 × 45mm, acute at apex, cordate at base, bullate, dark yellowish green (139A). Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 18 years. Early June

(a) **'Bergmann Feu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Docteur Bergmann' I: C. van Gele & Son (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, strong red (39A) to deep yellowish pink (44D), with an average of 2 stamens. Calyx normal, green. Midseason. Indian

(r) **'Berg's Bonnie Bee'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *mucronulatum* 'Cornell Pink' (s) × *lutescens* H: W.E. Berg (1971), G: W.E. Berg, N: W.E. Berg (1996), REG: W.E. Berg & Mrs J.E. Sinclair (1996) Fls 3-5/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 30 × 40-50mm, with 5 wavy- to very wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (55A) in bud, opening inside strong and light purplish pink (55B-C), with moderate red (180B) spots in a fan-

shaped area on dorsal lobe; outside strong and light purplish pink (55B-C), with a white base. Calyx minute, green. Lvs elliptic, 57 × 22mm, cuneate at base, acuminate at tip, with decurved margins, moderate yellow-green (137C) and dull above, scaly. Shrub 2.0 × 2.0m in 25 years. Early Spring

(r) **'Berg's Queen Bee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × *tsariense* H: W.E. Berg (1969), G: W.E. Berg (c 1974), N: W.E. Berg, I: W.E. Berg (c 1984), REG: W.E. Berg (1995) Fls 10/ball truss, open funnel-campanulate, 44 × 51mm, strong purplish red (54A) in bud, opening light to pale purplish pink (55C-D); stamens 10, unequal, curved; style white. Pedicels 25mm long, light yellow (160B). Lvs elliptic, 89 × 32mm, convex, acute at apex, oblique at base, with a felted indumentum, moderate orange-yellow (165C) when young, ageing to brownish orange (164A); petioles 19mm long, moderate brown (165A), hairy. Shrub 0.9 × 1.1m in 10 years. Mid April. Syn: 'Queen Bee' (under which name it first circulated in the early 1990s)

(r) **'Berg's Yellow'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1997)

(a) **'Berkeley Red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Simon Mardner' (s) × 'Hexe' I: C.R. Brandt (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. Indian

(r) **'Berlin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Madame de Bruin' × *williamsianum* R: D.G. Hobbie, S: J. Bruns, N: J. Bruns, I: J. Bruns (1964) Fls rose

(r) **'Berlinale'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tarantella' (s) × 'Seestadt Bremerhaven' H: H. Hachmann (1983), G: H. Hachmann (1988), N: H. Hachmann (1994), I: H. Hachmann (1997), REG: G. Stück (1999) Fl 13-15/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 70-80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, streaked deep purplish pink (61D), centre pale purplish pink (62D), almost white, edges (up to 10mm) strong/vivid purplish red (61B/C); outside vivid purplish red (61C), with strong purplish red (61B) midveins; slight dorsal markings of moderate reddish orange (35A-B); stamens 10, filaments light/pale purplish pink (62C/D), anthers dark red (187C); style strong purplish pink (62A), stigma dark red (187B). Calyx 1mm long, greenish. Lvs elliptic, 130 × 48mm, flat, acute at apex, rounded at base, slightly glossy above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.7m in 10 years. Late May-early June. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1998-2000 (1998), plus colour photograph)

(a) **'Berlinerin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Reinhold Ambrosius' R: E. & W. Scherf (c 1968), I: G. Boese (1973) Fls strong purplish pink (63C), with a white edge. Indian

(r) **'Berliner Liebe'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'El Alamein' (s) × *insigne* H: J. Bruns Nursery (1961), G: J. Bruns Nursery (1966), N: J. Bruns Nursery (1985), I: J. Bruns Nursery (1985), REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1995) Fls 14-21/round, compact truss, open funnel-campanulate, 35-45 × 50-70mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, dark red in bud, opening inside bright red, shading to paler in centre and white at the base; outside dark red; dark brown markings on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 1-2mm long, matt grey-green, tomentose. Lvs elliptic, 80-170 × 25-60mm, flat (part slightly twisted), dark glossy green above, rounded at base, acuminate/mucronate at apex, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 4.0m in 33 years, of compact, dense habit. Mid-late May. Syn: 'Cleopatra', 'Kleopatra' (Published in *Rhododendron- und Azaleenzüchtung* part II (1930-1988), 1989)

(r) **'Bermuda'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anna H. Hall' (s) × 'Nestucca' H: D.G. Leach (1961), G: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1975), REG: D.G. Leach (1983) Fls 13-14/truss, 45 × 50mm, broadly funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (63B) in bud, opening moderate purplish pink (62B), with greenish yellow dorsal spotting. Calyx minute, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 100 × 35mm, moderate yellow-green (147B), becoming hairless below, with a thin, brownish indumentum at first. Shrub c1.4m in 20 years

(r) **'Bern'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* × unnamed hybrid R: J.G. Bacher (pre 1955), N: J.G. Bacher, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pastel mauve (433), lighter towards centre and with a prominent blotch on dorsal lobes of magenta rose (027)

(v) **'Bernadette'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *loranthiflorum* × *konori* R: P. Sullivan (pre 1983), N: P. Sullivan

(r) **'Bernadette Chirac'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Queen of Hearts' Fls 10-12/truss, funnel-campanulate, 40 × 35-40mm, 5-lobed, vivid red (52A) in bud, opening vivid red (52A) and becoming pink, then almost white. Calyx 2mm long, green. Lv elliptic. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m

(a) **'Berna Pride'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Comtesse de Kerchove' (Indian) × 'Docteur Bergmann' H: I.C. Nichols, G: I.C. Nichols (1970), N: I.C. Nichols, I: I.C. Nichols, REG: I.C. Nichols (1986) Fls 2-3/truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, strong red (50A). Lvs elliptic, 40 × 13mm. Shrub 2.0m. Indian

(a) **'Bernard Andreae'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Gebr Mardner, N: Gebr Mardner, I: Gebr Mardner (1858), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, star-shaped, deep rose. Indian (Seven other spellings of the name have been listed of which 'Bernhard Andreae' is the most commonly used and may be correct: evidence from an original Mardner catalogue is required)

(a) **'Bernard Andreae Albus'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Dallière, N: A. Dallière, I: A. Dallière (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pure white. Indian (An apparently identical plant also put out by A.Verschaffelt in same year. See under 'Bernard Andreae' for a note on spelling: 'Bernhard Andreae Albus' may be correct)

(r) **'Bernard Crisp'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pink Pearl' (s) × un-named Hardy Hybrid R: Waterer

(Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls funnel-shaped, 50 × 70-80mm, bright mauve pink with paler centre, lightly marked crimson brown on dorsal lobe. Calyx lobes 1-8mm long. Medium-sized shrub. AM 1921

(r) **'Bernard Gill'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *barbatum* hybrid R: R. Gill & Sons, N: R. Gill & Sons, I: R. Gill & Sons (1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, soft rose red, with a few carmine pink spots. AM 1925 (Standard: painting of AM plant (WSY 0019940))

(r) **'Bernard Shaw'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *calophytum* (s) × 'Pink Pearl' R: G. Reuthe Ltd (1940), N: G. Reuthe Ltd., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear pink

(a) **'Berna Startreck'** (See note under 'Berna Startreck')

(a) **'Berna Startrek'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Avenir' S: I.C. Nichols (1965), N: I.C. Nichols, I: I.C. Nichols, REG: I.C. Nichols (1986) Fls double, 1-2/truss, funnel-shaped, 60mm long, white, with a tinge of green in the throat. Lvs elliptic, 30 × 15mm. Shrub 1.5m. Syn: 'Startrek'. Indian (Previously listed in error as 'Berna Startreck')

(a) **'Bernhard Andreae'** (See note under 'Bernard Andreae')

(r) **'Bernhard Haubold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cunningham's White' × 'Kohinur' R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine rose, with a paler throat and dark carmine spots

(r) **'Bernhard Lauterbach'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J. Seidel (pre 1880), N: T.J. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 11-15/very compact, ball truss, 35-45mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, bright red or sometimes intense pink, with black-red markings. Compact dwarf shrub. Early-mid May

(r) **'Bernhardt'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with dark red spots on all lobes

(r) **'Bernice'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *maddenii* (s) × Royal Flush Group H: F.M. Jury, G: F.M. Jury, I: F.M. Jury, REG: F.M. Jury (1982) Fls 7/truss, 60 × 80mm, 5-lobed, crimson (22) shading to 22/1 on lobes, becoming blush white on lobe margins; throat crimson. Calyx red. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 45mm, with a brown, scaly indumentum.

(a) **'Bernina'** cv. Semi-evergreen azalea: *yedoense* × unknown H: H. Frei (c 1970), G: H. Frei (1975), N: Firma C. Esveld, I: Firma C. Esveld (1980), REG: Boskoop Horticultural Society (1990) Fls single, 3-4/truss, funnel-shaped, 20-30 × 20-30mm, white. Lvs narrowly ovate, 40-50 × 20-30mm, hairless. Shrub 3.0m in 15 years. May

(r) **'Bernstein'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goldsworth Orange' (s) × 'Mrs J.G. Millais' H: H. Hachmann (1965), G: H. Hachmann (1970), I: H. Hachmann (1978), REG: G. Stück (1983) Fls 12-15/truss, 45-50 × 60-70mm, 5-lobed, pale yellow (20D), with a conspicuous blotch of vivid reddish orange (34A-B) on brilliant yellow (15C). Calyx 1.0-1.5mm long, pale yellow (20D(-C)). Lvs elliptic, 90-110 × 25-35mm, hairy. Shrub 2.5-4.0m

(r) **'Bernsteingold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kupferberg' (s) × Wega Group H: U. Genzel (1988), G: U. Genzel (1992), N: W. Schmalscheidt (1996), REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1996) Fls 8-11/loose, rounded, flat-topped truss, open funnel-shaped, 43-55 × 60-90mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, salmon in bud, opening with throat yellow, becoming apricot to salmon pink towards the margin, outside salmon pink to apricot; fls with dark red markings. Calyx 2-3mm long, light green. Lvs ovate, 45-110 × 33-68mm, flat, matt green above, hairless, cordate at base, apiculate at apex. Shrub 0.9 × 1.0m in 8 years. Winter flower buds blue. May

(a) **'Berolina'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: R. Ambrosius (1928), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Berryi'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Berry Punch'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Brandt Red' × *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Yaku Sunrise' × ('C.I.S.' × 'Jingle Bells') H: G.H. Kesterson (1984), G: G.H. Kesterson (1988), N: B.V. & K. Nelson (2000), REG: Nelson's Nursery (2001) Fls 12/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish red (59C) in bud, opening inside strong purplish red (65C), with a few dark red (59A) spots on the dorsal lobe; outside strong purplish red (64B). Lvs elliptic, 140 × 50mm, margins downcurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and dark yellowish green (139A) above, with hairs below (hairs moderate to pale yellow (161-162) at first, ageing to strong yellow (153D)). Shrub 1.8 × 2.1m in 16 years. Mid May

(r) **'Berry Purty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Blimey Limey' (s) × 'O'Harold' H: M. Stockman (1993), G: M. & H. Stockman (2000), N: M. & H. Stockman (2000), REG: M. & H. Stockman (2001) Fls 12/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 90mm, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish orange (42A) in bud, opening a blend of deep purplish pink (54B), strong pink (54C) and moderate purplish pink (54D), with a small yellowish white centre and yellowish white streaks extending from centre to lobe tips; with age the inside becomes mainly yellowish white with a deep purplish pink (54B) dorsal blotch; eventually the corolla changes almost completely to a blend of deep purplish pink (54B) and strong pink (54C). Calyx 5mm long, light green. Lvs oblong, 105 × 35mm, margins upcurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and mid green above, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 0.9m in 8 years. Mid May

(a) **'Berryrose'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Rothschild (pre 1934), N: L. de

Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c10/compact truss, c100mm wide, deep pink (21/1), with a vivid yellow blotch spotted with vivid orange; scented. Shrub up to c3.0m. AM 1934. Knap Hill

(r) **'Berryrose'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Doncaster' (s) × *dichroanthum* H: L. de Rothschild (1927), G: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, medium pink, with a yellow blotch and giving an overall effect of orange; scented. Low-growing shrub, 1.0m tall in 10 years. April-May. AM 1934 (Berryrose Group. Standard: painting of AM plant (WSY 0009736))

(r) **Berryrose Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Doncaster' (s) × *dichroanthum* H: L. de Rothschild (1927), G: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1934), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Bertha'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: D. Parmenter (pre 1969), N: D. Parmenter Fls double, small, dark mauve

(r) **'Bertha'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush

(r) **'Bertha'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Everestianum' (s) × 'Everestianum' R: T.J.R. Seidel (1892), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, carmine rose, marked orange-red

(r) **'Bertha Parsons'** (Syn. of 'President Lincoln')

(a) **'Bertha Vervaene'** (Syn. of 'Mademoiselle Bertha Vervaene')

(r) **'Bertie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Robbo' × 'Spanish Lady' H: M. Stockman (1982), G: M. & H. Stockman (1990), N: M. & H. Stockman, I: M. & H. Stockman (1992), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1992) Fls 11/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 41 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (39A) in bud, opening white, edged deep to moderate pink (51C, D) with a brilliant yellow (13C) star-shaped centre and two patches of strong red (53D) spotting in dorsal throat; stamens 10, straight, unequal. Calyx 8mm long, light green. Pedicels 29mm long, light green, tinged red. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 105 × 35mm, convex, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, bullate and dark, matt green above, hairless; petioles 13mm long, light green. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Bertie Parsons'** (Syn. of 'President Lincoln')

(a) **'Bertina'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hermann Klusmann' × un-named seedling R: O. Stahnke (c 1972), N: O. Stahnke Fls single, strong pink (48D), with about 4 stamens. Calyx normal, green. Early. Indian

(r) **'Bert Larson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Diva Group (s) × *strigillosum* H: H.L. Larson (1955), G: H.L. Larson, N: H.L. Larson, I: H.L. Larson (1968), REG: H.L. Larson (1979) Fls up to 14/ball truss, 75mm wide, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, strong red (45D), with darker brownish red spotting on three dorsal lobes. Lvs narrowly oblong, 160 × 45mm, acuminate at apex, cuneate at base, bullate, moderate olive green (146A) above, with a moderate orange (167A) woolly indumentum below. Early-mid April. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Bertram Woodhouse Currie'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson, with a light centre

(r) **'Bert's Own'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *edgeworthii* × 'Lady Alice Fitzwilliam' R: J.B. Evans, I: Leonardslee Gardens Nurs. (1987), REG: E.W.M. Magor (1988) Fls 2/truss, campanulate, 46mm long, 5-lobed, white, externally streaked pale purplish pink on midribs of lobes and on tube (especially on dorsal side), internally with two lines of strong greenish yellow (151B) in dorsal throat; strongly scented. Calyx up to 7mm long, with broad, rounded lobes and long, very wavy cilia and pale scales, heavily tinged reddish. Lvs up to 70 × 29mm, elliptic, acute at apex, cuneate at base, mid, glossy green above, paler below, hairy on veins above and strongly ciliate; with scattered, pale brown scales below; young shoots more densely hairy. Shrub 1.5m. April-May. (Raised at Penjerrick, Cornwall, UK)

(r) **'Beryl'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably *falconeri* × *niveum* R: A.W. Heneage-Vivian (pre 1931), N: A.W. Heneage-Vivian, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dull purple. AM 1931

(r) **'Beryl Coronet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: J.C. Cowles - probably (c 1960), G: Heritage Plantation, N: R.H. Gustafson (1990), REG: Sandwich Club (1998) Fls 11/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 95mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, dark red (59A) in bud, opening inside light purple (84C) in centre, with vivid purple (87B) margins and dark greenish yellow (152D) spotting on the dorsal lobe; outside strong reddish purple (78B); stigma dark purple ((83A). Lvs oblong, 150 × 65mm, oblique at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.7 × 1.0m in 10 years (original plant 3.7 × 5.5m). Mid May-June.

(a) **'Beryl Eggington'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (pre 1984) Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, dark red. Indian

(r) **Berylline Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *spinuliferum* (s) × *valentinianum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in small, compact trusses, pale yellow, flushed rose. Low shrub. April-May

(r) **'Beryl Taylor'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *campylogynum* R: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1975), REG: Lord Aberconway (1975) Fls 4-5/truss, campanulate, 20 × 25mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (60B). Calyx lobes equal, green, ciliate, scaly at base. Lvs obovate to elliptic, 25 × 14mm, dark glossy green above, glaucous and sparsely scaly below. AM 1975 (Grown from LS & T 4738)

(r) **'Bess'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Constant Nymph' × 'Purple Splendour' R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1975), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1975) Fls lavender. (Parentage requires confirmation)

(r) **'Besse Howells'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: red *catawbiense* hybrid × 'Boule de Neige' R: A.M. Shammarello (1943), N: A.M. Shammarello, I: A.M. Shammarello (1961), REG: A.M. Shammarello (1972) Fls in a globular truss, 65mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, burgundy red, with a dark red blotch. Lvs 100 × 45mm, dark green. Dwarf, compact shrub, to 1.0m

(a) **'Bess Hallock'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: G.A. Reid (1965), N: G.A. Reid, I: G.A. Reid (1976), REG: G.A. Reid (1977) Fls hose-in-hose, semi-double, 2-3/truss, 50mm wide, strong purplish red (63B), with a few darker spots. Shrub 0.3 × 0.6m in 5 years

(a) **'Bessie A. Dodd'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Kurume seedling I: Tom Dodd Nursery (c 1932), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, clear light pink, with a paler centre. Compact. Midseason. Kurume

(r) **'Bessie Farmer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Olympic Lady Group × 'Fawn' R: A.A. & M. Childers, N: A.A. & M. Childers, I: A.A. & M. Childers (1970), REG: A.A. & M. Childers (1971) Fls 5-7/truss, rotate, flat, 100-115mm wide, pink in bud, opening white; scented. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 40mm. Shrub 1.0 × 2.2m

(a) **'Bessie Holdaway'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *japonicum* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1869), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, clear lively rose, with a clear bronze blotch. Ghent (Listed by J. Baumann in 1869 (as 'Bessie Haldaway') as from Waterer (Knap Hill))

(r) **'Besson'** (Syn. of 'Like Ben Moseley')

(a) **'Best Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* R: H.E. Greer (pre 1984), N: H.E. Greer Fls clear rose pink. Shrub up to 0.3m

(a) **'Best White'** (Syn. of 'Lace Valentine')

(r) **'Beta'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *lanigerum* R: Sir Edward Bolitho, N: Sir Edward Bolitho, REG: Sir Edward Bolitho (1963) Fls rose opal (022/1). (Raised from KW 8251)

(r) **'Betelgeuse'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × 'Mevrouw P.A. Colijn' R: G. Reuthe Ltd, N: G. Reuthe Ltd, I: G. Reuthe Ltd (1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon pink

(a) **'Beth Bullard'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Eikan' × 'Heiwa' R: R.W. Pennington (pre 1976), N: R.W. Pennington Fls single, 90mm wide, salmon pink. Shrub low and compact. Late

(r) **'Betsie Balcom'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Princess Elizabeth' (s) × Elizabeth Group H: T.J. McGuire (1961), G: T.J. McGuire (1967), N: T.J. McGuire, I: T.J. McGuire (1974), REG: T.J. McGuire (1977) Fls 13-15/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (46A), shading to vivid red (45B) in centre, without blotch or spotting; stamens and pistil red. Calyx 1.5mm long, red. Pedicels red. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 90 × 30mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless; petioles red. Shrub 1.6 × 1.6m in 15 years with young growth tinged red. Mid May

(a) **'Betsy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls white, edged pink. Kurume

(a) **'Betsy Bahn'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid R: W.D. Smith (pre 1982), N: W.D. Smith Fls with a rosette centre, 75mm wide, currant red. (See *The Azalean* 4 (1):1 (1982) for notes on parentage)

(a) **'Betsy de Bruin'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 55mm wide, light yellow and light orange-yellow, lobe tips moderate reddish orange, blotch vivid reddish orange. AM 1927. Mollis

(r) **'Betsy Kruson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' × *wardii* (s) × 'Mars' H: H.R. Yates (1960), G: H.R. Yates (1968), N: H.R. Yates, I: Mrs M. Yates (1975), REG: Mrs M. Yates (1977) Fls 10/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (57D), shading to pale purplish pink (62D) to almost white in throat, with a small flare of light yellow (160B) and a few spots. Calyx 7mm long, light yellow-green (145B). Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 190 × 70mm, moderate yellow-green (146B), hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.5m in 15 years. Mid-late May

(a) **'Betsy Monnen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Delos' × 'Amagasa' R: J.O. Harris (pre 1982), N: J.O. Harris Fls double, 90mm wide, deep purplish pink (68A). Shrub 0.6m in 10 years

(r) **'Betsy Parsons'** (Syn. of 'President Lincoln')

(a) **'Betsy Ross'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Hino-crimson' R: D.J. Cole (pre 1987), N: D.J. Cole Fls hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, light red

(r) **'Betsy Trotwood'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a compact truss, with wavy-edged lobes, rosy lilac, marmorated with white and edged crimson (L. van Houtte, 1870)

(a) **'Betsy Vannes'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Gebr Kersbergen (1918), INC: ICRA (1958). Mollis

(a) **'Bette'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Ten Oaks Nursery, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls apricot pink. Kaempferi

(r) **'Better Half'** cv. Parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney, N: G. & Mrs A. Sather, I: G. & Mrs A. Sather (c 1975) Fls trumpet-shaped, red. Shrub to 1.0m (Esveld, 1984)

(a) **'Better Letter'** cv. Deciduous azalea: hybrid of 'Melford Red Letter' H: P.E. Girard, I: Girard Nurseries (pre 1994) Fls deep orange-red

(a) **'Better Times'** (Syn. of 'Red Beauty')

(a) **'Bettina'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Hinodegiri' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, 40-50mm wide, carmine. Shrub to 1.5m. Early. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Bettina Della Valle'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Etabl. Linden (1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, rose and white, with carmine red stripes on dorsal lobes. Indian

(a) **'Betty'** (Syn. of 'Suga-no-ito')

(a) **'Betty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* × 'Malvaticum' R: C.B. van Nes & Sons (pre 1922), N: C.B. van Nes & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 2/truss, open funnel-shaped, 40mm wide, 5-lobed, pink, with a light purplish pink (55C) centre and darker dorsal spots. Lvs oblanceolate, 25-40mm long, dark green. *AM 1940, FCC 1972. Kaempferi

(r) **'Betty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × *thomsonii* R: Sir Edmund Loder (pre 1927), N: Sir Edmund Loder, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c11/truss, deep pink, paler in centre. AM 1927

(r) **'Betty Anderson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Van Nes Sensation' (s) × 'Wilburn' H: E. Anderson (1975), G: E. Anderson, I: E. Anderson, REG: E. Anderson (1983) Fls 8-10/truss, 25 × 100mm, broadly funnel-shaped, 6-7-lobed, reddish purple in bud, opening with light purple (81C) edges, shading to light purple (84C) to more-or-less white in centre of lobes and in throat, dorsal spotting of moderate yellow-green (146D), outside darker, with broad, reddish stripes down centre of lobes. Calyx with 2 prominent dorsal lobes, green to reddish green. Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 175 × 75mm, moderate yellow-green (147B). Shrub c1.2m in 6-8 years

(r) **'Betty Anne Voss'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Louise Gable' × 'Tama-giku' (s) × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' H: R.D. Gartrell (1960), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell (1972), REG: R.D. Gartrell (1977) Fls hose-in-hose and double, 2-4/truss, 75mm wide, with very wavy-edged lobes, strong to light purplish pink (62A-C), with faint moderate purplish pink (62B) spotting. Lvs dark green

(r) **'Betty Arrington'** cv. Parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: G.A. Arrington, N: G.A. Arrington, I: G.A. Arrington (1970), REG: G.A. Arrington (1971) Fls up to 17/truss, rotate-campanulate, 95mm wide, 7-lobed, rose madder, with a prominent, ruby red flare; scented. Lvs elliptic-lanceolate, 150 × 50mm, deep green. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(a) **'Betty Bailey'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Suetsumu' R: D.J. Cole (pre 1987), N: D.J. Cole Fls reddish orange. Mid April

(a) **'Betty Bernard'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Gebr Mardner (1874), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Betty Boulter'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Nobleanum Group (s) × 'Unique' R: V.J. Boulter, N: V.J. Boulter (1962), I: V.J. Boulter, REG: V.J. Boulter (1962) Fls in a spherical truss, campanulate, 40 × 65mm, 5-lobed, vivid purplish red (61A), slightly spotted

(r) **'Betty Breene'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* × un-named Dexter hybrid R: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach (1960), I: D.G. Leach (1960), REG: D.G. Leach (1961) Fls pale pink, flushed mauve. Lvs 150 × 55mm. Shrub 1.2 × 2.0m

(r) **'Betty Brim'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Blue Ensign' (s) × Avocet Group H: J.D. Brim (1995), G: J.D. Brim (1999), N: J.D. Brim (2002), REG: J.D. Brim (2002) Fls 14/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 90mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, inside pale purplish pink (65D) edged with a narrow band (c10mm wide) of vivid reddish purple (74B), and with a small, dark red (187A) basal blotch expanding into two densely spotted flares on the dorsal lobe; outside light purplish pink (65B). Lvs oblong, 175 × 55mm, margins upcurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 6 years. Early May

(a) **'Betty Cummins'** cv. Deciduous azalea: wild-collected selection from *viscosum* at Old Bridge, New Jersey, USA S: G.D. Lewis (1972), N: G.D. Lewis, I: G.D. Lewis (1982), REG: G.D. Lewis (1987) Fls single, 9-12/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 38 × 35mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (61C) in bud, opening strong purplish pink (73B) and fading to very pale purple (73D) at midvein of each lobe; tube deep purplish pink (61D); strongly scented. Calyx vestigial. Lvs mostly obovate, some elliptic, 38 × 19mm, moderate olive green (137A) above, moderate yellowish green (137D) below, hairy on both sides. Shrub 0.9 × 0.6m in 10 years. Mid June

(a) **'Betty Cuthbert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: M.E. Greentree (pre 1984), N: M.E. Greentree Fls double, hose-in-hose, soft pink, fading with age. Kurume

(r) **'Betty Goheen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group (s) × Hark Group H: D.W. Goheen (1964), G: D.W. Goheen (1974), N: D.W. Goheen, I: C. Hoffman, REG: D.W. Goheen (1994) Fls 7-8/domed truss, open campanulate, 48 × 51-64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink (43C) in bud, opening brilliant greenish yellow (4A) in centre, shading to pale yellow-green (4D) at margins, tinged randomly with shades of deep to strong yellowish pink (43C, D); outside brilliant greenish yellow (4A); stamens 10(-12),

straight, unequal; slightly scented. Calyx 25mm long, a mixture of brilliant greenish yellow (4A) and deep yellowish pink (43C), 5-lobed and wavy-edged. Pedicles 38mm long, yellow-green (154). Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 76-102 × 25-38mm, broadly acute at apex, cordate at base, glossy moderate yellow-green (146B) above, light yellow-green (138D) below, hairless; petioles 25mm long, light yellow-green (145B) with minute dark glands. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 25 years. Late April

(r) **'Betty Graham'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *anthopogon* L & S 1091 R: E.H.M. & P.A. Cox, N: E.H.M. & P.A. Cox, I: E.H.M. & P.A. Cox, REG: E.H.M. & P.A. Cox (1969) Fls 8-10/truss, narrowly tubular, c17 × 15mm, 5-lobed, vivid purplish red (61C) deepening towards base to strong purplish red (60B). Calyx lobes 3mm long, greenish brown, scaly. Lvs obovate-elliptic, up to 35 × 25mm, dark green above, densely dark brown scaly below. AM 1969

(a) **'Betty Hemmingway'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Delos' × 'Amagasa' R: J.O. Harris, N: J.O. Harris, I: J.O. Harris (pre 1981) Fls double, 90-100mm wide, white

(r) **'Betty Hume'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a *fortunei* hybrid R: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), N: E. Amateis (1961), I: W. Baldsiefen & W. Efinger, REG: W. Baldsiefen & W. Efinger (1962) Fls to 100mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, pink; scented. Lvs 175 × 65mm, dark green

(a) **'Betty Kelly'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1959), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1961) Fls deep reddish orange, with an orange-yellow dorsal lobe. Knap Hill

(r) **Betty King Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Luscombei Group (s) × *thomsonii* H: Sir James Horlick (1930), G: Sir James Horlick, N: Sir James Horlick, I: Sir James Horlick (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls varying in colour from *thomsonii*-like red to Luscombei Group-like pink

(a) **'Betty Layman'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Oakland' (s) × 'Heiwa' H: R.D. Gartrell (1962), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell (1971), REG: R.D. Gartrell (1985) Fls single, 1/bud, 34 × 88mm, broadly funnel-shaped, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink (43C) to strong yellowish pink (43D) and deep pink (47D), spotted deep red (53A). Calyx 7mm long, strong yellow-green (143C). Spring lvs narrowly elliptic, 38 × 14mm. Shrub up to 1.5m

(a) **'Betty Lou'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: A. Pericat, I: Le-Mac Nurseries (pre 1985) Fls hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, salmon pink. Pericat

(r) **'Betty Margaret Senn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* × unknown G: H. Vaartnou (1968), S: H. Vaartnou (1964), N: H. Vaartnou, I: H. Vaartnou (1985), REG: H. Vaartnou (1994) Fls 10-12/lax truss, open campanulate, k38 × 57mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light greenish yellow (4C) to pale yellow-green (4D); stamens 10, straight, unequal. Calyx 2mm long, greenish. Pedicels 9mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 89 × 44mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless; petioles 38mm long, green. Shrub 2.4 × 2.4m in 25 years. April

(a) **'Betty Pride'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: O.S. Pride (pre 1987), N: O.S. Pride Fls moderate pink. Midseason

(r) **'Betty Robertson'** (Syn. of 'Mrs Betty Robertson')

(r) **'Betty Royal'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Luscombei Group (s) × *thomsonii* H: Sir James Horlick (1930), G: Sir James Horlick, N: Sir James Horlick, INC: ICRA (1958) (Betty King Group)

(r) **'Betty's Bells'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *campylogynum* (s) × *racemosum* R: B. Sheedy, I: T. Skei (pre 1988) Fls in axillary trusses, vivid pink. Lvs olive green, with reddish petioles. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Betty Sherriff'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Queen Wilhelmina' × *griersonianum* H: C. Ingram, G: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, I: C. Ingram (1966)

(r) **'Betty's Purple Russatum'** (Syn. of 'Night Editor')

(r) **'Betty Stewart'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C.B.van Nes & Sons (pre 1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12-14/compact truss, 70-80mm wide, cherry red, the dorsal lobes spotted and suffused white. Calyx lobes irregular, 5-10mm long. Lvs oblong-lanceolate, 160-180 × 50-60mm, dark green. Late May. *AM 1936

(a) **'Betty Van Nes'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink

(r) **'Betty van Vleck'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goldsworth Yellow' (s) × 'Dexter's Orange' H: H.A. van Vleck (1969), G: H.A. van Vleck, N: The van Vleck House & Gardens, REG: The van Vleck House & Gardens (1995) Fls 11/domed truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 40 × 50mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (52B) in bud, opening brilliant greenish yellow (2B) to light yellow-green (2C); stamens 10, straight, unequal. Calyx 3mm long, green. Pedicels 25mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 114 × 51mm, flat, obtuse at apex, cuneate/slightly oblique at base, dull and moderate olive green (137A-B) above, hairless; petioles 25mm long, green. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 25 years. Late May. Syn: 'Elizabeth van Vleck'

(r) **'Betty White'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *aureum* × *maximum* (s) × 'Dead Ringer' H: W.E. Delp (1982), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1996) Fls 8/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, moderate red (47A) and light greenish yellow (4B) in bud, opening strong red (45D) and light greenish yellow (4B-C) with brilliant greenish yellow (1B) dorsal spots. Lvs 80 × 30mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base.

Early June. (First published in Salley & Greer, *Rhododendron Hybrids* second edn (1992))

(r) **'Betty Wormald'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'George Hardy' × un-named red hybrid R: M. Koster & Sons (1907-1910), N: M. Koster & Sons, I: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1922), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10-12(-18)/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 100mm, rich rose in bud, opening lilac rose, paler in centre, marked with blackish crimson at base of dorsal lobe; nectaries dark crimson. Calyx lobes up to 8mm long. Lvs oblong-obovate, c160 × 60mm, dark glossy green. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. *AM 1935, *FCC 1964

(r) **'Beulah'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' × 'Unique' H: B.J. Ogdon (1986), G: B.J. Ogdon (1990), N: B.J. Ogdon (1998), REG: B.J. Ogdon (1998) Fls 17/tight ball truss, campanulate, 40 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (51A) in bud, opening inside and out strong red (51A), fading to pale greenish yellow (13D); faint, spotted red blotch on dorsal lobe; anthers tan; stigma red. Lvs elliptic, 122 × 61mm, margins flat, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.83 × 1.83m in 10 years. Mid April

(a) **'Bever'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* × *kaempferi* R: G. Arends (1926), N: G. Arends (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, lilac. Shrub 0.8-1.0m. Arendsii

(a) **'Beverley Haerens'** (See note under 'Beverly Haerens')

(r) **'Beverley Lear'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Leonora' (s) × Barclayi Group H: E. de Rothschild (pre 1970), G: E. de Rothschild (c 1970), N: E. de Rothschild, REG: Exbury Gardens Ltd (1996) Fls 18/lax but rounded truss, with a flat/open top, funnel-campanulate, 75 × 80mm, with 5 notched lobes, strong purplish red (71B) in bud, opening light purple (75B), darkening to strong purplish red (71B) towards base and nectaries; outside light purple (80D), paling to light purple (75B); a very few, dark red (59A) spots; stamens 13, filaments coloured as corolla, anthers chocolate brown; style pale pink, with a large, dark red stigma; slightly scented. Calyx 1mm long, reddish purple. Pedicels 40mm long, dark red, contrasting with green rachis. Lvs oblanceolate/elliptic, 240 × 70mm, margins flat, glossy green above, obtuse at base, acute at apex, with a very thin buff indumentum below. Shrub 5.0 × 4.0m in 40 years. Late May-mid June

(r) **'Beverley Tasker'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Dido Group × Jalisco Group × 'Yellow Creek' H: H.R. Tasker, G: H.R. Tasker, N: H.R. Tasker, I: H.R. Tasker, REG: H.R. Tasker (1979) Fls 7/truss, softer than brilliant yellow (14C) with green at base of throat

(a) **'Beverly Haerens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Madame August Haerens' L: Camellia Grove Nursery (1968) Fls double, shell pink; spring fls pure white. Syn: 'California Snow'. Indian (Sometimes seen as 'Beverley Haerens')

(r) **'Beverly Harvey'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T. Coen (c 1950), I: C.P. Fawcett, REG: C.P. Fawcett (1965) Fls 12/upright truss, funnel-shaped, up to 50 × 115mm, 5-lobed, persian rose (628/3 to 628/1). Lvs elliptic, up to 160 × 65mm. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m. Mid May

(a) **'Beverly Mohatt'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid R: W.D. Smith (pre 1982), N: W.D. Smith Fls 100mm wide, vivid red. (See *The Azalean* 4 (1):1(1982) for notes on parentage)

(r) **'Bewildered'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ginny Mae' (s) × (*smirnowii* × *yakushimanum*) × *aureum* H: W.E. Delp (1984), G: W.E. Delp (1987), N: Mrs V. Delp (1987), I: Crystalaire Naturescapes (1999), REG: J.D. Harris (1999) Fls 12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 75mm, with 6-7 flat-edged lobes, deep red (60A) in bud, opening strong purplish red (63B) and strong and light purplish pink (63C-D) with a white throat, a white dorsal flare and deep greenish yellow (153A) dorsal spots. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 125 × 40mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate yellowish green (138A) above, with brown hairs below. Shrub 0.75 × 0.75m in 5 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Bewitched'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: Racil Group × 'Cornell Pink' R: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1968) Fls 2-5/ball truss, 50mm wide, light purplish pink (2.5RP 8/5). Lvs evergreen, 40 × 13mm. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Bewitching'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Janet Blair' × 'Calsap' H: W.E. Delp (1978), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 12/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 51 × 64mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, light purple (75A, B) and both moderate and light purplish pink (68C, D) in bud, opening white, edged light purple (75A, B) and with dark red (59A) dorsal spots; filaments and style pale yellow-green (157A); anthers moderate orange (166D); stigma moderate red (180A). Lvs 95 × 38mm, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base. Shrub 1.8 × 1.7m in 14 years. Early June. (Plant died; never distributed)

(r) **'B. Griffith'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: J.H. Mangles (pre 1884), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Bianca'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Falconer (pre1845), INC: ICRA(1958) Fls white. Indian

(r) **'Bianca'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1857), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon pink or delicate crimson (or pure white, with yellow spots, according to Millais). Both descriptions given in 1958 Register; they might refer to a flower that fades. FCC 1866 (Exhibited by Laing, 1857. Perhaps the same as Young's 'Bianchi')

(r) **'Bianca'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sir Charles Lemon' × Mrs Kingsmill Group H: E.J.P. Magor (1924), G: E.J.P. Magor, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **Bianca Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* Herpesticum Group × *campylocarpum* R: Lord Aberconway (pre 1941), N: Lord Aberconway, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Bianchi'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Messrs M. Young (pre 1877), N: Messrs M. Young, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 13-20/compact, more-or-less rounded truss, more-or-less bowl-shaped, 50-70mm wide, pale pink fading to white, with crimson or green spots on and below the dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic to obovate, dark green above, with light brown indumentum below when young. Medium-sized bush. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Bianco Etiopico'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1999) (Recorded from a collection at Burcina Park, nr Biella, Italy)

(r) **'Bianka'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1906), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Bibber'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Milner' (s) × *catawbiense* H: T.J.R. Seidel (1900), N: T.J.R. Seidel, I: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine red, with dark brown spots

(r) **'Bibby'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Paprika Spiced' (s) × 'Fawn' (James) H: D.W. Goheen (1989), G: D.W. Goheen (1995), N: D.W. Goheen, I: A Sandy Rhododendron (1996), REG: D.W. Goheen (1996) Fls 14-16/ball to domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (55A) in bud, opening inside light and pale yellow (20B-C), with light purplish pink (55C) margins and seven vivid red (52A) rays - c15 × 3mm - in the throat; outside light purplish pink (55C); stamens 14 or more, straight, unequal; scented. Calyx minute, light green with pink tips. Pedicels 25mm long, brilliant yellow-green (150A). Lvs elliptic, 125 × 40-50mm, margins flat to decurved, cuneate at base, broadly acute at apex, dull and moderate yellow-green (148A) above, moderate yellow-green (139D) below; petioles 15-25mm long. Shrub 0.9 × 0.75m in 6 years. Late April

(r) **'Bibiani'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Moser's Maroon' (s) × *arboreum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c14/dense, rounded truss, tubular-campanulate, 65mm wide, dark crimson, with a few maroon spots. Lvs elliptic, c150 × 50mm, deep dull green above, brownish or silvery below. Shrub to 4.0m. April-May. AM 1934

(r) **Bibiani Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Moser's Maroon' (s) × *arboreum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) (Bibiani Group)

(r) **'Biburgense'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably an *arboreum* hybrid L: A. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose

(r) **'Biburyense'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Gheldolf (1844), INC: ICRA (1958) (Perhaps the same as 'Biburgense')

(a) **'Bicolor'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1841), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (On sale in Ghent, 1841)

(a) **'Bicolor'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: R. Veitch & Son (1867), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Perhaps *Azalea bicolor* (Aiton) Pursh, a synonym of *R. canescens*)

(r) **'Bicolor'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown L: Whitley & Osborn (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac blush/reddish purple (Methven); rose, with a white blotch (Knap Hill, 1867 as a *catawbiense* hybrid); deep purplish pink, marked deep purplish red (Arnold Arboretum, 1970). More than one clone may be involved

(a) **'Bicolor Grandiflorum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Henderson & Co. (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow and red

(r) **'Bicolor Nanum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: L. de Cock (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Bicolor Novum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: H. unknown (pre 1845), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Shown by W. Smith, 1845)

(a) **'Bicolor Novum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1877), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Bicolor Roseum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1868), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Bicordia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. van Geert (1853), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Bidwellii'** (Syn. of 'Caldwellii')

(a) **'Bierianum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Easter Greetings' I: G.J. Bier & Sons (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, brick red, larger than parent. Indian

(a) **'Bier's Glorie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Vervaeneanum Roseum' I: G.J. Bier & Sons (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls paler and of a deeper salmon colour than 'Pink Pearl'. Indian

(r) **'Big Band'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' (green-eyed form) (s) × 'Mrs G.W. Leak' H: J. Looye (1990), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, I: Crystalaire Rhododendron Naturescapes, REG: J.D. Harris (1996) Fls 24/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, c50 × 70mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, deep and strong red (53A-B, 60A) in bud, opening yellowish white (155D) edged deep and moderate purplish pink (70C-D), with a pale yellow-green (4D) flare and deep red (60A) dorsal spots; filaments very pale purple (69D); style pale yellow-green (4D); anthers greyish reddish orange (174D); stigma moderate red (182A). Lvs 125 × 40mm, cuneate at base, broadly acute at apex. Shrub 1.2 × 1.0m in 6 years. Early June. (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley, (1995))

(r) **'Big Bells'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from Madfort Group H: J.B. Gable (pre 1972) Fls blush white

(a) **'Big Ben'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: S.R. Smith (pre 1985), N: S.R. Smith Fls double, 100mm wide, vivid red. Indian

(r) **'Big Ben'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *grande* hybrid × Cornubia Group H: J. Beekman, G: J. Beekman, N: J. Beekman, I: J. Beekman, REG: J. Beekman (1980) Fls 23-28/truss, strong purplish pink (55B)

(r) **'Big Bertha'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *falconeri* or *falconeri* × *hodgsonii* G: Sir John Horlick (1993), N: Sir John Horlick (1993), REG: Sir John Horlick (1993) Fls 18-20/lax, rounded truss, oblique-campanulate, 50 × 60mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, pale yellow (158B) in bud, opening yellowish white (158C) inside and pale yellow (158B) outside, with a heavy, dark red (59A), basal blotch breaking up into patterned lines on upper corolla; style light green; stamens with pale filaments and dark brown anthers. Calyx 50mm long, straw cream. Lvs narrowly oblanceolate, 300 × 90mm, margins decurved, matt green above, acute at base, abruptly acute at apex, with pale green hairs when young, which age to pale green-grey. Shrub 3.0 × 3.0m in 20 years. Late April-May. (Plant originally a gift, as an unflowered seedling, from Inverewe Gardens, Scotland)

(r) **'Big Bucks'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Source Bank' (s) × 'Delp's White Dove' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls moderate and strong purplish red (64A, 67A) in bud, opening deep, light and pale purplish pink (72D, 65B-D); outside deep purplish pink (72D); filaments and style strong purplish pink (67D); anthers strong reddish purple (72B); stigma dark red (59A). (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer second edn (1992))

(r) **'Big Business'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Abe Arnott' (s) × 'White Blue Peter' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, vivid, strong and moderate purple (82A, B & C) in bud, opening light and very pale purple (84B, C, D), with dark red (59A) dorsal spots; filaments and style very pale purple (76D); anthers light purple (84C); stigma dark red (59A). (Published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Big Charlie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: derived from *catawbiense* and *fortunei* R: W.L. Tolstead (c 1965), N: W.L. Tolstead, I: W.L. Tolstead (1994), REG: W.L. Tolstead (1994) Fls 14/conical truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 55 × 75mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, moderate to light purplish pink; stamens 14, curved; strongly scented. Calyx 2mm long, light green. Pedicels 30mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 65mm, flat, obtuse at apex, rounded at base; petioles 40mm long, green. Shrub 6.0 × 5.5m in c30 years. Early May. (Seed obtained from F.W. Schumacher, c1965)

(a) **'Big Chief'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *calendulaceum* × 'Hortulanus H. Witte' R: O. Holmsomback (pre 1985), N: O. Holmsomback Fls 8/truss, 40mm wide, buds, tube and stamens reddish orange, opening strong yellowish pink, with an orange blotch; lower lobe light yellowish pink, with orange veins. Shrub at least 1.9 × 1.0m. Midseason

(r) **'Big Daddy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Dorothy Russell' (s) × 'America' H: B. Schram, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls deep red (53A, 60A) in bud, opening strong purplish red (63B), strong purplish pink (63C) and light purplish pink (63D), with dark red (59A) dorsal spots; anthers pale orange-yellow (159). (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Big Deal'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: unnamed, low, white hybrid × un-named pale yellow hybrid H: E.V. Mezitt (1971), G: Weston Nurseries (1975), N: Weston Nurseries, I: Weston Nurseries, REG: Weston Nurseries (1987) Fls 18-20/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 38 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale yellow (8D), with a dark greenish yellow (152C) blotch which ages to strong greenish yellow (151C). Calyx 1.6mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 89-102 × 51mm, concave, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 0.45 × 0.6m in 7 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Big Dipper'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Henry R. Yates' (s) × 'Catalgla' H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 16/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 69 × 89mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, deep reddish purple and strong purple (77A, B) in bud, opening very pale purple (76D) with brilliant yellow (11A) dorsal spots; filaments pale yellow-green (157A); style pale greenish yellow (1D); anthers moderate orange-yellow (164B); stigma moderate orange (166D). Lvs 133 × 51mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.3m in 18 years. Early June

(r) **'Big Dome'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: A. Consolini, G: A. Consolini, N: Mrs E. Pilkington, REG: H. & Mrs E. Pilkington (1991) Fls 16/domed truss, open funnel-campanulate, 64 × 114mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (68B), with white rays on the 3 dorsal lobes and a chartreuse throat below the dorsal lobes; 12 curved stamens of equal length. Lvs narrowly obovate, 152 × 64mm, concave, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 1.8m in 20 years. Midseason

(r) **'Big Foot'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cotton Candy' (s) × *decorum* subsp. *diaprepes* 'Gargantua' H: C. Smith (1984), G: L.L. & E.F. Newcomb (1996), N: L.L. Newcomb (1997), I: Benjamins Rhododendrons, REG: E.F. Newcomb (1999) Fls 8-12/tall, domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 75-100 × 140-150mm, with 6-8 wavy to very wavy-edged lobes, strong pur-

plish pink (63C) in bud, opening inside white, edged pale purplish pink (65C), ageing to white; outside white, flushed pale purplish pink (62D); a dark red (59A) flare in the throat, with deep purplish red (61A) spots and a continuation of the flare on the two dorsal lobes; base and centre of corolla notably thick and crisp. Calyx c5mm long, light yellow (162C). Lvs narrowly obovate, 150-315 × 65-120mm, margins upcurved, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.7 × 2.0m in 10 years. Mid June

(r) **'Big Frill'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scintillation' (s) × *degronianum* subsp. *heptamerum* (Wada form) H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 70 × 100mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate to pale purplish pink (65A-D) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (65D) and fading to white, with moderate red (180A) dorsal spots; filaments pale purplish pink (65D); style pale yellow-green (155A); anthers moderate orange-yellow (165C); stigma brilliant yellow-green (154C). Lvs 121 × 51mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 18 years. Early June

(a) **'Bigge'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Noordtianum' × *kaempferi* and several unknown Kurume azaleas R: G. Arends (pre 1914), N: G. Arends (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 45-75mm wide, lilac, with purple markings. Arendsii

(r) **'Biggi Dixon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Linsweger Gold' (s) × Dido Group H: G. Dixon (1988), G: G. Dixon (1995), N: G. Dixon (2002), I: G. Dixon (2002), REG: G. Dixon (2002) Fls 13/rounded truss, campanulate, 60 × 90mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, buds red becoming strong red (39A), inside opening light greenish yellow (8C), lightly flushed strong yellowish pink (32D); outside light greenish yellow (8C); a central blotch of vivid red (46C). Calyx prominent, 30mm long, light greenish yellow (8C), with a vivid red (46C) base. Pedicels red. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 60mm, flat, acuminate at apex, rounded at base, glossy green above, hairless, rugose. Shrub 1.5 × 0.6m in 14 years. Flowering from early June

(r) **'Biggie'** cv. Parentage unknown R: M. Wildfong (pre 1980), N: M. Wildfong

(r) **'Biggins Centenary'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Calstocker Group × *macabeanum* H: N. Sullivan, G: N. Sullivan (1988), N: S. & E. Biggins, I: S. & E. Biggins (1990), REG: S. & E. Biggins (1991) Fls 18/truss, very pale purple (69A) in bud, fading on opening to near white with a large, dark red (59A), basal blotch. Lvs elliptic, 200 × 50mm

(r) **'Big Girl'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: un-named white Dexter hybrid × Avocet Group H: H. Phipps (1957), G: H. Phipps (1978), N: H. Phipps, I: H. Phipps (1971), REG: H. Phipps (1972) Fls up to 11/loose truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 70 × 100mm, with 6(-7) very wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (2.5RP 9/2), with an olive green blotch. Calyx minute. Lvs elliptic, 125-175 × 50-55mm. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 15 years. Late May

(a) **'Big Joe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* × *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* R: J.B. Gable (c 1930), N: J.B. Gable, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 65mm wide, reddish violet (29/2), with a brown blotch. Barely evergreen. Shrub 2.9m in 32 years. Gable

(a) **'Big-Leif-Carlson'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *luteum* R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls yellow, scented. Large, strap-like leaves. Mid May

(r) **'Big Mac'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'La Bar's White' (s) × *macabeanum* H: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (1955), G: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg, N: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg, I: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (1968), REG: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (1977) Fls 11-12/flat truss, ventricose-campanulate, 60 × 40mm, pale greenish yellow (10D), with a dark red blotch. Lvs oblong, up to 200 × 90mm, with a slight cinnamon indumentum below and a prominent white midrib. Shrub 1.1 × 1.0m in 13 years

(r) **'Big Mama'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney (pre 1967) Fls large, pink multicolour. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Midseason

(a) **'Bignoniiflorum Plenum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Schulz (1879), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, dark rose. Indian

(r) **'Big-O'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ('Catalgla' × 'Pink Twins')selfed H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 15/truss, open funnel-shaped, 53 × 76mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, purplish pink (68B, C, D) in bud, opening white, flushed pale purplish pink (65D) and later fading to white, with a strong purplish red (71B) flare and deep purplish red (71A) spots on 3 dorsal lobes; filaments and style pale yellow-green (155A); anthers light yellowish pink (159A); stigma light yellow-green (154D). Lvs 76 × 32mm, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.1m in 18 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Big Punkin'** cv. Deciduous azalea: un-named orange seedling × 'Gibraltar' × 'Favor Major' H: I. & R. Arneson (1975), G: I. & R. Arneson (1982), N: I. & R. Arneson, I: I. & R. Arneson, REG: I. & R. Arneson (1990) Fls single, 9-11/ball truss, 70 × 114mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid orange-yellow (23A) to brilliant orange (29A); buds and outside vivid reddish orange (33B). Calyx 6mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 76-114 × 38-51mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, slightly wrinkled, slightly hairy. Shrub 1.4 × 0.9m in 13 years. Mid-late May

(a) **'Big Red'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown (Listed as a parent of 'Hell's Fire' (1970). This assumes that 'Hell's Fire' is correctly classified as a deciduous azalea and that the 'Big Red' concerned is not Stokes' Rhododendron of that name)

(r) **'Big Red'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anna' (s) × 'Loderi Pink Diamond' H: E. Nielsen (c 1960), G: E. Nielsen, N: E. Nielsen, I: Mrs J.E. Sinclair (pre 1980), REG: Mrs J.E. Sinclair (1984) Fls 12-18/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 125mm, 5-8-lobed, deep red (53A) in bud, opening strong red (46A) with a 53A splash at base of dorsal lobe deep in throat; 1-3 faint 53A ribs on inside and outside of each lobe from near edge to base of corolla. Calyx c1.5mm long, strong red (46A). Lvs lanceolate, 175-200 × 65-70mm, glossy above, hairless, reddish when young. Shrub c2.5m in c20 years

(r) **'Big Red'** cv. Parentage unknown H: W.E. Stokes (pre 1969)

(r) **'Big Reward'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Catalgla' (green-eyed form) H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 12/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 51 × 90mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (63A, B) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (65D) inside, strong purplish red (63B) outside; filaments and style pale purplish pink (65D); anthers greyish reddish orange (177D); stigma strong purplish red (60C). Lvs 95 × 38mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, with a tan, woolly indumentum. Shrub 0.9 × 1.3m in 18 years. Early June

(r) **'Big Sam'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'C.I.S.' × un-named hybrid R: unknown (pre 1974) (Listed as a parent of 'Naselle')

(r) **'Big Savage'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' × *fortunei* (s) × 'Cadis' R: H.R. Yates (1962), N: H.R. Yates, I: H.R. Yates (1970), REG: H.R. Yates (1971) Fls 13/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 108mm wide, 5-6-lobed, lavender pink, with a greenish throat. Lvs 140-150 × 45-55mm, shiny green. Shrub 1.6 × 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Big Savage Red'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars', selfed H: H.R. Yates (c 1956), G: H.R. Yates, I: Mrs M. Yates (1977), REG: Mrs M. Yates (1977) Fls up to 16/truss, 65mm wide, vivid purplish red (57D), the white dorsal blotch with a few green spots, outside with darker midribs. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Big Shot'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Betsy Balcom' (s) × 'Weldy' × 'Serendipity' H: A.W. Smith, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls deep red (61A, 53A) and strong purplish red (60B) in bud, opening inside vivid purplish red (66B), deep purplish pink (66C) and moderate purplish pink (66D), with a strong purplish red (61B) throat; outside strong purplish red (61B); anthers moderate orange-yellow (164B/C). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Big Sister'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: M.E. Greentree (pre 1987), N: M.E. Greentree Fls very large, single to double, deep pink, flushed purplish pink. Indian

(r) **'Big Six'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Calsap' (s) × 'Virginia Richards' H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 10/truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 75mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, dark red and moderate purplish pink (187A, 186D) in bud, opening very pale purple (69D) and edged light purple (78C); filaments pale yellow-green (157C); style strong yellow-green (143C); anthers yellowish white (158C); stigma moderate olive green (146A). Lvs 100 × 40mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.4m in 18 years. Early June

(v) **'Big Softie'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' (s) × *leucogigas* H: O.S. Blumhardt (1983), G: O.S. Blumhardt (1987), N: O.S. Blumhardt (1994), I: Koromiko Nurseries (1994), REG: O.S. Blumhardt (1999) Fls 4-6/flattened truss, with a straight tube (15-20mm wide) and the lobes opening flat, 85 × 140mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, mid pink in bud, opening light pink inside with creamy white in the tube, outside slightly deeper pink; bright pink spots at lobe sinuses; strongly carnation-scented. Calyx 4mm long, rosy red. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 55mm, margins upcurved, matt green above, acute at apex, obtuse at base, scaly (scales grey when young, not apparent on mature lvs). Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 10 years. Repeat-flowering

(r) **'Big Splash'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' (s) × 'Lady de Rothschild' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls moderate to strong purplish red (64A, B, C) and deep purplish pink (64D) in bud, opening light purplish pink (73C) and very light purple (75C), with a pale greenish yellow (2D) throat and dorsal spots of dark red (187A) and moderate purplish red (186A). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Big Time'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Dexter's Honeydew' (s) × *degronianum* subsp. *heptamerum* (Wada form) H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 14/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 53 × 80mm, with 7 very wavy-edged lobes, strong and vivid purplish red (67A, B) in bud, opening very pale purple (75D), edged a blend of moderate, light and deep purplish pink (74D, 73C, 70C), with a vivid reddish purple (74A) reverse; filaments and style yellowish white (155B); anthers light yellowish pink (159A); stigma light yellow-green (154D). Lvs 121 × 38mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 18 years. Early June

(r) **'Big Wig'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Catalgla' (green-eyed form) H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs. V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 10/truss, open funnel-shaped, 56 × 70mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, purplish pink (62B, C, D)

in bud, opening white, with light yellow-green (144D) dorsal spots. Lvs 76 × 38mm, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, with a brown, woolly indumentum. Shrub 1.2 × 1.1m in 18 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer (1992))

(r) **'Big Willy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'La Bar's White' × *williamsianum* R: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (pre 1985), N: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg, I: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg Fls white. Shrub1.5m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Big Yak'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum*, Exbury form, selfed H: B. Nelson (1965), G: Mrs J.W. Hill (1972), N: Mrs J.W. Hill, I: Mrs J.W. Hill (1984), REG: Mrs J.W. Hill (1986) Fls 10-21/truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (68A) in bud, opening strong to moderate purplish pink (68B-C), fading to white, with a dorsal blotch of moderate reddish brown spots, deep purplish pink stripes down centre of all lobes towards base of throat, outside flushed moderate purplish pink (65A). Calyx 2mm long, greenish white. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 140 × 50mm, dull, moderate olive green (147A) above, with a light, plastered brownish orange (166C) indumentum below on mature lvs; new growth white tomentose. Large shrub, 2.5 × 3.0m in 19 years, clothed with trusses top to bottom. Mid May. (Hand-pollinated by B. Nelson, 1965)

(a) **'Biho'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Gekkeikan' × 'Kozan' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, white, with flecks, spots and sections of dark reddish orange; sometimes dark reddish orange selfs; lobes pointed. Lvs yellowish green. Midseason. Satsuki

(a) **'Bijinsui'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1918), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 20-25mm wide, light yellowish pink (36A), paler at centre and with reddish brown spotting. Syn: 'Little Imp'; Wilson no.13. Kurume

(a) **'Bijo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c30mm wide, red. Syn: 'Yama-sen'e'

(r) **'Bijou'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *caucasicum* R: Moser & Son (pre 1913), N: Moser & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a pyramidal truss, clear pink, with a paler centre

(a) **'Bijou de Amateurs'** (Error for 'Bijou des Amateurs')

(a) **'Bijou de Gand'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: E. van der Cruyssen (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with cherry red stripes. Indian (Perhaps the same plant listed (without description) by J. Verschaffelt in 1860)

(r) **'Bijou de Gand'** cv. Parentage unknown R: M. Hoenyena, I: A. Verschaffelt (1861), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Bijou de Gendbrugge'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. Hellebuyck (pre 1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single and double, white bordered lively rose, especially on outer lobes. Late. Ghent (Sometimes seen as 'Bijou de Gentbrugge')

(a) **'Bijou de Gentbrugge'** (See note under 'Bijou de Gendbrugge')

(a) **'Bijou de Ledeberg'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Modèle' I: J. Verschaffelt (1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rose. Lvs variegated: dark green, with white edges. Indian

(a) **'Bijou de Paris'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: E. van der Cruyssen, N: E. van der Cruyssen, I: E. van der Cruyssen (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with rose and rosy salmon stripes and a yellowish blotch. Indian

(a) **'Bijou des Amateurs'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, strong pink (49A), paling at base, with a deep yellow blotch; colour changes with age. Late. Ghent (Sometimes listed incorrectly as 'Bijou de Amateurs')

(a) **'Bikini'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Hinomayo' R: M. Haworth-Booth (pre 1968), N: M. Haworth-Booth, REG: M. Haworth-Booth (1969) Fls 2-3/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 30 × 40-45mm, light purplish pink (55C), lightly flushed strong purplish pink (55B), shading almost to white, with very faint spotting of strong red (53D) in throat. Lvs 20-25 × 13mm, light to mid glossy green. Shrub 0.4m. *HC 1968, *AM 1970

(r) **'Bikini'** (Syn. of 'Bikini Island')

(r) **'Bikini Beach'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'My Sin' × ('Newburyport Belle' × 'Calcutta'), open-pollinated H: C. Trautmann (pre 1996), G: C. Trautmann, N: C. Trautmann

(r) **'Bikini Island'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scarlet Blast' (s) × (*catawbiense* [white-flowered] × *yakushimanum*) × ('Fanfare' × 'Gertrud Schäle') H: D.G. Leach (1977), G: D.G. Leach (1981), N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1992), REG: D.G. Leach (1995) Fls 13/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 65mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, strong red (53B) throughout. Lvs elliptic, 89-114 × 38-51mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, deep green above, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 1.4m in 17 years. Mid-late May. Syn: 'Bikini'

(a) **'Biko'** (See note under 'Bikou')

(a) **'Bikou'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Onyo' × 'Kozan' R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan Fls 50mm wide, slightly tubular, with pointed lobes, white with a greenish throat and variable stripes of light to deep pink; some pink selfs. Satsuki (Also seen listed incorrectly as 'Biko')

(r) **'Bilderdijk'** cv. Parentage unknown L: L. de Cock (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, purplish red with brown dorsal markings and a narrow, white margin

(r) **'Bili Novinka'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: possibly an *impeditum* hybrid R: Czech Republic, L: Poland

(1994) Fls 10-15mm wide, pure white. Lvs 15-20 × 5-7mm, with aromatic scales. Syn: 'Billy Novinka'

(r) **'Bill'** cv. Parentage unknown H: W.M. Fetterhoff, G: O.S. Pride (c 1960), N: O.S. Pride

(r) **'Bill Bowen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs J.G. Millais' (s) × 'La Bar's White' H: W.M. Fetterhoff (1963), G: W.M. Fetterhoff (1969), N: W.M. Fetterhoff, REG: W.M. Fetterhoff (1987) Fls 14-18/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, very pale purple (69A) in bud, opening mauve white quickly fading to white, with a large, strong greenish yellow (151A) blotch on dorsal lobe extending onto adjacent lobes. Calyx negligible. Lvs elliptic, 60-140 × 28-55mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 24 years. Late May

(r) **'Bill Browning'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *mallotum*, Farrer 815 R: S.R. Clarke, I: S.R. Clarke (1933), REG: R.N.S. Clarke (1978) Fls 12 or more/compact truss, tubular-campanulate, crimson. Lvs large, obovate, thick, with a dense, brown tomentum below. AM 1933

(a) **'Bill Bullard'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Satsuki hybrid R: R.W. Pennington (pre 1987), N: R.W. Pennington Fls reddish orange. Late. Good winter foliage

(r) **'Bill Dale'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × *strigillosum* H: H.L. Larson (1976), G: E. Weesjes, N: E. Weesjes, I: E. Weesjes (1993), REG: E. Weesjes (1993) Fls 20/ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 44 × 44mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, strong red (53C) in bud, opening strong purplish red (59D) and fading to deep purplish pink (58D); stamens 10, curved, unequal. Calyx 2-5mm long, reddish. Pedicels 19-25mm long, red. Lvs narrowly oblong, 165 × 38mm, convex, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy dark green and hairless above, with a moderately dense, felted indumentum below (light tan at first, ageing to reddish tan). Petioles 25mm long, yellowish green, hairy. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 16 years. Mid March

(r) **'Bill Griswold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lem's Goal' × 'Goldsworth Orange' (s) × 'Whitney's Orange' H: D.A. Griswold (1972), G: Griswold family, N: Griswold family, I: Griswold Nursery, REG: L. Malland (1992) Fls 9-12/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 89 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink (39B), with light orange-yellow (16B) to vivid reddish orange (40B) spotting on all lobes. Calyx 13mm long, strong red (39A). Lvs ovate, 102 × 51mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless, moderate olive green (137A) above, strong yellow-green (144B) below. Shrub 1.1 × 0.9m in 20 years. Late May

(r) **'Bill Herrick'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' (s) × 'Loderi Titan' H: W. Elliott (1988), G: W. Elliott (1995), N: W. Elliott, REG: W. Elliott (1996) Fls 14/somewhat lax, domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 100mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, pale greenish yellow (9D) throughout. Calyx 15mm long, pale greenish yellow (9D). Lvs oblong, 150 × 50mm, flat, oblique at base, obtuse at apex, moderate yellow-green (147B) above, hairless. Shrub 2.4 × 1.8m in 10 years. Mid April-early May

(r) **'Billianum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a selection or hybrid of *arboreum* L: M. Guérin (1842), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Billie Dee'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: R. Mossholder, G: Hines Nurseries, N: Hines Nurseries, I: Hines Nurseries (1989), REG: Hines Nurseries (1990) Fls single, 5-10/conical truss, 35-45 × 64-76mm, open funnel-shaped, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, slightly darker than strong reddish purple (72C) in bud, opening very pale purple (69B) in centre, shading to strong reddish purple (72C) at margins, with slight vivid purplish red (67B) spotting on dorsal lobe externally. Calyx 5mm long, strong yellow green (145A). Lvs obovate, 54 × 27mm, flat, acute to obtuse at apex, glossy green and hairy above, with pale orange-yellow indumentum below (159B when young, 159C with age). Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in c10 years. Mid February-mid April. (Published in *Nursery Manager* magazine, November 1989)

(r) **'Bill Magness'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: wild-collected selection from *macrophyllum* S: B.M. Smith, N: B.M. Smith, I: B.M. Smith, REG: B.M. Smith (1987) Fls 20/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 38 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds yellowish white (158D), opening yellowish white (155D)with a light yellow-green (154D) blotch and strong yellow-green (145A) dorsal spotting. Calyx less than 2mm long, pale yellow-green (149D). Lvs elliptic, 121 × 44mm, dull, dark yellowish green (139A) above, moderate yellow-green (148A) below, hairless; new growth strong greenish yellow (151A), with a white tomentum. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 8 years. Mid May

(r) **'Bill Massey'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *ciliatum* 'Bergie' (s) × *nuttallii* H: B. Vaerlen (1963), G: J.S. Druecker, I: Trillium Lane Nursery (1978), REG: B. Vaerlen (1977) Fls 4-6/lax truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 78 × 89mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, apricot pink in bud, opening whiter than 155C with slight pink suffusion at margins and striped pink on outside; scented. Calyx 15mm long, light yellow-green (144D). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 142 × 69mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy, bullate and moderate olive green (147A)above, with tan, moderately spaced scales. Shrub 1.5 × 1.67m in 13 years. Late April-early May. Syn: 'Nutberger'

(r) **'Bill McKee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vivacious' (s) × 'Delp's Cindy Lou' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls dark and strong red (187A/46A) in bud, opening deep red (53A/60A). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Bill Sullivan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Furnivall' (s) × *yakushimanum* H: A. Manenica (1970), G: W.F. Sullivan (1981), N: L.S. Baker & W.J. Sullivan (1996), REG: W.F. Sullivan (1996) Fls 8-12/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 45mm, with wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (57C) in bud, opening inside very pale purple (69C) with golden specks near the edge of the dorsal lobe; outside vivid purplish red (57C), growing lighter with age. Calyx 25mm long, very pale yellowish green. Lvs lanceolate, 95 × 25mm, with wavy margins, cuneate at base, broadly cuneate at apex, mid green above, very sparsely hairy below. Shrub 2.2 × 2.8m in 25 years. Early May

(r) **'Bill Vinson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Point Defiance' (s) × 'Countess of Derby' H: B. Vinson (1973), G: E.T. Anderson (c 1981), N: E.T. Anderson, REG: E.T. Anderson (2000) Fls 14-15/conical truss, open funnel-campanulate, 100 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53B) in bud, opening inside strong purplish red (58B) at margins, paling to strong purplish red (58C) at centre; outside strong purplish red (58B) fading a little lighter; stigma vivid red (46C). Calyx rim-like, strong purplish red (58B). Lvs elliptic, 150-175 × 55-70mm, broadly acute and slightly wavy at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 26 years. Early May

(a) **'Billy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* × *kaempferi* R: J.B. Gable, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright pink. Low, dense habit. Gable

(r) **'Billy Bear'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group (s) × 'Gable's Pioneer' H: W.M. Fetterhoff (1969), G: W.M. Fetterhoff (1973), N: W.M. Fetterhoff, I: W.M. Fetterhoff (1976), REG: W.M. Fetterhoff (1980) Fls up to 12 in a ball-shaped terminal cluster (consisting of 1-4 small trusses), broadly funnel-shaped, 25 × 35mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish purple (74A) in bud, opening moderate purplish pink (65A) shading to light purplish pink (65B) at edges, with red spotting on dorsal lobe and midribs externally vivid reddish purple (74A). Calyx 3mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 40-60 × 20-27mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and dark yellowish green (189A) above with widely spaced scales, lower surface with moderately spaced, small to medium-sized, buff to brown scales. Shrub 0.8 × 1.1m in 10 years. Early May

(r) **'Billy Boy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ('America' × 'Britannia')no.2 selection × ('America' × 'Mars') Danik's selection H: W.M. Fetterhoff (1977), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 14/truss, open funnel-shaped, 52 × 83mm, 5-lobed, deep red (185A) in bud, opening strong purplish red (63A, B) to strong purplish pink (63C), with a brilliant greenish yellow (1A) flare and deep greenish yellow (153A) spots. Lvs 121 × 44mm, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 15 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Billy Budd'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: May Day Group (s) × *elliottii* H: F.E.W. Hanger (1947), G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, I: Royal Horticultural Society (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10-12/dense, flat-topped truss, tubular-campanulate, 50mm wide, turkey red (721/1). Lvs elliptic, with traces of floccose indumentum below. Shrub to 2.0m. AM 1957

(r) **'Billy Lap'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lapponicum* × *minus* Carolinianum Group H: W.L. Tolstead (c 1970), G: W.L. Tolstead (1975), N: W.L. Tolstead, REG: W.L. Tolstead (1992) Fls 4-7/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 38 × 45mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (10P 7/7), with light red spotting on the dorsal lobe; stamens 5, straight. Calyx vestigial. Pedicels very short. Lvs elliptic, 40 × 25mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless above, with essentially colourless scales below; petioles 5mm long. Shrub 1.1 × 0.6m in c20 years. Mid May

(r) **'Billy Novinka'** (Syn. of 'Bili Novinka')

(r) **'Billy Stieler'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Witch Doctor' (s) × 'Captain Jack' H: P. Holden (1969), G: Mrs A.J. Holden (1977), N: P. Holden, I: Harstine Island Nursery, REG: P. Holden (1986) Fls 10/truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (46B), with a 10mm edging of strong red (46A) and deep red (60A) spotting around lobe sinuses. Calyx 40mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs between narrowly elliptic and elliptic, 150 × 65mm, long apiculate at apex, margins undulate, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, with light to medium, moderate orange (167A) indumentum below. Shrub 1.1 × 1.2m in 15 years. Early May.

(r) **'Biltmore'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *minus* var. *chapmanii* (Listed as a parent of 'Pink Elegance')

(r) **'Biltmore No. 13'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (2002) Fls 14/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 70 × 105mm, with 6 flat-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (74D) in bud, opening inside very light purple (75C) and very pale purple (76C), the dorsal lobe with a dark red, spotted flare on a vivid yellow (17B) ground; outside light purple (77D) with light purple (75A) veining and mottling. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 65mm, margins flat, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 3.6 × 2.4m in 15 years. Mid May. (Probably raised by C.O. Dexter (pre 1943) and probably named by E. Morris (pre 1994) who had obtained cuttings from the Biltmore Estate of what were thought to be un-named Dexter hybrids)

(a) **'Bina'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Kosmos' R: K. Glaser (c 1994), N: K. Glaser (1999), I: K. Glaser (1999) Fls double, open funnel-shaped, c76mm wide, with slightly undulate lobes, white (155C); without or with very weak markings; anthers brown. Normal calyx present. Lvs obovate, c64 × 23mm, dark green

(r) **'Binfield'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: China Group × 'Crest' R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1964) Fls up to 17/rounded truss, open campanulate, 65 × 90mm, pale yellow-green (4D), with a vestige of red staining in the throat. Lvs 150 × 65mm. AM 1964

(a) **'Bingo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Helen Close' × 'Purple Splendor' R: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1968) Fls 2-4/truss, 70mm wide, strong purplish red (10RP 4/12). Lvs 40 × 20mm. Shrub to 1.0m

(r) **'Bingo'** (Syn. of 'Hachmann's Bingo')

(v) **'Birat Red'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown G: N.E.G. Cruttwell (1978), N: N.E.G. Cruttwell, REG: N.E.G. Cruttwell (1989) Fls c12/truss, trumpet-shaped, 60 × 70mm, 5-lobed, soft luminous red. Calyx very short, dark red; anthers black; style red. Lvs lanceolate, 100-150 × 50mm, with sparse, slightly rusty scales on young foliage. Shrub 2.0 × 1.5m. (Seedling collected in the wild by Cruttwell, c1974, from Birat, Milne Bay Province, Papua New Guinea; regarded as aff. *zoelleri*, but quite distinct from that species)

(r) **'Birchfield'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage thought to be *forrestii* Repens Group × *arboreum* subsp. *delavayi* H: New Zealand (c 1968), G: New Zealand (c 1970), N: Dunedin Rhododendron Group, I: C.A. McLaughlin (c 1983), REG: Dunedin Rhododendron Group (1990) Fls 3-4/truss, funnel-campanulate, 55 × 35mm, 5-lobed, vivid red (46B). Calyx 10mm long, 46B. Lvs elliptic, 50-90 × 20-35mm, dark green, hairless. Shrub 0.5 × 0.7m in 15 years, flowering from an early age. Early October (New Zealand)

(r) **'Birgtonii'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Gheldolf (1844), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Birka'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lara' × 'Helmut Vogel' R: Bernd Jackst, GbR (1987), N: Bernd Jackst, GbR, I: Bernd Jackst, GbR, REG: ICRA (1997) Fls double, red

(r) **'Birthday Girl'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × white form of *catawbiense* H: E. de Rothschild (c 1970), G: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild (1993), I: N. de Rothschild, REG: Exbury Enterprises Ltd (1993) Fls 20/tight, domed truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 45 × 30mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (57B) in bud, inside opening light to moderate purplish pink (62C-68C) fading to pale purplish pink (62D), with some moderate reddish orange (178C) spotting on the dorsal lobe; outside strong purplish red (63B), moderate purplish pink (62B) on the lobes and striped light purplish pink (68D); stamens white, prominent. Calyx 2mm long, red. Lvs elliptic, 110 × 40mm, margins decurved, matt green, tapered at base and apex, with a light fawn indumentum only when young. Shrub 2.0 × 2.0m in 30 years. Late June-July

(r) **'Birthday Greeting'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Naomi Group × *fortunei* R: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1979), REG: E. de Rothschild (1979) Fls 6-7/truss, open funnel-campanulate, up to 68 × 95mm, 6-lobed, pale yellow (18D), suffusing to strong purplish pink (68B) at margin, outside diffused shades of strong purplish pink (68B) and deep pink (51C); some deep red markings (more-or-less 46A) in throat. Calyx lobes irregular, up to 5mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, up to 165 × 75mm, dark dull green above, hairless. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. AM 1979

(a) **'Bisaneri'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white, with red spots. Indian

(r) **'Biscuit Barrel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vinecrest' × 'Serendipity' (s) × 'Vinecrest' × 'Serendipity' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, deep red (60A) and strong purplish red (60B, C) in bud, opening light yellow-green (150D), edged strong purplish red (60D), strong purplish pink (62A) and moderate purplish pink (62B), with a brilliant yellow-green (154C) dorsal flare and light olive (152A) dorsal spots; filaments yellowish white (158D); style strong purplish red (60D); anthers greyish reddish orange (174B); stigma dark red (187A). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Biscuit Box'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × *elliottii* H: F.E.W. Hanger (1950), G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, I: Royal Horticultural Society, REG: Royal Horticultural Society (1964) Fls c10/truss, open funnel-campanulate, 65 × 75mm, light yellow (10B) in centre, shading to pale yellow (11D) on lobes, throat with faint greenish yellow spots, outside tinged pink. Calyx irregular, coloured as corolla. AM 1964

(a) **'Bishop'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hinodegiri' (s) × 'Alice' (Kaempferi) R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-5/truss, 30-40mm wide, a uniform rose, the tyrian rose dots of the blotch counting rather as darkening of hue. Shrub to 1.5m. Midseason. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Bishopsgate'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Jalisco Elect' × 'Crest' H: Crown Estate Commissioners (1953), G: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1974), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1974) Fls 10-12/rounded truss, open campanulate, 55 × 95mm, 7-lobed, light greenish yellow (5D) variably flushed yellowish pink (37) and with a blotch of deep red (53A). Calyx irregular, yellow, glandular ciliate, upper lobes edged and stained deep red (53A). Lvs elliptic, to 130 × 60mm, dark green, hairless. PC 1974

(r) **'Biskra'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* Roylei Group (s) × *ambiguum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1934), INC: ICRA

(1958) Fls c8/truss, pendent, narrowly trumpet-shaped, 40 × 50mm, deep rich orange, flushed rose. Lvs elliptic, 65 × 30mm, dark green above, with minute, crimson glands below. Shrub to 3.0m. April. AM 1940 (Biskra Group)

(r) **Biskra Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* Roylei Group (s) × *ambiguum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1934), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Bismarck'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Ottolander & Hooftman, N: Ottolander & Hooftman, I: Ottolander & Hooftman (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-yellow, tinted with pink, and with a yellow blotch. Mollis

(r) **'Bismarck'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Viola' (s) × *catawbiense* R: T.J.R. Seidel (1900), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple rose in bud, opening white, with red markings. Shrub to 2.0m

(a) **'Bismark'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* × 'Eden Janea' R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith Fls c55mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (66B), with deep red spotting. Shrub 1.0m in 7 years

(a) **'Bit O'Honey'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *prinophyllum* hybrid H: F.L. Abbott, S: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls small, multicoloured, yellow-orange. Low shrub. Late May

(a) **'Bit O'Sunshine'** (Syn. of 'Nuccio's Bit O'Sunshine')

(r) **'Bitter Lemon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Diane' × 'Gladys Rose' H: Waterer (Bagshot) (1950), G: Waterer (Bagshot) (1963), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975) Fls 12-15/truss, 70 × 70mm, 5-lobed, pale primrose yellow, with a red eye. Calyx very small. Lvs 120-130 × 60-70mm. Late April-early May

(r) **'Bittersweet'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (pre 1980), N: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg

(a) **'Bixby'** cv. Evergreen azalea: ('Vuyk's Rosyred' or 'Vuyk's Scarlet' × *yedoense* var. *poukhanense*) open-pollinated H: E.V. Mezitt, G: Weston Nurseries, N: Weston Nurseries, I: Weston Nurseries, REG: Weston Nurseries (1988) Fls single, 3/flattened dome truss, open funnel-shaped, 19 × 32mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53D). Calyx 3mm long, light green. Lvs obovate, 38 × 19mm, concave, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, bullate and hairy. Shrub 0.3 × 0.5m in 5 years. Late May-early June

(a) **'Bizard Triomphant'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent ?

(a) **'Blaauw's Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Blaauw & Co., I: J. Blaauw & Co. (1953), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 30mm wide, salmon pink, with lighter shades and a darker blotch. Shrub to 1.0m. Very early. Kurume

(r) **'Black Ace'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Midnight' (s) × 'Mrs T.H. Lowinsky' H: N. Sullivan (1986), G: N. Sullivan (1996), N: N. Sullivan (1998), REG: N. Sullivan (1998) Fls 15/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 30 × 70mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, strong purplish red (64B) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (64D) inside and out, with a large, black, three-lobed blotch over three dorsal lobes. Calyx small, green. Lvs elliptic, 130 × 60mm, margins upcurved, acuminate at apex, obtuse at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 0.6m in 12 years. November (Tasmania)

(r) **'Black Beauty'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.C. Slocock (pre 1929), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark velvet crimson

(r) **'Blackberry Swirl'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kubla Khan' (s) × 'Van Nes Sensation' H: M. Stockman (1992), G: M. & H. Stockman (1999), N: M. & H. Stockman (2001), REG: M. & H. Stockman (2001) Fls 8/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, with 7 flat-edged lobes, strong red (53C) in bud, opening inside strong purplish pink (63C) at edges, shading to nearly white at lobe centres and with a prominent basal blotch and dorsal flare of strong purplish red (63A) speckles; outside strong purplish pink (63C) with a narrow line of strong purplish red (63B) extending along the midrib of each lobe from base to tip; moderately scented. Calyx with 3 lobes 13mm long, 4 lobes c5mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 95 × 40mm, margins downcurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and mid green above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 9 years. Mid May

(a) **'Blackburn Pink Frill'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Christmas Pink' × unknown H: J.F. Wilson (1967), G: J.F. Wilson (1972), N: J.F. Wilson, I: J.F. Wilson (1990), REG: J.F. Wilson (1991) Fls hose-in-hose, 2-3/truss, 35 × 50mm, with wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (63C), with strong purplish red (63B) spotting on dorsal lobes. Calyx minute. Lvs obovate, 35 × 18mm. Shrub 1.0 × 0.85m in 22 years

(r) **'Black Cherry'** (Syn. of 'Burgundy Cherry')

(r) **'Black Diamond'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lord Roberts' (s) × 'Cowboy Joe' H: M. Stockman (1991), G: M. & H. Stockman (1999), N: M. & H. Stockman (1999), REG: M. & H. Stockman (2000) Fls 20-26/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 55mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, near strong purplish red (63A-B, 67A) inside and out, with a prominent dorsal blotch of black spots and with pale yellow stamens. Calyx 3mm long, tan, tinged red. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 145 × 45mm, acuminate at apex, cuneate at base, margins flat and downcurved, glossy and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.6m in 9 years. Late May

(a) **'Black Eye'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (pre 1873), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Black Eye'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anah Kruschke' × 'Purple Splendour' I: H.E. Greer (1982)

Fls reddish purple, with a deep black eye on dorsal lobe. Lvs large, glossy. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Blackeyed Susan'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish lilac, with black spots (1958 Register); light purple with a heavy, dark blotch (Fraser, 1875); white, tinged pale lilac, with a striking black blotch (cult. Germany 1995). Hardy Hybrid (Listed in the 1958 Register as from T.Methven & Son, who may have been the raisers)

(r) **'Black Flare'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: derived from hybrids involving mainly *fortunei* and *catawbiense* H: W.L. Tolstead (1985), G: W.L. Tolstead (1992), N: W.L. Tolstead, REG: W.L. Tolstead (1992) Fls 15/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 60mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (5RP 6/10), with a spotted black, dorsal flare. Pedicels 15mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 95 × 40mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base; petioles 10mm long, green. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 7 years. Late May

(a) **'Black Hawk'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C. Sander ? (pre 1932), N: C. Sander ?, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very deep scarlet. Sander

(r) **'Blackhills'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *lacteum* R: S.F. Christie, N: S.F. Christie, REG: S.F. Christie (1965) Fls c23/tight truss, funnel-campanulate, 50 × 65mm, 5-lobed, light greenish yellow (4C), without blotch or spots. Lvs obovate, 175 × 95mm, dull green above, with a thin fawn indumentum below. FCC 1965

(r) **'Blackie'** (Syn. of 'Gable's Blackie')

(r) **'Blackie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Moser's Maroon' (s) × 'Arthur Osborn' R: R. Henny, N: R. Henny (1959), REG: R. Henny (1961) Fls 14/truss, funnel-campanulate, 55mm wide, moderate purplish red (826/3), centre of tube strong red (822/2). Lvs 125 × 60mm. Shrub 0.4 × 0.6m

(r) **'Blacklight'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* × *haematodes* × unidentified Stokes seedling H: W.L. Tolstead (1978), G: W.L. Tolstead (1986), N: W.L. Tolstead, REG: W.L. Tolstead (1992) Fls 15/truss, 50 × 80mm, 5-lobed, dark red (59A), with a black blotch; stamens white. Lvs broadly ovate, 150-170 × 60mm. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in 14 years. Mid May

(r) **'Black Magic'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague' (s) × 'Leo' R: H.E. Greer, N: H.E. Greer, I: H.E. Greer (1982) Fls black red. Lvs matt green. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years

(r) **'Black Prince'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R. Veitch & Son (pre 1867), N: R. Veitch & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very dark or black purple, spotted. (Perhaps the plant listed by G. Morlet in *Horticulture Français*, 1854: 107-111)

(r) **'Black Prince'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* (s) × Romany Chal Group H: L.E. Brandt, G: L.E. Brandt (1958), N: L.E. Brandt (1960), REG: L.E. Brandt (1961) Fls 12/compact truss, 50 × 95mm, oxblood red (00823/1-00823). Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Black Prince's Ruby'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *sanguineum* subsp. *sanguineum* var. *haemaleum* (s) × *thomsonii* H: B. Nelson (c 1965), G: H.A. Short (1969), N: H.A. Short, I: H.A. Short, REG: H.A. Short (1977) Fls 5/lax truss, open campanulate, 40 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside strong red (46A), outside dark red (187A), very waxy, with black veins and nectaries. Calyx 2mm long, strong red (46A). Lvs elliptic, 90 × 40mm, moderate olive green (147A), hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.2m in 10 years. Mid April

(r) **'Black Satin'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: F2 seedling from PJM Group H: E.V. Mezitt (c 1972), G: Weston Nurseries, N: Weston Nurseries, I: Weston Nurseries (1987), REG: Weston Nurseries (1987) Fls 5/ball truss, with 10 or more trusses/branch, tubular funnel-shaped, 19-25 × 25-32mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish purple (72B). Calyx under 1mm long, light pink/green. Lvs oblong, 32-44 × 13-19mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, with light green scales on young foliage which mature to rusty green; young foliage very dark mahogany, remaining dark after flowering. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 10 years. Early May

(r) **'Black Sport'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: B. Nelson (pre 1983), REG: ICRA (1998) Fls c17/truss, funnel-campanulate, 45 × 55mm, 5-lobed, uniformly deep purplish red (59B), with dark red (187A) spotting on dorsal lobe extending from throat to within 10mm of margin; somewhat pubescent at throat on dorsal lobe; stamens 10-12, filaments purple, anthers purplish black; ovary green, with scattered hairs. Calyx 2mm long, dark purple. Pedicels flushed red, pubescent. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 100 × 30mm, dark and matt green above, paler below, hairless; petioles to 15mm long, hairless. AM 1998

(r) **'Black Strap'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* (s) × *sanguineum* subsp. *didymum* I: Sunningdale Nurseries (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very deep blood red

(r) **'Blackwater'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *spinuliferum* R: National Trust for Scotland, N: National Trust for Scotland, I: National Trust for Scotland (1977), REG: National Trust for Scotland (1977) Fls crowded in axillary clusters at the end of the shoots, tubular, 5-lobed, vivid red (46C), greenish white at base. Calyx rudimentary, to 2mm long, green, hairy and sparsely scaly. Lvs oblanceolate to obovate, up to 110 × 30mm, hairy. AM 1977

(a) **'Blanca'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Knight & Perry (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. Indian

(r) **Blanc de Chine Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: Gauntletii Group × Loderi Group I: C. Ingram (1939), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Blanc de Neige'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Verschaffelt (pre 1860), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Blanc et Jaune'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Verschaffelt, N: J. Verschaffelt, I: J. Verschaffelt (1871), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white, with a broad, bright yellow dorsal blotch. Ghent

(a) **'Blanchard'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: F. Schneider (1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. Indian

(a) **'Blanche'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: van Acker Gebr (1912), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Blanche'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white, with sienna spots

(a) **'Blanche Edebohls'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: L. Edebohls (pre 1985), G: P. Wieczoreck (1985), N: P. Wieczoreck (2001), I: Lincoln Hill Nursery (2001), REG: P. Wieczoreck (2001) Fls 7-9/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 85-90mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, light yellowish green in bud, opening inside pale greenish yellow (2D), with light greenish yellow (3D) midribs and prominent brilliant yellow (11A) dorsal spotting extending from throat to near lobe margin; outside similarly coloured, but without spotting. Calyx 3-5mm long, light green, densely hairy. Lvs oblanceolate to oblong, 50-70 × 20-25mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dull and mid green above, slightly glaucous below; petioles and young leaves hairy. Shrub 1.35 × 1.65m in 15 years. Late May-early June. (Standard: herbarium specimen supplied by registrant to Pringle Herbarium, University of Vermont, Burlington, Vermont, USA)

(a) **'Blanche Superbe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Deutsche Perle' I: A. Haerens (1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white. Syn: 'Album Superbum'. Indian

(r) **'Blanche Superbe'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* hybrid R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1854), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure waxy white, with a green/brown eye. (Probably the 'Blanc Superb' listed by Methven in 1868)

(r) **'Blanc-mange'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Godesberg' (s) × *auriculatum* H: L. de Rothschild (1934), G: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 18/truss, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, 75 × 95mm, pure white, with chrome and green spots on dorsal lobes. Pedicels green. Lvs elliptic, matt green, 225 × 100mm. Shrub up to 3.5-4.0 × 3.5-4.0m. May-June. AM 1947 (Blanc-mange Group)

(r) **Blanc-mange Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Godesberg' (s) × *auriculatum* H: L. de Rothschild (1934), G: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1947), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Blanc Superb'** (See note under 'Blanche Superbe')

(r) **Blandfordiiflorum Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. cinnabarinum* var. *blandfordiiflorum*

(a) **'Blandina'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: P. Verleeuwen (1835), INC: ICRA (1958) (L. Jacob-Makoy (1851 cat.) equates this with 'Roseoflavum')

(a) **'Blandum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1814), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Blandum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Knight & Perry (pre 1844), N: Knight & Perry, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange scarlet to red. Indian

(r) **'Blandum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1856), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow

(r) **'Blandum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R. Veitch & Son (pre 1867), N: R. Veitch & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white, with dark spots. (Knap Hill cat.1867 lists flower colour as "pale blush")

(r) **'Blandyanum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (s) × Altaclerense Group R: Standish & Noble, N: Standish & Noble, I: Standish & Noble (1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 25/compact, hemispherical truss, 55 × 75mm, narrowly funnel-shaped, rosy crimson with a few, black, dorsal spots. Calyx lobes up to 7mm long. Lvs elliptic to oblanceolate, c135 × 55mm, thinly brown felted below. Medium-sized bush

(r) **'Blandyanum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1852), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright carmine, with dark spots. (Both this and Standish & Noble's plant listed by A. Henderson & Co. (1852))

(r) **'Blandyanum Superbum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright cerise, spotted. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Blaney's Blue'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *augustinii* 'Tower Court' × Blue Diamond Group H: L.T. Blaney (pre 1978), I: R.L. Ticknor (1978) Fls funnel-shaped, blue. Lvs bronze in winter. Shrub up to 1.5m in 10 years.

(a) **'Blanice'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Amoenum' × *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* R: B. Kavka *et al.* (c 1969), N: B. Kavka *et al.* Fls 2-3/flatly globose truss, c40mm wide, pink in bud (628/2), opening pink (628/2), with an inconspicuous, dirty brown-red blotch (0027/2-0027/1). Lvs oblong-ovate, 24 × 9mm, slightly glossy, dark green (0960-0960/1). Shrub 0.7 × 1.3m

(r) **'Blanka'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Babette' × 'Hachmann's Ornament' × 'Furnivall's Daughter' H: H. Hachmann (1977), G: H. Hachmann (1982), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1988), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 12-15/truss, campanulate, 40-45 × 60-70mm, with 6-7 slightly wavy-edged lobes, white (155D), tinged moderate purplish red to dark purplish pink (186B-C) on veins outside, and with sparse, dorsal spotting of mod-

erate purplish red (186A) inside. Calyx 8-10mm long, whitish green, edged with red. Lvs elliptic to ovate, 80-110 × 35-55mm, convex above, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, mid green and strongly glossy above, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 1.0m in 10 years, of compact, rounded habit. Mid May-early June

(r) **'Blankenese'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scintillation' (s) × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: H. Hachmann (1983), G: H. Hachmann (1988), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1993), REG: G. Stück (1994) Fls 14-17/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45-55 × 60-75mm, 5-lobed, rich rose in bud, opening to soft rose pink and then to pure white throughout; dorsal lobe spotted strong yellow-green (144A/B); stamens 10; filaments white, slightly tinged purple. Calyx 2mm long, greenish white. Lvs ovate, 120-140 × 50-60mm, flat, dark matt green above, rounded to oblique at base, acuminate at apex, with a brownish indumentum below. Shrub 1.1 × 1.2m in 10 years. Mid May-early June. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1993/1994)

(a) **'Blaschek'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1975) Fls single, 25-35mm wide, purplish red, with slight dark red markings. Syn: 'Silvia'

(r) **'Blatteum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1852), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dull shaded carmine, flaked with lilac and with a fine blotch. Similar to 'Maculatum Nigrum' but also spotted on lower lobes. (Listed as a synonym of 'Sir Isaac Newton' in 1958 Register which is credited to A. Waterer (i.e.Knap Hill). Clearly very similar but treated here separately)

(r) **'Blaubart'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Azurika' × Blue Tit Group (ex Magor) H: H. Hachmann (1978), G: H. Hachmann (1981), N: H. Hachmann, I: H Hachmann (1987), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 4-6/truss, 18-20 × 30-35mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, outside more-or-less light violet (92B), inside light violet (92C(-D)), with dorsal spotting of a more-or-less strong purple (80B). Calyx 5-6mm long, light green. Lvs lanceolate, 25-40 × 10-12mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, mid green above, scaly. Shrub 0.55 × 0.8m in 10 years. Early-late May

(a) **'Blaue Donau'** (Syn. of 'Blue Danube')

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(r) **'Blauer Traum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catawbiense Grandiflorum' × 'Purple Splendour' H: H. Meltzer (1984), G: H. Meltzer, N: H. Meltzer (1997), I: H. Meltzer, REG: H. Meltzer (1998) Fls 12/compact truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside deep purple (83B), outside vivid reddish purple (78A); blotch black. Lvs oblong, 70-130 × 30-50mm, flat, apiculate at apex, auriculate at base, glossy green, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in13 years. Mid May-June. (Fls as dark as the pollen parent but with a distinct blue tinge)

(r) **'Blaufeder'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Lauretta' (s) × Russautinii Group H: H. Hachmann (1984), G: H. Hachmann (1988), N: H. Hachmann (1990), I: H. Hachmann (1995), REG: G. Stück (1995) Fls 8-12/flat to globose truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 26-29 × 36-44mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, inside brilliant violet (90C/D(-92A)); outside 90C/D; unspotted; stamens and styles unusually long; colour not fading. Calyx 1(-2)mm long, greenish yellow. Lvs narrowly lanceolate, 32 × 12mm, flat, mid green and glossy above, scaly. Shrub 0.7 × 0.9m in 10 years, of broad, rounded habit. May. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1995/96 (illustrated))

(r) **'Blaumeise'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Azurika' × Blue Tit Group (ex Magor) H: H. Hachmann (1978), G: H. Hachmann (1981), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1987), REG: G Stück (1988) Fls 4-6/truss, 17-21 × 25-30(-40)mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, brilliant purplish blue to light violet (94C-D) throughout, unmarked. Calyx 3-4mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Lvs lanceolate, 30-45 × 10-17mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, mid green and slightly glossy above, scaly. Shrub 0.45 × 0.8m in 10 years. Early-mid May

(a) **'Blaze'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: M.E. Greentree (pre 1987), N: M.E. Greentree Fls hose-in-hose, vivid red

(r) **'Blaze'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × *catawbiense* (as var. *rubrum*) R: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach (1960), REG: D.G. Leach (1961) Fls 16-18/pyramidal truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 125mm wide, strong red (8.5RP 4/12), edged deep red (10RP 5/12) and with a light pink (5RP 7.5/5) blotch spotted with faint orange-yellow. Lvs c130 × 55mm. Shrub 0.8 × 1.0m

(r) **'Blazeaway'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* (s) × 'Magnum' H: H. O'Rourke (1984), G: H. O'Rourke (1998), N: H. O'Rourke (2002), REG: H. O'Rourke (2002) Fls 23/ball truss, campanulate, 50 × 70mm, with 5 lobes, strong red (46A) in bud, opening strong red (46A) inside and out, with black spots on 3 dorsal lobes; style white. Lvs lanceolate, 180 × 45mm, acuminate at apex, cuneate at base, with a plastered silvery grey indumentum. Shrub 1.5 × 1.0m in 17 years. August-September (Tasmania). (Standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0038779))

(r) **'Blazen Sun'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Nereid Group × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × 'Russell Harmon' H: D.G. Leach (1950), G: O.S. Pride, N: O.S. Pride (pre 1980), I: O.S. Pride (pre 1980), REG: A.R. Brooks (2002) Fls 15/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 75mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, strong purplish red (54A) in bud, opening inside deep purplish pink (54B) at lobe edges, shading to light yellow (162C) at centre of lobes and moderate yellow (162B) at base, with small, strong brown (172A) freckles scattered on the dorsal lobe; outside deep purplish pink (54B). Calyx less than 3mm long, light yellow-green (145B). Lvs elliptic, up to 165 × 65mm, margins flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 1.8m in 13 years. Early June. Syn:

'Sunburst' (Published in *Q.Bull. Am.Rh.Soc.* 34 (3): 149 (1980), illustrated p.142)

(r) **'Blaze of Glory'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Confection' H: G.W. Clarke, G: G.W. Clarke, N: Mrs M. Clarke, I: G.W. Clarke, REG: Mrs M. Clarke (1991) Fls 10/lax truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 57 × 64mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (62A), with pale purplish pink (56B) margins and brown spots deep on upper lobe. Lvs narrowly oblong, 165 × 51mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green and hairless above, hairy below; petioles 19mm long, hairy. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 8 years. May

(r) **'Blazer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Delp's Cindy Lou' (s) × 'Serenata' H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 18/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 53 × 57mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep and strong purplish red (61A, B) in bud, opening strong purplish red (71B, C, D) and with a white flare and moderate yellow-green (146B) dorsal spots; filaments and style vivid purplish red (61C); anthers light purple (77D); stigma dark red (187A). Lvs 127 × 54mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.5m in 18 years. Early June

(r) **'Blazing Crown'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × *falconeri* subsp. *eximium* H: C.C. Smith, G: C.C. Smith, N: H.A. Spady, REG: H.A. Spady (1995) Fls 21/domed truss, ventricose-campanulate, 51 × 51mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (48C) in bud, opening yellowish white (155D) with a deep pink (185D) blotch and dorsal lobe spotting; stamens 14, straight, unequal. Calyx 2.5mm long, moderate orange (172D). Pedicels 25mm long. Lvs obovate, 76-102 × 25-51mm, convex, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, bullate and hairy above, with a moderate orange (172D), felted indumentum below; petioles 13mm long. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in c10 years. Mid April

(r) **'Blazing Petals'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Oh My!' (s) × 'Princess Elizabeth' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls moderate and strong purplish red (64A, B) in bud, opening strong purplish red (67A) and light purplish pink (68D), with deep red (60A) dorsal spots; anthers pale greenish yellow (1D). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Blazing Red'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Dopey' (s) × 'Al Smith' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, deep and strong red (53A, 46A) in bud, opening strong and vivid red (46A, 45A), with deep red (53A) dorsal spots; filaments and style strong red (46A); anthers and stigma greyish reddish orange (176D). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Blazing Star'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Delp's Fireking' (s) × *hyperythrum* H: W.E. Delp (1986), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 14/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 51 × 57mm, 5-lobed, deep and strong red (53A, B, 46A) in bud, opening to a central star of pale purplish pink (62D), edged vivid purplish red (57C, D); outside vivid purplish red (57B); filaments light pink (63D); style yellowish white (155B); anthers pale orange-yellow (165D); stigma dark red (59A). Lvs 102 × 38mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 0.9m in 6 years. Early June

(a) **'Blazon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Louise Gable' × 'Ward's Ruby' × 'James Gable' H: W.L. Guttormsen (1968), G: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1979) Fls hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, strong red (53B). Shrub 0.6 × 0.45m. Early May

(r) **'Blessed Event'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: John Coutts Group × Sarita Loder Group R: M.W. Lyons, N: M.W. Lyons (1961), I: M.W. Lyons, REG: M.W. Lyons (1961) Fls 9-16/truss, broadly campanulate, up to 115mm wide, tyrian rose (24/3)

(r) **'Blessing'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lisa' (s) × *fortunei* H: R.H. Goodrich (1977), G: F.S. Winter (1984), N: F.S. Winter, REG: F.S. Winter (2001) Fls double, 12-15/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40xc30mm, with 11-12 wavy-edged lobes, opening inside yellowish white, lightly flushed pink at margins; outside pink, paling to near white at base; unmarked; only an occasional normal stamen present. Calyx c2.5mm long, green. Lvs oblong, 95 × 42mm, margins flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded/oblique at base, semi-glossy and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in c20 years. Late April-early May

(r) **'Blewbury'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *roxieanum* × *anwheiense* R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1968), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1968) Fls 18-20/truss, open campanulate, 5-lobed, 38 × 38mm, yellowish white (155D), with the upper throat spotted deep purplish red (61A). Calyx rudimentary, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 90 × 25mm, edges recurved, with loose, pale brown, woolly indumentum below. AM 1968, FCC 1983

(r) **'Blimey Limey'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tortoiseshell Wonder' (s) × 'Evening Glow' H: M. Stockman (1980), G: M. & H. Stockman (1991), N: G. Drew, I: M. & H. Stockman (1992), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1992) Fls 12/lax truss, campanulate, 51 × 64mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, inside deep yellowish pink (46D), outside vivid red (45C); stamens 9, straight, unequal. Calyx 6-22mm long (lobes unequal), vivid red (45C). Pedicels 19mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 114 × 29mm, convex, cuspidate at apex, cuneate at base, dull, dark green above, hairless; petioles 19mm long, brown. Ball-shaped shrub of very dense growth, 0.9 × 0.9m in 12 years. Mid May

(r) **'Blind Date'** cv. Parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney (c 1963), G: W.E. Whitney, N: G. & Mrs A. Sather, I: G. & Mrs A. Sather, REG: G. & Mrs A. Sather (1975) Fls 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 115mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, light to pale purplish pink (62C-D), the throat moderate yellow (161B) with a small, moderate red (180B)blotch; outside 62C. Calyx minute. Lvs oblanceolate, 75-150 × 25-55mm, moderate yellow-green (137C), hairless, with reddish petioles. Shrub 2.9 × 1.9m in 10-12 years. Mid May

(r) **'Blinklicht'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nova Zembla' (s) × 'Mars' H: H. Hachmann (1960), G: H. Hachmann (1966), I: H. Hachmann (1982), REG: G. Stück (1983) Fls 15-21/truss, 50-60 × 40-50mm, 5-lobed, deep to strong red (53A-B), with slight markings of dark red (183A). Calyx 2.0mm long, reddish green. Lvs elliptic, 120-160 × 50-60mm, hairy below

(r) **'Bliss'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Donna Hardgrove', selfed (s) × 'Percy Wiseman' H: A.T. & S.A. Anderson (1984), G: A.T. & S.A. Anderson (1990), N: A.T. & S.A. Anderson, REG: A.T. & S.A. Anderson (1997) Fls 11/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (56B) in bud, opening inside pale purplish pink (56A) at margins, shading to pale yellow (11D) with vivid to brilliant greenish yellow (2A-B) spots on the dorsal lobe; outside pale yellow (11D), with pale purplish pink (55D) margins and midribs; ultimately flowers age to almost white. Calyx minute. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 55mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 0.9m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Blitz'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *haematodes* (s) × 'G.A. Sims' R: R.W. Clark, N: R.W. Clark, I: R.W. Clark (1945), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10-14/very loose truss, 45-60mm wide, with very wavy-edged lobes, dark red, with very inconspicuous, brownish markings on all lobes. New growth grey-green. Early-mid May

(a) **'Blizzard'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' × 'Willy' (s) × 'Mrs Carmichael' × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 70-75mm wide, very fine white, with a chartreuse throat, ruffled margins and a few phlox purple stripes. Shrub to 1.5m. Midseason. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Blockbuster'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *aureum* × *maximum* (s) × 'Dead Ringer' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls light greenish yellow (4B), moderate reddish orange (35B) and strong yellowish pink (35C) in bud, opening light greenish yellow (4C) with vivid yellow-green (154A) dorsal spots. (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(a) **'Bloemrijk'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1923), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, deep rose. Indian

(v) **'Blonde Bombshell'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* (s) × 'Sweet Wendy' H: G.L.S. Snell, G: R. Macdonald (1991), N: R. Macdonald (1992), I: Foothills Nursery (1993), REG: Foothills Nursery (1993) Fls 10-12/loose truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 70 × 80mm, with 5 decurved lobes, light orange-yellow (16B) in bud, opening brilliant yellow (7A) with moderate yellowish pink (38B) lobes inside, vivid yellow (14B) outside. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 60mm, flat, matt green above, cuneate at base, apiculate at apex, scaly. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m. Spring-autumn

(r) **'Blondie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Nereid Group × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × 'Russell Harmon' H: D.G. Leach (pre 1970), G: O.S. Pride, I: O.S. Pride (pre 1978) Fls pale yellow. Shrub very compact. (Nereid parent may have been 'Naomi Nereid')

(a) **'Blondine'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: unknown (pre 1875), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(v) **'Blond Venus'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Sweet Wendy' × *laetum* × dwarf *laetum* H: G.L.S. Snell (1980), G: G.L.S. Snell (1989), N: R. Macdonald, I: Foothills Nursery (1990), REG: Foothills Nursery (1991) Fls 5-7/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 60 × 80mm, 5-lobed, tube brilliant yellow (10A), lobes light yellowish pink (36A). Lvs elliptic, 100 × 50mm. Shrub 2.0m. Spring-autumn

(r) **'Bloodline'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' × Cornubia Group H: K. Van de Ven (1974), G: K. Van de Ven (1978), N: J. Deen, I: P. & C. Deen & Sons (1987), REG: P. & C. Deen & Sons (1988) Fls 10/truss, tubular-campanulate, 50 × 70mm, 5-lobed, strong red (53C). Calyx 20mm long. Lvs elliptic (similar to Cornubia Group), 150 × 60mm, hairless. Shrub 2.0m tall. Spring

(a) **'Blood Orange'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Caldecot & Claremont Nursery (1934), INC: ICRA (1958). Mollis

(r) **'Blood Orange'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* × May Day Group H: Sunningdale Nurseries, G: Sunningdale Nurseries (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange flame to scarlet

(a) **'Blood Red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Hazlewood Bros (1956), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, blood red. Kurume

(r) **'Blood Ruby'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *forrestii* Repens Group (s) × Mandalay Group R: L.E. Brandt (pre 1954), N: L.E. Brandt, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 5/truss, 40mm wide, blood red. Shrub 0.3m

(r) **'Bloodshot'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Genevieve Schmidt' (s) × 'Frank Moniz' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls deep and strong red (53A, B, 46A) in bud, opening deep and strong red (53A, 46A) and strong purplish red (63A), with dark red (187A, B) spots on the three dor-

sal lobes; anthers yellowish white (158D). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids* Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Bloomin' Charlie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Rotha' × 'Alibaby' H: M. Stockman (1980), G: M. Stockman (1990), N: H. Stockman, REG: M. Stockman (1991) Fls 9/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 64 × 89mm, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes, deep to strong purplish pink (68A, B) in bud, openingwhite, with 7-12mm margins of strong reddish purple (72C) to very pale purple (73D) and with a narrow, deep red, speckled flare extending between two upper lobes; 13 straight stamens. Pedicels 51-64mm long. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 152 × 44mm, convex, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy mid to dark green above; petioles 16mm long, reddish at top, pale green underneath. Shrub 1.2 × 1.8m in 11 years. Mid May

(a) **'Bloomsbury'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown G: E. de Rothschild (1970s), S: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: Exbury Enterprises (1997), REG: E. de Rothschild (1997) Fls single, 8/truss, 54 × 67mm, 5-lobed, tubular funnel-shaped (opening flat-faced), strong reddish orange (42B) in bud, opening vivid reddish orange (30B), flare vivid orange (28B) on the dorsal lobe, tube and outside moderate reddish orange (35A); the whole flower ages to 35A; filaments and style similarly coloured; stigma green. Calyx 4mm long, green. Lvs elliptic/obovate, 80 × 35mm. May. (Solent Group)

(r) **'Blooper'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ('Catalgla' × 'Pink Twins')no.2 selection × 'Goody Goody' H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 16/truss, open funnel-shaped, 54 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light, very light and very pale purple (75A-D) in bud, opening to a blend of very light and very pale purple (75C, D) and with a brilliant yellow (20A) flare and moderate yellow-green, brownish orange and brilliant yellow (146C, 171B, 11A) dorsal spots; filaments pale yellow-green (157A); style very light purple (75C); anthers brownish orange (164A); stigma moderate red (179A). Lvs 102 × 44mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m in 18 years. Early June

(r) **'Blossom Time'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group × *dauricum* Sempervirens Group H: W.L. Tolstead (1970), G: W.L. Tolstead (1975), N: W.L. Tolstead, REG: W.L. Tolstead (1992) Fls 6-10/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 35 × 45mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, moderate purple (5P 5/9); stamens 5, curved. Calyx vestigial. Pedicels 10mm long. Lvs elliptic, 40-60 × 20-40mm, flat, acuminate at apex, cuneate at base, with numerous, small, whitish scales above and below; petioles 5mm long. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 22 years. Mid May

(r) **'Blough's Yellow Bud'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1995) (Listed as a parent of 'Hi-lighter')

(r) **'Blowout'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goody Goody' (s) × 'Si Si' H: W.E. Delp (1982), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 12/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 45 × 64mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63A) in bud, opening inside to a blend of strong, light and pale purplish pink (63C-D, 65D); outside strong purplish pink (63C); filaments and style pale purplish pink (65D); anthers pale yellowish pink (159D); stigma strong purplish red (60D). Lvs 127 × 51mm, acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.8m in 10 years. Early June

(r) **'Blue Admiral'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1963) Fls blue. Lvs dark green. Shrub 0.9m in 10 years

(r) **'Blue and Gold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *ponticum* hybrid R: W.E. Whitney (c 1960) Fls blue, with a gold blotch

(a) **'Blue Angel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Perle de Saffelaere' seedling × un-named light purple seedling R: W.A. Myers, N: W.A. Myers, REG: W.A. Myers (1967) Fls light purplish blue (7.5PB 8/4). Lvs 40 × 20mm. Shrub 0.4m. Indian

(r) **'Blue Angel'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Stokes (pre 1969), N: W.E. Stokes

(r) **'Blue Baron'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Gletschernacht' (s) × 'Waltham' H: E.V. Mezitt (1981), G: Weston Nurseries (1984), N: W. Mezitt (1996), I: Weston Nurseries, REG: Weston Nurseries (1996) Fls 20/domed truss (composed of multiple buds), broadly funnel-shaped, 20 × 30mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid violet (89A) in bud, opening inside light violet (88C); outside vivid violet (89B). Calyx 8mm long, mid green. Lvs oblong, 50 × 12mm, with wavy margins, cuneate at base, broadly acute at apex, dark green and glossy above, with light green scales below (ageing to light rust). Shrub 0.6 × 0.3m in 10 years. Early May

(r) **'Blue Beard'** cv. Parentage unknown R: I. Davies (pre 1890), N: I. Davies, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark lilac blue

(r) **'Bluebell'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (c 1882), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large, compact trusses, campanulate, with broadly rounded lobes, white at centre, with a well-defined bluish purple margin and a few yellowish spots on the dorsal lobe. Sturdy, vigorous shrub. (Description of the original plant at Knap Hill published as 'Bluebell' (with a coloured plate) in *The Florist and Pomologist*, 1884). (According to Cox & Cox (*Encyclopedia of Rhododendron Hybrids*. 1988) another plant was introduced, as 'Blue Bell', by C.B. van Nes in 1932. They consider this to have purple blue fls with a light centre and a blotch and to be a shrub of slightly floppy habit. Both are considered to be still in cultivation)

(r) **'Bluebird'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *intricatum* (s) × *augustinii* H: Lord Aberconway (1930), G: Lord

Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 7-10/compact truss, almost flat, 50mm wide, rich blue (veronica violet 639/1); style and stamens long exserted. Lvs ovate, up to 40mm long. Small shrub. PC 1937, AM 1943 (Bluebird Group)

(r) **Bluebird Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *intricatum* (s) × *augustinii* H: Lord Aberconway (1930), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1937), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Blueblood'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (pre 1980), N: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg

(r) **'Blue Boy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Blue Ensign' (s) × 'Purple Splendour' H: Mrs E.M. Watson (1965), G: Mrs E.M. Watson, N: Mrs E.M. Watson, I: Mrs E.M. Watson (1981), REG: Mrs E.M. Watson (1981) Fls up to 20/truss, funnel-shaped, up to 65mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, strong purple (84A), with a nearly black, triangular blotch in the dorsal throat. Lvs dark green. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Blue Boy'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Stokes (pre 1969), N: W.E. Stokes

(r) **'Blue Carpet'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1995)

(r) **'Blue Chip'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *russatum* × 'Blue Diamond' H: A.F. George (1966), G: A.F. George (1971), N: A.F. George, I: Hydon Nurseries (1976), REG: Hydon Nurseries (1976) Fls 5-7 in axillary clusters, forming a rounded terminal truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 20-25 × 45-50mm, 5-lobed, moderate purple (82C), outside barred. Calyx very small, pale green, scaly and ciliate. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 50-55 × 20mm, dark green above, paler and scaly below. Shrub 0.6m in 10 years. April. AM 1978

(r) **'Blue Cloud'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selected seedling from *augustinii* subsp. *chasmanthum* R: Mrs R.M. Hansen, N: MrsR.M. Hansen, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65mm wide, sky blue. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Blue Crown'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' × 'Blue Peter' H: K. Van de Ven, G: K. Van de Ven, I: K. Van de Ven, REG: K. Van de Ven (1981) Fls 20/truss, strong purple (82B), with a lighter centre and a moderate purplish red (186A) blotch

(a) **'Blue Danube'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Malvaticum' × *kaempferi* R: A. van Hecke (pre 1965), N: A. van Hecke, I: A. van Hecke, REG: A. van Hecke (1969) Fls 2-3/truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 40-45mm, strong reddish purple (72B), flushed vivid reddish purple (74B) along midribs and spotted deep red (60A) on dorsal lobe. Lvs 50 × 20mm, bright green. Shrub 0.8m. *AM 1970, *FCC 1975 Syn: 'Blaue Donau', 'Meteor'

(r) **'Blue Danube'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × 'Purple Splendour' R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 20-25/compact, domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, cobalt violet (634/3), deepening at edges to 634 and spotted mustard yellow on dorsal lobe. Lvs 95 × 40mm, dark green. Shrub 1.2m. *HC 1959 Syn: 'Blaue Donau'

(r) **'Blue Dawn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Susan' (s) × 'Mrs Davies Evans' H: A.P. Johnson (1972), G: A.P. Johnson (1978), N: A.P. Johnson, REG: A.P. Johnson (1986) Fls 23/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 44 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds strong purple (82B), opening moderate purple (82C), with 6mm wide edge of 82B, outside 82B; green spotting on dorsal lobe. Calyx 6mm long, yellow-green. Lvs elliptic, 114-127 × 51mm, dull, dark yellowish green (139A) and bullate above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 13 years. Mid May

(r) **'Blue Diamond'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: Intrifast Group (s) × *augustinii* R: J.J. Crosfield, N: J.J. Crosfield, I: J.J. Crosfield (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 5/truss, up to 50mm wide, light purple (81C). Calyx lobes 1mm long. Lvs 25 × 11-12mm, with widely spaced scales below. Small shrub. AM 1935, FCC 1939 (Blue Diamond Group. Standard: colour painting of AM plant (WSY 0019944))

(r) **Blue Diamond Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: Intrifast Group (s) × *augustinii* R: J.J. Crosfield, N: J.J. Crosfield, I: J.J. Crosfield (1935), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Blue Effect'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Sacko' (s) × 'Blaney's Blue' H: H. Hachmann (1986), G: H. Hachmann (1992), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 2-5(-7) in a dense ball at shoot tips, more-or-less rotate, 20 × 36-44mm, with 5 narrowly wavy-edged lobes, inside brilliant violet (90C) (to vivid purple, 87B); outside vivid purple (87B); base of dorsal lobe slightly spotted dark red (187B/C); stamens 10, filaments dark red (187B), anthers brownish orange (165B); style strong/light purplish pink (73B/C), stigma dark red (187B). Calyx 4-5mm long, with silvery hairs, strong yellow-green (144B/C). Lvs elliptic, 22-28 × 10-12mm, flat, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, glossy above, with brownish red scales. Compact shrub, 0.9 × 1.3m in 10 years. Late April-mid May. (Fls large for *russatum* hybrids. Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0030616). First published in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(r) **'Blue Ensign'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.C. Slocock Ltd, N: W.C. Slocock Ltd, I: W.C. Slocock Ltd (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 15-18/compact, globular truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 60mm, with wavy-edged lobes, throat white, edges cobalt violet (634/1), with heavy, purple, dorsal spotting. Lvs elliptic, 100-150 × 50mm, dark, dull green. Shrub to 2.0m. *AM 1959

(a) **'Blue Flame'** cv. Deciduous azalea: derived from Choptank River Group, with possible admixture of *calendulaceum* G: L. Chappell (1988), S: L. Chappell (1988), N: L. Chappell (1999), I: Chappell Nursery (1996), REG: L. Chappell (1999) Fls tubular funnel-

shaped, 22 × 10mm, 5-lobed, orange in bud, opening orange throughout; slightly scented. Lvs elliptic, 35 × 15mm, margins wavy and decurved, acuminate at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and glaucous bluish green, with silvery hairs above and below. Shrub of dense habit, 0.6 × 0.6m in 12 years. Early July

(r) **'Blue Frost'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *ponticum* hybrid H: W.E. Whitney (c 1960), G: W.E. Whitney, N: G. & Mrs A. Sather, I: G. & Mrs A. Sather (1972), REG: G. & Mrs A. Sather (1976) Fls 20/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 70 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purple (82A) in bud, opening light purple (77C), spotted deep pink (48B) and strong orange-yellow (22A) on dorsal lobe, throat white, edges strong reddish purple (78B). Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 80-125 × 30-50mm, glossy, moderate olive green (146A); new shoots strong yellow-green (144A). Shrub 1.9 × 1.5m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Blue Girl'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Susan' (s) × 'Mrs Davies Evans' H: A.P. Johnson (1972), G: A.P. Johnson (1978), N: A.P. Johnson, REG: A.P. Johnson (1986) Fls 20/tall, conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 83mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish purple (72B) in bud, opening light purple (77C), with a 6mm wide edge of strong purple (77B); dark red spotting on dorsal lobe and half of each adjoining lobe. Calyx minute, green. Lvs elliptic, 127 × 55mm, dull, moderate olive green (147A) and slightly bullate above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 13 years. Early May

(r) **'Blue Gown'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1994)

(r) **'Blue Hawaii'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Blue Ensign' (s) × 'Purple Splendour' H: Mrs E.M. Watson (1965), G: Mrs E.M. Watson, N: Mrs E.M. Watson, I: Mrs E.M. Watson (1981), REG: Mrs E.M. Watson (1981) Fls up to 16/truss, to90mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, strong purple (77B) with a very pale purple (76C-D) throat and a strong yellow-green (144A-B) blotch with peripheral spotting of brownish orange (171B) on dorsal lobe. Shrub 1.4m in 10 years

(r) **'Blue Haze'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *hippophaeoides* Fimbriatum Group × seedling from Russautinii Group H: Sir John Ramsden, I: Sir William Pennington-Ramsden, REG: Sir William Pennington-Ramsden (1964) Fls funnel-shaped, blue

(a) **'Blue Heaven'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (pre 1984) Fls single, purplish pink

(r) **'Blue Horizon'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Stokes (pre 1969), N: W.E. Stokes

(a) **'Blue Ice'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nancy of Robinhill' (s) × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls fully double, 2/truss, flat-faced, 75-90mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, purple, with a strong purplish red blotch and narrow white shading on margins when mature. Colour fades in the sun. Shrub 0.75 × 0.9m. Mid May. (First published in Holly Springs cat., 1990)

(a) **'Blue Jay'** (Syn. of 'Nuccio's Blue Jay')

(r) **'Blue Jay'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from *ponticum* R: H.L. Larson, N: H.L. Larson, I: H.L. Larson, REG: H.L. Larson (1964) Fls 15/compact, conical truss, campanulate, 75mm wide, pansy violet (033/3) edged 033/2, the dorsal lobes with heavy markings of dahlia purple (931/3). Lvs 150 × 50mm. Shrub compact, 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Blue Jay'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: seedling from Blue Tit Group R: J.B. Gable (pre 1972), N: J.B. Gable Fls blue

(r) **'Blue Lady'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kristin' (s) × 'Calsap' H: A.W. Smith, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls vivid and strong purple (80A, B) and moderate purplish pink (68C) in bud, opening white, edged vivid, strong and light purple (80A, B, C), with vivid yellow-green (154A) dorsal spots. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Blue Lagoon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' × 'Arthur Bedford' H: H.E. Greer (pre 1992), G: G. Baxter & W. Thompson Fls blue-purple, with a large, deep purple eye. Lvs glossy. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Blue Light'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *brachyanthum* subsp. *hypolepidotum* R: Crown Estate Commissioners (pre 1951), N: Crown Estate Commissioners, REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1962) Fls broadly tubular, 20 × 25mm, light yellow (12C). Lvs 40 × 20mm, with dense, silvery scales below. AM 1951

(r) **'Blue Mist'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *augustinii* subsp. *chasmanthum* × *maddenii* 'Kotuku' H: R.W. Balch (pre 1960), G: R.W. Balch, N: Dunedin Rhododendron Group (1990), I: C.A. McLaughlin (1978), REG: Dunedin Rhododendron Group (1990) Fls 3-4/truss, funnel-campanulate, 60 × 85-90mm, 5-lobed, very pale purple (97D) in bud, fading paler on opening; also tinted very pale purple (69D) in bud and when open; scented. Calyx 5mm long, green. Lvs oblong-elliptic, 85 × 30mm, hairless. Shrub 3.5m; upright habit with arching branches. September (New Zealand)

(a) **'Blue Monday'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Multiflorum' (s) × 'Fedora' R: W. Kerkhoff (c 1960), N: W. Kerkhoff, I: W. Kerkhoff (1970) Fls small, lilac. Compact, broad shrub. Mid May

(a) **'Blue Moon'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1994)

(r) **'Blue Moon'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: Blue Diamond Group (s) × *augustinii* H: Lord Digby (1940), G: Lord Digby (1953), N: Lord Dibgy (1955), I: Lord Digby (1955), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Blue Mountain'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *fastigiatum* × Blue Tit Group H: Messrs Jack Drake (1954), G: Messrs Jack Drake (1960), N: Messrs Jack Drake, I: Messrs Jack Drake (1971), REG: J.G. Lawson (1987) Fls 1-3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, c13 × 15mm, 5-lobed, rich blue, with prominent stamens. Calyx 2.5-3.0mm long, green, scaly - especially at base; lobes obtuse, with a few, long cilia. Lvs elliptic to broadly elliptic, c18mm long, fresh green above, with non-contiguous, pale and reddish scales below. Shrub compact, 0.6m tall. June. (Introduced in 1971 as *fastigiatum* seedling no. 1)

(r) **'Bluenose'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *augustinii* hybrid (s) × *dauricum* Sempervirens Group H: J.B. Brueckner (1975), G: J.B. Brueckner (1980), N: J.B. Brueckner, REG: J.B. Brueckner (1991) Fls 3-5/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 30 × 53mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, light violet (91A) fading to very pale purple (91C): colour may vary slightly from year to year. Calyx very small. Pedicels 10mm long, greenish. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 60 × 21mm, convex, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, dull moderate olive green (146A, 147A) above, moderate yellow-green (146B) below, scaly; petioles 7mm long, green. Shrub 2.3 × 2.3m in 16 years. Early May

(a) **'Blue Nun'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *prinophyllum* R: F.L. Abbott, S: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1987) Fls vivid pink; scented. Lvs bluish green

(r) **'Blue Pacific'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' (s) × 'Susan' H: W.E. Whitney (pre 1962), G: W.E. Whitney, N: W.E. Whitney, I: W.E. Whitney (1965), REG: G. & Mrs A. Sather (1976) Fls 10-16/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 95 × 95mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds vivid reddish purple (78A), opening light purple (78C), with a blotch and spotting of dark purple (79A), outside striped 78A. Calyx 3mm long, green/violet. Lvs narrowly elliptic to oblanceolate, 125-150 × 45-55mm, glossy, moderate yellow-green (146D), hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years. Late May

(r) **'Blue Peter'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: possibly a *ponticum* hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 15/conical, compact truss, funnel-shaped, 45 × 70mm, with wavy-edged lobes, cobalt violet (634/2) at margins, with an almost white throat and a purple blotch. Lvs 175 × 55mm, dark glossy green. Large shrub to 2.5m or more. *AM 1933, *FCC 1958 (Standard: colour painting of AM plant (WSY 0009739))

(r) **'Blue Pool'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Sapphire' × *augustinii* R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1966) Fls funnel-shaped, lavender blue. Compact, slow-growing, to 1.0-1.2m tall

(r) **'Blue Rhapsody'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Arthur Bedford' (s) × 'Purple Splendour' H: W.E. Whitney (c 1962), G: W.E. Whitney, N: G. & Mrs A. Sather, I: G. & Mrs A. Sather (1970), REG: G. & Mrs A. Sather (1976) Fls 12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 90 × 90mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (72A) in bud, opening deep reddish purple (77A) with a dark purple (79A) blotch and spots and striped vivid reddish purple (74B) on the reverse. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic to oblanceolate, 80-140 × 25-40mm, moderate olive green (146A), hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years. Late May

(r) **Blue Ribbon Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: Blue Tit Group (s) × *augustinii* R: G.H. Johnstone (pre 1952), N: G.H. Johnstone, I: G.H. Johnstone (1954), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Blue Ridge'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: Russautinii Group (s) × *augustinii* H: C.R. & V. Haag (1966), G: C.R. & V. Haag, I: E. Richardson (1975), REG: C.R. & V. Haag (1981) Fls 4-5/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 32 × 48mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, campanula violet (37), fading to 37/2, the throat mauvette (537), outside darker; scented. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 30 × 13mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, with moderately spaced, golden brown scales above and below; petioles scaly. Shrub 0.7 × 0.6m in 12 years. April

(r) **'Blue River'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Van Nes Sensation' (s) × 'Empereur du Maroc' R: R. Lyons, N: R. Lyons (1961), I: R. Lyons, REG: R. Lyons (1961) Fls up to 17/truss, flat campanulate, 100mm wide, campanula violet (37/3). Lvs dark glossy green. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Blueshine Girl'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Soulkew Group × *wardii* H: D.G. Hobbie (1965-1970), N: W. Wüstemeyer, I: W. Wüstemeyer (1980) Fls creamy yellow, the margins partly tinged rose, with a dark red basal blotch. Petioles and flower buds bluish; leaf blades bluish green

(r) **'Blue Silver'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *hippophaeoides* R: D.G. Hobbie, S: D.G. Hobbie (1977), N: D.G. Hobbie Fls 5-7/truss, funnel-shaped, 25-35mm wide, purplish lilac. Shrub 0.5-0.6m, with silvery foliage

(r) **'Blue Sky'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *augustinii* (s) × *rubiginosum* Desquamatum Group H: Lord Digby (1940), G: Lord Digby (1952), N: Lord Digby, I: Lord Digby (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blue

(r) **'Blue Star'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Saint Tudy' (s) × *impeditum* R: E.G.W.W. Harrison, N: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1960), REG: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1961) Fls star-shaped, mauve blue (the same colour as 'Blue Diamond')

(r) **'Blue Steel'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from selfed *impeditum* G: G.H. White (1956), N: J.P.C. Russell, I: J.P.C. Russell (1960), REG: J.P.C. Russell (1983) Fls 3/truss, 25mm wide, more-or-less flat-open-

ing, light violet (89D). Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs 10 × 5mm. Dwarf shrub

(r) **Bluestone Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: 'Bluebird' (s) × *augustinii* H: Lord Aberconway (1942), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 4-5/rounded truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 25 × 40mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purple (87B) in bud, opening brilliant violet (90D) with dorsal lobe with moderate yellowish pink (179D) spots; stamens blue; style red. Calyx 1mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 35 × 20mm, flat, matt green above, acute at base and apex, scaly. Shrub 1.75 × 2.0m in 30 years

(r) **'Blue Streak'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Stokes Bronze Wings' (s) × 'Madras' H: A.W. Smith, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls deep, dark and strong purple (83A, B, 82B) in bud, opening strong purple (83C, D) and very pale purple (76D), with a moderate orange (171D) flare and dorsal spots of dark red (183A) and greyish red (178A); filaments and style light purple (82D); anthers moderate purplish pink (186D); stigma strong red. (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Blue Success'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Epoch' × 'Barto Blue' (s) × *augustinii* (Kehr's hardy selection no. 896) H: A.E. Kehr (1986), G: A.E. Kehr (1992), N: A.E. Kehr (1997), REG: A.E. Kehr (1997) Fls 10-12/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 35 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep violet in bud, opening very light violet inside and unmarked; outside light purple (87C). Lvs elliptic, 55 × 30mm, margins decurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and deep green above, with very light brown scales below. Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in 11 years. Mid April

(r) **'Blue Target'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Blue Jay' (s) × 'Crater Lake' H: A.E. Kehr (1981), G: A.E. Kehr (1984), N: A.E. Kehr, REG: A.E. Kehr (1997) Fls 4-5/flat truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 25 × 30mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, deep blue violet in bud, opening brilliant violet (90C) with a slight yellow centre; stamens 10-12, curved; style white. Pedicels c10mm long, blue-violet. Lvs elliptic, 40 × 25mm, margins upcurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, with light brown scales above and below; petioles c6mm long, green, with light brown scales. Shrub 2.1 × 1.2m in 16 years. Mid April.

(r) **'Blue Thunder'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Blue Thunder')

(r) **'Blue Thunder'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: Blue Diamond Group, open-pollinated G: L. Newcomb (1964), N: L. Newcomb, REG: L. Newcomb (1987) Fls 3-5/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 19 × 41mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, vivid violet (88A), with a strong purple (82B) throat; deep reddish purple (77A) rays down centre of lobes outside; many, fine, very pale purple (92D) hairs around base of each stamen and in throat at base of corolla. Calyx 3mm long, strong yellow-green (144C), edged moderate red (47A). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 25 × 10mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, concave, glossy, moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (148B) below, with tiny, closely spaced, moderate reddish orange (178C) scales. Shrub 1.4 × 1.5m in 26 years, with dark greyish reddish brown (200A) winter foliage and new growth strong yellow-green (144A) edged strong red (46A). Mid April. (Seed collected 1961)

(a) **'Blue Tip'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from open-pollinated 'Malvaticum' (s) × 'Hosei' H: R.D. Gartrell (1964), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, REG: D.H. Voss (1991) Fls single, (1-)2/bud, broadly funnel-shaped, 25 × 72mm, with 5 wavy-edged, overlapping lobes, strong reddish purple (72C-78B) with a variably developed white centre; colour often concentrated at petal tips in mature specimens; spotted strong purplish red (61B). Calyx 4mm long, light yellow-green (145B). Lvs elliptic, 40 × 19mm. Loose mounding shrub. Late May. (Ref.no. Z12-2. Published in *Q.Bull. Am.Rh.Soc.* 34 (2):77 (1980))

(r) **Blue Tit Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: lavender form of *impeditum* (s) × *augustinii* R: J.C. Williams, N: J.C. Williams, I: J.C. Williams (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c3-5/truss, 20-25 × 35-40mm, broadly funnel-shaped, light mauvy blue, with two small olive green rays of markings; colour intensifies with age. Calyx lobes 2-3mm long, reddish. Lvs rounded to elliptic, 10-20 × 8-10mm, dark, dull green above, scaly above and below. Shrub 0.5-0.6m. (The same cross was repeated by E.J.P. Magor and plants of his crosses are sometimes seen as Blue Tit Group (Magor) or 'Blue Tit Magor')

(r) **'Bluette'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *impeditum* (s) × 'Lackamas Blue' R: B.F. Lancaster (pre 1958), N: B.F. Lancaster, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 8/truss, 50mm wide, hyacinth blue. Lvs 38 × 13mm, glossy olive green; scaly. Shrub up to 1.0m

(a) **'Blue Velvet'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R. Eisoldt (pre 1996), N: R. Eisoldt

(r) **'Blue Wisp'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Calsap' (s) × *yakushimanum* × 'Mrs W.R. Coe' H: C. Trautmann (pre 1996), G: C. Trautmann, N: C. Trautmann

(r) **'Blue Wonder'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *russatum* × *augustinii* R: D.G. Hobbie, N: D.G. Hobbie, I: D.G. Hobbie (1967) Fls funnel-shaped, lilac blue. Shrub 0.5-0.6m

(r) **'Blumiria'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Azurika' × Blue Tit Group (ex Magor) H: H. Hachmann (1978), G: H. Hachmann (1981), N: H. Hachmann (1987), I: H. Hachmann (1987), REG: G Stück (1988) Fls 4-6/truss, 15-17 × 25-30(-35)mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, vivid purple (87B) to brilliant violet (90C), shading inwards to light purple (87C), unmarked. Calyx 3-4mm long, strong yellow-green (144B-C). Lvs elliptic, 17-25 × 7-10mm, margins recurved, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, dark green and glossy above, scaly. Shrub of dense habit. Mid-late May

(r) **'Blunique'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Blue Peter' × 'Unique' R: unknown (pre 1983) Fls pink in bud, opening cream with a purple blotch. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. (Published in Halls Rhododendron cat., 1983-84)

(r) **'Blurettia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Blue Peter' (s) × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: H. Hachmann (1968), G: H. Hachmann (1973), I: H. Hachmann (1982), REG: G. Stück (1983) Fls 11-14/truss, 45 × 50-55mm, 5-lobed, deep purplish pink (73A) on wavy margins, shading inwards to very pale purple (73D) and very pale purple (69A-B), un-marked or with slight, strong purplish red (60C) markings. Calyx 2mm long, light green. Lvs ovate, 90-130 × 50-60mm, hairy. Shrub 2.5-4.0m

(a) **'Blush'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* hybrid × 'Snow' R: USDA, I: USDA (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 45mm wide, light pink, tinted lavender, the throat with darker pink spots; stamens 5-7. Erect habit. (Derived from the work of G.E.Yerkes & R.L.Pryor)

(r) **'Blush'** (Syn. of 'Carex Blush')

(r) **Blush Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Ouida Group (s) × *aperantum* H: Lord Aberconway (1933), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1944), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink

(r) **'Blush'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ruby Bowman' × 'Skipper' L: Hammonds Nursery (1969) Fls pale lavender pink, with pale yellow blending towards centre, and dorsal spotting of coral red. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Mid-late April

(r) **'Blush Button'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'C.O.D.' × 'Dexter's Honeydew' R: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (pre 1966), N: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg, I: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg, REG: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (1966) Fls 8/flat truss, 75mm wide, 6-8-lobed, the petaloid stamens forming a "button" centre, shaded coral red in bud, opening egyptian buff (407/1). Lvs 150mm long, glossy. Shrub 1.5 × 1.9m in 10 years

(a) **'Blushing Angel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Dainty Rose' (s) × unknown G: S. McDonald, I: S. McDonald (1982), REG: S. McDonald (1983) Fls hose-in-hose, 3/truss, 30 × 40mm, open funnel-shaped, 5+5-lobed, buds white, tipped pink, opening white with moderate pink (2.5R 8/5) tips to lobes. Calyx 30mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic to narrowly obovate, 25 × 13mm, moderate yellow-green (5GY 5/6) to moderate olive green (5GY 4/3) - (some vivid yellow 2.5Y 8/12 in autumn) - hairy. Shrub 0.6m in 6 years. (Open-pollinated seed collected 1974)

(r) **'Blushing Beauty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid R: R. Gill & Sons (pre 1926), N: R. Gill & Sons, I: R. Gill & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush pink

(v) **'Blushing Belle'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: Vireya Venue (pre 1996), N: Vireya Venue Fls cream, blushed with pink. Bushy, upright shrub to c0.8m

(a) **'Blushing Bride'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Rudolph Seidel' I: K.J. Kuyk (c 1911), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, 75mm wide, soft rose pink. Midseason. AM 1912. Indian (Apparently identical to 'Miss Elza Rölker')

(r) **Blushing Bride Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Dawn's Delight' (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls broad-mouthed, rosy carmine

(r) **'Blushing Bride'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C. Herbert (pre 1980), N: C. Herbert

(v) **'Blushing Bride'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown L: Australia (1998)

(a) **'Blushing Bride Red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Blushing Bride' L: Hazlewood Bros (1956), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, salmon red. Indian

(a) **'Blushing Maid'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* (s) × 'Maxwellii' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50-65mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, between purplish pink and strong purplish red. Shrub to 2.2m. Early. Glenn Dale

(v) **'Blush Tumble'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: Coral Chimes' × *saxifragoides* R: unknown (pre 2000) Fls small, pink and cream, held above foliage on a small, compact bush

(a) **'Blutheanum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: F. Schneider (1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, pure white. Syn: 'Butheanum'. Indian (Raised by Bluth ?)

(a) **'Blutheanum Album'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Caledonia Nursery (1905), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls resemble *mucronatum* ('Indicum Album'), but the blotch is pronounced and the bud is yellowish in appearance. Indian

(r) **'Blutopia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catawbiense Grandiflorum' × 'Arthur Bedford' H: H. Hachmann (1976), G: H. Hachmann (1981), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1988), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 12-15/truss, open funnel-shaped, 45-50 × 65-70(-90)mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, strong purple (83D), edges strong purple (83C), centre strong purple (84A); outside similarly coloured but the main veins are tinged strong purple (77B); 3 dorsal lobes have copious spotting of deep to strong greenish yellow (153A-B). Pedicels reddish green

(r) **'Boadicea'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* hybrid R: unknown (pre 1903), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c13/truss, 55 × 80mm, broadly funnel-shaped, 6-7-lobed, bright rose pink, paler in centre and with a ray of mustard-coloured spots. Lvs elliptic-obovate, c110 × 50mm,

held in dense rosettes. Shrub up to 1.9m. (Exhibited by Paul & Son, 1903; probably raised by them)

(r) **Boadicea Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* (s) × *hookeri* R: unknown, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright crimson, waxy. Tall but compact shrub. March

(r) **'Bob As'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Delp's Cindy Lou' (s) × *yakushimanum* × 'Delp's Cindy Lou' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls vivid red (57A) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (56A, B, C), with moderate orange (167C) dorsal spots. Lvs hairy below. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Bobbet'** (An error for 'Bobette')

(r) **'Bobbie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Fabia Tangerine' × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: I. Hamilton (1986), G: I. Hamilton, N: I. Hamilton, REG: I. Hamilton (1991) Fls 8/truss (compact at first, later more lax), funnel-shaped, 50 × 60mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, opening cream, stained strong pink (49A), fading to white with virtually no sign of pink remaining; filaments white, anthers brown; style very pale cream, stigma light greenish yellow (1C). Calyx 10mm long, coloured (and fading) as the corolla. Lvs 110 × 40mm, with a buff indumentum below

(r) **'Bobbie's Butter'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Dexter's Champagne' (s) × *campylocarpum* or *dichroanthum* H: E. Robbins (pre 1975), REG: A.R. Brooks (2002) Fls 6-10/lax truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 90mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, light orange-yellow (22C) shaded strong yellowish pink (31C) between midribs of lobes, buds opening inside and out light yellow (11B) at margins, shading to moderate yellow (160A) at base; unmarked. Calyx 5mm long, strong yellow-green (143A). Lvs elliptic, 120 × 55mm, margins flat and downcurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded to cordate at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 2.7 × 3.0m in 18 years. Mid May. Syn: 'Butter' (Presumed to have been grown to first flower by E. Robbins)

(r) **'Bobbie Wilson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cup Day' (s) × 'Lockington Pride' H: D.J. Dosser (1992), G: D.J. Dosser (1998), N: D.J. Dosser (2001), REG: D.J. Dosser (2002) Fls 16/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 63 × 85mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, pale yellow (11C) in bud, opening inside pale yellow (11C) with moderate purplish pink (62B) patches at lobe edges; fls deepen when fully open to vivid purplish red (57D); outside moderate purplish pink (62B), streaked with light purplish pink (62C); moderate purplish pink (62B) spots on 3 dorsal lobes. Lvs elliptic, 170 × 40mm, margins decurved, acuminate at apex, obtuse at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.0m in 6 years. November (Tasmania). (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0031929))

(r) **'Bob Bovee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' (s) × *wardii* (white) H: R.M. Bovee (c 1955), G: R.M. Bovee, N: Bovees Nursery, I: Bovees Nursery (1975), REG: Bovees Nursery (1976) Fls 10-12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 28 × 75mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, moderate yellowish pink (37C) in bud, opening light greenish yellow (4C) with a light red spot (changing to greenish) in throat. Calyx minute, light green, edged red. Lvs narrowly obovate to elliptic, 140 × 60mm, glossy, dark green, hairless; petioles reddish. Shrub 1.0 × 1.9m in more-or-less 20 years. Early May

(r) **'Bob Cherry'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Adrastia Group (s) × *forrestii* Repens Group H: Sunningdale Nurseries (1942), G: Sunningdale Nurseries (1951), I: Sunningdale Nurseries, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep crimson red

(r) **'Bob Danik'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Achiever' × PJM Group H: W.E. Delp (1978), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 8/truss, open funnel-shaped, 33 × 44mm, 5-lobed, vivid to strong reddish purple (78A, B) and light purple (78C) in bud, opening strong reddish purple (78B) shading to light purple (78C) and moderate purplish pink (78D); filaments and style very pale purple (75D); anthers strong reddish purple (78B); stigma deep red (60A). Lvs 64 × 32mm, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base. Shrub 1.25 × 1.2m in 14 years. Mid May. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Bob Danik, Junior'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Bob Danik' (s) × 'Bob Danik' H: W.E. Delp (1979), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 8/truss (the truss composed of multiple buds), open funnel-shaped, 30 × 38mm, 5-lobed, deep, strong and light purplish pink (73A, B, C) in bud, opening very pale purple (73D) and white; filaments and style white; anthers light purplish pink (73C); stigma deep purplish pink (73A). Lvs 64 × 32mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, scaly. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 13 years. Mid May

(r) **'Bob Devonshire'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × 'America' (s) × 'Aurora Australis' H: A.W. Smith, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls dark red (187A, B) in bud, opening deep reddish purple (77A) and dark purple (79B) and deep purple (81B), with a moderate yellow (163C) flare and strong greenish yellow (153B) dorsal spots; filaments and style vivid purplish red (57B); anthers white; stigma vivid red (57A). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(a) **'Bob Elmer'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Orangeade' (s) × *austrinum* H: G. & T. Elmer (1966), G: G. & T. Elmer (1976), N: G. & T. Elmer, REG: G. & T. Elmer (1986) Fls 10-12/truss, broadly funnel-shaped (flat-faced), 65 × 55mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, brilliant orange (29A), shaded vivid reddish orange (33A) at edges

and on outside, with a vivid orange-yellow (23A) dorsal blotch; scented. Calyx 3mm long, greenish. Lvs oblanceolate, 70-80 × 20-25mm, hairy. Shrub 2.2 × 0.8m in 15 years. Mid-late April (Southern USA)

(r) **'Bobette'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *campylogynum* × *campylogynum* Cremastum Group R: J.F. Caperci, N: J.F. Caperci, REG: J.F. Caperci (1966) Fls funnel-campanulate, up to 17 × 17mm, yellow. Calyx prominent, dark green, hairy. Lvs obovate, 25 × 13mm, hairless below. Shrub 0.4 × 0.17m in 7 years. (Initially listed incorrectly by the International Registration Authority as 'Bobbet')

(a) **'Bob Gregorie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Flame' R: D.J. Cole (pre 1987), N: D.J. Cole Fls 40mm wide, light reddish orange. Mid May

(a) **'Bob Hill'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown, but includes 'Triumph' H: A.E. Kehr (pre 1980), G: A.E. Kehr, N: Mrs F. Hill (1996), REG: Mrs F. Hill (1997) Fls 2/truss, saucer-shaped, 40 × 25mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep reddish orange in bud and flower, with a darker reddish orange blotch on the three dorsal lobes. Calyx c10mm long, lime green. Lvs elliptic, 35 × 15mm, flat, cuneate at base, acute at apex, dark green, hairless. Shrub 0.3 × 0.3m in 5 years. Midseason. Syn: 'Kehr's R14'

(r) **'Bob Malone'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *aberconwayi* (s) × 'Coronation Day' H: H.R. Malone (1990), G: H.R. Malone, N: H. Ronken (2002), I: H. Ronken, REG: H. Ronken (2002) Fls 18-20/rounded truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 60 × 90mm, with 6-7 distinctly wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (65A) in bud, opening inside pale pink (49D) at base, shading to pale purplish pink (65D) and then to light purplish pink (65B) at edges; outside similarly coloured; a small, strong purplish red (63A) ray at base of tube below each lobe; filaments white, anthers moderate orange-yellow (167D); style deep pink (52C), stigma light yellow-green (145B). Calyx 1mm long, green blushed deep pink (52C). Lvs elliptic, 135 × 47mm, margins decurved, acute at apex, cuneate at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 8 years. October (Tasmania). (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0032319))

(a) **'Bobo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* × 'Blaauw's Pink' R: H. Van de Ven, N: H. Van de Ven, I: H. Van de Ven (1971), REG: H. Van de Ven (1971) Fls hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, light purple (75B) in bud, opening white, flushed very pale purple (75D). Shrub 0.6m

(r) **Bobolink Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × *neriiflorum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep yellow or apricot. Compact shrub. May-June

(r) **'Bob Peace'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Naomi Group × un-named hybrid H: B. Peace, G: B. Peace (1980), N: N. Sullivan, I: N. Sullivan (1990), REG: N. Sullivan (1991) Fls 8-10/truss, funnel-shaped, 70 × 30mm, 7-lobed, very light purple (75C), the centre very pale purple (76D) and with basal marking of strong purplish red (60C). Lvs elliptic, 90 × 50mm. Shrub 2.0m in 15 years

(r) **'Bob Perry'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Nova Zembla' G: R.L. Perry & M. Stilwell, S: M. Stilwell (1996), N: M. Stilwell (1996), REG: M. Stilwell (2002) Fls 20-22/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 50mm, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (57B) in bud, opening inside pale purplish pink (65D) with a moderate purplish pink (66D) picotee edge; outside deep purplish pink (66C); unmarked. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 50mm, margins downcurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, with a light brown indumentum below. Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in 20 years. Early April. (The registrant is Marshall Stilwell)

(r) **'Bob Peters Special'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: close to *fortunei* G: R.K. Peters, I: R. Carter, REG: R.K. Peters (1983) Fls 6-10/truss, 65 × 90mm, open funnel-shaped, 7-lobed, pale purplish pink (10P 8/5), throat pale orange-yellow (7.5YR 9/4)with 2 dorsal areas of strong yellowish brown spots (7.5YR 5/7); outside moderate purplish pink (10P 7/7). Calyx minute. Lvs oblong to elliptic or narrowly obovate, 125 × 65mm, moderate olive green (5GY 4/3), hairless. Shrub c2.5m in c25 years. (Seedling from Valley Evergreen Nursery (Maryland), mid-1950s)

(r) **'Bob's Blue'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Ilam Violet' (s) × Blue Diamond Group H: R.C. Rhodes, G: R.C. Rhodes, I: R.C. Rhodes (1977), REG: R.C. Rhodes (1979) Fls 3-5/truss, light violet (88C-D). Shrub 1.0m in 10 years

(a) **'Bob's Buttercup'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls light yellow, with a darker flare. Late May

(v) **'Bob's Choice'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown N: Vireya Venue (pre 1996), I: Vireya Venue (pre 1996) Fls in good trusses, soft pink. Bushy shrub to c1.5m

(v) **'Bob's Crowning Glory'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lochiae* × *leucogigas* 'Hunstein's Secret' H: J.L. Rouse, G: J.L. Rouse, N: G.L.S. Snell, I: Vireya Venue (1990), REG: Vireya Venue (1991) Fls 6-12/truss, campanulate, 80 × 95mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish pink (55B); scented. Lvs oblong, 135 × 80mm. Shrub 1.0m. Spring-autumn

(r) **'Bob's Red'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sammetglut' (s) × 'Peter Faulk' H: R.J. Bondira (c 1990), G: E. Jasionowski (c 1995), N: E. Jasionowski (1998), REG: E. Jasionowski (1998) Fls 15/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 45mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (46A) in bud, opening strong to vivid red (46A-B) throughout, with a small, star-shaped, moderate red (183C) marking in the throat. Calyx very small,

strong to vivid red (46A-B). Lvs elliptic, 130 × 50mm, margins slightly decurved, acute to broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, dull and dark green (136A) and bullate above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.4m in c8 years. Late April

(r) **'Bob's Yellow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* (s) × Goldfort Group H: R.C. Rhodes, G: R.C. Rhodes, N: R.C. Rhodes, I: R.C. Rhodes (1979), REG: R.C. Rhodes (1979) Fls light greenish yellow (3C-D), with a light yellow-green (145B) flare in throat

(a) **'Bob White'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Oakland' (s) × 'Doctor Bergmann' H: R.D. Gartrell (1968), G: R.D. Gartrell (1972), N: R.D. Gartrell, REG: R.D. Gartrell (1983) Fls hose-in-hose, 2/truss, 30 × 55mm, 5+5-lobed, white, throat light yellow-green (150D), unmarked. Calyx same length and colour as corolla. Lvs elliptic to broadly elliptic, 45 × 25mm, very slightly hairy. Shrub c0.9m in 11 years

(r) **'Boccia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catawbiense Compactum' × *williamsianum* H: D.G. Hobbie (pre 1945), G: D.G. Hobbie, N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1987), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 6-9/loose truss, campanulate, 40-45 × 50-60mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, very pale purple (73D), veined strong to light purplish pink (73B-C); outside 73B; unmarked. Calyx 1mm long, light green/yellowish. Lvs orbicular, 55-70 × 34-45mm, convex, cuspidate at apex, rounded at base, dark green and slightly glossy above, silvery/greyish hairy below; petioles moderate red (183C). Shrub 1.1 × 1.6m in 10 years, of compact habit. Mid May-early June

(r) **'Boddaertianum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campanulatum* (s) × *arboreum* R: L. van Houtte (pre 1860), N: L. van Houtte , INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 24/truss, 50-55 × 60-70mm, broadly funnel-shaped, pink in bud, opening pure white, with a ray of crimson purple spots; nectaries crimson. Calyx very small. Lvs narrowly elliptic to oblanceolate, c170 × 45mm, dark green above, with a thin, brown indumentum below. Large tree-like shrub. AM 1992 (Originally named 'Gloire d'Anvers'; the use of the later epithet is accepted here; *ponticum* is thought to be a more likely seed parent by some observers)

(r) **'Bodega Crystal Pink'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: Cilpinense Group (s) × *mucronulatum* 'Cornell Pink' H: C.G. Heller (1967), G: C.G. Heller (1972), N: C.G. Heller, I: C.G. Heller (1975), REG: C.G. Heller (1976) Fls 3-7/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 30 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (62B), with deep purplish pink (66C) spots; outside strong purplish red (63B). Calyx 5mm long, deep pink (180D). Lvs elliptic, 60 × 25mm, hairless, glossy, moderate yellow-green (146C), scaly below, semi-deciduous. Shrub 1.0 × 0.5m in 8 years. March

(r) **'Bodega Ruby Red'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'David' (s) × *sanguineum* subsp. *sanguineum* var. *haemaleum* × *thomsonii* H: C.G. Heller (1967), G: C.G. Heller, N: C.G. Heller, I: C.G. Heller (1974), REG: C.G. Heller (1974) Fls up to 7/flat truss, campanulate, 55 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (46A), with black spots on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 1.5mm long, red. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 95 × 27mm, moderate olive green (146A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 0.8m in 7 years

(r) **'Bodega Toreador'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Vanguard Group (s) × Matador Group H: C.G. Heller (1967), G: C.G. Heller, N: C.G. Heller, I: C.G. Heller (1974), REG: C.G. Heller (1974) Fls up to 8/flat truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 58 × 73mm, 5-lobed, vivid reddish orange (43A), with red spots on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 3mm long, red. Lvs narrowly elliptic to lanceolate, 145 × 32mm, moderate olive green (137A) above, with a tan indumentum below. Shrub 0.8 × 0.6m in 7 years

(r) **'Bodega y Quadra'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Yvonne Opaline' (s) × 'Loder's White' G: C.G. Heller (1976), N: C.G. Heller, I: C.G. Heller, REG: C.G. Heller (1976) Fls 9/conical truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 75 × 110mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (55B), lighter in throat and with a vivid purplish red (57B) blotch deep in throat. Calyx 5-10mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 150x-65mm, moderate yellowish green (139B), hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.2m in 8 years. Early May. (Seed from ARS seed exchange)

(r) **'Bodil'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *haematodes* (s) × 'Ascot Brilliant' × *neriiflorum* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) (Gillian Spencer Group; exhibited by G.M.Adams-Acton, 1950)

(r) **'Bodnant'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *megeratum* R: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord aberconway (1999), I: Lord Aberconway (1970), REG: ICRA (1999) Fls solitary (or 2-3/truss), broadly campanulate, c18mm long, 5-lobed, strong yellow (153D) with darker spotting, scaly outside; stamens 10; style strongly deflexed. Calyx 8-9mm long, lobes obovate, obtuse. Pedicel c14mm long. Lvs broadly elliptic, 15-16 × 9-10mm, subacute to obtuse and mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, ciliate with scattered setae towards base above, lower surface grey-green with versicular scales; petioles up to 5mm long, strongly setose. Small shrub with setose shoots. Late April

(r) **'Bodnant Beauty of Tremough'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* (s) × *griffithianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1928), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose pink; scented. (Beauty of Tremough Group)

(r) **'Bodnant Day'** (Syn. of 'Budget Farthing')

(r) **'Bodnant May Day'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × *haematodes* H: Lord Aberconway (1925), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep scarlet; scented. (May Day Group)

(r) **'Bodnant Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *arboreum* subsp. *cinnamomeum* var. *album* R: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Bodnant Red'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *campylogynum* Cremastum Group R: Lord Aberconway, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1971) Fls 1-2/truss, 5-lobed, 20 × 25mm, moderate red (185B). Calyx greenish brown, with lobes up to 3mm long. Lvs elliptic up to 25 × 13mm, dark green, sparsely scaly below. AM 1971

(r) **Bodnant Sunrise Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid H: Lord Aberconway (1926), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1933), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Bodnant Thomwilliams'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* (s) × *williamsianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1922), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear, rose magenta, waxy. AM 1935 (Thomwilliams Group)

(r) **'Bodnant Yellow'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* (yellow form) (s) × Royal Flush Group (orange form) H: Lord Aberconway (1935), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1944), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls butter yellow (507/1), with a deeper reddish flush outside especially near the base. FCC 1944 (Lady Chamberlain Group)

(r) **'Body Language'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ronald Otto Delp' (s) × 'Harvest Moon' × 'Ice Cube' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, moderate and strong purplish red (64A, B, 70A) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (67C), strong, moderate and light purplish pink (68B, C, D) and very pale purple (69C), with a white flare and brilliant yellow-green (154C) dorsal spots; anthers white. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Body Talk'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'China Boy' (s) × 'Charles Dickens' × 'Mars' Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, deep red (60A) in bud, opening vivid purplish red (57C, D); filaments vivid purplish red (57D); style deep yellowish pink (46D); anthers greyish brown (166A) to moderate orange (166D); stigma vivid red (46C). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Bog Bridge'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: J.C. Cowles - probably (pre 1960), G: Heritage Plantation (pre 1965), N: R.H. Gustafson (1987), REG: Sandwich Club (1998) Fls 11/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 110mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (66C) in bud, opening inside strong purplish pink (73B) at margins, with a white centre and a dark red (59A) blotch in the throat and dark red (59A) speckles extending upwards on dorsal lobe to within 20mm of margin; outside strong purplish pink (73B). Lvs elliptic, 165 × 55mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, dull and moderate yellowish green (139B) above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 0.9m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Boggle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Midsummer' (s) × 'Delp's Cindy Lou' H: A.W. Smith, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls strong purplish red (67A) in bud, opening strong and vivid purplish red (67A, B) and deep and strong purplish pink (67C, D). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Bohemia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Rubis de Meirelbeke' × 'Ernst Thiers' R: J. Šesták (c 1962), N: J. Šesták Fls double, scarlet red. Lvs elliptic, dark green

(a) **'Bohemian'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ivory' (s) × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65mm wide, deep purplish pink. Shrub 1.2m. Midseason. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Böhlje's Sämling'** cv. Discovered as a shoot on an unknown rootstock R: G.D. Böhlje, N: G.D. Böhlje, I: G.D. Böhlje (1937), REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1985) Fls 6-10/truss, open funnel-shaped, 40-45 × 50-65mm, 5-lobed, pure pink, with heavy dark red markings. Calyx 3-8mm long, reddish. Lvs ovate or oblong-lanceolate, 72-125 × 30-58mm, with very pale brown, woolly indumentum when young. Broad, rounded, compact bush

(r) **'Böhmen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a selection from *dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* S: W. Wüstemeyer (1974), N: W. Wüstemeyer, I: W. Wüstemeyer (c 1985) Fls small, orange. Dwarf shrub. (Found by Wüstemeyer at Pruhonice, Czech Republic, as an unlabelled plant of unknown origin)

(r) **'Bohumil Kavka'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alfred' × 'Purple Splendour' R: J. Dvořák (c 1984), N: J. Dvořák Fls 12-18/globose to elongate globose truss, 70mm wide, buds dark to blackish purple (1030-1030/2 and 934), opening dark violet purple (733/2-733/3), with a conspicuous blotch of dark to brown-black purple (1030 and 934). Lvs elongate-elliptic, 117 × 52mm, dark, glossy green (0001060-0001060/1). Shrub 1.0m in 9 years

(r) **'Boing Boeing'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Dianta' (s) × 'Kubla Khan' H: M. Stockman (1993), G: M. & H. Stockman (1999), N: M. & H. Stockman (2000), REG: M. & H. Stockman (2000) Fls 8-10/ball truss, funnel-campanulate, 50 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53C-D) in bud, opening inside strong to light purplish pink (73B-C) at margins, with a large, white, star-shaped centre, brilliant to light yellow (15C-D) flares on three dorsal lobes and dense spotting of strong red (53C) in the dorsal throat; outside deep to strong purplish pink (73A-B). Calyx c6mmlong, green, edged yellow. Lvs elliptic, 105 × 45mm, broadly

acute at apex, rounded at base, margins flat and downcurved, dull mid green above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 7 years. Early June

(a) **'Bok Tower Gardens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *scabrum* f. *coccineum* (s) × 'Fascination' H: J.A. Shaw (1988), G: Bok Tower Gardens (1990), N: Bok Tower Gardens (2002), REG: Bok Tower Gardens (2002) Fls 3/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 60 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, opening inside and out with a moderate red (47A) band (c40mm wide) at margins, changing to pale pink (49D) in centre, the inside with strong red (46A) dorsal spotting extending over c30mm. Calyx 5mm long, strong yellow-green (145A). Lvs elliptic, 50 × 20mm, margins flat to slightly twisted, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and dark yellowish green (139A) above, moderate yellow-green (146B) below, with sparse, deep orange-yellow (163A) hairs above and below. Dense shrub, 0.9 × 1.8m in 8 years. Mid-late March

(r) **'Bold Adventure'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ruby Bowman' (s) × 'Skipper' H: L.W. Bulgin (1981), G: L.W. Bulgin (1986), N: L.W. Bulgin, I: Ellanhurst Gardens, REG: L.W. Bulgin (1988) Fls 14/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 64 × 102mm, with 7 smooth-edged lobes, strong red in bud (53D), opening pale purplish pink (56B) at tip of lobes, shading to pale purplish pink (56C) toward centre, with a large area of deep red (185A) in throat and two moderate red (180B) dorsal flares extending half way to corolla tips; outside pale purplish pink (56C), with strong purplish pink (55B) along veins; slightly scented. Lvs elliptic, 114 × 51mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless and glossy green above, hairless below. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m in 7 years. Early May

(r) **'Bold and Breezy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *brachycarpum* (as subsp. *tigerstedtii*) (s) × *electeum* (Cox form) H: D.L. Hinerman, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls moderate and vivid purplish red (66A, 64A) in bud, opening vivid purplish red (66B) and deep and pale purplish pink (66C, 65C), with strong greenish yellow (153B) dorsal spots. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Bold Beauty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Disca' (s) × 'Mars' H: B. & M. Shapiro (1964), G: B. & M. Shapiro, N: B. & M. Shapiro, REG: B. & M. Shapiro (1993) Fls 14-16/tall, domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 70 × 95mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (64B) in bud, opening strong purplish pink (62A) with the dorsal throat moderate purplish red (64A) to almost black; slightly scented. Calyx 1mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 178 × 51mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 2.1m in 25 years. June

(r) **'Bold Blush'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Meadowbrook' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (57B, C, D) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (62D), edged vivid purplish red (57D); outside veined vivid purplish red (57B, C). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Bold Elegance'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Skeeter Hill' (s) × 'Robert Weldon' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (67B) and pale yellow-green (4D) in bud, opening pale yellow-green (4D) edged vivid purplish red (68B), with vivid yellow-green (154A) dorsal spots. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Boldface'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × 'Keisetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, white centre, light phlox purple margins, red blotch. Shrub 1.2m. Midseason. Glenn Dale

(v) **'Bold Janus'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *leucogigas* × *laetum* R: unknown, N: G.L.S. Snell, I: Shrublands Nursery (1987), REG: Shrublands Nursery (1988) Fls 7/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 90 × 100mm, 5-lobed, light yellow (21D), flushed pink on edges of lobes. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 55mm, hairless. Shrub 1.5m tall. Summer-autumn

(r) **'Bold Lad'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Unknown Warrior' × *arboreum* H: T. Lelliott, N: G. Langdon, I: G. Langdon (1976), REG: G. Langdon (1975) Fls 21/compact truss, campanulate, 50mm wide, vivid red (52A), slightly spotted. Shrub c1.9m

(a) **'Bolero'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Addy Wery' × 'Salmon Elf' R: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1970) Fls hose-in-hose, 5/truss, 50mm wide, strong purplish red (10RP 5/12). Rounded shrub, 0.6 × 0.6m. Late April

(a) **'Bolivar'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum*, deep salmon form (s) × 'Hazel Dawson' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 70mm wide, deep rose pink, blotch made up of distinct small dots of tyrian rose. Shrub to 1.2m. Midseason. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Bolteo'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple-red

(r) **'Bombardier'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fusilier Group (s) × *griffithianum* R: E.G.W.W. Harrison, N: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1960), REG: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1961) Fls 16/truss, 75 × 108mm, bright pink, fading in the sun

(r) **'Bombay'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: (*dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* × *kyawii*) × 'Catalgla' (s) × 'Catalgla' × *wardii* R: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1972) Fls 12-14/truss, campanulate, 45mm wide, brilliant greenish yellow, darker outside,

with a vivid greenish yellow (7.5Y 8/12) dorsal blotch and spots. Calyx minute, green. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 45mm, dark green. Shrub 0.8 × 0.6m in 11 years

(a) **'Bonanza'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × 'Kagetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65mm wide, mallow purple with a tyrian rose blotch. Shrub to 1.2m. Midseason. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Bon Bon'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Bon Bon')

(r) **Bonbon Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *souliei* (s) × *maximum* H: L. de Rothschild (1927), G: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cream. May

(a) **'Bonbouche'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: E. de Rothschild (c 1980), N: E. de Rothschild Fls orange/salmon. (Solent Group)

(a) **'Bond Street'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Basket Neck Nursery (1985) Fls single, salmon red. Shrub c0.8m

(a) **'Bonfire'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kaempferi* f. *angustisectum* S: Japan, N: unknown (pre 1976) Most stamens like fine linear petals, some more normal petal-shape, red. (Found in Japan and said to have been cultivated for hundreds of years, the original Japanese name in not known)

(a) **'Bonfire'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (pre 1984) Fls vivid red

(a) **'Bonfire'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *prunifolium* hybrid R: E.V. Mezitt (pre 1985), N: E.V. Mezitt Fls 45mm wide, vivid reddish orange (43B). Mid July

(r) **'Bonfire'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × 'Mrs R.G. Shaw' (s) × *griersonianum* H: Waterer (Bagshot) (1928), G: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red, with a ray of darker spots. Lvs dull green. AM 1933 (Standard: colour painting of AM plant (WSY 0019946))

(r) **'Bonfires of Delight'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *davidsonianum* R: Lord Aberconway (pre 1955), N: unknown (c 1969) Fls pink. FCC 1955

(r) **'Bonita'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Whitney, I: G. & Mrs A. Sather (pre 1980)

(r) **'Bonito'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × Luscombei Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large trusses, up to 125mm wide, pink in bud, opening white, flushed blush pink and fading to white, dorsal throat with mixed brown and rose pink markings; sweetly scented. Lvs greyish green. Shrub to 4.0m. May-June. AM 1934 (Bonito Group)

(r) **Bonito Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × Luscombei Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1934), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Bon Jour'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Disca' (s) × 'Purple Spendour' H: B. & M. Shapiro (1966), G: B. & M. Shapiro, N: B. & M. Shapiro, REG: B. & M. Shapiro (1995) Fls 13-14/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 60 × 90mm, with 6-7 crinkled lobes, deep reddish purple (77A) in bud, opening inside light purple (77C-D) with a strong purplish red (71B), spotted flare on a light yellow-green (145D) dorsal blotch; outside light purple (77C), with strong reddish purple (78B) ribs. Calyx c1mm long, light purple (77D). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 171 × 57mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate/slightly oblique at base, moderate yellow-green (137C) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 2.0m in 29 years. Late May-early June

(a) **'Bon Juge'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, red. Indian

(r) **'Bonn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably 'Madame de Bruin' × *williamsianum* H: D.G. Hobbie (pre 1964), S: J. Bruns Nursery, N: J. Bruns Nursery Fls with wavy-edged lobes, light pink, with a darker margin and darker outside; small, dark red markings; flower buds a striking red-brown in winter

(r) **'Bonnie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × *catawbiense* × *haematodes* H: J.B. Gable (pre 1972) Fls pale buff, edged pink. (An F2 selection from this parentage)

(r) **'Bonnie Babe'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Inca Gold' (s) × dwarf orange hybrid H: J.A. Elliott (1969), G: J.A. Elliott, I: J.A. Elliott (1976), REG: J.A. Elliott (1983) Fls 10-14/truss, 40 × 45mm, open campanulate, 5-lobed, brilliant yellow (10A) shaded strong red to deep pink (51A-B) in bud, opening brilliant to light yellow (10A-B), distinctly veined and with colour more intense in throat, dorsal spotting of deep to strong red (53A-B); outside irregularly flushed 51A-B on lobes. Calyx 5-17mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 75-90 × 35-40mm, moderate yellow-green, hairless. Shrub 1.0m in 12 years. Syn: 'Cecil's Choice'

(r) **'Bonnie Bee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × *fortunei* × *catawbiense* H: W.L. Tolstead (1963), G: W.L. Tolstead (1970), N: W.L. Tolstead, REG: W.L. Tolstead (1992) Fls 20/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 70mm, with 6-7 smooth-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (10P 7/7), with a small blotch; stamens 10, curved. Pedicels 20mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 130 × 55mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless; petioles 15mm long, green. Shrub 2.4 × 2.4m in 29 years. Mid May

(r) **'Bonnie Brae'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scintillation' (s) × 'Gable's Red Head' H: C. Herbert (1964), G: C. Herbert, N: C. Herbert, I: C. Herbert, REG: C. Herbert (1977) Fls up to 17/truss, 100mm wide, 7-lobed, light purplish pink (73C), darker at edges

and with a strong greenish yellow (153C) blotch in the throat which spreads out over dorsal lobe; outside bright purplish pink. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Bonnie Campbell'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Butter Brickle' × 'September Song' (s) × *pachysanthum* H: J.D. Winberg (1991), G: J.D. Winberg (1995), N: J.D. Winberg (2001), REG: J.D. Winberg (2001) Fls 13-14/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 75mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, light pink (49C) in bud, opening inside white (155C), with a vivid red (46B) flare in the throat, outside pale pink (49D). Lvs elliptic, 100 × 45mm, margins flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairy below (hairs greenish white (157D) at first, ageing to rusty brown); petioles hairy. Shrub 1.8 × 2.5m in 10 years. Mid May. (Very similar to 'Bonnie Johnson' but a larger plant, with slightly larger leaves and a smaller flare confined to the throat)

(r) **'Bonnie Girl'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Annie Dosser' (s) × 'Red Gate' H: D.J. Dosser (1989), G: D.J. Dosser (1997), N: D.J. Dosser (1999), REG: D.J. Dosser (1999) Fls 17-21/ball truss, broadly campanulate, 50 × 40mm, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (57C) in bud, opening inside pale purplish pink (62D); outside pale purplish pink (62D), veined deep purplish pink (70C); light yellow spots on three dorsal lobes. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 40mm, wavy-edged, acute at apex, obtuse at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 10 years. July (Tasmania)

(r) **'Bonnie Jean'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Fred Rose' (s) × Matador Group H: B.M. Smith (1974), G: B.M. Smith (1982), N: B.M. Smith, I: B.M. Smith, REG: B.M Smith (1989) Fls 20/ball truss, open campanulate, 51 × 76mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53C), with a dark red (59A) blotch extending outwards for c6mm from three upper nectary pouches and with some dark red (59A) spotting at the nectary pouches. Calyx minute, light green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 127 × 51mm, convex, apiculate to mucronate at apex, rounded at base, dull green above; indumentum on young leaves white, aging to tan, easily rubbed off. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 14 years. Early March-early April.

(r) **'Bonnie Johnson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Butter Brickle' × 'September Song' (s) × *pachysanthum* H: J.D. Winberg (1991), G: J.D. Winberg (1995), N: J.D. Winberg (2001), REG: J.D. Winberg (2001) Fls 14/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 75mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, light pink (49C) in bud, opening inside white (155C), with a prominent vivid red (46B) dorsal flare, outside pale pink (49D). Lvs elliptic, 95 × 45mm, margins flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairy below (hairs greenish white (157D) at first, ageing to rusty brown); petioles hairy. Shrub 1.6 × 1.5m in 10 years. Mid May. (For distinctions from 'Bonnie Campbell', see under that cv)

(a) **'Bonnie Lassie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *nakaharae* × *kiusianum* H: W.L. Tolstead (1985), G: W.L. Tolstead (1992), N: W.L. Tolstead, REG: W.L. Tolstead (1992) Fls 3/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 25 × 17mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, moderate purplish red (5RP 4/10); stamens 5, curved. Calyx 3mm long, light red. Pedicels 7mm long. Lvs elliptic, 20 × 10mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, with scattered greenish hairs above and below; petioles 3mm long. Shrub 0.3 × 0.3m in 7 years. Mid May

(r) **'Bonnie Maid'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* hybrid H: M.E. Hall (1968), G: E.J. Brown, I: E.J. Brown, REG: E.J. Brown (1979) Fls up to 13/ball truss, 70mm wide, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (55B), with two dorsalrays of deep red (53A); scented. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 140 × 50mm. Shrub 1.5 × 0.9m in 9 years

(a) **'Bonnie McKee'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: M.E. Greentree (c 1970), N: M.E. Greentree Fls double, mauve. Indian

(r) **'Bonnie Snaza'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Van Nes Sensation' (s) × 'Wilburn' H: E. Anderson (1975), G: E. Anderson, N: E. Anderson, I: E. Anderson, REG: E. Anderson (1983) Fls 13-17/truss, 45 × 100mm, open funnel-shaped, 5-7-lobed, strong reddish purple to moderate purplish pink (70B-C-D), with an almost black dorsal blotch in throat prolonged as a red stain below and as heavy dark red (59A) spots above; outside with darker veins down centre of lobes. Calyx 3mm long, yellowish green, edged red. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 140 × 50mm, moderate olive green (146A). Shrub c1.0m in 6 years

(r) **'Bonno'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark carmine, with a white throat and dark red spots on a white ground

(a) **'Bonny Kay'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (pre 1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, cherry red. Coolidge

(a) **'Bon Pour La Commerce'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J.J. Linden (1878), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Attributed to J. Vervaene)

(r) **'Bonus Deal'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Blue Peter' (s) × ('Atrosanguineum' × 'America') × 'Roslyn' H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 14/truss, open funnel-shaped, 57 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light and pale purplish pink (65B, C, D) in bud, opening white, with dark red (187A, B, C) dorsal spots; filaments and style yellowish white (155D); anthers pale orange-yellow (159C); stigma vivid yellow-green (154A). Lvs 122 × 51mm, acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.1m in 18 years. Early June

(v) **'Bonza'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown L: Vireya Venue (1997) Fls very deep crimson. New foliage bronze. Compact shrub to 1.5m tall

(r) **'Bonzo'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (c 1933), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Boomerang'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × *yakushimanum* × 'Cadis' × 'Witch Doctor' H: C.R. & V. Haag, G: C.R. & V. Haag, I: Cardinal Nursery (pre 1991) Fls hose-in-hose, bright red

(a) **'Bopeep'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Marta' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, 50-65mm wide, a little paler than rose pink, with a blotch dotted with deep rose pink. Shrub to 1.5m. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Bo-peep'** cv. Evergreen azalea: unknown Kurume azalea (s) × *kaempferi* R: R.P. Mayo, N: R.P. Mayo, I: R.P. Mayo, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 30mm wide, orange salmon. Midseason

(r) **'Bo-peep'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lutescens* (s) × *moupinense* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-2/bud (shoots with a terminal and several axillary buds), flat funnel-shaped, 30 × 45mm, primrose yellow (601/3), shaded 601/3 externally and with a ray of lemon yellow spots in the throat. Calyx very small. Lvs ovate-acuminate to oblong-ovate, up to 65 × 35mm, dark glossy green and thinly scaly above, more densely scaly below. Shrub to 1.2m. Late March. AM 1937 (Bo-peep Group)

(r) **Bo-peep Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *lutescens* (s) × *moupinense* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1934), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Borboniae'** (See note under 'Borbonii')

(a) **'Borbonii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1849), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Sometimes seen as 'Borboniae')

(r) **'Bordeaux'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *microgynum* Gymnocarpum Group × *beanianum* R: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1963), REG: E. de Rothschild (1963) Fls very dark red, waxy. Lvs small, deep glossy green, with a brown indumentum below. Shrub to 1.5m. April. Syn: 'Burgundian'

(r) **'Borde Hill'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Doncaster' (s) × 'Mrs A.M. Williams' R: C.B. van Nes & Sons (pre1929), N: C.B. van Nes & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c8/truss, funnel-shaped, 55 × 70-90mm, 5-lobed, blood red, with two dorsal bands of crimson spots. Lvs elliptic-oblong, dark dull green. *AM 1948

(r) **'Borde Hill Red Cap'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *sanguineum* subsp. *didymum* (s) × *facetum* N: S.R. Clarke, I: S.R. Clarke, INC: ICRA (1958) (Red Cap Group)

(r) **'Borderer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *facetum* hybrid × Fabia Group × *yakushimanum* × 'Britannia' H: Waterer (Bagshot) (1958), G: Waterer (Bagshot) (1967), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975) Fls 8-10/truss, 50-60 × 40mm, 5-lobed, deep purplish pink (58D), deepening to strong purplish pink (58C) at edges and spotted light olive brown (199B). Calyx small. Lvs ovate, 90-100 × 30-40mm, with a light brown indumentum. May

(a) **'Border Gem'** (Syn. of 'Girard's Border Gem')

(a) **'Border Jewel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Chinzan' (s) × 'Marian Lee' H: M. Phillips (1994), G: M. Phillips (1995), N: M. Phillips, REG: M. Phillips (2000) Fls 4-5/truss, funnel-shaped, 25 × 40mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds rose pink with a white base, opening pastel pink with a rose pink picotee edge inside and out; centre and base light pastel pink; unmarked; anthers white; stigma red. Calyx c1.5mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 25 × 13mm, margins flat and downcurved, apex acute, cuneate at base, glossy dark green above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.6m in 5 years. Mid May

(r) **'Borkum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'America' (s) × *williamsianum* R: D.G. Hobbie (pre 1945), N: D.G. Hobbie, I: D.G. Hobbie (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 6-12/truss, clear rose

(r) **'Borneo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (white form) × *dichroanthum* subsp. *apodectum* × 'Loderi White Diamond' H: D.G. Leach (1961), G: D.G. Leach (1967), N: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1991) Fls 8-10/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 58mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, moderate yellowish pink (38B) in bud, opening pale yellow (11D), shading to brilliant yellow (7A) at centre of dorsal lobe. Dorsal calyx lobe 8mm long, remainder 2mm long, brilliant yellow (8A). Lvs oblong, 130 × 45mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 3.3 × 3.0m, of spreading, dense habit. Very early

(r) **'Born Winner'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goody Goody' (s) × 'Anna Delp' H: W.E. Delp (1977), G: W.E. Delp (1982), N: W.E. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1990) Fls 14-16/rounded truss, 50 × 65mm, 5-lobed, deep to strong purplish red (71A-B) in bud, opening to strong purplish red (71B), edged very pale purple (69C) and with deep purplish red (71A) dorsal spotting; filaments and style strong purplish red (71D), anthers moderate orange-yellow (164B), stigma dark red (59A). Lvs elliptic, 100 × 65mm, hairless. Early June

(a) **'Borsig'** (Syn. of 'A.Borsig')

(r) **'Boskoop'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: unknown hybrid × 'Max Sye' R: A. van Nes, N: A. van Nes, I: A. van Nes, REG: A. van Nes (1961) Fls 12-13/rounded truss, 80-85mm wide, rosy red (024/1) with a conspicuous brown blotch (1030). Large shrub

(a) **'Boskoop Beauty'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: M. Koster & Sons,

N: M. Koster & Sons, I: M. Koster & Sons (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange, with crimson blotches. Mollis

(r) **'Boskoop Concorde'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Antoon van Welie' × 'Max Sye' H: A. van Nes (c 1965), G: A. van Nes, N: G.C. Stolwijk & Zn, I: G.C. Stolwijk & Zn (1970), REG: Royal Boskoop Hort.Soc. (1990) Fls 10-15/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 100-150mm wide, 5-lobed, rich pink (625/1), with a large brown-black blotch. Calyx green. Lvs elliptic, 150-200mm long, dull green, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 2.0m. May. Syn: 'Georges Royer', 'Concorde'

(a) **'Boskoop Glorie'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark orange. Syn: 'Boskoops Glory'. Ghent

(r) **'Boskoop Ostara'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: probably *mucronulatum* × *dauricum* N: K.W. Verboom, I: K.W. Verboom/Firma C. Esveld (1990), REG: Royal Boskoop Hort.Soc. (1991) Fls 4-5/truss, funnel-shaped, 20 × 20mm, 5-lobed, deep purplish pink (68A). Calyx green. Lvs lanceolate, 40-50 × 15-20mm, half-evergreen, crinkled. March. Syn: 'Esveld Ostara', 'Ostara' (Imported to The Netherlands from Japan (1982). First published in *Dendroflora* no.26 (1989) as 'Ostara' and in *Dendroflora* no. 27 (1990) as 'Boskoop Ostara'; originally registered (1991) as 'Esveld Ostara' (as submitted) but this was clearly an error: 'Boskoop Ostara' has priority. 'Ostara' was an unacceptable epithet)

(a) **'Boskoops Glory'** (Syn. of 'Boskoop Glorie')

(r) **'Bosley 1005'** (Syn. of 'Patricia Bosley')

(r) **'Bosley 1020'** (Syn. of 'Richard Bosley')

(a) **'Boston'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, orange-red. Indian

(r) **'Bosutch'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Boule de Neige' × *sutchuenense* H: J.B. Gable (1933), G: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable, REG: Gable Study Group (USA) (1991) Fls 15/conical truss, campanulate, 51mm wide, pale pink, fading to white, with prominent, dark red, dorsal spots. Lvs elliptic, 102 × 38mm, flat, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Mature shrub 4.6m high (0.6 × 0.6m after 7 years). Early-mid April. (Published in *Hybrids and Hybridizers*, Livingston & West (1978))

(r) **'Bosutch Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Boule de Neige' × *sutchuenense* H: J.B. Gable (1933), G: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable Flowers one week later than 'Bosutch'.

(r) **'Boswege'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Rijneveld' × un-named red hybrid H: A. Vuyk (c 1960), G: A. Vuyk (c 1970), N: A. Vuyk, I: Vuyk van Nes (1975), REG: Royal Boskoop Hort.Soc. (1988) Fls 7-9/rounded truss, funnel-shaped, 40-50 × 30-40mm, 5-lobed, dark pink, with a speckled blotch. Calyx green. Lvs narrowly lanceolate, 120-150 × 30-40mm, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 4.0m. Early May

(r) **'Botan-koo'** cv. Parentage unknown R: K. Wada (pre 1981) (cf. *The Rhododendron* 24 (1): 5 (1984))

(a) **'Botan-kurenai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, c40mm wide, deep crimson. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Botan-tsutsuji'** (Syn. of 'Yodogawa')

(r) **'Botany Belle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Tidbit' H: J.F. McQuire (1976), G: J.F. McQuire (1987), N: J.F. McQuire, REG: J.F. McQuire (1987) Fls 15/truss, open campanulate, 30 × 40mm, with 5, rounded and emarginate lobes, strong red (53C) in bud, opening strong purplish pink (55B) at tips, fading into pale purplish pink (56D) at base. Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 80 × 30mm, with a woolly indumentum below, whitish at first becoming thinner and light fawn with age. Shrub 0.4 × 0.5m. Early-mid May

(r) **'Botany Bride'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Hydon Dawn' H: J.F. McQuire, G: J.F. McQuire (1987), N: J.F. McQuire, REG: J.F. McQuire (1989) Fls c18/truss, funnel-campanulate, 40 × 45mm, with 5 lobes, deep purplish pink (55A) on opening, fading to light purplish pink (55C) on white, with pink median lines. Calyx 3mm long, pink. Lvs obovate, 80 × 30mm, with a thick, pale olive indumentum below. Shrub 0.3 × 0.3m, very compact. Early-mid May

(r) **'Botha'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Everestianum' (s) × 'Everestianum' H: T.J.R. Seidel (1892), G: T.J.R. Seidel, N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, delicate lilac rose, with ochre spots on a pale ground

(a) **'Botticelli'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (pre 1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, pink, with salmon margins. Coolidge

(a) **'Boubin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Amoenum' × *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* R: J. Jelínek (1962), N: J. Jelínek Fls 2-4/truss, light pink with faint, dark pink markings. Syn: 'Mysik'

(a) **'Boudoir'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J.B. Gable (pre 1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 40mm wide, violet red (027/1), with a darker blotch. Gable

(r) **'Boudoir'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls moderate purplish red (4.5RP 5/10) with darker markings. (Grown in the Arnold Arboretum since 1955)

(a) **'Bouffant'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Dream' × 'Gunrei' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1965) Fls single, 2-3/truss, 50-65mm wide, with somewhat ruffled, almost white, margins, shading inwards to pale amaranth pink and to deep rose pink in centre; small tyrian pink spots in blotch area. Shrub under 1.0m. Back Acres

(r) **'Bougainville'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Byls (pre 1869), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls amaranth red, with a whitish blotch

(a) **'Bougainvillea Purple'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red-purple. Indian

(r) **'Boule de Feu'** cv. Parentage unknown R: I Davies (pre 1890), N: I. Davies, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright blood red

(a) **'Boule de Neige'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Leroy (1878), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Boule de Neige'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* × hardy *catawbiense* hybrid R: Oudieu, N: Oudieu, I: Oudieu (c 1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c10/truss, 40 × 60mm, funnel-shaped, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, buds tinged rose, opening pure white, with a few green and brown dorsal spots. Lvs ovate to obovate, up to 110 × 50mm, dull dark green above, hairless below. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. May

(r) **'Boule de Rose'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: red *catawbiense* hybrid (s) × 'Boule de Neige' R: A.M.A. Shammarello & D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1961) Fls persian rose, with a maroon spotted blotch on the dorsal lobe. Shrub 0.75 × 1.8m in 13 years. (Derived from a cross made in 1947)

(v) **'Boule d'Or'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Lord Wolseley' × *javanicum* var. *teysmannii* R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1891), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow

(a) **'Boule Rose'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Moser & Son (pre 1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, salmon rose with a paler centre. Ghent

(r) **'Boulevard No. 1'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: Boulevard Nursery, I: J.S. Wells Fls purplish pink, scented.

(r) **'Boulodes'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Boule de Neige' × Loderi Group H: G.G. Nearing (1963), G: G.G. Nearing, N: G.G. Nearing, I: G.G. Nearing (1972), REG: G.G. Nearing (1973) Fls up to 10/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 90mm, with wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (56B), fading to white and with vague spotting of light greenish yellow (3C); scented. Calyx very short, brilliant yellow-green (149B). Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 150 × 65mm, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 9 years

(r) **'Boulter's Cream'** cv. Parentage unknown H: V.J. Boulter, G: V.J. Boulter (1977), I: F. Boulter, REG: F. Boulter (1986) Fls 10-15/truss, funnel-shaped, 30 × 90mm, yellowish white (155B). Lvs elliptic, 100 × 50mm. Shrub 2.5m

(r) **'Boulter's Dainty Lass'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: F. Boulter (1987), G: F. Boulter (1989), N: F. Boulter (1997), I: Boulter's Olinda Nursery, REG: Boulter's Olinda Nursery (1997) Fls 16/domed truss, campanulate, 43 × 52mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds pale yellow (158B) flushed strong pink (54C) on lobe midveins, opening inside pale orange-yellow (159C) with a slight, strong pink (54C) flush on midveins; outside pale yellowish pink (159D) with a flush of strong pink (54C) on lobe midveins; unspotted; stamens 10, uneven; filaments yellowish white (196D), anthers brownish orange (164A); stigma dark red (187A), style dark red (187C) shading to brilliant yellow-green (150C), ovary very pale green (192B). Calyx 1mm long, dark red (187C). Lvs elliptic, 124 × 45mm, wavy-edged, matt and moderate olive green (147A) above, mucronate at apex, attenuate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 10 years. Early spring. Syn: 'Dainty Lass'

(r) **'Boulter's Pink Gem'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: Cilpinense Group (s) × unknown H: F. Boulter (1992), G: F. Boulter (1994), N: F. Boulter (1997), I: Boulter's Olinda Nursery, REG: Boulter's Olinda Nursery (1997) Fls 3-4/loose, flat truss, funnel-shaped, 45 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds deep red (60A), opening inside light purplish pink (55C), shading to pale purplish pink (56C), outside strong purplish pink (55B); strong purplish pink (55B) spots on the dorsal lobe; stamens 10, uneven, anthers moderate brown (165A), filaments yellowish white (196D); style light yellow-green (145C), stigma and ovary strong yellow-green (144B). Calyx 9mm long, strong yellow-green (144B), hairy. Lvs broadly elliptic, 44-63 × 21-30mm, margins slightly decurved, glossy and moderate olive green (137A), mucronate at apex, obtuse at base, ciliate and scaly. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 5 years. Early spring. Syn: 'Pink Gem'

(r) **'Boulter's Pink Lights'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: V.J. Boulter (1967), G: V.J. Boulter (1969), N: F. Boulter (1997), I: Boulter's Olinda Nursery, REG: Boulter's Olinda Nursery (1997) Fls 14/domed truss, campanulate, 60 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (67A) in bud, opening inside deep purplish pink (68A) at lobe edges, shading to moderate purplish pink (65A) in the throat; outside deep purplish pink (68A) at lobe edges, shading to moderate purplish pink (65A) near the base; moderate purplish red (64A) spots on dorsal lobe; stamens 9, uneven; filaments very pale purple (69D), anthers moderate brown (165A); stigma moderate yellow-green (147A), style curved, light yellow-green (150D). Calyx uneven, 4-20mm long, moderate purplish pink (65A). Lvs elliptic, 150 × 52mm, margins decurved, matt and moderate olive green (147A) above, acute at apex, attenuate at base, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 2.0m in 30 years. Early spring. Syn: 'Pink Lights'

(r) **'Boulter's Robyn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Van Nes Sensation' (s) × 'Marion' H: V.J. Boulter (1967), G: V.J. Boulter (1970), N: V.J. Boulter (1970), I: Boulter's Olinda Nursery (c 1993), REG: Boulter's

Olinda Nursery (1997) Fls 14/loose, domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 100mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish purple (72C) in bud, opening inside strong reddish purple (72C) along lobe edges, shading to very pale purple (76D) in throat; outside strong reddish purple (72C) at lobe edges, shading to very pale purple (76C) near calyx; unspotted; stamens 11, uneven; filaments greenish white (192D), anthers moderate yellow (161A); style curved, very pale purple (76D), stigma strong yellow-green (145A), ovary strong yellow-green (144A). Calyx 3mm long, light yellow-green (145B). Lvs elliptic, 96-170 × 26-40mm, wavy-edged, matt and moderate olive green (147A) above, obtuse at apex, attenuate at base, hairless. Shrub 3.0 × 3.0m in 30 years. Early spring. Syn: 'Robyn'

(r) **'Boulter's Rosalea'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Nobleanum Group × Cornubia Group H: V.J. Boulter, G: V.J. Boulter (1965), I: F. Boulter, REG: F. Boulter (1986) Fls 12-15/truss, campanulate, 50 × 60mm, vivid red (52A), fading in centre, with spots of the same colour on the dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 50mm. Shrub 3.0m. Syn: 'Rosalea'

(r) **'Bouncer'** (See 'The Bouncer')

(a) **'Bountiful'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × 'Keisetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, phlox purple, with a blotch of tyrian rose dots. Shrub to 1.2m. Midseason. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Bountiful'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Bountiful')

(r) **'Bounty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *calophytum* (s) × *fortunei* R: France (c 1967), N: C. Ingram, REG: ICRA (1992) Fls 15-17/truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 75mm, 7-lobed, yellowish white (155B), with a deep purplish red (61A) blotch in dorsal throat and a few dark red markings; outside flushed at base and along veins with strong reddish purple (70B). Calyx 1mm long, edged red. Lvs narrowly elliptic, up to 260 × 70mm, hairless. AM 1967 (Calfort Group)

(r) **Bouquet Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *davidsonianum* (s) × 'Peace' H: Lord Aberconway (1947), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white

(r) **'Bouquet Blanc'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Sesterianum' × 'Countess of Haddington' R: G.M. Adams-Acton (pre 1942), N: G.M. Adams-Acton, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Bouquet de Flore'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Ivery (1857), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac rose. Indian

(a) **'Bouquet de Flore'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Verschaffelt, N: A. Verschaffelt, I: A. Verschaffelt (1864), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, with wavy-edged lobes, salmon rose (20/2), with a pale line down each lobe and a bold yellow blotch deepening at base. Shrub c3.0m. Late. Ghent

(r) **'Bouquet de Flore'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection or hybrid of *catawbiense* L: Standish & Noble (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep purplish rose, with black spots

(r) **'Bouquet de Marie'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Byls (pre 1869), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Bouquet de Noble'** cv. Parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (pre 1864), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft rose

(a) **'Bouquet de Roses'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Delmotte, N: J. Delmotte, I: J. Delmotte (1861), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, dark red. Syn: 'Roseum Flore Pleno', 'Roseiflorum Plenum'. Indian

(a) **'Bouquet d'Orange'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: M. Koster & Sons (1876), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange, with a yellow blotch (Boskoop, 1896, as 'Bouquet Orange'). Mollis

(a) **'Bouquet of Roses'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia/New Zealand (pre 1987) Fls semi-double, deep pink. (Kurume hybrid)

(a) **'Bouquet Parfait'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1843), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent ? (Exhibited by E. Soulange-Bodin, 1843)

(r) **'Bouquet Parfait'** cv. Parentage unknown L: T. Methven & Son (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, with dark spots

(a) **'Bouquet Rose'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1920), N: H.A. Dreer, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 25mm wide, deep purplish pink (55A), deeper in centre and with red stamens. Kurume (Introduced to USA by Domoto Bros and sold by Bobbink & Atkins in 1920; original name lost)

(a) **'Bourbon Supreme'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Melford Chief' × 'Melford Glory' H: R. Badger, G: R. Hacanson, N: R. Hacanson, I: R. Hacanson, REG: R. Hacanson (1970) Fls up to 15/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, vivid yellowish pink (28A), with a vivid orange-yellow (23A) blotch; scented. Lvs light green, heavily veined. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(a) **'Bourdon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' × 'Waraigishi' × 'Pluto' R: B.Y. Morrison (pre 1965), N: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1965) Fls double, 30-40mm wide, with 9-12 lobes, deep to moderate purplish red, with dark dorsal spotting; pistil usually present. Shrub 1.0-1.5m. Early. Back Acres

(a) **'Bournemouth Belle'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Stewart & Son (pre 1965) Fls yellowish pink

(r) **'Bournemouth Belle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Grenadier Group × 'Crest' H: J. May (1969), G: J. May, N: J. May, I: J. May (1988), REG: J. May (1988) Fls 16/truss, funnel-shaped, 55mm wide, 5-lobed, pale yellow (11D), edged, spotted (and striped on the outside)

strong purplish red (54A). Lvs oblong to obovate, 135 × 55mm, hairless. Shrub 1.3 × 1.3m. May

(r) **'Boursault'** (Syn. of 'Catawbiense Boursault')

(a) **'Bouton d'Oranger'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Apollo' × 'Spit Fire' I: E. de Meyer (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright orange. Indian

(a) **'Boutonnière'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Maxwellii' × 'Snow' × *kaempferi* × 'Snow' H: USDA, G: USDA, S: R.L. Pryor, N: USDA (1960), I: USDA (1960), REG: R.L. Pryor (1961) Fls hose-in-hose, 40-45mm wide, white, with a creamy throat. Lvs often only semi-evergreen, dark green. Dwarf, compact shrub, broader than high.

(a) **'Bouton Rose'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1912), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rose. Indian

(r) **'Bow Bells'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Corona' (s) × *williamsianum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c6/truss, broadly campanulate, 45×55-60mm, deep cerise in bud, opening to a lively pink, becoming paler towards the margins with age and with a few crimson spots. Lvs ovate, 40-65 × 30-40mm, dark green above, paler below. Shrub under 1.9m, with bright red young shoots. April-May. AM 1935 (Bow Bells Group)

(r) **Bow Bells Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Corona' (s) × *williamsianum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1934), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Boweri'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Puniceum' × 'Danielsianum' I: France (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) (Parentage requires confirmation; cultivated in France by Margottin (see *Revue Horticole* 1854 p.62))

(r) **'Bowie'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* var. *chapmanii* × *minus* var. *minus* H: H.T. Skinner (1953), G: H.T. Skinner (1957), I: United States National Arboretum (1971), REG: H.T. Skinner (1979) Fls in a head of 10-36 (from 3 or more buds), open funnel-campanulate, 40 × 40mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light to pale purplish pink (62C-D), with a pale brownish green blotch. Calyx 1.5mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 80 × 40mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull olive green above, with small, closely spaced, clear to golden scales below. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 6 years. Early June. ('Bowie' is an F2 selection from this parentage)

(a) **'Bowman'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Osakazuki' (s) × 'Flame' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50-65mm wide, deep pink, with purplish red spots in the blotch. Shrub to 1.5m high, broader than high. Early. Glenn Dale (Seed parent presumably the Wilson introduction (no.34) correctly known as 'Suetsumu')

(r) **'Bow Street'** cv. Elepidoterhododendron: 'Bow Bells' × Socrianum Group × Rima Group H: A.F. George (1963), G: A.F. George (1973), N: A.F. George, I: Hydon Nurseries (1975), REG: A.F. George (1976) Fls 8-10/truss, 48 × 74mm, 5-lobed, pale yellow-green (4D), with slight pink flushing. Calyx 4mm long, coral pink. Lvs elliptic, 95mm long, hairless. May

(r) **'Boylei'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'B. Pycke'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown (Syn. of 'Baron B. Pycke' (Mollis))

(r) **'Brabantia'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1857), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deepest blood red. (Spelling as used by Noble (1857); sometimes seen as 'Brabantio')

(r) **'Brabantia'** cv. Parentage unknown R: M. Koster & Sons, N: M. Koster & Sons, I: M. Koster & Sons (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a large truss, very large, satiny pink. Very early

(r) **'Brabantio'** (See note under 'Brabantia')

(r) **Brachbooth Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *brachyanthum* (s) × *boothii* R: E.J.P. Magor (1920), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1926), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls butter yellow, with a green tinge and darker spots

(r) **Brachdis Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *brachycarpum* (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* R: E.J.P. Magor (1916), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush yellow, with green spotting. (The same cross was made by J.B.Gable and the progeny described as flesh pink with copper markings)

(r) **Brachlep Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *brachyanthum* (s) × *lepidotum* R: E.J.P. Magor (1920), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1924), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **Brachsoul Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *brachycarpum* (s) × *souliei* R: E.J.P. Magor (1917), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1927), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light rose shading to white, darker outside, spotted crimson. Very long pedicels

(r) **Brachy Crest** (Listed as a Delp hybrid, but in fact just an abbreviated form of *brachycarpum* × 'Crest', used by Delp as a parent)

(r) **Brachydum Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *brachyanthum* (s) × *flavidum* R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1921), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Brachydum Primum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *brachyanthum* (from Wilson 6771) (s) × *flavidum* (from Wilson 1773) I: J.C. Williams (1924), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls tubular, 25mm long, pale yellow. Lvs lanceolate, 25 × 13mm, spotted brown below. AM 1924 (Seed parent probably an error for Forrest 6771 (=*rigidum*))

(r) **'Brachynottcutt'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection of hybrid of *brachycarpum* N: J.B. Gable (c 1968) Fls

pink. (Probably the same plant listed as 'Nottcutbrachy'. Said to have been obtained 'from Nottcutt'. If this is the UK firm, then spelling is correctly Notcutt)

(r) **'Bradfield'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *souliei* × *yakushimanum* H: Crown Estate Commissioners (1956), G: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1979), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1979) Fls white, the margin flushed strong purplish pink (63C); outside more uniformly flushed with same colour and dorsal throat spotted deep red (60A). PC 1979

(r) **'Brady's Yellow'** (Syn. of 'Golden Genie')

(r) **'Brakermierianum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Vervaene (1864), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Bramax'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *brachycarpum* × *maximum* R: J.B. Gable (pre 1958), N: J.B. Gable, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white

(r) **'Bramerton Bronze'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Champagne' (s) × 'Jalisco Elect' H: F.S. & G.G. Blake (1977), G: F.S. & G.G. Blake (1981), N: F.S. Blake (1996), REG: F.S. Blake (1996) Fls c10/lax truss, funnel-shaped, 55 × 75mm, with 5-7 slightly wavy-edged lobes, moderate red (47A) in bud, opening inside pale yellow (18C) with dorsal lobe strong yellowish pink (37B) and deepening to a vivid reddish orange (42A) blotch in the throat; outside moderate red (47A), fading with age to light yellowish pink (19B). Calyx uneven, 8-20mm long, strong yellowish pink (37B). Lvs elliptic, 95-125 × 36-50mm, flat, obtuse at base, slightly mucronate at apex, matt moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.6 × 3.0m in 15 years (a shaded specimen). Late spring

(r) **'Bramerton Pastel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Champagne' (s) × 'Jalisco Elect' H: F.S. & G.G. Blake (1977), G: F.S. & G.G. Blake (1981), N: F.S. Blake (1996), REG: F.S. Blake (1996) Fls 8/lax truss, funnel-shaped, 55 × 70mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (48A) in bud, opening moderate purplish pink (54D), with moderate red (47A) spotting on the dorsal lobe and a moderate red (47A) blotch in the throat; outside strong pink (54C). Calyx minute. Lvs elliptic, 77-125 × 27-44mm, flat, obtuse at base, mucronate at apex, matt moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 2.2m in 15 years (a shaded plant). Late spring

(r) **'Bramerton Salmon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Champagne' (s) × 'Jalisco Elect' H: F.S. & G.G. Blake (1977), G: F.S. & G.G. Blake (1981), N: F.S. Blake (1996), REG: F.S. Blake (1996) Fls 6/lax truss, narrow funnel-shaped, 60 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside moderate reddish orange (35B), with strong red (39A) spotting on all lobes (heaviest on 3 dorsal lobes); outside strong red (39A). Calyx uneven, 12-27mm long, strong red (39A). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 58-112 × 23-36mm, flat, obtuse at base, apiculate at apex, matt moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.7 × 1.5m in 15 years. Late spring

(r) **'Bramerton Sunset'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Champagne' (s) × 'Jalisco Elect' H: F.S. & G.G. Blake (1977), G: F.S. & G.G. Blake (1981), N: F.S. Blake (1996), REG: F.S. Blake (1996) Fls 9-10/lax truss, campanulate, 60 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate red (47A) in bud, opening inside deep yellowish pink, shading to moderate red (47A) deep in the throat and with moderate red (47A) spotting on the dorsal lobe; outside strong red (39A); stamens 11, unequal, filaments strong red (39A), anthers brown; ovary greenish grey (202C), style deep yellowish pink (39B), stigma dark red (59A). Calyx 15-18mm long, moderate red (47A). Lvs broadly elliptic, 98-117 × 34-41mm, twisted and with decurved margins, obtuse at base, mucronate at apex, matt and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.6 × 1.6m in 15 years. Late spring

(a) **'Brandon Sunset'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *occidentale* S: W.R. Magness (1975), N: W.R. Magness Fls with an orange flare on all lobes. (Selection from a wild population near Brandon, Oregon, USA)

(r) **'Brandt Red'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Grosclaude Group × 'Britannia' H: L.E. Brandt, G: L.E. Brandt Fls ruby red. Lvs with an indumentum. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. (First published in *Greer's Guidebook to Available Rhododendrons*, 1988)

(r) **'Brandt's Tropicana'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' (s) × 'Goldsworth Orange' H: L.E. Brandt (pre 1965), G: L.J. Pierce (1972), N: E.C. Brockenbrough (as 'Tropicana') (1972), REG: J. Barlup (1998) Fls 11/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 70 × 115mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53B) in bud, opening strong pink (50C) throughout, with bifurcate, deep red (185A) flares (25mm long) changing to abundant moderate red (185B) spotting on three dorsal lobes, sparse moderate red (185B) spotting on other lobes. Calyx 45mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs oblong, 145 × 65mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, with wavy margins, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 10 years. Mid May. Syn: 'Tropicana' (Published in *Greer's Guidebook to Available Rhododendrons* (1996))

(r) **'Brandygreen'** (Syn. of 'Dexter's Brandy-green')

(a) **'Brandywine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Maxwellii' (s) × 'Snow' R: USDA, N: USDA, I: USDA (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, single, 55-65mm wide, salmon. Shrub wider than tall. (Derived from the work of G.E.Yerkes & R.L.Pryor)

(r) **'Brandywine'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *pubescens* (s) × *keiskei* R: G.G. Nearing, N: G.G. Nearing, I: G.G. Nearing (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Trusses 50mm wide; fls pale pink in bud, opening rich rose with a paler centre. Shrub 1.5m in 20 years

(a) **'Brangaene'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Alice' (Kaempferi) R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50-65mm

wide, delicate rose, with a yellow undertone that produces a salmon pink effect and a conspicuous dorsal blotch. Shrub to 2.2m. Early. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Brasero'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Croux, N: Croux, I: Croux (1979) Fls pure red, with 5 more-or-less smooth-edged lobes; anthers very dark. June

(a) **'Brasier'** (See note under 'Brazier')

(r) **'Brasilia'** (Syn. of 'Hachmann's Brasilia')

(r) **'Brass Rubber'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *auriculatum* × *griersonianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1928), I: Lord Aberconway & the National Trust (Bodnant) (1978), REG: Lord Aberconway & the National Trust (Bodnant) (1978) Fls 8-9/loose truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 7-lobed, white, irregularly suffused deep purplish pink (55A), the colour concentrated in the throat and towards edges; outside strong purplish red (54A) and densely covered with glutinous hairs. Calyx irregular, lobes up to 30mm long, red, densely hairy. Lvs narrowly elliptic, up to 150 × 45mm, with a light reddish brown indumentum below. AM 1978

(r) **'Bravissimo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marquis of Waterford' (s) × un-named seedling with brownish red flowers H: B. & M. Shapiro (1968), G: B. & M. Shapiro, N: B. & M. Shapiro, REG: B. & M. Shapiro (1993) Fls 20/tall, domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 51 × 70mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, strong purplish red (71C) in bud, opening to a white centre with distinct, vivid purplish red (67B) and deep purplish pink (67C) margins and with brilliant yellow (13B) speckles on the dorsal lobe. Calyx c1mm long, very pale green. Lvs elliptic, 127 × 51mm, slightly convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.8m in 25 years. Early June

(a) **'Bravo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' × 'Willy' (s) × 'Mrs Carmichael' × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in heads of 2-4, 40mm wide, strong reddish purple, with a purplish red blotch and a scarlet tube. Shrub to 1.5m. Midseason. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Bravo!'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (white form) × *fortunei* × (*arboreum* × *griffithianum*) H: D.G. Leach (c 1953), G: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1970), REG: D.G. Leach (1974) Fls 11-12/truss, open campanulate, 65mm wide, 5-lobed, light purplish pink (4RP 7.5/6), shading to lighter centre with sparse brown spotting. Calyx under 1mm long, green, edged red. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 65mm, flat, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(a) **'Bravura'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum* (s) × 'Tamasugata' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65-75mm wide, white, with light rose pink margins. Shrub 1.2m high, broader than high. Midseason. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Bray'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* × Hawk Group N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners, REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1961) Fls 8/flat-topped, lax truss, 70 × 100mm, campanulate, a very pale shade of mimosa yellow (602/3), shaded paler on dorsal lobes (602/2) and with slight pale pink shading on reverse; buds a variable shade of deep pink. AM 1960

(r) **'Brayanum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1851), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c15/truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 50-60mm, rose-pink, edged crimson, with a few light crimson spots on a light ground. Lvs elliptic, c110 × 45mm (larger on strong shoots), deep, matt green above, hairless below

(a) **'Brazier'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. van Hecke (c 1940), I: A. van Hecke ?, REG: A. van Hecke ? (1968) Fls single, 35mm wide, dark tyrian rose (24/1) tinged with vermilion. (Perhaps correctly 'Brasier', although registered as 'Brazier')

(a) **'Brazil'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Rothschild (pre 1934), N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rather small, vivid reddish orange (17/1), darkening with age; edges slightly frilled. Knap Hill (Lee (1958) & Galle (1985) list an 'A' selection from 'Brazil', described as a strong reddish orange (31A), with wavy-edged lobes)

(r) **'Break Fast'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goldfort' (s) × 'Donna Hardgrove' H: M.E. Byrkit (1976), G: F.S. Winter (1982), N: F.S. Winter (1998), REG: F.S. Winter (2001) Fls 8-10/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 30 × 30mm (& more), 5-lobed, very light yellow to white in bud, opening inside very light yellow fading to white, outside white; unmarked. Calyx 5mm long, pale yellowish green. Lvs ovate, 125 × 60mm, margins decurved, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 20 years. Late April

(r) **'Break of Day'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Dawn's Delight' (s) × *dichroanthum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 9-14/loose truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 50mm, orange, deeper at base, lobes flame-coloured. Calyx half as long as corolla, orange-red. Lvs broadly ovate, up to 125 × 50mm, dark green above, hairless. Compact, low-growing shrub. May. AM 1936 (Break of Day Group)

(r) **Break of Day Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Dawn's Delight' (s) × *dichroanthum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1934), INC: ICRA (1958)

(az) **'Breakthru'** cv. Azaleodendron: 'Oh My!' (s) × 'Gibraltar' (deciduous azalea) H: W.E. Delp (1980), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 14/truss, open funnel-shaped, 41 × 51mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (66A) in bud, opening to a blend of deep, moderate and light purplish pink (66C, D, 68D) and slowly fading to white, with brilliant yellow-green (154C) dorsal spots; filaments yel-

lowish white (155D); style moderate yellowish pink (179D); anthers pale yellow (161C); stigma moderate red (179B). Lvs 121 × 51mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, with a brown, woolly indumentum. Shrub 1.1 × 0.9m in 12 years. Early June

(v) **'Breathless'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: unknown × *herzogii* H: unknown (c 1981), G: G.L.S. Snell (1989), N: R. Macdonald (1991), I: Foothills Nursery (1991), REG: Foothills Nursery (1992) Fls 15-20/flat truss, long tubular funnel-shaped, 60 × 40mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, lobes light yellowish pink (27A) in bud, opening inside light yellow (10C); outside light yellow (10C). Lvs elliptic, 80 × 30mm, flat, matt green, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.5m. Spring-autumn

(r) **'Breathtaking'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla', green-eyed form (s) × 'Mrs G.W. Leak' H: J. Looye, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63A, B) and strong purplish pink (63C) in bud, opening strong, light and pale purplish pink (63C, D, 62D) and with a white flare and dark red (59A) dorsal spots; filaments and style greenish white (157D); anthers moderate orange (166D); stigma strong orange (168A). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Brebneri'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1858), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose lake, with a pale centre and a fine eye. (Attributed to Byls in a J.J. Linden cat., 1878/79)

(r) **'Breck Dark Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), L: Transplant Nursery (1987) Fls pink, with a white stripe in centre of each lobe, with a very dark maroon blotch covering half the dorsal lobe. Shrub 1.2-1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Breck White'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), L: Transplant Nursery (1987) Fls white, with a yellow throat and a yellow dorsal blotch. Shrub 1.2-1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Bred Line'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Gosh Darn!' (s) × *wardii* H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls pale purplish pink (62D), vivid red (57A) and vivid purplish red (57B) in bud, opening white, edged strong purplish pink; outside strong purplish pink (63C); anthers greyish reddish orange (176C). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Brehmer's Schneeflöckchen'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *trichostomum* G: H. Hachmann, S: W. Brehmer (1992), N: H. Hachmann (1998), I: H. Hachmann (1998), REG: G. Stück (1999) Fls 18-36/tight ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 10 × 18mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, cream white in bud, opening pure white inside and out, unmarked; stamens 8-10, filaments white, anthers caramel-coloured and conspicuous; style light green, stigma reddish brown. Calyx 0.8-1.0mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 23 × 7mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, matt green above, scaly. Shrub 0.7 × 0.8m in 10 years, with notably handsome foliage. Mid-late May. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1998-2000 (1998))

(r) **'Brei'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* (yellow selection no.3) (s) × 'C.I.S.' × 'Lem's Goal' H: A.A. Childers (1970), G: A.A. Childers (1977), N: M. Childers (1977), REG: M. Childers (1997) Fls 13/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65-105mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong yellowish pink (31C) in bud, opening brilliant yellow (13C), unmarked, with the outside tinged strong yellowish pink (31C). Calyx irregular, 3-20mm long, brilliant yellow (13C), tinged strong yellowish pink (31C). Lvs elliptic, 150 × 55mm, flat, rounded at base, broadly acute at apex, dull moderate olive green (137A) above, moderate yellow-green (146C) below, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 2.0m in 30 years. Early May

(r) **'Bremen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: unknown × *williamsianum* R: D.G. Hobbie (pre 1945), S: W. Bruns, N: W. Bruns, I: W. Bruns (1962) Fls 6-11/truss, 60-80mm wide, light red, with a weak blotch and wavy-edged lobes. Lvs elliptic, 40-70mm long, light dull green

(r) **'Bremen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *haematodes* × red *catawbiense* hybrid R: G. Arends, I: G.D. Böhlje (1959), REG: G.D. Böhlje (1964) Fls 6-11/truss, 60-80mm wide, rosy red, with faint brown markings. Lvs with some brown tomentum below. Shrub up to c1.0m

(r) **Brenda Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'John Henry Agnew' (s) × *griersonianum* R: L. de Rothschild (1927), N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, in compact trusses

(r) **'Brenda'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi King George' × 'Loder's White' H: Mansfield (pre 1935), N: G.H. Loder, I: G.H. Loder, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. PC 1935

(r) **'Brenda Lee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catawbiense Compactum' (s) × 'Purple Splendour' H: H.R. Yates (1960), G: H.R. Yates (1965), N: Mrs M. Yates, I: Mrs M. Yates (1970), REG: Mrs M. Yates (1977) Fls 11/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purple (81B), with a paler blotch covered with dark red (187A) spots. Calyx minute, light yellow-green (145C). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 125 × 45mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 15 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Brenda's Choice'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Elizabeth Group × *wardii* H: G.H. Taylor (1976), G: G.H. Taylor (1983), N: G.H. Taylor, I: G.H. Taylor (1990), REG: G.H. Taylor (1990) Fls 7-8/truss, campanulate, 45 × 55mm, with 5-6 lobes, strong purplish red (58B), a small darker blotch deep in dorsal throat and a few darker spots on dorsal lobes. Calyx 5mm long, green at base, tinged red at top. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 140 × 40mm, shiny green above, with recurved margins, hairless. Shrub 3.0 × 1.0m in 12 years. June

(r) **'Brenda Yates'** cv. Parentage unknown H: H.R. Yates (pre 1980)

(r) **'Brendon King'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Elisabeth Hobbie' (s) × 'Earl of Athlone' H: H.W. King (c 1972), G: S.M. King, N: S.M. King, I: S.M. King, REG: S.M. King (1984) Fls in compact trusses, deep blood red. Lvs dark glossy green. Shrub prostrate or low-growing

(r) **'Brennus'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rich crimson lake. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Brentor'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* (s) × Hawk Group R: L.S. Fortescue, N: L.S. Fortescue, REG: L.S. Fortescue (1972) Fls strong orange (26B), fading to cream, with a basal blotch of moderate red (47A). (Pollen parent described as the "Exbury A var.")

(a) **'Breslau'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown, although said to be 'developed from 'Hexe" I: A. Steyaert (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double and hose-in-hose, with frilled lobes, strong purplish red (58B), from rose buds. Calyx coloured as corolla. Indian

(r) **'Breslau'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Von Oheimb-Woislowitz' × *wardii* R: D.G. Hobbie (c 1955), N: D.G. Hobbie (1980) Fls cream-coloured, with dark red dorsal markings

(r) **'Bretonne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Purple Lace' H: M. Colombel (1985), G: M. Colombel (1989), N: M. Colombel, I: A Sandy Rhododendron, REG: C. Hoffman & M. Colombel (1996) Fls 18-20/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, c45xc65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pinkish red in bud, opening light lavender/pink. Lvs lanceolate, 150 × 40mm, margins flat to decurved, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Brets Own'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1988)

(r) **'Brewster'** cv. Parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), N: Swarthmore College & Heritage Plantation, I: Swarthmore College & Heritage Plantation Fls lavender

(a) **'Breynii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1680), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose red. Indian (The first known Indian azalea)

(r) **'Brian'** cv. 'Purple Splendour' (s) × 'Arthur Bedford' H: M. Stockman (1983), G: M. Stockman (1988), N: M. & H. Stockman, I: M. & H. Stockman (1992), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1992) Fls 14/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 51 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish red (58A) in bud, opening light purple (75A) with a large, strong purplish red (63A) dorsal blotch, densely spotted dark red (59A) to nearly black; stamens 9, curved, unequal. Calyx 5mm long, cream. Pedicels 25mm long, light green, tinged red. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 121 × 35mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, bullate and dark, glossy green above, hairless; petioles 16mm long, light green. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m in 9 years. Mid May

(r) **'Brian Davidson'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *lapponicum* G: A.J. Richards (1984), S: B. Davidson (1978), N: A.J. Richards (1993), REG: A.J. Richards (1993) Fls 2-7/truss, funnel-shaped, 10-15mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, carmine in bud, opening light but intense red-purple inside; outside light purple; unspotted; filaments orange; not scented. Calyx 8-10mm long, blackish green (owing to dark scales). Lvs oblanceolate 14-18 × 7-11mm, flat, margins decurved, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, matt green above, scaly. Shrub 12 × 20cm in 15 years. February-March. PC 1993 (Seed collected in Newfoundland by B.Davidson)

(r) **'Brian Howell'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *macabeanum* (s) × *praestans* H: D. Betteridge (1984), G: D. Betteridge (c 1988), N: E. de Rothschild (2002), REG: E. de Rothschild (2002) Fls c30/hemispherical truss, campanulate, 50 × 60mm, with 8 flat-edged lobes, cream in bud, opening creamy white (pale yellow-green (157B)) inside and out, with a spreading, deep red (53A) blotch extending 15mm at base of 2 dorsal lobes; stamens c16, filaments white, anthers dark brown; style greenish white; stigma broad, pale pink; ovary densely white tomentose. Calyx very short, pink. Bracts pink. Lvs broadly elliptic, 220 × 110mm, flat edged, obtuse and apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, matt green above, with silvery white indumentum above and below when young, overlying indumentum becoming tinged pinkish brown below with age. Shrub 2.5 × 3.0m in 15 years. March. FCC 2002 (Named for a member of the Exbury Gardens Board of Trustees. Standard: herbarium specimen supplied by registrant (WSY 0033492))

(r) **'Brianna'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Naomi Group (s) × 'Mrs Horace Fogg' H: R.C. Rhodes (pre 1979), G: K. Gibson (pre 1985), N: K. Gibson, REG: K. Gibson (1995) Fls 14/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 75mm, with 6 smooth-edged lobes, inside deep purplish pink (67C); outside strong purplish red (63A); stamens 14, curved, unequal. Pedicels 25mm long, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 152 × 51mm, hairless; petioles 38mm long, dark red. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 10 years. Mid May

(v) **'Brianna Bell'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *zoelleri* × (*christianae* × *konori*) (s) × 'Gardenia Odyssey' H: B. Clancy (1994), G: B. Clancy (1997), N: G. Roelink (2000), I: G. Roelink (2000), REG: G. Roelink (2000) Fls 7-12/open truss, tubular-campanulate, 55 × 86mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, brilliant orange (25C) in bud, opening inside and out with a brilliant orange (25C) throat and strong red (41B) lobes; unmarked. Lvs obovate to broadly elliptic, 85 × 50mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, matt green above, with small brown scales. Shrub 1.0 × 0.8m in 6 years. Flowering throughout the year

(a) **'Briarcliffe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J.T. Dawson, I: Arnold Arboretum (1915), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 30mm wide, moderate purplish pink (62B). Amoena

(r) **'Briareus'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, marked as in 'Doctor Hooker'. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Bric-à-brac'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *leucaspis* (s) × *moupinense* R: L. de Rothschild (c 1934), N: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1945), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3/truss, 35 × 50mm, very broadly funnel-shaped, pure white, with faint dorsal markings and chocolate anthers. Calyx lobes 5-7mm long, very pale green. Bud scales brightly coloured, persistent. Lvs obovate, dark, more-or-less glossy green above, scaly below. Shoots bristly and glandular. Shrub 0.5-0.6m. March. AM 1945 (Bric-à-brac Group)

(r) **Bric-à-brac Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *leucaspis* (s) × *moupinense* R: L. de Rothschild (c 1934), N: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1945), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Brickdust'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: J.S. Yeates, N: D.G. Leach (pre 1977), I: D.G. Leach (pre 1977) Fls reddish orange, very large

(r) **'Brickdust'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *williamsianum* (s) × Dido Group R: R. Henny, N: R. Henny (1959), I: R. Henny, REG: R. Henny (1961) Fls 6-8/truss, funnel-campanulate, 75mm wide, rose madder (32/2), shaded to rhodonite red (22/3), with the tube almost white. Lvs rounded, 40mm wide. Shrub 0.8m in 10 years

(r) **'Bridal Bouquet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × unknown H: W.E. Whitney (pre 1973), N: Mrs A. Sather, I: Mrs A. Sather (1987), REG: E.J. Beutler (1997) Fls 6-10/ball truss, some hose-in-hose, some with petaloid stamens, broadly funnel- to saucer-shaped, c60 × 80mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, pink in bud, opening inside pale yellow (8D) with a few red spots on the two dorsal lobes and with nearly white margins; outside light greenish yellow (8C). Lvs elliptic, 80 × 55mm, margins slightly decurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.4 × 0.6m in 5 years. Early-mid May. (Published in Whitney Gardens & Nursery cat., 1987)

(a) **'Bridal Veil'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Louise' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 75mm wide, white, with a yellow-green blotch on the upper three lobes. Shrub to 1.5m. Early. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Bride'** (See also under 'The Bride' (Henderson))

(r) **'Bride'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Caucasicum Album', selfed R: Standish & Noble, N: Standish & Noble, I: Standish & Noble (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with green spots. Lvs much variegated. (Bean (1976) described a *caucasicum* hybrid with similar flowers in greater detail (under 'The Bride'), but it lacked variegated foliage; either this was not the same plant or the variegation had been lost. It is still in cultivation). FCC 1871

(a) **'Bride of Abydos'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: W. Barnes (c 1862), N: W. Barnes, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, white, flaked pale rosy pink. C 1862. Indian (Standish & Noble (1854) list a plant with this name, described as salmon rose)

(r) **'Bride of Abydos'** cv. Parentage unknown L: H.A. Hesse (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac pink. Syn: 'Bride of Apios'

(r) **'Bride of Apios'** (Syn. of 'Bride of Abydos')

(r) **'Brides' Blush'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lem's Cameo' (s) × 'Apricot Sherbet' H: L.A. Hutchison (1992), G: L.A. Hutchison (1997), N: L.A. Hutchison (1998), I: Elliott's Wholesale Nursery Ltd, REG: L.A. Hutchison (1999) Fls 14-16/loose ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45 × 85-100mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (58D) to pale purplish pink (62D) in bud, opening pure white inside and out with a tinge of light purplish pink (68D) at lobe sinuses as well as a spot of strong purplish red (67A); a small blotch of brilliant yellow-green (154B) on the dorsal lobes at the base of the throat; style creamy white, stigma strong greenish yellow (151B). Lvs oblanceolate, 115 × 48mm, margins slightly wavy and slightly decurved, broadly obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, matt and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.7 × 1.0m in 5 years, the new growth reddish brown at first. Mid October-early November (New Zealand)

(a) **'Bride's Bouquet'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, flushed pale pink. Knap Hill

(a) **'Bride's Bouquet'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Warai-gishi' × 'Kagetsu' × 'Rogetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1965) Fls double, 50-65mm wide, with 15-20 lobes (looking rather gardenia-like), pure white, unspotted. Normal pistil present. Columnar bush. Back Acres (The 'Rosebud' concerned is probably the Kurume)

(a) **'Bride's Bouquet'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Blushing Bride' × 'Rosebud' R: H. Kerrigan (pre 1987), N: H. Kerrigan Fls very double, white

(a) **'Bridesmaid'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light rose, scarcely spotted. Indian (Exhibited by Todman in 1862)

(a) **'Bridesmaid'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1920), N: H.A. Dreer, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 40mm wide, deep yellowish pink (44D), with prominent stamens. Kurume (Introduced to USA by Domoto Bros and sold by Bobbink & Atkins in 1920s; original name lost)

(a) **'Bridesmaid'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1939), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a yellow blotch. Tall shrub. Occidentale

(r) **'Bridesmaid'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Standish & Noble (pre 1850), N: Standish & Noble, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white; variegated foliage

(v) **'Bridesmaid Bouquet'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Arthur's Choice' (s) × *carringtoniae* H: B. Clancy (1988), G: B. Clancy (1993), N: B. Clancy (1998), I: Vireya Valley Nursery (1998), REG: G. Roelink (1998) Fls 6-8/open, flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 45 × 52mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, pale yellow-green (155A) in bud, opening inside and out pale yellow-green (155A), finely edged with light purplish pink (55C); anthers brown; scented. Lvs obovate, 85 × 48mm, flat, glossy green, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, with minute, tan scales. Shrub 0.75 × 0.9m in 10 years

(a) **'Bridesmaid White'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1988)

(r) **'Bridge'** (See 'The Bridge')

(r) **'Bridge North'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Henry R. Yates' (s) × 'Boule de Neige' H: C. Herbert (1968), G: W.A. Reese, I: W.A. Reese, REG: W.A. Reese (1977) Fls up to 14/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 90mm wide, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (55B), fading to pale purplish pink (55D) and with gold spots on dorsal lobe. Calyx 6mm long, yellowish green. Lvs elliptic, 110 × 55mm, hairless. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Early-mid May

(r) **'Bridgeport'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi Helen' × *strigillosum* R: H.L. Larson (pre 1968), N: H.L. Larson

(r) **'Briefly Said'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Princess Elizabeth' (s) × 'Sultry Peach' H: T.L. Ring, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls strong red (47B), deep yellowish pink (47C) and deep pink (47D) in bud, opening deep pink (47D), edged strong red (47B), deep yellowish pink (47C) and deep pink (47D), with a light yellow (154D) flare and deep yellowish pink (47C) dorsal spots; filaments and style pale pink (49D); anthers pale yellow (161D); stigma dark reddish orange (173A). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Brigadier'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Dawn's Delight' (s) × *arboreum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large, loose trusses, pink. Tall shrub. April-May. (Brigadier Group)

(r) **Brigadier Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Dawn's Delight' (s) × *arboreum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1934), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Brigadoon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: unknown (s) × *yakushimanum* subsp. *yakushimanum* H: H.L. Larson (pre 1977), G: F. & J. Minch (1987), N: F. & J. Minch, REG: F. & J. Minch (1989) Fls 8/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 64 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (44A). Calyx 51mm long, vivid red (44A). Lvs elliptic, 127 × 51mm, convex, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, dull green and hairless above, with a brown felt-like indumentum below. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in 12 years. May

(r) **'Briggs Red Star'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: derived from colchicine-treated 'The Honourable Jean-Marie de Montague' G: Briggs Nursery (1992), N: Briggs Nursery (1996), I: Briggs Nursery, REG: Briggs Nursery (1996) Fls 12-14/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 90mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, inside strong red, centre 53D darkening to 53C at margins, with strong red (53B) veining, and dark red (187A) speckles in the throat; outside strong red (53D), darkening to 53C at margins; colour fades slightly with age. Pedicels 40mm long, brilliant yellow-green (150C). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 90-140 × 30-45mm, with wavy and upcurved margins, moderate olive green (147A) above, strong yellow-green (144A) below, hairless; petioles 15-20mm long, strong greenish yellow (151C). Shrub 0.6 × 0.5m in 3 years. Late April-early May. Confirmed to be tetraploid. (Derived from material treated with colchicine in 1987. First published in Briggs Nursery cat., 1996/97 (1996))

(a) **'Bright and Lively'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *calendulaceum* R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls large, golden yellow. Early June

(a) **'Bright Eyes'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lambertus C. Bobbink' × 'Madame Butterfly' R: H. Kerrigan, N: H. Kerrigan, L: Galle (1987) Fls vivid red, with a white centre

(r) **Bright Eyes Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* (s) × *diphrocalyx* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, flushed pink

(a) **'Bright Forecast'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light yellowish orange, with a deep orange blotch; scented. Knap Hill

(r) **'Bright Future'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: (*fortunei* subsp. *discolor* hybrid × *facetum*) × (*fortunei* subsp. *discolor* hybrid × *griersonianum*) × ('Jalisco Eclipse' × Fusilier Group) × Fabia Group H: Waterer (Bagshot) (1958), G: Waterer (Bagshot) (1968), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975) Fls 10-12/truss, 40-50 × 30-40mm, 5-lobed, apricot in bud, opening to cream with a pink flush, dorsal lobes spotted greeny yellow. Calyx very small. Lvs 90 × 30mm. May

(v) **'Bright Lights'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* × *zoelleri* H: G.L.S. Snell, G: G.L.S. Snell (1988), N: R. Macdonald (1990), I: Foothills Nursery (1990), REG: R. Macdonald (1990) Fls 6-8/truss, 70 × 90mm,

funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, tube brilliant yellow (21C), lobes strong reddish orange (32B). Lvs elliptic, 110 × 60mm, hairless. Shrub 1.5m. Autumn

(a) **'Brightly'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably a seedling from 'Glacier' S: I.L. Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L. Amann Fls single, 65mm wide, deep purplish pink (58D), with a darker blotch. Foliage as in 'Glacier'. Sprawling habit. Midseason

(v) **'Brightly'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Tropic Glow' × *lochiae* × *macgregoriae* H: O.S. Blumhardt (1980), G: O.S. Blumhardt (1984), N: O.S. Blumhardt, I: O.S. Blumhardt (1987), REG: O.S. Blumhardt (1987) Fls 6-7/truss, 30 × 55mm, 5-lobed, dutch vermilion (717/2). Calyx 1mm long, red. Lvs elliptic, 75 × 40mm, light green, with minute, slightly darker green scales; petiole deep purple-red

(a) **'Brightness'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Hazlewood Bros (1964) Fls deep cerise pink, with a white eye, ageing to self pink. Indian

(r) **'Bright Prospect'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scintillation' × *haematodes* (or a *haematodes* hybrid) H: Scott Arboretum (1958), G: The Tyler Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister, REG: The Tyler Arboretum (1986) Fls 11/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 64mm, with 5-6-lobes, deep purplish pink (7.5R 6/12), with a blotch of strong purplish red spots (10RP 4/12); outside with a narrow stripe down each lobe of 10RP 4/12. Calyx yellowish and strong purplish pink, upper lobe 19mm long, often recurved, others minute. Lvs elliptic, 114 × 51mm, dull, medium olive green (7.5GY 4/4) above, light yellow-green (7.5GY 9/4) below, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 2.1m in 20 years. Mid May

(r) **'Bright Sight'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Achiever' (s) × *polycladum* Scintillans Group H: W.E. Delp (1981), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 6/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 20 × 25mm, 5-lobed, vivid reddish purple (78A) in bud, opening to a blend of strong and light purple (73B, C, D) and with brilliant greenish yellow (2B) dorsal spots. Lvs 51 × 19mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, scaly. Shrub 0.6 × 0.5m in 11 years. Mid-late May

(a) **'Bright Star'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Linda Jean' × 'Hahn's Red' R: W.L. Guttormsen (pre 1982), N: W.L. Guttormsen Fls single, 65mm wide, with long, narrow lobes, yellowish white (155D). Shrub 0.4m in 10 years

(a) **'Bright Straw'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep yellow, with a deeper blotch. Knap Hill

(r) **'Brightwell'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *forrestii* Repens Group (KW 6832) × *barbatum* R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1966), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1966) Fls 8/loose truss, broadly campanulate, 40 × 55mm, strong red (46A). Calyx 3mm long, paler red. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 65 × 25mm, hairless. AM 1966

(r) **'Brigitte'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *insigne* (s) × 'Mrs J.G. Millais' H: H. Hachmann (1965), G: H. Hachmann (1970), I: H. Hachmann (1980), REG: G. Stück(1983) Fls 19-23/truss, 45 × 70mm, 5-lobed, deep purplish pink (68A), shading inwards to light purplish pink (68D) and yellowish white (155D), conspicuously blotched yellow-green to yellow (153A-B(-D)). Calyx 2-4mm long, greenish. Lvs lanceolate, 100-130 × 30-60mm, hairy. Shrub up to 2.0m

(r) **'Brigitte Bardot'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Creeping Jenny' H: I. Hamilton (1989), G: I. Hamilton, N: I. Hamilton, REG: I. Hamilton (1996) Fls 10/ball truss, shallowly cup-shaped, 45 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (55A), un-marked, centre of fls paling with age; stigma dark red; style coloured as corolla but darker; stamens 10. Calyx minute, grey. Lvs oblong, 95 × 40mm, flat, acute at base and apex, matt green above, with a thin, moderate orange-yellow (164B), felted indumentum. Shrub 0.43 × 0.55m in 7 years. May

(a) **'Brillant'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Scheuermann (1849), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 55mm wide, rose, with a tyrian rose blotch (1958 Register, under 'Brillant'), dark scarlet (under 'Brilliant'); dark orange scarlet, late flowering (Veitch, 1870 as 'Brilliant' (Scheuermann)). Indian

(a) **'Brillant'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ernest Eeckhaute' × 'Veronica' I: P.B. van Acker (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, with wavy-edged lobes, bright rose. Indian

(r) **'Brillant'** (See 'Le Brillant')

(r) **'Brillant'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Gertrud Schäle Group (s) × Gertrud Schäle Group H: H. Hachmann (c 1955) Fls bright scarlet

(a) **'Brillanta'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, 75mm wide, with a few small lobes in centre and a few larger ones that more-or-less equal the size of the outermost lobes, red. Indian

(a) **'Brillanta Belgica'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ernest Eeckhaute' × 'Haerensianum' I: A. Haerens (1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, 75mm wide, between deep purplish pink and vivid red. Lvs dark green. Indian

(a) **'Brillantina'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Vervaene (1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark purple, with a bright red blotch. Indian

(a) **'Brilliance'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* L: Boskoop (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red. Mollis

(a) **'Brilliance'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L.L. Brooks (pre 1987), N: L.L. Brooks Fls hose-in-hose, orange-red. Indian

(r) **'Brilliancy'** (Error for × *Ledodendron* 'Brilliant'; see under 'Brilliant' in this Register)

(a) **'Brilliant'** (See 'Brillant')

(a) **'Brilliant'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Vuylsteke (1875), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cinnabar red, with an orange sheen. Ghent

(a) **'Brilliant'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1920), N: H.A. Dreer, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon rose, darker at edges. Kurume (Imported to USA by Domoto Bros & re-named by Dreer as original name lost)

(r) **'Brilliant'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1867), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright scarlet. Syn: 'Bagshot Brilliant' (? = Standish & Noble's 1849 introduction under this name, described as "rosy crimson")

(r) **'Brilliant'** cv. *Ledum glandulosum* × Elizabeth Group R: L.L. Brooks (pre 1962), I: H.E. Greer Fls 2-4/truss, tubular-campanulate, 20-30 × 25mm, bright red. Calyx lobes ovate, glandular. Lvs elliptic, 20-50 × 15-20mm, acute at apex and at base, mucronate, bright green above, dull and paler below, glandular ciliate, glandular pubescent below; foliage aromatic when crushed. Shrub 0.5 × 0.9m in 5 years. (NB: This is a × *Ledodendron* cv. and not a pure *Rhododendron*)

(v) **'Brilliant'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Duchess of Edinburgh × *javanicum* R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1883), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65mm wide, scarlet. FCC 1883

(r) **'Brilliant Abbé'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *Kalmia latifolia* × *williamsianum* × *arboreum* subsp. *delavayi* H: New Zealand Rhododendron Association (pre 1964), G: Mrs R. Pinney, N: Mrs R. Pinney, REG: Mrs R. Pinney (1985) Fls in a rounded truss, 45 × 65mm, vivid red (45A), with darker spots inside. Lvs 75-150mm long, with sparse, moderate orange-yellow (164C) indumentum below. (Seed parent was Lem's supposed intergeneric cross and so 'Brilliant Abbé ' is not a pure *Rhododendron* cv)

(a) **'Brilliantissimum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Holly Heath Nursery (1978) Fls bright red. Indian

(a) **'Brilliant Red'** (Syn. of 'Koster's Brilliant Red')

(r) **'Brillianum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a selection or hybrid of *arboreum* L: M. Guérin (1842), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Brilow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' × 'Loder's White' H: R. Winter, I: Mrs A.H. Potter (1989) Shrub to 6.0m

(a) **'Brimfield Pink'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Brimfield Gardens, N: Brimfield Gardens, I: W.J. Spaargaren & Sons (1960), REG: W.J. Spaargaren & Sons (1969) Fls 12-17/truss, narrowly tubular funnel-shaped, 55mm wide, light purplish pink on outside, gradually fading to purplish red on the tube; scented. Occidentale

(r) **'Brim's Heartburn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Parker's Pink' (s) × Avocet Group H: J.D. Brim (1995), G: M.J. & B. Whitman (1999), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (2000), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (2000) Fls 18/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 100mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (66C) in bud, opening light purplish pink (73C) at edges, fading to pale pinkish white, with a small orange-brown flare in the throat of the dorsal lobe, spreading out as light greenish yellow (8C) rays on the three dorsal lobes; outside light purplish pink (73C) flushed with deep purplish pink (66C); strongly to moderately scented. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 200 × 65mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins flat, dull and near moderate olive green (137A) above, the midvein strong yellow-green (144B), hairless. Shrub 0.7 × 1.0m in 5 years. Late May

(a) **'Brimstage'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: M.C. Pratt (c 1986), G: Ness Botanic Gardens (1996), N: Ness Botanic Gardens, REG: Ness Botanic Gardens (1998) Fls single, 10-12/loose truss, broadly tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (61D) in bud, opening inside pale purplish pink (62D) flushed light purplish pink (63D), outside strong purplish pink (63C); vivid yellow (14A) blotch on the dorsal lobe; scented. Calyx 5mm long, moderate yellow-green (143D). Lvs elliptic, 20-80 × 7-25mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 1.0m in 12 years. June-July. Good autumn foliage colour

(a) **'Brimstone'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale yellow, with a deeper blotch. Knap Hill

(r) **'Brinco'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Loderi Group (s) × *thomsonii* R: L. de Rothschild (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, in big trusses, bright rose pink. Tall, erect shrub. April. Very similar to the Aurora Group

(v) **'Brindabella'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* × (*zoelleri* × *polyanthemum*) (s) × 'Sunny' H: B. Clancy (1991), G: B. Clancy (1995), N: B. Clancy (1999), I: Vireya Valley Nursery (1999), REG: G. Roelink (1999) Fls 6/open truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 24 × 60mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, buds strong orange-yellow (17A), tinged vivid reddish orange (33A), opening strong orange-yellow (17A) in the tube, with lobe edges vivid reddish orange (33A), outside similarly coloured; unmarked. Lvs ovate, 57 × 29mm, margins upcurved, acute at apex, attenuate at base, glossy green above. Compact shrub 0.8 × 0.6m in 8 years. Autumn-spring

(a) **'Brinnon Beauty'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown G: Mr & Mrs H.L. Bailey, N: Mr & Mrs H.L. Bailey, I: Mr & Mrs H.L. Bailey, REG: Mr & Mrs H.L. Bailey (1986) Fls 17/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 100 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged, recurved lobes, moderate red (182A) in bud, opening strong red (39A), with a prominent orange blotch and with a strong reddish orange (32B) throat; outside vivid reddish orange (42A). Calyx 7mm long, light yellowish green. Lvs oblanceolate to narrowly obovate, 90-108 × 25-35mm, glossy and moderate yellow-green (146D) above, hairy; foliage red in autumn. Shrub 1.9 × 1.9m in 14 years. Mid May. Knap Hill (Seed collected 1969)

(r) **'Brinny'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Day Dream Group × Margaret Dunn Group × un-named seedling H: W. Groves, G: Mr & Mrs K. Janeck, N: Mr & Mrs K. Janeck, REG: Mr & Mrs K. Janeck (1964) Fls 8-10/compact truss, campanulate, 115mm wide, bronze in bud, opening bright yellow with a bronze centre. Lvs lanceolate, up to 125 × 40mm, bright green. Shrub 1.2m in 8-10 years

(r) **'Brio'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Furnivall's Daughter' (s) × 'Powell Glass' H: J.M. Cunic (1988), G: J.M. Cunic (1995), N: J.M. Cunic (1996), REG: J.M. Cunic (1997) Fls 13/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, light purplish pink (68D) in bud, opening inside white lightly tinged pink, with a prominent, dark red (59A) blotch and superimposed 59A spots - covering an area c40 × 15mm; outside white with light purplish pink (73C) midribs. Calyx c1.5mm long, strong yellow-green (143B). Lvs elliptic, 130 × 65mm, decurved but with flat margins, broadly acute at apex, cordate at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 0.75m in 7 years. Mid May

(r) **'Brisanz'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × *haematodes* (s) × 'Erato' H: H. Hachmann (1987), G: H. Hachmann (1992), N: H. Hachmann (1997), I: H. Hachmann (1998), REG: G. Stück (1999) Fls 14/fairly compact truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 30 × 55-65mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53B) inside and out, not fading in the sun; dark red (187A) markings on the dorsal lobe; stamens 10, filaments white (with 1-2mm at base deep pink (52B)), anthers greyish brown/moderate reddish brown (166A/B). Calyx 20-35mm long, hose-in-hose, strong red (53B). Lvs elliptic, 90-110 × 27-38mm, flat, apiculate at apex, rounded/cuneate at base, matt green above, with brown hairs. Shrub 0.6 × 1.1m in 10 years. Early-late May. (Published in Hachmann cat., 1998-2000 (1998), plus colour photograph)

(r) **'Bristol'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pink Parasol' (s) × 'Party Pink' H: D.G. Leach (1968), G: D.G. Leach (1973), N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1992), REG: D.G. Leach (1995) Fls 13/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, white, with strong purplish red (63B) stripes along the length of the lobes and with a greenish yellow blotch on the dorsal lobe. Lvs narrowly ovate, 76-89 × 25-38mm, flat, acute at apex, oblique at base, deep green and hairless above, with sparse, felted, tan hairs below when young (becoming very sparse on mature lvs). Shrub at least 0.6 × 1.4m in 27 years (original plant has a pruned main stem). Mid-late May

(r) **'Bristol Cream'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: Weston Nurseries (pre 1998), N: Weston Nurseries

(r) **'Britalier'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' × Fusilier Group H: Davis (pre 1988) Fls red. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Late

(r) **'Britannia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Queen Wilhelmina' (s) × 'Stanley Davies' R: C.B. van Nes & Sons, N: C.B. van Nes & Sons, I: C.B. van Nes & Sons (1921), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c15/domed truss, 50 × 70mm, campanulate, soft rose scarlet, spotted dark brown on dorsal lobes, throat slightly paler; nectaries dark scarlet. Calyx very small. Lvs obovate to oblong-ovate, c140 × 60mm, dull green above. Shrub up to 2.0m. AM 1921, *AM 1948, *FCC 1937

(r) **'Britannia's Bells'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' × *williamsianum* R: B.F. Lancaster (1958), N: B.F. Lancaster, I: B.F. Lancaster (1965), REG: B.F. Lancaster (1967) Fls 7-8/truss, broadly campanulate, 40 × 75mm, 5-lobed, rose red (724/2). Lvs ovate, up to 50 × 40mm, cordate at base. Shrub 0.3 × 0.4m in 8 years. Mid April

(r) **'British Queen'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Davies (pre 1871), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c12/truss, 55-65mm wide, broadly funnel-shaped, blush, fading to white with a broad, crimson, dorsal ray. Calyx very small, upper lobe sometimes elongated. Lvs oblanceolate, to 130 × 35mm, dark green above, with a plastered, shining brown indumentum below. Reminiscent of 'Boddaertianum' but shorter

(r) **'Briton Ferry'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink

(r) **'Britoreo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' (s) × *oreodoxa* R: D.G. Hobbie (1946), N: D.G. Hobbie, I: J. Wieting, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 6-11/rounded truss, 45-65mm wide, 5-7-lobed, bright purplish rose, with many weak, small, dark red spots

(r) **'Brittany'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Bowie' (s) × *keiskei* (dwarf form) H: D.G. Leach (1974), G: D.G. Leach (1979), N: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1991) Fls 6/flat truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 25 × 41mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, briefly pale yellow, then a mixture of pale yellowish pink (36D) and light yellowish pink (36C); outside moderate pink (51D). Calyx minute. Pedicels 11mm long, greenish to dark red. Lvs elliptic, 58 × 25mm, concave, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless above, scaly below; petioles 7mm long, dark red. Shrub 1.1 × 1.4m, of spreading habit. Midseason

(r) **'Brittenhill'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague' × 'Red Loderi' R: B.M. Smith (pre 1997), N: B.M. Smith Fls in large trusses, bright red. Lvs large, waxy, deep green

(r) **'Brittenhill Bugle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Karkov' (s) × 'Red Loderi' H: B.M. Smith (c 1973), G: B.M. Smith (c 1977), N: B.M. Smith, I: Ward's Garden (c 1980), REG: B.M. Smith (1992) Fls 9-10/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 76 × 102mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (46B) with a star-shaped eye radiating c25mm, almost black (darker than 46A) at outer edges, somewhat lighter in centre; outside shades from vivid red (45A) at margins to vivid red (46B) at base with strong red (46A) radial lines near centre of lobes; stamens 10-12, straight, unequal; anthers darker than strong red (46A); filaments vivid red (45C); stigma large, strong red (46A); style vivid red (45C). Calyx 5mm long, strong red (46A). Pedicels 25mm long, vivid red (46B) at top. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 152 × 51mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, bullate and dark green (135A) above, moderate yellow-green (147C) below: new growth and lower side of lvs with a tan indumentum; petioles strong yellow-green (143C). Shrub 2.1 × 2.4m in 10 years, with moderate red (181B) bud scales. Late April-early May

(a) **'Briza'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Attributed to Knight & Perry)

(r) **'Brocade'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *williamsianum* hybrid (s) R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c6/truss, campanulate, 50 × 60mm, with 5-6 very wavy-edged lobes, blush white, shaded rose pink externally. Calyx minute. Lvs oblong-ovate, 45-75 × 20-45mm, matt green above, hairless below. Shrub to 1.5m. April-May. (Brocade Group. See note under Brocade Group concerning parentage)

(r) **Brocade Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *williamsianum* hybrid (s) R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) (Claimed to have been derived from 'Vervaeneanum' × *williamsianum* (ie an azaleodendron), but there is no apparent influence of the azalea)

(a) **'Brocade Pillow'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nancy of Robinhill' (s) × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls double, hose-in-hose, 75mm wide, light pink centre, with salmon red to coral margins and tips (when mature); occasional salmon red sectors and light pink selfs. Shrub 0.45 × 0.9m. Late May. (First published in Holly Springs cat., 1990)

(r) **'Brocole'** cv. Parentage unknown I: A.W. Heneage-Vivian (1933), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Broderie Anglaise'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Butter Brickle' (s) × 'Noyo Chief' H: B. Sligh (1984), G: B. Sligh (1990), N: B. Sligh (1994), REG: B. Sligh (1994) Fls 20/full truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 70mm, with 5 wavy to frilly-edged lobes, buds deep pink (50B), opening inside light greenish yellow/pale yellow-green (4C/D), edged moderate yellowish pink (38B); outside similarly coloured; unspotted. Calyx 5mm long, brilliant yellow-green (154B), edged strong red (46A). Lvs elliptic, 130 × 60mm, margins decurved, rounded to slightly acute at apex, rounded at base, matt green. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m in 8 years. Mid October-early November

(r) **'Brodick'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from *rex* subsp. *arizelum* R: National Trust for Scotland (Brodick), N: National Trust for Scotland (Brodick), I: National Trust for Scotland (Brodick), REG: National Trust for Scotland (Brodick) (1963) Fls c20/compact, globular truss, solferino purple (26/3-26/2) with a small, blackish crimson blotch. AM 1963

(r) **'Bromeliifolium'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection or hybrid of *ponticum* L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Brönderslev Beauty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' (s) × 'Reginald Farrer' H: C. Jørgensen (1983), G: C. Jørgensen (1988), N: C. Jørgensen (1996), I: Rhododendron-Haven, REG: Rhododendron-Haven (1996) Fls 15-18/domed truss, funnel-campanulate, 35-40 × 35-40mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate yellowish pink (37C) in bud, opening inside pale yellow (158A) tinged moderate yellowish pink (38B), ageing to 158A without the pink tinge; outside similarly coloured; unspotted or marked. Calyx 1mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 120-140 × 35-37mm, margins decurved, matt green above, cuneate at base, broadly acute at apex, grey hairy when young, the thin indumentum ageing to light brown. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 10 years. Early-mid June

(r) **'Bronzed Beauty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: unnamed Lem hybrid (s) × *falconeri* subsp. *eximium* H: C. Weeks (1986), G: C. Weeks (1991), N: C. Weeks (1998), I: Westgate Gardens Nursery (1997), REG: C. Weeks (2000) Fls 15/slightly lax, domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 90mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, light yellow (12C) in bud, opening pale yellow (11C) inside and out; unmarked; moderately scented. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 50mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins slightly upcurved, glossy above, with new foliage dark red (187A) - colour persisting 4-5 months before changing to dark yellowish green (139A) above and moderate yellow-green (139D) below, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.4m in 12 years. Early April

(a) **'Bronze Fire'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1996)

(a) **'Bronze Unique'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. Verschaffelt, N: L. Verschaffelt, I: L. Verschaffelt (pre 1849), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, blood red/carmine, with an orange-red blotch (1958 Register); dark red, tinged bronze (L. van Houtte, 1849). Ghent

(v) **'Bronze Warrior'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown L: Australia (1998)

(r) **'Bronze Wing'** cv. Parentage unknown H: A.J. Teese, G: A.J. Teese, I: A.J. Teese, REG: A.J. Teese (1981) Fls white, flushed light purplish pink (55C) at edges

(r) **'Bronze Wings'** (Syn. of 'Stokes Bronze Wings')

(r) **'Brooke Rochelle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lockington Pride' (s) × 'Loderi Titan' H: D.J. Dosser (1989), G: D.J. Dosser, N: D.J. Dosser (1996), REG: D.J. Dosser (1997) Fls 12/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, with wavy-edged lobes, white in bud, opening faintly cream, sometimes with a very faint pink flush internally. Lvs oblong, 130 × 40mm, margins slightly decurved, apiculate at apex, attenuate at base, matt green, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 0.6m in 7 years

(r) **'Brookiana'** (Listed in the 1958 Register, but believed to be an error for the vireya species, *brookeanum*)

(a) **'Brookline'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C. Sander (c 1890), N: C. Sander, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine. Sander

(a) **'Brooklyn'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, red. Indian

(r) **'Brookside'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goshawk' × *griersonianum* R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners (1962), I: Crown Estate Commissioners, REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1962) Fls 11/lax, flat-topped truss, tubular, 65 × 65mm, yellow ochre (07/3) shaded with barium yellow (503/1) and tinged delft rose (020/2); blood red (820) in bud. Calyx petaloid. AM 1962

(r) **'Brookville'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Westbury' (s) × 'Meadowbrook' H: H. Phipps, N: P.D. Vossberg, I: Westbury Rose Company (1959) Fls pale pink, shaded white, with a deeper flare and gold throat; lobes wavy-edged. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Brookville F2'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Brookville' × 'Brookville' L: Transplant Nursery (1987) Fls pinkish cream, with dark rose margins

(az) **'Broughtonianum'** (Syn. of 'Broughtonii Aureum')

(a) **'Broughtonii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: unknown (pre 1845), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose red, with scarlet spots. Indian (Probably raised by W.Smith of Norbiton)

(r) **'Broughtonii'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid R: Broughton (pre 1840), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 21/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 90mm, bright rosy crimson, paler in centre and with a broad pattern of crimson brown markings extending to lower lobes. Calyx lobes c3mm long. Lvs oblong-obovate, 160 × 50mm (often larger), minutely felted below. Shrub to 12m. Syn: 'Lawsonii'

(az) **'Broughtonii Aureum'** cv. Azaleodendron: *maximum* × *ponticum* × *molle* R: W. Smith (pre 1845), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 8-16/compact truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65mm wide, deep creamy yellow, with light brown, dorsal spots; flushed pink in bud. Calyx lobes 4-6mm long, pale green, pubescent. Lvs oblong to obovate, 50-120 × 20-45mm, dark matt green above, finely pubescent above and below. Shrub to 1.9m. FCC 1935 Syn: 'Norbitonense Broughtonianum', 'Aureum Broughtonii', 'Broughtonianum' (Norbiton Group)

(r) **'Brown Bess'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *falconeri* (s) × *hodgsonii* G: Sir John Horlick (1983), N: Sir John Horlick (1993), REG: Sir John Horlick (1993) Fls 20/flat-topped, rounded truss, oblique-campanulate, 45mm wide, with 8 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (61C) in bud, opening vivid purplish red (61C) fading to cream inside, deep purplish pink (61D) fading to cream outside, with up to 8 darker purple lines both inside and outside; stamens and style yellow cream. Calyx 40mm long, straw cream. Lvs oblanceolate, up to 300 × 100mm, margins decurved, glossy green above, mucronulate at apex, obtuse at base, with a fawn-grey indumentum when young which pales with age. Shrub 4.0 × 3.0m in 20 years, with red-brown, flaking bark. April-early May. (Plant originally a gift, as an unflowered seedling, from Inverewe Gardens)

(r) **'Brown Eyes'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: possibly a *fortunei* hybrid H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), N: Bosley Nursery Co. (pre 1958), I: Bosley Nursery Co. (pre 1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, with a brown blotch

(r) **'Brownii'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection or hybrid of *arboreum* L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Bruce Brechtbill'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: sport from 'Unique' R: Brechtbill Nursery (1968), N: Brechtbill Nursery, I: Brechtbill Nursery (1970), REG: Brechtbill Nursery (1974) Fls 10-12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale pink with some yellow in the throat. Calyx 7mm long, mid green. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 50mm, glossy and moderate olive green above. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 10 years

(r) **'Bruce Campbell'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *leucaspis* × 'Lovelock' H: B.W. Campbell (1979), G: B.W. Campbell (1983), N: Dunedin Rhododendron Group, I: Opoho Nursery, REG: Dunedin Rhododendron Group (1988) Fls 5-6/truss, campanulate, 35 × 50-55mm, 5-lobed, light greenish yellow (4C), marked brilliant yellow (10A) in throat. Calyx 1mm long, yellow-green. Lvs ovate, 50 × 30mm, acuminate, slightly recurved. Shrub 0.38 × 0.4m in 6 years. Early Spring

(r) **'Bruce Findlay'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1905), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c14/truss, funnel-shaped, 45 × 65mm, rose pink, with black spots mostly on dorsal lobes. Calyx lobes white, the upper usually elongated. Lvs elliptic

(az) **'Bruce Hancock'** cv. Azaleodendron: 'White Gumpo' × *keiskei* R: J. Harris, N: J. Harris, I: J. Harris

(1975) Fls single, 90mm wide, white, edged pink. Stems cascade to 1.2m. Syn: 'Coral Cascade' (Colour confirmed by originator: in some climates it may vary)

(r) **'Brumas'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sincerity' (s) × *R.* × *detonsum* R: E.G.W.W. Harrison, N: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1960), I: E.G.W.W. Harrison, REG: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1961) Fls 13/tight, conical truss, saucer-shaped, 70 × 120mm, 5-7-lobed, with wavy edges, pure white, with purple nectaries and very light spotting

(a) **'Brūnactiņa'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: R. Kondratovičs (pre 1999), N: R. Kondratovičs Fls single, 5-lobed, yellowish tinged red at tips in bud, opening white, with a very large, conspicuous, bilobed, dorsal blotch of orange-yellow

(v) **'Brunei Bay'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *stenophyllum* (s) × *leptanthum* H: A. Jensen (pre 1980), G: A. Jensen, N: L. Sorenson-Smith (1996), I: Bovees Nursery (1996), REG: Bovees Nursery (1999) Fls 3-4/lax truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 42 × 38mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, strong pink (52D) in bud, opening strong pink (52D) throughout. Calyx minute, coloured as corolla. Lvs lanceolate, 75 × 13mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, scaly. Shrub 0.75 × 0.75m in 10 years. Variable period of flowering. (First published in Bovees Nursery cat., 1996)

(a) **'Brunella'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Signalglühen' × 'Johanna' H: H. Hachmann (1974), G: H. Hachmann (1977), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1987), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls single, 2-4/truss, 28-30 × 40-55(-62)mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, inside vivid reddish orange (42A), outside strong reddish orange (42B), the colour not fading, with small, strong red (46A) spots on dorsal lobe. Calyx 2-3mm long, light green, silvery hairy. Lvs ovate, 32-38 × 18-22mm, light green, slightly hairy above when young, later glossy above. Shrub 0.45 × 1.0m in 10 years. Late May-mid June

(v) **'Brunette'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *javanicum* × 'Princess Frederica' R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1891), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow to yellow-orange

(a) **'Brunhilde'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Costantini (1886), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **Brünhilde Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* (s) × Loderi Group H: J.B. Stevenson (1930), G: J.B. Stevenson, N: J.B. Stevenson (1951), I: J.B. Stevenson (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale cream

(a) **'Brunhilde Jaworska'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Mother's Day' (s) × unknown H: L. Yavorsky (c 1982), G: L. Yavorsky, N: L. Yavorsky, I: L. Yavorsky, REG: L. Yavorsky (1989) Fls single, 2-4/flattened ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 41 × 57mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, light purplish pink (55C) with a few slightly darker spots on the upper lobe; outside with a lighter streak up the midrib of each lobe. Calyx 2mm long, light green. Lvs obovate, 41 × 17mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, slightly hairy above and below. Shrub 0.5 × 0.4m in 7 years. Mid-late May

(a) **'Bruno Kaerger'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: R. Ambrosius (1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, strong red (51A). Calyx normal, green. Indian

(r) **'Bruns Diamant'** cv. *dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* hybrid (s) × *makinoi* Fls 12-19/broad, rounded, loose truss, open funnel-shaped, 40-50 × 45-70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, dark red in bud, opening strong, bright red both inside and out; dark red markings on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 2mm long, light green to grey-green. Lvs narrowly lanceolate, 80-200 × 11-55mm, acute at apex, obtuse at base, with a light grey indumentum ageing to brownish. Shrub 1.3 × 2.4m in 36 years, of broad, flat, compact habit. Late May-early June. Syn: 'Diamant'

(r) **'Bruns Diana'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Professor J.H. Zaaijer' (s) × 'Goldsworth Orange' H: W. Bruns (1952), G: J. Bruns Nursery, N: J. Bruns Nursery, I: J. Bruns Nursery (1975), REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1999) Fls 11-16/rounded, fairly dense truss, open funnel-shaped, 40-55 × 55-70mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, strong pink in bud, opening salmon pink inside, purplish pink outside; reddish marking on a yellowish ground on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 1-2mm long, light yellowish green. Lvs elliptic, 70-120 × 25-52mm, margins flat, rounded at apex and base, matt green above. Shrub 0.8 × 1.8m in 15 years. Late May-early June. Syn: 'Diana' (Previously published under the unacceptable name 'Diana' in Schmalscheidt, *Rhododendron- und Azaleenzüchtung in Deutschland*, Part 2 (1930-1988), 1989)

(r) **'Bruns Elfe'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: China Group (s) × 'Bremen' H: W. Bruns (1958), G: J. Bruns Nursery (1965), N: J. Bruns Nursery, REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1998) Fls 9-13/loose, rounded truss, saucer-shaped, 45-55 × 65-90mm, with 5 strongly wavy-edged lobes, creamy yellow in bud, opening cream white inside and out, with a dark red basal blotch. Calyx 1mm long, bright green. Lvs elliptic, 53-120 × 26-58mm, matt green above, apiculate at apex, cordate at base, hairless. Shrub 2.8 × 3.2m in 25 years. Mid-late May. Syn: 'Elfe' (Published in Schmalscheidt, *Rhododendron- und Azaleenzüchtung in Deutschland*, Part 2 (1930-1988), 1989 (as 'Elfe'))

(r) **'Bruns Elfenbein'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: China Group (s) × 'Bremen' H: W. Bruns (1958), G: J. Bruns Nursery (1964), N: J. Bruns Nursery, REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1998) Fls 8-13/round, slightly loose truss, open funnel-shaped, 50-62 × 65-100mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, white with a slight pink tinge, ageing to pure white (similar inside and out), with many, small, red spots on the dorsal lobe and a heavy, dark red,

circular, basal blotch (80-100mm wide); slightly scented. Calyx 1mm long, reddish flesh-coloured. Lvs ovate, 52-115 × 30-70mm, flat, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.6 × 2.0m in 20 years. Mid-late May. Syn: 'Elfenbein' (Published in Schmalscheidt, *Rhododendron- und Azaleenzüchtung in Deutschland*, Part 2 (1930-1988), 1989 (as 'Elfenbein'))

(r) **'Bruns Gloria'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Professor F. Bettex' (s) × 'Goldsworth Orange' H: W. Bruns (1952), G: J. Bruns Nursery (1958), N: J. Bruns Nursery (1980), I: J. Bruns Nursery (1980), REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1996) Fls 10-17/loose, rounded truss, open funnel-shaped, 42-65 × 50-80mm, with 5-6 strongly wavy-edged lobes, yellowish pink in bud, inside creamy yellow with a faint pink tinge, with yellow-green markings on the dorsal lobe, outside creamy yellow with a very faint pink tinge. Calyx 5-10mm long, yellow. Lvs elliptic, 70-145 × 20-65mm, flat, acuminate at apex, rounded at base. Shrub 1.0 × 1.4m in 10 years. Late May-mid June. PC 2003 Syn: 'Christiane', 'Gloria'

(r) **'Bruns Leuchtfeuer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Frühlingszauber' (s) × *yakushimanum* × 'Doncaster' H: J. Bruns Nursery (1962), G: J. Bruns Nursery (1967), N: W. Schmalscheidt (1988), I: J. Bruns Nursery (1993), REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1996) Fls 10-15/compact, rounded truss, open funnel-shaped, 30-36 × 45-55mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, dark red in bud, opening bright red, with very faint brownish markings on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 1mm long, bright green. Lvs elliptic, 58-115 × 25-52mm, margins flat or partially decurved, matt green above, rounded at base, apiculate at apex. Compact shrub, 0.9 × 1.3m in 12 years. Winter flower buds a striking red-brown. Early May. Syn: 'Leuchtfeuer' (First published (as 'Leuchtfeuer') in Schmalscheidt, *Rhododendron- und Azaleen-Sorten*, 1995)

(r) **'Bruns Loreley'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' × 'Doncaster' × *dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* hybrid H: W. Bruns (1968), G: J. Bruns Nursery, N: J. Bruns Nursery, I: J. Bruns Nursery (1987), REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1999) Fls 10-14/loose, rounded truss, open funnel-shaped, 30-45 × 45-60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light red in bud, opening inside pink with yellowish cream, outside salmon pink; very few, very faint, yellow spots on a yellowish ground on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 1mm long, faint whitish green. Lvs elliptic, 60-127 × 18-45mm, margins slightly decurved, pointed at apex, rounded at base, slightly glossy above, with a beige indumentum. Broadly rounded, compact shrub, 0.95 × 1.6m in 12 years. Early-late May. Syn: 'Loreley' (Published previously under the unacceptable name 'Loreley' in Schmalscheidt, *Rhododendron- und Azaleenzüchtung in Deutschland*, Part 2 (1930-1988), 1989)

(r) **'Bruns Schneewitchen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goldsworth Yellow' (s) × *insigne* H: J. Bruns Nursery (1962), G: J. Bruns Nursery (1968), N: J. Bruns Nusery (1975), I: J. Bruns Nursery (1975), REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1995) Fls 11-21/round, compact truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 42-60 × 65-95mm, with 5-7 slightly wavy-edged lobes, pure white inside; outside white tinged with pale lilac pink; heavy dark red or black red markings on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 2mm long, bright light green. Lvs oblong-elliptic, 70-140 × 25-55mm, margins decurved, acuminate/mucronate at apex, rounded at base, matt green, hairless. Shrub 2.5 × 2.5m in 32 years. Late May-mid June. (Published in Schmalscheidt *Rhododendron- und Azalean züchtung*, part 2, 1930-1988 (1989) as 'Schneewitchen')

(r) **'Bruns Sirius'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pink Pearl' (s) × *smirnowii* H: J. Bruns Nursery (1955), G: J. Bruns Nursery (1963), N: J. Bruns Nursery, I: J. Bruns Nursery (1993), REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1996) Fls 11-15/rounded or slightly flattened truss, open funnel-shaped, 35-50 × 50-70mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish pink in bud, opening inside white, faintly tinged lilac at first, later pure white; outside white, with light rosy lilac veins; green-yellow markings on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 1mm long, pale whitish green. Lvs elliptic, 70-165 × 20-55mm, flat, acute at apex, narrowed but somewhat rounded at base, slightly glossy above, with light brown hairs below. Shrub 1.6 × 3.0m in 25 years. June. Syn: 'Sirius'

(v) **'Brunswick Green'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' (s) × *leucogigas* H: unknown, G: R. Macdonald (1991), N: R. Macdonald (1993), I: Foothills Nursery (1993), REG: Foothills Nursery (1993) Fls 6/flat truss, long tubular-funnel-shaped, 80 × 80mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (54B) in bud, opening light purplish pink (55C) with strong purplish pink (55B) lobes inside; outside strong pink (54C). Lvs oblanceolate, 150 × 60mm, flat, acuminate at apex, cuneate at base, matt green above. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m. Spring-autumn

(r) **'Brutus'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1851), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rose, spotted (Waterer cat., 1851/2); purplish lake (1958 Register)

(a) **'Bryan Harris'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Gumpo Pink' × 'Grace Freeman No.2' R: J. Harris, N: J. Harris, I: J. Harris (pre 1981) Fls single, 90mm wide, white, with a pink border. Shrub 1.0m in 9 years

(r) **'Bryan H. Tonkin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lockington Pride' (s) × 'Loderi Titan' H: D.J. Dosser (1990), G: D.J. Dosser (1995), N: G.W. Tonkin (1997), I: G.W. Tonkin (1997), REG: G.W. Tonkin (1997) Fls 18/large, domed truss, funnel-shaped, 75 × 110-140mm, with 7-8 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (67B) in bud, opening inside very pale purple (69A) at lobe edges, shading to very pale purple (69C); outside very pale purple (69C), with a deep purplish pink (68A) blush on the midveins; strong purplish red (60B) spotting on three dorsal lobes and a dark red (59A) blotch in the throat; stamens 21, uneven; pistil straight; scented. Calyx 5mm long, strong yellow-green (144A). Lvs elliptic to slightly oblanceolate, 188-210 × 45-50mm,

margins wavy and upcurved, acute at apex, attenuate at base, matt and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.0m in 7 years. Mid spring

(r) **'Bryantville'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: reputedly a subsect. *Fortunea* hybrid H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: C.O. Dexter & R. Brown, I: John J. Tyler Arboretum (c 1961), REG: John J. Tyler Arboretum (1981) Fls 16/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 70 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (2.5RP 7/8), with soft, inconspicuous flecks of strong yellow-green (10Y 7/9) converging in throat from dorsal and adjacent lobes but absent from centre of dorsal lobe. Calyx 3mm long, light yellow-green. Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 120-145 × 45-55mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate to rounded at base, slightly wavy, hairless and glossy olive green. Shrub 1.9 × 2.2m in 20 years. Mid May

(r) **'Bryce Canyon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'King of Shrubs' (s) × Idealist Group H: A.A. Childers (1961), G: A.A. Childers, N: A.A. Childers, REG: A.A. Childers (1983) Fls 10-14/truss, 40 × 80mm, open funnel-shaped, 6-7-lobed, strong red-deep yellowish pink (47B-C) in bud, opening light orange (29B), fading to light yellow (11B) and with a red dorsal blotch deep in the throat; outside tinged 29B, fading towards edges. Calyx minute, moderate red (180A). Lvs oblanceolate, 110 × 40mm, moderate olive green (146A), hairless. New lvs bronzed. Shrub 1.5m in 19 years

(a) **'B.S. Williams'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1885), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 100mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, lilac rose with a blood red blotch. Indian

(r) **'Bubble Bath'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Janet Blair' × 'Pink Petticoats' (s) × yellow-flowered *decorum* H: G.W. LeFever (1986), G: G.W. LeFever (1989), N: G.W. LeFever, REG: G.W. LeFever (1999) Fls 14/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 80mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, pink in bud, opening white inside and out, with a green throat. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 65mm, flat, obtuse at apex, oblique at base, dark green above, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 1.8m in 12 years. Mid May

(a) **'Buccaneer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Hinodegiri (s) × a late salmon-coloured clone R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/head, 50mm wide, brilliant orange-red, with a darker tone on upper lobe. Shrub to 1.5m. Early. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Buccaneer'** (Syn. of 'Harry Bryce')

(r) **'Buchanan Simpson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: possibly an *oreodoxa* var. *fargesii* hybrid H: E.J. Greig, G: E.J. Greig (1961), N: E.J. Greig, REG: E.J. Greig (1962) Fls 8-10/truss, c75mm wide, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (625/2-3), throat speckled reddish olive and base of corolla yellowish. Lvs bullate. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(a) **'Buckinghamii'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1839), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Jacob-Makoy treated 'Viola Odorata' as a synonym, but van Geert (1839) lists both separately)

(a) **'Buckinghamii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple rose red. Indian (This is the spelling used by Knight & Perry c1850)

(a) **'Buckinghamii Album'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. van Geert (1877), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, lightly striped rose. Ghent

(a) **'Buckinghamii Praecox'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1851), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Buckland'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Vanessa Group × *yakushimanum* R: L.S. Fortescue, N: L.S. Fortescue, REG: L.S. Fortescue (1970) Fls 7-10/loose truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, 5-lobed, deep purplish pink (55A) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (65D) with darker markings of strong purplish pink (62A) along midribs. Lvs ovate to narrowly lanceolate, 75-90 × 30mm, dark green above. Shrub c1.3m. PC 1970, *HC 1982, *AM 1985

(r) **'Buckland Beauty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* × Letty Edwards Group H: L.S. Fortescue (1960), G: L.S. Fortescue, N: L.S. Fortescue (1977), I: L.S. Fortescue (1977), REG: L.S. Fortescue (1977) Fls light greenish yellow (3C), paling at edges to light greenish yellow (3D), with a blotch of dark red (59A)

(r) **'Buckland Cream'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Windsor Hawk' × 'Loderi Julie' H: L.S. Fortescue (1960), G: L.S. Fortescue (1965), I: Fortescue Garden Trust, REG: K. Wiley (1979) Fls 7-8/truss, 60 × 100mm, 6-lobed, pale yellow-green (4D), with a central inner stain of strong red (46A). Calyx 5mm long, pink. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 60mm, hairless, with petioles and midvein flushed red. May

(r) **'Bucklebury'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × Kiev Group H: Crown Estate Commissioners (1961), G: Crown Estate Commissioners (1975), N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1986), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1986) Fls 13-14/truss, campanulate, up to 50 × 60mm, 5-lobed, pale purplish pink (56D), lightly spotted strong purplish red (58B) in dorsal throat. Calyx rudimentary, densely glandular, green, with a reddish edge. Lvs obovate, up to 100 × 50mm, dark green above, with a dense, brown, woolly indumentum below. Shrub 1.9 × 2.9m in 24 years. Mid May. AM 1986

(a) **'Bucklow'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably a seedling from 'Buccaneer' R: I.L. Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L. Amann Fls single, 65mm wide, strong red (41B). Lvs ovate, dark green. Shrub 1.0m. Midseason

(a) **'Buddy McMakin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Grace Freeman No.2' × 'Amagasa' R: J. Harris (pre 1982), N: J. Harris Fls 90mm wide, pale purplish pink (65C), edged vivid purplish red (66B). Shrub 0.7m in 10 years

(r) **'Bud Flanagan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: unknown × *ponticum* S: E. de Rothschild (1962), N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild, REG: E. de Rothschild (1966) Fls 18-20/conical, tight truss, lively mauve, with a large, spreading blotch of deep chestnut. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. May-June. (Self-sown chance hybrid first noticed in 1961)

(r) **'Budget Farthing'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *oreodoxa* var. *fargesii* R: Lord Aberconway (1929), N: Lord Aberconway, REG: Lord Aberconway (1970) Fls 8-9/truss, open campanulate, 55 × 65mm, 7-lobed, strong reddish purple (70B) in bud, opening white, suffused very pale purple (69A) with numerous, strong reddish purple (70B) spots in dorsal throat. Lvs broadly elliptic, up to 75 × 50mm, dark green, hairless. AM 1969 Syn: 'Bodnant Day'

(r) **'Budock'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* × unknown seedling R: S. Smith (pre 1926), N: S. Smith, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Bud's Yellow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ('Inca Gold' × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada') × *wardii* (from KW 4170) (s) × 'Dexter's Orange' H: F.A. Arsen (1978), G: H.C. Gehnrich (1986), N: H.C. Gehnrich, REG: H.C. Gehnrich (1995) Fls 12/ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 35 × 57mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, light yellow (11B) throughout. Pedicels 25mm long, green and red. Lvs elliptic, 108 × 44mm, flat, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (147C) below, hairless; petioles 28mm long, green. Shrub 1.8 × 1.2m in 16 years. Mid May

(r) **'Buff Lady'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* × *neriiflorum* (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* H: F.J. Rose (pre 1958), G: B.F. Lancaster, N: B.F. Lancaster, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 12/rounded truss, 6-lobed, 90mm wide, buff, edged pink

(r) **'Bufy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' × *wardii* H: J.B. Gable (c 1948)

(a) **'Buho-no-tsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, deep reddish purple, with a faint white throat and a faint red blotch; lobes rounded. Satsuki

(r) **'Buketta'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Spitfire' (s) × 'Frühlingszauber' H: H. Hachmann (1963), G: H. Hachmann (1968), I: H. Hachmann (1979), REG: G. Stück (1983) Fls 10-12/truss, 40-50 × 50-65mm, trumpet-shaped, 5-lobed, strong red (53B), marked with dark red (59A). Calyx 2-3mm long, strong red (53B). Lvs elliptic, 70-100 × 30-45mm, hairy. Shrub c1.5m

(a) **'Bula'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Gable hybrid × *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* I: P.E. Girard (c 1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 50mm wide, rosy purple. Gable

(r) **'Bulbul'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *edgeworthii* (s) × *moupinense* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2/truss, 40 × 65mm, white, with faint yellow spotting and chocolate anthers. Lvs oblong-ovate, 50 × 25mm, glossy and dark green above, scaly below. April. AM 1949

(r) **Bulbul Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *edgeworthii* (s) × *moupinense* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1934), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Bullatum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *ponticum* L: Lefevre (1837), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet

(r) **Bulldog Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *elliottii* (s) × 'Earl of Athlone' R: Sir Edward Bolitho, N: Sir Edward Bolitho, I: Sir Edward Bolitho (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red

(a) **'Bullfinch'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red, with an orange blotch. Knap Hill

(r) **'Bullseye'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: second generation of 'Flameheart' R: M. Haworth-Booth, N: M. Haworth-Booth, I: M. Haworth-Booth, REG: ICRA (1968) Fls 75mm wide, crimson, with a red eye

(a) **'Bulls Run'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown G: E. de Rothschild (1970s), S: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: Exbury Enterprises (1997), REG: E. de Rothschild (1997) Fls single, 10/truss, tubular funnel-shaped (opening flat-faced), 45 × 60mm, 5-6 lobed (the lobes crimped and overlapping), vivid reddish orange (33A), with some strong reddish orange (33B), ageing to vivid reddish orange (34A), dorsal flare strong orange (25A); filaments and style similarly coloured, with a conspicuous deep yellowish green (141B) stigma. Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs obovate, 60 × 30mm. May. (Solent Group)

(v) **'Bulolo Gold'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *macgregoriae* × *aurigeranum* H: T. Lelliott, G: T. Lelliott, I: R. Cutten, REG: R. Cutten (1981) Fls 16/truss, brilliant orange (25C), with a vivid yellow (15A) throat

(a) **'Bulstrode'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown N: Sunningdale Nurseries, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls similar to *mucronatum* but larger and with a slight yellow-green eye. Lvs larger. (Obtained from Bulstrode Park (UK) in 1949 under an incorrect name; may be identical to 'Mattapan')

(r) **Bulstrode Group** gp Parentage unknown I: C.B. van Nes & Sons (pre 1922), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls mid rosy crimson. ('Bulstrode Park' may belong in this Group; the spelling with one "l" is adopted here)

(r) **'Bulstrode Beauty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi King George' × 'Loder's White' I: Sir John Ramsden (1934), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Bulstrode Belle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi King George' × 'Loder's White' I: Sir John Ramsden (1934), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Bulstrode Park'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid × 'Sefton' I: C.B. van Nes & Sons (pre 1929), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, waxy, bright red. Lvs dark green. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Bumblebee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' (s) × 'Blue Peter' H: L.M. King (1952), G: H.W. King, N: H.W. King, I: H.W. King (c 1954), REG: S.M. King (1984) Fls 25-27/truss, 20 × 70mm, 5-lobed, phlox purple (632/1), with a large maroon/black eye in centre of dorsal lobe. Lvs ovate, 100-130 × 35-50mm, dark glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 2.5m in 20 years

(r) **'Bump's Orange Thing'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1996) (Listed as a parent of 'Double Eagle' (Korth))

(r) **'Buna'** (Syn. of 'Glowing Gold')

(r) **'Buna Beach'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vicki Reine' (s) × 'Van Nes Sensation' H: M. & H. Stockman (1990), G: M. & H. Stockman (1999), N: M. & H. Stockman (2002), REG: M. & H. Stockman (2002) Fls 10-15/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, dark pinkish red in bud, opening inside pink with darker pink margins, lobe centres and throat fading to pale pink with age; outside bright pink ageing to lighter pink; yellow spotting on a white ground on dorsal lobe. Calyx very short, lime green. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 45mm, margins flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 1.3 × 1.8m in 12 years. Mid May

(r) **'Bunbury Amethyst'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Caroline Allbrook' (s) × 'Lavender Girl' H: P.T. Settle (1990), G: P.T. Settle (1994), N: P.T. Settle (2000), REG: P.T. Settle (2000) Fls 15/tight ball truss, open campanulate, 40 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep lilac pink in bud, opening pale lavender inside, each lobe with a deeper lilac margin; outside pale lilac/pink, each lobe with a deeper margin; base of the dorsal lobe has two pale green flares faintly spotted brown. Calyx 1.5m long, light green/brown. Lvs elliptic, 90 × 37mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, margins decurved, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.6m in 9 years. Mid-late May. (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0025032))

(r) **'Bunbury Picotee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Oudijk's Sensation' (s) × 'Percy Wiseman' H: P.T. Settle (1990), G: P.T. Settle (1993), N: P.T. Settle (2000), REG: P.T. Settle (2000) Fls 12/loose truss, open campanulate, 35 × 60mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, bright pink in flower, opening inside white, edged with pink, outside pale pink fading to white with pink edges; unmarked. Calyx 1mm long, green. Pedicels 25mm long. Lvs broadly elliptic, 70 × 40mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, margins decurved, matt green above, hairy. Shrub 0.7 × 1.0m in 9 years, with bronze coloured young foliage. April-May. (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0024771))

(r) **'Bunbury Red'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Bambi' (s) × May Day Group H: P.T. Settle (1990), G: P.T. Settle (1994), N: P.T. Settle (2000), REG: P.T. Settle (2000) Fls 8/lax truss, tubular-campanulate, 50 × 45mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, dark red in bud, opening inside bright light red (similar to pollen parent); unspotted; anthers black. Calyx 5mm long, dull red. Pedicels 20mm long. Lvs lanceolate, 65 × 22mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, margins decurved, matt green above, with pale reddish brown hairs on midrib and white hairs over surface when young, ageing to light brown with a reddish tinge. Low, spreading shrub, 0.6 × 0.9m in 9 years, with bronze growth buds. Late May. (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0024773))

(r) **'Bunbury Yellow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nancy Evans' (s) × 'Shrimp Girl' H: P.T. Settle (1996), G: P.T. Settle (1999), N: P.T. Settle (2000), REG: P.T. Settle (2000) Fls 10/lax truss, open campanulate, 40 × 50mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, pale apricot in bud, opening inside yellow shaded deeper at throat, outside yellow with lobes faintly edged pale salmon (a shade deeper than 'Goldkrone'); unspotted. Calyx 10mm long, yellow, edged pale salmon. Pedicels 30mm long. Lvs elliptic, 95 × 45mm, cuspidate at apex, rounded at base, margins decurved, matt green above, hairless. Low, spreading shrub 0.2 × 0.4m in 4 years. Early-mid May. (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0024772))

(a) **'Buncho'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 40mm wide, dark pink to red; anthers brown. Satsuki

(r) **'Bundle of Joy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Rocket' (Shammarello's plant) (s) × *yakushimanum* H: W.E. Delp (1981), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 10/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 75 × 90mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, greenish yellow and yellowish pink in bud (1B-D, 37B), opening to shades of pale yellow-green (157B, C)with a light yellow-green (154D) throat and brilliant to strong yellow-green (154C, 144B) spots on 3 dorsal lobes; filaments and style pale yellow-green (157A); anthers and stigma dark reddish orange (172B). Calyx 57mm long, pale yellow-green (157B, C). Lvs 102 × 38mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, with a brown, woolly indumentum. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in 11 years. Early June

(a) **'Bungo-beni'** (Syn. of 'Bungo-kurenai')

(a) **'Bungo Brocade'** (Syn. of 'Bungo-nishiki')

(a) **'Bungo-kurenai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: assumed to be a selection from *scabrum* S: B. Miyazawa (post 1957), N: B. Miyazawa (c 1975) Fls 3-4/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 70-90mm wide, clear purplish scarlet, with scarlet spots on dorsal lobes. Lvs elliptic-lanceolate, up to 80 × 20-30mm. Shrub up to 2.0m. Mid-late April. Syn: 'Bungo-beni'

(a) **'Bungo-murasaki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Omurasaki' × 'Bungo-kurenai' R: Ohita Prefecture (c 1958), N: (c

1975) Fls 90-100mm wide, deep purplish red. Lvs 90-100mm long. Late April

(a) **'Bungo-nishiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* (s) × *indicum* I: K. Wada (pre 1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, orange scarlet. Shrub 0.8m. Syn: 'Bungo Brocade'. Wada (See also note under 'Bango-nishiki'; some sources equate 'Bungo-nishiki' with 'Bungo-shiki', which is here referred to 'Sen'e-shiki')

(a) **'Bungo-no-homare'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Omurasaki' × 'Bungo-kurenai' R: Ohita Prefecture (post 1957), N: Ohita Prefecture (c 1975) Fls 2-3/truss, 90-110mm wide, broadly funnel-shaped, purplish scarlet, with scarlet spots on dorsal lobes. Lvs up to 90 × 30mm, elliptic-lanceolate. Shrub up to 2.0m. Late April-early May

(a) **'Bungo-no-sakae'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Miyo-no-sakae' × 'Osakazuki' R: Ohita Prefecture (c 1959), N: Ohita Prefecture (c 1975) Fls 70-80mm wide, deeper pink than 'Miyo-no-sakae'. Lvs 70mm long. Mid-late April

(a) **'Bungo-shiki'** (Syn. of 'Sen'e-shiki')

(a) **'Bungo-shiro'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ginrei' × 'Omurasaki' R: Ohita Prefecture (pre 1986), N: Ohita Prefecture Fls 2-3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, pure white. Lvs elliptic-lanceolate, up to 80 × 20mm. Shrub up to 1.0m. Early May

(a) **'Bunka'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Yatano-kagami' I: Chugai Nursery Co. (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 55mm wide, white, with orange (020/3) margins and a small red (24) blotch. Satsuki

(a) **'Bunka-no-tsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(r) **'Bunter Traum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' (s) × Fabia Group × *smirnowii* H: H.L. Meltzer (1988), G: H.L. Meltzer (1997), N: H.L. Meltzer (1998), REG: H.L. Meltzer (1998) Fls 8-10/rounded truss, funnel-campanulate, 70mm wide, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, deep reddish pink in bud, opening white inside, heavily suffused pink outside, fading with age to almost all white; slight greenish dorsal spotting. Lvs obovate, 90 × 25mm, margins decurved, glossy green above, acute at apex, with a white indumentum below which ages to brown. May

(r) **'Bunting'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group (s) × 'Dr Stocker' R: R. Henny, N: R. Henny (1959), I: R. Henny, REG: R. Henny (1961) Fls 9-11/truss, more-or-less tubular-campanulate, 75mm wide, dresden yellow (64/3), spotted uranium green on dorsal lobe. Lvs 150-175 × 40mm. Shrub 0.6 × 0.8m

(r) **'Burgandy Butterfly'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' × 'Exotic' H: T.L. Ring (pre 1992), I: Mowbray Gardens Fls blush pink, with a prominent, dark purplish red, spotted blotch. (Name apparently deliberately spelt as such)

(r) **'Burgemeester Aarts'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* (s) × 'Ludwig Leopold Liebig' R: Aarts, I: M. Koster & Sons (1915), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12-19/compact, round to broadly rounded truss, 40-55mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, bright red, with dark red markings. Shrub to 2.0m

(a) **'Burgermeister Glöckner'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ernst Thiers' × 'Hexe' I: R. Ambrosius (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, fiery red. Indian

(r) **'Burgrawianum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid L: M.M. Cels (1838), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls at least 50mm wide, dark rose. Lvs lanceolate, dark green above, paler below. Shrub 1.0-1.2m

(r) **'Burgundian'** (Syn. of 'Bordeaux')

(r) **'Burgundula'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Azurro' (s) × 'Blue Boy' H: H. Hachmann (1990), G: H. Hachmann (1996), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 18/dense, rounded truss, broadly open funnel-shaped, 45-50 × 70-80mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, inside deep reddish purple (77A), paler on midveins and in throat; outside deep reddish purple (77A), purple violet on midveins and near calyx; a conspicuous, dark purple (79A), dorsal blotch, almost black and warty at its centre; stamens 10, filaments strong reddish purple (70B), anthers moderate orange-yellow (164C); style light purplish pink (68D), stigma dark red (187C). Calyx 1.5-2.5mm long, reddish green. Lvs elliptic to ovate, 90-130 × 35-50mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, matt mid green above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.4m in 10 years. Late May-mid June. (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0030617). First published in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(a) **'Burgundy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Hinodegiri' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50mm wide, deep yellowish pink, with darker margins and a purplish red blotch. Shrub to 1.9m. Early. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Burgundy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' (s) × 'Purple Splendour' H: Rose (UK), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 15/domed truss, 75mm wide, burgundy red. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. (Introduced to USA by H.Lem)

(r) **'Burgundy Cherry'** cv. Parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: C.O. Dexter, N: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg, I: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (1974), REG: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (1980) Fls 10-12/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, carmine (21/3) with doge purple (732) at base of throat and in a 25 × 25mm dorsal blotch which extends slightly onto adjacent lobes and is composed in part of close spotting. Calyx 1.5mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 65mm, obtuse (& apiculate) at apex, rounded to slightly cordate at base, mid green, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 15 years. Late May. Syn: 'Black Cherry'

(r) **'Burgundy Rose'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *ungernii* × *auriculatum* × Romany Chal Group R: H. Lem (pre 1982), N: H. Lem Fls light pink, marked deeper pink. New growth red. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years

(v) **'Burgundy Surprise'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown L: Australia (1998)

(a) **'Burlesque'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (pre 1984) Fls double, reddish orange

(r) **'Burletta'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Burketta' × 'Mannheim' (s) × 'Rosevallon' H: H. Hachmann (1983), G: H. Hachmann (1988), N: H. Hachmann (1990), I: H. Hachmann (1994), REG: G. Stück (1995) Fls 5-7/loose truss, funnel-campanulate, 50-55mm wide, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53D) throughout, unspotted; filaments very much reduced or absent. Calyx 20-25mm long, coloured as corolla and spreading well away from the corolla tube. Lvs elliptic to oblong, 56-68 × 21-33mm, flat, slightly glossy above, more-or-less rounded to cuneate at base, rounded and apiculate at apex, mid green above, lower surface striking purplish red. Pedicels and petioles strong red (53D). Shrub 0.65 × 1.1m in 10 years, of compact, rounded habit. Mid April-early May. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1995/96, (illustrated))

(a) **'Burlingtonii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Knight & Perry (pre 1849), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright yellow. Indian

(az) **'Burlingtonii'** (Syn. of 'Aureum Burlingtonii')

(az) **'Burlingtonii Aureum'** (Syn. of 'Aureum Burlingtonii')

(r) **'Burma'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' (s) × 'Fanfare' H: D.G. Leach (1958), G: D.G. Leach (1964), I: D.G. Leach (1982), REG: D.G. Leach (1983) Fls 17/truss, 30 × 80mm, open funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, near deep red (53A), with heavy black, dorsal spotting. Calyx minute, red. Lvs elliptic, 130 × 55mm, moderate olive green (147A), hairless. Shrub up to 1.9m in 19 years

(r) **'Burma Road'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Fabia Tangerine' × Romany Chal Group H: F.E.W. Hanger (1947), G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, REG: Royal Horticultural Society (1963) Fls up to 11/compact, flat-topped truss, open campanulate, 65 × 95mm, a rich shade of yellowish apricot, suffused with pale rose; outside pink with deeper pink staining. AM 1958

(r) **'Burnaby Centennial'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Leona' (s) × 'Etta Burrows' H: E.J. Trayling (1968), G: Dr & Mrs G.R. Finley (1974), N: Dr & Mrs G.R. Finley, I: Dr & Mrs G.R. Finley (1992), REG: Dr & Mrs G.R. Finley (1993) Fls 20-25/compact truss, 90 × 90mm, funnel-shaped, with 6 recurved lobes, strong red (47B), with a deep yellowish pink (47C) centre; flare in throat and with light spotting of strong red (46A) on all lobes; stamens 10; style and filaments strong red (46A); anthers black. Calyx lobes up to 7mm long, deep yellowish pink (47C). Lvs ovate, 160 × 50mm, with slightly wavy margins, moderate olive green (137A) above, with a thin, moderate orange (166D) indumentum below, petioles green, hairy. Early-mid May

(r) **'Burnaby Sunset'** cv. Parentage unknown R: L.E. Brandt (pre 1980), N: L.E. Brandt (See note under 'Barnaby Sunset')

(a) **'Burnham's Choice'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kowkoku' (s) × 'Wakaebisu' H: J.R. McKeever (1988), G: J.R. McKeever (1991), N: J.R. McKeever, REG: J.R. McKeever (1993) Fls hose-in-hose, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 70mm, whorls 5-lobed, the lobes with very wavy edges, strong pink (48C) with a faint, darker pink dorsal blotch and a slight green tinge deep in the throat; stamens 5, curved, equal. Calyx 13mm long, light green. Pedicels 9mm long, very light green. Lvs elliptic, 32 × 13mm, convex, acute at apex, oblique at base, moderate olive green (137B) above, moderate yellow-green (138B) below, with discrete hairs above and below (light tan at first, darkening with age). Petioles 13mm long, light green, hairy. Shrub 0.4 × 0.6m in 4 1/2 years. Late May-early June

(a) **'Burning Bush'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Satan' × red *calendulaceum* R: O. Holmsomback (pre 1985), N: O. Holmsomback Fls strong red. Late

(r) **Burning Bush Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *haematodes* (s) × *dichroanthum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls tangerine red. Shrub to 1.2m, of low, spreading habit. May

(v) **'Burning Embers'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: Australia/New Zealand (pre 1992), N: Australia/New Zealand

(r) **'Burning Force'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'China Boy' (s) × 'Charles Dickens' × 'Mars' H: J. Looye (1990), G: W.E. Delp (1993), N: Mrs V. Delp, I: Crystalaire Rhododendron Naturescapes, REG: J.D. Harris (1996) Fls 16/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, c40 × 65mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, dark, deep and strong red (187A, 53A-B) in bud, opening deep, strong and vivid red (53A-B, 46A-B); filaments and style vivid red (46B); anthers moderate brown (165A) and brownish orange (165B); stigma greyish reddish orange (176D). Calyx 25mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs 120 × 45mm, cuneate at base, broadly acute at apex. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 9 years. Early June. (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(a) **'Burning Light'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *calendulaceum* R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1965), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1965) Fls c6/loose truss, 40 × 65mm, funnnel-shaped, strong yellowish pink (32D), with a vivid orange throat. Lvs 90 × 50mm, pale green. AM 1965

(r) **'Burning Love'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Essex Scarlet' × *forrestii* Repens Group R: D.G. Hobbie, N: Frau U. Siems (1973) Fls campanulate, intense brown red in bud, opening blood red. Shrub up to 2.0m

(r) **'Burns'** (Syn. of 'Starbright Champagne')

(a) **'Burnt Gold'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: D. Hager (pre 1984), N: D. Hager Fls burnt gold colour

(a) **'Burrha'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1839), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Burton'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: M.C. Pratt (c 1986), G: Ness Botanic Gardens (1996), N: Ness Botanic Gardens, REG: Ness Botanic Gardens (1998) Fls single, 8-12/loose truss, broadly tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 62mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (66C) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (73A) inside and moderate purplish pink (66D) outside; with a dorsal blotch of vivid orange (28B); stamens pink; scented. Calyx 2mm long, brilliant yellow-green (149C). Lvs elliptic, 74 × 25mm, wavy-edged, glossy above, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 12 years. June-July. Good autumn foliage colour

(r) **'Busaco'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *moupinense* (pink form) × *sulfureum* N: F.J. Williams, I: F.J. Williams, REG: F.J. Williams (1964) Fls light greenish yellow/pale yellow-green (601/2-3), suffused reddish pink and heavily spotted on dorsal lobes. AM 1963 (Golden Oriole Group; award given as 'Golden Oriole Venetia' and originally registered as 'Golden Oriole Busaco'; the contracted form is accepted here)

(a) **'Buso-koshimino'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c50mm wide, persimmon orange, variously marked with red; with strap-shaped segments between calyx and corolla; red and persimmon orange selfs also produced. Satsuki

(r) **Bustard Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *auriculatum* (s) × Penjerrick Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 11-13/compact truss, open funnel-shaped, 100-115mm wide, pure white, with a conspicuous crimson blotch in the throat. Lvs 175 × 75mm, dark green resembling those of female parent. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. July

(r) **'Busuki'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tarantella' (s) × 'Small Wonder' H: H. Hachmann (1986), G: H. Hachmann (1991), N: H. Hachmann (1993), I: H. Hachmann (1998), REG: G. Stück (1999) Fls 19/dense truss, funnel-shaped, 40-45 × 50-60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside strong red (53B) with a small, 5-rayed, white star in the centre, outside strong red (53B); slight internal markings of deep red (53A); stamens 10, filaments strong red (53B), anthers greyed white; style strong red (53B), stigma dark red (187B). Calyx 1mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 110-135 × 45-58mm, apiculate at apex, rounded/oblique at base, flat, slightly glossy above, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.2m in 10 years. Late May-early June. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1998-2000 (1998), plus colour photograph)

(r) **'Busybody'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1905), I: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a greenish centre. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'But Always'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, pale pink over white, dorsal lobe nearly white and with a light pink central stripe; pistil and stamens brighter rose; scented. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Early-mid July

(a) **'But Beautiful Too'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, very large, white; un-opened buds delicately veined pink; partially petaloid stamens. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Late June

(r) **'Butcher Wood'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *tephropeplum* (from KW 20844) R: A.E. Hardy, N: A.E. Hardy, I: A.E. Hardy (1975), REG: A.E. Hardy (1975) Fls larger and of a good deep colour. AM 1975

(r) **'Buteo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Golden Star' (s) × 'Herbert's Find' H: W.L. Rhein (1983), G: W.L. Rhein (1988), N: W.L. Rhein, REG: Rhein Registration Committee (1996) Fls 7-10/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 95 × 60mm, with 5-7 wavy-edged lobes, light yellowish pink (26D) in bud, opening inside pale yellow (8D) with spotting on 3 dorsal lobes of strong red (46A) which gradually changes to moderate yellow (162B) towards edges; outside light greenish yellow (8C); stamens 10-12, straight, unequal; slightly scented. Calyx minute. Pedicels 30-40mm long, deep yellowish pink (47C) above, brilliant yellow-green (149B) below. Lvs elliptic, 100-125 × 45-55mm, edges decurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, moderate olive green (147A) and glossy above, moderate yellow-green (147B) below, hairless; petioles 20mm long. strong yellow-green (144C), flushed greyish red (184A) above. Shrub 1.2 × 1.3m in 12 years. Early May

(a) **'Butheanum'** (Syn. of 'Bluteanum')

(r) **Butkew Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* (s) × Kewense Group H: E.J.P. Magor (1918), G: E.J.P. Magor, N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1929), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink

(r) **'Butlerianum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, tinged pink. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Butter'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown G: E. de Rothschild (1970s), S: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: Exbury Enterprises (1997), REG: E. de

Rothschild (1997) Fls single, 7/truss, tubular funnel-shaped (opening flat-faced), 65 × 92mm, with 5 rounded lobes, light orange-yellow (16B), the entire dorsal lobe vivid orange-yellow (21A) with flushes of strong yellowish pink (33C), tube strong red (39A); filaments and style similarly coloured; stigma green. Calyx minute, green. Lvs oblanceolate, 100 × 30mm. May. (Solent Group)

(r) **'Butter'** (Syn. of 'Bobbie's Butter')

(r) **'Butter and Eggs'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: J.C. Cowles (pre 1967), G: Heritage Plantation, REG: Sandwich Club (1992) Fls 11/domed truss, 51 × 76mm, open funnel-shaped, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, paler than pale orange-yellow (23D) and with speckled flares of deep pink (180D) in the throat below all lobes, extending upwards 15-25mm on three dorsal lobes; stamens rudimentary, number variable; pistil curved, brown. Calyx c10mm long, tan. Lvs elliptic, 133 × 70mm, flat, acute at apex, oblique at base, dull olive green above, pale green below, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 2.1m in c25-30 years. Late May-early June

(r) **'Butterball'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *xanthostephanum* (s) × *triflorum* R: E.J. & M. Greig, N: E.J. & M. Greig, REG: E.J. & M. Greig (1968) Fls 3-4/truss (often 3-4 trusses together in a tight rounded head), open campanulate, 30-40mm wide, brilliant yellow (9C), lightly speckled deep brown

(r) **'Butter Brickle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' (s) × 'Lem's Cameo' H: J.G. Lofthouse (1976), G: J.G. Lofthouse, I: J.G. Lofthouse (1982), REG: J.G. Lofthouse (1983) Fls 12/truss, 45 × 65mm, broadly funnel-shaped, 6-7-lobed, light yellow (15D) at edges, darkening to vivid/brilliant yellow (15B-C) in centre, throat and outside 15B; star-shaped, strong red (53B) blotch in throat and dorsal spotting of 53B. Calyx up to 40mm long, 15B, edged and spotted red. Lvs elliptic to lanceolate, 100 × 50mm, dark green, hairless

(a) **'Buttercream'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: E. Cummins (pre 1985), N: E. Cummins Fls 50mm wide, pale yellow. Early. Knap Hill

(a) **'Buttercup'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1939), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls butter yellow, with an orange-yellow blotch. Tall shrub. Knap Hill (Also seen listed as a Ghent)

(a) **'Buttercup'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *austrinum* S: A.C. Varnadoe (pre 1985), N: A.C. Varnadoe Fls 30mm wide, in large trusses, vivid yellow; scented. Very early

(r) **'Buttercup'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* × unknown Hardy Hybrid R: W.C. Slocock (c 1924), N: W.C. Slocock, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, pale lemon yellow, shaded apricot

(r) **'Buttercup'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (pre 1980), N: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg

(r) **'Buttered Popcorn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Lammot Copeland' × 'Mary Drennen' H: H.L. Larson, I: C. Smith (pre 1988) Fls yellow, with two brown rays converging on a dark eye. Lvs light green. Erect shrub to 1.2m in 10 years. June

(r) **'Butterflies in the Snow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anna' (s) × *yakushimanum*, Exbury form H: R.E. Burns (1992), G: R.E. Burns (1999), N: F.E. Burns (2002), REG: F.E. Burns (2002) Fls 14/domed truss, open campanulate, 55 × 85mm, with 5(-6) very wavy-edged lobes, strong red (51A) in bud, opening inside white with a small, strong red (51A), butterfly-shaped dorsal flare, fading somewhat with age; outside white, lightly flushed strong red (51A) at base; filaments and style white; anthers tan; stigma pale greenish yellow (1D). Calyx 1.5mm long, pale yellow (161D), tipped strong red (51A). Lvs oblanceolate/elliptic, 100 × 50mm, margins flat, acute at apex, slightly oblique at base, dull and dark yellowish green (139A) above, sparsely hairy below with short hairs on the midvein (greyed at first, ageing to moderate yellow(162A)). Shrub 1.0 × 0.75m in 10 years. Mid May

(a) **'Butterfly'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Double, pink, florists' azalea × 'Treasure' H: B.Y. Morrison & J.L. Creech (1947), N: B.Y. Morrison & J.L. Creech (1958) Fls single, 75mm wide, frilled, amaranth rose (530/2), flaked mallow purple (630)

(r) **'Butterfly'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* (s) × 'Mrs Milner' R: W.C. Slocock (pre 1931), N: W.C. Slocock, I: W.C. Slocock (1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 11-15/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40-45 × 50-70mm, pale yellow-green (601/3), with a basal crimson ray; buds flushed crimson. Lvs ovate to elliptic, up to 95 × 40mm, dark glossy green above, midrib glandular below. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. *AM 1940

(r) **'Butterfly Cream'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Crest' (s) × *dichroanthum* hybrid H: B. Sligh, G: B. Sligh, N: B. Sligh, REG: B. Sligh (1996) Fls 21/full truss, with split and semi-double corollas, 40 × 70-95mm, with wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (180D) and pale yellow (164D) in bud, opening with a light greenish yellow (4C) centre and pale yellow-green (4D) margins; outside pale yellow-green (4D); a large, moderate red (182A), spotted flare on 2 dorsal lobes, a small, moderate red (182A), spotted flare on adjacent lobes. Calyx 10mm long, strong yellow-green (143C), edged deep pink (180D). Lvs 130 × 55mm, margins slightly decurved, dark glossy green above, rounded at base, pointed at apex, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 0.8m in 10 years. Early-late October (New Zealand)

(a) **'Butterfly Dance'** (Syn. of 'Kocho-no-mai')

(r) **'Butterhorn'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: Eldorado Group (s) × *dalhousiae* var. *rhabdotum* H: R.W. Scott (1968), G: R.W. Scott (c 1974), N: R.W. Scott, I: R.W. Scott (c 1975), REG: R.W. Scott (1991) Fls 3-5/flat truss, narrowly funnel-shaped, 76-90 × 75-83mm, with

5 wavy-edged lobes, buds strong yellow-green (145A), opening light greenish yellow (8B) throughout, darkening in throat to vivid yellow (15A), unmarked. Calyx lobes 13mm long, strong yellow-green (145A). Lvs elliptic, 90 × 30mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins flat, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, with scattered brown scales below (covering c20% of surface). Shrub to at least 1.5 × 1.2m. Mid May

(v) **'Buttermaid'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *aurigeranum* × *macgregoriae* R: M. Jury (pre 1988), N: M. Jury Fls up to 22/truss, pale yellow. Upright habit

(v) **'Buttermilk'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *konori* × *aurigeranum* H: J.L. Rouse, G: J.L. Rouse (1980), I: G.L.S. Snell, REG: G.L.S. Snell (1986) Fls 6-10/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 70 × 70mm, pale yellow (11D) inside, brilliant yellow (13C) outside; scented. Lvs elliptic, 110 × 55mm. Shrub 2.0m

(r) **'Buttermint'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Unique' (s) × Fabia Group × *dichroanthum* subsp. *apodectum* H: R. Mauritsen (c 1960), G: R. Mauritsen, N: H.E. Greer, I: H.E. Greer (1972), REG: H.E. Greer (1979) Fls 15/flat truss, campanulate, 45 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds orange, opening lighter than brilliant yellow (2.5Y 9/9); a moderate pink (5R 8/6) edging and some pink tinges on outside disappear with age. Calyx 7-13mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 75 × 30mm, acute at apex, rounded at base, slightly bullate, mid green, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 10 years. Mid May. Syn: 'Compact Yellow', 'Aristocrat'

(a) **'Butterscotch'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *calendulaceum* R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls butterscotch yellow. Early June

(r) **'Butterscotch'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (pre 1980), N: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg

(r) **'Butterscotch Dancer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sunstruck' (s) × 'Skipper' H: J.A. Leonard (1993), G: J.A. Leonard (1998), N: J.A. Leonard, REG: J.A. Leonard (2000) Fls 10-11/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 70 × 100mm, with 7 flat-edged lobes, peach-coloured in bud, opening pale yellow (20D) at margins and shading to pale greenish yellow (10D) at centre, with a strong red (46A) basal blotch extending upwards for 30mm on the dorsal lobe with lesser lengths on other lobes; moderately scented. Calyx c3mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Lvs elliptic, 75-190 × 30-55mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, margins flat, dull and moderate yellow-green (146B) above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.75m in 7 years. Late May-early June

(r) **'Buttersteep'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Jalisco Group × 'Crest' R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1971), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1971) Fls 12-14/more-or-less loose truss, open funnel-shaped, 7-lobed, light yellow (10B), deepening to brilliant yellow (10A), with a small blotch of strong red (46A); outside faintly flushed orange-red. Calyx lobes up to 20mm long, yellow, edged and stained moderate purplish red (186A). Lvs elliptic, up to 100 × 45mm, pale green, hairless. AM 1971

(a) **'Butter Up'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *calendulaceum* R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls yellow. Mid June

(r) **'Butter Yellow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Crest' × 'Golden Yellow' R: Hill (pre 1985) Fls yellow. Compact shrub, 1.5m in 10 years. Midseason

(a) **'Buttons and Bows'** cv. Deciduous azalea: open-pollinated 'Strawberry Ice' G: Mr & Mrs H.L. Bailey, N: Mr & Mrs H.L. Bailey, I: Mr & Mrs H.L. Bailey, REG: Mr & Mrs H.L. Bailey (1986) Fls 15/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (48A) in bud, opening light yellow (20B), with 13mm edge of strong reddish orange (32B) to deep yellowish pink (39B), dorsal blotch of same colours; outside 39B; scented. Calyx 7mm long, bright yellow-green. Lvs more or less narrowly elliptic to more-or-less oblanceolate, 75-140 × 25-40mm, glossy, moderate yellow-green (146C) above, hairy; foliage red in autumn; new growth tinged reddish. Shrub 1.5 × 1.6m in 14 years. Mid May. Knap Hill (Seed collected 1969)

(r) **'Buxom'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Loderi Group × 'Sophia Gray' N: Sir James Horlick (1930), I: Sir James Horlick, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep pink, with a dark throat

(a) **'Buzi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Noordtianum' × seedling of *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* R: Mittendorf, N: Mittendorf (1965), I: Mittendorf (1975) Fls 25-40mm wide, strong purplish red (71D) to vivid reddish purple (74B). Midseason

(a) **'Buzzard'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale yellow, tinged pink, scented. Knap Hill

(r) **'Buzzer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ice Cube' (s) × 'Delp's Cindy Lou' H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 14/truss, open funnel-shaped, 53 × 76mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, deep and strong purplish red (71A-D) in bud, opening strong purplish red (71B-D) with a very pale purple (69D) flare and brownish orange (165B) dorsal spots; filaments vivid purplish red (57D); style pale yellow-green (155A); anthers pale yellow (161D); stigma dark red (187A). Lvs 146 × 51mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 18 years. Early June

(r) **'Buzzer Beater'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' F3 (s) × Jalisco Group × *yakushimanum* H: G.A.L. Mehlquist (1965), G: G.A.L. Mehlquist, N: M.H. Brand (1998), I: Dept. of PlantScience, University of Connecticut (1998), REG: M.H. Brand (1998) Fls 16-18/domed truss, open to broadly funnel-shaped, 50-

65 × 60-80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate yellowish pink (173D & 179D) in bud, opening inside pale orange-yellow (159B-C & 19D), with a relatively narrow, deep to strong greenish yellow v-shaped flare, mostly on the dorsal lobe; outside pale orange-yellow (159B-C) and light to pale yellowish pink (27B-C). Calyx 2mm long, strong yellow-green (144C). Lvs elliptic, 140-180 × 45-65mm, margins flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 2.6 × 3.7m in 25 years. Late May

(r) **'B.W. Currie'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1913), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson

(r) **'B.W. Elliott'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1903), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c16/truss, saucer-shaped or almost flat, 80-90mm broad, 5-7-lobed, bright clear rose, with a dorsal ray of black markings on a brown crimson ground. Calyx small, discoid. Lvs oblong-obovate, 100 × 37mm, dull, dark green above, with vestiges of indumentum on midrib below

(a) **'Bycendron'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: O.F. Wuyts (c 1944), I: Le Feber & Co. (1966), REG: ICRA (1968) Fls single, 50mm wide, deep purplish pink (55A). Midseason

(a) **'Bylsianum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × unknown R: J. Byls, N: C. Morren (1845), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, edged pink, dorsal lobe with a large yellow blotch. Ghent

(r) **'Bylsianum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: possibly a *maximum* hybrid R: J. Byls (pre 1857), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c17/truss, funnel-shaped, 40-45 × 50-60mm, rosy red in bud, opening rose crimson with a pale pink centre and a few, inconspicuous, yellow spots. Lvs oblanceolate, 110-140 × 30-40mm, deep green above, with a thin, brown indumentum below. Shrub to c4.0m

(a) **'B.Y.M.'** (Syn. of 'B.Y.Morrison')

(a) **'B.Y. Morrison'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown N: H.J. Hohman, I: H.J. Hohman (pre 1961) Fls single, 65-75mm wide, vivid reddish orange (41A), with a darker red blotch. Summer lvs 55 × 25mm, moderately deep and glossy green; winter lvs darker green, elliptic. Shrub 1.0-1.5 × 1.5m in 22 years. Syn: 'B.Y.M.'

(a) **'Byron'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Smet, N: C. Vuylsteke, I: C. Vuylsteke (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 14-16/truss, tubular campanulate, 45 × 50-65mm, white, with outer lobes tinged deep pink (52D); buds cream, tipped pink. Lvs light yellow-green. Shrub up to c2.0 × 1.5m. May. *AM 1953. Rustica

(v) **'Byron Bay'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Arthur's Choice' (s) × 'Gardenia Odyssey' H: B. Clancy (1994), G: B. Clancy (1997), N: G. Roelink (2000), I: G. Roelink (2000), REG: G. Roelink (2000) Fls 8/flat, open truss, tubular-campanulate, 32 × 83mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light yellow (18B) in bud, opening inside and out light yellow (18B) on the tube, the lobes suffused moderate reddish orange (41C); unmarked; delicately scented. Lvs broadly elliptic, 83 × 51mm, apiculate at apex, attenuate at base, flat, matt green above, scales not visible to the naked eye. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 6 years. Flowering throughout the year

(a) **'Byron Mayo'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown G: Bovees Nursery, N: Bovees Nursery, I: Bovees Nursery (1962), REG: Bovees Nursery (1972) Fls 75mm wide, heavily frilled, vivid reddish orange (33A), fading to 'hot pink'. Lvs dark green. Shrub 1.5m. (Grown from imported Knap Hill Nursery seed)

(r) **'Cabaret'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney, G: W.E. Whitney (1970), N: Mrs A. Sather, I: Mrs A. Sather, REG: Mrs A. Sather (1986) Fls 14/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 75mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (52A) in bud, opening moderate purplish pink (54D), shaded to deep pink (52B) at edge, with brilliant greenish yellow (3B) markings at base of throat and 52B stripes from base of throat to lobe sinuses. Lvs more-or-less elliptic, 100-125 × 45-50mm, moderate olive green (137A), hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 10 years. Early May

(r) **'Cable Car'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Tally Ho Group × *fortunei* H: A. Golden (1962), G: A. Golden, N: A. Golden, I: A. Golden (1974), REG: A. Golden (1974) Fls 9-14/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 108mm, 5-7-lobed, carmine (21) in bud, opening neyron rose (623). Calyx c1.5mm long, carmine (21). Lvs lanceolate to narrowly lanceolate, 140 × 40mm, mid green. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 10 years

(r) **'Caboodles'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ((('Pygmalion' × *yakushimanum*) × ('America' × 'Mars')) × Cathaem Group) × 'Delp's Fireking' (s) × sibling H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls strong purplish red (60B, C, D) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (62D), edged vivid purplish red (61C) and strong to moderate purplish pink (62A, B), with dark greenish yellow (152D) dorsal spots; filaments and style strong pink (54C); anthers yellowish white (158D); stigma dark red (187A). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(a) **'Cabot Flame'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *calendulaceum* S: H. Bill (1992), N: H. Bill (1992), REG: M.C. Starrett (2002) Fls 7-10/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 55 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edgedlobes, buds vivid reddish orange (32A) at tip, shading through strong reddish orange (32B) to strong yellowish pink (32C) at base, opening inside light orange-yellow (16C) with vivid reddish orange to strong yellowish pink (32A-C) margins and a solid, strong orange-yellow (17A), dorsal flare; outside light orange-yellow (16C), with random stripes and blotches of bud colours. Calyx c1.5-3.0mm long, light yellow-green (145B). Lvs elliptic, 55 × 20mm, margins downcurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and blushed strong red (53B) - fading to strong yellow-green (144A), hairy on veins below,

on edges and on petioles. Shrub 2.3 × 2.4m in 60 or more years. Early to mid June. Plant is sterile, producing neither seed nor pollen. An old bush found in a cemetery thought to be probably of wild origin. (Voucher specimen in University of Vermont Pringle Herbarium)

(r) **'Cabrera'** cv. Parentage unknown L: T. Methven & Son (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear rosy crimson

(a) **'Cachet'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: H.W. Motzkau, I: Yoder Bros (c 1987) Fls double. Early.

(a) **'Cadenza'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50mm wide, white, with wavy-edged lobes, lightly and irregularly flaked with stripes of magenta. Shrub to 1.2m. Midseason. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Cade's Cove'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Golden Anniversary' (s) × ('Lionel's Triumph' × 'Loderi King George') × *macabeanum* H: J. Barlup (1981), G: J. Barlup (1985), N: J. Barlup, REG: J. Barlup (1995) Fls 17/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 65mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (56C) in bud, opening pale yellow-green (157A, edged 155A); stamens 15, straight, unequal; slightly scented. Pedicels 25mm long, deep red (185A). Lvs oblong, 140 × 54mm, concave, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and dark yellowish green (139A) above, moderate yellow-green (147B) below; petioles 29mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Shrub 1.5 × 1.8m in 14 years. Mid March-early April.

(r) **'Cadis'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Caroline' (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* H: J.B. Gable, G: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable (c 1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 9-11/large, flat truss, 95-130mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, light pink (427/2), with a yellow flush; scented. Lvs 70 × 45mm. Shrub 1.8m in 20 years

(a) **'Cadmium Red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: derived from *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* × *kaempferi* R: E.N. Stanton (pre 1987), N: E.N. Stanton Fls reddish orange. Shrub 1.0 × 1.1m in 10 years. Good autumn colour. Midseason

(a) **'Caecilie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C. Schulz (pre 1863), N: C. Schulz, INC: ICRA (1958) (Name reportedly spelt as such, although A. Verschaffelt (1866 cat.) lists it as 'Caecilia')

(r) **'Caerhays'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: J.C. Williams, N: J.C. Williams, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 125mm wide, white. Lvs curled over, glossy, veins deeply indented on either side of midrib. Syn: 'Dickson's Aucklandii'

(r) **'Caerhays John'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* subsp. *xanthocodon* Concatenens Group × *cinnabarinum* subsp. *cinnabarinum* Blandfordiiflorum Group R: C. Williams & C.Michael (pre 1956), REG: ICRA (1994) Fls orange-yellow

(a) **'Caerhays Lavender'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown Fls single, lavender. (Grown at Caerhays (Cornwall, UK) probably since 1930s)

(r) **'Caerhays Lawrence'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* subsp. *xanthocodon* Concatenans Group × *cinnabarinum* subsp. *cinnabarinum* Blandfordiiflorum Group R: C. Williams & C.Michael (pre 1956), REG: ICRA (1994) Fls orange-yellow

(r) **'Caerhays Philip'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* subsp. *xanthocodon* Concatenans Group × *cinnabarinum* subsp. *cinnabarinum* Blandfordiiflorum Group R: C. Williams & C. Michael, I: F.J. Williams (1966), REG: F.J. Williams (1966) Fls 7/loose truss, funnel-shaped, 65 × 65mm, strong orange-yellow (22A), shading to light yellow (20B) at tip. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 115 × 45mm, with small brown scales below. AM 1966

(r) **'Caerhays Pink'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *davidsonianum* L: Rhododendron Species Foundation (1984) Fls pink, with red spots. (Name given by trade to the best pink form from Caerhays Castle (UK))

(r) **'Caernarvon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* hybrid H: A. Consolini, G: R. de Longchamp & W.A. Reese (1976), N: W.A. Reese, I: W.A. Reese, REG: W.A. Reese (1977) Fls 14/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 30 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63A) with deep red (53A) flecks in dorsal throat. Calyx 3mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic to broadly elliptic, 125 × 65mm, obtuse (but apiculate) at apex, rounded at base, hairless, glossy green. Shrub c1.0 × 0.6m in 10 years. Mid-late May

(a) **'Caerulescens'** (See note under 'Coerulescens')

(r) **'Caerulescens'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid L: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bluish purple

(r) **'Caesar'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1907), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose (almost white), with a reddish blotch

(v) **'Cailen Thomas'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' (s) × 'Zoe Elloise' H: B. Clancy (1990), G: B. Clancy (1995), N: G. Roelink (2000), I: G. Roelink (2000), REG: G. Roelink (2000) Fls 6-8/open truss, tubular-campanulate, 27 × 73mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, light greenish yellow (8C) in bud, opening inside and out with vivid reddish orange (44B) on lobe edges, tube light greenish yellow (8B); unmarked; anthers dark brown. Lvs elliptic to ovate, 85 × 51mm, acuminate at apex, rounded at base, flat, glossy green above, scales not discernible to the naked eye. Shrub 0.65 × 0.65m in 10 years. Flowering throughout the year

(a) **'Cain'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Spartanburg Nursery (pre 1987), N: Spartanburg

Nursery Fls 75mm wide, with rounded lobes, light pink, fading to pale pink and to white in centre, with a greenish yellow blotch in the throat. Late. Satsuki

(r) **'Cairo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' × *fortunei* (s) × 'Eidam' × *williamsianum* H: D.G. Leach (1958), G: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1972), REG: D.G. Leach (1973) Fls up to 16/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 30 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, white, with a small blotch and peripheral dorsal spotting of strong to vivid greenish yellow (7.5Y 7.5/10). Calyx c1.5mm long, green, edged red. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 50mm, hairless, dark green. Shrub 1.5 × 2.2m in 14 years

(v) **'Cair Paravel'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Triumphans' × *javanicum* × *leucogigas* H: P. Sullivan (1972), G: W.A. Moynier, I: W.A. Moynier (1979), REG: W.A. Moynier (1981) Fls 11-14/rounded truss, 90mm wide, strong pink (50C), with a rich carnation scent. Lvs 190mm long. Shrub c0.7 × 0.9m in 8 years. Flowering principally during February-March

(r) **'Caitlin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Humming Bird Group (s) × seedling of *fortunei* H: J.A. Marcellus (1956), G: M.L. Trembath (c 1960), N: J.A. Marcellus (1998), REG: M.L. Trembath (1998) Fls 5/lax truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 80mm, with 7 flat-edged (or slightly wavy-edged) lobes, deep purplish pink (68A) in bud, opening strong purplish pink (68B) throughout, unmarked; stamens 14, filaments pale, anthers brown; style pale green, stigma red (2mm wide); pleasantly scented. Calyx 10mm long, deep purplish pink (68A). Lvs ovate, 70 × 45mm, flat-edged, glossy above, pointed at apex, cordate at base, hairless; new growth bright bronze. Shrub 3.0 × 3.0m in 20-30 years. Early-mid April

(a) **'Caitlin Marie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Elsie Lee' (s) × 'Satellite' (USDA) H: J.F. Klimavicz (1991), G: J.F. Klimavicz (1993), N: J.F. Klimavicz (1998), I: J.F. Klimavicz (1998), REG: J.F. Klimavicz (1998) Fls double, 3/ball truss, saucer-shaped, 40 × 50-65mm, with 20-40 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (57D) in bud, opening 57D throughout, with sparse, strong red (53B) dorsal spotting; outside with a narrow, greenish white stripe along central axis of lobes. Calyx c10mm long, moderate yellow-green (138B). Lvs elliptic, 40 × 15mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and strong yellow-green (144A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 5 years. Mid May. (First published in *The Azalean* 19 (4): 71 (1997))

(a) **'Cajun Queen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Willem van Oranje' L: Nuccio's Nurseries (1987) Fls single, wavy-edged, white. (Attributed to Edwards Nursery)

(v) **'Cakes and Ale'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* × *zoelleri* 'Golden Gate' × *zoelleri* × *leucogigas* H: P. Schick, G: G.L.S. Snell (1987), N: R. Macdonald (1991), I: Foothills Nursery (1991), REG: Foothills Nursery (1992) Fls 4-8/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 70 × 70mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, inside strong orange (25A), with light orange-yellow (23C) lobes; outside strong orange (26B). Lvs ovate, 85 × 40mm, flat, matt green, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 1.0m. Spring-autumn

(r) **'Caland'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *sinogrande* (s) × *calophytum* H: D. Betteridge (1975), G: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild (1997), REG: E. de Rothschild (1997) Fls 20/flattened dome truss, obliquecampanulate, 60 × 50mm, 7-lobed, flushed pink in bud, opening white with a faint pink tinge and a deep purplish red (59B), fan-shaped basal blotch above the ovary; stamens 20, filaments white, anthers brown; style and stigma pale green. Calyx 3mm long, white. Lvs oblanceolate, 300 × 100mm, rounded at apex, cuneate at base, matt green above, greyish hairy below when young, later almost hairless. Shrub 2.56 × 2.56m in 22 years. April. AM 1996 (Standard: herbarium specimen provided by registrant (WSY 0019220))

(a) **'Calantha'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.R. Gowen (1829), N: J.R. Gowen, INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Published in *Botanical Register*, 1830, under t.1366, where two possible parental combinations are discussed)

(a) **'Calapooya'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Hugh Wormald' × 'Marion Merriman' R: H.J. Slonecker, N: H.J. Slonecker, REG: H.J. Slonecker (1963) Fls 95mm wide, sometimes with 6-8 lobes, brilliant yellow (11A) which fades to pale yellow (11D) tinged light pink, blotch vivid orange-yellow (23A). Midseason. (Galle, 1987). Fls pale pink, with a deep yellow-orange blotch (*Q. Bull. Am. Rh. Soc.* 17 (3): 159 (1963))

(v) **'Calavar'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *konori* × *zoelleri* H: T. Lelliott (1971), G: W.A. Moynier, N: W.A. Moynier, I: W.A. Moynier (1978), REG: W.A. Moynier (1980) Fls 5-7/flat or slightly conical truss, 65mm long, deep pink (52B) at tips, throat light yellow (10C) and outside light yellow-green (2C); carnation-scented. Compact habit, 0.6 × 0.8m in 9 years. Late winter-spring

(a) **'Calchas'** cv. Parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1868), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(r) **Calciphilum Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. calostrotum* var. *calciphilum*

(r) **'Calcutta'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* × *kyawii* (s) × 'Catalgla' R: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1972) Fls up to 13/lax, pendulous truss, tubular-campanulate, 40mm wide, 5-lobed, strong orange (2.5YR 7/10) in bud, opening brilliant yellow (5Y 9.5/9), thinly edged strong orange (2.5YR 7/10) - and suffused a similar colour at the base - and with scattered, sparse, brown spotting. Calyx minute, green. Lvs oblanceolate, 115 × 45mm, dark green, with a fugitive indumentum. Shrub 1.0 × 2.0m in 20 years

(r) **'Caldecot Fastuosum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: Caldecot & Claremont Nursery, N: Caldecot & Claremont Nursery, INC: ICRA (1958) (An "improved" form of 'Fastuosum Flore Pleno')

(a) **'Calder'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: F.E.W. Hanger (1948), G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, REG: Royal Horticultural Society (1968) Fls 12-15/compact, domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 65×65mm, near deep pink (52C), lightly flushed and veined strong red (50A), sometimes fading almost white, with an occasional yellow blotch. Lvs 95 × 45mm, bright glossy green. Shrub at least 1.6m. *HC 1968. Knap Hill

(a) **'Caldwellii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Amoenum' × 'Magnificum' R: B.S. Williams, I: B.S. Williams (pre 1877), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, single, pale pink. Syn: 'Bidwellii'. Amoena

(a) **'Calendarb'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *arborescens* × *calendulaceum* N: Biltmore Gardens (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear pink, with a yellow blotch. (Occurred as a natural hybrid in Biltmore Gardens)

(r) **'Calfort'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *calophytum* (s) × *fortunei* R: France (c 1921), N: C. Ingram, I: C. Ingram (c 1932), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12-16/truss, pink in bud, white when expanded, with a crimson purple blotch and marked externally with rosy lilac; strongly sweet-scented. Lvs large, lanceolate. AM 1932 (Calfort Group)

(r) **Calfort Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *calophytum* (s) × *fortunei* R: France, N: C. Ingram (c 1932), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Caliban'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Doncaster' × *haematodes* H: L. de Rothschild (1925), G: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark scarlet

(a) **'Calico'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *calendulaceum* × *cumberlandense* R: L.F. Frisbie (pre 1965), N: L.F. Frisbie Fls 75mm wide, pink, yellow and white. June

(a) **'Calico'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), S: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1969), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1974), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1974) Fls double, lemon yellow. Knap Hill

(r) **'Calico Dancer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anita Dunstan' (s) × 'Lem's Cameo' H: J. Barlup (1987), G: J. Barlup (1991), N: J. Barlup, REG: J. Barlup (1995) Fls 15/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 75mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, pale yellow-green (4D) throughout, except for light greenish yellow (3D) dorsal lobe which is sparsely spotted deep pink (51B); stamens 14, curved, unequal; stigma strong yellow-green (144C). Calyx irregular, up to 35mm long, pale yellow-green (4D), randomly streaked deep pink (51B). Pedicels 30mm long, moderate red (180C) above, strong yellow-green (144C) below. Lvs elliptic, 89 × 44mm, flat, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (146B) below; petioles 20mm long, strong yellow-green (144B), hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 8 years. Late April-early May

(a) **'Calicoette'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Coquille' × *cumberlandense* R: L.F. Frisbie (pre 1965), N: L.F. Frisbie Fls 50mm wide, pink, yellow and white. June

(a) **'Caliente'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Addy Wery' × 'Salmon Elf' R: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1970) Fls 2-3/truss, hose-in-hose, up to 50mm wide, vivid red (5R 5/13). Lvs 30 × 13mm. Shrub to 0.6m

(a) **'California Beauty'** (Syn. of 'My Fair Lady')

(a) **'California Formosum'** (Syn. of 'Dwarf Formosum')

(r) **'California Gold'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Else Frye' (s) × Eldorado Group H: P.J. & R. Bowman (1963), G: P.J. & R. Bowman (1967), N: P.J. & R. Bowman, I: P.J. & R. Bowman, REG: P.J. & R. Bowman (1976) Fls 5-6/lax truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 56 × 83mm, with (4-)5(-6) wavy-edged lobes, primrose yellow (601/2); anthers garnet brown. Calyx 8mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 84 × 41mm, spinach green (0960), hairless, with silvery scales below. Shrub 0.5 × 0.6m in 3 years. Late March

(a) **'California Peach'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'California Pink Dawn' R: unknown (pre 1985) Fls deep yellowish pink. Indian

(a) **'California Pink Dawn'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Haerens Saumoneum' R: unknown (pre 1985) Fls large, double, pale pink. Indian

(a) **'California Snow'** (Syn. of 'Beverly Haerens')

(a) **'California Sunset'** (Syn. of 'Haerens Saumoneum')

(a) **'California Sunshine'** (Syn. of 'Kashu-no-hikari')

(r) **'Caliph'** cv. Parentage unknown I: L. de Rothschild (1935), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Callagold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* × *wardii* R: R. Henny, I: L. Henny, REG: L. Henny (1963) Fls 40mm long, 5-lobed, reddish, "capped" with amber gold. Lvs up to 75mm long. Dwarf habit

(r) **'Callandarianum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson

(r) **'Callight'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *calophytum* × 'Neon Light' H: K. Van de Ven, G: K. Van de Ven, N: K. Van de Ven (1973), REG: K. Van de Ven (1974) Fls 22/flat-topped truss, campanulate, 75mm wide, light purplish pink (63D), paling with age and with a maroon eye. Lvs 80 × 50mm. Shrub 1.2m

(r) **'Calliope'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* hybrid L: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose, shading to white, with red-brown spots

(r) **Callirhoe Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Doctor Stocker (s) × *arboreum* (blood red form) H: E.J.P. Magor (1918), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale purplish pink (56A), with crimson spots

(r) **'Callisto'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with brown spots. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Calocoryphe'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.R. Gowen (1829), N: J.R. Gowen, INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Published in *Botanical Register*, 1830, under t.1366, where two possible parental combinations are discussed)

(a) **'Calodendron'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.R. Gowen (1829), N: J.R. Gowen, INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Published in *Botanical Register*, 1830, under t.1366, where two possible parental combinations are discussed)

(r) **Calomina Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Queen Wilhelmina' (s) × *calophytum* I: Lady Loder (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, with a darker blotch

(r) **'Calophyllum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a form or hybrid of *arboreum* L: A. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. Lvs silky below

(a) **'Calostephane'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.R. Gowen (1829), N: J.R. Gowen, INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Published in *Botanical Register*, 1830, under t.1366, where two possible parental combinations are discussed)

(r) **'Calostrotum Pink'** (Syn. of 'Cutie')

(r) **'Calostrotum Rose'** (Syn. of 'Cutie')

(r) **Calotum Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *calophytum* (s) × *irroratum* R: France, N: C. Ingram, I: C Ingram (1934), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **Calrose Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *calophytum* (s) × *griersonianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1929), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cerise red

(r) **'Calsap'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' (s) × 'Sappho' H: M.W. Michener (1965), G: M.W. Michener (1970), N: M.W. Michener, I: M.W. Michener (1983), REG: M.W. Michener (1986) Fls 18/conical truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 38 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, very pale purple in bud (69B), opening white inside with a darkred blotch (187A, edged 187C); outside slightly flushed very pale purple (69B). Lvs oblong, 110 × 48mm, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.8m in 12 years. Midseason

(r) **'Calsap No.4'** (Syn. of 'Deep Thoughts')

(r) **'Calsap No.6'** (Syn. of 'Deadly Force')

(r) **Calstocker Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *calophytum* (s) × 'Doctor Stocker' N: W.I. Whitaker, I: W.I. Whitaker (1935), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **Calsutch Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *calophytum* × *sutchuenense* L: Leonardslee Gardens Nursery (1988)

(r) **Calthom Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *calophytum* (s) × *thomsonii* N: W.I. Whitaker, I: W.I. Whitaker (1935), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Caltwins'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' × 'Pink Twins' R: W.E. Delp (pre 1990)

(a) **'Calusa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Helen Close' × 'Purple Splendor' R: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1969) Fls hose-in-hose, 2/truss, up to 65mm wide, deep purple pink (7.5RP 6/12). Lvs 45 × 22m. Shrub 1.5m

(a) **'Calusa Indian'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *scabrum* f. *coccineum* (s) × 'Fascination' (Harris) H: J.A. Shaw (1988), G: Bok Tower Gardens (1990), N: Bok Tower Gardens (2002), REG: Bok Tower Gardens (2002) Fls 3/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 55 × 70mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, opening inside and out vivid reddish orange (42A) with a light pink (50D) streak, c30mm long and 10mm wide at base; dorsal lobe inside with strong red (46A) spotting. Calyx 4mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Lvs elliptic, 55 × 25mm, margins upcurved and slightly twisted, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and dark yellowish green (139A) above, moderate yellow-green (146B) below, with sparse, deep orange-yellow (163A) hairs above and below. Shrub 1.0 × 1.8m in 8 years. Late April-May

(a) **'Calvary's Love'** cv. Evergreen azalea: white-flowered Indian azalea, open-pollinated G: Mrs B. Johnson (c 1980), N: Mrs B. Johnson (1996), I: Oak Hill Farm (1996), REG: Mrs B. Johnson (1996) Fls 2-3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 75mm, with 5 flat to very slightly wavy-edged lobes, light green in bud, opening yellowish white (155D) throughout, unmarked. Calyx c10mm long, light yellowish green. Lvs elliptic, 45 × 15mm, flat, cuneate at base, acute at apex, semi-glossy above, with discrete hairs. Shrub 1.2 × 1.8m in 10 years. Early April

(r) **'Calvin Anthony'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vicki Reine' (s) × 'Lord Roberts' H: H. & M. Stockman (1989), G: H. & M. Stockman (1996), N: H. & M. Stockman (2002), REG: H. & M. Stockman (2002) Fls 10-14/ball truss, funnel-campanulate, 50 × 75mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, bright purplish pink in bud, opening inside light purplish pink, with slightly darker margins and a narrow dorsal blotch of red spotting edged with yellow spots on a white ground; outside purplish pink, with a darker pink longitudinal stripe on each lobe; pistil and stamens dark pink. Calyx very short, greenish yellow. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 50mm, margins downcurved, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.3m in 13 years. Mid May

(a) **'Calyciflorum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Veitch & Sons (1887), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, salmon red, toned with orange. (Imported from Japan and presumably re-named by Veitch)

(a) **'Calycinum'** (Syn. of 'Omurasaki')

(a) **'Calycinum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. van Geert (1843), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Calypso'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L.van Houtte (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Calypso'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Moser & Son (pre 1898), N: Moser & Son, I: Moser & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, soft lilac rose self. Ghent

(a) **'Calypso'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Paul Schäme' × 'Avenir' R: B. Janouch (1961), N: B. Janouch Fls double, salmon pink. Lvs elliptic, dull green

(a) **'Calypso'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Pink Star' × 'Saint James' R: J. & D. Garrett (pre 1987), N: J. & D. Garrett Fls 75-80mm wide, dark yellowish pink, washed reddish orange, with a darker blotch and sometimes developing a white throat with age. Midseason

(r) **Calypso Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Gilian Group (s) × Smithii Group H: E.J.P. Magor (1921), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1934), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Cam'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: F.E.W. Hanger, G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, REG: Royal Horticultural Society (1961) Fls 16-20/compact, globular truss, funnel-shaped, 52 × 77mm, with very wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (56C), deepening through light to strong purplish pink (55C-B) at margins and with a golden yellow dorsal blotch. Lvs 108 × 40mm, mid-green. Shrub at least 2.0m. *AM 1959. Knap Hill

(r) **'Cama'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *mucronulatum* L: USA (1995)

(r) **Caman Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* (s) × *beanianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1937), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(a) **'Camaralda'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: V.J. Boulter (1970) Fls light pink

(r) **'Camay'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Chlorops' H: G.W. Clarke, G: G.W. Clarke, N: G.W. Clarke, I: George W. Clarke Nursery, REG: Mrs M. Clarke (1992) Fls 11/domed truss, campanulate, 38 × 44mm, with 5(-6) smooth-edged lobes, buds and flowers pale greenish yellow (1D) without any markings; stamens 10, curved, unequal. Calyx 6mm long, green. Pedicels 44mm long, green, tinged reddish. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 114 × 38mm, convex, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, wrinkled, dull and moderate olive green (137A) above, pale yellow (161C) below, glandular; petioles 25mm long, green. Shrub 1.4-1.5 × 1.1m in 5 years. April-May

(r) **'Cambridge'** (Syn. of 'Pematit Cambridge')

(a) **'Camellia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls double, yellowish pink, with a dark blotch. Indian

(a) **'Camellia Alba Perfecta'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Deutsche Perle' I: Haerens & Wille (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pure white. Indian

(a) **'Camellia Alba Plena'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white. Indian

(a) **'Camellia Alba Plena'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Madame Moreux' × 'Président Comte Oswald de Kerchove' I: E. de Meyer (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white. Indian

(a) **'Camelliae Flore Pleno'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Velten (1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, large, coral red, with a dark blotch. Indian

(a) **'Camellia Suprema'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pure white. Indian

(a) **'Camelot'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' (s) × an orange form of *indicum* R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 70-75mm wide, strong purplish red, deeper at margins; blotch darker, spreading and conspicuous, tyrian rose. Shrub to 1.5m. Early. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Camembert'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Crest' (s) × 'Whipped Cream' (Coker) H: B. Sligh (1979), G: B. Sligh (1988), N: B. Sligh (1995), REG: B. Sligh (1996) Fls 22-24/full truss, broadly campanulate, 45 × 90mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes and 3-4 petaloids, moderate red (182A) and moderate yellowish pink (38B) in bud, opening inside light yellow (11B); outside pale yellow (11D); unspotted; fls with a 'crepe paper-like' appearance; scented. Lvs 120 × 55mm, margins flat, deep glossy green above, rounded at base, pointed at apex, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 10 years. Mid October-mid November (New Zealand)

(a) **'Cameo'** (Syn. of 'Ten's Cameo')

(a) **'Cameo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 40mm wide, phlox purple (632/1). (An old variety grown in Boskoop)

(a) **'Cameo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* × *kaempferi* × *indicum*, double form R: J.B. Gable (pre 1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, single(sometimes double), 40mm wide, shell pink. Gable (Not named by Gable)

(r) **'Cameo'** cv. Parentage unknown R: New Zealand (pre 1979), N: New Zealand

(r) **'Cameo Frost'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lem's Cameo' (s) × 'Coker's Pink' H: B. Sligh (1983), G: B. Sligh (1989), N: B. Sligh (1994), I: Taunton Gardens (1995), REG: B. Sligh (1994) Fls 12/truss, flat-opening, 40 × 90mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, moderate yellowish pink (38B) in bud, opening inside pale yellowish pink (36D) and flushed light yellowish pink (27B, 36C), throat with a strong red (46A) blotch and the three dorsal lobes also spotted strong red (46A); outside light to pale yellowish pink (36C-D). Calyx 15mm long, light yellowish pink (27B and 36C), with a strong red (46A) flare. Lvs 135 × 40mm, wavy-edged, matt dark green, pointed at both ends, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 0.7m in 10 years

(r) **'Cameo Pearl'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lem's Cameo' (s) × 'Coker's Pink' H: B. Sligh (1983), G: B. Sligh (1989), N: B. Sligh (1990), REG: B. Sligh (1994) Fls 12-13/full truss, opening wide, 30 × 80mm, with 7, wavy to frilly-edged lobes, buds strong to light purplish pink (55B/C), opening inside pale purplish pink (56C/D), edged pale purplish pink (56A); outside pale purplish pink (56B) with strong purplish red (55B) ribs; strong red (46A) spots on 75% of each dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 110 × 45mm, flat, rounded at base and apex, matt green; young foliage cinnamon. Shrub 1.0 × 0.8m in 10 years. Mid October-mid November (New Zealand)

(v) **'Cameo Spice'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* (s) × *konori* H: T. Lelliott, G: E.B. Perrott, N: O.S. Blumhardt, I: O.S. Blumhardt, REG: O.S. Blumhardt (1984) Fls 4-6/truss, 80-90mm long, 6-lobed, carrot red (612/1) in bud, opening 612/1 on tube, shading to spanish orange at base (10/1), the lobes azalea pink (618/2). Flower bud scales deep red. Lvs elliptic to ovate, 120-160 × 80-90mm, with brown scales

(r) **'Cameo Sunset'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lem's Cameo' (s) × 'Polynesian Sunset' H: M. Sanders (1985), G: M. Sanders (1989), N: M. Sanders (2001), I: Sanders Nursery (2001), REG: Sanders Nursery (2002) Fls 15/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 105mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (54C) in bud, opening inside light yellow (18B) in the centre, shading to 15-20mm wide margins of light purplish pink (55C), with a small basal blotch of brownish orange (164A); outside strong purplish pink (55B). Lvs elliptic, 140 × 55mm, with wavy margins, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 2.1m in 13 years. Mid May

(az) **'Cameronian'** cv. Azaleodendron: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft yellow-pink

(a) **'Cameroon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* × 'Hexe' (s) × *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* × *kaempferi* R: J.B. Gable (pre 1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 50mm wide, strong purplish red (54A), with a darker blotch. Midseason. Gable (Not named by Gable)

(r) **'Camich'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (s) × 'Michael Waterer' H: G. Fraser (c 1930), N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish red, spotted. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 30 years, of very dense habit

(a) **'Camiel de Conning'** (Parent of 'Doctor Arnold'; perhaps a corruption of 'Emil de Coninck')

(r) **'Camilla'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1907), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine rose, with wavy-edged lobes

(r) **'Camilla'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Penjerrick Group (s) × 'Loderi King George' H: Lord Aberconway (1924), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, trumpet-shaped, white. AM 1944 (Camilla Group)

(r) **Camilla Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Penjerrick Group (s) × 'Loderi King George' H: Lord Aberconway (1924), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1933), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Camille van den Bossche'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Elise Lieber' R: unknown (pre 1958), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Camille Vervaene'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Vervaene, N: J. Vervaene, I: J. Vervaene (1879), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi- to fully double, bright purplish red. Indian

(r) **'Camillo Schneider'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' × *forrestii* Repens Group R: D.G. Hobbie, N: D.G. Hobbie (1953), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 6/more-or-less lax truss, funnel-shaped, 45 × 45mm, with wavy-edged lobes, strong red (46A). Lvs 70 × 33mm, dull, fairly dark green. Shrub at least 1.0 × 1.4m. May. *AM 1986

(a) **'Camisole Burgundy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* hybrid R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls hose-in-hose, dark reddish brown

(a) **'Camisole Crimson'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* hybrid R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls hose-in-hose, vivid red

(a) **'Camisole Fuchsia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, I: Carlson's Gardens (1993) Fls rich fuchsia purple, with a second whorl of petals (?hose-in-hose). Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 10 years. Early-mid May. (Carlson's Hardy Hearties Group)

(a) **'Camisole Rose'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* hybrid R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls hose-in-hose, dark pink

(r) **'Cammaertianum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Gheldolf (1844), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Campanile'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hachmann's Diadem' × 'Holger' (s) × 'Ignatius Sargent' H: H. Hachmann (1984), G: H. Hachmann (1990), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 13-17/dense, compact truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50-55 × 75-90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside white, lobes with 10-12mm wide border of strong purplish red (64C); outside strong purplish red (64C) all over; a conspicuous blotch on 3 dorsal lobes of strong yellow-green (144B/C) spots, some combined with deep purplish red (187D) and changing into dark red (187B); stamens 10, filaments white, anthers light olive brown/light yellowish brown (199B/C); style deep purplish pink (66C), stigma dark red (187A); ovary white hairy. Calyx 3-4mm long, reddish green. Lvs elliptic, 120-140 × 45-55mm, convex, margins recurved, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy above, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.5m in 10 years. Late May-mid June. (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0030618). First published in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(r) **'Campanulatum Alexandrinum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: L. Leroy (1893), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear lilac

(r) **'Campanulatum Elegans'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light purple

(r) **'Campanulatum Grandiflorum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: A. Henderson & Co. (1852), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Campanulatum Hybridum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campanulatum* (s) × *maximum* × *ponticum* R: Standish & Noble (1845), N: Standish & Noble, I: Standish & Noble, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls whitish lilac or flesh-coloured, much spotted on dorsal lobe. Syn: 'Hybrid Campanulatum'

(r) **'Campanulatum Leopoldii'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Vervaene (1864), INC: ICRA (1958) (Said to be from Verschaffelt)

(r) **'Campanulatum Pictum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: A. Henderson & Co. (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with green spots

(r) **'Campanulatum Superbum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: possibly *campanulatum* × *ponticum* L: A. Henderson & Co. (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls similar to 'Princess of Wales' but more rosy (Millais (1917))

(r) **Campbelliae Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. arboreum* subsp. *campbelliae*

(a) **'Campbellii'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1859), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(r) **Campbut Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* (s) × 'Sir Charles Butler' H: E.J.P. Magor (1916), G: E.J.P. Magor, N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1926), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 5-6 lobed, very pale yellow, densely spotted crimson at base

(r) **Campdis Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown INC: ICRA (1958) (Parent of 'E.J.P. Magor' Probably raised by E.J.P. Magor, pre 1945)

(a) **'Campfire'** (Syn. of 'Hino-scarlet')

(a) **'Campfire'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Caroline Gable' × 'Purple Splendor' R: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable (1942), I: J.B. Gable (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, rose purple (022), with a darker blotch. Shrub 1.5m tall in 25 years. Midseason. Gable

(a) **'Campfire'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' × 'Willy' (s) × 'Mrs Carmichael' × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, 40mm wide, amaranth purple, with a rose red tube. Shrub to 1.5m. Midseason. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Campfire'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Campfire')

(r) **Campirr Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* (s) × *irroratum* H: E.J.P. Magor (1919), G: E.J.P. Magor, N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1926), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls the size of *irroratum*, pale yellow, with crimson spots

(r) **Campkew Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* (s) × Kewense Group H: E.J.P. Magor (1919), G: E.J.P. Magor, N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls creamy white, with crimson spots

(a) **'Camp's Red'** cv. Deciduous azalea: wild-origin selection from *cumberlandense* S: H.T. Skinner, N: H.T. Skinner, REG: H.T. Skinner (1964) Fls 40mm wide, strong red to vivid red in wild (820-20), lighter in cultivation (719/1-717). June. (Selected on Big Black Mountain, Kentucky, USA)

(r) **Campxen Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* (s) × *R.x detonsum* H: E.J.P. Magor (1920), G: E.J.P. Magor, N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white or pale yellow, with red spots

(r) **'Campy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* × red-flowered *catawbiense* seedling H: A.M. Shammarello (1953) Fls pink. New foliage glossy, soft green

(r) **'Canada'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: E.J. & M. Greig (pre 1946), G: E.J. & M. Greig (c 1946), N: J.F. Caperci (1965), I: J.F. Caperci (1965), REG: J.F. Caperci (1976) Fls 3-5/truss (3-5 trusses in a lax, ball inflorescence), campanulate, 13 × 10mm, 5-lobed, vivid purplish red (66B). Calyx 3mm long, red. Lvs elliptic, 25 × 13mm, slightly bullate, moderate olive green (147A) above, moderately scaly below; edges of new leaves slightly reddish. Shrub 0.25 × 0.4m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Canadian Beauty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Horace Fogg' × Walloper Group H: J.G. Lofthouse, G: J.G. Lofthouse (1969), N: J.G.

Lofthouse, I: J.G. Lofthouse (1969), REG: J.G. Lofthouse (1970) Fls up to 16/truss, open funnel-shaped, 75 × 115mm, 5-lobed, vivid purplish red (57C) shading to centre through light purplish pink (73C) to very pale purple (73D) and with 2 yellow rays emanating from the dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 175 × 55mm. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Canadian Gold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' × *wardii* hybrid H: J.G. Lofthouse, G: J.G. Lofthouse, I: J.G. Lofthouse (1979), REG: J.G. Lofthouse (1979) Fls light greenish yellow (6D), with a reddish maroon blotch

(r) **'Canadian Kaleidoscope'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Elsie Straver' × *dichroanthum* subsp. *apodectum* (s) × 'Jalisco Goshawk' H: J.G. Lofthouse (pre 1975), G: M.L. Trembath (c 1995), N: M.L. Trembath, REG: M.L. Trembath (2002) Fls 8-10/round truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, with 5-7, more-or-less flat-edged lobes, deep pink (48B) in bud, opening inside strong to light yellowish pink (37A-36A), fading to light yellow (20B); outside opening deep pink (48A-B) fading to yellowish pink (36) at edges; a circular throat marking of deep red (53A), which sprays up onto dorsal lobe. Calyx 3-5mm long, deep red, edged cream. Lvs elliptic, 90 × 40mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 1.0m in 15 years. Early-mid May (and occasionally in autumn). (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0035247))

(r) **'Canadian Lilac'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Rocket' (s) × 'Catalgla' × Lady Bessborough Group H: R. Behring (1974), G: R. Behring (1980), N: R. Behring, I: R. Behring (1983), REG: R. Behring (1983) Fls 13/truss, 40 × 50mm, very deeply 5-lobed, lobes more-or-less triangular, square cut at tips, very pale purple (76D) with a few, light tan, dorsal spots; outside very light purple (76B). Calyx 2mm long, strong yellow-green (145A). Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 110 × 45mm, with scattered light tan hairs below. Shrub c0.3m in 9 years

(r) **'Canadian Magenta'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Rocket' (s) × 'Catalgla' × Lady Bessborough Group H: R. Behring (1974), G: R. Behring (1980), N: R. Behring, I: R. Behring (1982), REG: R. Behring (1983) Fls 13/truss, 30 × 50mm, very deeply 5-lobed, lobes more-or-less triangular, square-cut at tip, moderate purplish pink (74D), with dorsal spotting of vivid reddish purple (74B). Calyx 2mm long, strong yellow-green (145A). Lvs elliptic, 75 × 40mm, with a patchy tan indumentum below. Shrub c0.6m in 9 years

(r) **'Canadian Mauve'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Rocket' (s) × 'Catalgla' × Lady Bessborough Group H: R. Behring (1974), G: R. Behring (1982), N: R. Behring, I: Clay's Nurseries (1987), REG: R. Behring (1986) Fls 15/domed truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 40 × 50mm, with 5 deep, wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (78D), with strong reddish purple (78B) stripes on outside; buds vivid reddish purple (78A). Calyx 1mm long, light yellow-green (154D). Lvs (like those of 'Rocket') elliptic, 130 × 60mm, rugose and more-or-less glossy above, hairless. Spreading shrub, 0.4 × 0.5m. Mid May

(r) **'Canadian Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Rocket' (s) × 'Catalgla' × Lady Bessborough Group H: R. Behring (1974), G: R. Behring (1979), N: R. Behring, I: R. Behring (1982), REG: R. Behring (1986) Fls 15/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, very deeply 5-lobed, lobes wavy-edged, strong purplish pink (73B), with vivid reddish purple (74B) throat and dorsal spotting, ribs on outside also 74B. Calyx 1mm long, light yellow-green (144D). Lvs oblanceolate to narrowly obovate, 120 × 50mm, glossy, moderate olive green (137A) above, moderate yellow-green (147C) below, hairless; strong reddish orange (42B) in autumn. Shrub 0.85 × 0.5m in 10 years. Early June

(r) **'Canadian Sunset'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × Gipsy King Group H: R. Henny, G: E.J. Linington, N: E.J. Linington, I: E.J. Linington (1974), REG: E.J. Linington (1974) Fls vivid red to deep pink (52A-52B), fading in centre to pale yellowish pink (27D) with yellow cast; buds vivid red (52A)

(r) **'Canadian Sunshine'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: A.W. Smith (pre 1989), G: D. Irish-Hosler (1997), N: D. Irish-Hosler (2000), REG: D. Irish-Hosler (2000) Fls 14/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 70mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, yellow flushed reddish in bud, opening inside light greenish yellow (3D), unmarked; outside light greenish yellow (3C). Lvs elliptic, 140 × 50mm, acute to broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, margins downcurved, veins impressed, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.75m in c12 years. Late May

(a) **'Canaliculatum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: P. Verleeuwen (1835), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Canari'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls canary yellow, mottled red. Ghent

(a) **'Canaris'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: E. de Rothschild (c 1980), N: E. de Rothschild Fls pale yellow. (Solent Group)

(a) **'Canary'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep yellow, blotched; red outside. Knap Hill

(r) **'Canary'** (Syn. of 'Ilam Canary')

(r) **'Canary'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* × *campylocarpum* hybrid H: M. Koster & Sons (1920), G: M. Koster & Sons, N: M. Koster & Sons, I: M. Koster & Sons (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 7-13/compact, ball truss, 35-55mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, light yellow-green (2C-154D). Lvs rounded, deeply veined, tinged yellow in sun. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Canary Islands'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ((*catawbiense* (white-flowered) × (*fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × Fabia Group)) × 'Mary Belle') × 'Catalga' (s) × 'Peking' H: D.G. Leach (1975), G: D.G. Leach (1982), N: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1985) Fls 16/truss, 45 × 70mm, 5-lobed, light greenish yellow (4C), with light greenish yellow (4B) on dorsal lobe, deep red (53A) dorsal spotting and a 7 × 15mm dorsal blotch of the same colour. Calyx 2mm long, yellow. Lvs elliptic, 102 × 52mm, glossy green, hairless

(a) **'Canary Yellow'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Cecile', selfed R: R. Henny, I: L. Henny, REG: L. Henny (1969) Fls star-shaped, to 90mm wide, 5-lobed, vivid yellow, fading to paler yellow, with 2 faint gold streaks on the dorsal lobe. Shrub over 1.2m. Knap Hill

(a) **'Canasta'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, flat, buff yellow flushed orange in bud, opening golden yellow and overlaid a curious olive orange; scented. Knap Hill

(r) **'Canberra'** cv. 'Carola' (s) × 'Karin' H: H, Hachmann (1982), G: H. Hachmann (1988), N: H. Hachmann (1991), I: H. Hachmann (1994), REG: G. Stück (1995) Fls 16-19/fairly compact truss, broadly open funnel-shaped, 55-60mm wide, with 5 very strongly wavy-edged lobes, inside light purplish pink (68D) at centre of lobes, shading to very pale purple (69A/B) in the throat; outside strong purplish pink (68B), with deeper (68A) edges both inside and out; dorsal lobes with dark red (187A/B) markings; filaments pure white. Calyx 3-4mm long, yellowish green, edged reddish. Pedicels reddish on upper side. Lvs broadly elliptic(-ovate), 100-120 × 45-58mm, flat, mid green and slightly glossy above, rounded at base, apiculate at apex, hairless; petioles reddish above. Shrub 1.1 × 1.4m in 10 years, of compact habit. Late April-mid May. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1995/96 (illustrated))

(a) **'Canby'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Gallipoli' × 'Cecile' (s) × (pink seedling of unknown parentage × 'Seville') × 'Cecile' H: I. & R. Arneson (1973), G: I. & R. Arneson (1980), N: I. & R. Arneson, I: I. & R. Arneson, REG: I. & R. Arneson (1989) Fls single, 15-19/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 70 × 102mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, buds moderate reddish orange (35B), opening light yellow-orange (23C) in throat and shading to strong yellowish pink (34D) at margins; slightly scented. Calyx 6mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 89-127 × 38-51mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, slightly hairy. Shrub 1.7 × 1.7m in 14 years. Mid-late May

(a) **'Can Can'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Louise Gable' × 'Helen Close' R: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1969) Fls semi-double to double, up to 75mm wide, moderate purplish red (5RP 5/10), with very wavy-edged lobes. Lvs 25 × 13mm. Shrub 0.6 × 0.8m. Late May

(r) **'Candescent'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *aureum* × *maximum* (s) × 'Phyllis Ballard' × 'Clark's White' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls moderate reddish orange (35A) and light orange (26C) in bud, opening pale greenish yellow (2D) and strong yellowish pink (35C), with vivid yellow-green (154A) spotting on three dorsal lobes. (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(a) **'Candeur'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Moser & Son (pre 1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a yellow blotch. Mollis (Previously listed incorrectly as 'Candew')

(r) **'Candeur'** (See 'La Candeur')

(a) **'Candew'** (An error for 'Candeur')

(r) **'Candi'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *campylogynum* Cremastum Group × *racemosum* R: J.F. Caperci, N: J.F. Caperci, I: J.F. Caperci, REG: J.F. Caperci (1963) Fls 4-6/truss, funnel-campanulate, 17 × 25mm, bright rose. Lvs elliptic, up to 50 × 20mm, densely scaly. Shrub 0.4 × 0.5m in 14 years. Late April-early May

(a) **'Candice'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Linda Jean' × 'Springtime' (Kurume) H: W.L. Guttormsen (1975), G: W.L. Guttormsen (1979), N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen (c 1983), REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1985) Fls 2/truss, hose-in-hose, open funnel-shaped (6+6-lobed, plus some petaloid stamens), 30 × 50mm, light purplish pink (55C), with an orchid purple throat and very narrow orchid purple edging; some spotting on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 25mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs narrowly obovate to obovate, 20-40 × 13-22mm, more-or-less strong yellow-green (144A), glossy, hairy. Shrub 0.4 × 0.45m in 6 years

(a) **'Candida'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Candida'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: unknown (pre 1871), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Perhaps the same plant, although not treated as a Ghent, listed by A.Henderson & Co., 1852)

(r) **Candida Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *augustinii* (s) × *ambiguum* I: L. de Rothschild (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush

(a) **'Candidissimum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1846), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Candidissimum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1868), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (May later have been re-named 'Marie de Bourgogne')

(a) **'Candidissimum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1885), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls campanulate, large, satin white. Indian

(r) **'Candidissimum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: possibly *catawbiense* × *maximum* R: C. Noble (pre 1860),

N: C. Noble, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 12/rounded truss, 70mm wide, bluish white to soft rose, with a few yellowish green spots

(r) **'Candidissimum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with yellow spots. (Perhaps the pure white cultivar noted by E.S. Rand (1871) and attributed to Parsons)

(a) **'Candidissimum Maximum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Phoeniceum' R: unknown (pre 1840), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white, larger than then existing white cultivars. Indian (Listed in *Florists Journal*, 1840)

(r) **'Candidum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pinkish white. Hardy Hybrid (L.van Houtte (1870) lists it as a Waterer (Bagshot) plant: white, tinted bluish and with a yellow blotch)

(a) **'Candidum Elegans'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1851), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Candidum Punctatum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: H. Laurentius (1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with dark spots

(a) **'Candidum Striatissimum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Candidum Striatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1849), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Candied Apple'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* × *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Delp's Dream' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, deep and strong red (53A, B, 46A) in bud, opening deep and strong red (53A, B, C) and strong pink (54C), with a pale yellow-green (4D) flare and some deep red (53A) in the throat; anthers yellowish white (158C). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Candle Gleam'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Denise' (s) × 'Chrysomanicum' H: V.J. Boulter, G: V.J. Boulter (1981), I: F. Boulter, REG: F. Boulter (1984) Fls 4-6/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 70 × 50mm, light greenish yellow (4B), edged pink. Lvs ovate, 50 × 30mm. Shrub 1.0m.

(r) **'Candleglow'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (pre 1980), N: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg

(a) **'Candlelight'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, pale salmon. (Coolidge)

(a) **'Candlelight'** cv. Evergreen azalea: an orange form of *indicum* (s) × 'Azuma-shibori' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, dull rose pink. Shrub to 1.2m. Glenn Dale (Probably never distributed)

(r) **'Candlelight'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (pre 1980), N: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg

(r) **'Candollei'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Byls (pre 1870), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Candor Rubrum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Byls (pre 1868), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Candy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Madame P.B.vanAcker' N: Glenorie Nursery (pre 1985) Fls double, pink

(r) **'Candy'** (Syn. of 'Sham's Candy')

(v) **'Candy'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *jasmiflorum* × *christianae* H: D.B. Stanton (pre 1977), L: Cape Cod Vireyas (1993) Fls pink. (Reported from USA, 1993)

(r) **'Candy Cane'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' (s) × probably a *williamsianum* hybrid G: Pukeiti Rhododendron Trust, N: G.F. Smith, I: Pukeiti Rhododendron Trust, REG: G.F. Smith (1984) Fls 10/truss, 50 × 65mm, funnel-shaped, deep purplish pink (55A) in bud, opening light purplish pink (55C), fading to blush with deeper rose lines down centre of each lobe externally and reddish green spots in base of throat. Calyx 5mm long, pink. Lvs ovate, 50-65 × 20-35mm; young lvs with a thin, light tan indumentum. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years. (Raised from open-pollinated seed collected at Pukeiti)

(r) **'Candy Floss'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Hawk Group × Mrs Randall Davidson Group R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners (1962), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1962) Fls 10-12/lax truss, funnel-campanulate, up to 45 × 85mm, light yellow-green (154D) in throat, paling to creamy white lobes and flushed vivid purplish red (67B); outside cream, streaked purplish red. Calyx irregular, up to 5mm long, reddish, with a fringe of red, glandular hairs. Lvs elliptic, dark green, hairless. AM 1983

(v) **'Candy Halo'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *auriger-anum* × 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' × *leucogigas* R: New Zealand ? (pre 1999), N: New Zealand ?

(r) **'Candy Kisses'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Weldy' (s) × (*yakushimanum* × 'Gold Mohur') × 'Serendipity' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53D) in bud, opening white, edged strong purplish red (54A) and strong purplish pink (55B), with strong purplish red (54A) dorsal spots; outside with strong purplish red (54A) veining. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Candy Man'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *aureum* (s) × 'Dead Ringer' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (51B) in bud, opening pale yellow-green (4D) with a brilliant yellow-green (154B) flare

and vivid yellow-green (154A) and strong reddish orange (40C) dorsal spots

(a) **'Candystick'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, variegated red and white. Indian (Sometimes seen as 'Candy Stick')

(a) **'Candy Stripe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls double, white, striped reddish orange

(r) **'Candy Stripe'** cv. Parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney, N: G. & Mrs A. Sather (pre 1975), I: G. & Mrs A. Sather (pre 1975) Fls light pink, darker towards centre, with a yellow-spotted throat. Medium-sized shrub

(a) **'Cangalla'** (Syn. of 'Cangallo')

(a) **'Cangallo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: W.F. Koppeschaar (pre 1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dull rose. Early. Syn: 'Cangalla', 'Cengallo', 'Congalo'. Kurume

(r) **'Cannizaro'** cv. Parentage unknown R: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1926), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale lilac rose. (Previously listed in error as 'Cannizara')

(r) **'Cannon's Black Gold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C. Cannon (c 1990), G: C. Cannon (1995), N: C. Cannon (1998), REG: L. Caton (1998) Fls 18-20/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 115mm, with 7-8 very wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (45A) in bud, opening inside pale yellow-green (155A), with deep red (53A) dorsal spotting, outside light yellow-green (2C). Calyx 20mm long, deep red (53A). Lvs oblong, 125 × 65mm, flat, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 7 years. Late May

(a) **'Cannon's Double'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Corneille' × 'Cecile' H: C. Cannon, G: C. Cannon, N: C. Cannon, REG: Briggs Nursery (1991) Fls fully double (no stamens), 7-8/flattened dome truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 44 × 64mm, outer corolla with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (48B) in bud, opening pale yellow (11C) with deep pink (48B) veins and varying amounts of same colour on outside of lobes; outside of tube predominantly deep pink (48A). Calyx 13mm long, strong yellow-green (141D). Pedicels 12mm long, 141D. Lvs narrowly obovate/oblanceolate, 108 × 38mm, flat, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, dull green and bullate above, hairless; petioles 12mm long, strong yellow-green (143C). Shrub 0.6 × 0.75m in 4 years. Mid May. (Published in J. Vermeulen & Son cat., 1983)

(r) **'Cannon's Fawn Yellow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C. Cannon (1973), G: C. Cannon (1975), N: C. Cannon, REG: L. Caton (1997) Fls 13-14/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 100mm, with 7 very wavy-edged lobes, buds light yellow (162C) tinged pink at margins, opening pale yellow (12D), with moderate yellowish pink (37C) margins and vivid reddish orange (34B) spotting in the throat; stamens 14, curved, unequal. Calyx c6mm long, light yellow-green (145B), tinged vivid reddish orange (34A). Lvs elliptic, 140 × 55mm, flat, cuneate at base, broadly acute at apex, dull and dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 1.5m in 25 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Cannon's Plum Perfect'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C. Cannon (1973), G: C. Cannon (1976), N: C. Cannon, REG: L. Caton (1997) Fls 11-12/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 70 × 115mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (70C) in bud, opening to soft blush pink and rapidly turning white with a dark red (187A) blotch on the dorsal lobes; stamens 15, curved, unequal. Lvs oblong, 190 × 55mm, flat, acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 3.6 × 2.4m in 23 years. Early June

(r) **'Cannon's Sun Gold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C. Cannon (1989), G: C. Cannon (1996), N: C. Cannon, REG: L. Caton (1997) Fls 10-11/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 100mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (39A) in bud, opening light greenish yellow (6D) throughout, with a brilliant greenish yellow (6B) throat; stamens 16, curved, unequal. Lvs elliptic, 165 × 55mm, flat, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 7 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Cannon's Yellow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C. Cannon (c 1992), G: C. Cannon (1996), N: C. Cannon (1998), REG: L. Caton (1998) Fls 9-11/flat truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 75 × 115mm, with 7 very wavy-edged lobes, vivid yellow (13A) throughout, with greyish brown (166A) dorsal spotting; moderately scented. Lvs oblong, 125 × 40mm, decurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, with wavy margins, glossy and strong yellow-green (144A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in 5 years. Late June

(r) **'Canon Furse'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1902), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c15/truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, deep rose, with a well-defined ray of black marks. Calyx teeth whitish. Lvs elliptic to oblong-ovate, mid green

(a) **'Cantabile'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Splendens' (s) × 'Vittatum' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50-65mm wide, white. Shrub broader than tall, to 1.5m high. Early. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Cantatrice'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with lemon-coloured spots

(a) **'Can't Elope'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Colossus' × *luteum* R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls large, yellow-orange. Mid June

(a) **'Canterbury'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Flashbrick' (s) × 'Darkie' H: J.S. Yeates, G: D.G. Leach, N: D.S. Leach (1961), I: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1962) Fls 8-9/truss, 108mm wide, with 5-6 very broad lobes, reddish orange (7.5R 5.5/13), with a strong orange (2.5YR 6/15) blotch. Lvs 115 × 45mm, glaucous below, dark green above. Shrub 1.1 × 0.6m

(a) **'Canterbury Bell'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Hazlewood Bros (1971) Fls hose-in-hose, light pink. Indian

(r) **'Cantica'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *calophytum* (s) × *fortunei* I: C. Ingram (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) (Calfort Group)

(a) **'Cantico'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Helen Close' × 'Purple Splendor' R: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1969) Fls single, 2-3/truss, to 65mm wide, white, with a light purple edge (7.5P 6/8). Lvs 40 × 20mm. Shrub 1.0m

(r) **'Can't Lose'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group 'Epoch' × 'Mini Pearl' H: W.E. Delp (1985), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 8/truss, open funnel-shaped, 41 × 51mm, 5-lobed, dark purplish pink (186C) in bud, opening light, very light and very pale purple (75B, C, D) with strong purplish red (60C) spotting on 3 dorsal lobes and a small, strong purplish red (60D) marking in the throat; filaments and style strong purplish red (60D). Lvs 64 × 25mm, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, scaly. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m in 7 years. Mid May. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Canton'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt, I: E.A. Merritt (c 1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, single, light pink. Kurume

(r) **'Canton Consul'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *hanceanum* Nanum Group R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1962) Fls 6/truss, campanulate, 20 × 25mm, creamish green in bud, opening cream. Lvs broadly elliptic, 40 × 20mm. AM 1957

(a) **'Canyalo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: W.F. Koppeschaar, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light rose. Kurume

(a) **'Canzonetta'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Signalglühen' × 'Rubinetta' × 'Vuyk's Scarlet' H: H. Hachmann (1974), G: H. Hachmann (1977), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1987), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls semi-double, 2-4/truss, 28-30 × 35-40(-45)mm, with 5-8 lobes (nearly all flowers with 1-4 petaloid stamens), strong purplish red (58B), lightly dusted with deep purplish red (59B) spots. Calyx 3-4mm long, strong yellow-green (144C), silvery hairy. Lvs oblanceolate, 26-38 × 14-22mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dark green and slightly glossy above; foliage light purple in winter. Shrub 0.35 × 0.8m in 10 years, very slow-growing, of compact habit. Late May-mid June

(a) **'Cap Arcona'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Sylphides' (s) × 'Persil' H: W. Bruns (1968), G: J. Bruns Nursery (1973), N: J. Bruns Nursery, REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1998) Fls 10-14/rounded, fairly compact truss, flat, with 5 wavy-edged, partially reflexed lobes, 45-50 × 55-75mm, pure white throughout, faintly tinged pink at margin inside and with a strong yellow blotch on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 3-5mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 60-110 × 24-45mm, flat, slightly glossy green above, acute at apex, cuneate at base. Shrub 1.6 × 2.0m in 20 years. (Published by Schmalscheidt in *Rhododendron- und Azaleenzüchtung in Deutschland*, part 2 (second edn) 1991)

(v) **'Cape Cod Cranberry'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *konori* × *lochiae* H: T. Domoto, G: M. Segawa (1984), N: R.W. Chaikin, I: Cape Cod Vireyas (1992), REG: R.W. Chaikin (1992) Fls 5-8/flat truss, narrowly tubular funnel-shaped, 64 × 57mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, strong red (53D) throughout; strongly carnation-scented. Lvs variable in shape, orbicular (64mm wide) to obovate/elliptic (76-127 × 38-64mm), flat, dull, dark yellowish green (139A) above, moderate yellow-green (147B) below, some scaly. Shrub 0.8 × 0.9m in 15 years. Continuous flowering

(v) **'Cape Cod Lobster'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lochiae* × *culminicolum* H: uncertain, G: R.W. Cavender, N: R.W. Chaikin, I: Cape Cod Vireyas, REG: R.W. Chaikin (1992) Fls 3-7/lax truss, tubular, with 5 widely flared, smooth-edged lobes, 44 × 38mm, vivid reddish orange (43B) throughout; slightly scented. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 38-76 × 13-38mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (137B) above, moderate yellow-green (139D) below. Spreading shrub, 0.3 × 1.2m in 7 years. February and June-September

(v) **'Cape Cod Sunshine'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *aurigeranum* × *laetum* H: unknown (c 1980), G: W. Hunnewell (c 1985), N: R.W. Chaikin, I: R.W. Chaikin (1992), REG: R.W. Chaikin (1991) Fls 8-15/lax, domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 76 × 76mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, light yellow-green (145B) in bud, opening brilliant yellow (15C) and shading to light greenish yellow (8B) in throat; aging to light orange-yellow (19A) shading to strong orange-yellow (17A) in throat; stamens 10, straight, equal. Calyx minute, brilliant greenish yellow (151D). Pedicels 41mm long, moderate red (180A). Lvs elliptic to narrowly obovate, concave, apex cuspidate, decurved, cuneate at base, 83-140 × 38-76mm, glossy, moderate olive green (137B) above, light yellow-green (145B) below, with white and brown scales on young foliage (these becoming all brown with age); petioles 6mm long, green, scaly. Spreading, open habit; shrub 1.1 × 1.2m in 10 years. Variable period of flowering

(v) **'Cape Cod Valentine'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1993)

(v) **'Cape Finisterre'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *brookeanum* subsp. *gracile* (s) × *leucogigas* H: M.D. Cullinane (1985), G: M.D. Cullinane (1990), N: M.D. Cullinane (1993), REG: M.D. Cullinane (1993) Fls 6-8/lax truss, long tubular funnel-shaped, 100 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, a petaloid appendage for the base of the corolla, light orange-yellow (24C) in bud, opening strong orange (26B) throughout; unspotted; slightly scented. Calyx 1mm long. Lvs lanceolate, 150-160 × 45-48mm, flat, attenuate at base, acute at apex, matt green above, with a scaly indumentum fading from fawn to ochre yellow with age. Shrub 2.0 × 1.0m in 7 years. Repeat-flowering

(a) **'Capella'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* (s) × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single and irregularly hose-in-hose, 50-65mm wide, white, with rare flakes of reddish violet. Shrub to 1.9m. Early. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Caper'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *williamsianum* (s) × Hiraethlyn Group R: R. Henny (pre 1963), N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny, REG: R. Henny (1963) Fls 5-7/truss, funnel-campanulate, 50 × 100mm, light pink (39D). Lvs elliptic, 75 × 50mm. Shrub 0.9m. Early April

(r) **'Caperci Special'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: J.F. Caperci (pre 1950), G: J.F. Caperci (c 1965), N: J.F. Caperci, I: J.F. Caperci (1965), REG: J.F. Caperci (1976) Fls 5-7/ball truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 20 × 40mm, 5-lobed, deep purplish pink (72D), with a few, red, dorsal spots. Calyx c1.0mm long, red. Lvs elliptic, 35 × 17mm, dull green, with scattered, black scales above and dense, brown scales below. Shrub 0.3 × 0.6m in 10 years, with densely black scaly stems. Late April-early May

(r) **'Cape White'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: J.C. Cowles, G: Heritage Plantation, N: E. Morris, REG: Sandwich Club (1992) Fls 17/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 64 × 95mm, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes, light lavender pink in bud, bright white when fully open; stamens 8, straight; pistil brown. Calyx c6mm long, white. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 152 × 51mm, convex, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, dull dark green above, light green below, hairless. Shrub 4.6 × 3.7m in 25-30 years. Late May-early June. Syn: 'White Supreme' (Hybridized some time between 1959 & 1967)

(r) **'Capistrano'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hindustan' (s) × (*catawbiense*, white flowered × (*fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × Fabia Group) × ('Russell Harmon' × 'Goldsworth Orange')) × 'Golden Gala') H: D.G. Leach (1981), G: D.G. Leach (1988), N: D.G. Leach (1994), REG: D.G. Leach (1996) Fls 15/domed truss, funnel-campanulate, 40 × 50mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, yellow in bud, opening pale greenish yellow (2D) throughout, with no pronounced margins. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 50mm, flat, rounded at base, broadly acute at apex, dull deep green above, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.8m in 14 years. Late May

(v) **'Capistrano Dawn'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Nancy Miller Adler' (s) × *konori* var. *phaeopeplum* × *leucogigas* H: W.A. Moynier (1985), G: W.A. Moynier (1991), N: W.A. Moynier, REG: W.A. Moynier (1999) Fls 12-15/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 65 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (56B) inside and out, lighter in the throat; strongly scented. Lvs elliptic, 80 × 40mm, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, margins upcurved, tan scales below and on petioles. Shrub of dense habit, 0.6 × 0.7m in 9 years. December-March

(a) **'Capitaine Gau'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Madame Gau' I: G. van Gele & Son (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, deep purplish pink (58D), gradually changing into light purplish pink (55C) at edges. Otherwise similar to 'Madame Petrick'. Indian

(a) **'Capitatum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: P. Verleeuwen (1835), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Capitatum Incarnatum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. van Geert (1878), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Capitola'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid R: W.D. Smith (pre 1982), N: W.D. Smith Fls hose-in-hose, 100mm wide, reddish purple. (See *The Azalean* 4 (1):3 (1982) for notes on parentage)

(a) **'Capitola'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: H. Kerrigan (pre 1987), N: H. Kerrigan Fls hose-in-hose, with wavy-edged lobes, yellowish pink. Late

(r) **'Cappuccino'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: ('Winter Lights' × 'Winter Lights')F2 H: E.W. Moyles (1985), G: E.W. Moyles (1990), N: E.W. Moyles, REG: E.W. Moyles (1993) Fls 5/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 80mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, white, with broad, vivid yellow (14B) markings in sinuses of dorsal lobe; moderately scented; stamens 10, straight. Calyx 5mm long, strong yellow-green (145A). Pedicels 7.5-10mm long, moderate red (180A). Lvs elliptic, 60 × 35mm, convex, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (137B) above, greyish yellow-green (191A) below, with dark reddish orange (173A) scales below and on the 10mm long petioles. Shrub 0.4 × 0.9m in 8 years. Mid-late February

(a) **'Capri'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Louise Gable' × 'Helen Close' R: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1969) Fls single, 3/truss, up to 95mm wide, deep purplish pink with a red blotch. Lvs 45 × 20mm. Shrub to 1.2m

(a) **'Capri'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L.L. Brooks (pre 1985), N: L.L. Brooks Fls double, white, striped red. Indian

(r) **'Capri'** (Syn. of 'Cyprus')

(r) **'Capriccio'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hachmann's Brasilia' (s) × 'Whitney's Orange' H: H.

Hachmann (1983), G: H. Hachmann (1989), N: H. Hachmann (1992), I: H. Hachmann (1993), REG: G. Stück (1994) Fls hose-in-hose, 11-17/dense, ball truss, funnel-shaped, 35-40 × 54-57mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (58D) inside and out, shaded strong purplish red (58B/C) inside and out, 3 dorsal lobes with a light orange/light yellowish pink (29B/C) ground, throat with 5 star-shaped spots of deep/strong red (53A/B); all lobes with distinct deep red (53A) markings; stamens 10; filaments white (155B), tinged pale purplish pink (56D); stigma deep/strong red (53A/B). Calyx like the corolla. Lvs elliptic-ovate, 65-80 × 35-40mm, flat, matt dark green above, cuneate at base, cuspidate at apex, hairless. Shrub 0.7 × 0.9m in 10 years. Late May-early June. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1993/1994)

(a) **'Caprice'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Splendens' (s) × 'Vittatum' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls campanulate, 2-4/truss, 50mm wide, white, rayed and flaked with coral red. Shrub to 1.5m. Early. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Caprice'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose pink, tinged yellow. Knap Hill

(a) **'Caprice'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Easter Parade' R: O.R. Bristow (pre 1987), I: Mossholder Nursery Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, 90mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, white, bordered with vivid yellowish pink. (Some doubt surrounds the attribution of raiser)

(r) **'Caprice'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: Intermedium Group × *maddenii* R: G.M. Adams-Acton, N: G.M. Adams-Acton, I: G.M. Adams-Acton (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, orchid pink, with a yellowish eye. (Parentage requires confirmation)

(r) **'Caprice'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *augustinii* R: Mrs R.M. Hansen, N: Mrs R.M. Hansen, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bluish lavender

(r) **Capriole Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Etna Group (s) × Jacquetta Group H: Lord Aberconway (1936), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark red

(r) **'Captain Beaumont'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Fisher, Son & Sibray (1898), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright pink, with a white centre, white stripes and a few spots

(a) **'Captain Blood'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Crimson Glory' × 'Easter Greetings' R: H. Kerrigan (pre 1965), N: H. Kerrigan Fls single, with petaloid calyx, blood red

(r) **'Captain Blood'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Queen Wilhelmina' (s) × *griersonianum* R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, I: C. Ingram (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 9-10/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 75 × 75mm, strong red (50A), with slight spotting on dorsal lobes. Lvs narrowly elliptic, up to 225mm long, dark dull green above. AM 1947 (Juliana Group)

(a) **'Captain Carsgens'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1905), INC: ICRA (1958) Similar to 'Auguste Bultemann', but a more vivid colour when first open. Mollis

(r) **'Captain Jack'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' (s) × *facetum* H: R. Henny, G: R. Henny, N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny (c 1956), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 15-24/truss, funnel-campanulate, 45 × 70-90mm, 5-lobed, uniformly strong red (46A), with very faint, darker spotting on dorsal lobe; stamens 10, filaments red, anthers dark brown; style red, stigma dark red; ovary densely white tomentose. Calyx to 3mm long. Pedicels green, flushed red, with scattered, branched hairs. Lvs elliptic, to 200 × 75mm, matt green above, paler below with remains of brown tomentum on veins; petioles to 35mm long, hairless. Shrub to 4m or more. Midseason. AM 1998

(r) **'Captain Kidd'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Princess Elizabeth' (s) × May Day Group H: R. Henny, G: R. Henny, N: R. Henny (1956), I: R. Henny, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 13-15/flat truss, campanulate, up to 90mm wide, turkey red (721/3), centre shaded signal red (719/2). Lvs broadly elliptic, up to 175 × 55mm. Shrub 0.6 × 1.2m in 8 years. May

(r) **'Captain Midnight'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' (s) × 'Blue Peter' H: F. Minch (1990), G: F. Minch, N: F. & J. Minch (1998), REG: F. & J. Minch (1998) Fls 30/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 75mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, strong violet (90A) in bud, opening moderate violet (86A) throughout, with a deep violet (93A) flare on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 5mm long, strong purple (82B). Lvs lanceolate, 225 × 75mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and dark bluish green (133A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 8 years. May

(v) **'Captain Scarlet'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Salmon Sensation' × *javanicum* R: New Zealand ? (pre 1999), N: New Zealand ? Fls trumpet-shaped, rich scarlet

(a) **'Captain's Choice'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nancy of Robinhill' × 'Lady Louise' × 'Glacier' × 'Lady Louise' R: R.D. Gartrell, N: Cripple Creek Nursery (c 1984) Fls 90mm wide, light pink, with reddish spots in the blotch and broad, overlapping lobes. Shrub to 1.0m

(r) **'Captain's Lady'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: (*yakushimanum* × 'Mars') × 'Captain Jack' (s) × (*yakushimanum* × 'Mars') × 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague' H: R.A. Furman (c 1978), G: E. Berube (c 1986), N: I. Donovan, I: Jane's Garden Nursery (1996), REG: I. Donovan (1996) Fls 14-16 or more/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 40 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside strong purplish red (63B), shading to pale purplish pink (65B) in the throat and particu-

larly on dorsal lobe; outside strong red (53B-C):colours non-fading; anthers deep purplish pink (54B); stamens 10, curved, unequal; style deep purplish pink (54B). Pedicels 40mm long, strong red (47B). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 120-135 × 40-45mm, flat to decurved at margin, slightly wavy, cuneate at base, broadly acute at apex, dull, moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless; petioles 40-45mm long, green. Shrub 0.6 × 0.9m in 14 years. Late May-early June

(r) **'Captain Webb'** cv. Parentage unknown R: M. Young (pre 1881), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep lake, with a black blotch

(r) **'Captivated'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Janet Blair' (s) × 'Calsap' H: J. Looye, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish purple (78B), light purple (78C) and moderate purplish pink (78D) in bud, opening white and very pale purple (76D) edged light and very light purple (76A-B), with dorsal spots of light and pale yellow (20B-C) and moderate orange (171C); filaments and style white; anthers dark reddish orange (173A); stigma vivid purplish red (57B). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(a) **'Captivation'** cv. Evergreen azalea: an orange form of *indicum* (s) × 'Momozono' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 2-4/truss, 45-50mm wide, between deep pink and yellowish pink, blotch showy, of small dots of purplish red, pistil scarlet, base of tube nearly white. Shrub to 1.5m. Early. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Captivation'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* × *ponticum* (s) × Altaclerense Group R: Standish & Noble, N: Standish & Noble, I: Standish & Noble (1849), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy crimson, with black spots

(r) **'Captive Color'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Delp's Cindy Lou' (s) × 'El Shaddai' H: W.E. Delp (1980), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls hose-in-hose, 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 46 × 64mm, each whorl with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish red (71A) in bud, opening to a blend of strong purplish red (71B-D) and moderate purplish pink (70D); filaments and style strong purplish red (71D); anthers moderate orange-yellow (164C); stigma dark red (187A). No normal calyx present. Lvs 114 × 57mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.3 × 1.2m in 12 years. Early June

(v) **'Carabintha'** (An error for 'Terebinthia')

(r) **'Caractacus'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 14-17/dense, rounded truss, broadly campanulate, 40 × 60mm, purplish crimson, with a few, dark, dorsal spots. Lvs obovate, up to 125 × 50mm, dark dull green above, hairless below. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. FCC 1865

(r) **'Caramba'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kokardia' (s) × *calophytum* H: H. Hachmann (1979), G: H. Hachmann (1985), N: H. Hachmann (1994), I: H. Hachmann (1995), REG: G. Stück (1995) Fls 16-18/fairly compact truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65-70mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside light purplish pink (62C), shading to pale purplish pink (62D) in the throat, edged strong purplish pink (62A); outside slightly darker (62A/63C); dorsal lobe with a large, conspicuous blotch of deep purplish red (187D) becoming dark red (187A) in the throat. Lvs elliptic, 160-196 × 45-66mm, more-or-less flat, mid green and more-or-less glossy above, cuneate at base, apiculate at apex, hairless. Shrub 1.6 × 1.8m in 10 years, of compact, rounded habit. Late April-mid May. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1995/96 (illustrated))

(r) **'Cara Meg'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kammer's Ruffles' (s) × 'Cotton Candy' H: M. Stockman (1983), G: M. Stockman (1990), N: M. Stockman, REG: M. Stockman (1991) Fls 6/ball truss, saucer-shaped, 64 × 108mm, with 6 frilly-edged lobes, moderate purplish red (70A) in bud, opening white suffused very pale purple (75D), delicately veined and mottled very light purple (75C), with light purple (75A/B) margins (c7mm wide) and a fan-shaped blotch of reddish orange (34B) spots on the dorsal lobes extending out c25mm from throat; moderately scented; stamens 17-20, straight, strong reddish purple (70B), unequal. Calyx 6mm long, light green. Pedicels 19mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 152 × 57mm, flat, acute to mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy dark green above, hairless; petioles 13mm long, light green. Shrub 1.1. x1.2m in 8 years. Early May

(r) **'Caramel Coffee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Australian Sunset' (s) × 'Apricot Ice H: K. Van de Ven (1985), G: K. Van de Ven (1991), N: F.R. Waghorn (1992), I: Olinda Nursery, REG: Olinda Nursery (1993) Fls 15-17/rounded truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, inside light orange-yellow (22C) with lobes light orange-yellow (22D); outside light yellowish pink (29C) flushed red. Calyx 10-15mm long, reddish. Lvs elliptic, 110 × 50mm, flat, matt green above, cordate at base, acuminate at apex. Shrub 1.5m. Spring

(r) **'Cara Mia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Aurora Group (s) × 'Crest' R: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1966), REG: E. de Rothschild (1966) Fls 9-15/compact truss, funnel-campanulate, 50 × 108mm, rose pink (427/3) in bud, opening cream with a mimosa yellow (602/2) throat and a crimson stain at the base; outside retains a pink flush. Calyx 5-10mm long, 6-lobed. Lvs narrowly ovate, 125 × 70mm, hairless. AM 1966 (Cara Mia Group)

(r) **Cara Mia Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Aurora Group (s) × 'Crest' R: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1966), REG: E. de Rothschild (1966)

(a) **'Carat'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *viscosum* × 'Koster's Brilliant Red' × 'Satan' R: Boskoop (pre 1971), N: Boskoop, I: Boskoop, REG: Boskoop (1979) Fls 7-10/truss, 40-50mm wide, strong reddish orange (40C), with a faint orange blotch; scented. Lvs elliptic, 40-60 × 15-25mm, dark green. Shrub 2.0-3.0m. Midseason

(a) **'Caraval'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × 'Kagetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 75mm wide, strong purplish red, with darker flushing and an undertone of yellow. Shrub to 1.5m. Midseason. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Carbineer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Jeanette' (s) × *kaempferi* R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50-65mm wide, between light and strong purplish pink (with an undertone of yellow); filaments red. Shrub to 2.4m, semi-evergreen. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Cardiff'** cv. Parentage unknown H: W.C. Slocock (c 1964), G: J.B. Gable, N: W.A. Reese, I: W.A. Reese, REG: W.A. Reese (1980) Fls 14/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, yellowish white (155D), with a 25mm, deep red (53A), basal blotch and with 53A spotting extending up 45mm from the blotch; vivid purplish red (66A) ribs on outside of tube. Calyx 1.5mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, apiculate at apex, cuneate to slightly oblique at base, dark yellowish green (136B) above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 0.8m in 10 years. Late May

(a) **'Cardinal'** (Syn. of 'Tsuta-momiji')

(a) **'Cardinal'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. Verschaffelt (pre 1846), N: L. Verschaffelt, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rose, edged more reddish and with a yellow blotch. Syn: 'Admiraal de Ruyter' (van Houtte, 1849). Ghent (Published by D. Spae in *Ann. Soc. Roy. Agr. et Bot. de Gand*, p.326 (1846); see notes under 'Admiraal de Ruyter' and 'Beauté Céleste'. In 1882 van Houtte describes it as intense rose, with a fine red blotch and in the same catalogue describes 'Beauté Céleste' as bright rose with a yellow blotch. Either this is an error or another plant had been substituted as 'Cardinal')

(a) **'Cardinal'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, 80-100mm wide, deep purple. Indian

(a) **'Cardinal'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Mother's Day' R: M.G. Schepens (pre 1984), N: M.G. Schepens Fls scarlet throughout. Lvs with burgundy autumn colour

(r) **'Cardinal'** (See also under 'The Cardinal')

(r) **'Cardinal'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose

(r) **'Cardinal'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* (s) × 'Barclayi Robert Fox' R: Lord Aberconway (1927), N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 15-16/truss, 50 × 90mm, broadly funnel-shaped, scarlet. Lvs up to 125 × 65mm, dull green above, hairless below. FCC 1937 (Cardinal Group)

(r) **Cardinal Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* (s) × 'Barclayi Robert Fox' R: Lord Aberconway (c 1927), N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Cardinale'** cv. Evergreen azalea: ? 'Puniceum' × 'Danielsianum' L: Margottin (1854), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Cardinale'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Amoenum' × *kaempferi* R: J.T. Dawson (c 1910), I: J.T. Dawson, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 30mm wide, phlox pink (625/1). Amoena (A chance seedling)

(r) **'Cardinale'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish crimson

(r) **'Cardinale'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1867), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright scarlet. (Listed by Knight & Perry (c1850) under *catawbiense*)

(v) **'Cardinale'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Duchess of Edinburgh' × *javanicum* R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1885), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet crimson. FCC 1885

(a) **'Cardinal Mercier'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, deep purple. Indian

(a) **'Cardinal van Roey'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, purple. Indian

(a) **'Cardon'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: P. Verleeuwen (pre 1835), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red, with an orange dorsal blotch. Syn: 'Cardonii', 'Cardonianum'. Ghent

(a) **'Cardonianum'** (Syn. of 'Cardon')

(a) **'Cardonii'** (Syn. of 'Cardon')

(r) **'Carefree'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: tetraploid *minus* Carolinianum Group (s) × *fastigiatum* H: W.E. Delp (1975), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 5/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 27 × 35mm, 5-lobed, vivid, strong and light purple (80A-D) in bud, opening brilliant violet (86D) and light purple (85A, B); filaments and style light purple (80C); anthers dark reddish orange (178B); stigma moderate reddish orange (178C). Lvs 44 × 25mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, scaly. Shrub 1.4 × 1.2m in 17 years. Mid May

(a) **'Caress'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Marta' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, 50-55mm wide, almost white in centre, darkening gradually to pale pink on margins. Shrub to 1.5m. Early. Glenn Dale

(r) **Careth Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Ethel Group (s) × Cardinal Group H: Lord Aberconway (1942), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(r) **'Carex'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *irroratum* (s) × *oreodoxa* var. *fargesii* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1932), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 10/truss, 65 × 70-80mm, campanulate, 7-lobed, pale lilac pink, freely spotted maroon chiefly on dorsal lobes, centre pure white; outside darker. Lvs ovate, c95 × 45mm, matt, dark green above, hairless below. Large shrub. March-April. AM 1932 (Carex Group)

(r) **Carex Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *irroratum* (s) × *oreodoxa* var. *fargesii* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1932), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Carex Blush'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *irroratum* (s) × *oreodoxa* var. *fargesii* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush pink, spotted. Large shrub. March-April. Syn: 'Blush' (Carex Group)

(r) **'Carex White'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *irroratum* (s) × *oreodoxa* var. *fargesii* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, spotted. Large shrub. March-April. (Carex Group)

(r) **'Cariban'** (An error for 'Caliban')

(a) **'Carillon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Maxwellii' hybrid R: USDA, N: USDA (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 2-3/truss, 75-90mm wide, orange-red, with dark spots at the base of each lobe. Shrub about as wide as tall. (Derived from the work of G.E.Yerkes & R.L.Pryor)

(v) **'Carillon Bells'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *gracilentum* (s) × *laetum* H: R.M. Withers, G: R.M. Withers (1972), N: G.L.S. Snell, I: G.L.S. Snell, REG: G.L.S. Snell (1984) Fls 2-3/truss, deep purplish pink (54B), with a light yellowish pink (27A) throat

(r) **'Carioca'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi King George' × un-named seedling (Ostbo no.Y3) R: Bovees Nursery, N: Bovees Nursery (1961), I: Bovees Nursery (1961), REG: Bovees Nursery (1962) Fls 11-13/truss, 100mm wide, centre cream, blending into a wide border of purplish pink (5RP 6/10), the dorsal lobe spotted dark reddish orange (7.5R 4/11). Lvs 150 × 50mm, dark green. Shrub 1.2m. Late May

(r) **'Cariola'** (See under 'Carola')

(r) **'Carissima'** (Syn. of 'Naomi Carissima')

(r) **'Carita'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Naomi Group (s) × *campylocarpum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12-13/truss, campanulate, mushroom pink in bud, opening light greenish yellow (5D), with a small cerise spot at base of tube; pedicels plum-coloured. Shrub to 4.5m. Late April-early May. AM 1945 (Carita Group)

(r) **Carita Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Naomi Group (s) × *campylocarpum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1935), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Carita Charm'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Naomi Group (s) × *campylocarpum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10-12/truss, deep pink in bud, opening to cream, flushed and overlaid deep peach pink. Large shrub. (Carita Group)

(r) **'Carita Golden Dream'** (Syn. of 'Golden Dream')

(r) **'Carita Inchmery'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Naomi Group (s) × *campylocarpum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rose red in bud, open to a blend of biscuit and salmon (overall effect fawn pink at a distance), fading to tints of opal. Large shrub. Syn: 'Inchmery' (Carita Group)

(r) **'Carita Reuthe's Buff'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: presumably a selection from the Carita Group L: Australia (1984) Fls buff pink. Shrub 1.5m high

(a) **'Carla'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Anytime' × 'Amagasa' R: N.Carolina/Louisiana State Univ., N: N.Carolina/Louisiana State Univ., I: N.Carolina/Louisiana State Univ. (1981) Fls double (with no stamens), 65-100mm wide, strong reddish orange (40C). Lvs glossy green. Dwarf. Midseason

(a) **'Carl Brosch'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Nadine' H: O.S. Pride, G: O.S. Pride, N: O.S. Pride, I: O.S. Pride (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls shell pink (1958 Register); strong yellowish pink (Galle, 1987)

(r) **'Carlene'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lem's Goal' × *williamsianum* H: H. Lem (c 1950), G: C.P. Fawcett, N: C.P. Fawcett (1960), I: C.P. Fawcett, REG: C.P. Fawcett (1961) Fls warm golden cream, with a pink centre. Shrub 0.5m in 10 years. April-May

(a) **'Carl Enke'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy salmon, edged white and striped violet. Indian

(a) **'Carl Glazer'** (Error for 'Karl Glaser')

(a) **'Carl Kirsten'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1892), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, with wavy-edged lobes, lake/carmine red. Indian

(r) **'Carl Lackner'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid H: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale yellowish rose, edged carmine. (Earlier attributed to Otto Schulz (1890))

(r) **'Carl Mette'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably an *arboreum* hybrid R: T.J. Seidel (pre 1894), N: T.J. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 9-17/compact, rounded truss, 50 × 40-50mm, funnel-shaped, uniform blood red, with a few, faint, dark brown, dorsal markings on a paler ground. Calyx small red. Lvs oblong-ovate to obovate, 120 × 45mm, dull, dark green above. Late May-early June. Syn: 'Doktor Carl Mette'

(a) **'Carl Nobelius'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Kelmscott Azalea Gardens (1984) Fls single, mauve

(r) **'Carlo Magno'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1999) (Recorded in collection of Burcina Park, nr Biella, Italy)

(a) **'Carlos Steyaert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pale rose. Indian

(a) **'Carl Petzold'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Gebr Mardner (pre 1866), N: Gebr Mardner, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep purple/carmine. Indian

(r) **'Carl Phetteplace'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Naomi Pink Beauty' (s) × pink form of *fortunei* H: C.H. Phetteplace (1962), G: Mr & Mrs R.G. Guitteau (1970), N: Mr & Mrs R.G. Guitteau, I: Mr & Mrs R.G. Guitteau (1974), REG: Mr & Mrs R.G. Guitteau (1976) Fls 13/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 100mm, with 6-7 lobes, strong purplish pink (7.5RP 5/12) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (5RP 6/10), with variable chocolate spotting or blotch; outside strong purplish pink (7.5RP 7/10); scented. Calyx 10mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 70mm, hairless, glossy, greyish olive green (7.5GY 3/2). Shrub 2.5 × 2.5m in 12 years. Early May. (Pollen parent given originally as *decorum*)

(r) **'Carlpi'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *racemosum* × *mucronulatum* × *minus* Carolinianum Group H: L. Yavorsky (c 1960), G: L. Yavorsky, N: L. Yavorsky Fls pink. Lvs more-or-less deciduous (except terminal ones), brilliant red in autumn. Shrub 0.9m in 10 years

(a) **'Carl Schultz'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Gebr Mardner (pre 1869), N: Gebr Mardner, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange, with carmine dorsal lobes but no blotch. Indian

(a) **'Carl Schulz'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Gunkel (1892), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls fiery cinnabar red, with a dark blotch. Indian (Despite the discrepancy in the descriptions, perhaps the same plant listed as 'Carl Schultz' by Gebr Mardner in 1870)

(r) **'Carl Shirey'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Epoch' (s) × 'Epoch' H: W.E. Delp (1982), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 8/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 36 × 44mm, 5-lobed, strong reddish purple, deep and moderate purplish pink (70B-D) in bud, opening to a blend of deep and moderate purplish pink (70C, D) and very pale purple (69D), with sparse, moderate reddish orange (173B) dorsal spots; filaments very pale purple (69B); style deep purplish pink (70C); anthers light yellowish pink (159A); stigma pale yellowish pink (159D). Lvs 64 × 32mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, scaly. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m in 10 years. Mid May. Syn: 'Pink Epoch'

(a) **Carlson's Blaze-of-Glory Group** gp Deciduous azalea: derived from *prunifolium* and other species N: Carlson's Gardens, I: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls varying from single to hose-in-hose, semi-double or double, from less than 25-65mm wide, including shades of orange-red and red. Normal calyx sometimes present. Variable in leaf and overall plant size. Early June-August. (Developed since 1970)

(a) **'Carlson's Canary'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls brilliant yellow; scented. Late May

(a) **'Carlson's Chameleon'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: F.L. Abbott, G: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1987), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls deep yellowish pink, aging to vivid pink

(a) **'Carlson's Coral Flameboyant'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *calendulaceum* S: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1987), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls large, vivid shades of yellowish pink. Early

(a) **'Carlson's Double Dip'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *prinophyllum* hybrid H: F.L. Abbott, S: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls double, pale apricot yellow; scented. Early June

(a) **Carlson's Face'em Downs Group** gp Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* hybrids H: Carlson's Gardens, G: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, I: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1991) Fls mostly star-shaped (some more rounded), varying from white to pink, white flushed pink, lavender or lavender pink, many with speckling on dorsal lobe or in throat; scented. Shrubs 0.6-0.9m high (and broader than tall) in 15 years. Early-mid May. (Published in Carlson's Gardens cat., 1989)

(a) **'Carlson's Full Moon'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls large, light yellow. Late May

(a) **'Carlson's Golden Flameboyant'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *calendulaceum* S: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1987), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls large, orange-yellow.

(a) **'Carlson's Gold Nuggets'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls golden yellow; scented. Mid May.

(a) **Carlson's Hardy Hearties Group** gp Evergreen azalea: parentage includes *kaempferi* H: Carlson's Gardens, G: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, I: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1991) Fls bright shades of pink. Shrub 1.2-1.5 × 1.8-2.1m in 20 years. Early-mid May. (Hybridising started c1970. Published in Carlson's Gardens cat., 1991)

(a) **Carlson's Jeepers Creepers Group** gp Evergreen azalea: derived from a wide range of evergreen species and hybrid groups H: Carlson's Gardens, G: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, I: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls varying from single

to hose-in-hose, semi-double or double, from less than 25-65mm wide, colour varying from white to shades of pink, lavender, orange-red, red and with some bicolors. Normal calyx sometimes present. Early May-late June. (Developed since 1970)

(a) **'Carlson's Moonlight Bay'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, creamy yellow, with a deeper yellow blotch; spicily scented. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Late June-early July

(a) **'Carlson's Moonlight Serenade'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, soft salmon pink, with creamy yellow undertones and a large soft yellow flare; scented. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Mid June

(a) **'Carlson's Moon Mist'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, light yellow, with a bright yellow flare; scented. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Late June-July

(a) **'Carlson's Orange Flameboyant'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *calendulaceum* S: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1987), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls large, vivid orange

(a) **Carlson's Pink Postscript Group** gp Deciduous azalea: hybrids derived from crosses of *cumberlandense* and *arborescens* H: Carlson's Gardens, G: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, I: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1991) Fls in shades of pink. Shrubs 1.2 × 1.2m in 10 years. Late June-July. (Published in *Rodale's Organic Gardening*, July, 1987)

(a) **Carlson's Postscript Group** gp Deciduous azalea: hybrids derived from crosses between *cumberlandense* × *arborescens* H: Carlson's Gardens, G: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, I: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1991) Fls in shades of pink, yellow, cream or coral. Shrubs 1.2 × 1.2m in 10 years. Late June-July. (Published in *Rodale's Organic Gardening*, July, 1987)

(a) **'Carlson's Red Hot'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *cumberlandense* R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls vivid reddish orange. June

(a) **'Carlson's Sophisticated Lady'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, light pink, with blush white ribs and a hint of yellow in the creamy flare; stamens red; delicately scented. Spreading habit. Early July

(a) **'Carlson's Strawberry Glow'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls vivid pink to reddish orange. Late May

(a) **'Carlson's Tangerine'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, bright orange, most of dorsal lobe and centre of adjacent lobes a slightly lighter golden orange; stamens and pistil red. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Early-mid July

(a) **'Carlson's Yellow Flame'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *calendulaceum* S: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1987), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls yellow

(a) **'Carlson's Yellow Flameboyant'** cv. Deciduous azalea: Selection from *calendulaceum* S: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1987), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls large, yellow

(a) **'Carlson's Yellow Scentsation'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: F.L. Abbott, S: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1987), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls vivid yellow; strongly scented

(a) **'Carlunbrata'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Paxton (1868), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Carl Walther'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C.J.H. Walther (pre 1861), N: C.J.H. Walther, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls flame rose-lilac, spotted. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Carlyon's Hybrid'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* blood red form × *griffithianum* R: Miss G. Carlyon (pre 1926), N: Miss G. Carlyon, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **Carmania Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Souvenir d'Anthony Waterer' (s) × *facetum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink

(a) **'Carmel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Mrs Carmichael' (s) × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50mm wide, strong purplish red, with a blotch of indian red spots. Shrub to 1.5m. Early. Glenn Dale (Parentage follows Miller & West, *The Bell Book* (1994))

(v) **'Carmel'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' × 'Pink Delight' × *konori* R: P. Sullivan (pre 1983), N: P. Sullivan Fls 3-5/truss, white, with deep pink peppermint stripes; scented

(a) **'Carmen'** (Syn. of 'Ilam Carmen')

(a) **'Carmen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L.L. Liebig (pre 1884), N: L.L. Liebig, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, blood red. Indian

(a) **'Carmen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* (s) × 'Malvaticum' R: Koster & Co., N: Koster & Co., I: Koster & Co. (c 1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 65mm wide, crimson (22/1), with a reddish throat and a brown blotch. Kaempferi

(a) **'Carmen'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* L: M. Koster & Sons (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, salmon. Mollis

(a) **'Carmen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: a seedling of unknown parentage I: A. de Reuse (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, double, red. Indian

(a) **'Carmen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Madame Adolphe d'Haene' × 'Avenir' R: A. Truffaut, I: G.J. Bier & Sons (1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, strong red (53C), more bluish (55A-58B) whilst opening; very few stamens. Midseason. Indian

(r) **'Carmen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine rose, with an orange blotch

(r) **'Carmen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *sanguineum* subsp. *didymum* (s) × *forrestii* Repens Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3/conical, lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 30 × 33mm, between strong and vivid red (46A & B), with very fine, slightly deeper coloured veins. Lvs 33 × 17mm, light to medium, glossy green. Shrub 0.2 × 0.5m. AM 1989 (Carmen Group)

(r) **Carmen Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *sanguineum* subsp. *didymum* (s) × *forrestii* Repens Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1935), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Carminatum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: A. Henderson & Co. (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet, spotted. (Perhaps raised by I.Davies (listed by him in 1879))

(r) **'Carminatum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine red

(v) **'Carminatum'** (Syn. of 'Jasminiflorum Carminatum')

(a) **'Carminatum Crispiflorum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: R. Gill & Sons (pre 1926), N: R. Gill & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in compact trusses, carmine pink, with a few brown markings and frilled edges. Amoena

(a) **'Carminatum Splendens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Veitch & Sons (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls solitary, open funnel-shaped, 25 × 30mm, bright red. Lvs glossy, mid green. Shrub at least 0.6 × 1.0m

(a) **'Carmine King'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. Kurume

(a) **'Carmine Prince'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. Kurume

(a) **'Carmine Queen'** (Syn. of 'Kurai-no-himo')

(a) **'Carmineum Perfectum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Carmosinum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: R. Veitch & Son (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) (A hardy azalea)

(r) **'Carnal'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Edmond Amateis' , open-pollinated × 'Mary Garrison' × 'Mary Belle' H: T.L. Ring (pre 1992), I: Mowbray Gardens Fls blended pink and yellow

(r) **'Carnarvonianum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1843), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, pale pink with a paler centre. Said to be near to Azaleoides Group, but inferior. (Probably an azaleodendron)

(a) **'Carnation'** cv. Parentage unknown I: J. Ivery (1861), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, striped and dotted with purple rose. Indian

(a) **'Carneum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1811), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as 'Nudiflorum Carneum')

(a) **'Carneum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1839), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as 'Calendulaceum Carneum')

(a) **'Carneum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Smith (pre 1852), N: Smith, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Perhaps the same plant listed by L. Jacob-Makoy, 1849)

(a) **'Carneum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: listed under 'Ponticum Carneum' L: Whitley & Osborn (1867), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(r) **'Carneum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid R: J. Booth (pre 1838), N: J. Booth, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, suffused red

(r) **'Carneum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *barbatum* L: Gill & Sons (1911), INC: ICRA (1958)

(v) **'Carneum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1903), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls brilliant bronzy orange crimson. (Reported growing at Veitch Nursery)

(a) **'Carneum Coccineum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1846), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Carneum Crispum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1846), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Carneum Delicatissimum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1847), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Carneum Discolor'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1846), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Carneum Elegans'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls flesh pink, whitish and sulphur. (Perhaps the Indian azalea listed by W. Rollisson & Sons in 1847)

(az) **'Carneum Elegantissimum'** cv. Azaleodendron: parentage unknown R: W. Smith (pre 1845), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow, tinted soft rose. Syn: 'Luteum Carneum Elegantissimum' (Norbiton Group)

(a) **'Carneum Grandiflorum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1840), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(r) **'Carneum Nobile'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* form or hybrid L: H. Laurentius (1869), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Carneum Partitum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1839), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Carneum Plenum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1851), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Carneum Speciosum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1853), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, tinted yellow

(a) **'Carneum Superbum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1840), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Carneum Superbum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light pink. Indian (Perhaps the same plant listed by Knight & Perry (c1850), without description and by W. Rollisson & Sons, 1847)

(r) **'Carneum Versicolor'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow, with pink edging and fine spots

(a) **'Carnival'** (Syn. of 'Nuccio's Carnival')

(a) **'Carnival'** cv. Evergreen azalea: a deep salmon form of *indicum* (s) × 'Hazel Dawson' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 90-100mm wide, salmon, with an orange undertone and a heavy, dull red blotch on the uppermost lobe. Glenn Dale

(r) **Carnival Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: May Day Group (s) × Loderi Group H: Lord Aberconway (1939), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink

(a) **'Carnival Candy'** (Syn. of 'Nuccio's Carnival Candy')

(a) **'Carnival Clown'** (Syn. of 'Nuccio's Carnival Clown')

(a) **'Carnival Fanfare'** (Syn. of 'Nuccio's Carnival Fanfare')

(a) **'Carnival Firecracker'** (Syn. of 'Nuccio's Carnival Firecracker')

(a) **'Carnival Jackpot'** (Syn. of 'Nuccio's Carnival Jackpot')

(a) **'Carnival Magic'** (Syn. of 'Nuccio's Carnival Magic')

(r) **'Carnival Music'** (Syn. of 'Nuccio's Carnival Music')

(a) **'Carnival Parade'** (Syn. of 'Nuccio's Carnival Parade')

(a) **'Carnival Queen'** (Syn. of 'Nuccio's Carnival Queen')

(a) **'Carnival Rocket'** (Syn. of 'Nuccio's Carnival Rocket')

(a) **'Carnival Time'** Syn. of 'Nuccio's Carnival Time'

(a) **'Carnosum Elegans'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Henderson & Co. (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls a curious fawn colour. Indian (Perhaps the same plant listed as 'Carneum Elegans')

(a) **'Carol'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Louise Gable' (s) × 'Caroline Gable' H: J.B. Gable, G: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable (1938), I: J.B. Gable (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 30mm wide, light purplish pink (63D). Shrub c2.0m in 25 years. Gable

(a) **'Carol'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hexe' (s) × 'Snow' R: USDA, N: USDA (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3-5/truss, hose-in-hose, 25-40mm wide, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, white, unspotted and with prominent brown anthers. Shrub branching freely from the base. (Derived from the work of G.E. Yerkes & R.L. Pryor)

(r) **'Carola'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Everestianum' (s) × 'Everestianum' R: T.J.R. Seidel (1884), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure rose, with yellow markings and a paler throat. (Sometimes seen in error as 'Cariola')

(r) **Carola Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Ouida Group (s) × *williamsianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1933), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink. Large shrub

(r) **'Caroladore'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Girard Nurseries (pre 1994), N: Girard Nurseries Described as a white form of 'Carolina' (?*minus* Carolinianum Group). Lvs dark green

(a) **'Carola Kronprinzessin von Sachsen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: F. Schneider (1863), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Carol Amelia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Polar Bear Group (s) × 'Evening Glow' H: A.J. Holden (1967), G: A.J. Holden, N: A.J. Holden, I: A.J. Holden, REG: A.J. Holden (1979) Fls up to 10/lax truss, up to 125mm wide, 7-lobed, light pink (39D) in bud, opening white, tinged pale yellow (11C) and with moderate red (180B) spotting on dorsal lobe, the outside streaked strong purplish red (63B)

(a) **'Carol Anne'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Glenn Dale azalea × Satsuki azalea H: H.A. Caldwell Jr (pre 1978)

(a) **'Carol Ann Fiery'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Eden Frank Preston' (s) × 'Eden Jane Alcott' × 'Pink Pearl' R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith Fls 75mm wide, with a rosette centre, deep yellowish pink and with a strong red blotch. Shrub 1.2m in 7 years

(r) **'Carol Ann Whitman'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Wheatley' (s) × 'Kimberly' H: M.J. Whitman (1989), G: M.J. & B. Whitman (1996), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (1998), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (1999) Fls 13/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 75 × 90mm, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (58D) in bud, opening inside pale purplish pink (65D) with a brilliant greenish yellow (151D) flare in the throat; outside pale purplish pink (65C). Lvs oblong, 125 × 55mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (137A)above. Shrub 1.5 × 0.8m in 10 years. Early May

(a) **'Carol Brown'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith Fls 65mm wide, strong red (46A), with a dark red blotch. Winter foliage red. Shrub 1.2m in 7 years

(r) **'Carol Childers'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Fawn' (s) × 'Dot' H: D.W. James (1963), G: A.A. Childers, N: M. Childers, REG: M. Childers (1993) Fls 13/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 76 × 114mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63B) in bud, opening to pale purplish pink (56D) with very light purple (75C) margins and sparse, strong yellowish pink (31C) spotting on the dorsal lobe; stamens 13, straight; style light olive (152A); slightly scented. Pedicels 51mm long, brilliant yellow-green/strong pink (154C/49A). Lvs elliptic, 216 × 83mm, flat, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, dull and somewhat bullate above, hairless. Petioles 43mm long, strong pink (50C). Shrub 3.0 × 1.8m in 30 years. April

(r) **'Carole Ray'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Wyandanch Pink' (s) × 'Catawbiense Album' H: G.A.L. Mehlquist (1965), G: G.A.L. Mehlquist, N: M.H. Brand (1999), I: Dept. of Plant Science, University of Connecticut (1999), REG: M.H. Brand (1999) Fls 14-20/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate and strong purplish red (70A, 71B, 72A) in bud, opening moderate purplish pink (74D) and light purple (80C-D) inside and out, with a 30mm wide moderate to dark reddish orange (175D, 173B, 172B) blotch. Calyx 1-2mm long, green, edged red. Lvs elliptic, 140-180 × 50-70mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, margins decurved, upper surface slightly bullate and dull, moderate olive green (147A); a very light covering of light tan hairs at first on petioles, stems and leaf surfaces, later hairless. Shrub 2.5 × 3.0m in 30 years, often with multiple flower buds on each shoot. Late May

(r) **'Carol Grier'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *irroratum* (s) × unknown H: R.M. Bovee, G: D. Grier, N: M. Reeves, REG: M. Reeves (1988) Fls 10/lax truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 51 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds moderate yellowish pink (37C), opening pale yellow (11D) with red freckles on all lobes; styles red. Pedicels 25mm long, red. Lvs oblong, 152 × 38mm, convex, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dull green and bullate above, slightly glandular. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 5 years, with slightly scented fls. May

(r) **'Carol High'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Elizabeth Group (s) × 'French Creek' H: C. Herbert (1966), G: C. Herbert, N: C. Herbert, I: C. Herbert (1975), REG: C. Herbert (1979) Fls up to 14/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 90mm wide, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, yellowish white (155B), with chartreuse green spotting in the throat; outside with a trace of pale purplish pink (56D); scented. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 65mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 11 years; new growth bronze green

(r) **'Carolid'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group × *virgatum* subsp. *oleifolium* (s) × *davidsonianum* R: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose, with crimson spots

(a) **'Carolina'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) (Exhibited by Crown Estate Commissioners, Windsor, UK, 1950; perhaps the Indian azalea listed by Backhouse (1870): fls lilac purple)

(r) **'Carolina Babe'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Gladsgay Gardens' (s) × 'Governor's Mansion' H: M.J. Whitman (1995), G: M.J. & B. Whitman (2000), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (2000), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (2000) Fls 16-18/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, light purple (78C) in bud, opening moderate purplish pink (78D) inside and out, the inside fading to white, with strong yellow-green (144C) spotting on dorsal lobes. Lvs oblong, 140 × 75mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins flat, dull and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.9m in 5 years. Early May

(r) **'Carolina Dilly'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group (pink-flowered) (s) × *mucronulatum* 'Cornell Pink' H: W.L. Tolstead (1972), G: W.L. Tolstead (c 1982), N: W.L. Tolstead, I: W.L. Tolstead (1994), REG: W.L. Tolstead (1994) Fls 7-8/conical truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 30 × 30mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink at margins, shading to light purplish pink in centre; stamens 10, curved; style very deep pink. Calyx 2mm long, green. Pedicels 15mm long, green and red. Lvs elliptic, 70 × 30mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base; petioles 20mm long, green, scaly. Shrub 2.7 × 1.5m in 22 years. Mid May

(r) **'Carolina Dream Girl'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Gladsgay Gardens' (s) × 'Governor's Mansion' H: M.J. Whitman (1995), G: M.J. & B. Whitman (2000), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (2000), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (2000) Fls 18/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 95mm, with 6-7 flat-edged lobes, deep purple (79C)

and light purple (78C) in bud, opening inside white, faintly tinged lavender at first, with deep purplish red (61A) markings at the base of dorsal lobes; outside white, with pale lavender midribs; pistil green. Lvs oblong, 180 × 75mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, margins flat, dull and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.7m in 5 years. Mid May

(r) **'Carolina Gold'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group (Burns' yellow-flowered form) (s) × see note below H: A.E. Kehr (1971), G: A.E. Kehr (1975), N: A.E. Kehr (1975), I: A.E. Kehr (1975), REG: A.E. Kehr (1994) Fls 12/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 25 × 38mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, near pale yellow (12D); stamens 5-6, straight. Calyx 10mm long, green. Pedicels 10mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 82 × 44mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, with brown scales above and below; petioles 10mm long, green, scaly. Shrub 0.9 × 0.75m in 10 years. May. (Pollen parent was either Herbert's yellow-flowered *minus* Carolinianum Group or *cinnabarinum* subsp. *xanthocodon* Concatenans Group)

(r) **'Carolina Jewel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: sport from 'President Roosevelt' G: R.D. Lineberger (1992), S: M.F. Pogany (1989), N: M.F. Pogany, REG: R.D. Lineberger (1992) Fls 24/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (67A) in bud, opening white with a distinct marginal band (c13mm wide) of vivid purplish red (67B); stamens 10, curved, unequal; style vivid purplish red (67B). Calyx 6mm long, transparent/white. Pedicels 25mm long, green. Lvs with strong marginal variegation, oblong, 121 × 44mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base; the margins light greenish yellow (5C), the centres moderate olive green (147A), hairless; petioles 13mm long, green, slightly hairy. Shrub 0.9 × 0.6m in 3 years. Late spring

(r) **'Carolina Moon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Catfortcampy Group × *lacteum* hybrid (s) × 'Golden Star' H: C.R. & V. Haag (1981), G: C.R. & V. Haag (1990), N: C.R. & V. Haag, REG: V. Haag (1995) Fls 10/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 108mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, pale yellow-green to light greenish yellow (4D-C); stamens 14, straight, unequal. Calyx less than 1mm long, green. Pedicels 32mm long, green. Lvs ovate, 108 × 44mm, flat, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, dull green, hairless; petioles 25mm long, green. Shrub 0.9 × 1.1m in 14 years. Midseason

(az) **'Carolina Nude'** cv. Azaleodendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group (s) × *periclymenoides* H: G.D. Lewis (1974), G: G.D. Lewis (1977), N: G.D. Lewis, I: G.D. Lewis (1984), REG: G.D. Lewis (1994) Fls 6-7/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 36 × 51mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (56A) in bud, opening white with a light speckling of moderate orange (167B) on the dorsal lobe; outside white, flushed pale purplish pink (56B); stamens 10, straight, equal. Pedicels 19mm long, light yellow-green (145D). Lvs elliptic, 89 × 38mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull, brilliant yellow-green (149A) above, brown, scaly below; petioles light yellow-green (145C), scaly. Shrub 1.2 × 1.8m in 20 years. Early May

(az) **Carolina Rose Group** gp Azaleodendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group (s) × *prinophyllum* H: D.L. Hardgrove (pre 1946), N: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg, I: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg Fls pink (though shade can be variable). Lvs evergreen. Habit varying from open to dense. Essentially looks like an evergreen *prinophyllum*

(a) **'Carolina Weishaupt'** (See note under 'Caroline Weisshaupt')

(a) **'Caroline'** (Syn. of 'Hachmann's Caroline')

(a) **'Caroline'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls double, deep pink

(r) **'Caroline'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white, with a dark eye. (Perhaps raised by J.Byls)

(r) **'Caroline'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: possibly a *decorum* hybrid R: J.B. Gable (pre 1927), N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, orchid lavender, scented, usually long-lasting. Lvs large, undulate. Tall shrub (2.0m in 10 years)

(r) **'Caroline Allbrook'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Purple Splendour' H: A.F. George (1963), G: Hydon Nurseries (1970), N: A.F. George, I: Hydon Nurseries (1974), REG: Hydon Nurseries (1975) Fls 16-20/globular, compact truss, broadly funnel-shaped, up to 52 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged, recurved lobes, very pale purple (69D), lightly flushed very pale purple (76C); centre of dorsal lobe cream, with small spots of brilliant greenish yellow (6C) and light yellow-green (145B). Lvs elliptic, 115 × 50mm, dull, mid green. Shrub 0.8m or more. Late May. *AM 1977

(a) **'Caroline Bourke'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: M.E. Greentree (pre 1987), N: M.E. Greentree Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, white, with pink stripes. Indian

(a) **'Caroline Coe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Bobbink & Atkins, N: C. Coe (pre 1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, light purple. Indian

(r) **'Caroline Cream'** (Syn. of 'Mrs H.R. Yates')

(a) **'Caroline de Moor'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1886), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, pure white, with cherry red stripes, grains and lines and a greenish blotch. Indian

(r) **'Caroline de Rothschild'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Repose Group × Elizabeth de Rothschild Group (s) × 'Stanway' H: E. de Rothschild (1985), G: E. de Rothschild (1992), N: E. de Rothschild (1998), I: E. de Rothschild (1998), REG: E. de Rothschild (1999) Fls c11/truss, funnel-campanulate, 60 × 80mm, 7-lobed, moderate red (47A) in bud, opening to pale yellow-green (4D) but dark-

er (to light greenish yellow (6D)) in the throat, the base of three dorsal lobes with strong greenish yellow (151B) spotting and streaking extending out for c20mm; stamens 14, filaments yellow-white, anthers brown; style pale green, glandular throughout, stigma green; scented. Calyx coloured as corolla, irregularly lobed, to 20mm long. Pedicels flushed red on upper surface. Lvs oblong, to170 × 70mm, matt green above, paler below, hairless; petioles to 25mm long. AM 1998 (Standard: herbarium specimen supplied by registrant (WSY 0019222))

(a) **'Caroline de Schryver'** (Syn. of 'Mademoiselle Caroline de Schryver')

(r) **'Caroline de Zoete'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Bow Bells Group × Socrianum Group × Rima Group H: A.F. George, G: Hydon Nurseries, N: A.F. George, I: Hydon Nurseries (1974), REG: Hydon Nurseries (1974) Fls 11/more-or-less compact, globular truss, campanulate, 48 × 70mm, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, pure white, with a very slight, pale yellowish green flush towards base of throat; slightly scented. Lvs 100 × 48mm, mid, slightly glossy green. Shrub 1.5 × 1.8m. Late April. *HC 1985, *AM 1986

(a) **'Caroline Dorman'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: B.Y. Morrison (pre 1987) Fls single to double (variable), 65mm wide, white, with stripes, dots and splashes of light pink to purplish pink. Low, compact shrub

(a) **'Caroline Gable'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* × 'Hexe' (s) × *kaempferi* × *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* R: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable (1933), I: J.B. Gable (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, purplish pink, with a darker blotch. Shrub c2.2m in 25 years. Gable

(r) **'Caroline Gem'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Elizabeth Group × 'Caroline' H: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (1955), G: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (1966), N: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg, I: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg, REG: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (1967) Fls 10-12/conical truss, campanulate, up to 100mm wide, buds carmine rose (621), opening 621/2, with a slight coral flush. Lvs 100 × 30mm, glossy green. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m in 10 years

(a) **'Caroline Graham'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1930), N: C. Coe, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, large, dark orange. Indian

(r) **Caroline Spencer Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* (s) × *williamsianum* R: D.G. Hobbie (pre 1945), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 7-9/truss, campanulate, 55-85mm wide, 5-7-lobed, rose with reddish margins. (Plant exhibited by G.M.Adams-Acton (1950) recorded as scarlet-flowered (? in error))

(r) **'Caroline Stockman'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Dianta' (s) × 'Kubla Khan' H: H. & M. Stockman (1992), G: H. & M. Stockman (2000), N: H. & M. Stockman (2002), REG: H. & M. Stockman (2002) Flat 7-11/flat truss, saucer-shaped, 55 × 80mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, light red in bud, opening inside a dark, bright pink shading into a yellow centre, with a solid, dark red blotch extending upwards c20mm from the base of dorsal lobe and half of adjacent lobes and scattered red speckles above the blotch; outside a dark, bright pink. Calyx variable, ventral lobes 35mm long, dorsal lobes 45mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 50mm, margins downcurved, broadly acute at apex, cordate at base, dull and dark green and deeply veined above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 10 years. Mid May

(a) **'Caroline Weisshaupt'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: F. Schneider (1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, large, 5-lobed, very soft pink, striped and spotted red, occasionally with solid band or sections of colour; tube red outside. Early. Indian (Also seen listed as 'Caroline Weishaupt' (*Revue Horticole*, 1868 p.291-292) and 'Carolina Weishaupt' (A. Verschaffelt cat., 1866 who says it came from Schulz))

(r) **Caroline Whitner Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Snow Queen' × 'Loderi Sir Edmund' H: Lady Loder (1927), G: Lady Loder, N: Lady Loder, I: Lady Loder (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c13/loose truss, funnel-shaped, 100-120mm wide, delicate pink. Lvs oblong to narrowly ovate, 180-230mm long, dark green above. AM 1935

(a) **'Carolinianum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1811), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Listed as 'Nudiflorum Carolinianum')

(r) **Carolinianum Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. carolinianum*

(r) **'Carol Jean'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan' (s) × Robin Hood Group R: J.H. Klupenger, N: J.H. Klupenger, I: J.H. Klupenger (1957), REG: J.H. Klupenger (1977) Fls 14/upright truss, funnel-campanulate, 75mm wide, with 6-7 lobes, carmine (21/1) with a dark blotch on the dorsal lobe and deeper coloured in the throat. Lvs elliptic, 150mm long, acute at apex, cuneate at base. Compact shrub. Midseason

(a) **'Carol Kitchen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: G.A. Reid (1967), G: G.A. Reid (1972), N: G.A. Reid, I: G.A. Reid (1980), REG: G.A. Reid (1984) Fls hose-in-hose, 3-4/truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 55mm, 5+5-lobed, vivid purplish red (57C), with vivid red (57A) dorsal spotting. Calyx 40mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 30-40 × 13-20mm, ciliate and moderately setose. Shrub 0.7-0.8m in 10 years

(a) **'Carol Kittel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Mrs Nancy Dippel' (s) × 'Carrie Amanda' H: H.C. Weiskittel (c 1988), G: H.C. Weiskittel, N: H.C. Weiskittel (c 1995), I: Marshy Point Nursery (1995), REG: H.C. Weiskittel (1998) Fls double (with no normal stamens), 3-4/multi-budded truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 70-75mm, with 19-20 flat-edged lobes, white, edge light and very light purple (76A-B). Calyx c7mm long, pale green. Lvs elliptic to slightly obovate, 40 × 20mm, slightly upcurved at margins, acute to broadly acute and with a small mucro

at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and dark yellowish green (139A) above, with discrete, appressed pale yellow hairs on both surfaces and on petioles. Shrub 0.75m tall in 5 years. Midseason. (First published in Marshy Point Nursery Wholesale catalogue, Fall 1995)

(r) **'Carol's Super White'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' hybrid H: J.B. Gable (pre 1972) Fls white

(a) **'Carolyn'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Presto' (s) × 'Garden State Red' R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls 2-3/truss, flat-faced, 65-90mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, raspberry purple, with a darker purplish red blotch. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m. Mid May. (First published in Holly Springs cat., 1990)

(r) **'Carolyn Ashley'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Wheatley' (s) × 'Kimberly' H: M.J. Whitman (1989), G: M.J. & B. Whitman (1996), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (1998), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (1999) Fls 9/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, with 7 very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63B) in bud, opening inside pale purplish pink (62D), edged strong purplish red (63B); outside strong purplish pink (63C). Lvs elliptic, 125 × 70mm, flat, obtuse at apex, slightly oblique at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above; new growth with a bronze tone, with strong yellow-green (145A) midribs, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in 10 years. Early May

(r) **'Carolyn Dana Lewis'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ('Boule de Rose', selfed) no.1 selection × 'Lanny Pride' H: W.E. Delp (1977), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 44 × 65mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, dark and deep red (59A, 60A) and strong purplish red (60B, C) in bud, opening shades of vivid red (45A), deep red (53A, 60A) and strong purplish red (60B, C, D); filaments yellowish white (155D); style pale yellow-green (157A); anthers brownish orange (165B); stigma dark red (187A). Lvs 76 × 38mm, mucronate at apex, rounded at base. Shrub 1.8 × 1.75m in 15 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Carolyn Fiery'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid R: W.D. Smith (pre 1982), N: W.D. Smith Fls double, with a rosette centre, 90mm wide, orange-red. (See *The Azalean* 4 (1): 3 (1982) for notes on parentage)

(r) **'Carolyn Grace'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* hybrid R: G.D. Grace, N: G.D. Grace (1960), REG: G.D. Grace (1961) Fls up to 7-10/rounded truss, 75mm wide, chartreuse green (663/1) on lobes, uranium green (632) in tube. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years

(r) **'Carolyn Hardy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Lindsay Smith' × *wardii* R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, REG: C. Ingram (1967) Fls in a loose truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, 5-lobed, light yellow-green (150D). Calyx up to 5mm long, green, glandular hairy. Lvs 115 × 65mm, glossy green, not hairy. AM 1967

(a) **'Carolyn's Day'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Boudoir' × 'Satellite' × 'Martha Hitchcock' R: J. Harris (pre 1989), N: J. Harris Fls single, 75mm wide, white, edged red

(r) **'Carolyn Van Vleck Pratt'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: H.A. Van Vleck, G: H.A. Van Vleck, N: The Van Vleck House & Gardens (1997), REG: The Van Vleck House & Gardens (1997) Fls 12/lax truss, funnel-campanulate, 50 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (50A) in bud, opening pale yellow-green (4D) throughout with a strong red (46A) blotch (consisting of two patches about 20mm long) at base of throat and with some spotting above; on the outside the midribs of the three dorsal lobes are marked with a deep pink (51A) stripe which fades slightly with age. Calyx less than 3mm long, green to red. Lvs oblong, 100 × 45mm, with upcurved margins, oblique at base, broadly acute at apex, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in c20 years. Mid May

(r) **'Caronella'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: white-flowered *minus* Carolinianum Group (s) × *mucronulatum* 'Cornell Pink' H: E.V. Mezitt (1958), G: Weston Nurseries (c 1962), N: E.V. Mezitt, I: Weston Nurseries (1980), REG: R.W. Mezitt (1998) Fls c6/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, c30 × 40mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (65B), with moderate purplish pink (65A) markings producing a striped effect. Calyx c1.5mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 75 × 30mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, scaly below; inner leaves change to brilliant orange, yellow and red before dropping; up to 35 o/o of green leaves held over winter. Shrub 0.9 × 0.75m in 6 years. Mid May. Syn: 'Shrimp Pink No. 1' (Published in Weston Nurseries cat., 1989)

(r) **'Carousel'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group × *saluenense* R: Mr & Mrs J.F. Caperci, N: Mr & Mrs J.F. Caperci, I: Mr & Mrs J.F. Caperci, REG: Mr & Mrs J.F. Caperci (1965) Fls up to 10/truss, up to 25mm wide, 5-lobed, lavender pink, with spots in the throat. Lvs elliptic, up to 40 × 22mm, dark green, very scaly below. Shrub to 0.7 × 1.1m in 20 years

(r) **Carpeaux Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* Blandfordiiflorum Group (s) × *cinnabarinum* Roylei Group I: G.M. Adams-Acton (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale peach

(r) **Carpecio Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × 'Doctor Stocker' I: G.M. Adams-Acton (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vermilion

(a) **'Carrara'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ivory' (s) × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, 65-75mm wide, white, with a yellowish blotch. Shrub to 0.6m. Midseason. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Carrie Amanda'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Elsie Lee' (s) × 'Marian Lee' H: H.R. Schroeder (1975), G: S. Schroeder (1978), N: H.R. Schroeder, I: S. Schroeder (1986), REG: S. Schroeder (1986) Fls single, open fun-

nel-shaped, 38 × 64mm, edged strong purplish pink (55B), with a white throat and dark rose spotting on dorsal lobe; the edging may be unstable on young plants grown from cuttings. Calyx 6mm long, light green. Lvs mostly broadly elliptic (to narrowly obovate), 44 × 19mm, dull, dark green above, hairy above and below. Shrub 0.38 × 0.61m in 10 years. Mid April. (Published in *The Azalean* 7:87 (1985))

(r) **'Carrie Jacobs Bond'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C.S. Seabrook (pre 1980), N: C.S. Seabrook

(a) **'Carror'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Anytime' × 'Morning Glow' R: F.D. Cochran & R.J. Stadtherr, N: F.D. Cochran & R.J. Stadtherr, I: N.Carolina/Louisiana State Univ. (1976) Fls semi-double, 1-4/truss, 50-65mm wide, rich rose pink. Lvs ovate oblong, green, tinged bronze in winter. Shrub to 1.1m

(r) **'Carse'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling of *irroratum* R: E.H.M. & P.A. Cox, I: E.H.M. & P.A. Cox, REG: E.H.M. & P.A. Cox (1964) Fls white. Early

(r) **'Carte Blanche'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *brachycarpum* (s) × 'Bonfire' H: B. & M. Shapiro (1965), G: B. & M. Shapiro, N: B. & M. Shapiro, REG: B. & M. Shapiro (1993) Fls 18-20/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 48 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (64D) in bud, opening light purplish pink (62C) and aging to white, retaining colour longer on outside and on margins; brilliant yellow (10A) spots on dorsal lobe. Calyx 1.2mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 89-127 × 38-51mm, convex, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 2.4 × 2.7m in 25 years. Late May. (First published in *J.Am.Rh.Soc.* 42 (2): 62-65 (1988))

(a) **'Cartonia'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.R. Gowen (1829), N: J.R. Gowen, INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Published in *Botanical Register*, 1830, under t.1366, where two possible parental combinations are discussed)

(az) **Cartonii Group** gp Azaleodendron: "nudiflorum" × *catawbiense* R: Highclere (1825), N: Highclere, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls tubular funnel-shaped, varying from pale to deep purple, with paler centres; scented. Lvs half the size of *catawbiense*, deep green, evergreen or deciduous. (Named for James Carton, gardener to the Earl of Carnarvon)

(r) **'Caruso'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Astrid' (s) × 'Lem's Monarch' H: H. Hachmann (1990), G: H. Hachmann (1996), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 12-15/fairly compact truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65-70 × 92-115mm, with 5 strongly wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (66D), veins deep purplish pink (66C), paler on midveins and in throat; outside similarly coloured; deep purplish red (187D) markings on a paler ground on dorsal lobe; stamens 10, filaments light/pale purplish pink (62C/D), anthers pale yellow (161C); style pale purplish pink (65D), stigma moderate red (183C); ovary white hairy. Calyx 4-5mm long, reddish. Pedicels 40mm long, strong/vivid red (46A/B). Lvs ovate, 130-170 × 50-70mm, convex with margins recurved, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, dark and slightly glossy green above, hairless. Broadly rounded shrub, 1.1 × 1.3m in 10 years. Mid May-early June. (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0030619). First published in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(r) **'Carved Ivory'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Boule de Neige' × Hawk Group R: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (pre 1980), N: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg

(r) **'Cary Ann'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Corona' × 'Vulcan' H: A.O. Wright (1949), G: A.O. Wright, N: A.O. Wright (1961), REG: A.O. Wright (1962) Fls up to 17/truss, open funnel-shaped, 75mm wide, deep pink (51B). Shrub 1.0m in 10 years

(a) **'Caryophilloides'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Scheuermann (pre 1853), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with rose carmine stripes and dots. Very like 'Matsushima'. Indian

(a) **'Caryophyllum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1841), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Carys'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *yunnanense* × Lady Chamberlain Group H: A.J.B. Edwards (1981), G: A.J.B. Edwards (1987), N: A.J.B. Edwards, REG: A.J.B. Edwards (1990) Fls 4-7/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 64 × 42mm, 5-lobed, light purplish pink (73C) in bud, opening vivid purplish red (57D) on dorsal part of tube outside, this colour spreading onto expanded part of corolla, dorsal flare vivid purplish red (57D), ventral part of corolla very light purple (75C); veins light purple (75A); filaments light purple (75B); anthers brownish orange (165B); style strong purplish pink (62A); stigma strong yellow-green (144C). Calyx 1mm long, greyish red (184A). Lvs elliptic, 60-70 × 25mm, with scattered yellowish scales. Straggly shrub, 2.0 × 1.0m. Mid May.

(r) **'Cary's Cream'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goldsworth Yellow' (s) × *brachycarpum* × 'Mrs P. den Ouden' H: E.A. Cary (1969), G: E.A. Cary (1976), N: E.A. Cary, REG: E.A. Cary (1980) Fls 16/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 30 × 50mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, strong pink (49A) in bud, opening pale greenish yellow (2D), with heavy, brilliant yellow (11A) dorsal lobe spotting which extends on to adjacent lobes. Calyx 2mm long, pale yellow-green (157B). Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 80-95 × 35-40mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull, moderate olive green (146A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.45m in 9 years. Late May

(r) **'Cary's Red'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: Cary Bros Nursery (1956), G: E.A. Cary, N: E.A. Cary, I: E.A. Cary (1969), REG: E.A. Cary (1973) Fls 20-22/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 45 × 45mm, 5-lobed, dark red. Calyx 3mm long, brown. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 50mm, slightly bullate, hairless, olive green; new growth reddish. Shrub 1.8 × 1.5m in 17 years. Late May

(r) **'Cary's Yellow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goldsworth Yellow' (s) × *brachycarpum* × 'Mrs P.den Ouden' H: E.A. Cary (1969), G: E.A. Cary (1978), N: E.A. Cary, REG: E.A. Cary (1980) Fls 12/rather open, ball-shaped truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 45mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (54B) in bud, opening pale greenish yellow (1D), spotted brilliant greenish yellow (1B) on dorsal lobe. Calyx 4mm long, moderate yellow-green (148B). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 100 × 30mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, moderately yellowish green (138A) above, with a thin, patchy yellowish brown indumentum. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 9 years. Mid-late May

(a) **'Casablanca'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × 'Snow' R: USDA, N: USDA (1960), REG: USDA (1961) Fls 3-7/truss, single, 40-55mm wide, white. (Derived from the work of G.E.Yerkes & R.L.Pryor)

(a) **'Casablanca Improved'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: USA (1994) (Perhaps the same as 'Casablanca Tetraploid')

(a) **'Casablanca Tetra'** (Syn. of 'Casablanca Tetraploid')

(a) **'Casablanca Tetraploid'** cv. Evergreen azalea: tetraploid resulting from colchicine treatment of 'Casablanca' R: R.L. Pryor (1970), N: R.L. Pryor, I: R.L. Pryor (1974) Fls single, hose-in-hose, white, with 5 stamens. Calyx coloured as corolla. Fls are larger & thicker than in parent and the leaves are also larger, thicker and darker green. Syn: 'Casablanca Tetra'. Indian

(a) **'Casandra Vinck'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid R: W.D. Smith (pre 1982), N: W.D. Smith Fls 90mm wide, pink, with deep yellowish pink spots. (See *The Azalean* 4 (1): 4 (1982) for notes on parentage)

(r) **'Casanova'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Newburyport Belle' (s) × 'Good Hope' H: D.G. Leach (1968), G: D.G. Leach (1974), N: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1985) Fls 12-14/truss, 45 × 55mm, 5-lobed, opening pale yellow (11D), flushed moderate yellowish pink (38B) on exterior, with a strong orange-yellow (22A) dorsal blotch; soon aging to pale greenish yellow (10D) with a light yellow (10B) blotch and a slight external flush of moderate yellowish pink (38B) on midribs. Calyx 1mm long, yellowish green. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 55mm, hairless, glossy. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years

(a) **'Cascade'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Willy' (s) × 'Momozono' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 2-4/truss, 40mm wide, white, with a few flakes of brilliant rose pink. Shrub 1.2m. Early. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Cascade'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* × *mucronatum* R: A.M. Shammarello (c 1953), N: A.M. Shammarello, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. Syn: 'Sham's Cascade'

(a) **'Cascade Pink'** cv. Deciduous azalea: ('Gallipoli' × 'Cecile') × 'Pink Delight' (s) × (Pink seedling of unknown parentage × 'Seville') × 'Cecile' H: I. & R. Arneson (1971), G: I. & R. Arneson (1978), N: I. & R. Arneson, I: I. & R. Arneson, REG: I. & R. Arneson (1989) Fls partly double (with 0-5 stamens), 8-11/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 70 × 102mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (52D) to deep pink (52C), with vivid yellow (16A) dorsal spotting which fades to pale yellow (8D); slightly scented. Calyx 6mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 76-102 × 32-38mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, slightly hairy. Shrub 1.4x.1.1m in 16 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Cascade Sunrise'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.A. Ragan (1969), G: W.A. Ragan (1981), N: W.A. & J.E. Ragan, I: W.A. & J.E. Ragan, REG: W.A. & J.E. Ragan (1988) Fls 9-10/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 83mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, reddish pink in bud, opening with a 3mm wide margin of strong purplish pink (73B) and shading through lighter shades of pink to deep purplish pink (73A) in throat and with a small number of red spots on dorsal lobe. Lvs narrowly oblong, 127 × 51mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 2.4 × 1.5m in 18 years. Mid-late April or May

(r) **'Case Hoogendoorn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* × *yakushimanum* H: G.A.L. Mehlquist (1965), G: J.J. McGuire (1970), N: J.J. McGuire, REG: J.J. McGuire (1991) Fls 15-18/ball truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 30mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pink in bud, opening light pink and soon fading to white; 10 curved stamens; pistil pink, curved. Calyx 2mm long, light green. Pedicels 20mm long, white. Lvs oblanceolate, 110 × 35mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, with a felted, moderate orange (167C) indumentum below; petioles 20mm long, light green, hairy. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 25 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Cassandra'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish lake

(r) **'Cassata'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Madame Jules Porgès' (s) × 'Hachmann's Diadem' H: H. Hachmann (1984), G: H. Hachmann (1989), N: H. Hachmann (1996), I: H. Hachmann (1997), REG: G. Stück (1999) Fls 16-18/dense, domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45 × 56-70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside pale purplish pink (62D) with edges moderate purplish pink (62B), outside pale purplish pink (62D), tinged (especially on veins) moderate purplish pink (62B); dorsal lobe with a large, conspicuous, deep red (60A) blotch, the colour dark red (59A) towards base; stamens 10, filaments white, anthers moderate orange-yellow/pale yellow (164C/D); style brilliant/light yellow-green (150C/D), stigma moderate red (181A). Calyx up to 5mm long, light reddish green. Lvs elliptic, 110-130 × 45-50mm, acute at apex, rounded to oblique at base, slightly glossy above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 10 years. Early-mid June. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1998-2000 (1998), plus colour photograph)

(r) **'Cassie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (Exbury form) (s) × (Lionel's Triumph Group × 'Loderi King George') × *macabeanum* H: J. Barlup (1981), G: J. Barlup, N: J. Barlup, REG: J. Barlup (1995) Fls 17/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 70mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (55A) in bud, opening yellowish white (155D) with 2-3 moderate red (180A) flares (c10-15mm long) in the dorsal throat and a slight tinge of light purplish pink (62C) outside; stamens 11, straight, unequal. Pedicels 25mm long, strong yellow-green (144A). Lvs elliptic, 140 × 60mm, concave, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and dark yellowish green (189A) above, light olive (152B) below, with a felted, light greyish olive (195A) indumentum which ages to light yellow (162C); petioles 30mm long, strong yellow-green (144B), hairy. Shrub 1.1 × 1.8m in 14 years. Late March-mid April.

(r) **'Cassinefolium'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *ponticum* L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1818), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Cassiope'** cv. Parentage unknown I: L. de Rothschild (1935), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Cassius'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink. Indian

(a) **'Cassley'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *viscosum* × 'Rosella' or 'Sylphides' R: Millais Nurseries, N: Millais Nurseries, REG: Millais Nurseries (1993) Fls 10-11/rather flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, up to 45 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (48D) in bud, opening strong pink (48C) on outside of tube, lobes light to pale purplish pink (62C-D) on both sides; stamens 5, filaments pink, anthers pale brown; style pink, stigma green; stamens and style long exserted; scented. Calyx very small. Pedicels to 20mm long, pale green, flushed pink. Lvs (at anthesis) elliptic to obovate, 90 × 40mm, strong yellow-green (144A), sparsely hairy, ciliate; young shoots villous. Shrub to 1.5m. Mid-June. PC 1996

(r) **'Castanets'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Jan Dekens' (s) × 'Point Defiance' H: J.G. Lofthouse, G: J.G. Lofthouse (1971), N: J.G. Lofthouse, I: J.G. Lofthouse (pre 1975), REG: J.G. Lofthouse (1983) Fls 13-15/truss, 40-50 × 100-125mm, 5-lobed, pale purplish pink (62D) shading to deep purplish pink (66C) at lobe margins, with dorsal spotting of moderate purplish red (59C) in throat; outside moderate purplish pink (68C) with vivid purplish red (57B) ribs and prominent veins between the ribs. Calyx minute. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic or more-or-less oblanceolate, 175 × 65mm, hairless. Shrub c1.9m in 17 years

(r) **'Castle Hill'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *campylogynum* L: UK (1994)

(r) **'Castle of Mey'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *barbatum* pink form (s) × *haematodes* subsp. *chaetomallum* R: E. de Rothschild (c 1963), N: E. de Rothschild, REG: E. de Rothschild (1963) Fls in medium-sized, flat-topped trusses, campanulate, bright red, waxy and shiny. Calyx coloured. Lvs with a slight fawn indumentum below, pale green above. April-May

(r) **Castletop Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *haematodes* (s) × 'Borde Hill' I: S.R. Clarke (1943), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Castor'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls fiery carmine red. Indian

(r) **'Castor'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose lake

(r) **'Castor'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Firma Seidel (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, unmarked

(r) **'Catabax'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: subsect. *Pontica* hybrid L: USA (1958), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **Cataldi Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' × *wardii* H: J.B. Gable, G: J.B. Gable (pre 1972) Fls cream to ivory. (Includes 'Bufy', 'Joe Gable', 'Moon Shot')

(r) **'Catalgla'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: F2 selection from white-flowered *catawbiense* R: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, I: G.G. Nearing, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large trusses, pink in bud, opening white. Large shrub. AM 1990 (Seed sent to Gable by P.Glass)

(r) **'Catalhar'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *catawbiense* S: La Bar's Nursery (pre 1958), N: La Bar's Nursery, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white

(r) **'Catalina'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: D.G. Leach (1967), G: D.G. Leach (1974), N: D.G. Leach (1995), REG: D.G. Leach (1996) Fls 16/domed truss, funnel-campanulate, 40 × 45mm, with 5 overlapping lobes, moderate purplish pink (66D) in the throat, with strong purplish red (60C) margins; ageing to white in throat with pink margins. Lvs obovate, 115 × 50mm, flat, rounded at base, broadly acute at apex, dull and light to mid green above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 2.1m in c25 years. Late May

(r) **'Catalode'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catawbiense Album' (s) × 'Loderi King George' H: J.B. Gable, G: J.B. Gable (c 1932), I: J.B. Gable (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 13/truss, braodly funnel-campanulate, 100mm wide, pale lavender pink in bud, opening white, with an olive throat. Lvs elliptic, convex, 250 × 100mm, dark green. Shrub 1.8m in 10 years. Early-mid May. Syn: 'County of York'

(r) **'Catanea'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: F2 selection from white-flowered *catawbiense* R: G.G. Nearing (pre 1958), N: G.G. Nearing, REG: G.G. Nearing (1972) Fls tinted lavender in bud, opening white, with a faint, yellowish, central blotch. (Raised from seed supplied by J.B.Gable)

(a) **'Cataract'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* × 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Kagetsu' H: B.Y. Morrison (pre 1948) (Believed to be part of the Glenn Dale project but not distributed officially)

(a) **'Catawba'** (Syn. of 'Rose Ember')

(a) **'Catawba'** cv. Evergreen azalea: red-flowered form of *kaempferi* (s) × 'Fuji-no-koshi' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50-65mm wide, strong reddish purple, with a large blotch of purplish red spots. Shrub 1.2m. Late. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Catawbiense Album'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection or hybrid of *catawbiense* R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1890), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c18/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 60-75mm, flushed pale lilac in bud, opening white, with a narrow ray of brown or green marks. Lvs ovate, 60-100mm long, dark green. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. (Probably the 'Catawbiense Flore Albo' listed by L. Leroy, 1893)

(r) **'Catawbiense Album Formosum'** (Syn. of 'Album Formosum')

(r) **'Catawbiense Album Grandiflorum'** (Syn. of 'Album Grandiflorum')

(r) **'Catawbiense Bicolor'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection or hybrid of *catawbiense* L: A. Henderson & Co. (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac and white. (Probably one of the clones listed as 'Bicolor')

(r) **'Catawbiense Boursault'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection or hybrid of *catawbiense* R: H. Boursault (pre 1849), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c17/dense, rounded truss, funnel-shaped, deep lilac purple in bud, opening lilac purple with a few reddish or pale brown markings. Calyx very small. Lvs elliptic. Shrub to 4.0m or more. Syn: 'Boursault'

(r) **'Catawbiense Compactum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection or hybrid of *catawbiense* R: unknown (pre 1945), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish red, with yellow-green markings. (Parent of 'Boccia')

(r) **'Catawbiense Flore Albo'** (See note under 'Catawbiense Album')

(r) **'Catawbiense Flore Pleno'** (Syn. of 'Flore Pleno')

(r) **'Catawbiense Grandiflorum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection or hybrid of *catawbiense* R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1850), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a rounded truss, lilac, with a yellow-red markings. Lvs broadly elliptic, dark green. Large shrub (to 4.0m or more)

(r) **'Catawbiense Grandiflorum Album'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: possibly a seedling from 'Catawbiense Album' or 'Catawbiense Grandiflorum' R: unknown (pre 1980) Fls in full, rounded trusses, white. Shrub to 4.5m or more

(r) **'Catawbiense Grandiflorum Superbum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection or hybrid of *catawbiense* L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy purple

(r) **Catawbiense Hybridum Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrids L: Standish & Noble (1853), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy lilac, in many shades

(r) **'Catawbiense Maculatum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection or hybrid of *catawbiense* L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Catawbiense Nigrum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection or hybrid of *catawbiense* L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Catawbiense Perfectum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Vervaene (1864), INC: ICRA (1958) (Said to be from Verschaffelt)

(r) **'Catawbiense Pulchellum Album'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection or hybrid of *catawbiense* R: R. Veitch & Sons (pre 1867), N: R. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush white, with brown spots. (Probably the same as 'Pulchellum Album' listed by J.Veitch & Sons, 1867)

(r) **'Catawbiense Purpureum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection or hybrid of *catawbiense* L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Catawbiense Robustum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection or hybrid of *catawbiense* L: Standish & Noble (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish blush, spotted. Syn: 'Robustum Catawbiense'

(r) **'Catawbiense Rubrum'** (Syn. of 'Rubrum')

(r) **'Catawbiense Thomsonii'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* × *thomsonii* L: Rhododendron Association Year Book (1929), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep crimson. Very early

(r) **'Catby'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (s) × *catawbiense* R: W.E. Delp, S: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls deep and strong purplish red (61A-B) in bud, opening deep, strong and vivid purplish red (61A, B, C) and pale purplish pink (62D), with dark red (59A) spots on three dorsal lobes. Tall shrub. (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **Catdis Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* H: J.B. Gable (pre 1972) Fls white (?) to rose pink

(a) **'Caterina'** cv. Deciduous azalea: seedling from an Exbury azalea R: W. Kern (pre 1985), N: W. Kern Fls in large trusses, 75-100mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, pale yellow, flushed pink

(r) **'Catesbaei'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid R: unknown (pre 1845), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed in *Revue Horticole*, 1845)

(r) **'Catesbaei Hybridum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1851), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Catesbaei Imbricatum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1851), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Catesbii Flore Pleno'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **Catfortcampy Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* × *fortunei* × *campylocarpum* R: J.B. Gable (pre 1972), N: J.B. Gable Fls apricot pink to coral. Shrub c1.5m

(r) **'Catfortcampy No.2'** (Syn. of 'Hannah Hersey')

(r) **Cathaem Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: red-flowered *catawbiense* (s) × Arnold Arboretum selection of *haematodes* R: J.B. Gable (pre 1933), N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red to pink, some with petaloid calyces. (Selected clones were numbered 1-7; the *haematodes* used was probably a hybrid according to Gable)

(r) **'Cathaem No. 1'** (Syn. of 'Conoco-cheague')

(r) **'Cathaem No.4'** (Syn. of 'Pink Twins')

(a) **'Catharina Rinke'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Floradora' × an un-named Mollis azalea I: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 9-10/truss, 90-100mm wide, strong yellowish pink (33C), with an orange blotch. Shrub up to 4.0m. Mollis (Has been listed in error as 'Catherina Rinke' or 'Catherine Rinke')

(a) **'Catharine Souchet'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. van Geert (1852), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Catharine van Tol'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid I: J.C. van Tol (pre 1929), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 20/truss, 50 × 60mm, funnel-shaped, carmine rose, with a lighter, green-spotted dorsal blotch. Calyx small. Lvs obovate, up to 135 × 60mm, deep green above. Shrub to at least 3.0m. (Sometimes seen in error as 'Katherine van Thol' or 'Catherine van Tol')

(a) **'Cathay'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Madame Margottin' (s) × 'Kagaribi' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, 50mm wide, deep yellowish pink, with a blotch of well-defined purplish red dots. Shrub to 1.5m. Early. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Cathe Mayo'** (An error for 'Cathye Mayo')

(a) **'Catherina Rinke'** (An error for 'Catharina Rinke')

(a) **'Catherine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls double, light pink, with a green throat. Indian

(r) **'Catherine Collier'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1998) (Listed as a parent of 'Love Song' (Robinson))

(r) **'Catherine Hopwood'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *rex* subsp. *rex* × 'Sincerity' H: E.G.W.W. Harrison (c 1960), G: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1984), N: Mrs C.G. Hopwood, I: Leonardslee Gardens Nurs. (1987), REG: Mrs C.G. Hopwood (1987) Fls c15/truss, funnel-campanulate, 60-67 × 65-70mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, white, with veins around the lobe margins strong purplish red (71C) but this fading with age; a blotch of streaky strong red spots (53C/D) at base of dorsal throat. Calyx 1.5mm long, with very short, broad teeth, edged with branched hairs and more-or-less sessile glands, greenish with a pink rim. Lvs oblanceolate, up to 300 × 80mm, dark green above, yellow-green and minutely hairy below when mature, truncate at base, more-or-less acute at apex. Shrub 4.5 × 3.5m. April-May

(r) **'Catherine Olson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan' (s) × Azor Group H: Mrs S. Laxdall (1961), G: Mrs S. Laxdall (1980), N: Mrs S. Laxdall, REG: Mrs S. Laxdall (1986) Fls 9-10/truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 55mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (50A) in bud, opening 50A in a wide peripheral band, shading to deep pink (50B) in centre of lobes and moderate pink (50D) in throat, unspotted; outside with 50A stripes down centre of each lobe. Calyx c1.5mm long, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 95-135 × 30-40mm, dull, moderate olive green (147A) above, with a very light, plastered, beige indumentum below; young shoots light copper-coloured. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 23 years. Late July.

(r) **'Catherine Parr'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.A. Ragan (1969), G: W.A. Ragan (1983), N: W.A. Ragan, REG: W.A. Ragan (1989) Fls 10/domed truss, open funnel-campanulate, 51 × 114mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (64D) with yellow rays in the centre of the three dorsal lobes and deeper pink stripes on the outside; red spotting in dorsal throat. Calyx 3mm long, pink. Lvs oblong, 219 × 70mm, flat, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 2.4 × 2.1m in 18 years. Early June-early July

(a) **'Catherine Rinke'** (An error for 'Catharina Rinke')

(r) **'Catherine's Lea Ann'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Bonita' (s) × Angelo Group H: C. Weeks (1988), G: C. Weeks (1996), N: C. Weeks (2002), I: Westgate Garden Nursery, REG: C. Weeks (2002) Fls 13/domed truss, 65 × 90mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (73A) to moderate purplish pink (70D) in bud, opening inside very pale purple (69A), the dorsal lobe with small spots of moderate orange (171C); outside moderate purplish pink (70D); strongly scented. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 45mm, margins flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.4m in 14 years. Mid May

(r) **'Catherine's Pride'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Horace Fogg' (s) × 'Diva' × yellow-flowered *decorum* Fls 17/domed truss, open funnel-campanulate, 70 × 105mm, with 7 wavy-eded lobes, strong red (53C) in bud, opening apricot to peach pink with slightly darker edges and a spotted, red, dorsal blotch; outside with darker apricot pink stripes; stamens 15, curved, unequal; stigma deep yellowish green (141A); slightly scented. Calyx 2mm long, deep red (53A). Pedicels c50mm long, deep red (53A). Lvs elliptic, 114 × 44mm, convex, with a slight twist, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green

(147B) below, hairless; petioles 20mm long, moderate reddish brown (166B). Shrub 0.75 × 0.85m in 8 years. Early April

(a) **'Catherine Stewart'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: W. Allan, N: W. Allan, I: W. Allan (pre 1953), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, soft violet purple

(r) **'Catherine Stockman'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lamplighter' (s) × 'Lord Roberts' H: M. Stockman (1972), G: M. Stockman (1982), N: M. Stockman, REG: M. Stockman (1992) Fls 14/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 70 × 89mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (54A) with a slight vivid red (46B) blotch; style red. Pedicels 19mm long, cream, tinted pink. Lvs elliptic, 165 × 57mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, matt, dark green and bullate above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.8m in 20 years. April

(v) **'Catherine the Great'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: (*konori* var. *phaeopeplum* × *lochiae*) × *zoelleri* × *leucogigas* 'Hunstein's Secret' H: J.L. Rouse (1978), G: J.L. Rouse (1984), N: R. Macdonald (1992), I: Foothills Nursery (1992), REG: Foothills Nursery (1992) Fls 8/flat, lax truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 80 × 90mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, inside pale greenish yellow (2D) with strong purplish pink (55B) lobes; outside light yellow-green (154D); scented. Lvs oblanceolate, 140 × 70mm, flat, matt green, hairless. Shrub 1.0m. Spring-autumn

(r) **'Catherine van Tol'** (An error for 'Catharine van Tol')

(r) **'Cathy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Corona' (s) × Dondis Group R: R. Henny (1944), I: R. Henny (pre 1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright pink to white, with a yellow throat

(r) **'Cathy Carter'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × Nereid Group × Tally Ho Group (s) × 'Autumn Gold' H: Mrs B.I. Jordan (1963), G: Mrs B.I. Jordan (1971), N: Mrs B.I. Jordan, I: Mrs B.I. Jordan, REG: Mrs B.I. Jordan (1977) Fls 8-11/tall, lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 70 × 100mm, with 7-8, reflexed and wavy-edged lobes, buds vivid red (45A-B) to strong red/deep yellowish pink (47B-C), opening with throat vivid yellow (14B) and pale orange-yellow (16D) and edged strong pink (52D); spotted moderate red (180B) on a brilliant yellow (14C) ground (some giving the effect of vivid red (46B)); outside deep yellowish pink (46D) shading to deep pink (47D) at lobe edges. Calyx 25-50mm long (irregular), pink and red. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 100 × 30mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless, moderate olive green (146A) above, slightly bronzed when new. Shrub 1.1 × 1.9m in 12 years. Late May-early June. (Exact combination of seed parentage unknown)

(a) **'Cathye Mayo'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown G: Bovees Nursery, N: Bovees Nursery (1959), I: Bovees Nursery, REG: Bovees Nursery (1961) Fls 12-14/truss, 108-125mm wide, light yellowish pink (19B), flushed yellow, with a vivid yellow (14A) blotch. (Grown from imported Knap Hill Nursery seed; previously listed in error as 'Cathe Mayo')

(r) **'Cathy Harper'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kubla Khan' (s) × 'Lem's Cameo' H: E. Murray (pre 1975), G: E. Murray, N: E. Murray, REG: H. & M. Stockman (1993) Fls 12/lax ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 57 × 83mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, dark pink in bud, opening light yellowish pink (36C), tinted strong yellowish pink (37A) at margins, with a light yellow (20B) centre; sparse, strong red (39A) spotting on dorsal lobe and narrow 39A streaks on midveins of all lobes; outside strong yellowish pink (37A) with light yellow (20B) base and broad, strong red (39A) streaks on midveins; stamens 9, straight, unequal. Calyx 32mm long, coloured as corolla, with reflexed lobes. Pedicels 38mm long, dark pink above, light green below. Lvs narrowly obovate, 68 × 29mm, convex, with slightly wavy margins, obtuse at apex, oblique at base, dull dark green above, hairless. Petioles 22mm long, tan above, light green below. Shrub 0.3 × 0.3m in 4 years. Early May. Syn: 'Earl Murray'

(r) **'Cathy Jo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' × 'Britannia' × *ponticum* hybrid R: J. Disney (pre 1983), N: J. Disney Fls deep wine purple, with the lobes folded back so the flower is very flat-faced. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(a) **'Cathy Lynn'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Louise Gable' × 'Helen Close' H: W.L. Guttormsen (1961), G: W.L. Guttormsen (1965), N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen (c 1983), REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1985) Fls 2/truss, double (5-lobed+5-8 petaloid stamens), broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 75mm, strong purplish pink (67D), the throat red and with slight spotting on dorsal lobe. Calyx 7mm long, green. Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 25-40 × 13-22mm, more-or-less moderate olive green (147A), glossy, more-or-less bullate, hairy. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 18 years

(r) **'Catilina'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac rose, with dark margins and spots

(r) **'Cato'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1851), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy blush (Waterer (Knap Hill), 1851); fls rose, finely spotted (Waterer (Bagshot), c1865)

(r) **'Cato'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white with rose

(r) **'Catskill'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Charles Dickens' × 'Atrosanguineum' × 'James Bateman' × 'Abraham Lincoln' R: unknown (pre 1995) Hardy Hybrid (Listed in *the Rhodora* 28 (1): 4 (1995))

(r) **'Cat's Meow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Rougemont' (s) × 'Fiery Orange' H: T.L. Ring (1990), G: W.E. Delp (1993), N: Mrs V. Delp, I: Crystalaire

Rhododendron Naturescapes, REG: J.D. Harris (1996) Fls 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, c40 × 65mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, deep and strong red (60A, 53A-B) in bud, opening pale yellow (11C), edged strong red (53D), strong purplish red (54A), deep purplish pink (54B) and strong pink (54C), with strong yellow (153D) dorsal spots; filaments pale purplish pink (56D); style pale yellow-green (157B); anthers pale yellow (158B); stigma moderate brown (165A). Calyx 20mm long, light yellow (11B). Lvs 125 × 50mm, cuneate at base, broadly acute at apex. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 6 years. Early June. (First published *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Cat's Pajamas'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *aureum* × *maximum* (s) × 'Dead Ringer' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls brilliant greenish yellow (1B), light greenish yellow (1C), strong reddish orange (34C) and strong yellowish pink (34D) in bud, opening light greenish yellow (1C) with a brilliant greenish yellow (1A) throat and strong yellow-green (144A) dorsal spotting. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Cat's Whiskers'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: derived from hybrids involving mainly *fortunei* and *catawbiense* H: W.L. Tolstead (1985), G: W.L. Tolstead (1992), N: W.L. Tolstead, REG: W.L. Tolstead (1992) Fls 12/conical truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 55mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, strong reddish purple (2.5RP 5/10). Pedicels 15mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 80 × 40mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base; petioles 10mm long, green. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 6 years. Mid May

(a) **'Cattleya'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1920), N: H.A. Dreer, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, white, flushed mallow pink and with a darker blotch. Kurume (Introduced to USA by Domoto Bros; original name lost)

(r) **Cauapo Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* (s) × *dichroanthum* subsp. *apodectum* H: E.J.P. Magor (1921), G: E.J.P. Magor, N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1927), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls apricot

(r) **Caubut Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* 'Stramineum' (s) × 'Sir Charles Butler' H: E.J.P. Magor (1916), G: E.J.P. Magor, N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1926), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 8/truss, broadly campanulate, 80 × 50mm, 7-lobed, white, shaded yellow inside and spotted green on dorsal lobe

(r) **Caucamp Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* 'Stramineum' (s) × *campylocarpum* R: E.J.P. Magor (pre 1924), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light yellow, spotted red

(r) **'Caucasicovenustum Rosalbum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls satiny rose, edged with white

(r) **'Caucasicum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed under *ponticum* L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1851), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Caucasicum Album'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *ponticum* (white ff'd) (s) × *caucasicum* L: Standish & Noble (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c8/truss, 35 × 50mm, funnel-shaped, mauve in bud, opening white with a mauve flush and a blotch of pale purple and greenish yellow markings. (Known earlier than this; exhibited by M. Guérin in Paris in 1842)

(r) **'Caucasicum Album Grandiflorum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: presumably a *caucasicum* form or hybrid L: Moser & Son (c 1916), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, in large trusses

(r) **'Caucasicum Album Superbum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: presumably a *caucasicum* form or hybrid L: A. Henderson & Co. (1852), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Caucasicum Citrinum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1964) (Listed as a parent of 'March Sun')

(r) **'Caucasicum Compactum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from open-pollinated *caucasicum* R: J.B. Gable (pre 1965) Fls bright pink

(r) **'Caucasicum Fisher's Variety'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown L: Rhododendron Association Year Book (1939), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Caucasicum Gracile'** cv. Parentage unknown L: G. Morlet (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) (Published in *Horticulture Français*, 1854: 107-111)

(r) **'Caucasicum Grandiflorum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection or hybrid of *caucasicum* R: unknown (pre 1875), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls darker than in *caucasicum*, larger and more robust. Early

(r) **'Caucasicum Ochroleucum'** (Syn. of 'Ochroleucum')

(r) **'Caucasicum Pictum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* hybrid L: Standish & Noble (1853), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12-14/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 35 × 60mm, with wavy-edged lobes, clear pink, deepening at margins and paling with age, with a conspicuous dorsal ray of crimson markings. Calyx very small. Lvs oblanceolate, c135 × 40mm, reticulate and dark, glossy green above, sparsely and minutely downy below. Shrub to 2.5m. Late April-early May. (Possibly raised by Ord (of Manchester, UK))

(r) **'Caucasicum Pictum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: R. Veitch & Sons (pre 1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls creamy white, much spotted. Dwarf shrub

(r) **'Caucasicum Ponticum Album'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown L: A. Henderson & Co. (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Dwarf shrub

(r) **'Caucasicum Roseum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* hybrid L: B.S. Williams (1872), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls numerous, in a hemispherical truss, with wavy-edged lobes, deep rose in bud, opening pale rose pink, with a whitish throat. Lvs elliptic. April

(r) **'Caucasicum Splendidium'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown L: Rhododendron Association Year Book (1929), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush pink

(r) **'Caucasicum Stramineum'** (Syn. of 'Stramineum')

(r) **'Caucasicum Superbum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: G. Morlet (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) (Published in *Horticulture Français*, 1854: 107-111)

(r) **'Caucasoides'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Whitley & Osborn (1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **Cauking Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* 'Stramineum' (s) × 'Mrs Kingsmill' H: E.J.P. Magor (1916), G: E.J.P. Magor, N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cream, with crimson spotting

(r) **'Cauldron'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Rubicon' seedling × Kilimanjaro Group G: R.C. Gordon (1990), S: DameCicely Pickerill (1986), N: R.C. Gordon (1992), REG: R.C. Gordon (1992) Fls 15-16/tight ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, very dark red in bud, opening strong red (46A) inside and out, without markings; stigma, style and stamens deep pink; not scented. Calyx 5mm long, green. Lvs lanceolate, 100 × 35mm, margins decurved, matt, very dark green above, acute at apex, attenuate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 5 years. Late-flowering.

(r) **'Cavalcade'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Essex Scarlet' (s) × *griersonianum* R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1939), I: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright brick red. (Treated as a clone in 1958 Register in its own entry, but referred to as a group under 'Mrs Sassoon')

(a) **'Cavalier'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kagaribi' (s) × 'Hinodegiri' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, 40-45mm wide, deep yellowish pink, with an orange undertone. Shrub to 1.9m. Early. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Cavalier'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish rosy lilac, with black spots. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **Cavalier Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Radiance Group (s) × *facetum* H: Lord Aberconway (1940), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls brilliant scarlet

(r) **'Cavalier'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pygmalion' (s) × Tally Ho Group I: R. Henny (1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 24/truss, bright red, heavily spotted black in throat. Lvs very dark green

(a) **'Cavatina'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' × 'Willy' (s) × 'Mrs Carmichael' × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 70-90mm wide, white, striped with phlox purple. Shrub to 1.5m. Late. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Cavendishianum'** (Syn. of 'Cavendishii')

(a) **'Cavendishii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *simsii* × *indicum* L: C. Gheldolf (1844), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 70mm wide, rose madder (23/2), with a dark blotch, white edges and darker red stripes (0022). Reported to be variable. Syn: 'Lady Cavendish'; 'Cavendishianum' (Parentage not confirmed)

(a) **'Cayenne'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' × 'Waraigishi' × 'Pluto' R: B.Y. Morrison (pre 1955), N: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1965) Fls double, with 12-16 lobes, 40-45mm wide, buds almost carmine, opening deep yellowish pink, with dorsal spotting of purplish red. Shrub 1.0-1.5m in 10 years. Back Acres

(a) **'Cayuga'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Helen Close' × 'Purple Splendour' R: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1969) Fls 3-10/truss, hose-in-hose, up to 65mm wide, deep purplish pink (5RP 6/10), with a white throat. Lvs 45 × 22mm. Shrub 1.0m

(a) **'C.B.van Nes'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from 'J.C. van Tol' R: C.B. van Nes & Sons (pre 1938), N: C.B. van Nes & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, reddish orange. Mollis

(r) **'C.B. van Nes'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Queen Wilhelmina' (s) × 'Stanley Davies' R: C.B. van Nes & Sons (pre 1938), N: C.B. van Nes & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12-13/truss, campanulate, 55 × 60mm, scarlet crimson, with a few, black, dorsal spots. Calyx crimson, short. Lvs oblong-elliptic, up to 120 × 35-40mm, deep matt green above. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Cecil'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1992) (Listed as a parent of 'Splashy Vision')

(a) **'Cecile'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, deep pink in bud, opening carmine (21/2) with a saffron yellow blotch (7). Shrub up to 3.0m. Knap Hill

(r) **'Cecilia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *yakushimanum* R: J. Spingarn (pre 1985), N: J. Spingarn

(v) **'Cecilia'** (Syn. of 'Saint Cecilia')

(r) **'Cecilia Joossens'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Bambi' (s) × *macabeanum* H: R. Van Loon (1987), G: R. Van Loon (1995), N: R. Van Loon (2002), REG: R. Van Loon (2002) Fls up to 18/rounded to flat-topped truss, broadly campanulate, 40 × 45mm, with 6-7 slightly wavy-edged lobes, buds peach pink (darker at tips), opening rosy/light yellow inside, outside light yellow; 3 small, red blotches at the base of dorsal throat and

numerous, small red spots on 3 dorsal lobes (inside and out). Calyx 1.5mm long, cream. Lvs obovate, up to 200 × 110mm, margins decurved, rounded at apex, cordate at base, glossy green above, with white hairs below at first, which age to light buff. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 15 years. Late March. Hardy, but prone to bark split. (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0034872). Named for the raiser's wife)

(r) **'Cecil Mangles'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: J.H. Mangles (pre 1884), REG: Lady Adam Gordon (1984) Fls c16/domed truss, open funnel-campanulate, 65-70 × 90-100mm, 5-lobed, outside white, suffused vivid purplish red (57D) on midvein and lobe apices, inside white, slightly suffused moderate purplish pink (62B) at edges, extreme edge vivid purplish red (57D); dorsal lobe with strong purplish pink (63C) spots. Calyx up to 15mm long, very irregular, greenish white, edged pale red. Lvs oblanceolate, up to 200 × 65mm, shiny mid green above, hairless below

(r) **'Cecil Nice'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *pocophorum* R: Anne, Countess of Rosse & NT (Nymans), REG: Anne, Countess of Rosse & NT (Nymans) (1971) Fls 6-8/loose truss, tubular-campanulate, 45 × 45mm, 5-lobed, more-or-less red (53A) with darker dorsal markings; nectaries large. Calyx red, with lobes up to 5mm long. Lvs oblanceolate to narrowly obovate, up to 100 × 45mm, dark green, thicklywooly below. AM 1971

(r) **'Cecil's Choice'** (Syn. of 'Bonnie Babe')

(r) **'Cecil's Goal'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' × Bow Bells Group (s) × *hyperythrum* H: C.C. Smith (1980), G: E. Metcalfe (1987), N: H.A. Spady (1997), I: Cecil & Molly Smith Garden (1998), REG: H.A. Spady (1997) Fls 12/lax, domed truss, funnel-campanulate, 40 × 60mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (73A) in bud, fading to white throughout on opening, unmarked. Calyx 1mm long, deep pink (51C). Lvs elliptic, 80 × 40mm, margins decurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (146A) above, moderate yellow-green (146D) below, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.8m in 10 years, with shining reddish bronze new growth, the colour retained for some time. Mid April

(r) **'Cecil Smith'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'King of Shrubs' (s) × 'Crest' H: C.C. Smith (1958), G: C.C. Smith (1966), N: C.H. Phetteplace, I: C.C. Smith (c 1970), REG: C.H. Phetteplace (1976) Fls 10-11/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 60 × 100-110mm, 5-6-lobed, light greenish yellow (5C). Calyx 5mm long, yellow-green. Lvs oblong, 110 × 50mm, very dark green, hairless. Shrub 2.9 × 2.2m in 17 years. Mid May

(r) **'Cecil S. Seabrook'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fusilier Group (s) × Jasper Group H: C.S. Seabrook (1955), G: C.S. Seabrook, N: C.S. Seabrook, I: C.S. Seabrook (1967), REG: C.S. Seabrook (1975) Fls 10-22/flat truss, campanulate, 65 × 65mm, 5-lobed, tipped red in bud, opening buttercup yellow (5/2-5/3), becoming orange buff (507/1). Calyx 30mm long, yellow. Lvs elliptic, 100-125 × 45-50mm, dark green above, with a patchy, light tan indumentum below. Syn: 'C. Sabine Seabrook' (The use of the later epithet 'Cecil S. Seabrook' (*Q.Bull.Am.Rh.Soc.* 29 (1): 42 (1975)) is accepted here. 'C. Sabine Seabrook' was published in *Q.Bull.Am.Rh.Soc.* 21 (4): 229 (1967))

(r) **'Cecily Fortescue'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × Hawk Group H: L.S. Fortescue (1968), G: L.S. Fortescue (1974), N: L.S. Fortescue, I: L.S. Fortescue, REG: L.S. Fortescue (1980) Fls 11-14/truss, 40 × 60mm, 5-lobed, yellowish white (155B), with pale pink spotting. Calyx 4mm long, green, edged pink. Lvs 120 × 45mm, with a light green indumentum. Young foliage very conspicuous

(a) **'Cedo Nulli'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Gebr Mardner (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep purple. Indian

(r) **Celebrandum Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Altaclerense Group × *maximum* R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1852), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red or purplish crimson, with dark spots. AM 1852

(v) **'Celebration'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lochiae* × *macgregoriae* H: T. Lelliott, G: J. Faragher (1988), N: R. Tonkin, I: R. Tonkin (1990), REG: Moorillah Gardens (1991) Fls 10-15/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 25 × 30mm, 5-lobed, deep yellowish pink (44D). Lvs elliptic, 60 × 25mm. Shrub 1.5m. Spring-autumn

(r) **'Celebrity'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Celebrity')

(a) **'Celene'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. Indian

(a) **'Celene van Eeckhaute'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte, père (c 1891), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, violet purple. Amoena

(r) **'Celeste'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, shaded pale blue

(r) **'Celeste'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alice' (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1939), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 8-12/truss, 70-100mm wide, white, with a broad, light pink (solferino purple 26/3-26/2) margin and a few, faint, yellow spots. Shrub 1.9m in 10 years. AM 1944 (Perhaps the same plant listed by Standish in 1870 as "white, shaded pale blue")

(a) **'Celeste Terry'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *arborescens* × *R.x kosterianum* R: H.M. Forbes, N: H.M. Forbes, REG: H.M. Forbes (1968) Fls single, 8/truss, 40mm long, white, flushed deep pink; scented

(a) **'Celestial'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Malvaticum' (s) × *indicum* R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65-70mm wide, deep

purplish pink (with a yellow undertone) and a reddish blotch; centre white on older plants. Shrub to 1.2m. Early. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Celestial'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls a fine delicate blush. (Listed in error as 'Celestrial'in 1958 Register)

(r) **'Celestial Bells'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group × *wardii* × *souliei* R: R.G. Wyrens, N: R.G. Wyrens, REG: R.G. Wyrens (1964) Fls 7/truss, 65 × 50mm, apricot yellow, fading to cream yellow. Calyx petaloid. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 40mm, mid green. Shrub 1.0m in 15 years

(a) **'Celestine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. Indian

(r) **'Celia'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Rhododendron Association Year Book (1929), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls delicate rose madder

(a) **'Celia Costa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt, I: E.A. Merritt (c 1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, single, deep rose pink. Kurume (Sometimes seen listed in error as 'Cella Costa')

(a) **'Célimène'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Croux (pre 1965), N: Croux Fls single, rose pink, with darker dorsal spotting. Late

(r) **'Céline Mathieu'** cv. Parentage unknown L: France (1905), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, with 'fringed' petals, pale rose

(r) **Celsum Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. campylogynum* var. *celsum*

(a) **'Celsus'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink, with deep red spots. Indian

(r) **'Celtic Cross'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1998)

(r) **'Cembalo'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Turkana' (s) × 'Purple Splendour' H: H. Hachmann (1976), G: H. Hachmann (1982), N: H. Hachmann (1991), I: H. Hachmann (1992), REG: G. Stück (1994) Fls 15-17/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50-55 × 70-85mm, 5-lobed, deep purple (79C), with darker (79B) edges inside and out, the dorsal lobe with a lighter ground of strong greenish yellow (153B/C); outside deep purple (79C); spotted strong greenish yellow (153B/C); stamens 10; filaments strong purplish red (72A), anthers white; style unusually long, vivid purplish red (67B), stigma dark red (187A). Calyx 2-3mm long, purple violet. Lvs elliptic, 100-130 × 45-50mm, flat, matt green above, cuneate at base, obtuse at apex, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.4m in 10 years. Late May-early June. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1993/1994)

(az) **'C.E. Moyer'** cv. Azaleodendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1980)

(a) **'Cengallo'** (Syn. of 'Cangallo')

(a) **'Cengalto'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Rhododendron Association Year Book (1939) Fls clear pink. Kurume (Perhaps another error for 'Cangallo')

(a) **'Centenaire'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, red. Indian

(a) **'Centenary'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Camellia Grove Nursery (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, deep yellowish pink. Indian

(a) **'Centenary Heritage'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Doctor Curtis Alderfer' × 'Blaauw's Pink' R: G. Taylor, N: G. Taylor, I: G. Taylor (1977) Fls hose-in-hose, pale salmon pink. Shrub to 1.8m

(a) **'Centennial'** (Syn. of 'Washington State Centennial')

(r) **'Centennial Celebration'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Lace' (s) × *yakushimanum* H: F. Peste (1976), G: F. Peste (1983), N: Washington State Centennial Commission, I: Bruce Briggs, REG: Bruce Briggs (1985) Fls 20/truss, 55 × 75mm, open funnel-shaped, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, very light purple (75C), outside with deep purplish pink (68A) stripes, inside with sparse dorsal tan spotting. Calyx rudimentary. Lvs narrowly elliptic to obovate, 140 × 54mm, dark yellowish green (139A). Shrub 0.55 × 0.6m in 8 years. Late April

(r) **'Centennial Gold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goldkrone' (s) × *yakushimanum* H: Research Station for Nursery Stock, Boskoop (1983), G: Reseach Station for Nursery Stock, Boskoop (c 1986), N: Research Station for Nursery Stock (1997), I: Research Station for Nursery Stock, Boskoop, REG: M.H.A. Hoffman (1998) Fl 16-25/rounded truss, funnel-shaped, 70 × 60mm, with 5(-6) wavy-edged lobes, pink and yellow in bud, opening light greenish yellow (4C) throughout, with purple red spots in the throat and on the dorsal lobe. Calyx small. Lvs elliptic, 70-90 × 20-40mm, margins decurved, acuminate at apex, glossy green above, with orange-brown hairs below, ageing more brownish. Shrub 0.7 × 0.8m in 10 years. May. (Published in *Dendroflora* 34:95 (1997))

(a) **'Center Fire'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Wakamatsu' (s) × 'Wakaebisu' H: J.R. McKeever (1988), G: J.R. McKeever (1991), N: J.R. McKeever, REG: J.R. McKeever (1993) Fls hose-in-hose, open funnel-shaped, 38 × 57mm, whorls 5-lobed, lobes wavy-edged, corolla light purple (80C) for 3/4 of its length, with a luminous yellowish orange throat and a burgundy speckled dorsal blotch which extends only slightly on to adjacent lobes; outside 80C for 3/4 of its length, with a nearly white base; stamens 5, curved, equal. No normal calyx. Pedicels 22mm long, pinkish orange. Lvs elliptic, 47 × 19mm, slightly convex, acute at apex, oblique at base, glossy moderate olive green (137A) above, moderate yellowish green (136C) below, with discrete light orange hairs above and below. Petioles 3mm long, light green, hairy. Shrub 0.7 × 0.5m in 4 1/2 years. Late May-early June

(a) **'Centi Stricatella'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: L. van Houtte (pre 1872), N: L. van Houtte, INC: ICRA (1958). Mollis (Perhaps an error for the Indian azalea 'Cincti Striatella')

(a) **'Century'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hino-red' × 'Helen Curtis' R: A.M. Shammarello (c 1968), N: A.M. Shammarello

(r) **'Century Twentyone'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × 'Cunningham's Sulphur' R: H. Lem, N: H. Lem (1962), I: H. Lem, REG: H. Lem (1962) Fls 15/rounded truss, 75mm wide, pale sulphur yellow in bud, opening white. Lvs 150 × 50mm, very glossy above. Shrub to 2.0m

(r) **'Cephalus'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (c 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark crimson, with dark spots. Hardy Hybrid

(v) **'Cephas'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' (s) × *leucogigas* H: P. Sullivan (1972), G: P. Sullivan (1976), N: P. Sullivan, REG: W.A. Moynier (1993) Fls 4-7/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped (with a straight, narrow tube), 102 × 108mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (55B), with deeper pink sinuses and a paler pink throat; scented; stamens 14, equal, straight. Pedicels 25mm long, pinkish green. Lvs elliptic, 152 × 51mm, concave, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, scaly. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m in 21 years. November-February. (Has been incorrectly listed as 'Cephus' (and is probably also the plant reported as 'Cephino'))

(v) **'Cephino'** (See note under 'Cephas')

(v) **'Cephus'** Syn: 'Cephas'

(r) **'Ceramic'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii*, selfed R: R. Henny, N: R. Henny (1959), I: R. Henny, REG: R. Henny (1961) Fls 6/truss, campanulate, 55mm wide, white, with a brilliant yellow-green (150B) throat. Lvs 75 × 20mm. Shrub 1.0 × 0.6m

(a) **'Cerasineum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1839), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(r) **'Cerdeum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1845), INC: ICRA (1958) (Exhibited by A. Verschaffelt, 1845)

(a) **'Cérès'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: E. van der Cruyssen (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls milk white, with pale rose lines and dots. Low shrub. Indian

(v) **'Ceres'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *javanicum* var. *javanicum* × *javanicum* var. *teysmannii* H: J. Veitch & Sons (c 1888), G: J. Veitch & Sons (1891), N: J. Veitch & Sons, I: J. Veitch & Sons (1891), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright tawny yellow. FCC 1891

(a) **'Cericeum Pallidum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1851), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Cerise'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Australia (c 1980) Fls cerise

(r) **'Cerise'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Gheldolf (1844), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Cerise'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *campylogynum* Cremastum Group L: UK (1997)

(r) **'Cerisette'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *elliottii* (s) × *decorum* R: Lord Digby, N: Lord Digby, I: Lord Digby (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 11/globular truss, shallowly campanulate, 75 × 140mm, with wavy-edged lobes, fuchsine pink (627/1), with a scarlet band around the throat and limited scarlet spotting. AM 1954 (Sheila Moore Group)

(a) **'Cerita'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C.E. Brown (pre 1951), I: D. Stewart & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls mandarin red

(a) **'Cerito'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale flesh, with red spots. Indian

(r) **'Cerito'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1847), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep purplish rose. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Cerne'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: Lady Rosebery Group (s) × *cinnabarinum* Roylei Group H: Lord Digby (1936), G: Lord Digby, N: Lord Digby, I: Lord Digby (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cinnabar red. (Royal Beauty Group)

(r) **'Cervantes'** cv. Parentage unknown I: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink

(a) **'Césarine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red bronze. Indian

(a) **'Cesium One Thirty-seven'** cv. Deciduous azalea: seed from selfed 'Hugh Wormald' exposed to 50 Mrad Cesium 137 radiation H: D.S. Kellam, G: D.S. Kellam (1987), N: D.S. & M.D. Kellam (1991), REG: D.S. & M.D. Kellam (1991) Fls 16/domed truss, 32 × 38mm, tubular funnel-shaped, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, strong orange (25A) in bud, opening vivid orange-yellow (21A), shading to vivid reddish orange (40A) at base and with a strong orange (25A) flare on dorsal lobe; highly scented. Calyx 6mm long, brilliant yellow-green (150C). Lvs narrowly obovate, 64 × 28mm, convex, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub of upright, compact habit, 1.5 × 1.2m in 9 years. Late March-mid April. (Seed treated in 1982)

(a) **'C. Esveld'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *R.* × *kosterianum* I: Gebr Kersbergen (pre 1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in concial trusses, rich orange-red. Syn: 'Cornelis Esveld'. Mollis (Synonym incorrectly listed as both 'Cornellius Esveld' and 'Cornellus Esveld' in 1958 Register)

(r) **'Cetewayo'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1883), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 14-21/compact, dome-shaped truss, campanulate, 50 × 45-50mm, buds almost black, opening beetroot purple (830/1), with amber spotting in the throat. Lvs 108 × 40mm, mid to dark glossy green. Large shrub. Late May-early June. *AM 1958

(r) **'Ceylon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (white fld) (s) × *fortunei* H: J.B. Gable (pre 1950), G: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1973), REG: D.G. Leach (1983) Fls 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 80mm, 5-6-lobed, very pale purple (75D), with two, dorsal, light yellow-green (154D) rays in throat. Calyx minute, green. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 65mm, moderate yellowish green (138A), with a scattered, buff indumentum below. Shrub 3.2m in 33 years

(r) **'Ceyx'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon pink. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Cézanne'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown G: E. de Rothschild (pre 1980), S: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: Exbury Enterprises (as 'Tamarind') (1988), REG: E. de Rothschild (1997) Fls single, 10/truss, tubular funnel-shaped (opening flat-faced), 60 × 90mm, 5-lobed, brilliant yellow (14C), with a blistered dorsal flare of strong orange-yellow (17A), outside of tube shades to strong greenish yellow (153C); filaments and style similarly coloured. Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs obovate, 85 × 35mm. May. Syn: 'Tamarind' (Solent Group)

(r) **'C.F. Wood'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* I: Mrs Preston (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) (Azor Group)

(a) **'Cha Cha'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Baby Jill' R: O.R. Bristow ?, I: Mossholder Nursery (pre 1987) Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, 75-90mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, white, with purplish red margins

(r) **'Cha-Cha-Cha'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Virginia Richards' × 'Crest' H: W.E. Whitney, N: G. & Mrs A. Sather (pre 1975), I: G. & Mrs A. Sather (pre 1975) Fls changing shades of orange, pink and yellow

(a) **'Chaffinch'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *occidentale* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (c 1941), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep pink, spotted. Knap Hill

(r) **Chaffinch Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: 'Countess of Haddington' (s) × *ciliatum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in small trusses, white, flushed pink. Lvs matt green, hairy. Low shrub. April

(a) **'Chaka'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1959), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1961) Fls large, deep red. Knap Hill

(r) **'Chalfont'** cv. Parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter, N: Swarthmore College (pre 1972) Fls pink

(a) **'Chalice'** (Syn. of 'Pissaro')

(r) **'Chalice'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* × *maddenii* I: S.R. Clarke (1932), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in loose trusses, tubular, pendent, pale pink within, creamy white suffused rose outside. Lvs lanceolate, shiny above. AM 1932 (Chalice Group)

(r) **Chalice Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* × *maddenii* I: S.R. Clarke (1932), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Chalif'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *cumberlandense* G: Mrs J.W. Hill (1968), S: Mrs J.W. Hill, N: Mrs J.W. Hill, REG: Mrs J.W. Hill (1991) Fls single, 4-20/cluster, open funnel-shaped, 32 × 44mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, vivid yellowish pink (30C), tipped and edged vivid reddish orange (30A), the dorsal lobe vivid orange (28B) blending to strong orange (24A); stamens 5, protruding, with curved, pink-orange filaments and yellow anthers; style even longer, tan-coloured, with a bright green stigma. Calyx c1.5mm long, green. Lvs broadly obovate, 51 × 38mm, apiculate at apex, bullate, moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (147B) below, hairy below and slightly hairy on margins. Shrub 2.4 × 1.8m in 22 years. Late June

(a) **'Chalk Hill'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* × Wadae Group H: Crown Estate Commissioners (1957), G: Crown Estate Commissioners (1962), N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners, REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1986) Fls 3/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 72mm, with slightly waved margins, white; not scented. Lvs 35 × 18mm, mid green. Shrub 0.6 × 1.5m. Early June. *HC 1986, *AM 1987

(r) **'Chalk Leopard'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs T.H. Lowinsky' (s) × 'Calsap' H: A.W. Smith (pre 1989), G: D. Irish-Hosler (1997), N: D. Irish-Hosler (2000), REG: D. Irish-Hosler (2000) Fls 18/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside white, faintly flushed palest lavender at first, with a large, densely spotted, maroon blotch on the dorsal lobe, outside very pale purple (69C). Lvs elliptic, 75 × 40mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins downcurved, dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in c12 years. Mid June.

(r) **'Chalk Talk'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* × 'Crest' H: B.J. Ogden (1988), G: B.J. Ogden (1995), N: B.J. Ogden (1999), REG: B.J. Ogden (1999) Fls up to 15/loose, domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 60mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (51A) in bud, opening deep pink (51C) at edges, shading to pale yellowish pink (36D) in the throat, outside deep pink (51C); dorsal lobes with greenish spotting; anthers pink; stigma red. Calyx vestigial. Lvs oblanceolate, 125 × 48mm, margins decurved, hairless. Shrub 1.9 × 1.65m in 10 years. Mid May

(a) **'Challenger'** cv. Evergreen azalea: deep salmon form of *indicum* (s) × 'Hatsushimo' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 70-75mm wide, flat-faced, with overlapping lobes, orange-red, washed pale lavender, and with a very conspicuous, red blotch. Lvs narrow. Shrub to 1.5m. Early. Glenn Dale

(r) **Challenger Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Chanticleer Group (s) × Sunrise Group H: Lord Aberconway (1941), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose

(a) **'Chal McElvain'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Nadine' H: O.S. Pride, I: O.S. Pride (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls medium pink. Gable

(v) **'Chambri Lake'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown N: L. Sorensen-Smith, I: Bovees Nursery (1999), REG: L. Sorensen-Smith (1999) Fls 5-7/lax truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 70 × 60mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, inside of lobes deep pink (52B-C); outside of lobes and apical part of tube moderate and light pink (49B-C), basal part of tube light yellowish pink (27A) and pale orange-yellow (23D). Calyx minute, pale red. Lvs elliptic, 95 × 50mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins decurved, semi-glossy and moderate yellowish green (137D) above, scaly above and below (scales mid brown). Shrub 0.9 × 0.75m in 8 years. Flowering several times each year. (Possibly a natural hybrid, received under a collection number but not matching description)

(a) **'Chameleon'** (Syn. of 'Issaqueena')

(a) **'Chameleon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Turner (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, flared red. Indian

(a) **'Chameleon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* × *mucronatum* (s) × 'Kagetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50-90mm wide, white, with a yellow blotch and a few stripes of purplish pink. Shrub to 1.2m. Midseason. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Chamois'** cv. Deciduous azalea: derived from *cumberlandense* × *arborescens* G: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach (1961), I: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1962) Fls 5-7/truss, 45mm wide, brilliant yellow (11A), with a darker blotch. Lvs 70 × 25mm, glaucous below. Shrub 0.8 × 1.4m. (Seed received from a collector)

(a) **'Chamoisie Flamboyante'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1877), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(r) **'Champagne'** cv. Parentage unknown (Syn. of 'Dexter's Champagne')

(r) **'Champagne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goldsworth Orange' (s) × *griersonianum* R: W.C. Slocock Ltd, N: W.C. Slocock Ltd, I: W.C. Slocock Ltd (c 1945), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c14/compact, flattened dome truss, funnel-shaped, with wavy-edged lobes, 90 × 80mm, yellowish pink (616/3) at margins, throat yellow (606/2). Lvs 160 × 50mm, dull dark green. Shrub 2.0m. *HC 1962, *AM 1967 Syn: 'Tortoiseshell Champagne' (Tortoiseshell Group)

(r) **'Champagne Charlie'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *concinnum* × *lutescens* R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, I: C. Ingram (1964)

(r) **'Champagne Cocktail'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'James Burchett' (s) × 'Goldsworth Orange' H: G. Dixon (1988), G: G. Dixon (1994), N: G. Dixon (2002), I: G. Dixon (2002), REG: G. Dixon (2002) Fls 7/conical truss, funnel-shaped, 60 × 80mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, buds green opening orange-red, inside pale yellowish pink (36D), flushed strong yellowish pink (43D) mainly on the 3 dorsal lobes, flushed light yellow (20B) towards centre; outside strong yellowish pink (43D) with stripes of deep yellowish pink (39B) on each lobe; deep yellowish pink (39B) spotting towards centre of dorsal lobe. Calyx 15mm long, strong yellowish pink (43D). Bud scales persistent, deep yellowish pink (39B). Lvs narrowly lanceolate, 160 × 40mm, margins flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairless; petioles red. Shrub 1.8 × 0.8m in 14 years. Flowering from early June

(r) **'Champagne Delight'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Freckle Pink' (s) × 'Apricot Gold' H: K. Van de Ven (1986), G: K. Van de Ven (1990), N: K. Van de Ven (1996), REG: K. Van de Ven (1996) Fls 15/flattruss, funnel-shaped, 62 × 90mm, with 6 slightly wavy-edged lobes, strong red (51A) in bud, opening inside deep pink (51B) on lobe edges, shading to pale purplish pink (56D) in the throat and fading to a fairly uniform pale purplish pink (56B) all over with age; outside strong red (51A) on lobe edges, shading to pale purplish pink (56D) near calyx, fading with age to pale purplish pink (56A) on lobe edges, shading to pale purplish pink (56B) near calyx; strong red (51A) spotting, mainly on dorsal lobe, sometimes on other lobes. Calyx minute. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 110 × 31-33mm, margins very slightly decurved, obtuse at base, apiculate at apex, matt moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.1m in 10 years. Late spring.

(r) **'Champagne Lady'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Fawn' × 'Indian Penny' (s) × ((Olympic Lady Group × *elliottii*) × 'Oasis') × Idealist Group H: R.E. Burns (1992), G: R.E. Burns (1999), N: F.E. Burns (2002), REG: F.E. Burns (2002) Fls 9/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, with 7 wavy-edged, reflexed lobes, strong purplish red (54A) in bud, opening inside light pink (39D) at margin and shading to light yellowish pink (27A) at centre, outside light pink (39D); unmarked; stamens 14, light yellowish pink (27A); stigma strong yellow-green (145A). Calyx 1.5-3.0mmlong, strong yellow-green, edged strong purplish red (67A). Lvs elliptic, 200 × 65mm, margins wavy and downcurved, acute at apex, oblique at base, dull and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in 10 years. Mid May

(a) **'Championiae'** (Listed in the 1958 Register but assumed to be an error for *R. championiae*)

(r) **Chan Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: Lady Chamberlain Group (s) × *cinnabarinum* subsp. *xanthocodon* H: Lord Aberconway (1940), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-yellow

(r) **'Chancellor'** (As used by Waterer's. Syn. of 'Maculatum Purpureum')

(r) **'Chancellor'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white, with a yellow eye and purple spots

(r) **'Chancellor's Choice'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *pseudochrysanthum* G: M. Greig, S: M. Greig (1984), N: H. Vaartnou, REG: H. Vaartnou (1990) Fls 10-15/ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 51 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pink in bud, opening pale purplish pink (55D), with sparse, deep purplish pink (55A) spotting on dorsal lobe; outside with strong purplish pink (55B) stripes; moderately scented. Calyx 1mm long, greenish. Lvs elliptic, 64 × 32mm, convex, acuminate at apex, rounded at base, glossy and glaucous above, with a silvery indumentum below when young and some glandular hairs. Shrub 1.8 × 1.5m in 25 years. April

(r) **'Chandleri'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **Chandon Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Adonis Group (s) × Chanticleer Group H: Lord Aberconway (1937), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink

(a) **'Chanel'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *viscosum* × unknown Mollis azalea H: B.B.C. Felix (1938), I: Felix & Dijkhuis, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 8-10/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 45 × 55mm, light yellow (18B), suffused pink externally (especially on midveins) and with a dark yellow blotch; scented

(r) **Chaneta Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Coreta Group (s) × Chanticleer Group H: Lord Aberconway (1939), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(r) **'Changeling'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Belvedere' (s) × *decorum* R: Sunningdale Nurseries, N: Sunningdale Nurseries, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose madder outside, pale ochre inside

(r) **'Chang Tso Lin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* subsp. *apodectum* × *campylocarpum* (Hooker's form) × 'Idealist' (ie. the AM clone) R: L.E. Brandt, N: L.E. Brandt, REG: L.E. Brandt (1964) Fls up to 9/truss, 45 × 65mm, vivid orange-yellow (23A) in bud, opening brilliant yellow (13B) with a vivid yellow (13A) throat. Calyx 20mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs 65 × 40mm, dark green, hairless

(v) **'Channon Marie'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* × *macgregoriae* × *zoelleri* H: B. Clancy (1979), G: B. Clancy (1983), N: B. Clancy (1991), REG: B. Clancy (1992) Fls 8-11/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 95mm, with 5 lobes, inside light yellowish pink (38C) shading to a star-shaped vivid yellow (17C) throat and fading to light orange (28D); outside light yellow (17D). Lvs lanceolate, 83 × 47mm, flat, matt green. Shrub 0.6 × 0.35m in 3 years. January-May (Australia)

(a) **'Chanson'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Louise Gable' × 'Tama-giku' (s) × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' H: R.D. Gartrell (1963), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell (1971), REG: R.D. Gartrell (1985) Fls semi-double to double, 2/bud, 30 × 75mm, broadly funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, strong purplish pink (55B) to strong pink (light tint of 52D)/pale purplish pink (55D), with a hairline edge of deep purplish pink (54B); spots faint yellowish pink or deep pink (52C) over strong colour. Calyx 2mm long, strong yellow-green (144A). Spring lvs elliptic, 40 × 20mm. Shrub up to 1.0m

(a) **'Chanticleer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' × 'Willy' (s) × 'Mrs Carmichael' × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 2-4/truss, 50mm wide, deep purplish red, with a yellowish pink tube. Shrub to 1.5m. Midseason. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Chanticleer'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy lilac. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **Chanticleer Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* (s) × *facetum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, waxy, scarlet. April-May

(r) **'Chantilly Lace'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown G: Mrs I. Henry, N: Mrs I. Henry, REG: Mrs I. Henry (1991) Fls 17/truss, 45 × 100mm, with 7 very ruffled lobes ('with a crepe paper texture'), strong purplish pink (73B) in bud, opening light purplish pink (73C) and gradually paling to very pale purple (73D); throat, style and the very prominent stigma all green; scented. Calyx 3mm long, red. Pedicels 35mm long, glandular, green, flushed red on upper side. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 45mm, hairless. Early November (New Zealand). (Raised from American Rhododendron Society seed received c1974)

(r) **'Chapeau'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' hybrid × 'Purple Splendour' H: J. Disney (pre 1983) Fls with a purple edge and a white centre to each lobe, finally becoming all purple, with a large, deep purple dorsal blotch. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. 'Chapeau No.251' is also reported as a Broxson hybrid (pre-1994): fls with a very large crimson red dorsal eye and rather wavy-edged lobes. (May have been raised by Broxson and introduced by Disney)

(r) **'Chapel Wood'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from *lanigerum* R: Crown Estate

Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1961) Fls 40-50/very compact, globular truss, 50 × 60mm, rosy pink in bud, opening strong to light purplish pink (55B/C). AM 1961, FCC 1967 (Said to be from Rock 03912. This is actually a USDA number equating to Rock seed no. 18406. Herbarium material of this latter number is *R.haematodes subsp.chaetomallum*)

(r) **'Chapmanii Wonder'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* var. *chapmanii* × *dauricum* (white form) R: K. Wada (pre 1983) Fls bright lavender pink. Shrub 1.2-1.5m in 10 years. (Seen in some lists as 'Chapman's Wonder', which unlike the above would be an acceptable name)

(r) **'Chardin'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *tephropeplum* × *edgeworthii* R: G.M. Adams-Acton (pre 1942), N: G.M. Adams-Acton, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Chariessa'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.R. Gowen (1829), N: J.R. Gowen, INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Published in *Botanical Register*, 1830, under t.1366, where two possible parental combinations are discussed)

(r) **'Charisma'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: raised from KW 20280 (subsect. Maddenia) R: New Zealand Rhododendron Association, I: Pukeiti Rhododendron Trust, REG: G.F. Smith (1982) Fls 2-4/truss, 70 × 100mm, 5-lobed, rose madder (23/3-23/2) in bud, opening rose pink (427/3) with darker lines on each lobe and a yellow-orange blotch on upper lobe. Calyx 1-2mm long, pinkish red, long ciliate. Lvs oblong-elliptic, 80-110 × 35mm, scaly

(r) **'Charitas'** (Syn. of 'Charites')

(r) **'Charites'** cv. Carita Group (s) × 'Crest' R: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1965), REG: E. de Rothschild (1965) Fls large, open-mouthed, pale yellow. Lvs smooth, mid green. April-May. PC 1965 (Charites Group. Sometimes mis-spelt 'Charitas' (and originally published as such, in error))

(r) **Charites Group** gp Carita Group (s) × 'Crest' R: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1965), REG: E. de Rothschild (1965)

(a) **'Charlemagne'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 50mm wide, light orange (28C) and light yellowish pink (31D), with a large yellow blotch. Late (1958 Register); light orange with a darker orange blotch (L. van Houtte, 1871). Ghent (Listed by L. de Cock in 1868, but fls described as rose: either an error or another plant)

(r) **'Charlemagne'** cv. Parentage unknown L: T. Methven & Son (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, spotted

(r) **'Charles'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *falconeri* (s) × *sinogrande* H: E. de Rothschild (1938), N: E. de Rothshcild, I: Exbury Gardens Ltd, REG: E. de Rothschild (1983) Fls 25/truss, 60 × 65mm, 8-lobed, pale greenish yellow (1D), blotched vivid purplish red (66B) deep in corolla. Calyx minute. Lvs oblong-lanceolate or oblanceolate, 460 × 180mm, with a woolly, fawn indumentum

(r) **'Charles Aberconway'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Ramillies Group (s) × Chiron Group H: C. Puddle (1950), G: C. Puddle (1955), N: Lord Aberconway (1993), REG: Lord Aberconway & The National Trust (1994) Fls 6-10/truss, tubular-campanulate, 60-80 × 30mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (46A) in bud, opening strong red (46A) inside and out, unspotted. Calyx 20-25mm long, strong red (46A). Lvs oblanceolate, 80 × 30mm, matt green, tapered at base, obtuse at apex, with a rufous indumentum when young which ages to mid brown. Shrub 2.0 × 2.5m in 40 years. Mid-late April

(a) **'Charles A. Pride'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Nadine' H: O.S. Pride, I: O.S. Pride (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon red

(r) **'Charles Bagley'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a dense, pyramidal truss, deep purplish pink (4RP 6/14), with citron green markings; pistil and stamens pink. Syn: 'Chas. Bagley'

(a) **'Charles Baumann'** (Syn. of 'Directeur Charles Baumann')

(a) **'Charles B. Bringham'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, orange carmine, with a blood red blotch. Indian (Presumably the same plant listed as 'Charles B. Bingham' by J.Veitch & Sons, 1897 and by LvH in 1894 & 1900 as 'Charles C. Brigham'; also seen as 'Chas. B. Brigham' and 'Ch. B. Brigham' !)

(r) **'Charles Begg'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Letty Edwards' hybrid R: A.C. Bramley, N: A.C. Bramley, REG: A.C. Bramley (1965) Fls 10-12/truss, funnel-campanulate, tyrian rose (24/3) fading paler into centre. Lvs 100mm long, similar to 'Letty Edwards'. Shrub to 1.2m.

(a) **'Charles Darwin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L.B.G. (1886), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, white, with rose dots. Indian

(a) **'Charles Darwin'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: M. Koster & Sons (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red, with an orange blotch. Mollis

(a) **'Charles de Buck'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Verschaffelt (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, cerise; resembling 'Duc de Nassau'. Indian

(r) **'Charles de Jandin'** cv. Parentage unknown R: G. Croux (pre 1949), N: G. Croux, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, purplish red, with a lighter centre

(r) **'Charles de Loose'** cv. Parentage unknown L: G. Morlet (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) (Published in *Horticulture Français*, 1854: 107-111)

(a) **'Charles Dickens'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: P.M. Koster (pre 1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls reddish-orange (1958 Register); white, with "bronze spots" (Boskoop list, 1896). Mollis

(r) **'Charles Dickens'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c10/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, rosy purple, with a few, black, dorsal spots. Calyx small. Lvs ovate to obovate, 55-105 × 35-50mm, glossy dark green above. Shrub to c3.0m. FCC 1865

(a) **'Charles E. Brown'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hinodegiri' hybrid I: D. Stewart & Son (1939), INC: ICRA (1958). Kurume

(a) **'Charles Encke'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Marie-Louise' R: A. Verschaffelt, N: A. Verschaffelt, I: A. Verschaffelt (1861), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, deep to strong pink (52C-D), with a white edge and a violet blotch; stamens 5. Late. Indian

(a) **'Charles Encke Album'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Charles Encke' R: unknown (pre 1985) Fls white. Otherwise resembles 'Marie-Louise'. Indian

(a) **'Charles François Luppis'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, shaded magenta, with orange spots. Syn: 'Charles Lupis'. Mollis

(r) **'Charles G'** (Syn. of 'Charlie Grystar')

(r) **'Charles H. Pattman'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* (s) × *griersonianum* I: T.C. Thacker (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose red

(a) **'Charles Kékulé'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, salmon orange, tips brighter, spotted deep orange. Mollis (Has been treated as syn. of 'Baron Edmond de Rothschild' but Veitch and van Houtte listed them separately)

(r) **'Charles Kingsley'** cv. Parentage unknown R: I. Davies (pre 1893), N: I. Davies, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c16/truss, 50 × 60mm, broadly campanulate, light rosy crimson, with a few, dorsal, crimson brown markings. Lvs oblong-elliptic, c100 × 40mm, dull, deep green above, hairless below

(r) **Charles Lamont Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *strigillosum* (s) × *neriiflorum* H: RBG, Edinburgh (1939), G: RBG, Edinburgh, N: RBG, Edinburgh, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep pink

(a) **'Charles-le-Bon'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. de Cock (1868), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Charles Leirens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte (pre 1870), N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1872), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, dark salmon red, with a broad black blotch. Indian

(a) **'Charles-le-Téméraire'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. de Cock (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, striped. Ghent

(a) **'Charles Lupis'** (Syn. of 'Charles François Luppis')

(a) **'Charles Maarschalk'** (Syn. of 'C. Maarschalk')

(a) **'Charles Martel'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. de Cock (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose. Ghent

(r) **'Charles Mellinet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as an *arboreum* hybrid L: A. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls reddish

(r) **'Charles Michael'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *haematodes* (s) × *thomsonii* I: C. Williams (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) (Major Group)

(a) **'Charles Napier'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Verschaffelt (1861), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Charles Noble'** cv. Parentage unknown I: C. Noble (c 1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls brilliant deep cherry red, with a large yellow eye. Very late. (Noble, 1885). Some plants now in cultivation under this name have pure pink flowers, sometimes almost white in the centre, with yellow-green markings on a white ground. FCC 1878 Syn: 'The Tocsin' (Original introduction and award as 'The Tocsin'; the use of the later name is accepted here)

(r) **'Charles Phillips'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: unknown (s) × 'Fragrantissimum' H: C.O. Phillips (1969), G: C.O. Phillips (1972), N: E.E. Connelly (1986), I: C.O. Phillips (c 1980), REG: E.E. Connelly (1986) Fls 8-15/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, c50 × 50mm, 5-lobed, white, with a pale green throat. Calyx 6mm long, very pale green. Lvs elliptic, 45 × 22mm, glossy green, ciliate, with numerous brown scales below. Shrub 3.7 × 1.8m in 11 years. Mid March

(a) **'Charles Pynaert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Louise Pynaert' I: E.P. van Geert (1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single to semi-double, rose, with pale salmon and snow white margins and a carmine red blotch. Syn: 'New York's Favorite'. Indian

(a) **'Charles-Quint'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. van Geert (1853), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Charles-Quint'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. de Cock (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red, edged rose. Ghent

(r) **'Charles Robinson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Powell Glass' × 'Vulcan' H: O.S. Pride (pre 1970), G: O.S. Pride, N: O.S. Pride, I: O.S. Pride (pre 1980) Fls pink.

(a) **'Charles Rogier'** cv. Deciduous azalea: Ghent × Mollis I: C. Vuylsteke (1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls brilliant rose, shaded violet lilac, blotch strongly marked chrome yellow edged creamy white (Vuylsteke, 1890). Ghent

(r) **'Charles Russell'** cv. Parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1877), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rosy carmine, with greenish spots. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Charles Seguin'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Moser & Son, N: Moser & Son, I: Moser & Son (1913), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a large, pyramidal truss, 5-lobed, white, with a strong, dark red blotch with darker spots; filaments white; anthers greenish yellow

(r) **'Charles Smith'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* × *arboreum* R: C. Smith & Son, N: Caledonia Nursery (c 1925), I: Caledonia Nursery (c 1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c10/truss, 50 × 65mm, campanulate, light crimson, shaded scarlet externally, inconspicuously spotted dark crimson at base of each segment; nectaries black crimson. Calyx pale green. Lvs elliptic or obovate, up to 115 × 50mm, deep green above, grey-felted below. (Parentage requiring confirmation)

(a) **'Charles Soufflet'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1891), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, lively carmine rose. Indian

(r) **'Charles S. Sargent'** Syn. of 'C.S. Sargent'

(a) **'Charles Susinski'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid, see under Hinkley Group in *The Azalean* 4 (1):1-5(1982) for details R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith Fls 55mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (68A), with purplish spotting. Foliage red in winter. Shrub 1.0m in 7 years

(r) **'Charles Thorold'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1896), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple, with a greenish yellow centre.

(r) **'Charlestown'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: possibly a *fortunei* hybrid N: C. Herbert, I: C. Herbert (1975), REG: C. Herbert (1975) Fls 10-16/ball-shaped truss (flat on top), open funnel-shaped, 45-50 × 75-115mm, 7-lobed, moderate purplish pink (68C) to strong purplish pink (73B), slightly darker at edges, lower throat chartreuse yellow. Calyx 3mm long, pea green. Lvs lanceolate, 150 × 65mm, glossy, moderate yellow-green (146C). Shrub 2.5 × 2.5m in 15 years. Mid May. (Seedling from the Dexter Estate (Everitt no.7) grown at Swarthmore College)

(r) **'Charles Truffaut'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably an *arboreum* hybrid I: Bertin (1851), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson, with white margins (Bertin); with a white centre (André , 1864)

(a) **'Charles van der Banck'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, bright, pure orange with a purple blotch. Indian

(a) **'Charles van Eeckhaute'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange, with wavy-edged lobes, and a big, orange purple blotch. Indian

(a) **'Charles van Geert'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Moser & Son (1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange, with a small orange blotch. Mollis

(a) **'Charles van Geert'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double. Ghent

(a) **'Charles van Wambeke'** (Syn. of 'Monsieur Charles van Wambeke')

(a) **'Charles Vuylsteke'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: G. van Noordt (pre 1896), N: G. van Noordt, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange, with a purple blotch. Syn: 'C. Vuylsteke'. Mollis

(r) **'Charles Vuylsteke'** cv. Parentage unknown L: T.J. Seidel (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rosy lilac, with striking, dark brown-red markings

(r) **'Charles Wagner'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Linden (1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls similar to 'Prince Camille de Rohan', but with more numerous and more regular markings

(r) **'Charles Waterer'** (An error for 'Charlie Waterer')

(r) **'Charley'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group (s) × *wardii* R: D.W. James, N: D.W. James (1958), I: D.W. James, REG: D.W. James (1961) Fls broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 125mm, white, tinted amaranth rose (530/3), becoming creamy yellow with age and with a yellow blotch; scented. Lvs 200 × 90mm

(r) **'Charlie Grystar'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ronald Otto Delp' (s) × 'Harvest Moon' × 'Ice Cube' H: W.E. Delp (1983), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1996) Fls 11/truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 80mm, 5-lobed, a blend of strong and light purple (77B-D) and of vivid reddish purple (74A) in bud, opening very pale purple (76D) and fading to white; a prominent, dark red (59A) spotted dorsal flare, with some spotting on adjacent lobes; anthers very light purple (75C). Lvs 90 × 40mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base. Early June. (First published in *J. Am. Rh. Soc.* 43 (1): 2-5 & 58, (1989); illustrated p.3)

(r) **'Charlie Herbert'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Captain Jack' × *yakushimanum* (Exbury form) H: C. Herbert (1970), G: C. & E. Rahn, N: C. & E. Rahn, I: C. & E. Rahn (1985), REG: C. & E. Rahn (1990) Fls 17/domed truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 44 × 51mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (55A) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (56A) inside and light purplish pink (55C) outside; anthers pale orange-yellow (24D), filaments light yellowish pink (36A); stigma vivid reddish orange (42A), style deep yellowish pink (41D). Calyx 25mm long, light yellowish

pink (26D). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 114 × 38mm, convex, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dull, moderate olive green (137A) and hairless above, with a plastered, moderate yellow-green (147C) indumentum on young foliage. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in 18 years. Mid May

(r) **'Charlie McNew'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' (s) × *elliottii* 'War Paint' H: C. McNew (c 1960), G: C. McNew (c 1970), N: D.W. Goheen, I: A Sandy Rhododendron (1996), REG: D.W. Goheen (1997) Fls 10-12/flat domed truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 65 × 65mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, vivid red (45A) in bud, opening vivid reddish orange (41A), all except the base gradually fading to deep pink (47D), with faint (41A) spots on the dorsal lobes. Calyx c5mm long, vivid reddish orange (41A), glandular. Pedicels 25mm long, light pink. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 175 × 50mm, margins decurved, acute at apex, dull and dark green and both bullate and powdery above, with a felted indumentum of hairs and glands below (moderate yellowish pink (173D) at first, ageing to moderate reddish orange (173B)); petioles 15mm long, hairy and glandular. Shrub 3.0 × 2.4m in 20 years. May

(r) **'Charlie Waterer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1900), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c14/truss, 50 × 60mm, funnel-shaped, crimson scarlet, paler in centre and with dorsal green markings on a white ground. Calyx small. Lvs narrowly elliptic, up to 165 × 40mm, dark, matt green above. (Sometimes listed in error as 'Charles Waterer')

(a) **'Charlotte'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1866), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Said to be from Schulz; perhaps the same as 'Charlotte von Schiller')

(a) **'Charlotte'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* (s) × 'Malvaticum' I: C.B. van Nes & Sons (1922), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red. Kaempferi

(a) **'Charlotte'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* (s) × *mucronatum* R: J.B. Gable (pre 1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, reddish violet (32/2), with a red blotch. Gable (Not named by Gable)

(r) **'Charlotte Bronte'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1857), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson

(a) **'Charlotte Bryer'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown G: J.W. Harrington (1991), S: J.W. Harrington, N: J.W. Harrington (1995), I: W. de Jong (1995), REG: J.W. Harrington (1996) Fls 11-25/rounded truss, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, yellow in bud, opening inside greenish yellow, outside primrose yellow; dorsal lobe solid apricot; anthers orange; stigma green; good scent. Calyx 5mm long, pale green. Lvs oblanceolate, 110 × up to 45mm, flat-edged, attenuate at base, acute at apex. Shrub up to 2.0 × 1.5m in 5 years. Mid-late June. (Probably introduced as 'Charlotte')

(a) **'Charlotte Corday'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L.L. Liebig, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright cinnabar rose red. Indian

(r) **'Charlotte Currie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Barclayi Robert Fox' × *williamsianum* H: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1949), G: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1961), N: E.G.W.W. Harrison, REG: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1975) Fls 7/truss, 55 × 75mm, 5-lobed, deep red. Shrub up to 2.5m. March-April

(r) **'Charlotte de Rothschild'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × 'Saint Keverne' R: L. de Rothschild (1930), N: E. de Rothschild (1958), I: E. de Rothschild (1958), REG: E. de Rothschild (1961) Fls 14/truss, campanulate, 80 × 108mm, with wavy-edged lobes, whitish pink with chocolate spotting in the throat, stained deep pink on outside. AM 1958, FCC 1992 (Sir Frederick Moore Group)

(a) **'Charlotte de Witte'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: de Witte (1857), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with carmine rose stripes. Indian

(r) **'Charlotte Foster'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: Lady Roseberg Group, open-pollinated R: M.C. Foster, N: M.C. Foster (1994), REG: M.C. Foster (1994) Fls 11-15/compound umbel, funnel-shaped, 40 × 45mm, 5-lobed, light purplish pink (68D), dorsal lobe shading to a stronger, moderate purplish pink (68C), with strong, reddish orange (42B) spotting in dorsal throat; stamens 10, filaments pink, anthers pale brown. Calyx very short, green, scaly. Lvs elliptic, dull matt green above, paler below, scaly. Shrub at least 1.9 × 2.0m in 23 years. Early May. AM 1994 (Pollen parent probably *yunnanense*)

(r) **'Charlotte Grisi'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Byls (pre 1868), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958)

(v) **'Charlotte Jane'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: J.L. Rouse, N: M.D. Cullinane (1993), REG: M.D. Cullinane (1994) Fls 8-10/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 90mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light yellowish pink (36A) in bud, opening moderate yellowish pink (33D) in the throat and strong yellowish pink (33C) on the lobes inside; outside strong yellowish pink (33C); unspotted. Calyx 2mm long, reddish pink. Lvs elliptic, 160 × 65mm, flat, attenuate at base, acute at apex, matt green, scaly, the scales fawn grey when young. Shrub 1.5 × 1.0m in 6 years. Three flushes of flowering through the year

(a) **'Charlotte von Schiller'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C. Schulz (pre 1865), N: C. Schulz, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Charlotte Weiss'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt, I: E.A. Merritt (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, single, rose pink. Kurume

(a) **'Charly'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Luci' R: K. Glaser, N: K. Glaser (c 1978) Fls semi-double, large, margins strong red (53D), otherwise strong purplish red

(58B), throat darker and with slight 58B spotting. Lvs broadly ovate, dark green. Indian

(r) **Charm Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *forrestii* Repens Group (s) × Shilsonii Group H: Lord Aberconway (1930), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blood red

(r) **'Charmaine'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Charm Group (s) × May Day Group H: Lord Aberconway (1936), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 6/truss, broadly campanulate, 40 × 45mm, blood red (820/3). Calyx c25mm long, also blood red. Lvs elliptic-lanceolate, 65 × 25mm, densely brown tomentose below. Dwarf shrub. AM 1946 (Charmaine Group)

(r) **Charmaine Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Charm Group (s) × May Day Group H: Lord Aberconway (1936), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Charm Alarm'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Delp's Fireking' (s) × 'Dusty Wiz' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls deep and strong purplish red (61A-B) in bud, opening strong purplish red (63A-B) and strong and light purplish pink (63C-D), with moderate red (179A) dorsal spots; filaments light purplish pink (63D); style pale greenish yellow (1D); anthers pale orange-yellow (159B); stigma dark red (187B). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Charmant'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *ambiguum* (s) × 'Barnaby Sunset' H: W. Reich (1990), G: W. Reich (1995), N: W. Reich (2000), I: W. Reich (1998), REG: W. Reich (2000) Fls up to 9/loose ball-shaped truss, open funnel-shaped, 32-34 × 46-49mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside light yellowish pink (36B/C); outside light yellowish pink (36B/C), overlaid from base with light yellowish pink (27A/B); dorsal lobe with strong greenish yellow/strong yellow (153B/D) spots (showing through as greenish yellow externally). Calyx 4mm long, yellowish green. Lvs broadly ovate, 13-50 × 7-22mm, recurved longitudinally and hanging downwards, margins upcurved, moderate olive green/moderate yellow-green (146A/B) above, moderate yellow-green (146C/D) below, matt to slightly glossy above, scaly. Shrub 0.85 × 0.85m in 9 years. Mid-late April. (Standard: colour slide provided by registrant (WSY 0023036))

(a) **'Charme de Noël'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Ideal' I: A. Haerens (1911), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls strong purplish pink (67D). Otherwise similar to 'Madame Petrick'. AM 1928. Indian

(r) **'Charme La'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group (pink selection) × *pemakoense* Patulum Group H: J.B. Brueckner (1969), G: J.B. Brueckner (c 1971), N: J.B. Brueckner, REG: J.B. Brueckner (1988) Fls 3-5/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 25 × 64mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, light purple (76A). Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 51 × 25mm, convex, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, scaly; petioles noticeably scaly. Shrub 0.8 × 0.9m in 19 years. Mid May

(a) **'Charmer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: W. Bull (c 1866), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lavender spotted darker carmine red. Indian

(a) **'Charmer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt, I: E.A. Merritt (c 1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 45mm wide, porcelain rose (620/1). Kurume

(az) **Charmian Group** gp Azaleodendron: 'Vervaeneanum' (s) × *callimorphum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose to pale pink

(v) **'Charming Valentino'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Saint Valentine', selfed H: P. Schick, N: G.L.S. Snell, I: Vireya Venue (1990), REG: Vireya Venue (1991) Fls 3-4/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 80mm, 5-lobed, deep yellowish pink (44D). Lvs lanceolate, 65 × 30mm. Shrub 0.5m. Spring-autumn

(az) **Charopoeum Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. campylogynum* var. *charopoeum*

(a) **'Chartreuse'** (Syn. of 'Ilam Chartreuse')

(a) **'Chartreuse'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls yellow, tinged green for a time. Mid May

(r) **'Chartreuse'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *flavidum* × Lady Rosebery Group R: L.E. Brandt (1951), N: L.E. Brandt (1960), REG: L.E. Brandt (1962) Fls drooping, 10 or more/loose truss, 25 × 22mm, light yellow (20B)

(r) **'Chas. Bagley'** (Syn. of 'Charles Bagley')

(a) **'Chas. B. Brigham'** (See note under 'Charles B. Bringham')

(r) **Chaste Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* (s) × Queen of the May Group H: J.J. Crosfield (1930), G: J.J. Crosfield, N: J.J. Crosfield, I: J.J. Crosfield (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow or creamy yellow

(a) **'Chaste Diana'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c 1935), N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. Indian

(r) **'Chaste et Pure'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'White Wings' × 'Sesterianum' R: G.M. Adams-Acton (pre 1942), N: G.M. Adams-Acton, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Chastity'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tols' (s) × 'Redwing Chip' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, deep red (60A) in bud, opening strong purplish red (71B, C, D). with a white flare; filaments and style

white; anthers pale yellowish pink (159D); stigma dark red (187A). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Chat'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Albatross Group × *wardii* R: R. Henny, N: R. Henny (1960), I: R. Henny, REG: R. Henny (1961) Fls 10-12/upright truss, funnel-campanulate, 90mm wide, marigold orange (11/3), changing to sap green (62/3). Shrub 1.8m

(r) **'Chateaubriand'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Croux (pre 1959), N: Croux Fls large, carmine red

(r) **'Château Lafite'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Impi' (s) × 'Jutland' R: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild (1963), REG: E. de Rothschild (1963) Fls very dark red. Lvs deep green. Shrub to 1.5 × 1.5m. May-June. (In each case the parent used was the nominate award clone)

(r) **'Chatham'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: reputedly a subsect. *Fortunea* hybrid H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: Scott Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister, REG: Scott Arboretum (1985) Fls 11-12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 100mm, with 5-7 wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (5RP 8/5) with moderate purplish red spots (5RP 4/10) on dorsal lobes. Calyx 7mm long, medium yellow-green, edged red. Lvs elliptic to more-or-less narrowly elliptic, 115-150 × 50-65mm, without indumentum. Shrub 2.0m in 31 years. (May have been obtained by Dexter from the Farquhar Nursery as a seedling)

(a) **'Chatooga'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *calendulaceum* × *periclymenoides* S: W.G. & Mrs M.S. Beasley (pre 1985), N: W.G. & Mrs M.S. Beasley Fls 50mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, pink, maturing to all yellow with a large, brilliant yellow blotch. Shrub 0.6 × 1.2m in 10 years. Midseason. (A natural hybrid. The spelling 'Chattooga' is an error)

(a) **'Chattahoochee'** cv. Deciduous azalea: mutant or hybrid of *canescens* G: Mrs N.K. Seiferle, N: Mrs N.K. Seiferle, REG: Mrs N.K. Seiferle (1983) Fls 5-7/conical truss, 17 × 30mm, split to base into 5-7 lobes, each 3mm wide, light pink (49C). Lvs narrowly elliptic to oblanceolate, 50-75 × 13-18mm, bright green, hairy below. Shrub 2.5 × 2.5m in 18 years. Mid April. (Collected near Chattahoochee River, west of Atlanta, Georgia (USA) 1965)

(r) **'Chattaroy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' × 'China' (s) × 'Lem's Cameo' H: J. Barlup (1987), G: J. Barlup (1993), N: J. Barlup (1996), REG: J. Barlup (1999) Fls 15/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 95mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish red (58A) in bud, opening inside yellowish white (158D), blending to strong purplish pink (55B) towards margins, with a dark red (187A-C) stain covering the base and extending outward 10-15mm from centre; outside light purplish pink (55C) with deep purplish pink (55A) midribs. Lvs elliptic, 165 × 70mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, margins upcurved, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.5m in 11 years. Mid May

(r) **'Chatterbee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ben Moseley' (s) × 'Besse Howells' H: D.L. Hinerman (1970), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 14/truss, flat saucer-shaped, 50 × 95mm, 5-lobed, deep to strong purplish red (71A, B, C) in bud, opening to a blend of strong purple (77B) and light purple (77C, D), with a very pale purple (75D) flare and dark red (187A, B) dorsal spots; filaments and style light purple (77D); anthers pale yellowish pink (159D); stigma dark red (187A). Lvs 112 × 54mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.7 × 1.6m in 22 years. Early June. Syn: 'Chatterbee No.2' (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids* Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Chatterbee No.2'** (Syn. of 'Chatterbee')

(r) **'Chatterbox'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Chatterbox')

(r) **'Chatterbox'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Arthur Osborn' × *sanguineum* subsp. *didymum* R: R. Henny, N: R. Henny (1959), I: R. Henny, REG: R. Henny (1961) Fls 6-8/truss, funnel-campanulate, 50mm wide, strong red (46A). Lvs 125-175 × 40mm. Shrub 0.6m

(a) **'Chauncey Beadle'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *arborescens* (as var. *richardsonii*) × *calendulaceum* N: Biltmore Gardens (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep pink, with a yellow blotch. (Natural hybrid found in Biltmore Gardens (USA))

(r) **'Chauncy Alcott'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' × Jasper Group R: C.S. Seabrook, N: C.S. Seabrook, REG: C.S. Seabrook (1968) Fls 8-10/truss, campanulate, 65 × 65mm, porcelain rose, slightly paler at the base. Lvs rounded, light green

(v) **'Chayya'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Pink Delight' × *intranervatum*F2 H: B. Clancy (1984), G: B. Clancy (1988), N: B. Clancy (1991), REG: B. Clancy (1992) Fls 8-14/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 85mm, with 5 lobes, inside strong pink (52D) shading to pale orange-yellow (19D); outside pale purplish pink (55D) shading to pale yellow (11D). Lvs lanceolate, 116 × 51mm, flat, matt green, hairless. Shrub 0.55 × 0.33m in 3 years. February-May (Australia)

(r) **'Cheapside'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: Bow Bells Group × Socrianum Group × Rima Group H: A.F. George (1963), G: A.F. George (1973), N: A.F. George, I: Hydon Nurseries (1975), REG: A.F. George (1976) Fls 8-10/truss, 55 × 75mm, 5-lobed, pale greenish yellow (10D), flushed apricot on reverse. Calyx 5mm long, greenish bronze. Lvs elliptic, 112 × 66mm, hairless. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years. May

(r) **'Checkmate'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: sport from 'PJM Victor' G: Weston Nurseries, S: Weston Nurseries (1986), N: Weston Nurseries, I: Weston Nurseries, REG: Weston Nurseries (1990) Fls 15/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 28 × 40mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purple (77B) to strong reddish purple (78B). Calyx 1mm long, light green. Lvs oblong, 50 × 15mm, flat, acute at

apex, cuneate at base, wrinkled on upper surface, scaly. Shrub 0.3 × 0.45m in 4 years. Early May. Syn: 'PJM Checkmate'

(a) **'Cheeky'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kiusianum* × hose-in-hose, pink seedling H: L. Yavorsky (1980), G: L. Yavorsky, N: L. Yavorsky, I: L. Yavorsky, REG: L. Yavorsky (1987) Fls single, 2-4/truss, 13 × 25mm, broadly funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, deep purplish pink (66C), shading to moderate purplish pink (65A) in throat. Calyx 3mm long, light green. Lvs obovate, 19-25 × 11-13mm. Shrub 0.3 × 0.3m in 6 years. Early-mid May

(v) **'Cheeky Mandarin'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lochiae* × *macgregoriae* × *macgregoriae* H: G.L.S. Snell (1980), G: G.L.S. Snell (1984), N: G.L.S. Snell, I: Shrublands Nursery (1987), REG: Shrublands Nursery (1988) Fls 8-9/truss, narrowly tubular funnel-shaped, 20 × 40mm, 5-lobed, vivid reddish orange (30B), deeper on lobe edges.. Lvs elliptic, 80 × 45mm, hairless. Shrub 0.3m tall. Summer-autumn

(r) **'Cheer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cunningham's White' (s) × red *catawbiense* seedling R: A.M. Shammarello, N: A.M. Shammarello, I: A.M. Shammarello (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 8-21/compact, conical truss, 40-65mm wide, inside moderate purplish pink (62B), outside moderate purplish pink (66D), midribs darker, with conspicuous dark red (59A) markings on the three dorsal lobes. Lvs 100 × 45mm, mid green, glossy. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. April-May

(a) **'Cheerful'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: I.L. Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L. Amann Fls 50mm wide, light purple (75A). Shrub 1.0m. Midseason

(r) **Cheerful Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Cyclops Group (s) × Elizabeth Group H: Lord Aberconway (1936), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet

(a) **'Cheerful Giant'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Whitethroat' × un-named yellow seedling H: S.E. Sorenson (1973), G: S.E. Sorenson (1975), N: S.E. Sorenson, I: Homestead Nurseries (1984), REG: S.E. Sorenson (1984) Fls double, 12/truss, open funnel-campanulate, 90 × 90mm, 15-lobed, straw yellow (604-604/1), outside apricot (609/1); usually lacking stamens. Calyx c7mm long, greenish. Lvs elliptic to narrowly obovate, 75-100 × 40-45mm, hairy, reddish in autumn. Shrub 1.2m in 8 years

(a) **'Cheerfulness'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, dark vermilion red at centre, paler at edges. Kurume (Introduced to USA by Domoto Bros and re-named by H.A.Dreer; original name lost)

(r) **'Cheer Girl'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Japan (1989)

(r) **'Cheerio'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* (s) × 'Rosy Morn' R: R. Henny (1944), N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny (pre 1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with imbricate lobes, light pink to white, with red bands on the lobes.

(r) **'Cheerleader'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marypat' (s) × 'Clark Adams' H: W.E. Delp (1985), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 10/truss, open funnel-shaped, 39 × 50mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53C, D) in bud, opening pale purplish (65D) and edged with a blend of strong pink to moderate purplish pink (54B-D) and with a pale yellow-green (4D) flare and light olive (152A) dorsal spots; filaments and style light yellow-green (150D); anthers brownish orange (166C); stigma brilliant yellow-green (150A). Calyx 15mm long, strong pink to moderate purplish pink (54B-D), with light olive (152A) dorsal spots. Lvs 90 × 30mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 7 years. Early June.

(r) **'Cheers'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Cheers')

(r) **'Cheetans'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *williamsianum* (s) × *souliei* R: A.C. & J.F.A. Gibson, N: A.C. & J.F.A. Gibson (1960), I: A.C. & J.F.A. Gibson, REG: A.C. & J.F.A. Gibson (1961) Fls in lax trusses, white. PC 1960

(a) **'Chef de Meyere'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Frits Sander' (s) × 'Ernst Thiers' I: C.J. Wille & Co. (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, red. Late. Indian

(r) **'Cheiranthifolium'** cv. Elepidote/Lepidote cross: selection from *ponticum* or a *ponticum* hybrid N: unknown (pre 1871), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale purple. Lvs 50-75 × 10-13mm, with very wavy margins. Dwarf, compact shrub to 1.2m (Bean, 1976); colour also described as lilac blue, with small, yellow-brown markings (Schmalscheidt)

(a) **'Chelsea'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Hazlewood Bros (1964) Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, orange-red. Indian

(r) **'Chelsea'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* Roylei Group (s) × Royal Flush Group (orange form) R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange and pink. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. April-May. (Lady Chamberlain Group)

(r) **'Chelsea Chimes'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *coryanum*: grown from KW 6311 R: S.R. Clarke, I: R.N.S. Clarke, REG: R.N.S. Clarke (1979) Fls 8-9/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, up to 29 × 33mm, 5-lobed, yellowish white (155D), with sparse spotting of vivid red (57A) in dorsal throat. Calyx up to 1mm long, reddish. Lvs narrowly elliptic, up to 90 × 24mm, glossy and dark green above, with a brown, felted indumentum below. AM 1979

(a) **'Chelsea Gem'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Kelmscott Azalea Gardens (1984) Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, spanish red. Indian

(a) **'Chelsea Manor'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown G: E. de Rothschild (1970s), S: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: Exbury Enterprises, 1997, REG: E. de Rothschild (1997) Fls usually single (rarely with a petaloid stamen), 7/truss, tubular funnel-shaped (opening flat-faced), 56 × 69mm, 5-lobed, light orange-yellow (23C & 24C), flushed strong yellowish pink (33C), with a vivid orange-yellow (23A) dorsal flare; filaments and style similarly coloured. Calyx minute, green. Lvs obovate, 70 × 35mm. May. (Solent Group)

(a) **'Chelsea Reach'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Rozanne Waterer' × unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1972) Fls pale yellowish white, flushed purplish pink. Knap Hill

(r) **'Chelsea Seventy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Jalisco Eclipse' × Fusilier Group R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1971) Fls salmon pink, shaded rose pink. Large shrub

(a) **'Chelsonii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Gheldolf (1844), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange scarlet. Indian (Veitch (1870) indicates Kinghorn as raiser)

(r) **'Chelsonii'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a selection or hybrid of *arboreum* L: France (1847), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls brilliant rose (A. Leroy cat., 1868). (Listed by Knight & Perry (c1850) in addition to an indian azalea of the same name)

(a) **'Chenille'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: Waterer (Knap Hill), S: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1969), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1974) Fls double, 9-12/truss, 35-50mm wide, rich cherry pink. Knap Hill

(a) **'Cheniston'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: N. Hamilton-Smith (pre 1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls solitary or in pairs, hose-in-hose, open funnel-shaped, 20 × 20mm, vivid purplish red (57B). Lvs small, dark glossy green. Amoena

(a) **'Cherado'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* × *kaempferi* R: E.N. Stanton (pre 1987), N: E.N. Stanton Fls semi-double, yellowish pink. Good autumn foliage colour. Shrub 1.5 × 1.1m in 10 years. Midseason. Syn: 'McClosky's Pink'

(a) **'Cher d'Acoz'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. de Cock (1868), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Cherie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Jimmy Coover' × 'Glamour' (s) × 'Lady Louise' R: R.D. Gartrell (pre 1987) Fls double, 50mm wide, deep reddish orange. (Numbered as V12-4 by Gartrell but not named by him)

(r) **'Cherish'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W. Bergman (pre 1998)

(a) **'Cherokee'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* (s) × 'Hinodegiri' R: J.B. Gable (pre 1958), N: J.B. Gable, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 45mm wide, deep yellowish pink (46D). Gable (Parentage given as on 1958 Register; Livingston & West, *Hybrids & Hybridizers* (1978) give (*yedoense* var. *poukhanense* × 'Hinodegiri') as pollen parent)

(a) **'Cherokee'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Oakland' (s) × 'Heiwa' R: R.D. Gartrell (pre 1981), N: T. Wingate & E.Coleman (c 1984) Fls double, with broad, overlapping lobes, 90mm wide, light pink, sometimes with paler margins. Shrub to 1.1m. Late. (Numbered as V15-8 by Gartrell)

(a) **'Cherokee'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1985) Fls 100mm wide, yellowish orange, with a reddish orange blotch. (Related to or derived from Edgar Stead's breeding in New Zealand)

(a) **'Cherokee Big Peach'** cv. Deciduous azalea: an Exbury azalea × *atlanticum* × 'Chelsea Reach' × *viscosum*, colchicine-treated H: J.B. Parks (1988), G: J.B. Parks (1994), N: J.B. Parks, REG: J.B. Parks (1999) Fls 8/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 65 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, opening moderate to light yellowish pink (38B-C), with a dorsal flare of strong to brilliant orange (25B-C); ages to deep purplish pink (54B) to strong pink (54C), the entire dorsal lobe suffused strong to brilliant orange (25B-C); moderately scented. Lvs obovate, 100 × 50mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, flat, dull and dark green (135A) above, hairless; mildew resistant. Shrub 1.8 × 0.9m in 11 years. Early June.

(a) **'Cherokee Brave'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Mai-hime' × 'Jubilee' (s) × 'Getsutoku' R: R.D. Gartrell (pre 1981), N: T. Wingate & E.Coleman (c 1984) Fls 90mm wide, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, strong purple (80B), with a reddish blotch. Shrub to 0.8m. Late. (Numbered as Z-17-1 by Gartrell)

(a) **'Cherokee Chief'** cv. Evergreen azalea: ('Vervaeneanum' × 'Copperman') × ('Jimmy Coover' × 'Picador') (s) × Gartrell no.R5-9 H: R.D. Gartrell (pre 1981), N: T. Wingate & E.Coleman (c 1984) Fls 90mm wide, the broad, overlapping lobes with recurved tips, vivid reddish orange (42A) with a faint red blotch. Late. (Numbered as X71-9 by Gartrell)

(a) **'Cherokee Coral Beauty'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *viscosum* (as var. *glaucum*) (s) × *cumberlandense* H: J.B. Parks (1989), G: J.B. Parks (1996), N: J.B. Parks, REG: J.B. Parks (1999) Fls 7/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, dorsal lobe vivid yellowish pink (30C) in centre, gradually shifting to vivid yellow (17C) at the edge, remainder of flower is deep to strong yellowish pink (43C-D); moderately scented. Lvs obovate, 70 × 25mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins wavy and decurved, rugose, glossy and dark to moderate yellowish green (139A-B) above, hairless; mildew resistant. Shrub 0.7 × 0.6m in 10 years. Early July

(a) **'Cherokee Frosty Morn'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *arborescens* (s) × 'Chelsea Reach' × unknown H: J.B. Parks (1988), G: J.B. Parks, N: J.B. Parks, REG: J.B. Parks (1999) Fls 9/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 50mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, pure white, with two vivid yellow (15B) dorsal flares; pistil and stamens strong red (46A); strongly scented. Lvs obovate, 80 × 30mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins decurved, glossy and strong yellow-green (143A) above, hairless; mildew resistant. Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in 11 years, slightly stoloniferous. Early-mid June

(a) **'Cherokee Lemon Chiffon'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *arborescens* (s) × 'Vineland Flare' H: J.B. Parks (1986), G: J.B. Parks (1996), N: J.B. Parks, REG: J.B. Parks (1999) Fls 7-9/flat, truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light yellow to almost white, with a broad, vivid yellow (15A) band in the middle of the dorsal lobes; sometimes the entire dorsal lobe and adjacent lobes are suffused with yellow (which becomes lighter the farther way from the central band); moderately scented. Lvs obovate, 75 × 30mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins decurved, glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless; mildew resistant. Shrub 1.0 × 0.9m in 13 years. Early June

(a) **'Cherokee Princess'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nancy of Robinhill' × 'Glacier' (s) × 'Lady Louise' R: R.D. Gartrell (pre 1981), N: T. Wingate & E.Coleman (c 1984) Fls hose-in-hose, double, 90mm wide, with broad, wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (65B). Late. Similar to 'Nancy of Robinhill', with a low, compact habit. (Numbered as Z6-8 by Gartrell)

(a) **'Cherokee Rose Beauty'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *viscosum* (as var. *glaucum*) (s) × *cumberlandense* H: J.B. Parks (1989), G: J.B. Parks (1995), N: J.B. Parks, REG: J.B. Parks (1999) Fls 7/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 45 × 45mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (64B), the dorsal lobe with a strong orange (25B) flare which is lighter towards the centre. Lvs elliptic, 65 × 30mm, cuneate at base, broadly acute at apex, margins wavy and decurved, rugose, glossy and dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairless; mildew resistant. Shrub 1.1 × 1.2m in 10 years. Early July

(a) **'Cherokee Ruby'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Bobbink & Atkins, N: C. Coe (c 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep pink, with a red blotch. Indian

(a) **'Cherokee Squaw'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Wako' × 'Beni' seedling R: R.D. Gartrell (pre 1981), N: T. Wingate & E.Coleman (c 1984) Fls with petaloid stamens, 90mm wide, with broad, wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink (43C). Shrub to 0.8m high, wider than high. Late. (Numbered as Z5-8 by Gartrell. 'Beni' is not otherwise listed and is probably a contraction)

(a) **'Cherokee Star'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Popsicle' (s) × un-named seedling (Vineland 6038A) H: J.B. Parks (1989), G: J.B. Parks (1997), N: J.B. Parks, REG: J.B. Parks (1999) Fls 7/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 55 × 45mm, with 5, long, flat-edged, fairly narrow lobes, light purple (75B) to very light purple (75C), shading lighter at centre of lobes; filaments and style red; moderately scented. Lvs obovate, 55 × 25mm, cuneate at base, broadly acute at apex, flat, glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless; mildew resistant. Shrub 1.5 × 0.9m in 10 years. Early July

(a) **'Cherokee Sun'** cv. Deciduous azalea: wild-collected natural hybrid believed to be *arborescens* × *calendulaceum* or *cumberlandense* S: L.C. Towe (1985), N: L.C. Towe, I: The Cummins Garden (1988), REG: L.C. Towe (1990) Fls single, 5-7/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 38 × 25mm, 5-lobed, light greenish yellow (8C), flushed pink, with a brilliant yellow (8A) blotch and deep burgundy pistil; highly scented. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 64 × 25mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless and glossy above. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 6 years (to 2.7m tall in wild). Early-mid June. (Wild origin: Appalachian Trail, North Carolina at 1525m. Published in The Cummins Garden cat., 1988)

(a) **'Cherokee Sunrise'** cv. Deciduous azalea: unknown (s) × 'Homebush' × 'Vineland Orange' H: J.B. Parks (1988), G: J.B. Parks (1993), N: J.B. Parks, REG: J.B. Parks (1999) Fls 14/ball truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 45mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, a variable blend of strong orange-yellow (24B), brilliant yellow (15C) and strong purplish pink (55B); typical dorsal lobe strong orange-yellow (24B) at centre, shading to brilliant yellow (15C) at edge, typical lateral lobes are strong purplish pink (55B); moderately scented. Lvs obovate, 70 × 30mm, cuneate at base, broadly acute at apex, flat, glossy and dark green (136A) above, hairless; mildew resistant. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 11 years. Early June. (Seed parent described as "*speciosum*" (? = *flammeum*), collected in the wild; collector not recorded)

(a) **'Cherokee Sunset'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lady Louise' (s) × 'Heiwa' R: R.D. Gartrell (pre 1981), N: T. Wingate & E.Coleman (c 1984) Fls 100mm wide, with broad, wavy-edged lobes, reddish orange, with a darker blotch. Shrub to 0.8m. Late. (Numbered as T20-8 by Gartrell)

(a) **'Cherokee Sunset Serenade'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *cumberlandense* (s) × 'Homebush' × 'Vineland Orange' H: J.B. Parks (1988), G: J.B. Parks (1993), N: J.B. Parks, REG: J.B. Parks (1999) Fls 11/ball truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, variable shades of orange to pink from flower to flower: one to three dorsal lobes mainly vivid orange-yellow (23A), sometimes brilliant orange (25C) or intermediate shades; lateral lobes mainly brilliant orange (25C), sometimes strong pink (46D) or intermedite shades; not scented. Lvs elliptic, 80 × 40mm, cuneate at base, acute at apex, margins upcurved, moderate olive green (137B) above, with discrete, white hairs on petioles and lower surface; mildew resistant. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m in 11 years. Early June

(a) **'Cherokee Tears'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Popsicle' (s) × un-named seedling (Vineland 6038A) H: J.B. Parks (1989), G: J.B. Parks (1997), N: J.B. Parks, REG: J.B. Parks (1999) Fls 9/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 45mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, white, with a faint pink (shades of 54) tinge at tips of lobes and on midribs outside; style vivid reddish orange (43B); strongly scented. Calyx c3mm long, light yellow-green (138D). Lvs obovate, 70 × 30mm, cuneate at base, broadly acute at apex, flat, glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless; mildew resistant. Shrub 1.8 × 1.9m in 10 years. Mid July-early August

(a) **'Cherokee White'** (Syn. of 'Snowbank')

(r) **'Cheronia Group'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Rose Perfection' (s) × *orbiculare* H: Lord Aberconway (1926), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose pink

(r) **'Cherries and Cream'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group × *bureavii* (s) × 'Lem's Cameo' H: Y. Workman (1989), G: S. Imrie, N: S. Imrie, I: Lake Tapps Rhododendron Nursery (1995), REG: S. Imrie (1995) Fls c14/flat truss, funnel-shaped, 38-44 × 57mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, strong red (53B) in bud, opening outside deep purplish pink (55A), inside pale orange-yellow (159B) with deep purplish pink (55A) margins and strong red (53B) spotting in the throat; stamens 11-12, straight, unequal. Calyx 25mm long, deep pink (52B). Pedicels 25mm long, deep pink. Lvs elliptic, 127-165 × 51-57mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (146D) below, hairless; new growth bronze. Shrub 0.6 × 0.9m in 6 years. Late March-early April.

(a) **'Cherry'** (Syn. of 'Greenwood Cherry')

(a) **'Cherryblossom'** (Syn. of 'Takasago')

(a) **'Cherry Bomb'** cv. Deciduous azalea: primarily of *prunifolium* parentage R: Weston Nurseries (pre 1988), N: Weston Nurseries Fls large, cherry red

(r) **'Cherry Brandy'** (Not a cultivar epithet, but a working field name or nickname coined by Kingdon Ward for *cerasinum* (collected under his no. KW6923). Fls cherry red or white with cherry red margins)

(r) **'Cherry Bright'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *williamsianum* (s) × *thomsonii* (blood red form) R: B.F. Lancaster, N: B.F. Lancaster, I: B.F. Lancaster (c 1964), REG: B.F. Lancaster (1965) Fls 7-8/truss, open campanulate, 40 × 70mm, 5-lobed, very bright cherry red (722/3). Lvs 50-65 × 50mm, rounded. Shrub 0.4 × 0.6m in 10 years

(r) **'Cherry Crisp'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* × *yakushimanum* × 'Little Gem' (Parentage published (without description) in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995). Parent of 'Hot Topper')

(r) **'Cherry Custard'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Elsie Straver' (s) × 'Roman Pottery' H: J.G. Lofthouse (1970), G: J.G. Lofthouse (1974), N: J.G. Lofthouse, I: J.G. Lofthouse (1979), REG: J.G. Lofthouse (1981) Fls 10-12/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish orange (40B), opening light yellow (19B) to deep yellowish pink (44D) - the colour radiating from throat to edges of lobes - outside also with similar stripes. Calyx irregular, to 20mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs oblanceolate to narrowly elliptic, 115 × 40mm, slightly glossy, moderate olive green (146A) above, with a patchy, colourless to buff indumentum below (visible with a lens). Shrub 0.5 × 0.8m in 10 years. Early May

(a) **'Cherry Delight'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ward's Ruby' × 'Hahn's Red' H: R. Mauritsen (1975), G: R. Mauritsen (1980), N: R. Mauritsen, I: Kent Nursery, REG: R. Mauritsen (1986) Fls single, 1-4/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 25 × 51mm, 5-lobed, vivid red (52A). Calyx 1.5mm long, light green. Lvs mostly broadly elliptic, others elliptic, 25 × 19mm, glossy and dark bluish green (131A) above, hairy. Shrub 0.5 × 0.4m in 3 years. Early April. Kurume

(r) **'Cherryfield'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* × *thomsonii* × (*fortunei* × *haematodes*) × 'Frazzles' H: C.R. & V. Haag (pre 1991), I: Cardinal Nursery (1991) Fls red at edges, with a white centre

(a) **'Cherry Flip'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Holmes Nurseries, N: Holmes Nurseries, I: Holmes Nurseries (pre 1960) Fls double, hose-in-hose, 75mm wide, pink

(r) **'Cherry Float'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Exbury Naomi', open-pollinated H: J.G. Lofthouse, G: J.G. Lofthouse (1971), I: E.J. Linington (1973), REG: Mr & Mrs E.J. Linington (1974) Fls 15/compact truss, 45 × 100mm, 5-lobed, deep red (60A) in bud, opening strong purplish red (60D) with a moderate purplish pink (62B) centre and a solid dorsal blotch of dark red (187A) radiating on dorsal lobes to spots of deep purplish red (187D). Lvs elliptic, 140 × 65mm, moderate olive green (147A). Shrub 2.0 × 2.3m in 8 years. Mid May-mid June

(v) **'Cherry Harmony'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Sweet Wendy' × *javanicum* H: F.R. Waghorn (1985), G: G.L.S. Snell (1990), N: R. Macdonald, I: Foothills Nursery (1990), REG: Foothills Nursery (1991) Fls 13/truss, tubular, 60 × 60mm, 5-lobed, strong red (47B). Lvs elliptic, 120 × 60mm. Shrub 1.0m. Spring-autumn

(r) **'Cherry Jam'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Delp's Fireking' (s) × 'Bob As' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, vivid, deep and strong red (45A, B, 53A, B) in bud, opening strong red (53B, C, D), strong pink (54C) and moderate purplish pink (54D); stigma dark red (187A). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Cherry Jubilee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Fawn' × 'Lem's Goal' R: A.A. & M. Childers (pre 1970), N: A.A. & M. Childers, REG: A.A. & M. Childers (1970) Fls up to 9/slightly lax truss, short funnel-shaped, 120-125mm wide, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, light yellowish pink/light orange blend, banded on tips outside a strong yellowish pink. Lvs elliptic, 150-200 × 45mm, dark green. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years

(v) **'Cherry Liqueur'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *konori* hybrid × ? 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' R: G.L.S. Snell (c 1990), N: G.L.S. Snell Fls cherry red, with creamy/golden throat; scented. Shrub to 2.0m. Similar to 'Esprit de Joie'; poor habit

(v) **'Cherry Pie'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lochiae* hybrid × *konori* H: F. Jury, G: F. Jury (1985), N: F. Jury, I: M. Jury (1990), REG: M. Jury (1990) Fls 9-12/truss, 70 × 80mm, 5-6-lobed, starts pale cherry pink and deepens to dark cherry red, with a paler centre (as in *javanicum*). Lvs ovate, 140 × 70mm, with a white, scaly indumentum, which soon turns fawn. Apparently completely sterile. All-year-round

(a) **'Cherry Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1955), I: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 22 × 28mm, funnel-shaped, creamy salmon pink. Lvs small, very dark glossy green. Kurume

(a) **'Cherry Plum Red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls purplish red. Indian

(a) **'Cherry Pom Pom'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. Kurume

(a) **'Cherry Red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Greenwood Gardens (1985)

(r) **'Cherry Red'** cv. Parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943)

(a) **'Cherry Ripe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, noticeably tubular, rose red. Low, compact habit. Kurume (Introduced to USA by Domoto Bros; renamed by H.A. Dreer, original name lost)

(r) **'Cherry Ripe'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* hybrid R: W.C. Slocock (pre 1929), N: W.C. Slocock, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cerise pink

(a) **'Cherry Spot'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' × 'Osakazuki' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50-65mm wide, with rounded lobes, between brilliant and reddish purple and with a blotch of reddish purple spots. Shrub to 1.9m. Early. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Cherry Tip'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *rex* subsp. *fictolacteum* I: Lord Digby (1953), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c26/compact truss, funnel-campanulate, 50 × 50mm, bright cherry pink in bud, opening white, flushed pink, the dorsal lobe with a deep crimson blotch and numerous spots. AM 1953 (Raised from Rock 11395 (USDA 59255))

(r) **'Cherry Vanilla'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mary Belle' × *vernicosum* (Rock 18139) R: J.B. Gable (pre 1972), N: J.B. Gable Fls striped pink and cream

(a) **'Cherub'** (Syn. of 'Kimigayo')

(r) **'Cherub'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose, with copper-coloured spots. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **Cherubim Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Azma Group (s) × *elliottii* I: Sir Edward Bolitho (1943), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Cherwell'** cv. Deciduous azalea: un-named orange × un-named darker orange H: F.E.W. Hanger (1948), G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, REG: Royal Horticultural Society (1967) Fls 14-15/compact, domed truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with wavy-edged lobes, brilliantyellow (13B) fading to brilliant yellow (13C) at margins and with heavy dorsal spotting of yellowish orange. Lvs 95 × 45mm, light glossy green. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m. Late May. AM 1967

(r) **'Cheryl'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Grierosplendour Group (s) × white-flowered *fortunei* hybrid H: R.L. Means (1986), G: R.L. Means (1991), N: R.L. Means (1996), I: Yadkin Valley Nursery Co., REG: R.L. Means (1996) Fls 11/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish red (64A) in bud, opening very light purple (75C), with deep red (185A) dorsal spotting on a dark purplish pink (186C) ground, throat deep red (185A). Lvs elliptic, 115 × 45mm, with decurved margins, rounded at base, broadly acute at apex, dull, moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 0.75m in 10 years. Mid May

(a) **'Cheryl Anne'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Magnificum Mauve' × 'Georgina' H: D.J. Dosser (1985), G: D.J. Dosser (1989), N: D.J. Dosser, I: Lockington Nursery (1990), REG: Lockington Nursery (1991) Fls single, 3/truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 85mm, 5-lobed, deep purplish pink (73A), with red spotting on dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 40 × 15mm. Shrub 0.3m. (Previously recorded, in error, as a double)

(a) **'Cheryo-no-haki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1998), N: Japan. Satsuki (Grown in the National Arboretum, USA)

(a) **'Chesapeake'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt, I: E.A. Merritt (c 1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, rose pink. Kurume

(a) **'Chesapeake'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vervaeneanum' × *mucronatum* R: J. Shanks & C.Link (pre 1987), N: L. Scott Fls 75mm wide, white, with a faint yellow throat. Shrub 1.9 × 1.9m in 15 years. Syn: 'Scott's White'

(r) **'Chesapeake'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *pubescens* (s) × *keiskei* R: G.G. Nearing (pre 1950), N: G.G. Nearing, I: G.G. Nearing, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale yellowish pink, fading to white. Lvs 50 × 13mm, rich green, hairy. Shrub 1.2m tall in 20 years

(a) **'Chessie's Lavender Gem'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Elsie Lee', selfed H: S. McDonald (1976), G: S. McDonald (1980), N: S. McDonald (1999), I: Le-Mac Azaleas, REG: S. McDonald (1999) Fls hose-in-hose, semi-double (with some petaloid stamens), 3/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 50mm, light purple (75A) in bud, opening inside light purple (75B), with some strong reddish purple (72B) dorsal spotting; outside light purple (75B), with white streaks (c10mm wide) on midribs; the petaloid stamens are often longitudinally split and some corolla lobes are partially split. Calyx c5mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 45 × 15mm, cuneate at base, acute at apex, flat, semi-glossy and strong yellow-green (144A) above, with sparse hairs above and below (hairs white at first, ageing to tan). Shrub 1.5 × 1.8m in 22 years. Early. (Published in *The Azalean* 20 (3): 50 (1998) under the unacceptable epithet 'Chessie's Lavender')

(a) **'Chessie's Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Elsie Lee', selfed H: S. McDonald (1976), G: S. McDonald (1980), N: S. McDonald, I: Le-Mac Azaleas, REG: S. McDonald (1999) Fls semi-double (only a few stamens present), 3/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 60mm, with 5 or more, strongly wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (68A) in bud, opening inside strong purplish pink (68B), with some moderate purplish red (70A) dorsal spots; outside moderate purplish pink (68C), with white stripes on midribs. Calyx 5mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 50 × 25mm, cuneate at base, acuminate at apex, flat, semi-glossy and strong yellow-green (143A) above, with sparse white hairs above and below. Shrub 1.1 × 1.2m in 22 years. Mid April. (Published in *Azaleas*, Galle (1987))

(a) **'Chessie's Purple'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Elsie Lee', selfed R: S. McDonald (pre 1987), N: S. McDonald Fls double, 40mm wide, light purple (darker than parent). Shrub 1.0 × 1.1m in 9 years. Midseason

(r) **'Chesterland'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Pot, REG: D.G. Leach (1964) Fls up to 12/truss, funnel-rotate, 90mm wide, 6-lobed, pale pink, with bold, strong yellow dorsal spotting. Lvs elliptic- oblanceolate, c145 × 70mm, glossy green and with faint white stippling above. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years

(a) **'Chetco'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Hugh Wormald' × 'Marion Merriman' R: H.J. Slonecker, N: H.J. Slonecker, REG: H.J. Slonecker (1963) Fls 90mm wide, vivid yellow (13A), with a vivid orange-yellow (23A) blotch; outside of the tube strong reddish orange (42B)

(a) **'Cheulah'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *cumberlandense* (s) × *cumberlandense* R: O. Holmsomback (pre 1985), N: O. Holmsomback Fls 40mm wide, vivid red (52A), with an orange blotch. Late

(a) **'Chevalier A. de Réali'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 40mm wide, light yellow, quickly fading to off-white, with orange spots. Mollis

(r) **'Chevalier Félix de Sauvage'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* × un-named Hardy Hybrid R: C. Sauvage, N: C. Sauvage, I: C. Sauvage (c1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 17-28/compact, broadly rounded truss, funnel-shaped or narrowly campanulate, 50 × 40-60mm, with wavy-edged lobes, deep rose pink, with conspicuous dorsal ray of black markings. Lvs elliptic, 90-130 × 45-50mm, dark green. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Early-mid May.

(a) **'Chevalier J.J. Glatt'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: G. van Noordt (pre 1896), N: G. van Noordt, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lake, spotted purple. Mollis (Spelling requires confirmation:"Glott" used by J.Veitch c1909, "Glath" in a Boskoop list of 1896)

(a) **'Chevy Chase'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt, I: E.A. Merritt (c 1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, rose pink. Kurume

(r) **'Cheyenne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Jalisco Group × Loderi Group R: H.E. Greer, N: H.E. Greer, I: H.E. Greer, REG: H.E. Greer (1963) Fls 8-9/open truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 100mm, 7-lobed, yellow (3Y 8.5/9) with slight orange-brown marking in the throat (2.5YR 4/7). Lvs oblong, 125 × 50mm. Very compact shrub, up to c1.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Chianoides'** (Syn. of 'Chionoides')

(r) **'Chianti'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *auriculatum* × *sanguineum* subsp. *didymum* I: Sunningdale Nurseries (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep raspberry crimson

(a) **'Chiara'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Pink Dawn' (s) × 'Boudoir' H: P.E. Girard (1971), G: P.E. Girard, N: P.E. Girard, I: P.E. Girard, REG: P.E. Girard (1983) Fls hose-in-hose, 3-4/truss, 40 × 65mm, open funnel-shaped, 5+5-lobed, strong red (50A) in bud, opening vivid purplish red (57C), with a dorsal blotch of vivid reddish orange (44C) in throat; stamens 10-12. Calyx 7mm long, strong yellow-green (144A). Lvs elliptic, 30 × 17mm, moderate yellowish green (139B), sparsely setose above & below, especially along veins. Shrub c0.4m in 4 years. Syn: 'Girard's Chiara'

(a) **'Chibi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: a Satsuki azalea, open-pollinated G: Higashi Nursery (1988), N: Higashi Nursery (1996), I: Higashi Nursery (1994), REG: Higashi Nursery (1996) Fls 2-3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 30 × 30mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, purple in bud, opening strong reddish purple (78B) inside with a darker blotch on the three dosal lobes. Calyx 6mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 22 × 10mm, margins upcurved, cuneate at base, broadly acute at apex, dull dark green above, hairy. Shrub 0.45 × 0.6m in 5 years. Mid April. (Seed from Hiroshima, Japan (1985))

(a) **'Chicago'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1893), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, carmine rose, with pure white edges. Indian

(a) **'Chicago'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: Gebr Kersbergen (1918), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, light reddish orange. Mollis

(a) **'Chichibu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *eriocarpum* (s) × garden form of *kaempferi* (or *simsii*) I: K. Wada (pre 1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, occasionally variegated purple, with wavy-edged lobes. Compact dwarf shrub. Syn: 'Prince Chichibu'. Wada

(a) **'Chickadee'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: H.W. Motzkau, N: Yoder Bros (pre 1987), I: Yoder Bros (pre 1987) Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, with wavy-edged lobes, moderate pink, with a paler throat

(r) **'Chickadee'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Chickadee')

(r) **'Chickamauga'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Shah Jehan' H: C.P. Fawcett, I: Sweetbriar Nursery (1985) Fls rose pink in bud, opening white inside with a gold eye, outside light pink. Compact shrub, 0.9m in 10 years

(a) **'Chickasaw'** cv. Deciduous azalea: wild-collected natural hybrid believed to be *periclymenoides* × *calendulaceum* S: L.C. Towe (1984), N: L.C. Towe, I: The Cummins Garden (1988), REG: L.C. Towe (1990) Fls single, 5-7/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 38 × 51mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, strong pink (52D), flushed light yellow (10C), with strong reddish orange (32B) tips, all overlaid with strong red (41B) veins; slightly scented. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 64 × 44mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull, hairy, wrinkled and light green above. Shrub 3.0 × 1.8m in 12 years. Late April-early May. (Published in The Cummins Garden cat., 1988)

(a) **'Chico'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1966) (Listed as a parent of 'Copper Queen')

(a) **'Chidori'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 75-90mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, deep pink, with a paler central star and broad, vivid reddish purple margins. Satsuki

(r) **'Chidori'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* N: C. Ingram, I: C. Ingram (1977), REG: C. Ingram (1977) Fls 2-4/truss, funnel-shaped, 14 × 20mm, white. Lvs elliptic-ovate, up to 29 × 19mm. AM 1977

(r) **'Chief'** (See 'The Chief')

(r) **'Chief Francesca'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Noyo Chief' (s) × 'Francesca' H: P. Smith (1979), G: P. Smith (1984), N: P. Smith (1988), REG: P. Smith (2002) Fls 21-28/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53B) in bud, opening inside strong red (53C) with a small white flare and spotted with red on the dorsal lobe; outside strong red (53C); stamens white; style white, stigma dark red. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs oblong, 125 × 50mm, margins downcurved, broadly acute at apex, cordate at base, glossy and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 12 years. March-April

(r) **'Chief Joseph'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* seedling × Rubina Group × Fabia Group H: J.A. Witt, G: University of Washington Arboretum, REG: University of Washington Arboretum (1969) Fls 40 × 55mm, open funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, strong purplish red to deep purplish pink (54A-B) on outside, light yellowish pink (36A) inside, with pale orange-brown flecks. Lvs elliptic, up to 100mm long, dark green. Shrub 0.4 × 1.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Chief Kitsap'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Diane' (s) × *calophytum* H: B. Nelson (1967), G: A.P. Johnson (1977), N: A.P. Johnson, REG: A.P. Johnson (1987) Fls 15/domed truss, open campanulate, 64 × 89mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale greenish yellow (2D), with a deep red blotch (53A) at base of dorsal lobe; moderately scented. Calyx 3mm long, green, edged red. Lvs lanceolate, 152 × 64-70mm, convex, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, upper surface dull, moderate yellow-green (137C) with impressed veins, lower surface moderate olive green (147A); very slight brownish tan indumentum on young foliage. Shrub 2.4 × 1.1m in 20 years. Late April

(r) **'Chief Pat Kanim'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.A. Ragan (1974), G: W.A. & J.E. Ragan (1983), N: W.A. & J.E. Ragan, REG: W.A. & J.E. Ragan (1990) Fls 15/ball truss, open campanulate, 70 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, very pale purple (75D) at edges, shading to white in centre; dorsal lobe has numerous, well-defined, strong purplish red (61B) spots and there is a 61B blotch (c20mm long) in the throat; outside 75D. Lvs elliptic, 200 × 57mm, convex, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dark green, hairless. Shrub 2.4 × 2.4m in 15 years. Early March-early April

(r) **'Chief Paulina'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *concinnum* Pseudoyanthinum Group R: D.W. James, N: D.W. James, I: D.W. James (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3-6/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, strong purplish red, spotted dark brown. Lvs elliptic, olive green. Shrub c1.5m in 10 years. Syn: 'James' Purple Form'

(r) **'Chief's Daughter'** cv. Parentage unknown H: W.E. Stokes (pre 1969)

(r) **'Chief Sealth'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *calophytum* × Sarita Loder Group (s) × *macabeanum* H: Mrs E.M. Watson (1969), G: Mrs E.M. Watson (1978), N:

Mrs E.M. Watson, REG: Mrs E.M. Watson (1998) Fls 20/ball to flat truss, open campanulate, 70×75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (62C) in bud, opening 62C and fading to white, with deep purple (79A) flares in the throat (c20mm long on dorsal lobe, 5-10mm long on other lobes), the flares showing through on outside; stigma strong purplish red (54A). Calyx c1.5mm long, brilliant yellow-green (150B). Lvs elliptic, 305 × 115mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) and hairless above, with a felted indumentum below (hairs pale yellow (160D) throughout). Shrub 1.5 × 1.8m in 10 years. Late February

(a) **'Chieftain'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Standishii' × a late Ghent hybrid R: G.H. White (pre 1936), N: G.H. White, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls uniform deep salmon buff (strong reddish orange (31B)), with a deep buff orange blotch. Young growth rich bronze; good autumn colour. Late. Ghent

(a) **'Chief Yonaguska'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *cumberlandense* × un-named seedling R: O. Holmsomback (pre 1985), N: O. Holmsomback Fls 40mm wide, vivid red (52A), with an orange blotch. Late

(r) **'Chiffchaff'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *hanceanum* Nanum Group × *fletcherianum* H: P.A. Cox (1964), G: P.A. Cox (1969), N: P.A. Cox, I: P.A. Cox (1975), REG: P.A. Cox (1976) Fls 5-6/loose truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 28-30 × 30-40mm, 5-6-lobed, light greenish yellow (3C). Calyx 7mm long, green to greenish yellow, scaly, ciliate. Lvs elliptic, 40 × 20mm, dark green, sparsely scaly below. Shrub 0.5-0.6m, with red winter foliage. AM 1976

(a) **'Chiffon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Helen Close' × 'Purple Splendor' R: W.L. Guttormsen (pre 1966), N: W.L. Guttormsen Fls hose-in-hose, 2-3/truss, 50mm wide, strong reddish purple (2.5RP 5/10). Lvs up to 40 × 20mm. Shrub to 0.4m

(r) **'Chiffon'** cv. Parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney (pre 1968), G: W.E. Whitney (1974), N: G. & Mrs A. Sather, I: G. & Mrs A. Sather, REG: G. & Mrs A. Sather (1976) Fls 8/flat truss, saucer-shaped, 65 × 65mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (51A) in bud, opening strong pink (54C) and moderate purplish pink (54D) with slight red spotting. Calyx minute. Lvs broadly elliptic, 45-75 × 20-50mm, moderate olive green (146A), hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m in 7-10 years. Mid April

(v) **'Chiffon Halo'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *auriger-anum* × 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' × *leucogigas* R: ? New Zealand (pre 1999), N: ? New Zealand Fls bright pink, with a cream throat (like 'Doctor Herman Sleumer').

(a) **'Chigo-no-mai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear rose pink, paler at centre, and with bright chestnut red spotting. Kurume (In Japan the cultivar is not treated as a Kurume but a selection from Obtusum Group)

(a) **'Chigo-sugata'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hogetsu' × 'Taihei' R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, with rounded, wavy-edged and overlapping lobes, white in centre, with a broad, deep pink border. Midseason. Satsuki

(r) **'Chikor'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *rupicola* var. *chryseum* × *ludlowii* R: E.H.M. & P.A. Cox, N: E.H.M. & P.A. Cox (1962), REG: E.H.M. & P.A. Cox 1963 Fls 3-6/truss, saucer-shaped, 25 × 30mm, pale greenish yellow (1D), with faint, deep yellow, dorsal spots. Lvs broadly elliptic, 17 × 10mm, dark glossy green. Shrub 0.3m. AM 1962, *FCC 1968

(a) **'Chikushi-shibori'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with indigo purple spots. Satsuki (May be an error for 'Tsukushi-shibori')

(a) **'Chikyuho'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Yata-no-kagami' × 'Yushigure' R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, irregularly double (very variable), white in centre, shading out to vivid yellowish pink on margins. Midseason. Satsuki

(a) **'Chikyu-nishiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Taihei' × unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan (pre 1979) Fls 65-75mm wide, with rounded, wavy-edged lobes, white, with a pale green centre, or with stripes and sections of pale to moderate pink; some pale or moderate pinkselfs. Satsuki

(a) **'Chikyu-no-haru'** (Parent of 'Ann Lee McPhail'; perhaps an error for 'Chiyo-no-haru')

(r) **'Childe Harold'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rose, with a white throat.

(r) **'Childers' Indian Summer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Warm Spring' × 'Yellow Creek' H: A.A. Childers (c 1962), G: A.A. Childers, N: A.A. Childers, I: Bovees Nursery, REG: A.A. Childers (1988) Fls 9-11/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 76mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, between brilliant yellow (15C) and light yellow (15D). Calyx 5-13mm long, light yellow (15D). Lvs oblong to elliptic, 165-178 × 64-76mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, hairless and moderate yellow-green (137C) above, moderate yellow-green (139C/D) below. Shrub 2.4×2.4m in 19 years. Mid May.

(r) **'Chimaera'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: a chimaera involving 'Cunningham's White' and 'Madame Linden' G: Dresden Botanic Garden (pre 1913), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft lilac rose, with pale red dorsal markings. Lvs often with sinuate margins. (See *Die Gartenwelt* 1913, 5 July, p 366)

(a) **'Chimes'** (Syn. of 'Adventglöckchen')

(a) **'Chimes'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown G: Bovees Nursery, N: Bovees Nursery (1961), I: Bovees Nursery, REG: Bovees Nursery (1962) Fls 75mm wide, strong pink (49A), with a deep pink stripe (52C) down the back of each lobe. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. (Grown from imported Knap Hill Nursery seed)

(a) **'Chimes Tetra'** cv. Evergreen azalea: colchicine-induced tetraploid from 'Adventglöckchen' ('Chimes') R: USDA (pre 1975) Fls larger and longer-lasting

(a) **'China'** (Syn. of 'Doctor E.A. Merritt')

(r) **'China'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wightii* (s) × *fortunei* R: W.C. Slocock Ltd, S: W.C. Slocock Ltd (1936), N: W.C. Slocock Ltd, I: W.C. Slocock Ltd (1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12-17/domed, compact truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 60-65 × 75-90mm, with wavy-edged lobes, creamywhite, with a small, basal, rosy carmine blotch. Lvs narrowly ovate, up to 115 × 50mm, dark green, hairless. Shrub eventually to 2.8m or more tall. *AM 1948, AM 1940, *FCC 1982 (China Group)

(r) **China Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *wightii* (s) × *fortunei* R: W.C. Slocock Ltd (c 1936), N: W.C. Slocock Ltd, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'China 'A''** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wightii* (s) × *fortunei* R: W.C. Slocock Ltd, S: W.C. Slocock Ltd (1946), N: W.C. Slocock Ltd, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale yellow. (China Group)

(r) **'China Boy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *haematodes* × red *catawbiense* hybrid R: W. Arends, N: W. Arends, I: G.D. Böhlje Nursery (1959), REG: Böhlje Nursery (1963) Fls 10-15/truss, red (tinged with blue), with reddish orange markings. Calyx small, red. Lvs with a slight, brown indumentum below. Shrub up to 2.0m

(r) **'China Clipper'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Skipper' × China Group H: G.W. Clarke, G: G.W. Clarke, N: Mrs M. Clarke, I: George W. Clarke Nursery (c 1980), REG: Mrs M. Clarke (1990) Fls 8/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 89mm, with 7 smooth to wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (60B) in bud, opening pale greenish yellow (160C) with a deep purplish red (59B) throat. Calyx 6mmlong, pink. Lvs elliptic, 140-152 × 51mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, with wavy margins, glossy green above, hairless; petiole noticeably hairy. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 10 years. April

(r) **'China Doll'** (Syn. of 'Clarke's China Doll')

(r) **'China Doll'** (Syn. of 'Senator Henry Jackson')

(r) **'China Doll'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: China Group, selfed L: Australia (1990) Fls warm yellow. (Possibly raised by A.J.Teese)

(a) **'China Girl'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt, I: E.A. Merritt (c 1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50mm wide, deep yellowish pink (43C). Kurume

(r) **'China Moon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: China Group × Moonstone Group R: J. Eichelser (pre 1982), N: J. Eichelser Fls light lemon yellow, unspotted. Lvs rounded, moss green. Neat and compact shrub, 1.0m tall in 10 years

(v) **'China Sea'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *longiflorum* I: J. Swisher (1980) Fls bright pink, with a long tube. (Collected in the wild from the shore of the South China Sea, Sarawak)

(a) **'China Seas'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: A. Pericat, N: Leach Nurseries, I: Leach Nurseries (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose pink, 30 × 50mm, with wavy-edged lobes; calyx and stamens partially petaloid. Pericat

(a) **'Chinchilla'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vida Brown' (s) × 'Vuyk's Scarlet' H: P.A. Cox (1979), G: P.A. Cox, N: P.A. Cox, I: Glendoick Gardens (1993), REG: Glendoick Gardens (1993) Fls solitary, funnel-shaped, 35 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (52A) self, with strong red (53C) spotting in the throat. Calyx 10mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic-lanceolate, up to 20 × 8mm, flat, acute at apex, acute at base, minutely hairy. Shrub 0.4 × 0.6m in 10 years. Late May-early June

(a) **'Chinei'** (Syn. of 'Chinyeyi')

(r) **'Chinese Blue'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *yungningense* × 'Bluebird' H: D.W. James, I: Bovees Nursery (pre 1982) Fls brighter blue than 'Bluebird', with long, red stamens. Lvs similar to 'Bluebird' but more convex. Compact shrub, 0.6m in 10 years

(a) **'Chinese Brocade'** (Syn. of 'Kara-nishiki')

(r) **'Chinese Lantern'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Captain Jack' × 'Tom Thumb' R: unknown (pre 1995)

(r) **'Chinese Pink'** cv. Parentage unknown I: P.D. Williams (1935), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Chinese Silver'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *argyrophyllum* subsp. *nankingense* R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1957), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1962) Fls 16/loose truss, campanulate, persian rose (628/3), with darker flushes chiefly on the lobes. Lvs elliptic, with a thin, felted indumentum below. AM 1957

(r) **'Chink'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *keiskei* × *trichocladum* H: Crown Estate Commissioners (1948), G: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners (1959), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1962) Fls 5/truss, drooping, flat-campanulate, light greenish yellow (1C), with some darker dorsal spots. Lvs 45 × 13mm, scaly below, with red winter colour. Shrub 0.5-0.6m. AM 1961

(a) **'Chinko-no-shikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls single, purple. Kurume (Almost certainly a mis-transliteration)

(r) **'Chinmar'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: China Group (s) × Margaret Findlay Group H: K.I. Sifferman (c 1960), G: K.I. Sifferman & B.Nelson, N: K.I. Sifferman & B.Nelson, I: B. Nelson (c 1960), REG:

D.K. McClure (1983) Fls 13/truss, open campanulate, 45 × 75mm, 6-lobed, light greenish yellow (3D), with red dorsal rays and spotting. Calyx minute. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 50mm, olive green; petiole maroon. Shrub c1.9m in 15 years

(a) **'Chi-no-ito'** (Syn. of 'Ima-zuma')

(a) **'Chinook'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably *kaempferi* (s) × 'Yayegiri' R: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable (1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls porcelain rose (620/2). Gable

(a) **'Chinpu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Kozan-no-hikari' L: Nuccio's Nurseries (1988) Fls with well spaced, long, narrow, pointed lobes, blush buff pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Chinrei'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 75-90mm wide, vivid purplish pink with darker margins, blushed white towards centre and with a reddish purple blotch. Satsuki

(a) **'Chinsai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Kotobuki' R: Japan (pre 1989), N: Japan Fls 40-50mm wide, with long, narrow lobes (variable), white, with strong and deep pink variegations and occasional pink selfs. Late. Syn: 'Hana-fubuki'. Satsuki (Perhaps correctly 'Chinzai')

(a) **'Chinsayi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Holly Heath Nursery (1978) Fls pink. Lvs small, shiny. Shrub of very compact habit. Indian (Perhaps an error for 'Chinsei')

(a) **'Chinsei'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 40-50mm wide, vivid purplish pink, with a darker blotch. Lvs small and narrow. Compact habit. Satsuki

(r) **'Chinta'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' (s) × 'Van Nes Sensation' H: M. Stockman (1990), G: M. & H. Stockman (1997), N: M. & H. Stockman (1998), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1998) Fls 10/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red and deep yellowish pink (46C-D) blending to light orange-yellow (22B) in bud, opening near white, tinged very pale pink, with a brilliant yellow (13C) centre; outside flushed with brilliant yellow (13C). Calyx c1.5mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 45mm, acute at apex, rounded at base, with slightly wavy margins, semi-glossy and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 8 years. Mid April

(r) **'Chintz'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (c 1931), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10-14/tall, closed truss, 80-100mm wide, pale rose, throat whitish rose; outside rose; strong, dark red markings on the dorsal lobe. Late May-early June

(a) **'Chinyeyi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Gumpo' R: Japan (pre 1972), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, with rounded, wavy-edged, overlapping lobes, white, dotted and flaked pink and with a slight green blotch. Syn: 'Chinei', 'Rare Treasure'. Satsuki

(a) **'Chinzan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Osakazuki' R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 40-50mm wide, with rounded lobes, pink, with a darker blotch. Lvs elliptic, 25mm long. Dwarf and compact. Popular for bonsai. Satsuki

(r) **'Chionoides'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *ponticum* hybrid R: J. Standish (pre 1867), N: J. Standish, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12-18/fairly compact, broadly rounded truss, 35-50mm wide, pure white, with a brilliant yellow (14C) dorsal blotch. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years, becoming much larger. Late May-mid June. Syn: 'Chianoides' (A. Verschaffelt, 1867 attributes it to Standish)

(r) **'Chipman's Yellow'** cv. Parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney (pre 1980)

(a) **'Chipmunk'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vida Brown' (s) × 'Lemur' H: P.A. Cox (1979), G: P.A. Cox, N: P.A. Cox, I: Glendoick Gardens (1993), REG: Glendoick Gardens (1993) Fls 2/truss, hose-in-hose, funnel-shaped, 35 × 50mm, 5+5-lobed, lobes wavy-edged, vivid red (52A) in bud and after flower opens, with strong red (53C) spots in the throat. Calyx as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 25 × 12mm, flat, glossy green above, rounded at base, more-or-less acute at apex, with very small, white hairs. Shrub 0.4 × 0.6m in 10 years. Early-mid June

(r) **'Chipper'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: (*smirnowii* × *yakushimanum*) × *aureum* (s) × 'Robert Weldon' H: W.E. Delp (1984), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 14/truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 70mm, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes, moderate and strong purplish red (64A-C) and pale purplish pink (62D) in bud, opening yellowish white (158D), with pale greenish yellow (2D) and moderate red (181A) in the throat; filaments and style yellowish white (158D); anthers moderate purplish pink (186D); stigma strong yellow-green (145A). Lvs 89 × 32mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, with brown hairs. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m in 8 years. Early June

(a) **'Chippewa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 65mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, rose madder (23/2), with a darker blotch. Shrub 0.5-0.6m. Indian

(r) **'Chiquita'** cv. 'Neala' (s) × 'Barbara Cook' H: C. Trautmann (pre 1996), G: C. Trautmann, N: C. Trautmann

(a) **'Chiri'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, crimson; a mixture of laciniate and normal 5-lobed forms. Satsuki

(r) **Chiron Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Barclayi Group (s) × *haematodes* H: Lord Aberconway (1937), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red

(a) **'Chitose-gawa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 40-50mm wide, with rounded, well-spaced lobes, white with deep purple stripes and spotting. Satsuki

(a) **'Chitose-nishiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 40-55mm wide, with rounded lobes, white, with reddish purple spots and marks; many variations to self colours. Midseason. Satsuki

(r) **'Chitwood'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' (s) × 'Van Nes Sensation' H: M. Stockman (1990), G: M. & H. Stockman (1997), N: M. & H. Stockman (1999), REG: M. & H. Stockman (2000) Fls 13-16/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 80mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, buds brilliant yellow (11A) at base, shading paler towards apex, opening inside white with a brilliant to light yellow (11A-B) centre and solid colour flares on two dorsal lobes; outside white, with a light yellow (11B) base. Calyx c5mm long, yellow. Lvs oblong, 120 × 45mm, broadly acute at apex, cordate at base, margins flat and downcurved, dull dark green above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 10 years. Early May

(r) **'Chivalry'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* subsp. *apodectum* (s) × *griersonianum* R: E.G.W.W. Harrison, N: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1960), I: E.G.W.W. Harrison, REG: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1962) Fls 8/truss, hose-in-hose, 55 × 75mm, orange salmon

(a) **'Chiyoda-nishiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65-75mm wide, white, with red mottled stripes and spots. Satsuki (Sometimes seen as 'Chiyodo-nishiki')

(a) **'Chiyo-no-akatsuki'** cv. Parentage unknown L: K. Wada (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink. Kurume

(a) **'Chiyo-no-akebono'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 25mm wide, strong purplish pink (55B). Kurume

(a) **'Chiyo-no-hagoromo'** (See note under 'Cho-no-hagoromo')

(a) **'Chiyo-no-hana'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Chiyo-no-tsuki' × 'Kozan' R: Japan (pre 1995), N: Japan

(a) **'Chiyo-no-haru'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Sakura-yama' R: Japan (pre 1959), N: Japan Fls 100mm wide, with often 6, overlapping lobes, white, with broad stripes, flakes and narrow lines of strong red to deep pink and with a red blotch. Satsuki

(a) **'Chiyo-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, slightly funnel-shaped, with long, narrow, well-spaced lobes, white, with light purplish pink stripes, or pink self, or white rimmed pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Chiyo-no-homare'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Tomaori-hime' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 75-100mm wide, with broad, rounded, notched lobes, white, with stripes of strong to vivid purplish pink; many variations to purplish pink self. Mid-late season. Satsuki

(a) **'Chiyo-no-mine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling of 'Yama-biko' R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 75mm wide, pale pink, with dots and sections of deep pink, the tube white at the base. Satsuki

(a) **'Chiyo-no-nishiki'** (Listed as a parent of 'Tsukuba-no-akebono'; perhaps a corruption of 'Chiyoda-nishiki')

(a) **'Chiyo-no-tsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Onyo' × 'Kikoshi' R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan Fls 40-50mm wide, with slightly pointed lobes, white, edged pink (and deep pink), very variable. Satsuki

(a) **'Chloe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *simsii* (s) × *mucronatum* R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 70-75mm wide, tending to hang down, brilliant red with an inconspicuous blotch of rose dots. Shrub up to 2.0-2.4m. Glenn Dale (The seed parent is given as 'Yeung Shaan Hung' in Miller & West, *The Bell Book* (1994))

(r) **'Chloe'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (c 1855), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson lake, spotted. Early June. Hardy Hybrid (Perhaps the 'Cloe' of J. Vervaene cat., 1889)

(r) **'Chloe'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Boddaertianum' × *faberi* R: E.J.P. Magor, N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1921), INC: ICRA (1958)

(v) **'Chlorinda'** (A mis-spelling of 'Clorinda')

(a) **'Chloris'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Felix & Dijkhuis (pre 1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink. Kurume

(r) **'Chlorops'** cv. Parentage uncertain, possibly *wardii* × *vernicosum* N: J.M. Cowan (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 6-8/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, c40mm long, cream to pale yellow, greenish at base and with a pale purple blotch and some purple spots. Lvs oblong to oblong-elliptic, 75-125xup to 75mm, dark green above, pale below. Shrub to 3.0m. May. (Raised from Forrest 16463 (the herbarium specimen of which is an *Acer* sp.). Only known in cultivation)

(a) **'Cho-cho-san'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c 1935), N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright pink. Kurume

(a) **'Chocolate Ice'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Donald Waterer' × 'Whitethroat' H: G.D. Waterer (1947), G: G.D. Waterer (1954), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1974) Fls double, pink in bud, openingwhite. Lvs tinted bronze. Knap Hill

(r) **'Chocolate Soldier'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sefton' × 'H.W. Sargent' H: P.D. Vossberg, G: P.D. Vossberg (pre 1962), N: P.D. Vossberg Fls red

(v) **'Choc Orange'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* × 'Sweet Wendy' H: G.L.S. Snell, G: G.L.S. Snell (1989), N: R. Macdonald, I: Foothills Nursery (1990),

REG: R. Macdonald (1990) Fls 7/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, 5-lobed, tube vivid yellow (17B), lobes vivid reddish orange (33B). Lvs elliptic, 70 × 50mm, hairless. Shrub 1.0m. Autumn

(a) **'Choei'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 90-100mm wide, with broad, overlapping lobes, white, with a prominent green blotch and occasional stripes and blushing of deep pink. Syn: 'Shichi-henge'. Satsuki

(a) **'Choeiraku'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Yata-no-kagami' × 'Seiun' R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 50mm wide, with rounded lobes, white, with a faint, pale yellow blotch and white stamens and pistil. Satsuki

(a) **'Choice Cream'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *austrinum* (s) × *atlanticum* H: F.C. Galle (1970), G: F.C. Galle (1975), N: F.C. Galle, REG: F.C. Galle (1986) Fls 12-20/truss, narrowly tubular funnel-shaped, 25 × 40mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds light orange-yellow (22B) with a touch of pink, opening light yellow (10B), fading to pale yellow (11C), outside of tube strong red (45D); dorsal lobe with a vivid yellow blotch (13A). Calyx 3mm long, yellow-green. Lvs near oblanceolate, 45-90 × 17-25mm, ciliate, hairy, yellowish in autumn. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years. Early April

(v) **'Choirs of Angels'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: (*konori* var. *phaeopeplum* × *lochiae*) × *leucogigas* (s) × *jasminiflorum* H: J.L. Rouse, G: D. Moodie (1987), N: D. Moodie (1992), I: Foothills Nursery, REG: Foothills Nursery (1993) Fls 33-100/truss, long tubular funnel-shaped, 45 × 30mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged and down-curved lobes, pale yellowish pink (36D) throughout, even in bud. Lvs elliptic 85 × 35mm, flat, matt green above, cuneate at base, acute at apex. Shrub 1.25m. Summer-autumn

(a) **'Choji'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red, clove-shaped, not opening until fallen. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Chojuho'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan Fls 25-40mm wide, with small, narrow, strap-like, reflexed lobes, deep red, changing to strong reddish orange to brownish orange, sometimes with large yellowish blotches; stamens and style greatly elongated; corollas persistent. Satsuki

(a) **'Choju-no-iwai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 75-100mm wide, with often 6, wavy-edged lobes, white, with many sections and flakes of deep pink; occasional reddish orange selfs. Satsuki

(a) **'Cho-juraku'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Chugai Nursery Co. (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 75-100mm wide, white, with pink to vivid red variegations; occasionally pale pink centre with reddish orange margins. Satsuki

(a) **'Cho-no-hagoromo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 65mm wide, white, with flecks and sections of yellowish pink and with a light green blotch. Satsuki (May correctly be 'Chiyo-no-hagoromo')

(r) **'Choo Choo Darling'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Mrs Horace Fogg' (s) × Fabia Group × *bureavii* H: Y. Workman (1987), G: Y. Workman (1991), N: Y. Workman (1994), I: Hammond Nursery (2001), REG: E.F. Newcomb (2002) Fls 12-15/open-topped domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (58C) in bud, opening inside pale yellow (18D) tinged light purplish pink (65B) at centre of margin of each lobe, and with vivid red (52A) speckles on the 3 dorsal lobes; outside with wide stripes of strong purplish red (58C) down centre of each lobe, and pale yellow (18D) extending half way down corolla between lobes. Calyx 4-lobed, lobes c13-40mm long, pale yellow (18D), lightly speckled strong yellowish pink (40D). Lvs elliptic, 90-150 × 35-65mm, margins downcurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate to rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (146A) above, with light greyish olive (195A) tomentum above and pale yellow-green, plastered hairs below when young, at maturity with moderate yellow (163C), plastered hairs below. Shrub 1.1 × 1.4m in 13 years. Early May

(a) **'Chopin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Schubert' (s) × unnamed seedling R: Vuyk van Nes, I: Vuyk van Nes (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65mm wide, with wavy-edged petals, glowing deep china rose (024/1), with a dark blotch. Syn: 'Mrs Vuyk van Nes'. Vuykiana

(a) **'Choptank River Belle'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *atlanticum* × *periclymenoides* S: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls flushed pink; scented. Late May. (Choptank River Hybrid)

(a) **'Choptank River Doll'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *atlanticum* × *periclymenoides* R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1987), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls light yellow, with a reddish tube and deeper yellow flare; scented. (Choptank River Hybrid)

(a) **'Choptank River Dutchess'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *atlanticum* × *periclymenoides* R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1987), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls in tight trusses, deep pink in bud, opening white inside and deep pink on outside; strongly scented. (Choptank River Hybrid)

(a) **Choptank River Hybrids** gp Deciduous azalea: *atlanticum* × *periclymenoides* (Parent plant collected in wild in 1957 by Mrs J.W. Hill from near Dover, Delaware, USA, at the headwater of the Choptank River)

(a) **'Choptank River Queen'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *atlanticum* × *periclymenoides* R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1987), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls in tight trusses, striped pink in bud, opening white, with pink tips; scented. (Choptank River Hybrid)

(a) **'Choptank River Traveller'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *atlanticum* × *periclymenoides* N: Crown Estate Commissioners (1989), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1989) Fls up to 12/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, up to 40 × 30mm, white, with corolla tube strong purplish red (54A). Calyx up to 2mm long, green. Calyx and corolla densely glandular hairy. Shrub 0.05 × 1.0m. May. AM 1989 (Choptank River Hybrid)

(a) **'Choraku'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with a long tube, 30mm wide, strong purplish pink (55B), greenish white in the throat. Kurume (May not have been correctly transliterated)

(r) **'Choremia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *haematodes* (s) × *arboreum* H: Lord Aberconway (1927), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson scarlet. AM 1933, FCC 1948 (Choremia Group)

(r) **Choremia Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *haematodes* (s) × *arboreum* H: Lord Aberconway (1927), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1933), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Choremia Tower Court'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *haematodes* × *arboreum* L: UK (1985) Fls campanulate, crimson scarlet. (Choremia Group, presumably raised at Tower Court)

(a) **'Chorister'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1959), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1961) Fls double, pale cream. Lvs bronze-tinted. Knap Hill

(r) **'Chorus Line'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lem's Cameo' (s) × 'Pink Petticoats' H: J.G. Lofthouse (1982), G: J.G. Lofthouse (1989), N: J.G. Lofthouse, I: J.G. Lofthouse (1989), REG: J.G. Lofthouse (1990) Fls 20/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 76-89mm, with 5 wavy or very wavy-edged lobes, bright red in bud, opening with outside of corolla deep purplish pink (58D) with radial streaks of strong purplish red (58C), inside with 5mm margin of strong purplish red (58C) changing abruptly to pale purplish pink (62D) centre and with a light yellow-orange flare on dorsal lobe; highly scented. Calyx 13mm long, white. Lvs elliptic, 127-152 × 51mm, convex, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, deep green above, hairless. Shrub 0.5 × 0.5m in 8 years. Late April-early May. (Published in Lofthouse cat., 1989)

(a) **'Chosen-shiki'** (Syn. of 'Shiki-murasaki')

(r) **'Chough'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* 'Ellestee' × 'Carolyn Hardy' H: C. Ingram, G: C. Ingram, I: C. Ingram, REG: G.A. Hardy (1982) Fls 10-12/truss, 5-lobed, pale greenish yellow (1D), darkening in throat to light greenish yellow (1C) and with a dark red (59A) dorsal blotch. Calyx lobes up to 5mm long, green. Lvs elliptic to broadly elliptic, up to 120 × 65mm. AM 1981

(a) **'Choyo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c60mm wide, white, marked with clear-cut crimson streaks. Satsuki

(a) **'Choyo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from Obtusum Group R: Japan (pre 1995), N: Japan

(a) **'Choyo-no-hagoromo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1989), N: Japan. Satsuki (Perhaps an error for 'Chiyo-no-hagoromo')

(a) **'Choyou'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1960), N: Japan Fls rather tubular, pink. Late. Satsuki (Possibly a *nakaharae* hybrid and, if so, cannot be a Satsuki)

(a) **'Chris'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Hershey's Azalea Farm (pre 1987), N: Hershey's Azalea Farm Fls purplish pink

(r) **'Chris'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kettledrum' (s) × *wardii* H: W.M. Fetterhoff (1962), G: W.M. Fetterhoff, N: W.M. Fetterhoff, I: W.M. Fetterhoff (1976), REG: W.M. Fetterhoff (1981) Fls 13-15/slightly lax, domed truss, open funnel-shaped, c50 × 75mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (60B) in bud, opening moderate purplish pink (62B) in throat, shading to pale yellow-green (4D) on lobe edges and with a blotch of moderate red (180C) spots on lower part of dorsal lobe area; colours fade to pale yellow-green (4D) with strong greenish yellow (151B) spotting. Lvs elliptic/lanceolate, 120 × 50mm, flat, more-or-less acute at apex, rounded to slightly oblique at base, glossy. Shrub 1.2 × 1.1m in 10 years. Late May

(r) **'Chris Bagley'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1998)

(r) **'Chris Cross'** (Syn. of 'Crisscross')

(r) **'Chrissie'** cv. Parentage unknown I: T. McMeekin (1895), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Christabel Tomes'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tacoma' (s) × pink Loderi Group seedling R: W.E. Glennie, N: W.E. Glennie, REG: W.E. Glennie (1984) Fls pale cream, marked pink. Lvs hairless. Growth similar to 'Tacoma', but more erect

(r) **'Christa Reich'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *keiskei* 'Yaku Fairy' (s) × *racemosum* H: W. Reich (1979), G: W. Reich (1984), N: W. Reich (1986), I: W. Reich (1986), REG: W. Reich (1994) Fls up to 23/flat ball truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 23-26 × 27-32mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, opening pale yellow-green (4D), with margins and midribs on outside strong reddish purple/deep purplish pink (72C/D) and thus appearing light pink, fading to pale yellow-green/yellowish white 155A/156D); stamens 10, straight, uneven; style whitish, stigma purplish grey. Calyx 2.5mm long, yellowish grey-green. Pedicels 10-13mm long, yellowish green, tinged reddish towards apex. Lvs 9-31 × 6.5 × 17mm, ovate, dull moderate olive green/moderate yellow green (147A/B) above, convex, scaly; petioles 15-55mm long, pale yellow (160D), overlaid moderate red

(182A) on upper side. Shrub 0.75 × 1.0m in 14 years. Late April-early May. (Published in Reich's mail order list, 1986/1987)

(r) **'Christian'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose, with a reddish blotch

(a) **'Christian Bowman'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith Fls pale purplish pink, with a faint, darker blotch. Shrub 1.0m in 7 years

(r) **'Christiane'** (Syn. of 'Bruns Gloria')

(r) **'Christiane Herzog'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *insigne* (s) × 'Blue Ensign' H: W. Bruns (1970), G: J. Bruns Nursery (1978), N: J. Bruns Nursery (1997), I: J. Bruns Nursery (1997), REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1998) Fls 12-15/compact, rounded truss, open funnel-shaped, 45-50 × 55-75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, dark purple violet in bud, opening light purple lilac inside; outside reddish purple, becoming purple violet towards margins; strong black markings on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 1-3mm long, pale green. Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 70-135 × 20-45mm, margins flat to slightly decurved, narrowed at apex, acute at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.6m in 10 years. Late May-early June. Syn: 'Indigo' (Published by Schmalscheidt in *Rhododendron- und Azaleenzüchtung in Deutschland*, part 2 , second edn (1991))

(r) **'Christian Schickler'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alstroemerioides' hybrid R: J.B. Müller (c 1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red, finely spotted

(r) **'Christian Schröder'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Genoveva' (s) × 'Hassan' R: T.J.H. Seidel (c 1938), N: T.J.H. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple, with dark red spots.

(a) **'Christie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Louise Gable' × 'Tama-giku' × 'Heiwa' H: R.D. Gartrell (1960), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, REG: D.H. Voss (1991) Fls single, 1/bud, broadly funnel-shaped, 38 × 75mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (55C) to pale purplish pink (55D), sometimes shading to nearly white in throat. Calyx 10mm long, light yellow-green (145C). Lvs elliptic to narrowly obovate, 37 × 18mm. Low, dense, mounded shrub. Late May

(r) **'Christie-Anne Behring'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cheer' × 'Disca' H: R. Behring (1981), G: R. Behring (1988), N: R. Behring, REG: R. Behring (1989) Fls 19/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, lobed almost to base, 57 × 64mm, the 5 lobes smooth-edged, buds moderate purplish pink (65A), opening white, suffused very pale pink, fading to white; dorsal lobe retains strong purplish red (54A) marking in throat and discontinuous narrow streaks of 54A extending out c40mm from base; moderately scented. Calyx very small, green. Lvs elliptic, 114 × 44mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 0.5 × 0.9m, of creeping habit. Mid May

(r) **'Christie Ess'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Evening Glow' (s) × 'Purple Splendour' H: M. Stockman (1972), G: M. & H. Stockman (1980), N: M. & H. Stockman, I: Greer Gardens (1988), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1992) Fls 12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 76mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53D) in bud, opening light purple (75B) at edges and shading through very light purple (75C) to nearly white at centre of each lobe; throat light yellow (160B) and a large, vivid red (45C) blotch with superimposed spotting of vivid red (45A) to black on dorsal lobe and part of adjacent lobes; stamens 10, slightly curved, unequal. Calyx 3mm long, dark red. Pedicels 32mm long, dark red. Lvs elliptic, 114 × 41mm, flat, mucronate at apex, rounded at base, bullate and glossy dark green above, hairless; petioles 13mm long, light green. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 20 years. Mid May. Syn: 'Christie S' (Published in *Greer's Guidebook to Available Rhododendrons* (1988), as 'Christie S')

(r) **'Christie S'** (Syn. of 'Christie Ess')

(a) **'Christie's Favorite'** cv. Deciduous azalea: seedling from open-pollinated *occidentale* G: H. Vaartnou (1969), S: H. Vaartnou (1965), N: H. Vaartnou, REG: H. Vaartnou (1989) Fls single, 10/flattruss, tubular funnel-shaped, 64 × 89mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, striped moderate pink (49B) to pale pink (49D), with an orange dorsal lobe; highly scented. Calyx 6mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 76 × 25mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green and hairless above. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 24 years. May

(a) **'Christina'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Florida' (s) × 'Louise Gable' R: Vuyk van Nes, N: Vuyk van Nes, REG: Vuyk van Nes (1968) Fls hose-in-hose, sometimes double, deep carmine rose (23/1). Vuykiana

(a) **'Christina'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Carmen' I: A. Truffaut (1972) Fls pink, edged white. Otherwise similar to 'Carmen'. Indian

(a) **'Christina'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Leuchtfeuer' × 'Schnee' R: R. Mayer (c 1977), N: R. Mayer Fls semi-double, deep to strong purplish pink (67C-D). Calyx normal, green. Midseason. Indian

(r) **'Christina Delp'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' ("green-eyed form") × 'Mrs W.C. Slocock' H: W.E. Delp (1960), G: W.E. Delp (1965), N: W.E. Delp, I: W.E. Delp (1986), REG: W.E. Delp (1990) Fls 14-16/rounded truss, 50 × 65mm, 5-lobed, strong reddish purple (70B) to deep purplish pink (70C) in bud, opening to 70B-D, with a brilliant yellow (20A) dorsal blotch; filaments and style greenish white (155C), anthers strong purple (84A), stigma dark red. Calyx minute. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 65mm, hairless. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Midseason

(a) **'Christina Marie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: P.E. Girard (pre 1987), N: P.E. Girard Fls 65mm wide, with moderately wavy-edged lobes, pink. Tall shrub

(a) **'Christine Ann'** cv. Evergreen azalea: unknown Gable Hybrid × *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* R: P.E. Girard, N: P.E. Girard, I: P.E. Girard (c 1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50mm wide, with very wavy-edged lobes, appleblossom pink. Low, dense habit. Gable (Previous listing as 'Christine Ana' is believed to be an error)

(r) **'Christine Denz'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *maddenii* (s) × 'Sirius' H: F.M. Jury, G: F.M. Jury, I: F.M. Jury, REG: F.M. Jury (1982) Fls 5-6/truss, 70 × 80mm, 5-lobed, carmine rose (621/3) in bud, opening naples yellow (403/3) and flushed pink, throat bright yellow. Calyx green. Lvs elliptic, 90 × 35mm, with a brown, scaly indumentum

(r) **'Christine Hillberg'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Lionel's Triumph Group × 'Crest' H: Harkwood Acres (1978), G: Harkwood Acres (1986), N: F.J. Hillberg (1986), REG: F.J. Hillberg (1986) Fls 11/truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 80mm, 7-lobed, lemon yellow. Calyx 5mm long, light green. Lvs oblanceolate, c130 × 40mm, hairless. Shrub up to 4.0-5.0m. May-June

(r) **'Christine Jennings'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Fawn' (s) × Repose Group H: G. Arblaster (c 1984), G: G. Arblaster (1990), N: Mrs J. Arblaster (2002), REG: Mrs J. Arblaster (2002) Fls 12-14/flat truss (2 neat rings of fls one above the other), funnel-campanulate, 100mm wide, with 6-7 slightly waved lobes (dorsal lobe recurving), buds white suffused light purple (75B), opening inside white, lobe edges suffused light purple (75B); outside white, edges and midveins suffused light purple (75B), more so on dorsal lobe; 3 dorsal lobes heavily spotted dark greenish yellow (152C) with some spotting outside the greenish yellow being strong red (46A); stamens hardly developed; style very pale with a pinkish red stigma. Calyx 5mm long, strong yellow-green (144A), overlaid red. Lvs broadly elliptic to oblong, 170 × 50mm, acute at apex, truncate at base, hairless. Shrub 3.0 × 1.0m in 12 years. June. (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0034910). Etymology: named for a member of the registrant's family)

(a) **'Christine Matton'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *simsii* H: J. van der Haegen (pre 1989), G: Hortibreed N.V., N: Hortibreed N.V., I: Hortibreed N.V., REG: Hortibreed N.V. (1999) Fls double, 2-3/truss, with narrowly wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (48D) in bud and throughout when open. Normal calyx present. Lvs elliptic to obovate, 50 × 15mm, glossy green above. (Published in *Official Gazette of the Community Plant Variety Office* 4: 45 (1999))

(a) **'Christmas Cheer'** (Syn. of 'Ima-shojo')

(a) **'Christmas Cheer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1908), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pale rose. Indian

(r) **'Christmas Cheer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* hybrid L: T. Methven & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink in bud, opening white flushed pink. Used for forcing in France in early 1900s (Revue Horticole 1902 p.84-5). AM 1990 (More than one clone may be involved; see Bean, 1976 p.843 and the note in this Register under 'Silberaad's Early Pink')

(a) **'Christmas Joy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: S.R. Smith (pre 1985), N: S.R. Smith Fls double, vivid red. Indian

(v) **'Christmas Past'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lochiae* × *pseudonitens* R: unknown, N: R. Macdonald, I: Foothills Nursery (1990), REG: Foothills Nursery (1991) Fls 5-9/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 25mm, 5-lobed, vivid reddish orange (43A). Lvs orbicular, 55 × 35mm. Shrub 1.0 × 1.2m. Spring-autumn

(a) **'Christmas Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Ballerina' L: Camellia Grove Nursery (1954) Fls semi-double, pale mauve pink. Shrub to 0.5m. Indian (Parentage uncertain: said by some to be a synonym of 'Charme de Noël')

(v) **'Christmas Present'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lochiae* × *brookeanum* subsp. *gracile* R: unknown, N: R. Macdonald, I: Foothills Nursery (1990), REG: Foothills Nursery (1991) Fls 4-6/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 50mm, 5-lobed, vivid reddish orange (43B). Lvs elliptic, 130 × 40mm. Shrub 1.0 × 1.2m. Spring-autumn

(a) **'Christmas Red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Bobbink & Atkins, N: Bobbink & Atkins, I: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single (occasionally semi-double), 55mm wide, strong purplish red (63A), with a dark blotch. Indian

(a) **'Christmas Rose'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink. Syn: 'Xmas Rose'. Kurume (Monrovia Nursery's 'Christmas Rose' (large, deep pink double) may be the same plant)

(a) **'Christmas Spirit'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Bobbink & Atkins, N: Bobbink & Atkins, I: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, bright crimson. Indian

(a) **'Christmas Star'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c 1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, deep red. Indian

(v) **'Christopher Borch'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* × *jasminiflorum* H: T. Lelliott (1975), G: T. Lelliott (1985), N: Mrs H. Crouch, I: Mrs H. Crouch (1990), REG: Mrs H. Crouch (1991) Fls 9/truss, long tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 40mm, 5-lobed, yellowish white (158D). Lvs obovate, 90 × 40mm. Shrub 1.0. Spring-autumn

(v) **'Christopher John'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *konori* var. *phaeopeplum* × *zoelleri* 'Island Sunset' H: J.L. Rouse (1980), G: B. Clancy (1987), N: B. Clancy (1992), REG: B. Clancy (1993) Fls 4-6/loose truss,

tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, 5-7-lobed, lobes flat but decurved, inside deep pink (52B) shading to pale orange-yellow (16D); outside pale orange-yellow (16D); slightly scented. Lvs broadly elliptic, 110 × 55mm, flat, matt green above, cuneate at base, acute to apiculate at apex. Shrub 0.7 × 0.5m in 5 years. Spring/autumn

(a) **'Christopher John Jordan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Rosa Belton' × *oldhamii* (s) × 'Rosa Belton' × *oldhamii* H: E.W. Jordan (1993), G: E.W. Jordan (1996), N: E.W. Jordan (1997), REG: E.W. Jordan (1997) Fls 3-4/flat truss, hose-in-hose, campanulate, 50 × 90mm, with 5+5 wavy-edged lobes, light purple throughout, with rose spots on the dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 70 × 18mm, flat, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, matt green above, ciliate. Shrub 0.6 × 0.3m in 3 years. Spring

(r) **'Christopher Tee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' × Sir Frederick Moore Group H: T.L. Ring (pre 1992), I: Mowbray Gardens Fls white, with a dark purple flare changing to green

(a) **'Christopher Wren'** cv. Deciduous azalea: seedling from 'Altaclerense' I: L.J. Endtz &Co. (?pre 1910), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, brilliant yellow (15C), flushed flame, with strong orange spotting (24A). Syn: 'Aureum Grandiflorum', 'Goldball'. Mollis

(a) **'Chromatella'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J. & S. Rinz (pre 1854), N: J. & S. Rinz, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, yellow shaded with lemon. Ghent (The description in the 1958 Register is out of line with all other sources and is assumed to be an error)

(r) **Chrycil Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *chrysodoron* (s) × Cilpinense Group H: Lord Aberconway (1936), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lemon to yellow

(r) **Chrypinense Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *chrysodoron* (s) × *moupinense* H: Lord Aberconway (1930), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale yellow

(r) **Chrysanthum Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. temenium* subsp. *chrysanthum*

(r) **Chrysaspis Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *chrysodoron* (s) × *leucaspis* H: Lord Aberconway (1933), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light greenish yellow (6D), deeper in the eye. Lvs ovate. Dwarf, spreading habit. AM 1942

(a) **'Chrysolectrum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1826), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as 'Calendulacea Chrysolectra')

(r) **'Chrysomanicum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *chrysodoron* (s) × *burmanicum* H: Lord Aberconway (1940), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 8/truss, funnel-shaped, 45 × 50mm, 5-lobed, light greenish yellow (4C). Lvs elliptic, 75 × 40mm, dark shiny green above, scaly below. AM 1947 (Chrysomanicum Group)

(r) **Chrysomanicum Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *chrysodoron* (s) × *burmanicum* H: Lord Aberconway (1940), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1947), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Chrysos'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' (s) × 'Spanish Lady' H: M. Stockman (1990), G: M. & H. Stockman (1997), N: H. Stockman (1999), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1999) Fls 5-10/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 5(-6) wavy-edged lobes, strong red (39A) in bud, opening inside pale yellow-green (4D), with a brilliant yellow (11A) throat; outside pale yellow (11D) at margins, shading to light yellow (11B) at base; unmarked. Calyx 30mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 45mm, rounded at base, obtuse at apex (with a mucro), margins wavy and downcurved, semi-glossy and near moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 1.0m in 9 years. Early June

(a) **'Chu-ai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac purple on white. Indian

(a) **'Chubbs Nook'** cv. Evergreen azalea: self-sown seedling of unknown parentage G: D.B. Fox (c 1972), I: D.B. Fox (1983), REG: D.B. Fox (1983) Fls hose-in-hose, 2-3/truss, 43 × 56mm, 5-lobed, white, shaded or suffused purplish pink (61D & 62A-D), dorsal spotting of deep purplish pink (61D). Calyx petaloid, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic to obovate, 50 × 18mm, hairy

(r) **'Chubby'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × Elizabeth Group H: J. May (1967), G: J. May (1974), N: J. May, I: J. May (1988), REG: J. May (1988) Fls 12/truss, funnel-shaped, 60mm wide, 5-lobed, strong purplish pink (62A). Calyx 2mm long, cream-coloured. Lvs linear-oblong, 80 × 22mm, with recurved margins and a scattered, brown indumentum. Shrub 0.6 × 0.5m. May

(r) **'Chuckanut Sunset'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown, probably 'Pink Pearl' or 'Alice' × (probably) 'Crest' H: W.A. Ragan (1969), G: W.A. Ragan (1981), N: W.A. Ragan, REG: W.A. & J.E. Ragan (1988) Fls 10/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 64 × 102mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, pale greenish yellow (1D), with red marking in throat on 3 dorsal lobes (marking consists of red streaks of uneven length radiating as far as 13mm from base). Calyx minute, yellow. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 51mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 1.5m in 18 years. Early April

(r) **'Chug-a-lug'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cotton Candy' (s) × 'Van Nes Sensation' Fls 6-8/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 100mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (64C) in bud, opening inside deep purplish pink (64D) and outside strong purplish red (64C); with age the inside fades to nearly white,

edged moderate purplish pink (70D) with a dark reddish purple, spotted, dorsal flare. Calyx 3mm long, greenish, with dark pink tips. Lvs oblong, 100 × 40mm, with wavy and decurved margins, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.1m in 10 years. Mid May

(a) **'Chu-kirishima'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c50mm wide, light red. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Chum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Bridal Veil' × 'Azumano-hana' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, 50mm wide, white, with a green blotch and moderate red stripes. Shrub to 1.2m. Midseason. Glenn Dale

(v) **'Chumash Brave'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* × (*macgregoriae* × *aurigeranum*) (s) × *intranervatum* × *aurigeranum* H: W.A. Moynier (1988), G: W.A. Moynier (1994), N: W.A. Moynier (2002), REG: W.A. Moynier (2002) Fls 7/domed truss, narrowly funnel-shaped, 55 × 50mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, inside strong orange (24A), changing to vivid yellow (14B) in the throat, outside vivid yellow (14B); unmarked. Lvs elliptic, 90 × 50mm, margins upcurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy green above, with tan scales mostly on the lower surface. Shrub 0.8 × 0.9m in 13 years. August-November

(r) **'Churchill'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *falconeri* × *sinogrande* H: L. de Rothschild (c 1926), G: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1971), REG: E. de Rothschild (1973) Fls 32-35/tight, rounded truss, ventricose-campanulate, 10-lobed, 65 × 55mm, pale yellow-green (4D), suffused light greenish yellow (4C) on outside and with a small, deep red (60A) blotch. Calyx very small. Lvs elliptic, up to 700 × 150mm, dark green, with a thick, light brown, woolly indumentum below. AM 1971 (Fortune Group)

(r) **'Church Lane'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum*, selfed R: P.G. Valder, N: P.G. Valder, REG: P.G. Valder (1971) Fls 8-14/truss, shallowly campanulate, 65-75mm wide, bright cerise in bud, opening pink, with darker pink down midribs outside; fading almost to white with age; with yellow spotting on dorsal lobe; tip of style as well as stigma conspicuously deep pink. Lvs 50-150 × 10-40mm, with fawn indumentum. Shrub 1.1m

(a) **'Chuyo'** (Syn. of 'Ito-kurenai")

(r) **'Cicero'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1906), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright dark rose, with a fiery blotch

(r) **'Cid'** (See 'The Cid')

(r) **Cilaspis Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *ciliatum* × *leucaspis* R: E.J.P. Magor (1931), N: E.J.P. Magor, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white

(r) **Cilbooth Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *ciliatum* (s) × *boothii* R: E.J.P. Magor (1920), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1926), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Ciliocale'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, white, delicately suffused blush pink. (Said to be from seed collected in China by Abbé Delavay)

(r) **Cilkeisk Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *ciliatum* (s) × *keiskei* R: E.J.P. Magor (1912), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1926), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, tinged pink

(a) **'Cille Shaw'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Amagasa' × 'Grace Freeman No.2' R: J. Harris (pre 1982), N: J. Harris Fls 80mm wide, pale purplish pink (65D), edged strong purplish red (64B). Shrub 0.4m in 10 years

(r) **'Cilpinense'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *ciliatum* (s) × *moupinense* H: Lord Aberconway (1923), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1927), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c3/truss, 40 × 45-50mm, tubular-campanulate, white, flushed rosy pink, with a small dorsal ray of crimson spots. Calyx lobes 3-4mm long. Lvs broadly elliptic to more-or-less orbicular, 40-45 × 25-35mm, dark green and glossy above, with scattered golden brown scales below; margins sparsely ciliate. Small shrub, 1.0m in 10 years. AM 1927, FCC 1968 (Cilpinense Group)

(r) **Cilpinense Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *ciliatum* (s) × *moupinense* H: Lord Aberconway (1923), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1927), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Cilrose'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown, REG: V. Hurley (2001) Fls 3/loose, flat truss, funnel-shaped, 75 × 95mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (62A) in bud, opening inside white with light greenish yellow (5D) spotting at base of dorsal lobe; outside white with a slight light purplish pink (62C) blush on lobe midveins; stamens 10, unequal, anthers greyish brown (166A), filaments pale greenish yellow (1D); style pale greenish yellow (1D), stigma strong yellow-green (144C). Calyx 4-7mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Lvs elliptic, 72 × 20mm, margins decurved, slightly twisted, acuminate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy above, scaly. October. (Cultivated for many years under this name in Australia: no origin recorded)

(r) **'Cimarron Sun'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nancy Evans' (s) × 'Mrs Furnivall' H: J. Barlup (1989), G: J. Barlup (1993), N: J. Barlup (1995), REG: J. Barlup (1997) Fls 24/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (60D) in bud, opening pale greenish yellow (13D) throughout, with the three dorsal lobes flushed light greenish yellow (8B) and with prominent, multiple flares of discrete, strong red (53C) spots. Calyx variable, 15-25mm long, pale yellow (11C) with reddish edges and some strong red (53C) spots. Lvs oblong, 115 × 50mm,

flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 0.5m in 4 years. Mid-late May

(a) **'Cinaber'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Mémoire Evariste de Reuse' I: A. Lyppens (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls fully double, deep orange. Indian

(r) **'Cinco de Mayo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Paprika Spiced' (s) × 'Fawn' (James) H: D.W. Goheen (1989), G: D.W. Goheen (1996), N: D.W. Goheen (1997), I: A Sandy Rhododendron, REG: D.W. Goheen (1997) Fls 10-12/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 100mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (51A) in bud, opening inside light yellow (18B), shading to pale yellow (158B) at margins, with seven, 15-20mm long, vivid reddish orange (43A) rays in the throat and prominent deep yellowish pink (39B) spotting on three dorsal lobes; outside opens strong yellowish pink (38A) and lightens to moderate yellowish pink (39C) mixed with light yellow (18B); strongly scented. Calyx minute, tinged yellowish pink. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 50mm, flat, cuneate at base, broadly acute at apex, dull, strong yellow-green (143C) above, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 0.9m in 6 years. Early May

(a) **'Cincti Striatella'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls flesh-coloured, white at edges and both striped and spotted with flesh rose. Indian (Previously listed in error as 'Cinti Striatella')

(a) **'Cinderella'** (Syn. of 'Kellerina')

(a) **'Cinderella'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Louise' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50-65mm wide, white, heavily striped red (looks red, with white stripes). Lvs semi-deciduous. Shrub to 1.9m. Early. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Cinderella'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: M. Koster & Sons (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c30/rounded truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 75-80mm, maize yellow (607/2-607/1), with a slight flush of chinese coral (614/2) and large spots of signal red (719/2) on the dorsal lobe. Lvs pale glossy green. Tall shrub. *AM 1952. Occidentale

(a) **'Cindy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* hybrid (s) × Obtusum Group R: USDA, N: USDA (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 2-4/truss, 45mm wide, rose, tinted lavender, the throat with faint red dots. Compact, rounded habit. (Derived from the work of G.E. Yerkes and R.L. Pryor)

(r) **'Cindy'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *calostrotum* × *augustinii* subsp. *rubrum* H: H.L. Larson, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Cindy Ann'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* (yellow-fld selection) (s) × 'Mrs Horace Fogg' × 'Diva' H: C. Weeks (1982), G: C. Weeks (1987), N: C. Weeks, I: C. Weeks (1990), REG: C. Weeks (1992) Fls 10/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 76 × 140mm, with 7 smooth-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63A) in bud, opening strong purplish red (63B), with a deep red (60A) centre, fading to strong purplish red (54A) outside and strong pink (54C) in centre; stamens 15, curved, unequal. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 191 × 56mm, slightly concave, acute at apex, cuneate at base, matt, moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (147C) below, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 10 years. Mid April

(r) **'Cindy Louise'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *calophytum* var. *calophytum* G: H. Vaartnou (1975), S: H. Vaartnou (1964), N: H. Vaartnou, REG: H. Vaartnou (1989) Fls 15 or more/flat truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 64 × 76mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, dark pink in bud, opening pale purplish pink (62D); slightly scented. Calyx 1mm long, greenish. Lvs elliptic, 305 × 76mm, hairless. Shrub 2.4 × 2.4m in 25 years. March

(a) **'Cinnabar'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Bridal Veil' (s) × 'Azuma-no-hana' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 75mm wide, white, with stripes and sanding of purplish red. Shrub to 1.2m. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Cinnamomeum Cunninghamii'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown L: A. Henderson & Co. (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, much spotted with dark purple in the throat. (Henderson listed it as 'Cinnamonum Cunninghamii')

(r) **'Cinnamomeum Hybridum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1875), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very profuse, white. Dwarf bushy habit

(r) **'Cinnamon Bear'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' × *bureavii* (AM 1939 clone) H: C.C. Smith (1964), G: C.C. Smith (1970), N: S. Leopold, I: C.C. Smith (1972), REG: C.C. Smith (1988) Fls 20/domed truss, open campanulate, 51 × 51mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light pink in bud, opening white with strong purplish red (54A) spotting on dorsal lobe. Calyx 10mm long, white. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 127 × 44mm, hairless above; mature lvs with a cinnamon brown indumentum below; new growth whitish cream. Shrub 1.4 × 1.7m in 23 years. Early May

(v) **'Cinnamon Pink'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: unknown, G: G.L.S. Snell (1987), N: G.L.S. Snell (1989), I: G.L.S. Snell (1992), REG: G.L.S. Snell (1992) Fls 8-15/open truss, campanulate, 85 × 95mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, buds green, with strong yellowish pink (37A) lobes, opening light orange-yellow (16C) inside and light yellow (17D) outside; unspotted. Lvs broadly elliptic, 135 × 75mm, flat, glossy green, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, with silvery green scales on young foliage. Shrub 2.0 × 1.0m in 8 years. May flower at any time of the year

(a) **'Cinnamon Sugar'** cv. Evergreen azalea: "Belgian Indica" × "Southern Indica" R: Hines Nurseries (pre 1985), N: Hines Nurseries Fls single, cinnamon rose. Midseason

(r) **'Cinnamon Toast'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *kyawii* (s) × *yakushimanum* H: A.A. Childers (1962), G: A.A. Childers (1965), N: F.E. Burns (1999), REG: F.E. Burns (2002) Fls 5-7/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 75mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish red (58A) in bud, opening inside pale purplish pink (62D) with a moderate purplish red (58A) central star and edging, dorsal lobes speckled moderate purplish red (58A); outside pale purplish pink (62D), with strong purplish red (58C) midribs; style and stigma deep purplish red (61A). Calyx 3-6mm long, grey, edged with strong purplish red (58B), hairy. Pedicels moderate purplish red (58A). Lvs lanceolate, 80 × 40mm, margins downcurved, acuminate at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (137A) above, with a thick indumentum below (hairs moderate orange-yellow (164B) at first, ageing to moderate yellow (163C)). Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in 15 years. Mid May

(r) **Cinnandrum Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* Roylei Group (s) × *maddenii* subsp. *maddenii* H: Lord Aberconway (1931), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls peach pink; scented. (Pollen parent the taxon formerly distinguished as *R.polyandrum*)

(r) **'Cinnandrum Tangerine'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* Roylei Group (s) × *maddenii* subsp. *maddenii* H: Lord Aberconway (1931), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pendulous, trumpet-shaped, pale apricot within, flushed deep rose without. Calyx small, green. AM 1937 Syn: 'Tangerine' (Cinnandrum Group. Pollen parent the taxon formerly distinguished as *R.polyandrum*)

(r) **'Cinncrass'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* (s) × *maddenii* subsp. *crassum* R: E.J.P. Magor (1923), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls creamy white, occasionally flushed with rose outside. AM 1935 (Cinncrass Group)

(r) **Cinncrass Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* (s) × *maddenii* subsp. *crassum* R: E.J.P. Magor (1923), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1935), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Cinnkeys'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* (s) × *keysii* R: E.J.P. Magor (1917), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1926), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls narrowly tubular, lightly covered by waxy bloom, clear light red on tube, lobes yellow. Lvs ovate, glossy green. AM 1935 (Cinnkeys Group)

(r) **Cinnkeys Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* (s) × *keysii* R: E.J.P. Magor (1917), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1926), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **Cinnmadd Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* (s) × *maddenii* R: E.J.P. Magor, N: E.J.P. Magor, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Cinquero'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' (s) × *strigillosum* H: D.W. Goheen (1964), G: D.W. Goheen (1975), N: D.W. Goheen, I: D.W. Goheen & L.W.Bulgin (1981), REG: D.W. Goheen (1989) Fls 12-14/flattened dome truss, campanulate, 64 × 64mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, deep pink (52C) fading to strong pink (52D), with 5 persistent, strong red (46A) basal nectaries. Calyx minute, green-pink. Lvs elliptic, 152-178 × 51-64mm, convex, cuspidate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green and bullate above, mature leaves with a tan, felt-like indumentum below. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 15 years. Early April

(a) **'Cinti Striatella'** (An error for 'Cincti Striatella')

(r) **Cinzan Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* subsp. *cinnabarinum* Blandfordiiflorum Group × *cinnabarinum* subsp. *xanthocodon* H: J.B. Stevenson (1937), N: J.B. Stevenson, I: J.B. Stevenson (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls coral pink

(a) **'Circe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *simsii* (s) × *mucronatum* R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50-70mm wide, rose pink. Shrub to 1.5m. Mid April. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Circe'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R.T. Pince (pre 1868), N: R.T. Pince, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in compact heads, cerise. (Published in Lucombe, Pince & Co. cat., c1868)

(r) **'Circe'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac rose, with green-brown spots

(r) **'Circe'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: F.C. Puddle Group (s) × Humming Bird Group H: Lord Aberconway (1930), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 5 or more/truss, deep trumpet-shaped, 65mm wide, blood red (820/1). Lvs glossy green above, with a pale brown tomentum below when young. Dwarf shrub. AM 1942 (Circe Group)

(r) **Circe Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: F.C. Puddle Group (s) × Humming Bird Group H: Lord Aberconway (1930), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1942), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Circus'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group (s) × 'Purple Splendour' H: G.D. Grace (c 1961), G: L. Grothaus (1968), N: L. Grothaus, I: L. Grothaus (1973), REG: L. Grothaus (1980) Fls 12-14/ball truss, open funnel-campanulate, 50 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong yellowish pink (38A), aging to pale orange-yellow (23D), with considerable moderate yellow (162A) spotting on lower 2/3 of dorsal lobe sector and on 1/3 of adjacent lobes; inside and out with an uneven 10mm wide edging of strong red (51A), aging to deep purplish pink (55A), the colour most intense in lobe sinuses. Calyx lobes up to 25mm long (very

uneven), upper spotted moderate yellow (162A), lateral and lower lobes moderate yellowish pink (39C). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 140-150 × 50mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, with a golden brown indumentum below which is less pronounced with age. Shrub 1.2 × 1.0m in 17 years. Late May-early June

(a) **'Ciribiribin'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, deep cherry red, with a golden yellow flare edged in rose. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Late June. (Carlson's Postscript Group)

(r) **'Cirita'** cv. Parentage unknown L: G. Morlet (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) (Published in *Horticullture Français*, 1854: 107-111)

(r) **Cirrus Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* (s) × *arboreum* I: G. Reuthe Ltd (1926), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'C.I.S.'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loder's White' (s) × Fabia Group H: R. Henny (1944), G: R. Henny, N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 9-11/more-or-less compact, globular truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with wavy-edged lobes, pale yellow (12D) fading to white at margins, flushed deep pink (48B) especially below, with deeper veins, throat vivid red (46C) at base, with slight brown-orange spotting. Lvs 100-150 × 45-55mm, dark dull green. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. *HC 1973, *AM 1975 (Sometimes seen incorrectly as 'Cis')

(r) **'Cisa'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Si Si' (s) × 'Serendipity' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls in shades of yellow. Lvs with indumentum. Dwarf shrub. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Cis Grey'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Sir William Milner (1953), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Citation'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *williamsianum* (s) × 'Diane' R: R. Henny, I: L. Henny, REG: L. Henny (1964) Fls clear red (19/1). Lvs 115 × 40mm. Shrub 0.3m high, spreading

(r) **'Citrine'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catanea' (s) × 'Crest' H: A.A. Raustein (1970), G: A.A. Raustein, I: A.A. Raustein (1980), REG: A.A. Raustein (1983) Fls 13/truss, 50 × 75mm, open funnel-shaped, 6-lobed, buds light greenish yellow (1C), opening light yellow-green (2C), edged pale greenish yellow (2D); outside 2D. Calyx 5mm long, strong yellow-green (143B). Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 100 × 40-50mm, moderate olive-green (147A), hairless. Shrub c0.8m tall in 10 years

(a) **'Citroen'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown G: E. de Rothschild (1970s), S: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: Exbury Enterprises (1997), REG: E. de Rothschild (1997) Fls single (or with an occasional petaloid stamen), 8/truss, 60 × 80mm, 5-lobed, brilliant yellow (15C), with a dorsal flare of vivid orange-yellow (21A) and flushing of strong reddish orange (31B); outside of tube shading to strong yellow (153D). Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs elliptic/obovate, 110 × 50mm, with purplish tones. May. (Solent Group)

(v) **'Citron Bells'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Carillon Bells' (s) × *laetum* × *macgregoriae* H: S. Begg (1985), G: B. Taylor (1993), N: B. Taylor (1995), REG: B. Taylor (1995) Fls 2-3/open truss, trumpet-shaped, 40 × 30mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, light greenish yellow (8b) in bud, inside brilliant yellow (14C) at base shading to light yellowish pink (26D); outside light yellow (11B), unspotted. Lvs elliptic, 30 × 11mm, flat, matt green above, attenuate at base, acute at apex. Shrub 30 × 30cm in 6 years. Flowers continuously (Melbourne, Australia)

(r) **'Citronella'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* (s) × Kewense Group R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls primrose yellow, with a red eye

(a) **'City of Christchurch'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown, an open-pollinated hybrid H: University of Canterbury (1980), G: University of Canterbury (1987), N: University of Canterbury (1998), REG: University of Canterbury (1999) Fls single, 8/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 80mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, saturn red (13/2) in bud, opening nasturtium red (14/2) inside, saturn red (13/1) outside, with a tangerine orange (9) blotch on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 1.5mm long, green. Lvs broadly elliptic, 90 × 35mm, flat, aristate at apex, cuneate at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.3 × 1.5m in 20 years

(r) **'City of Dunedin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' (s) × 'Red Cloud' H: M. Hughes (1972), G: M. Hughes (1979), N: Dunedin Botanic Garden (1996), I: Dunedin Botanic Garden (1998), REG: Dunedin Botanic Garden (1997) Fls 11/ball truss, campanulate, 50 × 70mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, vivid red (57A) in bud, opening inside deep purplish pink (55A) fading through strong (55B) to light purplish pink (55C); outside opening deep purplish pink (55A), maturing to strong purplish pink (55B) on dorsal lobe and light purplish pink (55C) on ventral lobe; lightly speckled red and with a few black spots. Calyx 2mm long, vivid red (57A). Lvs lanceolate, 110 × 30mm, margins decurved, acute at apex, oblique at base, matt green above (with a few flecks of white tomentum when mature), with a brown indumentum below. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 7 years. Late October-early November (New Zealand)

(a) **'City of Southampton'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown G: E. de Rothschild (c 1970), S: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: Exbury Enterprises Ltd (1990), REG: Exbury Enterprises Ltd (1990) Fls 10/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 75 × 90mm, 5-lobed, strong yellowish pink (38A), with a vivid reddish orange (30A) blotch on the dorsal lobe. Lvs oblanceolate, 110 × 45mm, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 1.0m. May

(a) **'City of Takoma Park'** (Syn. of 'Takoma Park')

(a) **'Clackamas'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Klondyke' × 'Marion Merriman' R: H.J. Slonecker, N: H.J. Slonecker, REG: H.J. Slonecker (1963) Fls 10-12/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 90-100mm wide (tube 13mm long), brilliant orange-yellow (23B) in centre and suffused vivid yellowish pink (28A), edges strong yellowish pink (37B), blotch strong orange (24A). Lvs light green, flushed bronze. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 16 years. Midseason

(r) **'Clackamas White'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: wild-collected selection from *macrophyllum* S: R. & M. Stewart (pre 1975), N: R.L. Furniss, I: R. & M. Stewart (1984), REG: R. & M. Stewart (1985) Fls 12/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 40 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds slightly pink, opening white with a 13 × 13mm, light green, dorsal blotch. Calyx inconspicuous, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 125 × 45mm, hairless. Shrub 1.0m in 8 years. (Collected in the wild in the upper Clackamas River area, Oregon, USA, c1973-1975)

(r) **'Claire'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Coronation Day' H: H.L. Larson (1969), G: J.A. Davis, N: J.A. Davis, I: J.A. Davis (1980), REG: J.A. Davis (1983) Fls 8-10/conical truss, 40 × 100mm, open funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, deep pink (48B) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (56B), fading to nearlywhite, with a strong red (51A) blotch in the throat; outside moderate pink (51D). Calyx minute. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 100 × 45mm, moderate olive green (137B), with a greyed-orange indumentum below. Shrub c0.4m tall in 10 years

(r) **Clansman Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Euryalus Group (s) × Kingianum Group H: Lord Aberconway (1936), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(a) **'Clapham Beauty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Todman (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls delicate rose, not spotted (cf. *Proc. RHS* 1:170-171 (1860))

(a) **'Clara'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Vervaene (1875), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Clara'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* (s) × 'Loderi King George' R: H.J. Slonecker, N: H.J. Slonecker, I: H.J. Slonecker (1960), REG: H.J. Slonecker (1962) Fls 10-12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 125mm wide, with recurved lobes, pure white. Lvs 125 × 50mm, light green. Shrub 1.2m tall in 10 years. Midseason

(a) **'Clara Brown'** cv. Evergreen azalea: possibly an orange *indicum* × 'Caldwellii' R: D. Stewart & Son, N: D. Stewart & Son (1937), I: D. Stewart & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls a light shade of mandarin red. Lvs small. Shrub c0.8 × 1.2m. June. Hardy

(a) **'Clara Butt'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: K. Wezelenburg & Son (1912), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, strong yellowish pink. Mollis

(r) **'Clara Curry'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan' (s) × 'America' H: J.H. Hughes (1965), G: J.H. Hughes, N: J.H. Hughes, I: J.H. Hughes, REG: J.H. Hughes (1977) Fls up to 14/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, dark red (59A), without a blotch or spots. Lvs (narrowly) elliptic, 125 × 40mm. Small shrub, 0.9 × 0.75m in 10 years. Early May

(a) **'Clara Lee Hager'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Gyokushin' × 'Beni-giri' × 'Gunrei' × 'Louis Koster' R: D. Hager (pre 1984), N: D. Hager Fls single, 75mm wide, somewhat ruffled, pastel pink, with profuse, fine, pink stripes and rays, base of throat green. Lvs dark, glossy green. Shrub up to 0.6m

(a) **'Clara Mae Bell'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Sweet Sixteen' × 'China Seas' R: C.O. Phillips (pre 1965), N: C.O. Phillips Fls double, hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, dark pink. Indian

(r) **Clara Mangles Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: J.H. Mangles, N: J.H. Mangles, INC: ICRA (1958) (Previously listed incorrectly as Clare Mangles Group)

(a) **'Clara Marie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: P.E. Girard, N: P.E. Girard, I: P.E. Girard (c 1962), REG: P.E. Girard (1972) Fls single, 75mm wide, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, white. Lvs 30 × 20mm, dark green. Shrub 0.4 × 0.4m

(r) **'Clara Raustein'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × *fortunei* × (*wardii* × *dichroanthum*) H: A.A. Raustein, G: A.A. Raustein (1962), N: A.A. Raustein, I: A.A. Raustein (1971), REG: A.A. Raustein (1972) Fls up to 13/conical truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 50 × 75mm, moderate red (47A) in bud, opening apricot to warm yellow, changing to light greenish yellow (4C) with deeper shading in throat. Calyx very small. Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 140 × 50mm, glossy green, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 0.9m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Clara Weyerhauser'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Choremia Group × *haematodes* R: L.E. Brandt (pre 1992)

(a) **'Clarchen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1866), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Said to come from Schulz)

(v) **'Clare Crouch'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *culminicolum* var. *angiense* × *phaeochitum* H: T. Lelliott, G: T. Lelliott (1989), N: Mrs H. Crouch, I: Mrs H. Crouch (1990), REG: Mrs H. Crouch (1991) Fls 5/truss, bent tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 50mm, 5-lobed, tube pale yellowish pink (29D), lobes light purplish pink (55C). Lvs elliptic, 60 × 40mm. Shrub 1.0m. Spring-autumn

(v) **'Clare Elsie'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *leucogigas* × *konori* × *laetum* R: P. Sullivan (pre 1993)

(r) **'Clare Millais'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid L: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose pink, unspotted

(v) **'Claremont'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* × *zoelleri* × *jasmiiflorum* var. *punctatum* H: M.D. Cullinane (1988), G: M.D. Cullinane (1991), N: M.D. Cullinane (1991), REG: M.D. Cullinane (1991) Fls 15-17/truss, salver-shaped, 50 × 50mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, buds light yellow-green (145C/D), opening light purplish pink (55C) to pale purplish pink (55D) inside; outside pale purplish pink (56B) with a light yellow-green (145D) tube; light purplish pink (55D) spots on dorsal side of corolla; stamens deep rose pink. Calyx 1mm long, green. Pedicels 40mm long, reddish. Lvs elliptic, 80 × 50mm, flat, glossy, cuneate at base, acute at apex, with pale green scales. Shrub 0.65 × 0.5m in 3 years. Repeat-flowering and lightly scented

(v) **'Clare Rouse'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *christianae* (s) × *laetum* H: D.B. Stanton, G: J.L. Rouse (1979), I: J.L. Rouse, REG: J.L. Rouse (1984) Fls 5-7/truss, tubular-campanulate, 50 × 40mm, strong orange-yellow (17A), the lobes vivid reddish orange (30A). Lvs ovate, 100 × 60mm. Shrub c1.8m tall

(a) **'Clare's Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Nico' G: Morley Nurseries Ltd (1986), N: Morley Nurseries Ltd, I: Morley Nurseries Ltd (1989), REG: N.C. Ellerbrook (1989) Fls single, 1-2/truss, funnel-shaped, 40-43 × 50-57mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (54A) inside, with strong red (53B) spotting confined to basal part of dorsal lobe, the basal parts of the lateral lobes and extending into the upper throat; outside 54A. Calyx 5-6mm long, very pale green; lobes toothed, with numerous, long, white, appressed hairs, ciliate. Lvs elliptic to oblanceolate, 48-61 × 19-28mm (spring lvs), with sparse, strigose, appressed, brown or whitish hairs above and below, ciliate. Shrub 0.4 × 0.6m in 4 years.

(a) **'Claret'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* × 'Hexe' (s) × *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* × 'Hexe' R: J.B. Gable, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 40mm wide, dark red. Dwarf shrub. Hardy. Gable (Raised but not named by Gable)

(r) **'Claret Bumble'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Britannia' × Jalisco Group H: Waterer (Bagshot) (1959), G: Waterer (Bagshot) (1967), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975) Fls 10-12/truss, 60 × 50mm, 5-lobed, plum colour at edges, with paler centre. Calyx very small. Lvs more-or-less ovate, 110 × 50mm. Mid May.

(r) **'Claret Cup'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Carmen Group × *neriiflorum* H: J. May (1968), G: J. May, N: J. May (1988), I: J. May (1988), REG: J. May (1988) Fls 6/truss, funnel-shaped, rather fleshy, 50mm wide, 5-lobed, deep red (60A). Calyx 2mm long, pink. Lvs elliptic to obovate, 40 × 23mm. Shrub 0.2 × 0.4m. April-May.

(a) **'Claret Red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J.B. Gable, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very pretty soft raspberry pink, with claret spotting and anthers. Gable (Raised but not named by Gable)

(r) **'Claribel'** cv. Parentage unknown R: I. Davies (pre 1896), N: I. Davies, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Claribel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Earl of Athlone' × *haematodes* R: C.S. Seabrook, N: C.S. Seabrook, REG: C.S. Seabrook (1964) Fls 3-6/loose truss, campanulate, 40 × 40mm, strong red (46A). Lvs small, dark green. Shrub 0.3 × 0.3m in 10 years. May

(a) **'Clarice'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale salmon, with an orange blotch. Knap Hill

(r) **'Clarice of Langau'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *sanguineum* subsp. *didymum* × *haematodes* R: L. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild, REG: E. de Rothschild (1966) Fls in fairly loose trusses, dark red. Lvs with a fawn indumentum. Low-growing and very compact, 1.0-1.2 × 1.0-1.2m. May-June

(v) **'Clarinda'** (See note under 'Clorinda')

(a) **'Clarion'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* (s) × 'Maxwellii' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 70-75mm wide, between deep yellowish pink and scarlet red, with an inconspicuous blotch of tyrian rose spots and a tinge of orange at the base of the tube. Shrub to 2.5m. Mid April. Glenn Dale

(v) **'Clarion Firm'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *aurigeranum* × *lochiae* × *retusum* H: J.L. Rouse (c 1981), G: J.L. Rouse (1985), N: J.L. Rouse, I: J.L. Rouse (1986), REG: J.L. Rouse (1987) Fls 5-6/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 25mm, 5-lobed, vivid reddish orange (32A). Lvs elliptic, 70 × 25mm. Shrub 0.5m

(a) **'Clarissa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C.E. Brown (pre 1950), I: D. Stewart & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, with wavy-edged lobes, salmon orange. Kurume

(a) **'Clark Adams'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Nadine' R: O.S. Pride, N: O.S. Pride, I: O.S. Pride (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, coral

(r) **'Clark Adams'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* × *haematodes* R: O.S. Pride (pre 1983), N: O.S. Pride Fls hose-in-hose, pink

(a) **'Clarkeanum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1862), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Clarke's China Doll'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Skipper' × China Group H: G.W. Clarke, G: G.W. Clarke, N: Mrs M. Clarke, I: George W. Clarke Nursery as 'China Doll' (c 1980), REG: Mrs M. Clarke (1990) Fls 12/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 76mm, with 7 smooth to wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (54A) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (56A) and

aging to pale purplish pink (56D), throat pale yellow (19C). Lvs elliptic, 127 × 51mm, slightly convex, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless; petioles noticeably hairy. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 10 years. April-May. Syn: 'China Doll'

(r) **'Clarke's Elegance'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' × *yakushimanum* H: G.W. Clarke, G: G.W. Clarke, N: Mrs M. Clarke (1991), I: G.W. Clarke, REG: Mrs M. Clarke (1991) Fls 10/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 51 × 64mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (66B) in bud, opening strong purplish pink (62A) at edge, shading to pale purplish pink (62D) on midrib and with small, reddish spots on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 6mm long, pink. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 165 × 57mm, flat, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, dull green and slightly bullate above, with a felted, fawn indumentum below. Shrub 1.8 × 1.5m in 8 years. May

(a) **'Clarke's Golden Ball'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: G.W. Clarke, G: G.W.Clarke, N: G.W. Clarke, I: G.W. Clarke, REG: Mrs M. Clarke (1991) Fls 14/lax, ball truss, open funnel-campanulate, 64 × 64mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, vivid orange-yellow (21A) inside, strong orange (24A) outside; moderately scented. Calyx 6mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 83 × 38mm, flat, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 0.9m in 8 years. May

(r) **'Clarke's Golden Gate'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: G.W. Clarke, G: G.W. Clarke, N: G.W. Clarke, I: George W. Clarke Nursery, REG: Mrs M. Clarke (1990) Fls 14-16/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 38 × 44mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, buds deep red (53A), opening strong purplish red (54A) with centre of lobes streaked strong orange (26B). Calyx 6mm long. Lvs elliptic, 152 × 38mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, wrinkled and glossy above, hairless; petiole hairy. Shrub 1.5-1.8 × 1.5m in 10 years. May

(r) **'Clarke's Mardi Gras'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × unknown H: G.W. Clarke, G: G.W. Clarke, N: G.W. Clarke, I: G.W. Clarke, REG: Mrs M. Clarke (1991) Fls 15/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 38 × 51mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (57B) in bud, opening pure white inside; the outside pale pink with the central 1/3 of each lobe strong purplish pink (62A); slightly scented. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 165 × 57mm, convex, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green and hairless above, with a felt-like indumentum below, tan-coloured aging to brown. Shrub 2.4 × 1.8m in 10 years. May

(r) **'Clarke's Peaches-and-Cream'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Nestucca' H: G.W. Clarke, G: G.W. Clarke, N: Mrs M. Clarke (1991), I: G.W. Clarke, REG: Mrs M. Clarke (1991) Fls 10/domed truss, open campanulate, 38 × 38mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, buds deep pink (50B), opening deep purplish pink (55A) on outside, inside white with a dusting of yellow in the throat; slightly scented. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 140 × 38mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, wrinkled and dull above, with a brown, felted indumentum below. Shrub 1.8 × 1.5m in 8 years. May

(r) **'Clarke's Perfection'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Lady Bligh' H: G.W. Clarke, G: G.W. Clarke, N: Mrs M. Clarke (1991), I: G.W. Clarke, REG: Mrs M. Clarke (1991) Fls 10/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 38 × 76mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (62A), fading to pale purplish pink (62D), with a few reddish spots on the dorsal lobe; slightly scented. Calyx 3mm long, brown. Lvs oblong, 76 × 32mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, with a brown, felted indumentum below. Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in 8 years. May

(r) **'Clarke's Symphony'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Mrs Furnivall' H: G.W. Clarke, G: G.W. Clarke, N: Mrs M. Clarke (1991), I: G.W. Clarke, REG: Mrs M. Clarke (1991) Fls 15/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 38 × 51mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, white, with small red spots on the inside of the entire dorsal lobe; slightly scented. Calyx 6mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 89 × 38mm, convex, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green and hairless above, hairy below; petioles 19mm long, hairy. Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in 8 years. May

(r) **'Clarkianum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Clark's White'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: white-flowered selection from *catawbiense* S: O.E. Clark (pre 1970), N: E.R. Bahnson, I: E.R. Bahnson (1972), REG: E.R. Bahnson (1988) Fls 14-16/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 30 × 60mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, pure white in bud, opening white with greenish gold spotting on dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 100-130 × 40-50mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless and glossy above; new growth powdery. Shrub 1.8 × 2.1m in 20 or more years. Mid-late May (at 1, 067m in North Carolina). (Selected from material originally collected in the wild when out of flower)

(r) **'Class Act'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Princess Elizabeth' (s) × 'Dead Ringer' H: T.L. Ring, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls strong and deep (46A, 53A) in bud, opening deep and strong red (53A, B, C, D), with a white flare and white throat and with brilliant yellow-green (154C) and deep greenish yellow (153A) dorsal spots; filaments pale purplish pink (56B); style light yellow-green (154D); anthers brownish orange (164A); stigma greyish brown (166A). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Classic White'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Jack Looye' (s) × *R.* × *geraldii* H: W.E. Delp (1985), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 16/truss, funnel-shaped, 51 × 57mm, 5-lobed, pale greenish yellow (1D) and moderate yellowish pink (37C) in bud, opening greenish white (157D) with strong red

(46A) dorsal spots; filaments and style pale yellow-green (157C); anthers brownish orange (165B); stigma brilliant yellow-green (150B). Lvs 127 × 38mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.45 × 0.3m in 8 years. Early June

(r) **'Class of Thirty-eight'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Crest' × *wardii* Litiense Group H: W. Elliott (1976), G: W. Elliott (1982), N: W. Elliott, I: W. Elliott (1988), REG: W. Elliott (1988) Fls 8-12/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 102 × 89mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, light yellow-green (2C). Calyx minute. Lvs elliptic, 152 × 76mm, convex, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.5m in 10 years, with slightly scented fls. April

(r) **'Classy Lassie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ('Catalgla' × 'Cadis') no.1 selection × ('Catalgla' × 'Cadis') no.1 selection H: W.E. Delp (1975), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 43 × 70mm, 5-lobed, deep reddish purple (77A) and strong to light purple (80B, C) in bud, opening strong, light and very pale purple (84A-D); filaments and style deep purplish pink (72D); anthers light yellowish pink (159A); stigma dark red (187B). Lvs 127 × 64mm, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.75m in 17 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Clatsop Belle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Bow Bells Group × 'Earl of Athlone' H: G.L. Baker, N: G.L. Baker, I: G.L. Baker (1960), REG: G.L. Baker (1966) Fls up to 15/loose, upright truss, campanulate, up to 40 × 50mm, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, soft rose to deep pink. Lvs olive green, up to 75 × 40mm. Shrub up to 1.2m in 10 years, compact

(r) **'Claude'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, bordered brightestlake. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Claude Goyet'** (Syn. of 'Gloire de Claude Goyet')

(a) **'Claudia Therese'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: K. Müssig (pre 1996), N: K. Müssig, REG: ICRA (1996) Fls double, pink, with a slightly darker dorsal blotch

(r) **'Claudine'** cv. Parentage unknown L: G. Morlet (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) (Published in *Horticulture Français*, 1854: 107-111)

(r) **'Claudine'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sammetglut' × 'Daisy' H: H. Hachmann (1968), G: H. Hachmann (1974), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1987), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 16-19/truss, open funnel-shaped, 40-45 × 55-65(-74)mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, the tips of some recurved, vivid purplish red to deep purplish pink (67B-C), strong purplish red (67A) on veins, with a 3-4mm margin to lobes of light purplish pink to very pale purple (68D-69A-73D); outside vivid purplish red (67B), midveins strong purplish red (67A); dorsal spotting of light olive to dark greenish yellow (152A(-C)). Calyx 1-2mm long, reddish green. Lvs elliptic, 100-115 × 35-52mm, flat, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, light green above with yellowish green petioles and midveins, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.6m in 10 years. Late May-mid June

(a) **'Claudio Volonté'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1891), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose lilac, with bright carmine stripes and white edges and with a big carmine blotch. Indian

(r) **'Claudius'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scintillation' (s) × 'Karin' H: H. Hachmann (1980), G: H. Hachmann (1986), N: H. Hachmann (1991), I: H. Hachmann (1992), REG: G. Stück (1994) Fls 10-11/flat to globose truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 75-85mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside moderate purplish pink (68C), edges strong purplish pink (68B); outside deep purplish pink (68A); dorsal lobe with a large blotch of moderate purplish red (64A) spots; stamens 10; anthers white. Calyx 2-4mm long, light reddish green. Pedicels reddish. Lvs ovate, 65-90 × 35-50mm, flat, matt mid-green above, light green below, rounded-cordate at base, apiculate at apex, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.6m in 10 years. Mid May-early June. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1993/1994)

(r) **'Claydian Variegated'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1996)

(r) **'Clayoquot Warrior'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *strigillosum* (s) × 'Essex Scarlet' H: H.L. Larson (pre 1968), G: E. Weesjes, N: K. Gibson, REG: K. Gibson (1995) Fls 14-16/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 57 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, dark red in bud, opening vivid red (46B) throughout, with faint, dark reddish brown spotting on the dorsal lobe; stamens 10, curved, unequal; style red. Calyx 13mm long, dark red. Pedicels 20mm long, dark red. Lvs narrowly oblong, 178 × 38mm, convex, acuminate at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, with a tan indumentum below, which ages to reddish brown (on midrib); petioles 25mm long, yellowish green, hairy. Shrub 2.7 × 1.8m in 18 years. Early April

(r)**C.L. Blough** (Syn. of 'Purple Passion')

(r) **'Clearbrook'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Scott Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister, I: Scott Arboretum (c 1965), REG: Scott Arboretum (1981) Fls 11/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (2.5RP 6/10) shading to lighter than brilliant greenish yellow (7.5Y 9/8) in the throat, with 2 faint, narrow, pale yellow-green (2.5GY 8/9) rays in throat at junction of dorsal lobes; scented. Calyx 3mm long, light yellow-green. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 50mm, apiculate to mucronate at apex, cuneate to rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 2.5 × 4.0m in 35 years. Mid May. (Seed collected (1944) from Everitt estate and plants first grown by G.Gillies)

(r) **'Clem'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' (s) × 'Lord Roberts' H: M Stockman (1983), G: M. & H. Stockman (1989), N: M. & H. Stockman, I: M. & H. Stockman (1992), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1992) Fls 9-12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 32 × 51mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, deep reddish purple (77A) throughout with a dark red (187A) to nearly black spotted flare on dorsal lobe; stamens 10, curved, unequal, creamy white; style pink. Calyx 6mm long, light green. Pedicels 13mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 70 × 22mm, convex, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, dark, glossy green above, hairless; petioles 13mm long, light green. Shrub 0.4 × 0.5m in 9 years. Mid April

(a) **'Clemence'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy red (Boskoop, 1938). Ghent

(r) **'Clemens'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac, with few greenish brown spots

(a) **'Clément'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Professeur Wolters' × 'Hexe' I: A. van Hecke (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with a double row of petals (Scheerlinck *et al.*, 1938), single (1958 Register); deep red, with a blotch. Indian (Introduced by R.van Peterghem at the same time)

(v) **'Clement'** (Syn. of 'Athanasius')

(a) **'Clementine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink. Kurume

(r) **'Clémentine'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Byls (pre 1868), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose

(r) **'Clémentine Lemaire'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Moser & Son (pre 1928), N: Moser & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 15-23/compact, round to conical truss, 45-65mm wide, rose pink, with strong yellow to yellow-brown markings. Shrub to 1.5m in 10 years. Late May-early June

(a) **'Clementine Vervaene'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Vervaene (1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white, with deep pink stripes and dots. Indian

(r) **'Clementine von Röder'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alstroemerioides' hybrid R: J.B. Müller (pre 1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, suffused flesh pink, spotted purple, centre dark violet

(a) **'Clemson'** cv. Evergreen azalea: chance seedling of 'Caroline Graham' R: Carolina Floral Nursery (pre 1985), N: Carolina Floral Nursery, I: Carolina Floral Nursery Fls hose-in-hose, 75-90mm wide, vivid salmon orange. Midseason

(r) **'Cleo Budlaw'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Dianta' (s) × 'Lord Roberts' H: H. & M. Stockman (1992), G: H. & M. Stockman (2000), N: H. & M. Stockman (2000), REG: H. & M. Stockman (2002) Fls 6/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, red in bud, opening inside a light, bright pink with a red throat; the dorsal and half of adjacent lobes heavily speckled with red except near the margins, and with a long, narrow, dark red, dorsal blotch; outside bright pink, with a darker pink line along each midrib. Calyx variable, ventral lobes c10mm long, dorsal lobes c30mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 50mm, margins upcurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 0.7 × 0.7m in 10 years. Late May

(a) **'Cleopatra'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Adams (pre 1846), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls brick red, with a violet dorsal lobe. Indian

(a) **'Cleopatra'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* (s) × 'Malvaticum' R: C.B. van Nes & Sons (pre 1939), N: C.B. van Nes & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 65mm wide, strong purplish pink (55B). Kaempferi

(r) **'Cleopatra'** (Syn. of 'Berliner Liebe')

(r) **'Cleopatra'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy purple, with a white throat

(r) **Cleopatra Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* (blood red form) × *thomsonii* hybrid × *sutchuenense* R: E.J.P. Magor (pre 1929), N: E.J.P. Magor, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, crimson

(r) **'Cleopatra'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* hybrid R: unknown (pre 1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 7-13/rounded, rather loose truss, 40-50mm wide, inside strong purplish pink (67D), paler with age; outside deep purplish pink (67C) with vivid purplish red (57D) ribs; very weak orange to reddish markings. Compact shrub. Early-mid May. (Perhaps the Noble plant under this name)

(r) **'Cletheroides'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection or hybrid of *ponticum* L: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) (Perhaps the same plant listed by H.Laurentius in 1869 as 'Clethrifolium')

(r) **'Clever Coe'** (An error for 'Clover Coe')

(r) **'Clewer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* Litiense Group × 'Crest' R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1966) Fls 10/compact truss, 40 × 55mm, light greenish yellow (4B). Calyx 6-7-lobed, irregular, up to 9mm long. Lvs narrowly obovate to obovate, 75 × 45mm, hairless. PC 1966

(a) **'Cliana'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1841), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Clicker'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Dead Ringer' × pale yellow Dexter hybrid (s) × 'Marypat' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls pale greenish yellow (1D) and deep yellowish pink (41D) in bud, opening yellowish white (155D)

with a vivid yellow-green (154A) throat; anthers dark yellowish pink (181D). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Cliff Blaikie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Noyo Chief' H: T.A. Garbutt (1990), G: T.A. Garbutt (1994), N: T.A. Garbutt (1997), REG: T.A. Garbutt (1997) Fls 10/compact truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 45 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, red in bud, opening red and without any blotch or spots: the colour not fading with age. Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs oblong-elliptic, 120 × 55mm, margins decurved, glossy above, with silvery white indumentum below, which ages to deep tan. Compact shrub, 0.4 × 0.5m in 7 years. October-November (New Zealand)

(r) **'Cliff Garland'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Bric-á-brac' × *mucronulatum* (pure pink form) R: G.G. Nearing, N: G.G. Nearing, REG: G.G. Nearing (1969) Fls 1-4/truss, 50mm wide, shell pink. Lvs obovate to almost circular, to 50mm long, deep purplish green (rich brown when young). Shrub at least 0.3 × 0.6m in 10 years. AM 1990

(r) **'Cliff Hanger'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *taggianum*, probably from Kingdon Ward 8546 G: Millais Nurseries (1990), S: Millais Nurseries, N: E.G. Millais (1992), I: Millais Nurseries, REG: Millais Nurseries (1992) Fls 5-6/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, up to 95 × 85mm, white (155B) with a small blotch of vivid yellow (15B) in the dorsal throat; slightly scented. Calyx deeply 5-lobed, up to 10mm long, pale green. Lvs obovate, up to 120 × 45mm, mid green and hairless above, glaucous and with uneven scales below. Shrub 1.5 × 1.0m in 4 years. Early-mid April. AM 1992

(a) **'Cliff's Choice'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Gretel' × unnamed Beltsville (USDA) seedling R: G. Taylor (pre 1984), N: G. Taylor Fls hose-in-hose, pale coral pink, shading to white

(r) **'Cliff Spangle'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Bric-á-brac' × *mucronulatum* (pure pink form) R: G.G. Nearing, N: G.G. Nearing, REG: G.G. Nearing (1969) Fls 2-5/truss, , 65mm wide, deep pink. Lvs lanceolate, evergreen, up to 25mm long, sharply pointed. Shrub 0.3 × 0.3m in 10 years. Early April

(a) **'Climax'** cv. Evergreen azalea: double, pink, florists' azalea × 'Clarion' H: USDA (1947), N: USDA (1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, funnel-shaped, 5-6-lobed, rose red (724/2), with a dark blotch

(r) **'Climax'** cv. Parentage unknown L: T. Methven & Son (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson, slightly spotted

(r) **'Clincher'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ice Cube' (s) × 'Dairymaid' H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 20/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 46 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep reddish purple and strong purple (77A, B) in bud, opening strong and light purple (77B-D), with sparse, vivid reddish purple (74B) dorsal spots; filaments and style very pale purple (76D); anthers yellowish white (158D); stigma deep purplish red (61A). Lvs 121 × 57mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.3m in 18 years. Early June

(a) **'Clio'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: H. Demay (1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Resembles 'Comtesse de Flandre', but is darker rose. Indian

(r) **'Clio'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R.T. Pince (pre 1868), N: R.T. Pince, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in compact trusses, well above foliage, deep cerise. (Published in Lucombe, Pince & Co. cat., c1868)

(r) **'Clio'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* hybrid L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls tinged pink in bud, opening white, with a yellow blotch

(r) **Clio Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Detonsum Group (s) × Gilian Group R: E.J.P. Magor (1921), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine lake

(r) **'Clipper'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Louise Gable' × 'Ward's Ruby' H: W.L. Guttormsen (1961), G: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen (1968), REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1979) Fls single, semi-double or double, strong or moderate to pale purplish pink (68B/C, 65D)

(v) **'Clipsie'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' (s) × 'Nancy Miller Adler' H: P. Sullivan (1971), G: W.A. Moynier, N: W.A. Moynier, I: W.A. Moynier (1977), REG: W.A. Moynier (1980) Fls 5-8/truss, pale purplish pink (56D) with a very narrow (c1.5mm wide) margin of darker pink, and c5mm long pink rays at intersections of lobes. Shrub 0.4 × 0.7m in 7 years. Main flush of flowering in October-December

(a) **'Cliveanum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Henderson & Co. (1852), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(r) **Cliveanum Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (s) × *arboreum* subsp. *cinnamomeum* var. *album* R: Iveson, N: J. Lindley (1849), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls delicate pink, spotted deep crimson on dorsal lobes. Lvs with a ferruginous indumentum below. Syn: 'Duchess of Northumberland', Duchesse de Northumberland' (Perhaps the 'Cliveanum' of C. Gheldorf cat., 1844)

(r) **'Clive Lissenden'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown G: C. & S. Lissenden (1994), N: S. Lissenden (1994), REG: S. Lissenden (1995) Fls 14-18/loose, domed truss, funnel-shaped, 70 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (54A) in bud, opening white inside; outside white tinged deep purplish pink (58D); lower lobe spotted deep purplish red (59B). Calyx 11mm long, strong pink (50C). Lvs elliptic, 210 × 70mm, upcurved at margins, matt green above, obtuse at base, acute at apex, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 1.0m in 4 years. October-November (Australia)

(r) **'Clivia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Manderley' × *yakushimanum* H: E.A. Stöckmann (1969), N: E.A. Stöckmann (1981) Fls light red outside, paler and with light pink margins inside and very few reddish spots on an almost white ground

(r) **Clodion Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: 'Praecox' (s) × *cinnabarinum* Roylei Group I: G.M. Adams-Acton (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dull claret

(r) **'Cloe'** (See note under 'Chloe')

(v) **'Clorinda'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Jasminiflorum Carminatum' × 'Minerva' I: J. Veitch & Sons (1907), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep carmine rose (Veitch, 1907); dull rose pink (1958 Register). AM 1912 (Sometimes seen as 'Chlorinda'. Perhaps the 'Clarinda' (sic) listed by W. Bull (1891) described as very delicate blush pink with crimped 'petals')

(a) **'Clothilde'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1851), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Clothilde'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Byls (pre 1869), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Clothilde'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with orange-yellow spots

(v) **'Cloth of Gold'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *javanicum* var. *teysmannii* × 'Lord Wolseley' R: J. Veitch & Sons, N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65mm wide, pale golden yellow. AM 1896

(a) **'Clotilde'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: H. Hesse (1904), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with rose streaks. Ghent

(r) **Clotted Cream Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Neda Group (s) × *auriculatum* H: Lord Aberconway (1933), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 7-8/truss, trumpet-shaped, tube 65mm long, 5-6-lobed, light yellow (10C). Lvs long and slender, dull green above. AM 1942

(a) **'Cloud Cap'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Helen Close' × 'Madrigal' R: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1970) Fls with partially petaloid stamens, 2-4/truss, up to 70mm wide, pure white, with a yellow blotch (10Y 9/9). Lvs 45 × 20mm. Shrub 0.45m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Clouded Yellow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* hybrid L: Wallace & Co. (1930), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Cloud Nine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Blushing Bride' × 'Rosebud' R: H. Kerrigan (pre 1987), N: H. Kerrigan Fls double, white

(r) **'Cloud Nine'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × 'Madonna' (Gable) (s) × 'Boule de Neige' H: C.R. & V. Haag (1963), G: C.R. & V. Haag (1972), N: C.R. & V. Haag, I: C.R. & V. Haag (1975), REG: C.R. & V. Haag (1980) Fls 12/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, with 7 smooth to wavy-edged lobes, flushed pink at the edges in bud, opening white, the dorsal lobe with a 40 × 25mm green fern (0862/3) blotch and peripheral spotting; scented. Calyx very small. Lvs oblanceolate to narrowly elliptic, 125-145 × 45mm, acute at apex, cuneate to slightly oblique at base, flat, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 16 years. Mid May

(a) **'Cloud Scarf'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft lavender. Kurume

(r) **'Cloud Twelve'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Charles S. Sargent' × 'Lodestar' (s) × 'Great Lakes' H: O.S. Pride (1963), G: O.S. Pride, N: O.S. Pride, I: O.S. Pride

(r) **Clove Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *sperabile* (s) × *sanguineum* subsp. *sanguineum* var. *haemaleum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blood crimson. Shrub 1.2m. April-May

(r) **'Clover Coe'** cv. Parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: Planting Fields Arboretum (pre 1978), N: Planting Fields Arboretum (pre 1978) (Sometimes listed in error as 'Clever Coe')

(r) **'Clowesianum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W. Rollisson & Sons, N: W. Rollisson & Sons, I: W. Rollisson & Sons (pre 1847), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear white, with black spots on the dorsal lobe. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Clown'** (See 'The Clown')

(a) **'Clyde'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: F.E.W. Hanger, G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society (1960), REG: Royal Horticultural Society (1961) Fls 12/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 75 × 80mm, with wavy-edged lobes, white, tinted pink, with heavy orange spotting on the dorsal lobe. Lvs 90-100 × 40mm, mid green. Shrub at least 1.4 × 1.9m. Mid-late May. *HC 1960. Knap Hill

(r) **'Clyde Wesche'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lem's Cameo' (s) × 'Sierra del Oro' H: W.A. Stipe (1995), G: W.A. Stipe (1998), N: W.A. Stipe (1999), REG: W.A. Stipe (2000) Fls 15/ball truss, funnel-campanulate, 50 × 75mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (51A) in bud, opening inside moderate purplish pink (54D) at edge, shading to a light orange (29B) throat, with a small deep pink (50B) basal blotch; outside light pink (50D). Calyx 13mm long, deep yellowish pink (39B). Lvs elliptic, 65 × 30mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, margins flat, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.5 × 0.4m in 4 years. Midseason

(r) **'Clyne Blue'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *niveum* hybrid R: A.W. Heneage-Vivian (pre 1931), N: A.W. Heneage-Vivian, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish mauve

(r) **'Clyne Blush'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *grande* (s) × *hodgsonii* R: A.W. Heneage-Vivian, N: A.W. Heneage-Vivian, I: A.W. Heneage-Vivian (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) (Elsae Group)

(r) **'Clyne Castle'** (Listed in UK (1988) under *niveum.* Perhaps the same as 'Clyne Blue')

(r) **'Clyne Cerise'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *grande* (s) × *hodgsonii* R: A.W. Heneage-Vivian, N: A.W. Heneage-Vivian, I: A.W. Heneage-Vivian (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) (Elsae Group)

(r) **'Clyne Cream'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *falconeri* hybrid R: A.W. Heneage-Vivian (pre 1931), N: A.W. Heneage-Vivian, INC: ICRA (1958) (May be part of the Elsae Group; see note under 'Elsae')

(r) **'Clyne Elsae'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *grande* (s) × *hodgsonii* R: A.W. Heneage-Vivian, N: A.W. Heneage-Vivian, I: A.W. Heneage-Vivian (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c30/truss, c50 × 45mm, pale fuchsia purple (28/3), edges stained a deeper shade (28/2). Lvs oblanceolate, 250 × 75mm, mid green above, with a light, pale fawn tomentum below. AM 1940 (Elsae Group)

(r) **'Clyne Pearl'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *grande* (s) × *hodgsonii* R: A.W. Heneage-Vivian, N: A.W. Heneage-Vivian, I: A.W. Heneage-Vivian (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) (Elsae Group)

(r) **'Clyne Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *grande* (s) × *hodgsonii* R: A.W. Heneage-Vivian, N: A.W. Heneage-Vivian, I: A.W. Heneage-Vivian (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Elsae Group

(r) **'Clyto'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'C. Maarschalk'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: M. Koster & Son (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange, with a purple blotch. Syn: 'Charles Maarschalk'. Mollis (Sources differ in attributing this either to *molle* subsp. *japonicum* or *molle* subsp. *japonicum* × *molle* subsp. *molle*)

(a) **'CNC 2'** (Syn. of 'Dawn Lovell')

(a) **'CNC 3'** (Syn. of 'Mary Caroline')

(a) **'CNC Pinko'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R.W. Pennington (pre 1987), N: R.W. Pennington Fls pink

(r) **Coalition Group** gp Parentage unknown R: R. Gill & Sons (pre 1922), N: R. Gill & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright cerise pink or bright salmon red, paler in some forms, without or with crimson spots at the base and no stamens; style ivory white, long projecting. AM 1922

(r) **'Coals of Fire'** (Not a cultivar epithet but a working field name or nickname coined by Kingdon Ward for *cerasinum* collected by him on the Doshong La, Tibet (KW5830). Fls intense scarlet, with large, jet black nectaries)

(r) **'Coastal Spice'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Fragrantissimum' × *burmanicum* (s) × *edgeworthii* (Bodnant form) H: J.W. Gerdemann (1986), G: J.W. Gerdemann, N: J.W. Gerdemann (2002), REG: J.W. Gerdemann (2002) Fls 4-5/truss, open funnel-campanulate, 75 × 100mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, strong red (53B) in bud, opening inside white (155C) flushed light yellow (12C) and with an irregular strong red (53D) flare on dorsal lobe, which pales with age to light pink; outside opening strong red (53D) and paling with age to white (155C) with light pink streaks on midveins; strongly scented. Calyx c7-15mm long, 5-lobed: 2 dorsal lobes c15mm long, fused almost to apex, very hairy, non-fading strong red (53B-C); laterals slightly shorter, not fused to dorsals, more pointed and hairier, also non-fading (53B-C); ventral lobe c7mm long, rounded at apex, light green, hairy. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 40mm, with deeply impressed veins, acute at apex, rounded at base, glossy and deep green above, with inconspicuous scales below; petioles hairy. Dense shrub, 2.0 × 1.8m in 12 years. April-May. Syn: 'Dan's Commercial'

(r) **'Cobalt'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: Blue Diamond Group × *russatum* R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, REG: C. Ingram (1969) Fls deep blue. Small shrub

(a) **'Coburgii'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1826), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Seen in some later lists as 'Coburghii' or 'Cobourghii')

(a) **'Cocarde Orange'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: E. van Coppenolle (pre 1873), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double (with a central pompom of 'petals'), pure orange, with an amaranth red blotch. Indian

(a) **'Coccineum'** (Syn. of 'Amoenum Coccineum')

(a) **'Coccineum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1826), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet. Ghent (In the early lists as "Nudiflora Coccinea")

(a) **'Coccineum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: unknown (c 1835), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet. Indian

(a) **'Coccineum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1877), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Listed as well as "Nudiflora Coccinea" in Rollisson's catalogue)

(r) **'Coccineum'** (Listed by Salley & Greer (1986) as a form of *ferrugineum.* Probably an error for *ferrugineum* var. *atrococcineum* Bean (1951))

(r) **'Coccineum'** Syn. of 'Nobleanum Coccineum'

(r) **'Coccineum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958) (Perhaps raised by J.Ivery. Seen listed under *ponticum* and *catawbiense.* Possibly synonymous with 'Altaclerense Coccineum')

(a) **'Coccineum Aurantium'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as "Calendulacea Coccinea Aurantia")

(a) **'Coccineum Crispum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1811), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Coccineum Discolor'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1838), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Coccineum Elegans'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Coccineum Grandiflorum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1840), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls intense, glowing orange-red, tube vermilion orange, blotch brilliant orange. Ghent

(a) **'Coccineum Grandiflorum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1841), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Perhaps raised by Smith)

(r) **'Coccineum Grandiflorum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as a form or hybrid of *arboreum* L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Coccineum Intermedium'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Whitley & Osborn (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Shrub 1.0-1.5m. Ghent

(a) **'Coccineum Major'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1811), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blood red. Shrub 1.0-1.5m. Ghent

(a) **'Coccineum Major'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably an *indicum* selection L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1847), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 1-2/truss, 65mm wide, orange-red, with inconspicuous darker spots; stamens 5; pistil often deformed. Lvs dark green. Late. Indian

(a) **'Coccineum Maritimum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Verleeuwen (1835), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Coccineum Maximum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Verleeuwen (1835), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep scarlet. Ghent

(r) **'Coccineum Mirabile'** cv. Parentage unknown L: A. Henderson & Co. (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet

(a) **'Coccineum Praecox'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1826), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Coccineum Pubescens'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1839), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(r) **'Coccineum Punctatum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W. Rollisson & Sons (pre 1857), N: W. Rollisson & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson scarlet, richly spotted on all lobes. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Coccineum Roseum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Coccineum Semiplenum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Coccineum Speciosum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: L. Sénéclause (pre 1836), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls brilliant orange-red (vivid yellowish pink (30C)), with a strong orange blotch (24A). Shrub c3.0m. Midseason. Ghent

(a) **'Coccineum Superbum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Ivery (c 1838), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet red, with many brown dots. Indian

(r) **'Cocheco Elf'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × *haematodes* × *yakushimanum* × unknown H: J.B. Parks (1985), G: J.B. Parks, N: J.B. Parks, REG: J.B. Parks (2000) Fls 12/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 70 × 50mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, inside light purple (75A-B) shading paler towards centre, with a dorsal blotch composed of spots paler than moderate yellow-green (146D), outside very pale purple (75D). Lvs obovate, 100 × 40mm, cuneate at base, obtuse at apex, with wavy margins, dull and dark to deep yellowish green (139A-141A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.3 × 0.9m in 16 years. Late May

(r) **'Cocheco Peaches 'n' Cream'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ice Cube' (s) × un-named Dexter hybrid H: J.B. Parks (1983), G: J.B. Parks, N: J.B. Parks, REG: J.B. Parks (2000) Fls 13/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 80mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, light purple (77D) in bud, opening inside paler than very pale purple (76D), with large, discrete spots of greyish yellow-green (195B) to light greyish olive (197C) on the dorsal lobe and portions of adjacent lobes; outside very pale purple (76D). Calyx c1mm long, paler than light yellow-green (138D). Lvs elliptic, 145 × 40mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, margins flat, semi-glossy and strong yellow-green (144A-B) above, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 2.1m in 17 years. Early June

(r) **'Cocheco Purple Passion'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Roseum Elegans' (s) × 'Olin O. Dobbs' H: J.B. Parks (1983), G: J.B. Parks, N: J.B. Parks, REG: J.B. Parks (2000) Fls 20/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, dark purple (79B) in bud, opening inside strong purple (82B), with a nearly white blotch on the lower half of the dorsal lobe (the blotch spotted with dark purple (79B)); outside vivid reddish purple (78A). Lvs elliptic, 145 × 65mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, margins flat, dull and moderate olive green (137B) to moderate yellow-green (137C) above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 17 years. Early June

(r) **'Cocheco Raspberry Swirl'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Boule de Neige' (s) × 'Henry's Red' H: J.B. Parks (1985), G: J.B. Parks, N: J.B. Parks, REG: J.B. Parks (2000) Fls 14-15/conical truss, broadly funnel-

shaped, 38 × 40mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside strong purplish red (71B-C), with five, pale yellow-green (155A) flares extending upwards c13mm from base of each lobe and with dark red (59A) dorsal spotting; outside strong purplish red (71D). Lvs elliptic, 125 × 45mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins flat, dull and moderate yellow-green (137C) to moderate yellowish green (137D) above, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.0m in 9 years. Early June

(r) **'Cocheco Sweet Perfume'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Amethyst Ice' (s) × unidentified Dexter hybrid H: J.B. Parks (1985), G: J.B. Parks, N: J.B. Parks, REG: J.B. Parks (2000) Fls 10-12/flat truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45 × 60mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (70D) in bud, opening very pale purple (almost white), the inside very pale purple (69D), the outside very pale purple (69C); no prominent markings; strongly scented; apparently male sterile. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 55mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins upcurved, dull and moderate olive green (137B) above, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.1m in 14 years. Late May

(a) **'Cochran's Lavender'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Anytime' × 'Herbert' R: N.Carolina/Louisiana State Univ., N: N.Carolina/Louisiana State Univ., I: N.Caroline/Louisiana State Univ. (1981) Fls single, with an occasional petaloid stamen, 1-3/truss, 100mm wide, pale lavender pink, with darker dorsal spotting. Shrub to 1.2m. (Galle (1987) gives 'Hampton', not 'Anytime', as the first parent)

(r) **'Coch-y-Bondhu'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Fabia Tangerine' × 'Tally Ho' (selfed) H: Waterer (Bagshot) (1960), G: Waterer (Bagshot) (1968), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975) Fls flushed apricot in bud, opening pale primrose yellow with a green-yellow eye. Lvs 75 × 40mm. Early June

(a) **'Cockade'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls vivid reddish orange. Indian (Probably an error for 'Cocarde Orange')

(a) **'Cockatoo'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 7-14/compact, broadly rounded truss, 60-70mm wide, vivid orange-yellow, with dark orange markings on the dorsal lobe. Late May-early June. Knap Hill

(r) **'Cock of the Rock'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* (s) × Rose Mangles Group R: S.R. Clarke, N: S.R. Clarke, I: S.R. Clarke (1932), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls somewhat pendulous, tubular, clear orange inside, outside suffused ruby red on an orange ground. Lvs ovate, acuminate, with a light brown tomentum below. AM 1932

(a) **'Cocktail'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' × 'Willy' (s) × 'Mrs Carmichael' × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50mm wide, white, with moderate red stripes; frequently sporting to give segmented and solid red fls. Shrub to 1.5m. Midseason. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Cocktails for Two'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, pink, with a golden yellow flare; scented. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Early June

(a) **'Coco'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Mevrouw Gerard Kint' × un-named seedling R: Bernd Jackst GbR (1992), N: Bernd Jackst GbR, I: Bernd Jackst GbR, REG: Bernd Jackst GbR (1998) Fls single, pink

(a) **'Cocoa Path'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: I.L. Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L. Amann Fls 65mm wide, strong red (46A). Shrub to 1.5m. Late

(r) **'Coconut Ice'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' (s) × ? *aberconwayi* G: Pukeiti Rhododendron Trust, N: G.F. Smith, I: Pukeiti Rhododendron Trust, REG: G.F. Smith (1984) Fls 20-21/truss, 30 × 50mm, funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, camellia rose in bud (622/1), opening white with camellia rose lobe edges and red dorsal spotting (which fades). Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs oblong-elliptic, 80 × 35mm, margins revolute; young lvs with a thin, light tan indumentum. Shrub to 0.5m in 10 years. (Grown from open-pollinated seed from Pukeiti)

(a) **'Cocquette de Gand'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C. Vervaene (pre 1865), N: C. Vervaene, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'C.O.D.'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: possibly a subsect. *Fortunea* hybrid H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), N: S.A. Everitt, I: S.A. Everitt, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale yellow (603/3) to white, deeper yellow (64/3) in the throat and blotched deeper yellow; outside slightly flushed rose

(r) **'Codorus Group'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *racemosum* (s) × *minus* R: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink

(r) **'Coeleste'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Vervaene (1864), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Coelestine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, single, strong purplish red (58B), with an average of 7 stamens. Calyx normal, green. Lvs small. Habit of *kiusianum*. Late. Indian (Considered to be a "very old cultivar.... probably from Germany", in Galle, 1985)

(a) **'Coelestine Superbum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1954), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Coelestine White'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Dresdener Coelestine' × un-named seedling R: K. Glaser (c 1958), N: K. Glaser, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, white, with an average of 6 stamens. Syn: 'White Coelestine'. Indian

(r) **'Coelestinum'** (Syn. of 'Cunningham's White')

(r) **'Coelestinum'** cv. Perhaps a derivative of *catawbiense* R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1850), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush, with a yellow eye

(r) **'Coelestinum Grandiflorum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid L: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1867), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Coelestinum Pictum'** (Syn. of 'Pictum')

(r) **'Coer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Romala' (s) × *arboreum* subsp. *delavayi* H: J.B. Stevenson (1937), G: J.B. Stevenson, N: J.B. Stevenson, I: J.B. Stevenson (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(a) **'Coerulescens'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Verleeuwen (1835), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Sometimes seen as 'Caerulescens')

(a) **'Coerulescens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1840), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bluish purple, with reddish dorsal spots. Indian (Listed in *Florists Journal*, 1840; sometimes seen as 'Caerulescens')

(r) **'Coerulescens'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *ponticum* L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1826), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Coerulescens Daphnoides'** (Syn. of 'Daphnoides')

(a) **'Coeruleum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1841), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Coe's Pink Beauty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1965) Fls deep pink. Indian

(a) **'Coffee'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.S. Yeates (pre 1985), N: J.S. Yeates

(r) **'Coker's Choice'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ivan D. Wood' × 'Coker's Pink' H: R.J. Coker (1982), G: R.J. Coker (1985), N: R.J. Coker (1992), REG: R.J. Coker (1992) Fls 12/conical truss, 65 × 110mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, buds strong purplish pink (62A), opening inside pale purplish pink (62D) to pale yellow-green (155A); outside strong purplish pink (62A); moderate red (180C) spots; style yellow; stamens yellow to tan. Lvs oblanceolate, 185 × 55mm, margins slightly wavy, matt green above, more-or-less obtuse at apex, hairless. Shrub 2.5 × 1.0m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Coker's Misty Dawn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Edith Carey' H: Mrs A.M. Coker (1982), G: R.J. Coker (1994), N: R.J. Coker (1997), REG: R.J. Coker (1998) Fls 21/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 85 × 85mm, with 7 wavy-edgedlobes, strong purplish pink (63C) in bud, inside opening white, fading to light purplish pink (62C), outside moderate purplish pink (62B) fading to white as it ages; light yellow-green (145B) spots on dorsal corolla. Calyx 2mm long, pale green. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 50mm, margins flat, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 2.0m in 15 years. Midseason

(r) **'Coker's Pink'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Mrs R.J. Coker (pre 1977), N: Mrs R.J. Coker, REG: Mrs R.J. Coker (1980) Fls moderate pink (51D), shading to light pink (50D). Shrub 1.2-1.5m in 10 years

(a) **'Colbertii'** (Syn. of 'Fred Colbert')

(r) **'Coldstream'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Snow Queen' × unknown H: A.E. Hardy, G: A.E. Hardy, N: A.E. Hardy, I: A.E. Hardy, REG: A.E. Hardy (1972) Fls 10-12/rounded truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 100mm, 7-lobed, white, suffused pale greenish yellow (2D) in the upper throat and lightly spotted green. Calyx lobes irregular, up to 3mm long. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 140mm long. Early June. AM 1972

(r) **'Colehurst'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* Houlstonii Group × 'Van Nes Sensation' H: V.J. Boulter, G: V.J. Boulter, N: V.J. Boulter, I: V.J. Boulter, REG: V.J. Boulter (1978) Fls 14/truss, pale purplish pink (56A), with a creamy white centre. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 25mm. Shrub 0.6m

(a) **'Coleman's Candy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Malvaticum' × 'Hosei' R: R.D. Gartrell (pre 1981), N: Cripple Creek Nursery Fls 75mm wide, with broad lobes (wavy-edged at tips), strong yellowish pink (38A), with a strong red blotch. Shrub to 0.8m

(a) **'Coleman's Early Yellow'** cv. Deciduous azalea: possibly *austrinum* × *alabamense* R: S.D. Coleman (pre 1985), N: S.D. Coleman Fls light yellow

(r) **'Colibri'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Louis Pasteur' (s) × *yakushimanum* H: J. Bruns Nursery (1968), G: J. Bruns Nursery (1972), N: J. Bruns Nursery (1987), I: J. Bruns Nursery (1987), REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1995) Fls 10-17/broad, rounded, slightly loose truss, funnel-shaped, 35-40 × 35-50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong rosy red in bud, opening inside light pink, outside strong, pink; very few, small, red spots. Calyx 1-2mm long, greenish red, tomentose. Lvs elliptic, 60-95 × 29-35mm, margins decurved, rounded at base, apiculate at apex, slightly glossy green above, with a light grey indumentum which ages to brownish. Shrub 1.05 × 1.8m in 26 years, of compact habit. Early-mid May. (Published in *Rhododendron- und Azaleenzüchtung in Deutschland*, part II, 1930-1988 (1989))

(r) **'Colina'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *williamsianum* (s) × 'Sir Charles Lemon' H: D.W. Goheen (1963), G: D.W. Goheen (1970), N: D.W. Goheen, I: L.W. Bulgin, REG: D.W. Goheen (1990) Fls 14-16/ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 51 × 51mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, buds light yellowish pink (38D), opening to clear, unmarked white. Calyx minute, green. Lvs ovate, 76 × 51mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cordate at base, hairless and glossy above, hairless below. Shrub 2.1 × 1.8m in 20 years. Late March-early April

(a) **'Colin Kenrick'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pale pink; scented. Knap Hill (Has sometimes been listed in error as 'Colin Kendrick')

(a) **'Colleen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* (s) × 'Maxwellii' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 3-10/truss, 50mm wide, geranium pink, with variable blotching. Shrub to 2.2m. Late April-early May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Colleen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' × 'Arthur Bedford' R: H.E. Greer (pre 1971), N: H.E. Greer

(a) **'Colleen Becker'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith Fls 80mm wide, strong purplish red (54A), with a strong red (53C) blotch. Shrub 1.2m in 8 years. (See *The Azalean* 4(1):1-5 (1982) for details of parentage, under Hinkley Group)

(a) **'Colleen Fahey'** cv. Evergreen azalea: described as a *simsii* cultivar R: R.M. Davidson (pre 1994), N: R.M. Davidson

(r) **'College'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from Scarlet King Group R: New Zealand (pre 1979), N: New Zealand

(r) **'College Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Noyo Chief' (s) × unknown H: New Zealand Rhododendron Association, G: Massey College, N: New Zealand Rhododendron Association, REG: G.F. Smith (1984) Fls 14-15/truss, 50 × 70mm, 5-lobed, rose bengal (25/1) in bud, opening 25/2, paler in throat. Calyx 1mm long, with a pink rim. Lvs elliptic, 150-160 × 50-65mm, hairless. Shrub to c2.0m

(r) **'Collingwood Ingram'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *trichostomum* Ledoides Group G: P.A. Cox (1968), REG: Lady Anne Palmer (1976) Fls 16-20/capitate truss, tubular, 7-15 × 10-15mm, 5-lobed, deep to strong purplish pink (67C-D), paler in throat. Calyx 5mm long, pale green. Lvs linear to oblong-lanceolate, 20 × 5mm, dark green and lightly scaly above, more densely brownish yellow scaly below. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m. May-June. FCC 1976

(r) **'Collinsonii'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as a *caucasicum* selection)

(r) **'Colonel'** (See 'The Colonel')

(a) **'Colonel Alexander Hamilton'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Sweetheart Supreme' R: D.J. Cole (post 1970), N: D.J. Cole Fls hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, light purple. Mid April

(r) **'Colonel Coen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown, but probably involves *ponticum* H: E. Ostbo, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep purple, with dark spots. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Colonel Coryton'** (Syn. of 'Pentilly Scarlet')

(a) **'Colonel F.R. Durham'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: L.J. Endtz & Co. (1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, brilliant yellow, with faint, pale greenish yellow spots. Shrub up to 4.0m. AM 1930. Mollis

(r) **'Colonel Greg'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R.H. Greg (c 1910), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet

(a) **'Colonel Hinckley'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid R: W.D. Smith (pre 1982), N: W.D. Smith Fls 75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red. (See *The Azalean* 4(1):1 (1982) for notes on parentage)

(a) **'Colonel John Laurens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Sweetheart Supreme' R: D.J. Cole (post 1970), N: D.J. Cole Fls hose-in-hose, light pink. Lvs light green. Mid April

(r) **Colonel Lynde Group** gp Parentage unknown R: T. Methven & Son (pre 1890), N: T. Methven & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale purple

(a) **'Colonel Pynaert'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* L: Cuthberts (1912), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange and red. Mollis

(r) **'Colonel Rémy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Hawk Group × *campylocarpum* H: E. de Rothschild, G: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild, REG: E. de Rothschild (1978) Fls up to 13/compact truss, open campanulate, up to 35 × 60mm, 5-lobed, inside pale greenish yellow (2D), brilliant greenish yellow (2B) on reverse. Calyx lobes large, green, fringed with red, glandular hairs. Lvs lanceolate-ovate, dull green above. AM 1978

(r) **Colonel Rogers Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *falconeri* (s) × *niveum* I: Rogers (1926), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish rose. Lvs large, with a thick, rusty red indumentum below. Shrub to 5.0m. April-May. Syn: Trevarrick Group (Said to have been first shown without a name in 1882)

(r) **'Colonel Rougemont'** cv. Parentage unknown R: A. van Geert (pre 1869), N: A. van Geert, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Colonel Thorneycroft'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Sunningdale Nurseries (1955), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Colonel Timothy Pickering'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Hino-crimson' R: D.J. Cole (post 1970), N: D.J. Cole Fls single, 40mm wide, light red. Small, compact shrub

(r) **'Colonel van Geert'** cv. Parentage unknown L: H. Laurentius (1869), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Colorado'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 55mm wide, vivid purplish red (57C). Indian

(a) **'Colorado'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt, I: E.A. Merritt (c 1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, strong pink (48C). Lvs dark green. Kurume

(r) **'Colorama'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Abe Arnott' (s) × 'White Blue Peter' H: W.E. Delp (1991), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls 14/truss, with very wavy-edged lobes, strong and vivid purple (83C-D, 82A) in bud, opening strong, light and very pale purple (84A, B, C, D) with a yellowish white (158C) flare and moderate red (183C) dorsal spots; filaments greenish white (157D); style pale yellow-green (157B); anthers yellowish white (158D); stigma dark red (183A). Shrub 0.9 × 0.6m in 4 years. (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(a) **'Colorans'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Knight (c 1843), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet rose red, the dorsal lobes deep purple. Indian

(a) **'Coloratum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Loddiges & Sons (1814), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Listed as "Nudiflora Colorata")

(a) **'Coloratura'** cv. Deciduous azalea: derived from *cumberlandense* × *arborescens* G: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach (1961), I: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1962) Fls 6/truss, 53mm wide, strong purplish red (51A), with an orange blotch. Lvs 65 × 22mm. Early June. (Seeds received from a collector as "*R.fainii*")

(r) **'Colorburst'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nova Zembla' (s) × *strigillosum* × 'Essex Scarlet' H: J. Looye (1987), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 10/truss, open funnel-shaped, 53 × 67mm, 5-lobed, deep and dark red (53A, 59A) in bud, opening to a blend of deep and strong red and strong purplish red (53A, B, 60A, B) and with dark red (187A) dorsal spots; filaments and style dark red (187B); anthers moderate purplish red (59C); stigma dark red (187A). Lvs 127 × 38mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.5 × 0.3m in 5 years. Early June

(r) **'Color Buster'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Skeeter Hill' (s) × 'Robert Weldon H: W.E. Delp (1984), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 10/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 43 × 57mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, moderate and strong red (47A, 46A) in bud, opening white, edged deep purplish pink (54B) and strong pink (54C), with a light greenish yellow (1C) flare and greyish red (178A) dorsal spots; stigma vivid red (45A). Lvs 76 × 38mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base. Shrub 1.7 × 1.6m in 8 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Color Coded'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Wizard' (s) × 'Peach Lady' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (48A) and pale yellow (19C) in bud, opening light greenish yellow (4B, C) and pale yellow-green (4D), edged deep pink (48B), with strong yellow-green (144A) spots on the dorsal lobes; filaments light yellow-green (144D); style strong yellow-green (144B); anthers moderate orange (166D); stigma greyish red (176A). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Color Crusher'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: (*vernicosum* aff.(Rock 18139) × Gable's cream *fortunei*) × 'Mary Belle' (s) × *maximum* H: T.L. Ring (1977), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 14/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 60 × 70mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63A, B) and strong to light purplish pink (63C, D) in bud, opening to a blend of moderate, light and pale purplish pink (65A-D), with a brilliant greenish yellow (2B) throat and flare and sparse, brilliant greenish yellow (1B) dorsal spots; filaments and style pale greenish yellow (1D); anthers deep pink (185D); stigma brilliantyellow-green (150C). Lvs 102 × 38mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.4m in 15 years. Early June

(r) **'Colorific'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vinecrest' × 'Marypat' (s) × 'Wizard' × (*aureum* × 'Dead Ringer') H: A.W. Smith (1987), G: W.E. Delp (1994), N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 6/truss, open funnel-shaped, 41 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes and some petaloid stamens, deep and moderate pink (51B-D) and pale yellow (18D) in bud, opening pale yellow (158A, B), edged deep pink (51B, C); filaments pale yellow-green (157A); style light yellow-green (144D); anthers pale purplish pink (55D); stigma strong yellow green (144A). Lvs 76 × 25mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m in 5 years. Early June

(a) **'Coloris Novi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: D. Vervaene, N: D. Vervaene, I: D. Vervaene (1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, dark carmine, with a brown blotch. Indian

(r) **'Color Me Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Midsummer' (s) × 'Delp's Red Max' H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 20/pyramidal truss, open funnel-shaped, 43 × 64mm, 5-lobed, vivid reddish purple (74B) in bud, opening very pale purple (75D), edged with a blend of moderate and light purplish pink (74D, 73C) and very pale purple (73D) and with strong orange-yellow (22A) dorsal spots; filaments and style pale yellow-green (155A); anthers pale orange-yellow (165D); stigma strong orange (168A). Lvs 127 × 29mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.3 × 1.2m in 18 years. Late June

(r) **'Color Purple'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goody Goody' (s) × 'Goody Goody' H: W.E. Delp (1990), G: W.E. Delp (1993), N: Mrs V. Delp, I: Crystalaire Rhododendron Naturescapes, REG: J.D. Harris (1996) Fls 14/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, c45 × 60mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong and vivid purple (83D, 82A-B) in bud, opening with a very pale purple

(76D) central star, edged strong and light purple (84A, 85A), and with dark red (187A-C) dorsal spots; filaments very pale purple (76D); style greenish white (157D); anthers pale orange-yellow (159B); stigma strong yellow-green (145A). Lvs 105 × 50mm, rounded at base, broadly acute at apex. Shrub 1.0 × 0.75m in 6 years. Early June. (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located,* Salley (1995))

(a) **'Colossus'** cv. Deciduous azalea: wild origin selection from *calendulaceum* S: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1972) Fls 60-100mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish orange (32A), with red lines and a strong orange (26A) blotch. Shrub 1.0 × 0.4m in 10 years. (Collected from Burningtown Gap, North Carolina, USA)

(r) **'Colts Neck Rose'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* (s) × *dauricum* H: G.D. Lewis (1970), G: G.D. Lewis (1974), N: G.D. Lewis, REG: G.D. Lewis (1988) Fls 4-5/bud (with 2-3 buds/shoot tip), open funnel-shaped, 29 × 35mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (72A) in bud, opening strong reddish purple (72C) with dark red (59A) spotting on dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 54 × 25mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, scaly above; winter colour dark red (59A). Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 15 years. Late April. (Published in The Cummins Garden cat., 1982)

(a) **'Columba'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Schulz (1879), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white, with heavy carmine-red dots and stripes. Indian

(a) **'Columba'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Palestrina' × 'Esmeralda' H: R. Kondratovičs (1972), G: R. Kondratovičs (1976), N: R. Kondratovičs, I: Botanical Garden,University of Latvia (1986) Fls single, 1-3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 30-35mm wide, 5-lobed, white with slight green shading. Calyx 3mm long, light green. Lvs broadly ovate, 15-30 × up to 15mm, light green, hairy. Shrub 0.35 × 0.36m. February-March (under cool glass).

(a) **'Columbia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt, I: E.A. Merritt (c 1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, single, deep pink. Kurume

(r) **'Columbia Glory'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.A. Ragan (1969), G: W.A. Ragan (1977), N: W.A. & J.E. Ragan, REG: W.A. & J.E. Ragan (1988) Fls 16/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 32 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, dark pink in bud, opening white with strong purplish red (71C) edging (c6mm wide) and a slight pink blush in the throat. Lvs narrowly oblong, 178 × 64mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m. in 18 years. Mid May

(r) **'Columbia Sunset'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* × Azor Group R: G.L. Baker, N: G.L. Baker, REG: G.L. Baker (1967) Fls up to 14/truss, funnel-campanulate, up to 65 × 100mm, with wavy-edged lobes, deep, intense pink, with a deep red centre; red in bud. Lvs to 140 × 40mm, with a light fawn indumentum below, dark green above. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 10 years

(a) **'Columbina'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Hardy azalea

(a) **'Columbine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 80mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, between deep yellowish pink and vivid red, with a carmine blotch. Indian

(a) **'Columbus'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: Gebr Kersbergen, N: Gebr Kersbergen, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. Mollis

(r) **'Columbus'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: L.L. Liebig (pre 1867), N: L.L. Liebig, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark purple, with a white centre.

(r) **'Columbus'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale flesh, fading to white, with a blotch of yellow spots. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Colville'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *minus* Carolinianum Group R: N.R. Colville, S: N.R. Colville (1961), N: Mrs N.R. Colville (1983), REG: Mrs N.R. Colville (1983) Fls 9-10/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 25 × 45mm, 5-lobed, light purplish pink (73C), suffused deep to strong purplish pink (73B & 73A), paling at base to very pale purple (73D). Calyx 1mm long, greenish. Lvs narrowly ovate, 65 × 40mm, with pitted, reddish brown scales below. AM 1968

(a) **'Colwell's Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Camellia Grove Nursery (1954) Fls single, bright fuchsia pink. Early

(a) **'Colyer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C.E. Brown, N: C.E. Brown (1950), I: D. Stewart & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 6-10/compact, domed truss, funnel-shaped, 35 × 50mm, cyclamen purple (between 30/1 & 30/2), spotted crimson on dorsal lobe at throat. Shrub to 0.8m. *AM 1959, *FCC 1985

(a) **'Comanche'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Phoeniceum' (s) × unknown R: K.M. Marsh, N: K.M Marsh, REG: K.M. Marsh (1969) Fls 3-6/truss, rich clear salmon. Lvs 95 × 25mm. Shrub 0.9m

(a) **'Comble de Gloire'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1859), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(r) **Comely Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* subsp. *xanthocodon* Concatenans Group × Lady Chamberlain Group H: Lord Aberconway (1939), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-yellow

(a) **'Come Quickly'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *cumberlandense* R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls apricot orange. Late June

(a) **'Come Running'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *cumberlandense* R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls vivid orange-red. Late June

(a) **'Comet'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple, spotted. Indian

(a) **'Comet'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1866), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright salmon scarlet, with dorsal lobes tinted violet. Indian

(a) **'Comet'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Maxwellii' × 'Snow' R: USDA, N: USDA (1954), I: USDA, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3-4/truss, hose-in-hose, 50-65mm wide, pink. Shrub as wide as high. (Derived from the work of G.E.Yerkes & R.L.Pryor)

(r) **'Comet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid L: Standish & Noble (1847), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson puce (Standish & Noble); fiery crimson (Fraser, 1875); scarlet (J. Veitch & Sons, 1881). Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Comet'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *formosum* × *edgeworthii* R: L.L. Liebig (pre 1862), N: L.L. Liebig, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, white, with yellow spots

(r) **'Comet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* hybrid H: E.A. Skonieczny (pre 1978)

(r) **'Comité de Rohan'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) (Exhibited at Metz in 1861 by Backès)

(a) **'Comitessa Flandriae'** (See note under 'Comtesse de Flandre')

(r) **'Comleyanum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Gheldolf (1844), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Commanche'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1985) Fls 50mm wide, reddish orange. (Probably raised in New Zealand)

(a) **'Commando'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* × 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Kagetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, 50-65mm wide, rose purple, with a rose blotch. Shrub to 1.5m. Midseason. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Commendens'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Martin & Giraud (1878), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Commercial'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Theodor Findeisen' × 'Easter Greetings' I: A. Haerens (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, deep rose red. Indian

(r) **'Commerzienrath Lottermoser'** cv. Parentage unknown L: H. Laurentius (1869), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Commodore'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kagaribi' (s) × an orange form of *indicum* R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 70-75mm wide, scarlet red, with a heavy blotch of almost confluent amaranth purple dots. Lvs narrow. Shrub to 1.2m. Late April-early May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Commodore'** cv. Parentage unknown R: I. Davies (pre 1896), N: I. Davies, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine rose, with a darker blotch. (Sometimes listed in error as 'Comodore')

(r) **'Commonwealth'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Henry's Red', open-pollinated H: R.W. Mezitt (1975), G: Weston Nurseries (1979), N: R.W. Mezitt, I: Weston Nurseries (1998), REG: R.W. Mezitt (1998) Fls 18/tall, domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, c55 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep red (60A). Calyx 1.5mm long, red/pink. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 50mm, with wavy margins, acute at apex, cuneate at base, decurved, glossy green, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.75m in 7 years. Late May

(a) **'Comosum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Compactum'** Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1867), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Compactum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *indicum* I: K. Wada (pre 1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, orange scarlet. Lvs very small. Compact habit. Indian

(r) **'Compactum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet. (In 1870 J. Standish describes 'Compactum' as rosy lake, with ochre spots)

(r) **'Compactum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *williamsianum* hybrid R: D.G. Hobbie (pre 1988) Fls deep pink in bud, opening light pink. Lvs rounded. Shrub of compact, rounded habit, 0.9m in 10 years

(r) **'Compactum Multiflorum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a *caucasicum* hybrid R: Fisher, Son & Sibray (pre 1929), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 8-12/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 35 × 50mm, blush white, with a ray of brown and greenish brown markings. Calyx very small, deep green. Lvs ovate-lanceolate or elliptic, up to 70 × 23mm, dark green and reticulate above, hairless below. April-May. Syn: 'Multiflorum Compactum' (Perhaps the 'Multiflora Compacta' (sic) listed by G. Morlet in *Horticulture Français*, 1854: 107-111)

(r) **'Compact Yellow'** (Syn. of 'Buttermint')

(r) **'Compeer'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish rose, spotted

(a) **'Comptonii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Compton Mackenzie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid L: C. Smith & Son (1931), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Compton's Brow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *magnificum* (s) × 'Pink Pearl' R: C.B. van Nes & Sons (pre 1922), N: C.B. van Nes & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c15/truss, 60 × 80mm, broadly funnel-campanulate, bright red in bud, opening pale pink, with darker shading externally, and with dorsal crimson spots internally. Calyx lobes 4-6mm long, pink. Lvs elliptic, up to 165 × 55mm, matt green above, minutely felted below. Small to medium-sized shrub.

(r) **'Compton's Brow Scarlet'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls intense scarlet. (Listed as 'Compton's Scarlet' in the 1958 Register but as given here on the Register card)

(r) **'Comstock'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Jalisco Group × Jasper Group H: D.W. James (1955), G: H.E. Greer, N: H.E. Greer, I: H.E. Greer (1965), REG: H.E. Greer (1979) Fls 8/lax truss, 90mm wide, pale orange inside, deepening in throat, outside with pink streaks. Lvs 125 × 75mm. Shrub up to 2.0m

(a) **'Comte Adrien de Germiny'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (pre 1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, salmon rose, dorsal lobe magenta lilac, spotted red-brown or almost black in lower part. FCC 1884. Indian

(r) **'Comte Alfred de Neippertz'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid R: J. Rinz (pre 1864), N: J. Rinz, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls intense blood red, with black spots.

(a) **'Comte Baudouin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1873), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls brownish brick red. Indian

(r) **'Comte Bobrinski'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid L: E.F. André (1864), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, red, spotted on all lobes

(r) **'Comte Buol'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid R: J. Rinz (pre 1864), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet, with black spots

(r) **'Comte Cavour'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rich plum, with a darker eye.

(a) **'Comte Charles de Kerchove de Denterghem'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Versicolor' I: L. van Houtte (1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, bright rose, with white edges and carmine red stripes and dots. Syn: 'Count de Kerkov'. Indian

(a) **'Comte d'Argenteau'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed under *Azalea pontica*)

(a) **'Comte de Barras'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Sweetheart Supreme' R: D.J. Cole (post 1970), N: D.J. Cole Fls hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, strong pink. Mid April.

(r) **'Comte de Beaurecueil'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid L: E.F. André (1864), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet, spotted

(r) **'Comte de Buffon'** cv. Parentage unknown L: A. van Geert (1893), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white at centre, edged bright crimson. (Attributed to Davies by van Geert)

(a) **'Comte de Chambord'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Apollon' I: J. Apers (1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls usually single (sometimes double), 100mm wide, salmon rose, edged and striped white and with a slightly darker rose blotch. FCC 1883. Indian (The same sport occurred in several nurseries independently)

(r) **'Comte de Deux-Brézé'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Moser & Son (pre 1903), N: Moser & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose, with a large, yellow blotch

(a) **'Comte de Flandre'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte (c 1843), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright red with a beautiful, violet blotch. Indian

(a) **'Comte de Flandre'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 50mm wide, warm salmon rose, with coral-coloured stamens and a deep orange flare; ages to almost flesh colour with a yellow flare. Late (1958 Register ex Sunningdale cat); fls dark carmine (L. van Houtte, 1871 and most other sources). Ghent (Previously listed as a J.Byls cv (pre 1869) but his 1868 cat. lists only a rhododendron (not an azalea) under this name)

(r) **'Comte de Flandre'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Byls (pre 1868), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy lilac. Hardy Hybrid (Attributed to Ambroise Verschaffelt in J. Verschaffelt cat., 1876/77; probably the same plant listed by J. Vervaene, 1864)

(a) **'Comte d'Egmont'** cv. Parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1846), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy lilac, spotted yellow (H. Hesse, 1904). Ghent

(a) **'Comte de Gomer'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 65mm wide, moderate purplish pink (62B), with a vivid orange-yellow (23A) to vivid yellow (15A) blotch. Shrub up to 4.0m. Mollis (Usually listed as synonymous with 'Consul Cérésole' but van Houtte listed them separately)

(r) **'Comte de Gomer'** cv. 'Fleur de Marie' × 'Eximium Novum' R: A. Verschaffelt (pre 1858), N: A. Verschaffelt, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 7-16/compact, rounded truss, 40-65mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, white, edged rose inside, outside rose; slight yellow-green markings. May. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Comte de Grasse'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Sweetheart Supreme' R: D.J. Cole (post 1970), N: D.J. Cole Fls 40mm wide, strong pink. Mid April

(a) **'Comte de Hainaut'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Vervaene (1858), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, rose, dorsal lobe with dark chestnut brown spots. Indian (L.van Houtte cat., 1870, list it as raised and named by Dallière)

(a) **'Comte de Keratone'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: New Zealand (1969) Fls double, pink, veined darker pink, with a maroon blotch in the throat and white flecks on the margins. Shrub c0.75m. (Sometime seen listed as 'Comte de Keretone')

(a) **'Comte de Kerchove'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Moser & Son (1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright red, with a strong orange blotch. Mollis (This is the correct spelling, not 'Comte de Kerckhove' as previously listed; perhaps the same plant as 'Oswald de Kerchove' although the description given here does not tally well)

(a) **'Comte de Kerchove'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Camellia Grove Nursery (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, pastel pink, shading to white, with a dark throat. Indian

(a) **'Comte de la Torre'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from an un-named seedling I: L. van Houtte (pre 1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single (? or semi-double), large, of perfect shape, with rounded lobes, pale rose, with a broad, white edge, deep incarnate red at centre of lobes and spotted deep carmine red on dorsal lobes. FCC 1884. Indian

(a) **'Comte de Papadopoli'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 75mm wide, deep yellowish pink, with a strong orange blotch. Syn: 'Comte Papadopoli'. Mollis

(a) **'Comte de Paris'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte (c 1843), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light cream, with broad, crimson stripes, or spotted instead of striped. Indian

(a) **'Comte de Paris'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Listed as "Calendulacea Comte de Paris")

(a) **'Comte de Paris'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from an un-named seedling I: L. van Houtte (1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, single, lobes with pure white edges and carmine rose stripes at centre which form a star with 5 points; bright carmine red blotch. FCC 1884. Indian

(a) **'Comte de Quincey'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 65mm wide, light yellow (14D), with a deeper line down each lobe and deep olive brown markings. Midseason. Mollis

(r) **'Comte de Rambuteau'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum*×*ponticum* I: Paillet (1843), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(a) **'Comte de Rochambeau'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Sweetheart Supreme' R: D.J. Cole (post 1970), N: D.J. Cole Fls 40mm wide, moderate purplish pink. Mid April

(r) **'Comte de Salvi'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Vervaene (1889), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Comte de Thole'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, salmon-coloured. Indian (The correct spelling may be 'Comte de Toll' (cf. A. Verschaffelt cat., 1866))

(r) **'Comte de T'Serclaes'** cv. Parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (pre 1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, tinged violet on dorsal lobes and with a white central band (L. van Houtte); violet rose, with a brown blotch (listed in The Netherlands, 1896, as 'Comte de Tserlaes'). Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Comte Ernest Turati'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1889), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, very soft flesh pink, with a golden yellow blotch. Ghent (Published in L. van Houtte cat., 1889-1890; the listing of an Indian azalea with this name in the 1958 Register is apparently an error)

(a) **'Comte Margaria'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Verschaffelt (1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, rose, with wavy-edged lobes. Indian

(r) **'Comte Michel Corinaldi'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Martin & Giraud (1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet purple, with black spots

(r) **'Comte Nicolas Potocki'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Croux Fils (1905), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark red, with a paler centre

(a) **'Comte Papadopoli'** (Syn. of 'Comte de Papadopoli')

(r) **'Comtesse de Bari'** cv. Parentage unknown I: G. Croux (1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a hemispherical truss, open funnel-shaped, with wavy-edged lobes, dark carmine red, with a poppy red blotch and brown spots below it; mid veins on outside also poppy red. Pedicels 20mm long, pink. Lvs dark green. Compact shrub.

(a) **'Comtesse de Beaufort'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1871), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright scarlet, with a dark yellow blotch, edged red. Ghent

(a) **'Comtesse de Beaufort'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1871), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, bright rose, with dense, crimson, dorsal spots. FCC 1871. Indian

(r) **'Comtesse de Champlâtreux'** cv. Parentage unknown L: G. Morlet (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) (Published in *Horticulture Français*, 1854: 107-111)

(a) **'Comtesse de Chaumont-Quitry'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Duizy-Fillion (pre 1858), N: Duizy-Fillion, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose. Indian

(a) **'Comtesse de Flandre'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (The correct form of this epithet may be 'Comitessa Flandriae' (eg. L.van Houtte, 1849) and this is presumably the 'Comitisa Fladria' of J. van Geert (1839))

(a) **'Comtesse de Flandre'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: D. Vervaene, N: D. Vervaene, I: D. Vervaene (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, rose in bud, opening to satin rose, spotted red. FCC 1871. Indian

(a) **'Comtesse de Hainaut'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1861), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Comtesse de Hainaut'** cv. Parentage unknown R: A. Verschaffelt (pre 1864), N: A. Verschaffelt, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, rose white

(a) **'Comtesse de Kerchove'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: unknown (pre 1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, pale orange flushed a deeper tone and with a greeny yellow centre. Mollis

(a) **'Comtesse de Kerchove'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, strong pink (48C), muted white on some lobes, especially at tips; lobes slightly frilled. Calyx normal, green. Shrub up to c0.9m. Midseason. Syn: 'R.G.N.'. Indian

(r) **'Comtesse de Méran'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid R: J. Rinz (pre 1864), N: J. Rinz, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose

(r) **'Comtesse de Morello'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Standish (pre 1857), N: J. Standish, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, shaded with white. (Listed by Nomblot-Bruneau, c1922 as 'Comtesse de Morella')

(a) **'Comtesse de Ribaucourt'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Verschaffelt (pre 1872), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white. Indian (Listed by Veitch in 1872, as 'Comtesse de Ribencourt')

(a) **'Comtesse de Saint-Cricq'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Moser & Son (pre 1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow, with a deep yellow blotch. Ghent (Previously listed incorrectly as 'Comtesse de Saint-Crieg')

(a) **'Comtesse de Saint-Crieg'** (An error for 'Comtesse de Saint-Cricq')

(r) **'Comtesse de Vogue'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* × *ponticum* R: Paillet, N: Paillet, I: Paillet (1843), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, white, tinted rose carmine

(a) **'Comtesse du Maisniel'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1889), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, white, slightly marked on almost all the lobes. Ghent (Published in L. van Houtte cat., 1889-1890)

(a) **'Comtesse Eugénie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Gloire de Belgique' I: Erfelinck (1868), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Comtesse Eugénie de Kerchove'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1872), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white, with cherry red stripes and bands, and with a greenish blotch. Indian

(r) **'Comtesse Ferdinand Visard'** (See note under 'Comtesse Ferdinand Visart')

(r) **'Comtesse Ferdinand Visart'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* subsp. *cinnamomeum* × *campanulatum* R: L. van Houtte (pre 1854), N: L. van Houtte, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 20-30/rounded truss, campanulate, creamy white in the throat, soft rose on the lobes (darkest at margins). Lvs ovate, smooth, hairless and dark green above, with a dense, rusty brown indumentum below. (Sometimes seen as 'Comtesse Ferdinand Visard')

(r) **'Comtesse Salvi'** cv. Parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink, with a wide border of bright rose and a brownish yellow blotch

(a) **'Comtesse Vitzthum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1891), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 125mm wide, pure white, with a yellow-green blotch at the centre of the flower (LvH cat., 1894); some accounts say striped cherry but the van Houtte catalogues do not support this. Indian

(a) **'Con Amore'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Osakazuki' (s) × 'Kagaribi' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 65-75mm wide, with rounded, overlapping lobes, between strong and deep purplish pink, paler at margins and with an inconspicuous blotch. Shrub to 1.5m. Mid-late April. Glenn Dale

(r) **Concatenans Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. concatenans*

(r) **'Concerto'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *augustinii* × *searsiae* I: E. de Rothschild (1979), REG: E. de Rothschild (1980) Fls in compound trusses of 9-16, open funnel-campanulate, 5-lobed, up to 23 × 56mm, light purple (77C-D), with green dorsal spots. Calyx lobes 2mm long, green, scaly. Lvs narrowly oblong, up to 85 × 24mm, dark dull green and sparsely scaly above, glaucous and scaly below. AM 1979 (Said to be derived from a collection made by E.H.Wilson)

(v) **'Concerto for Brass'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lochiae* (s) × *laetum* H: unknown, G: G.L.S. Snell (1988), N: R. Macdonald (1992), I: Foothills Nursery, REG: Foothills Nursery (1993) Fls 11-12/upright truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid orange (28B) throughout. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 80mm, flat, matt green above, cordate at base, apiculate at apex. Shrub 1.0m. Spring-autumn

(r) **'Concessum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Byls (pre 1844), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 7-16/rounded, rather compact truss (often with few fls), very broadly funnel-shaped, up to 45 × 75mm, bright pink, centre paler, with greenish brown to crimson dorsal marks. Shrub to 3.0m. Late May-June. Syn: 'Alphonse'

(r) **'Concessum Roseum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Vervaene (1889), INC: ICRA (1958) (Said to be from Waterer (Bagshot))

(r) **'Concessum's Master'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (c 1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose, paling to the centre

(r) **'Conchiflorum Striatum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Standish (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose, with numerous splashes and spots

(r) **'Conchita'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *ciliicalyx* (s) × *moupinense* H: J.S. Druecker (1950), G: J.S. Druecker (1954), N: J.S. Druecker, I: J.S. Druecker (1957), REG: E.R. German (1976) Fls 2/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 63 × 102mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, phlox pink (525/2) in throat, to 525/3 at edges, spotted with crimson (22), outside phlox pink (525/1). Calyx 6mm long, fresh rose (520). Lvs elliptic, 63-95 × 34-40mm, hairless; new growth reddish. Shrub 1.2 × 0.75m in 10 years. March

(a) **'Concho'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Helen Close' × 'Purple Splendor' R: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1969) Fls single, 3-6/truss, up to 65mm wide, strong reddish purple (2.5RP 5/10). Lvs 30 × 20mm. Shrub up to 0.45m

(a) **'Concinnum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1839), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Concinnum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Smith (c 1849), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale violet, with small, rounded petals; resembling 'Phoeniceum'. Indian (According to L.van Houtte (cat.1870) this was raised by Liebig)

(a) **'Concinnum Novum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1877), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(r) **'Concinnum Punctatum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W. Rollisson & Sons (pre 1869), N: W Rollisson & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Concolor'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1840), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Concorde'** (Syn. of 'Boskoop Concorde')

(r) **'Concorde'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × 'The Master' H: A.F. George (1966), G: Hydon Nurseries (1976), N: Hydon Nurseries, I: Hydon Nurseries (1978), REG: Hydon Nurseries (1978) Fls 60 × 100mm, with 7 wavy-edged and recurved lobes, white, with a green blotch in dorsal throat. Calyx very short, pale green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 100 × 30mm. June

(a) **'Concordia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L.L. Liebig (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose red. Indian

(a) **'Concordia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Vervaene (1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, dark blood red, with a black blotch. Indian

(a) **'Concordia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1885), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, double, of perfect shape, rose. Indian

(a) **'Concordia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × *simsii* R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50mm wide, strong purplish pink, with an inconspicuous blotch of purplish red spots and a little yellow at the base of the tube. Lvs long and narrow. Shrub to 1.5m. Mid April. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Condor'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Muy Lindo' × 'Zella' H: C. Ingram, G: C. Ingram (1974), N: C. Ingram, I: C. Ingram (1976), REG: C. Ingram (1976) Fls 12-14/truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 110mm, 5-lobed, pink in bud, opening to creamy white, sometimes retaining a pink flush. Calyx lobes green, with red gland-tipped hairs around the margins. Lvs narrowly elliptic, up to 220 × 60mm, dark green, hairless. AM 1976

(r) **'Conemaugh'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *racemosum* (s) × *mucronulatum* H: J.B. Gable, G: J.B. Gable (1929), N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls star-shaped, in ball-shaped trusses, 50mm wide, lavender pink. Small-leaved, low, twiggy shrub. (Listed in the 1958 Register as a grex but, at least originally, 'Conemaugh' was a clone)

(r) **'Conestoga'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group (s) × *racemosum* H: J.B. Gable, G: J.B. Gable (c 1929), N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink. (Listed in the 1958 Register as a grex, but the original plant given this name was an individual selected out of a batch of seedlings)

(r) **'Conestoga Improved'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: (*racemosum* × *minus* Carolinianum Group) selfed H: J.B. Gable, G: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable (pre 1972) Fls pink

(r) **'Conewago'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group (s) × *mucronulatum* H: J.B. Gable, G: J.B. Gable (1932), N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-5/truss, funnel-shaped, 40mm wide, rose magenta. Lvs 65 × 25mm. Shrub to 2.0m. (Listed in the 1958 Register as a grex, but the original plant given this name was an individual selected out of a batch of seedlings)

(r) **'Conewago Improved'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group (s) × *mucronulatum* H: J.B. Gable (1930), G: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable, REG: Gable Study Group, USA (1991) Fls rosy mauve. Lvs elliptic/narrowly obovate, 76 × 35mm, flat, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, moderately shiny and with very tiny, inconspicuous, brown scales above and white to colourless scales below. Shrub 2.1 × 2.1m when mature, of very dense habit. Mid April. (Published in *Rhododendrons in America*, Van Veen (1969))

(r) **'Conewago Special'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: seedling from 'Conewago' R: J.B. Gable (c 1953), N: J.B. Gable, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls larger and better coloured than 'Conewago'

(r) **'Conewingo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *haematodes* (s) × *diphrocalyx* N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. Calyx petaloid. (Listed as a grex in the 1958 Register but Gable's notes indicate it was an individual plant received from the Arnold Arboretum)

(r) **'Coney Gar'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *souliei* (s) × 'Loder's White' R: Lord Digby, N: Lord Digby, I: Lord Digby (1951), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Coneygar'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Decsoul Group (s) × *thomsonii* R: Lord Digby, N: Lord Digby, I: Lord Digby (1955), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Confection'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Corona' (s) × Dondis Group R: R. Henny, N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 16/truss, 90mm wide, rose madder (23/2). Lvs 200 × 65mm, deep green. Shrub under 1.9m

(a) **'Confetti'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Boudoir' × 'Rose Greeley' R: W.L. Guttormsen (pre 1982), N: W.L. Guttormsen Fls hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, strong purplish pink (68B). Shrub 0.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Confusion'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown G: J.A. Elliott (pre 1994)

(r) **'Conga Line'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kubla Khan' (s) × 'Van Nes Sensation' H: M. Stockman (1991), G: M. & H. Stockman (1999), N: M. & H. Stockman (2001), REG: M. & H. Stockman (2001) Fls 10/ball truss, saucer-shaped, 65 × 100mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, inside strong red (50A) at margins, shading inwards to deep pink (50B), with a dark red, speckled blotch in the dorsal throat; outside strong red (50A). Calyx 3mm long, greenish yellow. Lvs oblong, 140 × 65mm, with wavy and downcurved margins, broadly acute at apex, cordate at base, semi-glossy and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in 10 years. Mid May

(a) **'Congalo'** (Syn. of 'Cangallo')

(a) **'Congestum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Congestum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: L. de Cock (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Congestum Aureum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1847), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow. (See note under 'Aureum Congestum')

(r) **'Congestum Roseum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c12/truss, broadly campanulate, 45 × 60mm, pale rose, with a dorsal ray of brown crimson markings. Calyx inconspicuous. Lvs elliptic to obovate, c125 × 52mm, deep green above at maturity, densely felted on both sides when young. Shrub 3.0-3.8m. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Congo'** (Syn. of 'Robin Hill Congo')

(r) **'Congo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (white-fld form) (s) × Goldfort Group H: D.G. Leach (1952), G: D.G. Leach (1958), N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1972), REG: D.G. Leach (1984) Fls 16/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, 5-lobed, white, with a divided blotch of moderate yellow (162B) at base of dorsal lobe. Calyx minute, green. Lvs more-or-less elliptic, 140 × 60mm, hairless

(r) **'Conical Kate'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (c 1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a well-formed, conical truss, clear rosy crimson, with a yellow blotch. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Connecticut Snow'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group (white form) × *dauricum* (white form) H: G.A.L. Mehlquist (1978), G: G.A.L. Mehlquist (1985), N: Crown Estate Commissioners (1991), I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1991), REG: J.D. Bond (1991) Fls double, up to 10/truss, in a compact, terminal inflorescence with several trusses, campanulate, up to 25mm wide, white, with a few, small, yellow-green spots; filaments white, anthers yellow. Calyx rudimentary, green, scaly. Lvs ovate, evergreen, up to 45 × 20mm, slightly aromatic, glossy mid green and scaly above, paler and more scaly below. Shrub 0.9 × 0.75m in 6 years. February-March. AM 1991

(r) **'Connecticut Yankee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from open-pollinated, un-named lavender *catawbiense* type on Connecticut College campus S: G.A.L. Mehlquist & M.H. Brand (1969), N: M.H. Brand, I: University of Connecticut (1990), REG: M.H. Brand (1990) Fls 16-20/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 38-44 × 57-70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purple (81A, then 80A) in bud, opening vivid purple (87B) on margin, shading to strong purple (82B) in centre, which ages through vivid purple (81B) to light purple (81C & 80C); light olive (152B) speckled dorsal flare, aging to dark greenish yellow (152C, then 152D). Calyx less than 2mm long, light yellow-green (150D). Lvs elliptic, 127-159 × 38-51mm, flat to convex, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, dark green above, hairless. Shrub 2.6 × 4.3m in 28 years. Mid June

(a) **'Connellesii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls double, purplish red. Indian

(r) **'Connetquot'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Christmas Cheer' (s) × 'Pygmalion' H: A.A. Raustein (1971), G: A.A. Raustein, I: A.A. Raustein, REG: A.A. Raustein (1983) Fls 15/truss, 45 × 55mm, broadly funnel-campanulate, 5-lobed, strong red (53B) in bud, opening vivid red (57A), yellowish white (158D) in throat and with a dorsal blotch of dark red (187A) spots. Calyx minute, yellowish green. Lvs narrowly elliptic to oblanceolate, 100 × 40mm, moderate olive green (137A), hairless. Shrub c0.4m in 11 years

(a) **'Connie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Ten Oaks Nursery, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light salmon. Kaempferi

(a) **'Connie H'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *calendulaceum* × 'Klondyke' H: E.A. Hollowell (pre 1977)

(r) **'Connie Hatton'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *kyawii* × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* H: H.A. Short (1964), G: H.A. Short, N: H.A. Short, I: H.A. Short (1974), REG: H.A. Short (1975) Fls up to 12/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 75 × 90mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (51A) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (55A), the throat strong yellowish pink (43D), the outside deep purplish pink (54B). Calyx 1.5mm long, greenish yellow. Lvs lanceolate, 200 × 55mm, moderate olive green (137A). Shrub 1.9 × 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Connie Stanton'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Princess Elizabeth' × 'Boule de Neige' R: E.N. Stanton, N: E.N. Stanton, REG: E.N. Stanton (1968) Fls up to 75mm wide, watermelon pink (in shape and truss form similar to 'Boule de Neige'). Lvs 100mm long, dark green. Compact shrub, 0.8 × 0.8m. Midseason

(r) **'Connie Yates'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' (s) × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: H.R. Yates (1963), G: H.R. Yates, I: Mrs M. Yates (1972), REG: Mrs M. Yates (1977) Fls up to 14/truss, 65mm wide, vivid red (57A) in bud, opening strong purplish red (63A) (fading with age) and with a yellowish white (155D) flare and dorsal spotting of strong greenish yellow (153C). Lvs 120 × 55mm. Shrub under 1.0m

(r) **'Conoco-cheague'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: red-flowered *catawbiense* (s) × *haematodes* R: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, with reflexed lobes, rose red. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Syn: 'Cathaem No.1' (The *haematodes* parent was considered to be a hybrid by Gable)

(a) **'Conqueror'** (Syn. of 'Formosum')

(a) **'Conqueror'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, double, deep red. Indian

(r) **'Conqueror'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush, with a contrasting eye. (Possibly an azalea)

(v) **'Conqueror'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Duchess of Connaught' × *javanicum* R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1884), N: J. Veitch & Sons, I: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vermilion red, shaded orange, paler in centre. FCC 1884

(a) **'Conquest'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Illusion' (s) × 'Gaiety' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65-70mm wide, white, with a few short lines of rhodamine purple. Shrub to 1.0m. Midseason. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Conquistador'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fire Bird Group (s) × 'Autumn Gold' H: L.W. Bulgin (1980), G: L.W. Bulgin (1984), N: L.W. Bulgin, I: Ellanhurst Gardens (1988), REG: L.W. Bulgin (1994) Fls 11-17/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 83 × 102mm, with 7 very wavy-edged lobes, moderate red (47A) in bud, opening moderate red (47A) at edges and shading to strong pink (49A) towards the light yellow-green (154D) centre; streaks of light yellow-green (154D) radiating c25mm from centre along lobe veins; two dorsal rays of moderate red (179B) spots extending from centre to lobe sinuses; outside strong red (47B) at margins, shading to strong yellowish pink (38A) at base; stamens 14, curved, unequal. Calyx 10-25mm long, light greenish yellow (4C) to deep pink (47D). Pedicels 38mm long. Lvs elliptic, 114 × 44mm, concave, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green, hairless above and below; petioles 16mm long. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m in 6-7 years. Mid May

(r) **'Conrad'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1906), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine, with yellow-green spots

(r) **'Conroy'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* subsp. *xanthocodon* Concatenans Group × *cinnabarinum* subsp. *cinnabarinum* Roylei Group H: Lord Aberconway (1937), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c6/truss, pendulous, tubular-campanulate, 50 × 40mm, orange (12/2), tinged rose, deeply lobed and fleshy. Calyx discoid. Lvs oblong-lanceolate, 75 × 30mm, densely scaly below. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. AM 1950 (Conroy Group)

(r) **Conroy Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* subsp. *xanthocodon* Concatenans Group × *cinnabarinum* subsp. *cinnabarinum* Roylei Group H: Lord Aberconway (1937), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Consolation'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink. Indian (Shown by Veitch, 1862)

(a) **'Consolation'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × 'Fukuju' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65-75mm wide, white, with purple stripes and wavy-edged lobes; sometimes deep pink with a paler centre. Shrub to 1.5m. Late. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Consolini's Pink Fortunei'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* hybrid H: A. Consolini (pre 1980)

(r) **'Consolini's Windmill'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: A. Consolini, G: Heritage Plantation, S: J.C. Cowles, N: J. Leonard, I: Briarwood Gardens (1989), REG: Briarwood Gardens (1991) Fls 13/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 64 × 83mm, with 5-7 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (57B) in bud, opening 57B with a longitudinal white band (c10mm wide) extending along each lobe to within c10mm of the tip, and a speckled, strong yellow-green (144C) flare on the dorsal lobe, outside 57B; stamens 10-13, curved, unequal; slightly scented. Calyx 6mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Pedicels 32mm long, 144B. Lvs elliptic, 76-127 × 38-51mm, flat, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless; petioles 16-25mm long, strong yellow-green (144C). Shrub 2.7 × 3.0m in 24 years. Late May-early June

(a) **'Conspicuum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Conspicuum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: R. Veitch & Son (1867), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (A hardy selection. Also listed as 'Ponticum Conspicuum' in A. Henderson cat., c1850s)

(r) **'Conspicuum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1847), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish crimson, with black spots. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Conspicuum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R. Veitch & Son (pre 1867), N: R. Veitch & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light rose, finely spotted. Dwarf shrub

(r) **'Conspicuum Crispum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Conspicuum Purpureum'** (Syn. of 'Arboreum Purpureum')

(r) **'Constable'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Jervis Bay' × *wardii* Litiense Group H: F.E.W. Hanger (1947), G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, I: Royal Horticultural Society (1961), REG: Royal Horticultural Society (1962) Fls up to 20/open truss, open campanulate, chartreuse green (663/3), darkening on dorsal lobe and with some reddish spotting in the throat. AM 1961

(a) **'Constance'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose. Indian

(a) **'Constance'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1925), N: Bobbink & Atkins, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 50mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (62B), with a darker blotch. Midseason. Rutherford

(a) **'Constance'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Osakazuki' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 75-90mm wide, rose, with numerous, small, rose red dots making up a large dorsal blotch. Shrub to 1.9m. Early. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Constance'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1903), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white. (Exhibited by Messrs. Cuthbert, 1903)

(r) **Constance Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* subsp. *cinnamomeum* var. *album* × *griffithianum* × *auriculatum* I: L. de Rothschild (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white

(r) **'Constance'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (pre 1980), N: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg

(a) **'Constance Burnett'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'White Swan' × 'Nancy Waterer' H: P.E. Girard (1968), G: P.E. Girard, N: P.E. Girard, I: P.E. Girard, REG: P.E. Girard (1983) Fls hose-in-hose, 21-25/truss, 25 × 55mm, broadly funnel-shaped, 5+5-lobed, brilliant greenish yellow (1A) in bud, opening brilliant yellow (13C), slightly flushed strong orange-yellow (24B); no stamens. Calyx 3mm long, strong greenish yellow (151B). Lvs elliptic, 55 × 25mm, strong yellow-green (144B), with numerous hairs and sparse setae below; orange-yellow in autumn. Shrub 0.8 × 0.4m in 4 years

(r) **'Constance Carson'** cv. Parentage unknown R: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1929), N: M Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink, with a yellow blotch

(r) **'Constance Terry'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: derived from a *griffithianum* hybrid R: C.B. van Nes & Sons (pre 1929), N: C.B. van Nes & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep pink, with wavy-edged lobes

(a) **'Constancy'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, streaked and flecked light red. (Exhibited by J. Standish, 1860)

(a) **'Constantia Rosea'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: F. Godwin (1859), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose. Indian

(r) **'Constant Nymph'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campanulatum* (s) × 'Purple Splendour' H: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1931), G: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12-14/compact, domed truss, funnel-shaped, 100-115mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, buds white, tinged strong reddish purple (72C), opening white, with a faint flush of 72C along centre of lobes (the colour fading slightly with age). Lvs 125-160 × 50-65mm, dark, dull green. *HC 1969, *AM 1971 Syn: 'Donum'

(a) **'Constant van Keirsbilck'** (See note under 'Constant van Keirsblik')

(a) **'Constant van Keirsblik'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rose, tinted red and with a saffron blotch. Indian (Spelt 'Constant van Keirsbilck in van Houtte's 1869 cat.)

(r) **'Constanze'** (Syn. of 'Hachmann's Constanze')

(r) **'Constanze'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1910), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright carmine red, with green-yellow spots. Compact shrub to c3.0m.

(r) **'Constellation'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1847), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rose. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Constellation'** cv. Parentage unknown R: G. Clarke (pre 1980), N: G. Clarke

(a) **'Consuela'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Malvaticum' (s) × Satsuki azalea R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65-75mm wide, deep purplish pink, with a paler centre and an inconspicuous blotch of darker spots. Shrub to 1.5m. Early. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Consul Cérésole'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, salmon pink, spotted with orange. Tall shrub. Mollis (See note under 'Comte de Gomer')

(a) **'Consul Pêcher'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, salmon pink, with faint, salmon markings. Mollis

(r) **'Contempo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vinecrest' (s) × 'Mitch' H: A.W. Smith (1985), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 48 × 65mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, deep, strong and pale pink (48B-D, 49D) in bud, opening yellowish white (158D) with a strong greenish yellow throat; filaments and style strong pink and pale yellow-green (49A, 157A); anthers yellowish white (158D); stigma pale orange-yellow (23D). Lvs 102 × 32mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m in 7 years. Early June.

(a) **'Content'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Malvaticum' (s) × 'Yozakura' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 70-75mm wide, with over-lapping lobes, light purple, with very few purplish red spots at base of dorsal lobe. Shrub to 1.5m. Late April-early May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Contina'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Chief Paulina' × 'Barto Blue' R: C.H. Phetteplace (pre 1984), N: C.H. Phetteplace Fls in small trusses, brilliant violet blue with white stamens, otherwise intermediate between parents. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(a) **'Contortum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1851), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as "Calendulacea Contorta". Probably the 'Contosta' listed by J. van Geert, 1839; van Geert's spelling is probably an error)

(r) **'Contortum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *ponticum* L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1818), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Conversation Piece'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Emile Russave' × (Gable's) 'Carol' × 'Eikan' H: R.D. Gartrell, G: R.D. Gartrell (1964), N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell (1969), REG: R.D. Gartrell (1977) Fls single, 1-3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50-63 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, variable in colour: strong pink (49A), shading to a paler edge and prominent vivid purplish red (57B) dorsal spotting; some flowers sectored; some strong pink (48C) self; some white; spotting does not occur on all flowers. Calyx 5mm long, light green. Spring lvs elliptic or narrowly elliptic, 41 × 16mm. Shrub c0.6 × 0.7m in 16 years. Late May-early June. Syn: 'Effie Bunce'

(r) **'Convexum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *yakushimanum* R: unknown (pre 1982) (Listed in *Greer's Guidebook to Available Rhododendrons* (1962))

(r) **'Conyan'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* subsp. *xanthocodon* Concatenans Group (s) × *concinnum* Pseudoyanthinum Group I: J.B. Stevenson (1953), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls tubular, delicate pink, spotted with brown. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Conyan Apricot'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* subsp. *xanthocodon* Concatenans Group × *concinnum* Pseudoyanthinum Group R: unknown (pre 1992) Fls creamy apricot. (Listed in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992), p.68)

(r) **'Conyan Pink'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* subsp. *xanthocodon* Concatenans Group × *concinnum* Pseudoyanthinum Group R: unknown (pre 1992) Fls soft shell pink. (Listed in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Conyan Salmon'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* subsp. *xanthocodon* Concatenans Group × *concinnum* Pseudoyanthinum Group R: unknown (pre 1992) Fls salmon orange, flushed pink. (Listed in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Cookie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Queen of the May Group × 'Fawn' H: D.W. James (c 1954), G: D.W. James, I: Mrs R. James, REG: Mrs R. James (1980) Fls up to 10/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 150mm wide, rose, with maroon spots in dorsal throat and maroon suffusion at base externally; scented. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 55mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base. Shrub 3.0 × 2.4m in 24 years.

(r) **'Cool Capers'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *brachycarpum* (s) × 'Calcutta' × 'Tahiti' H: W.E. Delp (1972), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 12/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 47 × 50mm, 5-lobed, moderate to pale pink (49B, C, D), with a vivid yellow-green (154A) flare and dorsal spots. Lvs 114 × 51mm, broadly acute at apex,

cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.9 × 1.8m in 20 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer (1986))

(r) **'Cool Colors'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Brachy Crest' (s) × *maximum* × 'Honeymoon' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, light greenish yellow (1C) in bud, opening brilliant, light and pale greenish yellow (1A, B, C, D), with sparse markings of strong yellow-green (144A) in the throat; filaments and style light greenish yellow (1C); anthers light yellowish pink (159A); stigma strong yellow-green (144B). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Cool Haven'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: Chaste Group × *wardii* Litiense Group H: J.J. Crosfield, G: Hilliers (1948), N: Hilliers, I: Hilliers (1969), REG: Hilliers (1969) Fls 18-20/rounded truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45 × 70mm, light greenish yellow (5D) with a neat ray of crimson markings on a deeper yellow ground, stained with crimson externally; scented. Lvs oblong-ovate, 100-125 × 50mm, rigid, held horizontally. Shrub up to 3.0m. May

(r) **'Cool Hue'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Janet Blair' (s) × 'Phipps Yellow' H: A.T. & S.A. Anderson (1989), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1995) Fls 18/truss, open funnel-shaped, 58 × 76mm, with 5-7 very wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish red (185C), deep pink (185D) and moderate purplish pink (186D) in bud, opening pale yellow-green (4D, 157C) with a light yellow-green (154D) flare and strong greenish yellow (153B) dorsal spots; filaments pale yellow-green (157A); style light yellow-green (154D); anthers moderate orange-yellow (164C); stigma strong yellow-green (145A). Lvs 114 × 64mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.6m in 4 years. Early June

(r) **'Cool Trend'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: white-flowered *maximum* (s) × 'Buttermint' H: T.L. Ring (1986), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 14/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 43 × 57mm, 5-lobed, light greenish yellow and pale yellow-green (4C, D) with some strong red and deep yellowish pink (47B, C) in bud, opening white with sparse, moderate red (47A) dorsal spots; filaments and style pale yellow-green (155A); anthers pale orange-yellow (165D); stigma moderate red (47A). Lvs 102 × 44mm, acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 7 years. Late June

(r) **Coombe Royal Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid I: R. Veitch & Son (1900), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c10/truss, funnel-shaped, 65 × 70-80mm, 5-7-lobed, bright to delicate pink, with a dorsal ray of brownish, apricot or greenish yellow spots in the tube. Calyx small, pale red. Lvs oblong-obovate, up to 175 × 65mm, dark glossy green above, thinly brown felted below. AM 1900

(a) **'Cooperi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1849), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Coos'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Hugh Wormald' × 'Marion Merriman' R: H.J. Slonecker, N: H.J. Slonecker, REG: H.J. Slonecker (1963) Fls pale pink, with a yellow blotch. Midseason

(r) **'Copelia'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *edgeworthii* (s) × *leucaspis* R: G.M. Adams-Acton, N: G.M. Adams-Acton, I: G.M. Adams-Acton (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls butter yellow

(a) **'Copernicus'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: Gebr Kersbergen (pre 1948), N: Gebr Kersbergen, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red. Midseason. Mollis

(r) **'Copernicus'** cv. Parentage unknown R: A. van Geert (pre 1893), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine rose, with a dark blotch. (van Geert attributes this to Davies)

(r) **'Coplen's Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: perhaps 'Amphion' × *fortunei* H: J.B. Gable (pre 1972), S: M.G. Coplen Fls pink

(r) **'Coplen's White'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* × *fortunei* H: M.G. Coplen, I: J.B. Gable (pre 1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white

(r) **'Copper'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *cinnabarinum* subsp. *xanthocodon* Concatenans Group (L&S 6560) R: C. Ingram (pre 1954), N: C. Ingram, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c4/lax truss, tubular, chinese coral (614/1), suffused shades of red and orange. *AM 1954

(a) **'Copper Cloud'** (Syn. of 'Ilam Copper Cloud')

(r) **'Copper Cream'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group × un-named white × 'Letty Edwards' H: D.L. Hardgrove, (pre 1964)

(r) **'Copper Kettles'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Crest' × 'Souvenir of W.C.Slocock' × *dichroanthum* subsp. *apodectum* H: J.G. Lofthouse, G: J.G. Lofthouse, N: J.G. Lofthouse, I: J.G. Lofthouse (1977), REG: J.G. Lofthouse (1979) Fls strong yellowish pink (37B) at edge, shading to pale orange-yellow (23D) at base, aging to pure yellow

(a) **'Copperman'** cv. Evergreen azalea: a deep salmon form of *indicum* (s) × 'Hazel Dawson' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, flat, 70-75mm wide, deep yellowish pink, shaded almost pure orange and with a conspicuous blotch of purplish pink (without spots): garden effect is brilliant red. Shrub to 1.2m. Mid-late May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Copper Queen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Adventglöckchen' seedling × 'Chico' R: W.A. Myers (c 1966), N: W.A. Myers, REG: W.A. Myers (1967) Fls single to semi-double, 65-75mm wide, strong reddish orange (40C). Lvs 40 × 13mm. Indian

(r) **'Copperside'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Mrs J. Knippenberg (pre 1980), N: Mrs J. Knippenberg

(r) **'Copper Sun'** cv. Parentage unknown R: G. Clarke (pre 1980), N: G. Clarke

(r) **'Copper Topaz'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' (s) × 'Morna Belle' H: M. Stockman (1989), G: M. & H. Stockman (1999), N: M. & H. Stockman (1999), REG: M. & H. Stockman (2001) Fls 10/ball truss, funnel-campanulate, 65 × 90mm, with 5-7 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53B-D) in bud, opening pale yellowish pink (159D), flushed inside strong pink (54C) at margins and vivid yellow (13A) in the centre, outside flushed strong red (53D). Calyx with 2 lobes 10mm long, others 5mm long, coloured as corolla, with a green centre. Lvs oblong, 115 × 45mm, margins upcurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 0.6m in 12 years. Mid May

(a) **'Coquet'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, striped pink. Indian

(r) **'Coquetii'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as an *arboreum* form or hybrid L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Coquette'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1925), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep pink, with a golden yellow blotch. AM 1925. Knap Hill

(a) **'Coquette'** cv. Evergreen azalea: an orange form of *indicum* (s) × 'Momozono' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, deep purplish pink, with a few purplish red dots in the inconspicuous blotch, a conspicuous red pistil and a dark stigma. Shrub 1.5m. Late April-early May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Coquette de Flandres'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: H. Lane & Son (1852), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Coquette de Gand'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Vervaene (1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, with a lilac centre, shading to white at edges, spotted and striped purple. Indian

(a) **'Coquille'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Hugh Wormald' × 'Marion Merriman' R: H.J. Slonecker, N: H.J. Slonecker, I: A. Wright (1964), REG: H.J. Slonecker (1963) Fls 90mm wide, with 5(-6) lobes, brilliant yellow (13B), with a vivid orange-yellow (23A) blotch. Midseason.

(a) **'Coquille'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *occidentale* S: L.F. Frisbie (pre 1965), N: L.F. Frisbie Fls 75mm wide, white, with a yellow blotch

(r) **Cora Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Coreta Group (s) × Eudora Group H: Lord Aberconway (1937), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(a) **'Cora Brandt'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kagetsu' × 'Warai-gishi' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1964) Fls double, with 12-20 lobes (tending to be imbricated), usually lacking stamens and pistil, scarlet, with garnet brown spots. Shrub to 1.0m in 10 years. Late May. Back Acres

(r) **'Corail Rouge'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Croux, N: Croux, I: Croux (1984) Fls salmon red. Early

(r) **'Coral'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: (*neriiflorum* × *dichroanthum*)F2 (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* H: E. Ostbo, G: E. Ostbo, N: E. Ostbo, I: E. Ostbo, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red

(r) **'Coral'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (pre 1980), N: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg

(v) **'Coral'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Island Sunet' × *lochiae* R: unknown (pre 1983) (Raised in Australia/New Zealand)

(a) **'Coral Ace'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Troubadour' × seedling no.158057 R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1965) Fls single, 65-70mm wide, white, with variable margins coloured between old rose and begonia rose, with dots of eugenia red on a white ground (tyrian rose when on coloured margins). Back Acres

(a) **'Coral Beauty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *simsii* (FCC form) (s) × 'Daimio' H: M. Haworth-Booth, G: M. Haworth-Booth, N: M. Haworth-Booth, I: M. Haworth-Booth (1960), REG: M. Haworth-Booth (1962) Fls 2/truss, 40 × 65mm, funnel-shaped, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink (43C), with darker spots. Lvs 25-50 × 7-20mm, dull mid green. Shrub 0.6m. HC 1975

(a) **'Coral Bells'** (Syn. of 'Kirin')

(a) **'Coral Bell Supreme'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Kirin' R: Berner Bros (pre 1957), N: Berner Bros, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, strong purplish pink (623/1). Kurume

(r) **'Coralberry'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Wizard' (s) × 'Sweet Lulu' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, moderate red (179A, B), moderate reddish orange (179C) and moderate yellowish pink (179D) in bud, opening moderate and light yellowish pink (37C, D, 36B, C), with a light greenish yellow (8C) flare and strong yellow (153D) dorsal spots; filaments and style vivid red (46B); anthers pale orange-yellow (159C); stigma moderate reddish brown (176B). Calyx coloured as corolla. (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Coral Blossom'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'King of Shrubs' × unknown hybrid (s) × 'Lem's Cameo' × 'Jingle Bells' H: J. Barlup (1983), G: J. Barlup (1988), N: J. Barlup (1992), REG: J. Barlup (2002) Fls 19/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm,

with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53B) in bud, opening inside with moderate yellowish pink (39C) margins, c13mm wide, blending to pale yellow (20C) at base; outside deep yellowish pink (39B) with strong red (39A) streaks on midribs and pale yellow (20C) streaks, c13mm long, extending upwards from base between lobes; the base inside deep red (185A), extending c13mm on dorsal lobe, with rays c6mm long on other lobes, and with a large, spotted, moderate red (185B) blotch on dorsal lobe 40mm from base and slight spotting on dorsal lobe. Calyx c13mm long, pale yellow (20C), tinged moderate yellowish pink (39C), with 2 deep red (185A) basal flares 6mm long. Lvs elliptic, 105 × 45mm, margins flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.9m in 7 years. Late May

(az) **'Coral Cascade'** (Syn. of 'Bruce Hancock')

(v) **'Coral Chance'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *macgregoriae* × *commonae* N: G.F. Smith, I: Pukeiti Rhododendron Trust (1990), REG: G.F. Smith (1991) Fls 10-12/truss, campanulate, 25 × 30mm, 5-lobed, moderate reddish pink (41C) throughout; stigma, style and filaments red-pink; anthers brown. Calyx 1mm long, pink with a red edge. Pedicels 25mm long, red, with light brown scales which extend on to the tubular part of corolla. Lvs produced in pseudowhorls, broadly elliptic, 35-55 × 17-27mm, with brown scales on both surfaces. Shrub compact, 0.8 × 0.5m in 4 years. Repeat-flowering. (Probably a natural hybrid of this parentage collected by G.F. Smith in 1986 on Mount Yakopimanda in Papua New Guinea)

(v) **'Coral Charm'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1993)

(v) **'Coral Chimes'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *macgregoriae* (s) × *gracilentum* H: O.S. Blumhardt, G: O.S. Blumhardt, N: O.S. Blumhardt, I: O.S. Blumhardt, REG: O.S. Blumhardt (1984) Fls (3-)4-6/truss, campanulate, 30 × 35mm, 5-lobed, rose opal (022/1), paler in throat and tube. Pedicels red, semi-pendulous, c25mm long. Lvs elliptic, 15-30 × 8-15mm, with small, brown scales when young. Small, bushy plant

(a) **'Coral Cluster'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt, I: E.A. Merritt (c 1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, coral pink. Kurume

(a) **'Coral Day'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably a seedling from 'Dayspring' R: I.L. Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L. Amann Fls hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, strong yellowish pink (40D), with a conspicuous blotch. Shrub to 1.5m. Early

(a) **'Coral Delight'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Brillanta Belgica' × 'Madame Pericat' R: D. Lewis (pre 1987), N: D. Lewis Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, 65-80mm wide, with slightly ruffled lobes, strong pink, with a lighter centre

(a) **'Coral Dogwood'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Dogwood' R: Fessler Nursery, I: G.J. Ball (pre 1987) Fls yellowish pink

(r) **'Coral Fantasy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Exbury Fabia' (s) × 'Spring Parade' H: W. Elliott (1978), G: W. Elliott (1984), N: W. Elliott, REG: W. Elliott (1987) Fls 7-8/lax truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 51 × 64mm, with 5-7 wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink (43C) in bud, opening yellowish white (158C), with a vivid red flare in the throat and some light coral, longitudinal markings on the reverse. Calyx 13-38mm long, 43C to pale purplish pink (56A). Lvs elliptic, 76 × 25mm, with flat or curled edges, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 0.9m in 8 years. Late May-early June

(v) **'Coral Flare'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lochiae* × *laetum* H: D.B. Stanton, G: D.B. Stanton (1977), N: G.L.S. Snell, I: Shrublands Nursery, REG: Shrublands Nursery (1988) Fls 3-7/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 45mm, 5-lobed, strong yellowish pink (43D). Lvs oblanceolate, 70 × 40mm, hairless. Shrub 1.0-2.0m tall. Summer-autumn

(r) **'Coral Glow'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *mucronulatum* 'Cornell Pink' (s) × *lutescens* H: G.A.L. Mehlquist (1967), G: G.A.L. Mehlquist (1970), N: G.A.L. Mehlquist, I: G.A.L. Mehlquist, REG: G.A.L. Mehlquist (1988) Fls 2-3/terminal truss, broadly funnel-shaped, c20 × 40-50mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, vivid reddish orange (32A) to strong yellowish pink (32C); slightly scented. Calyx very small. Lvs elliptic, 100-120 × 20-30mm, flat, acuminate at apex, cuneate at base, scaly; mahogany-coloured in autumn. Shrub 1.0-1.5 × 0.6-0.8m in 10 years. April

(v) **'Coral Halo'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *auriger-anum* × 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' × *leucogigas* R: ? New Zealand (pre 1999), N: ? New Zealand

(r) **'Coralia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi Pink Diamond' (s) × Cornish Cross Group R: Sir Edmund Loder (pre 1920), I: Lady Loder (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 7-lobed, pale salmon pink, with darker markings externally. Syn: 'Leonardslee Coralia' (Ruthelma Group)

(a) **'Coralie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (pre 1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 30mm wide, deep yellowish pink. Coolidge

(a) **'Coralie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: an orange form of *indicum* (s) × 'Momozono' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls irregularly hose-in-hose, 40-45mm wide, deep pink, flushed yellowish pink and with a conspicuous purplish pink blotch: garden effect is salmon pink. Shrub to 1.5m. Early May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Coral Island'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group (s) × *elliottii* H: F.E.W. Hanger (1946), G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, I: Royal Horticultural Society (1954), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Coral Ivory'** (Syn. of 'Tanima-no-yuki')

(a) **'Coral King'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Cecile' (s) × 'Berryrose' H: Mr & Mrs W. Curtis (1971), G: F. Furman, N: F. Furman (1996), REG: F. Furman (1996) Fls 5-6/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped (with a short, narrow tube), 75 × 75-100mm, with 5-7 flat to slightly wavy-edged lobes, moderate reddish orange (41C) in bud, opening inside pale yellowish pink (29D), with moderate reddish orange (41C) margins and a light orange-yellow (23C) blotch on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 4-5mm long, very pale green. Lvs narrowly obovate, 75 × 30mm, flat, cuneate at base, acute at apex, moderate yellow-green (146B) above, with very pale green to white hairs over most parts of the plant when young. Shrub 2.1 × 1.8m in 35 years. Mid May

(a) **'Corallinum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1847), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Coral May Queen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'May Queen' R: H. Kerrigan (pre 1987), N: H. Kerrigan Fls double, yellowish pink

(r) **'Coral Mist'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nancy Evans' (s) × 'Mrs Furnivall' H: J. Barlup (1989), G: J. Barlup (1993), N: J. Barlup (1996), REG: J. Barlup (1998) Fls 19/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong red (51A) in bud, opening inside pale yellowish pink (159D) with a 6mm wide border of strong purplish pink (55B) and a pale yellow (11D) dorsal blotch with a superimposed flare of moderate red (182A) speckles; outside deep purplish pink (55A) at margins, shading to pale purplish pink (55D) at base. Calyx up to 15mm long, brilliant yellow (15C), the lobe tips pale purplish pink (55C). Lvs elliptic, 140 × 55mm, upcurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in 9 years. Early May.

(r) **'Coral Pacific'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lem's Tangerine' (s) × 'Pacific Gold' H: Northwest Hybridizer Group (Am.Rh.Soc., Seattle Chapter) (1987), G: P. Christensen (1993), N: P. Christensen (1998), I: Briggs Nursery (1999), REG: P. Christensen (1998) Fls 16/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 115mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (52A) in bud, opening inside strong red (50A) at centre blending out to light yellow (14D), then light pink (49C) and then to deep pink (52C) for c13mm at edges; strong red (53B) spotting on three dorsal lobes; outside pale orange-yellow (19D) at base, shading through strong pink (48D) to deep pink (52B) at edges. Calyx 30mm long, deep purplish pink (55A). Lvs elliptic, 140 × 50mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 10 years. Early May

(r) **'Coral Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Barclayi Group × 'Lacs' R: E.G.W.W. Harrison, N: E.G.W.W. Harrison, REG: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1970) Fls up to 16/truss, up to 75 × 100mm, 7-lobed, deep coral pink, with lighter shading

(r) **'Coral-pink Prologue'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: unknown (s) × *lutescens* H: F. Furman (1982), G: F. Furman (1988), N: F. Furman (1998), REG: F. Furman (1998) Fls 5-8/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 30 × 45mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, base of tube close to strong purplish pink (55B) inside and out, shading irregularly lighter on the lobes, approaching pale greenish yellow (13D) on dorsal lobe which is tipped or edged pink; sparse, pale yellowish brown spotting in dorsal throat. Lvs ovate to lanceolate, 80-110 × 20-40mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, some wavy-edged, semi-glossy and moderate olive green above, with tiny scales on petioles and lamina (more widely spaced above), scales near white above, reddish brown below. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 10 years. April. (Seed parent may have been 'Alice Swift')

(a) **'Coral Queen'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: O.S. Pride (pre 1983), N: O.S. Pride Fls yellowish pink, with an orange flush. Knap Hill

(r) **'Coral Queen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'King of Shrubs' × 'Fawn' × Dido Group H: Mrs R.J. Coker (1961), G: Mrs R.J. Coker, N: Mrs R.J. Coker, I: Mrs R.J. Coker, REG: Mrs R.J. Coker (1979) Fls 9-12/truss, deep pink (51B). (Grown from seed obtained in 1961 from USA)

(a) **'Coral Red'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: O.S. Pride (pre 1983), N: O.S. Pride Fls deep yellowish pink, flushed red; scented. Knap Hill

(a) **'Coral Red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: G.W. Ring, N: D. Hager (pre 1987), I: D. Hager (pre 1987) Fls 65mm wide, deep reddish orange, with a red blotch. Shrub to 1.5m. Midseason

(a) **'Coral Redwings'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Redwings' R: unknown (pre 1985) Fls deep yellowish pink. Indian

(r) **'Coral Reef'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group (s) × 'Goldsworth Orange' H: F.E.W. Hanger (1946), G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, I: Royal Horticultural Society (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12/lax truss, a pale blend of salmon pink, edged rose and tinged apricot in throat, dorsal lobe with apricot spots; buds a light shade of pink and orange. Pedicels and calyx glandular hairy. AM 1954 (Gloriana Group)

(a) **'Coral Sands'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *prinophyllum* hybrid H: F.L. Abbott, S: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls yellowish pink; scented. Mid June.

(a) **'Coral Sea'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt, I: E.A. Merritt (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, light coral pink. Kurume

(a) **'Coral Sea'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ivory' (s) × 'Keisetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65-75mm wide, strong to deep purplish pink, with a few, distinct, purplish red spots in the showy blotch. Shrub 1.2m. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Coral Skies'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lem's Cameo' (s) × a combination involving Fabia Group, *bureavii* and 'Crest' H: J.G. Lofthouse (1977), G: J.G. Lofthouse, N: J.G. Lofthouse, I: J.G. Lofthouse (1981), REG: J.G. Lofthouse (1983) Fls 7/truss, 65 × 100mm, open funnel-shaped, 5-6-lobed, strong red (50A) in bud, opening strong to light pink (50C-D), with 5-6 radial stripes down each lobe (deep pink (50B) from throat to lobe edge); outside 50B-D with similar striping. Calyx 13-40mm long, 50B. Lvs oblanceolate, 80-100 × 30-45mm, moderate olive green (146A), with a very slight, tan indumentum below. Plant c0.4m in 4 years

(r) **'Coral Star'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Rhododendron Association Year Book (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, edged pink. Similar to 'Dawn', but deeper-coloured

(r) **'Coral Symphony'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *R.* × *nikomontanum* (s) × 'Souvenir of W.C. Slocock' H: B. & M. Shapiro (1967), G: B. & M. Shapiro, N: B. & M. Shapiro, REG: B. & M. Shapiro (1996) Fls 12-15/domed truss, open funnel-campanulate, 50 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep to strong purplish pink (68A-B) in bud, opening inside light to pale purplish pink (62C-D), with deep and strong orange-yellow (163A-B) dorsal spotting; outside streaked deep to strong purplish pink (68A-B). Calyx c2mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 55mm, edges decurved, rounded at base, obtuse at apex, dull, moderate olive green (146A) above, with tan hairs above and below on young leaves, persisting on midrib below. Shrub 1.2 × 1.75m in 29 years. Mid May

(r) **'Coral Velvet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × unknown G: H. Swanson, N: H.E. Greer, I: H.E. Greer (1970), REG: H.E. Greer (1979) Fls 5/truss, 40 × 50mm, broadly funnel-campanulate, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep coral pink in bud, opening moderate yellowish pink (7.5R 8/6), changing to lighter than light yellowish pink (7.5R 9/3) with age, with slightly deeper spotting. Calyx very small, pink. Lvs lanceolate to narrowly elliptic, 65 × 20mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, deep glossy green above, with a heavy, light tan indumentum below; winter buds white tomentose. Shrub 0.8 × 0.6m in 10 years. Late April. (Seedling sent from Japan in 1930)

(a) **'Coral Wing'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Redwings' L: Australia (1984) Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, deep yellowish pink

(r) **'Coralynne'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *luteiflorum* (s) × unknown G: F.S. Blake (1981), N: F.S. Blake (1981), REG: F.S. Blake (1997) Fls 7-9/lax, flat truss, campanulate, 25 × 32mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, strong red (53B) in bud, opening inside strong red (53C) with strong red (46A) spotting on three dorsal lobes, outside strong red (53B); filaments pale yellow-green (195D); anthers moderate yellow-green (147C), ageing to brownish orange (164A); style bent, pale yellow-green (149D); stigma moderate yellow-green (148A). Calyx 5mm long, moderate yellow-green (147C). Lvs elliptic, 95-105 × 20-30mm, flat, mucronate at apex, obtuse at base, slightly glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, scaly. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 20 years. August-September (Australia). (Grown from Scottish seed, supplied as *luteiflorum.* First published in *J.Am.Rh.Soc.*, 43 (2): 102 (1989))

(v) **'Corazon'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *konori* (s) × *leucogigas* H: J.L. Rouse (1980), G: B. Clancy (1986), N: G. Roelink, I: G. Roelink (2000), REG: G. Roelink (2000) Fls 5-6/open truss, tubular-campanulate, 52 × 120mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, greenish white (155C) in bud, opening the same colour inside and out, with strong red (45D) spots on lobe sinuses; style light yellow (10B); strongly scented. Calyx 1.2mm long, strong red (45D). Lvs elliptic-ovate, 156 × 84mm, obtuse at apex, auriculate at base, flat, matt green above, scaly (scales copper/light green when young, ageing to dark green). Shrub 0.8 × 0.95m in 10 years. Autumn-spring

(a) **'Corbella'** (Syn. of 'Gorbella')

(r) **Cordan Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Coreta Group (s) × Dante Group H: Lord Aberconway (1937), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red

(r) **Cordelia Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Arthur Osborne' (s) × 'Loderi King George' H: Lord Aberconway (1934), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(a) **'Cordial'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ivory' (s) × 'Keisetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, single, 65-70mm wide, strong purplish red, with a darker blotch; lobes wavy-edged. Shrub 1.2m. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(v) **'Cordial Orange'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Tropic Glow' × 'Tropic Glow' × *stenophyllum* H: O.S. Blumhardt (1981), G: O.S. Blumhardt (1985), N: O.S. Blumhardt, I: Koromiko Nurseries (1988), REG: O.S. Blumhardt (1990) Fls 3-5/truss, 45 × 45mm, 5-lobed, tube vivid orange (28B), lobes vivid reddish orange (30A); stigma orange-red. Calyx 1mm long, red. Lvs linear-lanceolate, 75 × 12mm, scaly. Shrub to 1.0m. Flowering at any time during the year. (Published in Koromiko Nurseries list, 1988)

(r) **Cordifolium Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *keiskei* N: P.A. Cox (1985) Collective

name for all dwarf/prostrate forms of the species. Group status proposed by Cox in *The Smaller Rhododendrons* (1985), based on *R. keiskei* var. *cordifolium* Masam. Includes 'Yaku Fairy', "var. prostratum" hort. USA p. p., *kuromiensis* Ingram

(a) **'Cordon Bleu'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Hazlewood Bros (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, purple. Dwarf shrub. (Perhaps the same plant listed by A. Leroy (1889) as having medium blue fls)

(a) **'Cordor'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1851), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(r) **'Cordy Wagner'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goldsworth Orange' × 'Loderi King George' R: L.E. Brandt, N: L.E. Brandt, REG: L.E. Brandt (1965) Fls 8-9/truss, 75 × 125mm, coral pink (619/2) at edges, with prominent burnt orange (14/1) rays radiating from the amber yellow (505/1) flushed throat. Lvs 250 × 75mm

(r) **'Coreggio'** cv. Parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1877), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark crimson. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **Coreno Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Coreta Group × Eupheno Group H: Lord Aberconway (1932), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson

(r) **Coresia Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Penjerrick Group (s) × Cornish Cross Group H: Lord Aberconway (1926), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink

(r) **'Coreta'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Loderi Group (s) × Kingianum Group H: Lord Aberconway (1924), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large trusses, tubular funnel-shaped, with spreading, emarginate, slightly wavy-edged and fleshy lobes, deep crimson scarlet, lightly flushed rose in the centre. Lvs ovate, 110-190 × 50-85mm, dark green above; petioles 30-40mm long. FCC 1935 (Coreta Group)

(r) **Coreta Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Loderi Group (s) × Kingianum Group H: Lord Aberconway (1924), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1933), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **Coreum Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Cornish Cross Group (s) × *arboreum* H: Lord Aberconway (1934), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red

(r) **'Coriaceum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* (s) × *arboreum* subsp. *cinnamomeum* var. *album* R: Standish & Noble (pre 1850), N: Standish & Noble, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink in bud, opening milky white with green spots; fine foliage

(a) **'Corinna Borden'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* (white-flowered form) (s) × unknown G: Mrs J.W. Hill (1970), N: Mrs J.W. Hill, REG: Mrs J.W. Hill (1984) Fls 3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, 25 × 45mm, purple (75C) at edges, shading to 75D in throat, with an inconspicuous dorsal blotch. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 30 × 17mm, hairy, more-or-less evergreen. Shrub 0.4m in 7 years. (Seed collected by T.Rokujo in 1965)

(r) **'Corinne'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with yellow spots. (Spelt thus by Noble; given with one 'n' in the 1958 Register)

(r) **'Corinne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan', selfed H: H. Lem, I: D.K. McClure, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls trumpet-shaped, pink, with petaloid stamens

(r) **'Corinne Boulter'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* Houlstonii Group × 'Van Nes Sensation' H: V.J. Boulter (1965), G: V.J. Boulter (1972), N: F. Boulter (1991), I: Boulters Olinda Nursery (1991), REG: Boulters Olinda Nursery (1992) Fls 10-15/conical truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 90mm, with 5-6 very wavy-edged lobes, inside light purplish pink (62C), fading with age and with an orange-yellow flare in the throat; outside 62C also fading with age. Lvs ovate, 105 × 50mm, flat, matt green, hairless. Shrub 3.0m. Spring

(a) **'Corinne Murrah'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kagetsu' (s) × 'Hazel Dawson' × *indicum* R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1964) Fls single, 70-80mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, deep rose pink at margins, shading to amaranth pink and to white at the centre. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Midseason. Back Acres

(r) **'Coriolan'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *ambiguum* × *cinnabarinum* subsp. *xanthocodon* Concatenans Group H: Boskoop (1969), G: Boskoop (pre 1985), N: Boskoop, I: Boskoop (1991), REG: Royal Boskoop Hort. Soc. (1990) Fls c10/truss, funnel-shaped, 30-40 × 30-40mm, 5-lobed, clear yellow, nodding. Lvs broadly ovate, 30-50mm long, scented. Shrub c1.5m tall. April. (Published in *De Boomkwekerij* 13 (1990))

(r) **'Corky'** cv. Parentage unknown R: G. Clarke (pre 1980), N: G. Clarke

(r) **Corma Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *haematodes* subsp. *chaetomallum* × Choremia Group H: Lord Aberconway (1934), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark red

(r) **'Cormid'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Midnight' × 'Coronation Day' H: K. Van de Ven, G: K. Van de Ven, N: K. Van de Ven, I: K. Van de Ven, REG: K. Van de Ven (1980) Fls 14/truss, vivid reddish purple (78D), spotted deep purple and with a green centre

(a) **'Corneille'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Smet, I: C. Vuylsteke (1900), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 8-10/compact, domed

truss, funnel-shaped, c40 × 40mm, inner corolla pale rose, outer corolla bluish rose. Lvs 45-50 × 20mm, mid green. Shrub 1.2m. *AM 1958. Rustica

(a) **'Cornelia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Dallière (1852), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Cornelia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt, I: E.A. Merritt (c 1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, single, deep pink, with a slight coppery tinge. Kurume

(r) **'Cornelia Schröder'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Genoveva' (s) × 'Hassan' R: T.J.H. Seidel (c 1938), N: T.J.H. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls strong pink, with black-red markings

(a) **'Cornelia van Herden'** (Syn. of 'Flander's Field')

(a) **'Cornelia van Tol'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Boer Bros (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft rose. Mollis

(a) **'Cornelis Esveld'** (Syn. of 'C. Esveld')

(a) **'Cornelius'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright red. Indian

(r) **'Cornelius'** cv. Parentage unknown R: L.L. Liebig (pre 1867), N: L.L. Liebig, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, white, marked red-brown

(r) **'Cornell Pink'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *mucronulatum* R: H.T. Skinner, N: H.T. Skinner, I: H.T. Skinner, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 25 × 40mm, shades of phlox pink (625/3), with faint, pale orange, dorsal spots. Lvs typical for species. Shrub under 1.9m. AM 1965

(a) **'Corner'** (Syn. of 'Janny')

(r) **'Corneyanum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark purple. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Corn Husker'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from advanced generation hardy hybrids derived from sect. *Tsutsusi* H: W.L. Tolstead (1985), G: W.L. Tolstead (1990), N: W.L. Tolstead, REG: W.L. Tolstead (1992) Fls 5-7/conical truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 30 × 40mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (7.5RP 6/12), with a dark pink blotch; stamens 5, curved. Calyx 5mm long, light red. Pedicels 10mm long. Lvs elliptic, 25 × 15mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, with scattered hairs above and below; petioles 3mm long. Shrub 0.6 × 0.5m in 7 years. Late May. Very hardy

(r) **'Cornish Cracker'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor Stocker' (s) × *campylocarpum* I: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1956), INC: ICRA (1958) (Damaris Group)

(r) **Cornish Cream Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* (s) × Fortorb Group I: Sir Edward Bolitho (1937), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **Cornish Cross Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* (s) × *griffithianum* R: S. Smith (pre 1927), I: R. Veitch & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c9/truss, narrowly campanulate, 80 × 70-80mm, 5-lobed, mottled rose pink, darker outside, un-marked but with crimson nectaries. Calyx saucer-shaped, crimson. Lvs broadly obovate, c145 × 85mm, deep green above, with a reddish midrib. Shrub to 3-4m

(r) **Cornish Early Red Group** (Syn. of Smithii Group)

(a) **'Cornish Glow'** cv. 'Lanarth' hybrid × 'Lanarth' hybrid I: Sir Edward Bolitho (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 18/truss, large, tubular, with spreading lobes, crimson in bud, changing to orange-yellow when open and flushed with rosy orange. Young lvs flushed bronze. AM 1947

(r) **Cornish Loderi Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* R: J.C. Williams (pre 1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls nearly white

(r) **Cornish Red Group** (Syn. of Smithii Group)

(r) **'Cornish Scarlet'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Cornwall, UK (1940), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **Cornsutch Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Cornubia Group (s) × *sutchuenense* H: E.J.P. Magor (1915), G: E.J.P. Magor, N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1926), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine purple, with a dark blotch

(r) **'Cornubia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* (blood red form) (s) × Shilsonii Group R: S. Smith (pre 1911), N: R. Gill & Sons, I: R. Gill & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12/truss, campanulate, 50 × 65mm, glowing scarlet, unmarked but with deep crimson nectaries. Calyx lobes 6-10mm long, pale red. Lvs elliptic to obovate, c155 × 65mm, dull dark green above, minutely and sparsely downy below. Large shrub or small tree. AM 1912 (Cornubia Group)

(r) **Cornubia Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* (blood red form) (s) × Shilsonii Group R: S. Smith (pre 1911), N: R. Gill & Sons, I: R. Gill & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Cornwallis'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei*, open-pollinated G: Kentville Research Station, N: Kentville Research Station, I: Kentville Research Station, REG: Kentville Research Station (1977) Fls up to 11/truss, 65mm wide, dawn pink (523/2), with heavy oxblood (00823/3) spotting on dorsal and adjacent lobes; scented. Lvs 140 × 50mm. Shrub to 1.0m. Syn: 'Acadia' (Seed collected by F.W. Schumacher, 1955)

(r) **'Coromandel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Roberte' × Vanessa Group I: Sunningdale Nurseries (1957), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Corona'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, 100mm wide, blood red. Indian

(r) **'Corona'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage uncertain R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1911), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c12/in an elongated truss, funnel-shaped, 40-45 × 50-55mm, rich coral pink, with a sparsely crimson dotted, dorsal lobe. Calyx lobes 3-5mm long, ciliate. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. AM 1911 (Speculations as to parentage vary from *thomsonii* and *griffithianum* to 'George Hardy')

(a) **'Coronado Cascade'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Pink Cascade' × 'Bunka' R: J. Harris (pre 1989), N: J. Harris Fls 75mm wide, deep yellowish pink, with a red blotch. Stems very flexible

(a) **'Coronarium'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Henderson & Co. (1852), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(r) **'Coronarium'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection or hybrid of *arboreum* R: unknown (pre 1842), INC: ICRA (1958) (Exhibited in Paris by M.Guérin in 1842; Seidel (1862) lists it under 'dwarf *arboreum* of Jackson')

(a) **'Coronarium Grandiflorum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Coronation'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls strong yellowish pink. Knap Hill

(a) **'Coronation'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Australia/New Zealand (1987) Fls double, large, deep yellowish pink. (Perhaps the Rothschild plant with this name)

(r) **Coronation Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ernest Gill' × Kewense Group I: R. Gill & Sons (1937), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Coronation Day'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pink Shell' (s) × LoderiGroup R: J.J. Crosfield (c 1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c11/truss, 115 × 115mm, 6-7-lobed, white, tinged a delicately mottled china rose (024/1), with a dark crimson blotch in the throat. Lvs elliptic-oblanceolate, up to 150 × 50mm, with undulate margins. AM 1949

(a) **'Coronation Lady'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Cecile' × an un-named pink seedling R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon pink, with an orange-yellow blotch. Knap Hill

(r) **'Coronation Pride'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lockington Pride' (s) × 'Coronation Day' H: D.J. Dosser (1990), G: D.J. Dosser (1998), N: D.J. Dosser (1999), REG: D.J. Dosser (1999) Fls 10-20/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 76 × 100mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, opening inside strong purplish pink (63C), outside strong purplish pink (63C) with moderate purplish pink (66D) streaks on lobe midribs; moderate purplish red (64A) spots on three dorsal lobes, and with a moderate purplish red (64A) blotch in the throat. Calyx c1.5mm long. Lvs elliptic, 220 × 60mm, broadly acute at apex, obtuse at base, flat, semi-glossy above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 1.0m in 9 years. October-November (Tasmania). (Standard: herbarium specimen provided by registrant (WSY 0021407))

(a) **'Coronatum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: P. Verleeuwen (1835), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Coronatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Smith (pre 1851), N: Smith, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls reddish purple. (SCC 1865. Perhaps the ?'Puniceum' × 'Danielsianum' derivative exhibited by Margottin in 1854)

(a) **'Coronatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: T. Jackson & Son (pre 1851), N: T. Jackson & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls brilliant rose red. Indian (Perhaps the same plant listed by W. Rollisson & Sons, 1846)

(r) **'Coronet'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1847), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **Coronet Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Corona' (s) × *wardii* I: Wallace (1937), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **Coronis Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Corona' (s) × Loderi Group H: Lord Aberconway (1926), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose

(a) **'Corot'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown G: E. de Rothschild (1970s), S: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: Exbury Enterprises (1997), REG: E. de Rothschild (1997) Fls double (all stamens petaloid), 4-5/truss, tubular funnel-shaped (opening flat-faced), 60 × 100mm, with 5 pointed lobes in outer whorl, light purplish pink (55C) to strong pink (52D), flushed deep purplish pink (55A), with a small dorsal flare of moderate reddish orange (35B), the tube strongly flushed deep pink (50B); petaloids also deep pink (50B). Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs obovate, 80 × 30mm. May. (Solent Group)

(a) **'Corporal'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Othello' × unnamed red seedling R: P.E. Girard (pre 1962), N: P.E. Girard

(a) **'Correcta'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Rinz (pre 1853), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose orange, with saffron spots. Indian

(r) **'Corrector'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy crimson, with dark spots. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Correggio'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1851), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 17-20/almost spherical truss, broadly campanulate, 45-50 × 60-65mm, deep crimson at edges, shading to rose magenta in tube, with a conspicuous ray

of dark crimson spots and conspicuous nectar pouches. Calyx lobes pinkish, fringed with glands. Lvs oblong-oblanceolate, c200 × 60mm, dark green, with a very thin, pale indumentum below. Shrub to 3.0m. (Spelling adopted here, as in 1958 Register, equates to the famous Italian painter; Waterer catalogues (eg 1851/2) used, presumably in error, 'Corregio'; 'Corregia' has also been used (A. van Geert, 1893))

(r) **'Corregia'** (See note under 'Correggio')

(r) **'Corregio'** (See note under 'Correggio')

(a) **'Corrine Murrah'** (An error for 'Corinne Murrah')

(a) **'Corringe'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, with wavy-edged lobes, reddish orange, with an orange-yellow blotch. Knap Hill

(a) **'Corroboree'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: M.E. Greentree (pre 1980), N: M.E. Greentree Fls single, dark red. Kurume

(r) **Corros Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Cornish Cross Group × Eros Group H: Lord Aberconway (1932), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(a) **'Corry'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* × 'Heiwa' H: R.D. Gartrell (1962), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, REG: D.H. Voss (1991) Fls single, 1/bud, broadly funnel-shaped, 30 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged, broadly overlapping lobes, light reddish purple (74C), sometimes marked with white (or sports white with light reddish purple markings), spotted strong purplish red (67A) over strong colour otherwise spots greenish yellow. Calyx 6mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 42 × 16mm. Low shrub. Mid May

(r) **'Corry Koster'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: M. Koster & Sons, N: M. Koster & Sons, I: M. Koster & Sons (1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c16/conical truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 80mm, with wavy-edged lobes, rich pink, shading to white at edges, with heavy, brownish crimson, dorsal spotting; style crimson. Calyx lobes short, densely glandular. Lvs oblanceolate. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years

(r) **Corsa Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Choremia Group (s) × *sanguineum* H: Lord Aberconway (1937), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blood red

(a) **'Corsage'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J.B. Gable, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 65mm wide, lavender; scented. Foliage almost deciduous. Gable (Named by Cannon ? (not by Gable))

(a) **'Corsair'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Osakazuki' (s) × 'Kagaribi' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65mm wide, strong purplish pink, with an inconspicuous blotch of purplish red spots. Shrub to 1.5m. Late April-early May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Corsock'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *phaeochrysum* R: D. MacEwen, I: F.L. Ingall, REG: F.L. Ingall (1966) Fls 18-20/tight truss, funnel-campanulate, 50 × 65mm, white, the throat lightly spotted close to china rose (024). Calyx 5-lobed, rudimentary. Lvs elliptic, 160 × 70mm, with a brown indumentum below. PC 1966 (Raised from Forrest seed)

(a) **'Corston's Yellow'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown, but derived mainly from *luteum* R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1959), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1961) Fls yellow, strongly scented. Lvs tinted bronze. Knap Hill

(r) **'Cortez'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' (s) × *basilicum* H: M.E. Cisney (1969), S: D.W. Goheen (1984), N: D.W. Goheen, I: D.W. Goheen (1991), REG: D.W. Goheen (1991) Fls 16-18/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 64-76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53C/D), the throat fading to strong pink (52D), a few vivid red spots (53A) on dorsal lobes and with strong red (46A) to vivid red (46B) nectaries; slightly scented (reminiscent of honey). Calyx minute, currant red. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 152-178 × 51mm, convex, margins recurved, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy, dark green (131B) and bullate above, with a faint, copper brown indumentum below (especially on midrib). Shrub 3.0 × 2.4m in 20 years. Early April

(r) **'Cortonii'** cv. Parentage unknown L: A. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Coruscans'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1849), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Coruscum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1839), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Corydon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Yozakura' (s) × 'Kagaribi' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50-55mm wide, with overlapping lobes, strong purplish pink, with a few, darker dorsal spots in the blotch. Shrub 1.2m. Late April. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Cos'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* × Vanessa Group R: Sunningdale Nurseries, N: Sunningdale Nurseries (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 7-lobed, of open form, flesh pink in bud, opening pale ivory, deepening to pale yellow in the throat which is faintly spotted claret

(r) **'Cosel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark rose lilac, with darker margins and green-brown spots

(r) **'Cosima'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Everestianum' × 'Everestianum' R: T.J.R. Seidel (1893), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, carmine rose, with yellow markings

(r) **'Cosmic Rays'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Susy' (s) × 'Ritchie' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, deep reddish purple (77A), deep purplish red (71A) and strong purplish red (71B, C) in bud, opening vivid and strong reddish purple (78A, B), light purple (78C) and moderate purplish pink (78D); anthers yellowish white (158C). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Cosmopolitan'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1870), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Cosmopolitan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cunningham's White' × 'Vesuvius' R: J.C. Hagen (pre 1957), N: J.C. Hagen, I: J.C. Hagen, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10-18/rather compact, conical trusses, 40-75mm wide, light purplish pink (62C). with strong markings of dark red to deep purplish red (59A-B) on three dorsal lobes; fading to pale pink. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. May. (Shows a tendency to flower again autumn)

(r) **'Costa del Sol'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* subsp. *caloxanthum* (s) × *lacteum* R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1969), REG: E. de Rothschild (1969) Fls 14-16/loose truss, open campanulate, 50 × 65mm, 5-lobed, light yellow (10B) deepening toward the base of the outside to brilliant yellow (11A), flushed strong red (46A) deep in dorsal throat. Lvs elliptic, up to 120 × 55mm, dark green above, with a pale brown indumentum below. Low, rounded shrub to 1.9m. AM 1969 (The colours given are of the award plant; *The Rothschild Rhododendrons* (1979) describes it as 'strong yellow-orange, flushed red in throat')

(r) **'Costa Smeralda'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ruddy Red Max' (s) × 'Maxine Childers' × 'Anna Delp' H: C. Trautmann (pre 1996), G: C. Trautmann, N: C. Trautmann

(a) **'Cote Group'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *atlanticum* (s) × unknown R: J.B. Stevenson (1937), G: J.B. Stevenson, N: J.B. Stevenson, I: J.B. Stevenson (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls of soft pastel shades, ranging from cream and pink salmon to coral, etc; scented. Ghent

(r) **'Cotillon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group × Naomi Group R: R. Henny, N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny (1959), REG: R. Henny (1961) Fls 9-10/truss, 100mm wide, 7-lobed, mars orange (013/3) inside, jasper red (018/2) outside. Lvs 200 × 65mm. Shrub 1.2 × 1.9m

(a) **'Cottage Garden'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: USA (c 1960) (Perhaps correctly 'Miss Cottage Garden')

(a) **'Cottage Maid'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy red, with a light centre. Ghent

(a) **'Cottage Ruffles'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Cottage Gardens (1985) Fls 75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, deep pink. Indian (Possibly the same plant as 'Miss Cottage Garden')

(r) **'Cotterill'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Rhododendron Association Year Book (1929), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep coral, fimbriated and blotched

(a) **'Cotton Candy'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *cumberlandense* × *viscosum* R: E.V. Mezitt (pre 1985), N: E.V. Mezitt Fls strong pink (52D), 25mm wide; scented. July

(r) **'Cotton Candy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi Venus' × 'Marinus Koster' R: Henny & Wennekamp, N: Henny & Wennekamp (1958), REG: Henny & Wennekamp (1961) Fls up to 18/conical truss, 125mm wide, soft pink. Lvs 150 × 75mm, dark green. Shrub up to 3.0m

(a) **'Cottontail'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Linda Jean' (s) × 'Satanta' H: W.L. Guttormsen (1975), G: W.L. Guttormsen (1979), N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen (c 1983), REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1985) Fls double (5-lobed, plus 12 petaloid stamens), 1-2/truss, funnel-shaped, 30 × 55mm, white, with a pale yellow throat. Calyx 7mm long, green. Lvs more-or-less broadly elliptic to more-or-less obovate, 25-50 × 17-30mm, more-or-less moderate olive green (147A), very glossy, bullate, hairy. Shrub 0.15 × 0.5m in 6 years, with creeping branches

(a) **'Cotton Top'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Linda Jean' (s) × 'Springtime' (Kurume) H: W.L. Guttormsen (1975), G: W.L. Guttormsen (1979), N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen (c 1983), REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1985) Fls 1-2/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 25 × 50mm, 5-lobed (with some petaloid stamens), white. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs narrowly obovate to elliptic, 25-40 × 13-20mm, more-or-less moderate olive green, slightly glossy, hairy. Shrub 0.3 × 0.4m in 6 years

(r) **'Cougar'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from open-pollinated 'Loderi King George' I: C. Weeks (c 1979), REG: C. Weeks (1983) Fls 15/truss, 70 × 95mm, tubular funnel-shaped, 6-lobed, strong red (53B) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (55A) and fading to pale purplish pink (56A), with dorsal rays of 55A spots at first. Calyx 10mm long, strong red (50A). Lvs lanceolate, 195 × 60mm, moderate olive green (147A), hairless. Shrub c1.9m in 6 years. Syn: 'Loderi Cougar' (Seedling grown by J.H. Drewry (c1970) and then G.German)

(a) **'Couleur de Paille'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1877), INC: ICRA (1958) FCC 1877 (Exhibited by J. Veitch)

(a) **'Couleur Nankin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1849), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Count de Kerkov'** (Syn. of 'Comte Charles de Kerchove de Denterghem')

(r) **'Counterpoint'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: (PJM Group × 'Mucronulatum Pink'), selfed R: unknown (pre 1985) (Parent of 'Landmark')

(r) **'Countess'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown L: Rhododendron Association Year Book (1929), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c15/rounded truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40-45 × 60-70mm, bright pink, paler in centre and with sparse, crimson, dorsal spots. Calyx lobes very small, ciliate. Lvs narrowly ovate, c100 × 30mm, glossy above, thinly felted below. Low-growing and sprawling habit (as cultivated by Hilliers; described as delicate shell pink in 1958 Register and 1929 Year Book)

(r) **'Countess de Morello'** cv. Parentage unknown I: J. Standish (1861), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft rose, with wavy edges

(r) **'Countess Fitzwilliam'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Fisher, Son & Sibray, N: Fisher, Son & Sibray (pre 1898), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large trusses, bright carmine rose, with paler centres and dark spots

(r) **'Countess Morley'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R.T. Pince, (pre 1868), N: R.T. Pince, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, edged purple. (Published in Lucombe, Pince & Co. cat., c1868)

(r) **'Countess of Athlone'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Geoffrey Millais' (s) × 'Catawbiense Grandiflorum' R: C.B. van Nes & Sons (pre 1923), N: C.B. van Nes & Sons (c 1923), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 9-15/fairly compact, conical truss (sometimes more rounded), 50-55 × 60-90mm, outside lilac to pale lilac, inside whitish lilac, margins partly pale lilac, with a few greenish yellow dorsal markings. Calyx lobes 2-4mm long. Lvs ovate, c125 × 55mm, glossy olive green above. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. Late May-early June

(r) **'Countess of Beauchamp'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Fisher, Son & Sibray (1898), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush, with a pink eye and a blotch of deep crimson spots

(r) **'Countess of Cadogan'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink, in a compact truss. (Probably the 'Countess of Cardigan' listed by C. Vuylsteke, 1890)

(r) **'Countess of Cardigan'** (See note under 'Countess of Cadogan')

(r) **'Countess of Clancarty'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light rosy crimson, with darker spots

(r) **'Countess of Craven'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Countess of Derby'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Multiflorum' × *edgeworthii* R: I. Davies (pre 1879), N: I. Davies, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls campanulate, pure white; scented

(r) **'Countess of Derby'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pink Pearl' (s) × 'Cynthia' R: G.H. White (1913), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c17/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 70 × 90-110mm, soft rose pink, paler in the centre of each lobe and with dorsal spots and streaks of brownish red on a white ground. Calyx gland-fringed. Lvs obovate, up to 135 × 60mm, deep green above. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. AM 1930 Syn: 'Eureka Maid'

(a) **'Countess of Donoughmore'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cream, blotched. Mollis

(r) **'Countess of Donoughmore'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Fisher, Son & Sibray (pre 1931), N: Fisher, Son & Sibray, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with light pink margins and paler centres

(a) **'Countess of Flanders'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose. Indian

(r) **'Countess of Haddington'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *ciliatum* (s) × *dalhousiae* R: Evans (pre 1862), I: Parker & Williams (pre 1903), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, trumpet-shaped, 80 × 70mm, white, flushed pale rose and with distinct nectar pouches. Calyx pale green, ciliate, the lobes 6-10mm long. Lvs lanceolate to oblong-obovate, 100 × 35mm, dull olive green and sparsely scaly above, with well-spaced, golden brown scales below. Straggly shrub to 1.9m, with strongly scented fls. FCC 1862 (Passed from Evans to Lees, gardener to Earl of Haddington at Tynninghame, where it was probably named)

(r) **'Countess of Headfort'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac rose, spotted

(r) **'Countess of Ilchester'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1898), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale in centre, scarlet at edge

(r) **'Countess of Lathom'** cv. Parentage unknown R: I. Davies (pre 1896), N: I. Davies, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Countess of Lockington'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lockington Pride' (s) × 'Loderi Titan' H: D.J. Dosser (1990), G: D.J. Dosser (1997), N: D.J. Dosser (1997), REG: D.J. Dosser (1997) Fls 10/conical truss, funnel-shaped, 76 × 114mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (63C) in bud, fading on opening to pure white; scented. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 46mm, margins flat, acute at apex, attenuate at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.3m in 7 years. October-November (Tasmania)

(r) **'Countess of Normanton'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 19/hemispherical truss, 35-40 × 60-70mm, broadly funnel-shaped, deep mauve in bud, opening pale mauve and fading to white, with darker margins and a dark purple blotch on dorsal lobe

(r) **'Countess of Pourtales'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls brilliant crimson. HardyHybrid (Has been listed as 'Comtesse de Portales')

(r) **'Countess of Rosslyn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid R: A. Henderson & Co. (pre 1864), N: A. Henderson & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white, edged rose and spotted brown

(r) **'Countess of Sefton'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *edgeworthii* (s) × 'Multiflorum' R: I. Davies (c 1877), N: I. Davies, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, pure white, tinged rose; sweetly scented

(r) **'Countess of Shannon'** cv. Parentage unknown L: H. White (1942), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Countess of Stair'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Lord Stair (1911), INC: ICRA (1958) (Raised at Castle Kennedy)

(a) **'Countess of Stamford'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet orange-red. Indian

(r) **'Countess of Tankerville'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1902), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c12/compact truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45 × 70mm, bright pink, shading to white in centre, with yellowish green markings on the dorsal lobe. Calyx discoid

(r) **'Countess of Wharncliffe'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Fisher, Son & Sibray (pre 1898), N: Fisher, Son & Sibray, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep crimson. (Previously listed incorrectly as 'Countess of Wharnclyffe')

(r) **'Countess of Wilton'** cv. Parentage unknown I: W. Rollisson & Sons (pre 1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy crimson. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Country Girl'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Blaauw's Pink' × unknown seedling H: L. Yavorsky (c 1965), G: L. Yavorsky, N: A.M. Gray, I: L. Yavorsky, REG: L. Yavorsky (1987) Fls hose-in-hose, 2-5/truss, 32×38-44mm, open funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, creamy white with strong red (45D) margins and a prominent, vivid red (45A) dorsal flare; buds light pink, tipped deep yellowish pink (43C). Calyx 32mm long, coloured as corolla. Later lvs obovate, 32-38 × 13-16mm; spring lvs elliptic. Shrub 0.9 × 1.4m in c20 years. Early May

(r) **'Count Vitetti'** cv. Parentageunknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), N: Planting Fields Arboretum (pre 1978) Fls large, close to deep purplish pink (68A) in bud, opening inside light purplish pink (65B) at edge, shading lighter towards green-spotted yellowish centre, outside light purplish pink. Lvs elliptic, acute at apex, rounded at base.

(a) **'Count William de Deauz Ponts'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Sweetheart Supreme' R: D.J. Cole (pre 1987), N: D.J. Cole Fls 40mm wide, bright pink. Mid April

(r) **'County Fair'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs J.H. Van Nes' × Loderi Group × *williamsianum* H: H. Lem (pre 1968)

(r) **'County of Forsyth'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lemon Ice' (s) × 'Madonna' H: E.R. Bahnson (1983), G: E.R. Bahnson (1987), N: E.R. Bahnson, REG: E.R. Bahnson (1993) Fls 12/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 75 × 100mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, white, with a prominent, light yellow-green (145B) spotted blotch on the dorsal lobe and on parts of the adjacent lobes. Pedicels 15mm long, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 120-150 × 25-40mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless, glossy and moderate green (131C) above, strong yellow-green (143C) below; petioles 37mm long, green. Shrub 1.5 × 2.1m in 7 years. Early

(r) **'County of York'** (Syn. of 'Catalode')

(r) **'Courage'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Whitney, I: G. & Mrs A. Sather (pre 1980)

(a) **'Couronne Impériale'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1860), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(r) **'Courtenay Duke'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Madame Guillemot' (s) × 'Gomer Waterer' H: H.R. Wright (1991), G: H.R. Wright, N: H.R. Wright (2001), REG: H.R. Wright (2001) Fls 12-15/flat truss, saucer-shaped, 50 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, rose in bud, opening inside rose with reddish midribs and a dark red, spotted dorsal blotch, outside dark rose; stamens and pistil red. Calyx 10mm long, cream. Lvs oblong 115 × 40mm, with a slight downward twist, margins downcurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy to dull green above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 0.5m in 10 years. Late May

(r) **'Courtenay King'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *auriculatum*, open-pollinated G: H.R. Wright (1994), S: H.R. Wright (1982), N: H.R. Wright (2001), REG: H.R. Wright (2001) Fls 7-10/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, c90mm wide, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, light pink in bud, opening inside light pink with slightly darker pink midribs; outside similarly coloured, but slightly darker shades of pink; moderately scented. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 250 × 80mm, margins downcurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and mid green above, hairless; leaf bud scales long, narrow, dark red. Shrub 2.0 × 1.5m in 10 years. Mid July

(r) **'Courtenay Lady'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Ladybird Group (s) × 'Enchanted Evening' H: H.R. Wright (1992), G: H.R. Wright (1997), N: H.R. Wright (2001), REG: H.R. Wright (2001) Fls 7-10/conical truss, funnel-campanulate, 60 × 80mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, pink to orange in bud, opening inside with moderate pink margins, a light yellow throat and light brown dorsal spots, the throat fading to white; outside light pink with darker pink midribs; stamens light red; pistil light green. Calyx 2mm long, light red. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 50mm, margins downcurved, broadly acute

at apex, rounded at base, mid green above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 0.5m in 10 years. Mid June

(r) **'Courtenay Princess'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Haida Gold' (s) × 'Golden Star' H: H.R. Wright (1991), G: H.R. Wright (1997), N: H.R. Wright (2001), REG: H.R. Wright (2001) Fls 8-9/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, light yellow and pink in bud, opening inside light yellow randomly flushed pink on lobes; outside light yellow with narrow lines of pink along the lobes. Calyx 10mm long, mid pink. Lvs oblong, 90-100 × 40mm, flat, acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and green above, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 0.5m in 10 years. Early May

(r) **'Courtenay Queen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Haida Gold' (s) × 'Golden Star' H: H.R. Wright (1991), G: H.R. Wright (1997), N: H.R. Wright (2001), REG: H.R. Wright (2001) Fls 8-10/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, with 7-8 wavy-edged lobes, pink in bud, opening inside light yellow, the lobes edged with light pink, outside yellow, flushed rose to pink; unmarked; stigma lime green; strongly scented. Calyx 3mm long, greenish yellow. Lvs oblong, 120 × 55mm, margins downcurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 0.5m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Court Jester'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan' × 'Sun Devil' H: L.W. Bulgin (1980), G: L.W. Bulgin (1984), N: L.W. Bulgin, I: Ellanhurst Gardens, REG: L.W. Bulgin (1988) Fls 9-13/domed truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 41 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, outside and buds strong red (46A), opening vivid red (46B), with light yellow-green (150D) centre and slight spotting of moderate yellow-green (148A). Calyx 6-25mm long, striped vivid red (46B) and light yellow-green (150D), rolled back like a collar. Lvs narrowly elliptic/oblanceolate, 114 × 38mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 6 years. Mid May

(v) **'Courtney'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *konori* var. *phaeopeplum* × *lochiae* (s) × *leucogigas* × *jasminiflorum* H: S. Begg, G: R. Addison (1989), N: R. Addison (2000), REG: R. Addison (2001) Fls 8-10/open, flat truss, salverform, with a slightly curved tube, 65 × 47mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, white (155C) inside, outside pale purplish pink (56D); unspotted; stamens 14, unequal, filaments white (155C), anthers moderate reddish brown (175A); style greyish reddish orange, stigma strong red (47B). Calyx 2mm long. Lvs broadly elliptic, 95 × 38-43mm, flat, semi-glossy, scaly. October/November (Australia). (Standard: herbarium specimen received from registrant (WSY 0027980))

(r) **'Cousinum Superbum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a form or hybrid of *arboreum* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) (Exhibited in Paris by Modeste Guérin, 1842)

(r) **'Cove Neck'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: unknown red-flowered elepidote × unknown G: Mrs J.E. Nunez (1990), N: Mrs J.E. Nunez, REG: Mrs J.E. Nunez (1995) Fls 6-8/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 38-51 × 38-51mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, dark rose in bud, opening clear mid pink, with green spotting on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 32mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 152 × 64mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy above, hairless. Shrub 1.3 × 1.2m in c11 years. April-May. (Seed collected by Mrs Nunez in c1983)

(a) **'Cover Girl'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Twenty Grand', selfed R: P.B. Cornell, N: P.B. Cornell, I: P.B. Cornell (c 1960) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 75mm wide, rose madder (23). Upright habit. Midseason. Indian

(a) **'Cover Girl'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Linda Jean' (s) × 'Hahn's Red' H: W.L. Guttormsen (1975), G: W.L. Guttormsen (1979), N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen (c 1983), REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1985) Fls 2-3/truss, double (5-lobed, plus petaloid stamens), funnel-shaped, 25 × 45mm, deep pink (52C), with red spots on the dorsal lobes. Calyx 7mm long, green. Lvs broadly elliptic to more-or-less orbicular, 22-40 × 20-25mm, more-or-less moderate olive green (147A), somewhat glossy and bullate, hairy. Shrub 0.4 × 0.6m in 6 years

(r) **'Cover Girl'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Cover Girl')

(r) **Cowbell Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *ciliatum* (s) × *edgeworthii* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in loose trusses, white or pale pink. Lvs deep green, ciliate. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years, of low, spreading habit. April-May

(r) **'Cowboy Joe'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' (s) × 'Dianta' H: M. Stockman (1983), G: M. & H. Stockman (1990), N: M. & H. Stockman, I: M. & H. Stockman (1992), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1992) Fls 8/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 51 × 89mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, strong purple (77B) with a large, pale yellow blotch (161C) on dorsal lobe with superimposed light olive brown (199B) spots (within a few days the blotch ages to vivid red (45B), densely spotted greyish red (184A)); outside flushed strong purplish red (72C); stamens 10, straight, unequal; filaments lavender; style cream. Calyx 6mm long, light green. Pedicels 16mm long, reddish. Lvs elliptic, 89 × 35mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base; bullate, glossy and medium green above, hairless; petioles 16mm long, light green. Spreading shrub, 0.8 × 1.0m in 9 years. Mid May

(r) **'Cowles Deep Rose'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: possibly a *racemosum* hybrid N: A.R. Brooks (pre 1985) Fls deep pink. (Plant originally from J.C. Cowles)

(r) **'Cowslip'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *williamsianum* (s) × *wardii* H: Lord Aberconway (1930), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 5-7/truss,

broadly campanulate, 40 × 50-65mm, pale primrose yellow, suffused pale pink. Lvs c65 × 45mm. Shrub 0.8m in 10 years. AM 1937 (Cowslip Group)

(r) **Cowslip Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *williamsianum* (s) × *wardii* H: Lord Aberconway (1930), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1937), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Cowtye'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *charitopes* subsp. *tsangpoense* (ex KW 5844) R: A.E. Hardy, N: A.E. Hardy, I: A.E. Hardy (1972), REG: ICRA (1993) Fls 3-5/truss, broadly tubular-campanulate, 13 × 20mm, 5-lobed, deep reddish purple (77A), with some dark spotting in the dorsal throat. Calyx lobes up to 5mm long, green. Lvs obovate to elliptic-obovate, up to 50 × 25mm, dark green above, glaucous below, slightly scaly on both sides. AM 1972

(r) **'Cox'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection or hybrid of *haematodes* L: Firma C. Esveld (pre 1984) Fleshy red calyx. Shrub up to 1.0m. (Although Esveld intended this merely as an indication of source, it appears in their catalogue as if it were a cultivar name)

(r) **'Cox's Uranium Green'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *decorum*, possibly from Kingdon Ward (1921) seed R: E.H.M. Cox, N: J.M. Cowan & H.H. Davidian (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls greenish yellow (63/3); otherwise resembles normal *decorum*

(r) **C.P. Raffill Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' (s) × *griersonianum* R: Kew (1943), N: Kew, I: Kew (1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep orange-red

(a) **'Crabapple'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (pre 1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, pink. Coolidge

(r) **'Crackerjack'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* × *wardii* H: R. Henny, G: R. Henny, I: L. Henny, REG: L. Henny (1964) Fls 8-10/truss, campanulate, 30 × 65mm, empire yellow (603/1). Dwarf shrub. Late May-June

(v) **'Craig Faragher'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *gracilentum* × *jasminiflorum* H: C. Faragher, G: C. Faragher (1975-1976), I: G.L.S. Snell, REG: G.L.S. Snell (1982) Fls 6-8/truss, strong pink (54C), with pale purplish pink (56B) lobes. Lvs elliptic, 20 × 10mm. Shrub 0.6m

(a) **'Cramoisie'** cv. Parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1847), INC: ICRA (1958) (A hardy azalea. Perhaps an error for 'Cramoisi Flamboyant')

(a) **'Cramoisi Flamboyant'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: P. Verleeuwen (1835), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls fire red. Shrub 1.0-1.5m. Ghent (Consistently so spelt in continental catalogues; seen in a variety of variants in the UK ('Cramoize Flamboyanti', 'Cramoisie Flamboyante' etc))

(r) **'Cramoisi Violet'** cv. Parentage unknown L: G. Morlet (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) (Published in *Horticulture Français*, 1854:107-111)

(r) **'Cranberry'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (pre 1980), N: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg

(r) **'Cranberry Lace'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anna' (s) × 'Purple Lace' H: F. Fujioka (1977), G: F. Fujioka (1983), N: F. Fujioka, REG: F. Fujioka (1993) Fls 15-16/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 133 × 102mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (61B) at margins, shading through deep purplish pink (66C) to pale purplish pink (62D) in throat with a strong purplish red (60B) central star; stamens 10, curved, unequal. Pedicels 38mm long, light yellow-green (145C). Lvs elliptic, 165 × 64mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy dark green above, hairless; petioles 25mm long, dark red (183B). Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 16 years. Midseason

(r) **'Cranberry Swirl'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lem's Cameo' (s) × 'Coronation Day' H: J.A. Davis (1982), G: J.A. Davis (1986), N: J.A. Davis, I: J.A. Davis, REG: J.A. Davis (1989) Fls 10-14/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 64 × 102-152mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish red (59C) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (55A) which ages to strong purplish pink (55B) at margins (c12-18mm wide); shading abruptly to light purplish pink (55C) which ages to pale purplish pink (55D); prominent dark red (59A) spot in throat, c25mm wide; small amount of dark red spotting mainly on dorsal lobe. Calyx 10-13mm long, deep purplish pink (55A). Lvs elliptic, 127-152 × 51mm, flat, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 5 years. Early May

(r) **'Cranbourne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Azor Group (s) × Isabella Group R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1957), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 9/truss, campanulate, 80 × 115mm, a varying shade of tyrian rose (24/2) and with a large, red blotch in the throat and reddish brown spotting on dorsal lobes. Lvs 160 × 55mm. AM 1957

(r) **'Cranbourne's Sister'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Azor Group × Isabella Group R: Crown Estate Commissioners (pre 1990), N: Crown Estate Commissioners Fls rose pink. Tall shrub. July

(r) **'Crane'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *keiskei* 'Yaku Fairy' (s) × *racemosum* 'White Lace' H: P.A. & K.N.E. Cox (1983), G: P.A. & K.N.E. Cox (1988), N: P.A. & K.N.E. Cox (1993), I: GlendoickGardens (1991), REG: P.A. & K.N.E. Cox (1993) Fls 3/truss, with both terminal and axillary buds in a multiple inflorescence, funnel-shaped, 18 × 22mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds pale greenish yellow (2D), opening pale yellow (11D) both inside and out, unmarked. Lvs obovate, margins decurved, matt green above, acuminate at apex, obtuse at base. Shrub 0.5 × 0.6m in 10 years. April

(a) **'Cranford'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum* (s) × 'Tama-sugata' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 75mm wide, deep rose pink, the blotch inconspicuous as dots are only slightly darker; fls developing a white centre with age. Shrub to 1.0m. Late May-early June. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Crarae'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: possibly a seedling or hybrid of *niveum* R: Sir George Campbell, N: Sir George Campbell, REG: Sir George Campbell (1963) Fls over 20/compact truss, tubular-campanulate, fleshy, 50-65 × 40mm, 7-lobed, orchid purple (31/2), striped and stained 31/1, and with a small, dahlia purple (931) blotch. Lvs obovate, 175 × 65mm, dull mid green above, with a mealy, whitish indumentum below. AM 1965

(r) **'Crarae Crimson'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *cinnabarinum* Roylei Group R: Sir Ilay Campbell, I: C. Ingram (1975), REG: C. Ingram (1975) PC 1975

(r) **'Craswell'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' (s) × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: W.A. Reese (1968), G: W.A. Reese, N: W.A. Reese, I: W.A. Reese, REG: W.A. Reese (1977) Fls up to 14/truss, 50mm wide, strong red (53B) in bud, opening deep pink (52C). Lvs 125 × 50mm. Shrub under 1.0m

(r) **'Crater Lake'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *augustinii* 'Barto Blue' (s) × 'Bluebird' H: C.H. Phetteplace (1965), G: C.H. Phetteplace (1969), N: C.H. Phetteplace, I: C.H. Phetteplace (1972), REG: C.H. Phetteplace (1975) Fls 3/truss/(2-3 trusses in a group), flat saucer-shaped, 25 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, brilliant violet (10PB 5/9), unspotted. Calyx 5-10mm long, pale yellow-green. Lvs elliptic, 40-50 × 20mm, scaly, moderate yellow-green (7.5GY 5/7). Shrub 1.9 × 1.4m in 10 years. May

(r) **'Crater's Edge'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *mucronulatum* S: W.E. Berg, N: W.E. Berg Fls reddish lavender. (Collected by Berg in Korea, pre 1984)

(r) **'Crayon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Dad's Killer' (s) × 'Purple Splendour' H: S. Mauritsen (1984), G: Kent Nursery (1988), N: J. Hyde, I: Kent Nursery, REG: S. Mauritsen (1990) Fls 18/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 64 × 102mm, with 5-7 wavy-edged lobes, very light purple (75C) with light purple (75B) edging (c6mm wide) and a prominent deep red (60A) spotted marking (c51 × 38mm) on dorsal and two adjacent lobes. Calyx c6mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 102 × 38mm, with wavy margins, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, with a very few, dark brown glands. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 6 years. Early-mid May

(r) **'Crazy Joe'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marion' × Radium Group H: G. Langdon, G: G. Langdon, N: G. Langdon, I: G. Langdon, REG: G. Langdon (1982) Fls 15/truss, strong red (53B)

(a) **'Crazy Quilt'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *occidentale* S: L.F. Frisbie (pre 1965), N: L.F. Frisbie Fls 65mm wide, white, with red and pink stripes and an orange blotch

(r) **'Cream Butterfly'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Linsweger Gold' (s) × Dido Group H: G. Dixon (1988), G: G. Dixon (1994), N: G. Dixon (2002), I: G. Dixon (2002), REG: G. Dixon (2002) Fls 7/rounded truss, broadly campanulate, 50 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, greenish red in bud, opening pale greenish yellow (10D), flushed vivid reddish orange (33A) inside and out; a blotch of vivid reddish orange (33A). Calyx 30mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 90 × 35mm, margins flat, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 0.5m in 14 years. Flowering starting in mid May

(r) **'Cream Cascade'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *leucaspis* × *lutescens* H: W.S. Reuthe, G: W.S. Reuthe (1966), N: I. Stanger, I: G. Reuthe Ltd (1970), REG: G. Reuthe Ltd (1985) Fls 6/truss, 30 × 38mm, 5-lobed, pale orange-yellow (19D) with overtones of pale yellowish pink (36D), markings in throat pale yellow (19C). Lvs lanceolate, 63 × 23mm, hairless

(r) **'Cream Cheese'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* (s) × Margaret Dunn Group R: Sunningdale Nurseries, N: Sunningdale Nurseries, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cream, banded pale pink and fading to white

(r) **'Cream Cracker'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor Stocker' (s) × *campylocarpum* I: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1956), INC: ICRA (1958) (Damaris Group)

(r) **'Cream Crest'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *rupicola* var. *chryseum* × Cilpinense Group H: A. Wright, G: A. Wright, N: A. Wright (1962), REG: A. Wright (1962) Fls 6-8/tight truss, cup-shaped, 25mm wide, creamy yellow. Lvs small. Shrub 0.6m, of spreading habit. Early

(r) **'Cream Cup'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' × 'Willy' (s) × 'Mrs Carmichael' × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 50mm wide, white, heavily suffused chartreuse and with a few, red flecks. Shrub to 1.5m. Midseason. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Cream Delight'** (Syn. of 'Greer's Cream Delight')

(r) **'Cream Delight'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: chance *burmanicum* hybrid R: Sir Ilay Campbell, N: Sir Ilay Campbell, I: Sir Ilay Campbell (1973), REG: Sir Ilay Campbell (1977) Fls brilliant yellow-green (150B), fading to light yellow-green (150D) on opening, with green spotting on dorsal lobe

(r) **'Creamed Corn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × Jalisco Group H: C.C. Smith (1978), G: H.R. Malone, REG: H. Ronken (2002) Fls 15/loose ball truss, funnel-campanulate, 50 × 80mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, buds brilliant yellow-green (154C) at base, deep pink (51C) at tips, opening inside light greenish yellow (4B) at base, fading to pale yellow-

green (4D) at edge, outside moderate pink (49B) at base, pale yellow-green (4D) at edge; unmarked; filaments white (155C), anthers dark reddish orange (172B); style and stigma deep purplish pink (54B). Calyx 1mm long, strong red (53B). Lvs elliptic, 100 × 45mm, margins decurved, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, matt green above, hairless, with nerves impressed. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in c10 years. September-October (Tasmania). (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0033536))

(r) **'Creamery Road'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Joan Bye' (s) × *macabeanum* H: H.R. Malone, G: H.R. Malone, N: H.R. Malone, I: H.R. Malone, REG: H. Ronken (2002) Fls 15/ball truss, funnel-campanulate, 60 × 70mm, with 6-7 slightly wavy-edged lobes, white (155A) in bud, opening white (155A) inside and out, with a small basal blotch of strong red (53C); filaments white (155A), anthers light reddish brown (177B); style and stigma deep purplish pink (54B). Calyx 0.5mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 55mm, margins wavy, upcurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, matt green above, with microscopic hairs below. Shrub 2.0 × 1.5m in 20 years. September-October (Tasmania). (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0032321))

(r) **'Cream Glory'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Comstock' (s) × 'Cheyenne' H: H.E. Greer (1965), G: H.E. Greer, N: H.E. Greer (1978), I: H.E. Greer (1978), REG: H.E. Greer (1980) Fls up to 9/domed truss, open funnel-campanulate, 115mm wide, 7-lobed, pale yellow (7D), shading to light yellow (11B) in the throat, with slight, deep pink (52B) streaking at base of throat; scented. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 65mm. Shrub under 1.2m in 10 years. Early May

(r) **'Cream Pie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Chlorops' × 'King of Shrubs' H: Minor (pre 1988) Fls light green. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years

(a) **'Cream Puff'** cv. Deciduous azalea: derived from *cumberlandense* × *arborescens* G: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach (1961), I: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1962) Fls 6-7/truss, 55mm wide, brilliant yellow (11A), with an orange-yellow blotch, lobes conspicuously longitudinally furrowed; slightly scented. Lvs 60 × 25mm, glossy, glaucous below, with red petioles. Shrub 0.6 × 1.0m. Late June-early July

(r) **'Cream Puff'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Whitney, I: G. & Mrs A. Sather (pre 1980)

(a) **'Cream Ruffles'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kinpo' (s) × 'Anna Kehr' H: A.E. Kehr (1988), G: A.E. Kehr (1991), N: A.E. Kehr, REG: A.E. Kehr (1997) Fls 2-3/domed truss, hose-in-hose and semi-double to double, broadly funnel-shaped, 45 × 70mm, with 5 lobes/whorl (plus petaloid stamens), lobes wavy-edged, deep cream in bud, opening cream inside at margins, with a yellowish green centre spotted light greenish yellow, outside cream. Lvs elliptic, 40 × 15mm, flat, cuneate at base, broadly acute at apex, semi-glossy and deep green above, hairless. Shrub 0.45 × 0.6m in 8 years. Late May

(v) **'Cream Serene'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Princess Alexandra' × *konori* R: unknown (pre 2002) Fls tubular, in a showy truss, with wavy-edged lobes, soft honey cream; scented. Strong-growing shrub

(r) **'Cream Supreme'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Colonel Coen' (s) × unknown H: L.A. Hutchison (1990), G: L.A. Hutchison (1995), N: L.A. Hutchison (2001), I: Elliott's Wholesale Nursery, REG: L.A. Hutchison (2002) Fls 14-15/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 75-80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds with shadings of moderate purplish pink to strong purplish red (62B-63B), fading to light orange-yellow (22C) with light purplish pink (62C) at apex, opening inside light greenish yellow (4C) fading to almost white on 3 dorsal lobes with speckling of brilliant yellow (14C), ventral lobes pale yellow (11D) fading to white and with less speckling; base of throat strong purplish pink (62A). Calyx uneven, up to 20mm long, similar to corolla. Lvs oblong, 90 × 40mm, margins slightly recurved, broadly acuminate at apex, rounded at base, slightly glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.3m in 6 years. October-November (New Zealand)

(r) **'Cream Trumpet'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *dalhousiae* × *nuttallii* R: R.B.G., Edinburgh, N: R.B.G., Edinburgh (1958), I: R.B.G., Edinburgh (1958), REG: R.B.G., Edinburgh (1961) Fls pendulous, 3-4/truss, funnel-campanulate, 140 × 140mm, white, with a large orange blotch in the dorsal throat. FCC 1958 (Victorianum Group)

(r) **'Cream Trumpet'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C. Herbert (pre 1980), N: C. Herbert

(r) **'Creamy Chiffon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney (pre 1973), G: Bruce Briggs, N: Bruce Briggs, I: Briggs Nursery (c 1982), REG: Briggs Nursery (1993) Fls 7/flat truss, hose-in-hose, (5 lobes/whorl) and semi-double (ie some petaloid stamens), 38-46 × 64-76mm, buds shade from light yellow (10B) at base to deep yellowish pink (43C) at apex, opening light yellow (10C) with some shading of strong yellowish pink (35C), particularly around the midveins on the outside; some brownish orange (171B) speckling in the throat; corolla ages to pale greenish yellow (10D); stamens 9-11, straight, equal. Normal calyx not present. Pedicels 25-32mm long, strong yellow-green (144C). Lvs elliptic, 38-76 × 25-44mm, convex, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, glossy moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (146B) below. Petioles 13-25mm long, strong yellow-green (144A). Shrub 0.9m in 10 years. Early May

(a) **'Creamy Reflection'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Bobbink & Atkins (pre 1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, creamy yellow. Indian

(r) **Crebreflorum Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. cephalanthum* var. *crebreflorum*

(r) **'Creeping Fire'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Jaipur Group × May Day Group H: L.E. Brandt, G: L.E. Brandt (1958), N: L.E. Brandt (1960), REG: L.E. Brandt (1961) Fls 8/loose truss, pendulous, 50 × 75mm, orient red. Lvs 65 × 40mm. Shrub 0.3 × 0.6m. Mid April.

(r) **'Creeping Jenny'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × *forrestii* Repens Group R: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 5-6/truss, campanulate, large, deep red. Prostrate shrub to 0.3m. Syn: 'Jenny'

(a) **'Creeping Jo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Obtusum Group × Obtusum Group H: W.L. Tolstead (1975), G: W.L. Tolstead (1985), N: W.L. Tolstead, I: Rhody Run Nursery, REG: W.L. Tolstead (1993) Fls 1-3/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 35 × 35-40mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (7.5RP 6/12), with a strong purplish red (10RP 4/12) blotch; stamens 10, very slightly curved. Calyx 5mm long, green. Pedicels 7-9mm long, dark rose. Lvs elliptic, 25 × 10mm, moderate olive green (5GY 4/3) above, strong yellow-green (5GY 6/8) below, with discrete pale hairs above and below, petioles 3mm long, green, hairy. Shrub 0.5 × 0.75m in 18 years. Mid-late May

(r) **Cremastum Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. campylogynum* var. *cremastum*

(r) **'Creminrose'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Frühlingszauber' × 'Letty Edwards' H: H. Hachmann (1964), G: H. Hachmann (1969), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1979), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 6-8/loose truss, campanulate, 45-50 × 70-80mm, with 5-6 lobes, yellowish white (158D), tinged on lobes inside and on outside generally with light to pale yellowish pink (36C-D); dorsal lobe blotched brilliant greenish yellow to light yellow-green (2B-C), the colour extending into throat; pedicels reddish on lower side. Calyx 2mm long, light green to yellowish. Lvs elliptic, 90-120 × 36-42mm, flat, apiculate at apex, rounded-oblique at base, dark green and slightly glossy above, hairless; petioles 15-20mm, reddish brown. Shrub 1.1 × 1.8m in 15 years, erect but compact. Mid-late May. Syn: 'Salomé'

(a) **'Cremona'** cv. Evergreen azalea: a deep salmon form of *indicum* (s) × 'Hazel Dawson' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink with a blotch of purplish red spots; throat yellowish. Shrub to 1.2m. Mid-late May. Glenn Dale

(r) **Cremorne Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Luscombei Group (s) × *campylocarpum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls change from rose to soft yellow. AM 1947

(r) **'Creole Belle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan' × 'Harvest Moon' H: W. & M. Thompson (1968), G: W. & M. Thompson (1975), N: W. & M. Thompson, I: Willard Thompson Nursery (c 1979), REG: W. & M. Thompson (1990) Fls 16-18/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 74-79 × 127-140mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (64C), with a deep red flare (53A) in the centre and deep red (53A) spots on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 1-3mm long, cardinal red. Lvs elliptic, 152-178 × 38-51mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, hairless; petiole slightly glandular hairy. Shrub 2.4 × 2.4m in 15 years. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer (1986))

(a) **'Creole Love Song'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, large, bright salmon pink, with a golden yellow flare. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Late June

(a) **'Crepello'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1957), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 7-14/truss, 40-60mm wide, deep red. Compact, broadly rounded shrub, 1.5-1.7m tall with age. Knap Hill

(r) **'Crepe Myrtle'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (pre 1980), N: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg

(a) **'Crépuscule'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: W.C. Hage & Co. (1950), N: W.C. Hage & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls mauve lilac. Midseason. Kurume

(r) **'Crépuscule'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × 'Purple Splendour' L: G. Reuthe Ltd (1966) Fls palest rosy mauve

(r) **Cresca Group** gp Parentage unknown R: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1934), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Crescendo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1965) Fls double, of "camellia type" with 10-16 well-imbricated lobes, between scarlet and peach red. Late. Back Acres

(a) **'Crescent City Double'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *occidentale* S: F.D. Mossman & B.M. Smith (pre 1985), N: F.D. Mossman & B.M. Smith Fls double (up to to 15 lobes in mature plants), white to pale pink, upper lobes tinted orange; pistil present

(a) **'Crescent City Gold'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *occidentale* S: F.D. Mossman & B.M. Smith (pre 1985), N: F.D. Mossman & B.M. Smith Fls white, with a gold stripe on each lobe

(a) **'Crescent City Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark pink. Indian

(r) **'Cresson'** (Syn. of 'Purple Passion')

(v) **'Cressy'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* × *zoelleri* (s) × *jasminiflorum* var. *punctatum* H: M.D. Cullinane (1988), G: M.D. Cullinane (1991), N: M.D. Cullinane (1994), REG: M.D. Cullinane (1994) Fls 5-

7/truss, salver-shaped, 80 × 50mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, light yellow-green (145C-D) in bud, opening inside deep purplish pink (55A) turning to pale purplish pink (55D); outside with a light yellow-green (150D) tube and pale purplish pink (56B) lobes; pale purplish pink (55D) spots on dorsal lobe; strongly scented. Calyx 1mm long, green. Pedicels 40mm long, reddish. Lvs elliptic, 80 × 50mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, with very pale green scales ageing to pale green. Shrub 1.0 × 0.75m in 5 years. Repeat-flowering.

(r) **'Crest'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* (s) × Lady Bessborough Group R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1953), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c12/truss, shallowly campanulate, 65 × 100mm, light greenish yellow (4C) to pale yellow-green (4D), with slight darkening around the throat and on dorsal lobes and with contrasting dark anthers. Lvs oblong-elliptic, 115 × 65mm, dark green. Shrub to over 4.0m. FCC 1953 (Hawk Group)

(r) **'Crestan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marion' (Cheal) (s) × 'Mrs Henry Shilson' H: S. Begg (1972), G: L. Begg (1975), N: S. Begg (1999), REG: L. Begg (2002) Fls 15/domed truss, campanulate, 70 × 55mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, opening inside white with deep purplish pink (68A) only at lobe edges; outside deep purplish pink (67C) at lobe edges and down lobe midveins, white only at base; unmarked; stamens 10, uneven, anthers moderate reddish brown, filaments white (155D). Calyx 2mm long. Lvs narrowly ovate, 127-140 × 40-50mm, wavy-edged with margins slightly decurved, acute at apex, obtuse at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 3.0 × 2.0m in 18 years. June-July (Australia). (Standard: colour slide provided by registrant (WSY 0031923))

(r) **'Crestan Betty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marion' (Cheal) (s) × 'Mrs Henry Shilson' H: S. Begg (1972), G: L. Begg (1975), N: S. Begg (1999), REG: L. Begg (2002) Fls 21-27/compact, domed truss, campanulate, 80 × 50mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, buds strong purplish red (63A), opening inside deep purplish pink (68A) at lobe edges shading gradually to white in throat; outside deep purplish pink (67C) at lobe edges and changing to white only at base; slight, deep purplish pink (67C) spotting on 2 dorsal lobes; stamens 10, uneven, anthers greyish brown (166A), filaments white (155D); style white (155A), stigma brilliant yellow-green (154C). Calyx 2mm long, deep greenish yellow (153A). Lvs narrowly ovate, 150-180 × 43-50mm, wavy and twisted, with slightly decurved margins, acute at apex, obtuse at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 2.0m in 18 years. June-July (Australia). (Standard: colour slide provided by registrant (WSY 0031926))

(a) **'Crestwood'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Hino-crimson' R: D.J. Cole (pre 1987), N: D.J. Cole Fls 40mm wide, light red. Mid April

(r) **'Crete'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* (s) × *yakushimanum* H: B.F. Lancaster (1962), G: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1976), REG: D.G. Leach (1983) Fls 12/truss, 40 × 70mm, open funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (64C) in bud, opening very pale purple (73D), soon aging to white with a few, dorsal, ochre spots. Calyx minute, ivory. Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 115 × 50mm, dark yellowish green (139A), with a heavy tan indumentum below. New shoots with a grey to tan tomentum. Shrub c1.5m in 20 years

(r) **'Cretonne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Barclayi Group (s) × Loderi Group R: Sir Giles Loder, N: Sir Giles Loder, I: Sir Giles Loder (1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 12/loose, flat-topped truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 100mm, white, stained deep purplish pink (61D) inside and out. Lvs broadly elliptic, 125 × 70mm, pale green, hairless. AM 1940

(r) **'Crety'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as a form or hybrid of *ponticum* L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Cricket'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' R: J.A. Elliott (pre 1980), N: J.A. Elliott Fls rosy pink in bud, opening lighter pink. New lvs silvery, aging to dark green with a slight indumentum. Shrub to 0.9m in 10 years. Midseason

(a) **'Crimson'** (See 'Girard's Crimson')

(r) **'Crimson Banner'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor Stocker' (s) × *thomsonii* I: Sunningdale Nurseries (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) (Asteroid Group)

(r) **'Crimson Bells'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: F.C. Puddle Group × *williamsianum* H: B.F. Lancaster, G: B.F. Lancaster, N: B.F. Lancaster, I: B.F. Lancaster, REG: B.F. Lancaster (1966) Fls 7/truss, campanulate, 50 × 75mm, 5-lobed, crimson (22/1). Lvs ovate, truncate at base, 75 × 50mm. Shrub 0.4 × 0.8m in 8 years. Mid April

(r) **'Crimson Classic'** (Syn. of 'Sammetglut')

(r) **'Crimson Constellation'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Aviva Ann' (s) × 'Small Wonder' H: A.R. Brooks (1986), G: A.R. Brooks (1992), N: A.R. Brooks, I: A.R. Brooks (1994), REG: A.R. Brooks (1994) Fls 12-14/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 44 × 64mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, very deep red (darker than 53A) in bud, opening deep red (53A) at edges (which fade to strong red (53B)), shading to a white, star-shaped pattern at centre and with light speckling of strong red (53C) on white area of dorsal lobe; outside deep red (53A) throughout; stamens 10, curved, unequal; style white, shading to strong red (53B) at stigma. Calyx 3mm long, pale greenish yellow (160C), lobes tipped greyish red (182B). Pedicels 32mm long, moderate red (180C). Lvs elliptic, 95 × 51mm, convex, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, glossy moderate olive green (137A) above, moderate yellow-green (146C) below, hairless; petioles 16mm long, strong yellow-green (145A). Shrub 0.56 × 0.51m in 7 years. Late May

(a) **'Crimson Crest'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Louise Gable' × 'Ward's Ruby' × 'James Gable' H: W.L. Guttormsen (1968), G: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, I:

W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1979) Fls hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, deep red (53A). Shrub 0.4m in 10 years

(r) **'Crimson Delight'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Stokes Bronze Wings' (s) × 'Moon Mist' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls deep red (53A), strong red (46) and vivid red (45A) in bud, opening strong and vivid red (46A, B). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Crimson Glory'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, 70mm wide, strong purplish red (63A), with a brownish blotch. Midseason. Rutherford (Originally named 'Natalie Coe Vitetti' by W.R.Coe but this later name is accepted here)

(r) **'Crimson Glory'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Cottage Gardens (c 1950), N: Cottage Gardens, I: Cottage Gardens, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 15-20/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 50mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish red (10RP 3/10) throughout, with dull black spots in dorsal throat. Calyx 6mm long, brownish red. Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 125 × 50mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, dark green above; new growth tomentose, later hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 10 years. Late May-early June

(r) **'Crimson Glow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marion' × Shilsonii Group R: K. Van de Ven, N: K. Van de Ven, I: K. Van de Ven (1973), REG: K. Van de Ven (1974) Fls 20/large, rounded truss, campanulate, 75mm wide, strong red (53C), lightening to strong purplish red (54A) at centre and with small, red spots on all lobes. Shrub 1.0m

(a) **'Crimson King'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 45mm wide, pink. Midseason. Bobbink & Atkins

(a) **'Crimson King'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: H. White, N: H. White, I: Sunningdale Nurseries, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, widely open, dark scarlet in bud, opening vermilion with a strong orange flare, changing to intense carmine scarlet. Ghent

(v) **'Crimson Lightning'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *konori* × *javanicum* R: unknown, G: G.L.S. Snell (1989), N: R. Macdonald, I: Foothills Nursery (1990), REG: Foothills Nursery (1991) Fls 10-12/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 60 × 70mm, vivid red (52A). Lvs oblanceolate, 135 × 55mm. Shrub 1.0m. Spring-autumn.

(a) **'Crimson Petrick'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ernest Eeckhaute' × 'Madame Petrick' I: A. Steyaert (1932), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, red. Indian

(r) **'Crimson Pippin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × *sanguineum* subsp. *sanguineum* var. *haemaleum* H: H.L. Larson (1966), G: H.L. Larson (1976), I: H.L. Larson (1982), REG: H.L. Larson (1983) Fls 10-11/truss, 45 × 50mm, 5-lobed, strong red (46A). Calyx 25mm long, 46A. Lvs 75 × 25mm, with a moderate orange-yellow (164C), woolly indumentum. Dwarf shrub.

(r) **'Crimson Pippin's Sister'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Greer Gardens (1994)

(r) **'Crimson Queen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Moser's Maroon' (s) × 'Harm's Azor' H: B.F. Lancaster, G: B.F. Lancaster, N: B.F. Lancaster (1961), REG: B.F. Lancaster (1962) Fls 12-14/neat truss, open campanulate, 50 × 90mm, vivid red (52A). Lvs 150-175 × 40mm. Shrub 0.8m in 10 years

(a) **'Crimson Rose'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Berna Park Nurseries (1984) Fls crimson red. Indian

(v) **'Crimson Scallywag'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *commonae* (s) × *inconspicuum* H: unknown, G: R. Macdonald (1992), N: R. Macdonald (1993), I: Foothills Nursery (1993), REG: Foothills Nursery (1993) Fls 5-9/upright truss, tubular-campanulate, 20 × 20mm, with 5 down-curved lobes, vivid red (45A) throughout. Lvs elliptic, 15 × 10mm, flat, matt green above, cordate at base, apiculate at apex, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 0.5m. Spring

(a) **'Crimson Speciosum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Crimson Stain'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' (s) × *yakushimanum* H: A.F. Serbin (1966), G: R.G. Shanklin (1975), N: R.G. Shanklin, I: R.G. Shanklin, REG: R.G. Shanklin (1983) Fls 11-14/truss, 50 × 75mm, open funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (10RP 4/12) in bud, opening diffused white to strong purplish red (10RP 4/12), fading to white; throat at first deep pink (10RP 6/12), lobe edges diffused strong purplish pink (10/RP 5/12); outside 10RP 6/12 to strong pink (10RP 7/8). Calyx 7mm long, white. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 125 × 45mm, moderate olive green (5GY 4/3), with a buff indumentum below. Shrub c1.2m in 14 years

(r) **'Crimson Star'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' (s) × 'Unknown Warrior' R: D.L. Hardgrove, N: D.L. Hardgrove, I: D.L. Hardgrove (1951), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Crimson Tide'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Homebush' (s) × 'Melford Red Letter' H: P.E. Girard (1969), G: P.E. Girard, N: P.E. Girard, I: P.E. Girard (1979), REG: P.E. Girard . (1983) Fls double, 20-40/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 55mm, corolla 5-lobed, vivid red (45C) in bud, opening strong red (47B), outside of tube strong red (39A). Stamens 0-3; fls have a short, rather compact, petaloid centre. Calyx 3-5mm long, light yellow-green (142C). Lvs elliptic, 65 × 40mm, moderate yellowish-green (139B), hairy; strong greenish yellow, marked dark green (132A) in autumn. Shrub c1.0m in 5 years. (Sometimes listed as 'Girard's Crimson Tide')

(a) **'Crimson Tide'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Beth Bullard' × 'Red Slippers' R: A.J. Boike (1986), N: A.J. Boike Fls 75-80mm wide, vivid red (44A), with a blotch of darker spots.

(r) **'Crimson Tide'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Crimson Tide')

(a) **'Crinkle Cut'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Agnes Gault' × *mucronatum* H: G. Langdon, G: G. Langdon, N: G. Langdon, I: G. Langdon, REG: G. Langdon (1980) Fls white, spotted yellow-green

(a) **'Crinkles'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably a seedling from 'Glacier' R: I.L. Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L. Amann Fls single, 65mm wide, lobes waved and crinkled, vivid reddish orange (43B). Shrub to 1.0m. Midseason

(r) **'Crinkles'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Blue Peter' × 'Corry Koster' H: K. Van de Ven, G: K. Van de Ven, N: K. Van de Ven, I: K. Van de Ven, REG: K. Van de Ven (1981) Fls 21/truss, light purplish pink (65B), with a purple blotch

(v) **'Crinolette'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *loranthiflorum* × *konori* H: J.L. Rouse, G: J.L. Rouse (1985), N: G.L.S. Snell, I: Shrublands Nursery (1987), REG: Shrublands Nursery (1988) Fls 8-10/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, with 7 reflexed lobes, tube light purplish pink (55C), lobes pale pink (49D). Lvs elliptic, 90 × 35mm, hairless. Shrub 1.0m tall. Summer-autumn.

(a) **'Crinoline'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × 'Kagetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish purple, frequently with a white eye; the blotch inconspicuous. Shrub to 1.5m. Early-mid May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Crinoline'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, flushed pink, frilled. Knap Hill

(a) **'Crispatum Elegans'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: B. Boddaert (pre 1863), N: B. Boddaert, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Raiser's name requires confirmation)

(r) **'Crisp Classic'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tony's Gift' (s) × 'Mrs T.H. Lowinsky' H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 18/truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light purple (84B, C) in bud, opening very pale purple (69C, D) with dorsal spots of brilliant greenish yellow (3A), moderate orange (168C) and moderate yellow-green (146D); filaments pale yellow-green (155A); style strong purplish pink (68B); anthers light purple (77C); stigma strong purplish red (60C). Lvs 95 × 51mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.4m in 18 years. Early June

(v) **'Crisp Deroy'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* (s) × *macgregoriae* × *zoelleri* H: G.L.S. Snell (1983), G: R. Macdonald (1988), N: D. Moodie (1993), I: Foothills Nursery, REG: Foothills Nursery (1993) Fls 9/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, inside vivid yellow (15A), lobes brilliant orange (25C), but fading; outside vivid yellow (15A). Lvs ovate, 100 × 60mm, margins upcurved, matt green, cordate at base, apiculate at apex, scaly. Shrub 2.0 × 1.0m. Autumn

(a) **'Crispiflorum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *indicum* N: W.J. Hooker (1853), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, single, 1/truss, open funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, with very wavy margins, rose purple, with darker dorsal spotting. Calyx with obtuse, hairy lobes. Lvs oblong-obovate to more-or-less lanceolate, c40mm long, acute at apex, thicker than in the type, hairy. April. Indian (Probably originated in Japan but introduced from China by Robert Fortune)

(r) **'Crispiflorum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Firma Seidel (pre 1880), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bluish rose, paler inside, frilled, with yellow spots

(a) **'Crispiflorum Mauve'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *indicum* I: USDA (pre 1985) Fls mauve, with wavy-edged lobes. Indian

(a) **'Crispiflorum Orange'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *indicum* I: USDA (pre 1985) Fls orange, with wavy-edged lobes. Indian

(a) **'Crispiflorum Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *indicum* I: USDA (pre 1985) Fls pink, with wavy-edged lobes. Indian

(a) **'Crispiflorum Roseum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Todman (1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, edges crispy or waved. Indian

(a) **'Crispum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1811), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Listed under *Azalea viscosa*)

(a) **'Crispum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1823), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush. Ghent (Listed as "Nudiflora Crispa")

(r) **'Crispum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed under *ponticum* L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1851), INC: ICRA (1958) (Probably the 'Crispum' listed by C. Gheldorf, 1844 and by Whitley, Barnes & Milne, 1826)

(r) **'Crispy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Oh My!' (s) × 'Oh My!' H: W.E. Delp (1968), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 18/truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (72A), strong reddish purple (72B) and very pale purple (73D) in bud, opening verypale purple (73D) edged heavily with strong reddish purple (72C) and deep purplish pink (72D) and with deep red (185A) dorsal spots; filaments very pale purple (69D); style yellowish white (155D); anthers pale yellowish pink (159D); stigma dark red (187A). Lvs 132 × 58mm, obtuse at apex, oblique at base, with a tan indumentum. Shrub 2.1 × 1.6m in 24 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Crispy Clear'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lodestar' (s) × green-eyed 'Catalgla' H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 24/truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 80mm, 5-lobed, deep reddish purple (77A) and strong to very pale purple (77B-D, 75D) in bud, opening to a blend of very pale and light purple (76D, 77C, D) and with light olive and dark greenish yellow (152B, C) dorsal spots; filaments and style white; anthers moderate purplish pink (186D); stigma strong purplish red (67A). Lvs 127 × 64mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.7 × 1.6m in 18 years. Early June

(r) **'Crispy Cool'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Mist Maiden' (s) × Cathaem Group (no.1) H: B. Schram, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls strong red (46A) in bud, opening vivid red (57A) and vivid purplish red (57B, C), with strong red (53B) dorsal spots and a strong red (53B) throat. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Crisscross'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Christina Delp' (s) × 'Christina Delp' H: W.E. Delp (pre 1992), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (72A), strong reddish purple (72B) and deep purplish pink (67C) in bud, opening light, very light and very pale purple (75A, B, C, D), with light orange-yellow (24C) dorsl spots; anthers very light purple (75C). Syn: 'Chris Cross' (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992) under the then unacceptable epithet 'Chris Cross')

(a) **'Cristatum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1875), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(r) **'Cristobel Maude'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Torch' H: A.F. George (1968), G: A.F. George (1976), N: A.F. George, I: Hydon Nurseries, REG: Hydon Nurseries (1990) Fls 12-14/truss, 42 × 70mm, with 5 lobes, opening to pale purplish pink (62D) with a pronounced strong purplish red (58B) eye. Calyx very short. Lvs lanceolate, 110 × 40mm. Compact habit. Late May

(v) **'Cristo Rey'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *macgregoriae* × *zoelleri* (s) × *laetum* × *zoelleri* H: P. Sullivan (1971), G: P. Sullivan (1976), N: P. Sullivan, I: P. Sullivan (1977), REG: W.A. Moynier (1986) Fls 6-8/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 51 × 57mm, with 5 evenly rounded lobes, vivid orange (28B), gradually shading to brilliant orange-yellow (21B) in throat. Lvs elliptic, 80 × 40mm, dark yellowish green (139A) above, yellow-green (144) below, with tiny, closely spaced, tan scales. Shrub 0.7 × 0.6m in 8 years. May-September

(a) **'Criterion'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Exquisetum' × 'Iveryanum' R: J. Ivery (pre 1853), N: J. Ivery, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 55mm wide, with some partially petaloid stamens, deep purplish pink (61D), with white edges and carmine red markings on the dorsal lobe. Midseason. Indian

(a) **'Criterion'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent ?

(a) **'Criterion'** cv. Evergreen azalea: perhaps derived from 'Matsushima' R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls variegated pink and white. Indian

(a) **'Croceum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *calendulaceum* N: A. Michaux (1803), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow to orange-yellow, with a darker blotch; sometimes partly salmon-coloured. (Perhaps better treated as Croceum Group)

(a) **'Croceum Distinctum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Croceum Splendidum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Perhaps the same plant listed as 'Splendidum' by L.Jacob-Makoy in 1851)

(a) **'Croceum Superbum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Moser & Son (1909), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Croceum Tricolor'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1851), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, boldly striped with rose on a cream ground in bud, opening cream, lobes edged rose pink with a richer band of cream down lobe centres; blotch orange-yellow on cream, flushed pink at edges. Ghent

(a) **'Croemina'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft violet pink. Tall shrub. Midseason. Indian (Sometimes listed as 'Cromenia')

(a) **'Croesus'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown G: E. de Rothschild (1970s), S: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: Exbury Enterprises (1997), REG: E. de Rothschild (1997) Fls single to semi-double, 7/truss, tubular funnel-shaped (opening flat-faced), 65 × 80mm, 5-lobed, vivid yellow (12A) with a strong orange-yellow (17A) flare on the dorsal lobe; filaments and style similarly coloured. Calyx 4mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 45mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base. May. Syn: 'Gleam' (Solent Group)

(a) **'Cromenia'** (See note under 'Croemina')

(r) **'Crooksbury Gold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' × 'Repose' G: J.F. McQuire (1990), N: J.F. McQuire (1991), I: Leonardslee Gardens Nurs. (1990), REG: J.F. McQuire (1991) Fls 20/full truss(which is wider than long), open campanulate, 50 × 80mm, with 5 emarginate and crinkled lobes, light yellow (10B) outside; inside brilliant yellow (10A), with many vivid yellow (17C) flecks. Calyx petaloid, variable in length, usually more than 20mm long, light yellow (10B). Lvs oblong-lanceolate, 110 × 50mm, hairless. Shrub 0.4 × 0.3m in 8 years. (Grown from seed from the American Rhododendron Society)

(r) **Crossbill Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *spinuliferum* (s) × *lutescens* R: J.C. Williams, N: J.C. Williams, I: J.C. Williams (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls open campanulate, yellow, tinged red. Shrub up to 1.9m. April

(r) **'Crossbow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Accomac' (s) × 'Besse Howells' H: W.E. Delp (1979), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, dark and deep red (59A, 60A) in bud, opening moderate and strong purplish red (64A, 64B, 54C), with dark red (187A) spots on the three dorsal lobes; filaments pale purplish pink (65D); style pale yellow-green (157A); anthers brownish orange (164A); stigma greyish red (176A). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Crosspatch'** cv. Parentage unknown H: B. Nelson (c 1962), G: R. McLaren, N: R. McLaren, I: R. McLaren, REG: R. McLaren (1974) Fls up to 16/ball truss, open funnel-campanulate, 70 × 90mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (54A) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (54B) and shading to strong red (46A) deep in the throat; outside strong red (53C). Calyx very short, moderate yellow-green (146D). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 150 × 55mm, dark yellowish green (139A), hairless. Shrub 1.9 × 1.5m in 12 years

(a) **'Crossroad'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Hershey's Azalea Farm (pre 1987), N: Hershey's Azalea Farm Fls purplish pink

(r) **'Crossroads'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *kyawii* × *strigillosum* H: H.L. Larson (pre 1968) Fls crimson. Lvs with a light indumentum below, the midveins and stems with strigose hairs. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Crosswater'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *pachysanthum* I: Millais Nurseries (1996)

(r) **'Crosswater Belle'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: Yunncinn Group (s) × *cinnabarinum* subsp. *xanthocodon* H: E.G. Millais (c 1980), G: E.G. Millais (c 1986), N: D. & S. Millais (2001), I: Millais Nurseries (2001), REG: Millais Nurseries (2001) Fls 6/pendulous truss, tubular-campanulate, 54 × 40mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, buds light greenish yellow (1C), opening inside pale yellow (20D), outside pale yellow (20D) flushed moderate purplish pink (68C) over tube (paling towards lobes); unmarked; stamens 10; style not exserted; not scented. Calyx 1mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 60 × 30mm, flat, rounded/obtuse at apex, cordate at base, glossy green above, with contiguous brown scales below. Shrub 2.3 × 2.0m in 20 years. Mid May. (Not subject to powdery mildew. Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0029699))

(a) **'Crosswater Red'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Millais Nurseries (1996)

(az) **'Crouxii'** cv. Azaleodendron: 'Ochroleucum' × *molle* R: Croux (pre 1908), N: Croux, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Crown Equerry'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *niveum* R: J.B. Stevenson, I: Crown Estate Commissioners, REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1979) Fls up to 32/tight, rounded truss, tubular-campanulate, up to 38 × 52mm, 5-lobed, light purple (80D) in the throat, darkening to light purple (80C) towards lip and with deeper veining of vivid purple (80A). Calyx rudimentary, white-felted. Lvs obovate-lanceolate, up to 165 × 64mm, dark green, brown felted below. FCC 1979

(r) **'Crowning Touch'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Swarthmore College (pre 1980), N: Swarthmore College

(a) **'Crown Jewel'** (Syn. of 'Arctic Flame')

(a) **'Crown Jewel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: D. Stewart & Son, N: D. Stewart & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, scarlet. Low shrub

(r) **'Crown of Gold'** cv. Parents un-named H: Mrs H.A. Frederick Jr (1966), G: Mrs H.A. Frederick Jr, N: Mrs H.A. Frederick Jr, I: Mrs H.A. Frederick Jr, REG: Mrs H.A. Frederick Jr (1977) Fls up to 8/truss, open funnel-shaped, with reflexed lobes, 100mm wide, 7-lobed, light yellowish pink (36B), with darker striping and a chartreuse yellow throat; scented. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 150 × 50mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 9 years. Mid May

(r) **'Crown Prince'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Standish (pre 1870), N: J. Standish, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, edges tinged blush and with a large blotch of chocolate spots

(r) **'Crown Prince'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1896), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a large truss, rose, with strong yellow-green markings

(v) **'Crown Princess of Germany'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *brookeanum* subsp. *gracile* × 'Princess Royal' R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1891), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow

(a) **'Crown Supreme'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown G: E. de Rothschild (1970s), S: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: Exbury Enterprises (1997), REG: E. de Rothschild (1997) Fls single, 7/truss, tubular funnel-shaped (opening flat-faced), 65 × 90mm, 5-lobed, strong orange-yellow (24B), flushed strong yellowish pink (33C) and with a vivid orange-yellow (23A) dorsal flare; filaments and style similarly coloured (although style base is green), stigma green. Calyx 2mm long, green. Pedicels thick. Lvs elliptic/obovate, 110 × 45mm. May. (Solent Group)

(r) **'Crowthorne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *aberconwayi* × *souliei* R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1963), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1963) Fls 12-13/compact, globular truss, very broadly expanded (almost flat), 35 × 55mm, with wavy-edged lobes, white, faintly flushed pink, the dorsal lobe spotted deep purplish

red (59B). Lvs 75 × 40mm, dark, slightly glossy green. Shrub 1.6m. *HC 1978

(r) **'Cruachan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from *temenium* var. *gilvum* Chrysanthum Group R: Mrs K.L. Kenneth, I: G. ReutheLtd (1958), REG: G. Reuthe Ltd (1964) Fls 6/truss, light greenish yellow (1/3). Lvs 100mm long. Spreading shrub, up to 1.0m. AM 1958, FCC 1964 (Raised from Rock 22272)

(a) **'Cruentum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: P. Verleeuwen (1835), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep orange scarlet (Veitch, 1882); purplish cerise, with a coppery blotch (C. van Geert, 1890). Ghent (More than one plant probably involved under this name)

(r) **'Cruentum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1867), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson lake

(r) **'Cruentum Elegans'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1851), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep blood red. Indian

(a) **'Cruentum Lucidum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1851), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Crusader'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum* (s) × 'Tamasugata' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 70mm wide, with imbricated lobes, deep pink, with a showy, purplish red blotch. Shrub 1.0m. Late May-early June. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Crushed Strawberry'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *campylogynum* R: Hilliers, S: Hilliers (c 1955), N: Hilliers, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crushed strawberry pink

(r) **'Crushed Velvet'** cv. Parentage unknown R: M. Wildfong (pre 1980), N: M. Wildfong

(a) **'Cryptopetalum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kaempferi* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with red stamens and no corolla. Syn: 'Kin-shibe' (Sometimes treated as *kaempferi* f. *cryptopetalum* or f. *kinshibe*. Probably a later name for 'Kin-shide')

(a) **'Crystal'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Linda Jean' × 'Springtime' (Kurume) R: W.L. Guttormsen (pre 1982), N: W.L. Guttormsen Fls double, 65mm wide, light purplish pink (73C) with pink edging. Shrub 0.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Crystalaire'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Midsummer' (s) × 'Delps' Red Max' H: W.E. Delp (1977), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 22/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 46 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong and light purplish pink (63C, D) in bud, opening white with a light greenish yellow (1C) flare and strong yellow-green (144B) dorsal spots; filaments and style very pale purple (69D); anthers brownish orange (166C); stigma greyish red (178A). Lvs 114 × 38mm, mucronate at apex, rounded at base. Shrub 1.4 × 1.4m in 15 years. Mid June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Crystal Clear'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vivacious' × 'Vinerouge' (s) × 'Vivacious' × 'Vinerouge' H: W.E. Delp (1990), G: W.E. Delp (1993), N: Mrs V. Delp, I: Crystalaire Rhododendron Naturescapes, REG: J.D. Harris (1996) Fls 14/truss, open funnel-shaped, c55 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red, deep and moderate purplish pink and strong pink (53B, 54B-D) in bud, opening strong pink and moderate and pale purplish pink (54C-D, 56C-D), with dark greenish yellow (152C) and moderate red (180C) dorsal spots; filaments and style pale purplish pink (56D); anthers yellowish white (158C); stigma yellow-green. Lvs 100 × 45mm, rounded at base, broadly acute at apex. Stems 1.2 × 0.9m in 6 years. Early June. (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Crystal Glo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Midsummer' (s) × 'Delp's Red Max' H: W.E. Delp (1977), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 16/truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63A, B) in bud, opening light purplish pink (63D) edged with strong purplish red (63B) and with brilliant greenish yellow (1B) flare and dorsal spots (1A); filaments and style very pale purple (69D); anthers moderate orange (166D); stigma moderate orange-yellow (168D). Lvs 127 × 54mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 15 years. Mid June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Crystalis'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Weldy' (s) × 'Fiery Orange' H: T.L. Ring (1990), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, moderate red (180A, B) in bud, opening light greenish yellow (3C, D), edged deep and moderate yellowish pink (39B, C) and light pink (39D), with deep red (53A) dorsal spots; outside deep yellowish pink (39B); filaments and style pale greenish yellow (1D); anthers pale orange-yellow (165D); stigma dark red (187A). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(a) **'Crystallinum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Verschaffelt, N: A. Verschaffelt, I: A. Verschaffelt (1866), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy lobes, bright salmon rose, blotched crimson. Syn: 'Cristallinum'. Indian

(r) **'Crystal Springs'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Crystal Springs Garden, N: M. Kraxberger (pre 1980)

(r) **'Crystal Yellow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Keystone' (s) × 'Cecil' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: W.E. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls 16/truss, 75mm wide, brilliant, light and pale greenish yellow (1B, C, D) and pale yellow-green (4D) in bud, opening pale yellow-green (4D) with a brilliant greenish yellow (1A) throat

and strong yellow-green (144A) dorsal spots. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'C.Sabine Seabrook'** (Syn. of 'Cecil S. Seabrook')

(a) **'C.Sanders'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls purplish pink, darker in throat

(a) **'Csárdás'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Benedict' (s) × unnamed Knap Hill seedling with large yellow fls H: H. Hachmann (1986), G: H. Hachmann (1992), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls double, 12-14/ball truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 45-55×70-75mm, with up to 20 wavy-edged lobes (in three whorls, very irregular in size); inside light orange-yellow (16C), sometimes suffused strong yellowish pink (38A) on edges, outside similarly coloured; unmarked; stamens all petaloid; style 45mm long, pale orange-yellow (16D), stigma strong yellow-green (144C); ovary silvery hairy; sweetly scented. Calyx normal, green. Lvs elliptic to ovate, 70-85 × 27-35mm, slightly convex, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, slightly glossy above, hairy; young growth bronzed. Shrub 0.8 × 1.1m in 10 years. Late May-mid June. (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030620). First published in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(r) **'C.S. Sargent'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1888), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 14/truss, funnel-shaped, 45 × 50-60mm, crimson, passing to purplish crimson, with a broad ray of dark brown spots. Calyx very small. Lvs elliptic to obovate, up to 130 × 55mm, glossy above, downy on midrib below. Shrub to 3.0m. Syn: 'Charles S.Sargent', 'Professor C.S.Sargent'

(r) **'Cuarto'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *williamsianum* × *arboreum* (s) × *magnificum* H: D.W. Goheen (1981), G: D.W. Goheen (1994), N: D.W. Goheen, I: C. Hoffman, REG: D.W. Goheen (1994) Fls 14-16/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 64 × 76mm, with 5 wavy to very wavy-edged lobes, light yellowish pink (36A) in bud, opening light yellow ((12C) with all margins tinged light yellowish pink (36A), vivid yellow-green (154A) spotting on 3 dorsal lobes; outside brilliant yellow (13B, C); stamens 10, straight, unequal; slightly scented. Calyx minute, green-yellow. Pedicels 38mm long, chartreuse green, glandular. Lvs oblanceolate, 152 × 38-44mm, convex, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull, bullate and vivid yellowish green (134A) above, strong yellow-green (143C) below; petioles 19mm long, light green; new growth glandular. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 12 years. Early May

(r) **Cubittii Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. cubittii*

(a) **'Cuckoo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *rubropilosum* × *kaempferi* hybrid I: C. Ingram (1945), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange scarlet, bleaching in the sun. Syn: 'Mephistopheles'

(r) **'Cuddles'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group (Burns' yellow selection) (s) × 'Delp's Sparkle' H: W.E. Delp (1987), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 8/truss, open funnel-shaped, 32×51mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish pink (62A) in bud, opening to a blend of purplish pinks (62A-D) and with strong yellow (153D) dorsal spots; filaments and style strong and moderate purplish pink (62A, B); anthers light purple (77C); stigma strong purplish red (63B). Lvs 76 × 32mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, scaly. Shrub 0.6 × 0.5m in 5 years. Mid May.

(r) **'Cuff-link'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: G. Gorer, N: G. Gorer, I: G. Gorer (1978), REG: G. Gorer (1978) Fls 5-6/loose truss, tubular-campanulate, 5-lobed, pale greenish yellow (2D), with a mottled blotch of brilliant greenish yellow (1A) in the upper throat; outside scaly and with a red purple flush below each sinus. Calyx rudimentary, green. Lvs oblanceolate to oblong-oblanceolate, up to 90 × 40mm, dark glossy green and scaly above, paler and densely scaly below. AM 1978 (Awarded as a plant for cool glass)

(a) **'Cullowhee'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *calendulaceum* S: B. Clark, N: A.E. Kehr Fls 10/truss, lacking corollas but with 5 additional stamens with reddish filaments. (Found near Cullowhee, North Carolina, USA by B.Clark)

(r) **'Cum Laude'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Essex Scarlet' (s) × *fortunei* H: B. & M. Shapiro (1959), G: B. & M. Shapiro, N: B. & M. Shapiro, REG: B. & M. Shapiro (1989) Fls 14-15/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 89mm, with 5-7 slightly wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (68A) outside, strong purplish pink (68B) inside shading to white in centre, with two prominent, spotted, strong purplish red (64B) rays extending from the throat halfway up the dorsal lobe and with occasional spotting of the same colour near or in the throat on all lobes; buds dark red. Calyx 2mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 152 × 67mm, flat, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 2.1m in 30 years. Mid May.

(a) **'Cumulatum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1814), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Listed as "Nudiflora Cumulata")

(r) **'Cumulus'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Weldy' (s) × 'Serendipity' H: W.E. Delp (1979), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 48 × 57mm, 5-lobed, white. Lvs 76×44mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, with a tan, woolly indumentum. Shrub 0.9×1.2m in 13 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Cunigunde Emmel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Gebr Mardner (1874), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon rose, with white edges. Indian

(a) **'Cunninghamii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1841), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Cunninghamii'** cv. Deciduous azalea: listed under *calendulaceum* L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(r) **'Cunninghamii'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Messrs Young (Epsom) (pre 1838), N: Messrs Young (Epsom), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rich crimson, spotted black. (*Paxton's Magazine of Botany*, 1838, p.69)

(r) **'Cunninghamii'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* (s) × *arboreum* subsp. *cinnamomeum* I: J. Cunningham (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c24/compact truss, open campanulate, 45 × 60mm, snow white, with a conspicuous ray of dark purple markings and deep crimson nectaries. Calyx lobes 1-2mm long, white, glandular. Lvs oblanceolate, up to 155 × 42mm, deep green and glossy above, with a pale golden brown, plastered indumentum below. Large shrub

(r) **'Cunninghamii Album'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as a *ponticum* form or hybrid L: A. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) (Probably a synonym of 'Cunningham's White')

(r) **'Cunninghamii Album Pumilum'** (see under 'Cunningham's Album Compactum')

(r) **'Cunninghamii Coccineum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably an *arboreum* form or hybrid L: C Gheldolf (1844), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. Lvs silky below

(r) **'Cunninghamii Grandiflorum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: derived from *arboreum* L: France (1847), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Cunninghamii Grandiflorum Rubrum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Gheldolf (1844), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Cunninghamii Hybridum Novum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Gheldolf (1844), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Cunninghamii Hybridum Splendens'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Gheldolf (1844), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Cunninghamii Latifolium'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Gheldolf (1844), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Cunninghamii Luteum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Gheldolf (1844), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Cunninghamii Nobile'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Gheldolf (1844), INC: ICRA (1958) (Perhaps the 'Cunninghamii Nobleanum' of L. van Houtte cat., 1884/85)

(r) **'Cunninghamii Pulcherrimum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Gheldolf (1844), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Cunninghamii Roseum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Gheldolf (1844), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Cunninghamii Rubrocinctum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Gheldolf (1844), INC: ICRA (1958) Lvs reddish green underneath

(r) **'Cunninghamii Tigrinum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Gheldolf (1844), INC: ICRA (1958) Lvs reddish green underneath

(r) **'Cunningham's Album Compactum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Cunningham (pre 1850), N: J. Cunningham, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c14/very compact truss, funnel-shaped, 35 × 50mm, blush pink in bud, opening white with a narrow dorsal ray of greenish brown markings. Calyx lobes very short, pink. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 90-100 × 20-30mm, dull green above, thinly brown-felted below. Shrub c1.9m. (Raised sometime between 1830 & 1850; perhaps the 'Cunningham's Dwarf White' of Waterer (Knap Hill) (1867) and 'Cunninghamii Album Pumilum' of A. Henderson & Co. (1852))

(r) **'Cunningham's Blandum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Cunningham (c 1850), N: J. Cunningham, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12/very compact truss, funnel-shaped, 35 × 50-55mm, shell pink, un-marked (deeper in bud). Calyx very small, pink. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 30mm, thinly brown-felted below. Shrub c1.2m

(r) **'Cunningham's Blush'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Cunningham (c 1850), N: J. Cunningham, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10-17/lax, rounded truss, funnel-shaped, 35 × 40-55mm, pale mauve pink, with crimson and brown markings. Calyx small, dull red. Shrub 3.0-4.0m with age. Early-mid May

(r) **'Cunningham's Dwarf White'** (See under 'Cunningham's Album Compactum')

(r) **'Cunningham's Sulphur'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *caucasicum* R: J. Cunningham (c 1850), N: J. Cunningham, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c14/compact truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 30 × 50mm, pale sulphur yellow, with a wide pattern of pale green markings. Calyx lobes 1mm long, glandular. Lvs elliptic to oblanceolate, c90 × 30mm, glossy grass green above, very thinly felted below. Low shrub 1.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Cunningham's White'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* (s) × white-flowered *ponticum* R: J. Cunningham (c 1830), N: J. Cunningham, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a greenish yellow blotch (1958 Register); fls c8/rather lax truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 50-60mm, mauve in bud, opening white, with a ray of pale purple and brown markings; style pale green; ovary green, with numerous white glands. Calyx 5mm wide, with small, triangular lobes. Shrub to 3.0m. Early May. Syn: 'Coelestinum' (Second description from a plant in cultivation at Hilliers nursery, 1950s)

(r) **'Cunodoxa'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cunningham's White' (s) × *oreodoxa* R: W. Nagel (1969), N: W. Nagel (1983), I: W. Nagel (1984) Fls 8-12/lax truss, white, with reddish brown markings

(r) **'Cupcake'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Cupcake')

(r) **'Cupcake'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × Medusa Group H: M. Thompson (c 1971), G: Willard Thompson Nursery (c 1975), N: M. Thompson, I: Greer Gardens & Willard Thompson Nursery, REG: R. & E. Thompson (1994) Fls 9/lax truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 51 × 51mm, 5-lobed, strong red (47B) in bud, opening deep pink (52C) and ageing to light yellowish pink (38C), sparse red spotting on dorsal lobe, deep pink (52B) streaks on outside of midveins; stamens 10, curved, unequal; style deep yellowish pink (43C). Pedicels 29mm long, vivid red (46C). Lvs narrowly oblong, 89 × 29mm, convex, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy, dark yellowish green (139A) above, moderate yellow-green (138C) with a felted moderate orange-yellow (164C) indumentum below which ages to pale yellow (161C); petioles 16mm long. Shrub 0.9m tall in 10 years. Mid April. (First published in Greer Gardens cat., 1985)

(r) **'Cup Day'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fusilier Group (s) × 'Albatross' R: K. Van de Ven, N: K. Van de Ven, REG: K. Van de Ven (1964) Fls 12/truss, funnel-shaped, tyrian rose (24/2-24/3), heavily spotted on all lobes. Lvs 150-175mm long, deep green, twisted and curled. Shrub 1.2m

(a) **'Cupid'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ivory' (s) × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 75mm wide, light purple, fading with age. Shrub 1.2m. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **Cupid Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* (s) × Luscombei Group R: G.H. Johnstone, N: G.H. Johnstone, I: G.H. Johnstone (1926), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Cupidé'** cv. Evergreen azalea: possibly 'Puniceum' × 'Danielsianum' I: Margottin (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) (Perhaps the Indian azalea 'Cupid' listed by A. Verschaffelt, 1851)

(r) **'Cupid Hotline'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: (('America' × 'Ann Rutledge') × 'Delp's Cindy Lou', selfed H: W.E. Delp (1984), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 20/truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 64mm, 5-lobed, strong and vivid purplish red (67A, B) in bud, opening to a blend of purplish red and purplish pink (67A-D), with a white dorsal flare spotted with deep greenish yellow (153A); filaments and style vivid purplish red (57C); anthers dark purplish pink (186C); stigma dark red (187A). Lvs 121 × 51mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base. Shrub 1.3 × 1.2m in 8 years. Early June

(a) **'Cupidon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1851), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Cup o' Gold'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Whitney, I: E. Philp (pre 1980)

(a) **'Cupreum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage uncertain L: C. Loddiges & Son (1826), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Loddiges listed a "Cupraea" (sic) under both *Azalea pontica* and *A.calendulacea*)

(r) **'Cupreum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1871), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls coppery orange, suffused pink. (Perhaps the same plant listed by W. Rollisson & Sons, 1847)

(a) **'Cupreum Album'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1849), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Cupreum Amabile'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1840), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Cupreum Ardens'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1840), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls strong reddish scarlet, with an orange blotch and coral red stamens. Ghent

(a) **'Cupreum Aurantium'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Sunningdale Nurseries (1898), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls long-tubed, vivid coral in bud, opening almost salmon rose, with a slight orange flush at centre and more of a suffusion rather than a flare on dorsal lobe; tube vivid coral pink. Ghent

(a) **'Cupreum Aurantium Novum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. van Geert (1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon red, with a coppery orange blotch. Ghent

(a) **'Cupreum Coccineum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: H.A. Hesse (1904), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, white, with a coppery red border

(a) **'Cupreum Elegans'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: P. Verleeuwen (1835), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Cupreum Elegans'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L.L. Liebig (1852), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(az) **'Cupreum Elegans'** cv. Azaleodendron: parentage unknown R: W. Smith (pre 1845), L: E.F. André (1864), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls coppery yellow. (Norbiton Group. Perhaps the 'Aureum Cupreum' listed by Henderson, 1852, *q.v.*)

(a) **'Cupreum Eximium'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1851), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls copper and yellow (Fraser, 1875). Ghent

(a) **'Cupreum Eximium Novum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Whitley & Osborn (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink. Shrub 1.0-1.5m. Ghent

(a) **'Cupreum Fulgens'** cv. Parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1868), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Perhaps the same plant as 'Fulgens' (listed by Waterer (Bagshot), 1865))

(a) **'Cupreum Globosum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls coppery rose (C. van Geert, 1890)

(a) **'Cupreum Grandiflorum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, salmon orange, with an orange-yellow blotch. Ghent

(r) **'Cupreum Grandiflorum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: H. Laurentius (1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow.

(a) **'Cupreum Grandiflorum Novum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1868), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Probably the same plant listed later by van Houtte as 'Cupreum Grandiflorum' (1871-1895); possibly the same as A. Verschaffelt's 'Cupreum Glandiflorum Novum' (sic) of 1852)

(a) **'Cupreum Maximum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent ? (Listed under *calendulaceum* by Leroy)

(a) **'Cupreum Morteri'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Moser & Son (1894), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Presumably an orthographic error for 'Cupreum Mortieri')

(a) **'Cupreum Plenum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: F. Schneider (1863), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Cupreum Pulchellum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Boskoop (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls reddish orange, tips reddish, with a large blotch. Ghent

(a) **'Cupreum Roseum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1868), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Cupreum Splendens'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1839), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls long-tubed, flesh pink, with 3 or 4 pale red lines on a salmon band down the centre of each lobe, dorsal lobe orange-yellow with a red line. Ghent

(a) **'Cupreum Splendens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, coppery orange-red. Indian (Exhibited in France by van Acker, 1848)

(a) **'Cupreum Splendentissimum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1839), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Cupreum Superbum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1877), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Cupreum Violaceum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1839), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Cupreum Violaceum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1849), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Cuprinum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1826), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Listed as "Calendulacea Cuprina")

(r) **Cupulare Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. argyrophyllum* var. *cupulare*

(r) **'Curator'** cv. Parentage unknown L: England (1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls shaded lilac, with a pale throat and deep yellow spots

(r) **Curig Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor Stocker' hybrid I: C. Ingram (1939), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Curlew'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *ludlowii* × *fletcherianum* H: P.A. Cox, G: E.H.M. & P.A. Cox, N: E.H.M. & P.A. Cox, I: E.H.M. & P.A. Cox, REG: E.H.M. & P.A. Cox (1969) Fls 1-3/truss, open campanulate, 25-35 × 50mm, 5-lobed, light yellow-green (154D), outside with deeper shades of brilliant yellow-green (154C), dorsal throat spotted and marked with greenish brown. Calyx lobes up to 9mm long, ciliate. Lvs narrowly obovate to obovate, up to 30-40 × 10-20mm, dark green above, paler and sparsely covered with light brown scales below. Dwarf shrub to 0.3m. *AM 1981, FCC 1969, *FCC 1986

(r) **'Curlicue'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tols' (s) × 'Tim Craig' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, deep and strong red (60A, 46A) in bud, opening strong purplish red (60B, C, D) and white, with dark red (59A) dorsal spots; anthers moderate purplish red (184D). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Currahee'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *calendulaceum* R: Transplant Nursery (pre 1986), N: Transplant Nursery Fls striped red and yellow in bud, opening orange and edged rosy pink. Tall shrub

(r) **'Currant Bells'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* (blood red form) × *williamsianum* R: B.F. Lancaster, N: B.F. Lancaster, I: B.F. Lancaster, REG: B.F. Lancaster (1966) Fls 7-8/truss, campanulate, 50 × 65mm, 5-lobed, moderate red (47A). Lvs ovate, 50 × 45mm cordate at base. Shrub 0.6 × 1.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Currieanum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1851), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls shaded rosy lilac, with a broad blotch on a clear ground. (Knap Hill cat.,1881 suggests this is the same as 'Maculatum Grandiflorum')

(a) **'Curtain Call'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ungetsu-no-hikari' (s) × 'Dorothy Clark' R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls 2/truss, star-shaped, with narrow, pointed lobes, 65mm wide, rosy orange, with a red blotch. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m. Mid May (and again September/October). (First published in Holly Springs cat., 1990)

(v) **'Curtisii'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *multicolor* I: J. Veitch & Sons (1883), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson. FCC 1883

(r) **Curvistylum Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. tsangpoense* var. *curvistylum*

(r) **'Custard'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: China Group × *decorum* R: R. Henny, I: L. Henny, REG: L. Henny (1962) Fls 12-14/truss, funnel-campanulate, up to 95mm wide, 5-6-lobed, pale yellow-green (4D). Lvs 150 × 65mm. Shrub to 3.0m

(a) **'Custom White'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: P.E. Girard (pre 1977), N: P.E. Girard Fls 65-75mm wide, pure white, ruffled

(r) **'Cutalosa'** cv. From open-pollinated Dexter hybrids R: Swarthmore College (post 1960), N: Swarthmore College (post 1960) Fls very pale or white. (From seed collected 1948)

(r) **'Cutie'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: possibly a *calostrotum* hybrid R: E.J. Grieg, I: H.L. Larson, REG: H.L. Larson (1962) Fls 30mm wide, phlox purple (632/2). Lvs 30 × 17mm, with a slight, tan indumentum below. Shrub 0.45m in 10 years. Syn: 'Calostrotum Rose', 'Calostrotum Pink'

(r) **'Cutie Pie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × 'Phipps Yellow' (s) × *pseudochrysanthum* (Ben Nelson's form) H: M.J. Whitman (1993), G: M.J. & B. Whitman (1998), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (1998), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (1999) Fls 5/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (57A) in bud, opening inside light purplish pink (66D), flushed strong purplish pink (66B) on dorsal lobes, with deep red (60A) spotting on dorsal lobe and a small blotch of strong purplish red (60B) in the throat; outside vivid purplish red (66B) with strong purplish red (67A) veining overall. Lvs oblong, 125 × 55mm, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, with wavy margins, dull and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.25 × 0.3m in 6 years. Early May.

(a) **'C. Vuylsteke'** (Syn. of 'Charles Vuylsteke')

(r) **'Cyaneum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Messrs M. Young, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish lilac. (Perhaps the same plant listed by Standish & Noble in 1852)

(v) **'Cybelle Barbour'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: (*konori* var. *phaeopeplum* × *lochiae*) × *leucogigas* × *jasminiflorum* H: J.L. Rouse (1983), G: G.L.S. Snell (1989), N: D. Moodie (1991), I: Foothills Nursery (1991), REG: Foothills Nursery (1992) Fls 16/flat, lax truss, long tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 30mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, inside and outside pale yellowish pink (27D); style pink, protruding 15mm from mouth of flower. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 35mm, flat, matt green, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m. Spring-autumn

(r) **'Cybil Rhodes'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lord Roberts' (s) × 'Vicki Reine' H: M. Stockman (1989), G: M. & H. Stockman (1995), N: M. & H. Stockman (1999), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1999) Fls 12-14/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, inside near strong purplish red (64C), shading slightly lighter towards centre of lobes, with slightly darker spotting in dorsal throat; outside strong purplish red (64C). Calyx c1.5m long, green. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 45mm, broadly acute at apex with a small mucro, cuneate at base, flat, dull and near moderate yellow-green (147B) above, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.7m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Cyclamen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Earl of Athlone' × *lacteum* I: Sir James Horlick, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cyclamen violet

(r) **Cyclops Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: F.C. Puddle Group (s) × Neriihaem Group H: Lord Aberconway (1932), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red.

(a) **'Cygnet'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 40mm wide, white, with a pale yellow blotch. Shrub 1.2m. Early May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Cylava'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Czechoslovakia (pre 1987), N: Czechoslovakia Fls funnel-shaped, 40mm wide, vivid pink. Shrub 0.6m. Late.

(a) **'Cymodocée'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1871), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson, with a brighter blotch. Ghent (This description was substituted by van Houtte for an earlier version. His earlier use of 'Cymodocée' represents a synonym of 'Le Soupir de Crépuscule'; van Houtte's 1871 entry is clearly a different plant)

(r) **'Cynosure'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Essex Scarlet' (s) × *fortunei* H: B. & M. Shapiro (1959), G: B. & M. Shapiro, N: B. & M. Shapiro, REG: B. & M. Shapiro (1993) Fls 10/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 67 × 76-95mm, with 5-7 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63A) in bud, opening strong purplish pink (68B) at margins and shading rather abruptly to a very pale purple (69B) centre, with a strong orange (25A) speckled flare extending from the throat to within 18mm of the edge of the dorsal lobe; slightly scented. Calyx 4mm long, light green. Lvs narowly elliptic, 127-152 × 51mm, slightly convex, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless, but with tiny, sparse glands below. Shrub 2.4 × 2.7m in 30 years. Late May. (Pollen parent was Nearing's hardy selection of *fortunei*. Published in *J.Am. Rh. Soc.* 42 (2): 62-65 (1988))

(r) **'Cynthia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (s) × ? *griffithianum* R: Standish & Noble (1856), N: Standish & Noble, I: Standish & Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 24/conical truss, funnel-shaped, 55 × 75-85mm, deep rose pink, with darker dorsal spots. Calyx lobes 2-5mm long. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. Syn: 'Lord Palmerston', 'Mirabile' (Noble cat., 1860 listed 'Cynthia' and 'Lord Palmerston')

(a) **'Cynthia Ann'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: P.E. Girard (c 1965), G: R.K. Peters, N: R.K. Peters, I: R. Carter, REG: R.K. Peters (1983) Fls 10/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 75mm, 5-lobed,

buds dark reddish orange (10R 4/9), opening moderate orange-yellow (7.5YR 8/8), washed strong orange (5YR 7/11), dorsal blotch of brilliant yellow (2.5Y 9/9). Calyx minute. Lvs oblanceolate, 125 × 45mm, greyish olive green, hairy. Shrub c2.2. m in 17 years. Knap Hill

(a) **'Cyoten'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: KelmscottAzalea Gardens (1984) Fls single, pale pink. Satsuki

(v) **'Cyprian'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *zoelleri* (s) × 'Clorinda' H: P. Sullivan (1970), G: P. Sullivan, N: P. Sullivan, I: W.A. Moynier, REG: W.A. Moynier (1983) Fls 7-8/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 55 × 70mm, 5-lobed, brilliant orange-yellow (21B), broadly edged strong orange (26B). Calyx minute. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 50mm, moderate olive green (137A), with closely spaced, tan scales below. Shrub c0.6m in 4 years. Syn: 'Sebastian'

(r) **'Cyprus'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Furnivall' (s) × white-flowered *catawbiense* H: D.G. Leach (1953), G: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1973), REG: D.G. Leach (1983) Fls 19-20/truss, 40 × 80mm, open funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, pale purplish pink (65D) in bud, opening white with a bold, dorsal, spotted blotch of moderate red (179A). Calyx c1.5mm long, green, edged red. Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 125 × 50mm, moderate olive green (146A). Shrub c1.9m in 29 years. Syn: 'Capri'

(r) **'Cyreii'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **Cyrene Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sir Charles Lemon' (s) × *lanatum* R: E.J.P. Magor (1921), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a tinge of lemon

(v) **'Cyril'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *leucogigas* (s) × *konori* × *laetum* H: P. Sullivan (1973), G: P. Sullivan (1981), N: P. Sullivan, I: StrybingArboretum, REG: A.K. Morebeck & T.A. Lukaszewski (1991) Fls 8-13/lax truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 83 × 114mm, with (7-)8 wavy-edged lobes, tube yellowish white (158C) to deep pink (48B), lobes yellowish white (158C) with strong red (53B) sinuses; highly scented (dianthus-like); distal 6mm of style with a deep pink (48B) band, stigma brilliant yellow-green (150A-B); stamens 11-15, straight, of uneven length. Lvs elliptic, 146-178 × 57-64mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base: hairless above, scaly below, scales strong orange (169D) when young, aging to moderate olive green (147A); petioles 13mm long, very scaly. Shrub of upright, open habit, 1.2 × 1.2m in 16 years, with large buds covered by dark red (187A) bracts. Summer

(r) **'Cyril Berkeley'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from *forrestii* R: Royston Nursery (1961), N: Royston Nursery, REG: Royston Nursery (1964) Fls 3-4/loose truss, 65mm wide, vivid red (46C). Calyx up to 40mm long, split irregularly to the base, coloured as the corolla. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years. (Seed parent formerly distinguished as var. *tumescens*, now treated as close to subsp. *papillatum*)

(r) **'Cyril Thornber'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi King George' × unknown H: G. Hall (1958), G: G. Hall (c1976), N: G. Hall (1989), REG: Lord Harewood (1989) Fls 10-11/truss, open funnel-shaped, 60 × 90-100mm, 7-lobed, buds slightly tinged pink, opening pure white, with green throat on lower side. Calyx 9mm long, green. Lvs broadly ovate, 150 × 40-50mm, grey-green. Shrub 3.5 × 2.5m. May (c3 weeks later than 'Loderi King George')

(a) **'Cytherea'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Malvaticum' (s) × 'Yozakura' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose. Shrub 1.2m. Early May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Czar'** (See 'The Czar')

(a) **'Czar Alexandre III'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, double, dark carmine red, with blood red spots on the dorsal lobes. Indian

(r) **'Czarina'** (See 'The Czarina')

(v) **'Czarina'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Princess Royal' × *javanicum* var. *teysmannii* R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1891), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pinky yellow to orange

(r) **'Czech Beauty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goldsworth Yellow' × unknown R: L.A. Hindla, N: L.A. Hindla, REG: L.A. Hindla (1979) Fls up to 11/truss, pale yellow-green (4D) with strong orange (168A) dorsal spotting. Lvs 125 × 45mm. Shrub over 1.9m. (Seed from Schumacher Seed Co., 1960)

(r) **'Dace'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *smirnowii* H: R. Kondratovičs (1963), G: R. Kondratovičs (1970), N: R. Kondratovičs, I: Rhododendron Nursery "Babīte" of University of Latvia (2001), REG: R. Kondratovičs (2002) Fls 9-14/slightly domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside orchid purple (31/2), with red-brown spots on dorsal lobe; filaments light violet, anthers green-pink; style pink, stigma cherry red. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs oblong, 135 × 30mm, margins flat, pointed at apex and base, glossy above, with woolly indumentum below (light fawn at first, ageing to light brown). Shrub 2.0 × 2.2m in 20 years. Late May. (Published in *Dārzs un Drava*: 23-24 (November, 2001))

(r) **Dacia Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: F.C. Puddle Group (s) × *dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* H: Lord Aberconway (1932), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red

(r) **'Dad's Indian Summer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pink Petticoats' (s) × 'Ring of Fire' H: W. Thompson (1981), G: Willard Thompson Nursery (c 1986), N: M. Thompson, I: Willard Thompson Nursery, REG: R. & E. Thompson (1994) Fls up to 30/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 89mm, 5-6-lobed, strong red (53C) in bud, opening strong red (53C) fading deep yellowish pink (47C) to deep pink (47D) at edges; dorsal lobe pale yel-

low (11C), shading to deep pink (47C); faint streaking on centre of each lobe; outside strong red (53C) ageing to deep pink (52C); stamens 12, curved, unequal; style deep pink (48B). Pedicels 32mm long. Lvs oblong, 133 × 51mm, slightly concave, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy, moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (147C) below, hairless; petioles 19mm long. Shrub 0.5 × 0.5m in 4 years. Mid April

(r) **'Dad's Killer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: R. Mauritsen (1972), G: Kent Nursery (1982), N: S. Mauritsen (1986), I: Kent Nursery, REG: S. Mauritsen (1986) Fls 12-16/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 76 × 102mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (52C), with strong red (50A) spots in the throat; no stamens. Calyx 1.5mm long, reddish green. Lvs mostly narrowly elliptic (to elliptic), 102 × 38mm, dull, dark bluish green (131A) above, light green below, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.3m in 3 years. Mid May

(r) **'Daffodilly'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *cinnabarinum* subsp. *xanthocodon* G: Mrs R.M. Stevenson, S: Mrs R.M. Stevenson (pre 1962), N: Mrs R.M. Stevenson, I: Leonardslee Gardens Nurs., REG: E.W.M. Magor (1987) Fls c6/truss, tubular-campanulate, 35-38 × 30-40mm, 5(-6)-lobed, light orange-yellow (16B-C) throughout, with a few darker but very inconspicuous marks in the throat. Calyx c1mm long, with pale scales. Lvs 80 × 38mm, broadly elliptic, obtuse at tip, shortly truncate at base, dark shiny green above, paler below, with numerous, non-contiguous, golden brown scales. Straggly shrub 3.0 × 2.0m. April-May

(a) **'Dageraad'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1911), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose. Indian

(r) **'Dagerad'** cv. Parentageunknown L: T.J. Seidel (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple, with many dark markings

(a) **'Dagmar'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: B. Kavka (1939), N: B. Kavka, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in flatly globose trusses, c50mm wide, irregularly red in bud (018-018/1), opening scarlet (19/1), unblotched. Lvs elongate-ovate, 67 × 25mm, dull green (0960/2-0960/1). Shrub c1.6m

(a) **'Dagmar'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hollandia' × unnamed seedling R: E. Herrmann (1967) Fls double, 70mm wide, bright red. Early

(r) **'Dagmar'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* × 'Pink Pearl' R: B. Kavka (c 1965), N: B. Kavka Fls 11-16/globose truss, c90mm wide, buds pink (630/1+627/2), opening purple pink (630/2-630/3), with a pronounced blotch of yellow-green to yellow (763-763/1+606). Lvs elliptic, 120 × 53mm, glossy spinach green (0960) above. Shrub c1.0m in 9 years

(a) **'Dagonet'** (Syn. of 'Nicolaas Beets')

(a) **'Dai-dan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, red. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Daigokuden'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan Fls hose-in-hose, semi-double, 65-75mm wide, vivid pink, with a star-shaped centre and an indistinct blotch of reddish purple spots. Satsuki (This may be an ancient Japanese cultivar)

(a) **'Daikagura'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) (Listed as a parent of 'Purple Weeper')

(a) **'Daiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet crimson on white. Indian

(r) **'Daily Double'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Saffron Queen' × *johnstoneanum* R: H. Kerrigan (pre 1996)

(a) **'Daimio'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kaempferi* R: Japan (pre 1905), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange; very late. (Sometimes spelt 'Damio', or mis-spelt 'Damino'. Has been equated by some with 'Mikado')

(a) **'Dainanko'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Hakato-shiro' R: Japan, N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50-65mm wide, with well-spaced lobes, white, with purplish red speckles and stripes; occasional pale purple selfs to deep pink selfs. Compact habit. Satsuki

(a) **'Dainty'** Kurume (Syn. of 'Iro-hayama')

(a) **'Dainty'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, flushed pink, with a yellow blotch. Tall shrub. Occidentale (Previous listing as a Ghent apparently in error)

(a) **'Dainty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Bobbink & Atkins, N: Bobbink & Atkins, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 50mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, red (022/1), with a darker blotch. Bobbink & Atkins

(r) **'Dainty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: May Day Group (s) × Elizabeth Group H: Lord Aberconway (1938), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in compact trusses, trumpet-shaped, strong red (46A), with large scarlet bracts. AM 1942, FCC 1944 (Dainty Group)

(r) **Dainty Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: May Day Group (s) × Elizabeth Group H: Lord Aberconway (1938), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1942), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Dainty Angel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Dainty Rose' (s) × 'Ho-o' H: S. McDonald (1975), G: S. McDonald (1977), N: S. McDonald, I: S. McDonald (1992), REG: S. McDonald (1992) Fls hose-in-hose, 2/terminal bud, open funnel-shaped, 30 × 40mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds white with pink tips, opening light purplish pink (55C) at edges, shading to white towards centre, with a light yellow-green (142C) throat and very light spotting of pink on dorsal lobe; stamens 5, curved; pistil curved, style white. Calyx 30mm long, light purplish

pink (55C) to white. Pedicels 6mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly obovate, 23 × 5-10mm, flat, truncate and mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy, hairy and moderate olive green (146A) above, moderate yellow-green (146B) below; hairs sparse, pale gold ageing gold to light brown; petioles 2mm long, green, hairy. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 17 years. Mid April

(a) **'Dainty Bess'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Berna Park Nurseries (1984) Fls blush pink. Kurume

(r) **'Dainty Cloud'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Swarthmore College (pre 1980), N: Swarthmore College

(a) **'Dainty Danny'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: D. Parmenter (pre 1969), N: D. Parmenter Fls single, small, light pink, with a darker, spotted blotch. Tall shrub

(v) **'Dainty Drops'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown N: Vireya Venue, I: Vireya Venue (pre 1996) Fls campanulate, pink. Lvs tiny, pointed. Miniature shrub, very slow-growing, to c30cm

(r) **'Dainty Jean'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *williamsianum* × 'Hélène Schiffner' R: Bovees Nursery, N: Bovees Nursery, I: Bovees Nursery (1962), REG: Bovees Nursery (1962) Fls up to 6/truss, flat, 75mm wide, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, white, outside flushed pale purplish pink (56A); buds pink. Lvs 50 × 40mm, dark green. Shrub 0.3m tall in 10 years

(a) **'Dainty Lady'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably a seedling from 'Dayspring' R: I.L. Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L. Amann Fls hose-in-hose to semi-double, 40mm wide, vivid purplish red (66B), with a darker blotch. Lvs glossy. Shrub 1.0m. Fls long-lasting, darkening with age

(r) **'Dainty Lass'** (Syn. of 'Boulter's Dainty Lass')

(r) **'Dainty Lass'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Dainty' H: Mrs R.J. Coker, G: D. Sumpter (1981), N: D. Sumpter, I: Blue Mountain Nurseries, REG: D. Sumpter (1993) Fls 14/truss, 40 × 60mm, 7-lobed, funnel-shaped, light purplish pink (55C) in bud, opening blush and quickly becoming white with a small green flare in the base of the dorsal throat; stigma yellow-green; slightly scented. Calyx 2mm long, green, with a pink rim. Lvs elliptic, 90-100 × 30-50mm, with a light tan indumentum. Late October-early November (New Zealand).

(r) **'Dainty Maiden'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × Dainty Group I: Riverview Gardens (pre 1996) Fls bright pink. Lvs with an indumentum. Shrub 0.6m in 10 years. Midseason

(a) **'Dainty Rose'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* × 'Snow' × *kaempferi* × 'Snow' R: USDA, Beltsville, S: R.L. Pryor, N: USDA, Beltsville (1960), I: USDA, Beltsville (1960), REG: USDA, Beltsville (1961) Fls single, 2-3/truss, 25-30mm wide, light purplish pink. Lvs dark green. Very compact shrub about one and a half times as wide as high

(r) **'Dainty Ruffles'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tony's Gift' (s) × 'Lady Bligh' R: unknown (pre 1985)

(r) **'Dainty Sue'** cv. Parentage unknown R: M. Wildfong (pre 1980), N: M. Wildfong

(r) **'Dairy Gold'** cv. Parentage unknown L: USA (1973) Fls yellow. Medium-sized shrub. (Uncertainly attributed to W.E. Whitney)

(a) **'Dairymaid'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls white, with a yellow blotch

(r) **'Dairymaid'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* hybrid R: W.C. Slocock Ltd, N: W.C. Slocock Ltd (1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c10/compact truss, funnel-campanulate, 45 × 50mm, pale cream, tinged pink and with a small, darker pink ray. Compact habit. April-May. *AM 1934

(a) **'Daiseiko'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Gominishiki' S: S. Sekine (1968) Fls 50-65mm wide, with widely-spaced, pointed and reflexed lobes, white, variegated with occasional stripes of deep pink; some pink selfs, edged white. Compact habit. Very late. Satsuki

(a) **'Daisetsuzan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 100-125mm wide, with 5-9 rounded lobes, white, marked with yellow-green at centre. Lvs dark green. Shrub 1.0m, compact. Early-midseason. Satsuki

(a) **'Daishuhai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65-75mm wide, with rounded lobes, single, deep yellowish pink, paling to white in centre. Early. Syn: 'Taishuhai'. Satsuki

(r) **'Daisy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Milner' × *smirnowii* R: T.J.R. Seidel, N: T.J.R. Seidel (1902), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 20-24/compact, hemispherical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45 × 60mm, strongly frilled, carmine rose (2.5RP 6/10), with a small ray of green markings on a pale ground. Calyx very small. Lvs broadly elliptic, up to 110 × 50mm, dull dark green above. Shrub to 2.5m

(a) **'Daisy Bell's'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1907), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, bright red. Indian

(r) **'Daisy Blanche'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *aperantum* (s) × May Day Group H: Messrs Jack Drake, G: E. Huxley (1983), N: E. Huxley (1993), REG: E. Huxley (1994) Fls 3-5/loose truss, funnel-campanulate, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink (47C) with vivid red (46C) lobes inside and out. Lvs oblong, 55 × 22mm, flat, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, with sparse, very light brown hairs below. Shrub 0.3 × 0.6m in 15 years

(r) **'Daisy Diment'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Soulkew Group (s) × Elizabeth de Rothschild Group H: G. Dixon (1984), G: G. Dixon (1994), N: G. Dixon

(2002), I: G. Dixon (2002), REG: G. Dixon (2002) Fls 8/open truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 60 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds red-brown, opening white (155D) inside and out, with a vivid red (46C) blotch on a pale yellow (158B) ground; strongly scented. Lvs elliptic, 105 × 55mm, margins slightly decurved, acuminate at apex, rounded at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 2.5 × 0.7m in 18 years. Flowering from Mid May

(r) **'Daisy Mae'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Horace Fogg' × Argosy Group R: unknown (pre 1996) Fls bright pink, scented. Lvs dull green. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years

(r) **'Daisy Rand'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: S.B. Parsons, N: S.B. Parsons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a dense, rounded truss, strong reddish purple (2.5RP 5/12), marked purplish red (10RP 2/6); stigma black; style whitish; stamens purplish

(a) **'Dakon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Crown Estate Commissioners (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cerise

(r) **Dalbull Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *dalhousiae* (s) × *edgeworthii* R: E.J.P. Magor (1927), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white

(a) **'Dalfstonii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Dalkeith'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown I: C.A. McLaughlin (1966), REG: Mrs P.J. Warren (1977) Fls light purple (80D). Dwarf shrub. (Chance seedling, possibly subsect. *Uniflora* × subsect. *Triflora*)

(a) **'Dalliance'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: E. de Rothschild (c 1980), N: E. de Rothschild Fls apricot. (Solent Group)

(r) **'Dalmeny'** (Syn. of 'Lady Rosebery Dalmeny')

(r) **'Dalriada'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a selection from *degronianum* subsp. *degronianum* R: A.G. Kenneth, I: Mrs K.L. Kenneth, REG: Mrs K.L. Kenneth (1961) Similar to *R. degronianum* except in habit: shrub c0.8 × 2.2m. PC 1960

(a) **'Dalwood'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Gumpo' × *stenopetalum* R: H.E. Bawden (pre 1983), N: H.E. Bawden

(a) **'Damaris'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Mrs Carmichael' (s) × 'Alice' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50-70mm wide, mallow purple, washed with rose red and with a heavy amaranth purple blotch; stamens rose red. Shrub 1.9m. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **Damaris Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor Stocker' (s) × *campylocarpum* R: E.J.P. Magor (1918), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1926), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c6/lax truss, broadly campanulate, 50 × 80mm, pale canary yellow (shading to ivory at edges) to biscuit- coloured, unmarked. Calyx lobes 3-4mm long, more-or-less glandular. Lvs ovate. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years.

(r) **'Damaris Logan'** (Syn. of 'Logan Damaris')

(a) **'Damask'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × 'Chojakuru' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, white, washed all over with chartreuse producing an almost ivory tint. Shrub 1.2m. Mid May. Glenn Dale (Pollen parent is probably an error for 'Chojuraku')

(r) **Damask Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Loderi Group (s) × *facetum* R: S.R. Clarke, N: S.R. Clarke, I: S.R. Clarke (1932), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose pink. AM 1932

(a) **'Damask Rose'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown, but allied to *mucronatum* L: Andorra Nurseries (1919), INC: ICRA (1958) Similar to 'Sekidera', but an inferior form according to E. H. Wilson

(a) **'Dame Abelaine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Mernda Heights Nursery (1970) Fls semi-double, deep pink, edged white. Indian

(a) **'Dame Blanche'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Dame Mélanie' I: L. van Roye (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, otherwise similar to 'Roi Léopold'. Syn: 'Dame Mélanie White', 'Dame Mélanie Alba'. Indian

(r) **'Dame Cecily Pickerill'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Rubicon' × Kilimanjaro Group H: R.C. Gordon (1974), G: R.C. Gordon, N: R.C. Gordon, REG: R.C. Gordon (1985) Fls in compact trusses, very dark red, with black spots. Lvs lanceolate, dark green

(r) **'Dame Edith Evans'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1994)

(r) **'Dame Edith Sitwell'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *lindleyi* R: G. Gorer, N: G. Gorer, REG: G. Gorer (1965) Fls 4-5/truss, semi-drooping, 90 × 115mm, tubular funnel-shaped, white, tinged pink in a few fls, dorsal lobe stained greenish yellow at base. Calyx 13mm long, ciliate. Lvs 140 × 65mm, scaly below. AM 1965

(r) **'Dame Kiri Tekanawa'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Irene Stead' × 'Ilam Cream' H: G. Collier (1972), G: G. Collier (1980), N: G. Collier, REG: G. Collier (1988) Fls 10-12/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 130-150mm wide, strong purplish red (63A-B) in bud, opening greenish white (157D) with a light purplish pink (62C) flush on the dorsal lobes; the fls arranged in tiers. Calyx 1mm long, reddish. Lvs oblanceolate, 175 × 50mm, hairless, with burgundy-coloured petioles. Shrub 2.2 × 2.5m in 16 years. October-November (New Zealand)

(a) **'Dame Lavender'** (Syn. of 'Omoine')

(a) **'Dame Margot Fonteyn'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Ballerina' R: Huntingdale Nursery, N: Huntingdale Nursery, I: Huntingdale Nursery (c 1970) Fls double, dark cerise red. Mid-late. Indian

(a) **'Dame Mathilde'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1880), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, with wavy-edged lobes, salmon rose, edged white, with broad, dark carmine-purple spots. Indian

(a) **'Dame Mélanie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Roi Léopold' I: van de Maele & E.van Coppenolle (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, rose pink, with pure white edges and a carmine blotch. Similar to 'Roi Léopold'. Syn: 'Mélanie', 'Mrs Turner'. Indian (See also under 'Dame Mélanie Saumonea')

(a) **'Dame Mélanie Alba'** (Syn. of 'Dame Blanche')

(a) **'Dame Mélanie Rubra'** (Syn. of 'Roi Léopold')

(a) **'Dame Mélanie Saumonea'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Dame Mélanie' I: G. van Gele & Son (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, strong pink (52D), gradually changing to white at edges. Similar to 'Roi Léopold'. Syn: 'Mélanie Saumonea'. Indian (Listed earlier (1958) as 'Dame Mélanie', apparently in error)

(a) **'Dame Mélanie White'** (Syn. of 'Dame Blanche')

(r) **'Dame Nellie Melba'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Standishii' (s) × blood red form of *arboreum* R: Sir Edmund Loder, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1926), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c12/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 80-90mm, rich pink, with a pair of narrow bands of brownish crimson spots, the colour paler in the centre of lobes. Calyx lobes 5-10mm long, pink. Lvs oblong-obovate, up to 165 × 55mm, dark glossy green above, minutely hairy below. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. AM 1926

(r) **'Dame Pattie Menzies'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marion' (s) × 'Mrs Henry Shilson' H: K. Van de Ven (1974), G: K. Van de Ven, N: K. Van de Ven, I: Olinda Nurseries, REG: Olinda Nurseries (1995) Fls 15/truss, outside strong purplish red (61B) at edge, shading to light purplish pink (63D); style white, tipped red; filaments white, anthers brown. Lvs lanceolate, 100 × 40mm, margins decurved, matt green, with a light silvery indumentum below. Shrub 0.7 × 1.0m in 10 years. Late July-August (Australia)

(r) **'Damian'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark carmine red, with few spots

(a) **'Damio'** (Syn. of 'Daimio')

(r) **'Damokles'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, flesh-coloured, with a paler throat and green spots on a white ground

(r) **'Dämon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *brachycarpum* hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls peach pink, with an ochre yellow blotch

(r) **'Damophyle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Damaris Group × *R.* × *detonsum* R: E.J.P. Magor (pre 1937), N: E.W.M. Magor (1962), I: E.W.M. Magor (1962), REG: E.W.M. Magor (1962) Fls 10-12/truss (an elongated umbel), campanulate, white. Calyx small. Shrub 4.5m in 25 years

(a) **'Damozel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: an orange form of *indicum* (s) × 'Momozono' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50mm wide, deep yellowish pink, with a heavy blotch of purplish red and becoming white at the base of the tube. Shrub 1.5m. Late April-early May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Damozel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: un-named bright rose (s) × *griersonianum* R: L. de Rothschild (1936), I: E. de Rothschild (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 17/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, 50 × 75mm, deep rose pink, with darker spots. Lvs very narrowly elliptic, 125 × 30mm, dark green above, with a thin brown indumentum below. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. AM 1948 (Damozel Group)

(r) **Damozel Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: unnamed bright rose (s) × *griersonianum* R: L. de Rothschild (1936), I: E. de Rothschild (1948), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Damozel Avar'** (An error for Damozel Group AM var.(Award of Merit variety), i.e.'Damozel')

(a) **'Dan Bush'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Nadine' I: O.S. Pride (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink

(a) **'Dancer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Camellia Grove Nursery (1972) Fls hose-in-hose, salmon pink. Indian (Galle (1987) suggests this is Kerrigan's 'Ballerina')

(a) **'Dancing Butterfly'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid, see *The Azalean* 4(1):4-5 (1982) for notes on parentage H: W.D. Smith (1965), G: W.D. Smith, I: W.D. Smith (1980), REG: W.D. Smith (1983) Fls 2-3/truss, 50 × 75mm, open funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, white, tinted red, in bud, opening white with heavy dorsal spotting of strong purplish red (60C) and striped strong purple (77B). Calyx 10mm long, yellow-green. Lvs elliptic to more-or-less narrowly obovate, 65 × 25mm, moderate olive green to moderate yellow-green (146A-B), setose above, with longer, denser golden setae below. Shrub c1.5m in 15 years

(a) **'Dancing Doll'** (Syn. of 'Nuccio's Dancing Doll')

(r) **'Dancing Eyes'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Humboldt' (s) × *yakushimanum* H: U. Genzel (1986), G: U. Genzel, N: U. Genzel, I: U. Genzel (1998), REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1998) Fls in a loose, rounded truss,

34-45 × 48-61mm, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, ruby pink, gradually becoming white and with a striking, black-red dorsal blotch. Lvs 50-115 × 28-62mm. Shrub 0.7 × 1.3m in 12 years

(a) **'Dancing Waters'** cv. Evergreen azalea: double, pink, florists' azalea × 'Treasure' H: USDA (1947), N: USDA (1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 80mm wide, flat-faced, white, with occasional flakes of amaranth rose and a distinct greenish blotch

(r) **Dandee Group** gp Parentage unknown R: W.E. Stokes (pre 1969), N: W.E. Stokes (Some clones were numbered (eg "Dandee no.1")but never properly named)

(a) **'Dandy'** (Syn. of 'Madame Bovary')

(a) **'Dandy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × 'Splendens' × 'Vittatum' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, 65mm wide, vivid purplish red, with a scarlet tube. Shrub 1.5m. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Dandy'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1934), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet red, with striking yellow-green markings. Syn: 'Knap Hill Dandy'

(r) **'Dandy'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Whitney, I: G. & Mrs A. Sather (pre 1980)

(r) **'Dandylicious'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Midsummer' (s) × 'Hypermax' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls strong purplish red (67A) and strong, moderate and light purplish pink (68B, C, D) in bud, opening white, edged vivid purplish red (67B) with a light greenish yellow (5D) flare and strong yellow-green (144A) dorsal spots; filaments and style white; anthers moderate orange-yellow (164C); stigma strong purplish red (67A). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Dandyrific'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Delp's Cindy Lou' (s) × 'El Shaddai' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls moderate and light purple (79D, 77D) and deep and vivid reddish purple (77A, 74B) in bud, opening very pale purple (76D), edged strong and light purple (84A, B, C) and with a vivid yellow-green (154A) flare and moderate yellow-green (146C) dorsal spots; filaments and style light reddish purple (74C); anthers deep purple (83B). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Danger'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1959) Fls brilliant orange scarlet. Knap Hill

(r) **'Daniel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark carmine red, with greenish markings; margins crisped

(r) **'Daniela'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Samtkrone I' (s) × 'Mars' × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: H. Hachmann (1969), G: H. Hachmann (1974), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1984), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 11-18/dense truss, 40-45 × 60-65mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (55A), shading inwards via pale purplish pink (56A-D) to white, with sparse dorsal spotting of moderate purplish red (64A). Calyx 2mm long, light yellow-green (145C). Lvs elliptic, 110-140 × 35-45mm, strongly convex, with recurved margins, mucronate at apex, cuneate-oblique at base, mid green above, with a thin, brownish indumentum below. Shrub 0.5 × 1.0m in 10 years, of compact habit. Late May-early June. Syn: 'Deleilah'

(r) **'Daniel Arblaster'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'King of Shrubs' (s) × Jalisco Group × *yakushimanum* H: G. Arblaster (c 1984), G: G. Arblaster (c 1991), N: Mrs J. Arblaster (2002), REG: Mrs J. Arblaster (2002) Fls 11-12/rather loose, open-topped truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 75 × 110mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes (the dorsal lobe recurved), deep yellowish pink (39B) in bud, opening inside light yellow (11B) suffused with brilliant yellow (11A), and suffused strong yellowish pink (31C) below lobe sinuses; outside light yellow (11B), suffused orange-red over lobe sinuses and over the apical quarter of each lobe; unmarked; filaments and style yellow; stigma tinged brown-red. Calyx 45mm long, near light yellow-green (154D). Lvs elliptic, 125 × 42mm, margins decurved, acute at apex, cuneate to truncate at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 1.5-2.0m in 10 years. June. (Buds open very slowly so whole bush looks like a mass of crumpled yellow taffeta. Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0034909). Etymology: Daniel Arblaster is the registrant's grandson)

(a) **'Daniel Buranich'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Eden Jennifer' × 'George Lindley Taber' R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith Fls 90mm wide, with a rosette centre, strong reddish orange. Shrub 1.4m in 9 years

(a) **'Danielsianum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *indicum* N: Sir Joseph Paxton (1834), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, garnet red. Indian (Introduced to England from China in 1830 by Capt.Daniels; probably originated in Japan)

(a) **'Danielsianum Amabile'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. van Geert (1849), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Danielsianum Amoenum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1851), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Danielsianum Fascicularis'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1851), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Probably the same as 'Danielsii Fasciculatum' listed by A. Dallière, 1852)

(a) **'Danielsianum Purpureum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: T. Jackson & Son (1851), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Danielsianum Superbum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Probably the same plant listed by L. van Houtte (1844) as 'Danielsii Superbum')

(a) **'Danielsii Concessum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Dallière (1852), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Danielsii Fasciculatum'** (See note under 'Danielsianum Fascicularis')

(a) **'Danielsii Superbum'** (See note under 'Danielsianum Superbum')

(r) **'Danik-Stokes Dash'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ('America' × 'Kettledrum) F2 H: W.E. Stokes (pre 1969), G: R. Danik Syn: 'Dash'

(a) **'Danja'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Gloria' × 'Lara' R: Bernd Jackst GbR (1986), N: Bernd Jackst GbR, I: BerndJackstGbR, REG: ICRA (1997) Fls double, white

(r) **'Dan Laxdall'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Elizabeth Group × 'Mrs G.W. Leak' H: Mrs S. Laxdall (1962), G: Mrs S. Laxdall (1974), N: Mrs S. Laxdall, REG: Mrs S. Laxdall (1975) Fls 7-10/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds neyron rose (623), opening neyron rose (623/1), the deeper colour in the throat extending up to centre of the lobes as narrow stripes; outside darker. Calyx 7mm long, red. Lvs lanceolate, 100 × 35mm, somewhat bullate, dark green. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 12 years. Mid May

(r) **'Dan Layman'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' (s) × 'Polynesian Sunset' H: J.F. Minahan (1984), G: J.F. Minahan, N: J.F. Minahan, REG: J.F. Minahan (1998) Fls 12-15/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 95-100mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (46A) in bud, opening vivid red (46C) throughout, with vivid red (46B) veining and a strong red (46A) blotch in the throat. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 150 × 50mm, decurved, margins flat, acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.7 × 1.7m in 14 years. Mid-late June

(r) **'Danny Boy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sir Charles Lemon' (s) × 'Gill's Crimson' H: C. Weeks (1981), G: C. Weeks (1989), N: C. Weeks (1990), I: Westgate Gardens Nursery (1991), REG: C. Weeks (1998) Fls 11/domed truss, funnel-campanulate, 60 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish red (61A), paling towards the centre, the three dorsal lobes speckled with numerous, discrete, deep red (60A) spots. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 55mm, downcurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull green above, with a near brownish orange (172C), felted indumentum below. Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in 15 years. Early May

(r) **'Dan's Commercial'** (Syn. of 'Coastal Spice')

(r) **'Dan's Early Purple'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *ponticum* × unknown G: D. Bones (pre 1994) Fls purple. Lvs resembling *ponticum*. Shrub to 1.5m in 10 years. Very early

(a) **'Dante'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L.L. Liebig (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, bright crimson red. Indian (W. Bull listed a cultivar under this name in 1874; perhaps the same plant)

(r) **'Dante'** (See 'Le Dante')

(r) **'Dante'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark red, with a paler throat and green-brown spots on a white ground

(r) **Dante Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* (s) × *facetum* H: Lord Aberconway (1929), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow to red-orange or vermilion

(v) **'Dante'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Crown Princess of Germany' × *javanicum* R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1891), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow to red-orange

(a) **'Dante Gabriel Rossetti'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: Gebr Kersbergen (pre 1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 70mm wide, white, with an orange-yellow blotch and buds. Midseason. Mollis

(r) **'Danton'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Danton L. van Beethoven'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: Gebr Kersbergen, N: Gebr Kersbergen, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark pink. Mollis

(r) **'Danube'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *augustinii* (s) × *concinnum* Benthamianum Group H: Lord Aberconway (1926), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway (c 1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish blue. (Argiolus Group)

(r) **'Danuta'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Bellefontaine' (s) × 'Lumina' × 'Perlina' H: H. Hachmann (1987), G: H. Hachmann (1993), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 11-13/compact, rounded truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55-60 × 78-95mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (65C), with moderate/light purplish pink (65A/B) on edges, outside pale purplish pink (65C), with moderate purplish pink (65A) on midveins; a basal blotch of dark red (187A/B), expanding upwards into a fan of spots of variable width; stamens 10, filaments pale purplish pink (65D), anthers pale greenish yellow (160C); style yellowish white (158D), with a pink tinge, stigma moderate red (179A); ovary white-felted. Calyx minute, c1mm long, strong yellow-green (144A/B). Lvs elliptic, 170 × 60mm, flat, apiculate at apex, rounded to cuneate at base, slightly glossy above, with a thin covering of brownish hairs below. Shrub 1.3 × 1.5m in 10 years. Early-late May. (Standard: colour

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(a) **'Daphné'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1871), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, white, with an apple green blotch, and striped with broad red bands. Indian

(a) **'Daphne'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 30mm wide, white, with vivid reddish purple (74B) edges. Midseason. Kurume (Imported to USA by Domoto Bros and re-named by H.A.Dreer. Original name lost. Perhaps identical to 'Iro-hayama')

(a) **'Daphne'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Eden White' × 'Eden Y1' R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith Fls double, 80mm wide, the rosette centre consisting of a neat ring of 13mm long lobes, strong purplish pink to deep purplish pink; stamens 6, with black anthers (protruding from behind the central rosette). Shrub 1.2m in 8 years.

(r) **'Daphne'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with yellow spots

(r) **'Daphne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *brachycarpum* × 'Alexander Adie' H: T.J.R. Seidel (1894), N: T.J.R. Seidel (1902), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white, spotted greenish yellow. (Galle (1987) lists an evergreen azalea of this name introduced by Seidel in 1926 and cult. in Australia/New Zealand. Described as double white with a green blotch, its association with Seidel requires confirmation)

(r) **Daphne Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Red Admiral Group (s) × *neriiflorum* H: E.J.P. Magor (1921), G: E.J.P. Magor, N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in compact trusses, hose-in-hose (the calyces prominently developed and coloured), bright crimson. AM 1933

(r) **'Daphne Daffarn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: J.H. Mangles (pre 1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c20/rounded truss, funnel-shaped to campanulate, c60 × 70mm, bright rose pink shading to white in centre of lobes, speckled with light crimson around the tube. Calyx inconspicuous

(r) **'Daphne Jewiss'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *oreotrephes* × *davidsonianum* R: G. Reuthe Ltd (pre 1988) Fls in tight trusses, soft pink. Upright shrub, 1.5m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Daphne Magor'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Daphne Group × *R.* × *detonsum* R: E.W.M. Magor, N: E.W.M. Magor (1962), I: E.W.M. Magor, REG: E.W.M. Magor (1962) Fls 6-8/loose truss, campanulate, 50mm wide. Calyx and corolla fleshy, blood red. Calyx 30mm long, lobes unequal. Lvs ovate, 70-90 × 40mm, blunt, mucronulate at apex, slightly auriculate at base, yellowish green below. Plant 3.0m tall in 25 years, of tree-like habit

(r) **'Daphne Millais'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid H: O. Schulz (1892), N: C.B. van Nes & Sons, I: C.B. van Nes & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c8/truss, bowl-shaped, with more-or-less reflexed, wavy-edged lobes, 65 × 110mm, white, heavily veined and flushed lilac pink, especially on lobes, spotted

(a) **'Daphne Red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red, with purple spots. Indian (Perhaps synonymous with 'President Claeys')

(a) **'Daphne Salmon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65mm wide, salmon pink, with a darker blotch. Syn: 'Lawsal', 'Pride of Summerville', 'Salmon'. Indian

(a) **'Daphnis'** cv. Evergreen azalea: a deep salmon form of *indicum* (s) × 'Hatsu-shimo' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50-65mm wide, strong reddish purple, with a few, nearly confluent dots at base of dorsal lobe and a suggestion of yellow at base of tube. Lvs small and narrow. Shrub to 1.5m. Late April. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Daphnoides'** (Syn. of 'Imbricatum')

(r) **'Daphnoides'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *virgatum* hybrid L: T. Methven & Son (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy lilac. Lvs rounded. Shrub 1.0m. Syn: 'Coerulescens Daphnoides' (At least some plants under this name are reputed to be 'Arbutifolium'; Knight & Perry were listing it earlier (cat. c1850); see also note under 'Imbricatum')

(r) **'Dapper'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ivory Palace' (s) × (*brachycarpum* × 'Crest') no.3 H: W.E. Delp (1987), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 20/truss, open funnel-shaped, 58 × 85mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (72A) in bud, opening very pale purple (69C, D), fading to white, with prominent, deep reddish purple (77A) anthers and a dark red (187A) stigma; filaments greenish white (157D); style yellowish white (158D). Lvs 121 × 51mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.5m in 5 years. Early June

(r) **'Dapper Dan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × unknown H: unknown (c 1989), G: M.J. & B. Whitman, N: M.J. & B. Whitman, REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (2000) Fls 14/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 45 × 65mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (57B) in bud, opening inside white with vivid purplish red (57B) markings and some vivid yellow-green (154A) spotting on the dorsal lobe; outside white, with vivid purplish red (57B) midribs and a light purplish pink (63D) base. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 40mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, margins flat, dull and moderate olive green (137A) above, with a thick, light tan, hairy indumentum below. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in 10 years. Mid May.

(r) **'Dappled Dawn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Wizard' (s) × 'Golden Star' × (Jalisco Group × *yakushi-*

manum) H: J. Shaw, G: J. Leonard (1992), N: J. Shaw, I: Briarwood Gardens (1993), REG: Briarwood Gardens (1993) Fls 15/balltruss, open funnel-shaped, 60×76mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, peach apricot in bud, opening lightyellow (10C) with a prominent orange-beige flare on 3 dorsal lobes and a peach-coloured edge ageing to pale greenish yellow (10D); stamens 11, straight, unequal. Calyx 11mm long, brilliant yellow (10A). Pedicels 57mm long, strong yellow-green (144C) below. Lvs elliptic, 83-146 × 32-51mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, moderate yellow-green (137C) above, moderate yellow-green (147C) below, hairless; petioles 13-19mm long, light yellow-green (144D) below. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 10 years. Late May-early June.

(a) **'Daredevil'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ward's Ruby' × 'Hahn's Red' H: R. Mauritsen (c 1972), G: Kent Nursery (1978), N: S. Mauritsen, I: Kent Nursery, REG: S. Mauritsen (1986) Fls single, 1-3/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 32 × 50mm, 5-lobed, vivid red (52A). Calyx 1.5mm long, green. Lvs mostly elliptic (to lanceolate), 25 × 13mm, dull, light green above, hairless. Shrub 0.61 × 0.46m in 3 years. Mid April-May

(r) **'Darigold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* × Medusa Group × 'Autumn Gold' H: W.E. Whitney (pre 1965), G: W.E. Whitney Fls orange cream. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years

(a) **'Darius'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: H. Streck (pre 1999), N: H. Streck

(r) **'Darius'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Milner' (s) × *smirnowii* H: T.J.R. Seidel (1894), N: T.J.R. Seidel (1902), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish red, with yellow markings

(r) **'Dark Crimson'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Gheldolf (1844), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet carmine, speckled red

(r) **'Dark Endings'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Princess Elizabeth' (s) × 'Fiery Orange' H: T.L. Ring (1988), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with slightly wavy-edged lobes, deep red (53A) and strong red (53B) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (56D), edge vivid red (57A) and vivid purplish red (57B, C); filaments moderate purplish pink (54D); style pale greenish yellow (1D); anthers moderate orange (166D); stigma deep red (53A). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(a) **'Darkey'** (Syn. of 'Darkie')

(r) **'Dark Eyes'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kettledrum' × *R.* × *detonsum* × *griersonianum* R: G.G. Nearing, N: G.G. Nearing, I: G.G. Nearing (c 1962), REG: G.G. Nearing (1972) Fls 6/truss, up to 100mm wide, 6-8-lobed, bright rose, paler within, with a dark red blotch. Lvs to 150 × 75mm, rounded. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Dark Eyes'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Whitney (pre 1980)

(a) **'Darkie'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.S. Yeates (pre 1961) Fls red. Syn: 'Darkey', 'Darky', 'Ilam Darky'

(r) **'Dark Jewel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Fireman Jeff' (s) × 'Gill's Crimson' H: H. O'Rourke (1989), G: H. O'Rourke (1999), N: H. O'Rourke (2002), REG: H. O'Rourke (2002) Fls 16/ball truss, campanulate, 40 × 40mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (46A) in bud and opening strong red (46A) inside and out. Calyx 10mm long, strong red (46A), split. Lvs ovate, 125 × 40mm, cuneate at apex, acute at base. Shrub 1.0 × 0.5m in 12 years. Early October. (Standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0038780))

(a) **'Dark Lilac Diamond'** (Syn. of 'DiamantDunkellila')

(a) **'Dark Mahogany'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: H.J. Hohman (pre 1987), N: H.J. Hohman Fls 25mm wide, deep red. Midseason. Kurume

(a) **'Darkness'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' × 'Willy' (s) × 'Mrs Carmichael' × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, single, 75mm wide, brownish red, with a heavy carmine blotch. Shrub to 1.2m. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Dark Pericat'** (Syn. of 'Pink Pericat')

(a) **'Dark Pink Dream'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Pink Dream' L: Davidson's Nurseries (1985) Fls single, dark pink. Indian (Arose independently in several nurseries in Australia and the USA)

(r) **'Dark Red No.1'** cv. Parentage unknown R: N.W. Robinson (pre 1980), N: N.W. Robinson

(a) **'Dark Rosebud'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Massot Nurseries (1982)

(r) **'Dark Shadows'** cv. Parentage unknown R: G. Clarke (pre 1980), N: G. Clarke

(r) **'Dark Sister'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' (s) × 'Whitney Purple' H: M. Sanders (1987), G: M. Sanders (1991), N: M. Sanders (1999), I: Sanders Nursery (1999), REG: Sanders Nursery (2002) Fls 15/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purple (80A) in bud, opening vivid purple (80A) throughout, with a prominent, dark red (187A), densely speckled blotch extending from the base to more than half way up the dorsal lobe; anthers conspicuous, nearly white. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 40mm, margins upcurved, acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, strong yellow-green (144B) below, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 0.6m in 5 years. Mid May

(a) **'Dark Spring'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* hybrid R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 45mm wide, single, pansy violet (close to 'Pagentry' but redder). Kurume

(r) **'Dark Stranger'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *sanguineum* subsp. *sanguineum* var. *haemaleum* × *williamsianum* G: R.N.S. Clarke, N: R.N.S. Clarke, I: R.N.S. Clarke, REG: R.N.S. Clarke (1980) Fls 3-4/truss, open campanulate, 6-lobed, up to 35 × 35mm, dark red (59A). Calyx rudimentary, reddish, ciliate. Lvs oblong-elliptic, up to 50 × 32mm, dull green above. AM 1980 (Possibly hybridized by S.R. Clarke)

(r) **'Dark Throat'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lady Longman' × *fortunei* R: W.L. Rhein (pre 1986), N: W.L. Rhein Fls c12/rounded truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 90mm wide, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, lavender pink margins flushing to light pink, deep maroon eye with red spotting flaring on to three dorsal lobes. Lvs 140 × 65mm.

(a) **'Darky'** (Syn. of 'Darkie')

(r) **Darlene Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × 'Armistice Day' R: H. Lem (pre 1952), N: H. Lem, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright red

(r) **'Darlene Ellison'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Lace' × *yakushimanum* H: F. Peste (1976), G: F. & L. Peste (1983), N: L. Peste, REG: S.P. Johnston (1986) Fls 17/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (61C) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (62D), with dark greenish yellow (152C) dorsal spotting, and moderate purplish pink (68C) stripes down outside on all lobes. Calyx very small. Lvs more-or-less narrowly elliptic, 100-115 × 40mm, moderate olive green (147A) above, with a light, plastered, tan indumentum below. Mid May

(r) **'Darlene's Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'J.H. van Nes' × 'Loderi King George' H: B.T. Briggs (1963), G: E.L. Knight, N: E.L. Knight, I: E.L. Knight, REG: E.L. Knight (1981) Fls strong purplish red (7.5RP 4/11) in bud, opening strong purplish red (7.5RP 5/12), unmarked

(a) **'Darling'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Gebr P. & L. van Acker (1912), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Darling'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Madame P.B. van Acker' I: P.B. van Acker (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, double, rose salmon. Indian

(a) **'Darling'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* (s) × 'Maxwellii' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50-65mm wide, deep purplish pink, with a very few darker spots at the base of the dorsal lobe. Shrub to 1.5m. Mid-late April. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Darling'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac rose, with a white throat and red spots

(a) **'Darling of the Gods'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, orchid pink. Coolidge

(r) **'Darrell Tyson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Evening Glow' (s) × 'Cynthia H: M. Stockman (1974), G: M. & H. Stockman (1983), N: M. & H. Stockman, I: M. & H. Stockman (1992), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1992) Fls 14/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate to light purplish pink (65A, B) at margins, shading to nearly white at centre of each lobe, a moderate orange (167B, C) blotch on 3 dorsal lobes and in the throat, with inconspicuous greyish yellow-green (194A) spotting on dorsal lobes; outside light purplish pink (65B); stamens 8, straight, unequal. Calyx 13-25mm long (lobes unequal), coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 51mm, convex, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base; matt, dark green and hairless above, hairless below; petioles 22mm long, light green. Spreading shrub, 1.5 × 2.1m in 18 years. Mid May and again in October

(r) **'Darren McKay'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Dexter's Giant Red' × 'Vulcan's Flame' H: B. Hager (pre 1985), S: J. McKay Fls deep pink, with an orange flare. New growth tinged red. Shrub of dense habit, 1.5m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Darren Schmahl'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Rocket' (s) × *brachycarpum* (as subsp. *tigerstedtii*) H: R. Behring (1982), G: R. Behring (1988), N: R. Behring, REG: R. Behring (1989) Fls 17/conical truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 57 × 64mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (73A) in bud, opening light purple (77D) with moderate purplish red (70A) spotting; pistils all protrude through the buds. Calyx very small, light green. Lvs elliptic, 89 × 44mm, convex, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 0.5 × 0.5m in 7 years. Late May

(a) **'Dart'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: F.E.W. Hanger, G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society (1958), REG: Royal Horticultural Society (1961) Fls 9-12/truss, 80 × 120mm, pinkish orange at first, becoming deep pink (621/1), with the dorsal lobe spotted yellow; some stamens petaloid. AM 1958. Knap Hill

(r) **'Dartmoor Rose'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1997)

(a) **'Daruma-murasaki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c60mm wide, deep purple. Satsuki

(r) **'Darwin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Lindsay Smith' (s) × *campylocarpum* hybrid H: M. Koster & Sons (1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cream, with a brown blotch

(a) **'Dash'** cv. Parentage unknown I: F.R. Kinghorn (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with narrow lobes, striped

(r) **'Dash'** (Syn. of 'Danik-Stokes Dash')

(r) **'Dashing Beauty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Christina Delp' (s) × 'Slippery Rock' H: W.E. Delp

(1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 16/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 64 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red, strong and deep reddish purple and strong purple (72A, B, 77A, B) in bud, opening light purple (77C, D), with a white flare and deep greenish yellow (153A) dorsal spotting; strong purple (77B) veins on outside; filaments and style vivid purplish red (57D); anthers moderate purplish pink (186D); stigma moderate red (182A). Lvs 98 × 51mm, obtuse, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 18 years. Early June

(r) **'Dated Yellow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *brachycarpum* (s) × 'Chlorops' × *aureum* H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls light greenish yellow (3D) and light yellowish pink (36D) in bud, opening pale yellow-green (4D). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Date-murasaki'** (Syn. of 'Kawari-asagao')

(r) **'Daubuzii'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* × *arboreum* R: J. Daubuz? (pre 1929), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellowish rose, fading to pale pink. Young leaves green, but aging to a striking brown. (Sometimes listed as a synonym of 'Dickson's Aucklandii' (a synonym of 'Caerhays'), the relationship requires clarification; the spelling used here, with one 'z' and two 'i's, is considered to be correct, reflecting the surname of the raiser)

(a) **'Dauntless'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' × 'Willy' (s) × 'Mrs Carmichael' × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, 50mm wide, deep purplish red, base of tube reddish orange. Shrub to 0.6m. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Dauss'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright, dark carmine, with a paler throat, almost unspotted

(a) **'Davao'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown N: H. Streck

(r) **'Dave Dougan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × *calophytum* × 'Grisette' H: H.L. Larson (1968), G: E. Weesjes, N: E. Weesjes, REG: E. Weesjes (1993) Fls 11-15/ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 51 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (73B) with a very pale purple (73D) throat and slight yellow spotting on the dorsal lobes; outside with a deep purplish pink (73A) stripe on each lobe; colour fades to near white; stamens 10, straight, unequal. Calyx very small. Pedicels 51mm long, yellow. Lvs oblanceolate, 114 × 38mm, convex, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, dull, dark green and hairless above, heavily felted below (hairs light fawn at first, darkening with age); petioles 19mm long, greyish, felted. Shrub 1.5 × 2.7m in 24 years. Mid April

(r) **'Dave Goheen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × *calophytum* H: D.W. Goheen (1964), G: D.W. Goheen, N: L.W. Bulgin, I: L.W. Bulgin (1984), REG: L.W. Bulgin (1986) Fls 14-16/domed truss, tubular-campanulate, 41 × 57mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish pink (55B) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (55D), fading to white, with a variable width yellowish white (155B) edging, outside 55D; blotch at base of dorsal lobe strong red (53B) and rays along midrib of lobes pale purplish pink (56C). Calyx very small. Lvs narrowly elliptic to oblanceolate, 114 × 29mm, dull, moderate yellow-green (137C) above, with a felted indumentum below (pale yellow-green (157A) when young, pale yellow (162D) when mature). Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in 10 years. Early April

(a) **'Dave's Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls 25mm wide, bright deep pink, with reddish flecks in the throat. Shrub of compact habit, wider than high

(a) **'Daveyanum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Whitley & Osborn (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Shrub 1.0-1.5m. Ghent

(r) **'David'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(r) **'David'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hugh Koster' (s) × *neriiflorum* R: F.J. Rose (pre 1939), N: F.J. Rose, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 16-19 in a compact, rounded truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, cardinal red (822/1), with some fine dark spotting on the dorsal lobe and with conspicuous white stamens. Lvs ovate-lanceolate, up to 150 × 50mm, dark, glossy green. Medium-sized shrub. *AM 1957, FCC 1939

(r) **'David Carroll'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' (s) × 'Virginia Richards' H: M. Stockman (1990), G: M. & H. Stockman (1996), N: M. & H. Stockman (1999), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1999) Fls 7-9/ball truss, funnel-campanulate, 65 × 100mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, inside white with vivid red (47A-C) spots in dorsal throat; outside white with a few, narrow lines of strong pink (54C) to moderate purplish pink (54D) from base to tip of each lobe. Calyx c5mm long, greenish yellow. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 45mm, broadly acute at apex (with a mucro), rounded at base, margins flat to wavy, glossy and near moderate yellow-green (148A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 9 years. Early May

(r) **'David Copperfield'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with a peach-coloured centre; spotted

(a) **'David Crockett'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Sweetheart Supreme' R: D.J. Cole (pre 1987), N: D.J. Cole Fls hose-in-hose, deep purple with a faint, darker blotch. Mid May

(v) **'David Crouch'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *auriculeranum* (small-flowered form) × *macgregoriae* × *auriculeranum* (large-flowered form) H: T. Lelliott (1975), G: T. Lelliott, N: Mrs H. Crouch, I: Mrs H. Crouch (1990), REG: Mrs H. Crouch (1991) Fls 6-7/truss, tubular fun-

nel-shaped, 80 × 60mm, 5-lobed, brilliant greenish yellow (2B). Lvs elliptic, 80 × 30mm. Shrub 1.0m. Spring-autumn

(a) **'David Dehoff'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid, see *The Azalean* 4(1): 3(1982) for notes on parentage R: W.D. Smith (pre 1982), N: W.D. Smith Fls hose-in-hose, 100mm wide, purple

(r) **'David Dickey'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: unnamed hybrid (Ring no. 2 red) × 'Delp's Cindy Lou' (s) × 'Frank Moniz' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls deep and vivid red (185A, 45A) in bud, opening deep, strong and vivid red (53A, 46A, B) with moderate reddish orange (171A) dorsal spots. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'David Douglas'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Dallière (1852), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'David Forsythe'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (as var. *compactum*) × 'Mars' R: S. Baldanza, N: S. Baldanza, REG: S. Baldanza (1971) Fls 8/ball truss, rotate, 70 × 75mm, dark scarlet. Lvs 100mm long, dark green. Shrub 1.0 × 1.4m

(r) **'David Gable'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Atrosanguineum' × *fortunei* H: J.B. Gable, G: J.B. Gable (c 1940), N: J.B. Gable (1960), I: J.B. Gable, REG: J.B. Gable (1961) Fls in large, dome-shaped trusses, 90mm wide, fuchsine pink (627/1), with a basal blotch of indian lake (826). Lvs 175 × 95mm. Shrub 1.5m. Early May. Syn: 'Gable's Pink No.1'

(r) **'David Grant'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Hummingbird Group × unknown R: E. Grant (1980), I: Messrs Jack Drake (1982), REG: Messrs Jack Drake (1988) Fls 5/truss, 30 × 50mm, 6-lobed, cerise throughout; anthers black. Calyx 20mm long, pale yellow-green. Lvs elliptic, 40 × 20mm. Shrub 0.3 × 0.8m in c10 years. March-April and again September-October

(r) **'David Harris'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sefton' (s) × 'Purple Splendour' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Flsdark red (187A), dark purple (79A) and deep reddish purple (77A) in bud, opening deep purplish red (71A) with a dark red (183A) flare and dark red (183A) dorsal spots; filaments and style white. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'David Haskell'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid, see *The Azalean* 4(1): 4(1982) for notes on parentage R: W.D. Smith (pre 1982), N: W.D. Smith Fls 90mm wide, white with rose stripes and specks

(r) **'Davidian's Favourite'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *oreotrephes* L: UK (1988)

(r) **'David John'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group (s) × 'Gable's Pioneer' H: W.M. Fetterhoff (1969), G: W.M. Fetterhoff, N: W.M. Fetterhoff, I: W.M. Fetterhoff (1979), REG: W.M. Fetterhoff (1981) Fls 2-5/bud, 2-6 buds/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 25 × 45mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (73A) in bud, opening strong purplish pink (73B), shading to very pale purple (73D) at lobe edges and all over dorsal lobe, the latter with faint red spotting; outside with prominent, wide, deep purplish pink (73A) ribs. Calyx 2mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 50-70 × 20-35mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, with brown scales below. Shrub 0.9 × 1.1m in 10 years. Late April-early May

(r) **'David Lam'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sunup-Sundown' (s) × 'Lem's Cameo' H: J.G. Lofthouse (1979), G: J.G. Lofthouse (1983), N: J.G. Lofthouse, I: J.G. Lofthouse (1987), REG: J.G. Lofthouse (1990) Fls 3-9/truss, open funnel-shaped, 44 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds red, opening to light pink (49C) inside, fading to pale pink (49D) at edges, heavily spotted on dorsal lobe with deep yellowish pink (43C); outside deep yellowish pink (43C), fading to strong yellowish pink at edges (43D). Calyx 25mm long, reflexed, coloured as corolla. Lvs obovate, 102 × 38-51mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless; petioles hairy. Shrub 1.0-1.2m in 11 years. Late April-early May

(a) **'David Leach'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Nadine' I: O.S. Pride (1956), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep pink

(a) **'David Milne Home'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1880), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, with long contracted lobes which have wavy edges, pure snow white. Indian

(a) **'David Reynolds'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Purple Splendor' × 'Vuyk's Scarlet' H: H.R. Schroeder (1973), G: H.R. Schroeder (1978), N: S. Schroeder, I: S. Schroeder (1986), REG: S. Schroeder (1986) Fls single, open funnel-shaped, 38 × 51mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (68A), with dark red spotting on dorsal lobe. Calyx 6mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 32 × 13mm, dull, dark green above, light green below, hairy on both surfaces. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 10 years, with red stems in winter. Mid April

(r) **'David Rockefeller'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Karkov Group × Gipsy King Group H: E. de Rothschild (1955), G: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1982), REG: E. de Rothschild (1982) Fls 10/truss, vivid red (45B), spotted vivid red (45A)

(a) **'David's Choice'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Dainty Rose' (s) × 'Ho-o' H: S. McDonald (1975), G: S. McDonald (1977), N: S. McDonald (1987), I: Le-Mac Azaleas (1988), REG: S. McDonald (1997) Fls 2/truss, hose-in-hose, open funnel-shaped, 25 × 30mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes/whorl, light pink in bud, opening inside pale purplish pink (62D), fading to nearly white, with a strong purplish pink (63C) spotted flare; outside pale purplish pink (62D). Calyx 25mm long, pale purplish pink (62D). Lvs obovate, 25 × 10mm, flat, acuminate

at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and moderate yellow-green (139D) above, hairy. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 22 years. Late April

(r) **'David Shelton'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Furnivall' (s) × 'Loder's White' H: W. Elliott (1964), G: B.F. Heuston (c 1974), N: B.F. Heuston, REG: B.F. Heuston (1985) Fls 9-10/truss, open funnel-shaped, 70 × 100mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, edged moderate purplish pink (54D), remainder white, which is suffused deep purplish pink (54B) changing to pale purplish pink (56B) with age, 54B rays down centre of each lobe, nectaries strong purplish red (54A); outside 54B. Calyx 4mm long, deep purplish pink (54B). Lvs elliptic to more-or-less narrowly elliptic, 95-150 × 50-65mm, hairless. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years

(a) **'David Teniers'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Gebr. Kersbergen (pre 1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, moderate reddish orange. Mollis

(a) **'David Waldman'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown G: Roslyn Nursery, I: Roslyn Nursery (1992) Fls semi-double, pink with a red centre and white edges. Low, compact shrub

(a) **'Daviesii'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *viscosum* × *molle* R: I. Davies, N: I. Davies, I: I. Davies (c 1840), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 65mm wide, white, with a yellow blotch. Shrub to 1.2m. AM 1989. Ghent (The date 1840 is given in the 1958 Register: the source for this has not yet been traced. The earliest printed reference found is J. Baumann cat., 1869. There may be confusion over the identity of plants grown under this name)

(r) **'Daviesii'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: probably an *edgeworthii* hybrid L: Australia (pre 1997) Fls scented. Lvs like *edgeworthii*

(v) **'Daviesii'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *retusum* × *javanicum* R: I. Davies (pre 1891), N: I. Davies, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rich orange, resembling *retusum* in form

(r) **'Davison'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy edged-lobes, a pale throat and dark red spots

(a) **'Davonia'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: K. Wezelenburg & Son (pre 1938), N: K. Wezelenburg & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls old rose. Mollis

(r) **'Dawes Yellow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: (('La Bar's White' × (*fortunei* × *wardii*)) [=V6510-1] × 'Fiery Orange'), selfed H: W.E. Delp (1990), G: W.E. Delp (1995), N: Mrs V. Delp, I: Crystalaire Rhododendron Naturescapes, REG: J.D. Harris (1996) Fls 6/truss, open funnel-shaped, c65 × 95mm, 5-lobed, moderate red (180A-B) and moderate yellowish pink (179D) in bud, opening light greenish yellow (4C), pale yellow-green (4D) and strong and moderate yellowish pink (33C-D), fading gradually to light greenish yellow/pale yellow-green (4C-D), with a light greenish yellow (4B) flare and a vivid yellow (9B) throat; filaments and style pale yellow-green (4D); anthers pale yellow (160D); stigma greyish brown (166A). Lvs 120 × 40mm, rounded at base, broadly acute at apex. Shrub 0.75 × 0.4m in 6 years. Early June

(a) **'Dawn'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: A. Pericat, N: Perkins-deWilde Nurseries, I: Perkins-deWilde Nurseries (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 45 × 65-70mm, light pink, tinged violet on opening, nearly white in the centre and with a darker blotch. Midseason. Pericat

(a) **'Dawn'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: W.C. Hage & Co. (1953), REG: W.C. Hage & Co. (1968) Fls single, deep salmon pink. Very early. Kaempferi (according to Galle, 1987)

(a) **'Dawn'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L.L. Brooks (pre 1965), N: L.L. Brooks Fls double, light pink

(r) **'Dawn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid I: Mrs J.H. Mangles (1904), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, pale cerise pink, unspotted. Resembles 'Pink Pearl'. FCC 1904

(r) **'Dawn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (c 1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 8/round, flat-topped truss, open funnel-shaped, 70 × 100mm, white, flushed phlox pink (625/2) and with a small, pale brownish spot at base of tube. AM 1950 (Apparently not the same plant exhibited by Mrs Mangles in 1904)

(v) **'Dawn Chorus'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown L: USA (1993) Fls apricot at margins, shading to cream in throat

(a) **'Dawn Elizabeth'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Glacier' (s) × 'Roehr's Peggy Ann' R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls hose-in-hose, 2/truss, 65-75mm wide, light pink, with strong rosy red margins. Early May. (First published in Holly Springs cat., 1990)

(a) **'Dawning'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × *simsii* R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50-70mm wide, lavender pink. Lvs pubescent. Shrub to 1.5m. Mid-late April. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Dawn Lovell'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: R.W. Pennington (pre 1987), N: R.W. Pennington Fls purple. Syn: 'CNC 2'

(a) **'Dawn's Chorus'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Strawberry Ice' (s) × 'Persil' H: S.E. Sorenson (1968), G: S.E. Sorenson (1970), N: S.E. Sorenson, I: Homestead Nurseries (1984), REG: S.E. Sorenson (1984) Fls 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 75 × 75mm, 5-lobed, reddish orange in bud, opening light pink (49C), tinted white, with a yellow dorsal splash; fragrant. Calyx 10mm long, light green. Lvs more-or-less elliptic to nar-

rowly elliptic or very narrowly elliptic, 80-90 × 30-40mm, glossy above, hairy. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years. Knap Hill

(r) **'Dawn's Delight'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* derivative R: J.H. Mangles (pre 1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c14/conical truss, broadly campanulate, 65 × 100mm, carmine ruby in bud, opening bright pink on outside, soft pink with paler veins inside, white in tube and in centre of each lobe, bright crimson dorsal markings. Lvs oblong-obovate, up to 170 × 55mm, dark green and glossy above. Large shrub. AM 1911

(a) **'Dawns Glory'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown G: E. de Rothschild (c 1970), S: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: Exbury Enterprises Ltd (1989), REG: E. de Rothschild (1989) Fls single, 15/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 70 × 90mm, 7-lobed, vivid reddish orange (40B), with a vivid orange (28B) flush on 3 dorsal lobes. Lvs elliptic, 80 × 35mm, hairless. Shrub 1.5-1.9 × 1.2-1.5m. May. AM 1989 (Solent Group)

(a) **'Dawsonii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Knight (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon red, spotted. Indian

(r) **'Dayan'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: Lady Chamberlain Group × *cinnabarinum* subsp. *xanthocodon* Concatenans Group R: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, REG: E. de Rothschild (1967) Fls 8-9/truss, pendent, broadly funnel-campanulate, 55 × 50mm, moderate orange-yellow (168D) at apex, deepening to strong orange at base, of waxy texture. Calyx 1-2mm long, green, glandular scaly. Lvs elliptic, 90 × 23mm, mottled purple and glandular scaly below. AM 1967

(a) **'Day Break'** (Syn. of 'Mrs Roosevelt')

(a) **'Daybreak'** (Syn. of 'Kirin')

(a) **'Daybreak'** cv. Deciduous azalea: unknown (s) × 'Ginger' R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1957), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 9/globular, compact truss, funnel-shaped, 45 × 65mm, strong orange-yellow, suffused reddish orange, with a vivid orange to yellow blotch. Lvs 70 × 30mm, medium, glossy, green, suffused dark red. Shrub over 1.5m. *AM 1966. Knap Hill (Seedling may have come from Exbury)

(a) **'Daydawn'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Blushing Bride' L: Camellia Grove Nursery (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, glowing soft pink, often marked with rose, with a green centre. Indian

(a) **'Day Dream'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably a seedling from 'Dayspring' R: I.L. Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L. Amann Fls 55mm wide, moderate purplish pink (68C). Shrub 1.2m high, very broad. Early

(r) **'Day Dream'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Lady Bessborough Group (s) × *griersonianum* R: L. de Rothschild (c 1936), N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 13/loose truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, deep crimson, flushed and shaded geranium lake outside; very bright in bud and fading to a very pale shade with age. Lvs narrowly elliptic, up to 115 × 45mm, mid green above, hairless. AM 1940 (Day Dream Group)

(r) **Day Dream Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Lady Bessborough Group (s) × *griersonianum* R: L. de Rothschild (c 1936), N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1940), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Daylight'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × 'Mrs W.C. Slocock' N: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1961), I: E.G.W.W. Harrison, REG: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1961) Fls 11/tight truss, 55 × 90mm, 5-lobed, pink, with crimson spots

(a) **'Dayne Rutledge'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid, see *The Azalean* 4(1): 4(1982) for notes on parentage R: W.D. Smith (pre 1982), N: W.D. Smith Fls 90mm wide, deep pink

(a) **'Dayspring'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Marta' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, 45-50mm wide, centre white, shading to light purplish pink at edges and with a few chartreuse dots in the blotch area. Shrub to 1.9m. Early-mid April. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Dazzle'** cv. Parentage unknown I: T. Jackson & Son (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange scarlet

(a) **'Dazzler'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ivory' (s) × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink with a darker blotch. Shrub to 1.0m. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Dazzler'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright orange. Mollis

(r) **'Dazzler'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(r) **'Dazzling Array'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Delp's Cindy Lou' (s) × 'Captain Jack' H: W.E. Delp (1976), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 18/truss, open funnel-shaped, 57 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, dark red and deep purplish red (59A, B) in bud, opening to a blend of vivid and light reddish purple (74B, C) and moderate purplish pink (74D), with light olive and dark greenish yellow (152B, C) dorsal spots; filaments and style vivid purplish red (57D); anthers deep purplish pink (186C); stigma dark red (187A). Lvs 112 × 56mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.3 × 1.2m in 16 years. Early June

(r) **'Dazzling Darling'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs J.G. Millais' (s) × 'Si Si' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls strong

purplish red (63B) and strong, light and pale purplish pink (63C, D, 62D) in bud, opening yellowish white (155D) with a pale yellow-green (4D) flare and strong red (53C) dorsal spots. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(v) **'D.B. Stanton'** (Syn. of 'Donald Stanton')

(r) **'D.D.'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Dream')

(r) **'Deadly Force'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' × 'Sappho' H: M.W. Michener (1963), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 16/truss, open funnel-shaped, 43 × 57mm, 5-lobed, light to very pale purple in bud (77C, D, 75D), opening very light to very pale purple (75C, D) and white, with deep to strong greenish yellow (153A, B) spots on 3 dorsal lobes; filaments and style white; anthers moderate purplish pink (186D); stigma strong purplish red (67A). Lvs 127 × 48mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.6 × 1.5m in 29 years. Early June. Syn: 'Calsap No.6' (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Dead Ringer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Phyllis Ballard' (s) × *catawbiense* 'Clark's White' H: E.R. Bahnson (1974), G: T.L. Ring (1978), N: C. Trautmann, I: C. Trautmann, REG: T.L. Ring (1996) Fls 13/lax truss, funnel-shaped, 48 × 50mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, strong red (46A) in bud, opening inside vivid purplish red (67B) with light yellow (21D) in the throat and on the dorsal lobe; outside vivid, purplish red (67B); stamens 10, curved, unequal. Calyx minute. Pedicels 28mm long, pale green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 127 × 48mm, concave, hairless; petioles 28mm long, pale green. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 21 years

(a) **'Dealbatum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1818), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed under *Azalea viscosa*)

(r) **'Dean Hall'** cv. Parentage unknown H: M.E. Hall (c 1967), G: M.E. Hall, N: M.E. Hall, REG: M.E. Hall (1986) Fls 15/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 45 × 70mm, with 5-7 wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (56D), with light mustard-coloured dorsal spotting. Calyx very small. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 150 × 50mm, hairless. Shrub 2.2 × 2.2m in 12 years. Late May

(a) **'Dearest'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: W.G.T. Hyde (late 1970s), G: W.G.T. Hyde (late 1980s), N: Mrs R. Legrand (1998), I: Mrs R. Legrand (1998), REG: Mrs R. Legrand (1998) Fls open funnel-shaped, 56 × 33mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, bud strong purplish red (63B), opening deep purplish pink (66C) inside and moderate purplish pink (66D) outside; spotted deep red (60A) on three dorsal lobes. Calyx 5mm long, strong yellow-green (144A). Lvs narrowly oblong, 30 × 11mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy above. Shrub 0.64 × 0.8m in 6 years. May

(a) **'Dear Grandad'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: W.G.T. Hyde (pre 1970), G: W.G.T. Hyde (pre 1980), N: Mrs R. Legrand, I: Linwood Plants (1991), REG: Mrs R. Legrand (1992) Fls 3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 40mm, 5-lobed, vivid reddish orange (44C), with deep red (53A) markings on dorsal lobe. Calyx 17mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 35 × 12mm, hairless. Shrub 0.7 × 1.0m. May

(a) **'Dear Grandma'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: W.G.T. Hyde (pre 1970), G: W.G.T. Hyde (pre 1980), N: Mrs R. Legrand (1992), I: Linwood Plants (1991), REG: Mrs R. Legrand (1992) Fls 4/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 44 × 22mm, 5-lobed, vivid purplish red (61C), with deep red (60A) markings on dorsal lobe. Calyx 17mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 40 × 12mm, hairless. Shrub 0.5 × 0.7m. May

(a) **'Debbie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls in two tones of pink. Indian (Probably raised by E. Kirk)

(r) **'Debbie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: May Day Group (s) × Carmen Group R: J. Henny (c 1948), I: J. Henny & C. Prentiss (c 1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in flat trusses, campanulate, c20mm wide, blood red. Lvs 30 × 20mm, dark green. Shrub under 0.45m

(a) **'Debbie Ann'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *atlanticum* × *cumberlandense* I: F.W. Coe (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft pink, with a yellow blotch; sweetly scented

(r) **'Debbie Thomson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marion' × unknown H: V.J. Boulter, G: V.J. Boulter (1979), I: F. Boulter, REG: F. Boulter (1986) Fls 12-15/truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 80mm, vivid purplish red (74A), fading to white, with an orange flare on the dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 45mm. Shrub 1.0m

(a) **'Deben'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: F.E.W. Hanger, G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, REG: Royal Horticultural Society (1963) Fls 15-18/compact, globular truss, funnel-shaped, 42 × 65mm, with wavy-edged lobes, brilliant yellow (15C), lightly tinged vivid yellow (15B), with a large, vivid orange-yellow blotch (23A). Lvs 65-70 × 27mm, dark glossy green. *HC 1963, *AM 1969. Knap Hill

(r) **'Debijo'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group × *saluenense* R: Mr & Mrs J.F. Caperci, N: Mr & Mrs J.F. Caperci, REG: Mr & Mrs J.F. Caperci (1965) Fls 7-8/truss, funnel-campanulate, 25mm wide, lavender purple, with brown spots in dorsal throat. Lvs ovate, up to 50 × 20mm, cuneate at base, slightly scaly below. Shrub 0.5 × 0.8m in 15 years

(a) **'Debonaire'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Copperman' × 'Hakata-shiro' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1964) Fls single, 65-75mm wide, deep pink at edges, paler in the centre which is also faintly washed greenish. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years. Very late. Back Acres

(r) **'Deborah'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright, dark carmine, with dark red markings on a white ground

(r) **'Deborah'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Creeping Jenny' × 'Unknown Warrior' H: E.E. Smith (1967), G: E.E. Smith (1971), N: E.E. Smith, I: E.E. Smith (1976), REG: E.E. Smith (1976) Fls 10-12/truss, 70 × 70mm, 5-lobed, vivid reddish orange (43B). Lvs oblanceolate, 140-160 × 40mm, with a light brown indumentum. Shrub 0.85 × 0.85m in 8 years. April

(a) **'Deborah Alice'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: P.E. Girard (c 1965), G: R.K. Peters, I: R. Carter, REG: R.K. Peters (1983) Fls 6-9/truss (several trusses together), 40 × 65mm, tubular funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, brilliant yellow (2.5Y 9/9) in bud, opening white with a vivid yellow (2.5Y 8/12) dorsal blotch, shaded brilliant yellow (2.5Y 9/9) along sides of blotch and at intersections of dorsal lobes; outside 2.5Y 9/9. Calyx 3mm long, strong yellow-green (2.5GY 6/8). Lvs oblanceolate, 80 × 30mm, moderate olive green (5GY 4/3), setose below. Shrub 0.8 × 1.2m in 10 years

(a) **'Deborah Buranich'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid, see *The Azalean* 4(1): 3-4(1982) under Fiery Group R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith Fls hose-in-hose, 55mm wide, deep yellowish pink (43C), with a vivid reddish orange (43A) blotch. Winter foliage bronze. Shrub 1.2m in 7 years

(r) **'Debra Lynn'** (Syn. of 'Debra Lynn Tuomala')

(r) **'Debra Lynn Tuomala'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'C.I.S.' (s) × 'Noyo Chief' H: C. Tuomala (1971), G: C. Tuomala (1978), N: C. Tuomala, REG: E.R. German (1984) Fls 8/truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 85mm, 7-8-lobed, strong red (53D) in bud, opening yellowish white (158C), the throat light greenish yellow (3C), inside and outside with scattered flushes of moderate yellowish pink (38B). Calyx 20mm long, pale yellow-green (4D), shaded moderate yellowish pink (38B). Lvs narrowly oblanceolate, 83-150 × 23-47mm. Shrub 1.1m in 8 years. Syn: 'Debra Lynn', 'Debra Tuomala'

(r) **'Debra Tuomala'** (Syn. of 'Debra Lynn Tuomala')

(a) **'Debutante'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single & occasionally semi-double, also sometimes with partially petaloid calyx, 40mm wide, spinel red (0023/2) with paler (almost white) centre and throat and a darker blotch. Kurume (Imported to USA by Domoto Bros. Re-named by H.A. Dreer; original name lost)

(a) **'Debutante'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Rothschild, I: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, light purplish pink, with an orange blotch. Knap Hill (Raised at Exbury and sold to Waterer in 1948)

(r) **'Debutante'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Mars' H: R. Murcott (pre 1985)

(r) **'Decalgla'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' × *decorum* H: J.B. Gable (1951), G: G.G. Nearing, N: G.G. Nearing, I: G.G. Nearing (1972), REG: G.G. Nearing (1973) Fls c12/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, pale orange-yellow (23D) in bud, opening white, spotted moderate yellow-green (143D); outside light yellow-green (150D) at first. Calyx very short, strong yellow-green (145A). Lvs narrowlyelliptic, 150 × 50mm, glossy, hairless. Shrub 2.5 × 2.9m in 21 years, with new growth flushed moderate olive brown (199A).

(a) **'De Candolle'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, plum-coloured. Indian

(r) **Decatros Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* × 'Atrosanguineum' R: J.B. Gable (c 1932), N: J.B. Gable, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink or white; mostly poor growers

(r) **Decauck Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* × *decorum* R: E.J.P. Magor (1912), N: E.J.P. Magor, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white

(a) **'December Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1929), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, flesh red. Resembles 'Comte de Chambord'. Indian

(a) **'December Rose'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1913), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, rose. Indian

(az) **'Deception'** cv. Azaleodendron: *catawbiense* (s) × yellow Ghent azalea R: Standish & Noble (pre 1850), N: Standish & Noble, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, spotted. Lvs pale, glossy green

(r) **Dechaem Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* × *haematodes* R: J.B. Gable (pre 1940), INC: ICRA (1958)

(v) **'Decimus'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: wild-collected selection from *zoelleri* S: C.G.G.J. van Steenis (c 1955), N: Kew, REG: Kew (1973) Fls c7/truss, funnel-shaped, 75 × 90mm, 5-lobed, strong reddish orange (31B) at the mouth, vivid orange-yellow (21A) in the throat. Calyx rudimentary. Lvs elliptic, 180 × 75mm. AM 1973 (Collected by van Steenis at 6000 ft at Wissell Lakes in western New Guinea)

(a) **'Decision'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: W.C. Hage & Co. (pre 1943), N: W.C. Hage & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, light orange scarlet. Early. Kurume

(a) **'De Coninck's Favorite'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Emil de Coninck' I: R. de Coninck (1969) Fls white, with red blotches and an irregular deep pink (50B) edging. Otherwise similar to 'John Haerens Sport'. Syn: 'Yvonne'. Indian

(a) **'Decora'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: P. Verleeuwen (1835), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Decora'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Knight & Perry (pre 1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet scarlet. Indian (Exhibited before the Massachusetts Horticultural Society in 1848; probably the same plant listed by W. Rollisson & Sons, 1846 and exhibited by W. Smith, 1845)

(r) **Decora Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Radiance Group (s) × Loderi Group H: Lord Aberconway (1937), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink

(a) **'Decora Minor'** cv. Parentage unknown L: P. Verleeuwen (1835), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Decoration'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Holly Heath Nursery (1978) Fls dark pink, with a slight red blotch. Late. Kaempferi

(r) **'Decorator'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (c 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet, with dark spots. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Decoratum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1839), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in tight trusses, small, lilac pink in bud with creamy tubes, opening with lobes lilac, flushed deep rose lilac, with a pale orange-yellow flare. Ghent (Listed as 'Decorator' in the 1958 Register, but as 'Decorata' (here corrected to 'Decoratum') by J. van Geert (1839). Probably the 'Decoratum' of L. Jacob-Makoy cat., 1851)

(a) **'Decoratum Flore Pleno'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Decorum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1847), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson. Hardy Hybrid (Perhaps the same plant seen noted as raised by J. Byls, pre 1868)

(r) **'Decorum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *maximum* L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed by them in addition to the crimson-flowered Hardy Hybrid)

(r) **'Decorum Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *decorum* L: New Zealand (c 1980) Fls pink

(r) **Decsoul Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* (s) × *souliei* R: W.I. Whitaker, N: W.I. Whitaker, I: W.I. Whitaker (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c8-9/loose truss, broadly campanulate, up to 40 × 65mm, rosy in bud, paling to almost pure white on opening. Lvs ovate-oblanceolate to oblong, up to 100 × 40mm, hairless. AM 1937

(a) **'Decumbens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *indicum* N: D. Don (1834), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson, with 5 stamens. Calyx lobes ovate, ciliate. Lvs ovate. Stems decumbent. April-May. Indian (Probably originated in Japan (though first arrived in the West from China))

(a) **'Decus Hortorum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1839), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, salmon-flushed over a pale yellow ground, deepening to salmon rose at edges, with a greeny yellow blotch. Ghent (Often mis-spelt 'Decus Hortonum')

(a) **'Dee'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: F.E.W. Hanger, G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society (1960), REG: Royal Horticultural Society (1961) Fls 14-17/compact, globular truss, funnel-shaped, 65 × 75mm, white, flushed pink on reverse of dorsal lobes, blotch orange-yellow. Lvs 100 × 40mm, mid, glossy green. Shrub at least 1.4 × 1.5m. Late May. *HC 1960. Knap Hill

(a) **'Dee Dee'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Wildwood Garden (pre 1987), N: Wildwood Garden Fls 25mm wide, pink. Compact habit. Kurume

(r) **'Dee Dee Wegener'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Jingle Bells' (s) × 'Mrs Betty Robertson' H: B.M. Smith (1974), G: B.M. Smith (1980), N: B.M. Smith, I: B.M. Smith, REG: B.M. Smith (1987) Fls 8/lax truss, open campanulate, 44 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, with a broad picotee edge of deep red (53A) shading to pale yellow (8D) and with a pale yellow (20C) throat; dorsal lobe with a deep red (53A) blotch and spotting; outside deep red (53A) to strong red (53D). Calyx 38mm long, 53A-53D. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 114 × 44mm, dull, moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (146D) below, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m in 11 years. Early May

(a) **'Deed I Do'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *arborescens* R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1987), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls pink, with a yellow flare; scented

(a) **'Dee Jay'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Violaceum' (s) × 'Teena Marie' H: D.J. Dosser, G: D.J. Dosser (1981), N: D.J. Dosser, I: D.J. Dosser, REG: D.J. Dosser (1984) Fls vivid red (45C). Shrub c0.6 × 0.5m

(r) **'Deep Clover'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Fancy' × *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Frank Galsworthy' H: J. Barlup (1989), G: J. Barlup (1994), N: J. Barlup (1996), REG: J. Barlup (1999) Fls 18/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep red (185A) in bud, opening inside moderate purplish red (59C) with deep purplish red (59B) margins and a pale purplish pink (62D) dorsal flare extending c30mm from base and spotted moderate yellow-green (146D); outside moderate purplish red (59C), with deep purplish red (59B) margins and midribs. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 150 × 40mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, flat, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.4m in 9 years. Late May

(a) **'Deep Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* × *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* R: J.B. Gable, N: O.S. Pride (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark pink. Gable

(a) **'Deep Purple'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Violaceum' × 'Purple Splendor' H: W.L. Guttormsen (1967), G: W.L.

Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen (1974), REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1979) Fls hose-in-hose, strong reddish purple (72B), with a deep reddish purple (77A) blotch

(a) **'Deep Rose'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *arborescens* (s) × red-flowered selection from Gandavense Group H: E.V. Mezitt (c 1958), G: Weston Nurseries (pre 1965), N: E.V. Mezitt, I: Weston Nurseries (1971), REG: R.W. Mezitt (1998) Fls 9/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (58B), with an orange flare; scented. Calyx c3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 74 × 40mm, margins decurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairless; foliage mildew resistant. Late May.

(r) **'Deep Thoughts'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' × 'Sappho' H: M.W. Michener (1963), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 16/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 58 × 89mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, light to very pale purple (77C, D, 76D) in bud, opening very pale purple (84D) edged with light purple (84B) and with strong yellow-green (144A) dorsal spots; filaments and style pale yellow-green (155A); anthers strong purple (83D); stigma dark red (59A). Lvs 152 × 64mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 29 years. Early June. Syn: 'Calsap No. 4', 'Deepthoughts' (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Deer Dell'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *glaucophyllum* R: J.F. McQuire, S: J.F. McQuire (1983), N: J.F. McQuire (1984), I: J.F. McQuire (1984), REG: J.F. McQuire (1984) Fls 4-7/truss, 30 × 25mm, 5-lobed, moderate purplish red (64A). Calyx 7mm long, light brown. Lvs elliptic, 30 × 10mm, with a scaly indumentum typical of *glaucophyllum*

(a) **'Déesse'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Vervaene (pre 1869), N: Vervaene, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Defiance'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Bridal Veil' (s) × 'Azuma-no-hana' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, 50mm wide, white, heavily striped moderate red. Shrub 1.2m. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Defiance'** cv. Parentage unknown L: T. Methven & Son (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light rose, with dark spots

(r) **'Defregger'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale lilac rose, with greenish yellow spots

(r) **'Degas'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *elliottii* × *haematodes* H: F.E.W. Hanger (1950), G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society (1961), REG: Royal Horticultural Society (1961) Fls 9/flat, compact truss, 53-65 × 70mm, campanulate, strong red (46A), with very dark red dorsal spotting. Lvs 90 × 40mm, dark, dull green. Shrub 1.0 × 1.4m. *HC 1961

(r) **'Degor'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *degronianum* (s) × *oreodoxa* R: W. Nagel (1969), N: W. Nagel, I: W. Nagel (1987) Fls in loose trusses, open campanulate, large, lilac rose. Compact shrub, 1.0 × 1.0m in 18 years. Very early

(r) **Degram Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* × *griersonianum* × 'America' R: J.B. Gable (pre 1946), N: J.B. Gable, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white or cream, shaded salmon or apricot pink

(r) **'Degram, Pink Lily'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* × *griersonianum* × 'America' H: J.B. Gable (pre 1941), N: J.B. Gable, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink. Midseason. (Degram Group)

(r) **'Deidre Hunt'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Samantha Sawers' (s) × 'Ross Maud' H: D.J. Dosser (1990), G: D.J. Dosser (1996), N: D.J. Dosser (1997), REG: D.J. Dosser (1997) Fls 15/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 115mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink (47C) in bud, opening inside deep purplish pink (54B) and outside vivid red (52A); light greenish yellow (5D) spots on three dorsal lobes. Lvs elliptic, 153 × 53mm, margins decurved, acute at apex, truncate at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 0.7m in 7 years. November (Tasmania)

(a) **'De Konick'** (Error for 'Fred. de Coninck'. 'De Koninck' is a further variant)

(r) **'Del'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group (s) × *wardii* R: C.D. Thompson, N: C.D. Thompson (1958), I: C.D. Thompson, REG: C.D. Thompson (1961) Fls 12/rounded truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 115mm, amaranth rose (530/1), shading to white in centre and with a greenish yellow spotted blotch. Lvs elliptic, 200 × 65mm

(r) **'Delamere Belle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Morio' × 'Mrs E.C. Stirling' H: D.J. Dosser, G: D.J. Dosser, N: D.J. Dosser, I: D.J. Dosser, REG: D.J. Dosser (1980) Fls 4/truss, pale purplish pink (56C), becoming cream with age

(r) **'Delano Anne Louise'** cv. Parentage unknown L: USA (1984)

(r) **'Delaware'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *pubescens* (s) × *keiskei* R: G.G. Nearing (pre 1950), N: G.G. Nearing, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 13mm wide, apricot, fading to white. Lvs 40 × 7-13mm, hairy. Shrub under 1.0m

(a) **'Delaware Blue'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *viscosum* (var. *glaucum*) G: Mrs J.W. Hill (c 1980), S: Mrs J.W. Hill (1977), N: Mrs J.W. Hill, I: Mrs J.W. Hill (post 1980), REG: Mrs J.W. Hill (1986) Fls 4-8/truss, very narrowly tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 30mm, with 5 recurved lobes, sometimes faintly tinged

pink in bud, opening whiter than 155D, with red-tipped glandular hairs on outside of tube. Calyx minute. Lvs narrowly obovate to obovate, 45-50 × 20-25mm, ciliate, strigose below. Shrub 3.0 × 1.5m in 7 years. June-July. (Wild-collected at Pierson's Corner, Delaware, USA)

(a) **'Delaware Valley White'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from *mucronatum* R: Delaware Valley Nursery (pre 1958), N: Delaware Valley Nursery, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65mm wide, white, smaller than *mucronatum* and reported to be hardier

(r) **'Delayed Event'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* × 'Doctor H.C. Dresselhuys' R: Swarthmore College (pre 1974), N: Swarthmore College Fls in compact trusses, bright pink; showing clear *catawbiense* influence

(r) **'Delayed Surprise'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Swarthmore College (pre 1980), N: Swarthmore College

(a) **'Delecta'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Knight (1843), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon red. Indian

(a) **'Delectabile'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. van Geert (1878), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Delectabile Novum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Linden (1874), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Delectable'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: E. de Rothschild (c 1980), N: E. de Rothschild Fls peach. (Solent Group)

(a) **'Delectable'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *calendulaceum* R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls bright orange, with a yellow flare. Late June

(a) **'Delecta Colorans'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Knight & Perry (pre 1844), N: Knight & Perry, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac rose, with upper lobes deep purple. Indian

(r) **'Delectissimum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *caucasicum* L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Delectum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as a *caucasicum* selection L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Delectum Grandiflorum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Gheldolf (1844), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Deleilah'** (Syn. of 'Daniela')

(r) **'Delendich'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid seedling (s) × *maximum* H: W.D. Smith (1969), G: W.D. Smith, N: W.D. Smith, I: W.D. Smith (1979), REG: W.D. Smith (1983) Fls 18/truss, 50 × 75mm, open funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, strong to deep purplish red (71B-A) in bud, opening strong purplish red (71D-C), with dorsal spotting of deep purplish red (71A). Calyx 25mm long, pale yellow-green. Lvs between narrowly elliptic and elliptic, 125 × 50mm, near moderate olive green (146A). Shrub 2.2m in 10 years

(a) **'Del Fluke'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls double, white

(r) **'Delia'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy lake, with dark spots

(r) **'Delicate Air'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Percy Wiseman' (s) × 'Keystone' H: A.T. & S.A. Anderson (1985), G: A.T. & S.A. Anderson (1995), N: A.T. & S.A. Anderson (1997), REG: A.T. & S.A. Anderson (1997) Fls 11/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 75mm wide, with 5-6 smooth-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink (39B) in bud, opening pale yellow-green (4D) throughout, edged strong pink (50C), with brilliant yellow (7B) spotting on the dorsal lobe; pink colouration fades with age. Calyx minute. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 45mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 12 years. Mid May.

(r) **'Delicate Pink'** (Syn. of 'Delightful Pink')

(r) **'Delicate Splendor'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: said to be a subsect. *Fortunea* hybrid H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: C.O. Dexter, N: John J. Tyler Arboretum, I: W. Efinger (1959), REG: John J. Tyler Arboretum (1980) Fls 7-10/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 90mm wide, 7-lobed, with an overall effect of light purplish pink (7.5RP 8/5); broad lobe edging of strong purplish pink (7.5RP 7/10) shading to pale purplish pink (7.5RP 9/12) - almost white - in centre of lobes and to pale orange-yellow (7.5YR 9/4) in the throat; two, narrow, brownish orange (5YR 5/8) flares deep in throat at junctions of dorsal lobes; flares inconspicuous, with faint spotting at apical ends, becoming solid at base. Lvs elliptic, 75 × 40mm, flat, rounded at apex and base. Shrub 1.2 × 2.4m in 21 years. Early May

(a) **'Delicatesse'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Frau Reinhold Ambrosius' × 'Mé moire de Louis van Houtte' I: R. de Meyer (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white, with a few red flakes; lobes wavy. Calyx normal, green. Midseason. Indian

(a) **'Delicatesse Rubra'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Delicatesse' I: R. de Meyer (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep yellowish pink (43C). Otherwise similar to 'Delicatesse'. Indian

(a) **'Delicatesse Saumonea'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Delicatesse' I: R. de Meyer (1965) Fls pink, with a white edge. Otherwise similar to 'Delicatesse'. Indian

(a) **'Delicatissimum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1846), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Delicatissimum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: M. Koster & Sons (1895), I: M. Koster

& Sons (1901), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale yellowish white, flushed pink, with a yellow blotch. Tall shrub. Mid to late. Occidentale

(a) **'Delicatissimum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 30mm wide, white, flushed deep purplish pink (72D) and with a brown blotch. Midseason. Kurume (Imported to USA by Domoto Bros. Re-named H.A.Dreer; original name lost)

(r) **'Delicatissimum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1851), N: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1851), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 20-24 in a compact truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45 × 65mm, white, flushed delicate pink along edges, with a ray of pale yellowish green markings. Calyx lobes 1-2mm long.

(r) **'Delicatissimum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: possibly derived from *campanulatum* L: UK (1932), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c17/hemispherical truss, broadly campanulate, 60 × 80mm, pure white, flushed mauve blue on lobes and with a conspicuous purple ray. Calyx lobes 1.5-6.0mm long. Lvs obovate-lanceolate, up to 120 × 50mm, dark glossy green above, with a thin pale brown indumentum on mature lvs (white felt when young). Tall shrub.

(a) **'Delicatissimum Album'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1846), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(r) **'Delicatissimum Album'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: form or hybrid of *catawbiense* L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush, changing to white

(r) **'Delicatissimum Elegans'** (Syn. of 'Smith's Delicatissimum Elegans')

(a) **'Delicatissimum Novum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1846), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Delicatissimum Rubrum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1846), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Delicatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Dallière (1852), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (A. van Geert (1853) attributes this to Ivery)

(a) **'Delicatum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: R. Veitch & Son (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon-flushed over a pale yellow ground, with a deeper orange blotch. Ghent (Perhaps the plant raised and named by J.R. Gowen (1829) and published in *Botanical Register*, 1830, under t.1366)

(a) **'Delicatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, tender rose. Indian

(r) **'Delicatum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1850), N: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls french white, with maroon spots

(r) **'Delicatum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Vuylsteke (1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red, with a paler centre and darker blotch

(r) **'Delicatum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *racemosum* × 'Praecox' R: G. Arends (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light pink. Larger than parents

(r) **'Delicatum Aureum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1853), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush pink, with a large blotch of orange spots

(a) **'Delicatum Carneum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: H. White, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush pink. Ghent

(a) **'Delicatum Novum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls shaded pink and yellow (Veitch, 1867). Ghent

(a) **'Delicatum Roseum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose and yellow (Fraser, 1875)

(a) **'Delicatum Roseum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1912), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, dark rose. Indian

(r) **'Delicious'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Rosabel' × *arboreum* H: G. Langdon, G: G. Langdon, N: G. Langdon, I: G. Langdon, REG: G. Langdon (1982) Fls 15/truss, strong pink (52D)

(a) **'Delictabile Novum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Listed by Waterer together with 'Delicatum Novum')

(a) **'Delight'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × *mucronatum* R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (pre 1953), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3-4/truss, 75-100mm wide, pure white, with very few flakes of violet red (occasionally with stripes; sometimes sporting to violet selfs). Shrub to 2.2m. Mid April. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Delight'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *ciliatum* (s) × 'Praecox' R: R. Gill & Sons, N: R. Gill & Sons, I: R. Gill & Sons (1929), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, smaller than *ciliatum*, similar in colour and flushed appleblossom pink. Lvs small, dark green. AM 1929

(a) **'Delightful'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentge unknown R: E. de Rothschild (c 1980), N: E. de Rothschild Fls apricot. (Solent Group)

(r) **'Delightful Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' (s) × 'Cadis' H: W.E. Delp (1975), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 25/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 51 × 57mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red and strong to pale purplish pink (63B-D, 65D) in bud, opening light and pale purplish pink (65B-D), with brilliant greenish yellow (151D) dorsal spots; filaments pale purplish pink (65D); style pale yellow-green; anthers dark purplish

pink (186C); stigma dark red (187A). Lvs 108 × 51mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.7m in 17 years. Early June. Syn: 'Delicate Pink'

(r) **'Delila'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* (s) × 'Mrs Milner' H: T.J.R. Seidel, N: T.J.R. Seidel (1902), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson red, with dark markings, and very wavy-edged lobes

(a) **'Delilah'** cv. Evergreen azalea: a deep salmon form of *indicum* (s) × 'Hatsu-shimo' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 50-65mm wide, deep yellowish pink. Shrub to 1.9m. Mid-late April. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Delitissimo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan' × 'Autumn Gold' R: L.W. Bulgin (pre 1996) Fls pink, with dorsal lobe spotting. Shrub 0.9m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Delius'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Ouida Group (s) × *elliottii* H: Lord Aberconway (1936), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 18/truss, funnel-shaped, 75 × 75mm, blood red (820/3), shaded carmine (21), and with numerous, small, chocolate spots. Lvs elliptic, up to 250mm long, matt green above, sparingly tomentose below. AM 1946 (Delius Group)

(r) **Delius Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Ouida Group (s) × *elliottii* H: Lord Aberconway (1936), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1942), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Delizia'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Germany (1983) (Submitted for Plant Breeders' Rights in Germany, 1983, by W. Streck)

(r) **'Del James'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: seedling from *taggianum* N: P.J. & R. Bowman, I: P.J. & R. Bowman, REG: P.J. & R. Bowman (1965) Fls 2-5/loose truss, funnel-campanulate, with a broad tube and basal pouches, 90 × 90mm, white, with a chrome yellow blotch in the throat; rose pink in bud; scented. Calyx lobes large and leafy. Lvs 150 × 40mm. Shrub over 2.0m. (Plant received in 1949 by Bowmans from D.W. James who had a scion from England in 1947)

(r) **'Delkyn'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Swarthmore College (pre 1980)

(a) **'Della's Red'** cv. Deciduous azalea: grown from seed of New Zealand origin G: Mrs D. Hutchinson (1982), N: Mrs D. Hutchinson, I: Mrs D. Hutchinson, REG: Mrs D. Hutchinson (1986) Fls 12/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 70 × 50mm, vivid reddish orange (42A), with an orange flare on the dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 40mm. Shrub 1.0m

(a) **'Dell Cribbs'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Nadine' R: O.S. Pride, N: O.S. Pride, I: O.S. Pride (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep pink

(r) **'Delmenhorst'** (Syn. of 'Stadt Delmenhorst')

(a) **'Delos'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Waraigishi' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, 65mm wide, light purplish pink. Arching shrub to 2.2m. May (and occasionally in autumn). Glenn Dale

(r) **'Delphi'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1911), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine red, with sharp red markings

(a) **'Delphin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C. Schulz (pre 1863), N: C. Schulz, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Delphin Guy'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Howden & Moncrieff (1911), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with a dark dorsal blotch

(r) **'Delp's Banana Split'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' (s) × unknown H: J. Looye, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls strong red, strong pink, moderate purplish pink and strong and moderate yellowish pink in bud, opening strong and light pink and pale yellowish pink, with a greenish yellow throat. Syn: 'Banana Split' (Published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995) as 'Banana Split')

(r) **'Delp's Big Deal'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mary Belle' (s) × 'Tony's Gift' H: J. Looye (1979), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1995) Fls 14/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 66 × 89mm, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish purple and deep purplish pink (72B-D) in bud, opening white flushed very pale purple (75D), with strong purple (77B) margins and strong greenish yellow (153C) dorsal spots; anthers white. Lvs 102 × 51mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Delp's Blue Thunder'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Roslyn' (s) × 'Calsap' H: A.W. Smith, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls vivid and moderate violet (87A, 86A) in bud, opening white, edged strong and brilliant violet (86B, C, D), with strong yellow-green (144A) spots on three dorsal lobes. Syn: 'Blue Thunder' (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992) as 'Blue Thunder')

(r) **'Delp's Bon Bon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scott David' (s) × 'America' × 'Ann Rutledge' H: W.E. Delp (1975), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 17/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, strong purplish red (72A) and strong reddish purple (72B) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (73A), veined very pale purple (73D) outside; filaments and style pale purplish pink (65D); anthers pale yellowish pink (159D); stigma strong purplish red (60B). Lvs 92 × 54mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in 17 years. Early June. Syn: 'Bon Bon' (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Delp's Bountiful'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vinecrest' (s) × 'Delp's Cindy Lou' H: A.W. Smith, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, dark, deep and strong red (59A, 53A, B, C, D) in bud, opening white, vivid purplish red (67B) and deep purplish pink (67C), with a strong yellow-green (145A) throat; outside vivid purplish red (67B); anthers white. Syn: 'Bountiful' (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992) as 'Bountiful')

(r) **'Delp's Campfire'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Delp's Fireking' (s) × 'Snapper' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls deep and strong red (53A, B) in bud, opening deep, strong and vivid red (53A, B, 45A); anthers white. Syn: 'Campfire' (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992) as 'Campfire')

(r) **'Delp's Celebrity'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Weldy' (s) × 'Fiery Orange' H: T.L. Ring (1988), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 10/truss, open funnel-shaped, 64 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep and strong red (53A-C) in bud, opening to a blend of deep, strong and pale pink (48A-C, 49D), with a brilliant and light yellow throat (11A, B); filaments and style pale yellow (12D); anthers moderate orange-yellow (164B); stigma brownish orange (171B). Lvs 108 × 38mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.4 × 0.4m in 5 years. Early June. Syn: 'Celebrity'

(r) **'Delp's Chatterbox'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Oh My!' (s) × 'Red Brave' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls purplish pink, with a white, star-shaped centre. Syn: 'Chatterbox' (First published, as 'Chatterbox', in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Delp's Cheers'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Princess Elizabeth' (s) × 'Sultry Peach' H: T.L. Ring (1988), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 17/truss, open funnel-shaped, 41 × 57mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep and strong red (53A, B) in bud, opening to a blend of strong red (53D), strong pink (54C) and moderate purplish pink (54D), with sparse, light orange-yellow (22D) dorsal spots; outside deep and strong red (53A, B); filaments and style strong red (47B); anthers dark pink (182C); stigma dark reddish orange (173A). Lvs 102 × 38mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.5 × 0.3m in 4 years. Early June. Syn: 'Cheers'

(r) **'Delp's Chickadee'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Achiever' × 'Cutie' (s) × 'Arctic Pearl' H: W.E. Delp (1975), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 3/truss (composed of multiple buds), open funnel-shaped, 34 × 45mm, 5-lobed, light to very pale purple (75A-D) in bud, opening to a blend of the same colours and with brilliant yellow-green (150B) dorsal spots; style and filaments white; anthers and stigma greyish reddish orange (176D). Lvs 64 × 32mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, scaly. Shrub 0.8 × 0.7m in 17 years. Mid May. Syn: 'Chickadee'

(r) **'Delp's Cindy Lou'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'America' (s) × 'Mars' × red-flowered *catawbiense* H: W.M. Fetterhoff (1960), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 17/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 43 × 50mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, dark red (187A) and deep red (53A) in bud, opening deep red (53A/60A) and strong red (53B); filaments and style deep red (53A); anthers pale yellow (160D); stigma dark red (187A). Lvs 127 × 51mm, mucronate at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 32 years. (Registration made in 1992, omitted from previous publications in error)

(r) **'Delp's Cover Girl'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cisa' (s) × (*smirnowii* × *yakushimanum*) × *aureum* H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls deep and strong red (53A, 53B, C, D) in bud, opening strong, light and pale purplish pink (55B, C, 56D) with a pale greenish yellow (2D) flare and dark red (59A) dorsal spots; anthers yellowish white (158C). Lvs with an indumentum below. Syn: 'Cover Girl'

(r) **'Delp's Creation'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Weldy' × 'Ronald Otto Delp' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls strong red (53D), strong purplish red (54A), deep purplish pink (54B) and strong pink (54C) in bud, opening white, lightly tinged strong purplish red (54A), with a pale greenish yellow (10D) throat and strong red (53D) dorsal spots; anthers greyish reddish orange (176D); stigma vivid red (57A)

(r) **'Delp's Crimson Tide'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Fireman Jeff' (s) × 'Kettledrum' H: A.W. Smith, G: W.E.Delp , N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, deep red (53A) and strong red (46A) in bud, opening deep and strong red (53A, 46A), with dark red (187A) dorsal spots; anthers pale yellow (19C). Syn: 'Crimson Tide' (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992) as 'Crimson Tide')

(r) **'Delp's Cupcake'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Weldy' × 'Fiery Orange' H: T.L. Ring (1990), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls 14/truss, strong red and deep pink in bud, opening pale yellow-green, with a pale greenish yellow flare. Shrub 0.9 × 0.6m in c5 years. Syn: 'Cupcake' (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Delp's Dream'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Si Si' (s) × 'Serendipity' H: W.E. Delp (1978), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 8/truss, open funnel-shaped, 48 × 75mm, 5-lobed, brilliant greenish yellow (2B) to light yellow-green (2C) in bud, opening pale greenish yellow (2D) with sparse vivid yellow-green (154A) dorsal spots; filaments greenish white (157D); style strong pink (48C); anthers pale yellow (164D); stigma deep pink (48B). Lvs 114 × 51mm,

broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, with a tan, woolly indumentum. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 14 years. Early June. Syn: 'D.D.' (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Delp's Dreamboat'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* × *vernicosum* aff. (Rock 18139) (s) × (*brachycarpum* × 'Crest') × 'Delp's Cindy Lou' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls 6-7-lobed, with very wavy edges, strong and vivid purplish red (61B, C) and deep purplish pink (61D) in bud, opening light purplish pink (62C), lightly tinged vivid puplish red (61C); anthers white. Syn: 'Dreamboat' (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992) as 'Dreamboat')

(r) **'Delp's Ethel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls strong purplish red (63A, B) and strong purplish pink (63C) in bud, opening strong purplish red (63B) and strong and light purplish pink (63C, D), with brilliant greenish yellow (151D) dorsal spots; filaments strong purplish pink (63C); style pale yellow-green (155A); anthers yellowish white (158C); stigma moderate orange-yellow (167D). Syn: 'Ethel' (First published, as 'Ethel', in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Delp's Excellence'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ben Moseley' (s) × 'Besse Howells' H: D.L. Hinerman (1975), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 89mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep and strong purplish red (71A, B, 67A) in bud, opening strong reddish purple (72C) with a very pale purple (69D) stripe on midrib of each lobe and dark red (187A) dorsal spots; filaments and style very pale purple (69D); anthers pale orange-yellow (165D); stigma dark red (187A). Lvs 140 × 64mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.3 × 1.2m in 17 years. Early June. Syn: 'Excellence'

(r) **'Delp's Fireball'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' × 'Choremia' R: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp (pre 1992), REG: ICRA (1999) Fls cardinal red. Tall shrub. Syn: 'Fireball' (First published as 'Fireball' in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Delp's Firecracker'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × 'America' (s) × 'Scarlet Blast' H: A.W. Smith, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls dark red (187A) in bud, opening strong red (46A), lightly edged dark red (187A). Syn: 'Firecracker' (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992) as 'Firecracker')

(r) **'Delp's Fireking'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* (s) × Gertrud Schäle Group H: W.E. Delp (1986), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1996) Fls 11/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 50 × 53mm, 5-lobed, strong red (46A) in bud, opening vivid red (45A) and strong red (46A), with a white flare; filaments vivid red (45A); style strong red (45D); anthers dark red (187B); stigma dark red (187A). Lvs 75 × 40mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base. Early May. Syn: 'Fireking'

(r) **'Delp's Folly'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Midsummer' (s) × 'Delp's Red Max' H: W.E. Delp (1977), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 21/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 33 × 42mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish red and strong purplish pink (63A-C) in bud, opening to a blend of strong purplish red, strong and light purplish pink (63B-D), with a white throat and with strong yellow-green (144A) dorsal spots; filaments and style yellowish white (155D); anthers and stigma deep pink (185D). Lvs 127 × 51mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, with a brown woolly indumentum. Shrub 0.8x-0.8m in 15 years. Late June.

(r) **'Delp's Foxy Lady'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Delp's Cindy Lou' (s) × 'Indy Pink' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls strong purplish red (54A), deep purplish pink (54B) and moderate purplish pink (54D) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (56A), with vivid red (45B) dorsal spots; stigma vivid red (45B). Lvs with an indumentum below. Syn: 'Foxy Lady' (First published, as 'Foxy Lady', in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Delp's Freckle Face'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ronald Otto Delp' (s) × 'Dead Ringer' H: T.L. Ring (1983), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 14/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 45 × 55mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (57A) and vivid and moderate purplish red (57B, 58A) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (58D) with strong purplish red (58B) freckles on all lobes and veined 58B on outside; anthers deep purplish red (186D); stigma moderate orange (170D). Lvs 114 × 51mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.4 in 9 years. Early June. Syn: 'Freckle Face' (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992) as 'Freckle Face'))

(r) **'Delp's Full Moon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalode' (s) × 'Catalgla' H: W.E. Delp (1975), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, I: Crystalaire Naturescapes (1999), REG: J.D. Harris (1999) Fls 16/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 70mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, strong to light purplish pink (63C-D) in bud, opening white, with a brilliant yellow-green (154C) dorsal flare. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 50mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 23 years. Mid June. Syn: 'Full Moon'

(a) **'Delp's Galaxy'** cv. Deciduous azalea: derived from Knap Hill azaleas H: W.E. Delp (pre 1991), G: W.E. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls moderate reddish orange (171A) and dark greenish yellow (152D) in bud, opening to a blend of light and vivid yellow (12C, 13A) and light orange (26C), with vivid orange-yellow (21A) and

strong orange (24A, 25A) dorsal spots. Syn: 'Galaxy' (Previously listed by Crystalaire Rhododendron Foundation as Knap Hill F6)

(r) **'Delp's Gold Dust'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Candy Man' (s) × 'Sultry Peach' H: W.E. Delp (1982), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 12/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 64 × 90mm, 5-lobed, vivid and brilliant greenish yellow (2A, B) in bud, opening brilliant and light greenish yellow (3B, C) with a moderate red throat (47A) and dorsal spots of vivid yellow-green and moderate red (154A, 47A). Lvs 102 × 44mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.5m in 4 years. Early June

(r) **'Delp's Gold Rush'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Fiery Orange' (s) × 'Stokes Opal' × 'Goldsworth Yellow' H: G. Gray (1991), G: W.E. Delp (1994), N: Mrs V. Delp, I: Crystalaire Rhododendron Naturescapes, REG: J.D. Harris (1996) Fls 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, c45 × 65mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, moderate reddish orange (35A-B) and light greenish yellow (3D) in bud, opening light greenish yellow (3C-D), with strong brown (172A) spots on three dorsal lobes; filaments and style pale greenish yellow (1D); anthers brownish orange (164A); stigma brownish orange (165B). Lvs 80 × 30mm, cuneate at base, acute at apex. Shrub 0.5 × 0.5m in 5 years. Early June. Syn: 'Gold Rush' (First published (as 'Gold Rush') in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Delp's Green Ice'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Katydid' (s) × 'Marypat' H: W.E. Delp (1985), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 32 × 40mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, strong red, deep and moderate yellowish pink and light pink (39A-D) in bud, opening strong and light yellow-green (144C, D; 145A-D), edged light yellow-green (145D) and light yellowish pink (38D); filaments and style light yellow-green (144D); anthers greyish reddish orange (174B); stigma dark red (183A). Lvs 102 × 51mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m in 7 years. Early June

(r) **'Delp's Gumdrop'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Delp's Cindy Lou' (s) × 'Slippery Rock' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls deep red (60A) and strong purplish red (60B) in bud, opening vivid purplish red (66A, B) and deep purplish pink (66C), with a vivid yellow-green (154A) flare and vivid yellow-green (154A) dorsal spots; filaments and style vivid purplish red (57C); anthers strong purple (83D); stigma dark red (187A). Syn: 'Gumdrop' (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992) as 'Gumdrop')

(r) **'Delp's Happy Face'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Achiever' (s) × 'Gable's Pioneer' H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 8/truss, open funnel-shaped, 32 × 40mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes; strong purplish red (71D), strong reddish purple (72C) and deep purplish pink (72D) in bud, opening to a blend of strong reddish purple (72C), very pale purple (75D) and white, with sparse, moderate orange-yellow (164B) dorsal spots; filaments very pale purple (69C), anthers greyish reddish orange (174B); style light purplish pink (63D); stigma greyish reddish orange (174B). Lvs 76 × 38mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, scaly. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 18 years. Mid May

(r) **'Delp's Heaven Sent'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × (*smirnowii* × Lady Bessborough Group) × 'Hello Dolly' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls white, with a white calyx. Syn: 'Heaven Sent' (First published as 'Heaven Sent' in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Delp's Jim Dandy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ('Weldy' × 'Serendipity') no.13 (s) × 'Dead Ringer' H: W.E. Delp (1982), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 14/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 60mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong to light purplish pink (63C, D) and white in bud, opening white, flushed light purplish pink (63D), fading to white, with a brilliant greenish yellow (2B) flare and throat; filaments and style pale yellow-green (157C); anthers moderate purplish red (186A); stigma brilliant yellow-green (154B). Lvs 114 × 51mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.8m in 10 years. Early June

(r) **'Delp's Lemon Drop'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* (s) × *vernicosum* aff. (Rock 18139) H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls light greenish yellow (4C) and pale yellow-green (4D) in bud, opening pale yellow-green (4D) with a light greenish yellow (4B) dorsal flare and spots. Syn: 'Lemon Drop' (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992) as 'Lemon Drop')

(r) **'Delp's Light Touch'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Downwind' (s) × 'Epoch' H: W.E. Delp (1991), G: W.E. Delp (1995), N: Mrs V. Delp, I: Crystalaire Rhododendron Naturescapes, REG: J.D. Harris (1996) Fls 10/truss (from multiple buds), open funnel-shaped, c45 × 55mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, moderate and light purplish pink (66D, 65A-B) in bud, opening moderate, light and pale purplish pink (65A-D), with a white flare and deep greenish yellow (153A) dorsal spots; filaments and style white; anthers light yellowish pink (159A); stigma light yellow-green (150D). Lvs 50 × 25mm, cuneate at base, broadly acute at apex. Shrub 0.75 × 0.75m in 5 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Delp's Lucky Star'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Princess Elizabeth' (s) × 'Sultry Peach' H: T.L. Ring, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, deep red (53A) and strong red (53B, C) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (56D) edged with strong red (53B, C, D) and with a small, pale yellow-green (4D) dorsal flare; filaments and style pale pur-

plish pink (56D); anthers pale yellow (161D); stigma dark red (183A). Syn: 'Lucky Star' (First published as 'Lucky Star' in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Delp's Madhatter'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tony's Gift' (s) × 'Cunningham's Sulphur' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls pale purplish pink (65C) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (65D) edged pale purplish pink (65C), fading slowly to white; strong greenish yellow (151B) dorsal spots; anthers light purple (77C). Syn: 'Madhatter' (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992) as 'Madhatter')

(r) **'Delp's Mamma Mia!'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mary Belle' (s) × *smirnowii* (Emerson's white form) H: G.G. Emerson, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63A, B) and strong purplish pink (63C) in bud, opening strong purplish pink (63C), light purplish pink (63D) and pale purplish pink (65D), with a light greenish yellow (3D) dorsal flare and deep red (53A) dorsal spots; filaments and style pale purplish pink (65D); anthers pale yellow (161C); stigma moderate reddish orange (175D). Syn: 'Mamma Mia!' (First published, as 'Mamma Mia!', in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Delp's Megan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tony's Gift' (s) × 'Moser's Maroon' × *yakushimanum* H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 20/truss, open funnel-shaped, 59 × 85mm, 5-lobed, strong reddish purple (72B, C) and deep purplish pink (72D) in bud, opening white, edged strong reddish purple (70B) and deep to moderate purplish pink (70C, D), with brilliant yellow-green (154B) dorsal spots; filaments white; style deep purplish pink (70C); stigma and anthers deep purplish red (71A). Lvs 121 × 57mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.1m in 18 years. Early June. Syn: 'Megan' (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992), p.201 (under the unacceptable name 'Megan'))

(r) **'Delp's Mighty Mite'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: ('Achiever' × *polycladum* Scintillans Group) no.2 (s) × ('Achiever' × *polycladum* Scintillans Group) no.2 H: W.E. Delp (1985), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 6/truss (from multiple buds), open funnel-shaped, 30 × 44mm, 5-lobed, shades of purple in bud (77A-B, 78A-B), opening to a blend of vivid, strong, moderate and light purple (82A-D), with a little vivid reddish purple (74B) in the throat; anthers pale greenish yellow (13D). Lvs 38 × 19mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, scaly. Shrub 2.1 × 1.8m in 7 years. Mid May. Syn: 'Mighty Mite'

(r) **'Delp's Moonglow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Henry R. Yates' (s) × 'Catalgla' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls moderate purplish pink (68C) and light purplish pink (68D) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (62D) and fading to white with a brilliant greenish yellow (6A) dorsal flare and vivid yellow-green (154A) dorsal spots; filaments white. Syn: 'Moonglow' (First published, as 'Moonglow', in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Delp's Munchkin'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Achiever' × *valentinianum* (s) × *minus* Carolinianum Group (pink) × *valentinianum* H: W.E. Delp (1986), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 6/head (from several buds), open funnel-shaped, 25 × 32mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, light yellowish pink (38C, D) and brilliant greenish yellow (1B) in bud, opening to a blend of pale purplish pink (65C, D) and white, with pale greenish yellow (1D) dorsal spots and deep pink (185D) anthers. Lvs 64 × 32mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, scaly. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 6 years. Mid May. Syn: 'Munchkin'

(r) **'Delp's Mystique'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Oh My!' × 'Nova Zembla' (s) × *yakushimanum*, dwarf form H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish red (64A) and strong purplish red (60C) in bud, opening strong purplish red (71B, C, D); filaments and style vivid purplish red (66A). Lvs with an indumentum below. Syn: 'Mystique' (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992) as 'Mystique')

(r) **'Delp's Neato'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ginny Mae' (s) × 'Tony's Gift' × 'Serenata' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls moderate red (179A, B), moderate reddish orange (179C) and moderate yellowish pink (179D) in bud, opening inside pale yellowish pink (29D) and moderate yellowish pink (179D), with a brilliant greenish yellow (1B) throat, a pale yellow (11C) flare and dark red (183A) dorsal spots; outside strong yellowish pink (37A, B); filaments and style light greenish yellow (1C); anthers moderate red (183D); stigma dark red (183A). Syn: 'Neato' (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992) as 'Neato')

(r) **'Delp's Ovation'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tony's Gift' (s) × 'Lady Bligh' H: W.E. Delp (1990), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls pale purplish pink, with red dorsal spots. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. (First published as 'Ovation' in *Greer's Guidebook to Available Rhododendrons* (1996))

(r) **'Delp's Pacesetter'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ronald Otto Delp' (s) × *vernicosum* aff.(Rock 18139) × (Nereid Group × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor*) H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls 17/truss, 8-lobed, brilliant and light greenish yellow (3A, B) in bud, opening light greenish yellow (3D), with deep greenish yellow (153A) dorsal spots, the throat brilliant and light greenish yellow (3B, C). Syn: 'Pacesetter' (First published as 'Pacesetter' in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Delp's Perfection'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Henry R. Yates' (s) × 'Hotei' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls hose-in-hose, with very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63B) and strong and light purplish pink (63C, D) in bud, opening white with strong and light yellow-green (144A/154D) in the throat and light olive (152B) dorsal spots; anthers light purplish pink (63D). Tall shrub. Syn: 'Perfecta' (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995) under the unacceptable epithet 'Perfecta')

(r) **'Delp's Pink Carolinianum'** (Syn. of 'Achiever')

(r) **'Delp's Pink Champagne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Four Star Beauty' × 'Pink Mango' (s) × 'Four Star Beauty' × 'Pink Mango' H: D.L. Hinerman, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, moderate and strong purplish red (64A, B) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (65D) edged strong purplish red (64C), with brilliant greenish yellow (1B) dorsal spots; filaments white. (Published as 'Pink Champagne' in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Delp's Pizzazz'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ronald Otto Delp' (s) × *brachycarpum* × 'Crest' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls deep purplish red (61A) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (68A) with moderate red (180C) dorsal spots. Syn: 'Pizzazz'

(r) **'Delp's Potpourri'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: (*maximum* × 'Odee Wright') F2 (s) × 'Yellow Date' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls moderate red (180B, C) in bud, opening light yellow (10C), edged deep pink (180D), with a deep red (53A) throat. (Published as 'Potpourri' in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Delp's Purity'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ronald Otto Delp' (s) × 'Harvest Moon' × 'Ice Cube' H: W.E. Delp (1983), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1996) Fls 14/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 45 × 70mm, 5-lobed, deep and strong purplish red (61A-B) in bud, opening yellowish white (158D), with a pale yellow (11C) flare and strong purplish red (61B) dorsal spots. Lvs 75 × 30mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base. Early June. Syn: 'Purity'

(r) **'Delp's Purple Passion'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alfred' (s) × 'Alfred' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, deep reddish purple (77A) and vivid purple (80A) in bud, opening strong purple (83C, D) and light purple (80C, D) with dark red (59A) dorsal spots; filaments and style very pale purple (76D); anthers pale yellow (158B); stigma dark red (187A). Syn: 'Purple Passion' (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Delp's Quest'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: (*brachycarpum* × 'Crest') × 'Stokes Bronze Wings' (s) × 'Goldsworth Yellow' H: W.E. Delp (1979), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, with petaloids, 45 × 64mm, 5-lobed, light and pale yellowish pink (29C, D, 159D) and pale orange-yellow (159B, C) in bud, opening pale yellow (11D) with strong orange (26B) dorsal spots; style pale yellow-green (155A); stigma strong reddish orange (34C). Lvs 76 × 41mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base. Shrub 0.9 × 0.8m in 13 years. Early June

(r) **'Delp's Redbud'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Princess Elizabeth' (s) × 'Dead Ringer' H: T.L. Ring, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls deep red (53A) in bud, opening moderate red (47A), strong red (46A) and deep yellowish pink (47C), with a white flare; filaments and style strong red (53D); anthers greyish red (176A) and moderate orange-yellow (168D); stigma moderate red (181A). Syn: 'Rosebud' (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Delp's Redding'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* (s) × 'Mrs C.S. Sargent' H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: , N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 18/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 59 × 75mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, deep and dark red (60A, 59A) in bud, opening strong purplish red (60B-D) with dark red (187A) spots on the three dorsal lobes; filaments and style strong purplish red (60D); anthers moderate orange-yellow (164C); stigma dark red (187A). Lvs 95 × 44mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 18 years. Early June. Syn: 'Redding'

(r) **'Delp's Red Max'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: F4 generation from Gable's red-flowered *maximum* H: W.E. Delp (1970), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 20/truss, open funnel-shaped, 34 × 45mm, 5-lobed, dark red (59A) in bud, opening strong purplish red (60C, D) inside, shading to pale purplish pink (62D); outside deep red (60A); filaments and styles vivid purplish red (57C); anthers moderate violet (86A); stigma vivid purplish red (57B). Lvs 95 × 38mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.1m in 22 years. Mid-late June

(r) **'Delp's Red Satin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Madras' (s) × 'Madras' × (*maximum* × *griersonianum*) H: A.W. Smith (1985), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 22/truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, dark and deep red (187A, B; 60A) in bud, opening deep and dark red (60A, 59A), with dark red (187A) dorsal spots; filaments and style deep red (60A); anthers dark yellowish green (189A) and pale yellow (164D); stigma deep red (60A). Calyx 5mm long. Lvs 121 × 51mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.6m in 7 years. Early June. Syn: 'Red Satin'

(r) **'Delp's Risque'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Midsummer' (s) × 'Delp's Red Max' H: W.E. Delp (1982), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.D. Delp (1993) Fls 18/truss, open funnel-shaped, 36 × 51mm,

5-lobed, strong purplish red shading to strong and light purplish pink (63B-D) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (65D), edged moderate and light purplish pink (65A, B) and with deep greenish yellow (153A) dorsal spots; filaments and style pale purplish pink (65D); anthers moderate orange-yellow (164C); stigma moderate orange-yellow (164B). Lvs 127 × 38mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.6 × 1.6m in 10 years. Late June. Syn: 'Risque'

(r) **'Delp's Sheer Delight'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tony's Gift' (s) × 'Cunningham's Sulphur' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls vivid reddish purple (78B) in bud, opening strong reddish purple (78B), light purple (78C) and moderate purplish pink (78D), with a white flare and vivid yellow-green (154A) dorsal spots. Syn: 'Sheer Delight' (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992) as 'Sheer Delight')

(r) **'Delp's Showoff'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Epoch' (s) × 'Achiever' × *pemakoense* Patulum Group H: W.E. Delp (1985), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 8 (from multiple buds)/truss, open funnel-shaped, 38 × 44mm, 5-lobed, light to very pale purple (75B-D) in bud, opening very pale purple (76D) with light greenish yellow (1C) dorsal spots and moderate red (181C) anthers. Lvs 64 × 25mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, scaly. Shrub 1.1 × 0.9m in 7 years. Mid May. Syn: 'Showoff'

(r) **'Delp's Sizzler'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ('America' × *yakushimanum*) selfed H: W.E. Delp (1975), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 16/truss, open funnel-shaped, 46 × 70mm, 5-lobed, deep red (53A) in bud, opening shades of vivid purplish red (57B, C, D), with vivid red (57A) dorsal spots; filaments pale purplish pink (65D); style vivid purplish red (57B); anthers moderate reddish brown (166B); style dark red (187A). Lvs 114 × 51mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.0m in 17 years. Early June. Syn: 'Sizzler'

(r) **'Delp's Small Fry'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Epoch' (s) × 'Epoch' H: W.E. Delp (1982), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 6/truss (from multiple buds), open funnel-shaped, 38 × 51mm, 5-lobed, brilliant yellow-green (150B, C) in bud, opening yellowish white (155D) with brilliant yellow-green (150A) dorsal spots; anthers moderate orange (171C). Lvs 57 × 25mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, scaly. Shrub 1.5 × 1.3m in 10 years. Mid May. Syn: 'Small Fry'

(r) **'Delp's Snowball'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *aureum* (s) × *maximum* H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls pale greenish yellow (2D) in bud, opening white with strong yellow-green (144C) dorsal spots. Syn: 'Snowball' (First published, as'Snowball', in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995); *maximum* parent was a wild-collected selection from Jackson Center, Pennsylvania, USA)

(r) **'Delp's Sparkle'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *dauricum* (dwarf form) × 'Gable's Pioneer' × pink-flowered *mucronulatum* R: W.E. Delp (pre 1987) Syn: 'Sparkle' (Parent of 'Cuddles')

(r) **'Delp's Starburst'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs T.H. Lowinsky' (s) × 'Calsap' H: J. Looye, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls deep reddish purple (77A) and strong purple (77B) in bud, opening very pale purple (76D) edged strong reddish purple (77B) and light purple (77C), with spots of deep purplish red (71A) and dark red (187A) on the three dorsal lobes. Syn: 'Starburst' (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Delp's Stardust'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ronald Otto Delp' (s) × 'Golden Star' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls brilliant greenish yellow (3B) in bud, opening pale greenish yellow (2D), with moderate orange (171D) dorsal spots and a light greenish yellow (3C) throat; filaments and style pale yellow-green (157A); anthers brownish orange (165B); stigma moderate brown (165A). Syn: 'Stardust' (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992), as 'Stardust')

(r) **'Delp's Sunsheen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sweet Lulu' (s) × *vernicosum* aff. (Rock 18139) × (Nereid Group × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor*) H: W.E. Delp (1982), G: W.E. Delp (1985), N: Mrs V. Delp, I: Crystalaire Naturescapes (1997), REG: J.D. Harris (1999) Fls 12/lax, domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with 6 flat-edged lobes, strong and light orange (26B-C) in bud, opening light yellow (10B-C) and pale greenish yellow (10D) with strong reddish orange (31B) freckles. Lvs elliptic, 105 × 50mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate yellow-green (146B) above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.7m in 16 years. Early June. Syn: 'Sunsheen' (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Delp's Swan Song'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* × *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Delp's Dream' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls deep, strong, moderate and light purplish pink (68A, B, C, D) in bud, opening yellowish white (158D) with a pale yellow flare; outside with strong purplish pink (68B) veining; filaments white. Syn: 'Swan Song' (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edition (1992), as 'Swan Song')

(r) **'Delp's Sweet Wendy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Weldy' (s) × *brachycarpum* (as subsp. *tigerstedtii*) H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, strong, light and pale purplish pink (55B, C, D) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (55D, 56A, B, C, D), with a pale orange-yellow (16D) flare and moderate red (47A) dorsal spots; anthers white; stigma strong orange (26A). Syn: 'Sweet Wendy' (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992), as 'Sweet Wendy')

(r) **'Delp's Tea Time'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Si Si' (s) × (*smirnowii* × *catawbiense*) no.1 H: W.E. Delp (1978), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 16/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 51 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (60B, C) in bud, opening moderate purplish pink (62B), edged strong purplish red (60D) and with a pale greenish yellow (1D) flare and moderate yellow-green (146B) dorsal spots; outside strong purplish red (60D); filaments strong purplish pink (67D); style pale yellow-green (157A); anthers pale yellow (164D); stigma dark red (187B). Lvs 127 × 57mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m in 14 years. Early June. Syn: 'T-Time'

(r) **'Delp's Tickled Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tols' (s) × 'Robert Weldon' H: W.E. Delp (1986), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1996) Fls 8/truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 70mm, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53C) in bud, opening yellowish white (158D), edged deep purplish pink (54B) and strong pink (54C), with a pale yellow-green (4D) flare and deep red (53A) dorsal spots. Lvs 70 × 25mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base. Early June. Syn: 'Tickled Pink' (First published (as 'Tickled Pink') in Salley & Greer, *Rhododendron Hybrids* (second edn) (1992))

(r) **'Delp's Tomboy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: F6 selection from 'Newport' H: W.E. Delp (1960), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 16/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 55 × 64mm, 5-lobed, buds a blend of vivid, strong and deep purplish red (66A, 67A & B, 71A), opening deep and strong purplish red (71A, B, C, 63A) with a white flare and strong yellow-green (144A) dorsal spots; filaments and style vivid purplish red (57D); anthers white; stigma dark red (187A). Lvs 95 × 51mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base. Shrub 2.3 × 2.1m in 32 years. Early June. Syn: 'Tomboy' (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992) as 'Tomboy'))

(r) **'Delp's Topper'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ronald Otto Delp' (s) × (*brachycarpum* × 'Crest') × ('Mars' × 'America') H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls deep and strong purplish red (71A, B, C) in bud, opening strong reddish purple (72B, C) and deep purplish pink (72D) with dark red (59A) dorsal spots; anthers yellowish white (158D); stigma dark red (59A). Syn: 'Topper' (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992), as 'Topper')

(r) **'Delp's Touch of Class'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goody Goody' (s) × 'Si Si' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls strong purplish red (64B) in bud, opening strong purplish red (64C), slowly fading to white. Syn: 'Touch of Class' (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Delp's Vanity Fair'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Midsummer' (s) × 'Old Copper' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls white, edged deep purplish pink (54B), with a greenish bronze throat. Syn: 'Vanity Fair' (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992), as 'Vanity Fair')

(r) **'Delp's Whimsee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ronald Otto Delp' (s) × 'Lanny Pride' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls strong purplish red (61B) in bud, opening strong, moderate and light purplish pink (68B, C, D) with strong purplish red (60B) dorsal spots. Syn: 'Whimsee' (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992), as 'Whimsey' (*sic*, in error))

(r) **'Delp's Whimsical'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Si Si' (s) × *smirnowii* × *catawbiense* H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls very pale purple (73D), edged strong purplish pink (73B), with a vivid yellow-green (154A) throat and deep red (185A) dorsal spots. Syn: 'Whimsical' (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992), as 'Whimsical')

(r) **'Delp's Whirligig'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Furnivall' (s) × 'Calsap' H: A.W. Smith, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, moderate and light purplish pink (65A, B) and very pale purple (69D) in bud, opening white with spots of deep red (60A) and strong purplish red (60B, C) on three dorsal lobes; filaments white. Syn: 'Whirligig' (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992), as 'Whirligig')

(r) **'Delp's Whirlwind'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: F4 derivative of 'Newport' H: W.E. Delp (1952), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 18/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 51 × 57mm, 5-lobed, vivid and strong reddish purple (78A, B) and vivid purplish red (66A) in bud, opening vivid and light reddish purple (74B, C) and moderate purplish pink (74D), with a white flare and deep purplish red (61A) dorsal spots; filaments strong purplish pink (63C); style vivid purplish red (57C); anthers pale purplish pink (62D); stigma dark red (59A). Lvs 102 × 51mm, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.4m in 40 years. Early June. Syn: 'Whirlwind'

(r) **'Delp's White Dove'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *aureum* × *maximum* (s) × 'Catalgla', green-eyed form H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls light yellow-green (2C) and pale greenish yellow (2D) in bud, opening white, with vivid yellow-green (15A) dorsal spots. Syn: 'White Dove' (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992), as 'White Dove')

(r) **'Delp's Whopper'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Abe Arnott' (s) × 'White Blue Peter' H: W.E. Delp (1991), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, vivid, strong, moderate and light

purple (82A, B, C, 77D) in bud, opening very pale purple (69D) and white, edged with light, very light and very pale purple (76A, B, C), with dark red (187A, B) dorsal spots; filaments very pale purple (69D); style light yellow-green (150D); anthers pale yellow (158B); stigma moderate brown (165A). Syn: 'Whopper' (First published, as 'Whopper', in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Delp's Yankee Doodle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ('America' × *yakushimanum*) no.6 H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 48 × 65mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, dark red (187A) and vivid reddish purple (74A) in bud, opening to a blend of strong purplish red (72A, B) and strong reddish purple (75A, B), with a white flare and moderate yellow-green (146D) dorsal spots; filaments and style strong purplish pink (63C); anthers pale orange-yellow (159B); stigma dark red (187A). Lvs 95 × 50mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.3m in 18 years. Early June

(a) **'Delray'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* hybrid × unknown H: D.W. & R. James (c 1957), G: D.W. & R. James, N: A.A. Childers, I: A.A. & M. Childers, REG: A.A. & M. Childers (1988) Fls averaging 2/truss, open funnel-shaped, 32 × 51mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, vivid red (44A) with a vivid red (45A) throat. Calyx 6mm long, strong yellow-green (145A). Lvs 51 × 25mm, hairless and strong yellow-green (145A) above, strong yellow-green (143C) below: winter lvs narrowly oblong to oblanceolate, concave, acute at apex, rounded at base; summer lvs narrowly oblong to elliptic. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 15 years, almost deciduous in winter. Early May

(r) **'Delsa Dawn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Spanish Lady' (s) × 'Kubla Khan' H: H. & M. Stockman (1990), G: H. & M. Stockman (1998), N: H. & M. Stockman (2002), REG: H. & M. Stockman (2002) Fls 12-15/flat truss, funnel-campanulate, 55 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, bright coral in bud, opening inside bright coral in centre shading paler at margins, with a small, dark red blotch at base and rather inconspicuous dorsal spotting; outside bright coral. Calyx 40mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs oblong, 100 × 50mm, margins downcurved, acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and mid green above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 12 years. Early May.

(a) **'Del's Choice'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Cecile', selfed R: A.A. & M. Childers, N: A.A. & M. Childers, I: A.A. & M. Childers (1970), REG: A.A. & M. Childers (1971) Fls rather square-shaped, 100 × 100mm, 5-lobed, deep pink, shading to strong purplish red, with a strong orange blotch. Lvs up to 100mm long, colouring well in autumn. Shrub 1.1m in 12 years. Mid May. Knap Hill

(a) **'Delta'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent ?

(r) **'Delta'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Delta'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Fa Boot & Co., N: Fa Boot & Co., REG: Fa Boot & Co. (1964) Fls 15/truss, 65mm wide, phlox purple (632/1), with a pale green-brown, dorsal blotch. Large shrub

(a) **'Delta Queen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Presto' (s) × 'Garden State Red' R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls hose-in-hose, 2-5/truss, 65mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, white, with a yellowish green blush and heavy purplish red markings (as sanding, sectoring, striping), occasional pink sectors nd some purplish red selfs. Mid May. (First published in Holly Springs cat., 1990)

(r) **'Demeta'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac rose, with yellow markings on a white ground

(r) **'Demi-john'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *johnstoneanum* N: Sir Giles Loder, I: Sir Giles Loder (1975), REG: Sir Giles Loder (1975) Fls semi-double, 3-4/truss, campanulate, 50 × 70mm, greenish white (155C), throat strongly flushed strong yellow (153D). Lvs elliptic, up to 60 × 30mm, dark green above, glaucous and scaly below. AM 1975

(r) **'Deming Brook'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *keiskei* 'Yaku Fairy', open-pollinated H: H.L. Foster (pre 1982), G: unknown, N: unknown, REG: A.R. Brooks (1997) Fls 6/truss (multiple buds often forming larger trusses), broadly funnel-shaped, 20-22 × 30-40mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale yellowish pink (27D) in bud, shading to moderate purplish pink (62B) at tip, opening pale yellowish pink (36D) throughout, unmarked inside, shading to pale purplish pink (62D) along midribs of lobes on outside. Calyx minute, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 20-30 × 5-10mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate yellow-green (147B) above, densely scaly below, sparsely scaly above (scales white when young, rust red when mature). Shrub 0.2 × 0.4m in 8 years. Mid May. (Published in *Greer's Guidebook to Available Rhododendrons*, 3rd edn (1996))

(a) **'Demure'** cv. Evergreen azalea: an orange form of *indicum* (s) × 'Momozono' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50mm wide, slightly paler than rose, with rose red dots making up a blotch over most of 3 dorsal lobes. Shrub to 1.5m. Late April-early May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Denali'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vanessa Pastel' × 'Pink Walloper' H: J.A. Elliott (1973), G: J.A. Elliott (1977), N: J.A. Elliott, I: Elliott Nursery (1981), REG: J.A. Elliott (1986) Fls 12-15/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 60 × 100mm, 5-lobed, tyrian rose (24, shading to 24/1), with a burnt orange (014/1) dorsal blotch. Calyx very small, light pink. Lvs elliptic, 180 × 80mm, parsley green (00962) and glossy above, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 2.1m in 11 years. Mid May

(r) **'Dencombe'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × Loderi Group R: G.H. Loder, N: G.H.

Loder, I: G.H. Loder (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls shrimp colour. Sarita Loder Group

(a) **'Denise'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Comtesse de Kerchove' hybrid R: I.C. Nichols (pre 1984), N: I.C. Nichols, I: Berna Park Nurseries Fls double, 70mm wide, with pointed lobes, soft pink, with a lime green throat. Indian

(a) **'Denise'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1985) Fls double, light pink, with pale pink margins. Midseason. (Perhaps the Nichols cultivar listed under this name)

(r) **'Denise'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Winter Favourite' × 'Chrysomanicum' H: V.J. Boulter, G: V.J. Boulter (1960), N: V.J. Boulter, I: V.J. Boulter (1971), REG: V.J. Boulter (1971) Fls 8-9/truss, pale yellow (160D), with a prominent, red blotch, and flushed light to pale pink (49C-D). Lvs 55 × 25mm, deep and slightly glossy green. Shrub to 1.0m

(a) **'Denise Ann'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Moonbeam' (s) × unknown (no.CB-1) H: W.L. Clagett (1989), G: W.L. Clagett (1993), N: W.L. Clagett, I: White's Nursery (1995), REG: W.L. Clagett (1995) Fls 2-3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, hose-in-hose and double to semi-double, 55 × 97mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes in each whorl and up to 8 petaloid stamens, white, with occasional stripes of strong purplish pink (68B), flushed yellowish green in centre; normal stamens 0-2, straight. Calyx 55mm long, coloured as corolla. Pedicels 14mm long, greenish yellow. Lvs elliptic, 45 × 20mm, slightly wavy-edged, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (146B) below; petioles hairy, 8mm long, green. Shrub 0.18 × 0.43, in 4 years. Mid May. (Originally distributed under no.89-4-4)

(a) **'Denise Gau'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Capitaine Gau' I: C. van Gele & Son (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep pink (52B), a more intense colour than 'Suzanne Moreau'. Otherwise similar to 'Madame Petrick'. Indian

(r) **'Denise Kathleen'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Else Frye' × *johnstoneanum* (s) × 'Else Frye' H: H.J. Braafladt (1980), G: H.J. Braafladt (1985), N: H.J. Braafladt, REG: H.J. Braafladt (1996) Fls (3-)4(-5)/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 80 × 80mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (46B) in bud, opening yellowish white (155D) with strong red (53B) markings on each lobe merging into 53B stripes with maturity; strong reddish orange (42B) blotch in dorsal throat ageing to moderate reddish orange (41C); scented. Calyx 2mm long, strong red (50A). Lvs elliptic, 70 × 25mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (146A) above, bullate and hairy above, strong yellow-green (144B) and with yellow/brown scales below; new growth strong yellow-green and hairy above. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m in 15 years. Early April

(r) **'Denisonii'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *dalhousiae* (s) × mixed pollen of *edgeworthii* and 'Gibsonii' I: Bousie (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls long-tubed campanulate, pure white, with a lemon stain at the base; little scent. Lvs elliptic-oblong. FCC 1862

(r) **'Dennis Dickey'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: unnamed hybrid (Ring no. 2 red) × 'Delp's Cindy Lou' (s) × 'Frank Moniz' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls deep and vivid red (185A, 45A) in bud, opening deep, strong and vivid red (53A, 46A, 46B) with dark red (183A) dorsal spots. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Dennis's Gem'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Point Defiance' (s) × 'Trude Webster' H: D. Sanders (1986), G: M. Sanders (1991), N: D. Sanders (2000), I: Sanders Nursery (1997), REG: Sanders Nursery (2000) Fls 16-20/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 100mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep rose red in bud, opening vivid purplish red (67B) throughout, with a white dorsal flare and with strong purplish red (63A) speckles. Calyx c3mm long, pink. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 70mm, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, margins flat, dull mid green above, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 2.1m in 13 years. Mid May

(a) **'Denny Pratt'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: M.C. Pratt (1986), G: Ness Botanic Gardens (1996), N: Ness Botanic Gardens, REG: Ness Botanic Gardens (1999) Fls single, 40 or more/truss, broadly tubular funnel-shaped, 55 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (45A) in bud, opening strong purplish pink (55B) inside and deep purplish pink (55A) outside; dorsal blotch of strong orange-yellow (22A); stamens pink; slightly scented. Calyx 5mm long, light yellow-green (145B). Lvs elliptic, 45-80 × 17-30mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green. Shrub 2.25 × 1.5m in 13 years. June-July. (Standard: colour slide provided by registrant (WSY 0015393))

(a) **'Denny's Rose'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: UK (1997)

(a) **'Denny's Scarlet'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: UK (1997)

(a) **'Denny's White'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: UK (1996) Similar to 'White Perfume'

(r) **'Dependable'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *keiskei* × *keiskei*, dwarf form R: C.R. & V. Haag, I: Cardinal Nursery (c 1991) Fls yellow. Lvs small. Compact shrub

(r) **'Depot'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.L. Tolstead (c 1975), G: W.L. Tolstead (1985), N: W.L. Tolstead, I: Rhody Run Nursery (1993), REG: W.L. Tolstead (1993) Fls 16/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 38 × 51mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (2.5RP 9/2), with slightly darker pink margins and a very light blotch. Calyx c2mm long, green. Pedicels 32mm long, green. Lvs 140 × 38mm, flat, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, hairless; petioles 38mm long, green. Shrub 2.4 × 1.5m in c15 years. Mid May

(r) **'Derrell King'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Peter Koster' (s) × 'Blue Peter' H: L.M. King (1952), G: H.W. King, N: H.W. King, I: H.W. King (c 1954), REG: S.M. King (1984) Fls in a dense truss, mauve, with a deep purple centre. Shrub 2.5m in 20 years

(r) **'Der Sieger'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1929), N: T.J.R. Siedel, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Dervet'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine red, with a white throat and strong green markings

(a) **'Derwent'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: F.E.W. Hanger, G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, REG: Royal Horticultural Society (1966) Fls c16/compact, globular truss, funnel-shaped, 65 × 70mm, with wavy-edged lobes, white, veined and flushed moderate pink (23/1-23/2), with an orange blotch (10/1, deepening to 10) in throat. Lvs 90-100 × 40mm, glossy green, tinged brown. Shrub at least 2.3 × 2.9m. Mid May. *HC 1966, *AM 1967. Knap Hill

(r) **'Derwisch'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with green markings

(a) **'De Schryverianum'** (Syn. of 'Frau Amalia Riechers')

(a) **'Desdemona'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: O. Schulz (1880), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, red-white, with dark red spots. Indian (Probably the plant listed by C. Vuylsteke, 1877)

(a) **'Desdemona'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *japonicum* × *molle* subsp. *molle* R: M. Koster & Sons, N: M. Koster & Sons, I: M. Koster & Sons (1910), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light blush. Mollis

(r) **'Desdemona'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1851), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush, richly marked on dorsal lobes

(r) **'Desdemona'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark red, with five white marks

(a) **'Deseree'** (Error for 'Desiree')

(r) **'Deserie'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Hammond Nursery (pre 1996) Fls lavender pink. Lvs rounded, glossy. Shrub 0.9-1.2m in 10 years. Midseason

(a) **'Deseronto'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Rose Greeley' × 'Ward's Ruby' R: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1969) Fls single, 3-6/truss, up to 70mm wide, strong purple-red (10RP 4/12). Lvs 30 × 20mm. Shrub to 1.0m

(a) **'Desert Gold'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Stokes (pre 1969), N: W.E. Stokes

(r) **'Desert Gold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Darigold' × Idealist Group H: W. & M Thompson (1970), G: W. & M. Thompson, N: W. & M Thompson, I: Willard Thompson Nursery (c 1988) Fls deep gold, with red markings. Lvs olive green. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years.

(r) **'Desert Jewel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Apricot Gold' (s) × 'Lem's Cameo' H: K. Van de Ven (1986), G: K Van de Ven (1992), N: Olinda Nurseries (1993), I: Olinda Nurseries (1994), REG: Olinda Nurseries (1994) Fls 12-15/truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 70mm, with 6 smooth-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink (39B) inside and out, fading on the inside. Calyx 10-15mm long. Lvs elliptic, 65 × 20mm, flat, matt green, narrowed at base, acuminate at apex, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 2.0m

(r) **'Desert Orchid'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'The Master' H: A.F. George (1966), G: A.F. George (1978), N: A.F. George, I: Hydon Nurseries (1990), REG: Hydon Nurseries (1990) Fls 16/truss, 50 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (55D), fading to white. Calyx very short, pale green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 125 × 45mm

(a) **'Desert Pink'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light pink, upper lobes darker, with an orange blotch. Knap Hill

(r) **'Desert Pride'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1956), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink, with an orange blotch

(a) **'Desert Rose'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: O.R. Bristow, I: Mossholder Nursery, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single to semi-double, 90-100mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, deep salmon rose, with paler throat and red flecks

(r) **'Desert Star'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: V.J. Boulter (1972), G: V.J. Boulter (1978), N: F. Boulter (1991), I: Boulters Olinda Nursery (1991), REG: Boulters Olinda Nursery (1992) Fls 10-12/compact truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 100mm, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes, buds strong red (47B), opening pale yellowish pink (27C), flushed pink both inside and out. Lvs ovate, 110 × 50mm, flat, matt green, hairless. Shrub 1.5m. Spring

(r) **'Desert Storm'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Donna Hardgrove' × apricot-flowered *maximum* H: T.L. Ring, N: C. Trautmann (pre 1996), I: Mowbray Gardens Fls peach yellow tones

(r) **'Desert Sun'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* Houlstonii Group × Veta Group H: V.J. Boulter, G: V.J. Boulter (1971), N: V.J. Boulter, I: V.J. Boulter, REG: V.J. Boulter (1978) Fls 10/truss, 75mm wide, deep pink (52B), with a light orange-yellow (23C) centre. Lvs lanceolate, 125 × 25mm. Shrub 0.6m

(r) **'Desiderius'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Milner' (s) × *smirnowii* R: T.J.R. Seidel, N: T.J.R. Seidel (1902), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (2.5RP 6/11), with paler edges and brilliant yellow-green (2.5GY 9/8) spots

(a) **'Desire'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × *simsii* R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50-70mm wide, light purplish pink, toned salmon orange. Shrub to 1.5m. Mid-late April. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Desiree'** cv. Evergreen azalea: (*yedoense* var. *poukhanense* × *mucronatum*), selfed R: A.M. Shammarello (pre 1957), N: A.M. Shammarello, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 65mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, white. Lvs to 65 × 30mm. Shrub to 1.5m. (Previously listed incorrectly as 'Deseree')

(a) **'Désirée'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Germany (1983) (Sent for Plant Breeders' Rights in Germany by W. Streck)

(r) **'Desmit'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Laetevirens' (s) × *minus* Carolinianum Group H: R.L. Ticknor (pre 1960), G: Weston Nurseries (c 1960), N: E.V. Mezitt, I: Weston Nurseries (1989), REG: R.W. Mezitt (1998) Fls 9/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 25 × 30mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (74D). Calyx c1.5mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 30 × 15mm, margins flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, scaly above and below and on petioles. Shrub 0.3 × 0.9m in 10 years. Mid May. Syn: 'Waltham No. 10' (Published in Weston Nurseries cat., 1989)

(r) **Desna Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Medusa Group (s) × *griersonianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1936), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red

(r) **Desquamatum Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. desquantum*

(a) **'Dessa Merritt'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt (c 1947), I: E.A. Merritt (c 1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with partially petaloid calyx, 40mm wide, strong red (41B). Kurume

(r) **'Destiny'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sincerity' (s) × *thomsonii* R: E.G.W.W. Harrison, N: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1961), I: E.G.W.W. Harrison, REG: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1961) Fls 12/truss, 75 × 90mm, deep coral pink

(r) **Detonhaem Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *R.* × *detonsum* (s) × *haematodes* R: E.J.P. Magor (1922), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1932), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Deutsche Kaiserin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Sander & Sons (1903), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white

(a) **'Deutsche Perle'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown N: J. Rose (c 1878), I: J. Rose (c 1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pure white. Early. FCC 1883. Indian

(r) **'Deutscherianum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid L: M. Koster & Sons (1910), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose and white

(r) **Devagilla Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × Cornubia Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy pink in good trusses. Tall but compact shrub. May

(r) **Devaluation Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *auriculatum* (s) × *arboreum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, white, flushed pink. Tall but compact shrub. June

(a) **'Deveron'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: F.E.W. Hanger, G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, REG: Royal Horticultural Society (1963) Fls 13/more-or-less compact, globular truss, funnel-shaped, 65 × 65mm, light yellow (15D), overlaid brilliant yellow (13B), the margins slightly tinged pink and with a vivid yellow (15A) blotch. Lvs 115 × 45mm, fairly dark, glossy green, tinged reddish brown. Shrub to 1.4m. *HC 1963

(a) **'Devil's Cloak'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown G: C. Weeks (1970), N: C. Weeks, I: C. Weeks (1980), REG: C. Weeks (1995) Fls 14/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, with 6 very wavy-edges lobes, strong red (46A) in bud, opening vivid red (44A), with orange-yellow anthers; stamens 7, curved, unequal; style vivid red (45C). Calyx less than 0.2mm long, strong yellow-green (143C). Pedicels 15mm long, strong yellow-green 144B). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 121xc25mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, glossy and moderate olive green (146A above, moderate yellow-green (148B) below, with discrete hairs above and below; petioles 20mm long, moderate brown (165A), hairy. Shrub 2.2 × 1.5m in 30 years. March. (Seed purchased from England (1965))

(a) **'Devon'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1926), N: Slocock Nurseries (pre 1952), I: Slocock Nurseries (pre 1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10-15/truss, long tubular-campanulate, 45 × 50mm, strong red (45D), shaded orange in dorsal throat. Lvs glossy green. Low compact shrub. *AM 1952. Knap Hill

(a) **'Devonia'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls flame-coloured. Mollis

(r) **'Devoniense'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × *thomsonii* R: J. Luscombe, N: J. Veitch & Sons, I: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Devonshire Cream'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* × a Hardy Hybrid R: W.C. Slocock (c 1924), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale yellow, with a red blotch at base of throat. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years. AM 1940

(r) **'Devonshire Tea'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Bow Bells Group hybrid I: Riverside Gardens (1995) Fls in large trusses, cream, with a pink eye. Lvs rounded, glossy. Upright shrub, 0.9m in 10 years

(r) **'Devoted'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Wizard' (s) × 'Sally Salley' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls strong red (53B, C) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (56D), strong red (53C, D) and strong pink (54C), with a small, pale greenish yellow (2D) flare; outside strong red (53C); filaments pale purplish pink (56D); style pale greenish yellow (2D); anthers brownish orange (166C); stigma brilliant yellow-green (154C). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Devrient'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, pale violet, with greenish yellow markings

(a) **'De Waele's Favorite'** cv. Evergreen azalea: radiation-induced mutation from 'Knut Erwen' I: F. de Waele (1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep purplish pink (61D), edged white; otherwise similar to parent. Indian

(a) **'Dew Drop'** (Syn. of 'Nuccio's Dew Drop')

(r) **'DeWilde's Yellow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* H: J.B. Gable (pre 1972) Fls cream to pale yellow

(a) **'De Witteanum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: De Witte (1857), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls a rich rosy tint, with purple dots on dorsal part of corolla. Indian

(r) **'Dextanea'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catanea' × a white Dexter hybrid R: G.G. Nearing (1962), N: G.G. Nearing, I: G.G. Nearing (1972), REG: G.G. Nearing (1973) Fls 10/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, white, faintly tinged yellowish and with a spotted blotch: purplish towards centre, greenish further out. Calyx 3mm long, brilliant yellow-green (142B). Lvs 150×75mm, moderate olive green (146A), glossy. Shrub 2.2 × 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Dexter's Agatha'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pygmalion' × *haematodes* × 'Wellfleet' H: C.O. Dexter (c 1940), G: Scott Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister, I: Scott Arboretum (c 1960), REG: John J. Tyler Arboretum (1981) Fls 10/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (10RP 4/12), with sparse flecks of dark red (2.5R 3/7) on dorsal lobe; outside strong red (2.5R 5/12). Calyx minute, light green. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 65mm, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, flat, hairless, moderate olive green (5GY 4/3). Shrub 2.4 × 2.4m in 19 years. Mid May. Syn: 'Agatha', 'Abington' (Exact combination of parents unknown)

(r) **'Dexter's Amethyst'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: H. Phipps, N: P.D. Vossberg (pre 1958), I: Westbury Rose Co. (1958), REG: R.H. Gustafson (2000) Fls 12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 100mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep to strong purplish pink (73A-B) in bud, opening inside light purple (76A) at edge, shading to very pale purple (76D) with a tan to yellowish green dorsal flare; outside light purple (76A) at edge, fading to very pale purple (76D) at the base. Lvs elliptic, 175 × 65mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, margins flat, moderate olive green (146A) above, hairless. Shrub to at least 3.6 × 4.5-5.5m. Late May. Syn: 'Amethyst' (Introduced as 'Amethyst' in 1958)

(r) **'Dexter's Appleblossom'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: C.O. Dexter, N: J.C. Cowles, I: Heritage Plantation (post 1959), REG: Heritage Plantation (1977) Fls 12-15/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 75mm, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes, white, with a 7mm wide edging of deep purplish pink (7.5RP 6/12) and a yellow-green blotch and darker spotting in throat below 2 dorsal lobes; scented. Calyx 7mm long, brilliant yellow-green (2.5GY 9/8). Lvs narrowly elliptic to narrowly oblong, 150 × 55mm, apiculate and obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, hairless, glossy green. Shrub 1.5 × 1.1m in 10 years (3.0 × 4.5m in 40-50 years). Late May. Syn: 'Apple Blossom', 'Appleblossom'

(r) **'Dexter's Apricot'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: C.O. Dexter, N: J.C. Cowles, I: Heritage Plantation (post 1959), REG: Heritage Plantation (1977) Fls 12-15/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (7.5RP 8/5), with appleblossom pink edging and a yellow-green basal blotch in the dorsal section; scented. Calyx c4mm long. Lvs oblong, 108 × 50mm, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, glossy green, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.9m in 15 years. Late May

(r) **'Dexter's Big Red'** (Syn. of 'Dexter's Giant Red')

(r) **'Dexter's Brandy-green'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: C.O. Dexter, N: J.C. Cowles, I: Heritage Plantation (post 1959), REG: Heritage Plantation (1977) Fls 8/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 100mm, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes, moderate pink (10RP 8/5), with heavy green spotting almost covering the dorsal lobe and edges of adjacent lobes; stamens very short; scented. Calyx c3mm long. Lvs elliptic, c160 × 65mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green and hairless, slightly curled. Shrub 1.2 × 2.2m in 11 years (2.5 × 4.5m in 40-50 years). Late May. Syn: 'Brandygreen'

(r) **'Dexter's Brick Red'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: C.O. Dexter, N: J.C. Cowles, I: Heritage Plantation (post 1959), REG: Heritage Plantation (1977) Fls 12/flat to lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 75mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (7.5RP 6/12), with a slight, moderate red blotch in throat in dorsal sector. Calyx 3mm long. Lvs elliptic to oblong, 90 × 40mm, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, glossy green and hairless. Shrub 0.3 × 0.4m in 4 years (1.4 × 3.0m in 40-50 years). Late May

(r) **'Dexter's Brick Red Orange'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943) (Listed as a parent of 'Whoopie!')

(r) **'Dexter's Champagne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: New York Botanical Garden (pre 1949), I: Westbury Rose Co. (1958), REG: G.D. Lewis (1998) Fls 14/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 100mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, light yellowish pink (38C) in bud, opening pale yellowish pink (36D) at margins, changing to pale yellow (20D) at centre, with a slight double flare of strong yellow-green (144A) in dorsal throat; outside light yellowish pink (36C); strongly scented. Calyx c1.5mm long, light yellow-green (145C). Lvs elliptic, 125 × 50mm, flat, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and moderate green (146A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 2.1m in 15 years. Early May. Syn: 'Champagne' (First named as 'Champagne' by P. Vossberg, c1955)

(r) **'Dexter's Cream'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: C.O. Dexter, N: J.C. Cowles, I: Heritage Plantation (post 1959), REG: Heritage Plantation (1977) Fls 6-8/somewhat lax, ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, with 7 very wavy-edged lobes, cream, with a pale yellow blotch (25mm long) and with pale yellow stripes on edges of 4 dorsal lobes, ventral lobe pale pink (2.5R 9/3) on outer edge; scented. Calyx c2mm long. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 90 × 40mm, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, glossy green and hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.8m in 12 years (1.5 × 2.5m in 40-50 years). Late May

(r) **'Dexter's Crown Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: C.O. Dexter, N: J.C. Cowles, I: Heritage Plantation (post 1959), REG: Heritage Plantation (1977) Fls 10/conical truss, funnel-shaped, 45 × 75mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (7.5RP 7/10), with olive green spotting covering central area of dorsal lobe and edges of adjacent lobes. Calyx c1.5mm long. Lvs lanceolate to narrowly oblong, 150 × 50mm, acute at apex, rounded at base, glaucous and hairless. Shrub 2.5 × 3.0m in 40-50 years. Early June

(r) **'Dexter's Favorite'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probablyderived from subsect. *Fortunea* H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: C.O. Dexter, N: P.D. Vossberg, I: E. Amateis (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 13-17/conical truss, funnel-campanulate, 90mm wide, 5-6-lobed, pale pink, with a yellowish centre and a yellow-green dorsal blotch; scented. Lvs oblong to oblanceolate, 90-125mm long. Shrub 1.5-2.4m in 25 years

(r) **'Dexter's Giant Red'** cv. Parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: C.O. Dexter, N: J.C. Cowles, I: Heritage Plantation (post 1959), REG: Heritage Plantation (1977) Fls 12-15/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 100mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (7.5RP 4/11), with a very dark red blotch at base of throat, merging into spots on 3 dorsal lobes and with light red spots on remaining lobes. Calyx 7mm long, red. Lvs elliptic, c160 × 75mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green and hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.6m in 12 years (3.6 × 3.0m in 40-50 years). Late May-early June. Syn: 'Dexter's Big Red'

(r) **'Dexter's Glow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: C.O. Dexter, N: J.C. Cowles, I: Heritage Plantation (post 1959), REG: Heritage Plantation (1977) Fls 8-10/flat to lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (7.5RP 5/12), with a paler throat and a dark red blotch extending for 7mm around the whole of the base of the corolla and extending to 20mm on one lobe; scented. Calyx 7mm long. Lvs oblong, 115 × 55mm, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, glossy, moderate olive green (2.5GY 4/3), hairless. Shrub 3.0m tall in 35-40 years. Early June

(r) **'Dexter's Gloxineum'** (Syn. of 'Gloxineum')

(r) **'Dexter's Harlequin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pygmalion' × *haematodes* × 'Wellfleet' H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: Scott Arboretum, N: P.D. Vossberg, I: Scott Arboretum (c 1950), REG: John J. Tyler Arboretum (1983) Fls 10-15/truss, 40 × 80mm, broadly funnel-shaped, 5-7 lobed, deep purplish pink (5RP 6/10) at edges, paling to pale purplish pink in lobe centres and throat (7.5RP 9/2), with two, small, dorsal rays of strong purplish red (7.5RP 4/11) edged brilliant yellow green (2.5GY 9/8), inconspicuously spotted 2GY 9/8; outside deep purplish pink (5RP 6/10). Calyx 7mm long, light yellowish green, edge tinged red. Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 100-150 × 40-70mm, moderate olive green (5GY 4/3), hairless. Shrub 3.0 × 2.7m in 21 years. Mid May. Syn: 'Harlequin', 'Arlequin' (Exact combination of parents unknown)

(r) **'Dexter's Honeydew'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter, S: P.D. Vossberg, N: P.D. Vossberg, I: Westbury Rose Co. (c 1960), REG: Briarwood Gardens (1991) Fls 7-10/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 83x up to 133mm, with 7 slightly wavy-edged lobes, very pale purple (69B) at margins, fading within 13mm to greenish white (155C) centre and a light yellow (10B) throat; stamens 14, straight, unequal; highly scented. Calyx 3mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Pedicels 32mm long, light yellow-green (145B). Lvs narrowly oblong, 76-121 × 25-44mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, with wavy margins, hairless; petioles up to 32mm long, dark red (59A) above, strong yellow-green (144B) below. Shrub 1.1 × 1.4m in 7 years. Late May-early June. Syn: 'Honey Dew' (or 'Honeydew'), 'True Love', 'Everitt No.21'

(r) **'Dexter's Horizon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: C.O. Dexter, N: J.C. Cowles, I: Heritage Plantation (post 1959), REG: Heritage Plantation (1977) Fls 12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, with 6 slightly wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (7.5RP 6/12) edging, shading to a white centre and with a large, yellow-green blotch extending on to central part of dor-

sal lobe. Calyx minute. Lvs narrowly elliptic, c160 × 65mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green and hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 2.3m in 12 years (3.0 × 4.5m in 40-50 years). Early June

(r) **'Dexter's No.9'** 'Dexter's No. 9' was listed in error as if it were a cultivar name in the 1958 Register. Many Dexter selections were listed under number, some of which were later named: see Kraxberger (1980) and Livingston & West (1978) for further details. (See 'Skyglow')

(r) **'Dexter's Orange'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: C.O. Dexter, N: J.C. Cowles, I: Heritage Plantation (post 1959), REG: Heritage Plantation (1977) Fls 8/flat to lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 75mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (10RP 5/12), with rose pink edging and veins (overall appearing orange in some lights), with a slight brownish red (2.5YR 5/9) blotch at base of throat in dorsal part; strongly scented. Calyx 7mm long. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 55mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green and hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 2.1m in 14 years. Late May

(r) **'Dexter's Orchid'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), N: P.D. Vossberg (pre 1959), I: Westbury Rose Co. (c 1959), REG: R.H. Gustafson (1999) Fls 11/lax truss, funnel-shaped, 70 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, outside moderate purplish pink (62B), inside moderate to light purplish pink (62B-C) shading to light to pale purplish pink (65B-C), with pale green dorsal spots. Lvs elliptic, 125-150 × 60-65mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 1.8m in 18 years. Mid May. (Probably grown to first flower by S.A. Everitt. Published in *Q. Bull. Am. Rh. Soc.* 15 (2): 108 (1961))

(r) **'Dexter's Peppermint'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: C.O. Dexter, N: J.C. Cowles, I: Heritage Plantation (post 1959), REG: Heritage Plantation (1977) Fls 10-15/somewhat lax, ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (2.5RP 8/5), with a light yellow-green blotch in dorsal throat; strongly scented. Calyx 7mm long. Lvs oblong, 115 × 55mm, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, glossy green and hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m in 10 years (3.6m tall in 40-50 years). Late May

(a) **'Dexter's Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Amoenum' hybrid I: Arnold Arboretum, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 40mm wide, moderate purplish pink (62B). Amoena

(r) **'Dexter's Pink'** cv. Parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), N: P.D. Vossberg, I: Westbury Rose Co. (1959)

(r) **'Dexter's Pink Glory'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: C.O. Dexter, N: J.C. Cowles, I: Heritage Plantation (post 1959), REG: Heritage Plantation (1977) Fls 6-8/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 115mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (2.5RP 6/10), with a blend of yellow-green and deep red spotting on dorsal lobe and edges of adjacent lobes; scented. Calyx 3mm long. Lvs elliptic, c160 × 65mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green and hairless, slightly curled. Shrub 1.5 × 1.9m in c15 years (3.0 × 6.0m in 40-50 years). Early June

(r) **'Dexter's Pink Satin'** cv. Parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), I: W. Baldsiefen (as 'Pink Satin') (pre 1978) Fls pink, with darker pink, wavy-edged lobes, a brown flare and deep red spotting. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Syn: 'Pink Satin'

(r) **'Dexter's Purple'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), N: P.D. Vossberg (pre 1959), I: Westbury Rose Co. (1959), REG: Princeton Chapter Study Group (1997) Fls c16/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 75mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, inside close to light purple (82C) at margins, shading slightly lighter in centre, with a solid vivid red (45C) flare in the throat which extends upwards about 30mm on to the dorsal lobes, with strong greenish yellow (153C) spotting above; outside close to light purple (76A), tinged vivid reddish purple (74B) at base and on midribs. Calyx very small, pale green. Lvs elliptic, 125-140 × 55-65mm, flat, rounded at base, broadly acute at apex, dull to semi-glossy and moderate yellow-green (147B) above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.5m in c8 years. Mid May

(r) **'Dexter's Ramona'** cv. Parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943) Fls in large trusses, deep pink. Lvs glossy. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Syn: 'Ramona'

(r) **'Dexter's Red'** cv. Parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), N: P.D. Vossberg, I: Westbury Rose Co. (1959) Fls red, with heavy, chocolate brown spotting

(r) **'Dexter's Red Velvet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pygmalion' × *haematodes* × 'Wellfleet', exact combination unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: Scott Arboretum, N: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (pre 1972), I: Laurelwood Nursery (pre 1972), REG: Princeton Chapter Study Group (1997) Fls 12-14/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, with 6-7 very wavy-edged lobes, bright crimson red without a blue undertone, with a dark greyish purple (202A) spotted flare extending from throat to near the margin of the dorsal lobe. Calyx 2-3mm long, brownish green, with tiny greyish green hairs. Lvs mainly elliptic, 105 × 45mm, flat, rounded at base, broadly acute at apex, moderate olive green (146A) above, with minute, pale greyish green hairs on new foliage, pedicels and calyx, mature lvs hairless. Shrub 1.7 × 1.7m in 10 years. Mid May. Syn: 'Red Velvet' (Also listed as: SW 12507-2. First published in *Q. Bull. Am. Rho. Soc.* 27 (2): 99 (1973))

(r) **'Dexter's Ruby Heart'** cv. Parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), N: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg, I: Laurelwood Gardens

(r) **'Dexter's Salmon'** cv. Parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), N: J.C. Cowles, I: Heritage Plantation Fls salmon

(r) **'Dexter's Spice'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: C.O. Dexter, N: J.C. Cowles, I: Heritage Plantation (post 1959), REG: Heritage Plantation (1977) Fls 5-7/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 70 × 115-125mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, white, with pale yellow-green spotting on 2 dorsal lobes; strongly scented. Calyx 7mm long. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 55mm, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, glossy green and hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.9m in 14 years (3.6 × 4.5m in 40-50 years). Late May-early June. Syn: 'Spice'

(r) **'Dexter's Springtime'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: C.O. Dexter, N: J.C. Cowles, I: Heritage Plantation (post 1959), REG: Heritage Plantation (1977) Fls 7-10/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, cream, with a 7mm wide, deep pink (2.5R 6/11) edging and 4 rays (each 17 × 3mm) of reddish brown spots in dorsal throat; scented. Calyx c2mm long. Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 125 × 50mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green and hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.2m in 12 years (2.1 × 4.5m in 40-50 years). Late May-early June

(r) **'Dexter's Two-tone'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943) Fls white, edged pink. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years

(r) **'Dexter's Vanilla'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: C.O. Dexter, N: J.C. Cowles, I: Heritage Plantation (post 1959), REG: Heritage Plantation (1977) Fls 8/flat to lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 90mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, pink and white in bud, opening creamy white, with strong purplish pink (7.5RP 7/10) edging and midveins, and a reddish brown blotch on dorsal lobe; scented. Calyx 5mm long. Lvs elliptic to oblong, 125 × 55mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green and hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 1.1m in 12 years (1.9 × 3.0m in 40-50 years). Late May-early June

(r) **'Dexter's Victoria'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: C.O. Dexter, N: J.C. Cowles, I: Heritage Plantation (post 1959), REG: Heritage Plantation (1977) Fls 12-15/flat-topped, conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish red (5RP 5/10), with a greenish brown blotch covering whole base of dorsal lobe and edges of adjacent lobes. Calyx c2mm long. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 45mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green and hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.2m in 5 years (3.6 × 3.6m in 40-50 years). Early June

(r) **'Dexter's Woodlawn'** cv. Parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943)

(r) **'Dexter's Zanzibar'** cv. Parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943) Fls tan to peach-coloured. Syn: 'Zanzibar'

(a) **'Dhabi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vuyk's Rosyred' (s) × 'Moonbeam' H: G. Griswold (1972), G: G. Griswold (1979), N: G. Griswold, I: Griswold Nursery (1982), REG: G. Griswold (1986) Fls 2/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (68A), with strong red spots (53C) on dorsal lobes. Calyx c1.5mm long, light yellow-green (138D). Lvs elliptic, 40-50 × 20-25mm, dark green (136A), strigose hairy on veins below. Shrub 0.17 × 0.2m in 3 years. Mid May

(r) **'D. Heinje'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'John Walter' × unknown H: D. Heinje (1930), G: D. Heinje Baumschulen (c 1935), N: D. Heinje Baumschulen, I: D. Heinje Baumschulen (1954), REG: D. Heinje Baumschulen (1986) Fls 13-16/truss, 50-55 × 45-65mm, 5-lobed, reddish in bud, opening dark pink (mixture of 51A & 55A), with greenish yellow spots. Calyx 30-35mm long, light green. Lvs 100 × 45mm, dark, shiny green, with a pale indumentum on lower surface of young foliage. Compact habit. June. Syn: 'Heinje'

(a) **'D'Hoogheanum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Luna' (of Schulz) I: G. D'Hooghe (1907), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, fiery rose in centre with a broad, pure white edge. Indian

(a) **'Dhünn'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: G. Arends (1926), N: G. Arends (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. Shrub 0.8m. Arendsii

(a) **'Diablo'** (Syn. of 'Madame Bier')

(a) **'Diablo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Greenwood Gardens (1985) Fls semi-double, bright pinkish red

(a) **'Diablotin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, double, upper (?=inner) corolla purple amaranth red, lower (?=outer) corolla salmon crimson red, merging at centre of flower. Indian

(a) **'Diabolo'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon orange. Knap Hill

(a) **'Diabolo'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: E. de Rothschild (c 1980), N: E. de Rothschild Fls pale yellow. (Solent Group)

(a) **'Diadem'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958) (This is probably the azalea for which J. Veitch received an FCC in 1863)

(a) **'Diadem'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Pericat, I: R.P. Mayo Nurseries, INC: ICRA (1958)

Fls single, with partially petaloid calyx, 50mm wide, salmon orange. Pericat (Has been listed in error as 'Diamen' (cf. Galle, 1987))

(r) **'Diadem'** (Syn. of 'Hachmann's Diadem')

(r) **'Diadem'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a brown eye (Methven); clear pink (Fraser, 1875 as a *caucasicum* hybrid). (Previously listed as from T. Methven & Son (pre 1892); perhaps the 'Diademe' listed by C. Gheldorf, 1844)

(v) **'Diadem'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Duchess of Edinburgh' × *javanicum* R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1889), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange scarlet, tinted carmine

(r) **'Diadema'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown L: C. Vuylsteke (1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls delicate rose

(a) **'Diamant'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte (pre 1844), N: L. van Houtte, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a large, bright carmine blotch. Syn: 'Diamond'. Ghent (van Houtte lists it as a Mollis in 1844)

(a) **Diamant Group** gp Evergreen azalea: 'Multiflorum' (s) × *kiusianum* R: C. Fleischmann, N: C. Fleischmann, I: C. Fleischmann (1969) (Apparently the different colours were not given names by the raiser, merely colour given in brackets. However, those listed here have been used as cultivar names by others)

(r) **'Diamant'** (Syn. of 'Bruns Diamant')

(a) **'Diamant Dunkellila'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Multiflorum' × *kiusianum* L: Galle (1987) Fls small, moderate purple. Syn: 'Dark Lilac Diamond' (Diamant Group; not named by Fleischmann, perhaps an error for another Diamant cultivar)

(a) **'Diamant Enzianblau'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Multiflorum' (s) × *kiusianum* R: C. Fleischmann, N: C. Fleischmann, I: C. Fleischmann (1969) Fls single, 25mm wide, dark lilac. Syn: 'Gentian Blue Diamond' (Diamant Group)

(a) **'Diamant Hellila'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Multiflorum' × *kiusianum* L: Galle (1987) Fls purple. Syn: 'Lilac Diamond' (Diamant Group; not named by Fleischmann, perhaps an error for another Diamant cultivar)

(a) **'Diamant Himmelblau'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Multiflorum' (s) × *kiusianum* R: C. Fleischmann, N: C. Fleischmann, I: C. Fleischmann (1969) Fls single, 25mm wide, pale lilac. Syn: 'Skyblue Diamond' (Diamant Group)

(a) **'Diamant Lachs'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Multiflorum' (s) × *kiusianum* R: C. Fleischmann, N: C. Fleischmann, I: C. Fleischmann (1969) Fls single, 25mm wide, salmon-coloured. Syn: 'Salmon Diamond' (Diamant Group)

(a) **'Diamant Lachsviolett'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Multiflorum' (s) × *kiusianum* R: C. Fleischmann, N: C. Fleischmann, I: C. Fleischmann (1969) Fls single, salmon violet. Syn: 'Salmon Purple Diamond' (Diamant Group)

(a) **'Diamant Purpur'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Multiflorum' (s) × *kiusianum* R: C. Fleischmann, N: C. Fleischmann, I: C. Fleischmann (1969) Fls single, 2-5/truss, 25-30mm wide, deep purplish pink (73A), with faint reddish markings. Syn: 'Purple Diamond' (Diamant Group)

(a) **'Diamant Rosa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Multiflorum' (s) × *kiusianum* R: C. Fleischmann, N: C. Fleischmann, I: C. Fleischmann (1969) Fls 2-5/truss, single, 25-30mm wide, strong purplish pink (55B), with a faint darker blotch. Shrub to 0.3m. Syn: 'Pink Diamond' (Diamant Group)

(a) **'Diamant Rot'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Multiflorum' (s) × *kiusianum* R: C. Fleischmann, N: C. Fleischmann, I: C. Fleischmann (1969) Fls single, 1-3/truss, 20mm wide, vivid purplish red (57B). Shrub to 0.3m. Syn: 'Red Diamond' (Diamant Group)

(a) **'Diamant Violett'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Multiflorum' × *kiusianum* L: Galle (1987) Fls 25mm wide, pale purple. Syn: 'Violet Diamond' (Diamant Group; not named by Fleischmann, perhaps an error for another Diamant cultivar)

(a) **'Diamant Weiss'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kermesinum' × *prinophyllum* R: E.A. Stöckmann (1971), N: E.A. Stöckmann, I: E.A. Stöckmann (1979) Fls single, 2-4/truss, 25-30mm wide, pure white. Syn: 'White Diamond'

(a) **'Diamen'** R: A. Pericat (c 1930), N: R.P. Mayo (An error for 'Diadem')

(a) **'Diamond'** (Syn. of 'Diamant')

(a) **'Diamond'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, blotched crimson. Indian

(r) **'Diamond'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls brilliant scarlet. AM 1896 (Exhibited by J. Veitch & Sons)

(r) **'Diamond Delight'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Si Si' × 'Serendipity' (s) × 'Marypat' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls pale yellow (158D) and moderate orange (171D) in bud, opening pale yellow-green (155A) with dorsal spots of strong greenish yellow (151A) and moderate orange (171C). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Diamond Dot'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1967) (Listed as a parent of 'Red Rosebud')

(v) **'Diamond Jubilee'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *konori* × *zoelleri* H: G.L.S. Snell (1987), G: R. Macdonald (1992), N: R. Macdonald (1992), I: Foothills Nursery (1992), REG: Foothills Nursery (1992) Fls 5/lax truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 80 × 90mm, with 7 smooth-edged and slightly reflexed lobes, inside pale yellow (11C) with deep pink (50B) lobes, outside light yellow (11B). Lvs elliptic, 120 × 65mm, flat, matt green, cuneate at base, apiculate at apex, scaly. Shrub 2.0 × 2.0m. Spring-autumn

(r) **'Diamond Wedding'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *yunnanense* × *davidsonianum* R: A.E. Hardy, N: A.E. Hardy, I: A.E. Hardy (1978), REG: A.E. Hardy (1978) Fls terminal and axillary, forming a round truss of up to 24, broadly funnel-shaped, up to 35 × 60mm, 5-lobed, white, suffused very pale purple (75D), the outside sometimes very light purple (75C), with light spotting of vivid reddish orange (34B) in dorsal throat. Calyx very small, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, up to 67 × 24mm, dark, glossy green above, sparsely scaly above and below. AM 1978

(a) **'Diana'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Knight & Perry (1843), N: Knight & Perry, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose red, dorsal lobes violet, spotted like a pelargonium. Indian

(a) **'Diana'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C. Schulz (pre 1863), N: C. Schulz, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Diana'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Felix & Dijkhuis (1952), N: Felix & Dijkhuis, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, salmon pink. Early. Kurume

(r) **'Diana'** (Syn. of 'Bruns Diana')

(r) **'Diana'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* hybrid R: R.T. Pince (pre 1860), N: R.T. Pince, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c13/compact, domed truss, funnel-shaped, 65-70mm wide, blushed at first ('delicate, pearly lilac blush' Pince cat. c1868), changing to pure white, with a ray of yellowish to reddish brown markings. Syn: 'Diane'

(r) **'Diana'** cv. Parentage unknown: listed as a greenhouse plant L: W. Bull (1891), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with crimped and wavy lobes, delicate blush pink

(r) **'Diana'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1894), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cream white to white

(r) **'Diana Colville'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *yunnanense* hybrid R: N.R. Colville, N: N.R. Colville, REG: N.R. Colville (1967) Fls terminal and axillary, forming a loose, domed, composite truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 25 × 50mm, rose purple (533/2), spotted close to garnet brown (00918/3), the spots shading to paler brown and greenish yellow. Calyx very short. Lvs narrowly obovate, 90 × 40mm, with light brown scales below. PC 1966, *AM 1967, *FCC 1972

(r) **'Diana Pearson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × Glamour Group H: A.F. George (1968), G: A.F. George, N: A.F. George, I: Hydon Nurseries (1980), REG: Hydon Nurseries (1981) Fls 13/globular, compact truss, funnel-shaped, 52 × 60mm, very pale pink, almost white, lightly flushed moderate purplish pink (66D), the two dorsal lobes spotted strong purplish red (60D) in the throat. Lvs 90 × 32mm, mid dull green. Shrub 0.6m. *AM 1980

(a) **'Diana Trask'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Marilyn Kay' (s) × 'Rosanna' H: D.J. Dosser, G: D.J. Dosser, N: D.J. Dosser, REG: D.J. Dosser (1985) Fls hose-in-hose, 2-3/truss, 40 × 70mm, funnel-shaped, vivid red (44A). Lvs elliptic, 40 × 20mm. Shrub 0.6m

(r) **'Diana van Herzeele'** cv. Parentage unknown R: K. van Herzeele (c 1930), I: Kamiel van Herzeele & Zonen (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink

(r) **'Diana von Herze'** (An error for 'Diana van Herzeele')

(r) **'Diane'** (Syn. of 'Diana')

(r) **'Diane'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Lindsay Smith' (s) × *campylocarpum* hybrid H: M. Koster & Sons (1920), G: M. Koster & Sons, N: M. Koster & Sons, I: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 8-10 or more/compact truss, broadly campanulate, 50 × 75mm, light greenish yellow to pale yellow-green (4C-D), with a ray of crimson spots in the throat. Calyx small, fringed with red glands. Lvs elliptic to broadly ovate, 75-130 × 34-72mm, dark glossy green above with impressed veins, hairless. Shrub to 1.9m or more. *AM 1948

(r) **'Diane Beekman'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *macabeanum* × unknown G: J. Beekman, N: J. Beekman, I: J. Beekman, REG: J. Beekman (1980) Fls 16/truss, creamy white. (Grown by J. Beekman from seed obtained from England)

(r) **'Diane Lane'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Midnight' (s) × 'Mrs T.H. Lowinsky' H: N. Sullivan (1986), G: N. Sullivan (1995), N: N. Sullivan (1998), REG: N. Sullivan (1998) Fls 12-14/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 30 × 85mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish purple (72B) in bud, opening inside strong purplish pink (73B) on lobe edges shading inwards to very pale purple (73D), outside very pale purple (73D); large, dark red (187A) flare on dorsal lobe, spreading onto adjacent lobes; stamens rudimentary, no pollen produced. Calyx minute, green. Lvs elliptic, 170 × 60mm, margins decurved, semi-glossy and bullate above, obtuse at base, acute at apex, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.5m in 12 years. Late October (Tasmania)

(r) **'Diane Lux'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Elizabeth Group (s) × 'Unique' H: E.F. Drake (c 1962), G: E.F. Drake, N: Mrs V.A. Lux Jr, I: Mrs V.A. Lux Jr, REG: Mrs V.A. Lux Jr (1981) Fls 12/ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 45 × 50mm, with 5 very wavy-edged

lobes, strong red (53C) in bud, opening strong red (50A), the lobe midveins deep pink (52A) inside and out; corolla fades to light pink (49C). Lvs elliptic, 80 × 35mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base. Shrub 0.45 × 0.8m in 7 years. Mid March-late April

(r) **'Diane Marie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' (s) × 'Cotton Candy' H: M. Stockman (1983), G: M. & H. Stockman (1991), N: M. & H. Stockman, I: M. & H. Stockman (1992), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1992) Fls 13/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 57 × 89mm, with 5(-6) wavy-edged lobes, outside light purple (80C), inside white with light purple (75A) margins - c8mm wide - and throat; moderate purplish red (186A) to almost black spotting on lower part of dorsal lobe; stamens 10, straight, unequal. Calyx 3mm long, dark red. Pedicels 29mm long, green, tinged red. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 89 × 29mm, concave, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, bullate and dark, glossy green above, hairless; petioles 10mm long, brown. Shrub 0.5 × 0.5m in 9 years. Mid May

(r) **'Diane Mouchett-Burns'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ditto' (s) × 'Fawn' (James) × 'Indian Penny' H: R.E. Burns (1984), G: R.E. Burns (1996), N: R.E. Burns (1997), REG: R.E. & F. Burns (1997) Fls 8-10/domed truss, funnel-campanulate, 60 × 75mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (50A) in bud, opening inside pale yellowish pink (36D) with two prominent deep pink (50B) rays in centre of two dorsal lobes; outside light yellow (11B), with strong red (50A) tinging the edges and fading into the lobes. Calyx 40mm long, light yellow (11B), heavily tinged deep pink (50B) outside. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 55mm, margins slightly decurved, rounded at base, broadly acute at apex, glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, moderate yellow-green (146C) below, hairless; new foliage strong red (46A). Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 13 years. Early May

(a) **'Diane Robin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Kurume seedling × unknown H: G. Langdon, G: G. Langdon, N: G. Langdon, I: G. Langdon, REG: G. Langdon (1980) Fls strong purplish pink (55B)

(r) **'Diane Titcomb'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marinus Koster' (s) × Snow Queen Group H: H.L. Larson, G: H.L. Larson, I: H.L. Larson (c 1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 16/truss, 100mm wide, white, edged blush pink. Lvs 160 × 65mm. Shrub to over 1.9m

(a) **'Dianne Hersh'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Mark Bittinger' × 'Eden Y2' R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith Fls 90mm wide, deep purplish pink (68A), with a light blotch of deep purplish pink (66C). Shrub 1.0m in 6 years

(r) **'Dianta'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Evening Glow' (s) × 'Kammer's Ruffles' H: M. Stockman (1972), G: M. & H. Stockman (1981), N: M. & H. Stockman, I: M. & H. Stockman (1992), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1992) Fls 11/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 57 × 89mm, with (5-)6 wavy to very wavy-edged lobes, dark yellowish pink (181D) in bud, opening white with strong greenish yellow (153B) throat and dorsal blotch, the blotch having superimposed moderate yellowish green (138A) spotting, heaviest in dorsal throat; outside tinged moderate purplish pink (65A); stamens 11, white, straight, unequal. Calyx 3mm long, light green. Pedicels 22mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 86 × 32mm, convex, mucronate at apex, rounded at base, glossy dark green above, hairless; petioles 13mm long, light green. Shrub 1.8 × 2.0m in 20 years. Early May (and again in October in most years)

(a) **'Dianthiflorum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *stenopetalum* R: Japan (pre 1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, very regular, 60-70mm wide, flesh rose, striped and spotted maroon brown; sometimes with violet ground corollas. Calyx 20mm long, with long acuminate teeth. Lvs ovate-elliptic, hairy. Erect shrub. Late April-May/June. Hardy. (Sent from Japan by Wiesener (cf *Revue Horticole* 1889, p.391-392); listed by L.van Houtte, 1870)

(r) **'Diar'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright crimson, with dark red markings

(r) **'Dichaites'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* × *neriiflorum* subsp. *neriiflorum* Euchaites Group I: Lord Digby (1953), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **Dicharb Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* (s) × *arboreum* R: E.J.P. Magor (1924), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls apricot

(r) **Dichdiap Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* (s) × *decorum* subsp. *diaprepes* R: E.J.P. Magor (1924), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1938), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Dichrofab'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* (s) × Fabia Group I: G. Reuthe Ltd (1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rich orange

(r) **'Dick'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Dick Cole'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Sweetheart Supreme' R: D.J. Cole (pre 1987), N: D.J. Cole Fls 75mm wide, white, with a brownish blotch and wavy-edged lobes. Late April

(a) **'Dick Crabeth'** (Probably an error for 'Dirk Crabeth')

(r) **'Dickens'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark carmine red, with striking green markings

(r) **'Dickensii'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Dicki'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1984) Fls variegated. Early. (Grown in Germany)

(r) **'Dick Leonard'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* (s) × unknown H: unknown, G: T.R. Leonard (c 1975), N: P. & E.J. Brown, REG: P. & E.J. Brown (1995) Fls 12/ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 60 × 85mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, inside very pale purple (75D), with maroon red rays at the base extending upwards on to dorsal lobe; outside very light purple (75C); stamens 12, curved, unequal; strongly scented. Pedicels 45mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 178 × 70mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, greyish yellow-green (148C) below, hairless; petioles 30mm long, greenish yellow. Shrub 2.7 × 2.4m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Dick Redfield'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' (s) × 'Caroline' (Gable) H: G.A.L. Mehlquist (1962), G: G.A.L. Mehlquist (1970), N: G.A.L. Mehlquist, REG: G.A.L. Mehlquist (1994) Fls 14-18/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 50-60 × 60-80mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, white, tinted lavender at edges and with bright green dots forming a flare on the lower lobe; slightly scented; stamens 10, curved, unequal; pistil curved, style reddish. Calyx very short, green. Pedicels 30-50mm long, reddish. Lvs elliptic, 90-130 × 35-45mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate to rounded at base, glossy dark green above, hairless; petioles 20-25mm long, green. Shrub 3.0 × 2.4m in 12 years. Early June

(r) **'Dickson's Aucklandii'** (Syn. of 'Caerhays'; see also note under 'Daubuzii')

(a) **'Dick West'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kotobuki-hime' (s) × 'Crimson Queen' (azalea) R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls single, 75-90mm wide, with rounded lobes, white, with red markings (as lines, sectors and sanding); some red selfs. Low, spreading shrub. Late May. (First published in Holly Springs cat., 1990)

(a) **'Dicky'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Ambrosianum' I: W.C. Oosterom (1978) Fls vivid purplish red (57C-D), edged white; otherwise similar to 'Ambrosianum'. Indian

(r) **'Dictator'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark crimson, with a cluster of dark spots. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Dictator'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light violet, with dark margins and red-brown markings

(a) **'Dictatrix'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.R. Gowen (1829), N: J.R. Gowen, INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Published in *Botanical Register*, 1830, under t.1366, where two possible parental combinations are discussed)

(r) **'Diderk'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hultschin' (s) × 'Germania' H: J. Wieting (1984), G: J. Wieting (1990), N: J. Wieting (1997), I: D. Heinje, REG: W. Schmalscheidt (2000) Fls 13-20/round, compact truss, open funnel-shaped, 40-58 × 50-85mm, with 5 strongly wavy-edged lobes, violet red in bud, opening inside purplish pink, margin bright purplish pink, light pink towards the centre, base nearly white; brownish markings on a lighter ground; outside intense violet red. Calyx 1-2mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic to oblong-elliptic, 70-180 × 27-72mm, acute at apex, rounded at base, flat, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.7m in 16 years. Late May-early June

(r) **'Dido'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark lilac rose, with greenish yellow spots on a white ground

(r) **Dido Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* (s) × *decorum* I: E.H. Wilding (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange, with a yellow centre. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years

(a) **'Die Fee'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Costantini (1886), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Diego Leon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte (c 1843), N: L. van Houtte, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls snow white, with purple-red spots. Indian

(r) **'Diehard'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Stokes Bronze Wings' (s) × 'America' × 'Ann Rutledge' H: W.E. Delp (1968), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 16/truss, open funnel-shaped, 41 × 57mm, 5-lobed, deep and strong purplish red (61A, 63A) in bud, opening to a blend of strong and vivid purplish red and deep and pale purplish pink (61B-D, 62D), with dark red (59A) spots on 3 dorsal lobes; filaments and style pale purplish pink (62D); anthers moderate orange-yellow (165C); stigma dark red (59A). Lvs 127 × 57mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 24 years. Late June

(a) **'Diemel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: G. Arends (pre 1914), N: G. Arends (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light salmon pink, with reddish brown markings. Arendsii

(r) **'Dieter'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac rose, with darker margins and conspicuous, cherry red marking on a white ground

(r) **'Dietlieb'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright dark red, with darker, almost black marking

(r) **'Dietmar'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright dark red, with darker markings

(r) **'Dietrich'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Milner' (s) × *smirnowii* R: T.J.R. Seidel (c 1894), N: T.J.R. Seidel (1902), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light purplish pink, with pale yellow-brown markings. (Grown from seed sown in 1894)

(a) **'Dieudonné Spae'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: F. Spae, N: F. Spae, I: A. Verschaffelt (1861), INC: ICRA (1958) Variable: pure white or bright rose from middle of the flower up to the margins, with a red ring in the throat and dark carmine red spots; also listed as blush with an irregular white edge (eg J. Veitch & Sons, 1870/71 cat.). (J. Linden (1878) lists it as a rhododendron (fls red, with white centre, spotted): this is either an error or another plant and probably the source of variation in the description)

(a) **'Diffusum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1847), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Digame'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goldsworth Orange' (s) × white-flowered *smirnowii* H: T.L. Ring (1979), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 53 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep and dark red (60A, 59A) in bud, opening to a blend of vivid purplish red (61C) and deep to pale purplish pink (61D, 62B-D), with a light yellow-green (154D) throat and deep greenish yellow (153A) dorsal spots; veins on outside vivid purplish red (61C); filaments and style brilliant yellow-green (154C); anthers brownish orange (165B); stigma deep red (60A). Calyx small, light yellow-green (145B). Lvs 127 × 57mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, with a tan, woolly indumentum. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 13 years. Early June

(r) **'Digger'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tols' (s) × 'Bob As' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls moderate and strong purplish red (64A, 67A) in bud, opening strong and light purplish pink (63C, D), with moderate red (179A) dorsal spots; outside strong purplish red (64C); filaments light purplish pink (63D); style vivid purplish red (57D); anthers deep pink (185D) and white; stigma pale yellow-green (157B). Lvs hairy. (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **Dignity Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Glory of Leonardslee' (s) × *thomsonii* H: Lord Aberconway (1926), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose red.

(a) **'Dilatatum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, rose. (Exhibited by Margottin (France), 1849; cf *Revue Horticole* 3: 152 (1849))

(a) **'Dilectum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1849), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Dilectum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1851), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls brilliant rose. Indian (F. Godwin (1859) attributes this to Ryder)

(r) **'Dilemma'** cv. Parentage unknown H: A. Consolini (pre 1980)

(r) **'Dilly Dally'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group (s) × *mucronulatum* dwarf form H: W.E. Delp (1993), G: W.E. Delp (1995), N: Mrs V. Delp (1995), I: Crystalaire Naturescapes (1999), REG: J.D. Harris (1999) Fls 6/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 35 × 50mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, deep and strong purplish pink (73A-B) in bud, opening inside light purplish pink (73C) and very pale purple (73D), edged with deep and strong purplish pink (73A-B). Lvs elliptic, 50 × 20mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, with no visible indumentum. Shrub 0.9 × 0.75m in 5 years. Late May.

(r) **'Dimidiatum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *callimorphum* (s) × *neriiflorum* G: J.C. Williams (1918), N: Sir IsaacBalfour (1919), INC: ICRA (1958) (A rogue in a batch of seedlings of *callimorphum* raised at Caerhays (Cornwall, UK) by J.C. Williams)

(a) **'Dimity'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Louise' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, 40-50mm wide, white, flaked and striped strong purplish red (58A). Semi-deciduous. Shrub to 1.9m. Mid April. Glenn Dale

(r) **Dimity Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: F.C. Puddle Group (s) × Penjerrick Group H: Lord Aberconway (1932), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose

(a) **'Dimples'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Eri' × lavender sport from 'Indicum Roseum' R: Q.R. Westfall, I: C.R. Brandt (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, variegated. Indian

(a) **'Dimplesy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Burbank Nursery (pre 1987), N: Burbank Nursery Fls hose-in-hose, semi-double, with wavy-edged lobes, pale pink. Indian

(a) **'Dimsdale'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nellie' (s) × 'Opal' H: G.A. Reid (1970), G: G.A. Reid (1975), N: G.A. Reid, I: G.A. Reid (1982), REG: G.A. Reid (1984) Fls hose-in-hose, 3/truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, 5+5-lobed, deep purplish pink (68A), with vivid purplish red (67B) dorsal spotting. Calyx 40mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs narrowly obovate to more-or-less elliptic, 25-40 × 13-20mm, hairy. Shrub 1.0m in 12 years.

(r) **'Dina'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark crimson, with dark markings

(r) **'Dingaling'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: un-named seedling (no. V6019-1) (s) × 'Calsap' H: A.W. Smith, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, deep red (60A) in bud, opening strong purplish red (64B, C) and deep purplish pink (64D), with dark red (187A, B) dorsal spots; anthers white. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Ding Dong'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × *lacteum* R: Sir Edward Bolitho, N: Sir Edward Bolitho (1958), REG: Sir Edward Bolitho (1961) Fls white

(a) **'Dinie Metselaar'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: A.C.H. Metselaar, N: A.C.H. Metselaar, I: A.C.H. Metselaar (c 1966), REG: A.C.H. Metselaar (1969) Fls 13-14/truss, 60-80mm wide, pink (020/2), with a faint yellow blotch. Midseason. Mollis

(a) **'Dink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Linwood Lavender' (s) × 'Mania' H: W.L. Clagett (1991), G: W.L. Clagett (1995), N: W.L. Clagett (2002), I: White's Nursery (2002), REG: W.L. Clagett (2002) Fls hose-in-hose and semi-double to double, 2-3/flat truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 35 × 50mm, 5+5-lobed plus some petaloid stamens, lobes flat-edged, moderate purplish pink (65A) in bud, opening moderate purplish pink (65A) inside and out, with a slight flush of orange at base externally; rose spotting on dorsal lobe which extends on to adjacent lobes. Lvs elliptic, 15 × 10mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (146A) above, with very fine, light-coloured hairs above and below. A very floriferous, heat-tolerant shrub, 0.2 × 0.3m in 8 years. Late June

(r) **'Dinky Doo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mochica Moon' × *aberconwayi* H: I.A. Hayes (1979), G: I.A. Hayes (1987), N: Mrs B. Hayes, REG: I.A. Hayes (1987) Fls 7/truss, open campanulate, 35 × 50mm, 5-lobed, white, without spots. Lvs elliptic, 35 × 20mm. Shrub 17 × 10cm. April-May

(r) **'Dinorah'** cv. Parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls amaranth red, with black blotches. (Waterers (Bagshot) listed a plant with this name in 1865, described as having purple flowers with a white spot.Perhaps the same plant)

(a) **'Dinos'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: O. Stahnke & E. Dettmer (pre 1996), N: O. Stahnke & E. Dettmer

(r) **'Dinty Moores'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Purple Splendour' H: R.C. Rhodes, G: M. Wildfong & R. Behring, I: R. Behring (1980), REG: R. Behring (1983) Fls 15-17/truss, 45 × 50mm, broadly funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, light purple (80D) in bud, opening white, with heavy dorsal spotting of dark red (59A). Calyx 3mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 80-120 × 30-40mm, moderate olive green (137A)above, with a patchy, reddish brown/golden indumentum below. Shrub 0.5m in 7 years

(r) **'Diny Dee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Lammot Copeland' (s) × un-named, late, deep yellow H: H.L. Larson (1969), G: J.A. Davis (1976), N: J.A. Davis, I: J.A. Davis (1982), REG: J.A. Davis (1986) Fls 9-12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish orange (34B) in bud, opening brilliant yellow (13B), with two brown rays below the dorsal lobe sinuses; flower has orange in its colour at first, later changing to a deep gold. Calyx very short. Lvs more-or-less elliptic, 100-125 × 45-55mm, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.0m in 12 years. Mid May. (First published in error as 'Dinny Dee'; see *Rhododendrons 1986-7* (1986) p.84)

(a) **'Diogenes'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pink shading to cream

(r) **Diogenes Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Red Argenteum Group (s) × *calophytum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large trusses, campanulate, creamy pink, with a deep red blotch. Lvs similar to *calophytum*. Large shrub. April

(r) **'Dione'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R.T. Pince (pre 1868), N: R.T. Pince, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, rosy lilac, with a well-marked eye. (First published in Lucombe, Pince & Co. cat., c1868)

(r) **Dione Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *neriiflorum* (s) × Cornsutch Group R: E.J.P. Magor (1924), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine lake

(a) **'Diorama'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *viscosum* × 'Koster's Brilliant Red' × 'Fireglow' H: Boskoop (pre 1971), G: Boskoop, N: Boskoop, I: Boskoop, REG: Boskoop (1979) Fls 9-12/truss, 50-60mm wide, blood red (820/3); scented. Lvs elliptic, 40-60 × 20-30mm. Mid to late

(r) **'Diphole Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1916), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10-20/conical to broadly rounded, dense truss, 50-80mm wide, pure pink, with brownish yellow to brownish red markings on the dorsal lobe. Late May-mid June. AM 1916

(r) **'Diploma'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* H: J.B. Gable (pre 1972), N: J.C. Wister Fls white

(r) **'Diplomat'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Danik-Stokes Dash' (s) × 'Mars' × 'America' H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 17/truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 75mm, 5-lobed, deep purplish red (71A) and dark red (59A) in bud, opening to a blend of strong purplish red (71B-D) and very light and pale purple (75C, D), with a white flare and dark red (59A) dorsal spots; filaments vivid purplish red (57D); style vivid red (57A); anthers moderate orange (166D); stigma dark red (187A). Lvs 121 × 57mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.4m in 18 years. Early June

(r) **'Dippe'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light violet, with dark margins and green markings and a light throat on a paler ground

(r) **'Dipsy Doodle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Delp's Red Max' (s) × (*aureum* × *maximum*) no. 1 H: W.E. Delp (1987), G: W.E. Delp (1990), N: Mrs V. Delp (1990), I: Crystalaire Naturescapes (1999), REG: R.D. Harris (1999) Fls 18/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, c45 × 60mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, a blend of strong and vivid purplish red (67A-B), deep purplish pink (67C) and white in bud, opening white and very pale purple (69D), edged 67A-C and with dark greenish yellow (152D) dorsal spots. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 50mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins decurved, dull and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 10 years. Early July. (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(a) **'Dir. C. Ohrt'** (Probably a synonym of 'Garteninspector C. Ohrt')

(a) **'Directeur A. Hardy'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: J.J. Moser (pre 1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange. Mollis

(a) **'Directeur Augustin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark red, with a big black blotch. Indian

(a) **'Directeur Charles Baumann'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, vermilion, with a yellow blotch. Late. Syn: 'Doctor Charles Baumann', 'Charles Baumann', 'Anna Louise'. Ghent (May be a syn. of 'Julda Schipp')

(r) **'Directeur Dorsman'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Wilgen's Ruby' × May Day Group R: Boskoop (pre 1970), N: Boskoop, I: Boskoop, REG: Boskoop (1979) Fls 6-10/truss, funnel-shaped, 60-70mm wide, moderate red (47A), with a few darker spots; stamens absent or malformed. Lvs elliptic, 80-110mm long, with light brown hairs below

(a) **'Directeur Moerlands'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Anthony Koster' hybrid R: T. Vuyk & Son (pre 1954), I: P.L. Binken (pre 1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, chinese white in bud, opening strong yellow, with a darker throat and faint, olive brown spotting. Syn: 'Golden Sunlight'. Mollis

(r) **'Directeur Moerlands'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* × unknown R: H. den Ouden & Son, N: H. den Ouden & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson

(az) **'Directeur Rodigas'** cv. Azaleodendron: *molle* subsp. *japonicum* × either 'Prince Camille de Rohan' or 'Leopardii' R: G. van der Meulen (pre 1892), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light rose, tinted dark pink, with numerous brown spots on 3 dorsal lobes. AM 1900

(r) **'Directeur Thelemann'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from 'Pardoloton' L: A. Verschaffelt (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rose. (J. Linden cat., (1878/9) attributes it to Verschaffelt; must have originated pre 1852 (first known listing of parent))

(r) **'Director Glockmer'** (An error for 'Gartendirektor Glocker')

(a) **'Director Redtel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: F. Schneider (1863), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Direkteur van Slycken'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Belgium (pre 1988), N: Belgium

(r) **'Direktor E. Hjelm'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* hybrid R: D.A. Koster (pre 1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark carmine rose, with a bronze blotch. Lvs broadly ovate. Large shrub. (Sometimes listed without the middle initial)

(r) **'Direktor Siebert'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Charlie Waterer' (s) × 'Pink Pearl' R: D.A. Koster (pre 1907), N: D.A. Koster (1911), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in compact, pyramidal trusses, campanulate, pale carmine red. (Published in *Möllers Deutsche Gärtner-Zeitung* no. 27 (1911))

(a) **'Dirk Bosch'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Pink Dream' I: Fr. A. Maarse (1968) Fls strong purplish pink (68B); otherwise similar to 'Pink Dream'. Syn: 'Jan Bosch', 'Red Dream'. Indian

(a) **'Dirk Crabeth'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Koster & Co. (pre 1896), N: Koster & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with an insignificant blotch. Mollis

(r) **'Disca'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × 'Caroline' R: J.B. Gable (c 1938), N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable (c 1944), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large, domed trusses, 100mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, white, tinged pink; scented. Lvs large. Shrub under 1.9m

(a) **'Disco Dancer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ungetsu-no-hikari' (s) × 'Dorothy Clark' R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls double, hose-in-hose or single, with up to 15 narrow, strap-like lobes, 65mm wide, coral red. Shrub 0.6 × 0.9m. Late May. (First published in Holly Springs cat., 1990)

(a) **'Discolor'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1823), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as "Nudiflora Discolor")

(r) **'Discora'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Edward S. Rand' × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* R: H. Robenek (1947-1948), N: W. Schmalscheidt (1990) Fls 9-21/compact, conical truss, 50-80mm wide, dark rose outside, inside pale rose with an almost white centre, with reddish yellow to brownish red, streaked marking. Early-mid June

(r) **'Discretion'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × Fred Wynniatt Group H: R.J.R. Drayson (1979), G: Harkwood Acres (1986), N: Mrs A.J.A. Drayson, REG: R.J.R. & Mrs A.J.A. Drayson (1987) Fls 10-12/truss, open campanulate, 55 × 98mm, 7-lobed, pale purplish pink (65D) in bud, opening pale

purplish pink (62D) in centre of lobes, moderate purplish pink (68C) at edges, flare in dorsal throat brilliant yellow (7B). Calyx 1mm long, strong yellow-green (145A). Lvs lanceolate, 124 × 39mm, moderate olive green (146A & 147A), with a moderate orange-yellow (164C) indumentum on young foliage. Shrub 0.63 × 0.70m in 8 years. Late April

(r) **'Display'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: possibly a *fortunei* hybrid H: R.J. Kersey (1960), G: Mrs H.A. Frederick, Jr (1967), N: Mrs H.A. Frederick, Jr, I: Mrs H.A. Frederick, Jr (1975), REG: Mrs H.A. Frederick, Jr (1975) Fls 10-12/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 75 × 100mm, 7-lobed, strong purplish pink (73B), throat with a deep-set brownish green blotch becoming buff yellow rays towards lobes; buds and outside darker; scented. Calyx 7mm long. Lvs elliptic, 140-150 × 75mm, moderate yellow-green (146B), hairless; new growth with wine-coloured bracts. Shrub 1.6 × 3.0m in 15 years. Early-mid May

(a) **'Distinction'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Ivery (1861), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon red, edged white, with a big carmine red blotch on dorsal lobes. Indian (Perhaps the same plant listed by J. Verschaffelt, 1860)

(r) **'Distinction'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campanulatum* hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot) (c 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light rosy crimson, spotted

(r) **'Distinction'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rich plum colour, with a gold eye

(r) **'Distincto'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ben Moseley' (s) × 'Besse Howells' H: D.L. Hinerman (1975), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 14/truss, open funnel-shaped, 64 × 90mm, with 5-6 very wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish red (61A) and strong and light purplish pink (63C-D) in bud, opening very pale purple (73D), edged heavily with light reddish purple and moderate purplish pink (74C-D), with a brilliant yellow-green (154B) flare and strong yellow-green (144C) spots on 3 dorsal lobes; filaments light purplish pink (63D); style pale yellow-green (155A); anthers dark reddish orange (173A); stigma strong purplish red (60B). Lvs 115 × 45mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.4m in 17 years. Early June

(a) **'Distinctum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1852), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Ditto'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group × *yakushimanum* (s) × 'C.I.S.' H: A.A. Childers (1964), G: A.A. Childers, I: A.A. Childers (1981), REG: A.A. Childers (1983) Fls 5-7/truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 90mm, 5-lobed, vivid reddish orange (42A) in bud, opening pale orange-yellow (19D), overlaid and marbled deep to moderate yellowish pink (39B-D), throat pale yellow (11C), unmarked. Calyx 48-54mm long, coloured as corolla, but more overlay externally. Lvs narrowly oblong to narrowly elliptic, 105 × 40mm, moderate olive green (137A-B) above, with vestigial indumentum below. Shrub c0.6m in 16 years

(r) **'Ditto's Mom'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group × *yakushimanum* × 'C.I.S.' N: F.E. Burns (pre 1992)

(r) **'Diva'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Diva'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Ladybird Group (s) × *griersonianum* H: L. de Rothschild, G: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in spherical trusses, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, deep pink (almost red), speckled brown. Lvs with a brown indumentum below. June. AM 1937 (Diva Group)

(r) **Diva Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Ladybird Group (s) × *griersonianum* H: L. de Rothschild, G: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1936), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Divaricatum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Diversum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Divinity'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Dimity' R: unknown (pre 1980) Fls red self

(a) **'Dixie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably a selection from *simsii* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 2-3/truss, 65mm wide, rose dorée, with a tyrian rose blotch; stamens 10. Early. Indian

(a) **'Dixie Beauty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls purple. Late

(a) **'Dixie Red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: D. Pender, Jr (pre 1987), N: D. Pender, Jr Fls 55-65mm wide, vivid purplish red. Shrub 1.2-1.9m. Midseason

(a) **'Dixie Rhythm'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Morning Glow' × 'Kathleen' R: N.Carolina/Louisiana State University (pre 1981), N: N.Carolina/Louisiana State University Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, 75-100mm wide, deep purplish pink (55A). Lvs more-or-less glossy green. Small, spreading shrub

(a) **'Dixie Rose'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Morning Glow' × 'Kathleen' R: N.Carolina/Louisiana State University (pre 1981), N: N.Carolina/Louisiana State University Fls double, up to 100 wide, deep purplish pink (55A), with a faint blotch. Lvs glossy green, occasionally variegated with light blotches. Small, spreading shrub

(r) **'Dix' Pride'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: A.A. Childers (c 1966), G: A.A. Childers (c 1972), N: D. Hamlin (1973), REG: F.E. Burns (2000)

Fls 12/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 60 × 100mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, very light purple (75C) in bud, opening inside pale yellow-green (155A) shading to very light purple (75C) at margins; outside white (155D) shading to very light purple (75C) at margins; unmarked; anthers brown; strongly scented. Calyx c1.5mm long, brilliant yellow-green (150A). Lvs elliptic, 170 × 60mm, acute at apex, rounded at base, margins upcurved but leaf slightly downcurved longitudinally, dull and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 2.4 × 1.8m in 20 years. Early-mid May

(r) **'Dixy Lee Ray'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Zuiderzee' (s) × 'Naomi Pink Beauty' H: H.L. Larson (1958), G: H.L. Larson, N: H.L. Larson, I: H.L. Larson, REG: H.L. Larson (1979) Fls up to 17/truss, 115mm wide, with 7wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (68C), with slight dorsal spotting of strong yellowish pink (37B), throat and centre of lobes yellowish white (155B); buds deep purplish pink (67C). Lvs elliptic, 125 ×65mm, glossy. Shrub 2.1 × 2.1m in 18 years. LateApril

(r) **'Django'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Abendglut' (s) × *brachycarpum* (as subsp. *tigerstedtii*) H: H. Hachmann (1985), G: H. Hachmann (1991), N: H. Hachmann (1995), I: H. Hachmann (1998), REG: G. Stück (1999) Fls 11-13/rather lax truss, funnel-campanulate, 45 × 65-70mm, with 5 strongly wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53B/C) inside and out, colour not fading in the sun; dorsal lobe with sparse, dark red (187B), dorsal spotting; stamens 10, filaments light yellowish pink (38C/D) with white hairs below, anthers moderate orange (167B/C); style strong/moderate pink (49A/B), stigma deep red (53A). Calyx 1-2mm long, strong red (53B). Lvs elliptic, 110 × 45mm, flat, matt green above, with sparse hairs below. Shrub 0.9 × 1.3m in 10 years. Early-late May. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1998-2000 (1998), plus colour photograph)

(r) **'D.J. Dosser's Choice'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Elissa' (s) × 'Loderi Titan' H: D.J. Dosser (1990), G: D.J. Dosser (1996), N: D.J. Dosser (1997), REG: D.J. Dosser (1997) Fls 14/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 64 × 127mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, very light purple (75C) in bud, opening inside very light purple (75C), outside turning to white; vivid purplish red (57C) spots on the dorsal lobe. Lvs narrowly ovate, 231 × 65mm, margins decurved, acute at apex, obtuse at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 0.8m in 7 years. November (Australia)

(a) **'D.J.O.'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Gumpo Pink' × 'Hexe' R: J. Branigan (pre 1987), N: J. Branigan Fls hose-in-hose, 30-40mm wide, strong red (45D). Dwarf, compact habit. Midseason. Satsuki (Good for forcing)

(a) **'D. Koninck'** (Syn. of 'Fred. de Coninck')

(a) **'Doberlug'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Eri' I: E. Herrmann (1928) Fls deep pink (47D), edged white; young branches light pink. Syn: 'Herrmann's Eri'. Indian (Not named until 1963)

(r) **'Doberluger Weisse'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Madame Carvalho' (s) × 'Humboldt' R: E. Herrmann (1964), N: W Schmalscheidt, I: E. Herrmann (1977) Fls 10-19/compact, broadly rounded truss, 45-60mm wide, pure white, with a lilac tint on opening, with striking greenish yellow markings. Late May-early June

(r) **'Doc'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanun* × 'Corona' R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1970), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1970) Fls 9/globular truss, funnel-shaped, 30 × 40mm, with wavy-edged lobes, delicately shaded very pale purplish pink on opening, fading to white with age, dorsal spotting greenish brown. Lvs 80 × 40mm, mid dull green. Shrub 0.7 × 0.9m. *HC 1978

(a) **'Doc Fleming'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Nadine' I: O.S. Pride (1956), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright reddish purple

(a) **'Docteur Auguste Cambier'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte (pre 1875), N: L. van Houtte, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon red, tinted violet, with an orange blotch. Ghent

(a) **'Docteur Augustin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: E.F. André (1864), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet rose, tinted salmon, spotted with red-brown. Indian (A. van Geert (1874) attributes this to Rinz)

(a) **'Docteur Bergmann'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. de Kneef (1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, 70mm wide, carmine orange, with a purple blotch. Indian

(a) **'Docteur Bergmann Albus'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport of the 'Docteur Bergmann' series I: G.J. Bier & Sons (1953), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double (with an average of 3 stamens), white, with a few spots. Indian

(a) **'Docteur Bergmann Saumoneus'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Docteur Bergmann' I: Bullens & van Gele (1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls strong pink (52D), with a fading edge of pale purplish pink (55D) and a sharply outlined blotch; otherwise similar to parent. Syn: 'Madame Auguste Moreux'. Indian

(a) **'Docteur Binet'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Verschaffelt (1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rose salmon, with A-shaped marks on the dorsal lobes. Indian

(a) **'Docteur Boerhaave'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, 100-120mm wide, deep orange

(a) **'Docteur de Mil'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1879), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark red, with a heavy chestnut brown blotch and wavy-edged lobes; fls star-like in form. Indian

(a) **'Docteur Falk'** (See note under 'Doktor Falck')

(a) **'Docteur Léon Vignes'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: L. van Houtte

(1871), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, light yellow, spotted orange. Mollis

(a) **'Docteur Pasteur'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: M. Koster & Sons (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange, tinted rose, with a purple-red blotch. Mollis

(a) **'Docteur Redler'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1866), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Verschaffelt credits it to J. Rinz, so it is probably correctly 'Doktor Redler')

(a) **'Docteur Remouchamps'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, bright red, with wavy-edged lobes

(a) **'Docteur Sven Hedin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Julius Roehrs' × 'Mémoire de Louis van Houtte' I: R. de Meyer (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, strong to vivid red (46A-B). Calyx normal, green. Indian

(a) **'Docteur van der Haegen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, carmine rose. Indian

(a) **'Docteur van Hove'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, light rose, with a yellowish blotch. Calyx normal, green. Indian

(a) **'Docteur van Hove Red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Docteur van Hove' R: unknown (pre 1966) Fls deep pink (50B); otherwise similar to parent. Indian (Imported to Belgium in 1966)

(r) **'Doc Tolstead'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × unknown H: F.W. Schumacher (1958), G: W.L. Tolstead (1966), N: O. Prycl (1992), REG: O. Prycl (1992) Fls 15/truss, saucer-shaped, 60 × 90mm, 7-lobed, strong purplish red (63B) with a red flare, 15 × 15mm, on dorsal lobe. Calyx 3.5mm long, white. Lvs narrowly obovate to oblanceolate, 160 × 75mm. Shrub 1.8 × 1.4m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Doctor A. Blok'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pink Pearl' (s) × *catawbiense* hybrid R: L.J. Endtz & Co. (pre 1935), N: L.J. Endtz & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light rose, with a paler centre and a pale yellow blotch. Lvs matt green. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. AM 1937 Syn: 'Doctor O. Blok'

(a) **'Doctor Alderfer'** (Syn. of 'Doctor Curtis Alderfer')

(a) **'Doctor Alex Garrett'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Mrs Villars' × 'Chanson' × unknown R: J. & D. Garrett (pre 1987), N: J. & D. Garrett Fls 80mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, pink/white variegation, with a faint blotch. Late

(r) **'Doctor Allen Roses'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × *sutchuenense* (s) × Lodauric Group × 'Cadis' H: R.L. Means (1983), G: R.L. Means (1988), N: R.L. Means (1996), I: Yadkin Valley Nursery Co., REG: R.L. Means (1996) Fls 11/conical truss (form several buds), broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 100mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish purple (70B) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (70C) at margins, shading to very pale purple (69C) in centre, with sparse, light olive (152B) spotting at base of dorsal lobe. Calyx very small. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 50mm, with upcurved margins, rounded at base, broadly acute at apex, dull, moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 13 years. Mid May

(r) **'Doctor Ans Heyting'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goldsworth Orange' × 'Stanley Davies' R: Boskoop (pre 1981), N: Boskoop, I: Boskoop, REG: Boskoop (1982) Fls 12-14/loose truss, 70-85mm wide, deep salmon pink (020/1-0022 & 619), with an orange-brown blotch. Lvs elliptic, (70-)90-120(-140)x30-45mm, dull green

(a) **'Doctor A. Plesman'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Felix & Dijkhuis (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, vivid reddish orange, with an orange blotch. Mollis

(a) **'Doctor Arnold'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Camiel de Conning' × 'Pink Dream' I: K. Glaser (c 1960) Fls semi-double (average of 2 stamens/fl), moderate purplish pink (66D). Calyx normal, green. Early. (Parentage is as given by K. Glaser. The female parent is perhaps a corruption of 'Emil de Coninck'; 'Vervaeneanum' is sometimes given in its place (*e.g.* Galle, 1985))

(a) **'Doctor Arnold'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Pink Dream' R: Camellia Grove Nursery (pre 1978), N: Camellia Grove Nursery Fls single, rose pink. (May be the same plant as associated with Glaser under this name)

(r) **'Doctor Arnold W. Endtz'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pink Pearl' (s) × *catawbiense* hybrid R: L.J. Endtz & Co. (pre 1927), N: L.J. Endtz & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine, with wavy-edged lobes. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Doctor Art Harris'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *macrophyllum* (s) × *R.* × *geraldii* H: A.K. Harris (pre 1962), G: D.W. Goheen (pre 1975), N: D.W. Goheen, I: C. Hoffman (1994), REG: D.W. Goheen (1994) Fls 18-20/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 56 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (68D) in bud, opening light purplish pink (68D) with a prominent deep purplish red (71A) blotch extending up from throat and grading into light purple (76A) spots on dorsal lobes; outside deep purplish pink (68A); stamens 10-12, straight; slightly scented. Calyx minute, vivid purplish red (66A). Pedicels 38mm long, vivid purplish red (66A). Lvs narrowly oblong to elliptic, 229 × 64-76mm, concave, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull moderate yellowish green (139B) above, moderate yellow-green (138B) below, hairless; petioles 25mm long, flat, strong yellow-green (144C). Shrub 4.3 × 2.1m in 30 years. Early April

(a) **'Doctor Arthur Pearsall'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nancy of Robinhill' × 'Robin Hill Palmyra' R: R.D. Gartrell, N: Cripple Creek Nursery (c 1984) Fls 90mm wide, with broad, overlapping lobes, strong pink (48D). Some other parts petaloid. Very late

(a) **'Doctor Asa Gray'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: S.B. Parsons (pre 1906), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Doctor Benesj'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Felix & Dijkhuis (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, vivid reddish orange, with an orange blotch. Mollis

(r) **'Doctor Bess'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' × 'Mars' H: J.B. Gable (pre 1972) Fls dusty rose. (H.R. Yates may also have been involved in the raising of this cultivar)

(r) **'Doctor Birdbath'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Goldstrike' (s) × *cinnabarinum* subsp. *xanthocodon* H: C.G. Heller (1967), G: C.G. Heller (1980), N: C.G. Heller, I: C.G. Heller, REG: C.G. Heller (1980) Fls 8/lax truss, tubular-campanulate, 50 × 40mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, light yellow (20B), with faint dorsal spotting; outside suffused strong-yellow (24B) on the dorsal lobe. Calyx negligible. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 70 × 30mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, with closely-spaced, tan to golden brown scales. Shrub 1.9 × 1.2m in 12 years. Mid April

(a) **'Doctor Bittinger'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid R: W.D. Smith (pre 1982), N: W.D. Smith (pre 1982) Fls single, up to 4/truss, 80mm wide, pure white. (See *The Azalean* 4 (1):2 (1982) for notes on parentage)

(r) **'Doctor Bonar Buffam'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* subsp. *delavayi* × *barbatum* H: E. Weesjes (1970), G: M. Buffam (1980), N: M. Buffam, I: M. Buffam (1992), REG: M. Buffam (1992) Fls up to 20/ball truss, campanulate, 64 × 64mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, vivid red (45B); stamens 10, unequal; style red. Calyx 3mm long, dark green. Pedicels 25mm long, orange-red. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 165 × 64mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dark green and hairless above, with a felt-like indumentum below which starts greenish tan and ages to dark tan; petioles 25mm long, green, hairy. Shrub 1.1 × 0.9m in 6 years. March-April

(r) **'Doctor Bowman'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *arboreum*, grown from KW 21976 R: C. Tuomala, N: C. Tuomala, I: E. Philp (1977), REG: C. Tuomala (1984) Fls 12/truss, campanulate, 40 × 36mm, 5-lobed, dark red (187A) in bud, opening strong red (53B) with dark purple (79A) nectaries. Calyx 3mm long, deep purplish pink (54B). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 80-90 × 28mm, with heavy, light yellowish pink (159A) indumentum below

(r) **'Doctor Brian Saunders'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *calophytum* G: H. Vaartnou (1976), S: H. Vaartnou (1963), N: H. Vaartnou, REG: H. Vaartnou (1994) Fls up to 20/ball truss, oblique-campanulate, 64 × 76mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, pink in bud, opening yellowish white (155D) with a central maroon blotch; stamens 18-20, curved, unequal; style large, yellow. Calyx 1mm long, pink. Pedicels 64mm long, pink. Lvs very narrowly elliptic, 305 × 89mm, flat/convex, acute at apex, oblique at base, hairless; petioles 25mm long, greenish. Shrub 3.7 × 3.0m in 25 years. March

(r) **'Doctor Bruce Bradley'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Blondie' × 'Powell Glass' H: O.S. Pride (pre 1970), G: O.S. Pride, N: O.S. Pride Fls light yellow

(a) **'Doctor Charles Baumann'** (An incorrect expansion of Dr Charles Baumann', see correctly 'Directeur Charles Baumann')

(r) **'Doctor C.H. Felix'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marion' (s) × 'C.S. Sargent' R: Felix & Dijkhuis (1951), N: Felix & Dijkhuis, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls fuchsine pink, with a green blotch on a white ground

(a) **'Doctor Clarence Lewis'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: O.S. Pride (pre 1987), N: O.S. Pride Fls pink

(a) **'Doctor Corliss'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid R: W.D. Smith (pre 1982), N: W.D. Smith Fls single, 75mm wide, white. (See *The Azalean* 4 (1):2 (1982) for notes on parentage)

(a) **'Doctor Cribbs'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Stokes (pre 1969), N: W.E. Stokes

(a) **'Doctor Curtis Alderfer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Crimson King' × 'Koenig' R: G.A. Reid, I: Fischer Greenhouses (pre 1975) Fls semi-double, 70mm wide, brilliant red. Shrub 0.4 × 0.3m in 3 years. (Sometimes listed as 'Doctor Alderfer' or 'Doctor Curtis Aldifer')

(a) **'Doctor Curtis Aldifer'** (Syn. of 'Doctor Curtis Alderfer')

(r) **'Doctor Denis Percell'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* × Leo Group H: Col. & Mrs R.H. Goodrich (1971), G: Col. & Mrs R.H. Goodrich (1977), N: Col. & Mrs R.H. Goodrich, REG: Col. & Mrs R.H. Goodrich (1988) Fls 16/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53C shading to 53D at centre), with a deep red (53A) blotch (20 × 25mm) on dorsal lobe. Calyx minute. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 50mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, with a rusty brown, felt-like indumentum on young leaves only. Shrub 2.1 × 1.8m in 16 years. Late May

(r) **'Doctor D. Mil'** (Syn. of 'Doctor Mil')

(a) **'Doctor D. Moore'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1873), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, intense rose, tinged white-purple. Syn: 'Doctor Moore'. Indian

(r) **'Doctor Don'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: derived from hybrids involving mainly *fortunei* & *catawbiense* H: W.L. Tolstead (1985), G: W.L. Tolstead (1992), N: W.L. Tolstead, REG: W.L. Tolstead (1992) Fls 15-20/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 50-70 × 50-70mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, strong purplish red (7.5RP 5/12), with dark red spots on a yellow ground on dorsal lobe and some dark red spotting on all other lobes; stamens 10, curved. Pedicels 15mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 45mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless; petioles 10mm long, green. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 7 years. Late May

(a) **'Doctor E.A. Merritt'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably a *mucronatum* hybrid H: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt (c 1947), I: E.A. Merritt (c 1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink (47C). Calyx lobes 17mm long. Syn: 'China'

(r) **'Doctor Elton Trueblood'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tom Everett' (s) × 'Joe Brooks' H: E.H. Yelton (1970), G: J. Todd (1978), N: J. Todd, I: J. Todd (1981), REG: J. Todd (1986) Fls up to 12/slightly lax, ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 57 × 89mm, with up to 7 wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (56D), fading to cream white and with 6-7 yellow rays in the throat; outside pale purplish pink (56A); scented. Calyx minute, green. Lvs elliptic, 127 × 51mm, glossy, moderate olive green (137B-146A) above, moderate yellow-green (147C) below, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.2m in 14 years. Mid May

(v) **'Doctor Evans'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lochiae* × *zoelleri* R: Evans (pre 1983)

(r) **'Doctor Ferguson'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T. Methven & Son (pre 1890), N: T. Methven & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls reddish purple

(a) **'Doctor Franklin West'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: G.A. Reid (1966), G: G.A. Reid (1971), N: G.A. Reid, I: G.A. Reid (1976), REG: G.A. Reid (1977) Fls double, 2-3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 25 × 65mm, deep yellowish pink (46D), with a purple blotch and darker spots on the dorsal lobes. Calyx c8mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly obovate, 40 × 20mm, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.35 × 0.4m in 4 years. Late May

(r) **'Doctor Frederick Serbin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Yellow-flowered *fortunei* hybrid ex Greig (s) × 'Goldsworth Orange' H: A.F. Serbin (1971), G: G.A.L. Mehlquist (1976), N: G.A.L. Mehlquist, REG: G.A.L. Mehlquist (1994) Fls 8-12/lax, domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 60 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, brilliant and light greenish yellow to pale yellow-green (4A-D); stamens 10-12, straight, unequal; slightly scented. Calyx 5-lobed, 3 lobes very short, 2 lobes 15mm long, yellow. Pedicels 30mm long, reddish. Lvs elliptic, 75-85 × 35-50mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, glossy dark green above, hairless; petioles 12-20mm long, green. Shrub 0.75 × 0.8m in 15 years. Mid May

(a) **'Doctor Fred Vines'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Chiyodanishiki' (s) × 'Juko' R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls 2/truss, single, 65-75mm wide, white, flushed green, with heavy red sanding. Early June. (First published in Holly Springs cat., 1990)

(a) **'Doctor Glaser'** (See 'Doktor Glaser')

(r) **'Doctor Harold Senn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *arboreum* G: H. Senn (1992), N: H. Senn, REG: H. Vaartnou (1995) Fls 12/ball truss, tubular-campanulate, 50 × 65mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, strong red (50A); stamens 10, straight, unequal; slightly scented. Calyx rim-like, greenish. Pedicels 13mm long, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 152 × 44mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless above, with a felted indumentum below - grey at first and ageing to orange; petioles 13mm long, green. Shrub 2.1 × 1.2m in 15 years. March. (Seed obtained 1980)

(r) **'Doctor H.B. Reid'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a *fortunei* hybrid R: C. Reid (pre 1947) Fls 18-21/truss, 50-65mm wide, strong purplish red (64B). Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m

(r) **'Doctor H.C. Dresselhuys'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Atrosanguineum' (s) × 'Doncaster' R: H. den Ouden & Son (1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c21/conical truss, funnel-shaped, 55 × 65mm, light purplish crimson, with olive green markings & shaded blood red on ridges outside. Calyx small. Lvs 135 × 50mm, dull, deep green above, minutely downy below. Shrub over 3.0m

(a) **'Doctor H. Colyn'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Felix & Dijkhuis (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, strong orange-yellow, with a yellow blotch. Mollis

(a) **'Doctor Henry Schroeder'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Mildred Mae' × 'Avalanche' (Kurume) H: H.R. Schroeder (1973), G: S. Schroeder (1978), N: S. Schroeder, I: S. Schroeder (1986), REG: S. Schroeder (1986) Fls single, open funnel-campanulate, 51 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (55B), with a narrow edging of dark rose and light brown spotting on lower part of dorsal lobe. Calyx 12mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 76 × 25mm, dull, dark green above, light green below, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.45m in 10 years. Mid April. Syn: 'Dr H.R. Schroeder'

(r) **'Doctor Henry Wade'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* × *griersonianum* R: Mrs H. Wade, N: Mrs H. Wade, REG: Mrs H. Wade (1971) Fls lilac pink, with deeper edging and markings

(v) **'Doctor Herman Sleumer'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *konori* var. *phaeopeplum* × *zoelleri* G: T. Lelliott (1965), N: T. Lelliott, REG: T. Lelliott (1971) Fls 6/truss, tubular, with 5-6 flaring lobes, moderate to strong red (47A-B), fading to creamy white in throat and to green deep at base of throat, outside of tube creamy white; anthers dark; strongly carnation-scented. Shrub

1.0m. Best flushes October-January, April-June (Australia). (Seed collected by Dr Sleumer in West Irian)

(r) **'Doctor Herman Vaartnou'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *lacteum* hybrid (s) × *macabeanum* (Lord Stair's form) H: E. Weesjes (1978), G: E. & K.N. Weesjes (1994), N: E. & K.N. Weesjes (1996), REG: E. & K.N. Weesjes (1996) Fls 21/domed truss, ventricose-campanulate, 65 × 70mm, with 8 wavy-edged lobes, pale greenish yellow (2D) in bud, opening pale yellow-green (155A) inside, with a short, circular, moderate purplish red (59C) flare in the throat; outside pale yellow-green (4D). Calyx 3mm long, pale cream. Lvs elliptic, 330 × 150mm, flat, rounded at base, broadly acute at apex, dark green and semi-glossy above, with hairs below (whitish at first, becoming light yellowish brown). Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 18 years. Late March

(r) **'Doctor H.J. Lovink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Atrosanguineum' (s) × 'Doncaster' R: H. den Ouden & Son (pre 1924), N: H. den Ouden & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large trusses, aniline red, with a red-brown blotch. (Similar to 'Doctor H.C. Dresselhuys')

(r) **'Doctor H.J. Rutgers'** (An error for 'Doctor V.H. Rutgers')

(r) **'Doctor Hogg'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose, with a large blotch of spots. Hardy Hybrid (Exhibited by Standish, 1862)

(r) **'Doctor Hooker'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy purple, with a white throat, spotted

(a) **'Doctor H.R. Schroeder'** (Syn. of 'Doctor Henry Schroeder')

(a) **'Doctor Jacobi'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: W. Hardijzer & Co. (1944), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, deep red (signal red 719/2). Mollis

(a) **'Doctor Jaenike'** (See note under 'Doctor Joenicke')

(a) **'Doctor James Dippel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Purple Splendor' × 'Vuyk's Scarlet' H: H.R. Schroeder (1973), G: S. Schroeder (1978), N: S. Schroeder, I: S. Schroeder (1986), REG: S. Schroeder (1986) Fls single, broadly funnel-shaped, 38 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish orange (33A), with dark orange-red spotting on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 6mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 38 × 17mm, glossy, dark green above, light green below, hairless. Shrub 0.4 × 0.5m in 10 years. Late April

(a) **'Doctor James Hitchner'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nellie' (s) × 'Opal' H: G.A. Reid (1970), G: G.A. Reid (1975), N: G.A. Reid, I: G.A. Reid (1982), REG: G.A. Reid (1984) Fls hose-in-hose, 2-3/truss, open funnel-shaped, 30 × 55mm, 5+5-lobed, strong purplish pink (68B), with a prominent blotch and peripheral spotting on dorsal lobes of strong purplish red (63B). Calyx 40mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic to narrowly obovate, c30 × 15mm, ciliate, somewhat setose. Shrub 0.8m in 12 years

(r) **Doctor J. Hutchinson Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *taggianum* × *nuttallii* I: S.R. Clarke (1942), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Doctor J. Lindley'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte (1873), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange rose, with a chestnut-on-amaranth blotch. Indian

(a) **'Doctor Joenicke'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Verschaffelt (1868), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Verschaffelt attributes it to Weigt; presumably the 'Doctor Jaenike' listed by Costantini, 1886)

(r) **'Doctor John'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Swarthmore no.12507 (a combination of 'Pygmalion' × *haematodes* × *fortunei* (no.8)) × 'Gillies Apricot' H: Scott Arboretum (1958), G: John J. Tyler Arboretum, N: John J. Tyler Arboretum, I: John J. Tyler Arboretum, REG: John J. Tyler Arboretum (1991) Fls 12-15/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 38 × 76mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, opening moderate purplish pink (62B), outer edges and margins fading to light purplish pink (62C); innermost part of centre pale yellow-green (155A), outer part pale yellowish pink (36D); deep red (53A) flare in throat and spotting on dorsal lobe which fades nearer the margin; thin, deep purple ring at base of corolla externally; moderately scented; pedicels very sticky, hairy, maroonish blush above near apex. Lvs elliptic, 178 × 70mm, flat, mucronate at apex, rounded at base, hairless and dull moderate, yellow-green (146B) above, moderate yellow-green (139) and hairless below; petioles very sticky, hairy. Shrub 3.0 × 3.0m in 40 years. Mid May

(r) **'Doctor John Aikman'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* × blood red *arboreum* R: C. Smith & Son (pre 1947), N: C. Smith & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12 or more/truss, warm rosy pink, shading to lighter pink at ends of lobes, each lobe with light chocolate spots. Lvs long, broad, dark green. Large shrub

(r) **'Doctor John L. Creech'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *hyperythrum* L: Pushepetappa Gardens (1994) Fls appleblossom pink. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Late March

(r) **'Doctor Johnson'** cv. Parentage unknown R: I. Davies (pre 1896), N: I. Davies, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Doctor John Yeates'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Hawk Group × 'Ilam Cream' H: J.S. Yeates, G: J.S. Yeates, I: J.S. Yeates, REG: Mr & Mrs R. Perry (1981) Fls magenta rose in bud (27/3-27/2), throat rhodamine pink (527/3) with slight green spotting

(r) **'Doctor Joseph Rock'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* Houlstonii Group × 'Mount Siga' H: J.B. Gable (pre 1955), G: J.B. Gable (1964), N: C. Gable, I: J.B. Gable, REG: Gable Study Group (1991) Fls 102mm wide, peach pink. Shrub 2.1 × 3.0m (when mature). Early-mid May. Syn: '1964', 'Doctor Rock'

(a) **'Doctor Kirtland'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: S.B. Parsons (pre 1906), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Doctor Kottraba'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nadine' hybrid H: O.S. Pride (pre 1987), G: O.S. Pride, N: O.S. Pride Fls vivid pink

(r) **'Doctor Kurt Nielsen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *taliense* × *calophytum* L: Denmark (c 1996)

(a) **'Doctor Lee Shields'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: P.E. Girard (c 1965), G: R.K. Peters, I: R. Carter, REG: R.K. Peters (1983) Fls 9-17/truss, 40 × 75mm, tubular funnel-shaped, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds deep yellowish pink (5R 6/11), opening pale orange-yellow (7.5YR 9/4), washed deep yellowish pink at edges, dorsal blotch of strong orange-yellow (7.5YR 7/11). Calyx 5mm long, moderate yellow-green (5GY 5/6). Lvs oblanceolate, 125 × 45mm, moderate olive green (5GY 4/3), hairy, bluish grey-green below. Shrub c1.9 × 1.9m in 17 years

(r) **'Doctor Lewis Santini'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tahiti' × 'Powell Glass' H: O.S. Pride (pre 1980) Fls pale yellow

(a) **'Doctor Livingstone'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: W. Bull (1861), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark rose. Indian (Sometimes given as raised by W. Rollisson & Son)

(a) **'Doctor L.N. Deckers'** (Syn. of 'Lemonora')

(az) **'Doctor Masters'** cv. Azaleodendron: *molle* subsp. *japonicum* × 'Prince Camille de Rohan' or 'Leopardii' R: G. van der Meulen, N: G. van der Meulen, I: G. van der Meulen (1892), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, with a distinct blotch. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Doctor Meriam'** (Syn. of 'Doctor Richard Meriam')

(r) **'Doctor Mil'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: O. Schulz (1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose carmine, with a paler centre. (Said to have been purchased from Schulz by J.H. van Nes in 1896; variously encounted as 'Doctor D. Mil', 'Doktor D. Mill' , 'Doctor O. Mil', 'Doctor de Mill', 'Doctor Mill': the form given above is adopted here)

(a) **'Doctor Moore'** (Syn. of 'Doctor D. Moore')

(r) **'Doctor Moore'** cv. Parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac rose, with a deep crimson, almost black blotch

(a) **'Doctor M. Oosthoek'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: P.J.C. Oosthoek & Co. (pre 1920), N: P.J.C. Oosthoek & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 9-15/truss, open funnel-shaped, 75mm wide, vivid reddish orange, with a lighter blotch. Lvs elliptic, 75-90mm long, dark green. Shrub up to 4.0m. AM 1920, *AM 1940 Syn: 'Mrs van Krugten', 'Mevrouw van Krugten'. Mollis

(r) **'Doctor Muller'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Standish (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep shaded rose

(a) **'Doctor Neil Bathon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Mark Bittinger' × 'Eden Y2' R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith Fls 95mm wide, deep purplish pink (68A), with a strong purplish red (67A) blotch. Shrub 1.0m in 6 years

(a) **'Doctor Neil Campbell'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Mark Bittinger' × 'Eden Y2' R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith Fls 75mm wide, with very wavy-edged lobes, white and strong reddish purple (78B), with prominent strong purplish red (67A) spotting on 3 dorsal lobes. Shrub 1.0m in 6 years

(a) **'Doctor Nolans'** (Syn. of 'Koningin Emma')

(r) **'Doctor Norman Bethune'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' (s) × *fortunei* H: R. Behring (1972), G: R. Behring (1982), N: R. Behring, REG: R. Behrihg (1985) Fls 12/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 30 × 80mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, light purple (84C) edging, shading to very pale purple (84D) in centre, dark red (59A) blotch in throat and two dorsal rays (25mm long) of 59A; outside light purple (84B). Calyx 1mm long, strong yellow-green (145A). Lvs more-or-less oblanceolate to more-or-less narrowly elliptic, 100 × 30mm, with very sparse short brown hairs or glands below. Shrub 0.6 × 0.45m in 12 years

(r) **'Doctor O. Blok'** (Syn. of 'Doctor A. Blok')

(r) **'Doctor O. Mil'** (Syn. of 'Doctor Mil')

(r) **'Doctor Peter Hewitt'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Unique' (s) × 'Loderi Venus' H: D.J. Dosser (1995), G: D.J. Dosser (2001), N: D.J. Dosser, REG: D.J. Dosser (2002) Fls 14/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 50mm long, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, pale greenish yellow (1D) in bud, opening pure white inside and out; stigma black. Lvs oblanceolate, 125 × 48mm, margins flat, acute at apex, truncate at base, glossy green above, hairless; petioles reddish. Shrub 0.75 × 0.6m in 6 years. November (Australia). (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0033493))

(a) **'Doctor Reichenbach'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: M. Koster & Sons (1892), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 65mm wide, strong yellow, shaded strong orange, with a moderate reddish orange blotch. Midseason. Mollis

(r) **'Doctor Reiger'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1995) (Perhaps an error for 'Gartendirektor Rieger')

(r) **'Doctor Richard Anderson'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Else Frye' (s) × *johnstoneanum* H: R.L. Anderson (1967), G: H.J. Braafladt, N: H.J. Braafladt, REG: H.J. Braafladt (1979) Fls up to 6/truss, 108mm wide, vivid red (52A) in bud, opening white, with a blush of strong pink (52D) at edge, blotch strong yellowish pink (33C) and blending to light orange (28C) on dor-

sal lobe; outside flushed strong pink (52D); scented. Lvs 95 × 30mm. Shrub under 1.0m

(r) **'Doctor Richard Meriam'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Boule de Neige' × 'Mount Siga' H: O.S. Pride (pre 1980) Fls clear pink. Compact shrub, 1.2m in 10 years. Syn: 'Doctor Meriam'

(a) **'Doctor Ridler'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with slight green markings in centre. Indian

(a) **'Doctor Rives Bailey'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Sweetheart Supreme' R: D.J. Cole (pre 1987), N: D.J. Cole Fls hose-in-hose, strong yellowish pink, with a purplish red blotch. Late April

(r) **'Doctor Rock'** (Syn. of 'Doctor Joseph Rock')

(r) **'Doctor Ross'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × 'Borde Hill' H: R. Henny (1944), G: R. Henny, N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny (1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 18/truss, 100mm wide, deep maroon in bud, opening geranium lake (20/1). Lvs 160 × 50mm. Shrub under 1.9m

(a) **'Doctor Rudolph Henny'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Cecile', selfed H: R. Henny, G: R. Henny, I: L. Henny, REG: L. Henny (1969) Fls semi-double, 6-10/truss, up to 115 × 100mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, reddish orange, fading to pink, with yellow spots. Shrub up to 1.5m. May

(r) **'Doctor S. Endtz'** (Syn. of 'Souvenir de Doctor S. Endtz')

(a) **'Doctor Smof'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Susan' × *kiusianum* H: W.L. Tolstead (1969), G: W.L. Tolstead, N: W.L. Tolstead, I: Rhody Run Nursery, REG: W.L. Tolstead (1993) Fls 3/bud, open funnel-campanulate, 35 × 35-40mm, 5-lobed, strong reddish purple (2.5RP 5/10), with veins and a few spots of strong purplish red (7.5RP 4/11); stamens 5, curved, unequal. Calyx 3mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 25 × 10mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, with discrete, pale hairs above and below. Shrub 0.9 × 0.8m in 24 years. Mid-late May

(a) **'Doctor Steven Garrett'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hibotan', open-pollinated G: J. & D. Garrett (pre 1987), N: J. & D. Garrett Fls 75mm wide, white, with a yellow-green throat; scented. Mid-late April. (Seed sent from Japan by M. Oyama)

(r) **'Doctor Stocker'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* (s) × *griffithianum* R: North, I: Stocker (1900), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 6-12/loose truss, broadly campanulate, 75 × 100mm, cream in bud, opening milk white and flushed cream white in the tube, lightly spotted and streaked brown crimson on dorsal lobe, nectaries bright crimson. Lvs broadly ovate, glossy green. AM 1900 (Seed parent sometimes cited as 'Caucasicum Album' or 'Cunningham's Sulphur')

(a) **'Doctor Streiter'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, carmine rose, with white shading and an orange blotch. Ghent

(r) **'Doctor Susan Leacock'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *grande* G: H. Vaartnou (1979), S: H. Vaartnou (1964), N: H. Vaartnou, I: H. Vaartnou (1985), REG: H. Vaartnou (1994) Fls up to 25/ball truss, ventricose-campanulate, 70 × 70mm, with 8 smooth-edged lobes, salmon pink in bud, opening light greenish yellow (4C) to pale yellow-green (4D); stamens 15-18, unequal, curved; style red. Calyx rim-like, greenish. Pedicels 38mm long, green. Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, up to 305 × 114mm, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, glossy green and hairless above, with a silvery grey, felted indumentum below; petioles 51mm long, green, hairy. Shrub 3.0 × 2.1m in 25 years. March-April

(a) **'Doctor Thomas McMillan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nellie' (s) × 'Opal' H: G.A. Reid (1970), G: G.A. Reid (1974), N: G.A. Reid, I: G.A. Reid (1982), REG: G.A. Reid (1984) Fls double, 3/truss, open funnel-shaped, 25 × 50mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes/whorl, deep purplish pink (68A), with a strong purplish red (64B) blotch 13 × 20mm in dorsal throat; stamens absent. Calyx 7mm long, deep purplish pink (68A) to strong yellow-green (144C). Lvs narrowly obovate, 25-30 × 14-17mm, hairy. Shrub 0.8m in 12 years

(r) **'Doctor Tjebbes'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (1947), I: C.A. van den Akker, REG: C.A. van den Akker (1968) Fls 14-16/truss, 90-95mm wide, strong purplish pink (68B), with a large, dark brown blotch. Lvs 120-140 × 50-60mm, dark green. Large shrub

(r) **'Doctor Tom Ring'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Fireman Jeff' (s) × 'Anna Delp' H: T.L. Ring (1981), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, hose-in-hose (with both whorls of equal length), 50 × 70mm, each whorl 5-lobed, strong red (46A) in bud, opening vivid red (45A). Lvs 102 × 38mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.1m in 11 years. Early June. Syn: 'Tom Ring, M.D.'

(r) **'Doctor Torrey'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid I: S.B. Parsons (pre 1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose

(r) **'Doctor V.H. Rutgers'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Charles Dickens' (s) × 'Lord Roberts' R: H. den Ouden & Son (pre 1924), N: H. den Ouden & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c16/compact truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 60-70mm, purplish crimson, with a pattern of brown markings. Calyx saucer-shaped. Shrub to 3.0m

(a) **'Doctor W.F. Wery'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Vuyk van Nes (pre 1969), N: Vuyk van Nes Fls dark rose

(r) **'Doctor W.F. Wery'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Queen Wilhelmina' (s) × 'Stanley Davies' R: C.B. Van Nes & Sons (pre 1929), N: C.B. Van Nes & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 9-10/compact truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 60-70mm, scarlet crimson, almost unmarked. Calyx inconspicuous. Lvs oblong, up to 140 × 53mm, dull, dark green above

(r) **'Doctor Wilhelm Schacht'** (Syn. of 'Wilhelm Schacht')

(r) **'Doctor William Fleming'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Boule de Neige' × 'Mount Siga' H: O.S. Pride (pre 1980), G: O.S. Pride, N: O.S. Pride, I: O.S. Pride Fls pale apricot. Compact shrub

(r) **'Doctor Yelton'** Syn. of 'Yelton's Choice'

(r) **'Doctor Zaayer'** (Probably an error for 'Professor J.H. Zaaijer')

(a) **'Dodd's Pink'** (Syn. of 'Perfection' (Frost, 1861))

(r) **'Doepler'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel, N: T.J.R. Seidel, I: T.J.R. Seidel (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale carmine rose, with yellow spots

(r) **'Doggone Delp'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: (*maximum* × *yakushimanum*) × 'Adele's Yellow' (s) × 'Stokes Bronze Wings' × 'Adele's Yellow' H: W.E. Delp (1983), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 18/truss, open funnel-shaped, 38 × 45mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (48C) in bud, opening pale yellow-green (4D), with a strong yellow-green (144B) throat and brilliant greenish yellow (1B) dorsal spots; filaments and style light yellow-green (144D); anthers moderate yellow (161B); stigma moderate orange-yellow (167D). Lvs 108 × 38mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.6m in 9 years. Early June

(r) **'Doggone Good'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *brachycarpum* × 'Crest' (s) × 'Monte Carlo' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls greyish reddish orange (176C, D), light yellowish pink (36A) and pale greenish yellow (1D) in bud, opening pale yellow-green (4D), with a light greenish yellow (4C) throat and vivid red (45A) spots on the three dorsal lobes; filaments and style pale greenish yellow (1D); anthers greyish reddish orange (174C); stigma moderate yellow-green (146D). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Dogooder'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yuakushimanum* × *catawbiense* (s) × *fortunei* H: W.L. Tolstead (1961), G: W.L. Tolstead (1971), N: W.L. Tolstead, I: W.L. Tolstead (1994), REG: W.L. Tolstead (1994) Fls 12/conical truss, open funnel-campanulate, 30 × 40mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red with a dark blotch; stamens 10, curved. Calyx 2mm long, light green. Pedicels 30mm long. Lvs elliptic, 130 × 50mm, flat, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, hairless; petioles 30mm long. Shrub 1.5 × 2.4m in 33 years. Late May

(a) **'Dogwood'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A.N. Roberts, I: George J. Ball, Inc (1972) Fls 65mm wide, with rounded, spaced lobes which recurve with age, white, with moderate red (47C) stripes and specks, throat greenish

(a) **'Doin' My Thing'** cv. Deciduous azalea: derived from *calendulaceum*, *molle* subsp. *japonicum* and *prinophyllum* H: F.L. Abbott, S: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985) Mixed fls of yellow and orange. Early June

(a) **'Do It Again'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, variable shades of salmon pink, with a gold flare; slightly scented. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Late June-July

(r) **'Doker-La'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *primuliflorum* (from the form previously distinguished as var. *cephalanthoides*) R: Sir James Horlick, I: P.A. Cox, REG: P.A. Cox (1980) Fls 10-12/compact, rounded truss, narrowly tubular, up to 12 × 12mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (63B), paling to near white at edge, inside densely hairy, less so outside. Calyx lobes up to 3mm long, green, scaly, ciliate. Lvs linear to narrowly oblong, up to 20 × 8mm, dark, glossy green and scaly above, densely brown scaly below; aromatic. AM 1980

(a) **'Doktor Bernhard Stahn'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Reinhold Ambrosius' × 'Paul Schäme' R: E. Herrmann (c 1960), N: E. Herrmann Fls double, 70mm wide, dark blood red. December

(a) **'Doktor Carl Koch'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Costantini (1896), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Doktor Carl Mette'** (Syn. of 'Carl Mette')

(r) **'Doktor Ed. Lucas'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alstroemerioides' hybrid R: J.B. Müller (c 1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, flesh pink, edges flamed rose, spotted

(r) **'Doktor Ernst Schäle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Prometheus' × *forrestii* Repens Group R: D.G. Hobbie (1946), I: D.G. Hobbie (1966) Fls funnel-shaped, light scarlet red. Lvs broadly ovate, 50-70mm long. Shrub up to 1.5m

(a) **'Doktor Falck'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: O. Schulz (1883), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, scarlet red, with deep purple-red spots. Indian (Presumably the plant listed as 'Docteur Falk' by C. Vuylsteke, 1877)

(a) **'Doktor Glaser'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Camellia Grove Nursery (1968) Fls semi-double/double, vivid red. (Listed variously as 'Dr Glasser', 'Dr Glacier', 'Dr Glazer' or 'Dr Glaser'. The spelling 'Doktor Glaser' is adopted here. Apparently not the same plant as 'Karl Glaser')

(a) **'Doktor Gräfe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: H. Haas (1893), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, dark, bright rose. Indian

(a) **'Doktor Haldenwang'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: R. Ambrosius (pre 1956), N: R. Ambrosius, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, salmon purple. Dwarf shrub. Early

(r) **'Doktor h.c. Karl Foerster'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Linswegeanum Group (s) × *williamsianum* R: D.G. Hobbie (pre 1944), N: D.G. Hobbie (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 6-9/truss, campanulate, 40-55mm wide, 5-7-lobed, pale rose inside, darker at edge, dark rose outside (especially in bud). Syn: 'Karl Foerster'

(a) **'Doktor Heimann'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: W. Thieme (c 1955), I: K. Glaser, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep purplish pink (66C). Syn: 'Heimann'. Indian

(a) **'Doktor Herman Weiget'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: O. Schulz (1883), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, double, cinnabar-red, with a big blotch. Indian

(a) **'Doktor J. Wahrendorf'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Rose (1883), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, white, with broad red stripes & lines. Indian

(a) **'Doktor Köster'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Friedhelm Scherrer' × un-named seedling R: O. Stahnke (c 1980), N: O. Stahnke Fls double, vivid reddish orange (42A). Calyx normal, green. Midseason. Indian

(r) **'Doktor Martin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Boule de Neige' × 'Mrs Milner' L: Firma Seidel (1918), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a few spots

(r) **'Doktor Martin Luther'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C.J.H. Walther (pre 1861), N: C.J.H. Walther, INC: ICRA (1958). Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Doktor Mezger'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: O. Schulz (1886), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, bright rose. Indian

(a) **'Doktor Neubert'** (Syn. of 'Doktor Wilhelm Neubert')

(r) **'Doktor Regel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alstroemerioides' hybrid R: J.B. Müller (c 1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light carmine, with dark brown spots and a dark purple throat

(r) **'Doktor Schlapper'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Doncaster' (s) × *williamsianum* R: D.G. Hobbie (pre 1944), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light rose, with dark red markings, dark rose outside and with darker edges. New shoots dark red

(r) **'Doktor Stein'** (Syn. of 'Justizrath Stein')

(a) **'Doktor Streiter'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Rinz (pre 1855), N: J. Rinz, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pale chamois yellow. Ghent (In Belgium and The Netherlands in the 19th century another plant (usually listed as 'Dr Streiter' and sometimes attributed to Rinz) took its place. This had double flowers, carmine rose, with white shading and an orange blotch)

(a) **'Doktor von Regel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Rose (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white. Indian

(a) **'Doktor Wilhelm Neubert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Petzold (1886), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, of good shape, bright rose. Syn: 'Doktor Neubert'. Indian (A 'Doktor Wilhelm Neubert' was listed by F. Schneider in 1863 and is perhaps the same plant)

(r) **'Dolcemente'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'August' (s) × Fred Wynniatt Group H: H. Hachmann (1985), G: H. Hachmann (1991), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 10-12/rounded truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55-60 × 75-80mm, with 5-7 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (58D); the centre and throat vivid/brilliant yellow (15B/C); outside deep purplish pink (58D), tinged strong purplish red (58C) and the midveins strong purplish red (58B); markings of dark red (187C) extending onto 3 dorsal lobes; stamens 12, filaments light pink (49C), anthers moderate orange-yellow (165C); style yellow-green, with a tinge of pink, stigma moderate brown (165A). Calyx 7-19mm long, with 6 irregular lobes, light yellow (10B). Lvs ovate, 100-120 × 45-50mm, flat, apiculate at apex, rounded to oblique at base, slightly glossy and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.3m in 10 years. Early-late May. (Standard: colour illustration supplied by registrant (WSY 0030622))

(r) **'Dolita'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *strigillosum* (s) × *yakushimanum* H: H. Hachmann (1992), G: H. Hachmann (1996), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 15/rather lax truss, broadly tubular-campanulate, 40-45 × 60-65mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, inside a bright, deep purplish pink (55A), paler (strong purplish pink (55B)) in the throat; outside deep purplish pink (55A); numerous, deep purplish red (187D) spots on dorsal lobe; nectar pouches 4-7mm long, dark red/deep purplish red (187C/D); stamens 10, filaments white, anthers dark red (187A/B); style light yellow-green (150D), near base brilliant yellow-green (150C), stigma deep purplish red (187D). Calyx c2mm long, reddish green. Ovary and pedicels hairy. Lvs elliptic, 70-100 × 25-35mm, margins slightly decurved, cuspidate at apex, cuneate at base, matt green above, with a dense, dark brown indumentum below. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in 10 years. Early-late April. (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030623). First published in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(r) **'Doll'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Corona' (s) × Dondis Group H: R. Henny (1944), G: R. Henny, N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny (pre 1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear bright pink

(r) **'Dollar'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel (c 1894), N: T.J.R. Seidel (1902), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with deep, wavy-edged lobes, lilac rose, with a brown blotch on a paler ground

(r) **'Dollar Princess'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sir Frederick Moore' × 'Tally Ho' R: L. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1966), REG: E. de Rothschild (1966) Fls in large trusses, deep carmine pink. Large shrub. June. (Dollar Princess Group)

(r) **Dollar Princess Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sir Frederick Moore' × 'Tally Ho' R: L. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1966), REG: E. de Rothschild (1966)

(v) **'Doll Tearsheet'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lochiae* × *lochiae* × *konori* H: J.L. Rouse (1985), G: R. Macdonald (1989), N: R. Macdonald (1992), I: Foothills Nursery (1992), REG: Foothills Nursery (1992) Fls 5-7/flat, lax truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes; strong purplish red (58B) inside and out. Lvs obovate, 100 × 50mm, flat, matt green, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m. Spring-autumn. (Originally listed with the incorrect spelling 'Doll Tsarsheet')

(a) **'Dolly'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: W. Streck (pre 1989), N: W. Streck

(r) **'Dolly'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light carmine red, with brown markings

(r) **Dolly Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Dawn's Delight' (s) × *griersonianum* R: L. de Rothschild (pre 1931), N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls more-or-less pendulous, soft pink, deeper coloured outside. Lvs lanceolate. Shrub 2.6-2.9m. May. AM 1931

(r) **'Dolly Lamb'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' (s) × 'Morna Belle' H: M. Stockman (1989), G: M. & H. Stockman (1998), N: M. & H. Stockman (2002), REG: M. & H. Stockman (2002) Fls 9-12/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 70 × 100mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, light green in bud, opening inside white with pale yellow streaks radiating outwards from the centre; outside similarly coloured; unmarked; stigma bright green. Calyx 3mm long, lime green. Lvs elliptic, 95 × 40mm, margins downcurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.5m in 13 years. Late April-May

(r) **'Dolly Madison'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (as var. *album*) (s) × *fortunei* × (*arboreum* × *griffithianum*) H: D.G. Leach (1950), G: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1972) Fls 12-13/ball truss, open campanulate, 80mm wide, 5-lobed, white, with 2-rayed, moderate reddish brown (7.5R 3/6) dorsal markings. Calyx 1.5mm long. Lvs oblanceolate, 150 × 65mm, dark, glossy green above. Shrub 1.5 × 2.7m in 21 years

(r) **'Dolly Mixture'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Fabia Tangerine' × 'Crest' H: J. May (1968), G: J. May, N: J. May, I: Knoll Gardens (1988), REG: J. May (1987) Fls 9/truss, funnel-shaped, 70mm wide, 5-lobed, deep pink (52B) on opening, fading to pale yellow (18D), shaded light orange-yellow (16C) and striped deep pink (52C). Calyx 25mm long, pink/cream. Lvs lanceolate/oblanceolate, 100 × 30mm, hairless. Shrub 1.5m. April-May

(a) **'Dolores'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Helen Close' × 'Campfire' R: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1969) Fls double, 2/truss, 75mm wide, deep purple pink (7.5RP 6/12), flecked crimson. Lvs 40 × 13mm. Shrub to 1.2m

(r) **'Dolores'** (Syn. of 'Dolores LeFever')

(r) **'Dolores LeFever'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pink Petticoats' × 'Janet Blair' (s) × yellow-fld *decorum* H: G.W. LeFever (1987), G: G.W. LeFever (1990), N: G.W. LeFever (1997), I: A Sandy Rhododendron (1998), REG: G.W. LeFever (1997) Fls 14/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 70 × 115mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (54B) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (56A) inside, with diffuse, light yellow-green (150D) spotting on dorsal lobe; outside pale purplish pink (56D); colour fades to white, with a narrow, very pale pink edge; scented. Lvs oblong, 145 × 75mm, flat, rounded at base, obtuse at apex, semi-glossy, moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years. Mid May. Syn: 'Dolores'

(a) **'Doloroso'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Knap Hill Red' × 'Knighthood' × 'Cecile' × 'Gibraltar' H: H. Hachmann (1971), G: H. Hachmann (1976), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1987), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls single, 7-10/truss, 55-60 × 60-70mm, 5-6(-7)-lobed, vivid red (46B) throughout, with slightly darker (46A) veins, dorsal lobe often paler (vivid reddish orange (33A)); colour not fading in sun; stamens and styles unusually long. Calyx 1-4mm long, yellowish green. Lvs broadly elliptic (to ovate), 50-65(-70)x25-35mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, light green tinged brownish red when young, later mid-green, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.2m in 10 years, of compact habit. Early-mid June

(r) **'Dolphin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* subsp. *apodectum* × *crinigerum* N: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1961), I: E.G.W.W. Harrison, REG: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1961) Fls 12/flat truss, hose-in-hose, 45 × 65mm, salmon pink, slightly spotted

(r) **'Domainendirector von Röder'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alstroemerioides' hybrid R: J.B. Müller (pre 1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls speckled flesh pink, azalea-like

(a) **'Domenico Scassi'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon pink, tinted white, tips white and with a chrome yellow blotch. Ghent

(r) **'Dominicum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as a *catawbiense* form or hybrid L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Dominik'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kokardia' (s) × *calophytum* H: H. Hachmann (1979), G: H. Hachmann (1985), N: H. Hachmann (1994), I: H. Hachmann (1994), REG: G. Stück (1995) Fls 16-18/fairly compact, rounded truss, campanulate, 66-72mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside pale purplish pink (65C/D), outside light to pale purplish pink (65B/C); the edges light purplish pink (65B) inside and out; large conspicuous, dark red (187B(-C)), dorsal blotch and spots of the same colour; filaments white, anthers pink/brownish. Pedicels strong red. Lvs elliptic to lanceolate, 170-220 × 35-50mm, strongly v-shaped, rounded at base, acute at apex, matt moderate green with yellowish green edges above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.7m in 10 years. Late March-mid May. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1995/96)

(a) **'Dominique Vervaene'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Vervaene (1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, bright red-orange. Indian

(a) **'Dominique Vervaene'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, very large, with rounded lobes, bright vermilion red, with a dark brown-red blotch. Indian

(r) **'Dominique Vervaene'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid L: L. van Houtte (1855), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a black blotch

(r) **Domino Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Barclayi Group (s) × Dignity Group H: Lord Aberconway (1934), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway (1950), I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(r) **'Dominulum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as a *catawbiense* form or hybrid L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Dom Perigon Group'** (see Don Perigon Group)

(r) **Don Group** (see The Don Group)

(r) **'Don'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light violet, with a paler throat and striking green markings on a white ground

(a) **'Donald Fiery'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid, see *The Azalean* 4 (1): 3(1982) for notes on parentage R: W.D. Smith (pre 1982), N: W.D. Smith Fls petaloid, 100mm wide, orange-red with a strong blotch

(r) **'Donald Palmer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Azor Group × Francis Hanger Group × 'Lem's Cameo' H: T.A. Garbutt (1985), G: T.A. Garbutt (1991), N: T.A. Garbutt (1992), REG: T.A. Garbutt (1992) Fls 12-15/compact truss, open campanulate, 70 × 45mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, buds pink, opening maize yellow inside, and with light red spotting on the dorsal lobe; outside maize yellow, flushed pink; nectaries red. Calyx 20mm long, maize yellow, flushed pink. Lvs ovate, 110 × 60mm, margins decurved, glossy green above, rounded at base, obtuse at apex, hairless. Shrub 0.65 × 0.8m in 7 years, very compact, retaining flower colour well. Mid-late season

(v) **'Donald Stanton'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lochiae* × *christianae* R: D.B. Stanton (pre 1978), I: Kew, REG: Kew (1978) Fls 9-10/truss, pendulous, tubular funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, vivid red (46C). Calyx rudimentary, red, scaly. Lvs elliptic, 85 × 50mm, dark glossy green, sparsely scaly above and below. AM 1978 Syn: 'D.B. Stanton'

(a) **'Donald Waterer'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep yellow, bright orange-red outside. Knap Hill

(r) **'Donald Waterer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alice' × 'Gomer Waterer' R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1916), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c11/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 80mm, bright lilac pink, fading to white in centre, with a broad ray of greenish brown markings. AM 1916

(a) **'Dona Maria'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: E. van Coppenolle, N: E. van Coppenolle, I: E. van Coppenolle (1857), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, soft rose, edged white, spotted. Indian (Boddaert is sometimes given as originator (*e.g.* André, 1864))

(r) **'Dona Maria'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *ponticum* × *maximum* R: de Clerck d'Olsene, I: L. van Houtte (1855), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls creamy white, with a reddish tinge at margin, with dark red spots on the dorsal lobe. Syn: 'Donna Maria'

(a) **'Dona Maria Anna'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L.L. Liebig (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose. Indian

(a) **'Donar'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Schulz (1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, red, with a dark blotch. Indian

(r) **'Donar'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Milner' (s) × *smirnowii* R: T.J.R. Seidel (c 1894), N: T.J.R. Seidel (1902), I: T.J.R. Seidel (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12-19/dense truss, 45-65 wide, with strongly wavy-edged lobes, purplish red, almost white in the throat, with strong black-red markings on the dorsal lobe. Shrub to 2.0m. Late May-early June

(a) **'Donatine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: W. Streck (pre 1985), N: W. Streck

(r) **'Dona Tizia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* (s) × 'Doncaster' R: T.H. Lowinsky (c 1913), N: T.H. Lowinsky, I: T.H. Lowinsky (1921), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 11-15/conical truss, obliquely campanulate, 80 × 100-110mm, vivid pink shading to white inside,

flushed rose pink outside, with two dorsal lines of crimson spots. Calyx fleshy, pink, speckled rosy red. Lvs narrowly elliptic, up to 220 × 65mm, deep glossy green above. AM 1921 Syn: 'Donna Teresa'

(r) **'Donator'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lee's Best Purple' × 'Purple Splendour' H: H. Hachmann (1979), G: H. Hachmann (1984), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1991), REG: G. Stück (1991) Fls 11-12/truss, funnel-shaped, 45-50 × 65-78mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish red (71A), shaded strong purplish red (71B) on veins both inside and out, paler in throat; conspicuously blotched dark red (187A), the area of the blotch almost warty. Calyx 2-4mm long, reddish green. Lvs elliptic, 80-100 × 30-38mm, acute at apex, rounded at base, mid green above, with fawn-coloured hairs especially on veins below and on petioles. Shrub 1.2 × 1.6m in 10 years, of compact habit. Early-late June.

(r) **'Don Brunton'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: grown from un-named seed ex USA, 1971 G: D. Brunton, N: Mrs P. Hartree, REG: Mrs P. Hartree (1984) Fls 4/truss, 60 × 70mm, funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, rose madder (23/2) in bud, opening blush white with rose madder (23/3) on back of lobes and tube, orange flare in upper throat; scented. Calyx 4mm long, green, densely ciliate. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 70-80 × 20-30mm, with dense reddish brown scales. Shrub c1.8m in 12 years

(r) **'Don Carlos'** cv. Parentage unknown R: I. Davies (pre 1893), N: I. Davies, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose crimson, with a dark blotch

(r) **'Doncaster'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1896), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 15-17/truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 70-80mm, brilliant crimson scarlet, with a ray of black markings. Calyx lobes 20-50mm long. Lvs c120 × 45mm, dark green and glossy above. Shrub 1.0m. Syn: 'Scarlet King'

(r) **Dondis Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × 'Doncaster' R: Kew, N: Kew, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Donella'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mario' (s) × 'Mrs E.C. Stirling' H: D.J. Dosser (1970), G: D.J. Dosser (1978), N: D.J. Dosser (1999), REG: D.J. Dosser (1999) Fls 10/ball truss, campanulate, 50 × 80mm, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (73A) in bud, opening inside strong purplish pink (73B) at lobe edges and shading to very pale purple (69C) in centre of each lobe; outside strong purplish pink (73B); deep purplish pink (73A) spots at the base of three dorsal lobes. Lvs broadly elliptic, 98 × 40mm, obtuse at apex and base, margins flat but blade twisted, semi-glossy above, hairless. Shrub to at least1.0 × 1.0m in 29 years. October-November (Tasmania)

(r) **'Don Ernesto'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* (s) × 'Doncaster' R: T.H. Lowinsky (c 1913), N: T.H. Lowinsky, I: T.H. Lowinsky (1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rich rosy scarlet. AM 1920 (The Don Group)

(r) **'Don Giovanni'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Mars' H: Research Station for Nursery Stock, Boskoop (1968), G: Research Station for Nursery Stock, Boskoop (pre 1985), N: Research Station for Nursery Stock, Boskoop, I: Research Station for Nursery Stock, Boskoop (1991), REG: Royal Boskoop Hort.Soc. (1990) Fls 8-10/truss, funnel-shaped, 40mm wide, 5-lobed, dark pink in bud, opening light pink. Calyx green. Lvs ovate, 40-60mm long; young shoots with a silvery indumentum. Shrub c1.0 × 1.5m. April-May.

(r) **'Dönhoff'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale lilac, with darker margins and green markings on a white ground

(r) **'Don Juan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pink Pearl' × 'Peter Koster' R: B. Kavka (c 1965), N: B. Kavka, REG: ICRA (1994) Fls 8-15/globose truss, 60mm wide, dark red (822-822/2) in bud, opening shining red (822/2-822/3), with a blotch of dark brown-red (827/1-827/2). Lvs elongate elliptic, 140 × 47mm, dull green (0960-0960/2). Shrub 1.1m in 9 years

(r) **'Don Kellam'** cv. Parentage unknown H: J.C. Cowles (pre 1963), G: Heritage Plantation, N: R.H. Gustafson, I: Briarwood Gardens (1990), REG: R.H. Gustafson (1991) Fls 8-10/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 64 × 89mm, with 8 wavy-edged, recurved lobes, deep to strong red (53A, B, C) in bud, opening pale yellow (18D) in throat, shading through pale orange-yellow (19D) to pale yellowish pink (27D) at outer edge; entire corolla covered with elongated spots of deep to strong red (53A, B, C); lobes separated by rays of deep purplish pink (54B); outside pale orange-yellow (19D), with rays and spots of strong purplish red, deep purplish pink and strong red (54A, B, C); stamens vestigial; stigma dark green; style pale green. Calyx vestigial. Lvs elliptic, 127-152 × 60-76mm, flat, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless, moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (147B) below. Shrub 2.7 × 3.0m in c20 years. Mid-late May. Syn: 'Kellam's Orange' (First introduced as Briarwood No.1)

(a) **'Donna'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: D. Parmenter (pre 1969), N: D. Parmenter Fls single, pink

(a) **'Donna'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Bernd Jackst GbR (pre 1997), N: Bernd Jackst GbR

(r) **'Donna Anita'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* (s) × 'Doncaster' R: T.H. Lowinsky, N: T.H. Lowinsky, I: T.H. Lowinsky (1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls shell pink. AM 1920 (The Don Group)

(r) **'Donna Florenza'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* (s) × 'Doncaster' R: T.H. Lowinsky, N: T.H. Lowinsky, I: T.H. Lowinsky (1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rich rose. AM 1920 (The Don Group)

(r) **'Donna Hardgrove'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* (s) × *wardii* × *dichroanthum* H: D.L. Hardgrove

(c 1951), G: D.L. Hardgrove, I: S.V. Burns (1966), REG: S.V. Burns (1979) Fls up to 8/lax truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 50 × 65mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, light orange-yellow (23C), edged brilliant orange-yellow (23B), unmarked; vivid reddish orange (43B) in bud. Lvs elliptic to ovate, 90 × 40mm. Shrub 0.75 × 0.9m in 12 years. Mid May

(a) **'Donna Mae'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Gable Hybrid × 'Palestrina' I: P.E. Girard (c 1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. Gable

(r) **'Donna Maria'** (Syn. of 'Dona Maria')

(r) **'Donna's Day'** cv. Parentage unknown L: USA (1994)

(r) **'Donna Teresa'** (Syn. of 'Dona Tizia')

(r) **'Donna Totten'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: probably a *racemosum* hybrid R: G.G. Nearing (pre 1983) Fls funnel-shaped, pink, tinged cream. Lvs *racemosum*-like. Shrub to 1.2m

(r) **'Donndorf'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, spotted green-yellow

(r) **'Donner'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose, with greenish yellow spots on all lobes

(r) **'Donnie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Unique' × *wightii* R: Sir James Horlick, N: Sir James Horlick (1957), I: Sir James Horlick, REG: Sir James Horlick (1961) Fls 15/loose truss, cream, with port wine-coloured spots on dorsal lobe. Early April

(r) **'Donnington'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *haematodes* subsp. *chaetomallum* × Portia Group R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1966) Fls 9/loose truss, campanulate, 50 × 50mm, deep red (53A). Calyx 5-lobed, lobes joined or detatched, 5-15mm long, deep red (53A). Lvs narrowly ovate, 117 × 50mm, with a loose, light brown indumentum below. PC 1966

(r) **'Don Pablo'** cv. Parentage unknown H: M. Wildfong (pre 1980)

(r) **Don Perigon Group** gp Parentage unknown H: H. Heyderhoff (pre 1978) (Numbered clones have been recorded and may be in circulation. Sometimes seen as Dom Perigon Group)

(a) **'Don Quixote'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown G: E. de Rothschild (1970-1980), S: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: Exbury Exterprises (1997), REG: E. de Rothschild (1997) Fls single, 10/truss, tubular funnel-shaped (opening flat-faced), 62 × 85mm, with 5-6 slightly wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish orange (42B) in bud, opening strong orange (25B), flushed strong reddish orange (32B), with a vivid orange-yellow (23A) dorsal flare; outside flushed moderate reddish orange (42D); filaments and style similarly coloured. Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 95 × 35mm. May. Syn: 'Soho' (Solent Group)

(v) **'Don Stanton'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* × *macgregoriae* R: E.F. Allen, N: E.F. Allen, I: E.F. Allen, REG: E.F. Allen (1982) Fls 10-11/truss, tubular-campanulate, up to 40 × 65mm, vivid yellow (17B), rim flushed strong orange (30D). Calyx rudimentary. Lvs elliptic up to 80 × 55mm, dark, glossy green above, slightly scaly below. AM 1981 (Raised from seed supplied by D.B. Stanton)

(r) **'Donum'** (Syn. of 'Constant Nymph')

(r) **'Donvale'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *arboreum* G: J. O'Shannassy (1978), S: J. O'Shannassy, N: J. O'Shannassy (1982), REG: J. O'Shannassy (1993) Fls 10-12/flat truss, campanulate, 40 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53C) inside and out with black nectar pouches; spotted. Lvs elliptic, 135 × 55mm, flat, matt green above, cuneate at base, obtuse at apex, with light silvery grey indumentum below. Shrub 3.0 × 3.0m in 15 years

(r) **'Donvale Apricot'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown G: J. O'Shannassy (1995), N: J. O'Shannassy (1998), REG: J. O'Shannassy (1998) Fls 13/loose domed truss, funnel-shaped, 60 × 70-90mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong red (47B) in bud, opening inside strong pink (48D) at lobe edges, pale yellowish pink (36D) in middle of lobes and shading to light yellow (20B) in the tube; outside strong red (47B) fading to strong pink (48D), with centre of lobes pale yellowish pink (36D); five rows of vivid red (45A) spots radiating from lobe sinuses into the throat; stamens 12, uneven, anthers greyish reddish orange (174B), filaments pale yellowish pink (36D); ovary greyish yellow-green (191A), style strong greenish yellow (151B), stigma deep purplish red (59B). Calyx 5-9mm long, deep pink (48B). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 185 × 50mm, margins decurved, acuminate at apex, obtuse at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.6m in 8 years. September/October (Australia)

(r) **'Donvale Beauty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × Gwillt King Group H: J. O'Shannassy (1972), G: J. O'Shannassy (1979), N: J. O'Shannassy, REG: J. O'Shannassy (1992) Fls 16-18/flat truss, funnel-shaped, 60 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (63C) fading to light purplish pink (62C) both inside and out. Lvs elliptic, 110 × 40mm, flat, matt green above, with a plastered, cinnamon indumentum below on mature foliage. Shrub with a spreading habit, 1.0 × 1.5m. Spring

(r) **'Donvale Cheer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marion' (s) × *yakushimanum* × *arboreum* H: J. O'Shannassy (1986), G: J. O'Shannassy (1990), N: J. O'Shannassy (1996), REG: J. O'Shannassy (1996) Fls 13-18/tight domed truss, funnel-shaped, 40-45 × 60-65mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish

pink (73B) in bud, opening inside very pale purple (73D) at lobe edges, shading to very pale purple (69D) in centre, lightly spotted brilliant yellow-green (150C) on dorsal lobe; fades to fairly uniform very pale purple (69D) with age, retaining the green spots; outside very pale purple (69D), with strong purplish pink (73B) flushing along midveins, fading with age to very pale purple (69D). Lvs elliptic, 100-120 × 27-49mm, flat or decurved, cuneate at base, acute to obtuse at apex, matt green above, hairy. Shrub 1.6 × 1.3m in 10 years. Mid-late winter

(r) **'Donvale Cherry'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Glen Glow' (s) × *arboreum* H: J. O'Shannassy (1992), G: J. O'Shannassy (1998), N: J. O'Shannassy (1999), REG: J. O'Shannassy (1999) Fls 19/domed truss, tubular-campanulate, 60 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate red (47A) in bud, opening moderate red (47A) throughout; nectaries dark red (187A); 10 large, uneven stamens; anthers strong red (46A), filaments white (155C); ovary light grey, style deep purplish pink (54B), stigma deep purplish red (59B). Calyx uneven, 10-30mm long, moderate red (47A). Lvs elliptic, 150-210 × 35-50mm, acuminate at apex, cuneate at base, wavy-edged, margins slightly decurved, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m in 7 years. October (Australia). (Standard: herbarium specimen provided by registrant (WSY 0021404))

(r) **'Donvale Gem'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × *arboreum* × *arboreum* H: J. O'Shannassy (1974), G: J. O'Shannassy (1985), N: J. O'Shannassy, REG: J. O'Shannassy (1990) Fls 12-15/truss, ventricose-campanulate, 50 × 60mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish pink (55B), deeper at edges; nectar pouches deep red. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 50mm, with a silvery indumentum below. Shrub 2.0 × 1.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Donvale Glory'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Elizabeth Group × *arboreum* H: J. O'Shannassy (1965), G: J. O'Shannassy (1975), N: J. O'Shannassy (1990), I: J. O'Shannassy (1990), REG: J. O'Shannassy (1991) Fls 12/truss, campanulate, 40 × 60mm, 5-lobed, vivid red (45A), with deeper spotting on all lobes. Lvs elliptic, 110 × 50mm, with a thin, light fawn indumentum. Shrub 2.2m in 20 years

(r) **'Donvale Gold'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'California Gold' (s) × 'Joy Ridge' H: H. O'Rourke (1992), G: J. O'Shannassy (1998), N: J. O'Shannassy (2000), REG: J. O'Shannassy (2001) Fls 4/open, flat truss, funnel-shaped, 70 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, brilliant yellow-green (154B) with moderate red (47A) tips in bud, opening inside and out light greenish yellow (4C), with heavy, vivid yellow (13A) spotting on the dorsal lobe and throat (extending onto adjacent lobes); filaments pale greenish yellow (1D), anthers greyish brown (166A); style pale greenish yellow (1D), stigma strong yellow-green (141D). Calyx 4mm long, moderate red (181B). Lvs broadly elliptic, 70-75 × 35-39mm, slightly decurved, obtuse but apiculate at apex, obtuse at base, glossy and bullate above, scaly and with basal margins ciliate. Shrub 0.6 × 0.8m in 8 years. September-October (Australia). (Standard: herbarium specimen provided by registrant (WSY 0035068))

(r) **'Donvale Lady'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* Houlstonii Group (s) × *calophytum* H: A. Keppert (1976), G: J. O'Shannassy (1987), N: J. O'Shannassy (1996), REG: J. O'Shannassy (1996) Fls 16/loose, flat truss, campanulate, 70 × 105mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (70C) in bud, opening inside very pale purple (69B) shading to moderate purplish pink (70D) on edges, outside deep purplish pink (70C); a prominent, large, dark red (187A) blotch on the dorsal lobe; stamens 14, unequal; style white, stigma brilliant yellow-green (150C). Lvs elliptic, 145-240 × 45-80mm, flat, obtuse at base, mucronate at apex, matt moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 1.8m in 18 years. Early-mid spring

(r) **'Donvale Pearl'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × seedling of *arboreum* H: J. O'Shannassy, G: J. O'Shannassy (1981), N: J. O'Shannassy, REG: J. O'Shannassy (1983) Fls 28/truss, tubular-campanulate, deep purplish pink (54B). Lvs elliptic, 110 × 40mm

(v) **'Donvale Pink'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lochiae* (s) × *leucogigas* 'Hunstein's Secret' H: J.L. Rouse (1975), G: J. O'Shannassy (1987), N: J. O'Shannassy (1994), REG: J. O'Shannassy (1994) Fls 7-11/flattruss, tubular funnel-shaped, 125 × 90mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, buds white fading to pink, opening moderate purplish pink (68C) throughout, with five, thin, white stripes on outside at lobe juctions; scented. Calyx minute. Lvs lanceolate, 110 × 60mm, margins decurved, glossy green above, obtuse at base, acute at apex, scaly, scales light greyish olive (195A) on new shoots, ageing to dark yellowish green (139A). Shrub 1.5 × 1.0m in 12 years. Spring-autumn

(r) **'Donvale Pink Drift'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: Crossbill Group (s) × *scabrifolium* var. *spiciferum* H: J. O'Shannassy, G: J. O'Shannassy (1978), N: J. O'Shannassy, I: J. O'Shannassy, REG: J. O'Shannassy (1984) Fls 5-10/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, strong purplish pink (55B). Lvs lanceolate, 40 × 15mm. Shrub c1.0 × 1.0m

(r) **'Donvale Princess'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tortoiseshell Wonder' (s) × 'Donvale Lady' H: J. O'Shannassy (1994), G: J. O'Shannassy (1999), N: J. O'Shannassy (2000), REG: J. O'Shannassy (2001) Fls 14/loose ball truss, funnel-shaped, 75 × 110mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (60C) in bud, opening inside strong purplish pink (63C) at lobe margins shading to pale purplish pink (62D) on middle of lobes and in the throat, a prominent thin midvein to each lobe giving a ray effect; outside strong purplish pink (63C) at lobe edges and on midveins shading to moderate purplish pink (62B); unspotted; stamens 13, unequal, filaments brilliant yellow-green (149A), anthers brownish orange (165B); style strong yellow-

green (145A), stigma strong yellow-green (144C). Calyx 2mm long, strong yellow-green (144A). Lvs lanceolate, 175 × 55mm, upcurved, acute at apex, truncate at base, matt, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 2.0m in 6 years. October/November (Australia). (Standard: herbarium specimen provided by registrant (WSY 0027989); colour print from registrant also in standard portfolio)

(r) **'Donvale Ruby'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lamplighter' (s) × *arboreum* H: J. O'Shannassy, G: J. O'Shannassy (1973), N: J. O'Shannassy, I: J. O'Shannassy, REG: J. O'Shannassy (1984) Fls 14-16/truss, tubular-campanulate, 60 × 40mm, vivid red (46B). Lvs elliptic, 150 × 50mm. Shrub c1.0 × 1.0m

(r) **'Donvale Ruffles'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marion' (s) × *yakushimanum* × *arboreum* H: J. O'Shannassy (1986), G: J. O'Shannassy (1990), N: J. O'Shannassy (1996), REG: J. O'Shannassy (1996) Fls 17-22/domed truss, campanulate, 50 × 60mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, light reddish purple (74C) in bud, opening inside light purplish pink (65B) at lobe edges, shading to pale purplish pink (65D) in the throat and fading with age to pale purplish pink (65C); outside with a pronounced moderate purplish pink (65A) rib down each lobe, the remainder light purplish pink (65B), fading to white with age; moderate purplish pink (65A) spotting on dorsal lobe disappears with age. Lvs elliptic, 120-145 × 40-45mm, with slightly wavy margins, attenuate at base, apiculate at apex, matt moderate olive green (147A) above, hairy. Shrub 1.2 × 1.0m in 10 years. Late winter/early spring

(a) **'Donvale Sunshine'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *johnstoneanum* (s) × *burmanicum* H: J. O'Shannassy (1990), G: J. O'Shannassy (1996), N: J. O'Shannassy (2000), REG: J. O'Shannassy (2001) Fls 4-6/lax, flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 53mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid yellow-green (154A) in bud, opening inside light yellow-green (154D); outside brilliant yellow-green (154C), with a covering of very fine brown spots which gives a darker effect; a strong orange-yellow (17A) blotch in the throat on dorsal lobes; stamens 10, unequal, anthers greyish red (178A), filaments white (155D); style pale greenish yellow (160C), stigma moderate brown (165A). Calyx 2mm long. Lvs broadly elliptic, 40-48 × 18-24mm, flat, obtuse at apex, attenuate at base, semi-glossy, scaly. Shrub 0.6 × 0.45m in 10 years. September-October (Australia). (Standard: herbarium specimen provided by registrant (WSY 0027984); colour slide from registrant also in standard portfolio)

(r) **'Donvale Tiffany'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Tortoiseshell Group (s) × 'Donvale Lady' H: J. O'Shannassy (1990), G: J. O'Shannassy (1995), N: J. O'Shannassy (1999), REG: J. O'Shannassy (1999) Fls 11/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 65 × 100mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53B) in bud, inside opening strong purplish pink (68B) at lobe edges shading to white, fading to all white with age; outside deep purplish pink (68B) at lobe edges shading through strong purplish pink (68B) to white near base, fading to white with a very pale purple (69A) blush with age; strong purplish pink (68B), light spotting on dorsal lobe, moderate yellow (162A) blotch in throat of dorsal lobes (spots and blotch persist with age); stamens 15, uneven; anthers dark reddish orange (175B), filaments white (155C); ovary glaucous, light greenish grey (188B), style curved, light yellow-green (145C), stigma strong greenish yellow (151B). Calyx uneven, 2mm long, light yellow-green (145B). Lvs elliptic, 115-185 × 31-50mm, acute to apiculate at apex, obtuse at base, margins decurved, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.6m in 9 years. September-October (Australia). (Standard: herbarium specimen supplied by registrant (WSY 0021405))

(r) **'Donvega'** cv. Parentage unknown L: T.C. Thacker (1960) Fls scarlet

(r) **'Doo Dad'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.L. Tolstead (1975), G: W.L. Tolstead, N: W.L. Tolstead, REG: W.L. Tolstead (1995) Fls 12-13/ball truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 43 × 30mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish red; pistil and stamens straight, stamens 10, white. Pedicels 35mm long. Lvs oblong, 140 × 60mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, wavy-edged, glossy above, hairless; petioles 30mm long. Shrub 3.5 × 3.0m in 20 years. Early May. (Derived from *catawbiense*/*fortunei* crosses, perhaps admixed with some other species)

(r) **'Doorbuster'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Midsummer' (s) × 'Delp's Red Max' H: W.E. Delp (1977), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 16/truss, open funnel-shaped, 42 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (71B-D) and moderate purplish pink (70D) in bud, opening very pale purple (69C) edged strong reddish purple (70B) and deep purplish pink (70C), with a light greenish yellow (4B) flare and light olive (152B) dorsal spotting; filaments and style very pale purple (69D); anthers strong purple (77B); stigma moderate yellow (168D). Lvs 142 × 49mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.8m in 15 years. Early June

(r) **'Doozey'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Achiever' (s) × *mucronulatum* (Widmer's selection) H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 8/truss, open funnel-shaped, 32 × 40mm, 5-lobed, vivid and deep reddish purple (78A, 77A) in bud, opening strong purple (77B) with deep reddish purple (77A) dorsal spots; filaments light purple (77D); style vivid reddish purple (74A); anthers moderate purplish pink (186D); stigma dark red (187B). Lvs 70 × 32mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, scaly. Shrub 1.3 × 1.2m in 18 years. Mid May

(r) **'Dopey'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *facetum* hybrid × Fabia Group × *yakushimanum* × 'Fabia Tangerine' R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1970) Fls 16/globular, compact truss, campanulate, 40 × 50-65mm, with wavy-edged lobes, strong red (more-or-less 53B), paling towards the margins and with dark brown spots on the

dorsal lobe. Lvs 100 × 40mm, mid dull green. Compact shrub, 0.6m. *AM 1977, *FCC 1979

(r) **'Dopus'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Redwax' (s) × 'Tortoiseshell Wonder' H: M. Stockman (1980), G: M.& H. Stockman (1990), N: M. Stockman, I: M.& H. Stockman (1992), REG: M.& H. Stockman (1992) Fls 9/lax truss, campanulate, 57 × 51mm, 9-lobed, vivid reddish orange (43A), with a deep red (53A) spotted flare on all lobes, more concentrated in the throat and extending nearly to lobe edges; stamens 10, slightly curved, unequal. Calyx 2mm long, red. Pedicels 20mm long, reddish brown. Lvs elliptic, 102 × 38mm, convex, cuspidate at apex, cuneate at base, bullate and matt, medium green above, with a tan indumentum (felt-like on new growth, sparse on mature lvs); petioles 16mm long, light green. Upright shrub, 0.6 × 0.6m in 12 years. Mid May.

(r) **'Dora'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel, N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark lilac, with red-orange spots

(r) **'Dora Amateis'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group (s) × *ciliatum* H: E. Amateis (1951), G: E. Amateis, N: E. Amateis, I: E. Amateis (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 6-8/lax truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 45-50mm, white, with slight greenish yellow spotting on dorsal lobe. Lvs 40-65 × 20-27mm, fairly dark, dull green. Shrub under 1.0m. PC 1972, *AM 1976, *FCC 1981

(r) **'Dora Frank'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Yellow Gay' (s) × 'Whitney's Orange' × 'Golden Star' H: F.A. Arsen (1988), G: F.A. Arsen (1998), N: F.A. Arsen (2001), REG: F.A. Arsen (2001) Fls 11/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 75mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, light yellowish pink (19B) in bud, opening light yellow (18B) inside, with faint dorsal spotting of light greenish yellow (1C); outside pale yellow (18C). Lvs oblong, 140 × 50mm, margins downcurved, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, glossy and dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 13 years. Late April

(r) **'Dora Weissbach'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R. Weissbach & F. Ledien (pre 1907), N: R. Weissbach, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, light lilac, with yellow-brown markings; delicately scented. Medium-sized shrub to 3.0m

(r) **Dorcas Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Bagshot Ruby' (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in moderate trusses, rose pink, slightly scented. Tall shrub. May

(a) **'Doreen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Comtesse de Kerchove' R: B. Chandler & Son (c 1975), N: B. Chandler & Son Fls single, deep salmon. Indian

(r) **'Doreen Gale'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Point Defiance' (s) × 'Trude Webster' H: D. Sanders (1986), G: Sanders Nursery (1992), N: M. Sanders, I: Sanders Nursery, REG: M. Sanders (1998) Fls 14/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 80 × 140mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, centre very pale purple (69C), edged vivid purplish red (57C), with vivid purplish red (57B) dorsal freckles; outside vivid purplish red (57C). Lvs elliptic, 190 × 80mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, glossy and dark green, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 11 years. Early May

(r) **'Doria'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Jay Gould' (s) × *brachycarpum* R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon rose, with yellow markings

(a) **'Dorian'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Louise Gable' × 'Helen Close' R: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1970) Fls single, 1-2/truss, 50mm wide, light reddish purple (10P 6/9). Lvs 30 × 13mm. Shrub to 0.6m. Late May

(a) **'Dorine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Croux (1965) Fls rose

(r) **'Dorinthia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × Hiraethlyn Group H: Lord Aberconway (1931), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 6-9/loose truss, 50 × 75mm, clear shiny red, with deep, wavy-edged lobes. Lvs oblong-obovate, up to 140 × 40mm, dark green above, with a fawn indumentum below. FCC 1938 (Dorinthia Group)

(r) **Dorinthia Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × Hiraethlyn Group H: Lord Aberconway (1931), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1938), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Doris'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Ruth Kirk' R: B. Chandler & Son (c 1975), N: B. Chandler & Son Fls double, salmon apricot

(r) **'Doris'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Doris Bigler'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: complex hybrid, including *catawbiense*, *maximum* and possibly other hybrids H: W.D. Smith (1971), G: W.D. Smith, N: W.D. Smith, I: W.D. Smith, REG: W.D. Smith (1979) Fls up to 17/ball truss, 50mm wide, strong reddish purple (2.5RP 5/10) in bud, opening light purple (7.5P 7/7) and edged strong reddish purple (10P 5/10), with a yellow blotch and light green spotting. Lvs 115 × 45mm. Shrub to over 1.9m

(r) **'Doris Caroline'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Loderi Group (s) × 'Lady Bligh' N: R. Henny (1960), I: R. Henny, REG: R. Henny (1961) Fls 10-12/upright truss, flat-campanulate, up to 100mm wide, 6-7-lobed, tyrian rose (24/3). Lvs up to 150 × 65mm. Shrub 1.5m

(r) **'Doris Griswold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group × *bureavii* × 'The Honourable Jean Marie de

Montague' H: D.A. Griswold (1975), G: W.O. Griswold, N: Griswold Nursery, I: Griswold Nursery, REG: L. Malland (1990) Fls 7-8/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 51mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (46A) in bud, opening moderate purplish pink (54D), aging to nearly white, with discrete vivid red (46C) spotting on all lobes, but heaviest on the dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 38mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, with a persistent, plastered, tan indumentum. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 10 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Doris Moss'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Romany Chai Group × 'Purple Splendour' H: W. Moss (1963), G: W. Moss (1973), N: W. Moss, I: W. Moss (1975), REG: W. Moss (1975) Fls 52 × 80mm, 5-lobed, moderate purplish red (64A), with a blotch of dark greyish reddish brown (200A) shading to strong red (53B). Calyx purplish red. Lvs ovate, 163 × 44mm, hairless. June.

(v) **'Doris Mossman'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *zoelleri* × *macgregoriae* (s) × *stenophyllum* H: F.D. Mossman (pre 1985), G: R.W. Cavender (1996), N: R.W. Cavender (1996), I: Bovees Nursery (1996), REG: Bovees Nursery (1998) Fls 4-5/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 25 × 40mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, vivid reddish orange (33A) in bud, opening vivid reddish orange (33A) throughout, inside fading to vivid reddish orange (33B) towards centre; unmarked. Lvs very narrowly oblong, 70 × 10mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and dark yellowish green (139A) above. Shrub 0.75 × 0.75m in 10 years. Flowering several times each year. (First published in the Bovees Nursery cat., 1996)

(r) **'Doris Nolan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kammer's Ruffles' (s) × 'Cynthia' H: M. Stockman (1983), G: H.& M. Stockman (1991), N: H.& M. Stockman, REG: H.& M. Stockman (1993) Fls 13/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 38 × 64mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, purple in bud, opening light purple (75A) shading to nearly white at centre of each lobe, with a light sprinkling of strong purplish red (63A) spots on dorsal lobe and edges of adjacent lobes; stamens 9, slightly curved, unequal; slightly scented. Calyx less than 2mm long, light green. Pedicels 22mm long, pale green, tinged pink. Lvs lanceolate, 95 × 32mm, concave, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull dark green and bullate above, hairless; petioles 19mm long, pale green. Shrub 0.6 × 1.1m in 10 years. Late May

(a) **'Doris Ritter'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid, see *The Azalean* 4 (1):2 (1982) for notes on parentage R: W.D. Smith (pre 1982), N: W.D. Smith Fls hose-in-hose, 65mm wide. Syn: 'White Cloud'

(r) **'Dorita'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright carmine red

(r) **'Dorkinsii'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (c 1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark chocolate crimson. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **Dormouse Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Dawns Delight' (s) × *williamsianum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rich pink on edges, with a paler centre. Lvs rounded, 75 × 55mm, burnished green. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years

(a) **'Dorothea'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (1883), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cinnabar red, with white stripes (Seidel cat., 1894). Indian

(r) **'Dorothea'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* (s) × *decorum* R: T.H. Lowinsky, N: T.H. Lowinsky, I: T.H. Lowinsky (1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c8/elongated truss, broadly campanulate, 60 × 80mm, carmine in bud, opening white with a green throat and a crimson zone at base of tube; strongly scented. AM 1925

(a) **'Dorothy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt, I: E.A. Merritt (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, light pink. Kurume (The Kaempferi azalea of this name listed in the 1958 Register is probably the same plant)

(r) **'Dorothy Amateis'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'America' × 'Purple Splendour' H: E. Amateis (1955), I: W. Baldsiefen (1971), REG: W. Baldsiefen (1971) Fls in a tall truss, 75mm wide, deep purple. Lvs 125 × 40mm, elliptic, dark green. Tall shrub

(a) **'Dorothy Ann'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L.L. Brooks (pre 1965), N: L.L. Brooks Fls double, purplish pink. Indian

(a) **'Dorothy Clark'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Grace Freeman No.2' × 'Amagasa' R: J. Harris, N: J. Harris, I: J. Harris (pre 1981) Fls single, 115mm wide, light pink at centre, with light red edges. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 9 years

(a) **'Dorothy Corston'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Knap Hill Red' × unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1966) Fls deep red. Lvs tinted bronze. Dense shrub. Knap Hill

(r) **'Dorothy Dean Jones'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nancy Evans' (s) × 'September Song' H: W.A. Stipe (1989), G: W.A. Stipe (1995), N: W.A. Stipe (2000), I: Glynneden Gardens (2001), REG: W.A. Stipe (2001) Fls 13/domed truss, open funnel-campanulate, 75 × 75mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, light yellow (20B) in bud, opening inside light yellowish pink (27A), outside light greenish yellow (8C). Calyx 5mm long, deep yellowish pink (47C). Lvs elliptic, 90 × 40mm, margins flat, cuspidate at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 11 years. Mid May

(r) **'Dorothy Ella'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *nuttallii* hybrid I: Riverview Gardens (pre 1996) Fls large, light pink, cream and white; scented. Lvs heavily veined. Upright shrub, 1.2m in 10 years

(r) **'Dorothy Fortescue'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1922), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark cherry red

(a) **'Dorothy Gish'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Bobbink & Atkins (1930), N: Bobbink & Atkins, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 65mm wide, deep yellowish pink (47C), with a darker blotch. Early-midseason. Rutherford

(a) **'Dorothy Hayden'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Glacier' × ('Louise Gable' × "Gable C8G") × 'Getsutoku' H: R.D. Gartrell (1960), G: R.D. Gartrell (1964), N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell (1971), REG: R.D. Gartrell (1977) Fls 1-2/truss, tubular funnel-shaped and very flat-faced, 50 × 90mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, white, with pale yellow-green (149D) spots in dorsal throat and on dorsal lobes. Calyx 3mm long, light green. Lvs broadly elliptic, 28 × 20mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless and glossy green above. Shrub 0.4 × 0.9m in 13 years. Early June. (Robin Hill no.T5-2)

(a) **'Dorothy Jessep'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: M.E. Greentree (1987) Fls semi-double, pink

(a) **'Dorothy King'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'La Roche' (s) × *indicum* hybrid H: W.L. Clagett (1984), G: W.L. Clagett (1988), N: W.L. Clagett, I: White's Nursery, REG: W.L. Clagett (1994) Fls 3/truss, hose-in-hose, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 65mm, with 5 wavy to very wavy-edged lobes/whorl, strong to vivid purplish red (67A, B), with a dark purple blotch on dorsal lobe extending on to most of adjacent lobes; stamens 7-8, elongated, anthers lacking. No normal calyx present. Pedicels 10mm long, light green. Lvs ovate to elliptic, 35 × 20mm, concave, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, new growth mottled yellow and green (mottling lasting through most of growing season), mature leaves moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (146B) below; hairless above, with discrete, rust-coloured hairs below when young; petioles 12mm long, orange red. Shrub 0.75 × 0.75m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Dorothy Knippenberg'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scintillation' seedling, open-pollinated G: N.E. Hess (1977), N: N.E. Hess, I: N.E. Hess (1982), REG: N.E. Hess (1992) Fls 14/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 64 × 102mm, with 7 smooth-edged lobes, white, with moderate reddish orange (179C) dorsal spotting; stamens absent; hightly scented. Pedicels 32-38mm long, greyish yellow-green (194B). Lvs elliptic, 127 × 64mm, mucronate at apex, rounded at base, moderate yellow-green (147B above, 147D below), hairless; petioles 32mm long, strong yellow-green (144C). Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 14 years. Mid May. (Seed collected by N. Hess in 1972)

(r) **'Dorothy Lee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague' × *sanguineum* subsp. *sanguineum* var. *haemaleum* R: C.S. Seabrook (pre 1965), N: C.S. Seabrook, REG: C.S. Seabrook (1967) Fls 10-12/loose, flat truss, tubular-campanulate, nearly 50mm wide, oxblood red (00823). Lvs 65 × 20mm, dark green. Small shrub. Early May

(r) **'Dorothy Lonsdale'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Elizabeth Group × 'Barclayi Helen Fox' R: H.D. Rose, N: H.D. Rose, I: H.D. Rose, REG: H.D. Rose (1973) Fls 10/truss, campanulate, 50mm wide, vivid red (46B), slightly spotted on upper lobe. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 75 × 25mm. Shrub 1.2m

(r) **'Dorothy Loveday'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'C.I.S.' (s) × 'Crest' H: N. Sullivan (1982), G: N. Sullivan (1993), N: N. Sullivan (1996), REG: N. Sullivan (1996) Fls 10/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 110mm, with 7 very wavy-edged lobes, moderate red (179B) to moderate reddish orange (179C) in bud, opening inside pale yellow (161C), with moderate yellow (162B) on the dorsal lobes, outside flushed moderate yellowish pink (179D); with a large, deep red (53A) basal blotch. Lvs ovate, 160 × 65mm, glossy above, cordate at base, acute at apex, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 1.0m in 13 years. Late October-late November (Australia)

(r) **'Dorothy Macklin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* × *thomsonii* × unknown H: Miss L.M. Hancock (pre 1978)

(a) **'Dorothy May'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Choyou' × 'Heiwa' H: J. May (1969), G: J. May, N: J. May, I: J. May (1988), REG: J. May (1988) Fls single, solitary, funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, 5-7-lobed (very variable), white, with the tips of the lobes deep purplish pink (73A). Some flowers have lower lobes missing, leaving a gap. Lvs lanceolate, 50 × 18mm. Shrub 0.35 × 0.5m. Late June.

(a) **'Dorothy Miller'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid, see *The Azalean* 4 (1): 1-5 (1982) for details of parentage - under Hinckley Group R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith Fls hose-in-hose, 90mm wide, strong red (53B/C), with a strong purplish red (67A) blotch. Shrub 1.2m in 7 years

(r) **'Dorothy Neville'** (Syn. of 'Lady Dorothy Neville')

(r) **'Dorothy Peake'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Furnivall' × 'Purple Splendour' H: W. Elliott (c 1976), G: Mrs A.J. Holden (1985), N: Mrs A.J. Holden, I: Harstine Island Nursery, REG: Mrs A.J. Holden (1988) Fls up to 13/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 38 × 83mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (67C) in bud, opening yellowish white (155D) with a 6-13mm wide edging of deep purplish pink (67C) and with dark red (59A) to deep red (60A) spotting on three dorsal lobes; outside deep purplish pink (67C); edging and outside fade to white. Calyx up to 6mm long, moderate red (180C). Lvs elliptic to broadly elliptic, 140 × 60mm, flat to convex, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy, moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (139D) below. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 10 years. Late April

(r) **'Dorothy Peste Andersen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vincent van Gogh' × 'Loderi King George' H: F. Peste (1975), G: F. Peste, N: F. Peste, I: F. Peste, REG: Mrs A. Sather (1986) Fls 24/tight, conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, 6-7-lobed, strong purplish red (58B) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (65C), with more-or-less 13mm edging of strong purplish red (63B) and slight, dorsal, strong greenish yellow spotting; scented. Calyx very small. Lvs lanceolate, 160-200 × 60-70mm, glossy, moderate olive green (137B) above. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 7 years. Late May

(a) **'Dorothy Rees'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Glacier' × 'Louise Gable' × 'Tama-giku' H: R.D. Gartrell (1960), G: R.D. Gartrell (1963), N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell (1969), REG: R.D. Gartrell (1977) Fls 1-2/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 35 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged and overlapping lobes, white, with a light yellow-green (145D) throat. Calyx 3mm long, pale green. Lvs elliptic, 35 × 20mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above. Shrub c0.5 × 0.8m in 15 years. Late May-early June. (Robin Hill no.V1-9)

(r) **'Dorothy Robbins'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* ("Hooker's form") × Margaret Dunn Group H: L.E. Brandt (1959), G: L.E. Brandt (1969), N: L.E. Brandt, REG: L.E. Brandt (1969) Fls 50 × 100mm, 5-lobed, light yellow (11B), shading to brilliant yellow (11A) in the throat where there is a vivid reddish orange (32A) blotch. Lvs 100 × 50mm. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 9 years

(r) **'Dorothy Russell'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pygmalion' × *haematodes* × Dexter no.8 H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: R. Schwoebel, N: R. Schwoebel, I: Schwoebel Nursery (pre 1972), REG: Briarwood Gardens (1994) Fls 21/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 64 × 89mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (66C) throughout, with dark red (59A) speckles on all lobes but most concentrated on dorsal lobe; stamens 11-12, curved, unequal. Calyx under 2mm long, moderate yellow-green (146B). Pedicels 44mm long, deep red (185A) above. Lvs elliptic, 102-178 × 32-64mm, flat, acute at apex, rounded at base, dull, moderate olive green (146A) above, moderate yellow-green (146D) below; petioles 19-32mm long, strong yellow-green (145A) above. Shrub 2.4 × 2.4m in 12 years. Late May. (Exact combination of parents unknown. First published in *Q.Bull.Am.Rho.Soc.* 27 (2):94-99 (1973))

(a) **'Dorothy Stiner'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid, see *The Azalean* 4 (1): 3 (1982) for notes on parentage R: W.D. Smith (pre 1982), N: W.D. Smith Fls 75mm wide, cyclamen purple

(r) **'Dorothy Swift'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* (s) × *yakushimanum* H: G.A.L. Mehlquist (1964), G: G.A.L. Mehlquist (1969), N: G.A.L. Mehlquist, I: G.A.L. Mehlquist (1990), REG: G.A.L. Mehlquist (1994) Fls 12-17/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40-45 × 55-60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, dark pink in bud, opening moderate, light and pale purplish pink (65A-D), fading to white; stamens 10, curved, unequal; styles white, becoming pink; slightly scented. Calyx very short, green. Pedicels 40mm long, green. Lvs obovate, 65-115 × 25-40mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy dark green and hairless above, with a thick, felted indumentum below (cream at first, ageing to brown); petioles 15-30mm long, green, hairy. Shrub 3.0 × 2.1m in 28 years. Late May-early June

(r) **'Dorothy Winberg'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pineapple Delight' × 'Purple Lace' (s) × 'Mrs Davies Evans' × 'Purple Splendour' H: J.D. Winberg (1992), G: J.D. Winberg & C. Smith (1996), N: J.D. Winberg (1996), REG: J.D. Winberg (1996) Fls 16-18/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 95mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside yellowish white (155D), with a prominent dark red (59A) flare; outside with a strong purple (80B) margins fading to light purple (80C). Calyx 25mm long, dark red (59A). Lvs elliptic, 110 × 45mm, cuneate at base, broadly acute at apex, hairless, bullate. Shrub 0.5 × 0.7m in 3 1/2 years. Late April

(a) **'Dorothy Woodworth'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Boudoir' × 'Gumpo Pink' R: P.E. Girard (pre 1982), N: P.E. Girard Fls 65-90mm wide, light pink, heavily ruffled. Lvs 40 × 20mm, mid green

(r) **'Dorothy Yargus'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Idealist Group × 'Fawn' (s) × 'Lemon Custard' × 'Crest' H: F. Watters (1980), G: B. Yargus (1988), N: F. Watters, I: F. Watters & Briggs Nursery (1990), REG: F. Watters (1989) Fls 10/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 60 × 102mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (47B) in bud, opening deep pink (50B) on 6-13mm wide margins, shading through light yellow (18B) to brilliant yellow (7A) in throat; outside shades from deep pink (50B) at margins to pale orange-yellow (24D) at base; slightly scented. Calyx lobes variable, 13-22mm long, brilliant yellow (7A) with deep pink (50B) edges. Lvs elliptic, 152 × 51mm, flat, acute at apex, rounded at base, more-or-less dull green above, hairless. Shrub 0.7 × 0.7m in 8 years. Late May-June

(r) **'Dorset Blue'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: Electra Group × Blue Diamond Group H: J. May (1969), G: J. May, N: J. May, I: J. May (1988), REG: J. May (1988) Fls 4/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55mm wide, 5-lobed, strong violet (90B). Lvs elliptic, 40 × 23mm. Shrub 1.3 × 1.0m. April-May

(r) **'Dorset Candy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Grenadier Group × 'Crest' H: J. May (1969), G: J. May, N: J. May, I: J. May (1988), REG: J. May (1988) Fls 14/truss, funnel-shaped, 70mm wide, 5-lobed, strong pink (52D) in bud, opening pale yellowish pink (159D). Calyx up to 7mm long, cream. Lvs elliptic, 110 × 40mm. Compact shrub, 1.3m tall. April-May

(r) **'Dorset Lass'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × Fred Wynniatt Group H: R.J.R. Drayson (1979), G: Harkwood Acres (1986), N: Mrs A.J.A. Drayson, REG: R.J.R. & Mrs A.J.A. Drayson (1987)

Fls 14-16/truss, open campanulate, 65 × 110mm, with 6 lobes, buds strong purplish red (58C), opening pale orange-yellow (19D) with stripes and 10mm edging of deep purplish pink (58D); matures to pale yellow-green (155A), with stripes and edging lighter than 58D; slight sweet scent. Calyx 18mm long, light yellow (15D). Lvs lanceolate, 104 × 43mm, moderate olive green (146A-147A), hairless. Compact shrub 0.63 × 0.72m in 7 years. Late April-mid May

(r) **'Dorset Lemon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cunningham's Sulphur' × *eclecteum* H: J. May (1969), G: J. May, N: J. May, I: J. May (1988), REG: J. May (1988) Fls 15-18/truss, campanulate, 40 × 50mm, 5-lobed, light greenish yellow to pale yellow-green (4C/D). Lvs oblong-elliptic, 60-90 × 20-35mm, hairless. Shrub 0.5 × 0.5m. March-April

(a) **'Dorsett'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kaempferi* S: E.A. Hollowell (pre 1978) Fls c40mm wide, strong yellowish pink (41C), with a strong purplish red (58B) blotch. Flowers late, into winter if weather permits. (Raised from seed collected in Japan)

(r) **'Dörte Reich'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group (s) × *cinnabarinum* subsp. *xanthocodon* Concatenans Group H: W. Reich (1984), G: W. Reich (1992), N: W. Reich (2000), I: W. Reich (1996), REG: W. Reich (2000) Fls up to 6/flat, lax truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 31-34 × 40mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, inside light reddish purple/moderate purplish pink (74C/D), outside similarly coloured, but shading to deep purplish pink (61D) towards base; dorsal lobe with moderate reddish brown/dark reddish orange (175A/B) spots with a yellowish orange halo. Calyx 3.5mm long, greyish green. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 14-58 × 7-30mm, wavy to partly upcurved at margins, very glossy above, scaly, dark yellowish green/moderate yellowish green (139A/B) above, moderate yellow-green (139C) below. Shrub 1.55 × 1.2m in 15 years. Late April-early May. (Standard: colour slide provided by registrant (WSY 0023037))

(r) **Dortmund Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *souliei* (s) × *wardii* R: D.G. Hobbie (1953), N: D.G. Hobbie, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 8-12/truss, bright yellow, suffused delicate rose. (The *wardii* used was raised from Hu 14657)

(r) **'Dortmund'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: unknown × *williamsianum* R: D.G. Hobbie, S: J. Bruns, N: J. Bruns, I: J. Bruns (1968) Fls rose

(a) **'Dosewallips Gold'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Old Gold', selfed H: Mr & Mrs H.L. Bailey (1969), G: Mr & Mrs H.L. Bailey, N: Mr & Mrs H.L. Bailey, I: Mr & Mrs H.L. Bailey, REG: Mr & Mrs H.L. Bailey (1986) Fls 12/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged, reflexed lobes, deep pink (48A) in bud, opening light orange-yellow (19A), with c7mm edging of strong reddish orange (31B) and a prominent dorsal blotch of coalescing orange spots; outside 31B; scented. Calyx 7mm long, moderate yellow-green. Lvs between oblanceolate and narrowly obovate, 65-125 × 28-53mm, glossy, moderate olive green (146A) above, hairy. Foliage red in autumn, new growth vivid red (57A). Shrub 1.6 × 1.9m in 14 years. Mid May. Knap Hill

(r) **'Doshong La'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *mekongense* var. *mekongense* Viridescens Group R: E.H.M. & P.A. Cox, N: E.H.M. & P.A. Cox, REG: E.H.M. & P.A. Cox (1972) Fls 4-5/rounded truss, open funnel-shaped, up to 45 × 40mm, 5-lobed, light yellow-green (2C), faintly flushed old rose at tips and on reverse, with olive green flecking. Lvs elliptic to oblong-elliptic, up to 40 × 20mm, glaucous to glaucescent, aromatic, mid green above, moderately brown scaly below; young foliage tinged bronze. *AM 1972 (Raised from KW 5829)

(r) **'Dosido'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Furnivall' (s) × 'Unimak' H: J.A. Elliott (1973), G: J.A. Elliott (1978), N: J.A. Elliott, I: J.A. Elliott (1981), REG: J.A. Elliott (1986) Fls 12-15/truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 100mm, 5-lobed, phlox pink in bud (625/1), opening 625/3 fading to white with age; dorsal spotting barium yellow (503). Calyx small, pink. Lvs oblong to narrowly obovate, 140 × 55mm, spinach green (0960), hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years. Early May

(r) **'Dot'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Lindsay Smith' (s) × *fortunei* R: Lord Swaythling, N: Lord Swaythling, I: Lord Swaythling (1945), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 100-125mm wide, white. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. AM 1945

(az) **'Dot'** cv. Azaleodendron: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose crimson

(r) **'Dot's Cherry Jubilee'** cv. Parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), N: Mrs H.C. Schlaikjer (pre 1978), I: Mrs H.C. Schlaikjer (pre 1978) Fls pink

(r) **'Dotted Swiss'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ronald Otto Delp' (s) × 'Fiery Orange' H: W.E. Delp (1984), G: W.E. Delp (1987), N: W.E. Delp, I: W. Storms (1991), REG: W.E. Delp (1991) Fls 10/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 80mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, deep red to deep pink (185A-D) in bud, opening dark to moderate purplish pink (186C-D) with deep red (185A) freckles on all lobes, but strongest on dorsal lobes; filaments moderate purplish pink (186D); anthers pale orange-yellow (159B); style pale yellow-green (157A); stigma moderate orange (166D). Lvs ovate, 140 × 55mm, hairless. Shrub 0.5 × 0.48m in 7 years. Late May-early June

(a) **'Dottie Ann'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Asahi-zuru' (s) × un-named, semi-evergreen, semi-double azalea (no. CB-10) H: W.L. Clagett (1991), G: W.L. Clagett (1996), N: W.L. Clagett (2002), I: White's Nursery, REG: W.L. Clagett (2002) Fls single, 2-3/flat truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, variable

in colour: bicoloured buds opening to bicoloured fls (inside and out), some with a light purple (75B) centre and a broad border of strong purplish red (72B-C), others with a pale purplish pink (56B) centre and a broad border of strong red (51A). Calyx 2mm long, pale green, pubescent. Lvs elliptic to lanceolate, 15 × 6mm, flat, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (146A) above, hairy above and below (hairs more-or-less transparent at first, later white). Shrub 0.2 × 0.38m in 10 years. Mid June

(a) **'Dotty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Madame Petrick' × 'Apollo' (of Schulz) I: P.B. van Acker (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. Indian

(r) **'Double Action'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'April Gem' (s) × 'Hi Tech' H: A.T. & S.A. Anderson (1989), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1995) Fls 3/truss, open funnel-shaped, double (with petaloid stamens), 28 × 38mm, 5-lobed, strong and light purple (84A-B) in bud, opening light and very pale purple (84C-D); stigma moderate orange (171D). Lvs 25 × 13mm, acute at apex, rounded at base. Shrub 0.3 × 0.25m in 4 years. Late May

(a) **'Double Beauty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: double seedling (no.37.G1) × 'Vuyk's Scarlet' R: Vuyk van Nes, N: Vuyk van Nes, REG: Vuyk van Nes (1965) Fls 2/truss, hose-in-hose, funnel-shaped, 25 × 65mm, near china rose (024/1), flushed slightly darker towards throat and at extreme margins, dull crimson speckling in throat and a wide streak of white along outside of midribs. Lvs 40 × 13mm, light, glossy green above. Shrub c0.4 × 1.0m. May. *HC 1965, *AM 1971. Vuykiana

(a) **'Double Blush'** cv. Deciduous azalea: probably a selection from *calendulaceum* L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double

(a) **'Double Damask'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1959), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1961) Fls double, in dense trusses, cream fading to white. Early-mid season. Knap Hill

(r) **'Double Dare'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: (*brachycarpum* × 'Crest') × 'Stokes Bronze Wings' (s) × 'Robert Wheldon' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls "petaloid", with very wavy-edged lobes, deep and strong red (53A, B) in bud, opening yellowish white (158C) edged strong purplish red (54A); outside veined strong red (53D); filaments and style greenish white (155C); stigma dark red (59A). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Double Date'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney (c 1960), G: W.E. Whitney, N: G. & Mrs A. Sather, I: G. & Mrs A. Sather, REG: G. & Mrs A. Sather (1975) Fls 10/conical truss, 40 × 65mm, open funnel-campanulate, double (with 6 outer lobes and 3 wavy inner petals), deep purplish pink (55A); some stamens present. Calyx 3mm long, rosy. Lvs oblanceolate, 120 × 30mm, dark green, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.8m in 8 years. Syn: 'Toandos Rose', 'Whitney's Double Pink', 'Fastuosum Flore Rosea'

(a) **'Double Day'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably a seedling from 'Dayspring' R: I.L. Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L. Amann Fls hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, pale purplish pink (65D). Limited winter foliage. Erect shrub to 1.5m. Midseason

(r) **'Double Decker'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* × *minus* Carolinianum Group H: J.B. Gable (pre 1972) Fls pink. (Mincar Group)

(a) **'Double Delight'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Narcissiflorum' × unknown H: J.O. Bunnell (1972), G: J.O. Bunnell (1975), N: J.O. Bunnell, REG: J.O. Bunnell (1986) Fls double, 13-16/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 55mm, with 5+5 sometimes wavy, more-or-less reflexed lobes, greenish yellow in bud, opening vivid yellow (15A & B); no stamens, central lobes sometimes irregular and aborted. Calyx 7mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Lvs narrowly obovate to more-or-less elliptic, c55-70 × 27-30mm, glossy green above, hairy. Shrub 1.2 × 1.4m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Double Diamond'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *johnstoneanum* R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners (1962), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1962) Fls fully double, 2-3/truss, 75 × 100mm, white, with a tinge of orange in the throat. Pedicels long, stout, scaly. Lvs obovate-elliptic, ciliate, scaly below; petioles hairy and scaly. AM 1956

(a) **'Double Dip'** (Syn. of 'Carlson's Double Dip')

(r) **'Double Dip'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' (s) × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: J.B. Gable (1960), G: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, REG: E.T. Connors (1998) Fls 13/domed truss, 50 × 50mm, 5-lobed, white (155D), lightly spotted with brilliant yellow-green (149A) at base of dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 55mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and dark yellowish green (139A) above, with plastered, brownish orange (165B) hairs below and on petioles. Shrub 1.1 × 1.5m in c12 years. Mid May. (Published in *Hybrids and Hybridizers*, Livingston & West (1976))

(r) **'Double Drake'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anna Rose Whitney' (s) × 'Anna Rose Whitney' × un-named hybrid H: E.F. Drake (1965), G: E.F. Drake (1969), I: Mrs V.A. Lux Jr (1981), REG: Mrs V.A. Lux Jr (1981) Fls 20-22/domed truss, open to tubular funnel-shaped, 35 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53D) in bud, opening vivid red/deep pink (52A/B), with slight brownish orange (172C) spotting on 2 dorsal lobes towards the throat; throat tinged light yellowish pink (27A), shading to vivid red/deep pink (52A/B); outside veined and blended light yellowish pink (27A). Calyx almost as large as corolla, vivid red/deep pink (52A/B). Lvs very narrowly elliptic, 135-160 × 40-45mm, apicu-

late at apex, cuneate at base, with a patchy, golden brown indumentum below, dull green and hairless above. Shrub 0.96 × 0.96m in 10 years. Mid April-mid May

(r) **'Double Dutch'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: unknown (s) × 'Carolyn Grace' H: B.T. Briggs (1963), G: E.L. Knight (1978), N: E.L. Knight, I: E.L. Knight, REG: E.L. Knight (1980) Fls 6/truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 65mm, with 7 very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (7.5RP 7/10) in bud, opening moderate pink (10RP 8/5), with a light yellowish pink (2.5YR 9/3) throat and stripes of the same colour down centre of each lobe (c5mm wide), edged 10RP 6/12. Calyx similar to the corolla in size and colour. Lvs elliptic, 90-108 × 40-45mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, margins slightly revolute, hairless and dull green above; new foliage tinged moderate reddish brown (7.5R 3/6). Shrub 1.2 × 1.1m in 15 years. Mid April

(r) **'Double Duty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scotty Lad', open-pollinated H: W.E. Delp (1979), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 22/truss, with petaloid stamens, open funnel-shaped, 37 × 45mm, 5-lobed, vivid reddish purple (74A, B) in bud, opening to a blend of very light and very pale purple (75C, D), vivid and light reddish purple (74B, C) and moderate purplish pink (74D), with sparse brownish orange (164A) dorsal spots; filaments and style strong purplish pink (55B); anthers light yellow (162C); stigma darkred (187A). Lvs 127 × 57mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base. Shrub 1.1 × 0.9m in 13 years. Early June.

(a) **'Double Eagle'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Cecile' × unknown R: A.A. & M. Childers, N: A.A. & M. Childers, I: A.A. & M. Childers (1970), REG: A.A. & M. Childers (1971) Fls fully double, 7-9/rounded truss, light orange, edged yellow and with a darker blotch. Lvs colouring well in autumn. Shrub 0.6m in 13 years

(a) **'Double Eagle'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: E. de Rothschild (c 1980), N: E. de Rothschild Fls old gold. (Solent Group)

(r) **'Double Eagle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Bump's Orange Thing' × 'Skipper' R: A.C. Korth (pre 1996)

(r) **'Double Faced'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'America' (s) × 'Ann Rutledge' H: W.E. Delp (1976), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 15/truss, hose-in-hose, broadly funnel-shaped, 42 × 54mm, with 5+5 lobes, deep and strong purplish red (71A, B) in bud, opening strong purplish red (71B-D) with dark red (59A) dorsal spots; outside a blend of strong reddish purple (70B) and deep to moderate purplish pink (70C, D); filaments and style pale purplish pink (65D); anthers pale yellow (161D); stigma dark red (187A). No normal calyx present. Lvs 98 × 44mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.4m in 16 years. Early June

(r) **'Double Float'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Si Si' × 'Serendipity' (s) × 'Doctor Tom Ring' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls hose-in-hose, yellowish white (158C) and strong red (53D) in bud, opening yellowish white (158C) and strong pink (54C), with deep red (53A) dorsal spots. Calyx coloured as corolla. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Double Gem'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Queen Anne's' (s) × 'Golden Star' H: A.E. Kehr (1981), G: A.E. Kehr (1991), N: A.E. Kehr, REG: A.E. Kehr Fls fully double (no normal stamens present), 12-14/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 64 × 76mm, outer whorl with 6 wavy-edged lobes, yellow in bud, opening cream, with a light yellow centre. Calyx 6mm long, light green. Pedicels 25mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 127 × 64mm, flat, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, glossy green above, hairless; petioles 19mm long, green, hairy. Shrub 1.2 × 0.8m in 13 years. Early May

(a) **'Double Hinodegiri'** (Syn. of 'Hinodegiri Double')

(a) **'Double Mauve'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Abbot's Nursery (1961) Fls hose-in-hose, delicate shade of lilac or violet. Kurume

(a) **'Double Pleasure'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Roseum Plenum' (s) × *albrechtii* H: J.O. Bunnell (1972), G: J.O. Bunnell (1976), N: J.O. Bunnell, REG: J.O. Bunnell (1986) Fls double, 14-16/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, with 5+5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53C & D); outside deep red (53A); stamens absent; fls star-shaped with pointed, rather concave lobes. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs narrowly obovate, 65-75 × 25-30mm, glossy green, hairy. Shrub 1.5 × 1.7m in 10 years. Early May

(a) **'Double Salmon'** cv. Deciduous azalea: Knap Hill azalea × *austrinum* R: unknown (pre 1985) Fls double, deep yellowish pink

(a) **'Double Shot'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'El Capitan' (s) × 'Aladdin' H: P.E. Girard (1967), G: P.E. Girard (1970), N: P.E. Girard, I: Girard Nurseries, REG: P.E. Girard (1975) Fls hose-in-hose (5+5-lobed), 4-6/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, buds scarlet, opening dark reddish orange (7.5R 4/11), with dark red or maroon spots. Calyx 7mm long, light green. Lvs broadly elliptic to elliptic, 28 × 20mm, glossy strong green (5G 4/7), hairy below. Shrub 0.6 × 0.8m in 6 years. Mid May

(r) **'Double Trouble'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ginny Mae' (s) × (*smirnowii* × *yakushimanum*) × *aureum* H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls hose-in-hose, deep red (60A) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (62D), with deep red dorsal spots. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Double Twilight'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Hazlewood Bros (1971) Fls double, soft "twilight colour", with a mauvy blue tint. Indian

(r) **'Double Vision'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: (*brachycarpum* × 'Crest') × 'Stokes Bronze Wings' (s) × 'Delp's Dream' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls hose-in-hose, yellowish white (158D), with a light greenish yellow (4C) flare and moderate red (183D) dorsal spots. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Double Winner'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *strigillosum* hybrid H: H.L. Larson (pre 1983) Fls in tight trusses, bright red. Lvs long, dull green, with a light indumentum. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Doubloons'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Moonstone Group (s) × 'Carolyn Grace' R: A. Wright, N: A. Wright (1961), REG: A. Wright (1962) Fls 7-10/loose truss, broadly funnel-shaped, up to 125mm wide, yellow. Lvs 75 × 50mm. Shrub c1.0m in 10 years. Early

(a) **'Doubrava'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Amoenum' × *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* R: B. Kavka et al. (c 1974), N: B. Kavka et al. Fls 2-4/flattened globose truss, 33mm wide, purple pink in bud (29/1-29/2), opening light purple pink (630/1-630/2), with an inconspicuous blotch of brown (30/2-30/1). Lvs oblong-ovate, 28 × 12mm, dark to blackish green (00962-00962/1. Shrub c0.5 × 1.0m.

(r) **'Douggie Betteridge'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × Jalisco Group H: E. de Rothschild (pre 1970), G: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild, REG: E. de Rothschild (1986) Fls 13-14/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, up to 50 × 120mm, pale yellow-green (4D), flushed purplish pink (shades of 65) inside; outside more strongly flushed red-purple. Calyx rudimentary, green. Lvs ovate, up to 130 × 70mm, dark green above, pale green below, hairless. Shrub 3.0 × 3.0m in 20 years. May. AM 1986

(a) **'Doughoregan'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *periclymenoides* S: Gambrill (pre 1974), N: Gambrill Fls uniform pink. Shrub under 1.0m. Flowering later than usual for species. (Selection in the wild from Howard County, Maryland, USA)

(r) **'Douglas McEwan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid (s) × 'Monsieur Thiers' R: C.B. van Nes & Sons (pre 1929), N: C.B. van Nes & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12/compact truss, broadly campanulate, 55 × 65mm, glowing rosy scarlet, with a few black spots. Calyx very small. Lvs oblong-elliptic, c120 × 40mm, dark green above, hairless

(r) **'Douglas R. Stephens'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague' (s) × unnamed white hybrid H: Mr & Mrs J.F. Stephens (1964), G: Mr & Mrs J.F. Stephens, N: Mr & Mrs J.F. Stephens, I: Mr & Mrs J.F. Stephens (1972), REG: Mr & Mrs J.F. Stephens (1973) Fls up to 14/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 100 × 115mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (54B), with a deep red blotch in the throat and deep red spots on dorsal lobes. Lvs elliptic, 175 × 90mm, glossy, dark green above. Shrub 1.2 × 1.4m in 8 years. Late April

(r) **'Doug's Greeneyes'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'King of Shrubs' × 'Flame' R: H. Lem, I: B.M. Smith (1970), REG: B.M. Smith (1971) Fls 13-15/loose truss, funnel-campanulate, 50 × 100mm, 7-lobed, strong purplish pink (55B) at tips, shading to pale yellow (7D) in centre, dorsal lobe spotted strong yellow-green (144B). Lvs lanceolate, 140 × 40mm, dark green. Shrub 2.4m in 10 years. Late May

(a) **'Doutelle'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, pink, with an orange blotch. (Sent to Register by Waterers (Knap Hill), 1957)

(r) **'Dover Rose'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Dido Group × 'Chlorops' H: unknown (c 1971), G: M. Stewart, N: M. Stewart, REG: M. Stewart (1987) Fls 10/lax truss, funnel-shaped, 44 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, peach pink-coloured. Lvs elliptic, 70 × 32mm, concave, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 15 years. Late May.

(a) **'Dowager'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × 'Fukuju' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, 75mm wide, white, flaked and striped magenta. Shrub 1.2m. Mid-late May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Dowager'** (See 'The Dowager')

(r) **'Downing'** (Syn. of 'A.J. Downing')

(v) **'Down Under'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *lochiae* R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1957), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1962) Fls 2-7/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, a light shade of geranium lake (20). AM 1957

(r) **'Downwind'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Achiever' × 'Gable's Pioneer' R: W.E. Delp (pre 1991)

(a) **'Downy Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Geneva' (s) × 'Kathleen' × 'Pink Beauty' H: P.E. Girard Sr (1967), G: P.E. Girard (1971), N: P.E. Girard, I: Girard Nurseries, REG: P.E. Girard (1975) Fls hose-in-hose (with 5+5 wavy-edged lobes), 3-5/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 65mm, deep pink (10RP 6/12). Calyx 7-10mm long, light green. Lvs broadly elliptic, 30 × 13mm, glossy and greyish olive green (5GY 3/2) above, hairy. Shrub 0.4 × 0.4m in 8 years. Late May

(r) **'Dr....'** (For all cultivars prefixed by the contraction "Dr", see under the expanded form, ie Doctor, Doktor, Docteur)

(r) **'Drache'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Jay Gould' (s) × *brachycarpum* R: T.J.R. Seidel (c 1894), N: T.J.R. Seidel (1902), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 35-55mm wide, margins pale pink, centre almost white, with yellow markings on the dorsal lobe; outside pale pink

(a) **'Dracula'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Hilliers, N: Hilliers, REG: Hilliers (1970) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, very dark red in bud, opening strong reddish orange (32B), overlaid vivid red (52A). Knap Hill

(a) **'Dragon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' × 'Willy' (s) × 'Mrs Carmichael' × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, 50mm wide, vivid purplish red (57A) to vivid red (52A). Shrub to 1.5m. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Dragon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: F.C.Puddle Group (s) × *haematodes* R: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) (Phoebus Group)

(r) **'Dragon Blood'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan's Flame' (s) × 'Kimberly' H: M.J. Whitman (1991), G: M.J. & B. Whitman (1997), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (1998), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (1998) Fls 12/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 45 × 70mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, deep and strong red (53A-B) in bud, opening deep and strong red (53A-B) throughout, unmarked; stamens 40mm long, coloured as corolla; flower colour does not fade. Lvs elliptic, 75 × 40mm, wavy-edged, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and darker than dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.5m in 7 years. Mid April

(r) **Dragonfly Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *facetum* (s) × *auriculatum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild (1936), I: L. de Rothschild (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, carmine red. Lvs long, narrow, hairy. Very large shrub. June

(a) **'Dragon Lady'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ward's Ruby' (s) × 'Hahn's Red' H: R. Mauritsen (1975), G: R. Mauritsen (1980), N: R. Mauritsen, I: Kent Nursery, REG: R. Mauritsen (1986) Fls single, 1-4/truss, open funnel-shaped, 32 × 51mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish orange (42A), throat darker red and with dark red spots in the throat. Calyx 6mm long, light green. Lvs mostly elliptic (to broadly elliptic), 38 × 19mm, glossy, dark bluish green (133A) above. Shrub 0.3 × 0.46m in 3 years. Mid May. Kurume

(r) **'Dragon's Blood'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rich red. (Exhibited by Standish, 1862)

(r) **'Drake's Orchid'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* H: E.F. Drake (1971), G: E.F. Drake (1975), I: Mrs V.A. Lux Jr, REG: Mrs V.A. Lux Jr (1981) Fls 20/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 65mm, with 5-7 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (71B) in bud, opening moderate purplish pink (74D), with a light greenish yellow (8C) throat and strong reddish orange (169A) spotting in throat and on dorsal lobes; outside mostly deep purplish pink (73A). Calyx 20-25mm long, light greenish yellow (8C), with strong reddish orange (169A) spotting. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 120-140 × 40-45mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate to rounded at base, with scattered, very small, tan hairs below, glossy green and hairless above. Shrub 0.85 × 0.7m in 7 years. Early May-early June

(a) **'Dream'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *simsii* (s) × *mucronatum* R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 60-75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (64D), with a blotch of darker spots. Shrub to at least 1.2m. Mid April, sometimes earlier. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Dream'** (See 'The Dream')

(a) **'Dreamboat'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: I.L. Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L. Amann Fls 65mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, light purple (75B) shading to white in the throat and on the midveins. Shrub to 1.0m. Midseason

(r) **'Dreamboat'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Dreamboat')

(a) **'Dreamclouds'** (Syn. of 'Nuccio's Dreamclouds')

(a) **'Dreamer's Holiday'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, light salmony peach pink, with a golden yellow flare over almost all of the dorsal lobe. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Late June

(r) **'Dream Girl'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Day Dream Group (s) × Margaret Dunn Group R: L.E. Brandt, N: L.E. Brandt, I: L.E. Brandt (1953), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange buff, with a blood red throat. (Dream Girl Group)

(r) **Dream Girl Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Day Dream Group (s) × Margaret Dunn Group R: L.E. Brandt, N: L.E. Brandt, I: L.E. Brandt (1953), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Dreamland'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group × (*fortunei* subsp. *discolor* hybrid × *griersonianum*) × (*fortunei* subsp. *discolor* hybrid × *facetum*) × (Jalisco Group × *griersonianum*) R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1970) Fls venetian pink (420/3), shaded 420/2. Shrub of compact habit. (Sequence of parental combinations requires confirmation)

(r) **'Dreamland'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* hybrid L: Roslyn Nursery (1996) Fls pale pink, shading deeper at edges. Calyx white. Shrub under 1.4m in 10 years. Midseason

(a) **'Dream Lover'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, salmon pink, with a large, golden yellow flare; Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Late. June

(r) **'Dream Maker'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: (*maximum* × *yakushimanum*) × 'Adele's Yellow' (s) × 'Stokes Bronze Wings' × 'Adele's Yellow' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (59D, 60D) and

pale purplish pink (56D) in bud, opening white (155A), with a pale greenish yellow (2D) flare and strong yellow-green (144A) dorsal spots; anthers very pale purple (76D). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Dream of Kings'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Arthur Bedford' (s) × 'Purple Splendour' H: Mrs H.A. Frederick Jr (1967), G: Mrs H.A. Frederick Jr (1975), N: Mrs H.A. Frederick Jr, I: Mrs H.A. Frederick Jr, REG: Mrs H.A. Frederick Jr (1977) Fls 16-20/tall truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light purple (78C), with a large, dark purple (79A) blotch. Calyx 3mm long, purple-green. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 150 × 60mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless, glossy green above. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 8 years. Late May

(a) **'Dreams Come True'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, soft apricot peach pink, with a dorsal flare that is nearly buff yellow; scented; stamens pink. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. July

(a) **'Dreamsicle'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Venus' (Henson) (s) × 'Girard's Hot Shot' H: S. McDonald (1976), G: S. McDonald (1979), N: S. McDonald, I: Le-Mac Azaleas, REG: S. McDonald (1999) Fls single, 2-4/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (52D) in bud, opening strong pink (52D) inside and out, the inside with a white, dorsal blotch and white markings at tips of all the lobes; stamens very short. Calyx 5mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 45 × 20mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, flat, semi-glossy and strong yellow-green (144A) above, hairy above and below (hairs white at first, ageing to light tan). Shrub 0.5 × 0.75m in 7 years. Late April. (Published in *Azaleas*, Galle (1987))

(a) **'Dream Time'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls single, pink. Indian

(r) **'Dreamweaver'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nancy Evans' (s) × 'Pink Petticoats' H: J. Barlup (1989), G: J. Barlup (1994), N: J. Barlup (1997), REG: J. Barlup (2002) Fls 19/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (54A) in bud, opening inside and out pale yellow-green (155A), the dorsal lobe inside tinged pale yellow-green (4D); moderate purplish red (186A) flares on all nectaries, c15mm long on dorsal lobes, c10mm long on others; moderate purplish red (186A) spotting on dorsal lobe extending c35mm from base, with sparse spotting on lateral lobes. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 45mm, margins downcurved, acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 1.1m in 7 years. Late May

(a) **'Dreamy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: I.L. Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L. Amann Fls 55mm wide, strong purple (82B). Shrub to 1.2m. Midseason

(r) **'Dreamy Cream'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Honeymoon' (s) × unknown H: M. Sanders (1985), G: M. Sanders (1989), N: M. Sanders, I: Sanders Nursery (1993), REG: M. Sanders (1993) Fls 16/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 41 × 57mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (58C) in bud, opening light purplish pink (73C) and fading to yellowish white (158D) when in full bloom (with just a hint of very light pink); stamens 10, straight, unequal. Pedicels 29mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 95 × 41mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and fir green above, yellowish green below, hairless; petioles 16mm long, reddish purple. Shrub1.2 × 1.4m in 8 years. Early May

(r) **'Dreilinden'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Vulcan's Flame' (s) × 'Catharine van Tol' H: H.-J. Danneil (1978), G: H.-J. Danneil (1986), N: H.-J. Danneil, REG: H.-J. Danneil (2001) Fls 12-15/hemispherical truss, campanulate, 50 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pink in bud, opening inside paler pink and eventually fading to white, outside pink. Lvs oblong to oblong-elliptic, 100-120 × 45-50mm, margins decurved, glossy dark green above; leaves and shoots with a light yellow-brown indumentum at first, ageing on undersides of leaves to pale brown. Shrub 1.3 × 1.3m in 20 years. May. (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0029125); Dreilinden is a part of the town of Osterode where the registrant lives)

(a) **'Dresden'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Paul Schäme' S: A. Voigt (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink (43C), edged deep pink (50B); otherwise similar to parent. Syn: 'Dresden 1936' Indian (Some sources attribute this cultivar to R. Ambrosius)

(a) **'Dresden 1936'** (Syn. of 'Dresden')

(r) **'Dresden China'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Sesterianum' (s) × *ciliatum* H: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1952), G: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1957), N: E.G.W.W. Harrison, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/erect truss, 65 × 90mm, white, with a red style and dark anthers

(v) **'Dresden Doll'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown L: Vireya Venue (1997) Fls deep salmon pink, with a cream throat. Lvs waxy, heavily veined; new foliage soft pink. Spreading shrub to c1.0m tall

(a) **'Dresdener Coelestine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1958), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as a parent of 'Coelestine White')

(v) **'Dressed to Kill'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *konori* × *christianae* H: unknown, G: G.L.S. Snell (1989), N: R. Macdonald, I: Foothills Nursery (1990), REG: Foothills Nursery (1991) Fls 10-12/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 60 × 70mm, 5-6-lobed, tube brilliant yellow (14C), lobes strong pink (49A). Lvs elliptic, 110 × 45mm. Shrub 1.2m. Spring-autumn

(r) **'Dress Parade'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: R.J. Kersey (1964), G: Mrs H.A.

Frederick Jr, N: Mrs H.A. Frederick Jr, I: Mrs H.A. Frederick Jr, REG: Mrs H.A. Frederick Jr (1977) Fls up to 9/truss, 90mm wide, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (63D), with a chartreuse throat. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 55mm. Shrub under 1.5 × 1.9m in 12 years. Mid May

(r) **'Dress Up'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × Tally Ho Group R: R. Henny (1952), N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny (1962), REG: R. Henny (1964) Fls up to 10/truss, semi-double or fully double, funnel-shaped, c75mm wide, with 5-6 lobes, delft rose (020/1), fading to 020/2, with darker spots on the dorsal lobes. Lvs up to 200 × 65mm. Shrub 1.9m. Late May-early June

(a) **'Drewits'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Byland Bros (1962) Fls double, red. Indian

(a) **'Dride'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1866), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls often semi-double, red, outer lobes violet. Indian

(a) **'Drift'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) ? (pre 1956), N: Waterer (Knap Hill) ? Fls white. Knap Hill

(a) **'Driven Snow'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Malvaticum' (s) × 'Yozakura' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 75mm wide, pure white. Shrub to 1.9m. Late May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Drouais'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: E. de Rothschild (c 1980), N: E. de Rothschild Fls light pink. (Solent Group)

(r) **Drum Major Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* (s) × *griersonianum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in compact trusses, bright red. April-May

(a) **'Drummer Boy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Blaauw's Pink' × 'Doctor Curtis Alderfer' R: G. Taylor (pre 1984), N: G. Taylor Fls hose-in-hose, in dense, rounded trusses, light mauve

(r) **'Drum Roll'** cv. Parentage unknown L: USA (1985)

(a) **'Drury Lane'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown G: E. de Rothschild (pre 1980), S: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: Exbury Enterprises Ltd (1989), REG: E. de Rothschild (1989) Fls semi-double, 13/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 70 × 85mm, 9-lobed, light orange-yellow (22B), tips of lobes deep yellowish pink (43C). Lvs elliptic, 90 × 36mm, hairless. Shrub 1.9 × 1.5m. May. PC 1988, AM 1989 (Solent Group)

(r) **Drusilla Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Essex Scarlet' (s) × *campylocarpum* H: L. de Rothschild (1930), G: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink

(r) **'Drusus'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel, N: T.J.R. Seidel, I: T.J.R. Seidel (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine red, with darker margins, a paler throat and green markings on a white ground.

(r) **Dryad Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *forrestii* subsp. *forrestii* Repens Group (s) × *hookeri* H: Lord Aberconway (1937), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red

(a) **'Dryade'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (1886), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rounded, white. Indian

(r) **'Dryope'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Latona Group (s) × May Day Group R: Sunningdale Nurseries (pre 1955), N: Sunningdale Nurseries, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rose, flushed coral red

(a) **'Duc Adolphe de Nassau'** (Syn. of 'Duc de Nassau')

(r) **'Duc Adolphe de Nassau'** cv. Parentage unknown H: A. Verschaffelt, G: A. Verschaffelt (c 1859), N: A. Verschaffelt, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a compact, domed truss, lilac, tinted with carmine and with a black blotch on the three dorsal lobes. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Duc Alexandre de Wurtemberg'** (Probably the same plant seen listed as 'Duc de Wurtemberg' and as 'Herzog Alexander von Würtemberg')

(r) **'Duc d'Anjou'** cv. Parentage unknown L: A. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Duc d'Arenberg'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Verschaffelt (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white with rose red spots and broad, scarlet red stripes; at base of dorsal lobe there is a red blotch, with dark carmine red, V-shaped marks. FCC 1862. Indian

(a) **'Duc de Brabant'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: van Geersdaele (c 1843), I: C. van Loo (1858), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, salmon rose. Indian

(a) **'Duc de Brabant'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1869), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Duc de Brabant'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Armand Haerens' I: J. Haerens (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls similar to parent but with red edges. Indian

(r) **'Duc de Brabant'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (s) × *maximum* R: Vervaene (pre 1853), N: Vervaene, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large, domed trusses, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, white, tinged pale rose lilac around the edges, with a golden dorsal blotch covered in orange spots; a few small petaloids in centre of each flower; filaments and style pink. (Listed incorrectly as an azalea in the 1958 Register)

(r) **'Duc de Brabant'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Byls (pre 1868), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark red, passing to rose, unspotted

(r) **'Duc de Crussol'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* × *ponticum* R: Paillet (pre 1843), N: Paillet, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine pink

(a) **'Duc de Cumberland'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Marshall P. Wilder' R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, flesh-coloured, edged lilac and striped deep carmine (van Houtte cat., 1894). Syn: 'Duke of Cumberland'

(a) **'Duc de Malakoff'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: B. Boddaert (1858), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose purple. Indian

(a) **'Duc de Nassau'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Gebr Mardner, N: Gebr Mardner, I: Gebr Mardner (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, carmine red, with a flame-coloured blotch. Syn: 'Duc Adolphe de Nassau'. Indian (This cultivar played an important role in improving cultivars of Indian azaleas. May originally have been 'Herzog Adolf von Nassau')

(a) **'Duc de Provence'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Baumann (1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vermilion, spotted greenish yellow. Ghent (Probably the plant listed by Knight & Perry c1850)

(a) **'Duc de Rohan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably a selection from *indicum* R: unknown (pre 1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 55mm wide, deep yellowish pink (44D), with a purplish red blotch; stamens 8. Midseason.

(r) **'Duc de Wurtemberg'** (Probably the same plant seen listed as 'Duc Alexandre de Wurtemberg' and 'Herzog Alexander von Würtemberg')

(a) **'Duc d'Orléans'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1852), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Duc d'Ursal"** (See note under 'Duc d'Ursel')

(a) **'Duc d'Ursel'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Vershaffelt (pre 1855), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose with orange spots. Ghent (Sometimes seen listed incorrectly as 'Duc d'Ursil' or 'Duc d'Ursal')

(a) **'Duc d'Ursil'** (See note under 'Duc d'Ursel')

(a) **'Duchesse Adélaide de Nassau'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Gebr Mardner (pre 1858), N: Gebr Mardner, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red, with amaranth dorsal lobes. Indian

(a) **'Duchesse de Brabant'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. de Cock (1871), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Duchesse de Chartres'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Moser & Son (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, dark pink, with a yellow-orange blotch. Ghent (Misprinted as Duchesse de Chatres in 1958 Register)

(r) **'Duchesse de Dino'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Firma Seidel (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a loose truss, dark red, with black markings

(a) **'Duchesse de Firnan Nuñez'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1876), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, white, sometimes marked with bright carmine red

(a) **'Duchesse de Melzi'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Moser & Son (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, clear violet. Ghent

(a) **'Duchesse de Nassau'** (An Indian azalea shown under this name by Turner (1862) is probably 'Duchesse Adélaide de Nassau')

(a) **'Duchesse de Nassau'** cv. Parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, white at centre, all lobes spotted. (See note under 'Duchesse Pauline de Nassau')

(a) **'Duchesse de Nemours'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Linden (1874), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (No doubt the same plant listed by Waterer (Bagshot), 1865 as 'Duchess Nemours')

(r) **'Duchesse de Nemours'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a *ponticum* form or hybrid N: Dupuy-Jamain (1845), I: Dupuy-Jamain (1845), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 60-70mm wide, 5-lobed, dark flesh pink, washed bright rose at edges; dorsal lobe with red spots towards the base. Lvs large, a good green. Vigorous, hardy shrub.

(r) **'Duchesse de Northumberland'** (Syn. of 'Cliveanum')

(a) **'Duchesse de Parme'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1851), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Probably the same plant listed as 'Duchess of Parma')

(r) **'Duchesse de Wurtemberg'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a form or hybrid of *arboreum* I: M. Guérin (1842), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Duchesse d'Orléans'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte (c 1843), N: L. van Houtte, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, white, with fine violet markings. Indian

(a) **'Duchesse d'Orléans'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep orange crimson. Ghent (Probably the same azalea listed by Knight & Perry, c1850, without description)

(r) **'Duchesse d'Orléans'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Byls (pre 1868), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine, with a whitish centre. (Probably the same plant listed by A. Leroy (1868, fls rose) and the rhododendron listed by Knight & Perry (c1850, no description))

(a) **'Duchesse Pauline de Nassau'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Verschaffelt (1860), INC:

ICRA (1958). Indian (J. Verschaffelt attributes it to Gebr Mardner; perhaps the 'Duchesse de Nassau' listed by A. Verschaffelt in 1867)

(r) **'Duchess Ferreti'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Hummingbird Group (s) × *williamsianum* H: E. de Rothschild (1968), G: E. de Rothschild (1978), N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1984), REG: E. de Rothschild (1984) Fls 6/truss, 35 × 35mm, 6-lobed, deep pink (51B), the areas between lobes deep pink (51C). Calyx 15mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs obovate/orbicular, 65 × 55mm, hairless

(a) **'Duchess Nemours'** (See note under 'Duchesse de Nemours')

(a) **'Duchess of Albany'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1883), INC: ICRA (1958) FCC 1883 (Exhibited by Todman)

(r) **'Duchess of Albany'** cv. Parentage unknown R: I. Davies (pre 1896), N: I. Davies, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Duchess of Bedford'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1881), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 15-18/compact truss, 55 × 70-80mm, crimson in bud, opening clear rose with a V-shaped ray of brown markings. Calyx lobes 1-3mm long. Lvs *catawbiense*-type, oblong-obovate, c100 × 40mm, deep green above, hairless below

(r) **'Duchess of Buccleuch'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T. Methven & Son (pre 1900), N: T. Methven & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson

(r) **'Duchess of Buccleuch'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (c 1903), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, shaded lemon yellow. A tender cultivar

(r) **'Duchess of Cambridge'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with yellow spots. Hardy Hybrid (1958 Register gave fls as cerise, but several other accounts list colours as given above)

(r) **'Duchess of Cleveland'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid R: A. Henderson & Co. (pre 1864), N: A. Henderson & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy white, spotted

(r) **'Duchess of Connaught'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* hybrid L: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1900), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 20 or more/more-or-less lax truss, 50 × 75-80mm, tube short, lobes spreading to more-or-less recurved, white, with a faint rosy flush and a conspicuous ray of reddish brown markings on a deep yellow ground. Calyx lobes 5-10mm long, glandular, pink-edged. Lvs oblanceolate, c120-150 × 35mm, dark glossy green and reticulate above

(v) **'Duchess of Connaught'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *brookeanum* subsp. *gracile* (s) × *longiflorum* R: J. Mason (pre 1881), I: J. Veitch & Sons (1881), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in compact, globular trusses, bright vermilion. FCC 1881

(r) **'Duchess of Cornwall'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *barbatum* × *arboreum* R: R. Gill & Sons (pre 1912), N: R. Gill & Sons, I: R. Gill & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 20-24/dense, domed truss, tubular-campanulate, 45 × 40mm, clear deep purplish pink (55A), with a few darker spots and crimson nectaries. Calyx lobes short, pale pink, glandular hairy. Lvs oblong-obovate, c120 × 45mm, dark green above, with a very thin, silvery, felted indumentum below. AM 1974

(a) **'Duchess of Cypress'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Duc de Rohan' R: N.C. Peterson & D. Stabler, I: Cypress Gardens, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 50-65mm wide, white, blushed salmon, blotched red

(a) **'Duchess of Edinburgh'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1877), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls uniform white. Indian

(r) **'Duchess of Edinburgh'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1881), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 15-24/compact, conical truss, 35-55mm wide, 5-6-lobed, outside bright rose red, margin inside rose red, centre almost white, inconspicuous, small, red to brownish red markings. Late May-early June. Hardy Hybrid

(v) **'Duchess of Edinburgh'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *brookeanum* subsp. *gracile* (s) × *longiflorum* R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1874), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet, shaded crimson. FCC 1874

(v) **'Duchess of Fife'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Princess Royal' × *javanicum* var. *teysmannii* R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1889), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, cream, with a pale red flush. AM 1889

(a) **'Duchess of Kent'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: ? Exbury (pre 1989), N: ? Exbury

(r) **'Duchess of Kent'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1902), INC: ICRA (1958) (Exhibited by W. Paul & Son, 1902)

(r) **'Duchess of Kent'** cv. Parentage unknown H: E. de Rothschild (1962), G: E. de Rothschild (1972), N: E. de Rothschild (1982), I: E. de Rothschild (1982), REG: E. de Rothschild (1982) Fls 16/truss, 65 × 80mm, 5-lobed, brilliant yellow (15C) fading to light yellow (15D), blotch vivid orange-yellow (23A); lobes wavy-edged. Calyx 5-6mm long. Lvs obovate/lanceolate, 95 × 40mm.

(r) **'Duchess of Latham'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.L. Tolstead (1960), G: W.L. Tolstead (1965), N: W.L. Tolstead, REG: W.L. Tolstead (1992) Fls 9-10/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 70mm, with 7 smooth-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (10P 8/5), with two, small, brownish orange spotted markings; stamens 14, curved. Pedicels 25mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 110 × 50mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless; petioles 10mm long, green. Shrub 2.4 × 2.4m in 25 years. Late May

(r) **'Duchess of Northumberland'** (Syn. of 'Cliveanum')

(a) **'Duchess of Parma'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958) (See note under 'Duchesse de Parme')

(a) **'Duchess of Portland'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *japonicum* × *molle* subsp. *molle* I: K. Wezelenburg & Sons (pre 1911), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, creamy yellow, tinged salmon pink, especially at edges, and with a greenish yellow blotch. AM 1911. Mollis

(r) **'Duchess of Portland'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* (s) × 'Handsworth Early White' R: Fisher, Son & Sibray, N: Fisher, Son & Sibray, I: Fisher, Son & Sibray (1903), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 17/hemispherical truss, campanulate, 40 × 60-65mm, rosy mauve in bud, opening pure white, un-marked or with a very few, crimson spots; nectaries crimson; filaments and style white; anthers brown. Calyx lobes glandular, reddish. Lvs *arboreum*-like, with a plastered, golden brown indumentum below. Shrub 1.9m or more. AM 1903 (Some accounts have given *barbatum* as the seed parent but this hardly fits with the characteristics of this plant)

(r) **'Duchess of Rothesay'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' (s) × *decorum* H: E. de Rothschild (1972), G: E. de Rothschild (1981), N: E. de Rothschild, REG: E. de Rothschild (1984) Fls 17/truss, 50 × 70mm, 5-lobed, pale yellow (12D), shading to centre of lobe deep in corolla to brilliant yellow (12B). Calyx 10mm long, cream/yellow. Lvs ovate/elliptic, 165 × 65mm, hairless. AM 1983

(a) **'Duchess of Sutherland'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Todman (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, pale rose, slightly spotted. Indian

(r) **'Duchess of Sutherland'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Multiflorum' × *edgeworthii* R: I. Davies (pre 1865), N: I. Davies, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a conical truss, almost white in centre, edged rosy purple

(r) **'Duchess of Teck'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1892), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, deeply edged rosy mauve and with a bronze blotch. AM 1916

(v) **'Duchess of Teck'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Princess Royal × *brookeanum* R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1879), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Tube primrose yellow, limb pale yellow and tinted pink; anthers light crimson to cerise. FCC 1879

(a) **'Duchess of Wellington'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Messrs Cuthbert (1900), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in compact trusses, blush pink marked crimson on dorsal lobe. AM 1900. Ghent

(r) **'Duchess of York'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* (s) × 'Scipio' R: G. Paul (c 1880), N: G. Paul, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10-12/hemispherical truss, trumpet-shaped, 60 × 75mm, 5-7-lobed, rose pink, shading to pale rose pink in the centre, with a ray of light green markings; scented; stamens usually abortive. Lvs oblong-obovate, 120 × 50mm, dull, dark green above, hairless below. AM 1894

(v) **'Duchess Satin'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *konori* × *leucogigas* H: J.L. Rouse, G: J.L. Rouse (1988), N: G.L.S. Snell, I: G.L.S. Snell, REG: G.L.S. Snell (1989) Fls 4-6/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 120 × 80mm, 7-lobed, white, the lobes edged strong purplish red (64C); scented. Lvs elliptic, 170 × 70mm. Shrub 1.5m

(a) **'Duenna'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × 'Vittatum' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 25-40mm wide, white, with many narrow stripes of strong purplish red (70A). Spreading shrub to 1.5m. Mid April. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Duet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (as var. *album*) (s) × (*dichroanthum* × *griffithianum*) × *auriculatum* R: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach (1960), I: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1961) Fls pale yellow, edged pink, with a green blotch and with green spotting in the throat. Lvs 108 × 50mm. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m. Midseason

(a) **'Duets'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Max Schäme' S: R. Kondratovičs & I. Jēkabsons (1979), N: R. Kondratovičs & I. Jēkabsons, I: Botanical Garden, University of Latvia Fls double, 1-3/truss, with wavy-edged lobes, white, with irregular pink dots and stripes. Lvs ovate-lanceolate, 45 × 15-20mm, light green, hairy. Shrub 0.44 × 0.42m. February-March (under cool glass)

(r) **'Duftauge'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* hybrid N: W. Wüstemeyer (pre 1985)

(r) **'Duftfort'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* hybrid ? N: W. Wüstemeyer (pre 1985)

(r) **'Dufthecke'** (Syn. of 'Rhodunter 48')

(a) **'Duke of Alsace'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Marian Lee' × 'Glacier' R: E. Deckert (pre 1980), N: E. Deckert Fls 70mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink, with a white centre and a deep red blotch. Late

(a) **'Duke of Cambridge'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Frost (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose carmine red, dorsal lobe with purple chestnut brown spots. Indian (Also claimed by C. Noble as a new introduction in 1862)

(r) **'Duke of Cambridge'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rosy crimson scarlet, with a paler centre. Hardy Hybrid (Presumably the same plant exhibited by Noble, 1862)

(a) **'Duke of Clarence'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1874), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Duke of Connaught'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1879), N:

Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy crimson with light centres. FCC 1879. Amoena

(a) **'Duke of Connaught'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Camellia Grove Nursery (1953) Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, flame red. Kurume (Perhaps the same plant given an FCC in 1879)

(r) **'Duke of Cornwall'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* (blood red form) (s) × *barbatum* R: R. Gill (pre 1907), N: R. Gill, I: R. Gill & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson, with paler centres. AM 1907 (Duke of Cornwall Group)

(r) **Duke of Cornwall Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* (blood red form) (s) × *barbatum* R: R. Gill (pre 1907), N: R. Gill, I: R. Gill & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Duke of Cumberland'** (Syn. of 'Duc de Cumberland')

(a) **'Duke of Devonshire'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Lucombe, Pince & Co. (1845), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark orange scarlet. Indian

(a) **'Duke of Edinburgh'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1877), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep crimson, dorsal lobe slightly tinted purple. FCC 1876. Indian (R. Veitch (1867 cat.) listed a brilliant scarlet of this name but it is uncertain if this was an azalea)

(r) **'Duke of Hamilton'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid R: A. Henderson & Co. (pre 1864), N: A. Henderson & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, spotted on all lobes

(a) **'Duke of Lauzun'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Sweetheart Supreme' R: D.J. Cole (pre 1987), N: D.J. Cole Fls single, 40mm wide, purplish pink, with a darker blotch. Mid April

(r) **'Duke of Malakoff'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush, with a large blotch of red spots

(r) **'Duke of Norfolk'** (Syn. of 'Rubens' Waterer (Bagshot))

(r) **'Duke of Portland'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1875), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10-12/truss, campanulate, 45 × 50-60mm, bright scarlet at edges, shading to almost white in tube, lightly marked with olive green to brown spots on a white or pinkish ground on dorsal lobe. Calyx lobes 1-2mm long. Lvs oblong-elliptic to oblanceolate, c120-240 × 25-60mm, dull, deep green above. (Fisher, Son & Sibray (1931 cat.)list one as bright scarlet with lighter *edges*: perhaps a distinct cultivar)

(r) **'Duke of Richmond'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Fisher, Son & Sibray (1898), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rosy lake, with a heavy ochre blotch

(r) **'Duke of Teck'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Veitch & Sons, N: J. Veitch & Sons, I: J. Veitch & Sons (1881), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright magenta, shaded with rosy lilac, dorsal lobe with a white blotch and densely spotted brownish orange. Lvs *catawbiense*-like

(v) **'Duke of Teck'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *brookeanum* subsp. *gracile* × 'Princess Royal' R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1900), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Duke of Wellington'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably *indicum* × *simsii* R: A. Henderson & Co. (pre 1844), N: A. Henderson & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 1-2/truss, 75mm wide, begonia rose, with a tyrian rose blotch; stamens 10. Late. Indian

(a) **'Duke of Windsor'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls reddish salmon. Indian

(r) **'Duke of York'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* (s) × 'Scipio' R: G. Paul (c 1880), N: G. Paul, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c12/loose, rounded truss, trumpet-shaped, 60 × 80mm, 5-7-lobed, soft rose pink (2RP 8/6), with a ray of brownish green markings; scented. Calyx an undulate rim. Lvs oblong-obovate, 145 × 50mm, dark glossy green above, bronzed when young. Shrub to c3.0m. AM 1894

(r) **'Dukeshill'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Kiev Group × 'Lady Digby' H: Crown Estate Commissioners, G: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1973), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1973) Fls in loose trusses, scarlet red. Lvs 175 × 65mm. Tall shrub. AM 1973

(a) **'Dulcado'** (See note under 'Dulcedo')

(a) **'Dulcedo'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Probably introduced by P. Mortier. Sometimes listed, apparently in error, as 'Dulcado' (1958 Register) or 'Dulseda' (Rollisson cat., 1877)

(a) **'Dulce Major'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Gebr Mardner (pre 1850), N: Gebr Mardner, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, lilac rose. Indian (Listed by L. Jacob-Makoy, 1850)

(r) **Dulcibella Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Diphole Pink' (s) × *facetum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rich, bright pink

(r) **'Dulcie Daffarn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: J.H. Mangles (pre 1880), N: J.H. Mangles, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright pink

(v) **'Dulcie Lelliott'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *rhodoleucum* × *aurigeranum* × 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' H: T. Lelliott (1976), G: T. Lelliott (1987), N: Mrs H. Crouch, I: Mrs H. Crouch (1990), REG: Mrs H. Crouch

(1991) Fls 5-9/truss, long tubular funnel-shaped, 70 × 50mm, 5-6-lobed, pale yellow (158A), flushed pink on outside of tube. Lvs elliptic, 80 × 45mm. Shrub 1.2m. Spring-autumn

(a) **'Dulcimer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Osakazuki' (s) × 'Kagaribi' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3 truss, 50-65mm wide, deep yellowish pink (43C), with a blotch of purplish red dots. Shrub to 1.5m. Late April. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Dulcinée'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: C. Vuylsteke (pre 1888), N: C. Vuylsteke, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon red, with a yellow blotch. Ghent (Previously listed incorrectly as 'Dulcinae')

(r) **'Duleep Singh'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1863), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls chocolate crimson. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Dulseda'** (See note under 'Dulcado')

(r) **'Dunamar'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nova Zembla' × 'Purple Splendour' R: unknown (pre 1980) (Used as a parent by Hachmann, 1970s)

(r) **Dunlin Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Dawn's Delight' (s) × *thomsonii* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy red

(r) **'Dunloe'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × *aberconwayi* H: F.R. Waghorn (1976), G: F.R. Waghorn (1982), N: F.R. Waghorn (1982), REG: F.R. Waghorn (1983) Fls 7-9/truss, 40 × 50mm, campanulate, opening light purplish pink (55C), fading to pure white with red-purple spots on the dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 80 × 30mm. Shrub 1.0m

(r) **'Dunloe Tasha'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *veitchianum*, selfed H: F.R. Waghorn (1985), G: F.R. Waghorn (1990), N: F.R. Waghorn (1990), I: F.R. Waghorn (1990), REG: F.R. Waghorn (1991) Fls 3-5/truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 120mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds strong purplish red to light purplish pink (54A-55C), fading on opening to white with a yellow flare on dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 110 × 40mm. Shrub 1.3m.

(a) **'Duplex Superbum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Du Pont's Apricot'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* × *fortunei* (s) × *campylocarpum* H: J.B. Gable (pre 1943), G: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, REG: E.T. Connors (1998) Fls 13/truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 65mm, 6-lobed, a blend of red, pink and purplish pink (51 & 65), with the throat light yellowish pink (19B) shading to light yellow (18A), the dorsal lobes yellowish orange; overall impression is apricot. Lvs obovate, 125 × 50mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in c12 years. Mid May. (Catfortcampy Group. Published in *Hybrids & Hybridizers*, Livingston & West (1978))

(r) **'Duque de San Lucar'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marion' (s) × 'C.S. Sargent' R: Felix & Dijkhuis (pre 1953), N: Felix & Dijkhuis, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure pink. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Durango'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ruby Bowman' (s) × *elliottii* 'War Paint' H: D.W. Goheen (1975), G: D.W. Goheen (1984), N: D.W. Goheen (1994), I: C. Hoffman (1995), REG: D.W. Goheen (1999) Fls 16-18/domed truss, funnel-campanulate, 65 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53C) in bud, opening inside deep purplish pink (54B), the dorsal lobes with a strong red (53C) blotch; outside strong purplish red (54A); nectaries strong red (53C). Calyx minute, strong red (53C), tinged green. Lvs elliptic, 175-200 × 65-90mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins decurved, dull and dark green (136A) above, with tan hairs on lower surface (midrib hairless) - these ageing to brownish orange (164A). Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 15 years. Late April-May

(a) **'Durantia Duplex'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1846), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Exhibited at Anvers, Belgium, 1846)

(r) **'Durantik'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hyperion' (s) × ('Nova Zembla' × 'Purple Splendour') × 'Purple Splendour' H: H. Hachmann (1984), G: H. Hachmann (1990), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 17/rounded truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40-45 × 65-82mm, with 5(-6) slightly wavy-edged lobes, inside light purple (77D), shaded light purple (77C) in places, with 2-4mm edges of dark purple (77B); outside light purple (77C/D), the broad midveins strong purplish red (71C/D); a conspicuous blotch and markings of dark red (187A/B) on 3 dorsal lobes; stamens 10, filaments very pale purple (73D), anthers moderate orange-yellow (164C); style light/pale purplish pink (65B/C) near apex, greenish at base, stigma strong red (53B); ovary moderate reddish brown (177A). Calyx 1-4mm long, greenish. Lvs elliptic to narrowly lanceolate, 90-140 × 35-38mm, margins slightly wavy, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, slightly glossy above, hairless. Shrub 1.7 × 2.0m in 10 years. Early-mid June. (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030624). First published in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(r) **'Dürer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Milner' × *smirnowii* R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple-red, with a few spots

(r) **'Durham Light'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: probably a *ciliicalyx* hybrid R: L. Bublitz, N: L. Bublitz, I: Duncan & Davies, REG: A. Duncan (1986) Fls 5-6/truss, funnel-shaped, 70 × 80-90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, primrose yellow (601/3), with a green flare at base of upper throat, flushed pink on outside; scented. Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 70-80 × 30mm,

with light brown scales, the lower side of the leaves appearing greyish. Compact shrub. October (New Zealand). (Has been sold as *ciliicalyx*)

(r) **'Duse'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, dark red, unspotted

(r) **'Dusky Dawn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vibrant' (s) × Jalisco Group H: E.G.W.W. Harrison, G: E.G.W.W. Harrison, N: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1972), I: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1972), REG: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1973) Fls 15/truss, 75 × 115mm, 6-7-lobed, pale apricot, turning near white

(a) **'Dusky Maid'** (Syn. of 'Matisse')

(r) **Dusky Maid Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Moser's Maroon' (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* H: L. de Rothschild (pre 1932), G: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark red. Young growth red, mature growth with a coppery glow. Tall shrub. June

(a) **'Dusky Orange'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: UK (1996)

(r) **'Dusky Pearl'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Olga' (s) × *fortunei* H: G. Dixon (1987), G: G. Dixon (1998), N: G. Dixon (2002), I: G. Dixon (2002), REG: G. Dixon (2002) Fls 10/rounded truss, funnel-shaped, 60 × 80mm, with 7 very wavy-edged lobes, buds green and becoming vivid red (57A), inside opening strong pink (54C), flushed pale purplish pink (56C), outside strong purplish pink (55B); blotch of vivid red (45A); stigma green; scented. Pedicels strong red (46A). Lvs oblanceolate, 160 × 60mm, margins upcurved, acute at apex, cuneate at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 2.0m tall in 15 years. Flowering starting in Early May. ('Olga' is the Slocock, elepidote hybrid)

(r) **'Dusky Wood'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cavalcade' × 'Mary Swaythling' × 'Crest' H: Waterer (Bagshot) (1964), G: Waterer (Bagshot) (1971), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975) Fls 12-15/truss, 50 × 60mm, 5-lobed, soft rose pink, with a red flush at first; cream flushed in throat when fully open. Calyx very small. Lvs 70-80 × 20-30mm, dark green. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Early June

(r) **'Dusty Apricot'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vinecrest' × 'Marypat' (s) × 'Fiery Orange' H: A.W. Smith (1987), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 10/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 40 × 44mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong brown (172A) in bud, opening brilliant and light greenish yellow (5B-D) and edged with a blend of strong brown, dark reddish orange and brownish orange (172A-C); filaments pale greenish yellow (1D); style strong yellow-green (141D); anthers pale yellow (161C); stigma strong yellow-green (144A). Lvs 76 × 38mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base. Shrub 0.6 × 0.5m in 5 years. Early June

(r) **'Dusty Miller'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × un-named hybrid H: Waterer (Bagshot) (1951), G: Waterer (Bagshot) (1963), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975) Fls 8-10/truss, 50 × 40mm, 5-lobed, pale rose pink, with a red flush. Calyx very small. Lvs 60-70 × 20-30mm, with a woolly indumentum. Very compact shrub, 1.0m in 10 years. May

(a) **'Dusty Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: hardy form of *simsii* (s) × 'Daimio' R: M. Haworth-Booth, N: M. Haworth-Booth, REG: M. Haworth-Booth (1967) Fls wide open, circular in form, soft, clear, bengal rose. Hardy

(a) **'Dusty Rose'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Galle (1987) Fls light pink. (Listed by Galle (1987) as a registered Kaempferi Hybrid but not on the International Register; perhaps an error)

(r) **'Dusty Wiz'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ronald Otto Delp' (s) × 'Golden Star' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls dark pink (182D) in bud, opening light yellowish pink (27B) and pale yellowish pink (27C, D), edged strong pink (52D), with a deep yellowish pink (47C) throat and deep yellowish pink (47C) dorsal spots. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Dutch Cornubia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown L: V.J. Boulter & Sons (1980) Fls like 'Cornubia', but flowering at a younger age

(r) **'Dutchman Joe'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group × *dauricum* H: W.M. Fetterhoff (1969), G: W.M. Fetterhoff (1973), N: W.M. Fetterhoff, I: W.M. Fetterhoff, REG: W.M. Fetterhoff (1980) Fls up to 15/ball-shaped truss (from multiple buds), funnel-shaped, 20 × 45mm, with 5 smooth to wavy-edged lobes, mauve (631/1), shading to 633/3 towards centre and on dorsal lobe; outside with 633/1 ribs. Calyx very small. Lvs elliptic, 55 × 25mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, with closely spaced, brown scales; foliage mahogany in winter. Shrub c0.9 × 0.9m in 11 years. Late April-May

(r) **'Dutch Marion'** (Syn. of 'Marion' (Felix & Dijkhuis))

(r) **'Dutch Master'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marinus Koster' (s) × ? 'Marinus Koster' H: P. Newberry, G: P. Newberry, S: P. Newberry (c 1970), N: P. Newberry, I: Trillium Lane Nursery, REG: E. Philp (2002) Fls 16/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 125 × 125mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (57C) in bud, opening inside deep purplish pink (58D) at margins, shading to pale purplish pink (56D) at centre, with moderate purplish red (58A) spots on dorsal lobe; outside vivid purplish red (57C) to strong purplish pink (62C); 10-12 stamens. Calyx 13mm long, moderate purplish red (58A). Lvs elliptic, 165 × 55mm, margins flat and downcurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.8m in 12 years. April-May

(r) **'Dutch Treat'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hello Dolly' (s) × 'Goldsworth Yellow' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls vivid red (52A) in bud, opening deep pink (51B, C), gradually fading to pale yellow (8D) and with brilliant yellow-green (154B) dorsal spots. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Duxbury'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Goldfort Group × *campylocarpum* × *williamsianum* H: L. Bagoly (1970), G: Mr & Mrs F.B. Lawson (1978), N: Mr & Mrs F.B. Lawson, REG: Mr & Mrs F.B. Lawson (1986) Fls 7-11/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, with 7 slightly wavy-edged lobes, light yellow (18B) and light yellowish pink (27A) in bud, opening pale yellow-green (4D) shading to brilliant greenish yellow (3B) in the throat; un-marked. Calyx very small. Lvs between narrowly elliptic and elliptic or broader than lanceolate, 135 × 55mm, hairless. Shrub 2.2 × 2.2m in 12 years. Late May

(r) **'Dwarf Cheju'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *mucronulatum* L: UK (1988)

(r) **'Dwarf Early White'** (Syn. of 'Alpine Dew')

(a) **'Dwarf Formosum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Lavender Formosum' L: USA (1982) Fls 90mm wide, light purple. Low, compact shrub. Syn: 'Phoeniceum Lavender', 'California Formosum'

(a) **'Dwarf Geisha'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls white, marked with red

(a) **'Dwarf Gumpo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: witches' broom on 'Gumpo' R: J.E. Cross (pre 1987), N: J.E. Cross Fls 40mm wide, white, with pink stripes and flakes. Lvs 10-13mm long. Compact shrub. Satsuki

(r) **'Dying Embers'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Newburyport Belle', selfed R: R.L. Blough (pre 1992) Fls glowing pink

(r) **'Dynamark'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mary Garrison' × 'Mary Belle' × (*yakushimanum* × 'Gold Mohur') × (*smirnowii* × *catawbiense*) H: W.E. Delp (pre 1986), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp Fls deep purplish pink in bud, opening brilliant greenish yellow, edged purplish pink to strong pink, with a strong red throat

(r) **'Dynamic Duo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'China Boy' (s) × 'Charles Dickens' × 'Mars' H: J. Looye (1990), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, deep and strong red (53A, B, C) in bud, opening moderate purplish pink (54D), edged strong red (53D), strong purplish red (54A) and deep purplish pink (54B), with a pale yellow (8C) flare; filaments pale purplish pink (56D); style light yellow-green (150D); anthers moderate yellow (162B); stigma strong yellow-green (145A). Calyx coloured as corolla. (Published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Dynarim'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Midsummer' (s) × red-flowered *catawbiense* (Delp's selection) H: A.W. Smith (1985), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 14/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 43 × 51mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, a blend of deep red (60A, 53A) and strong purplish red (60B) in bud, opening white, heavily edged with strong purplish red (60D) and with dark red dorsal spots; filaments and style pale purplish pink (62D); anthers light yellowish pink (159A); stigma dark red (59A). Lvs 76 × 38mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.8m in 7 years. Early June

(r) **'Dynasty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Captain Jack' × 'Sun Devil' H: L.W. Bulgin (1980), G: L.W. Bulgin (1984), N: L.W. Bulgin, I: Ellanhurst Gardens, REG: L.W. Bulgin (1989) Fls 8-10/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 38 × 73mm, with 5 slightly crinkled lobes, strong red (46A), shading to dark red (183B) in centre. Calyx 3-10mm long, strong red (46A). Lvs elliptic, 102-121 × 38-44mm, slightly concave, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green and hairless above, with a slight pale orange-yellow (165D) indumentum below on mature leaves. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m in 9 years. Early May

(a) **'Dyogine'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Vuylsteke (1913), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pale pink, shading to cream. Rustica

(a) **'Eagle Heart'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt (1947), I: E.A. Merritt (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, reddish pink. Kurume

(r) **'Earlene'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Shaazam' × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: H.R. Yates (1963), G: H.R. Yates (1970), N: Mrs M. Yates, I: Mrs M. Yates (1970), REG: Mrs M. Yates (1976) Fls 14/ball truss, campanulate, 48 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (51B) in bud, opening light yellowish pink (27B), with no blotch or spots; outside strong pink (50C). Calyx 7mm long, vivid yellow-green (154A). Lvs oblanceolate, 108 × 40mm, moderate olive green (137B), with moderate orange-yellow (164B) indumentum; new growth orange-brown tomentose. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 11 years. Late May

(r) **'Earl J. Reed'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Fair Lady' (s) × 'Loderi Venus' H: G.W. Clarke (1969), G: E. Anderson, I: E. Anderson, REG: E. Anderson (1983) Fls 13/truss, 40 × 90mm, open funnel-shaped, 6-lobed, pink in bud, opening white, shaded strong to moderate purplish pink (68B-C) especially near lobe edges, with coloured veins from throat to lobe edges and narrow rays of strong red (53B); outside strong purplish pink (68B), with darker stripes down centre of lobes; stamens 0-4, aborted. Calyx minute, green. Lvs elliptic, 90-125 × 45-50mm, moderate yellow-green (148A). Shrub c1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Earl Moore'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Earl of Athlone' × 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague'

H: C.S. Seabrook, G: C.S. Seabrook, N: C.S. Seabrook (pre 1965), REG: C.S. Seabrook (1967) Fls 12-15/tight truss, funnel-shaped, cherry-coloured (722/3). Lvs large, mid green, glossy. Large shrub, with long, thin branches.

(r) **'Earl Murray'** (Syn. of 'Cathy Harper')

(r) **'Earl of Athlone'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Queen Wilhelmina' (s) × 'Stanley Davies' R: C.B. van Nes & Sons (pre 1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12-15/compact truss, campanulate, 55 × 50mm, fiery red, with two inconspicuous lines of black spots in the tube. Calyx inconspicuous. Large shrub. FCC 1933

(r) **'Earl of Beconsfield'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Fisher, Son & Sibray (1898), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose, shaded, with small, yellow spots

(r) **'Earl of Burlington'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid R: A. Henderson & Co. (pre 1864), N: A. Henderson & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy white, strongly spotted

(a) **'Earl of Carnarvon'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *viscosum* × *molle* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-yellow

(r) **'Earl of Donoughmore'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* × a hardy garden hybrid × 'Mrs L.A. Dunnett' R: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright red, with an orange glow. Large shrub

(r) **'Earl of Haddington'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (c 1905), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear rose

(r) **'Earl of Lockington'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Betty Robertson' (s) × Cornubia Group H: D.J. Dosser (1990), G: D.J. Dosser (1996), N: D.J. Dosser (1997), REG: D.J. Dosser (1997) Fls 16/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 76 × 102mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (57A) turning to vivid purplish red (57C) in bud, opening vivid purplish red (57C) throughout; unspotted. Lvs ovate, 155 × 54mm, margins decurved, acute at apex, obtuse at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 0.8m in 7 years. November (Tasmania)

(r) **Earl of Morley Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* (s) × *arboreum* subsp. *cinnamomeum* var. *album* R: Earl of Morley (c 1910), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c14/compact, rounded truss, campanulate, 40-50 × 50-60mm, creamy pink in bud, opening ivory white, with scattered, crimson, dorsal spots; nectaries crimson. Calyx small, densely covered with reddish glands. Lvs ovate, up to 90 × 45mm, dark glossy green above, hairless below

(r) **'Earl of Rosslyn'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep claret. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Earl of Selkirk'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T. Methven & Son, N: T. Methven & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson

(r) **'Earl of Shannon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably an *arboreum* hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1867), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 20/compact truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45-50 × 60-65mm, crimson, with a ray of blackish brown markings.

(r) **'Earl of Warwick'** cv. Parentage unknown L: T.C. Thacker (1960) Fls rich blood red

(r) **'Earl Roberts'** cv. Parentage unknown L: New Zealand (c 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep blood red.

(a) **'Earl Webster'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selected form of *kaempferi* × unknown H: H.R. Schroeder (1973), G: S. Schroeder (1978), N: S. Schroeder, I: S. Schroeder (1986), REG: S. Schroeder (1986) Fls single, rotate-campanulate, 32 × 38mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (55C), with light brown spotting in lower part of dorsal lobe. Calyx 6mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly obovate, 25 × 13mm, dull, dark green above, light green and hairy below. Shrub 0.8 × 0.6m in 10 years. Mid April

(r) **'Early Accent'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: derived from *fortunei* × *griersonianum* × 'Pygmalion' H: A. Consolini (pre 1951), G: Scott Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister, I: Scott Arboretum (c 1965), REG: John J. Tyler Arboretum (1985) Fls 15/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 55 × 70mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (10RP 4/12) with some deep purplish red (10RP 3/10) spotting on all lobes (more sparse on ventral lobes) and with an indistinct area free of spots in centre of dorsal lobe. Calyx 7mm long, with green base and red lobes. Lvs narrower than oblanceolate, 125 × 40mm, hairless. Shrub 2.0m in 19 years

(a) **'Early Beni'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Louise Gable' × 'Oakland' × (a Belgian hybrid × 'Carol') H: R.D. Gartrell (1958), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell (1969), REG: R.D. Gartrell (1977) Fls double, hose-in-hose, 50 × 75mm, 5 lobes/whorl plus petaloid stamens, vivid reddish orange (43B) without blotch or spots. Calyx 5mm long, green. Spring leaves elliptic, 30 × 15mm. Low growing shrub. Early May

(r) **'Early Bird'** (Syn. of 'Gable's Early Bird')

(r) **'Earlybird'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *williamsianum* (s) × *oreodoxa* var. *fargesii* R: R. Henny, N: R. Henny (1959), I: R. Henny, REG: R. Henny (1961) Fls 6/truss, funnel-campanulate, 75mm wide, lobes rose madder (23/1), shading to almost white in tube. Lvs rounded, 40mm wide. Very early

(a) **'Early Bright'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Hazlewood Bros (1956) Fls light pink, with darker margins. Satsuki

(r) **Early Brilliant Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *barbatum* × 'Ascot Brilliant' R: W.C. Slocock, N: W.C. Slocock, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright red. ('Fireball' may belong to this Group)

(a) **'Early Dawn'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Arnold Arboretum (c 1910), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 30mm wide, fuchsia purple (28/2). Midseason. Amoena

(r) **'Early Dawn'** (Syn. of 'Naomi Early Dawn')

(r) **'Early Days'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Red Admiral Group (s) × unknown H: V.J. Boulter, G: V.J. Boulter (1978), I: F. Boulter, REG: F. Boulter (1983) Fls 12-14/truss, 50 × 45mm, campanulate, strong red (53B), shading in centre to light purplish pink (55C). Lvs oblanceolate, 120 × 45mm. Shrub c1.5 × 1.5m

(a) **'Early Erroll'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* hybrid S: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls star-shaped, white, blotch with a few lavender specks. Shrub up to 1.0m in 14 years. Early

(r) **'Early Gem'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *dauricum* hybrid R: Parker (c 1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 4-6/truss, 60-70mm wide, funnel-shaped, pale lilac. Lvs broad, ciliate, very early. FCC 1874 (Some sources give 'Praecox' as the other parent; others list *ciliatum*)

(a) **'Early Lavender'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably *mucronatum* × *simsii* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 1-3/truss, 65mm wide, with 8-10 stamens, variously described as violet red or pinkish lavender. Midseason. Indian

(a) **'Early On'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Galle (1987) Fls yellowish pink. Early. Kaempferi

(a) **'Early Orange'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls reddish orange. Mollis

(a) **'Early Peach'** (Listed as a parent of 'Elizabeth Belton')

(r) **'Early Pink Pearl'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a *griffithianum* hybrid R: J.H. Mangles (pre 1884), REG: Lady Adam Gordon (1984) Fls c10/loose, domed truss, funnel-shaped, 55 × 80-90mm, 5-lobed, vivid purplish red (57C) in bud, paling on opening and becoming mottled with white, the colour most noticeable in the veins; paler inside, the dorsal lobe with some orange-brown spots. Calyx up to 4mm long, more-or-less regular, greenish white, very slightly tinged pink at edges. Lvs oblong-elliptic, up to 150 × 55mm, mid green and shiny above, hairless below

(a) **'Early Splendour'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Searchlight' I: Camellia Grove Nursery (pre 1976) Fls double, soft pink, edged white. Indian

(r) **'Early Star'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vossberg No. 2' (s) × 'Vossberg No. 2' H: M.J. Whitman (1991), G: M.J. & B. Whitman (1999), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (1999), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (2000) Fls 9/domed truss, funnel-campanulate, 50 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (67A) in bud, opening inside very light purple (75C), with a strong greenish yellow (151A) dorsal blotch, outside light purple (75A) edged moderate purplish pink (74B). Lvs elliptic, 130 × 65mm, obtuse at apex, cordate at base, margins flat, semi-glossy and near moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.7 × 0.75m in 9 years. Mid April

(r) **Early Stir Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *strigillosum* (s) × *irroratum* R: Lord Digby, N: Lord Digby, I: Lord Digby (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls currant red.

(a) **'Early Wonder'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Bobbink & Atkins, N: Bobbink & Atkins, I: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double or double, with wavy-edged lobes, spiraea red (025), with a darker blotch. Indian

(r) **'Earth Angel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Christina Delp' (s) × 'Slippery Rock' H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 21/truss, open funnel-shaped, 58 × 89mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, deep reddish purple and strong purple (77A, B) in bud, opening to a blend of light and very pale purple (77C, D, 76D), with light olive (152A, B) and strong yellow (153D) dorsal spots; filaments and style very pale purple (76D); anthers brownish orange (165B); stigma brilliant yellow-green (150B). Lvs 152 × 60mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.5m in 18 years. Early June.

(r) **'Earthshaker'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: unnamed seedling (no. V6019-1) (s) × 'Calsap' H: A.W. Smith, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls moderate purplish red (186A, B) in bud, opening deep and moderate purplish pink (70C, D), with dark red (187A, B) spots on the three dorsal lobes; anthers white. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Easter Album'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, with very wavy-edged lobes, white. Indian

(r) **'Easter Bells'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *williamsianum* × China Group R: B.F. Lancaster, N: B.F. Lancaster, I: B.F. Lancaster, REG: B.F. Lancaster (1966) Fls 8/truss, broadly campanulate, to 50 × 75mm, opening cream, fading to white. Lvs to 100 × 50mm, ovate, cordate at base. Shrub 0.6 × 1.0m in 10 years. Midseason

(a) **'Easter Bonnet'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: O.R. Bristow, I: Mossholder Nursery (1950s), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large clusters, single to semi-double, 75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, lavender pink, with a white throat and green flecks

(r) **'Easter Bunny'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Arthur Bedford' (s) × 'Ice Cube' H: J. Looye (1983), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls deep reddish purple (77A), strong purple (77B) and strong reddish purple (70B) in bud, opening very pale purple (76D) edged strong and light purple (77B, C), with a strong purple (77B) flare and deep greenish yellow (153A) dorsal spots. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Easter Chick'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *aureum* × *dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* H: B.N. Starling (1975), G: B.N. Starling (1983), N: B.N. Starling, I: B.N. Starling (1987), REG: B.N. Starling (1987) Fls 9/truss, campanulate, 40 × 50mm, 5-lobed, pale yellow-green (4D), spotted red on lower half of upper lobe. Calyx 10mm long, green. Lvs ovate, 60 × 40mm, hairless. Shrub compact, c0.3 × 0.3m in 10 years. April

(r) **'Easter Dawn'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* × *mucronulatum* 'Pink Panther' H: G.D. Lewis (1972), G: G.D. Lewis (1976), N: G.D. Lewis, REG: G.D. Lewis (1988) Fls in a ball truss (composed of 2-5 buds, with 3 fls/bud), open funnel-shaped, 29 × 44mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish purple (72B) at edge, fading to light purplish pink (73C) at centre, dorsal blotch light purplish pink (73C) spotted with strong greenish yellow (153B). Lvs elliptic, 60 × 25mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, scaly above; only summer lvs are retained over winter, spring lvs turn bright red before falling in October. Shrub 2.1 × 1.5m in 16 years. Mid April. (Originally introduced under the then unacceptable name 'Easter Rose', now renamed)

(r) **Easter Egg Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *fulgens* (s) × *neriiflorum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blood red

(r) **'Easter Glory'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: unnamed hybrid of unknown parentage (s) × *falconeri* subsp. *eximium* H: C. Weeks (1982), G: C. Weeks (1993), N: C. Weeks (1998), I: Westgate Gardens Nursery (1995), REG: C. Weeks (1998) Fls 21/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 75mm, with 7 wavy-eged lobes, pink in bud, opening pale yellow-green (4D) throughout; slightly scented. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 50mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless; new growth bronze. Shrub 1.0 × 1.4m in 15 years. March-April

(a) **'Easter Greetings'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Camille Vervaene' × 'Hexe' I: A. Haerens (1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single (with an average of 4 stamens/fl.), strong purplish red (58B). Calyx coloured as corolla (i. e. hose-in-hose). Late. Syn: 'Lentegroet', 'Letegruss', 'Salut Printemps'. Indian

(r) **'Easter Island'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *alutaceum* var. *russotinctum* R: S.R. Clarke, I: R.S. Stephenson Clarke, REG: R.S. Stephenson Clarke (1980) Fls 10-12/compact, rounded truss, campanulate, up to 38 × 44mm, 5-lobed, white, with deep purplish red (61A) dorsal spotting. Calyx rudimentary, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, up to 100 × 34mm, dull green above, with a fawn indumentum below which ages to rusty brown. AM 1980 (Said to have been raised from Forrest 20425, but this number is now referred to *roxieanum*)

(r) **'Easter Lily'** (Syn. of 'Lily')

(a) **'Eastern Fire'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kaempferi* R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1962) Fls salmon pink. FCC 1955

(a) **'Eastern Prince'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Carter's (1976) Fls single, bright cerise red. Shrub up to 1.5m. Indian

(r) **'Eastern Sappho'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sappho' (s) × 'Janet Blair' H: W.L. Rhein (1973), G: W.L. Rhein (1978), N: W.L. Rhein, REG: Am.Rho.Soc., Susquehanna Valley Chapter (1995) Fls 20/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 76 × 44mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, very light purple (76B), tipped light purple (76A) in bud, opening inside yellowish white (155D), with a large, heavily spotted, deep purplish red (71A) blotch on the dorsal lobe and light purple (76A) lobe tips; outside light purple (76A); stamens 11, curved, unequal. Calyx minute. Pedicels 35mm long, brilliant yellow-green. Lvs elliptic, 89-114 × 38-44mm, flat, broadly acute to obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, slightly glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, moderate yellow-green (146C) below, hairless; petioles 38-44mm long, greyish reddish orange (176C) above, light yellow-green (145B) below, hairy. Shrub 1.5 × 2.4m in 19 years. Mid May

(v) **'Eastern Zanzibar'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *konori* × *zoelleri* H: W.A. Moynier, G: W.A. Moynier, N: G.L.S. Snell, I: Vireya Venue (1990), REG: Vireya Venue (1991) Fls 4-5/truss, campanulate, 75 × 70mm, 5-lobed, tube light yellow (11B), lobes deep pink (52C); scented. Lvs oblong, 125 × 90mm. Shrub 2.0m. Spring-autumn.

(a) **'Easter Parade'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: O.R. Bristow, I: Mossholder Nursery (1950s), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, 65-90mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, pink, with white marbling and a green blotch

(r) **'Easter Parade'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Unique' × 'Crest' H: C.P. Fawcett (pre 1983) Fls yellow. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years

(a) **'Easter Rose'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1911), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, rose. Indian

(r) **'Easter Rose'** (Syn. of 'Easter Dawn')

(a) **'Easter Tide'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Pericat, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, with wavy-edged lobes, light yellowish pink. Pericat

(a) **'Easter White'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white. Indian

(r) **'Eastham'** cv. Parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'East Knoyle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × Loderi Group I: Sir James Horlick (1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose

(r) **'East Northport'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1988) Fls reddish maroon, with a darker blotch. Shrub 0.9m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Ea Tatiana'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: China Group × Lady Bessborough Group H: B. Aunsbjorn (1976), G: T. Aunsbjorn (1988), N: B. Aunsbjorn, REG: T. Aunsbjorn (1989) Fls 14-16/ball truss, saucer-shaped, 70 × 100mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, inside pale yellow (19C) fading to pale yellow (18D); outside strong pink (49A), fading to pale yellow (19C); moderately scented. Lvs oblong, 190 × 90mm, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 0.8m in 12 years. Early-mid May

(a) **'E. Bach'** (Syn. of 'Ernest Bach')

(a) **'Ebenezer Pycke'** (Syn. of 'Thérèse')

(r) **'Eber'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* × 'Michael Waterer' R: T.J.R. Seidel, N: T.J.R. Seidel (1903), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink, darker towards margin, with yellow markings. (Raised from seed sown in 1895)

(r) **'Eberhardt I'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark crimson

(a) **'Ebino'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Haru-no-tsuki' (Kurume) (s) × 'Haru-no-umi' (Satsuki) H: T. Kuwano (1965), G: T. Kuwano, N: T. Kuwano

(r) **'Ebino'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *keiskei* S: W.E. Berg (pre 1984), N: W.E. Berg Fls deep yellow. Lvs bronze yellow. Later than most *keiskei*. (Collected on Ebino Island, Japan, by W.E. Berg)

(r) **'Ebony'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group (white fld) × PJM Group H: E.V. Mezitt (1971), G: Weston Nurseries, N: Weston Nurseries, I: Weston Nurseries, REG: Weston Nurseries (1980) Fls up to 10/truss, strong purplish red (72A). Lvs 45 × 25mm, deep shiny maroon in winter. Shrub under 0.4m.

(r) **'Ebony Pearl'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: sport from 'Pink Pearl' I: Roslyn Nursery (c 1996) Fls soft pink. Lvs reddish bronze. Shrub similar to 'Pink Pearl' but less vigorous

(a) **'Eborinum Plenum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Madame Romain de Smet' I: C. Schulz (1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pure white. Indian

(a) **'Eburneoflavescens'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1839), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Also seen as 'Eburneum Flavescens')

(r) **'E.C. Baring'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1871), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls glowing crimson

(a) **'Echo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *simsii* (s) × *mucronatum* R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50-70mm wide, light purplish pink (73C), with tyrian rose dots in the blotch (but not showy). Shrub 1.5m, spreading. Mid April. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Echo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* (s) × Lady Bessborough Group R: Sunningdale Nurseries, N: Sunningdale Nurseries, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale cream, fading to white, with a claret eye

(a) **'Echoes of Spring'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, very light salmon pink, with a light golden flare. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Late June

(a) **'Echoes of You'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, bright pink, with a gold flare edged pink; scented. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Late June-July

(r) **'Echse I'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1908), N: T.J.R. Seidel, I: T.J.R. Seidel (1917), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a dense, pyramidal truss, wavy-edged, strong reddish purple (2.5RP 5/14), with deep purplish red (10RP 2/6) markings; stigma deep red; style and filaments white (Arnold Arboretum, 1970); fls pink with dark red markings (Germany, 1998).

(r) **'Echse II'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1908), N: T.J.R. Seidel, I: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright crimson, unspotted, inside paler

(a) **'Eclair'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1934), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Eclaireur'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Eggebrechtii' × 'Etoile de Noel' I: A. Haerens (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, vivid purplish red (57B), with a darker blotch. Calyx normal, green. Lvs brownish green. Midseason. Indian

(a) **'Eclatant'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Vervaene, N: J. Vervaene, I: J. Vervaene (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, salmon, edged white (1958 Register); L. van Houtte cat. describes 'L'Eclatant' as fiery orange, with an amaranth blotch; W. Rollisson cat.(1877) gives deep crimson with rose, dorsal lobe spotted; J. Veitch cat.(1878) gives fls as crimson. Both the last two sources list it as 'Eclatante' and these may represent another distinct clone

(a) **'Eclatant'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Koster & Co. (pre 1896), N: Koster & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vermilion red, with a bronze blotch and a yellowish centre. Mollis

(a) **'Eclatant'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Frits Sander' × 'Vervaeneanum Rubrum' I: A. de Reuse (1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, deep red (deeper than 'Etoile de Belgique'). Indian

(v) **'Eclatant'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1891), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Eclipse'** (Syn. of 'Jalisco Eclipse')

(r) **'Eclipse'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1847), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls intense chocolate crimson. (An A. Henderson & Co. cat., 1852, attributes this cultivar to Messrs Maule & Sons)

(r) **'Eclipse'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear rose, spotted all over

(a) **'Ecstasy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 40mm wide, deep rose pink. Kurume (Introduced to USA by Domoto Bros, original name lost, renamed by H.A. Dreer)

(a) **'E. Cuthbert'** (Syn. of 'Ellen Cuthbert')

(r) **'Ed Darts'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *hemsleyanum* (s) × 'Mrs Lammot Copeland' H: A.R. Cook (c 1980), G: F. Darts, N: F. Darts, REG: A.R. Cook (2001) Fls 12/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 100mm wide, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (67D) in bud, opening the same colour outside, inside light purplish pink (73C) edged strong purplish pink (67D), the throat light greenish yellow (8B) for a depth of c25mm, with brown spotting. Calyx minute. Lvs oblong, 175 × 100mm, with wavy margins, obtuse at apex, cordate at base, hairless. Shrub 3.7 × 2.5m in c20 years. Early June

(r) **'Edde I'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine rose, tinged lilac, with darker margins and yellow markings.

(r) **'Ed. de Concourt'** (Syn. of 'Edmond de Goncourt')

(a) **'Eddie'** (See 'Eddy')

(a) **'Eddy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* × 'Apollo' (Indian) R: L. de Rothschild (c 1933), N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 75mm wide, deep red. Lvs deep green; bright red in autumn. Shrub 1.5m. Late. (Sometimes seen erroneously as 'Eddie'; spelling and parentage is taken here from *The Rothschild Rhododendrons* (1979))

(r) **'Eddy Boy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × *catawbiense* × *yakushimanum* H: W.L. Tolstead (1980), G: W.L. Tolstead (1991), N: W.L. Tolstead, REG: W.L. Tolstead (1992) Fls 6-9/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 70 × 45mm, with 5-6 smooth-edged lobes, white, with a faint orange blotch at base. Calyx vestigial. Pedicels 40mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 45mm, concave, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless; petioles 25mm long, light green. Shrub 0.8-0.9 × 0.8-0.9m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Eddystone'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Adriaan Koster' × *wardii* Litiense Group H: F.E.W. Hanger (1947), G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, REG: Royal Horticultural Society (1964) Fls 14/truss, open campanulate, 40 × 65mm, light greenish yellow (4C), with a small, crimson stain in the throat. Calyx rim-like, with a red margin. Lvs 115 × 50mm. AM 1964

(r) **'Edeltraud'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hachmann's Ornament' × 'Furnivall's Daughter' H: H. Hachmann (1969), G: H. Hachmann (1974), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1987), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 13-16/dense truss, funnel-shaped, 45-50 × 65-80(-85)mm, 5-lobed, deep to moderate purplish pink (67C(-D)), paling to pale purplish pink (65C-D) inside; outside similar but midveins vivid purplish red (66B); conspicuous blotch of dark red with deep purplish red (187A and 59A-B). Calyx 2-4mm long. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 115-135 × 35-45mm, strongly convex, with recurved margins, mucronate at apex, rounded-oblique at base, light green and a little rugose above with yellowish green venation, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.4m in 10 years. Mid May-early June

(a) **'Edeltraut'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: R. Eisoldt (pre 1996), N: R. Eisoldt

(a) **'Edelweiss'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L.L. Liebig (pre 1884), N: L.L. Liebig, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Edelweiss'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1912), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pure white. Indian

(a) **'Edelweiss'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Frau Reinhold Ambrosius' × 'Tempérance' I: C.J. Wille & Co. (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pure white. Indian

(r) **'Edelweiss'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *yakushimanum* R: W. Wüstemeyer & J. Wieting (pre 1986), N: W. Wüstemeyer & J. Wieting Fls 15-17/truss, 45-50mm wide, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, rose in bud, opening pure white. Lvs dark green, at first with a white indumentum above and a thick, creamy brown indumentum below. Shrub 0.75 × 1.2m in 10 years. Mid May-early June.

(a) **'Eden Frank Preston'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith (Listed as a parent of 'Alimo', 'Carol Ann Fiery', etc)

(a) **'Eden Janea'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith (Listed as a parent of 'Bismark')

(a) **'Eden Jane Alcott'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith (Listed as a parent of 'Alimo', etc)

(a) **'Eden Jennifer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith (Listed as a parent of 'Daniel Buranich')

(a) **'Eden Marguerite'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: W.D. Smith (pre 1982), N: W.D. Smith (Listed as a parent of 'Trudy Alcott')

(a) **'Eden Mummert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: W.D. Smith (pre 1982), N: W.D. Smith (Listed as a parent of 'Susana')

(a) **'Eden Rasputin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith (Listed as a parent of 'Reba' and also of 'Sarah Ivy')

(a) **'Eden Sheba'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith (Listed as a parent of 'Reba' and also of 'Sarah Ivy')

(a) **'Eden White'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith (Listed as a parent of 'Daphne')

(a) **'Eden Y1'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith (Listed as a parent of 'Daphne')

(a) **'Eden Y2'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith (Listed as a parent of 'Dianne Hersh')

(a) **'Eden Y3'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith (Listed as a parent of 'Alice Holland')

(a) **'Eder'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: G. Arends (1926), N: G. Arends (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light salmon pink. Lvs yellow-orange in autumn. Shrub 0.6-0.8m. Arendsii

(r) **'Ed Farrow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × Kilimanjaro Group H: E. de Rothschild (c 1960), G: E. de Rothschild (1973), N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1984), REG: E. de Rothschild (1985) Fls 14/truss, 45 × 55mm, 5-lobed, buds strong red (53D), paling to strong purplish pink (55D), opening purplish pink (55) with strong red (50A) markings within the throat, maturing to light purplish pink (65B), paling to pale purplish pink (65D); markings on dorsal throat brilliant orange (29A). Lvs oblanceolate, 140 × 35mm, hairless. Late May-June

(a) **'Edgard Finel'** (See note under 'Edgard Tinel')

(a) **'Edgard Tinel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: developed from 'Hexe' I: A. Steyaert (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, very deep red. Indian (Listed in error as 'Edgard Finel' in 1958 Register)

(r) **'Edgar Stead'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ilam Alarm' (s) × Shilsonii Group R: E.F. Stead, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Edgemont'** cv. Parentage unknown R: G. Gillies, N: J.C. Wister, I: Scott Arboretum (c 1965), REG: Scott Arboretum (1980) Fls 10/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 100mm wide, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (5RP 8/5), deeper on outside (almost 5RP 7/9), unmarked, throat pale greenish yellow. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 55mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base. Shrub 2.4 × 4.0m in 35 years. Early-mid May. (Seed collected from Dexter hybrids on Everitt estate (c1945))

(a) **'Ed Howard'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Nadine' R: O.S. Pride, N: O.S. Pride, I: O.S. Pride (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls moderate pink

(r) **'Edinense'** (Syn. of 'Pallidum'. See R.A. Dümmer in *Gardeners' Chronicle* 53 (1):264 (1913))

(r) **'Edinense'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *nuttallii* (s) × 'Henryanum' R: unknown, N: W. Watson (1892), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a yellowish base. (Published in *Gardeners' Chronicle* 12 (2): 762 (1892))

(a) **'Edison'** cv. Deciduous azalea: Mollis azalea × Ghent azalea I: C. Vuylsteke (1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, pale carmine, with an orange-yellow blotch. (Has been listed both as a Ghent and as a Mollis, but probably best placed as a Ghent)

(r) **'Edith'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white (exhibited by C. Turner, 1870); fls pale pinkish rose (J. Standish cat., 1870)

(r) **'Edith'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × *catawbiense* R: W.C. Slocock (pre 1931), N: W.C. Slocock, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 7-lobed, rich pink, with carmine spots; similar to 'Alice Martineau' but a richer colour. AM 1931

(r) **'Edith'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* hybrid R: O.S. Pride (pre 1978), N: O.S. Pride Fls light pink. Shrub 0.8m in 10 years

(a) **'Editha'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Gebr Mardner (pre 1860), N: Gebr Mardner, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **Edith A. Boulton Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* (s) × 'Meteor' R: Kew, N: Kew, I: Kew (1894), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Edith Berkeley'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *sanguineum* subsp. *sanguineum* var. *didymoides* (s) × *auriculatum* × 'Loderi King George' R: E.J. & M. Greig, N: E.J. & M. Greig, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 6-lobed, 75mm wide, rose madder (23-23/1), unspotted; filaments white. Late. May-June

(r) **'Edith Bosley'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Dexter/Bosley no. 1035 (s) × 'Lee's Dark Purple' H: P.R. Bosley (c 1935), G: P.R. Bosley (pre 1945), N: P.R. Bosley, I: Bosley Nursery Co. (pre 1950), REG: Briggs Nursery (1993) Fls 12-15/slightly flattened, dome truss, open funnel-shaped, 44 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purple (77B) in bud, opening deep reddish purple (77A) at margins, shading through strong purple (80B) to strong reddish purple (78B) in centre and with prominent, dark red (187A) spotting

on the dorsal lobe; outside shades from deep reddish purple (77A) at the margin to vivid purple (80A) at base; stamens 10-11, curved, unequal. Pedicels 19-25mm long, dark red (183A). Lvs elliptic, 76-95 × 35-43mm, flat, with somewhat wavy margins, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull, moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (145C) below; petioles 13-16mm long, dark red (187A). Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 15 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Edith Boulter'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marion' (Cheal) (s) × 'Unique' H: V.J. Boulter, G: V.J. Boulter (1956), N: V.J. Boulter (1962), I: V.J. Boulter, REG: V.J. Boulter (1962) Fls 15-18/spherical truss, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, lavender pink, with darker edges

(r) **'Edith Brown'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs G.W. Leak' (s) × unknown R: W.E. Glennie, N: W.E. Glennie, I: W.E. Glennie, REG: W.E. Glennie (1984) Fls 18-24/truss, similar to but darker than 'Mrs G. W. Leak'. Lvs hairless. Shrub up to 3.0m

(r) **'Edith Carey'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Luscombei Group × *fortunei* × Coombe Royal Group R: C. Smith & Son (pre 1931), N: C. Smith & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Similar to 'Richard Gill'

(a) **'Edith Henderson'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Banka' × 'Target' R: J. Harris (pre 1981), N: J. Harris Fls 115mm wide, salmon pink, with a red blotch. Shrub 1.1m in 9 years.

(r) **'Edith Mackworth Praed'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Doncaster' × *griffithianum* hybrid R: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1923), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c13/pyramidal truss, campanulate, 60 × 90-100mm, rich crimson scarlet in bud, opening to crimson with a paler centre, with black and crimson markings on a light ground. AM 1934

(r) **'Edith Preston'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: J.H. Mangles (pre 1900), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c13/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 62 × 80-90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, white, very slightly flushed cream in dorsal throat and with a very small area of reddish purple spots at extreme base; style cream, flushed green at base; stigma reddish. Calyx c2mm long, glandular ciliate, base glandular, lobes otherwise hairless, pale green. Lvs elliptic, up to 160 × 60mm, dull, mid green above, yellowish green below with very short, rusty hairs. Tall shrub. Late April

(a) **'Edith Pride'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Nadine' I: O.S. Pride (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls coral red

(r) **'Edith Pride'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'English Roseum' × *maximum* H: O.S. Pride (1958), G: O.S. Pride, N: O.S. Pride, I: O.S. Pride (1970), REG: O.S. Pride (1979) Fls up to 22/truss, 50mm wide, deep pink in bud, opening light purplish pink (62C), with a small white blotch and pale yellow spotting. Lvs 140 × 45mm. Shrub to over 1.9m

(v) **'Edith Stein'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: (*macgregoriae* × *aurigeranum*) × 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' × (*zoelleri* × *lochiae*) × *konori* H: P. Sullivan (pre 1993), G: P. Sullivan, N: P. Sullivan

(r) **'Ed Knight'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' (s) × 'Loderi King George' H: B.T. Briggs (1963), G: E.L. Knight, I: E.L. Knight, REG: E.L. Knight (1983) Fls 19/truss, 65 × 100mm, open funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, deep purplish pink (66C) with inconspicuous, dorsal spotting of moderate reddish orange (171A). Calyx 2-4mm long, light green, fringed red. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 150 × 65mm, moderate olive green (137B). Shrub 2.2m in 17 years

(a) **'Ed Lasker'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: O. Schulz (1883), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright scarlet red. Indian

(r) **'Edmond Amateis'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (as var. *album*) × Dexter seedling from Hess H: E. Amateis, G: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach (c 1968), I: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1968) Fls up to 13/full, globular truss, rotate funnel-shaped, up to 80mm wide, white, with a bold, twin-rayed, dark red (2.5R 3.5/8) dorsal blotch. Calyx very small. Lvs 125 × 55mm. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 12 years. Midseason

(r) **'Edmond de Goncourt'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Moser & Son (pre 1916), N: Moser & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls mallow purple, with a paler centre and yellow markings. Syn: 'Ed. de Concourt'

(r) **Edmondii Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* × *barbatum* R: R. Gill & Sons (1876), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange scarlet. April

(r) **'Edmond Moulin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid seedling × *maximum* hybrid seedling H: W.D. Smith (1968), G: W.D. Smith, N: W.D. Smith, I: W.D. Smith (1979), REG: W.D. Smith (1983) Fls 22/truss, 45 × 65mm, open funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (67A) in bud, opening vivid purplish red to deep purplish pink (67B-C), with a prominent moderate yellow (160A) dorsal blotch. Calyx 25mm long, pale yellow-green. Lvs narrowly elliptic to oblanceolate, 115-125 × 40-50mm, moderate olive green (147A). Shrub c1.9m in 13 years

(a) **'Edmondsianum'** (See note under 'Edmondsii')

(a) **'Edmondsii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Smith (pre 1845), N: Smith, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rosy pink. Indian (Presumably the plant listed as 'Edmondsianum' by W. Rollisson & Sons, 1847)

(a) **'Edmondsii Semiduplex'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Edmond Vervaene'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, wine red, of good form. Indian

(r) **'Edmund de Rothschild'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Fusilier' × 'Kilimanjaro' R: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, REG: E. de Rothschild (1964) Fls up to 22-24/loose, slightly pendent truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 75 × 90mm, 5-lobed, deep red (53A) in bud, opening strong red (46A), shading to deep red (53A) at base outside, heavily spotted deep red (53A) inside. Calyx 3mm long, reddish, hairy. Lvs oblanceolate, 150 × 50mm, deep dark green, hairless. Shrub to 4.5m. AM 1968, FCC 1993

(a) **'Edna'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* × 'Hexe' × *kaempferi* × *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* R: J.B. Gable, N: The Tingle Nursery (?), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, deep pink. Gable (Similar to 'Carol' and 'Caroline Gable')

(a) **'Edna B'** (Syn. of 'Edna Bee')

(a) **'Edna Bee'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Elizabeth Gable' × un-named pink seedling H: L. Yavorsky (c 1965), G: L. Yavorsky, N: L. Yavorsky, I: L. Yavorsky, REG: L. Yavorsky (1987) Fls single, hose-in-hose, semi-double or fully double (very variable), 1-2/truss, 32 × 70-76mm, flat saucer-shaped to very broadly funnel-shaped, deep purplish pink (61D), with a strong purplish red (61B) blotch. Calyx 5mm long, bright green. Lvs elliptic, 25-29 × 10mm, hairy. Shrub 0.6 × 0.8m in 10 years; very dense growth. Early-mid May. Syn: 'Edna B'

(r) **'Edna Eve Chandler'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *rubiginosum* (s) × unknown H: E.E. Chandler (c 1950), G: E.E. Chandler & E.C. Hunt (c 1952), N: E.C. Hunt, REG: E.C. Hunt (1996) Fls 1-4/bud (up to 30 fls together in a domed, terminal, composite truss, with solitary axillary fls), tubular funnel-shaped, c10 × 10mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, rosy red in bud, opening soft pink, ageing to lighter pink. Calyx 5mm long, light pink. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 35 × 10-15mm, convex, broadly acute at apex, cuneate/rounded at base, glossy and hairless above, with minute dark brown scales below on mature leaves; young stems and petioles with rosy brown papillae. The leaves have a slightly spicy scent when rubbed. Shrub up to 0.9 × 1.5m in c40 years, the rosy red colour of the buds and young stems carried through the winter. April-May.

(r) **'Edna Marie Porter'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mary Belle' (s) × 'Dexter's Appleblossom' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp (pre 1985), N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls in shades of pink and yellow; scented. Tall shrub. (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(a) **'Edna Mason'** cv. Deciduous azalea: un-named Ghent hybrid × un-named Ghent hybrid H: R.E. Mason (1988), G: R.E. Mason (1991), N: R.E. Mason, REG: R.E. Mason (1991) Fls 13-14/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 25 × 40mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, white, tinged purplish around tips and with a slight, yellowish, dorsal blotch; filaments and style whitish; anthers and stigma purplish pink. Calyx 20mm long, pale green. Lvs lanceolate, 60 × 15mm. Shrub 0.6m. April-May

(r) **'Edna McCarty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alice' × *auriculatum* R: E. Ostbo, N: E. Ostbo (1960), I: E. Ostbo, REG: E. Ostbo (1961) Fls large, white, scented, without stamens. Lvs large. Shrub 1.5m or more in 10 years

(a) **'Edo-man'e'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, anemone-centred, wisteria purple. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Edo-nishiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown (Mentioned by Creech in the translation of Ito as similar to 'Shibori-asagao')

(a) **'Edo-shiro'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c60mm wide, snow white. Syn: 'Yama-shiro', 'Rakka-no-yuki'. Tsutsuji

(az) **'Edouard André'** cv. Azaleodendron: 'Prince Camille de Rohan' or 'Leopardii' × *molle* R: G. van der Meulen, I: G. van der Meulen (1892), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls creamy white

(a) **'Edouard Barlow'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Costantini (1886), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Edouard Vervaene'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Vuylsteke (1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls claret. Indian

(a) **'Edo-zai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red, with numerous, more-or-less erect, strap-like 'petals'. Tsutsuji

(r) **'Ed's Red'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' (s) × 'America' H: H.E. Reiley (1957), G: H.E. Reiley (1963), N: H.E. Reiley, I: H.E. Reiley (1981), REG: H.E. Reiley (1983) Fls up to 20/truss, 45 × 75mm, 5-lobed, strong red (53B), with a dorsal blotch of light brown spots. Calyx minute, green. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 50mm, hairless. Shrub c1.5m in 25 years

(a) **'Ed's Silver Pink'** (Syn. of 'Pink Discovery')

(r) **'Eduard Lucas'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Gebr Mardner (pre 1878), N: Gebr Mardner

(r) **'Eduards Smiļģis'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (s) × 'Purple Splendour' H: R. Kondratovičs (1974), G: R. Kondratovičs (1980), N: R. Kondratovičs (2002), I: Rhododendron Nursery "Babīte" of University of Latvia (2001), REG: R. Kondratovičs (2002) Fls 18/dense, slightly domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 60-70 × 60-70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside pansy violet (033), with strong black-brown spots on the dorsal lobe and edges of adjacent lobes; filaments dark purple violet, anthers black violet; style red, stigma red-black. Calyx 5mm long, olive green. Lvs oblong-ovate, 90 × 40mm, margins flat, pointed at apex and base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.3 × 1.4m in 10 years. Late May-early June. (Published in *Dārzs un Drava*: 23-24 (November, 2001))

(r) **Edusa Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Penjerrick Group (s) × *campylocarpum* H: Lord Aberconway (1926), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow

(a) **'Edward Bok'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *mucronatum* G: United States National Arboretum, S: N.H. Fritz (1952), N: D.M. Price (1994), I: Bok Tower Gardens (1994), REG: D.M. Price (1994) Fls 3-4/domed truss, open funnel-campanulate, 60 × 85mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, white with a light yellow-green (145D) base in bud, opening white with a brilliant yellow-green (150B) blotch on dorsal lobe, and with an occasional lobe inconspicuously and narrowly streaked strong purplish red (70B); stamens 10, curved, unequal; moderately scented. Calyx 16mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Pedicels 15mm long, light yellow green (144D). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 80 × 27mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull, dark yellowish green (139A) above, moderate yellow-green (137C) and with discrete golden hairs below; petioles 11mm long, strong yellow-green (141D). Shrub 0.9 × 0.7m in 3 years. Late January (Florida). (Selected from plants in Formosa, 1952)

(r) **'Edward Cornelius'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cynthia' (s) × 'Kammer's Ruffles' H: M. Stockman (1983), G: M.& H. Stockman (1990), N: N.H. Stockman, REG: M.& H Stockman (1993) Fls 9/lax ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 44 × 76mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (64D) shading to narrow longitudinal bands of strong purplish red (64C) at centre of lobes with strong and vivid red (46A, B) spots on dorsal lobe; stamens 11, curved, unequal. Calyx 3mm long, pale green. Pedicels 41mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 106 × 35mm, concave, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull dark green above, hairless; petioles 13mm long, light green. Shrub 0.6 × 0.8m in 10 years. Early May

(r) **'Edward Dunn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *neriiflorum* × *dichroanthum* (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* R: E. Ostbo, N: E. Ostbo, I: E. Ostbo, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 10/truss, rich apricot pink. Lvs 160 × 65mm. Some sources list it as an orange-yellow bicolor. Low, spreading shrub. (Formerly known as "Apricot No.5")

(a) **'Edward Henry'** (Syn. of 'Wirklicher Legationsrat Gneist')

(a) **'Edward Jenner'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: Gebr. Kersbergen, N: Gebr. Kersbergen, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light orange-yellow, with a reddish border. Mollis

(r) **'Edward Long'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group × *fortunei* R: D.W. James, N: D.W. James (pre 1963), I: D.W. James, REG: D.W. James (1963) Fls 8-10/rounded truss, flat-campanulate, up to 40 × 100mm, chartreuse green (663/2) in bud, opening cream and retaining a faint, green, central blotch. Lvs 125 × 50mm, rounded at apex. Compact shrub. May

(a) **'Edward M. Boehm'** cv. Evergreen azalea: un-named Fischer hybrid × 'Hexe' × 'Vervaeneanum' H: G.A. Reid (1959), G: G.A. Reid, N: G.A. Reid, I: G.A. Reid (1973), REG: G.A. Reid (1979) Fls hose-in-hose, solferino purple (26), with a 25 × 25mm dorsal blotch of chrysanthemum crimson (824/3); streaked with brown

(a) **'Edwardsii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Dallière (1852), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Edward S. Rand'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c20/truss, funnel-shaped or more-or-less campanulate, 50 × 60mm, rosy crimson with a broad ray of green spots. Calyx inconspicuous. Large shrub. Syn: 'E.S. Rand'

(a) **'Edward W. Collins'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nellie' (s) × 'Opal' H: G.A. Reid (1970), G: G.A. Reid (1974), N: G.A. Reid, I: G.A. Reid (1982), REG: G.A. Reid (1984) Fls hose-in-hose and doubled, 3/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 25 × 40mm, with 15-20 lobes, deep pink (52C), unmarked and lacking stamens. Calyx 20-25mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, up to 25 × 13mm, ciliate, very sparsely setose. Shrub c0.8m in 12 years

(r) **'Edwin I'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Edwin II'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1912), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12-19/round, compact truss, 40-60mm wide, with strongly wavy-edged lobes, violet red (purple violet), with black-red markings, lobes also with reddish brown spotting. Late May-early June

(a) **'Edwina Mountbatten'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: E. de Rothschild (pre 1985), N: E. de Rothschild Fls deep yellow. Knap Hill ?

(r) **'Edwin Beinecke'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* seedling (?) G: S.A. Everitt, I: H.S. Young & W. Efinger, REG: H.S. Young & W. Efinger (1962) Fls 100mm wide, yellowish apricot; scented. Shrub 1.5m, compact. (Original seedling from C.O. Dexter)

(r) **'Edwin Hartshorn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Exbury Naomi' × 'Crest' H: J.R. Todd, Jr (1969), G: J.R. Todd, Jr (1979), N: J.R. Todd, Jr, REG: J.R. Todd, Jr (1992) Fls 10-12/flat, lax truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 76 × 114mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (51A) in bud, opening strong red (37A) on margins and changing rapidly when fully open to pale yellow-green (4D), deepening to light greenish yellow (4C) in centre; strongly scented. Calyx very small. Lvs oblong to narrowly oblong, 127 × 51mm, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 21 years. Late April

(r) **'Edwin Landseer'** cv. Parentage unknown L: A. van Geert (1893), INC: ICRA (1958) (Attributed to Waterer by van Geert)

(r) **'Edwin O. Weber'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purpureum Elegans' × 'Madame Albert Moser' H: E.O. Weber (1957), G: E.O. Weber, N: E.O. Weber, I: E.O. Weber, REG: E.O. Weber (1974) Fls up to 28/flat truss, flat saucer-shaped, 65 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, imperial purple (33/1), with a large blotch of uranium green (63) on dorsal lobes and with spots on lateral lobes. Calyx 3mm long, imperial purple (33). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 160 × 50mm, dark green, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 1.2m in 15 years

(r) **'Edwin Parker'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Day Dream Group × Albatross Group R: R. Henny, I: L. Henny, REG: L. Henny (1969) Fls up to 16/truss, flat, up to 100mm wide, 5-lobed, pink to peach, with creamy shades of pink at centre of each lobe. Lvs up to 125 × 40mm. Shrub to 2.2m. June

(a) **'Effective'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Osakazuki' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65-75mm wide, rose, with very little suggestion of a blotch. Shrub 1.2m. Mid April. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Effendi I'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose, with lines, darker towards margin and with a few, green spots

(r) **'Effner'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alfred' (s) × 'Everestianum' R: T.J.R. Seidel, N: T.J.R. Seidel (1903), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark violet, with green markings on a paler ground. Shrub to 3.0m. (Raised from seed sown in 1895)

(r) **'Egbert van Alstyne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: May Day Group (dwarf form) × *haematodes* R: C.S. Seabrook (pre 1965), N: C.S. Seabrook, REG: C.S. Seabrook (1967) Fls in an open truss, campanulate, slightly larger than *haematodes*, orient red (819). Lvs yellowish green. Compact shrub

(a) **'Egertonia'** (See note under 'Egertonii')

(a) **'Egertonii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1846), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Also seen listed as 'Egertonia')

(r) **'Egge'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark rose, with brown markings

(a) **'Eggebrechtii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Firma Seidel, N: Firma Seidel, I: Firma Seidel (1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, amaranth red. Calyx normal, green. Slow-growing. Syn: 'Louis Späth'. Indian

(r) **'Eggebrechtii'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Firma Seidel (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a carmine red margin

(r) **'Eggert Rohwer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: H. Hachmann (1968), G: H. Hachmann (1973), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1988), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 14-16(-19)/truss, 35-40 × 45mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63A-B) at edges and on outside on midveins, otherwise strong purplish pink (63C), shading to white in throat, unmarked. Calyx 1-2mm long, yellowish green. Lvs oblanceolate, 90-110 × 35-40mm, more-or-less flat, mucronate at apex, cuneate-oblique at base, mid green above; young foliage with a white, felted indumentum, mature lvs with a thin brownish indumentum below; main veins pale yellowish green; petioles with a silvery indumentum. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in 12 years, of compact habit. Mid-late May

(r) **'Egglestonii'** (Syn. of 'Eglintonii')

(a) **'Eglantine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Yvonne Blommaert' I: Soc.An.L. van Houttepère (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, salmon. Indian

(r) **'Eglintonii'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* × unknown R: Germany (pre 1909), N: Germany, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 8-13/tight, rounded truss, open funnel-shaped, 50-70mm broad, 5-lobed, pure white, with violet red markings on dorsal lobes. April. Syn: 'Egglestonii'

(r) **'Egmont I'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark crimson

(a) **'Egoist'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' × 'Willy' (s) × 'Mrs Carmichael' × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65-75mm wide, white, with a few stripes and much sanding of strong reddish purple (78B). Shrub to 1.5m. Mid-late May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Egret'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *campylogynum* (white-fld form) × *racemosum* 'White Lace' H: P.A. Cox (1972), G: P.A. Cox, N: P.A. Cox, I: P.A. Cox (1982), REG: P.A. Cox (1982) Fls 2-6/truss, nodding, tubular-campanulate, 5-lobed, up to 15 × 13-18mm, pale yellow green (155A). Calyx lobes up to 2mm long, green, scaly. Lvs broadly elliptic, up to 23 × 15mm, glossy green above, paler below, slightly scaly on both surfaces. *HC 1983, AM 1982, *AM 1987

(r) **'Egyptian'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Halcyone Group (s) × Margaret Dunn Group R: Sunningdale Nurseries (pre 1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow, overlaid salmon, with a brown eye

(a) **'E.H. Brandt'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1880), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double (2 rows of lobes), white, with a small sulphur yellow-greenish blotch. Indian

(r) **'Ehrengold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* hybrid H: D.G. Hobbie (1950), N: W. Schmalscheidt (1982), I: L. von Ehren (1970) Fls 10-15/fairly compact, broadly rounded truss, campanulate, 50-65mm wide, reddish apricot on opening, becoming pale yellow,

with margins slightly tinged pink and very faint, brownish markings. Lvs broadly ovate. Shrub to 2.5m tall. Mid May-early June

(r) **'E.H. Wilding'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Troas Group (s) × Penjerrick Group R: G.M. Adams-Acton, I: G.M. Adams-Acton (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blood red

(a) **'E.H. Wilson'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt (c 1947), I: E.A. Merritt (c 1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50mm wide, single, hose-in-hose, variously described as orange-red, vivid red or geranium lake (20/2). Kurume

(r) **'Eidam'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *brachycarpum* (s) × 'Alexander Adie' R: T.J.R. Seidel, N: T.J.R. Seidel (1903), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, flushed rose, with yellow-green markings. (Raised from seed sown in 1895)

(r) **'Eider'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group (white form) × *leucaspis* H: P.A. Cox (1967), G: P.A. Cox, N: P.A. Cox, I: P.A. Cox (1978), REG: P.A. Cox (1979) Fls 5-8/compact, globular truss, funnel-shaped, 30 × 50mm, white. Lvs 60 × 22mm, mid dull green. Shrub 0.45m. *HC 1979, *AM 1981

(r) **'Eighteenth of May'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' (s) × 'Loderi King George' H: G.W. Clarke, G: G.W. Clarke, N: G.W. Clarke (pre 1971), I: G.W. Clarke, REG: Mrs M. Clarke (1991) Fls 10/lax domed truss, funnel-shaped, 95 × 70mm, with 6 smooth-edged lobes, buds vivid purplish red (57B), opening nearly white, edged vivid purplish red (57D); outside 57D. Calyx less than 6mm long, green. Lvs narrowly oblong, 152 × 44mm, flat, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 2.4 × 1.5m in 15 years. May

(a) **'Eight Islands'** (Syn. of 'Hatsu-shimo')

(a) **'Eijyuho'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kaempferi* R: Japan (pre 1976), N: Japan Fls open tubular, white in throat, pink or red towards margin, lasting for several months, then turning green and finally crimson

(a) **'Eikan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Asahi-tsuru' I: Chugai Nursery Co. (pre 1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50-60mm wide, with 5-9 wavy-edged lobes, white, with many variations in stripes of strong to deep pink or yellowish pink, with some selfs. Shrub 0.9m. Syn: 'Eikwan', 'Eiken'. Satsuki

(a) **'Eiko'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling of 'Shinkigen' S: Y. Yamanoi (pre 1956), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 75-100mm wide, with broad, rounded lobes, white, with some pink stripes and selfs of pink to strong red. Early to midseason. Satsuki

(a) **'Eiko-san'** (Syn. of 'Balsaminiflorum')

(a) **'Ei-kow'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple on white. Indian (Perhaps the same as 'Eiko')

(a) **'Eikwan'** (Syn. of 'Eikan')

(r) **'Eileen'** (Syn. of 'Hachmann's Eileen')

(r) **'Eileen'** cv. Probably a *maximum* hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot) (c 1920), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 11-22/compact, conical truss, blush to white, with a moderate purplish pink (66D) edge and yellow markings. Early-mid June

(r) **'Eileen Byrnes'** cv. Seedling of 'Pioneer' (probably = 'Gable's Pioneer') R: Waterer (pre 1978) Fls raspberry pink. Shrub 0.6 × 1.0m

(r) **'Eileen Driscoll'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scintillation' (s) × Naomi Group H: B. & M. Shapiro (1968), G: B. & M. Shapiro, N: B. & M. Shapiro, REG: B. & M. Shapiro (1995) Fls 13-14/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, with 6-7 slightly wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (68D) at edge (c5.0-7.5mm wide), shading gradually to nearly white in the centre of each lobe and in the throat; two strong purplish pink (68B) streaks in the throat, sparsely spotted with light olive brown (199B) and brilliant greenish yellow (1B); stamens 10, 9-14mm long, vestigial; slightly scented. Calyx 2-4mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 76mm, flat to slightly convex, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, dull, moderate yellow-green (137C) above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 2.1m in 25 years. Early May. (First published in *J.Am.Rh.Soc.* 42 (2):64 (1988))

(r) **'Eileen Hall'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × 'Pygmalion' × *haematodes* H: M.E. Hall (1966), G: M.E. Hall, N: M.E. Hall, I: M.E. Hall, REG: M.E. Hall (1980) Fls 10/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 75mm wide, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (65A), with dorsal spotting of vivid red (45B). Lvs elliptic, 150-175 × 75mm. Shrub 1.5 × 2.1m in 12 years. Mid May

(a) **Eira Group** gp Evergreen azalea: 'Kirishima' (s) × 'Malvaticum' H: J.B. Stevenson (1938), G: J.B. Stevenson, N: J.B. Stevenson, I: J.B. Stevenson (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a range of shades from magenta, pink, mauve to red, etc

(a) **'Eisenhower'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Felix & Dijkhuis (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls nasturtium orange, veined saturn red and with an orange blotch, outside saturn red. Mollis (Perhaps the plant raised and so named at Exbury (*q.v.*))

(a) **'Eisenhower'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Rothschild, I: Waterer (Bagshot) (c 1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 9-10/flattened dome, loose truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 50mm, vivid reddish orange (33A), with a strong orange blotch. Lvs 80-90 × 33mm, medium glossy green, heavily tinged red and reddish orange. Shrub to at least 1.9m. *HC 1967. Knap Hill

(a) **'Eishi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Fuji-nishiki' × 'Homare-no-kokka' R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50-65mm wide, slightly tubu-

lar, with rounded, wavy-edged lobes, white, with occasional stripes of deep purplish pink, or light to deep pink selfs. Satsuki

(a) **'Eisprinzessin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Elsie Lee' (s) × 'Purpurkissen' H: H. Hachmann (1988), G: H. Hachmann (1993), N: H. Hachmann (1994), I: H. Hachmann (1998), REG: G. Stück (1999) Fls double, 2-3/bud with 2-3 buds at each shoot apex, broadly funnel-shaped, 30 × 58mm, with 15-20 lobes, buds light yellow-green (145C/D), opening pure white inside and out; a slight blotch of light yellow-green (145C/D) on three dorsal lobes; some fls have no stamens, others up to 6, filaments white, anthers moderate orange-yellow (164B); style light yellow-green (150D), stigma strong yellow (153D). Calyx 3-4mm long, light green, with silvery hairs. Lvs ovate, 32 × 16mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, flat, matt mid green above, with brown hairs. Shrub 0.3 × 0.55m in 10 years. Late May-early June. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1998-2000 (1998), plus colour photograph)

(a) **'Eiten'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Fuji-nishiki' × 'Yume' I: Chugai Nursery Co. (pre 1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 75-90mm wide, with overlapping lobes, white, striped light purple or often purple selfs. Satsuki

(r) **'Eithne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *neriiflorum* × Red Admiral Group R: E.J.P. Magor (1928), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c10/lax truss, deep crimson scarlet. Lvs elliptic, 100-125mm long, glossy green. AM 1937

(a) **'Eizan-ko'** (Syn. of 'Karin')

(r) **'E.J.P. Magor'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Campdis Group (s) × *williamsianum* R: D.G. Hobbie (c 1942-1944), N: D.G. Hobbie, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, bright rose

(a) **'Ekubo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* L: Miyami-en Nursery (1976) Fls 27mm wide, vivid reddish purple (74B)

(a) **'Elaine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Anytime' × 'Delos' R: N.Carolina/Louisiana State Univ., N: N.Carolina/Louisiana State Univ., I: N.Carolina/Louisiana State Univ. (1976) Fls double, 1-3/truss, 50-65mm wide, light rosebud pink with an inconspicuous blotch. Shrub up to 1.2m.

(r) **'Elaine Behring'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' (s) × *yakushimanum* H: R. Behring (1975), G: R. Behring (1984), N: R. Behring, I: Clay's Nurseries (1987), REG: R. Behring (1986) Fls 17/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (65A), dorsal lobe background pale purplish pink (65D) with heavy moderate red (185B) spotting. Calyx 2mm long, light yellow-green (154D). Lvs elliptic, 120 × 50mm, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 0.7 × 0.4m in 11 years. Mid May

(r) **'Elaine Mitchell'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Whitney's Orange' (s) × 'Skipper' H: W. Wilkes (1983), G: L.L. & E.F. Newcomb (1987), S: A.M. Gorn, N: A.M. Gorn, REG: E.F. Newcomb (1993) Fls 10-12/flat truss, funnel-shaped, 54 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (51B), heavily speckled strong red (53B) throughout, with a solid-coloured, strong red (53B) throat; outside with strong purplish red (54A) rays; stamens 10-12, straight, unequal; style dark greyish reddish brown (200A). Calyx 3mm long, moderate reddish brown (174A). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 114-137 × 38-48mm, slightly convex, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, dull moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (147B) below, hairless; petioles 6-13mm long, moderate yellow-green (147B). Shrub 0.75 × 1.2m in 10 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Elaine Pagel Paden'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* (s) × *yakushimanum* H: Stanley Hall (c 1988), G: D.W. Paden (1992), N: D.W. Paden, REG: D.W. Paden (1998) Fls 15/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 55 × 50mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, strong purplish red (67A) in bud, opening strong purplish red (67A), fading gradually to pink and white with a yellow blotch. Calyx c10mm long, green fading to brown. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 125 × 40mm, decurved, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, with a felted indumentum below (yellowish white(196D)at first, ageing to moderate orange-yellow (165C)). Shrub 1.1 × 1.7m in 10 years. May

(r) **'Elaine Rowe'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *macabeanum* (s) × unknown R: G. Huthnance, N: G. Huthnance, I: G. Huthnance (1982), REG: G. Huthnance (1984) Fls 12/truss, open funnel-campanulate, 60×75mm, 7(-8)-lobed, deep purplish pink (55A) in bud, fading on outside on opening to pale purplish pink (56A), inside cream with dorsal maroon flare and spots. Calyx 1mm long, green, grey hairy. Lvs elliptic, 200 × 100mm, with silvery grey, woolly indumentum

(r) **'El Alamein'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* × unknown R: A. Kluis, N: A. Kluis, I: A. Kluis (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls strong red (53B), with a conspicuous, dark brown blotch. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Elam'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: seedling from 'Chesapeake' R: G.G. Nearing, N: G.G. Nearing, I: G.G. Nearing (c 1963), REG: G.G. Nearing (1972) Fls in clusters of 3-4, 40mm wide, bright deep rose. Lvs 25 × 7mm. Shrub under 0.4m

(v) **'Elation'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *zoelleri* (from Mt.Hagen) × *leucogigas* 'Hunstein's Secret' H: J.L. Rouse (1974), G: L.A. Craven (1984), N: L.A. Craven (1992), I: L.A. Craven (1993), REG: L.A. Craven (1992) Fls 4-6/flat truss, campanulate (relatively narrow below, broad above), 120-130 × 130-150mm, with 7 smooth-edged lobes, inside with lobe margins vivid red (52A) shading to deep pink (52B), proximal central portion of lobe light greenish yellow/pale yellow (8C/D), shading to light greenish yellow (8C) in tube; outside with lobe margins deep pink (52B) at margin, shading to deep pink

(52C), proximal central portion of lobe pale yellow (18C) shading to light/pale yellow (11B/C) on tube; unspotted. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 175-220 × 60-65mm, slightly decurved, glossy green, attenuate to truncate attenuate at base, acute to obtuse at apex, scaly. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 18 years. January-February (Australia)

(a) **'Elatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1846), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Elatum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Listed under 'Jacksonii' in A. Leroy cat., 1868, with the fls described as soft rose; perhaps the same clone listed without attribution or description in Knight & Perry cat., 1850. (cf.entry under 'Electum')

(a) **'Elatum Flore Pleno'** (See note under 'Elatum Plenum')

(a) **'Elatum Flore Rubro Pleno'** (See note under 'Elatum Plenum')

(r) **Elatum Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. campylocarpum* var. *elatum*

(a) **'Elatum Plenum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: F. Schneider (1863), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Probably the 'Elatum Flore Pleno' of A.Dallière cat., 1852/53 and A. van Geert, 1849, and the 'Elatum Flore Rubro Pleno' (sic) of L. Jacob-Makoy, 1841)

(a) **'Elbflorenz'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Weigt (pre 1868), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Elby'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group × *bureavii* × 'King of Shrubs' × *smirnowii* H: H. Lem (1964), G: L.L. Newcomb (1968), N: L.L. Newcomb, I: L.L. Newcomb (1985), REG: E.F. Newcomb (1987) Fls 6-9/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 57 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds vivid red (46C), opening deep pink (51B), lower lobes changing to light yellowish pink (159A), throat strong red (46A); outside strong red (53D); dorsallobe spotted 46A and with a 53D ray down centre of each lobe (2 on the dorsal lobe). Calyx 32mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 114 × 38mm, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, convex, glossy, moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (146B) below, with a brownish orange (164A) indumentum below. Shrub 1.4 × 1.4m in 22 years. Early May

(r) **'El Camino'** cv. Parentage unknown N: G. & Mrs A. Sather, I: G. & Mrs A. Sather (1973), REG: G. & Mrs A. Sather (1976) Fls 13/conical, flat-topped truss, open funnel-shaped, 125 × 125mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (54A), with a strong red (53C) blotch in the throat extending into spots on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 3mm long, red. Lvs elliptic, 125-140 × 55-70mm, moderate olive green (146A) above, hairless. Shrub 2.2 × 1.5m in 10 years. Early May. (Found in W.E. Whitney's garden)

(a) **'El Capitan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Aladdin' × a red Kurume seedling R: Girard Nurseries, N: Girard Nurseries, I: Girard Nurseries (c 1962), REG: Girard Nurseries (1972) Fls flat-opening, with rounded lobes, up to 50mm wide, bright scarlet. Lvs 40 × 20mm. Shrub 0.6 × 0.4m

(r) **Eldorado Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *johnstoneanum* (s) × *valentinianum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3-4/truss, funnel-shaped, bright yellow, scaly externally. Lvs dark yellow-green. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years

(a) **'Eldze'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Niobe' × 'Hexe' H: R. Kondratovičs (1963), G: R. Kondratovičs (1971), N: R. Kondratovičs, I: Botanical Garden, University of Latvia (1984), REG: R. Kondratovičs (1989) Fls hose-in-hose, 1-3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 60-70mm wide, strong purplish red (58B). Lvs elliptic to broadly elliptic, 25-50 × 20-25mm, light green, hairy. Shrub 0.4 × 0.36m. February-April (under cool glass)

(a) **'Eleanor'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: T. Jackson & Son (1851), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Eleanor'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt, I: E.A. Merritt (c 1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, phlox pink (625/1). Kurume

(a) **'Eleanor Allan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Hinodegiri' R: Walter Allan Nursery, N: Walter Allan Nursery, I: Walter Allan Nursery (c 1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 30mm wide, clear pink. Kurume

(r) **'Eleanor Bee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan' (s) × *yakushimanum* (Exbury form) H: L.W. Bulgin (1980), G: L.W. Bulgin (1984), N: L.W. Bulgin, I: Ellanhurst Gardens, REG: L.W. Bulgin (1988) Fls 14/flat truss, funnel-shaped, 38 × 51mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (58B) in bud, opening with a white centre gradually shading outward to pale purplish pink (55D); outside white at base shading to light purplish pink (55C) at tips of lobes, with 55C along midribs. Lvs elliptic, 83 × 32mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, indumentum on young lvs greyish yellow-green (195B), becoming lightyellowish brown (199C) when mature. Shrub 0.5 × 0.7m in 7 years. Early May

(v) **'Eleanor Black'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *konori* G: M. Black, N: M. Black, I: M. Black (1969), REG: M. Black (1969) Fls few/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 95 × 100mm, 6-7-lobed, white, flushedinternally with strong purplish pink (55B), deepening in throat to uniform deep purplish pink (55A); scented, especially at night. Calyx rudimentary. Lvs broadly elliptic, 70 × 45mm, with minute green pustules above and below. AM 1969 (Collected in New Guinea by Michael Black)

(a) **'Eleanor Cole'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Sweetheart Supreme' R: D.J. Cole (pre 1987), N: D.J. Cole Fls hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, yellowish pink, with a darker blotch. Mid April

(r) **'Eleanore'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *rubiginosum* Desquamatum Group (s) × *augustinii* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 4-5/truss, c75mm wide, light purple (85C). Lvs dark green. Shrub up to 6.0m. April-May. AM 1943 (Eleanore Group)

(r) **Eleanore Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *rubiginosum* Desquamatum Group (s) × *augustinii* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1937), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Eleanor Habgood'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1998)

(v) **'Eleanor Kate'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *zoelleri* (s) × *leucogigas* 'Hunstein's Secret' H: unknown, G: Mrs R. Funder, N: Mrs R. Funder, REG: Mrs R. Funder (1995) Fls 4-7/open truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 80 × 100mm, with 5-7 smooth-edged lobes, inside strong red (45D) on edges with a light yellow (18B) central star; outside deep pink (47D) on edges, shading to pale yellow (11C) at base, not spotted; scented. Calyx 50mm long, moderate yellow-green (146C). Lvs ovate, 120 × 60mm, flat, matt green above, attenuate at base, acute at apex. Shrub 2.0 × 0.5m in 12 years. January-March (Australia)

(r) **'Eleanor Laxdall'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan' × Azor Group H: Mrs S. Laxdall (1963), G: Mrs S. Laxdall, N: Mrs S. Laxdall, REG: Mrs S. Laxdall (1988) Fls 12/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 54 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (55A) with moderate purplish pink margins and lighter pink throat; style white. Calyx 3mm long, vivid yellow-green (154A). Lvs elliptic, 220 × 80mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, hairless; new growth copper-coloured. Shrub 2.6 × 1.5m in 25 years. Early June

(a) **'Eleanor Lord'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Nadine' R: O.S. Pride, N: O.S. Pride, I: O.S. Pride (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls coral pink

(r) **'Eleanor Moody'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scintillation' (s) × Jalisco Group × *yakushimanum* H: C.C. Smith (1983), G: M. Sanders (1988), N: M. Sanders, I: Sanders Nursery (1988), REG: M. Sanders (1993) Fls 12/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 89 × 70mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, yellowish white (155D) with a dark red (59A) blotch and freckles; stamens none or a few, straight, unequal; slightly scented. Pedicels 44mm long, greenish pink. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 140 × 48mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull fir green above, light green below, hairless; petioles 13mm long, light green. Shrub 1.2 × 1.8m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Elect'** (Syn. of 'Jalisco Elect')

(a) **'Electa'** (See 'Electum')

(a) **'Elector'** (See note under 'Electum')

(a) **'Electra'** (Mis-spelling of 'Elektra')

(r) **'Electra'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *augustinii* subsp. *chasmanthum* (s) × *augustinii* subsp. *augustinii* R: L. de Rothschild (1937), N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 4-7/truss, 40 × 65mm (short tube, spreading limb), violet blue (heliotrope, 636/1), paler in the throat and with a narrow ray of olive green markings on a white ground. Calyx very short, sparsely ciliate. Lvs elliptic to oblong-elliptic, c65 × 22mm, dull and dark green above, with sparse golden scales below, midrib hairy. Shrub to 6.0m. AM 1940 (Electra Group)

(r) **Electra Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *augustinii* subsp. *chasmanthum* (s) × *augustinii* subsp. *augustinii* R: L. de Rothschild (1937), N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1940), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Electra's Son'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: seedling from 'Electra' G: E.K. Parker (1975), N: E.K. Parker, I: E.K. Parker (1975), REG: E.K. Parker (1976) Fls 2-4/truss (1-4 trusses together in a domed inflorescence), broadly funnel-shaped, 25 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purple (82C) to light violet (88C), fading into throat, with a dark greenish yellow (152D) blotch and almost coalescing spots on dorsal lobes; outside with strong reddish purple shading (70B) on throat (with slight orange cast) extending upwards. Calyx minute, light green, white scaly. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 75-100 × 30-35mm, dull and moderate olive green (146A) above, with inconspicuous scales; new lvs reddish tipped. Shrub 1.9 × 1.1m in 7 years. Mid May. (Grown from seed obtained c1968)

(a) **'Electum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Standish & Noble (pre 1850), N: Standish & Noble, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep yellowish pink (39B), mid portion of lobes light orange-yellow, blotch vivid yellow (15B) to strong orange (30D); stamens coral red. Ghent (Sometimes listed as 'Elector' (perhaps a corruption of 'Electa'); presumably the same plant listed by J. Verleeuwen, 1835)

(r) **'Electum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown L: France (1842), INC: ICRA (1958) (Form or hybrid of (?) *arboreum* exhibited by M. Guérin in Paris in 1842; also listed by T.Jackson & Son, 1869 (described as dwarf). Perhaps a corruption of 'Elatum')

(r) **'Elegance'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Forsterianum', selfed H: M.H. & Mrs F. Sumner (pre 1968)

(a) **'Elegans'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Verleeuwen (1835), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls sulphur yellow, shaded red (Veitch, 1882). Shrub 1.0-1.5m. Ghent

(a) **'Elegans'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably *mucronatum* × *simsii* L: Standish & Noble (1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 50mm wide, salmon pink. Indian (Listed as Smith's by Jacob-Makoy, 1849)

(r) **'Elegans'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid R: J. Booth (pre 1838), N: J. Booth, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark red

(r) **'Elegans'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (s) × Altaclerense Group R: Standish & Noble, N: Standish & Noble, I: Standish & Noble (1847), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rose, spotted. Syn: 'Altaclerense Elegans' ?

(a) **'Elegans Mortieri'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1840), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls sulphur and red (Fraser, 1875). Ghent (Probably the 'Mortieri Elegans' listed by Whitley & Osborn, 1850)

(a) **'Elegans Papeleu'** cv. Deciduous azalea: listed as a selection of "Azalea pontica" L: T.J. Seidel (1859), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Elegans Striatiflorum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. van Geert (1871), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Elegans Striatum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1840), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Elegans Superbum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably a 'Phoeniceum' hybrid L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1849), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 2-3/truss (trusses often grouped together), 65mm wide, deep rose pink with a brownish purple blotch; stamens usually 9. Syn: 'Pride of Mobile', 'Watermelon Pink'. Indian (Jacob-Makoy lists it as Smith's)

(a) **'Elegans Superbum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Elegans Tardivum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. van Geert (1843), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink, with an orange-yellow blotch (C. van Geert, 1877). Ghent (May have circulated later as 'Elegans')

(a) **'Elegans Tubiflorum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1840), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(v) **'Elegant Bouquet'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown N: Vireya Venue (pre 1996), I: Vireya Venue (pre 1996) Fls to 75mm wide, creamy white; strongly scented. Upright shrub, to 2.0m

(a) **'Elegantissimum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Whitley & Osborn (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Shrub 1.0-1.5m. Ghent (Perhaps the plant listed by A.Leroy, 1868, under "*nudiflora*" - fls pale rose)

(a) **'Elegantissimum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Williams (c 1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, striped rosy carmine. Dwarf shrub. C 1862 . Indian

(r) **'Elegantissimum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *ponticum* L: Lefevre (1837), INC: ICRA (1958)

(az) **'Elegantissimum'** cv. Azaleodendron: white-flowered azalea × hardy rhododendron R: I. Davies (pre 1898), N: I. Davies, INC: ICRA (1958) (The rhododendron parent may have been 'Hendersonii')

(a) **'Elegantissimum Graciosum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: unknown (1863), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Elegantissimum Novum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: G. Morlet (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) (Published in *Horticulture Français*, 1854: 107-111)

(a) **'Elegantissimum Odoratum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: form or hybrid of *viscosum* I: C. Vuylsteke (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white

(r) **'Elegantissimum Rubrum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Desfossé -Thuillier Fils (1892), INC: ICRA (1958). Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Elegant Touch'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × 'One Thousand Butterflies' H: J. Barlup (1989), G: J. Barlup (1993), N: J. Barlup (2002), REG: J. Barlup (2002) Fls 14/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53B) in bud, opening inside pale purplish pink (56C) with darker coloured edging of pale purplish pink (56A); outside similarly coloured, with light purplish pink (55C) midribs; a deep purplish pink (54B) dorsal flare, c13mm long, with side flares of brilliant yellow-green (150C), c20mm long, and slight, brilliant greenish yellow (151D), dorsal spotting. Lvs oblong, 125 × 50mm, margins downcurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.5m in 5 years. Mid May

(a) **'Elektra'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Madame van der Cruyssen' × 'Kirin' R: J. Matouš (c 1964), N: J. Matouš Fls double, 38-45mm wide, bright pink (25/2). Lvs oblong-ovate, dark, glossy green (0960-0960/1). Broad, spreading habit. Syn: 'Olga'

(r) **'Elena Group'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* subsp. *cinnabarinum* Blandfordiiflorum Group (s) × *yunnanense* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls primrose to white

(a) **'Elenora'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. van Geert (pre 1869), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(r) **'Elenor's Joy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Australian Sunset' × 'Apricot Gold' H: K. Van de Ven (1983), G: K. Van de Ven (1989), N: K. Van de Ven, I: Olinda Nursery (1993), REG: Olinda Nursery (1993) Fls 15-20/conical truss, short funnel-shaped, 40 × 90mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, pale yellow (11C) throughout. Calyx 2mm long. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 40mm,

flat, matt green above, cuneate at base, acuminate at apex. Shrub 2.0 × 2.0m. Spring

(a) **'Elf'** (Syn. of 'Kasumi-gaseki')

(r) **'Elfe'** (Syn. of 'Bruns Elfe')

(r) **'Elfenbein'** (Syn. of 'Bruns Elfenbein')

(r) **'Elfenbein'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Adriaan Koster' × *williamsianum* R: D.G. Hobbie (c 1947), N: D.G. Hobbie, I: D.G. Hobbie (1975) Fls 3-7/truss, 60-85mm wide, funnel-shaped, with wavy-edged lobes, cream coloured, tinged yellowish but not blotched in throat, tinted pink in bud; stamens usually absent, a few deformed stamens sometimes present. Lvs ovate, cordate at base, margins decurved, glossy green

(r) **'Elfenfee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Latty Edwards Group ? × unknown R: G.D. Böhlje Nursery (1966), N: G.D. Böhlje Nursery, I: G.D. Böhlje Nursery (1987) Fls in a loose, domed truss, very pale yellow. Compact shrub, broader than tall

(r) **'Elfenreigen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Earl of Donoughmore' × *fortunei* subsp. *fortunei* (s) × 'Violetta' (Kavka) H: H. Müller (1988), G: H. Müller (1993), N: H. Müller (2002), I: H. Müller (2004), REG: H. Müller (2002) Fls 10-12/broadly rounded truss, funnel-shaped, 80mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, cherry red in bud, opening inside white, with a broad, red violet margin which suffuses inwards, outside cherry red; a dorsal lobe blotch of yellow-green, suffusing out apically; filaments and anthers very poorly developed; stigma large, green. Calyx 5mm long, green. Lvs oblong, 130 × 49mm, margins flat, pointed at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.6 × 1.4m in 10 years. May. (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0032043))

(r) **'Elfin'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white, with a blotch of deep brown spots. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Elfin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor Stocker' (s) × *orbiculare* I: Sir James Horlick (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cream, flushed pink

(r) **'Elfin Gold'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *luteiflorum* × *keiskei* 'Yaku Fairy' H: B.N. Starling (1976), G: B.N. Starling (1981), N: B.N. Starling, I: B.N. Starling (1983), REG: B.N. Starling (1987) Fls 5/truss, funnel-shaped, 28 × 45mm, 5-lobed, light yellow-green, without markings. Calyx 6mm long, yellow-green. Lvs ovate, 35-40 × 17-20mm, hairless. Shrub compact, 0.3 × 0.45m. Late April-early May

(r) **'Elfin Hill'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Jock Group × *haematodes* H: V. Wyatt, G: V. Wyatt, N: V. Wyatt, REG: V. Wyatt (1967) Fls funnel-campanulate, 40 × 45mm, china rose (024/1). Lvs ovate, 45 × 25mm, dark green. Shrub 25 × 25cm in 10 years. Late April

(a) **'El Frida'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: K. Sawada (pre 1960), N: K. Sawada, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, light purple with a white throat. Kurume

(r) **'Elfrida'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c18/truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 60mm, rose coloured, with a ray of blackisk brown markings. Calyx lobes up to 5mm long, pink. Lvs narrowly elliptic to oblanceolate, up to 135 × 45mm, deep green above, densely felted above and below when young. Tall shrub. Syn: 'Elfride' (Probably raised by J.Byls; the original spelling may have been 'Elfride'; see also note under 'Elphride')

(a) **'Elfrida Haerens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Haerensianum' × 'Hermann Seidel' I: A. Haerens (1913), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white, sometimes striped. Indian

(a) **'Elfride'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L.L. Liebig (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with light stripes. Indian (Perhaps the plant listed by J. Linden (1878) as from Schulz: fls white, striped lilac pink)

(a) **'Elfride'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Madame van der Cruyssen' × 'Président Comte Oswald de Kerchove' I: E. de Meyer (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose. Indian

(r) **'Elfride'** (Syn. of 'Elfrida')

(r) **'Elfriede'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine red

(r) **'Elfriede II'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose with lilac edges, almost unspotted

(r) **'El Greco'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Jalisco Group × Break of Day Group H: F.E.W. Hanger (1951), G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society (1961), REG: Royal Horticultural Society (1962) Fls 10/flat truss, funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, lobes slightly wavy-edged, light yellow (19B), changing to moderate yellowish pink (38B) at margins and flushed strong pink (52D). Lvs c160 × 65mm, mid dull green. Shrub 1.5 × 1.7m. *AM 1961

(r) **'Elie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cunningham's White' × red *catawbiense* seedling R: A.M. Shammarello (pre 1955), N: A.M. Shammarello, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 6-13/compact, conical truss, 45-65mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (62C), paler in centre, with dark red spots on dorsal lobe. Lvs 100 × 40mm, dark shiny green. Shrub under 1.9m. Mid April-early May

(r) **'Elie I'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose, with darker stripes

(r) **'Elie Basker'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Idealist Group × *campylocarpum* subsp. *caloxanthum* H: C.H.

Phetteplace (1976), G: D.A. Horsley (1981), N: D.A. Horsley, REG: D.A. Horsley (1987) Fls 11/lax truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 38 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light orange-yellow (16B) in bud, opening light greenish yellow (4B), with 3mm long nectaries of vivid reddish orange (44B). Calyx 10mm long, light greenish yellow (4B). Lvs elliptic, 95 × 48mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy, moderate yellowish green (139B) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 10 years. Mid April

(r) **'Elihem'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Elizabeth Group × *haematodes* H: H. Staal (c 1970), G: H. Staal (1980), N: H. Staal, I: J.W. Wezelenburg (1985), REG: Royal Boskoop Hort.Soc. (1990) Fls 4-6/truss, very broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 50mm, 5-lobed, red. Calyx green. Lvs ovate, 40-60 × 30-40mm, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.25m in 15 years. April-May. (Has been listed incorrectly as 'Eliham')

(r) **'Elin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Britannia' H: A.J.B. Edwards (1971), G: A.J.B. Edwards (1977), N: A.J.B. Edwards, REG: A.J.B. Edwards (1990) Fls 7-11/truss, broadly campanulate, 64 × 42mm, 5-lobed, light purple/vivid purplish red (75A/57D), dark around margins, pale in centre, fades to very light purple (75C) and then paler still; filaments light purple (75B); anthers brownish orange (165B); style strong purplish pink (62A); stigma strong yellow-green (144C). Lvs oblanceolate, 100-130 × 30-50mm; indumentum on young leaves pale yellow-green (196B), ageing to moderate orange (167A). Shrub 0.7 × 1.4m in 19 years. May

(r) **'Elisa'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Byls (pre 1864), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **Elisabetae Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* (s) × *smirnowii* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose pink

(a) **'Elisabeth'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: F. Schneider (1863), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Perhaps the same plant listed by A. Dallière, 1852)

(a) **'Elisabeth'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, vivid pink, with yellow spots. Mollis (Sometimes listed incorrectly as 'Elizabeth')

(a) **'Elisabeth'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: H.T. Hooftman, N: H.T. Hooftman, I: H.T. Hooftman (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale salmon pink. Midseason. Kaempferi

(r) **'Elisabethae'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *falconeri* (s) × Elsae Group R: G. Reuthe Ltd (1926), N: G. Reuthe Ltd, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cream, suffused rose pink. Lvs up to 400mm long, tomentose below. (Previously listed in error as 'Elizabethae')

(r) **'Elisabeth Hobbie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Essex Scarlet' (s) × *forrestii* subsp. *forrestii* Repens Group R: D.G. Hobbie (1937), N: D.G. Hobbie, I: D.G. Hobbie (1945), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 5-10/rather lax, flattened globular truss, 45 × 55mm, funnel-shaped, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, more-or-less vivid red (45C), edged more-or-less strong red (46A), with faint, red, dorsal spotting. Lvs 65-90 × 30-45mm, dark dull green. Shrub to at least 1.0 × 1.5m. May. *HC 1974, *AM 1986 (Elisabeth Hobbie Group)

(r) **Elisabeth Hobbie Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Essex Scarlet' (s) × *forrestii* subsp. *forrestii* Repens Group R: D.G. Hobbie (1937), N: D.G. Hobbie, I: D.G. Hobbie (1945), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Elisabeth Inglis-Jones'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* × May Day Group N: Sir James Horlick (1941), I: Sir James Horlick, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in loose trusses, red. June. Similar to May Day Group in habit and colour

(a) **'Elisabeth Kaiserin von Oesterreich'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: F. Schneider (1863), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Elisa Lieber'** (An error for 'Elise Lieber')

(a) **'Elisa Zenneberg'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, striped. Indian

(r) **'Elise Berthier'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (pre 1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose

(a) **'Elise Lieber'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single or sometimes double, pure white, with a greenish blotch, each lobe with broad, purple stripes. FCC 1885. Indian (Previously listed incorrectly as 'Elisa Lieber')

(a) **'Elise Miellez'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: H. Lane & Son (1852), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Elise Norfleet'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kagetsu' × 'Warai-gishi' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1964) Fls single, 50-65mm wide, vivid red at margins, light pink in centre, with dark spots on dorsal lobe. Shrub 0.6m in 10 years, very low-growing. Back Acres

(r) **'Elise Schütze'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catharine van Tol' × 'Marie Stuart' H: H.-J. Danneil (1975), G: H.-J. Danneil (1982), N: H.-J. Danneil, REG: H.-J. Danneil (2001) Fls 10-13/hemispherical truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, carmine in bud, opening light carmine on the lobes, darker in the centre, outside light carmine; light brown dorsal spotting; stamens long, with white anthers; stigma reddish brown, style prominent exceeding the corolla. Lvs lanceolate, 120-130 × 40mm, margins flat to upcurved, acute and apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 25 years. May. (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0029126). Named after the registrant's grandmother)

(r) **'Elise Whipple'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan' × 'Boule de Neige' H: R. Kruse (1965), G: R. Kruse (1969), N: M.S. Whipple, I: M.S. Whipple (1973), REG: M.S. Whipple (1973) Fls up to 15/flat ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, 5-lobed, white, shaded or suffused strong purplish red (54A); outside 54A; buds 54A. Calyx very short, creamy yellow-green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 100 × 40mm, moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.4 × 0.6m in 8 years. Mid-late May. (Originally published in error by the International Cultivar Registration Authority as 'Elsie Whipple')

(r) **'Elissa'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' × Avalanche Group H: D.J. Dosser, G: D.J. Dosser (1982), N: D.J. Dosser, I: D.J. Dosser, REG: D.J. Dosser (1986) Fls 18-22/truss, campanulate, 50 × 65mm, deep purplish pink (73A), fading to very pale purple (73D) in centre, with a dark red (59A) blotch on dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 220 × 60mm. Shrub 2.0m

(a) **'Elite'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Bobbink & Atkins, N: Bobbink & Atkins, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Elite'** (Syn. of 'PJM Elite')

(r) **'Eliza Ann'** cv. Parentage unknown H: H.R. Yates (pre 1980)

(a) **'Elizabeth'** (Error for 'Elisabeth')

(a) **'Elizabeth'** cv. Evergreen azalea: a deep salmon form of *indicum* (s) × 'Hazel Dawson' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls borne singly, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 55(or more)mm, lobes slightly wavy-edged, deep pink (52B), overlaid vivid red (52A), with copious crimson spotting. Lvs 30 × 13mm, mid glossy green. Shrub to 1.2m. Late. HC 1975. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Elizabeth'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *forrestii* subsp. *forrestii* Repens Group (s) × *griersonianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1933), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c5/truss, broadly campanulate, c75mm wide, deep red. Lvs ovate, up to 50 × 20mm, dull green above, with a thin, fawn indumentum below. Shrub to 1.5m. AM 1939, FCC 1943 (Elizabeth Group)

(r) **Elizabeth Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *forrestii* subsp. *forrestii* Repens Group (s) × *griersonianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1933), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1939), INC: ICRA (1958)

(v) **'Elizabeth'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown L: USA (1991) Fls clear orange/pink. Low, spreading shrub. August-October (or longer). (Possibly a sibling of 'Athanasius')

(r) **'Elizabethae'** (An error for 'Elisabethae')

(a) **'Elizabeth Anne'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Pink Ruffles' (Bobbink & Atkins) G: Panhandle Nursery (1988), S: Panhandle Nursery (1987), N: Panhandle Nursery, I: Panhandle Nursery, REG: Panhandle Nursery (1992) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 3/truss, funnel-shaped, 51 × 64mm, light to pale purplish pink (65B, C, D) with some white streaking on edge of lobes, and with strong purplish red (54A) to deep purplish pink (54B) spotting on dorsal lobe; stamens 4-7, curved, unequal. Calyx 13mm long, light green. Pedicels 13mm long, very light green to pink. Lvs narrowly obovate, 51 × 19mm, convex, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy mid green above, with a glandular indumentum below (white at first, later green). Shrub 0.9 × 0.75m in 4 years. Early

(a) **'Elizabeth Ann Rowe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Christina (Vuykiana) (s) × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' H: W.L. Clagett (1989), G: W.L. Clagett (1994), N: W.L. Clagett, I: White's Nursery, REG: W.L. Clagett (1997) Fls semi-double, 2-3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes and up to 8 petaloid stamens, strong red (53C), with light purplish pink (55C) blotches distributed randomly on most flowers. Calyx 4mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 40 × 20mm, margins decurved broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, with discrete, yellow hairs below. Shrub 0.45 × 0.6m in 8 years. Late May-early June. (Fls on young plants may be solid colour; originally distributed under no. 89-2-5)

(v) **'Elizabeth Ann Seton'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' × 'Pink Delight' (s) × 'Pink Delight' × *jasminiflorum* H: P. Sullivan (1976), G: P. Sullivan (1980), N: P. Sullivan, I: P. Sullivan (1985), REG: P. Sullivan (1986) Fls 12-16/tall, slightly lax truss, narrow tubular funnel-shaped, 38 × 38mm, 5-lobed, very light pink, throat, edging and outside medium pink, with pink rays in a rounded pattern; tube slightly scaly. Lvs elliptic, 76 × 22mm, glossy, dark green above, lighter green, with a red-brown rib below and tiny brown scales; new growth much paler. Shrub 0.81 × 0.66m in 10 years. February-June.

(r) **'Elizabeth Ard'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'English Roseum' × *hyperythrum* L: Pushepetappa Gardens (1994) Fls appleblossom pink. Shrub 1.8m in 10 years. Early April

(a) **'Elizabeth Belton'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hexe' × 'Early Peach' R: E. Kirk (pre 1954), N: E. Kirk, I: Hazlewood Bros. Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, deep rose pink, with deeper markings. Kurume (The second parent is somtimes given as 'Kumo-no-uye')

(r) **'Elizabeth Bennet'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *formosum* var. *inaequale* R: Mrs E. Mackenzie, N: Mrs E. Mackenzie, I: Mrs E. Mackenzie, REG: Mrs E. Mackenzie (1981) Fls 5-6/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, up to 70 × 120mm, 5-lobed, white, with a brilliant yellow-green (150B) blotch in dorsal throat. Calyx lobes irregular, up to 2mm long, green, scaly. Lvs oblanceolate, up to 70 × 30mm, green above, glaucous

and scaly below. FCC 1981 (Grown from seed of Cox & Hutchison no. 301, collected in 1965)

(r) **'Elizabeth Blackford'** cv. Parentage unknown H: E. Ostbo, G: E. Ostbo, N: E. Ostbo (pre 1958), INC: ICRA (1958)

(v) **'Elizabeth Crouch'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *konori* × *orbiculatum* H: T. Lelliott (1975), G: T. Lelliott, N: Mrs H. Crouch, I: Mrs H. Crouch (1990), REG: Mrs H. Crouch (1991) Fls 9/truss, long tubular funnel-shaped, 80 × 50mm, 5-lobed, tube pale yellowish pink (36D), lobes light purplish pink (55C). Lvs oblong in overall outline, but noticeably waisted, 160 × 60mm. Shrub 1.0m. Spring-autumn

(r) **'Elizabeth David'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *burmanicum* R: Mrs E. Mackenzie, N: Mrs E. Mackenzie, I: Mrs E, Mackenzie, REG: Mrs E. Mackenzie (1980) Fls 4/truss, campanulate, 5-lobed, up to 45 × 50mm, inside light greenish yellow (3C); outside brilliant greenish yellow (3B). Calyx lobes irregular, up to 5mm long, green, ciliate and scaly. Lvs narrowly obovate to obovate, up to 46mm long, dark glossy green above, glaucous below; edged with dark bristly hairs; leaf surfaces with uniform brown scales. AM 1980

(r) **'Elizabeth de Rothschild'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lionel's Triumph' (s) × 'Exbury Naomi' R: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild, REG: E. de Rothschild (1965) Fls c18/rounded, well-packed truss, open funnel-shaped, 70 × 115mm, pale yellow-green (4D), spotted with maroon in the throat. Lvs elliptic, c160 × 50mm, auriculate at base, glaucous green below. Shrub up to 6.0m. May-June. AM 1965, FCC 1992 (Elizabeth de Rothschild Group)

(r) **Elizabeth de Rothschild Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lionel's Triumph' (s) × 'Exbury Naomi' R: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild, REG: E. de Rothschild (1965)

(a) **'Elizabeth Gable'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum* (s) × *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* × *kaempferi* R: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable (1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 65mm wide, rose opal (022/1), (salmon pink, JBG), with a darker blotch. Shrub 1.5m in 25 years. Late. Gable

(r) **'Elizabeth Gillhoff'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Emperor' × 'Van Nes Sensation' H: N. Sullivan, G: N. Sullivan (1989), N: N. Sullivan, I: N. Sullivan (1990), REG: N. Sullivan (1991) Fls 16/truss, funnel-shaped, 80 × 30mm, moderate purplish pink (186D) with a dorsal flare of moderate yellow (163C). Lvs elliptic, 120 × 50mm

(a) **'Elizabeth Laurence'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Kelmscott Azalea Gardens (1984) Fls single, magenta. (Also seen listed as 'Elizabeth Lawrence')

(r) **'Elizabeth Lock'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably an *auriculatum* hybrid R: unknown, I: J.A.N. Lock (1968), REG: J.A.N. Lock (1970) Fls 12-13/fairly compact, rounded truss, campanulate, 75mm wide, 5-lobed, near strong pink (52D) inside the tube, a blend of vivid to deep pink (52A&C) at base and on outside, dorsal lobe with deep pink or orange-pink markings. Calyx to 4mm long, 5-lobed, glandular hairy, ciliate. Lvs oblong, c225 × 75mm, auriculate at base, with a slight, floccose indumentum below. AM 1968

(r) **'Elizabeth Lockhart'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: sport from Humming Bird Group S: R.D. Lockhart, N: R.D. Lockhart, REG: R.D. Lockhart (1964) Fls strong red (53B), paling very slightly to centre of lobes, veins and margins deep red (53A). Lvs 25-50 × 20-30mm, glossy, dark green, overlaid with a heavy flush of slightly reddish chocolate brown; younger lvs dark reddish chocolate brown; very young foliage very deep glossy red; petioles very dark red. Stems deep red, with short, light brown hairs. Shrub c1.1m. PC 1964, *HC 1972

(r) **'Elizabeth Lund'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *macabeanum* × unknown R: E. Beekman, N: Mrs T. Davis, I: Mrs T. Davis, REG: Mrs T. Davis (1980) Fls 19/truss, light greenish yellow (1C), with a maroon eye. (Grown from seed obtained from England by J. Beekman, first flowered by Mrs T. Davis)

(a) **'Elizabeth Mayo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Pericat, N: R.P. Mayo Nurseries, I: R.P. Mayo Nurseries, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 55mm wide, orchid pink. Midseason. Pericat

(r) **'Elizabeth Mount'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' (s) × Loderi Group H: White, G: White (c 1949), I: Hilliers, REG: G. Mount (1982) Fls 9/truss, 45 × 90mm, 5-lobed, vivid red (57A) in bud, opening vivid purplish red (57D) and shading to nearly white in centre of lobes, blotch at base of upper lobe vivid red (46B) strongly suffused black-brown and with spots of the same colour. Calyx 1-3mm long, pinkish green. Lvs oblong-elliptic, up to 175 × 75mm, very thinly white hairy below with a few glandular hairs on midrib

(r) **'Elizabeth of Glamis'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tidbit' × *caucasicum* × *wardii* × (*yakushimanum* × 'Crest') H: P.A. Cox (1976), G: P.A. Cox (1983), N: Glendoick Gardens, REG: P.A. Cox (1987) Fls 12/rounded truss, 50 × 75mm, 5-6-lobed, light greenish yellow (3D), deepening to brilliant greenish yellow (4A) in centre, with a very small, vivid reddish orange (44B) eye in the throat. Calyx 25-30mm long, lemon yellow. Lvs elliptic, c140 × 65mm, glossy above, hairless. Compact shrub. Early-late May

(r) **'Elizabeth Poore'** cv. Parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), N: B.P.P. Moseley (pre 1978)

(r) **'Elizabeth Red Foliage'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage uncertain, believed to be derived from Elizabeth Group H: E. Ostbo, G: E. Ostbo (pre 1958), REG: Willamette Chapter Study Group (1998) Fls 15/lax truss, funnel-campanulate, 70 × 90mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, strong red (46A) in bud, opening vivid

red (46B) throughout, with strong red (46A) speckles on all lobes. Calyx minute. Lvs elliptic, 90-100 × 40mm, oblique-cuneate at base, with decurved margins, dark yellowish green (139A) or moderate olive green (147A) above; hairs above and below at first, later only below, moderate reddish orange (171A); new growth red (185). Shrub 0.9-1.1m in 10 years. Early-mid April and regularly in the autumn. Syn: 'Ostbo's Red Elizabeth', 'Ostbo's Red Foliage', 'Ostbo's Elizabeth' (First published in Greer Gardens cat., 1977)

(r) **'Elizabeth Scholtz'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* (s) × *catawbiense* hybrid H: W.D. Smith (1962), G: W.D. Smith, N: W.D. Smith, I: W.D. Smith (1980), REG: W.D. Smith (1983) Fls 22/truss, 50 × 80mm, open funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (63A) in bud, opening strong purplish red (63B) with narrow edging of 63A and dorsal spotting of moderate purplish red (64A). Calyx 25mm long, pale yellow-green. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 50mm, moderate olive green (137A). Shrub c2.5m in 19 years

(r) **'Elizabeth's Gold'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: A.J. Teese, G: A.J. Teese (1970), N: A.J. Teese, I: A.J. Teese, REG: A.J. Teese (1986) Fls 6-8/truss, funnel-shaped, 30 × 50mm, vivid yellow (17B), with a green flush on the dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 70 × 30mm. Shrub 1.5m

(r) **'Elizabeth Sidamon-Eristoff'** cv. Parentage unknown R: H. Phipps (1961), N: H. Phipps, I: H. Phipps (1971), REG: H. Phipps (1973) Fls up to 12/compact truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 100mm, 7-lobed, deep purplish pink (7.5RP 6/12), throat pale purplish pink (7.5RP 9/2), with two conspicuous, dark red (5R 3/7) blotches; outside slightly darker. Calyx very short. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 65mm. Shrub 1.6 × 2.2m in 11 years

(r) **'Elizabeth Titcomb'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marinus Koster' × Snow Queen Group H: H.L. Larson, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 16/truss, 115mm wide, pale pink in bud, fading to white on opening. Lvs 125 × 65mm. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Syn: 'Mrs Elizabeth Titcomb'

(r) **'Elizabeth Todd Cobey'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tom Everett' × 'Mary Garrison' (s) × (Dido Group × 'Chlorops') × *lacteum* H: J.R. Todd Jr (1979), G: J.R. Todd Jr (1987), N: J.R. Todd Jr, I: J.R. Todd Jr (1988), REG: J.R. Todd Jr (1992) Fls 12-15/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 64 × 89mm, with 7 very wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (48A) shading to strong yellow (153D) at base in bud, opening pale yellow (18C) at margins and shading to light greenish yellow (8C) in centre, with rays of brilliant greenish yellow (1B) extending upwards a short distance from the throat; moderately scented. Calyx very small. Lvs oblanceolate, 114 × 38mm, hairless. Compact shrub, 0.45 × 0.75m in 11 years. Early May. (First published *J. Am.Rh.Soc.* 45 (1):55 (1991))

(r)**Elizabeth van Vleck** (An error in the original publication (*J. Am.Rh.Soc. 49* (4): 236 (1995)) for 'Betty van Vleck')

(a) **'Eliza Hyatt'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Elsie Lee' × 'Robin Hill Frosty' H: H.R. Schroeder (1973), G: S. Schroeder (1978), N: S. Schroeder, I: S. Schroeder, REG: S. Schroeder (1986) Fls double, broadly funnel-shaped, 32 × 51mm, with 12 wavy-edged lobes, varying from solid white to pale purplish pink (55D & 56C), with faint green spotting in the throat; no normal stamens present. Calyx 3mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly obovate, 30 × 14mm, glossy dark green above, light green below, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 10 years. Mid May

(a) **'Eliza Scott'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Oakland' (s) × 'Heiwa' H: R.D. Gartrell (1962), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell (1969), REG: R.D. Gartrell (1985) Fls single (occasionally with slight petaloidy), 1/bud, 35-55 × 85-90mm, broadly funnel-shaped, with (5-)6 very wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (61D) to strong purplish pink (67D), spotted strong purplish red (61B). Calyx 5mm long, strong yellowish green (145A). Spring lvs elliptic, 62 × 26mm. Shrub up to 1.5m. Late May

(a) **'Elkar'** (Syn. of 'Glaser Number 10')

(r) **'Elke Robenek'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goldsworth' × 'John Walter' × *dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* R: H. Robenek (c 1978), N: H. Robenek Fls cherry red outside, inside yellow with a rose rim. Shrub 0.7 × 0.7m in c10 years

(a) **'Elkins'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from advanced generation hardy hybrids derived from sect. Tsutsusi H: W.L. Tolstead (1985), G: W.L. Tolstead (1990), N: W.L. Tolstead, REG: W.L. Tolstead (1992) Fls 5-7/conical truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 30 × 40mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (2.5RP 6/10); stamens 5, curved. Calyx 5mm long, light red. Pedicels 10mm long. Lvs elliptic, 25 × 15mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, with scattered hairs above and below; petioles 3mm long. Shrub 0.6 × 0.5m in 7 years. Late May. Very hardy

(a) **'Ell'** (Syn. of 'Ellen Zora')

(r) **'Ella'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars Novus' × 'Kohinur' L: Firma Seidel (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, fiery dark carmine

(r) **'Ella'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* (s) × 'Mrs Milner' R: T.J.R. Seidel (c 1903), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson red

(r) **Ella Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: General Sir John du Cane Group × *griffithianum* R: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1951), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Ella'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* × *wardii* H: R. Henny, G: R. Henny, N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny (1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 7-9/truss, 75mm

wide, apricot in bud, opening yellow. Lvs 75 × 40mm, shiny green. Shrub under 1.4m

(a) **'Ella Grainger'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) (Listed as a parent of 'Hannah Kessler')

(r) **'Ellalikabetta'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Arthur Bedford' × unknown H: M.L. Trembath (1964), G: M.L. Trembath (1978), N: M.L. Trembath (1998), REG: M.L. Trembath (2001) Fls 8-10/rounded truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 60 × 110mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, light purple (75B) throughout, with a strong red (46A) blotch all around the base of the throat (c5-6mm deep) and a few darker spots on the dorsal lobe; style and stigma green; scented. Calyx 5mm long, green, edged red. Lvs oblong, 150 × 55mm, margins slightly decurved, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub c3.8 × 1.5-1.9m in 20 years. Mid-late May. (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0030311). Grown from open-pollinated seed in registrant's garden)

(a) **'Ellamere'** (See note under 'Ellomere')

(r) **'Ellanhurst'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Lace' (s) × 'Van Nes Sensation' H: L.W. Bulgin (1985), G: L.W. Bulgin (1990), N: L.W. Bulgin, REG: L.W. Bulgin (1994) Fls 15/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 71 × 102mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish purple (70B) in bud, opening yellowish white (155D) with moderate purplish pink (66D) margins and a strong greenish yellow (153B) spotted flare on the dorsal lobe; outside moderate purplish pink (66D), lighter towards centre, with strong reddish purple (70B) ribs; stamens 10-11, curved, unequal. Lvs elliptic, 127 × 44mm, flat, with a slight twist, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairless; petioles 13-19mm long, dark red. Shrub 1.2 × 1.1m in 9 years. Late April

(r) **'Ellen I'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose, fading to white, with dark markings

(r) **'Ellen Cook'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Standish (pre 1870), N: J. Standish, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, tinted pink, spotted reddish maroon

(a) **'Ellen Cuthbert'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: M. Koster & Sons (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, brilliant orange-yellow (23B), with a deep orange blotch. The AM plant, from Cuthbert, was described as rich orange, spotted dark red. AM 1904 Syn: 'E. Cuthbert'. Mollis (J.Veitch & Sons, 1914 cat. described their plant as "salmon, spotted purple")

(a) **'Ellen Mac Mullan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Nadine' R: O.S. Pride (pre 1985), N: O.S. Pride Fls pale pink

(r) **'Ellen Waterer'** (Syn. of 'Helen Waterer')

(a) **'Ellen Zora'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Elsie Lee' × 'Purple Splendor' H: M.E. Byrkit (1972), G: E.T. Anderson (1980), N: E.T. Anderson, REG: E.T. Anderson (1986) Fls double, 1-2/truss, open funnel-shaped, 30 × 50mm, with 5+8+ more-or-less 3, wavy-edged lobes, light reddish purple (74C), with heavy, strong purplish red spotting on dorsal lobes. Calyx 5mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 13-25 × 7-13mm, hairy. Shrub 0.4 × 0.8m in 10 years. Syn: 'Ell'

(r) **'Ellestee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *wardii*, grown from LS&T 15764 S: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, I: C. Ingram, REG: C. Ingram (1961) Fls clear lemon yellow, with a deep crimson blotch in the throat. AM 1959

(r) **'Ellie Green'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Janet Blair' (s) × *strigillosum* H: A.R. Fitzburgh (1981), G: A.T. & S.A. Anderson, N: A.T. & S.A. Anderson, REG: A.T. & S.A. Anderson (1995) Fls 15/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 57 × 57mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (57C), with discrete strong purplish red (60B) spots on the dorsal lobe. Pedicels 15mm long. Lvs elliptic, 114-127 × 51mm, convex, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) to moderate yellow-green (147B) above, hairless; petioles 15-20mm long. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 14 years. Early May. (First published in *J. Am.Rh.Soc. 48* (4): 214-216 (1994))

(a) **'Ellie Harris'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Sherwoodii' × 'Fedora' R: J.O. Harris (pre 1981), N: J.O. Harris Fls hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, medium pink in bud, opening lighter pink. Shrub 1.1m in 10 years

(r) **'Ellie Sather'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *haematodes* (s) × *mallotum* H: W. Elliott (1965), G: W. Elliott (1972), N: B.F. Heuston, REG: B.F. Heuston (1996) Fls 10/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 50mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, strong purplish red (54A) throughout; stamens 10, straight, unequal. Calyx 10mm long, grey. Pedicel 20mm long, grey. Lvs ovate, 100 × 40mm, flat, cuneate at base, broadly acute at apex, moderate olive green (147A) and glossy above, with a dense, felted, greyish reddish orange (174B) indumentum below; petioles 20mm long, greyish reddish orange (174B). Shrub 1.5 × 1.8m in 30 years. Early May

(r) **'Elliott's Cream Puff'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Carolyn Grace' (s) × 'Crest' H: W. Elliott (1975), G: W. Elliott (1980), N: W. Elliott, REG: W. Elliott (1987) Fls 8-9/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 38 × 89mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, pale greenish yellow (2D); moderately scented. Calyx 3mm long, light yellow (15D). Lvs elliptic, 102 × 51mm, dull, moderate olive green (146A) above, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years. April

(a) **'Ellomere'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Harrison's Nursery (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, very large, with wavy-edged lobes, tangerine red. Indian (Presumably the same plant listed as 'Ellamere')

(a) **'Elly'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1984) Fls strong pink. Shrub to 1.0m. (Probably raised and named in The Netherlands)

(r) **'Elna'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Etna Group (s) × *elliottii* H: Lord Aberconway (1934), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 13/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 75mm, deep yellowish pink (43C), with prominent brown spotting. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 175 × 50mm, dull green above, with a loose, brown tomentum below. AM 1949 (Elna Group)

(r) **Elna Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Etna Group (s) × *elliottii* H: Lord Aberconway (1934), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1949), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Elongatum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: G. Morlet (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) (Published in *Horticulture Français*, 1854: 107-111)

(r) **'Elphride'** (Probably the plant listed here as 'Elfrida' although Byls cat., 1868, describes it as "dark red, marked with black")

(r) **Elrise Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *elliottii* (s) × Sunrise Group H: Lord Aberconway (1937), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(r) **'Elros'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Eros Group (s) × *elliottii* H: Lord Aberconway (1934), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1945), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c15/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 55mm wide, 5-lobed, rosy salmon pink, with scattered darker spotting towards base of dorsal lobe. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 250 × 75mm, dark matt green above, hairless. AM 1948 (Elros Group)

(r) **Elros Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Eros Group (s) × *elliottii* H: Lord Aberconway (1934), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1945), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Elrose Court'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan' (s) × 'Sun Devil' H: L.W. Bulgin (1980), G: L.W. Bulgin (1984), N: L.W. Bulgin, I: Ellanhurst Gardens, REG: L.W. Bulgin (1988) Fls 14/flat truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 44 × 64mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, vivid red (46B) in bud, opening with upper 1/3 of lobes deep pink (52B) shading to moderate yellow (161A) at centre, with dorsal spotting of moderate reddish orange (178C); as flower matures the centre becomes moderate reddish orange (35B); outside with edges and midribs deep pink (52B) shading to moderate yellowish pink (38B) at base. Calyx irregular, 6-44mm long, strong reddish orange (42B) and moderate yellow (161A), with moderate reddish orange (178C) spotting; outside 42B. Lvs elliptic, 121 × 32mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.8m in 7 years. Mid May

(a) **'Elsa'** (Syn. of 'Robin Hill Elsa')

(r) **'Elsa'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale lilac rose

(r) **'Elsa Crisp'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from 'Mrs E.C. Stirling' R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1920), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 18-20/compact, conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 80mm, vivid pink at margin, shading through soft pink to white in centre, nectaries deep pink, delicately marked with light crimson at base of dorsal lobes. Calyx discoid

(r) **Elsae Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *grande* × *falconeri* R: Hon. J.T. Boscawen (c 1860), INC: ICRA (1958) (Some accounts give *hodgsonii* as the second parent but the majority of observers consider *falconeri* more likely)

(r) **'Elsae'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *grande* × *falconeri* R: G. Reuthe Ltd (pre 1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 20 or more/truss, campanulate, ivory white, with a crimson blotch in the throat. Lvs obovate, up to 30cm long, dark green and reticulate above, with a woolly, brown indumentum below. AM 1925 (Theaward clone was said by Reuthe to have been raised by them)

(a) **'Elsa Kaerger'** (Syn. of 'Elsa Kärger')

(a) **'Elsa Karga'** (Syn. of 'Elsa Kärger'.)

(a) **'Elsa Kärger'** cv. Evergreen azalea: derived from a cross between 'Hollandia', 'Avenir' and 'Docteur Bergmann' I: R. Ambrosius (1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, up to 80mm wide, vivid red (45C). (Often found under a variety of other spellings: 'Elsa Karga' (especially in Australia), 'Else Kärger', 'Elsa Kaerger', 'Frau Elsa Kärger' (Latvia))

(r) **'El Salto'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sappho' (s) × 'Janet Blair' H: W.L. Rhein (1974), G: W.L. Rhein (1979), N: W.L. Rhein, REG: Rhein Registration Committee (1996) Fls 13/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong and light purple (84A-B) in bud, opening yellowish white (155D) flushed light purple (84B) at margins and with deep purplish red (61A) dorsal spots. Calyx minute. Pedicels 35mm long, light yellow-green (145C), flushed moderate red (180C) above. Lvs oblanceolate, 135 × 45mm, flat, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, dark yellowish green (139A) and glossy above, moderate yellow-green (146C) below, hairless; petioles 15-20mm long, light yellow-green (145C) flushed dark red (183B) above. Shrub 3.0 × 2.7m in 21 years. Mid May

(r) **'Elsa Reid'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *souliei* R: Mrs A.C.U. Berry (c 1940), I: Mr & Mrs R.M. Bovee, REG: Mr & Mrs R.M. Bovee (1969) Fls 5-8/truss, up to 65mm wide, cream, with a crimson spot in throat and edges of lobes irregularly blotched red (7.5R 5/13). Lvs more-or-less ovate, up to 75mm long, light green below. Shrub to 1.5m. Mid May. (Grown from wild-collected seed; exact origin unknown)

(r) **'Elsau II'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac rose, with ochre yellow spots

(r) **'Else Frye'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *ciliicalyx* hybrid H: P.J. Bowman (1947), G: P.J. Bowman (1950), N: P.J. Bowman (1961), REG: P.J. Bowman (1962) Fls semi-erect, 3-6/loose truss, 75 × 100mm, broadly funnel-shaped, white, flushed pink to rose outside, throat chrome yellow, and with chrome yellow markings in each lateral sinus; strongly scented. Lvs elliptic-lanceolate, 75 × 40mm, glossy green, reticulate, with bristles and scales. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. March

(a) **'Else Kärger'** (Syn. of 'Elsa Kärger')

(r) **'Else Seidel'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1906), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose white, with yellow spots

(r) **'El Shaddai'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' (s) × 'Pink Twins' H: M.W. Mitchener (1979), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1995) Fls hose-in-hose, 18/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 55mm, with 5 lobes/whorl, deep purplish pink (55A) in bud, opening white, edged strong purplish pink (55B), with strong greenish yellow (153B) dorsal spots and a light greenish yellow (4C) throat; filaments and style pale yellow-green (155A); anthers light purple (78C); stigma strong yellowish pink (33C). Lvs 89 × 35mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub less than 1.8m in 10 years. Early June

(r) **'Elsie Howard'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* hybrid × unknown H: J.C. Cowles (pre 1967), G: Heritage Plantation, N: D.S. Kellam & H.A. Howard, REG: Sandwich Club (1993) Fls 12-14/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 53 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, very pale purple (73D) at outer edges, with a white, star-shaped centre and a prominent, greenish gold, speckled flare; stamens 8-9, curved, unequal; moderately scented. Calyx very short. Pedicels 25-38mm long. Lvs oblong, 152 × 64mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull green. Shrub 3.0 × 3.0m in 20-25 years. Midseason

(a) **'Elsie Lee'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Desiree' × 'Rosebud' (Gable) H: A.M. Shammarello (1960), G: A.M. Shammarello (1964), N: A.M. Shammarello, I: A.M. Shammarello (1970), REG: A.M. Shammarello (1976) Fls semi-double (10 lobes in 3 whorls), 2-3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 30 × 55-65mm, light reddish purple (10P 6/9). Calyx 10mm long, strong yellowish green (5GY 6/8). Lvs 40 × 22mm, broadly elliptic, glossy, moderate yellow-green (7.5GY 5/7), (yellow brown when mature). Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 10-15 years. Late May

(v) **'Elsie Louisa'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *macgregoriae* R: G. Gorer, N: G. Gorer, REG: G. Gorer (1977) Fls up to 10/loose truss, tubular, up to 37 × 20mm, 5-lobed, brilliant orange (29A), shading through light orange (29B) to brilliant orange-yellow (23B) in the throat. Calyx very short, yellow-green. Lvs elliptic-oblong, up to 65 × 20mm. AM 1977 (Collected in New Guinea (c1970) by M. Black as no.331)

(r) **'Elsie Lythgoe'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *calophytum* G: Ernie Lythgoe (1975), S: Ernie Lythgoe, N: H. Vaartnou, REG: H. Vaartnou (1991) Fls 15 or more/flat truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 57 × 57mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, deep pink in bud, opening pale purplish pink (62D); stamens 20, straight, unequal; slightly scented. Calyx a minute, reddish rim. Pedicels 51mm long, reddish. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 305 × 89mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairless; petioles 25mm long, green. Shrub 2.4 × 3.0m in 25 years. April

(a) **'Elsie Norfleet'** (An error for 'Elise Norfleet')

(r) **Elsie Phipps Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *souliei* (s) × Penjerrick Group H: Lord Aberconway (1924), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale yellow, flushed pink

(a) **'Elsie Pratt'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Sylphides' × a pink Mollis azalea H: M.C. Pratt (c 1964), G: M.C. Pratt (1967), N: M.C. Pratt, I: W. de Jong (1983), REG: M.C. Pratt (1984) Fls 8-16/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 70 × 80mm, 5-lobed, deep purplish pink (55A), with a small orange blotch. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs lanceolate, c90 × 25-30mm, pale shining green above, ciliate, hairy on midvein below

(r) **'Elsie Purnell'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *edgeworthii* × *calostrotum* H: T.C. Thacker (1950), G: T.C. Thacker (1955), N: T.C. Thacker (1960), REG: T.C. Thacker (1961) Fls erect, 2/truss, wide open campanulate, 25 × 65mm, 5-lobed, shell pink, fading to white; scented

(r) **'Elsie Straver'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* hybrid R: J.M. Straver (pre 1966), N: J.M. Straver, REG: J.M. Straver (1968) Fls 12-16/truss, campanulate, pale chartreuse green (663/3), with a deep red blotch in the throat. Lvs rugose, glossy yellowish green. Tall shrub. Syn: 'Mrs E. Straver'

(r) **'Elsie Waterer'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1938), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a dark red blotch

(r) **'Elsie Watson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anna' (s) × 'Purple Lace' H: F. Fujioka (1977), G: F. Fujioka (1983), N: F. Fujioka, REG: F. Fujioka (1991) Fls 22/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 64 × 102mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish purple (74A) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (62D) with a dark purple star in the throat, margins and radial line on each lobe vivid purplish red (74B); moderate purplish red (64A) spots on dorsal lobe; outside strong purplish red (60D). Calyx 3mm long, light yellow-green (145D). Pedicels 32mm long, deep pink (48A). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 203 × 64mm, flat, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, dark glossy green, hairless; petioles 19mm long, strong yellow-green (144C). Shrub 1.2 × 1.1m in 14 years. Late April

(r) **'Elsie Whipple'** (An error for 'Elise Whipple')

(r) **'Elsmere'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Chesapeake' seedling R: G.G. Nearing, N: G.G. Nearing, REG: G.G. Nearing (1972) Fls in loose clusters of 5-6, less than 25mm wide, deeply lobed, lemon yellow. Lvs up to 50mm long. Shrub 1.9m in 20 years

(r) **'Elspeth'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Halopeanum' × *griffithianum* R: R. Gill & Sons (pre 1933), N: R. Gill & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10/rounded truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 100mm, white, faintly flushed mauve on the lobes. Calyx very short, unlobed. Lvs oblong-elliptic, up to 160 × 60mm, dark glossy green above, hairless below

(r) **'Elspeth'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* × a Hardy Hybrid R: W.C. Slocock, N: W.C. Slocock, I: W.C. Slocock (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 9-12/loose truss, open campanulate, c90mm wide, pink in bud, opening pink with the centre fading to apricot or cream. Calyx very short. Lvs oblong-lanceolate, 115-140 × 40-65mm, bright green above. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. *AM 1937 Syn: 'Elspeth Slocock'

(r) **'Elspeth Slocock'** (Syn. of 'Elspeth')

(r) **'Elstertal'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Madame Carvalho' (s) × 'Humboldt' R: E. Herrmann (1964), N: E. Herrmann Fls in compact, conical trusses, white, tinged lilac, with very conspicuous black-red markings

(a) **'Elston Neale'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls single, red, with frilled lobes. Indian

(r) **'Elviira'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *brachycarpum* (as subsp. *tigerstedtii*) (s) × *forrestii* Repens Group hybrid H: M. Uosukainen (1974), G: M. Uosukainen (1980), N: M. Uosukainen (1987), I: Kemira Agro Oy (1987) Fls 6-10/domed truss, funnel-campanulate, 45-55mm wide, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, cherry red inside and out, with a few, darker red, arrow-shaped spots in all sections of the corolla. Lvs oblong, 50-60 × 25-34mm, margins decurved, glossy green, rounded at base, mucronulate at apex; stem colour more-or-less uranium green (63), tinged red on sunny side with a few minute hairs below. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6-1.0m in 10 years. Mid May-mid June. Exceptionally hardy. (Published in *Landscape Plant News* 3 (4): 11 (1992))

(r) **'Elvira'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls a good white, with a rich yellow blotch

(a) **'Elvire'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L.L. Liebig (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cinnabar carmine red. Indian

(a) **'Elvire'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Croux (pre 1965), N: Croux Fls madder red. Late

(a) **'Elvire Pynaert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Charles Pynaert' R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **Elvus Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *elliottii* (s) × Venus Group H: Lord Aberconway (1934), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(r) **'Elya'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group × *bureavii* (s) × *yakushimanum* H: H.L. Larson (1968), G: H.L. Larson (1976), I: H.L. Larson (1981), REG: H.L. Larson (1982) Fls 7-8/truss, 38 × 90mm, 5-6-lobed, strong purplish red (58C). Calyx 25mm long, strong purplish red (58C). Lvs 95 × 38mm, with brownish orange (166C), felted indumentum

(a) **'Elysia'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1852), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(r) **'Elysianum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* × *ponticum* R: Paillet (pre 1843), N: Paillet, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink, spotted

(r) **'Elysium'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with a little darker striping

(r) **'Elze Weesjes'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × *strigillosum* H: H.L. Larson (1976), G: K.N. Weesjes, N: K.N. Weesjes, REG: K.N. Weesjes (1996) Fls 23-27/ball truss, funnel-campanulate, 55 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (52B) throughout, with dark red nectaries. Calyx 3mm long, with red glands. Lvs oblong, 140 × 40mm, rounded at base, acute at apex, with decurved margins, dark green and semi-glossy above, with moderate orange-yellow (165C) hairs on petiole and lower leaf surface. Shrub 1.8 × 1.4m in 19 years. Early April

(r) **'Emanuela'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' (s) × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: H. Hachmann (1968), G: H. Hachmann (1973), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1985), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 12-16/truss, funnel-campanulate, 40-45 × 50-65(-70)mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (55B) at edges, otherwise white inside with dorsal markings of light orange-yellow (22B); outside 55B, shaded paler or white in places; corolla unusally weather-proof. Calyx 1-2mm long, yellowish green. Lvs oblong, 100-125 × 30-40mm, convex, margins recurved, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dark green and slightly glossy above, with a thin brownish indumentum below. Shrub 0.6 × 1.2m in 10 years, of compact habit. Mid May-early June

(r) **'Emanuel Gay'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alstroemerioides' hybrid R: J.B. Müller (pre 1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark red, flamed carmine, strongly spotted

(r) **'Emasculum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *ciliatum* × *dauricum* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 20-25 × 40-50mm, 5-lobed, very pale purple (73D); outside strongly flushed

vivid reddish purple (73A) un-marked; stamens aborted. Calyx an undulate, scaly rim. Lvs elliptic, up to 45 × 20mm, dark glossy green above, with dense, dark brown scales below. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. AM 1976 (Listed by R.Veitch & Son, 1927)

(a) **'Ember'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ivory' (s) × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, rose, with a rose red blotch and a yellow undertone giving the flower a particularly brilliant effect. Shrub to 1.2m. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Ember Elf'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *xanthostephanum* × *campylogynum* H: B.W. Campbell (c 1980), G: B.W. Campbell (c 1983), N: Dunedin Rhododendron Group, I: B.W. Campbell, REG: Dunedin Rhododendron Group (1990) Fls 3-5/truss, campanulate, 20 × 20mm, 5-lobed, deep yellowish pink (39B) on tube, deepening around edge of lobes. Calyx 4mm long, pale green. Lvs oblanceolate, 30 × 10mm, scaly. Open, dwarf habit. Late October (New Zealand)

(r) **'Ember Glow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* × *forrestii* subsp. *forrestii* Repens Group R: Sir John Ramsden, I: Sir William Pennington-Ramsden, REG: Sir William Pennington-Ramsden (1964) Fls solitary, campanulate, blood red. Dwarf, dome-shaped, shrub.

(a) **'Emberton'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'George Reynolds' × 'Gibraltar' H: F.R. Waghorn (c 1983), G: F.R. Waghorn (1988), N: B McCartney, I: B. McCartney (1989), REG: B. McCartney (1990) Fls 10-15/truss, funnel-shaped, 30 × 90mm, 5-lobed, brilliant orange (25C) inside, with a strong orange (24A) flare; outside light orange-yellow (22B) shading to vivid reddish orange (43B) at edges and on midribs; 6 stamens. Calyx 10mm long, brown. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 50mm, hairless. Shrub 2.0m

(a) **'Emblem'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: W. Bull (1879), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls magenta crimson, brightly spotted on the dorsal lobes. Indian (Perhaps the same plant listed by Bull in 1891 as a 'greenhouse variety': fls long-tubed, tube blush, lobes rich bright pink)

(a) **'Emblem'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hinodegiri' (s) × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 45-50mm wide, between vivid red (42A) and strong reddish orange (33A), with an inconspicuous blotch appearing as deep sanding. Shrub to 1.9m. Late April. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Emblem'** (Syn. of 'Jalisco Emblem')

(r) **'Embley Blush'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* (s) × *campylocarpum* N: J.J. Crosfield, I: J.J. Crosfield (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) (Exminster Group)

(a) **'Embley Crimson'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1965) Fls red. Knap Hill ? (Probably raised at Embley Park (UK))

(r) **'Embley Park'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* (s) × *campylocarpum* R: M. Koster & Sons, N: J.J. Crosfield, I: J.J. Crosfield (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12-15/compact, globose truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45 × 65mm, cream, edged pale rose. Calyx very small, gland-fringed. Lvs oblong ovate, c100 × 40mm, dark glossy green above, hairless below. AM 1936 (Exminster Group)

(r) **'Embley Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* (s) × *campylocarpum* N: J.J. Crosfield, I: J.J. Crosfield (1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 11/truss, funnel-shaped to campanulate, 70 × 70mm, rose pink, with crimson nectaries and a small ray of crimson markings. Calyx cup-shaped, 10-15mm long, pale green. Lvs broadly elliptic, up to 120 × 65mm, dark matt green above. AM 1930 (Exminster Group)

(r) **'Embraceable'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Rougemont' (s) × 'FieryOrange' H: T.L. Ring, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, deep and moderate purplish pink (54B, D) and strong pink (54C) in bud, opening strong red (53D), deep purplish pink (64B) and strong pink (54C), with a small, pale yellow-green (4D) flare; filaments and style moderate purplish pink (54D); anthers brownish orange (164A); stigma moderate brown (165A). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(a) **'Embraceable You'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, light salmon pink, with a golden blotch. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Early-mid July

(a) **'Emelia Gatti'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L.L. Brooks (pre 1965), N: L.L. Brooks Fls hose-in-hose, vivid red. Indian

(a) **'Emelie'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark carmine red. Ghent (Much confused and still requiring resolution. A Ghent has been listed as 'Emilia' (J. Baumann, 1859), 'Emilie' (T.J. Seidel, 1846) and 'Emelie' (Boskoop, 1896). More than one plant is concerned as descriptions range from rose and pink to bright dark red, with orange markings)

(r) **'Emeline Buckley'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* (s) × 'Bacchus' R: C.B. van Nes & Sons, N: C.B. van Nes & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c16/compact truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, rose, with a paler centre and a conspicuous ray of brown-crimson markings. Calyx lobes up to 10mm long, white. Lvs oblong-elliptic, up to 180 × 55mm, dark green above.

(a) **'Emendatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light rose, with deeper markings. Indian

(r) **'Emerald Isle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Idealist Group × 'Exbury Naomi' H: F.E.W. Hanger (1948),

G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, I: Royal Horticultural Society (1956), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 9/loose truss, open campanulate, chartreuse green (663/1), throat stained chartreuse green (663/2). AM 1956 (Emerald Isle Group)

(r) **Emerald Isle Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Idealist Group × 'Exbury Naomi' H: F.E.W. Hanger (1948), G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, I: Royal Horticultural Society (1956), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Emerance'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Vuylsteke (pre 1875), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(r) **'Emett Adams'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: May Day Group (dwarf form) × *haematodes* R: C.S. Seabrook, N: C.S. Seabrook, REG: C.S. Seabrook (1968) Fls 6-8/loose truss, tubular-campanulate, 45mm long, blood red (820/3). Lvs hairy above when young, heavily indumented below. Semi-dwarf, compact shrub. April

(r) **'Emil'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Boule de Neige' × 'Mrs Milner' R: T.J.R. Seidel, N: T.J.R. Seidel (1903), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white, tinged rose, with yellow-green markings. (Raised from seed sown in 1895)

(a) **'Emil de Coninck'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Jean Haerens' I: Flandria (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with vivid purplish red blotches and an irregular vivid purplish red (57C) edge; otherwise similar to parent. Indian (Sometimes seen as 'Emile de Koninck')

(a) **'Emile'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Belgium (pre 1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose and pink, with a pale line down the lobes and a slight orange flare; fades to almost yellow. Ghent

(a) **'Emile Eeckhaute'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. Eeckhaute (1903), INC: ICRA (1958) Resembles 'Ernest Eeckhaute' but colour is not as dark. Indian

(r) **'Emile Lamarche'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(a) **'Emile Liebig'** (See note under 'Emil Liebig' (deciduous azalea) and 'Emil Liebig' (evergreen azalea))

(a) **'Emile Roussave'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Pericat, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, with wavy-edged lobes, 70mm wide, rose opal (022), with a darker blotch. Midseason. Syn: 'Emile Rousseau'. Pericat

(a) **'Emile Rousseau'** (Syn. of 'Emile Roussave')

(r) **'Emilia'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1857), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls delicate pink (Noble). (Probably the plant also seen listed as 'Emilie', although some sources give a description associated with this name of 'fls rosy crimson')

(a) **'Emilie'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: M. Koster & Sons (1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson. Mollis

(r) **'Emilie'** (See note under 'Emilia')

(a) **'Emilie Lefebvre'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white, suffused salmon, with a salmon blotch which spreads over the lobes. Ressembles 'Madame Iris Lefebvre'. Indian

(a) **'Emil Liebig'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *molle* subsp. *japonicum* or a *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* derivative I: M. Koster & Sons (1892), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, salmon orange, with cinnabar red markings. Mollis (Sometimes seen in error as 'Emile Liebig')

(a) **'Emil Liebig'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Schulz (pre 1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark rose, with conspicuous markings. Early. Indian (Sometimes seen in error as 'Emile Liebig')

(r) **'Emīls'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (s) × 'Purple Splendour' R: R. Kondratovičs (1974), G: R. Kondratovičs (1982), N: R. Kondratovičs (2002), I: Rhododendron Nursery "Babīte" of University of Latvia, REG: R. Kondratovičs (2002) Fls 19/dense, slightly domed truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 50mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, imperial purple (33/1) inside, with a black blotch on dorsal lobe; filaments dark violet, anthers dark violet; style red violet, stigma dark violet. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs oblong-lanceolate, 120 × 50mm, margins wavy, pointed at apex and base, glossy green above, hairless. (Published in *Dārzs un Drava*: 23-24 (November, 2001))

(a) **'Emily'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose pink. Indian

(a) **'Emily'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ruby' (Kurume) × 'Hexe' R: N.Carolina/Louisiana State Univ., N: N.Carolina/Louisiana State Univ., I: N.Carolina/Louisiana State Univ. (1976) Fls hose-in-hose, 1-3/truss, 40-50mm wide, deep rose red. Lvs glossy green, bronze in winter. Shrub up to 1.0m

(r) **'Emily Allison'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'J.H. van Nes' (s) × 'Loderi King George' H: H. Lem (1960), G: H. Lem, N: J. & J.E. Bailey, I: J. & J.E. Bailey, REG: J. & J.E. Bailey (1983) Fls 11/truss, 120-125mm wide, open funnel-shaped, 7-lobed, light purplish pink (55C) in bud, opening white (155B), with a strong red (46A) ring in the throat. Calyx 7mm long. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 150 × 50mm, moderate olive green (137A), hairless. Shrub c1.7m in 15 years

(r) **'Emily Baker'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Aunt Martha' (s) × *ponticum* H: H.S. Baker (1989), G: H.S. Baker (1993), N: H.S. Baker, REG: H.S. Baker (1999) Fls 15-17/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 25 × 20mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, very light purple (85C) in bud,

opening very light purple (85C) inside and out, the outside margin slightly lighter; with 18-20 greyish red (182B) dorsal spots. Lvs elliptic, 90-140 × 40-50mm, flat, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate yellow-green (139C) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.1m in 10 years. Late May

(a) **'Emily Barton'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L.L. Brooks (pre 1965), N: L.L. Brooks Fls double, deep red. Indian

(r) **'Emily Elizabeth'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Furnivall's Daughter' (s) × 'Trinity' H: J.M. Cunic (1988), G: J.M. Cunic (1995), N: J.M. Cunic (1997), REG: J.M. Cunic (1997) Fls 13-15/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 80mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, light purplish pink (65B) in bud, opening white with a conspicuous flare of deep purplish red (61A) spots covering an area 40 × 25mm on the dorsal lobe, the colour showing through on the reverse. Calyx c1.5mm long, strong yellow-green (143C). Lvs elliptic, 115 × 50mm, margins decurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (146A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 0.75m in 7 years. Late May

(a) **'Emily Knights'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C. Knights (pre 1977), N: C. Knights Fls single, bright red. Kurume

(r) **'Emily Mangles'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: J.H. Mangles (pre 1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c9/loose, open-topped truss, broadly tubular funnel-shaped, 65-70 × 80mm, vivid purplish red (57C) in bud, opening vivid purplish red (57C-D) on lobes outside, paler on tube (and on lobes with age); dorsal lobes edged vivid purplish red (57D) inside, ventral lobes edged more-or-less strong purplish pink (67D), centre of lobes and throat white; dorsal lobes heavily spotted with yellow-green. Calyx up to 8mm long, lobes spreading, pale green, edged and suffused pale red. Lvs elliptic, up to 170 × 58mm, dark dull green above, hairless below. Syn: 'Polly Peachum' (Description from a plant extant at Littleworth in 1980s. Earlier accounts described crimson blotches so there may have been some confusion)

(a) **'Eminens'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent ?

(r) **'Eminens'** cv. Parentage unknown L: A. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose

(a) **'Eminent'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. Indian

(r) **'Eminent'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1847), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy lilac. Hardy Hybrid (Veitch treated this as a synonym of 'Erectum')

(r) **'Eminent'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scintillation' × *haematodes* (or a *haematodes* hybrid H: M.S. Green (1958), G: John J. Tyler Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister

(r) **'Emissary'** cv. Parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), N: John J. Tyler Arboretum (pre 1978) Fls pink

(a) **'Emma'** (Syn. of 'Emma Greentree')

(a) **'Emma'** (Syn. of 'Président Comte Oswald de Kerchove')

(a) **'Emma'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1840), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls strong yellowish pink, with a paler line down each lobe and an orange-yellow blotch. Ghent

(a) **'Emma'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet pink (Standish & Noble). Indian (The 1958 Register listed another Indian azalea with this name, introduced by Adam, 1854 and described as scarlet rose)

(a) **'Emma'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Frau Hermann Seidel' R: Firma Seidel (pre 1894), N: Firma Seidel, I: Firma Seidel (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls fully double, salmon pink with a darker throat, broad, white margins and carmine markings. Indian

(r) **'Emma'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Annedore' × 'Mrs Milner' R: T.J.R. Seidel (c 1905), I: T.J.R. Seidel (1917), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright crimson red, with a few dark markings on a paler ground

(r) **'Emma Arblaster'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Lammot Copeland' (s) × un-named seedling (Larson's late yellow no. 15) H: G. Arblaster (c 1983), G: G. Arblaster (c 1988), N: Mrs J. Arblaster (1998), REG: Mrs J. Arblaster (1998) Fls c20/open, flattish truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 72 × 100mm, with 8 broadly wavy-edged lobes, orange in bud, opening inside light orange-yellow (16C), with brilliant yellow (13B) at throat and with lobes edged light yellowish pink (29C); outside light yellow (20B) at base, with a greater suffusion of light yellowish pink (29C) at lobe edges; a limited area of greyish red (176A) spots in dorsal throat. Calyx 20mm long, dark yellowish pink (181D). Lvs broadly elliptic, margins slightly decurved, matt green. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 7 years. Late June-early August

(a) **'Emma Gray'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Apricot Blush' (s) × 'Jan Byrne' H: D.J. Dosser (1986), G: D.J. Dosser (1992), N: D.J. Dosser, REG: Lockington Nursery (1994) Fls double, 3/truss, flat funnel-shaped, 45 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, white, spotted and striped deep pink inside and out; stamens all petaloid. Calyx 10mm long, 5-lobed, green. Lvs elliptic, 40 × 12mm, flat, matt green above, cuneate at base, acuminate at apex, hairy above and below, ciliate. Shrub 0.5m. Winter-spring (Australia)

(a) **'Emma Greentree'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hexe' × 'Vervaeneanum' R: M.E. Greentree (pre 1985), N: M.E. Greentree Fls hose-in-hose, deep rose pink. Early. Syn: 'Emma'

(a) **'Emma Ivery'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Ivery (pre 1869), N: J. Ivery, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose. Indian

(r) **'Emma Lady Hamilton'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Champagne' (Tortoiseshell Group) × Albatross Group H: I. Hamilton (1983), G: I. Hamilton, N: I. Hamilton, REG: I. Hamilton (1992) Fls 9-12/truss, funnel-shaped, 90 × 55mm, with 5-7 slightly wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (62C), slightly flushed strong purplish pink (62A) in throat at first (but flush pales with age); stamens straw-coloured/pink, anthers straw-coloured/brown; style pale cream, stigma brown/maroon. Calyx 17mm long, strong purplish pink (62A), shading to light purplish pink (62C). Lvs 160 × 60mm. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 8 years. Early June. Similar to 'Mrs Innes Hamilton' but flowering 3 weeks later, with more robust, more erect trusses

(r) **'Emma Louise Clark'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lindleyi* (s) × *megacalyx* H: A.J. Clark (1993), G: A.J. Clark (1998), N: A.J. Clark (1998), I: A.J. Clark (1998), REG: A.J. Clark (1998) Fls 5/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 105 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, yellow in bud, opening white inside, outside yellow at base, fading to cream; unmarked; anthers brown; style extending to mouth of corolla; slightly scented. Calyx 10mm long, green. Lvs oblanceolate, 120 × 45mm, wavy-edged, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, matt green above, scaly. Shrub 45 × 40cm in 5 years. May

(v) **'Emmanuel'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *zoelleri* × *javanicum* (s) × 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' H: P. Sullivan (1975), G: P. Sullivan (1979), N: P. Sullivan, I: P. Sullivan (1980), REG: W.A. Moynier (1986) Fls 8-11/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 57 × 64mm, 5-7-lobed, strong red (39A), shading gradually to light yellow (11B) in throat. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 100 × 40mm, glaucous and dark yellowish green above (139A), moderate yellow-green (147B) with tiny, closely spaced, tan scales below; margins wavy. Shrub 0.5 × 0.7m in 7 years. March-July, September-December

(a) **'Emma Reid'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: G.A. Reid (1966), G: G.A. Reid, N: G.A. Reid, I: G.A. Reid (1976), REG: G.A. Reid (1977) Fls fully double (no stamens), hose-in-hose, 3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65mm wide, with very wavy-edged margins, china rose (024/1), with some darker spotting on the dorsal lobes. Lvs elliptic, 45 × 20mm, glossy above, sparsely ciliate. Shrub 0.3 × 0.3m in 4 years. Late May-early June

(r) **'Emma Toepfer'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C.J.H. Walther (pre 1861), N: C.J.H. Walther, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls flesh rose, tinged bluish, with a large cinnamon brown blotch. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Emma Williams'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *yunnanense* × Trewithen Orange Group H: F.J. Williams (1968) Fls 6-8/truss, light pinkish mauve. Semi-deciduous in colder climates

(a) **'Emmelina'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Falconer (1845), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **Emmeline Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Essex Scarlet' (s) × *haematodes* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(r) **'Emojene Louise'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group × *keiskei* × *minus* Carolinianum Group × 'Elam' H: W.M. Fetterhoff (1975), G: W.M. Fetterhoff (1979), N: W.M. Fetterhoff, I: W.M. Fetterhoff, REG: W.M. Fetterhoff (1988) Fls 4-11/truss (consisting of 1-3 buds with 2-5 fls each), open funnel-shaped, 18 × 33mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (55B) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (55D) at edges, fading to white in centre, with a dark greenish yellow (152D) blotch on dorsal lobe (8 × 6mm). Calyx very small. Lvs elliptic, 25-50 × 13-20mm, acute at tip, cuneate at base, dull and smooth above, with closely spaced, reddish brown scales below on mature lvs. Shrub 0.4 × 0.7m in 12 years. Early May

(a) **'Emotion'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houttepère (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose. Indian

(a) **'Empératrice'** (See 'L'Empératrice')

(a) **'Empereur de Russie'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Empereur du Brésil'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Reine de Portugal' R: J. Verschaffelt, N: J. Verschaffelt, I: J. Verschaffelt (1876), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, soft rose, with broad, pure white edges, striped dark rose and white, with a red-brown dorsal blotch. Indian

(r) **'Empereur du Maroc'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as a *ponticum* form/hybrid L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls brilliant purple

(r) **'Empereur du Mexique'** cv. Parentage unknown R: L. de Smet-Duvivier (pre 1870), N: L. de Smet-Duvivier, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, all lobes minutely spotted. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Empereur François-Joseph II'** (Syn. of 'Kaiser Franz Joseph')

(a) **'Empereur Frédéric III'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. de Kneef (1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rose, tinged purple, darker at edges and with a bright purple blotch. Indian

(a) **'Emperor'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Smith (pre 1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls fiery scarlet. Indian

(a) **'Emperor'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls delft rose (020), with darker spots. Dwarf and late. Indian

(r) **'Emperor Francis Joseph II'** (Syn. of 'Empereur François-Joseph II')

(a) **'Emperor Napoleon III'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as a "hardy azalea". Perhaps the same as 'Empereur Napoléon', a Ghent azalea listed in Boskoop in 1896: fls cherry red, with an orange blotch. Probably also the 'Empereur Napoléon III' listed by J. Verschaffelt, 1871)

(r) **'Emperor Waltz'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Robert Allison' (s) × 'Sir Charles Butler' H: E.E. Walbrecht (1972), G: A.R. Brooks (1981), N: A.R. Brooks, I: A.R. Brooks (1985), REG: A.R. Brooks (1986) Fls 7-8/flat truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 57 × 102mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (73B) in bud, opening very pale purple (73D), shading to light purplish pink (73C) at edges; outside 73C; two very small dorsal rays of strong yellow-green (144C); moderately scented. Calyx 3mm long, strong yellow-green (144C). Lvs oblong to obovate, 102-184 × 32-57mm, hairless. Shrub 2.3 × 2.4m in 13 years. Early June.

(r) **'Empire Day'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Moser's Maroon' (s) × *griersonianum* R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blood red. (Romany Chai Group)

(r) **'Empire Rose'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Freckle Pink' × 'Apricot Gold' H: K. Van de Ven (1985), G: K. Van de Ven (1988), N: K. Van de Ven (1989), I: Olinda Nursery (1993), REG: Olinda Nursery (1993) Fls 20-22/conical truss, funnel-shaped, 60 × 90mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (60C) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (66C) throughout. Lvs elliptic, 80 × 30mm, twisted, matt green above, cuneate at base, acuminate at apex. Shrub 1.0 × 1.1m in 6 years

(r) **'Empire Silver'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Freckle Pink' × 'Apricot Gold' H: K. Van de Ven (1983), G: K. Van de Ven (1989), N: K. Van de Ven (1989), I: Olinda Nursery (1993), REG: Olinda Nursery (1993) Fls 16-18/conical truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 100mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (61D) in bud, opening inside strong purplish pink (62A) and fading to pale pink in centre; outside strong purplish pink (62A). Lvs elliptic, 144 × 45mm, flat, matt green above, cuneate at base, acuminate at apex. Shrub 2.0 × 2.0m

(r) **'Empire White'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Freckle Pink' × 'Apricot Gold' H: K. Van de Ven (1984), G: K. Van de Ven (1990), N: K. Van de Ven (1990), I: Olinda Nursery (1993), REG: Olinda Nursery (1993) Fls 10-12/conical truss, funnel-shaped, 60 × 110mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, inside pale purplish pink (55D, but fading), the lobes strong purplish pink (55B) and with a yellow flush on 2 lobes; outside pale purplish pink (55D, but fading). Lvs elliptic, 120 × 45mm, flat, matt green above, cuneate at base, acuminate at apex

(r) **'Empress'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1847), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish crimson. Hardy Hybrid (Perhaps rasied by I. Davies)

(v) **'Empress'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Crown Princess of Germany' × *javanicum* R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1884), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, bright salmon rose. FCC 1884

(a) **'Empress Eugénie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: W. Rollisson & Sons (pre 1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls translucent rose, dorsal lobes spotted. Indian

(r) **'Empress Eugénie'** cv. Parentage unknown I: W. Rollisson & Sons (pre 1875), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white, with carmine spots (Rollisson)

(a) **'Empress of India'** (Syn. of 'Impératrice des Indes')

(r) **'Empressof India'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Ireland (1985)

(r) **'Ems'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' × *forrestii* subsp. *forrestii* Repens Group R: D.G. Hobbie, N: D.G. Hobbie (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls funnel-shaped, purple red. Shrub to 1.0m. (Ems Group)

(r) **Ems Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' × *forrestii* subsp. *forrestii* Repens Group R: D.G. Hobbie, N: D.G. Hobbie (1951), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Enborne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *aberconwayi* × *anwheiense* R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1966) Fls 12-14/compact truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, c30 × 40mm, white, flushed phlox pink (625/3), dorsal throat speckled phlox pink (625) to beetroot purple (830/1). Calyx 5-lobed. AM 1966

(r) **'Enchanté'** (Syn. of 'Enchanting')

(r) **'Enchanted Evening'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney (c 1960), G: W.E. Whitney, N: G. & Mrs A. Sather, I: G. & Mrs A. Sather (1972), REG: G. & Mrs A. Sather (1976) Fls 10-12/flat to lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 100mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, light orange (28D), throat brilliant yellow (20A), spotted strong greenish yellow (153B), heavy colour concentration in stripes from base to lobe sinuses, edges strong yellowish pink (31C). Calyx c1.5mm long, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 160 × 50mm, moderate olive green (147A), hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years. Late May

(r) **'Enchanter'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anne Hardgrove' (s) × 'Anna Delp' H: W.E. Delp (1978), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 14/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 57 × 70mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, deep and strong red in bud (53A, 60A, 46A), opening deep, strong and vivid red (53A, B, 46A, B) and with sparse dark red (59A) spots; filaments and styles strong red (46A); anthers dark red and pale orange-yellow (187A, 165D); stigma deep

red (53A). Lvs 102 × 32mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 0.9m in 14 years. Early June. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer (1986))

(r) **'Enchanting'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ('Catalgla' × 'Rochelle')open-pollinated, no.2 selection (s) × ('Catalgla' × 'Rochelle')open-pollinated, no.3 selection H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 57 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong and light purple (83D, 84A-C) in bud, opening very pale purple (84D), heavily edged with strong and light purple (84A, B) and with dark reddish orange (173A) and dark greenish yellow (152C) dorsal spots; filaments and style pale yellow-green (155A); anthers pale orange-yellow (159B); stigma strong yellow-green (144B). Lvs 120 × 40mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.3 × 1.3m in 18 years. Early June. Syn: 'Enchanté'

(a) **'Enchantment'** cv. Evergreen azalea: an orange form of *indicum* (s) × 'Momozono' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 40-45mm wide, geranium pink, with a heavy tyrian rose blotch on dorsal lobes. Shrub to 1.5m. Late April-early May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Enchantment'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Whitney, I: G. & Mrs A. Sather (pre 1980)

(a) **'Enchantress'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1889), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, golden yellow, with pink edges. Mollis

(a) **'Enchantress'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt, I: E.A. Merritt (c 1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, single, rose pink. Kurume

(r) **'Enchantress'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a yellow eye

(r) **'Enchantress'** cv. Parentage unknown R: M. Koster & Sons, N: M. Koster & Sons, I: M. Koster & Sons (c 1923), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c13/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped and often laterally compressed, rosy lilac with crimson and brown markings. Calyx lobes 3-5mm long, glandular. Stamens aborted

(a) **'Enclynii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Dallière (1852), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Encore'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kagetsu' × 'Waraigishi' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1965) Fls double, 70-75mm wide, with 14-18lobes, rose with a yellow undertone and a few, inconspicuous dots. Shrub 1.1 × 1.2m in 10 years. Late. Back Acres

(r) **'Endeavour'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* subsp. *cinnamomeum* var. *album* (s) × *lacteum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 13-16/full truss, tubular-campanulate, 50 × 60mm, 5-lobed, white outside, barred strong purplish pink (73B) and suffused yellowish white (158C), inside similar but more diffused. Calyx rudimentary. Lvs oblong-ovate, up to 150 × 60mm, dull dark green above, with a silvery brown, plastered indumentum below. Shrub to 4.5m. March-April. AM 1983 (Endeavour Group)

(r) **Endeavour Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* subsp. *cinnamomeum* var. *album* (s) × *lacteum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white to pale primrose

(r) **'Endeavour/87'** (Syn. of 'Jěda')

(a) **'Endicott'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Stokes (pre 1969), N: W.E. Stokes

(r) **'Endre Ostbo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *souliei* (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* R: E. Ostbo, N: E. Ostbo, REG: E. Ostbo (1961) Fls 7-9/lax truss, 90-100mm wide, with 7, notched lobes, blush pink, fading to almost white, dorsal part of tube streaked rose at base. Lvs 100-125 × 45mm, acute at apex, cordate at base, mid green, hairless. Shrub under 1.9m

(r) **'Endsleigh Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid R: Endsleigh Estate (pre 1917), N: Endsleigh Estate, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy pink

(r) **Endymion Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lord Milner' (s) × *hookeri* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rich red

(a) **'Energique'** (Syn. of 'Président Alexis Callier')

(a) **'Enfant de France'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1859), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Enfante Isabelle'** (See 'L'Enfante Isabelle')

(r) **'Englemere'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Jutland Group × 'Royal Blood' R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1971) Fls up to 34/tight, rounded truss, funnel-campanulate, 50 × 45mm, 5-lobed, strong red (53C), with considerable but faint spotting in the throat. Calyx lobes up to 6mm long. Lvs narrowly elliptic, up to 150 × 50mm, dark green, hairless. AM 1971

(r) **'English Roseum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac rose. Lvs glossy green. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. Syn: 'Roseum Pink'

(r) **'Enid May'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Champagne' (Tortoiseshell Group) × 'Crest' H: J. May (1970), G: J. May (1985), N: J. May, I: J. May (1988), REG: J. May (1988) Fls 11/truss, funnel-shaped, 75 × 120mm, 6-7-lobed, pale yellow-green (4D), light green-

ish yellow (4C) in centre and on outside. Calyx variable, 30-75mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs ovate, 170 × 65mm, somewhat recurved from midrib. Shrub 2.0 × 1.5m. Late May

(r) **'Enigma'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: supposedly derived from *fortunei* × *maximum* × *haematodes* H: A. Consolini (pre 1951), G: Scott Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister, REG: Scott Arboretum (1985) Fls 11/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (10RP 4/12) shading to strong purplish pink (7.5RP 7/10) within and deep purplish pink (7.5RP 6/12) outside, with brilliant yellow-green (2.5GY 8/9) spotting on lower part of dorsal lobe below a nearly white inverted V-shaped band toward lobe edge; four strong yellow-green (2.5GY 7/10) rays in throat (2 on dorsal lobe, 1 each on adjacent lobes). Calyx very small, light yellow-green. Lvs between narrowly elliptic and elliptic, 108-130 × 40-52mm, hairless. Shrub 2.2m in 32 years

(a) **'Enkeling'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1929), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, purple. Indian

(a) **'Ennarnianum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1902), INC: ICRA (1958) (Exhibited by Cutbush, 1902)

(a) **'Ennepe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Noordtianum' × *kaempferi* and various Kurume azaleas R: G. Arends (pre 1914), N: G. Arends (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep purplish pink (54B), with inconspicuous markings. Shrub 0.6-0.8m. Arendsii

(a) **'Enoch Arden'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Weston (c 1869), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Ensign'** (See 'The Ensign')

(v) **'Ensign'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *multicolor* hybrid R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1899), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon red, toned with scarlet

(r) **'Ensyu-nishiki'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *makinoi* R: Japan (pre 1997), N: Japan

(r) **'Ensyu-no-hana'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *makinoi* R: Japan (pre 1997), N: Japan

(a) **'Enterressent'** (See 'L'Enterresent')

(r) **'Enticement'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sunup-Sundown' × 'Lem's Cameo' H: J.G. Lofthouse (1979), G: J.G. Lofthouse (1983), N: J.G. Lofthouse, I: J.G. Lofthouse (1984), REG: J.G. Lofthouse (1986) Fls 9-12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (52A) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (52C), with a 7mm wide edge of deep pink (52B), and three 7mm wide rays of orange-brown spotting in the dorsal throat; outside vivid red (52A). Calyx 13-25mm long, ivory, flushed and streaked rose. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 125-150 × 50-65mm, dark and glossy green, hairless. Shrub c0.9 × 1.0m in 6 years. Early-mid May

(a) **'Envy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: H. Kerrigan (pre 1987), N: H. Kerrigan Fls very pale green shading to pale yellow edges

(a) **Enzett** A number of azalea cultivars have been marketed with this trademark (eg Enzett ® - 'Königstein'). The trademark is not part of the cultivar name and their entries will be found in alphabetical position under their true epithet, (ie 'Königstein' in the example given).

(r) **'Enziana'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Sacko' × 'Gletschernacht' H: H. Hachmann (1978), G: H. Hachmann (1982), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1991), REG: G. Stück (1991) Fls 6-7 at ends of shoots, 18-20 × 27-32mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong violet (86B) not fading, shading paler in throat, unmarked; stamens 10, filaments strong violet (86B/C) towards apex, paler towards base, anthers dark red (187A); style strong purplish red (64B), stigma greyish reddish brown to moderate brown (200B/C). Calyx 2-3mm long, light green, silvery hairy. Lvs elliptic-oblong, 18-22 × 8-10mm, dark green and glossy above, scaly. Shrub 0.9 × 1.1m in 10 years. Early-late May

(v) **'Eos'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Monarch' (s) × *malayanum* R: J. Veitch & Sons (1900), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine, toned with scarlet.

(a) **'Epicure'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum* (s) × 'Tama-sugata' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls more-or-less deep rose self, the small blotch of tyrian rose spots appearing more as shading. Shrub to 1.0m. Late May-early June. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Epilogue'** cv. Evergreen azalea: derived from the Morrison/USDA seedling PI 81661 R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 25-30mm wide, paler than rose pink, flushed rose pink at base of tube, blotch with showy tyrian rose dots; style tyrian rose, also showy. Only semi-evergreen. Shrub to 1.5m. Late. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Epitome'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goody Goody' (s) × 'Anna Delp' H: W.E. Delp (1978), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 12/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 64 × 73mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (72A) and vivid reddish purple (74A) in bud, opening vivid and light reddish purple (74A-C) with a white dorsal flare which is spotted with dark red (59A); filaments and style light reddish purple (74B, C); anthers pale orange-yellow (165D); stigma dark red (187A). Lvs 95 × 54mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 15 years. Early June

(r) **'Epoch'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: from colchicine-treated seed of white-flowered *minus* Carolinianum Group R: A.E. Kehr (1964), N: A.E. Kehr, I: A.E. Kehr (1968), REG: A.E. Kehr (1971) Fls 8-12/ball truss, saucer-shaped, 55-65mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, more-or-less white, ageing to light blush pink, spotted with green. Calyx small. Lvs narrowly obovate, 90-100 × 40-50mm, deep green. Shrub 0.6 × 0.8m in 6 years. Tetraploid (2n=52)

(a) **'Epunctulatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte (pre 1869), N: L. van Houtte, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'E. Pycke'** (Syn. of 'Thérèse')

(a) **'Equisitum'** (See note under 'Exquisite' (Ghent))

(r) **'Erasmus'** cv. Parentage unknown R: M. Koster & Sons, N: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark scarlet red

(r) **'Erato'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* hybrid L: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with yellow spots. Early April

(r) **'Erato'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Oratorium' × 'Hachmann's Feuerschein' H: H. Hachmann (1976), G: H. Hachmann (1981), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1988), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 14-17/compact truss, open funnel-shaped, 45-55 × 65mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, buds dark red (59A), opening a uniform deep red (53A) and not fading; three dorsal lobes spotted dark red (187A). Pedicels reddish green on upper side. Calyx 1-1.5mm long, red. Lvs elliptic-ovate, 90-125 × 45-52mm, apiculate-acute at apex, rounded(-oblique) at base, mid green, hairless; petioles brownish red. Shrub 1.4 × 1.5m in 12 years. Late May-mid June

(a) **'Erbprinz Ludwig'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Gebr Mardner (pre 1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, very double, pure violet (ex. E. André, 1864). Indian

(r) **'Erchless'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: C.O.D. (s) × 'Mrs Furnivall' R: H. Phipps (1955), N: H. Phipps, REG: H. Phipps (1971) Fls 9-10/compact truss, funnel-shaped, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (10P 8/5), with a dark red (2.5R 3/7) eye. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 65mm, slightly shining green. Shrub 1.9 × 1.2m

(r) **Erebus Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group (s) × *griersonianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1930), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep scarlet.

(a) **'Erectum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1847), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose. Indian

(r) **'Erectum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1847), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose crimson (purplish rose, S&N), with dark spots. Hardy Hybrid (J. Veitch & Sons, 1867, treated 'Eminent' as a synonym of 'Erectum')

(r) **'Ereda Beekman'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from an open-pollinated species of subsect. Fortunea G: J. Beekman (1973), N: J. Beekman, REG: J. Beekman (1975) Fls 8/truss, open funnel-shaped, light yellow-green (150D), paler at edges. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 38mm. Shrub 1.5m

(r) **'Erestium'** cv. Parentage unknown L: T. Methven & Son (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls fine purple

(a) **'Erhard Neuber'** (Syn. of 'Knut Erwen Orange')

(a) **'Eri'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Paul Schäme' I: R. Ambrosius (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, with a small central rosette, 75mm wide, deep pink (52C), edged white; the pink colour extending into the white in some fls. Syn: 'Eri Schäme', 'Eric Schäme', 'Erich Schäme', 'Pink Ruffles'. Indian

(a) **'Eric'** (Syn. of 'Robin Hill Erik')

(a) **'Erica'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls double, flesh pink. Indian

(a) **'Erica McMinn'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: M.E. Greentree (pre 1977), N: M.E. Greentree Fls double, pale clear pink, with white-tipped lobe margins. Indian

(a) **'Erica Sander'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Sander & Sons (1923), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rose, very early. Indian

(r) **'Erich'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Milner' (s) × 'Catawbiense Grandiflorum' R: T.J.R. Seidel, N: T.J.R. Seidel (1903), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson red, with ochre markings. Late. (Raised from seed sown 1895)

(r) **'Erich Beeken'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from Ammerlandense Group R: D.G. Hobbie (c 1955-1956), N: D.G. Hobbie (1983) Fls rose at first, later fading to white, with a few, faint reddish spots. Lvs oblong-ovate

(a) **'Erich Danneberg'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Madame P.B. van Acker' × 'Paul Schäme' I: E. Hermann (1956), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, strong to vivid purplish red (61B-C). Calyx normal, green. Early. Indian

(r) **'Erich Herrmann'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lieselotte Herrmann' (s) × 'Professor J.H. Zaaijer' R: E. Herrmann, N: E. Herrmann Fls in a compact, conical truss, bright rose, with dark red dorsal spotting

(a) **'Erich Schäme'** (Syn. of 'Eri')

(r) **'Eric Rudd'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *facetum* R: S.R. Clarke, REG: R.N.S. Clarke (1981) Fls up to 13/loose, rounded truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, up to 50 × 70mm, 5-lobed, deep yellowish pink (46D) with overall mottling of vivid red

(46B); nectaries prominent. Calyx lobes rounded, irregular, up to 5mm long, flushed red, fringed and lightly covered with short hairs. Lvs narrowly elliptic, up to 165 × 46mm, dark matt green above, paler below with soft, loose, woolly, brown indumentum when young. FCC 1980 (Grown from Forrest no.13508)

(a) **'Eric Schäme'** (Syn. of 'Eri')

(r) **'Eric Stockton'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Fabia High Beeches' × Tally Ho Group R: G.H. Loder, I: Hon. H.E. Boscawen, REG: Hon. H.E. Boscawen (1968) Fls 5-9/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 65 × 80mm, deep yellowish pink (39B) with darker veining, shading to deep yellowish pink (47C) at lip. Calyx 5-lobed, the lobes 5mm long, reflexed, green, flushed red, with a thin, brown, woolly indumentum. Lvs narrowly oblong, 170 × 55mm with a loose, brown, woolly indumentum below. AM 1967

(a) **'Eric the Red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Daphne Salmon' × 'Hexe' R: Carolina Floral Nursery (pre 1985), N: Carolina Floral Nursery, I: Carolina Floral Nursery Fls hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, bright cherry red. Compact habit. Midseason

(r) **Eridusa Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Medusa Group (s) × *facetum* H: Lord Aberconway (1939), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red

(a) **'Eriedell'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Roberta Ann' × 'Boudoir' (s) × 'Boudoir' H: P.E. Girard (1968), G: P.E. Girard, I: P.E. Girard, REG: P.E. Girard (1983) Fls double, 4-5/truss, 25 × 65mm, open funnel-shaped, 5+5-lobed, deep purplish pink (55A) in bud, opening strong purplish pink (55B), unmarked. No stamens present. Calyx 7mm long, vivid yellow-green (154A). Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 45 × 17mm, moderate yellow-green (137C), setose below. Shrub c1.0m in 5 years

(r) **'Erigenald'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, tinted with violet, spotted brown. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Erika'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *brachycarpum* × 'Alexander Adie' R: T.J.R. Seidel, N: T.J.R. Seidel (1903), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light carmine rose, with brown markings. (Raised from seed sown 1895)

(a) **'Erika Ambrosius'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: R. Ambrosius (pre 1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pale to deep purplish pink (57D-66C). Calyx normal, green. Midseason

(r) **'Erika Guyens'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Souvenir of Anthony Waterer' × 'Direktor E. Hjelm' (s) × 'Marrakesch' H: H.J.A. Guyens (1994), G: H.J.A. Guyens (2000), N: H.J.A. Guyens (2001), I: H.J.A. Guyens, REG: H.J.A. Guyens (2001) Fls 19-24/dense, globular truss, funnel-shaped, 80 × 90mm, with 6-7 slightly wavy-edged lobes, light green in bud, opening inside a mixture of salmon pink, cream and silver (with darker margins), with a brownish red basal blotch and brown spots on an orange-red ground on the dorsal lobes; outside bordeaux red to salmon pink. Calyx 15-25mm long, salmon pink to light brown. Lvs elliptic, 110-170 × 40-60mm, flat to slightly decurved at margins, more-or-less acute at apex and base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.05 × 1.0m in 7 years. Late April-early May

(r) **'Erik's Choice'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from open-pollinated *grande* G: H. Vaartnou (1978), S: H. Vaartnou (1963), N: H. Vaartnou, REG: H. Vaartnou (1989) Fls 15-20/ball truss, open campanulate, 76 × 70mm, with 7 smooth-edged lobes, reddish purple in bud, opening moderate purplish pink (186D) to cream; slightly scented. Calyx 1mm long, red. Lvs elliptic, 203 × 76mm, flat, cuspidate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 4.3 × 3.0m in 25 years. March.

(r) **Eriozor Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Azor Group × *facetum* H: Lord Aberconway (1932), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(a) **'Eri Saumoneus'** (Syn. of 'Schäme Saumoneus')

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(r) **'Erlkönig'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × (*fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × 'Catharine van Tol') × *dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* R: W. Nagel (1972), N: W. Nagel, I: W. Nagel (1986) Fls apple-blossom pink, with yellow and orange

(r) **'Ermine'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' × 'Mrs A.T. de la Mare' R: R. Henny, N: R. Henny (1959), I: R. Henny, REG: R. Henny (1961) Fls 11/truss, funnel-campanulate, 90mm wide, white, unspotted. Lvs 175 × 50mm. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Ermitage'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Barbier & Co. (1913), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Erna'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, white with dark red dots and stripes and a yellow blotch. Indian

(r) **'Erna'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* (s) × 'Mrs Milner' R: T.J.R. Seidel (c 1895), N: T.J.R. Seidel (1903), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark carmine rose, with a darker reddish blotch

(a) **'Ernest Bach'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: L. van Houtte (1871), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, salmon pink in bud, opening pale yellow with lines and tints of orange pink and greenish yellow spots. Syn: 'E. Bach'. Mollis (Sometimes also seen as 'Ernst Bach'; first offered by van Houtte, unnamed, in 1870)

(a) **'Ernest Benary'** (Error for 'Ernst Benary')

(a) **'Ernest Eeckhaute'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Phoebus' (Boelens) × 'Souvenir du Recteur Kickx' I: L. Eeckhaute (1903), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, 75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (57B). Calyx normal, green. Late. Indian

(a) **'Ernest Fiery'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid R: W.D. Smith (pre 1982), N: W.D. Smith Fls double, 90mm wide, orange-red. (See *The Azalean* 4 (1):3-4 (1982) for notes on parentage)

(r) **'Ernest Gill'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × *arboreum* (blood red form) or Luscombei Group R: R. Gill & Sons, N: R. Gill & Sons, I: R. Gill & Sons (1918), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright cerise pink, with a crimson blotch at the base. AM 1918 (Similar crosses made by several other breeders)

(a) **'Ernest Immer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1866), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, red. Indian

(r) **Ernestine Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *yunnanense* (s) × *cinnabarinum* subsp. *cinnabarinum* Roylei Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pendent, trumpet-shaped, lilac pink, waxy. Lvs bluish green. April-May

(r) **'Ernest Inman'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Purple Splendour' H: A.F. George (1963), G: A.F. George (1971), N: A.F. George, I: Hydon Nurseries (1975), REG: A.F. George (1976) Fls 15-20/compact, globular truss, funnel-shaped, 47-50 × 65-70mm, 5-lobed, light purple (75B) fading to silvery white at base, dorsal spotting of deep orange-yellow which pales to olive with age. Calyx 7mm long, irregular, green. Lvs elliptic, 105-110 × 40-43mm, dark, slightly glossy green, hairless. Shrub 0.6m. Late May. *AM 1979

(r) **'Ernest Jones'** cv. Parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1877), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with greenish yellow spots. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Ernest R. Ball'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' × Jasper Group H: C.S. Seabrook (pre 1967), G: C.S. Seabrook, N: C.S. Seabrook, REG: C.S. Seabrook (1967) Fls up to 14/tight truss, flat funnel-shaped, up to 90mm wide, salmon pink (412/3), with a few darker stripes that do not fade. Lvs similar to 'Britannia'. Open habit. Midseason

(r) **'Ernie Dee'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *dauricum* × *racemosum* H: J.F. Caperci (1968), G: E. Dzurick, I: J.F. Caperci (1974), REG: J.F. Caperci (1976) Fls 2/bud (with 4-8 buds/truss), rotate-campanulate, 10 × 13mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, light purple (75A), dorsal lobe and half of adjacent lobes spotted red. Calyx minute, red. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 22 × 7mm, slightly rugose, dark green, with dense brown scales. Shrub 0.2 × 0.4m in 7-8 years and with dark brown scaly stems. Mid April

(r) **'Ernie Lythgoe'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *falconeri* G: Ernie Lythgoe (1975), S: Ernie Lythgoe, N: H. Vaartnou, REG: H. Vaartnou (1991) Fls 25 or more/domed truss, ventricose-campanulate, 64 × 51mm, with 8 smooth-edged lobes, buds orange, opening light greenish yellow (4C), with a reddish purple blotch; stamens 16, straight, unequal; style orange. Calyx 1mm long, grey. Pedicels 57mm long, greenish grey. Lvs elliptic, 305 × 127mm, flat, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, with a felt-like indumentum, silvery brown at first, ageing to light brown; petioles 51mm long, green. Shrub 2.7 × 3.4m in 30 years. April

(a) **'Ernst Benary'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Gebr Mardner (1864), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose carmine red. Indian (Sometimes listed in error as 'Ernest Benary')

(a) **'Ernst Moritz Arndt'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Schulz (pre 1869), N: Schulz, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Ernst Papenberg'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Costantini (1886), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet orange. Indian (The 1958 Register indicated an origin/introduction from C. Wagner, 1895)

(a) **'Ernst Risse'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Germany (pre 1978), N: Germany Fls 80mm wide.

(a) **'Ernst Thiers'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hermann Seidel' hybrid × variously given as 'Liebig's Superbum' or 'Madame vander Cruyssen' I: L.R. Richter (1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double (average of 2 stamens), strong purplish red (63B). Calyx normal, green. Late. Indian

(a) **'Eroica'** cv. Evergreen azalea: radiation induced sport from 'KnutErwen' R: ISRIA, Belgium (1976), I: ISRIA, Belgium (1981) Fls vivid red (52A). Syn: 'Knut Erwen Red'. Indian

(a) **'Eros'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: O. Schulz (1885), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, large, white. Indian

(a) **'Eros'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum* (s) × 'Joh-ga' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 65-75mm wide, with overlapping lobes, eosine pink, paling as flower ages, with a small blotch of fine tyrian rose dots at base of dorsal lobe. Shrub to 1.0m. Late May-early June. Glenn Dale

(r) **Eros Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Amaura Group (s) × *griersonianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1931), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink

(r) **Erso Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Erebus Group (s) × *souliei* H: Lord Aberconway (1932), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Eruption'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tarantella' (s) × 'Seestadt Bremerhaven' H: H. Hachmann (1983), G: H. Hachmann (1988), N: H. Hachmann (1990), I: H. Hachmann (1994), REG: G. Stück (1995) Fls 14-

16/rounded truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45-50 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, centre of lobes and throat white, margins on the inside strong red (53C/D), outside strong red (53D); slight spotting on white part of dorsal lobe. Calyx 1-2mm long, reddish. Lvs elliptic, 115-130 × 45-60mm, flat to somewhat recurved at margins, matt dark green above, rounded at base, acute at apex, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.6m in 10 years, of dense, compact habit. Mid-late May. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1995/96)

(a) **'Erythraeum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.R. Gowen (1829), N: J.R. Gowen, INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Published in *Botanical Register*, 1830, under t.1366, where two possible parental combinations are discussed)

(r) **'Erzherzogin Margarethe'** cv. Parentage unknown L: T.J. Seidel (1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose

(a) **'Erzherzog Johann'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Scheuermann (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls copper red. Indian

(a) **'Erzherzog Stephan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: F. Schneider (1866), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Erzherzog Stephan'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Fr. Joost (pre 1861), N: Fr. Joost, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose, outside darker, with yellowish brown markings.

(a) **'Escatawpa'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *austrinum* S: B. Dodd (pre 1985) Fls in large trusses, 40mm wide, brilliant yellow; scented. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years. Early April. (Selected from Escatawpa river area, Alabama, USA)

(a) **'Eskimo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hinomayo' hybrid R: Deerfield Nurseries (pre 1940), N: Deerfield Nurseries, I: Deerfield Nurseries (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, pink. Midseason. Kurume

(a) **'Eskimo Pie'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, N: I.G. & S.N. Swan, I: Tawa-Glen Nursery (1989), REG: Tawa-Glen Nursery (1992) Fls c12/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 70 × 100mm, 5-lobed, buds pale yellow (11C), opening to yellowish white (155D), with a faint flush of pink which is soon lost and a flare of vivid orange-yellow (23A) spots on the dorsal lobe; stamens 5, filaments white, anthers brown. Calyx 5mm long, light yellow-green (145B). Lvs oblong, crinkly, 105-120 × 40-45mm, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 1.5m. Early-late October (New Zealand)

(a) **'Esme Lorraine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Exquisite' × 'Crimson Glory' H: B. Smith, G: B. Smith (1985), N: B. Smith, I: B. Smith, REG: B. Smith (1986) Fls single, 1-3/truss, funnel-shaped, 30 × 60mm, deep purplish red (61A). Lvs elliptic, 40 × 15mm. Shrub 0.3m

(a) **'Esmeralda'** cv. Deciduous azalea: Ghent azalea × Mollis azalea I: C. Vuylsteke (1892), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright reddish orange (1958 Register); dull rose red in bud, opening orange-red with a deep orange flare: variable in colour according to weather (Russell, 1960). (Has been listed both as a Ghent and as a Mollis azalea)

(a) **'Esmeralda'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: W.F. Koppeschaar (pre 1939), N: W.F. Koppeschaar, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 30mm wide, rose. Early. Syn: 'Kurume Pink', 'Shell Pink'. Kurume (Said to be the same plant as 'Sakata Pink')

(r) **'Esmeralda'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Byls (pre 1864), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls glowing crimson on a white ground. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **Esmeralda Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi King George' (s) × *neriiflorum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink to deep rosy pink

(r) **'Esmerelda'** cv. Parentage unknown R: M. Koster & Sons, N: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light pink, with deeper margins, spotted

(r) **'Esoteric'** cv. Parentage unknown I: G.O. Clark, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep pink

(a) **'Espartéro'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1849), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (A. van Geert (1849) attributes this to Knight & Perry)

(a) **'Espérance'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1907), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, bright rose. Indian

(a) **'Espérance'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1910), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, red. Indian

(a) **'Espérance'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1925), INC: ICRA (1958). Mollis (Seen listed as "'Anthony Koster' improved")

(a) **'Espérance'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Germany (pre 1996) Fls rose, with yellow-orange markings, tube carmine, the lobes outside with white midveins. Late. Ghent

(r) **'Espérance'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **Esperanza Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *barbatum* (s) × *strigillosum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls tubular-campanulate, blood red. Tall shrub. March-April

(r) **'Esprit'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan's Flame' × *yakushimanum* × selected red clone × 'Germania' R: F.W. Dürre (1971), G: F.W. Dürre, N: F.W. Dürre (1987), I: F.W. Dürre (1987) Fls 10-15/loose

truss, 60-90mm wide, intense bright rose, wide open. Compact shrub, broader than tall

(v) **'Esprit-de-Joie'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *konori* (s) × *laetum* H: J.L. Rouse, G: J.L. Rouse (1980), I: G.L.S. Snell, REG: G.L.S. Snell (1986) Fls 4-6/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 80 × 80mm, tube light orange-yellow (16B), lobes strong pink (50C) inside, light pink (50D) outside; scented. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 60mm. Shrub 2.0m

(r) **'Esquire'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: possibly a *griersonianum* hybrid H: J.A. Barto (pre 1958), I: D.W. James Fls in a loose truss, 100mm wide, deep pink. Lvs 140 × 50mm. Shrub under 1.9m

(r) **'E.S. Rand'** (Syn. of 'Edward S. Rand')

(r) **'Essa'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *falconeri* subsp. *eximium* hybrid R: A.C. & J.F.A. Gibson, N: A.C. & J.F.A. Gibson, REG: A.C. & J.F.A. Gibson (1964) Fls c23/rounded, lax truss, ventricose-campanulate, c50 × 65mm, white, with a vestige of pink staining and with a deep crimson blotch. Calyx rim-like. Lvs 250 × 100mm, with a thin, scattered indumentum below. AM 1964

(r) **'Essex Scarlet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: G. Paul (pre 1899), N: G. Paul, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 16-20/truss, funnel-shaped to campanulate, 50 × 75mm, blood red, with a blotch of more-or-less contiguous black marks. Calyx lobes 1-6mm long, crimson. Lvs narrowly elliptic. Shrub of leggy habit. AM 1899

(r) **'Essie Huxley'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: unknown, G: E. Huxley (1996), N: B. Davidson (1996), REG: B. Davidson (1996) Fls 5-9/flat truss, funnel-shaped, 45 × 80mm, with 7 flat, slightly recurving lobes, moderate red (180A) in bud, opening inside strong yellowish pink (37B), shading through light yellowish pink (159A) in middle section to moderate red (180A) in the throat; outside strong yellowish pink (37A) near lobes, shading to moderate red (180C) near calyx; light, vivid reddish orange (43A) spotting on three dorsal lobes (in two rays, between the lobes); stigma green; scented. Calyx 3-4mm long, deep red (53A). Lvs elliptic, 140 × 60mm, margins decurved, obtuse at base and apex, matt bright mid green above, hairless. Shrub 0.93 × 0.74m in 7 years. Late spring-early summer

(r) **'Estacada'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' (s) × *arboreum* (red) H: D.W. Goheen (1967), G: D.W. Goheen, N: D.W. Goheen, I: D.W. Goheen (1980), REG: D.W. Goheen (1984) Fls 18-20/domed truss, open campanulate, 50 × 65mm, 5-lobed, strong red (53C) in bud, opening vivid red to deep pink (52A-C), dorsal lobe lighter; dorsal lobe spotting and the veins on the lobes strong red (53C). Calyx minute. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 108-150 × 30-50mm, dull moderate olive green (147A) above, with greyed white indumentum below; new shoots white tomentose. Shrub 1.2m in 12 years. (Originally published in USA under the unacceptable name 'Vivid-O')

(r) **'Estelka Gerster'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac rose, with a primrose blotch and a paler centre

(r) **'Estella'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose

(a) **'Estelle'** cv. Parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1849), INC: ICRA (1958) A hardy cultivar. Ghent

(r) **'Estelle Gatke'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi Venus' (s) × Tally Ho Group R: R.M. Gatke (pre 1956), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12/truss, funnel-campanulate, 100mm wide, phlox pink (625/1), throat shaded azalea pink (618/2). Lvs 175 × 50mm. Shrub 1.4m. Late

(a) **'Estellen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid, see *The Azalean* 4 (1):3 (1982) for notes on parentage R: W.D. Smith (pre 1982), N: W.D. Smith Fls 50mm wide, tyrian purple

(r) **'Ester Dudley'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Goldfort Group × 'King George' H: H.D. Rose, G: H.D. Rose, N: H.D. Rose, I: H.D. Rose, REG: H.D. Rose (1973) Fls 10/truss, campanulate, pale greenish yellow (2D), deepening to light yellow-green (2C) in the throat. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 64mm. Shrub 1.2m

(r) **Esterel Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* subsp. *cinnamomeum* var. *album* (s) × *meddianum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in well-formed trusses, rose pink, waxy. April

(a) **'Ester Reiber'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Nadine' H: O.S. Pride, G: O.S. Pride, N: O.S. Pride, I: O.S. Pride (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very light orchid purple. (Galle (1987) & Lee (1965) list it as 'Esther Reiber', the above spelling is used in the 1958 Register)

(r) **'Esther Ames'** cv. Parentage unknown N: unknown, I: unknown (pre 1985) Late-flowering. (Possibly a Dexter hybrid, found on the Ames Estate, Massachusetts, USA)

(r) **'Esther Grace'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Countess of Derby' × 'White Swan' H: G.D. Grace, G: Bovees Nursery (c 1951), N: Bovees Nursery, I: Bovees Nursery (c 1962), REG: Bovees Nursery (1972) Fls up to 14/truss, open funnel-shaped, up to 115mm wide, with very wavy-edged lobes, white, with a few reddish brown spots; outside faintly tinged light pink. Lvs up to 125 × 65mm. Shrub 1.5m

(r) **'Esther Packard'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × un-named Loderi Group hybrid R: M.V. Love, N: M.V. Love, I: M.V. Love (1960), REG: M.V. Love (1964) Fls campanulate, up to 65 × 100mm, fuchsine pink. Shrub 0.8m in 10 years, of low, spreading habit. Midseason

(r) **'Esther Wagner'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: (*yakushimanum* × 'Earl of Athlone')selfed H: E.T. Anderson (1974), G: E.T. Anderson (1983), N: E.T. Anderson, REG: E.T. Anderson (1985) Fls 18-19/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50×75-80mm, with 7 frilled lobes, light to pale pink (near 49C-D), fading to pale yellowish pink (36D), (opens somewhat darker than 49C), with strong purplish red (59D) basal markings in throat, shading lighter towards lobes; dorsal lobes with rays of spots to 17mm long coalescing toward base, rays of up to 7mm long at base of other lobes. Calyx up to 3mm long, reddish. Lvs between narrowly elliptic and elliptic, 75-140 × 40-55mm, with slight, moderate yellow (163C) indumentum (easily rubbed off). Shrub c1.8m in 10 years

(r) **'Esther Wood'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* hybrid H: W.E. Whitney, N: G. & Mrs A. Sather, I: G. & Mrs A. Sather (pre 1975) Fls pink, marked with deeper pink on edges. Lvs with a rusty indumentum

(a) **'Estrellita'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Louise Gable' × 'Helen Close' R: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1969) Fls single, 2-5/truss, up to 55mm wide, strong red (5R 4/12). Lvs 40 × 17mm. Compact shrub to 0.6m

(r) **'Esveld Ostara'** (Syn. of 'Boskoop Ostara')

(r) **'Esveld Select'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *yakushimanum* G: D.M. van Gelderen (1970), N: H.J. Grootendorst, I: Firma C. Esveld (1976), REG: Royal Boskoop Hort. Soc. (1988) Fls 10-18/truss, campanulate, 35-40 × 30mm, 5-lobed, appleblossom pink fading to pure white. Calyx green. Lvs with a white indumentum when young. Shrub 1.25 × 1.75m in 20 years. April-May. (First published in *Dendroflora* 18:76 (1981))

(r) **'Etamin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kubla Khan' (s) × 'Christie Ess' H: M. Stockman (1990), G: M. & H. Stockman (1998), N: M. & H. Stockman (1999), REG: M. & H. Stockman (2000) Fls 7/lax domed truss, funnel-campanulate, 65 × 100mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, moderate red (47A) in bud, opening deep yellowish pink (39B) at margins, vivid yellow (15A-B) in centre of lobes and throat, with discrete spotting of moderate red (47A) on dorsal lobes; outside strong reddish orange (42B-C) fading to deep yellowish pink (39B). Calyx cup-shaped, tapering from 25-5mm long, reddish at the edge, shading to a yellow base. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 150 × 50mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins downcurved, dull dark green above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.2m in 10 years. Mid May

(a) **'Etendard'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (pre 1851), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark purple, one lobe flesh pink (L. van Houtte, 1849); vermilion, heavily spotted with bright orange (L. van Houtte, 1871). Ghent (More than one plant may have been involved)

(a) **'Etendard de Flandre'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: D. Vervaene, N: D. Vervaene, I: D. Vervaene (1857), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, flaked and spotted carmine rose. Indian

(r) **'Etendard de Flandre'** (Syn. of 'Lady Dorothy Neville')

(r) **'Etendard de Flandre'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (s) × 'Pardoloton' R: L. van Houtte (pre 1853), N: L. van Houtte, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large, domed trusses, 5-lobed, lilac, with a paler throat and black spots on a carmine ground. Lvs oblanceolate

(a) **'Etendard Rose'** cv. Parentage unknown L: T. Methven (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls satiny rose, superbly spotted (L. van Houtte cat., 1870). (Designation as an azalea requires confirmation)

(r) **'Eternity'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Milton Hollard' (s) × 'Red Falcon' H: B. Sligh (1979), G: B. Sligh (1985), N: B. Sligh (1993), REG: B. Sligh (1994) Fls 21/ball truss, open trumpet-shaped, 60 × 80mm, with 7 frilly-edged lobes, inside strong purplish pink (67D), flushed deep purplish pink (67C), with a basal blotch of dark red (187A) and dorsal spotting of dark red (187B) in a double flare pattern; outside deep purplish pink (67C); very long lasting. Lvs long pointed, 145 × 70mm, margins decurved, acute at apex, with a buff indumentum ageing to grey-green. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 10 years. August-September (New Zealand)

(r) **'Ethel'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Ethel')

(r) **'Ethel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: F.C. Puddle Group (s) × *forrestii* Repens Group H: Lord Aberconway (1934), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 4-5/truss, trumpet-shaped to campanulate, 40-50 × 45-50mm, a rich shade of light crimson scarlet. Calyx red. Lvs oblanceolate, 50 × 20mm, hairless. Shrub 0.4m in 10 years. FCC 1940 (Ethel Group)

(r) **Ethel Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: F.C. Puddle Group (s) × *forrestii* Repens Group H: Lord Aberconway (1934), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1940), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Ethel Dupar'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Letty Edwards Group × *wardii* R: W.E. Whitney, N: E.L. Dupar, I: W.E. Whitney, REG: E.L. Dupar (1967) Fls 8/loose truss, funnel-campanulate, up to 90mm wide, 7-lobed, pink in bud, opening creamyyellow, with a pink blush at lobe edges. Calyx fleshy, to 13mm long. Lvs 150 × 50mm, mid green. Shrub 1.5 × 2.2m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Ethel Edgar'** cv. Parentage unknown R: M. Koster & Sons, N: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rich rose pink

(r) **'Ethel Hall'** cv. Parentage unknown R: M. Koster & Sons, N: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white inside, with white stripes and rich scarlet edges

(r) **'Ethel Kirkpatrick'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lem's Cameo' (s) × 'Ken Janeck' H: unknown, G: E.T. Anderson (1996), S: E.T. Anderson (1985), N: E.T. Anderson, REG: E.T. Anderson (2000) Fls 14/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 75-90mm, with 5 wavy and very wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (57A) in bud, opening inside vivid purplish red (57C) at edge, shading lighter through vivid purplish red (57D) to approximately pale purplish pink (62D) at centre, with a v-shaped, moderate red (185B), densely spotted blotch in the dorsal throat and sparser spotting towards the edge; outside vivid purplish red (57C), streaked with strong purplish red (58B) on midribs; slightly scented. Calyx c3mm long, vivid purplish red (57C). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 75-150 × 25-50mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, margins downcurved, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 15 years. Early May

(a) **'Ethel Le Frak'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: E. de Rothschild (1965), G: E. de Rothschild (1970), N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1984), REG: E. de Rothschild (1984) Fls 9/truss, 55 × 60mm, 5-lobed, opening brilliant orange-yellow (23B), shaded vivid orange (28B) towards the edges, aging to vivid orange-yellow (23A) with strong orange (25A) shading between the veins. Lvs elliptic, 110 × 40mm.

(r) **'Ethel Mae'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* var. *chapmanii* × *mucronulatum* H: C. Herbert (1953), G: C. Herbert, N: C. Herbert, I: C. Herbert (1965), REG: C. Herbert (1977) Fls in a terminal inflorescence of c4 trusses (each with up to 10 fls), campanulate, 40mm wide, moderate purplish pink (68C), with a moderate purplish red (70A) blotch and spotting on dorsal lobe. Lvs 50 × 20mm. Shrub under 1.4m

(a) **'Ethel Orme'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Garden State Pink' R: Mrs L.B. Orme (pre 1987), N: Mrs L.B. Orme Fls hose-in-hose, deep purplish pink. Low, compact shrub. Kaempferi

(r) **'Ethel Phipps'** (Probably an error for 'Elsie Phipps')

(r) **Ethelred Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Gill's Crimson' (s) × *neriiflorum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson

(r) **'Ethel Roupe'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid H: W.E. Stokes (c 1930), G: W.E. Stokes, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red, with very wavy-edged lobes

(r) **'Ethel Stocker'** cv. Parentage unknown R: G. Abbey, I: Stocker (1900), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large trusses, white, with rose spotting on dorsal lobe (as exhibited by Stocker, 1900); fls crimson in bud, opening deep pink (1958 Register). (R.T. Veitch & Son (1927 cat.) say it is of Veitch origin and perhaps two plants are involved)

(r) **'Ethel V. Cary'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: (*brachycarpum* × 'Mrs Charles S. Sargent')selfed H: E.A. Cary (1964), G: E.A. Cary, N: E.A. Cary, I: E.A. Cary (1973), REG: E.A. Cary (1973) Fls 18-20/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 25 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside with an orchid edge fading to white in the throat; outside solid orchid. Calyx 3mm long. Lvs elliptic, hairless and mid green above, with a thin, brown indumentum below; new growth red-stemmed, with silvery green hairs, slightly viscous. Shrub 0.5 × 0.7m in 9 years

(a) **'Ethelwyn'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, pink. Gable

(r) **Ethyl Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* (s) × *orbiculare* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, flushed cream. Foliage resembling *orbiculare*. April

(a) **'Etincelant'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, red (of 'Hexe'-like form). Indian

(r) **'Etiopia'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1999) (Recorded in the collection of Burcina Park, Biella, Italy)

(a) **'Etna'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Paillet (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine red, with a narrow, whitish band. Ghent

(a) **'Etna'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' × 'Willy' (s) × 'Mrs Carmichael' × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison (pre 1948), N: B.Y. Morrison, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50mm wide, between rhodamine purple and aster purple, with a rose red tube; very brilliant and floriferous. Shrub to 1.5m. Mid May. Glenn Dale (Probably never distributed)

(a) **'Etna'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: W.C. Hage & Co., N: W.C. Hage & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rose red. Kurume

(r) **'Etna'** (Syn. of 'Lady Rosebery Etna')

(r) **Etna Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group (s) × Vanessa Group H: Lord Aberconway (1930), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls magenta red

(a) **'Etoile de Belgique'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Etoile de Noël' I: A. Haerens (1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double (average of 0.16 stamens), star-shaped, strong purplish red (58B). Lvs brownish green. Midseason. Indian

(r) **'Etoile de Flandre'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1853), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light rose, with a dark eye, spotted with chocolate. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Etoile de Gand'** (Syn. of 'L'Etoile de Gand')

(a) **'Etoile de Gentbrugge'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. de Kneef (1893), INC: ICRA (1958)

Fls double, lively carmine red, tinged salmon and with a dark carmine red blotch. Indian

(a) **'Etoile de Hollande'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, 80-100mm wide, orange-red; deeper orange than 'Hollandia'. Syn: 'Salvia'. Indian

(a) **'Etoile de Noel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Président Adolphe d'Haene' × 'Le Flambeau' I: A. Haerens (1907), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright red, with a dark blotch. Indian

(r)**Etoile de Plessis** Parentage unknown L: W. Paul & Son (1908), INC: ICRA (1958) Fl. large, bright rosy lake

(r) **'Etoile des Jardin'** cv. Parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (pre 1864), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Etoile de Sleidinge'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a *ponticum* hybrid R: K. van Herzeele (1960), N: K. van Herzeele Fls 11-25/compact, conical truss, 50-75mm wide, purplish rose, with white in the throat and strong dark red markings on the dorsal lobe. Shrub to 4.0m or more. Late May-mid June

(a) **'Etoile de Somerghem'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1907), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, dark red, tinged purple and with a very dark blotch. Indian

(r) **'Etoile de Villiers'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Vervaene (1864), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Etoile du Plessis-Piquet'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J.P. Martin & Hijos (1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft rose, paling towards the edges

(a) **'Etoile Frisée'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, with wavy-edged lobes, dark rose. Indian

(r) **Etos Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Eros Group (s) × *thomsonii* H: Lord Aberconway (1934), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red

(r) **'Etta Burrows'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fusilier Group (s) × *strigillosum* H: H.L. Larson, G: H.L. Larson, N: H.L. Larson, I: H.L. Larson, REG: H.L. Larson (1964) Fls up to 30/rounded truss, campanulate, 50 × 75mm, blood red (820), slightly spotted. Lvs up to 225 × 50mm, with a loose, brownish indumentum. Shrub to 1.9m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Etzel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Everestianum' (s) × 'Everestianum' R: T.J.R. Seidel, N: T.J.R. Seidel (1903), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale carmine pink, with a little lilac and light green markings. (Raised from seed sown 1895)

(r) **'Euan Cox'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *hanceanum* Nanum Group × *ludlowii* H: E.H.M. Cox, G: Glendoick Gardens, N: Glendoick Gardens, I: Glendoick Gardens (c 1975), REG: GlendoickGardens (1982) Fls 3/domed, more-or-less compact truss, campanulate, 25 × 35mm, light greenish yellow (3C-D), dorsal lobes spotted moderate reddish orange (178D). Shrub 0.7m. *AM 1981

(r) **Eucamp Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* × 'Empress Eugénie' R: E.J.P. Magor (1918), N: E.J.P. Magor, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cream

(r) **Euchaites Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. neriiflorum* subsp. *euchaites*

(a) **'Eucharis'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ivory' (s) × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, 75mm wide, with very wavy-edged margins, white, with a chartreuse blotch. Shrub to 1.0m. Mid May. *HC 1984. Glenn Dale

(r) **Euchelia Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *forrestii* Repens Group hybrid H: Lord Aberconway (1928), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls fleshy, bright, deep crimson or blood red. AM 1935

(r) **'Euclid'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy red, spotted. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Eudaemon'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.R. Gowen (1829), N: J.R. Gowen, INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Published in *Botanical Register*, 1830, under t.1366, where two possible parental combinations are discussed)

(r) **'Eudich'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* (s) × *neriiflorum* subsp. *neriiflorum* Euchaites Group I: Mrs R.M. Stevenson (1953), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Eudora'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *facetum* (s) × Vanessa Group H: Lord Aberconway (1933), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 11-12/rounded truss, campanulate, up to 60 × 75mm, 5-lobed, vivid purplish red (57D), lightly spotted in the throat; stamens 10, filaments white, flushed dark pink, glandular at base, anthers mid-brown. Calyx rudimentary, red-green. Lvs ovate, up to 210 × 85mm, dark matt green above, paler and hairless below. AM 1988 (Eudora Group)

(r) **Eudora Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *facetum* (s) × Vanessa Group H: Lord Aberconway (1933), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1936), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Euganea'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls single, vivid pink. Indian (Perhaps an error for another name?)

(r) **'Eugene'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Unique' × 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague' R: E. & H.E. Greer (pre 1971), N: E. & H.E. Greer Fls in tight, rounded trusses, mid to deep coral red. Lvs deep green. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years

(a) **'Eugène de Cock'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: E. de Cock (1906), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, satin rose. Indian

(r) **'Eugène Godin'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Croux (pre 1965), N: Croux Fls in conical trusses, pale violet with a dark dorsal blotch; lobes wavy-edged. Midseason

(a) **'Eugène Lippens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1876), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, with long, rounded lobes, white, shaded and spotted yellow-green at the base. Indian

(a) **'Eugène Mazel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: D. Vervaene, N: D. Vervaene, I: D. Vervaene (1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, rose salmon, the dorsal lobes purple (resembling Veitch's 'Stella'). Indian

(a) **'Eugenes'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.R. Gowen (1829), N: J.R. Gowen, INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Published in *Botanical Register*, 1830, under t.1366, where two possible parental combinations are discussed)

(r) **'Eugenia'** cv. Parentage unknown L: R. Veitch & Son (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear pink, unspotted.

(a) **'Eugénie'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Verschaffelt (pre 1855), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blood red, shaded crimson. Ghent

(r) **'Eugenie'** (Syn. of 'Eugenie I')

(r) **'Eugenie'** (Syn. of 'Mariloo Eugenie')

(r) **'Eugenie I'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1862), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls almost pure white, with fine purple-red, almost black spots. Syn: 'Eugenie'

(a) **'Eugenie Shaw'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *scabrum* f. *coccineum* (s) × 'Fascination' (Harris) H: J.A. Shaw (1988), G: Bok Tower Gardens (1990), N: Bok Tower Gardens (2002), REG: Bok Tower Gardens (2002) Fls 3/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 60 × 85mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, a 25mm wide band of strong red (47B) at margins, changing to light pink (50D) inside and out. Calyx 8mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Lvs elliptic, 55 × 25mm, margins downcurved, slightly twisted, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and dark yellowish green (139A) above, moderate yellow-green (146B) below, with sparse, deep orange-yellow (163A) hairs above and below. Shrub 1.1 × 1.8m in 8 years. Mid-late March

(r) **Euking Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Empress Eugénie' × 'Mrs Kingsmill' R: E.J.P. Magor (1918), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear lemon yellow, with faint red spotting.

(a) **'Eulalie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: unknown (pre 1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush, dorsal lobes with numerous carmine spots. Indian (Exhibited by Todman, 1862)

(a) **'Eulalie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Camellia Lodge Nursery (1967) Fls single, pale lavender pink, muted with white. Lvs edged white and pale green. Indian

(a) **'Eulalie van Geert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. van Geert, N: A. van Geert, I: A. van Geert (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, 65mm wide, rose red, paler at edges (the dorsal margin completely white), carmine red blotch; stamens 10. Early. Indian (SCC 1865)

(a) **'Eulalie van Geert Panaché'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. de Cock (1871), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Probably the 'Eulalie van Geert Folius Variegatus' (sic), listed by A. van Geert, 1874)

(r) **'Eulalie Wagner'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'J.H. van Nes' (s) × 'Loderi King George' H: H. Lem, G: H. Lem, I: C.P. Fawcett (1962), REG: C.P. Fawcett (1974) Fls up to 12/truss, 75 × 115mm, funnel-shaped, with 7 recurved lobes, fuchsine pink (627/2-627/1), with darker veins. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 65mm, dark green. Shrub under 1.9m

(r) **Eulo Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Eudora Group (s) × Loderi Group H: Lord Aberconway (1937), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink. Syn: Neptune Group

(a) **'Eunice Ann'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Elsie Pratt' (s) × 'Cecile' H: M.C. Pratt (1977), G: M.C. Pratt (1982), N: M.C. Pratt, REG: M.C. Pratt (1984) Fls 8-10/truss, 70-75 × 80-100mm, tubular funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, deep purplish pink (55A), paler at centre of lobes, throat and dorsal blotch strong orange (24A); 1-3 stamens partially petaloid. Calyx 1-3mm long, green. Lvs lanceolate, c120 × 40mm. Knap Hill

(a) **'Eunice Updike'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Louise Gable' × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' H: R.D. Gartrell (1960), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell (1973), REG: R.D. Gartrell (1977) Fls hose-in-hose, (6 lobes/whorl) and irregularly double (with petaloid stamens), broadly funnel-shaped, 35-55mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink (43C) without blotch or spots. Calyx 4mm long, green. Spring lvs elliptic, 30 × 15mm, glossy. Shrub of dense habit, 0.45 × 0.9m in 15 years. Late May-early June. Syn: 'Mrs Updike' (Robin Hill no.U22-2)

(r) **'Eunicie Claris'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Loderi Group (s) × 'Naomi Pink Beauty' H: R.C. Gordon, G: R.C. Gordon, N: R.C. Gordon, REG: R.C. Gordon (1984) Fls 9-10/truss, 50 × 100-120mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, carmine rose (621/1), fading to 621/3, with two faint red lines in dorsal throat; fls scented. Calyx 4mm long, green-pink. Lvs oblong-elliptic, 160-200 × 50-60mm, hairless. Resembles a compact Loderi Group selection

(r) **'Eunie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Diny Dee' × 'Sierra del Oro' H: J.A. Davis (1983), G: J.A. Davis

(1988), N: J.A. Davis, I: J.A. Davis (1991), REG: J.A. Davis (1991) Fls 10-12/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 70 × 102mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, light yellow (10B in centre, 10C on edges) with a dark red (187A) blotch (25 × 38mm) in throat below dorsal lobe and with specks of same colour extending towards the margins; stamens 13, slightly curved, unequal; pedicels 38mm long, green, tinged red near apex. Lvs ovate, 114-127 × 51mm, flat, mucronate at apex, rounded at base, dull, moderate olive green (137B) above, moderate yellow-green (147C) below, hairless; petioles 25mm long, moderate yellow-green (139C). Shrub 1.1 × 0.9m in 7 years. Early May

(r) **'Euphemia'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white, with a fine eye

(r) **Eupheno Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × *sperabile* H: Lord Aberconway (1928), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red

(r) **'Euphrosyne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* × Loderi Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1923), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c12/truss, very large, bright carmine pink, spotted with small, crimson dots. April-May. AM 1923 (Euphrosyne Group)

(r) **Euphrosyne Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* × Loderi Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1923), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Euphrosyne Ruby'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* (blood red form) (s) × Loderi Group I: Sir Edmund Loder, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy red. (Euphrosyne Group)

(a) **'Euprepes'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.R. Gowen (1829), N: J.R. Gowen, INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Published in *Botanical Register*, 1830, under t.1366, where two possible parental combinations are discussed)

(a) **'Euratom'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably 'Apollo' × 'Hexe' R: A. Gijselinck, I: H. Buyle (1957), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single (average of 7 stamens), hose-in-hose, strong purplish red (58B). Calyx coloured as corolla. Late. Triploid. Indian

(a) **'Eureka'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* × 'Snow' R: USDA, N: USDA (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 3-5/truss, 40-45mm wide, lavender pink. Lvs dark, glossy green. Kurume (Derived from the work of G.E. Yerkes & R.L. Pryor)

(a) **'Eureka'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls double, c3/truss, 100mm wide, lilac pink, edged white. Shrub 0.6-1.0m

(r) **'Eureka'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* (s) × *hookeri* R: L. de Rothschild (1937), N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 15-18/spherical truss, 50 × 65mm, narrowly funnel-shaped, blood red, spotted with dark brown. Lvs elliptic-oblong, 150 × 50mm, dull green, hairless. Compact shrub. April. AM 1939 (Eureka Group)

(r) **Eureka Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* (s) × *hookeri* R: L. de Rothschild (1937), N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1939), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Eureka Everlasting'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1985) Fls semi-double, 75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, red. Indian

(v) **'Eureka Gold'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *aurigeranum* G: G.L.S. Snell (1985), N: G.L.S. Snell (1990), I: G.L.S. Snell (1992), REG: G.L.S. Snell (1992) Fls 10-17/full truss, campanulate, 70 × 75mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, inside vivid yellow (17C) with strong orange (26B) lobes; outside vivid yellow (17C). Lvs lanceolate, 125 × 53mm, margins upcurved, matt green, cuneate at base, acute at apex, scaly (scales silver at first, ageing to brown). Shrub 2.0 × 0.5m in 7 years. Flowering at any time of year. (Wild-collected in New Guinea by G.L.S. Snell, as ANRS 32)

(r) **'Eureka Maid'** (Syn. of 'Countess of Derby')

(a) **'Europa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Germany (pre 1968), N: Germany Fls 50mm wide, rose bengal (25)

(r) **Europa Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *ungernii* (s) × *kyawii* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy lilac

(r) **'Europa 93'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kluis Sensation' (s) × *insigne* R: R. Seleger (c 1968), I: J. Wieting (1993) Fls in a compact truss, dark red, with a black blotch

(r) **Euryalus Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Nereid Group (s) × *griersonianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1930), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red

(r) **'Eurydice'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* subsp. *cinnamomeum* var. *album* (s) × Loderi Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c15/truss, funnel-shaped, delicately tinged pale rosy pink, with a crimson blotch. Lvs oblanceolate, dark green above, hairless. April. AM 1939 (Eurydice Group)

(r) **Eurydice Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* subsp. *cinnamomeum* var. *album* (s) × Loderi Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1939), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Euterpe'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. van Geert (1877), INC: ICRA (1958)

Fls pale nankeen yellow, shaded cerise, with an orange blotch. Ghent

(r) **'Euterpe'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* hybrid L: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10-15/lax truss, 45-75mm wide, pale rose in bud, opening pure white, with many, small, greenish yellow to brownish spots. Early April-early May

(r) **'Euterpe'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *oreotrephes* (s) × *augustinii* I: G. Reuthe Ltd (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose

(r) **Euthom Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Empress Eugénie' × *thomsonii* H: E.J.P. Magor (1910), G: E.J.P. Magor (1919), N: E.J.P. Magor, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls a light shade of carmine shading into pink, copiously spotted with crimson

(r) **'Eutropius'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid R: J. Rinz (pre 1864), N: J. Rinz, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright crimson

(a) **'Eva'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C.B. van Nes & Sons, N: C.B. van Nes & Sons, I: C.B. van Nes & Sons (1922), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose violet. Midseason. Kaempferi

(r) **'Eva'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R.T. Pince (pre 1868), N: R.T. Pince, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large trusses, lilac white, slightly spotted. (First published in Lucombe, Pince & Co. cat., c1868)

(r) **'Eva'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Don Juan' × 'Humboldt' R: J. Dvořák (c 1978), N: J. Dvořák Fls 11-16/compact, elongate globose truss, 64mm wide, dark purple in bud (730/1-730/2), opening purple (30/2-30/1), with pronounced blotch of dark purple brown-red (931-931/2). Lvs elliptic, 135 × 55mm, dark green (0960-0960/1). Shrub 1.5m in 8 years

(r) **'Eva I'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Everestianum' × *catawbiense* R: T.J.R. Seidel, N: T.J.R. Seidel (1903), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vivid rose (2.5RP 7/8), with darker margins, wavy-edged lobes and greenish yellow spots; stigma red; styles and stamens pink. (Raised from seed sown 1897)

(a) **'Eva Goude'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls sulphur yellow; scented. Midseason. Knap Hill

(a) **'Evangeline'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Alice' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3/truss, 65-75mm wide, amaranth pink (deep purplish pink, 72D), with tyrian rose dots in the blotch area. Semi-deciduous shrub to 2.2m. Late April-early May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Evangeline'** (Syn. of 'Fundy')

(a) **'Evan Wimer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Nadine' H: O.S. Pride, G: O.S. Pride, N: O.S. Pride, I: O.S. Pride (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple

(r) **'Eva Rebecca'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Polar Bear Group × 'Autumn Gold' H: A.J. Holden (1967), G: A.J. Holden, N: A.J. Holden, I: A.J. Holden, REG: A.J. Holden (1979) Fls up to 10/lax truss, 100mm wide, 7-lobed, moderate reddish orange (42D) in bud, opening with apical 1/3 of corolla light orange (28D) shading to pale yellow (19C) in basal 2/3, with moderate orange (171C) spotting on dorsal lobe. Lvs 185 × 50mm. Shrub under 1.0m

(r) **'Eva Schmick'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goldsworth Yellow' × *wardii* × *wardii* (form once known as *R. astrocalyx*) H: H. Schmick (1978), G: H. Schmick (1987), N: H. Schmick, I: H. Schmick (1989), REG: H. Schmick (1988) Fls 6-9/lax truss, funnel-campanulate, 40 × 60-70mm, 5-lobed, pale yellow (a little deeper than 'Goldsworth Yellow') with a brownish red blotch at base of dorsal throat. Lvs elliptic, 88 × 42mm, acute to cuspidate at apex, rounded at base. Shrub 0.75 × 0.8m in 9 years. May

(r) **'Eva Stockman'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vicki Reine' (s) × 'Van Nes Sensation' H: M. Stockman (1989), G: M. & H. Stockman (1996), N: H. Stockman (1996), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1997) Fls double (camellia-like, with the petaloid stamens forming an inner corolla c90mm wide), 7-10/tight ball truss, saucer-shaped, 55 × 100mm, with 7 smooth-edged lobes per whorl, moderate purplish pink (70D) inside with deep purplish pink (70C) margins, outside deep purplish pink (70C) with broad bands of deep purplish pink (73A) on midribs; some vestigial anthers present. Calyx c3mm long, lime green. Lvs oblong, 125 × 40mm, flat, acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.7 × 0.8m in 7 years. Late May

(a) **'Eva Zaner'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid, see *The Azalean* 4 (1):1-5 (1982) for details of parentage R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith Fls 75mm wide, between strong and moderate purplish pink (68B-C), edged white. Shrub 1.2m in 7 years

(r) **'Evcor'** (Syn. of 'Everitt's Coral Bell'. Sometimes seen as 'Evcore')

(a) **'Eveline'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: E. van de Cruyssen, N: E. van de Cruyssen, I: E. van de Cruyssen (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange, with white edges and carmine red spots. Indian

(r) **'Evelyn'** (Syn. of 'Evelyn Slinger')

(r) **'Evelyn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: un-named Moser selection (red, with black blotch) (s) × *griffithianum* R: C. Noble (pre 1860), N: C. Noble, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white, with a bronze blotch. (The 1958 Register also links L. de Rothschild with this name: perhaps another plant is involved)

(r) **'Evelyn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi Venus' (s) × 'Britannia' R: R. Henny (1944), N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny (pre 1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a loose

truss, funnel-campanulate, 100mm wide, blush pink and white. Lvs 175 × 90-100mm. Shrub up to 2.0m

(r) **'Evelyn Adair'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J.H. Mangles (pre 1884), REG: Lady Adam Gordon (1984) Fls c9/loose, domed truss, funnel-campanulate, 55-60 × 70-95mm, vivid purplish red (57C-D) on tube outside, paling to lobe edges, suffused vivid purplish red (57D) inside especially towards sinuses and in throat, colour mostly in veins at edges, central white stripe on lobes, edges eventually paling to white; limited dorsal lobe spotting of deep red (60A). Calyx up to 8mm long, irregular red. Lvs elliptic to oblong-elliptic, up to 150 × 53mm, shiny and pale to mid green above, hairless below

(a) **'Evelyn Hart'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nellie' (s) × 'Opal' H: G.A. Reid (1970), G: G.A. Reid (1974), N: G.A. Reid, I: G.A. Reid (1982), REG: G.A. Reid (1984) Fls hose-in-hose and double, 3-5/truss, 25 × 30mm, 16-20-lobed, strong purplish pink (68B), unmarked; no stamens. Calyx 20mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs obovate to oblanceolate or elliptic, 25-30 × 10-20mm, ciliate, sparsely setose. Shrub 1.0m in 12 years

(a) **'Evelyn Hyde'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* × unknown H: W.G.T. Hyde (1964), G: W.G.T. Hyde, N: W.G.T. Hyde, I: W.G.T. Hyde (1970), REG: Woodlands Nursery Gardens (1982) Fls 5/domed, compact truss, campanulate, 35 × 25mm, nearest strong purplish pink (63C), margins rimmed slightly darker, dorsal lobes spotted strong purplish red (63A). Lvs 40 × 20mm, mid dull green above. Shrub 1.1m. *HC 1981

(a) **'Evelynii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Evelyn Maranville'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lemon Custard' (s) × 'Hotei' H: W. Elliott (1966), G: B.F. Heuston (1972), N: B.F. Heuston, REG: B.F. Heuston (1995) Fls 10-12/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, light greenish yellow (7D), shading to pale yellow (8D) at margins, with a small red flare in the throat; stamens 12, straight, unequal. Pedicels 38mm long, moderate red (47A). Lvs ovate, 127 × 51mm, concave, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairless; petioles 25mm long, moderate yellow-green (147B). Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years. Mid April-mid May

(r) **'Evelyn's Favorite'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *lindleyi* G: H. Vaartnou (1975), N: H Vaartnou, REG: H. Vaartnou (1991) Fls 6-10/flat truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 76 × 102mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, white, with a golden yellow throat and pink stripes on the outside of each lobe; stamens 10, straight, unequal; style maroon brown. Calyx 13mm long, green. Pedicels 13mm long, greenish. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 102-127 × 25-38mm, flat, mucronate at apex, rounded at base, hairless above, scaly below; petioles 13mm long, green, scaly. Shrub 2.4 × 1.2m in 10 years. April-May. (Grown from seed from E. Weesjes, 1970)

(r) **'Evelyn's Joy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.G.T. Hyde (1969), G: W.G.T. Hyde (pre 1980), N: Mrs R. Legrand, I: Linwood Plants (1994), REG: Mrs R. Legrand (1994) Fls 5-7/upright, compact truss, open trumpet-shaped, 70 × 33mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, light greenish yellow (1C) in bud, opening pale yellow-green (4D), with two streaks of strong red (46A) on dorsal lobe. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 175 × 55mm, slightly wavy-edged, matt green above, oblique at base, narrowly obtuse at apex, hairless. Shrub 2.15 × 2.15m in 25 years. Early May

(r) **'Evelyn Slinger'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* hybrid H: Slieve Donard Nursery (c 1965), G: Slieve Donard Nursery, N: Slieve Donard Nursery, I: Slieve Donard Nursery, REG: E.C. Nelson (1987) Fls 8/truss, campanulate, 40 × 60mm, 5-lobed, strong red (39A) in bud, opening with inner ground colour moderate yellowish pink (33D) and with a strong red (51A) margin. Calyx 35mm long, with same colour and texture as corolla, irregularly divided. Lvs elliptic-obovate, 100 × 35mm, dull grass green above, pale below, with a sparse felted indumentum. Shrub 1.0 × 1.9m. May-June. Syn: 'Evelyn' (Originally introduced as 'Evelyn')

(a) **'Evelyn Utick'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: M.E. Greentree (pre 1977), N: M.E. Greentree Fls single, mauve, with a mottled throat. Kurume

(r) **'Evelyn Woods'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vivacious' (s) × 'Scarlet Blast' H: A.W. Smith, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls dark and deep red (187A, 53A) in bud, opening deep and vivid red (53A, 45A) with dark red (187A) dorsal spots; anthers pale greenish yellow (10D). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(a) **'Evenglow'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: E. de Rothschild (c 1980), N: E. de Rothschild Fls dark orange. (Solent Group)

(r) **'Evening'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *hodgsonii* (s) × 'Muriel' R: Sir Giles Loder, N: Sir Giles Loder, I: Sir Giles Loder (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) (Evening Group)

(r) **Evening Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *hodgsonii* (s) × 'Muriel' R: Sir Giles Loder, N: Sir Giles Loder, I: Sir Giles Loder (1950), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Evening Fragrance'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1996)

(a) **'Evening Glow'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *japonicum* × *molle* subsp. *molle* I: M. Koster & Sons (1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, deep red. Mollis

(a) **'Evening Glow'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Carlson's Gardens (1977) Fls pale pink, tinged light yellow, with a yellow throat. Knap Hill

(a) **'Evening Glow'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Carlson's Gardens (1985) Fls hose-in-hose, coral pink. Kurume

(r) **'Evening Glow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × Fabia Group R: T. van Veen, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 7-11/lax truss, 90mm wide, light yellow, with a deeper yellow centre and with a prominent yellow calyx. Lvs 165 × 55mm. Shrub to at least 1.8m

(r) **'Evening Sky'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Blue Diamond' × *minus* Carolinianum Group H: L. Hancock (pre 1978)

(a) **'Evening Star'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt, I: E.A. Merritt (c 1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, light coppery pink. Kurume

(a) **'Evening Star'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (pre 1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, white, shaded violet. Coolidge

(r) **'Evening Star'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white with a large dark eye

(a) **'Evensong'** cv. Evergreen azalea: an orange form of *indicum* (s) × 'Momozono' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 45-55mm wide, rose, with an inconspicuous tyrian rose blotch. Shrub to 1.5m. Late April-mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Evensong'** (Syn. of 'May Time')

(r) **Eventide Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × Sunrise Group H: Lord Aberconway (1931), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pinkish rose

(a) **'Everbloom'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: UK (1988) (Galle (1987) lists, without a description, an evergreen azalea with this name raised by O.S. Pride)

(r) **'Everchoice'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Probably a hybrid of two Dexter hybrids R: S.A. Everitt (pre 1968) Syn: 'Everitt No. 15'

(a) **'Everest'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3-4/compact truss, 50 × 75mm, very open funnel-shaped, white, with a pale greenish yellow blotch. Lvs 40 × 30mm, mid dull green. Shrub to 1.5m, but often much less. Midseason. *HC 1974. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Everestianum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(r) **'Everestianum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1850), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 15-20/hemispherical truss, flattish or broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 70-80mm, with wavy-edged lobes, lilac, paler in centre, with a ray of yellowish green markings. Calyx inconspicuous. Lvs oblong-elliptic to oblong-obovate, c110 × 50mm, deep glossy green above. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years

(a) **'Everest White'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1988)

(r) **'Everett Christopher'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from open-pollinated, un-named Dexter hybrid G: J.J. McGuire (1965), S: J.J. McGuire (1970), N: J.J. McGuire, I: Rhode Island Agricult.Experiment Station (1989), REG: J.J. McGuire (1989) Fls 9-12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 70 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (67C). Calyx 0.5mm long, green. Lvs ovate, 48 × 24mm, concave, cuspidate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 3.0 × 2.4m in 10 years. Mid-late May

(a) **'Everett Hershey'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: R. & E. Hershey (pre 1985), N: R. & E. Hershey Fls hose-in-hose, rose pink

(a) **'Everglow'** cv. Deciduous azalea: primarily of *prunifolium* parentage R: E.V. Mezitt (pre 1988), N: E.V. Mezitt Fls dark orange-red. Foliage glossy. Late July-August

(r) **'Everglow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × *arboreum* (red form) H: O.S. Blumhardt, G: O.S. Blumhardt, N: O.S. Blumhardt, I: O.S. Blumhardt, REG: O.S. Blumhardt (1984) Fls 12-14/truss, 50-60 × 60-80mm, broadly funnel-campanulate, 5-lobed, currant red (821/2), with brown flecks in throat. Calyx 1mm long, red. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 100-150 × 20-35mm; young foliage with a grey indumentum. Long flowering period

(r) **'Everitt Miller'** cv. Parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), N: Planting Fields Arboretum (pre 1978)

(r) **'Everitt No. 7'** (Syn. of 'Charlestown')

(r) **'Everitt No. 15'** (Syn. of 'Everchoice')

(r) **'Everitt No.21'** (Syn. of 'Dexter's Honeydew')

(r) **'Everitt's Coral Bell'** cv. Parentage unknown H: S.A. Everitt (pre 1980) Syn: 'Evcore', 'Evcor'

(r) **'Everitt's Hardy Mauve'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a hybrid of subsect. *Fortunea* H: C.O. Dexter, G: S.A. Everitt, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls mauve

(r) **'Everything Nice'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Comstock' × 'Unique' H: H.E. Greer (1968), G: H.E. Greer (1972), N: H.E. Greer, I: Greer Gardens (1978), REG: H.E. Greer (1989) Fls 6-10/ball truss, campanulate, 64 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (62D), edged strong purplish pink (62A). Calyx 13-25mm long, pale purplish pink (62D), lobes reflexed. Lvs oblong, 127 × 51mm, concave, with wavy margins, apiculate at apex, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 10 years. Early April. (First published in *Greer's Guidebook to Available Rhododendrons* (1982))

(a) **'Evonne'** (Syn. of 'Southern Aurora')

(a) **'Evonne Goolagong'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: R.M. Davidson (c 1994)

(r) **'Ewingii'** cv. Parentage unknown L: T. Methven & Son (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white with a green eye and spotted

(a) **'Exactly Like You'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, bright rose red, with an orange flare covering the dorsal lobe. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Late June

(a) **'Exaltatum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent ?

(r) **'Exalted Ruler'** cv. Parentage unknown I: M.W. Lyons (1971), REG: M.W. Lyons (1971) Fls 20/truss, light violet, with a maroon blotch. Lvs ovate, 190 × 50mm, acute. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. Early June

(r) **Exburiense Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *sanguineum* subsp. *didymum* (s) × *kyawii* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls campanulate, waxy, very dark red. Lvs very dark green, rather hairy. Shrub of loose, spreading habit. July-August

(r) **'Exbury'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *lutescens* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear lemon yellow. FCC 1938

(r) **'Exbury'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from *praestans* R: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1963), REG: E. de Rothschild (1963) Fls 32/globular, tightly-packed truss, campanulate, 50 × 65mm, a translucent shade of very pale yellow, a few flowers tinged magenta (27/2) when young, throat with a ruby red (827) blotch. Lvs 250 × 100mm. AM 1963

(r) **'Exbury Albatross'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × Loderi Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10-13/truss, 70-80 × 120-130mm, broadly funnel-shaped, deep pink in bud, opening slightly blush pink, with a freckled brownish ray in throat. Calyx a ciliate rim. Lvs elliptic, up to c175 × 70mm, dark green above, hairless below. FCC 1935 (Albatross Group)

(r) **'Exbury Angelo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* R: L. de Rothschild (pre 1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c12/truss, flattish funnel-shaped, 90 × 140mm, 7-lobed, pale blush pink outside at first, becoming white, with pale green spots inside. Lvs oblanceolate, 175mm long, matt green above. Large tree-like shrub. May-June. FCC 1947 (Angelo Group)

(r) **'Exbury Antonio'** (Syn. of 'Antonio' (i.e. the AM clone))

(a) **'Exbury Apricot'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, strong orange-yellow, with an orange blotch, paling with age to flesh pink with a deeper flush. Knap Hill

(r) **'Exbury Calstocker'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *calophytum* (s) × 'Doctor Stocker' R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 25/large, domed truss, campanulate, 75 × 95mm, pink in bud, opening white, marked with a maroon blotch on the dorsal lobes. Lvs elliptic, c225mm long. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. AM 1948, FCC 1990 (Calstocker Group)

(r) **'Exbury Cornish Cross'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* (s) × *griffithianum* (FCC form) R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep crimson in bud, opening to crimson (in varying depths of colour), with a slight bloom externally and with small dark nectar pouches at base. A large, open shrub. March-April. AM 1935 (Cornish Cross Group)

(a) **'Exbury Cream-yellow'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale yellow. Knap Hill

(a) **'Exbury Crimson'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Carlson's Gardens (1977) Fls red. Knap Hill

(r) **'Exbury Fabia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* (s) × *griersonianum* R: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls apricot yellow, flushed salmon pink (largest of the Fabia Group). Lvs deep matt green above, with a tawny indumentum below. Shrub 1.9-2.56m. May-June. (Fabia Group)

(r) **'Exbury Hawk'** (Syn. of 'Hawk')

(r) **'Exbury Isabella'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* (s) × *auriculatum* R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, white, sweetly scented. Tall, dense shrub. June-July. (Isabella Group)

(r) **'Exbury Jasper'** (Syn. of Jasper Group)

(a) **'Exbury Kathleen'** (Syn. of 'Kathleen')

(r) **'Exbury Lady Chamberlain'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* Roylei Group (s) × Royal Flush Group (orange form) R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a loose, semi-pendulous truss, tubular-campanulate, orange or yellow, overlaid with salmon orange. Lvs ovate-lanceolate, dark green. April-May. FCC 1931 (Lady Chamberlain Group)

(r) **'Exbury Matador'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × *strigillosum* R: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls wide open, brilliant scarlet. Lvs dark green, with a buff indumentum below. Loose, open shrub, April-May. (Matador Group; takes after seed rather than pollen parent)

(r) **'Exbury May Day'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *haematodes* (s) × *griersonianum* R: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in diffuse trusses, brilliant scarlet. Lvs matt green, with a pale buff indumentum below. May. (May Day Group)

(r) **'Exbury Merlin'** (Syn. of 'Hawk Merlin')

(r) **'Exbury Naomi'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Aurora Group × *fortunei* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 14/compact, globular truss, funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, deep cerise in bud, opening biscuit-coloured, tinged with lilac pink; style and filaments green. Lvs 1-15 × 50-55mm, mid dull green. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. *HC 1968, AM 1933 Syn: 'Naomi' (Naomi Group)

(a) **'Exbury Pink'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep pink, with a small, orange blotch. Knap Hill

(r) **'Exbury Pink'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *davidsonianum* R: unknown (pre 1990) (Grown for many years in New Zealand, presumably originally from Exbury (UK))

(r) **'Exbury Red Cap'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *sanguineum* subsp. *didymum* (s) × *facetum* R: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep crimson. June

(a) **'Exbury Salmon-orange'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls reddish orange. Knap Hill

(r) **'Exbury Souldis'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *souliei* (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls funnel to bowl-shaped, white, with a crimson blotch; pink in bud; lobes notched. Tall, compact shrub. May. (Souldis Group)

(r) **'Exbury Spinulosum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *spinuliferum* (s) × *racemosum* R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a compound inflorescence of up to 30, tubular-campanulate, 25 × 13mm, 5-lobed, scarlet (19/1), passing to crimson with age. Lvs oblanceolate, 75 × 20mm, glossy dark green above and overlaid bronze in centre, midrib scaly below. Loose shrub. April. AM 1948 (Spinulosum Group)

(a) **'Exbury White'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, white, with an orange-yellow blotch and a slight pinkish tinge on the tube externally. Knap Hill

(r) **'Exbury White'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *williamsianum* L: UK (1988)

(a) **'Exbury Yellow'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vivid greenish yellow, with an orange blotch. Knap Hill

(r) **'Excalibur'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lem's Cameo' (s) × 'Pink Petticoats' H: J.G. Lofthouse (1976), G: J.G. Lofthouse, I: J.G. Lofthouse (1981), REG: J.G. Lofthouse (1983) Fls 28-32/truss, 45 × 70mm, open funnel-shaped, 6-lobed, vivid purplish red (57C) at edges, shading to pale purplish pink (65D) in centre of lobes and in throat, with a conspicuous 57C ray down centre of each lobe and a star-shaped blotch between vivid red (57A) & moderate purplish red (58A) in the throat. Calyx less than 7mm long, pale rose. Lvs lanceolate, 165 × 70mm, mid green, hairless. Shrub c1.0m in 6 years

(a) **'Excellence'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white, with straw yellow dorsal lobes. Ghent (In some later listings (*e.g.* 1894) given as 'Excellente' by van Houtte)

(r) **'Excellence'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Excellence')

(a) **'Excellens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1849), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Excellent'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1870), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Exhibited by B.S. Williams, 1870)

(a) **'Excellenta'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1912), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with slightly wavy-edged lobes, red. Indian

(a) **'Excellente'** (See note under 'Excellence')

(a) **'Excelsior'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1866), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep purplish rose (Veitch, 1867). Indian (Listed from Walton's Nurseries, 1866)

(a) **'Excelsior'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls appleblossom pink. Mollis

(a) **'Excelsior'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J.B. Haerens & Sons (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very double, with strongly wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish orange (42A). Calyx normal, green. Indian

(a) **'Excelsior'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Mother's Day' × unknown I: A. van Hecke (pre 1987) Lvs large, red (purplish in autumn). Kaempferi

(r) **'Excelsior'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Fisher, Son & Sibray (1898), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a dark blotch

(v) **'Excelsior'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *javanicum* × 'Princess Royal' R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1891), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) FCC 1882

(a) **'Excelsum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1840), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink. Ghent (Probably the plant listed by G. Morlet in *Horticulture Français*, 1854: 107-111)

(a) **'Excelsum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Smith (pre 1849), N: Smith, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Excelsum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as an *arboreum* hybrid L: A. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(a) **'Excelsum Roseum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) (A hardy azalea)

(a) **'Excelsum Superbum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Smith (pre 1849), N: Smith, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Exhibition'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958). Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Eximium'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: P. Verleeuwen (1835), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (A confused epithet. Waterer (Bagshot) (1865) listed a 'Calendulaceum Eximium' (reddish orange); A.Leroy (1868) an 'Eximia', under *Azalea nudiflora* (crimson); L.Jacob-Makoy (1851) a 'Ponticum Eximium' *q.v.*; cf also 'Cupreum Eximium')

(a) **'Eximium'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Smith (pre 1846), N: Smith, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls spotted crimson. Indian

(r) **'Eximium'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1847), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy crimson, with dark spots. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Eximium Novum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1858), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as a parent of 'Comte de Gomer')

(a) **'Eximium Superbum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1847), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Exminster'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* (s) × *campylocarpum* R: R.B. Fox (pre 1912), N: R. Veitch & Son, I: R. Veitch & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls campanulate, cream, heavily flushed pink. AM 1923 (Exminster Group)

(r) **Exminster Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* (s) × *campylocarpum* R: R.B. Fox (pre 1912), N: R. Veitch & Son, I: R. Veitch & Son, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **Exoniense Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *ciliatum* (s) × *veitchianum* R: R. Veitch & Son (pre 1881), N: R. Veitch & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls creamy white, marked rose. Dwarf habit. FCC 1881

(r) **'Exotic'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi King George' (s) × un-named seedling (Ostbo no.3) R: Bovees Nursery (c 1950), N: Bovees Nursery (1961), I: Bovees Nursery (1961), REG: Bovees Nursery (1961) Fls 10-12/truss, to 115mm wide, red, blended with yellow and pink (effect is 2.5R 8/5-2.5R 4/10); scented. Outside of calyx moderate yellow-green (2.5GY 5/5). Lvs 210 × 65mm, dark green. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Exotica'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1996) (Listed as a parent of 'Oregon Expressions')

(a) **'Expansum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1846), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple rose, tinged with pink; dorsal lobe purplish, spotted. Indian

(r) **'Expansum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep lake, centre white, with reddish brown spots. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Explorer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Belgium, REG: ICRA (1968) Fls single, 30mm wide, carmine rose with a tyrian rose (24/1) centre. Compact shrub. Midseason. (Said to be an old variety, grown in Boskoop, The Netherlands, but perhaps the Kaempferi azalea said to have been introduced by A. van Hecke (pre 1969) and given as an 'Hinomayo' hybrid)

(a) **'Express'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pure orange. Indian

(a) **'Exquisetum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Iveryanum' × 'Criterion' R: W. Smith (c 1844), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose red, with stripes of a lighter shade and with dark spots. Indian

(a) **'Exquisetum Rubrum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Dallière (1852), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Exquisite'** (Syn. of 'Exquisitum')

(a) **'Exquisite'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown N: H.A. Dreer (pre 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, phlox pink (625). Kurume (Introduced to USA by Domoto Bros, sold by Bobbink & Atkins, 1920s; original name lost)

(a) **'Exquisite'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: uncertain, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet and orange. Ghent (Perhaps raised at Knap Hill or by M. Koster & Sons; probably the 'Exquisitum' of J. van Geert (1842) and other early listings)

(r) **'Exquisite'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1875), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with buff spots. Hardy Hybrid

(v) **'Exquisite'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *javanicum* var. *javanicum* × *javanicum* var. *teysmannii* R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1899), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c75mm wide, with a short tube, light fawn yellow, with a tinge of rose pink in the centre of each lobe; anthers crimson. Habit and foliage of var. *javanicum*. AM 1899

(a) **'Exquisitum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Knight & Perry (1845), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet pink, with red spots and white edges. Syn: 'Exquisite'

(a) **'Exquisitum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: M. Koster & Sons (1901), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12-25/compact, domed truss, long funnel-

shaped, 50-55 × 50-55mm, creamy white, with soft flush of amber yellow (505/2) and blotched saffron yellow (7/1); lobes wavy-edged. Lvs 100 × 40mm, light to mid glossy green. Shrub to at least 1.5 × 2.2m. Late May. *AM 1950, *FCC 1968. Occidentale

(r) **'Exquisitum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with conspicuous dorsal spotting

(a) **'Exquisitum Album'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1847), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white, unspotted. Indian

(a) **'Exquisitum Grandiflorum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Verschaffelt (1861), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Exquisitum Pallidum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. van Geert (1852), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Exquisitum Roseum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls flesh pink. (Exhibited in France by C. Michel (1852))

(r) **'Extra Dividend'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scintillation' (s) × 'Mary Garrison' H: W.L. Rhein (1977), G: W.L. Rhein (1982), I: W.L. Rhein, REG: Rhein Registration Committee (1996) Fls 8-9/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (56D) with moderate purplish pink (65A) longitudinal markings inside and out and with moderate orange-yellow (168D) spotting on the dorsal lobe; stamens 12, curved, equal; stigma strong red (46A). Calyx minute. Pedicels 25mm long, light yellow-green (145B), flushed moderate reddish brown (174A) above. Lvs narrowly obovate, 90-125 × 40-60mm, flat, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, moderate olive green (147A) and dull above, moderate yellow-green (147C) below, hairless; petioles 25mm long, dark greenish yellow (152C). Shrub 2.0 × 2.9m in 18 years. Mid May

(a) **'Extranei'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Knight (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet rose. Indian (Probably the same plant listed by A. Verschaffelt, 1851)

(a) **'Extra Nova'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1835), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Extrante'** cv. Evergreen azalea: possibly an 'Amoenum' hybrid L: B. Chandler & Son (1984) Fls hose-in-hose, purple

(r) **'Extraordinaire'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Gold Medal' × 'Olin O. Dobbs' I: H.E. Greer (1994) Fls 125mm wide, rose pink in bud, opening with pink edges, a dark garnet red flare on dorsal lobes and soft yellow centre to ventral lobes; ages to creamy pink with a garnet red flare. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(a) **'Extravaganza'** cv. Evergreen azalea: un-named seedling (no.32629) × 'Tama-sugata' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1965) Fls single, 80-90mm wide, with broadly overlapping lobes, white, heavily striped, flaked and dotted with tyrian pink (no two fls looking alike; some sectored); small, heavy spotting in blotch area of amaranth purple. Semi-evergreen. Shrub 1.4 × 1.0m in 10 years. Noticeable autumn flowering in southern USA. Back Acres

(a) **'Exuberens'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1835), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(r) **'Exzellenz'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Caractacus' (s) × 'Britannia' R: E. Herrmann (1964), N: E. Herrmann Fls dark blood red, with slight yellow-brown markings

(r) **'Eyebright'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *burmanicum* × unknown R: L. Bublitz, N: L. Bublitz, REG: A. Duncan (1986) Fls 8/truss, 45 × 60mm, tubular funnel-shaped, light greenish yellow (4C), with a lemon yellow flare in dorsal throat; scented. Lvs elliptic, 60 × 35mm, with brown scales. Compact shrub. October (New Zealand). (Sold by Duncan & Davies as *burmanicum*)

(r) **'Eyecatcher'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Furnivall' (s) × 'Calsap' H: A.W. Smith, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls deep and strong purplish red (71A, B, C) in bud, opening deep, strong and light purplish pink (73A, B, C) and very pale purple (73D), with a pale yellow-green (4D) flare and light olive (152B) dorsal spots; filaments pale purplish pink (62D); style pale yellow-green (155A); anthers dark purplish pink (186C); stigma greyish reddish orange (176D). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(a) **'Eye Opener'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, deep pink in bud, opening salmon pink with a yellow stripe down centre of each lobe and a bright yellow flare on the dorsal lobe; slightly scented. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Mid June

(r) **'Eye Popper'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ginny Mae' (s) × 'Robert Weldon' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls moderate reddish orange (35B), deep yellowish pink (39B) and pale greenish yellow (10D) in bud, opening pale yellow (18D) edged strong yellowish pink (35C), with deep purplish red (59B) dorsal spots. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Eye Spy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Si Si' (s) × 'Goody Goody' H: W.E. Delp (1979), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 16/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 51 × 76mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong and vivid purplish red to deep

and strong purplish pink (67A-D) in bud, opening to a blend of strong, moderate, light and pale purplish pink (67D, 65A-D) and with a pale yellow-green (4D) flare and dark red (59A) spots on the 3 dorsal lobes; filaments and style deep purplish pink (58D); anthers pale orange-yellow (159B); stigma vivid reddish orange (42A). Lvs 114 × 44mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.7m in 13 years. Early June

(r) **'Eyestopper'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *macabeanum* × unknown R: G. Huthnance, N: G. Huthnance, I: G. Huthnance, REG: G. Huthnance (1980) Fls pale yellow-green (4D) fading to near white; flushed pink in bud

(a) **'Ezonishiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1978), N: Japan Fls hose-in-hose, up to 30mm wide, almost pure white, with red stripes (10RP 5/12 - 10RP 4/12). Kurume (Galle (1989) lists as Ezoishishi' which is here taken to be an error)

(a) **'Ezra J. Kraus'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Cecile' × 'Strawberry Ice' R: Beneschoen Gardens, N: Beneschoen Gardens, I: Beneschoen Gardens, REG: Beneschoen Gardens (1967) Fls up to 11/truss, up to 90mm wide, flat, with wavy-edged lobes, moderate pink (49C), tinged orange in bud; scented. Lvs 100 × 50mm. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 6 years. Midseason. Knap Hill

(v) **'Fabergé's Egg'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *intranervatum* × 'Pink Delight' × *javanicum* H: unknown, G: G.L.S. Snell (1989), N: R. Macdonald (1991), I: Foothills Nursery (1991), REG: Foothills Nursery (1992) Fls 10-14/loose truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 30 × 40mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, brilliant yellow (20A) inside and out, with a pink flush internally. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 50mm, flat, matt green, hairless. Shrub 1.0m. Spring-autumn

(r) **'Fabia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* (s) × *griersonianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1927), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c9/loose truss, funnel-shaped, 60 × 65mm, strong yellowish pink (43D), shaded orange in the throat, freely spotted pale brown especially on the dorsal lobes. Calyx lobes up to 30mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic to oblanceolate, 110 × 35mm, dull dark green above, with a fawn, suede-like indumentum below. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years. AM 1934, FCC 1989 (Fabia Group)

(r) **Fabia Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* (s) × *griersonianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1927), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1934), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Fabia High Beeches'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* (s) × *griersonianum* R: G.H. Loder, N: G.H. Loder, I: G.H. Loder (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange. Syn: 'High Beeches' (Fabia Group)

(r) **'Fabia Tangerine'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* (s) × *griersonianum* H: Lord Aberconway, G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 8/truss, funnel-shaped to campanulate, 65-75mm wide, strong red (41B) shaded to edges of lobes with deep pink (47D), strong yellowish pink (16/1) in the throat. Calyx 25mm long, petaloid. Lvs lanceolate, up to 140 × 50mm, dark green above, with a light fawn indumentum below. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years. AM 1940 Syn: 'Tangerine' (Fabia Group)

(r) **'Fabia Tower Court'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* (s) × *griersonianum* I: J.B. Stevenson (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very pale pink, scented. Syn: 'Tower Court' (Fabia Group)

(r) **'Fabia Waterer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* (s) × *griersonianum* L: UK (1988)

(a) **'Fabiola'** (Syn. of 'Hachmann's Fabiola')

(a) **'Fabiola'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Leopold-Astrid' R: G. Harmsen (1973), N: G. Harmsen (1978) Fls double, funnel-shaped, with vivid red (52A) margins (10mm broad), dark crimson to bluish rose in centre. (Differs from 'Leopold-Astrid' in its broader buds, shorter calyx teeth, larger, fuller fls and the broader carmine margin)

(r) **Fabiola Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group (s) × F.C. Puddle Group H: Lord Aberconway (1932), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(r) **Fabionis Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Adonis' (s) × Fabia Group H: Lord Aberconway (1936), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose

(r) **Fabos Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Arthur Osborn' (s) × Fabia Group R: G. Reuthe Ltd, N: G. Reuthe Ltd, I: G. Reuthe Ltd (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson

(r) **'Fabulous'** cv. Parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney, G: W.E. Whitney (1964), N: Mrs A. Sather, I: Mrs A. Sather (1980), REG: Mrs A. Sather (1986) Fls 12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 90 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (54A) in bud, opening light purplish pink (55C) at edges, shading to pale purplish pink (56C) towards centre, some fls with very slight dorsal spotting. Calyx very small. Lvs elliptic, 95 × 50mm, glossy, moderate olive green (137B), hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 10 years. Early April

(r) **'Fabulous Five'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Harrisville' (s) × 'Harrisville' H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 20/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 46 × 70mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, vivid purple (82A) in bud, opening to a blend of strong, moderate, light and very pale purple (82B-D, 84A, D) and with a sparse white flare and sparse, light yellow-green (144D) dorsal spots; filaments and style light purple (80D); anthers light purple (77D); stigma deep red (60A). Lvs 120 × 44mm,

acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.6 × 1.8m in 18 years. Early June

(r) **'Face Value'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Gosh Darn!' (s) × 'GoldMohur' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls strong and moderate reddish orange (42C, D) in bud, opening brilliant and light greenish yellow (4A, B, C), edged light pink (39D), with brownish orange (172C) dorsal spots; outside deep yellowish pink (39B). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Faggetter's Favourite'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* hybrid R: W.C. Slocock Ltd, N: W.C. Slocock Ltd, I: W.C. Slocock Ltd (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c13/compact, domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 70 × 95mm, with wavy-edged lobes, buds spinel pink (0625), opening cream, delicately flushed phlox pink (625/2), dorsal lobe speckled with bronze at the base; scented. Lvs 200 × 75mm, mid glossy green. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. AM 1933, *AM 1955

(r) **'Fairbairnii'** cv. Parentage unknown L: T. Lang & Co. (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Shrub 0.4m

(r) **'Fair Carew'** (See 'The Fair Carew')

(a) **'Fairfax'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Polar Sea' (s) × 'Debonaire' H: G.W. Ring (1977), G: G.W. Ring (1981), N: G.W. Ring, I: G.W. Ring (1984), REG: G.W. Ring (1991) Fls 1-2/truss, single (with an occasional petaloid stamen), more-or-less open funnel-shaped, 51 × 89mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (62A) at edges, shading to nearly white in centre. Calyx 6mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 51 × 25mm (summer lvs), or narrowly elliptic, 35 × 10mm (winter lvs), obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, slightly convex. Shrub 0.6 × 1.2m in 10 years, of spreading, dense habit. Mid-late May

(r) **'Fairfieldii'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W. Martin (pre 1880), N: W. Martin, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon

(r) **'Fairhaven'** cv. Parentage unknown N: Swarthmore College/Heritage Plantation (Probably raised by C.O. Dexter, pre 1943; Dexter no.44)

(r) **'Fair Helen'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1881), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with yellow spots

(r) **'Fair Lady'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* subsp. *cinnamomeum* var. *roseum* (s) × 'Loderi Venus' H: R. Henny (1942), G: R. Henny, N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny (1959), REG: L. Henny (1972) Fls 12-15/truss, funnel-campanulate, 50 × 90mm, pink (24/1), dorsal lobe flushed crimson (22/1). Lvs oblanceolate, 150-200 × 75mm, dark green, acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 2.56m in 17 years. May

(r) **'Fair Lady'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Stokes (pre 1969), N: W.E. Stokes

(r) **Fair Maiden Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Coreum Group (s) × *griersonianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1938), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(r) **'Fairmont Lodge'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ponticum Roseum' × 'H.W. Sargent' H: J.R. Higginbothom (1953), S: J.C. Wister (pre 1974), N: J.C. Wister Fls in compact trusses, rose red. Tall shrub

(r) **'Fairmont Pride'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ponticum Roseum' × 'H.W. Sargent' H: J.R. Higginbothom (pre 1953)

(r) **'Fair Rosamond'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy pink, spotted. (W. Bull (1891) lists one with this name as a "greenhouse" plant: fls delicate blush tinted, with crimped and wavy lobes)

(r) **'Fair Sky'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *augustinii* G: J.A. Barto (1929), I: C.H. Phetteplace (1966), REG: C.H. Phetteplace (1975) Fls 3/flat truss (inflorescence often with 2 terminal buds), broadly funnel-shaped, 20 × 60mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, light purplish blue (7.5PB 7/7), with strong greenish yellow spotting (10Y 8/11); outside very pale violet (10PB 8/4). Calyx 5mm long, strong yellow-green (7.5GY 6/8). Lvs elliptic to oblanceolate, 55-100 × 25mm, moderate yellow-green (5GY 5/6), with dense, yellowish brown scales below. Shrub 3.0 × 2.0m in 15 years. Early May. (Grown from wild-collected seed)

(r) **'Fairweather'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group × *yakushimanum* × 'Hello Dolly' H: E.C. Brockenbrough (1967), G: E.C. Brockenbrough, N: E.C. Brockenbrough, I: E.C. Brockenbrough (1971), REG: E.C. Brockenbrough (1974) Fls 15-16/ball truss, open campanulate, 50 × 65mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink (41D), fading to pale yellow (18D). Calyx 25-40mm long, cream. Lvs oblanceolate to narrowly elliptic, c125 × 40mm, slightly bullate, with a tan indumentum; new growth indumentum white. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 4 years. Syn: 'Seafoam'

(r) **'Fairwinds'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *dauricum* (s) × 'Marge Danik' H: W.E. Delp (1988), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls vivid reddish purple (78A) in bud, opening deep and moderate purplish pink (73A, 78D), with moderate orange-yellow (167D) and strong reddish purple (70B) dorsal spots

(a) **'Fairy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1920), N: H.A. Dreer, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 40mm wide, white, flushed pink and with a darker pink blotch. Shrub 1.2m. Early. Kurume (Imported to USA by Domoto Bros; original name lost, re-named by Dreer)

(r) **Fairy Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group (s) × Jacquetta Group H: Lord Aberconway

(1932), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright red

(r) **'Fairy Bell'** cv. Parentage unknown I: J.J. Crosfield (1935), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Fairy Bells'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Yozakura' (s) × 'Kagaribi' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, pendent, 50-65mm wide, spinel pink (strong purplish red (59D)) with a few dots of tyrian rose. Shrub to 1.9m. Mid April. Glenn Dale

(v) **'Fairy Dancer'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: natural *macgregoriae* hybrid (s) × *rubineiflorum* H: M.D. Cullinane (1988), G: M.D. Cullinane (1991), N: M.D. Cullinane, REG: M.D. Cullinane (1993) Fls 3-5/lax truss, very widely funnel-shaped, 16 × 36mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, moderate yellowish pink (38B) in bud, opening deep yellowish pink (39B); outside also 39B; unspotted. Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs ovate, 20 × 10mm, flat, obtuse at base, acute at apex, glossy green above, with a greyish scaly indumentum. Shrub 0.3 × 0.3m in 5 years of very dense habit. Repeat flowering

(r) **'Fairyland'** (Syn. of 'Loderi Fairyland')

(r) **Fairy Light Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lady Mar' (s) × *griersonianum* R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright pink. April-May. AM 1990

(a) **'Fairy Lilac'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: K. Wada (pre 1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 90mm wide, lilac, with a white base. Indian

(r) **'Fairy Mary'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *keiskei* 'Yaku Fairy' (s) × 'Mary Fleming' H: W.E. Berg (pre 1982), G: unknown, N: P.M. Waldman, I: Roslyn Nursery (1987), REG: A.R. Brooks (1997) Fls 20/multiple budded, ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 25 × 30-40mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, buds pale greenish yellow (1D), with narrow, longitudinal stripes of moderate purplish pink (65A), opening pale purplish pink (65D) inside and out, striped light purplish pink (65B) on outside ribs; with age the colour fades to pale yellow-green (155A). Calyx less than 1mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 30-50 × 15-20mm, flat, rounded at base, obtuse at apex, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, with rusty red scales (less than 0.1mm wide, dense but not touching). Shrub 0.75 × 1.1m in 15 years. Mid May

(a) **'Fairy Queen'** (Syn. of 'Aioi')

(a) **'Fairy Queen'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: K. Wezelenburg & Son (1912), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls strong yellowish pink. Midseason. Mollis

(a) **'Fairy Queen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum* × *kaempferi* R: R.P. Mayo, N: R.P. Mayo, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 50mm wide, white, flushed pink. Indian

(a) **'Fairy Queen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L.L. Brooks (pre 1985), N: L.L. Brooks Fls double, pink. Indian

(r) **'Fairy Queen'** (Syn. of 'Loderi Fairy Queen')

(r) **'Fairy Queen'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, tinged pink on margins of lobes

(a) **'Fairy Queen Variegated'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls hose-in-hose, vivid pink. Lvs variegated. Kurume (Perhaps a sport from 'Aioi')

(r) **'Fairy's Fairy'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Yaku Fairy' × *keiskei* H: J.B. Brueckner (1981), G: J.B. Brueckner (1985), N: J.B. Brueckner, REG: J.B. Brueckner (1989) Fls 3-6/lax truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 35 × 51mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light greenish yellow (1C-3D). Lvs ovate, 25 × 11mm, convex, acute at apex, rounded at base, scaly above. Shrub 0.13 × 0.31m in 8 years. Early May

(a) **'Fairy Speciosum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: natural hybrid S: W.G. & Mrs M.S. Beasley (pre 1985), N: W.G. & Mrs M.S. Beasley Fls light pink and white; slightly scented

(r) **'Fairy Tale'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: hybrid of *R.* × *detonsum* R: E.G.W.W. Harrison, N: E.G.W.W. Harrison, REG: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1964) Fls 13/compact truss, 50 × 80mm, 7-lobed, pale pink, unspotted.

(r) **'Fairytale'** (Syn. of 'Rudy's Fairytale')

(r) **'Faisa'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Achiever' (s) × *polycladum* Scintillans Group H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, I: L. Pluta, REG: J.D. Harris (1996) Fls 6/truss, open funnel-shaped, c20 × 35mm, 5-lobed, strong reddish purple (78B) in bud, opening light purple and moderate purplish pink (78C-D). Lvs 40 × 30mm, cuneate at base, broadly acute at apex. Shrub 1.5 × 1.4m in 22 years. Mid May. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer(1986))

(a) **'Faith'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Jeanette' (s) × *kaempferi* R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 75mm wide, strong purplish pink, close to deep purplish pink (64D), with a few rose dots at base of dorsal lobe, paling with age; fl. of fine rounded form with strongly overlapping lobes. Lvs nearly all deciduous. Shrub to 1.9m. Early April. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Faith Henty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Elizabeth Group × 'Earl of Athlone' H: V.J. Boulter, G: V.J. Boulter (1971), N: V.J. Boulter, I: V.J. Boulter, REG: V.J. Boulter (1978) Fls 5-7/truss, funnel-shaped, vivid red (46C). Lvs lanceolate, 100 × 25mm. Shrub 0.3-0.6m.

(r) **'Fake'** (Syn. of 'Purple Fake')

(a) **'Fakir'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Madame Moreux' × Président Comte Oswald de Kerchove' I: E. de Meyer (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, purple. Indian

(a) **'Fakir'** cv. Evergreen azalea: deep salmon form of *indicum* (s) × 'Hazel Dawson' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 75mm wide, with rounded lobes, close to strong purplish red (63B) and a conspicuous blotch of heavy, almost confluent dots close to deep purplish red (61A). Shrub to 1.2m. Mid-late May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Fal'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: F.E.W. Hanger, G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, REG: Royal Horticultural Society (1971) Fls 13-16/compact, globular truss, open funnel-shaped, 75 × 105mm, light yellow (18B) and light yellowish pink (29C), flushed strong to light yellowish pink (38A & 38C), blotch of light yellow (14D) deepening in throat to brilliant orange-yellow (23B) and with a dark pink midvein. Lvs 80 × 40mm, light green, margins tinged dark reddish purple. Shrub at least 1.3m. *HC 1971. Knap Hill

(r) **'Falcon'** cv. Parentage unknown R: G.W. Clarke (pre 1980), N: G.W. Clarke

(r) **'Falkner Allison'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Exbury Naomi' (s) × *wardii* Litiense Group H: E. de Rothschild (pre 1970), G: E. de Rothschild (pre 1980), N: E. de Rothschild (pre 1980), REG: Exbury Gardens Ltd (1996) Fls 7-10/lax, rounded truss, open funnel-shaped, 60 × 105mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (50C) in bud, opening inside light yellow-green (145C), lightening to light yellow-green (150D) and flushed light yellowish pink (36B) on lobes; outside light yellow-green (145C) at base, lightening to light yellow-green (150D), flushed pink on lobes; unspotted. Calyx 2-4mm long, green, tinged red. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 80mm, flat, matt green above, auriculate at base, rounded at apex, hairless. Shrub 4.0 × 3.0m in 40 years. May

(a) **'Fall Guy'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls yellow, with a deeper blotch; scented. Sometimes flowering in September

(a) **'Falling in Love'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, blush pink, some lobes almost white with pink edging and central vein; strongly scented. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Late June-July

(r) **'Falling Snow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Powell Glass' × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: O.S. Pride (pre 1963), G: O.S. Pride, N: O.S. Pride, I: O.S. Pride (pre 1980) Fls 12-18/truss, 45-60mm wide, slightly tinted lilac in bud, opening clear white, with small yellow markings in the throat. Lvs very dark, glossy green. Compact shrub, 0.9m in 10 years. Late May-early June

(r) **'Falstaff'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.G.T. Hyde (pre 1980), G: W.G.T. Hyde, N: Mrs R.G. Legrand (1994), I: Linwood Plants (1994), REG: Mrs R.G. Legrand (1995) Fls 12-17/rounded truss, open funnel-shaped, 60 × 35mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (46A) in bud, opening strong red (53B) inside and out, with dark greyish purple (202A) spots on 3 dorsal lobes. Calyx 3mm long, strong red (53C). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 205 × 80mm, margins decurved, matt green above, cuneate at base, acute at apex, with a moderate orange-yellow (164B) indumentum. Shrub 1.64 × 2.2m in 20 years. May

(r) **'Faltho'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *falconeri* (s) × *thomsonii* N: Sir Giles Loder, I: Sir Giles Loder (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 13/conical truss, campanulate, 55 × 80mm, rose madder (23-23/1), with faint spotting on dorsal lobes and a dark crimson blotch at base of flower. Lvs broadly ovate, 200 × 125mm, slightly hairy below. AM 1954 (Surprise Group)

(r) **'Falvia Group'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* × *wardii* H: Lord Aberconway (1926), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow

(a) **'Fama'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls mauve, with a yellow blotch (L. van Houtte, 1894); fls crimson, shaded with violet (L. van Houtte, 1879); fls salmon pink, with a dark salmon blotch (Schmalscheidt, in cult. 1999). Ghent (Clearly more than one plant is involved, the later plant cultivated in Germany apparently quite distinct from most earlier listings)

(r) **'Fama I'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Firma Seidel (1918), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, rose, with purple markings

(r) **Fame Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Metis Group (s) × Fabia Group H: Lord Aberconway (1939), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red

(r) **'Family Gem'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* × Lady Bessborough Group (s) × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: A.W. Smith, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls 7-lobed, moderate red (185B), moderate purplish red (185C) and deep pink (185D) in bud, opening yellowish white (155D), with a dark red (187B) throat and dark red (187B) dorsal spots. Lvs with an indumentum. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Fanal'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Satan' (s) × 'Gibraltar' H: H. Hachmann (1961), G: H. Hachmann (1966), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1976), REG: G. Stück (1984) Fls 12-14/truss, 45-52 × 55-60mm, 5-lobed, vivid reddish orange (33A-B), un-marked. Calyx 2mm long, greyish yellow-green (148C-D). Lvs 64-76 × 26-36mm, hairy. Knap Hill

(a) **'Fancy'** (Syn. of 'Tamafuyo')

(r) **'Fancy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Lindsay Smith' (s) × 'Mrs Helen Koster' I: M. Koster & Sons (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls palecobalt violet (637/2), fading to very pale pastel mauve (433/2), with a large, oxblood red, spotted blotch. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years

(a) **'Fancy Face'** cv. Evergreen azalea: unknown (s) × 'Blushing Angel' H: S. McDonald (1984), G: S. McDonald (1987), N: S. McDonald (2001), REG: S. McDonald (2001) Fls 3/domed truss, hose-in-hose, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 65mm, with 5+5 wavy-edged lobes, white, with deep pink (50B) stripes in bud, opening inside white, with deep pink (50B) stripes and flecks, outside white, similarly marked. Calyx 40mm long, coloured as corolla. Spring lvs elliptic, 40 × 20mm, margins flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and strong yellow-green (144A) above, hairy (hairs white when young, nearly white with age). Shrub 1.2 × 1.9m in 16 years. Early. (Seed parent an evergreen azalea rogue in deWilde greenhouses: fls single, 90mm wide, pink; late)

(a) **'Fancy Free'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light pink, with a yellow blotch. Knap Hill

(r) **'Fancy Free'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Lowinsky hybrid no.1690 (s) × *facetum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c15/spherical truss, funnel-shaped, clear, bright pink, tinged salmon and with darker spots. Lvs broadly ovate to oblong-lanceolate, bright green above, with a short-lived brown indumentum below. May-June. AM 1938 (Fancy Free Group)

(r) **Fancy Free Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Lowinsky hybrid no.1690 (s) × *facetum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1938), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Fancy Gumpo'** (Syn. of 'Gumpo Fancy')

(r) **'Fancy Pants'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* × *bureavii* (s) × (*yakushimanum* × 'Delp's Cindy Lou')no.3 × (*yakushimanum* × 'Delp's Cindy Lou')no.2 H: A.W. Smith (1986), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 22/truss, open funnel-shaped, 44 × 51mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep and strong purplish red and strong reddish purple (71A, 72A, B) in bud, opening very pale purple (75D) in throat, edged with a blend of strong purplish red (71D) and deep purplish pink (70C); dark red (59A) and strong purplish red (60C) dorsal spots; filaments very pale purple (75D); style moderate purplish pink (66D); anthers greyish reddish orange (176C); stigma deep red (60A). Lvs 102 × 51mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.8m in 6 years. Early June

(a) **'Fan Dancer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lady Robin' × 'Miyo-no-sakae' R: J. & D. Garrett (pre 1987), N: J. & D. Garrett Fls 75-90mm wide, deep pink, with a darker blotch. Midseason

(a) **'Fandango'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' × 'Willy' (s) × 'Mrs Carmichael' × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 2-4/truss, 75mm wide, violet red (close to moderate purplish red (70A)), with a red throat and carmine blotch; stamens and the exterior of corolla orange-red. Shrub to 1.2m. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **Fandango Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' (s) × *haematodes* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls waxy, deep crimson scarlet. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. May

(a) **'Fanfare'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum* (s) × 'Momozono' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls irregularly hose-in-hose, 45-50mm wide, eosine (deep) pink (close to strong pink (48C)), with a rose red blotch covering the dorsal lobe and half of each adjoining lobe. Lvs narrow. Shrub to 1.5m. Late April-early May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Fanfare'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: red *catawbiense* hybrid × red *catawbiense* hybrid H: A.M. Shammarello (pre 1947), G: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1957), REG: D.G. Leach (1961) Fls in a domed truss, bright red. Lvs oblong, 125 × 50mm, mid green, wavy-edged. Shrub at least 1.0 × 1.6m. Midseason. (Parentage may be 'America' × 'Kettledrum')

(r) **'Fan Flare'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vinecrest' (s) × 'Delp's Cindy Lou' H: A.W. Smith, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls deep red (60A) and strong purplish red (60B, C) in bud, opening strong, moderate, light and pale purplish pink (62A, B, C, D), with strong greenish yellow (153B) dorsal spots; outside strong and moderate purplish pink (62A, B); filaments and style deep purplish pink (67C); anthers pale purplish pink (65C). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Fanny'** (Syn. of 'Pucella')

(a) **'Fanny'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls nankeen yellow, with an orange blotch. Ghent (Sometimes confused with a later cultivar now listed as 'Pucella')

(r) **'Fanny'** cv. Parentage unknown I: C. Noble (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright clear pink. (Perhaps the plant raised by Byls)

(r) **'Fanny'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Byls (pre 1864), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red, spotted. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Fanny'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Fraser (1875), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear white, with orange spots. Neat, compact habit

(r) **'Fanny Bells'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mary Belle' × 'Fanfare' H: H.M. Harrington (1976), G: H.M. Harrington (1982), N: H.M. Harrington, REG: H.M. Harrington (1987) Fls 18-24/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 38 × 57mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, deep purplish red (10RP 3/10) in bud, opening strong pur-

plish red (10RP 4/12). Calyx 1.5mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 127 × 54mm, slightly convex, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, greyish olive green (2.5GY 3/1) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in 11 years. Late May

(a) **'Fanny Boeye'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1874), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Fanny Ivery'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Ivery (1872), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, salmon scarlet, blotched purple. FCC 1872. Indian

(r) **'Fantasia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Delp's Cindy Lou' (s) × ('Catalgla' × 'Pink Twins') selection no. 5 H: W.E. Delp (1983), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 14/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, hose-in-hose, 48 × 57mm, 5-lobed, strong to light purplish pink (63C, D). Calyx 43mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs 102 × 44mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m in 9 years. Early June. Syn: 'Fantasia No. 1'

(r) **'Fantasia No. 1'** (Syn. of 'Fantasia')

(a) **'Fantastic'** cv. Parentage unknown N: Mrs R. Pinney (pre 1974) Fls 100mm wide. (Seedling originally from Massey College, New Zealand)

(r) **'Fantastic'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Dexter's Champagne' × Medusa Group H: C. & V. Haag (pre 1997), I: Cardinal Nursery Fls orange rose. Lvs narrow, dark and glossy green

(r) **'Fantastica'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' (s) × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: H. Hachmann (1968), G: H. Hachmann (1973), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1983), REG: G. Stück (1984) Fls 18-22/truss, 35-40 × 45-50mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish pink (55B), shading inwards to a white throat, inconspicuously spotted strong greenish yellow (151A-B). Calyx 1-2mm long, light yellow-green (145C). Lvs elliptic, 98-110 × 42-53mm, woolly below

(a) **'Fantasy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Splendens' (s) × 'Vittatum' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50mm wide, white, broadly flaked and striped dull red. Shrub to 1.2m. Mid April. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Fantasy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L.L. Brooks (pre 1985), N: L.L. Brooks Fls double, orchid pink

(r) **Fantasy Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Lowinsky hybrid no.1284 (s) × *griersonianum* H: L. de Rothschild (1930), G: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink. May

(r) **'Fantavision'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Madras' (s) × (*smirnowii* × *yakushimanum*) × *aureum* H: A.W. Smith, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls deep purplish red (71A) and vivid red (57A) in bud, opening vivid and light reddish purple (74A, B, C) and moderate purplish pink (74D), with vivid red (57A) dorsal spots; filaments white; style moderate purplish pink (74D); anthers brilliant yellow (15C); stigma vivid red (57A). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **Fantin Latour Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* Roylei Group (s) × *oreotrephes* I: G.M. Adams-Acton (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls mauve

(r) **'Fan Verney'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *macabeanum* × unknown H: F. Verney (1963), G: F. Verney (1985), N: T.W. Verney, REG: T.W. Verney (1992) Fls 20-21/truss, ventricose-campanulate, 65 × 80mm, 6-lobed, strong purplish pink (55B) in bud, opening light purplish pink (55C) but quickly paling to pale yellow-green (4D), heavily spotted purplish pink (54) on dorsal lobes (spotting also pales); stigma bright green to dark brown; anthers dark brown; sweetly scented. Calyx 1-2mm long, pink. Lvs elliptic, 180-190 × 75-85mm, moderate olive green (137A) above, with a yellow midrib and a grey, woolly indumentum. Shrub 3.0 × 3.0m. August-September (New Zealand)

(r) **'Farall'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Moser's Maroon' (s) × *facetum* R: M Haworth-Booth, N: M. Haworth-Booth, I: M. Haworth-Booth (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) (Romany Chal Group)

(a) **'Farall Flame'** cv. Deciduous azalea: seedling of 'J.C. van Tol' R: M. Haworth-Booth, N: M. Haworth-Booth, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vermilion. Mollis

(a) **'Farall Flamingo'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: M. Haworth-Booth, N: M. Haworth-Booth (1938), I: M. Haworth-Booth, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 5-7/truss, opening flat, 30-40mm wide, strong orange (24A), later suffused vivid yellowish pink. Shrub 2.5 × 3.0m. Late. Knap Hill

(a) **'Farall Mandarine'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Farall Yellow' × 'Farall Pink' R: M. Haworth-Booth, N: M. Haworth-Booth, I: M. Haworth-Booth, REG: M. Haworth-Booth (1969) Fls more-or-less square-shaped, pale reddish orange. Knap Hill

(a) **'Farall Orangea'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Exquisitum' × 'Mrs Oliver Slocock' R: M. Haworth-Booth, N: M. Haworth-Booth, I: M. Haworth-Booth, REG: M. Haworth-Booth (1969) Fls 75mm wide, orange-yellow; scented. Late May. Knap Hill

(a) **'Farall Pink'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *occidentale* hybrid (1958 Register); Knap Hill azalea × "Exbury" azalea (Lee, 1965) R: M. Haworth-Booth, N: M. Haworth-Booth, I: M. Haworth-Booth, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, with a yellow flare. Knap Hill

(a) **'Farall Ruby'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Macranthum' × 'Hinodegiri' R: M. Haworth-Booth, N: M. Haworth-Booth (1950), I: M. Haworth-Booth, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 45mm wide, deep yellowish pink (43C). Dense, compact shrub. Flowering after midsummer

(r) **'Farall Target'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: F2 derivative of 'Flameheart' R: M. Haworth-Booth, N: M. Haworth-Booth, I: M. Haworth-Booth, REG: M. Haworth-Booth (1968) Fls orange-red. Late July

(a) **'Farall Yellow'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Marion Merriman' (s) × 'Marmalade' R: M. Haworth-Booth (pre 1956), N: M. Haworth-Booth, I: M. Haworth-Booth, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 11/flattened dome-shaped truss, very open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, brilliant yellow (4A), with a vivid yellow blotch (15B); lobes wavy-edged. Lvs 125 × 50mm, mid green, slightly tinged bronze. Shrub to at least 0.8m. *HC 1956. Knap Hill

(a) **'Farbfleck'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Pink Delight' (s) × light coloured, double hybrid from Exbury H: H. Meltzer (1987), G: H. Meltzer (1992), N: H. Meltzer (1998), REG: H. Meltzer (1998) Fls single, 10-12/tight, rounded truss, funnel-shaped, 75mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, brownish rose in bud with greenish ribs, opening whitish, irregularly suffused purplish and the dorsal lobe almost entirely yellow; stigma green. Lvs elliptic, 80 × 35mm, margins decurved, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.0m in 8 years. Late May-mid June

(r) **'Farewell Party'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a *decorum* subsp. *diaprepes* hybrid H: R.J. Kersey (1960), G: Mrs H.A. Frederick, Jr (1969), I: Mrs H.A. Frederick, Jr (1975), REG: Mrs H.A. Frederick, Jr (1975) Fls 10-12/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 115mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, fragrant, buds mauve pink, opening yellowish white (155B) with strong yellow-green spotting (144B) in dorsal throat, spotting strong greenish yellow (151C) in remainder of throat. Calyx 3mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 125-135 × 65-75mm, glossy, moderate olive green (147A), hairless. Shrub 1.6 × 3.0m in 15 years. Mid June

(r) **Fargarb Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *oreodoxa* var. *fargesii* (s) × *arboreum* (blood red form) H: E.J.P. Magor (1920), G: E.J.P. Magor, N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep violet rose

(r) **Fargcalo Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *oreodoxa* var. *fargesii* (s) × *calophytum* H: E.J.P. Magor (1924), G: E.J.P. Magor, N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1940), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **Fargsutch Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *oreodoxa* var. *fargesii* × *sutchuenense* H: E.J.P. Magor (1918), G: E.J.P. Magor, N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush, with copious crimson spotting

(r) **'Far Horizon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *principis* Vellereum Group R: S.R. Clarke, N: R.N.S. Clarke, I: R.N.S. Clarke, REG: R.N.S. Clarke (1979) Fls 22-24/rounded truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, up to 35 × 45mm, 5-lobed, deep purplish pink (68A), fading to white deep in the throat, dorsal throat lightly spotted vivid purplish red (66A). Calyx rudimentary, irregular, greenish. Lvs lanceolate, up to 115 × 37mm, dull dark green above, with a dense, silvery brown, felted indumentum below. AM 1979 (Raised from Kingdon Ward no.5656)

(r) **'F.A. Riechers'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Firma Seidel (1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls wine red, with faint markings

(r) **'Farnese'** cv. 'Everestianum' × 'Eggebrechtii' R: T.J.R. Seidel (c 1896), G: T.J.R. Seidel, N: T.J.R. Seidel (1904), I: T.J.R. Seidel (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, flushed lilac, with weak red-brown markings

(r) **Farola Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *oreodoxa* var. *fargesii* (s) × Loderi Group R: Sir Giles Loder, N: Sir Giles Loder, I: Sir Giles Loder (1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very pale pink

(r) **'Farquhar's Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid H: Farquhar Nursery (pre 1958), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Farquhar's Red'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid H: Farquhar Nursery (pre 1958), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Farrerae'** (Listed in error in the 1958 Register as a cultivar; this is the species *R. farrerae*)

(r) **'Farther'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *oreodoxa* var. *fargesii* × *morii* R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, I: C. Ingram, REG: C. Ingram (1969) Fls 10/loose truss, open campanulate, 45 × 65mm, deep purplish red (61A) in bud, opening to white, faintly flushed light purplish pink (62C), with a cluster of small light purplish pink (62C) spots in dorsal throat. Lvs lanceolate, 125 × 50mm. PC 1969

(a) **'Fasching'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Royal Command' × 'Gibraltar' H: H. Hachmann (1964), G: H. Hachmann (1969), I: H. Hachmann (1978), REG: G. Stück (1983) Fls 18-21/truss, 30-35 × 50-55mm, 5-6-lobed, brilliant orange (25C) with vivid yellowish pink to vivid orange (28A-B), marked more-or-less vivid yellowish pink (30C), lobes strongly wavy-edged. Calyx 5-7mm long, strong to light yellow-green (144C-D). Lvs 80-100 × 30-50mm, hairy

(a) **'Fascination'** (Syn. of 'Ima-shojo')

(a) **'Fascination'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Ivery (pre 1868), N: J. Ivery, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rosy pink, with deep crimson dorsal spots and edge of the lobes white. Indian

(a) **'Fascination'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisholm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt, I: E.A. Merritt (c 1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, light pink. Kurume

(a) **'Fascination'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Grace Freeman No. 2' × 'Amagasa' R: J.O. Harris, N: J.O. Harris, I: J.O. Harris (pre 1981) Fls single, 115mm wide, pink, edged red. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 9 years

(r) **'Fascination'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink. Dwarf, straggling shrub

(r) **'Fascination'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Whitney (pre 1980), I: G. & Mrs A. Sather

(r) **'Fascinator'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *forrestii* Repens Group (s) × Hiraethlyn Group H: Lord Aberconway (1937), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 9/loose, flat-topped truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, rich carmine (21), shot with turkey red (721) and with some faint spotting. Lvs c50 × 25mm, matt green above. Shrub 0.4m in 10 years. AM 1950 (Fascinator Group)

(r) **Fascinator Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *forrestii* Repens Group (s) × Hiraethlyn Group H: Lord Aberconway (1937), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Fashion'** (Syn. of 'Nuccio's Fashion')

(a) **'Fashion'** cv. Evergreen azalea: an orange form of *indicum* (s) × 'Momozono' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 2-4/truss, begonia rose (close to deep pink (50B)), with a heavy tyrian rose blotch and dark anthers; blotch repeated on the petaloid calyx; base of tube almost white. Shrub to 1.9m. Late April-early May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Fashion Flash'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' × 'Bristol Cream' (s) × 'Mary Belle' H: G. Gray, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, deep and strong purplish red (61A, B) in bud, opening vivid and strong purplish red (61C, 63B) and strong purplish pink (63C), with light olive (152B) and strong greenish yellow (153B) dorsal spots; filaments and style vivid purplish red (57D); anthers pale orange-yellow (159C); stigma moderate red (181A). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Fashion Tint'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Katydid' (s) × 'Marypat' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls moderate red (182A) and greyish red (182B) in bud, opening yellowish white (155D) edged deep purplish pink (54B), strong pink (54C) and moderate purplish pink (54D), with a light greenish yellow (1C) throat and brilliant greenish yellow (1B) dorsal spots; anthers strong pink (54C). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Fasmetum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *fastigiatum* hybrid × the pollen parent may have been *saluenense* subsp. *chameunum* (syn. *cosmetum*) G: A.J. Ivens (1942), N: A.J. Ivens, INC: ICRA (1958) (Seed from The Royal Botanic Garden, Edinburgh, Scotland, pre 1938)

(r) **Fasthip Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *fastigiatum* (s) × *hippophaeoides* R: E.J.P. Magor (1918), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1926), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls palest possible lavender, almost white

(a) **'Fastigiatum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1814), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Listed as "Nudiflora Fastigiata")

(r) **'Fastuosum Flore Pleno'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* × *ponticum* R: Francoisi Brothers (pre 1846), I: L. van Houtte, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c17/lax truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 50-70mm, rich mauve, with ray of brown crimson spots on the dorsal lobe; filaments unevenly petaloid. Calyx small. Lvs oblong-obovate, 75-125 × 30-50mm, dull, dark green above, hairless below. Large shrub, up to 4.0m or more

(r) **'Fastuosum Flore Rosea'** (Syn. of 'Double Date')

(r) **'Fastuosum Pallidum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: form or hybrid of *catawbiense* L: R.T. Veitch (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale greyish lilac

(a) **'Fastuosum Striatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Fastuosum Vervaeneanum'** (Syn. of 'Vervaeneanum')

(a) **'Faust'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: H. Demay (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls garnet red, with dark carmine red dots. Indian

(a) **'Faust'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: H. Knepper & Sons, I: H. Knepper & Sons (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light orange, tinted red, with a bronze and red-purple blotch. Mollis

(a) **'Faust'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Frits Sander' × 'Vervaeneanum Rubrum' I: A. de Reuse (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, red. Indian

(r) **'Faust'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light puce, with a dark brown eye

(a) **'Favorita'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. van Geert (1877), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon, striped red, with an orange blotch (van Geert). Syn: 'Favorite'. Ghent (Perhaps the 'Favorite' listed without description by J. Baumann (1860); van Geert changed spelling to 'Favorite' in 1893. The plant is mostly widely known as 'Favorita')

(a) **'Favorite'** (See comments under 'Favorita')

(a) **'Favorite'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hinodegiri' (s) × *kaempferi* H: C.B. van Nes & Sons (c 1920), G: C.B. van Nes & Sons, N: C.B. van Nes & Sons, I: C.B. van Nes & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, deep pink. Early. Kaempferi

(a) **'Favorite'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pale rose. Indian

(a) **'Favorite'** cv. Evergreen azalea: an orange form of *indicum* (s) × 'Momozono' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls irregularly hose-in-hose, 30-40mm wide, geranium pink (close to strongpink (48C)), with a heavy blotch of nopal red on dorsal lobe. Shrub to 1.5m. Late April-early May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Favorite'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: M. Koster & Sons, N: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red or rosy pink. Midseason. Mollis

(r) **'Favorite'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Byls (pre 1868), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vermilion red (Byls cat., 1868); fls purple red, with brown spots (Laurentius cat., 1869); fls ruby, with chocolate spots (W. Rollisson cat., 1877); more than one plant may be involved

(a) **'Favorite des Peintres'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1835), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Favor Major'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-yellow. Knap Hill

(a) **'Favourite'** (Syn. of 'Favorite' (van Nes))

(v) **'Favourite'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *javanicum* × 'Princess Alexandra' R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1858), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light satiny rose, with a white tube and crimson filaments (Veitch cat.). FCC 1882

(a) **'Fawley'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, flushed pink. Knap Hill

(a) **'Fawn'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' × 'Willy' (s) × 'Mrs Carmichael' × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 50-65mm wide, centre white, margins close to moderate purplish pink (78D). Shrub to 1.5m. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Fawn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* (s) × Fabia Group H: D.W. James, I: D.W. James (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 9/open-topped, cylindrical truss, flat-faced and recurved, 115mm wide, 8-lobed, salmon pink, shaded orange with a yellow centre. Lvs 150-200 × 50mm, mid green. Shrub to over 1.9m

(r) **'Fawn'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Stokes (pre 1969), N: W.E. Stokes

(r) **'Fayetta'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Tally Ho Group (s) × Golden Horn Group R: W.E. Whitney, N: W.E. Whitney, I: W.E. Whitney, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, red. Semi-dwarf shrub

(r) **'F. Bettex'** (Syn. of 'Professor F. Bettex')

(r) **'F.B. Hayes'** (Syn. of 'Francis B. Hayes')

(a) **'F.C. Bradford'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hinodegiri' (s) × 'Miltonii' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 2-3/truss, sometimes in large clusters, 50-65mm wide, rose (close to strong purplish red (63B)), with rose red (close to vivid red (52A)) margins and a blotch of amaranth purple spots. Shrub to 1.5m. Late April-early May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'F.C. Puddle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *neriiflorum* (s) × *griersonianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1926), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1932), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a lax, open-topped truss, semi-pendulous, brilliant reddish scarlet, with prominent, fleshy bracts. Lvs dull, dark green. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. AM 1932 (F.C. Puddle Group)

(r) **F.C. Puddle Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *neriiflorum* (s) × *griersonianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1926), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1932), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'F. de Koninck'** (Syn. of 'Fred. de Coninck')

(r) **'F.D. Godman'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c18/compact, rounded truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 80-90mm, aniline red, with a ray of black markings on the dorsal lobes. Calyx lobes up to 5mm long, fleshy, reddish brown. Lvs ovate, up to 140 × 60mm, dark more-or-less glossy green above, hairless below

(a) **'Fedora'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* (s) × 'Malvaticum' R: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1932), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2/truss, funnel-shaped, 25 × 65mm, phlox pink (625/1), with dorsal spotting of cardinal red (822/3). Shrub up to 1.5m. AM 1931, *FCC 1960. Kaempferi

(a) **'Fee'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white, with some violet stripes. Indian

(r) **'Fee'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1908), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a dense, rounded truss, dark lilac to rose, with darker markings; filaments white

(r) **'Feedback'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sefton' (s) × 'Sefton' H: W.E. Delp (1984), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 21/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 39 × 50mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, dark red (59A) and deep purplish red (59B) in bud, opening to a blend of moderate and strong purplish red (59C, D; 64A, B) and very pale purple (69D) and with deep greenish yellow (153A) dorsal spots; filaments and style vivid purplish red (57D); anthers deep reddish purple (77A); stigma dark red (187B). Lvs 127 × 51mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 0.9m in 8 years. Early June

(r) **'Feenschleier'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Schneebukett' (s) × 'Kupferberg' H: U. Genzel (1988), G: U. Genzel, N: U. Genzel, I: U. Genzel (1998), REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1998) Fls 11-20/rounded, fairly compact truss, 58-63 × 68-97mm, creamy white inside with a 10mm broad, purplish pink margin and large yellow markings, outside with a slight pink tinge. Lvs elliptic, margins flat, matt and dark green above, light yellowish green below. Shrub 1.4 × 1.3m in 10 years. Late May-early June

(r) **'Feespite'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *impeditum* hybrid R: USA (pre 1975), N: USA Shrub 60 × 60cm in c20 years

(r) **'Feisty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'China Boy' (s) × 'Charles Dickens' × 'Mars' H: J. Looye (1990), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls deep and strong red in bud, opening deep and strong red, with a small white flare. (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(a) **'Felicie Decamp'** (See note under 'Félicie Descamps')

(a) **'Félicie Descamps'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (c 1887), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls creamy white, with a soft yellow blotch. Ghent (Also seen listed as 'Felicie Decamp' and 'Felix Deschamps')

(v) **'Felicitas'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Nancy Miller Adler' × *konori* R: P. Schick (pre 1983), N: P. Schick Fls 50 × 50mm, pure white; scented. Compact shrub

(a) **'Felicity'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Fielder's White' (s) × *kaempferi* R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 2-3/truss, 70-75mm wide, lighter than deep rose pink but darkening to that colour on margins (close to deep purplish pink (64D)), with a conspicuous blotch of distinct dots darker than tyrian rose but not as dark as amaranth purple. Shrub to 2.4m. Midseason. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Felicity'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Radiance Group (s) × F.C. Puddle Group H: Lord Aberconway (1932), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls campanulate, 65mm wide, porcelain rose (620). AM 1942 (Felicity Group)

(r) **Felicity Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Radiance Group (s) × F.C. Puddle Group H: Lord Aberconway (1932), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1942), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Felicity Fair'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *maddenii* (s) × 'Sirius' H: F.M. Jury, G: F.M. Jury, N: F.M. Jury, I: F.M. Jury, REG: F.M. Jury (1982) Fls 7-8/truss, 90 × 90mm, 5-lobed, amber yellow (505/2-505/3), flushed pink externally; throat orange. Calyx green. Lvs elliptic, 130 × 50mm, with a brown, scaly indumentum

(r) **'Felicity Magor'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fulgens* × *arboreum* H: E.J.P. Magor (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep crimson, with darker spots. (Fulgarb Group)

(v) **'Felinda'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *konori* var. *phaeopeplum* × *lochiae* × *leucogigas* H: P. Sullivan (1972), G: W.A. Moynier, N: W.A. Moynier, I: W.A. Moynier (1979), REG: W.A. Moynier (1981) Fls 7-8/domed truss, 90mm wide, deeply lobed, pale purplish pink (56C) in winter blooms, paler in summer and then with a pale purplish pink (56C) throat and 7 short, narrow, deep pink rays at lobe sinuses; fls tend to reflex with age. Lvs deep green. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 8 years. Main flush January-March

(r) **Felis Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* (s) × *facetum* R: L. de Rothschild (1931), N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in loose trusses, yellow to orange. Shrub of low, spreading habit. June. Syn: Felix Group

(r) **'Felise'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *ciliatum* (s) × *burmanicum* R: G.M. Adams-Acton, N: G.M. Adams-Acton, I: G.M. Adams-Acton (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls opening cream, fading to white

(r) **Felix Group** (Syn. of Felis Group)

(a) **'Felix Deschamps'** (See note under 'Félicie Descamps')

(r) **'Felix Mendelsohn'** cv. Parentage unknown H: C.S. Seabrook (pre 1980) (Presumably an unintentional error for 'Felix Mendelssohn')

(a) **'Feltonii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1858), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Shown by Ivery, 1858)

(r) **'Feminique'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Oh My!' × ('Catalgla' × (*fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × Fabia Group)) (s) × 'Mary Belle' × 'Catalgla' H: W.E. Delp (1977), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 14/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 42 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish purple (72B, C) and deep purplish pink (72D) in bud, opening to a blend of strong, moderate and light purplish pink (68B, C, D) and very pale purple (69D); filaments and style yellowish white (155D); anthers brownish orange (165B); stigma brownish orange (166C). Lvs 114 × 51mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.1m in 15 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer (1986))

(a) **'Fenella'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Stewart & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. Kurume

(a) **'Fénelon'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Smet, I: C. Vuylsteke (c 1900), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, 45mm wide, salmon shaded rose, with pale pink edges and with wavy-edged lobes. Syn: 'Solion'. Rustica

(a) **'Fenelon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Fielder's White' (s) × *kaempferi* R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3-4/truss, strong purplish red (near 59D), with dots close to light olive grey (197A) in the blotch. Shrub to 1.9m. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Fentonii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson scarlet. (Exhibited by Veitch, 1862)

(a) **'Ferdinand Hener'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (1883), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose, with dark rose lobes. Indian

(a) **'Ferdinand Kegeljan'** (See note under 'Fernand Kegeljan')

(r) **'Ferdinand Massange de Louvreix'** (Syn. of 'Ferdinand Massange de Louvrex')

(r) **'Ferdinand Massange de Louvrex'** cv. Parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte (pre 1876), N: L. van Houtte Fls rose white, veined carmine and with an orange blotch. Syn: 'Mr Ferdinand', 'Madame Ferdinand Massage de Louvrex', 'Mr Ferdinand Massange de Louvre', 'Ferdinand Massange de Louvreix'

(v) **'Ferdinand von Mueller'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *macgregoriae* (s) × *lochiae* H: J.L. Rouse, G: J.L. Rouse (1977), N: J.L. Rouse, REG: J.L. Rouse (1985) Fls 4-7/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 20 × 25mm, strong yellowish pink (38A), deepening to deep yellowish pink (44D). Lvs elliptic, 60 × 40mm. Shrub 1.0m

(r) **'Ferelith'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1962), I: Waterer (Knap Hill), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1962) Fls whitish lilac inside, with a darker margin and black-red or brown-red markings; outside darker lilac. Shrub to at least 3.0-3.5m. Late May. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Fergusonii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Fergusonii'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Fernanda Sarmento'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *prunifolium* × a red Exbury (Knap Hill) azalea H: M.C. Pratt (1976), G: M.C. Pratt (1980), N: M.C. Pratt, REG: M.C. Pratt (1986) Fls 5/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40-50 × 45-55mm, with 5, slightly wavy-edged, more-or-less reflexed lobes, vivid reddish orange (41A), centre of lobes vivid reddish orange (33B), as is the inconspicuous flare; outside more-or-less vivid to strong reddish orange (40B-C) with centre of lobes and tube brilliant orange (25C). Calyx 3-4mm long, with pale green, obtuse, spreading, partly glandular hairy lobes. Lvs oblanceolate, 30-73 × 9-22mm, more-or-less dull, mid green above, slightly glaucous green below, ciliate, sparsely hairy. Shrub 1.2-1.5 × 1.5-1.9m. Late June

(a) **'Fernand Kegeljan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon orange, with dark purple-red and crimson red spots. Indian (This spelling is adopted following the 1958 Register; van Houtte cat., 1870 had 'Ferd. Kegeljan'; J.Veitch & Sons cat., 1878 had 'Ferdinand Kegeljan'; C. Vuylsteke cat., 1876/76 had 'Fernand Kegeljan')

(a) **'Fernando'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: F. Versypt (1907), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, chestnut red. Indian

(a) **'Fern Bunnell'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Pima' (s) × un-named double-flowered seedling H: J.O. Bunnell (1979), G: J.O. Bunnell (1985), N: Mr & Mrs H.L. Bailey, REG: Mr & Mrs H.L. Bailey (1994) Fls double, 8/ball truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 51 × 76mm, with 12 wavy-edged lobes, moderate reddish orange (41C) in bud, opening light orange-yellow (22B), with throat and irregular edging of brilliant orange (29A); stigma moderate yellow-green (146C), style strong red (47B); strongly scented. Calyx 6mm long, strong yellow-green (144C). Pedicels 16mm long, strong yellow-green (144C). Lvs elliptic, 44 × 30mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, moderate yellow-green (146B) above, moderate yellow-green (147C) below; foliage vivid reddish orange (44B) in autumn; young lvs with white hairs on edges and midribs; petioles 6mm long, green. Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in 15 years. Mid May

(a) **'Ferndown Beauty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C.E. Brown, I: D. Stewart & Son (pre 1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, 40 × 55-75mm, open funnel-shaped with wavy-edged margins, strong purplish pink (68B) overlaid deep purplish pink (68A), spotted strong purplish red (60B). Lvs 25-40 × 7-13mm, dull mid green. Shrub 0.6m. *HC 1962, *AM 1975

(r) **'Fernhill'** (Syn. of 'Fernhill Silver')

(r) **'Fernhill'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Peregrine Group × *yakushimanum* R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1973), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1973) Fls 6-9/more-or-less compact, globular truss, slightly campanulate to broadly funnel-shaped, white, flushed pale pink on midribs externally. Lvs 75-125 × 45-55mm, glossy mid green. Shrub c1.0m. *AM 1973

(r) **'Fernhill Silver'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *arboreum* N: E.C. Nelson (1985), I: Mrs S. Walker, REG: Mrs S. Walker & R. Walker (1985) Fls c25/truss, tubular-campanulate, 30 × 30mm, 5-lobed, rose pink, with darker markings. Calyx 1mm long, green. Lvs elliptic-lanceolate, with a silvery, appressed indumentum below. Small tree, to 7.0m. April. (Seedling raised by David Moore at Glasnevin Botanic Gardens, Dublin (19th century); originally published under the unacceptable epithet 'Fernhill')

(r) **'Ferrugineum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: form or hybrid of *arboreum* L: H. Laurentius (1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls ferruginous. Lvs silky below

(a) **'Festival'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Davidson's Nurseries (1985) Fls hose-in-hose, mid pink to red

(r) **'Festival'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Romany Chal Group (s) × *griersonianum* I: Royal Horticultural Society (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. (Theresa Group)

(r) **'Festival'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Croux (1964) Fls in large, domed trusses, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, bright purplish red with a paler centre; stamens and style the same colour

(a) **'Festival Queen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Camellia Grove Nursery (pre 1977) Fls semi-double, white or pale yellowish white. Indian

(a) **'Festive'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Hooden' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, 50-65mm wide, white, with no blotch, freely sanded and occasionally striped strong to vivid purplish red ("dull rose"); from a distance the effect is flesh white. Shrub to 1.9m. Mid April. Glenn Dale

(v) **'Festive Bells'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lochiae* (s) × unknown H: G.L.S. Snell (1992), G: N. Puddey (1996), N: N Puddey (1997), I: N. Puddey & G.L.S. Snell, REG: N. Puddey (1997) Fls 3-6/lax truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 40mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, deep burgundy red throughout (and in bud), unspotted; stamens 10, red; style pinkish red. Lvs broadly elliptic, 92 × 36-40mm, flat to decurved, acute at apex, obtuse at base, glossy green above, scaly. Shrub 0.5 × 0.3m in 4 years. December-January (Australia)

(r) **'Festive Feast'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: reputed to be a subsect. *Fortunea* hybrid H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: C.O. Dexter & Mrs H. Ross, I: W. Efinger (c 1959), REG: John J. Tyler Arboretum (1980) Fls10/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, c75 × 95mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (5RP 8/5), without markings; scented. Lvs mostly elliptic, 100 × 45mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, moderate yellow-green (5GY 5/6) above, hairless. Shrub 2.4 × 2.4m in 20 years. Mid May

(r) **'Festivity'** cv. Derived from *yunnanense* and *thomsonii* H: C.C. Smith (1961), G: W.L. Tolstead (1970), N: W.L. Tolstead, I: W.L. Tolstead (1994), REG: W.L. Tolstead (1994) Fls 18-20/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 30 × 40mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink, with a yellow blotch; stamens 10, curved. Calyx 3mm long, light green. Pedicels 30mm long. Lvs elliptic, 130 × 50mm, flat, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, dark green above, without any indumentum; petioles 30mm long. Shrub 2.7 × 1.5m in 33 years. Late May. (A lepidote/elepidote cross)

(r) **'Festivo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hachmann's Polaris' × *wardii* H: H. Hachmann (1971), G: H. Hachmann (1977), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1987), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 12-14/loose truss, campanulate, 35-40 × 50-65mm, 5-lobed, pale greenish yellow (2D), with conspicuous dorsal markings of greyish red (184A). Calyx 2-3mm long, reddish green. Lvs ovate, 70-90 × 30-36mm, flat, mucronate at tip, cuneate at base, mid green and slightly glossy above; petioles and midribs yellowish green. Shrub 0.45 × 0.9m in 10 years, of compact habit; slow-growing but flowering when young. Mid-late May

(a) **'Fête des Mères'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Levavasseur (1971) Fls red. (Perhaps another translation of 'Mothers' Day')

(r) **'Fetterhoff Surprise'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Laetevirens' × *dauricum* H: W.M. Fetterhoff (1977), G: W.M. Fetterhoff (1982), N: W.M. Fetterhoff, REG: W.M. Fetterhoff (1989) Fls 5/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 20 × 35mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish purple (72B) in bud, opening to vivid reddish purple (74B) and shading to light reddish purple (74C) towards centre. Calyx 13mm long, reddish. Lvs elliptic, 25-50 × 10-25mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless and very glossy above, with tiny, closely spaced, brown scales below. Shrub 0.4 × 0.7m in 12 years. Early May

(r) **'Feuerschein'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nova Zembla' (s) × 'Mars' H: H. Hachmann (1960), G: H. Hachmann (1966), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1978), REG: G. Stück (1983) Fls 14/truss, 50 × 60-80mm, 5-lobed, deep to strong red (53A(-B)), with moderate reddish brown (177A)/dark red (183A) spots. Calyx 2-4mm long, greenish red. Lvs elliptic-lanceolate, 120-150 × 55-70mm, hairy below. Shrub to 2.0m. (Originally registered as 'Hachmann's Feuerschein', but plant breeders' rights granted in The Netherlands as 'Feuerschein', which thus has to take priority as the cultivar epithet)

(a) **'Feuerwerk'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Cecile' (s) × 'Fireball' H: H. Hachmann (1963), G: H. Hachmann (1968), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1977), REG: G. Stück (1983) Fls 7-12/truss, 30-40 × 70-90mm, 6-7-lobed, vivid reddish orange (more-or-less 32A-34A), inconspicuously marked vivid yellowish pink to vivid orange (28A-B). Calyx 2-4mm long, strong yellow-green (144A-B). Lvs ovate, 70-95 × 30-45mm, hairy. Shrub up to 4.0m. Late. Knap Hill

(a) **'Feuerzauber'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Friedhelm Scherrer' × 'Kirin' or 'Rex' I: O. Stahnke (1977) Fls single, vivid reddish orange (44C) to deep yellowish pink (44D). Calyx normal, green. Midseason. Indian

(r) **'Fevreanum'** (See 'Le Fevreanum')

(r) **Fez Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'King George' (s) × *sanguineum* subsp. *sanguineum* var. *haemaleum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in loose trusses, waxy, crimson. Low shrub. April-May

(r) **'Fiancée'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white

(a) **'Fiat'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, deep orange, small. Very early. Indian

(r) **'Fichte'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark rose, with strongly wavy-edged lobes and yellow-brown markings

(a) **'Fidèle Mechelynck'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte (pre 1875), N: L. van Houtte, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, shaded salmon red, with a chrome yellow blotch. Ghent

(a) **'Fidelio'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L.L. Liebig (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vermilion, with a bright blotch. Indian

(a) **'Fidelio'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* (s) × 'Malvaticum' R: C.B. van Nes & Sons, N: C.B. van Nes & Sons, I: C.B. van Nes & Sons (1922), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark rose pink. Early. Kaempferi

(r) **'Fidelius'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Judy Spillane' (s) × 'Erato' H: H. Hachmann (1986), G: H. Hachmann (1992), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 17/rounded, upright truss, broadly funnel-shaped, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, 45-50 × 62-70mm, inside deep purplish pink (67C), a little paler on midveins, nearly white in throat; outside vivid purplish red/deep purplish pink (67B/C) throughout; dorsal lobe markings of strong greenish yellow (153B) on a lighter ground; stamens 10, filaments white in apical half, moderate/light purplish pink (62B/C) below, anthers pale purplish pink (65C/D); style strong purplish red (58B) at apex, upper half almost white, stigma dark red (59A); ovary white hairy. Calyx 1.0-2.5mm long, light green/reddish. Lvs ovate, 110-130 × 48-55mm, convex, somewhat twisted, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, slightly glossy above, with a discontinuous, mid brown indumentum below. Shrub 1.6 × 1.7m in 10 years. Late May-mid June. (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030625). First published in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(a) **'Fido'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Delaware Valley White' × 'Shinkigen' R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith Fls 80mm wide, strong purplish red, with a strong purplish red (59D) blotch. Shrub 1.0m in 7 years

(a) **'Fielderi'** (Probably a synonym of 'Fielder's White'; cf. *Revue Horticole* p.285 (1848))

(a) **'Fielder's White'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably a selection from *mucronatum* R: Fielder (1846), I: A. van Geert (1849), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 70mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, white, with a faint, greenish blotch. Midseason. Indian (See note under 'Fielderi')

(r) **'Field Marshal'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Nairn & Sons (1910), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy red

(a) **'Fiener'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kiusianum* hybrid R: Mittendorf (pre 1980), N: Mittendorf Fls cherry red

(a) **'Fiery Boy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Silver Frills' R: G. Taylor, N: G. Taylor, I: G. Taylor (1981) Fls hose-in-hose, red, with frilled lobes. Indian

(r) **'Fiery Cross'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet red

(r) **Fiery Cross Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *barbatum* (s) × ? *griffithianum* I: W. Hutchinson (1945), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Fiery Orange'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ginny Mae' (s) × 'Dead Ringer' H: W.E. Delp (1984), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 10/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 46 × 70mm, 6-lobed, moderate red (181A) in bud, opening moderate red (179A, B) with light yellow (14D) throat and flare, and moderate red (181A) dorsal spots; filaments and style pale yellow-green (155A); anthers moderate red (181A); stigma dark reddish orange (173A). Calyx 25mm long. Lvs 133 × 44mm, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.3m in 8 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn, (1992))

(r) **'Fiery Woman'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ruby Hart' (s) × 'Delamere Belle' H: F.R. Waghorn (1989), G: D.J. Dosser (1996), N: D.J. Dosser (1999), REG: D.J. Dosser (1999) Fls 5-7/lax truss, campanulate, 40 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, dark red (59A) in bud, opening strong purplish red (60B) throughout, of waxy substance; unspotted. Calyx very small ('absent'). Lvs broadly elliptic, 70-77 × 27-30mm, apiculate at apex, obtuse at base, margins decurved, semi-glossy above, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 0.75m in 10 years. September-October (Tasmania)

(a) **'Fiesta'** (Syn. of 'Furbelow')

(a) **'Fiesta'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls flame red. Indian

(a) **'Fiesta'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' × 'Jezebel' R: H. Kerrigan (pre 1987), N: H. Kerrigan Fls hose-in-hose, dark red, with a white centre. Very late

(r) **Fiesta Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Eros Group (s) × F.C. Puddle Group H: Lord Aberconway (1934), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(r) **'Fifth Avenue Red'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Diane' × *haematodes* R: R. Henny, I: L. Henny, REG: L. Henny (1964) Fls 10/truss, campanulate, up to 40mm long, glossy, deep neyron rose with lighter streaks along midveins inside. Lvs up to 95 × 50mm. Shrub to 0.9m. April-May

(r) **'Fifty-fine'** (Syn. of 'Golden Gala')

(r) **Figaro Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Coreta Group × Solon Group H: Lord Aberconway (1942), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(r) **'Figaro II'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vivid red, with a few spots

(r) **'Fiji'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Russell Harmon' (s) × 'Goldsworth Orange' H: D.G. Leach (1950), G: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1976), REG: D.G. Leach (1983) Fls 13/truss, 50 × 45mm, campanulate, 5-lobed, buds dark red and yellow, opening deep pink (50B), with moderate brown (165A) dorsal spots and pale yellow (20D) rays in the throat. Calyx 10mm long, green, reddish at base. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 115 × 45-50mm, moderate yellow-green (148A) above, with a slight, patchy, orange indumentum below. Shrub c1.2m in 10 years

(a) **'Fimbriatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte (c 1843), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with crenated edges to corolla lobes. Indian

(r) **'Fimbriatum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **Fimbriatum Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. fimbriatum*

(r) **'Fimbriatum Roseum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R.T. Pince (pre 1868), N: R.T. Pince, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in compact trusses, fimbriated, brilliant rose, well-spotted. (Published in Lucombe, Pince & Co. cat., c1868)

(a) **'Final Blush'** cv. Evergreen azalea: hardy form of *simsii* × 'Daimio' R: M. Haworth-Booth, N: M. Haworth-Booth, REG: M. Haworth-Booth (1967) Fls 50mm wide, with very wavy-edged lobes, deep bengal rose, with a deeper-coloured dorsal flare. Late. Very hardy

(r) **'Finch'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *rubiginosum* Desquamatum Group I: R. Henny, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 45mm wide, mallow purple (630/2), with crimson spots. Shrub to 1.9m. (Plant originally from J.A. Barto)

(a) **'Findeisen'** (Syn. of 'Theodor Findeisen')

(r) **'Finders Keepers'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* × *yakushimanum* × *brachycarpum* × 'Crest' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vivid purplish red (57B, C, D) in bud, opening moderate and pale purplish pink (62B, D), with vivid red (57A) dorsal spots; outside deep purplish pink (61D). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Fine and Dandy'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, bright hot pink, dorsal lobe very pale pink. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Late June-mid July

(a) **'Fine and Mellow'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, light salmon pink, with a large golden orange flare covering the dorsal lobe. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Late June

(r) **'Fine Bristles'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *pubescens* (KW 3953) R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1962) Fls funnel-shaped, deep pink in bud, opening white, suffused shades of persian rose (628/1). Lvs dark green. Stems thickly coated with small bristles. Shrub to 0.6m. AM 1955

(r) **Fine Feathers Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: Cilpinense Group (s) × *lutescens* H: Lord Aberconway (1934), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white flushed pink, to pale yellow. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Fine Feathers Primrose'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: Cilpinense Group (s) × *lutescens* H: Lord Aberconway (1934), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale yellow. Syn: 'Primrose' (Fine Feathers Group)

(r) **'Finesse'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *souliei* (s) × Bow Bells Group R: R. Henny, N: R. Henny, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 7/truss, 65mm wide, campanulate, persian rose (628/3). Lvs 65 × 40mm. Shrub of dense habit, 0.9m

(r) **'Finlandia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' × 'Adriaan Koster' × *williamsianum* H: D.G. Leach (1958), G: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1972), REG: D.G. Leach (1974) Fls up to 12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, white, with pale pink buds (2.5R 9/3). Calyx c1.5mm long, pale green. Lvs broadly elliptic, 90 × 55mm, glossy, mid green, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.5m in 14 years. Syn: 'Alaska'

(v) **'Finnegan's Rainbow'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* × *zoelleri* H: G.L.S. Snell (1983), G: G.L.S. Snell (1987), N: R. Macdonald (1992), I: Foothills Nursery, REG: Foothills Nursery (1992) Fls 5-7/upright, lax truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with 5 smooth-edged, slightly reflexed lobes, buds strong greenish yellow (151B), opening vivid yellow (15A) inside, with vivid reddish orange (30B) lobes; outside vivid yellow (17C). Lvs elliptic, 80 × 55mm, margins upcurved, matt green, cuneate at base, apiculate at apex, scaly. Shrub 2.0 × 1.2m. Spring-autumn

(r) **'Finnerty'** cv. Elepidoterhododendron: *souliei*, open-pollinated G: H. Vaartnou (1988), N: H. Vaartnou, I: H. Vaartnou (1991), REG: H. Vaartnou (1992) Fls 10/ball truss, saucer-shaped, 56 × 102mm, with 6 smooth-edged lobes, light yellowish pink (29C) in bud, opening light greenish yellow (4C, shading to 4B); sta-

mens 12, straight, unequal; slightly scented. Calyx 8mm long, pinkish. Pedicels 51mm long, reddish green. Lvs elliptic, 89 × 51mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cordate at base, glossy and greyish green above, hairless; petioles 25mm long, green. Shrub 1.4 × 1.2m in 6 years. April. (Raised from seed collected by H. Vaartnou in 1985)

(a) **'Fiona'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: M.E. Greentree, G: Huntingdale Nursery, N: Huntingdale Nursery, I: Huntingdale Nursery (pre 1980) Fls double, pure white. Indian

(r) **'Fiona'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Bow Bells Group × 'Loderi Pink Diamond' R: L.E. Brandt (1952), N: L.E. Brandt (1960), REG: L.E. Brandt (1961) Fls 6/loose truss, somewhat drooping, 50 × 100mm, 7-lobed, phlox pink (625-625/1) in bud, opening to 625/3. Lvs orbicular, 100 × 50mm, dark green, with a bluish petiole. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m

(r) **'Fiona Christie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: G. Fraser (pre 1944), G: G. Grosmith (1955), N: W.A. Dale (2001), REG: W.A. Dale (2001) Fls 14/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 75mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53C) in bud, opening strong red (53D) inside and out, with small, dark brown spots on the dorsal lobe. Lvs oblong, 125 × 50mm, flat, acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate yellowish green (138A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in c50 years. Late May

(r) **'Fiona Toenissen'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C.J.H. Walther (pre 1860), N: C.J.H. Walther, INC: ICRA (1958). Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Fiona Wilson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi King George' × 'Pink Pearl' H: G. Hall (1959), G: G. Hall, I: Lord Harewood (1979), REG: Lord Harewood (1979) Fls very pale purple (73D); unspotted

(a) **'Fioni'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: W. Rollisson & Sons (1846), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Fire'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Burgemeester Aarts' × 'Britannia' R: M. Koster & Sons, N: M. Koster & Sons, REG: M. Koster & Sons (1964) Fls 15-17/compact truss, nearly 75mm long, rose red (724) outside, inside slightly paler, with darker spotting on the dorsal lobe

(a) **'Fireball'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Scarlet Pimpernel' × 'Favor Major' I: E. de Rothschild (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red. Lvs reddish. Shrub up to c3.0m. Knap Hill (Raised at Exbury)

(r) **'Fireball'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Fireball')

(r) **'Fireball'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *barbatum* (s) × 'Ascot Brilliant' R: R. Gill & Sons, N: R. Gill & Sons, I: R. Gill & Sons (1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 18/truss, broadly campanulate, rich carmine scarlet. AM 1925 (Perhaps part of the Early Brilliant Group; may be the plant listed by J. Veitch & Sons, 1881)

(r) **'Fire Bird'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* × *thomsonii* × 'Madame de Bruin' R: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1930), N: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **Fire Bird Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Norman Shaw Group (s) × *griersonianum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls wide open, salmon red. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. May-June

(a) **'Firebird'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, deep yellowish pink (46D). Kurume

(r) **'Firebolt'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Boule de Rose' (s) × 'Boule de Rose' H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 53 × 80mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, deep and strong red (53A-D) in bud, opening strong red (52B-D) with a pale purplish pink (56D) throat and greyish red (178A) spots on the three dorsal lobes; filaments and style greenish white (157D); anthers moderate yellow (161A); stigma deep red (60A). Lvs 127 × 41mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 18 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer (1986))

(a) **'Firebrand'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: F. Versypt (1907), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, dark red. Indian

(a) **'Firebrand'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vivid brick red. Kurume

(a) **'Firebrand'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: G.H. White (pre 1936), N: G.H. White, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, vivid reddish orange, with a slight orange-yellow blotch. Mollis

(r) **'Firebrand'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *beanianum* × *neriiflorum* subsp. *neriiflorum* Euchaites Group R: E.G.W.W. Harrison (pre 1955), N: E.G.W.W. Harrison, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Fire Chief'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Helen Close' × 'Purple Splendor' R: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1967) Fls single, 2-4/truss, up to 75mm wide, strong purplish red (10RP 3/12). Lvs 30 × 20mm. Shrub to 45cm, compact. Mid May

(a) **'Firecracker'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vivid reddish orange (18/1). Young lvs reddish. Knap Hill

(r) **'Firecracker'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Firecracker')

(r) **'Firecracker Denisia'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Mary Fleming' × *spinuliferum* (s) × *racemosum* × *spinuliferum* H: P. Halligan (1985), G: P. Halligan, N: P. Halligan, REG: P. Halligan (1996) Fls 3-5/bud (with

several buds/truss), with terminal and axillary inflorescences as in *racemosum*, funnel-shaped, 19 × 25mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (46B) to strong red (47B) in bud, opening inside deep to strong pink (48B-C) initially, darkening to deep pink (52B-C); outside moderate to strong red (47A-B) initially, fading to deep pink (52B-C); stamens exserted, with white filaments. Calyx minute, green. Lvs elliptic, 30 × 6-13mm, with decurved margins, oblique at base, broadly acute at apex, semi-glossy and dark green (136A) to dark yellowish green (136B) above; colourless scales on leaves and stems. Shrub 0.6 × 0.45m in 10 years. March-April

(r) **'Firecracker Marcia'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *keiskei* (as var. *cordifolium*), RSF 79/164 × *spinuliferum*, RSF 69/834 (s) × (('Mary Fleming' × *spinuliferum*, RSF 69/834) × (*racemosum* × *spinuliferum*)) × (*keiskei* × *spinuliferum*) H: P. Halligan (1990), G: P. Halligan (1995), N: P. Halligan (1999), REG: P. Halligan (1999) Fls 5-6/ball truss (from multiple buds), open funnel-shaped, 20 × 30mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, opening inside strong pink (48C) with yellow overtones, outside strong red (47B); in the sun the colour darkens with age to a shade between strong red (47B) and strong red (53C); in deep shade the colour darkens only slightly. Lvs elliptic, 25-50 × 13-20mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, margins slightly decurved, semi-glossy and dark green (136A) above, with inconspicuous, yellowish scales below. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 10 years. Late March-early April

(r) **'Firecracker Tori'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *campylogynum* (Cremstum Group) 'Bodnant Red' × *spinuliferum* (s) × ('Mary Fleming' × *spinuliferum*) × (*racemosum* × *spinuliferum*) H: P. Halligan (1986), G: P. Halligan, N: P. Halligan, REG: P. Halligan (1996) Fls 4-5/umbellate truss, funnel-shaped, 22 × 19mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, strong red (46A) in bud, opening red throughout (between strong red (46A) and deep red (53A)), ageing to deep to strong red (53A-B). Calyx minute, red. Lvs elliptic, 25-38 × 13-16mm, wavy-edged, with a rounded base and acute apex, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (147C) below; with sparse, inconspicuous, colourless scales on lvs, fls and stem. Shrub 0.9 × 0.6m in 10 years. Early April

(a) **'Firecrest'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (c 1944), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vivid reddish orange, with an orange blotch. Early. Knap Hill

(a) **'Firecrown'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Yoder Bros (c 1969) Fls large, semi-double, vibrant orange-red. Lvs large, glossy green. Early

(a) **'Fire Dance'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Monrovia Nursery (pre 1987) Fls double, vivid red. Midseason

(a) **'Firedance'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' × 'Willy' (s) × 'Mrs Carmichael' × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls often double, 2-4/truss, 50mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, rose red (close to vivid red (52A)), with tyrian rose spots. Shrub to 1.5m. Mid-late May.Glenn Dale

(r) **'Firedance'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably includes *forrestii* Repens Group, *williamsianum* and other species H: W.E. Whitney (pre 1996) Fls red in bud, opening scarlet red; bud scales red throughout the winter. Shrub 0.9m in 10 years

(r) **Firedrake Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Sardis Group (s) × *kyawii* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, bright red. Large shrub. June

(r) **Fire Finch Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Jacquetta Group (s) × Radiance Group H: Lord Aberconway (1932), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet

(r) **'Fire Flame'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Apodorum Group (s) × *griersonianum* I: C.R. Scrase-Dickins (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65mm wide, geranium lake (20/1), with darker spots on the dorsal lobe. AM 1942 Syn: 'Flame'

(a) **'Fireflame'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, strong reddish orange (40C). Mollis

(a) **'Fireflash'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Girard Gardens (pre 1994), N: Girard Gardens Fls 65mm wide, deep orange-red, with an orange-yellow throat

(a) **'Firefly'** (Syn. of 'Ten's Firefly')

(a) **'Firefly'** (Syn. of 'Hexe')

(a) **'Firefly'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vivid purplish red, with a slight orange blotch. Knap Hill (*The Rothschild Rhododendrons*, Phillips & Barber (1967) describe this as deep orange)

(r) **'Firefly'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet red

(r) **Firefly Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: Crossbill Group (s) × *spinuliferum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, yellow to apricot. April-May

(r) **'Firefox'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Fireman Jeff' × 'Anna Delp' R: unknown (pre 1992) (Listed as a parent of 'Hot Target')

(r) **'Fire Glow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Roseum Superbum' × 'H.M. Arderne' (s) × *griersonianum* R: J.J. Crosfield (1929), N: J.J. Crosfield, I: J.J. Crosfield (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c10/truss, trumpet-shaped, 75 × 80mm, 5-lobed, turkey red (721/2), shad-

ed 721 externally, especially on the midveins, and with a ray of dark brown on the dorsal lobes. Lvs oblong-oblanceolate, up to 165 × 55mm, matt, dark green above, with vestiges of a fawn-coloured indumentum below. AM 1935 (Fire Glow Group)

(r) **Fire Glow Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Roseum Superbum' × 'H.M. Arderne' (s) × *griersonianum* R: J.J. Crosfield (1929), N: J.J. Crosfield, I: J.J. Crosfield (1935), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Fireglow'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1926), I: W.C. Slocock Ltd, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65mm wide, strong reddish orange. Shrub up to 3.0m. Late. Knap Hill

(a) **'Fireglow'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hinodegiri' hybrid R: R.P. Mayo, N: R.P. Mayo, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 40mm wide, orange-red. Midseason. Kurume (In Australia a Kurume cv is sold under this name described as "reddish orange, hose-in-hose")

(a) **'Fireglow'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Redwings' I: Sand Point Greenhouses (1968) Fls strong red (47B) with an orange dorsal lobe; otherwise similar to parent. Indian

(v) **'Fire Halo'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' × *aurigeranum* × *leucogigas* L: M. Jury (1998) Fls very large, red-orange, with a yellow throat

(a) **'Fire King'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange scarlet, heavily spotted on dorsal lobes

(r) **'Fireking'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Fireking')

(a) **'Firelight'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Bobbink & Atkins (pre 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63B). Midseason. Rutherford

(r) **'Firelight'** cv. Parentage unknown R: D.L. Hardgrove (c 1958), N: D.L. Hardgrove

(a) **'Fire Magic'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' × 'Warai-gishi' (s) × 'Pluto' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1965) Fls double, 30-40mm wide, with 16-22 narrow, pointed lobes, orange pink, with red spots; pistil usually present, stamens usually not. Shrub 1.2-1.4m in 10 years, very free-flowering. Back Acres

(r) **'Fireman Jeff'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague' × Grosclaude Group H: L.E. Brandt, G: L.E. Brandt, I: J. Eichelser (c 1970), REG: J. Eichelser (1976) Fls 10/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45 × 65mm, 5-lobed, vivid red (46B), with brown spots on the dorsal lobes. Calyx 30mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs lanceolate, 75 × 30mm, dark green, with moderate orange-yellow (164C) indumentum on young foliage. Shrub 0.6 × 1.0m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **Fire Music Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *venator* (s) × *dichroanthum* R: T.C. Thacker, N: T.C. Thacker, I: T.C. Thacker (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 4-5/loose truss, c60 × 40-45mm, red to deep orange. Calyx 15mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, c100-120 × 30-35mm. Shrub semi-prostrate, of loose, open growth.

(a) **'Fire Opal'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Ballerina' (Rothschild) (s) × 'Corringe' H: A.M. McBrayer (1969), G: A.M. McBrayer (1972), N: A.M. McBrayer, REG: A.M. McBrayer (1997) Fls 8-9/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 75 × 115mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes and some very wavy-edged petaloid stamens, dorsal lobe strong orange-yellow (24B) fading to light yellow (17D) at margins, adjoining lobes pale orange-yellow (19D) and flushed pale purplish pink (55D) at margins and on reverse, lower lobes pale yellow (19C); style pink, fading to green. Calyx c10mm long, moderate yellow-green (138B). Pedicels 25-30mm long, moderate yellow-green (138B). Lvs elliptic, 90-140 × 40-50mm, flat, cuneate at base, acute at apex, glossy, moderate yellow-green (138B) above, with hairs on upper surface and on petioles; petioles c15mm long, moderate yellow-green (138B). Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 25 years. Late May

(r) **'Firepink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'La Bar's White' × 'Kluis Sensation' H: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (pre 1978)

(v) **'Fireplum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *konori* var. *phaeopeplum* × *lochiae* × *zoelleri* H: P. Sullivan, G: R.M. Withers (1979), I: G.L.S. Snell, REG: G.L.S. Snell (1986) Fls 6/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 60mm, tube moderate yellowish pink (38B), inside of lobes deep yellowish pink (46D); outside deep pink (50B). Lvs elliptic, 70 × 40mm. Shrub 2.0m

(r) **'Fire Prince'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' × *arboreum* subsp. *delavayi* H: K. Van de Ven, G: K. Van de Ven (1972), N: K. Van de Ven, I: K. Van de Ven, REG: K. Van de Ven (1973) Fls 20/truss, campanulate, with wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53B), slightly spotted on dorsal lobe. Lvs lanceolate, 100 × 25mm, with a thin, brown indumentum. Shrub to at least 2.0m

(r) **'Fire Rim'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nancy Evans' (s) × 'Pink Petticoats' H: J. Barlup (1989), G: J. Barlup (1992), N: J. Barlup, REG: J. Barlup (1995) Fls 20/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 76mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong red (46A) in bud, opening inside light yellow (20B), with a 6mm wide edging of strong purplish red (54A), strong red (53A) nectaries and moderate purplish red (59C) spotting on dorsal lobe; outside strong purplish red (54A); stamens 10, curved, unequal; filaments and style red; stigma strong yellow-green (143C). Calyx 13mm long, pale yellow (20C), with 2 deep red (53A) spots. Pedicels 45mm long, strong yellow-green (144C), with slight reddish mottling above. Lvs elliptic, 127 × 48mm, concave, with wavy margins, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (146C). Shrub 0.6 × 0.9m in 6 years. Mid April-early May

(a) **'Fire Sprite'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Louise Gable' × 'Ward's Ruby' (s) × 'James Gable' H: W.L. Guttormsen, G: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen (1976), REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1979) Fls hose-in-hose, open funnel-shaped, 55mm wide, with five flat-edged lobes/whorl, strong red (53C). Lvs narrowly obovate, 30 × 15mm, glossy; winter foliage bronze. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 8 years

(a) **'Firestar'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Mrs M.G. Schepens (pre 1987) Fls reddish orange. Midseason. Kurume

(r) **'Firestorm'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan' (s) × 'Chocolate Soldier' H: G.A.L. Mehlquist (1962), G: G.A.L. Mehlquist & M.H. Brand (1969), N: M.H. Brand, I: University of Connecticut (1990), REG: M.H. Brand (1991) Fls 15-16/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 57 × 83mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, deep red (53A) without any markings. Calyx less than 2mm long, strong red (53B). Pedicels 44mm long, strong red (53B). Lvs elliptic, 114-152 × 25-64mm, flat, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, dull, very dark forest green above with paler midribs, with a white to slightly rusty pubescence on young leaves; new foliage frosty lime colour; petioles 19-25mm long, hairy. Shrub 1.2 × 2.3m in 28 years, of spreading, dense habit. Early June

(r) **'Firetail'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' (s) × *facetum* R: J.J. Crosfield, N: J.J. Crosfield, I: J.J. Crosfield (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10-11/compact truss, funnel-shaped, up to 50 × 65mm, deep scarlet, spotted brown. Lvs oblanceolate, up to 225 × 75mm, with a faint, brown tomentum below. AM 1934, FCC 1937 (Firetail Group)

(r) **Firetail Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' (s) × *facetum* R: J.J. Crosfield, N: J.J. Crosfield, I: J.J. Crosfield (1934), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Fire Walk'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' × *arboreum* subsp. *delavayi* H: K. Van de Ven, G: K Van de Ven (1969), N: K. Van de Ven, I: K. Van de Ven (1971), REG: K. Van de Ven (1971) Fls 14/truss, vivid red (46C). Lvs 105 × 40mm, deep green, with a light fawn indumentum. Shrub 1.1m

(r) **'Fire Wine'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' × Fire Bird Group H: H.E. Greer (1960), G: H.E. Greer, N: H.E. Greer, I: H.E. Greer (1978), REG: H.E. Greer (1979) Fls up to 16/truss, 75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, lighter than deep purplish red (7.5RP 3/9), with slightly deeper dorsal spotting. Lvs 100 × 30mm

(a) **'Firey Crest'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls flame red

(r) **'Firlefanz'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with a few greenish spots

(a) **'Firmament'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale coral and white. Indian

(a) **'Firmin Steyaert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1929), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, purple; deeper-coloured than 'Tempérance'. Indian

(a) **'First Lady'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vespers' (s) × 'Refrain' R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls single, 2-3/truss, 105mm wide, with slightly "feathered" lobes, white, with a strong green blotch. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m. Early May. (First published in Holly Springs cat., 1990)

(v) **'First Light'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: identification of seed parent uncertain × *jasminiflorum* H: T. Lelliott, G: E.B. Perrott (1985), N: Miss J. Velvin, I: Lyndale Nurseries, REG: Lyndale Nurseries (1988) Fls 10-16/truss, salver-shaped, 45 × 40mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish pink (55B), the tube and a central line down each lobe pale purplish pink (56A); stamens and stigma pink. Calyx 1mm long, green. Lvs elliptic-ovate, 65-70 × 35-40mm, dark green and shiny when mature, with greyish brown scales on both surfaces when young. Compact shrub 1.5 × 1.0m. Repeat-flowering

(r) **'First Love'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *oreotrephes* × Royal Flush Group R: R. Henny, I: L. Henny, REG: L. Henny (1965) Fls up to 8/truss, pink, with a maroon eye. Lvs up to 65 × 25mm. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'First Touch'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nancy Evans' (s) × 'Mrs Furnivall' H: J. Barlup (1989), G: J. Barlup (1994), N: J. Barlup (1997), REG: J. Barlup (2002) Fls 24/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong red (51A) in bud, opening inside and out pale yellow (8D), the outside lightly tinged light yellowish pink (36C) on the dorsal lobe; two strong greenish yellow (151B) flares, c10mm long, leading to a dorsal blotch, c35mm long, of discrete, brownish orange (166C) spots which change to dark greenish yellow (152D). Calyx variable, up to 13mm long, light greenish yellow (8C). Lvs elliptic, 105 × 50mm, margins upcurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.4m in 12 years. Late May

(a) **'First Try'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Pocono Pink' (s) × 'Sherbrooke' H: J.R. McKeever (1988), G: J.R. McKeever (1991), N: J.R. McKeever, REG: J.R. McKeever (1993) Fls hose-in-hose, with an occasional petaloid stamen, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 89mm, whorls 5(-6)-lobed, lobes wavy-edged, light purplish pink (62C), with an inconspicuous, light pink speckled blotch on the dorsal lobe; stamens 5, curved, unequal. Calyx 6mm long, light green. Pedicels 13mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 57 × 25mm, flat, acute at apex, oblique at base, dull moderate olive green (137A) above, moderate yellow-green (138B) and with discrete hairs

below (light pink when young, ageing to light tan); petioles 6mm long, light green, hairy. Shrub 0.6 × 0.7m in 4 1/2 years. Early May

(a) **'Fischer A3'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1996) (Used by A. Reid in breeding the Linwood hardy azaleas)

(r) **'Fisher's Folly'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: (Jalisco Group × Loderi Group) × *decorum* × Hawk Group × Albatross Group R: Greer Gardens, N: J.R. Fisher, REG: J.R. Fisher (1986) Fls 8/truss, open funnel-shaped, 110mm wide, 6-7-lobed, yellowish white (155D), with light greenish yellow (4B) stripes which fade to pale yellow-green (4D); dorsal part of corolla striated and spotted moderate red (47A). Lvs 170 × 60mm, mid green, hairless. October (New Zealand)

(a) **'Fisher's Pink'** (Syn. of 'Perfection' (Frost, 1861))

(r) **'Fit and Trim'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Stokes Bronze Wings' (s) × 'Tony's Gift' × 'Serenata' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls yellowish white (158D) and pale yellowish green (155A) in bud, opening yellowish white (155D) with a moderate yellow-green (146D) throat, a light greenish yellow (1C) flare and both deep greenish yellow (153A) and strong brown (172A) dorsal spots. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Fittonia'** cv. Parentage unknown L: L. de Cock (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Fittra'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *R.* × *fittianum* (s) × *racemosum* R: Hilliers, N: Hilliers, I: Hilliers (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 30/globular truss, 17 × 22mm, deep purplish pink (72D). Calyx rim-like, green. Lvs elliptic, 25 × 10mm, dull green above, scaly below. Shrub 0.5-0.6m. AM 1949

(a) **'Five Arrows'** cv. Deciduous azalea: seedling from *quinquefolium* R: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1967), REG: E. de Rothschild (1967) Fls 1-3/truss, funnel-shaped, 25 × 40-45mm, pure white, throat spotted and flecked with green. Calyx deeply lobed, green. Lvs in 4s & 5s, elliptic, 40 × 20mm. Shrub to perhaps 2.5m. Late April. FCC 1967

(r) **'Five Inch'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Atrosanguineum' × *fortunei* H: J.B. Gable (pre 1972) Fls light lavender pink

(r) **'Fixation'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla', green-eyed form (s) × *vernicosum* aff (Rock 18139) H: J. Looye, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls strong and vivid purplish red (67A, 67B) and deep purplish pink (67C) in bud, opening strong, moderate and light purplish pink (68B, C, D) with strong greenish yellow (153B) dorsal spots; anthers white. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Flag of Truce'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: F. & A. Smith, N: F. & A. Smith, I: Todman (1861), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double/double, 50mm wide, white. FCC 1861. Indian

(r) **'Flag of Truce'** cv. Parentage unknown R: I. Davies (pre 1896), N: I. Davies, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Flair'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' × 'Adriaan Koster' × *williamsianum* H: D.G. Leach, G: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1970), REG: D.G. Leach (1974) Fls up to 12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 25 × 70mm, 5-lobed, white, with faint ivory shading on dorsal lobe; buds light to strong purplish pink (5RP 7.5/8). Calyx c1.5mm long, greenish yellow. Lvs elliptic, 90 × 50mm, mid green; petioles dark red. Shrub 1.2 × 1.4m in 14 years

(a) **'Flambeau'** (Syn. of 'Le Flambeau')

(a) **'Flambeau'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Domoto Bros, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, deep pink, with darker blotch. Mollis

(a) **'Flamboyant'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Whitley & Osborn (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 50mm wide, deep yellowish pink (39A), light yellowish pink (31D) and light greenish yellow (4B). Shrub 1.0-1.5m. Late. Ghent (Perhaps the plant exhibited by L. Verschaffelt, 1839)

(a) **'Flamboyant'** cv. Evergreen azalea: developed from 'Hexe' I: A. Steyaert (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, deep red. Indian

(a) **'Flamboyant'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (pre 1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, purple. Coolidge

(a) **'Flame'** (Syn. of 'Suetsumu')

(a) **'Flame'** (Syn. of 'President Claeys')

(r) **'Flame'** (Syn. of 'Flamme')

(r) **'Flame'** (Syn. of 'Fire Flame')

(r) **'Flame'** (See also 'The Flame')

(r) **Flame Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Corona' × Loderi Group (s) × *griersonianum* R: H. Lem (pre 1940), I: H. Lem (1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, pink (rosy flame colour). Large, upright shrub. Late. (Grown from seed obtained from F.J. Rose)

(v) **'Flame'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *javanicum* hybrid R: unknown, I: Earl of Morley (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls broadly funnel-shaped, the limb flattened and with rounded lobes, intensely rich orange scarlet. FCC 1931

(a) **'Flame Creeper'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *indicum* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, intense orange scarlet. Low, spreading habit. Indian

(a) **'Flame Dance'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: R.D. Gartrell, G: R.D. Gartrell, N: Wayside Gardens, I: Wayside Gardens (1986) Fls single, large, tubular, fire engine red. Shrub of low, weeping habit. Syn: 'Sherbrooke Red'

(r) **'Flame Glow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Midsummer' (s) × ('Midsummer' × 'Adele's Yellow') no.2 selection H: W.E. Delp (1980), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 18/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 45mm, 5-lobed, dark red (59A), deep red (60A) and deep, moderate and strong purplish red (59B, C; 60B) in bud, opening to a blend of vivid purplish red (66A, B) and deep, moderate and pale purplish pink (66B, C; 65C), with a brilliant greenish yellow (2B) flare and light olive (152A) dorsal spots; filaments white; style moderate purplish pink (66D); anthers moderate red (185B); stigma vivid red (45A). Lvs 127 × 44mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m in 12 years. Early June

(r) **'Flameheart'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *auriculatum* (s) × Azor Group R: M. Haworth-Booth (pre 1955), N: M. Haworth-Booth, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Flamenco'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Violaceum' × 'Reinhold Ambrosius' R: IOPG, Belgium (1971), I: IOPG, Belgium (1981) Fls double, strong reddish purple (72B). Calyx normal, green. Early. Indian

(r) **'Flamenco'** (Syn. of 'Lady of Spain')

(r) **'Flamenco'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Fanfare' (s) × 'Gertrud Schäle' H: D.G. Leach (1956), G: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1968), REG: D.G. Leach (1983) Fls 6-9/truss, 40 × 65mm, broadly funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, vivid red (52A), with dorsal linear spotting of strong red (45D). Calyx minute, green. Lvs elliptic, 65-80 × 25-35mm, moderate olive green (147A). Shrub c0.4m in 10 years

(r) **'Flamenco'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from Infanta Group R: C. Ingram (pre 1967), N: C. Ingram Fls nearly 150mm wide

(v) **'Flamenco Dancer'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *aurigeranum* (s) × *macgregoriae* H: T. Lelliott, G: E.B. Perrott, N: G.F. Smith, I: G.F. Smith (1983), REG: G.F. Smith (1984) Fls 20-22/truss, 32 × 35mm, 5-lobed, tubular funnel-shaped, with deeply cut lobes (lobes 1/2 corolla length) giving a star-like form, brilliant yellow (15C), suffused strong orange (26B), deepening with age. Lvs elliptic, 70-90 × 30-40mm, with minute brown scales

(a) **'Flameolum Incarnatum'** (See note under 'Flammeolum Incarnatum')

(r) **'Flamer'** (See 'The Flamer')

(r) **'F.L. Ames'** (Syn. of 'Amphion')

(r) **'Flame Tips'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Day Dream Group × Margaret Dunn Group × un-named seedling H: W. Graves, G: Mr & Mrs K. Janeck, N: Mr & Mrs K. Janeck, REG: Mr & Mrs K. Janeck (1964) Fls 6-7/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 55mm wide, 5-lobed, dark flame red in bud, opening to flame, suffused with yellow. Lvs oblong-lanceolate, up to 90 × 30mm. Shrub 1.1 × 1.0m. Late May-early June

(v) **'Flaming Ball'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* × *javanicum* H: D.B. Stanton, G: D.B. Stanton, I: G. Langdon, REG: G. Langdon (1982) Fls 8/truss, vivid reddish orange (33A), shading to strong orange (25B) in the throat

(a) **'Flaming Beacon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum* × *kaempferi* R: R.P. Mayo, N: R.P. Mayo, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 45mm wide, orange-red, with a darker blotch. Midseason

(r) **'Flaming Comet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ring of Fire' × 'Lem's Cameo' R: unknown (pre 1997) Fls red-orange at margins, yellow in centre. Shrub 1.5m. (Listed in an Am. Rh. Soc., Olympic Chapter, plant sale list, 1997)

(a) **'Flaming June'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep pink (52C), with an orange-yellow to vivid yellow blotch. Very late. Knap Hill

(a) **'Flaming Mamie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* × *nakaharae* H: T. Rokujo (pre 1985), G: Mrs J.W. Hill, N: Transplant Nursery (pre 1987), I: Transplant Nursery Fls flame-coloured. Syn: 'Flaming Mame', 'Mrs Hill's Flaming Mame', 'Mrs Hill's Flaming Mamie' (Sibling of 'Airport Red')

(a) **'Flamingo'** (Syn. of 'Werner Muckel')

(a) **'Flamingo'** (Syn. of 'Tama-no-utena')

(a) **'Flamingo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, red. Indian

(a) **'Flamingo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c 1935), N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls40mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, coral. Kurume

(a) **'Flamingo'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65mm wide, deep pink, darker on the outside, with an orange blotch. Midseason. Knap Hill

(a) **'Flamingo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Pericat, I: W.T. Champney's & Sons (pre 1962) Fls hose-in-hose, semi-double, 45mm wide, light yellowish pink, with a white edge and a darker blotch. Pericat

(a) **'Flamingo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L.L. Brooks (pre 1965), N: L.L. Brooks Fls single, hose-in-hose, rose pink. Indian

(r) **'Flamingo'** (Syn. of 'Gable's Flamingo')

(r) **Flamingo Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loder's White' (s) × *griersonianum* I: Sir James Horlick (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) (Perhaps the 'Flamingo' listed by Clibrans, 1931: fls crimson, with waved edges)

(r) **'Flamingo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably 'Kate Waterer' × *wardii* (from L&S 5679) R: D.G. Hobbie (1948), N: K.H. Albertzard (1988), I: K.H. Albertzard (1988) Fls in a loose truss, creamy yellow, with rose margins and a strong, red basal blotch; outside lilac rose

(v) **'Flamingo Bay'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: ((*aurigeranum* × 'Doctor Herman Sleumer') × *leucogigas*) selfed × another clone (no. 1) of the same cross H: A. Jensen (pre 1980), G: A. Jensen, N: L. Sorenson-Smith, I: Bovees Nursery (1996), REG: Bovees Nursery (1999) Fls 4-8/domed truss, elongated tubular below, broadly funnel-shaped above, 75 × 90mm, with 6-7 very wavy-edged lobes, inside of tube moderate reddish orange (41C) to deep yellowish pink (41D), with areas of moderate yellowish pink (33D) to moderate pink (35D), lobes light yellowish pink (38C-D) edged strong pink (48D); outside similarly coloured. Calyx minute, soft red. Lvs elliptic, 105 × 50mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (137B) above, scaly. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 10 years, pendent (and best grown in a hanging basket). Variable flowering period. (First published in Bovees Nursery cat., 1996)

(r) **'Flaming Red'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Delp's Fireking' (s) × 'Redwing Chip' H: W.E. Delp (1986), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1995) Fls 14/truss, open funnel-shaped, 46 × 54mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, dark and deep red (183A, 53A) in bud, opening to a blend of deep and strong red (53A-C), with a small white flare and sparse, strong yellow (153D), dorsal spots; filaments and style deep red (53A); anthers moderate purplish pink (186D); stigma dark red (183A). Lvs 102 × 44mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Early June

(a) **'Flaming Sally'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lady Louise' × unknown R: R.D. Gartrell (pre 1981), N: Cripple Creek Nursery (c 1984) Fls 80mm wide, with extra lobes, lobes broad and wavy-edged, strong red (41B). Shrub to 1.0m. Late

(r) **'Flaming Snow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: B.P.P. Moseley & The Tyler Arboretum, S: Bowers Committee (1950), N: The Tyler Arboretum, REG: The Tyler Arboretum (1991) Fls 10-12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 57 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, opening light, purplish pink (7.5RP 8/5) and fading within a day or two to almost white (pale purplish pink, 7.5RP 9/2), with numerous, small, deep pink (10RP 6/12) to deep purplish pink (10RP 3/10) speckles on dorsal lobe and parts of adjacent lobes; slightly scented. Lvs oblanceolate to narrowly obovate, 127-152 × 32-51mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy, hairless and dark yellow green (10GY 4/5) above, light yellowish green (10GY 8/7) below. Shrub 3.7 × 2.4m in 40 years. Miid May. (Published in *Encyclopedia of Rhododendron Hybrids*, Cox & Cox (1988))

(r) **'Flamme'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* × 'Mira' R: T.J.R. Seidel (1895), N: T.J.R. Seidel (1904), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 11-15/tight pyramidal truss, 50-75mm wide, throat pale lilac, inside margin and whole of outside intense lilac; with yellow or greenish yellow markings on the dorsal lobes. June. Syn: 'Flame'

(a) **'Flamme de Punch'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. van Geert (1877), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon rose, with an orange blotch and red stamens. Ghent

(a) **'Flammeolum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1835), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Flammeolum Incarnatum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Baumann (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright pink, with a dark yellow blotch. Ghent (Sometimes seen as 'Flameolum Incarnatum')

(a) **'Flammeum'** (Listed as "Calendulacea Flammea" (eg. C. Loddiges and Sons, 1826). This is *R. flammeum*)

(r) **'Flammeum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Flam Pearce'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls light pink, splashed white

(a) **'Flamtoranta'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(r) **'Flanagan's Daughter'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Bud Flanagan' H: R.J.R. Drayson (1976), G: Harkwood Acres (1981), N: Mrs A.J.A. Drayson, REG: Mr & Mrs Drayson (1987) Fls 16-26/truss, tubular-campanulate, 58 × 77mm, 5-lobed, deep purplish pink (67C) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (65D), edged strong purplish pink (68B); dorsal blotch dark red (187A) in centre, dark red (187B-C) at edges; flower matures to white, with a hint of lilac (blotch as before). Lvs lanceolate, 122 × 45mm, moderate olive green (146A & 147A) above, with a deep to strong orange-yellow (163A & B) indumentum below. Compact shrub, 0.69 × 1.2m in 11 years. Early May-mid June

(a) **'Flander's Field'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Pericat, N: Leach Nurseries, I: Leach Nurseries (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single (or occasionally semi-double), 55mm wide, blood red (820/2). Midseason. Syn: 'Cornelia van Herden'. Pericat

(r) **'Flapper'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Delp's Cindy Lou' (s) × 'Captain Jack' H: W.E. Delp (1976), G: W.E.

Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 16/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 54 × 60mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, very pale purple (69A) and vivid reddish purple (74A) in bud, opening to a blend of reddish purple and purplish pink (72A, B; 70D) and with a small white throat, a small white flare and dark red (59A) dorsal spots; filaments and style white; anthers light yellowish pink (159A); stigma dark red (59A). Lvs 102 × 51mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.2m1.2m in 16 years. Early June

(r) **'Flare'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs R.S. Holford' × *auriculatum* × *griersonianum* R: W.C. Slocock (pre 1953), N: W.C. Slocock, I: W.C. Slocock, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls brilliantsalmon red. June. (Exactcombinations of parents uncertain: sources differ)

(a) **'Flarepath'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red; scented. June. Knap Hill

(r) **'Flare Up'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *R.* × *nikomontanum* (s) × 'Purple Splendour' H: B. & M. Shapiro (1967), G: B. & M. Shapiro, N: B. & M. Shapiro, REG: B. & M. Shapiro (1995) Fls 12-14/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 60mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, inside very pale purple (75D), with the throat and a large area of the dorsal lobe and portions of adjacent lobes spotted dark red (59A); outside very pale purple (75D), with very light purple (75C) midribs. Calyx c1mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 130 × 65mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, moderate olive green (146A) above, with sparse white hairs on new leaves, mature leaves hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 2.1m in 28 years. Late May-early June

(a) **'Fläri'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kiusianum* hybrid R: Mittendorf (pre 1980), N: Mittendorf Fls dark rose. (Has been listed in error as 'Fräri')

(a) **'Flash'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Elegans Superbum' (s) × sport from 'Suetsumu' R: USDA, Beltsville, N: USDA, Beltsville, I: USDA, Beltsville (1960), REG: USDA, Beltsville (1961) Fls single, 3-9/truss, 25-40mm wide, deep brick red. Lvs dark, glossy green, semi-persistent. Shrub one and a half times as wide as tall. (Derived from the work of G.E. Yerkes & R.L. Pryor)

(r) **'Flash Group'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group (s) × *dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* H: Lord Aberconway (1934), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red

(r) **'Flashback'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs T.H. Lowinsky' (s) × 'Calsap' H: J. Looye, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls strong, moderate and light purple (83D, 82B, C, D) in bud, opening white, edged strong, moderate and light purple (82B, C, D) and with moderate violet (86A) dorsal spots. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Flash Bang'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Phipps Yellow' (s) × 'Blondie' H: M.V. Whitman (1998), G: M.V. & B. Whitman (2002), N: M.V. & B. Whitman (2002), REG: M.V. & B. Whitman (2002) Fls 8/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 100mm, with 6-7 wavy to very wavy-edged lobes, pale yellow (20C) in bud, marked with deep pink (52B), opening inside pale yellow (20C) with a pale orange-yellow (16D) throat and with deep pink (52B) streaks extending from lobe sinuses to base, fading to pale pink with age; outside pale yellow (19C), tinged pale pink. Lvs oblong, 150 × 65mm, margins flat, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and dark green (136A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.5 × 0.4m in 4 years. Mid May

(a) **'Flashbrick'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1961) (Listed as a parent of 'Canterbury')

(r) **'Flashdance'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum*, white-flowered (s) × 'Evening Glow' H: W.M. Fetterhoff (pre 1985), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls strong red (53C) in bud, opening strong and moderate pink (49A, B), with a pale greenish yellow (2D) throat. Tall shrub

(r) **'Flasher'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: un-named seedling (Ostbo no. Y3) (s) × 'Gosh Darn!' × selfed 'Goldsworth Yellow' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls moderate red (181B, C), strong red (53D) and pale yellowish pink (159D) in bud, opening yellowish white (155D) with a brilliant greenish yellow (1B) throat, a pale yellow-green (4D) flare and strong greenish yellow (153B) dorsal spots; filament and style pale yellow-green (155A); anthers deep purplish red (187D); stigma strong yellow-green (144C). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Flash Finish'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'China Boy' (s) × 'Charles Dickens' × 'Mars' H: J. Looye, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, deep and strong red in bud, opening strong red and strong pink, with a small white flare. (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Flashing Red'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* × unknown H: G. Langdon, G: G. Langdon, N: G. Langdon, I: G. Langdon, REG: G. Langdon (1980) Fls 17/truss, strong red (53B), spotted black

(r) **Flashlight Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *callimorphum* (s) × *campylocarpum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow, flushed pink

(r) **'Flashy Blue'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Blue Ridge' (s) × tetraploid *minus* Carolinianum Group × 'Blue Diamond' H: J. Looye (1990), G: W.E. Delp (1992), N: Mrs V. Delp, I: Crystalaire Rhododendron Naturescapes, REG: J.D. Harris (1996) Fls 14/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, c30 × 45mm, 5-lobed, moder-

ate and strong violet (86A-B) and strong purple (84A) in bud, opening strong and brilliant violet (86B-D); filaments strong violet (86C); style strong purple (80B); anthers moderate reddish brown (176B); stigma deep red (185A). Lvs 50 × 15mm, cuneate at base, broadly acute at apex. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 6 years. Mid May

(r) **'Flat Frank'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *keiskei* hybrid R: F. Furman (pre 1978) (Listed as a parent of 'Frank's Coup')

(a) **'F.L. Atkins'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Bobbink & Atkins, N: Bobbink & Atkins, I: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, carmine cerise

(a) **'Flat Out'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown S: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls opening very wide, white, with faint hints of chartreuse. Low, spreading shrub. May-late June

(r) **'Flatterer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Corona' (s) × Lady Bessborough Group H: R. Henny, G: R. Henny, N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny (1957), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 15/truss, funnel-campanulate, 90mm wide, deep pink (52C). Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Flat Top'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid H: J.B. Gable (pre 1972) Fls red. Low, spreading habit

(r) **'Flautando'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *brachycarpum* subsp. *fauriei* × 'Goldsworth Orange' H: H. Hachmann (1967), G: H. Hachmann (1974), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1986), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 11-13(-16)/truss, narrowly funnel-shaped, tending to hang down, 45-50 × 55-60mm, with 5(-7) very wavy-edged lobes, light yellow (12C), margins moderate to light yellowish pink (38B(-D)), marked reddish brown on dorsal lobe, the marking becoming more brilliant greenish yellow (1A-B) in the throat; outside strongpink (48C-D), deep pink(48A-B) on veins. Calyx 8-10mm long, brilliant greenish yellow (3A-B), edged red. Lvs oblanceolate, 85-105 × 32-38mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate-rounded at base, mid green and slightly glossy above, midrib yellowish green; petioles short, brownish red. Shrub 1.0 × 1.4m in 15 years, of rounded, compact habit. Late May-mid June

(r) **Flava Group** (See Flavum Group)

(r) **'Flava Lackblatt'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × *wardii* R: unknown (pre 1996) Fls pale yellow, some with red spotting. Shrub 0.9m in 10 years. Midseason. (Presumably a selection from the Volker Group (syn. Flavum Group) and should therefore be cited as 'Flavum Lackblatt' (an unacceptable name because of the initial latin word). May also be circulating as Volker Group 'Lackblatt'.)

(a) **'Flavescens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Flavescens Roseum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: H. Lane & Son (1851), INC: ICRA (1958) (May have been a deciduous azalea)

(r) **'Flavidum Novum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1853), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very pale yellow, with blotches of deep yellow. (Exhibited by Verschaffelt at Ghent in 1853)

(r) **'Flavone'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Neat-O' (s) × *bureavii* H: D.W. Goheen (1979), G: D.W. Goheen (1988), N: D.W. Goheen, I: A Sandy Rhododendron, REG: D.W. Goheen (2000) Fls 16-20/conical truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 50 × 50-65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, white, with strong purplish red (54A) spotting on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 2-3mm long, pale pink. Lvs elliptic, 125-130 × 65mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, margins flat to downcurved, wavy-edged, glossy dark green above, with a thick, felted, moderate orange (167A) indumentum below. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 15 years. April

(r) **'Flavour'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: un-named seedling no. K30 × Dido Group R: W.C. Slocock Ltd, N: W.C. Slocock Ltd (1960), I: W.C. Slocock Ltd, REG: W.C. Slocock Ltd (1961) Fls c11/domed, fairly lax truss, more-or-less campanulate, c58-65 × 58-65mm, a slightly darker shade of maize yellow (607/3), the throat mimosa yellow (602/2), with slight maroon spotting on the dorsal lobe. Lvs 115-125 × 40mm, dull mid green. Shrub 1.4 × 1.9m. Late May. *HC 1960 Syn: 'Ice Cream Flavour'

(r) **Flavum Group** (Syn. of Volker Group)

(r) **'Flavum Elegans'** cv. Parentage unknown L: H. Laurentius (1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow

(r) **'Flavum Glaucum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: A. Verschaffelt (pre 1868), N: A. Verschaffelt, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow

(r) **'Flavum Grandiflorum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: A. Verschaffelt (1856), N: A Verschaffelt, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow

(r) **'Flavum Speciosum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow

(r) **'Flavum Superbum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1845), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-yellow. (Exhibited by W. Smith, 1845)

(r) **'Flawless'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Rocky Road' (s) × 'Rougemont' H: W.E. Delp (1989), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1995) Fls 22/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 54 × 70mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, deep and strong red (53A-B) in bud, opening strong red and strong purplish red (53B-D, 54A), with a white flare and deep greenish yellow (153B) dorsal spots; filaments strong purplish red (54A); style strong red (53B); anthers pale yellow (158B); stigma dark red (187A). Lvs 108 × 44mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.75m in 4 years. Early June

(r) **'Fledgeling'** (Syn. of 'Peregrine Fledgeling')

(r) **'Fleece'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from Shepherd's Delight Group R: A.W. Heneage-Vivian (1927), N: Mrs R.M. Stevenson (1959), REG: Mrs R.M. Stevenson (1961) Fls 7/loose truss, drooping, campanulate, varying shades of rhodomine pink (527/2), with some deep pink flushes and limited, red spotting on the dorsal lobe. Pedicels 30mm long. AM 1959

(r) **'Flensburg'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scintillation' (s) × 'Germania' H: H. Hachmann (1989), G: H. Hachmann (1995), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 12-16/rounded, fairly full truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55-65 × 90-105mm, with 5(-6) wavy-edged lobes, inside light purplish pink (73C), edges strong purplish pink (73B), midveins and throat very pale purple (73D); outside light purplish pink (73C), edges and midveins deep/strong purplish pink (73A/B); a large area of strong yellow-green (144A/B) markings on dorsal lobe. Calyx c1mm long, brilliant greenish yellow (151D). Lvs ovate, 140-180 × 60-75mm, flat, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, mid green, with yellowish green right at edge and on midribs, slightly glossy, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.7m in 10 years. Early-late May. (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030626). First published in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(r) **'Fleur de Flandre'** cv. Parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy lilac, with a golden blotch and green and black spots. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Fleur de Mai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white, with a broad green blotch, flaked with vermilion rose. Indian

(r) **'Fleur de Marie'** cv. Parentage unknown I: J. Byls (pre 1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c12/truss, funnel-shaped or campanulate, 45 × 60-70mm, rose crimson at edges, shading to white in centre, unmarked. Calyx small. Lvs lanceolate, up to 280 × 50mm, dark glossy green above. Shrub up to c3m

(r) **'Fleur de Roi'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* (s) × *campanulatum* R: L. van Houtte (pre 1861), N: L. van Houtte, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with wavy-edged lobes and margins broadly suffused blue (sometimes seen as suffused pink). (Parentage sometimes listed as selection from *campanulatum*)

(r) **'Fleurette Evans'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Seta', selfed H: W. Moyles (1972), G: W. Moyles (1978), N: W. Moyles, I: E.W. Moyles (c 1980), REG: E.W. Moyles (1986) Fls 3-4/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 45mm, with 5 sometimes wavy-edged lobes, deep to strong pink (50B-C) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (56A), with a 50B-C throat. Calyx light yellow-green (145C). Lvs lanceolate, 60 × 20mm, glossy, moderate olive green to moderate yellow-green (147A-B) above, with moderately spaced, medium-sized, dark red scales below. Shrub 0.8 × 1.1m in 10 years. Mid March

(r) **'Fleurie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *argipeplum* R: R.N.S. Clarke, N: R.N.S. Clarke, I: R.N.S. Clarke, REG: R.N.S. Clarke (1978) Fls up to 25/firm, rounded truss, tubular-campanulate, 5-lobed, vivid red (46C), with prominent nectaries. Calyx with lobes up to 8mm long, glandular hairy at base. Lvs oblong-lanceolate, up to 150 × 55mm, dark green above, with a loose, brown, woolly indumentum below. AM 1978 (Grown from seed collected by T.J. Booth)

(r) **'Flicker'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Umpqua Chief' × *elliottii* 'War Paint' × 'Fawn' H: D.W. James (1949), G: D.W. James, I: Mrs R. James, REG: Mrs R. James (1980) Fls 10-11/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 115mm wide, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink (46D), with considerable, yet quite inconspicuous, slightly darker spotting on dorsal lobes. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 125-140 × 40-50mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 3.0 × 2.4m in 28 years. Mid May

(r) **Flinckii Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. flinckii*

(r) **'Flip'** (Syn. of 'Strawberry Cream')

(r) **'Flippant'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Delp's Cindy Lou' (s) × 'Serenata' H: W.E. Delp (1980), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 16/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 61 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep and strong purplish red (61A, B) in bud, opening to a blend of deep, strong and light purplish pink, very pale purple and strong purplish red (73A-D; 71D), with strong yellow-green (144B) dorsal spots; filaments moderate purplish pink (66D); style deep purplish pink (66C); anthers light yellowish pink (159A); stigma dark red (187A). Lva 114 × 51mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.0m in 12 years. Early June

(r) **'Flipper'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Delp's Cindy Lou' (s) × 'Goldsworth Orange' H: W.E. Delp (1985), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls vivid red (45A) in bud, opening to a blend of vivid red (52A) and deep pink (52B)

(r) **'Flirt'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: J.A. Elliott (1968), G: J.A. Elliott, N: J.A. Elliott, I: J.A. Elliott (1975), REG: J.A. Elliott (1980) Fls 9-12/lax ball truss, open campanulate, 75mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, rose red (724) in bud, opening rose red (724/3) with a white throat and a narrow rose red (724) stripe down the back of each lobe; colour fades with age and the white of the throat then extends to about half the length of the lobes. Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 100 × 40mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy above, with a plastered indumentum below (pale yellow (11C). Shrub 1.1 × 1.4m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Flirt Alert'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Wizard' (s) × 'Sweet Lulu' H: W.E. Delp (1991), G: W.E. Delp (1993), N: Mrs V. Delp, I: Crystalaire Rhododendron

Naturescapes, REG: J.D. Harris (1996) Fls 18/truss, open funnel-shaped, c50 × 70mm, with 5-7 very wavy-edged lobes, vivid and strong reddish orange (42A-C) and light yellow (10B) in bud, opening light yellow (10B-C), edged strong and moderate reddish orange (42B-D), with deep red (53A) spots on three dorsallobes; filaments light yellow-green (2C); style moderate orange (166D); anthers moderate orange-yellow (168D); stigma greyish brown (166A). Calyx 25mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs 100 × 40mm, cuneate at base, broadly acute at apex. Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in 5 years. Early June. (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Locoated,* Salley (1995))

(a) **'Flirtation'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Maxwellii' × 'Snow' R: USDA, N: USDA, Beltsville, I: USDA, Beltsville (1960), REG: USDA, Beltsville (1961) Fls hose-in-hose, 3-4/truss, c65mm wide, purple. Lvs semi-persistent. (Derived from the work of G.E. Yerkes & R.L. Pryor)

(a) **'Flirtation'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L.L. Brooks (pre 1965), N: L.L. Brooks Fls semi-double, bright cerise. Indian

(r) **'Floda'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *keiskei* × a pink form of *mucronulatum* H: P.M. Waldman (1976), G: P.M. Waldman (1980), N: P.M. Waldman, I: Roslyn Nursery (1983), REG: P.M. Waldman (1988) Fls 3-8/flattened ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (62B), edged with pale purplish pink (62D), fading to white with pink stripes radiating through each lobe and with a persistent, light orange-yellow (16C) flare on dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 40 × 20mm, flat, acute at tip, cuneate at base, glossy and smooth above, scaly. Semi-evergreen, with red autumn foliage. Shrub 0.8 × 1.2m in 11 years. Early.

(r) **'Floor Show'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Bambi' × *arboreum* H: R. Cutten, G: R. Cutten, N: R. Cutten, I: R. Cutten, REG: R. Cutten (1981) Fls 17/truss, deep yellowish pink (46D)

(a) **'Floppy Boy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Violaceum' (s) × 'Teena Marie' H: D.J. Dosser, G: D.J. Dosser (1982), I: D.J. Dosser, REG: D.J. Dosser (1984) Fls strong purplish red (54A). Shrub 1.0m

(a) **'Flora'** (Syn. of 'Vesna')

(a) **'Flora'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Knight & Perry (pre 1849), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Flora'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 40mm wide, strong yellowish pink (38A). Late. Ghent

(a) **'Flora'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L.L. Liebig (1883), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale carmine rose, shiny, with a beautiful blotch. Indian

(a) **'Flora'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, shaded tender rose on a rosy yellow ground. Rustica

(a) **'Flora'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Camellia Grove Nursery (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, rosy salmon. Kurume (Probably raised by E. Kirk)

(r) **'Flora'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (c 1860), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose or white striped with pale rose. (L.van Houtte (1870 cat.) list it as from J. Byls; C.J.H. Walter's plant (pre 1863) was a shade of violet and spotted and may have been distinct)

(r) **'Florabundant'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Bow Bells Group × 'Unique' H: W. Elliott (pre 1997) Ball-shaped shrub

(a) **'Florabundum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: T. Jackson & Son (1851), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Florabundum Coccineum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1847), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy crimson. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Flora Donald'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × 'Lodauric Iceberg' R: D. Smith, N: D. Smith, REG: D. Smith (1971) Fls pale purplish pink (62D), with moderate purplish pink (62B) flushing on the reverse

(a) **'Floradora'** (See note under 'Florodora')

(r) **'Floral Dance'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *nuttallii* (s) × *edgeworthii* H: F.M. Jury, G: F.M. Jury, N: F.M. Jury, I: F.M. Jury, REG: F.M. Jury (1982) Fls 4/truss, funnel-shaped, 90 × 110mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, white, flushed externally and on lobes camellia rose (622/1); blotch yellow. Calyx 15mm long, pink. Lvs ovate, 140 × 60mm, with a tan indumentum

(r) **'Floral Fete'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *nuttallii* × *lindleyi* G: I.F. Gordon (1982), N: I.F. Gordon, I: I.F. Gordon (1988), REG: I.F. Gordon (1988) Fls 10-14/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 120 × 100mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, yellowish white (158C), passing to ivory and white; outside with a strong purplish pink (63C) flush; throat vivid yellow (14B). Calyx 25mm long, strong greenish yellow (153C). Lvs 200 × 70mm, bullate, narrowed at tip, with reddish scales. Shrub 2.0 × 1.5m. Mid October-early November (New Zealand)

(r) **'Floral Gift'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Michael's Pride' × *maddenii* Polyandrum Group R: M. Jury, N: M. Jury, I: M. Jury (1997) Fls large, wide open, creamy white, flushed pink, with a green to yellow throat; strongly scented. Lvs dark. Compact shrub to 1.8m. Midseason

(a) **'Floralia'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, reddish pink, with a red blotch. Mollis

(r) **'Floralies'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × unknown R: unknown (pre 1996) Fls cream,

outside cream flushed with orange. Lvs elliptic, dark green. Shrub 0.9m in 10 years. (Reported from USA, but said to be grown in France)

(r) **'Floral Sun'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *nuttallii* (as *sinonuttallii*) × 'R.W. Rye' R: M. Jury (pre 1997), N: M. Jury Fls trumpet-shaped, soft gold; scented. Lvs mid green. Compact shrub to 1.5m, with peeling bark. Midseason

(r) **'Flora Macdonald'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright pink, with brown spots. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Flora Markeeta'** cv. Elepidoterhododendron: *thomsonii* × 'Unique' × 'Leonardslee Luscombei' R: Flora Markeeta Nursery (1951), N: Flora Markeeta Nursery, REG: Flora Markeeta Nursery (1968) Fls up to 10/truss, 75mm wide, coral pink in bud, opening ivory white, blushed coral. Lvs ovate, up to 100 × 40mm, glossygreen. Shrub 1.2 × 1.0m in 10 years. Early April. Syn: 'Flower Market'

(a) **'Flora Pougratz'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1891), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon rose, the two dorsal lobes magenta red and with a red-brown blotch. Indian

(r) **'Flora's Boy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *forrestii* Repens Group × 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague' L: USA (1983) Fls large, waxy red, held more-or-less upright. Lvs glossy green. Shrub up to 0.6m in 10 years

(a) **'Flora Superba'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1849), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, red. (Exhibited in France by Margottin, 1849)

(r) **'Flore Albo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as a form or hybrid of *catawbiense* L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Florence'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, with a paler centre. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Florence'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Creeping Jenny' × 'Unknown Warrior' H: E.E. Smith (1967), G: E.E. Smith (1972), N: E.E. Smith, I: E.E. Smith (1975), REG: E.E. Smith (1975) Fls 8-10/truss, 65 × 60mm, 5-lobed, vivid red (46B). Lvs oblanceolate, 125 × 50mm, hairless. Shrub 0.85 × 1.5m in 8 years. April

(r) **'Florence Archer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* × 'Marcia' H: H.L. Larson (1966), G: H.L. Larson (c 1974), N: H.L. Larson, I: H.L. Larson, REG: H.L. Larson (1979) Fls up to 8/domed truss, 70 × 95mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, brilliant yellow (11A), diffused with strong red (39A), dorsal lobe spotted strong yellow-green (145A), lobes edged (c7mm wide) with strong red (39A). Calyx uneven, 25-45mm long, strong red (39A). Lvs broadly elliptic, 95 × 65mm. Shrub under 1.0m. Late May

(r) **'Florence Blethen Duffy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Virginia Scott' × 'Belvedere' H: H.L. Larson (c 1955), G: H.L. Larson (pre 1961), N: H.L. Larson (pre 1961) Fls yellow. Compact shrub

(r) **Florence Gill Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: selections from *arboreum* R: R. Gill & Sons, N: R. Gill & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with pink margins.

(r) **'Florence Mann'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *rigidum* × 'Blue Admiral' H: A.C. Bramley, G: A.C. Bramley (1961), N: A.C. Bramley, I: A.C. Bramley, REG: A.C. Bramley (1963) Fls 3-4/truss, saucer-shaped, sea lavender violet (637/2-637/1). Lvs 30 × 12mm. Shrub to at least 2.5m. October (Australia)

(r) **'Florence Nightingale'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with a lighter centre. (Perhaps the plant listed by C. Noble in 1862, described as having white flowers)

(r) **'Florence Paget'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *hookeri* hybrid R: J.H. Mangles (pre 1884), N: J.H. Mangles, REG: Lady Adam Gordon (1984) Fls c13/open-topped truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 60 × 65-70mm, 5-lobed, moderate red to strong red (47A-50A) on outsde and at edges of lobes inside, paling into throat to strong purplish pink (55B); nectaries vivid red (46B); dorsal lobes with pale to dark red spots. Calyx 5mm long, with broad, shallow, glandular ciliate lobes, green, suffused red on dorsal lobes. Lvs broadly elliptic to oblanceolate, 120 × 45-50mm, dark green and shiny above, with sparse, minute, brown hairs below

(a) **'Florence Phillips'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Easter Parade' (s) × 'Hampton Beauty' H: M. Phillips (1991), G: M. Phillips (1993), N: M. Phillips, REG: M. Phillips (1999) Fls 20/multi-budded, domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside medium pink at margins, shading lighter towards centre with a prominent yellow-green, speckled blotch on the three dorsal lobes; outside pink, shading lighter at base. Calyx 6mm long, green. Lvs mainly elliptic, 50 × 30mm, apex slightly emarginate, cuneate at base, margins upcurved, glossy and dark green above, with hairs above and below and on petioles. Shrub 0.6 × 0.45m in 3 years. Late April

(a) **'Florence Pilkington'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, tinged pink. Midseason. Knap Hill

(r) **'Florence Rinehimer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* (s) × *catawbiense* hybrid seedling H: W.D. Smith (1971), G: W.D. Smith, I: W.D. Smith (1980), REG: W.D. Smith (1983) Fls 16/truss, 50 × 75mm, open funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, vivid purplish red (67B) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (68A), with dorsal spotting of deep greenish yellow (153A). Calyx 25mm long, pale yellow-green. Lvs between elliptic and narrowly elliptic, 108-125 × 40-50mm, moderate olive green (147A). Shrub 2.2m in 10 years

(r) **'Florence Sarah Smith'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid I: James Smith & Sons (pre 1898), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light pink, with fine red-brown to greenish brown spotting. Shrub to c1.5m, broader than high. Syn: 'Florence Smith', 'F.S. Smith' (Previously listed incorrectly as 'Florence Smith')

(r) **'Florence Smith'** (Syn. of 'Florence Sarah Smith')

(r) **'Florence Thelus Philips'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi Pink Diamond' (s) × Polar Bear Group H: C. Weeks (1982), G: C. Weeks (1992), N: C. Weeks, I: Westgate Garden Nursery (1997), REG: C. Weeks (2001) Fls 9-10/truss, open funnel-shaped, 90 × 125mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (59D) in bud, opening moderate, light and pale purplish pink (62B-D) inside and out, with a slight, reddish dorsal blotch; strongly scented. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 80mm, with slightly wavy margins, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and strong yellow-green (143B) above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 2.2m in 18 years. Early May

(a) **'Florence Waldman'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Glacier' × 'Eri' (s) × 'Anna Kehr' G: Roslyn Nursery, N: Roslyn Nursery, I: Roslyn Nursery (pre 1992) Fls semi-double and double, hose-in-hose, 75mm wide, white with sanding, stripes and sectors of red, purple and pink; some pink selfs; some pink with irregular white margins. Lvs glossy and dark green above. Midseason

(a) **'Florentine'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (pre 1849), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, rose, midveins white and isabelline yellow and with one lobe orange (L. van Houtte, 1849); van Houtte later described it as light nankeen yellow, slightly shaded salmon and spotted with ochre yellow. Ghent ('Florentina', listed by L. Verschaffelt (1846) is assumed to be the same plant and had the same description as given by van Houtte (1849) under 'Florentine; 'Florentina' may therefore be the correct form of this epithet)

(a) **'Flore Pleno'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1804), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Listed as "Nudiflora Flore Pleno")

(r) **'Flore Pleno'** (See note under 'Plenum' (*hirsutum*))

(r) **'Flore Pleno'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *ponticum* L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1826), INC: ICRA (1958) (Perhaps the plant listed as 'Fastuosum Flore Pleno')

(r) **'Flore Pleno'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as a selection from *catawbiense* L: Whitley & Osborn (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, lilac rose. Syn: 'Catawbiense Flore Pleno'

(r) **Florescent Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: Oreoroyle Group (s) × *cinnabarinum* subsp. *xanthocodon* H: Lord Aberconway (1937), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls plum

(r) **'Floretta'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cerise, with a white throat. (The other cultivars given with the "Floretta" prefix in the 1958 Register were listed in error. The prefix "Floretta" should be ignored)

(a) **'Floriade'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Boer Bros (1969) Fls double, red. Kurume

(r) **'Floriade'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: possibly a 'Britannia' hybrid R: A. van Nes, N: A. van Nes, I: A. van Nes (c 1960), REG: A. van Nes (1961) Fls 16-20/round truss, turkey red (721/3), with a dark brown (1030/2) blotch (as registered); fls 16-18/full truss, campanulate, up to 65 × 80mm, 5-lobed, vivid purplish red (57C), dorsal throat heavily spotted with black; stamens 10; filaments and style flushed reddish pink, anthers darkish brown. Calyx irregularly 5-lobed, to 3mm long, reddish pink. Lvs elliptic, to 140 × 75mm, bright mid green, paler below with traces of brown indumentum (award description, 1995); fls salmon red (Hesse, 1966). Syn: 'Floridae'

(r) **'Florian'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, tipped purple, and with yellow spots

(a) **'Floribundum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Whitley & Osborn (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white; very sweet-scented (J. Veitch, 1867). Shrub 1.0-1.5m. (Probably the plant listed as "Viscosa Floribunda" by Jacob-Makoy (1857) and as *Azalea floribunda* by Lanckman (1811))

(r) **'Floribundum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep lake, shaded crimson, with chocolate spots. Hardy Hybrid (Perhaps the plant listed c1850, without description, by Knight & Perry)

(r) **'Floribundum'** cv. Elepidote/Lepidote cross: *virgatum* × 'Prince Camille de Rohan' R: I. Davies (pre 1898), N: I. Davies, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, sometimes flushed rose at edges. Dwarf shrub. (A rare lepidote × elepidote cultivar)

(a) **'Floribundum Elegans'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Floribundum Odoratum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Florida'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1818), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush (Sweet, 1830). Ghent (Listed as "Nudiflora Florida" (Loddiges), as "Calendulacea Florida" (A.Leroy, 1868))

(a) **'Florida'** cv. Evergreen azalea: un-named seedling no.37 G1 × 'Vuyk's Scarlet' R: Vuyk van Nes, N: Vuyk van Nes, I: Vuyk van Nes (pre 1958), REG: Vuyk van Nes (1962) Fls semi-double/double, 1-2/truss, funnel-shaped, 33 × 55mm, near strong red (51A). Lvs 30 ×

23mm, dull dark green. Shrub c0.5m. *HC 1971, *AM 1973, *FCC 1974

(a) **'Florida Beauty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Haerens Saumoneum' R: unknown, L: USA (1982) Fls pink. Lvs variegated along margins. Indian (Perhaps synonymous with 'Purple Taber'; some sources list it as a sport from 'Ruffled Giant')

(r) **'Floridae'** (Syn. of 'Floriade')

(r) **'Florida Ogada'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *macabeanum* × *sinogrande* H: Crown Estate Commissioners (1965), G: The High Beeches Gardens Conservation Trust (1991), N: The High Beeches Gardens Conservation Trust, REG: The High Beeches Gardens Conservation Trust (1992) Fls up to 20/truss, ventricose-campanulate, 75 × 80mm, with 8-9 recurved and wavy-edged lobes, light greenish yellow (6D) with a small purple blotch at the base of the throat on the dorsal side; style yellow-green; filaments white. Calyx 5mm long, with a dense, pale fawn indumentum and a green rim; pedicels 60mm long, densely hairy. Lvs obovate to elliptic, up to 460 × 230mm, obtuse and apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dark, slightly shiny green above, with a plastered, silvery fawn indumentum below. April

(r) **'Floridum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1856), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow

(a) **'Floriosa'** (Syn. of 'Glory of Sunninghill')

(r) **'Florkissen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lampion' (s) × 'Julischka' H: H. Hachmann (1977), G: H. Hachmann (1982), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1994), REG: G Stück (1995) Fls 8-9/domed truss, funnel-campanulate, 50-60mm wide, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, opening inside ruby red, shading to purple rose-red, later fading to moderate pink; outside red-coloured; unmarked. Lvs elliptic, 100-120 × 30-40mm, margins decurved, cuneate at base, apiculate at apex, slightly glossy and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 0.3 × 0.8m in 10 years. Mid-late May. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1995/96)

(a) **'Florodora'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1903), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, in large, compact trusses, c75mm wide, brilliant orange (2C), with a strong reddish orange (31A) blotch. AM 1910, AM 1903. Mollis (The previous listing as 'Floradora' was an error)

(r) **'Flos Pictum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Cunningham (pre 1851), N: J. Cunningham, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with buff spots. Hardy Hybrid (Possibly derived from *ponticum*)

(r) **'Flossie Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum*, open-pollinated G: G. Church (1990), S: G. Church (1990), N: G. Church, I: G. Church (1993), REG: G. Church (1993) Fls 12-14/truss, 45 × 50mm, 5-lobed, buds pink, opening very pale purple (73D) with strong purplish pink (73B) stripes. Calyx 25mm long. Lvs 110 × 35mm. Shrub 1.0-1.5 × 1.5-2.0m. Mid October-early November (New Zealand)

(a) **'Flower Arranger'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: W.G.T. Hyde (late 1960s), G: W.G.T. Hyde (late 1970s), N: Mrs R. Legrand (1998), I: Mrs R. Legrand (1998), REG: Mrs R. Legrand (1998) Fls semi-double (with 4-6 petaloids), open funnel-shaped, 40 × 22m, with 5-6 very wavy-edged lobes, light reddish purple (74C) in bud, opening strong purple (77B) inside, light reddish purple (74C) outside; distinct moderate purplish red (64A) spots on all dorsal lobes. Calyx 4mm long, strong yellow-green (144A). Lvs elliptic, 20-30 × 10mm, margins decurved, acute at apex, narrowly cuneate at base, glossy green above. Shrub 0.65 × 1.35m in 20 years. May

(a) **'Flower Girl'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* × 'Snow' (s) × *kaempferi* × 'Snow' R: USDA, Beltsville, S: R.L. Pryor, N: USDA, Beltsville, I: USDA, Beltsville (1960), REG: USDA, Beltsville (1961) Fls single, 45mm wide, deep purplish pink (67C). Lvs semi-persistent, mid green. Very dwarf shrub, about two and a half times as wide as high

(r) **'Flower Market'** (Syn. of 'Flora Markeeta')

(r) **'Flower of May'** cv. Parentage unknown R: I. Davies (pre 1884), N: I. Davies, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale red, with a purple-red blotch

(a) **'Flower of the Day'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Ivery (1861), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with rose stripes, larger than 'Iveryanum', quite flat when fully open. Shrub very dwarf and compact. Indian

(r) **'Flower Power'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vinerouge' (s) × (('Hassan' × (*dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* × *kyawii*) × 'Catalgla') × 'La Bar's White' H: A.W. Smith (1982), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 15/truss, hose-in-hose, open funnel-shaped, 39 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, dark red and deep purplish red (59A, B) in bud, opening moderate and strong purplish red and deep purplish pink (64A-D), with a white dorsal flare and a small amount of white in the throat; filaments and style white; anthers pale yellowish pink (159D); stigma dark red (59A). Calyx 60mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs 102 × 38mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 10 years. Early June

(a) **'Flower Queen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt, I: E.A. Merritt (c 1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, deep pinkish red. Kurume

(r) **'Fluff'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' (s) × 'Vanessa' (ie the FCC clone) R: R.M. Bovee (1950), I: Bovees Nursery Fls pink in bud, opening pale pink. Lvs shiny, with a faint indumentum. Compact, rounded shrub, up to 0.9m in 10 years. April

(a) **'Fluffy'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Cecile' × 'Pink Delight' × 'George Reynolds' × 'Klondyke' H: I. & R. Arneson (1974), G: I. & R. Arneson (1981), N: I. & R. Arneson, I: I. & R. Arneson, REG: I. & R. Arneson (1989) Fls partly double (with 3-5 stamens), 8-11/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 64 × 102mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, buds light yellow-green (2C) edged strong yellowish pink (32D), opening light greenish yellow (4B) with a brilliant yellow (13B) dorsal blotch; changes to yellowish white (155D) with a light yellow-green (2C) blotch as the flower matures. Calyx 6mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 89-102 × 38-51mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, slightly hairy. Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in 12 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Flushing'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: S.B. Parsons (pre 1875), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a dense and rounded truss, magenta (3.5RP 5.2/13), with deep purplish red (10RP 2/6) markings

(a) **'Flushing Queen'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: S.B. Parsons, INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Fluted Gold'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown, believed to be native North American species R: Miss L. Dosser (c 1955), N: Miss L. Dosser, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light yellow, with wavy margins

(a) **'Flying Enterprise'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: J.M Straver (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, light yellow (607/3), slightly shaded and veined pink (18/2). Midseason. Mollis

(a) **'Foam'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hexe' (s) × 'Snow' R: USDA, N: USDA (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, hose-in-hose, 45mm wide, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, white, unspotted. Shrub of low, branching habit. (Derived from the work of G.E. Yerkes & R.L. Pryor)

(a) **'Foamy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* hybrid S: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls white, flushed pink

(a) **'Foggy Dew'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *occidentale* S: L.F. Frisbie (pre 1965), N: L.F. Frisbie Fls 50mm wide, white, pink and yellow

(r) **'Folcroft'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* (s) × *maximum* × *fortunei* H: Scott Arboretum (1958), G: Scott Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister

(r) **'Folies Bergère'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *edgeworthii* × Parisienne Group R: Sir Giles Loder (pre 1967), N: Sir Giles Loder Fls similar in shape to *edgeworthii*, pale yellow. PC 1967

(r) **'Foliis Albis Variegatis'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *ponticum* L: H. Laurentius (1869), INC: ICRA (1958) (Probably the same plant listed as 'Foliis Argenteis' q.v)

(r) **'Foliis Argenteis'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *ponticum* L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1826), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet. Lvs silver-variegated. (Probably the plant also listed as 'Nazarethii Foliis Argenteis' and perhaps also as 'Folius Albis Variegatis')

(r) **'Foliis Aureis'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *ponticum* L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1826), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet. Lvs gold-variegated. Shrub to 3.0m. (Probably the plant also listed as 'Nazarethii Foliis Aureis)

(r) **'Foliis Marginalis'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *ponticum* L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1826), INC: ICRA (1958) (Apparently distinct from 'Foliis Aureis' and 'Foliis Argenteis' as all 3 listed by Loddiges. The epithet should probably have been 'Foliis Marginatis', the correct form of the word "marginalis" in this context being "marginalibus")

(r) **'Foliis Purpureis'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *ponticum* R: unknown (pre 1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Lvs green in summer, dark purplish in winter. FCC 1895 Syn: 'Purpureum' (Probably the 'Purpureum listed by Waterer (Bagshot), 1865)

(r) **'Foliis Variegatis'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *hirsutum* L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1804), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Foliis Variegatis'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *ponticum* L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958) (Probably equates with 'Foliis Argenteis' or 'Foliis Aureis')

(a) **'Folksong'** cv. Evergreen azalea: un-named seedling no. 36/45 × 'Shikuno' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1965) Fls single, 50-70mm wide, with overlapping lobes, white, with a showy blotch of sharply divided dots between light jasper red and jasper pink; a faint tinting at times on the white ground and a rare stripe of between rose and old rose. Shrub 0.8m in 10 years. Back Acres

(r) **'Folks Wood'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *annae* Laxiflorum Group R: A.E. Hardy, N: A.E. Hardy, I: A.E. Hardy (1977), REG: A.E. Hardy (1977) Fls up to 14/truss, campanulate, up to 35 × 70mm, 5-lobed, white. Calyx rudimentary, green, glandular hairy. Lvs oblong to oblong-elliptic, up to 150 × 50mm. AM 1977

(a) **'Folly'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' × 'Willy' (s) × 'Mrs Carmichael' × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 70-75mm wide, white, striped with tyrian pink. Shrub to 1.2m. Mid-late May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Fontaine'** (See 'Lafontaine')

(a) **'Fontana'** cv. Deciduous azalea: wild-collected natural hybrid believed to be *arborescens* × *calendulaceum* or *cumberlandense* S: L.C. Towe (1982), N: L.C. Towe, I: The Cummins Garden (1988), REG: L.C. Towe (1990) Fls single, 5-7/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 25 × 44mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, vivid red (57A) with a brilliant yellow blotch (13B) and a thin vertical

centre stripe of 57A running through the blotch; slightly scented. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 38 × 16mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, upper surface hairless, wrinkled, glossy. Shrub 0.9 × 0.6m in 4 years (to 1.8m tall in wild). Early June-early July

(a) **'Fooey'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Dream' × 'Blizzard' × 'Surprise' R: D. Hager (pre 1984), N: D. Hager Fls single, 65-75mm wide, bright red at centre gradually fading to coral pink with an irregular white border. Lvs ovate, mid green. Shrub to 2.0m

(r) **'Foolproof'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* (s) × *vernicosum* aff. (Rock 18139) H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 19/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 45 × 50mm, pale greenish yellow, pale yellow-green and deep yellowish pink (2D, 4D, 41D) in bud, opening pale greenish yellow (2D) with a light greenish yellow (4B) throat and brilliant greenish yellow (1B) dorsal spots; filaments and style light greenish yellow (1C); anthers pale yellow (150B); stigma moderate orange (166D). Lvs 110 × 40mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.4m in 18 years. Early June

(a) **'Fool's Gold'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *calendulaceum* × *periclymenoides* S: L.C. Towe (pre 1987), N: L.C. Towe Fls 45mm wide, white, with an orange-yellow throat and dorsal lobe, the latter also with a white margin; pistils pink; filaments white; slightly scented. (Collected in the wild, Oconee Co., South Carolina, USA)

(r) **'For All Seasons'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *R.* × *nikomontanum* (s) × unknown H: B. & M. Shapiro (1968), G: B. & M. Shapiro, N: B & M. Shapiro, REG: B. & M. Shapiro (1995) Fls 22-24/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 51mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, inside moderate purplish pink (62B) at edges, fading to almost white in the centre, with brilliant to light yellow-green (150C-D) spotting on dorsal lobe; outside pale purplish pink (62D), with strong purplish pink (62A) midribs. Calyx c1mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 133-152 × 64-83mm, convex, rounded at base and apex, moderate olive green (137B) above; new growth strong yellow-green (143C), strongly veined, with sparse, whitish hairs above. Shrub 1.8 × 1.5m in 27 years. Late May. Syn: 'Four Seasons'

(r) **'Fordham'** cv. Parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), N: P.D. Vossberg, I: Westbury Rose Co. Fls pink

(a) **'Forerunner'** cv. Evergreen azalea: hybrid of *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* R: K. Wada (pre 1987), N: K. Wada Fls 75mm wide, pink, flowering soon after *mucronulatum* earlier than any other evergreen azalea

(r) **'Forerunner'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *haematodes* (s) × 'Vanguard' H: Sunningdale Nurseries (1942), G: Sunningdale Nurseries (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls glowing scarlet. (The 'Vanguard' parent is probably the Headfort stock)

(r) **'Forest Blaze'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Elizabeth Group (s) × 'Barclayi Helen Fox' H: K. Van de Ven, G: K. Van de Ven (1973), I: K. Van de Ven, REG: K. Van de Ven (1984) Fls 8-10/truss, campanulate, 80 × 65mm, vivid red (45A). Lvs ovate, 100 × 40mm. Shrub c2.0 × 1.2m.

(r) **'Forest Border'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* (s) × unknown H: Scott Arboretum (pre 1958), G: Scott Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister

(r) **'Forestdale'** cv. Parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), N: Swarthmore College/Heritage Plantation (pre 1978) Fls red

(r) **'Forest Festival'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vera Elliott' (s) × 'Whitney Appleblossom' H: W. Elliott (1980), G: W. Elliott (1985), N: W. Elliott, REG: W. Elliott (1987) Fls 11-12/lax truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 64 × 76mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, deep pink (52C). Calyx 13-25mm long, deep pink (51C). Lvs elliptic, 178 × 64mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 7 years. Late May-early June

(a) **'Forest Fire'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Caroline Gable' × *tschonoskii* R: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable (1942), I: J.B. Gable (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, small, flame red. Gable

(r) **'Forest Fire'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Tally Ho Group (s) × 'Britannia' H: R. Henny (1944), G: R. Henny, N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny (1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a lax truss, funnel-campanulate, up to 75mm wide, dark blood red, waxy

(r) **'Forest Flame'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' (s) × *arboreum* subsp. *delavayi* H: K. Van de Ven, G: K. Van de Ven (1971), I: K. Van de Ven, REG: K. Van de Ven (1984) Fls 16/truss, campanulate, 80 × 45mm, strong red (46A). Lvs lanceolate, 150 × 40mm. Shrub c2.0 × 1.0m

(r) **'Forever Amber'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cavalcade' × 'Mary Swaythling' × 'Crest' H: Waterer (Bagshot) (1959), G: Waterer (Bagshot) (1971), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975) Fls 6-8/truss, 40 × 40mm, 5-lobed, bronze pink in bud, opening moderate orange (170C), veined and edged deep pink (52C). Calyx 10mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs 80 × 50mm. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Late May-early June

(r) **'Forever Spring'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Midsummer' (s) × 'Delp's Red Max' H: W.E. Delp (1977), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, I: Crystalaire Naturescapes (1999), REG: J.D. Harris (1999) Fls 16/truss, open funnel-shaped, c40 × 50mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish red and white in bud, opening inside with a white, star-shaped centre, edged strong purplish red (63A-B) and with vivid yellow (13A) spotting on the three dorsal lobes. Lvs elliptic, 75 × 40mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 20 years. Mid June

(r) **'Forever Violet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' (s) × 'Cynthia' H: M. Stockman (1983), G: M. & H. Stockman (1989), N: M. & H. Stockman, I: M. & H. Stockman (1992), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1992) Fls 14/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 51 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (64B) in bud, opening light purple (78C) with moderate purplish red (64A) spotting on dorsal lobe and portions of adjacent lobes; outside strong purplish red (64B); stamens 10, slightly curved, unequal. Calyx 3mm long, light green. Pedicels 19mm long, light green. Lvs ellipic, 140 × 51mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green; petioles 25mm long, light green. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in 9 years. Early May

(r) **'Forever Young'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Unique' (s) × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: B. Sligh (1986), G: B. Sligh (1992), N: B. Sligh (1994), REG: B. Sligh (1996) Fls 13/flat, open truss, broadly campanulate, 40 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, phlox pink (625) in bud, opening inside phlox pink (625/3), edged phlox pink (625/1) giving a striped effect; outside phlox pink (625/3) edged 625/1; unspotted. Calyx 5mm long, pale green. Lvs 100-130 × 40-50mm, margins decurved, dark glossy green above, pointed at base and apex, with a grey-green indumentum when young which ages to cinnamon. Compact shrub, 0.5 × 0.6m in 10 years. Early-late November (New Zealand)

(r) **'Forever Yours'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Creamy Chiffon' (s) × 'Vulcan' H: S. McCulloch (1982), G: S. McCulloch (1984), N: S. McCulloch, I: Briggs Nursery, REG: Briggs Nursery (1990) Fls 16-18/tall, ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 76 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53D) in bud, opening vivid red (52A) at edge, shading to white at centre, throat spotted strong red (53D). Calyx very short, light yellow-green (145B). Lvs elliptic, 152 × 51mm, concave, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.8m in 7 years. Late April

(a) **'Forget-me-not'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Ivery (pre 1866), N: J. Ivery, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls glossy, reddish purple, with deep, rich markings on dorsal lobes. Dwarf, compact habit. Indian

(r) **'Forlana'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goldsworth Orange' (s) × 'Mrs J.G. Millais' H: H. Hachmann (1965), G: H. Hachmann (1971), N: H. Hachmann (1976), I: H. Hachmann (1994), REG: G. Stück (1995) Fls 9-11/lax, ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 80-85mm wide, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, cream/yellowish inside, shading to amber yellow in the throat; outside cream/yellowish; numerous, fine, dark amber spots on dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 110-150 × 45-55mm, flat, matt dark green above, cuneate at base, apiculate at apex, hairless. Shrub of lax habit, 1.2 × 1.4m in 10 years. Late May-mid June. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1995/96)

(a) **'Formosissimum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1839), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light nankeen yellow, edged salmon red, with a darker yellow blotch (L. van Houtte, 1871). Ghent

(a) **'Formosissimum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Formosissimum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: possibly a form or hybrid of *arboreum* R: unknown (pre 1842), INC: ICRA (1958) (Exhibited in Paris by Modeste Guérin in 1842)

(a) **'Formosissimum Novum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1852), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Said to be from Smith)

(a) **'Formosissimum Striatum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Formosum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1837), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale cerise red, with an orange blotch (C. van Geert, 1977). Ghent (Perhaps the plant listed by Waterer (Bagshot, 1865) as "Calendulacea Formosa")

(a) **'Formosum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Ivery (pre 1845), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon rose. Syn: 'Conqueror', 'Lateritium Formosum'. Indian

(a) **'Formosum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: perhaps a 'Phoeniceum' hybrid R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 1-3/truss, 90mm wide, violet red, with a red blotch; stamens 8-10, with short filaments. Lvs large and coarse. Midseason

(r) **'Formosum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: J. Byls (pre 1868), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose cerise. (A possible *arboreum* form or hybrid was exhibited in Paris by Modeste Guérin in 1842 and is perhaps the same plant; L.Leroy listed a *catawbiense* form or hybrid with this name in 1868)

(r) **'Formosum Album'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1856), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow

(a) **'Formosum Aurantium'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. van Geert (1849), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Formosum Elegans'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Formosum Elegans'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1867), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, shaded and spotted. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Formosum Grandiflorum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (1885), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, perfectly shaped, bright cherry red. Indian

(az) **'Formosum Primatum'** cv. Azaleodendron: parentage unknown R: W. Smith (pre 1851), N: W. Smith, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow. (Status as an azaleodendron requires confirmation)

(r) **'Formosum Primulum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1856), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow

(r) **'For Pete's Sake'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: D.L. Hardgrove (pre 1964), G: T. Kordus, N: T. Sheuchenko, I: Lazy S's Farm Nursery (1988), REG: T. Scheuchenko (1991) Fls 10-12/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 51mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (52A) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (55A) at edges, shading to moderate yellowish pink (37C) in throat; 37C blotch with superimposed vivid reddish orange (34A) spotted flare on dorsal lobe; outside deep pink (52B); style white, stigma red-brown; stamens 10, straight, unequal. Calyx very small, dark green. Pedicels 13mm long, mid green. Lvs narrowly oblong, 140 × 29mm, concave, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.2m in 10 years. Mid May. Syn: 'Hardgrove Salmon', 'Kordus Salmon' (Published in Lazy S's Farm Nursery cat., 1988)

(a) **'Forsterianum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: O. Forster (c 1885), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, blood red. Early. Amoena

(r) **'Forsterianum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *veitchianum* (s) × *edgeworthii* I: Forster (pre 1882), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3-4/truss, 90-100mm wide, funnel-shaped, pure white, with a yellow flare; anthers brown, conspicuous; scented. Lvs lanceolate, 60-70 × 30-40mm, shiny and dark green above, densely glandular hairy below; petioles and young shoots with red hairs. Mid April. FCC 1882

(r) **'Fort Bragg Centennial'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *maddenii* subsp. *crassum* G: P.J. & R. Bowman, S: P.J. & R. Bowman (pre 1920), N: E. Philp, I: E. Philp, REG: E. Philp (1990) Fls 5/lax truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 114 × 140mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, yellowish white (155D), with slight markings of pale greenish yellow (9D) on inside; highly scented. Calyx 3-6mm long, strong yellow-green (141D) at base, vivid purplish red (57B) at apex. Pedicels 13mm long, strong yellow-green (141D) below, vivid purplish red (57B) above. Lvs elliptic, 152 × 57mm, flat, acute to acuminate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green and hairless above, scaly below. Shrub 2.4 × 2.4m in 20 years. Late May. (Previously referred to as *odoriferum* Bowman form)

(r) **'Fort Bragg Fire Bell'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C. Tuomala (pre 1980), N: C. Tuomala

(r) **'Fort Bragg Glow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ruby Bowman' × *elliottii* H: J.S. Druecker (pre 1966), G: J.S. Druecker, N: E. Philp, I: E. Philp, REG: E. Philp (1986) Fls 11-14/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 125mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (58C) to dark red (59A) deep in throat, with slight, dark red (59A) spotting on all lobes (heaviest on dorsal lobes). Calyx 7mm long, 59A. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 50mm, moderate olive green (146A). Shrub 2.2 × 2.9m in 15 years. Late April-early May

(a) **'Fortieanum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: B. Fortie (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, fresh rose, with broad white edges. Indian

(r) **'Fort Langley'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: possibly a *griersonianum* hybrid L: Greer Gardens (1983) Fls deep red. Lvs matt green. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years

(r) **'Fort Lynn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: derived from hybrids involving mainly *fortunei* and *catawbiense* H: W.L. Tolstead (1985), G: W.L. Tolstead (1992), N: W.L. Tolstead, REG: W.L. Tolstead (1992) Fls 6-7/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 45mm, with 7 smooth-edged lobes, light purplish pink (2.5RP 8/5), shading to a lighter centre; stamens 14, curved. Pedicels 15mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 45mm, flat, obtuse at apex, oblique at base, hairless; petioles 10mm long, green. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 7 years. May

(az) **'Fortnight'** cv. Azaleodendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) (Galle (1987) reports this name but was unable to provide a description)

(r) **Fort Nisqually Group** gp Parentage unknown R: R.W. Clark (pre 1976), N: R.W. Clark Fls red. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **Fortorb Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* (s) × *orbiculare* R: P.D. Williams, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Fort Stevens'** cv. Parentage unknown R: E.K. Parker (pre 1980), N: E.K. Parker

(a) **'Fortuna'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Klein (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with salmon stripes. Indian

(a) **'Fortunatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: F. Schneider (1863), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Fortune'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Pericat, N: Perkins-deWilde Nurseries, I: Perkins-deWilde Nurseries (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, semi-double, 50 × 65mm, deep pink (50B). Midseason. Pericat

(r) **'Fortune'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *falconeri* (s) × *sinogrande* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 30/compact, globular truss, campanulate, clear creamy yellow, with a small crimson blotch; stigma large, green, exserted. Lvs up to c42cm long, ovate, dark shiny green and slightly bullate above, with a fawn indumentum below; young lvs with a delicate glaucous bloom. Very large shrub. April-May. FCC 1938 (Fortune Group)

(r) **Fortune Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *falconeri* (s) × *sinogrande* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1938), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Fortuneanum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1849), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Fortune Cookie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Essex Scarlet' (s) × *fortunei* H: B. & M. Shapiro (1959), G: B. & M. Shapiro, N: B. & M. Shapiro, REG: B. & M. Shapiro (1989) Fls 13-15/tall, domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 51 × 76-89mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (67A) in bud, opening moderate purplish pink (65A) with a strong yellow-orange (17A) dorsal flare; strongly scented. Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 114-127 × 51-57mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 29 years. Late May. (Published in *J. Am. Rho. Soc.*, 42 (2): 64 (1988))

(a) **'Fortunei'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. van Geert (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft satiny rose. Indian (cf *Revue Horticole*, 1868, p.292)

(r) **'Fortune Sandringham'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *falconeri* × *sinogrande* H: L. de Rothschild (c 1930), G: L. de Rothschild (1938), N: H.M. Queen Elizabeth II, I: Exbury Gardens, REG: E. de Rothschild (1988) Fls 30/truss, 50 × 55mm, 9-lobed, pale yellow-green (4D), with deep red (53A) markings in the throat. Lvs oblong-lanceolate or oblanceolate, 500 × 220mm, with a fawn indumentum when young. Large shrub. May

(r) **'Fortune's Child'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Essex Scarlet' (s) × *fortunei* H: B. & M. Shapiro (1959), G: B. & M. Shapiro, N: B. & M. Shapiro, REG: B. & M. Shapiro (1994) Fls up to 14/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, with (5-)6(-7) wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (67A) in bud, opening light purplish pink (62C) with a streaked dorsal flare of moderate yellow (161A) speckles on a pale yellow ground; outside strong purplish pink (67D); stamens 11, curved, unequal; slightly scented. Calyx 2-3mm long, yellowish green, slightly hairy. Lvs elliptic to obovate, 152 × 70mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull, moderate yellow-green (147B) and hairless above, with a very short, viscous, white indumentum on underside of new growth. Shrub 2.1 × 2.4m in 35 years. Mid May

(r) **'Fortune's Gift'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* (s) × *catawbiense* H: W.L. Tolstead (c 1970), G: W.L. Tolstead, N: W.L. Tolstead, I: Rhody Run Nursery (1993), REG: W.L. Tolstead (1993) Fls 15/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 76mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, white, flushed very light pink, with a yellow blotch; stamens 14, curved; moderately scented. Calyx 6mm long, light green. Pedicels 51mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly oblong/elliptic, 152 × 51mm, flat, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, dark green above and hairless; petioles 25mm long, light green. Shrub 2.3 × 1.4m in c20 years. Mid May

(r) **'Fortune's Triumph'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × 'Gill's Triumph' I: G.H. Johnstone (1929), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, with carmine spots. AM 1929 (Pilgrim Group)

(r) **'Fortwilliam'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × *williamsianum* H: C. Herbert (pre 1967) Fls up to 12/truss, 100mm wide, light pink with darker stripes and a yellow throat; scented. Lvs 115 × 55mm. Shrub under 1.0m

(r) **'Fotis'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Lady Bessborough Group (s) × Margaret Dunn Group R: Sunningdale Nurseries, N: Sunningdale Nurseries, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale tangerine pink, fading to nankeen yellow, with crimson brown spotting in the throat

(a) **'Fountain'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum* (s) × 'Tamasugata' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 75mm wide, with pointed lobes, light purplish pink (73C), with a broad blotch made up of striate lines of vivid red (52A). Shrub to 1.0m. Late May-early June. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Four Crosses'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group × *bureavii* (s) × 'King of Shrubs' × *smirnowii* H: New Zealand Rhododendron Association, G: Mrs R. Pinney (1965), REG: Mrs R. Pinney (1982) Fls strong red (45D) in bud, opening deep yellowish pink (43C), fading to light yellowish pink (29C); centre strong red (46A). Lvs with a moderate orange-yellow (164C) indumentum

(r) **'Four Seasons'** (Syn. of 'For All Seasons')

(r) **'Four Seasons'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: F6 derivative of 'Newport' H: W.E. Delp (1960), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 20/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 51 × 70mm, 5-lobed, vivid reddish purple (74A) and vivid purplish red (66A) in bud, opening to a blend of vivid and light reddish purple (74B, C) and moderate purplish pink (74D), with a white flare and brilliant greenish yellow (1B) dorsal spots. Lvs 121 × 57mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 1.8m in 32 years from seed. Early June

(r) **'Four Star Beauty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1992) (Listed as a parent of 'Pink Champagne')

(a) **'Fourth of July'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *oldhamii* G: J. Patrick, S: J.T. Thornton, N: J.T. Thornton, I: Dogwood Hills Azalea Nursery Flowering from late June until frosts as a result of two flushes of flowering growth; fls brick red. (Seed collected by Dr Hsuin 1968 from Mount Tai Tun (Taiwan), as no. 68-1120)

(r) **'Fowle 18'** (Syn. of 'Newburyport Beauty')

(r) **'Fowle 19'** (Syn. of 'Newburyport Belle')

(r) **'Fowle 20'** (Syn. of 'Newburyport Charm')

(r) **'Fowler'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *maximum* G: R.J. Fowler (1985), N: R.J. Fowler, REG: R.J. Fowler (1989) Fls 16-18/domed truss, tubular-campanulate, 19 × 19mm, with 5-6 smooth-edged lobes, light pink to white in bud, opening white, flushed pink. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 98 × 32mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, with wavy margins, dull green above, with a thinly plastered, tan indumentum below. Compact shrub 1.4 × 2.4m in 12 years. Early July-early August. (Discovered on R.J. Fowler's mountain property in Haywood County, North Carolina, USA, c1976)

(a) **'Foxfire'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Brillanta Belgica' × 'Ward's Ruby' R: P.B. Cornell, N: P.B. Cornell, I: P.B. Cornell, REG: P.B. Cornell (1964) Fls hose-in-hose, single, 65mm wide, blood red. Lvs up to 45 × 25mm. Compact shrub up to 1.0m in 11 years. Midseason. Indian

(r) **'Foxfire'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* × *haematodes* R: H.L. Foster (pre 1978), N: H.L. Foster

(r) **'Fox Hunter'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Matador Group (s) × Gaul Group H: E.G.W.W. Harrison, G: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1966), N: E.G.W.W. Harrison, REG: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1966) Fls up to 12/truss, 65 × 70mm, deep bright red, unspotted

(r) **'Fox's Favorite'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: probably M.E. Hall (c 1977), G: R.P. Fox (1986), N: R.P. Fox, REG: R.P. Fox (1993) Fls 14/domed truss, open funnel-campanulate, 64 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53B, C), with light specking of deep to moderate red (185A, B) on dorsal lobe which extends onto adjacent lobes; nectaries prominent. Pedicels 25mm long. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 191 × 64mm, flat, acute at apex, rounded at base, dull green above, hairless; petioles 25mm long. Shrub 3.0 × 1.8m in c12 years. Early-mid April

(r) **'Foxy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *fortunei* subsp. *fortunei* H: unknown, G: W.S. Reuthe, N: J.A. Fox, I: J.A. Fox (1982), REG: J.A. Fox (1982) Fls shade from moderate to pale purplish pink (65A-D)

(a) **'Foxy Lady'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Miyo-no-sakae' × 'Corsage' R: J. & D. Garrett (pre 1987), N: J. & D. Garrett Fls 70mm wide, vivid pink, with a moderate reddish purple margin, and a starry, darker blotch. Spreading habit. Midseason

(r) **'Fr. Ad. Haage'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C.J.H. Walther (pre 1861), N: C.J.H. Walther, INC: ICRA (1958). Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Fra Diavolo'** cv. Parentage unknown I: C. Noble (1869), INC: ICRA (1958) 'A malformed curiosty'

(r) **'Fragonard'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Betty King Group (s) × Cornish Cross Group R: G.M. Adams-Acton, N: G.M. Adams-Acton, I: G.M. Adams-Acton (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls indian red

(az) **'Fragrans'** cv. Azaleodendron: *catawbiense* (s) × *viscosum* R: Paxton (pre 1842), I: Chandler & Sons (1842), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale mauve with lighter, or white tints in centre

(az) **'Fragrans Affinity'** cv. Azaleodendron: parentage unknown I: H.E. Greer (pre 1996) Fls orchid blue. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years, very dense. Foliage superior to 'Fragrans', but may be the same cross. (Probably the same as 'Fragrant Affinity' (Roslyn Nursery cat., (1996)) which is recorded as *catawbiense* × *viscosum*: fls orchid, scented. Shrub under 1.8m in 10 years of dense habit. If they are the same plant, the name 'Fragrant Affinity' should be used)

(r) **'Fragrans Roseum'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Australia (1984) Fls very pale rose pink; scented. Medium-sized shrub

(a) **'Fragrante Delicto'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls star-shaped, with deeply furrowed lobes, deep pink in bud, opening pale pink; scented. Late May. Ghent ('Fragrant Delicto II' presumably represents another selection)

(v) **'Fragrantem'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *leucogigas* (s) × *konori* var. *phaeopeplum* H: F.D. Mossman (1980), G: B. Sligh (1989), N: B. Sligh (1995), REG: B. Sligh (1996) Fls 7-8/open, flat truss, tubular-campanulate, 80-110mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, buds chartreuse green (663/3), flushed spinel pink (0625/2) at lobe apices, opening inside white with a spot of spinel pink (0625/2) at lobe apices; outside white flushed spinel pink (0625/1) at lobe apices; strong sweet scent. Lvs 160 × 70mm, margins upcurved, dark matt green above, rounded at base, pointed at apex, hairless. Shrub 0.7 × 0.7m in 10 years, with deep red dormant growth buds. Repeat-flowering (in warm climates).

(a) **'Fragrant Gold'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown G: R. deWilde, I: R. Magruder, REG: R. Magruder (1974) Fls 15-20/ball to somewhat flat truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50-55 × 65-70mm, with 5(-6) wavy-edged lobes, buds greenish gold, opening strong orange-yellow (17A), with darker spots; outside also darker; scented. Calyx 3-7mm long, pale green. Lvs broadly elliptic, 140-160 × 45-50mm, becoming medium yellow with slight orange edges in autumn, later light maroon. Shrub 1.4 × 1.1m in 12 years. Knap Hill (Original seed obtained from UK)

(r) **'Fragrantissimum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *edgeworthii* (s) × *formosum* R: W. Rollisson & Sons, N: W. Rollisson & Sons, I: W. Rollisson & Sons (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c4/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 60 × 50mm, white, flushed rose outside, greenish within at base; scented. Calyx light green, the lobes edged with silky hairs. Lvs ovate, oblong-ovate or obovate, 80

× 35mm, dark matt green above, with non-contiguous scales below. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years. FCC 1868

(a) **'Fragrant Lorraine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Harry Van de Ven' × unknown H: D.J. Dosser (1984), G: D.J. Dosser (1990), N: D.J. Dosser (1991), I: Lockington Nursery (1991), REG: Lockington Nursery (1992) Fls double, 5/truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 60mm, with 5 very wavy-edged outer lobes and central petaloids, white, with a slight green flush on one lobe; scented. Lvs ovate, 40 × 20mm, flat, matt green, hairless. Shrub 1.0m. Spring

(a) **'Fragrant Memories'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown, but *viscosum* type H: W.G.T Hyde (1960s), G: W.G.T. Hyde (1970s), N: Mrs R. Legrand (1998), I: Mrs R. Legrand (1998), REG: Mrs R. Legrand (1998) Fls 8-12/loose truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 20mm, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes, pale yellow (11C) in bud, opening white (155D) inside and out; strongly scented. Lvs elliptic, 80 × 35mm, margins decurved, matt green above, acute at apex, attenuate at base. Shrub 1.32 × 0.99m in 30 years. Late May

(r) **'Fragrant Red'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi Venus' (s) × 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague' H: Mrs E.M. Watson (1969), G: Mrs E.M. Watson (1978), N: Mrs E.M. Watson, REG: Mrs E.M. Watson (1994) Fls 14/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 64 × 89mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (58B) in bud, opening vivid purplish red (57B) with two, deep red (53A) flares (6 × 25mm) on upper dorsal lobe; stamens curved, unequal; style pale yellow; strongly scented. Calyx less than 1mm long, dark greenish yellow (152D). Pedicels 32mm long, dark greenish yellow (152D). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 127 × 38mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy moderate olive green (137A) above, light yellow-green (138D) below, hairless; petioles 22mm long, moderate purplish red (58A). Shrub 2.4 × 1.8m in 25 years. Mid April. Syn: 'Red Fragrance'

(a) **'Fragrant Star'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Snowbird', treated with colchicine (1994) to produce what is assumed to be a polyploid G: Briggs Nursery (1998), N: Briggs Nursery (2000), I: Briggs Nursery (2000), REG: L. Caton (2000) Fls 7-9/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 40mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale yellow (158A) in bud, opening inside pale yellow (158B), outside yellowish white (158C); unmarked; strongly scented. Lvs obovate, 50 × 30mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, margins downcurved, dull and moderate yellow-green (146B) above, hairless. Shrub 0.35 × 0.35m in 3 years. Mid May

(a) **'Fraicheur'** (See 'La Fraicheur')

(a) **'Framingham'** cv. Deciduous azalea: low-growing, red-flowered *viscosum* hybrid, open-pollinated G: Weston Nurseries (pre 1980), S: R.W. Mezitt (1973), N: R.W. Mezitt (1998), I: Weston Nurseries (1999), REG: R.W. Mezitt (1998) Fls 8/domed truss, long, narrow, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 45mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, a little darker than deep pink (48A) in bud, opening inside moderate yellowish pink (39C), with a brilliant orange-yellow (23B) dorsal flare; outside strong pink (48C). Calyx c1.5mm long, green. Lvs obovate to oblong, 55 × 20mm, with downcurved margins, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and dark green above, glaucous below; foliage mildew resistant. Shrub 0.75 × 0.75m in 7 years. Early July. Syn: 'July Peach'

(r) **'Fran'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: uncertain (c 1963), G: E.T. Connors (c 1968), N: E.T. Connors, REG: E.T. Connors (1995) Fls 10-12/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 85mm, with 6-7 very frilly-edged lobes, strong purple (77B) in bud, opening outside light purple (75A) at margins, shading to very pale purple (75D) at base; inside light to very light purple (75B-C) at margins, with a white, star-shaped centre, a light yellow-green (150D) blotch on the dorsal lobe and moderate purplish red (186A) spotting on 3 dorsal lobes; stamens 11-14. Calyx c3mm long, light green, hairy. Pedicels 30mm long, green, slightly hairy. Lvs elliptic to obovate, 95-121 × 38-51mm, flat or slightly concave, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, glossy and moderate olive green/moderate yellow-green (147A/B) above, hairless; petioles c20mm long, light green; sparse light tan hairs on new growth. Shrub 1.2 × 1.8m in c30 years. Late May

(a) **'France'** (See 'La France')

(a) **'France'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown G: W. Kern (pre 1985), N: W. Kern Fls 75mm wide, light yellow, fading to pale yellow, flushed pink. Very late. Knap Hill

(r) **'Francesca'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' × un-named Dexter hybrid no.202 H: A. Consolini (1950), G: A. Savella (1961), N: A. Savella, I: Bald Hill Nurseries, REG: A. Savella (1971) Fls 17-26/truss, open funnel-campanulate, 50 × 65(-75)mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, black-red in bud, opening near strong red (5R 4/12) but brighter and free of blue tones, with a small, white, dorsal blotch speckled with rust red. Lvs elliptic, 125-190 × 50-95mm, slightly decurved, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, moderate yellow-green (5GY 5/6) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.8m in 15 years. Mid-late May. Syn: 'Angelo's Red'

(r) **'Francesca Beekman'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *macabeanum* × unknown G: J. Beekman, N: J. Beekman, I: J. Beekman, REG: J. Beekman (1980) Fls 22/truss, pale greenish yellow (2D), with purple spots. (Grown by J. Beekman from seed obtained from England)

(a) **'Frances Jenkinson'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls moderate orange. Knap Hill

(a) **'Frances Mann'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls moderate purple. Indian

(a) **'Frances Roger'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Nuccio's Nurseries (1996) Fls large, single, lavender. Indian

(r) **'Frances Shannon Racoff'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: Winterthur Museum and Gardens, N: Winterthur Museum and Gardens, I: Winterthur Museum and Gardens, REG: Winterthur Museum and Gardens (1987) Fls 16/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 35 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (67C), shading to lighter pink in throat and with an olive green blotch. Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 55mm, flat, mucronate at apex, rounded at base, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 2.4 × 3.0m in 25 years, with slightly scented fls. Early-mid May. Syn: 'Winterthur 22', 'Winterthur 62'

(r) **'Frances Thistleton-Dyer'** (Syn. of 'Mrs W.T. Thistleton-Dyer')

(a) **'Francies Baert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1873), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Francis B. Hayes'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1912), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c16/conical truss, trumpet-shaped, 45 × 65mm, mauve in bud, opening to blush, fading to pure white, with an intense ray of maroon, overlaid with black markings on the dorsal lobes. Calyx lobes pinky white. Lvs oblong-obovate, 110 × 40mm, dark green above, tomentose below, becoming hairless. Syn: 'F.B. Hayes', 'Hayés'

(r) **'Francisca Darts'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Lammot Copeland' (s) × *hemsleyanum* H: A.R. Cook (pre 1985), G: F. Darts, N: A.R. Cook, REG: A.R. Cook (2000) Fls 11/flat truss, funnel-shaped, 100 × 115mm, with 7 very wavy-edged lobes, orange in bud, opening yellow throughout. Lvs oblong, 215 × 90mm, obtuse at apex, auriculate at base, wavy-edged, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 3.0 × 3.0m in c15 years. Late June-early July

(r) **'Francis Dickson'** cv. Probably an *arboreum* hybrid I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 11-23/loose, conical truss, 50-80mm wide, bright rosy red, with strong dark red markings. June. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Francis E. Seidler'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Amagasa' × 'Grace Freeman No.2' R: J. Harris (pre 1982), N: J. Harris Fls 70mm wide, pale purplish pink (62D), edged strong red (51A). Shrub 0.6m in 10 years. (The spelling 'Frances E. Seidler' has been listed and is an error)

(r) **'Francis Hanger'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* (s) × Isabella Group R: L. de Rothschild (1942), I: E. de Rothschild (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c7/loose, flat-topped truss, with deep, wavy-edged lobes, chrome yellow, tinged pale rose at margins, fleshy. June. AM 1950 (Francis Hanger Group)

(r) **Francis Hanger Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* (s) × Isabella Group R: L. de Rothschild (1942), I: E. de Rothschild (1950), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'François de Meyer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Madame John Haerens' × 'Apollo' I: E. de Meyer (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, bright orange. Indian

(a) **'François Desbois'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: F. Desbois (1893), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, deep purple with red shading. Indian

(a) **'François de Taye'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange, dorsal lobes maroon edged with carmine. Indian (Spelling as in van Houtte cat., 1870; presumably the same plant listed as 'François de Taeye' by A. van Geert, 1867)

(a) **'François de Taye'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. Hellebuyck, I: L. van Houtte (c 1873), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pale pink. Ghent (Sometimes seen in error as 'François de Thaye', 'Francois de Faye', 'Frans de Taye')

(a) **'François Deves'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, bright red. Indian

(a) **'François de Vos'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Verschaffelt,1867, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, dark orange-red. FCC 1870. Indian (Perhaps an error for 'François Deves')

(r) **'Frango'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' (s) × 'Noyo Chief' H: D.W. Goheen (1963), G: D.W. Goheen, N: D.W. Goheen, I: D.W. Goheen, REG: D.W. Goheen (1983) Fls 14-18/truss, open campanulate, 50 × 50mm, 5-lobed, deep pink (52B) in bud, opening light pink (50D), with dorsal spotting of strong orange (25B). Calyx minute, light green. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 150 × 55mm, moderate olive green (146A-147A), with a plastered light yellowish pink (159A) indumentum below. New shoots greyed-white tomentose. Shrub c2.9m in 17 years

(a) **'Frank Abbott'** cv. Deciduous azalea: red-flowered Mollis hybrid (s) × *prinophyllum* H: E.V. Mezitt (pre 1970), G: Weston Nurseries (c 1970), N: E.V. & R.W. Mezitt, I: Weston Nurseries (1989), REG: R.W. Mezitt (1998) Fls 6/flattened ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 70mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (57B-C); scented. Calyx c1.5mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 75 × 30mm, margins downcurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, with discrete hairs above and below as well as on petioles; foliage mildew resistant. Shrub 0.9 × 0.75m in 7 years. Mid May. (Published in Weston Nurseries cat., 1989)

(a) **'Frank Arsen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: R.D. Gartrell, G: R.D. Gartrell, N: J.E.

Boeggeman, REG: L.M. Clark (1986) Fls hose-in-hose, 1-3/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 45mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (49A), with a pale yellowish pink (36D) throat. Calyx 32mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 25 × 13mm, moderate yellow-green (146B), hairy above and below. Shrub 0.8 × 1.0m in 10 years. Early May

(r) **'Frank Baum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × Jasper Group R: C.S. Seabrook, N: C.S. Seabrook, REG: C.S. Seabrook (1968) Fls in tight trusses, campanulate, 50 × 65mm, inside carmine (20/2), shading to yellow at centre. Lvs large. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Early-mid June

(a) **'Frankby'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: M.C. Pratt (c 1986), G: Ness Botanic Gardens (1996), N: Ness Botanic Gardens, REG: Ness Botanic Gardens (1998) Fls single, 10-12/loose truss, broadly tubular funnel-shaped, 45 × 53mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink (39B) in bud, opening pale orange-yellow (19D) and suffused light yellowish pink (37D) inside, outside pale greenish yellow (2D) and suffused moderate yellowish pink (38B); dorsal blotch of vivid orange-yellow (23A); scented. Calyx 3mm long, light yellow-green (142C). Lvs elliptic, 20-75 × 7-30mm, wavy-edged, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 1.0m in 12 years. June-July. Good autumn foliage colour

(a) **'Frank Curto'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Nadine' I: O.S. Pride (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, pink. Gable

(r) **'Frank Galsworthy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *ponticum* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (c 1900), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 15-20/compact, globular truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 50-65mm, near garnet lake (828), with very pale olive spotting on dorsal lobe. Lvs 140-160 × 40mm, mid to deep dull green above. Shrub c1.7 × 2.7m.. *AM 1960

(r) **'Frank G. Waterer'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Fisher, Son & Sibray (1898), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark scarlet, with a white eye

(r) **'Frank Heuston'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Golden Belle' (s) × 'Autumn Gold' H: W. Elliott (1972), G: B.F. Heuston (1981), N: W. Elliott, REG: W. Elliott (1983) Fls 10-14/truss, 65 × 75mm, 6-lobed, strong yellowish pink (35C) at margins shading to light orange-yellow (22B) in throat, with dorsal spotting of vivid reddish orange (34B) in throat. Calyx minute. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 90-125 × 30-40mm, hairless. Shrub c1.2m in 8 years

(r) **'Frank Kingdon Ward'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *glischrum* subsp. *rude* R: A.C. & J.F.A. Gibson, N: A.C. & J.F.A. Gibson, I: A.C. & J.F.A. Gibson (1969), REG: A.C. & J.F.A. Gibson (1969) Fls up to 16/loose truss, open campanulate, 40 × 75mm, 7-lobed, white, outside strongly stained deep purplish pink (68A) along midribs, the same colour suffusing over the inside in softer shades, dorsal lobes finely spotted and marked close to strong purplish red (67A). Calyx rudimentary, 7-lobed, covered with red, gland-tipped hairs. Lvs oblanceolate, 175 × 50mm, acuminate at apex, pale green and covered with coarse, yellowish green hairs above, veins prominently hairy below. AM 1969

(a) **'Frank Langer'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown, derived from Exbury seed G: C. Renshaw (1984), N: C. Renshaw (1998), REG: C. Renshaw (1998) Fls 20/ball truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 70 × 75mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, brownish orange (171B) in bud, opening inside vivid yellowish pink (28A) intermingled with strong orange (24A), outside similarly coloured but with more strong orange (24A) at lobe edges; unmarked; stamens 7-8, uneven, filaments moderate orange (168C), anthers moderate to dark reddish brown (175A-B); ovary greyish yellow-green (194A), style strong orange (169B), stigma moderate yellow-green (148A). Calyx 8mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Calyx and corolla tube hairy. Lvs broadly elliptic, 80 × 35mm, flat, obtuse and mucronate at apex, attenuate at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 3.0 × 1.0m in 28 years. November (Australia). (Seed originally germinated (1968) by Frank Langer)

(a) **'Franklin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, pale white, with some violet stripes. Indian

(a) **'Franklin D. Roosevelt'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Felix & Dijkhuis (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, vivid reddish orange, dorsal lobes pinker, with an orange blotch. Mollis

(r) **'Frank Ludlow'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *dalhousiae*, raised from LS & T 6694 R: A.E. Hardy, N: A.E. Hardy, I: A.E. Hardy (1974), REG: A.E. Hardy (1975) Fls tubular-campanulate to funnel-shaped, up to 80 × 95mm, yellowish white (155D), inner basal part of each lobe strongly stained yellow. Calyx green, with a light granular indumentum at base, with lobes up to 20mm long. Lvs oblanceolate, up to 130 × 55mm, glaucous below, scaly. FCC 1974

(a) **'Frank Lunsford'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *calendulaceum* R: Transplant Nursery (pre 1987), N: Transplant Nursery Fls fuchsia

(r) **'Frank Maranville'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' (s) × 'Van Nes Sensation' H: B.T. Briggs (1963), G: B.F. Heuston & L.F. Maranville (1971), N: B.F. Heuston (1985), REG: B.F. Heuston (1985) Fls 10/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 70 × 100mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (57C) shading to 57B in throat and 57D at edges; unmarked; outside 57B. Calyx very small. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 55mm, hairless. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years

(r) **'Frank Moniz'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × 'America' R: W.E. Delp (pre 1986)

(a) **'Frank Mossman'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *occidentale* 'Leonard Frisbie (SM 232) × *occidentale* (SM DD12) H: F.D. Mossman (c 1977), G: R.W. Cavender (c 1982), N: R.W. Cavender, I: R.W. Cavender, REG: R.W. Cavender (1992) Fls 12-14/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 57 × 89mm, with 5(-6) very wavy-edged lobes, buds deep pink (50B) on ribs, fading to moderate purplish pink (66D) at edges, opening yellowish white (155B), dorsal lobe marked strong orange-yellow (17A), upper lateral lobes moderate purplish pink (66D), lower lobes striped 66D along midribs; very fragrant; stamens slightly curved, equal; style white; pistil straight. Calyx 6mm long, vivid reddish orange (44B), fading. Pedicels 13mm long, reddish, fading to green. Lvs elliptic, 64 × 38mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, glossy and bullate above, hairless. Petioles 6mm long, green. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 15 years. May

(r) **'Franko Romano'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.L. Tolstead (c 1980), G: W.L. Tolstead (1988), N: W.L. Tolstead, I: Rhody Run Nursery (1993), REG: W.L. Tolstead (1993) Fls 12/conical truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 38 × 51mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, moderate red (2.5R 4/10) with a black blotch; stamens 10, curved; anthers white. Calyx less than 2mm long, light brown. Pedicels 32mm long, light brown. Lvs 114 × 64mm, flat, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, glossy green above, hairless; petioles 25mm long, light green. Shrub 1.8 × 1.2m in c10 years. Mid May.

(r) **'Frank's Coup'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Flat Frank' (s) × unknown (possibly *veitchianum*) H: F. Furman (1978), G: F. Furman (1983), N: F. Furman (1983), REG: F. Furman (1998) Fls 4-5/open dome truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, pale greenish yellow (2D) throughout; anthers near brownish orange (164A). Calyx 5mm long, light yellow-green (145B). Lvs elliptic, 30-50 × 12-20mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above (darker in winter), margins minutely crenate; hairs and scales present on calyx, pedicels, base of corolla, petioles and leaves (mainly below) - hairs near white, scales pale tan. Shrub 0.9 × 1.1m in 10 years. April

(a) **'Frank Seidel'** (Syn. of 'Fritz Seidel')

(r) **'Frank Skerbeck'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lord Roberts' (s) × 'Vicki Reine' H: M. Stockman (1989), G: M. & H. Stockman (1996), N: M. & H. Stockman (1997), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1997) Fls 12-14/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, with 5(-6) wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (46B) in bud, opening vivid red (46C) with darker red dorsal spotting, fading to strong to light purplish pink (55B-C) with lighter midveins inside. Calyx c3mm long, yellowish tan. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 45mm, slightly wavy-edged, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 0.75m in 7 years. Mid May

(r) **'Frank Waghorn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Burgundy' (s) × 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague' H: F.R. Waghorn (1983), G: Mrs J.A. Hutchinson (1991), N: Mrs L.A. Waghorn (1994), REG: Mrs L.A. Waghorn (1995) Fls 18/rounded truss, funnel-shaped, 60 × 90mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, inside strong purplish pink (68B) at base, strong purplish red (63B) on lobes, outside strong purplish red (63A); deep purplish red (61A) flare on dorsal lobe; stamens short. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 40mm, flat, matt green above, acuminate at base, apiculate at apex, hairless. Compact shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 10 years. Spring

(r) **'Fran Labera'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Helen Everitt' (s) × 'Dexter's Honeydew' H: H. & S. Fuller (1961), G: H. & S. Fuller (1970), N: H. & S. Fuller, I: H. & S. Fuller (1977), REG: H. & S. Fuller (1977) Fls up to 11/ball truss, open funnel- to saucer-shaped, 100mm wide, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, white to cream (sometimes slightly yellow), with a chartreuse throat; stamens vestigial; scented. Calyx minute, mid green, glandular, viscid. Lvs narrowly obovate, 135 × 55mm, rounded at apex, round to slightly oblique at base, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 2.1m in 15 years. Mid May

(a) **'Frans Hals'** cv. Deciduous azalea: derived from two Mollis azaleas H: K. Wezelenburg & Son (1936), G: K. Wezelenburg & Son, N: K. Wezelenburg & Son, I: K. Wezelenburg & Son (1938), REG: Royal Boskoop Hort. Soc. (1990) Fls single, 6-8/truss, funnel-shaped, 50mm wide, 5-lobed, dark pink, with a green dorsal blotch. Calyx green. Shrub 3.0 × 2.0m. Early May

(r) **'Fran's Song'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ditto' (s) × 'Fawn' × 'Indian Penny' H: R.E. Burns (1982), G: R.E. Burns (1988), N: R.E. Burns, REG: R.E. Burns (1990) Fls 7/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 76 × 127mm, with 5 wavy-edged, recurved lobes, strong pink (48D) in bud, opening pale yellow (20C), edged with strong pink (48D). Calyx 51mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 73-130 × 27-57mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, with wavy margins, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 1.0m in 8 years. Early May

(r) **'Fran Sumner'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: Seta Group × *johnstoneanum* H: M.H. Sumner, G: M.H. Sumner (1981), N: P. Molinari, REG: V. Stewart (1992) Fls 4/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 38 × 64mm, with 5, very wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (50B) in bud, opening light purplish pink (55C) inside, a deeper shade on the reverse; slightly scented; stamens 10, straight, unequal. Calyx 25mm long, light green. Pedicels 13mm long, light green. Lvs ellitpic, 64 × 25mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, moderate yellow-green (148B) below, with light brown scales; petioles 6mm long, hairy and scaly. Shrub 1.1 × 1.7m in 10 years. Mid February

(a) **'Frans van der Bom'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: M. Koster & Sons (1892), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 65mm wide, strong orange-yellow to moderate reddish orange, spotted purple. Midseason. Mollis

(a) **'Frans Vervaene'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1868), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Frans Vervaene'** cv. Parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (pre 1875), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cerise red, strongly blotched black.

(r) **'Franz'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Carl Mette' × 'Eggebrechtii' R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright red.

(a) **'Franz Joseph'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: F. Schneider (1863), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Franz Joseph'** (See 'Empereur François-Joseph II')

(r) **'Franz Lehar'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Glamour Group × 'Jester' R: C.S. Seabrook (1959), N: C.S. Seabrook, REG: C.S. Seabrook (1964) Fls in a loose, semi-erect truss, rotate, 45 × 90mm, strong red (45D). Lvs dark green. Shrub 0.45m in 10 years. Late May-mid June

(a) **'Franz Ostritz'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: O. Schulz (1883), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white, with a green, circular blotch. Indian

(a) **'Franz Scirovi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Helene Thelemann' I: Scirovi (1891), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls tender rose, with pure white edges. Indian (Sometimes seen spelt as 'Franz Szirovi' (eg Seidel cat., 1894))

(a) **'Fräri'** (An error for 'Fläri')

(a) **Fraseri Group** gp Deciduous azalea: *canadense* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* H: G. Fraser (1912), G: G. Fraser (1919), N: W. Watson (1920), I: G. Fraser, REG: ICRA (1990) Fls 8-15/dense, flat truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 25 × 44mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (68B), with orange-red spots on dorsal lobe; slightly scented; 8-10 stamens of equal length. Calyx up to 20mm long, ciliate, green. Lvs oblong to elliptic-oblong, 40-60 × 20mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, bright green above and sparingly villose and strigillose above and below; petioles 12mm long, green; leaves held for one year. Shrub 1.5-2.5 × 1.2m in 20 years. May

(r) **'Fraser No. 3'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *macrophyllum* × *maximum* H: G. Fraser, G: J.B. Gable (pre 1972) Fls pink (?). Late

(a) **'Fraternité'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Gebr Kersbergen (pre 1922), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, strong yellowish pink. Midseason. AM 1922. Mollis

(a) **'Frau Amalia Riechers'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Gartendirektor Krause' R: Germany (pre 1888), N: Germany, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, strong pink (52D), with pure white edges and blood red spots on the dorsal lobes; lobes slightly wavy-edged. Late. Syn: 'De Schryverianum'. Indian

(a) **'Frau Ambrosius'** (Syn. of 'Frau Reinhold Ambrosius')

(a) **'Frau Cassian'** (Syn. of 'Frau Oberburgermeister Cassian')

(a) **'Frau Dekens'** (Syn. of 'Annamaria'; sometimes also seen as 'Frau Dakens')

(a) **'Frau Doktor Cavet'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: H. Haas (1892), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, soft flesh pink, with darker tinges, edged pure white and with a dark red blotch. Indian

(r) **'Frau Doktor Schiffner'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Album Hybridum' × *grande* L: Firma Seidel (1885), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale peach blossom pink

(a) **'Frau Elsa Kärger'** (Syn. of 'Elsa Kärger')

(a) **'Frau Emil Liebig'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Rose (pre 1889), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pure white, with scarlet red stripes. Indian

(r) **'Frau Emma Schulz'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: O. Schulz (1892), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Frau Engels'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Clibrans Nursery (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red, passing to rich salmon rose. Mollis

(a) **'Frauenlob'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red, with a white border

(a) **'Frauenlob'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with blood red stripes. Indian (Perhaps the same plant listed by Veitch in 1867, *q.v*)

(a) **'Frau Heinrich Seidel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Sander & Sons (1903), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, tinted yellow-green. Indian

(a) **'Frau Hermann Seidel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Rose (1880), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, white, with pale rose stripes. Syn: 'Madame Hermann Seidel'. Indian

(r) **'Frau Hurter'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid R: J. Rinz (pre 1864), N: J. Rinz, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright scarlet, with black spots

(a) **'Frau Johanna Andrea Winkler'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (1876), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls mother-of-pearl white, striped and dotted heavy red and pale rose, with a yellow blotch. Indian

(a) **'Frau L. Helmann'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* L: Sunningdale Nurseries (1955), INC: ICRA (1958). Mollis

(a) **'Frau Lina Herrmann'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Madame P.B. van Acker' × 'Paul Schäme' R: E. Herrmann, N: E. Herrmann, I: E. Herrmann (1964) Fls double, vivid purplish red (57C). Calyx normal, green. Upper leaf surface hairy. Early-mid season. Syn: 'Lina Herrmann'. Indian

(a) **'Frau L.R. Richter'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Doktor Wilhelm Neubert' I: R. Richter (1892), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, rose, with a pure white edge. Indian

(r) **'Frau Martha Lentschke'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Genoveva' (s) × 'Hassan' R: T.J.H. Seidel (c 1938), N: T.J.H. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with yellow spots

(az) **'Frau Minna Hartl'** cv. Azaleodendron: *ponticum* × an Indian azalea R: O. Hartl, N: O. Hartl, I: O. Hartl (1891), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, carmine rose

(a) **'Frau M. Mardner'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schäfer (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white, with rose spots. Indian

(a) **'Frau Oberburgermeister Cassian'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (pre 1877), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with strong rose stripes. Syn: 'Frau Cassian'. Indian

(a) **'Frau Reinhold Ambrosius'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: R. Ambrosius (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, light rose. Syn: 'Frau Ambrosius'. Indian

(a) **'Frau Richard Obst'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Richard Obst' I: R. de Meyer (1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish red, edged white; otherwise similar to parent. Indian

(a) **'Frau Richers'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1913), INC: ICRA (1958) (Exhibited by Vervaert & Cie)

(r) **'Frau Rosalie Seidel'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Firma Seidel (pre 1885), N: Firma Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls alabaster white, with a small red-purple blotch

(a) **'Frau Sophie Scariobuck'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, white with rose stripes. Indian

(a) **'Frau Ursula Herrmann'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Madame P.B. van Acker' × 'Paul Schäme' R: E. Herrmann, N: E. Herrmann, I: E. Herrmann (1964) Fls double, strong red (47B). Calyx normal, green. Midseason. Syn: 'Ziegelrot'. Indian

(r) **'Frau von Wolffersdorff'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel (c 1898), N: T.J.R. Seidel (1906), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine rose, tinged lilac and with an ochre yellow blotch. Shrub to 2.5m

(r) **'Frau Wenke'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C. Petzold (pre 1889), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink

(r) **'Frau Wilhelm Ernst'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: O. Schulz (c 1892), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright magenta red

(r) **'Frazzles'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × 'Conoco-cheague' H: J.B. Gable (pre 1972) Fls pink to salmon rose. Lvs mid green

(r) **'Frechdachs'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *campylogynum* Celsum Group (s) × *keiskei* 'Yaku Fairy' H: W. Reich (1993), G: W. Reich (1998), N: W. Reich (2000), I: W. Reich (1999), REG: W. Reich (2000) Fls up to 5/lax, flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 28-30 × 40-42mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red/strong purplish pink (63B/C) in bud, opening inside strong pink/moderate purplish pink (54C/D), throat strong purplish red (63A/B), outside strong purplish red (63A/B) towards base, strong purplish pink/light purplish pink (63C/D) towards tip; dorsal spotting of deep purplish red (61A) with a halo of deep purplish pink (66C). Calyx 9mm long, yellowish green, tinged reddish above. Lvs broadly ovate, 18-36 × 7-18mm, margins flat to upcurved, matt green, moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (147B) below. Shrub 0.35 × 0.45m in 6 years. Late April-early May. (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0023035))

(r) **'Freckle Face'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Freckle Face')

(r) **'Freckle Face'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Corona' (s) × *wardii* I: C. Ingram (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) (Coronet Group)

(a) **'Freckleface'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls single, white, with purplish flecks. Indian

(r) **'Freckle Faced Ernie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: uncertain, G: E. Berube (c 1980), N: R.W. Chaikin, REG: R.W. Chaikin (1992) Fls 10-12/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 76 × 102mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (62D) with moderate purplish pink (62B) margins and numerous small freckles of strong purplish red (63B) on all lobes, more concentrated and darker (64A) in dorsal throat; highly scented. Calyx rudimentary, strong purplish red/pink (63B/C). Lvs elliptic, 102-127 × 44-57mm, convex, mucronate to cuspidate at apex, oblique at base, moderate yellow-green (137C) above, moderate yellow-green (139D) below, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.5m in 10 years. Early-mid June

(r) **'Freckle Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marion' (s) × 'Midnight' H: K. Van de Ven, G: K. Van de Ven (1978), N: K. Van de Ven, I: K. Van de Ven, REG: K. Van de Ven (1984) Fls 12/truss, campanulate, 75 × 50mm, light purplish pink (65B). Lvs elliptic, 100 × 40mm. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m

(a) **'Freckles'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Rose Queen' I: Hines Nurseries (pre 1985) Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, white, throat spotted red. Indian

(r) **'Freckles'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: red-flowered *catawbiense* × 'Atrosanguineum' × *thomsonii* H: J.B. Gable (c 1953), G: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable, REG: Gable Study Group (1991) Fls in a conical truss, 64mm wide, rose pink, heavily spotted maroon on dorsal lobes and with scattered, paler spots on other lobes. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 114 × 38mm, flat, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 3.6m tall (when mature); 1.5 × 1.2m in 12 years. Mid May. (First published in *Hybrids & Hybridizers*, Livingston & West (1978))

(r) **'Freckles'** cv. Parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney (pre 1980)

(a) **'Freda'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from Rose Group R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith Fls 65mm wide, vivid purplish red (57B), with prominent deep purplish red (61A) spotting on 3 dorsal lobes. Shrub 1.2m in 7 years

(r) **'Freda'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* hybrid I: G. Paul (1921), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light pink

(r) **'Freda Rosage'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Virginia Scott' (s) × Jasper Group H: H.L. Larson (1964), G: H.L. Larson (1973), N: H.L. Larson, I: H.L. Larson (1981), REG: H.L. Larson (1982) Fls 13/truss, 63 × 90mm, 5-lobed, deep pink (47D), opening pale greenish yellow (10D), the dorsal lobe dark greenish yellow (152C). Calyx 38mm long, pale greenish yellow (10D). Lvs 160 × 50mm, hairless. The corolla is deeply split, the lobes overlapping so as to look as if it is double

(a) **'Fred C. Galle'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nancy of Robinhill' × 'Laura Morland' R: R.D. Gartrell (pre 1981), N: Cripple Creek Nursery Fls 90mm wide, with 5 or more, broad, flat lobes, strong pink (48D), with a few inconspicuous spots in the blotch. Shrub to 0.8m

(r) **'Fred Clark'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group (s) × *yungningense* H: W.M. Fetterhoff (1963), G: W.M. Fetterhoff, N: W.M. Fetterhoff, I: W.M. Fetterhoff (1974), REG: W.M. Fetterhoff (1981) Fls 4-7/ball truss, saucer-shaped, 35mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, mauve pink (633/3), with no markings. Lvs elliptic, 30 × 15mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, with closely-spaced, dark brown scales below; winter foliage light greenish mahogany. Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in 16 years. Early May

(a) **'Fred Colbert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: F. Colbert (pre 1964), N: F. Colbert Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, bright red. Syn: 'Colbertii' Kurume (Probably the 'Fred Colby' of some Australian catalogues)

(a) **'Fred Colby'** (Probably an error for 'Fred Colbert')

(a) **'Fred. de Coninck'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: Belgium, N: Belgium, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 70mm wide, orange-yellow, edged pink, with a vivid orange blotch. Midseason. Mollis (Sometimes seen incorrectly as 'De Koninck', 'De Konick', 'F. de Koninck')

(a) **'Fred. Engels'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Gebr Kersbergen, N: Gebr Kersbergen, I: Gebr Kersbergen (1918), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. Midseason. AM 1922. Mollis

(a) **'Frédéric II'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Vervaene (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange copper, with a saffron sheen and with fire red spots on dorsal lobes. Indian

(r) **'Frederic de Coningh'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet red, with a dark blotch

(a) **'Frédéric de Mérode'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *japonicum* (s) × Gandavense Group I: C. Vuylsteke (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, red, shaded scarlet, with a magenta blotch (C. Vuylsteke, 1900). Mollis

(a) **'Frederick Featherstone'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Hazlewood Bros (1964) Fls double, light pink. Kurume

(r) **'Frederick Prigger'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mary Belle' (s) × 'Mars' H: J.F. Minahan (1984), G: J.F. Minahan (1995), N: J.F. Minahan, REG: J.F. Minahan (1998) Fls 18/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45 × 75mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53C) in bud, opening vivid purplish red (57D) inside and vivid purplish red (57C) outside; unmarked. Lvs oblong, 175 × 65mm, wavy-edged, upcurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in 13 years. Early-mid May

(a) **'Frederick the Great'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: USA (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, salmon. Late. Indian

(a) **'Frederick von Baden'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Scheuermann (1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with rose stripes and carmine red dots. Indian (Also seen as 'Friedrich von Baden')

(r) **'Frederick Waterer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot) (c 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c16/compact truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 60mm, crimson, with faint, brown markings. Leggy shrub. Syn: 'Fred Waterer'

(a) **'Frederik Breuil'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Gebr Mardner (1858), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Presumably the Indian azalea listed by J. Verschaffelt in 1860 as 'Friedrich Brenil'; the correct spelling may be 'Frederik Breul')

(r) **'Frederik d'Honneur'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1983) Fls ruby rose. (Has been listed in error as 'Frederik de Neur')

(a) **'Fred Fuchs'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Mark Bittinger' × 'Eden Y2' R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith Fls 80mm wide, two tones of strong purplish pink (55B), spotted strong red (53C). Shrub 1.0m in 7 years

(r) **'Fred Hamilton'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *neriiflorum* × *griersonianum* (s) × *dichroanthum* H: H. Lem (1958), G: G. Savage (1961), N: Van Veen Nursery (1965), I: Van Veen Nursery (1965), REG: Van Veen Nursery (1972) Fls 9-12/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 80 × 65mm, vivid yellow (2.5Y 8/12), with strong yellowish pink (7.5R 7/9) tones accenting the edges and stripes (inside and out), with dense, yellow green (2.5GY 6/8) spotting in dorsal throat and on dorsal lobes; buds strong reddish orange (7.5R 6/12). Calyx c5mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 100 × 40mm. Shrub 0.8 × 1.1m in 10 years. Syn: 'Orange Cross', 'Glen's Orange'

(r) **'Fred Harris'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Corona' × *fortunei* N: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1961), I: E.G.W.W. Harrison, REG: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1961) Fls 14/close, conical truss, 55 × 100mm, with 5-7 slightly reflexed lobes, clear pink, unspotted

(r) **'Fred Holden'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Prelude Group (s) × 'Sappho' H: P. Holden (1969), G: Mrs A.J. Holden, N: P. Holden, I: P. Holden, REG: P. Holden (1980) Fls 16-19/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 65mm, with 6(-7) wavy-edged lobes, buds very pale purple (69B), opening yellowish white (155D), dorsal lobes shaded pale yellow (11D), a deep purplish red (61A) stain deep in throat and deep purplish pink (66C) and dark red (187A) spots on central dorsal spreading on to adjacent lobes; very pale purple (76C) along midveins on outside; scented. Calyx less than 3mm long, dark greenish yellow (152D). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 125 × 45mm, acute to apiculate at apex, cuneate or rounded at base, flat, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.1m in 10 years. Late April.

(a) **'Fred Lee'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: B.Y. Morrison (pre 1987) Fls 65-75mm wide, strong red (50A), with a darker blotch; petaloids in centre often white; no stamens

(r) **'Fred Minch'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Brigadoon' (s) × 'Seven Seas' H: F. Minch (1990), G: J.D. Brim (1995), N: J.D. Brim (2001), REG: J.D. Brim (2001) Fls 14/domed truss, funnel-campanulate, 45 × 65mm, with 7 flat-edged lobes, light greenish yellow (5C) throughout, with a deep purplish red (59B) throat. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 125 × 40mm, margins flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and dark green (136A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in 10 years. Mid May

(a) **'Fred Neeley'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Hugh Wormald' × *austrinum* R: S.C. Early (pre 1985), N: S.C. Early Fls 65mm wide, strong orange-yellow

(a) **'Fred Nutbeam'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: W.G.T. Hyde (1965), G: W.G.T. Hyde (pre 1980), N: Mrs R. Legrand, I: Linwood Plants (1991), REG: Mrs R. Legrand (1992) Fls 3/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 30mm, 5-lobed, vivid red (45B), with a strong red (46A) blotch on dorsal lobe; colour does not fade in sun. Calyx 10mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 30 × 13mm, hairless. Shrub 0.5 × 1.1m. May

(r) **'Fred Peste'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Corona' (s) × *haematodes* H: F. Peste (1971), G: F. & L. Peste (1977), N: L. Peste, REG: S.P. Johnston (1986) Fls 14/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 53 × 75mm, 5-lobed, strong red (53B), lower 7mm of throat dark red (187B), spotting dark red (187A) on all lobes but especially on dorsal lobes. Calyx very small. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 75-95 × 25-30mm, much darker than moderate olive green (147A) above, with a heavy, moderate orange-yellow (164B) indumentum below. Shrub 0.8 × 1.0m in 14 years. Mid May

(r) **'Fred Puppe'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: E.T. Anderson (pre 1989) (Listed as a parent of 'Merry Mary')

(a) **'Fred Rees'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: R.D. Gartrell (pre 1981), N: Cripple Creek Nursery Fls hose-in-hose, saucer-shaped, 75mm wide, deep pink, persistent. Shrub to 1.2m

(r) **'Fredrick Geodfried Peste'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Corona' × *haematodes* H: F. Peste (1971), G: F. & L. Peste (1978), N: L. Peste, REG: S.P. Johnston (1986) Fls 10-11/flat truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 45 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (50A) in bud, opening deep yellowish pink (47C) and changing to moderate yellowish pink (37C), with strong red (39A) spotting on dorsal lobes and a light yellowish pink (27B) ray down the centre of each lobe (very conspicuous when the flower changes colour). Calyx 32mm long, deep pink (48A). Lvs elliptic, 76 × 29mm, moderate olive green (147A) above, with a moderate orange-yellow (164B), woolly indumentum on young lvs. Shrub 0.5 × 0.8m in 14 years. Early May

(r) **'Fred Robbins'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Carmen Group × 'Choremia' (ie the FCC clone) R: L.E. Brandt, N: L.E. Brandt, REG: L.E. Brandt (1964) Fls 7/truss, 45 × 55mm, chrysanthemum crimson (824). Calyx up to 25mm long, irregular, coloured as corolla. Lvs 55 × 40mm, with a silver indumentum below. Shrub 0.5 × 0.45m in 9 years

(r) **'Fred Rose'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mary Swaythling' × *lacteum* R: F.J. Rose, I: Sunningdale Nurseries (1959), REG: Sunningdale Nurseries (1962) Fls 10/compact, domed truss, 65 × 65mm, broadly campanulate, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, light yellow-green (2C), with spotting of strong red (53B) in the throat. Lvs 90-125 × 40-65mm, medium dark, dull green. Shrub 2.0m or more. *HC 1973

(a) **'Fred Sander'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Sander & Sons (1913), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, vivid red. Indian (See also note under 'Fred Sanders'.)

(a) **'Fred Sanders'** (Sometimes seen in error as 'Fred Sander'. Syn. of 'Mrs Frederick Sanders')

(r) **'Fred's Barbara'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Donna Hardgrove' (s) × *yakushimanum* × 'Harvest Moon' H: J.H. McNeil (1976), G: F.S. Winter, N: F.S. Winter, REG: F.S. Winter (1997) Fls 10-12/ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 50 × 75mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, light pink in bud, opening white, with greenish yellow markings deep in the throat. Lvs ovate, 125 × 50mm, margins decurved, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 1.7 × 2.1m in 20 years. Mid April-early May

(a) **'Fred Stiner'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid, see *The Azalean* 4 (1): 3 (1982) for notes on parentage R: W.D. Smith (pre 1982), N: W.D. Smith Fls with a rosette centre, 100mm wide, reddish purple

(r) **'Fred Waterer'** (Syn. of 'Frederick Waterer')

(r) **'Fred Wynniatt'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × Jalisco Group R: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1963), REG: E. de Rothschild (1963) Fls 10/lax, flat-topped truss, 75 × 115mm, with wavy-edged, overlapping lobes, light yellow (21D) at edges, flushed light purplish pink (55C). Calyx petaloid, up to 25mm long. Lvs c160 × 75mm. AM 1963, FCC 1980 (Fred Wynniatt Group)

(r) **Fred Wynniatt Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × Jalisco Group R: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1963), REG: E. de Rothschild (1963)

(a) **'Freedom'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Osakazuki' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-2/truss, 50-65mm wide, with broad lobes, geranium pink (strong to deep pink (48C)), shaded rose dorée (deep yellowish pink (43C)), with a conspicuous blotch of rose dots. Lvs to 75mm long, narrow. Shrub to 1.5m. Late April-early May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Freeman R. Stephens'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague' × unnamed, white hybrid H: J.F. Stephens (1964), G: J.F. Stephens, N: J.F. Stephens, I: J.F. Stephens (1972), REG: J.F. Stephens (1973) Fls up to 15/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 125 × 100mm, 5-lobed, cherry red (722/1) in bud, opening 722/2, with very deep red spots on three dorsal lobes. Calyx c5mm long, light green and pink. Lvs 165 × 75mm, elliptic, dark glossy green. Shrub 1.1 × 1.5m in 8 years

(r) **'Free Reign'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ronald Otto Delp' (s) × (*brachycarpum* × 'Crest') × ('Mars' × 'America') H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls brilliant yellow-green (154C), edged with deep purplish pink (70C) and with brilliant yellow-green (154C) spotting on the dorsal lobes. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Freesia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1965) Fls tubular, white. Low habit

(r) **'Free Spirit'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Katydid' (s) × 'Marypat' H: W.E. Delp (1984), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 14/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 48 × 55mm, 5-lobed, strong red, deep and moderate pink (51A-D) in bud, opening yellowish white (158D) with a little deep pink (51C) which fades to 158D; filaments and style light greenish yellow (1C); anthers moderate purplish pink (186D); stigma strong yellow-green (145A). Lvs 114 × 38mm, broadly acute, cuneate at base. Shrub 0.7 × 0.7m in 8 years. Early June.

(a) **'Frei I'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* seedling R: H. Frei (pre 1984) Fls lilac red. Shrub up to 2.0m

(a) **'Frei IV'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* seedling R: H. Frei (pre 1984) Fls purple. Shrub up to 2.0m

(a) **'Frei VII'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* seedling R: H. Frei (pre 1984) Fls white

(a) **'Freiba'** cv. Parentage unknown I: F. Eisoldt (c 1987)

(a) **'Freida Kramer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kiusianum* hybrid L: USA (1984) Fls pink

(r) **'French Creek'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: chance seedling, possibly a *fortunei* hybrid G: C. Herbert, N: C. Herbert, I: C. Herbert (1966), REG: C. Herbert (1977) Fls 15-20/conical truss, 90mm wide, with 5-7 very wavy-edged lobes, very pale purple (69A), fading to white, with a moderate yellow (163C) blotch and spotting in throat and on dorsal lobes; scented. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 45mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy. Shrub c4.0m in 17 years. Early May. (Probably originated with Herbert, c1957)

(a) **'Frère-Oban'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *japonicum* (s) × Gandavense Group I: C. Vuylsteke (1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls creamy yellow at first, later with slight cream stripes; blotch shaded with rose (C. Vuylsteke cat., 1900). Ghent

(r) **'Fresco'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *aberconwayi* (s) × 'Ruby Bowman' H: D.W. Goheen (1972), G: D.W. Goheen (1980), N: D.W. Goheen, I: D.W. Goheen & L.W. Bulgin (1981), REG: D.W. Goheen (1989) Fls 9-10/ball truss, flat saucer-shaped, 51 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, margins strong purplish pink (55B) shading to pale purplish pink (55D), with a minute 55B blotch in the centre and a few, deep purplish pink (55A) spots on basal parts of lobes. Calyx 1mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 102 × 38mm, flat but with slightly rolled down margins, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 0.9m in 10 years. Late April

(r) **'Fresh Cream'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Crest' (s) × 'Mrs A.T. de la Mare' H: B. Sligh (1979), G: B. Sligh (1989), N: B. Sligh (1994), REG: B. Sligh (1996) Fls 23/full truss, flat-opening, 25×125mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, jasper red (018 & 018/3) in bud, opening naples yellow (403/3), 403 near the throat, outside naples yellow (403/3); with a 15mm long, double flare of oxblood red (00823/3) in the throat. Calyx 5mm long, spinel red (0023/2). Lvs ovate, 145 × 65mm, flat, glossy, rounded at base and apex, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 10 years. Early October-early November (New Zealand)

(r) **'Fresh Face'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' (s) × *wardii* (KW 4170) H: W.E. Delp (1975), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 12/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 46 × 60mm, with 5-6 very wavy-edged lobes, pale yellow (158A) and pale yellowish pink (159D) in bud, opening yellowish white (158D), with a light greenish yellow (1C) flare and both moderate olive green (146A) and moderate yellow-green (146B) spots; filaments light yellow-green (145D); style moderate yellow-green (146D); anthers moderate purplish pink (186D); stigma moderate yellow-green (146C). Lvs 121 × 51mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.4m in 17 years. Early June

(r) **'Fresh Heir'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* × *thomsonii* (s) × 'Too Lips' H: W.E. Delp (1986), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: Mrs V. Delp (1995) Fls 12/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 48 × 60mm, 5-lobed, deep, moderate and strong purplish red (59B-D) in bud, opening to a blend of white, pale purplish pink (62D) and strong purplish red (60D), with brilliant greenish yellow (151D) dorsal spots. Lvs 102 × 41mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base. Mid June

(r) **'Fresh Look'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vivacious' (s) × 'Weldy' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls deep and strong red (53A, B, C) in bud, opening strong and light purplish pink (63B, D) and pale and light purplish pink (62D, 63D); filaments and style light purplish pink (63D); anthers moderate yellow (161B); stigma dark red (59A). Lvs with an indumentum. (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(a) **'Freund Brechtel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C. Schulz (pre 1863), N: C. Schulz, INC: ICRA (1958) Indian

(a) **'Freya'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Smet, I: C. Vuylsteke (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls fully double, mauve white, with tips soft lilac, the base yellow and golden yellow (C. Vuylsteke, 1900); at least one other plant has circulated under this name and the AM 1953 plant is described as: fls hose-in-hose, 18/flat domed truss, tubular-campanulate, 30 × 40mm, buds orange-pink, opening light yellowish pink (37C), tipped strong pink (52D). Lvs light green, slightly tinged brown. Shrub up to c2.0 × 1.5m. May. AM 1897, *AM 1953. Rustica

(r) **'Freya's Joy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Double Date' (s) × 'Mrs P.D. Williams' H: A.R. Johnson (1976), G: A.R. Johnson (1988), N: A.R. Johnson, I: A.R. Johnson (1992), REG: A.R. Johnson (1992) Fls 12/conical truss, semi-double, open funnel-shaped, 57 × 89mm, lobes wavy to frilled at edges, strong purplish pink (73B) at margins, shading to very pale purple (73D) in throat where there is prominent moderate red (180B) spotting; stamens up to 12, straight, unequal, some petaloid. Calyx minute. Pedicels 38mm long, moderate red (180B) at top, dark greenish yellow (152C) at base. Lvs lanceolate, 152 × 51mm, convex, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, matt green above, hairless; petioles 25mm long, moderate reddish brown (177A) at top, strong yellow-green (144B) at base. Shrub 1.5 × 1.4m in 10 years. May

(r) **'Frida von Soden'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campanulatum* hybrid L: Firma Seidel (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with some dark spots; exhibits a tendency to double fls

(r) **'Friday'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' hybrid R: H. Landauer (pre 1986) Fls large, 'flattened', purple, with a black dorsal blotch. Lvs leathery, matt green. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Friday Surprise'** cv. Parentage unknown R: G.W. Clarke (pre 1980)

(a) **'Fridoline'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Signalglühen' × 'Rubinetta' × 'Vuyk's Scarlet' H: H. Hachmann (1974), G: H. Hachmann (1977), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1987), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls single, 2-3/truss, funnel-shaped, 25-30 × 40-45mm, 5-7-lobed, vivid reddish orange (42A), with inconspicuous darker markings. Calyx 2-3mm long, strong yellow-green (144C). Lvs ovate, 27-32 × 15-18mm, mid-green; young lvs slightly hairy. Shrub 0.35 × 0.5m in 10 years, very free-flowering and of compact habit. Late May-early June.

(a) **'Fridtjof Nansen'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Gibraltar' × 'Cecile' R: C. Fleischmann, N: C. Fleischmann, I: C. Fleischmann (1970) Fls vivid reddish orange. Late

(a) **'Frieda'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C.B. van Nes & Sons, N: C.B. van Nes & Sons, I: C.B. van Nes & Sons (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose violet. Kaempferi

(r) **'Frieda Diddens'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goldsworth Orange' (s) × *makinoi* H: R. Van Loon (1989), G: R. Van Loon (1996), N: R. Van Loon (2002), REG: R. Van Loon (2002) Fls 9-12/flat-topped truss, funnel-campanulate, 50 × 50mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, pink in bud, opening pale salmon pink inside and out, with limited brown spotting at base of dorsal lobe. Calyx 2-3mm long, cream/white. Lvs oblong-lanceolate, 170 × 30mm, margins decurved, acute at apex, cuneate at base, matt green above, with a little white hairy indumentum below when young which ages to buff. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 13 years. Late. (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0034873))

(r) **'Friederike Danneil'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × *wardi* × un-named seedling (Seidel no. 100) H: H.-J. Danneil (1979), G: H.-J. Danneil (1986), N: H.-J. Danneil, REG: H.-J. Danneil (2000) Fls 10-12/loose, flat domed truss, campanulate, 50 × 50mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, light pink/rose in bud, opening light yellow in centre, nearly white on the lobes; outside light pink to light yellow; numerous cinnamon-coloured spots on the dorsal lobe; pistil long, yellow/red-brown; anthers brown. Lvs elliptic, 80 × 35mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins slightly upcurved, matt light yellow-green above when young, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 0.8m in 21 years. May. (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0025509))

(a) **'Friedhelm Scherrer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ambrosianum' × 'Coelestine' hybrid R: O. Stahnke, N: O. Stahnke, I: O. Stahnke (1972) Fls semi-double (with an average of 1 normal stamen/flower), strong red (53C) with some fls strong red (53D). Calyx normal, green. Midseason.. Indian

(r) **'Friedr. Ad. Haage'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C.J.H. Walther (pre 1861), N: C.J.H. Walther, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple violet, with red brown spots, marbled

(a) **'Friedrich August'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1852), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Friedrich Barbarossa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C. Schulz (pre 1865), N: C. Schulz, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Friedrich der Grosse'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (1866), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, brown-red, tinted violet. Indian

(r) **'Friedrich Deus'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Essex Scarlet' × *forrestii* Repens Group R: D.G. Hobbie, N: D.G. Hobbie (1960) Fls scarlet red

(a) **'Friedrich Dreisse'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: F. Schneider (1863), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Friedrich Scherrer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Gerhard Nicolai' R: E. Herrmann, N: E. Herrmann, I: E. Herrmann (1957), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, edged white; otherwise similar to parent. Indian

(a) **'Friedrich Schleiermacher'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C. Schulz (pre 1869), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Friedrich von Baden'** (See note under 'Frederick von Baden')

(a) **'Friedrich von Schiller'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C. Schulz (pre 1863), N: C. Schulz, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Friedrich Wöhler'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Gibraltar' × 'Cecile' R: C. Fleischmann, N: C. Fleischmann, I: C. Fleischmann (1970) Fls large, orange. Late

(a) **'Friendship'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kagetsu' × 'Copperman' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1965) Fls single, 70-75mm wide, with overlapping lobes, rose, with dots in the blotch area only a little darker and showing only as an intensification of the ground colour. Back Acres

(r) **'Friendship'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* (s) × 'Lady Decora' H: Scott Arboretum (1958), G: Scott Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister

(r) **'Friesland'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pink Pearl' hybrid R: L.J. Endtz & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale purplish rose. Large shrub

(a) **'Frigate'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1995)

(a) **'Frigid'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hinomayo' (s) × 'Kirin' R: Deerfield Nurseries (pre 1940), N: Deerfield Nurseries, I: Deerfield Nurseries (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, white. Early. Kurume

(r) **'Frigid Princess'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *dauricum* 'Arctic Pearl' (s) × white-flowered *mucronulatum* H: G.D. Lewis (1983), G: G.D. Lewis (1987), N: G.D. Lewis, I: G.D. Lewis (1994), REG: G.D. Lewis (1994) Fls 3-5/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 28 × 44mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, white, with slight spotting of light yellow-green (154D) on dorsal lobe; stamens 10, curved, equal. Pedicels 3mm long, light yellow-green (150D). Lvs elliptic, 70 × 29mm, flat to slightly wavy-edged, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (146A) above, with colourless/white scales above and below: semi-evergreen, retaining a few lvs at branch tips; petioles 8mm long, moderate yellow-green (146D). Shrub 1.1 × 0.8m in 11 years. Early April.

(r) **'Frill'** cv. Parentage unknown R: G.H. Johnstone (pre 1958), N: G.H. Johnstone, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Frill City'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ben Moseley' (s) × 'Francesca' H: A.W. Smith (pre 1989), G: D. Irish-Hosler (1999), N: D. Irish-Hosler (2000), REG: D. Irish-Hosler (2000) Fls 14/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes, inside moderate purplish pink (74D), edged light reddish purple (74C), with inconspicuous, ochre spotting on the dorsal lobe; outside vivid and light reddish purple (74B-C). Lvs elliptic, 120 × 65mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, margins downcurved, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in c12 years. Early June

(r) **'Frilled Cream'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' × pink Dexter hybrid (s) × unknown H: T.L. Ring (pre 1977), G: T.L. Ring Fls cream, with very wavy-edged margins. Shrub broader than tall.

(a) **'Frilled Orange'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.S. Yeates (pre 1985), N: J.S. Yeates

(r) **'Frilled Petticoats'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' × ('Pink Petticoats' × *wardii* var. *wardii*), selfed H: J.G. Lofthouse (1974), G: J.G. Lofthouse, N: J.G. Lofthouse, I: J.G. Lofthouse (1979), REG: J.G. Lofthouse (1981) Fls 16/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 75mm wide, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, pale greenish yellow (2D), outside slightly darker. Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 100-115 × 40-45mm, margins decurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above. Shrub 0.75 × 0.9m in 6 years. Early-mid May

(a) **'Frilled Red Line'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Red Line' R: M.E. Greentree (pre 1977), N: M.E. Greentree Fls double, white, speckled and thinly striated bright pink; lobes very wavy-edged. Syn: 'Red Line Frilled'. Indian

(r) **'Frilled White'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' × pink-flowered Dexter hybrid (s) × unknown H: T.L. Ring (pre 1992), G: T.L. Ring Fls white, with very wavy-edged lobes. Shrub taller than broad

(r) **'Frilled Yak'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* hybrid R: unknown (pre 1996) Fls light pink, with very wavy-edged lobes. Lvs longer and more pointed than most *yakushimanum* hybrids. Shrub 0.9m in 10 years.

(a) **'Frills'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, reddish orange. Knap Hill

(a) **'Frills'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: S. Barber (pre 1975) Fls double, with very wavy-edged lobes, red

(r) **'Frill Seeker'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: unknown (s) × 'Bob As' H: A.W. Smith (pre 1989), G: D. Irish-Hosler (1998), N: D. Irish-Hosler (2000), REG: D. Irish-Hosler (2000) Fls 19/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside moderate purplish pink (74D) at margins, shading to very pale purple (75D) at centre, with a spotted green blotch on the dorsal lobe; outside vivid reddish purple (74B) fading to light reddish purple (74C). Lvs elliptic, 115 × 50mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins downcurved, semi-glossy mid green above, with reddish brown hairs below. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in c12 years. Mid June

(a) **'Frilly Dilly'** cv. Deciduous azalea: seedling from *calendulaceum* S: W.G. & Mrs M.S. Beasley (pre 1985), N: W.G. & Mrs M.S. Beasley Fls 50mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, light yellowish pink (19B & 27A). Shrub 1.5m. Late June

(a) **'Frilly Lemon'** cv. Deciduous azalea: yellow seedling of unknown parentage × 'George Reynolds' × 'Klondyke' H: I. & R. Arneson (1975), G: I. & R. Arneson (1982), N: I. & R. Arneson, I: I. & R. Arneson, REG: I. & R. Arneson (1989) Fls double (occasionally on older plants some flowers with up to 4 stamens), 14-17/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 51 × 89mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, vivid yellow (13A), with a vivid yellow (15A) dorsal blotch. Calyx 6mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 64-102 × 32-41mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, slightly hairy. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 12 years. May.

(a) **'Frilly Petunia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Hazlewood Bros (1971) Fls semi-double, with wavy-edged lobes, rose. Indian

(r) **'Fringe'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ascot Brilliant' (s) × *campylocarpum* R: Sir James Horlick (1954), N: Sir James Horlick, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Fringe Benefits'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vinecrest' × 'Serendipity' (s) × 'Vinecrest' × 'Serendipity' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53D), strong pink (54C) and deep and moderate purplish pink (54B, D) in bud, opening light yellow-green (150D) with a brilliant yellow-green (154C) flare and brilliant greenish yellow (151D) dorsal spots; filaments pale yellow-green (157C); style deep yellowish pink (44D); anthers dark purplish pink (186C); stigma strong yellow-green (145A). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(a) **'Fringed Beauty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J.B. Gable, N: The Tingle Nursery, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, pink, fringed. Gable

(a) **'Fringe on Top'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *arborescens* R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls white, with finely serrated edges; scented. Late June

(a) **'Frisia'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Gebr Kersbergen (pre 1939), N: Gebr Kersbergen, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-pink. Midseason. Mollis

(a) **'Frits Hooftman'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: H.T. Hooftman, N: H.T. Hooftman, I: H.T. Hooftman (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light red. Kaempferi

(a) **'Frits Sander'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Sander & Sons (1913), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, strong red (53C). Calyx normal, green. Midseason. Syn: 'Fritz Sander'. Indian

(r) **'Fritz'** cv. Parentage unknown R: O.S. Pride (pre 1980), N: O.S. Pride

(a) **'Fritz Aichele'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Carolina Floral Nursery (pre 1985), N: Carolina Floral Nursery, I: Carolina Floral Nursery Fls hose-in-hose, 75-90mm wide, with frilled lobes, pure white. Compact habit

(a) **'Fritz Benary'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: J.J. Moser (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, dark carmine red. Ghent

(r) **'Fritz Henssler'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Lindsay Smith' (s) × *williamsianum* R: D.G. Hobbie (pre 1945), N: D.G. Hobbie, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 8-12/truss, bright rose

(a) **'Fritz Neumann'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C. Schulz (pre 1863), N: C. Schulz, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Fritz Quihou'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: F. Quihou (pre 1872), N: F. Quihou, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet throughout. Ghent

(a) **'Fritz Sander'** (Syn. of 'Frits Sander')

(a) **'Fritz Seidel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Firma Seidel (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white, with a few red stripes. Syn: 'Frank Seidel'. Indian

(a) **'Frivolity'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Bridal Veil' (s) × 'Azuma-no-hana' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, 65mm wide, white, with a yellow blotch and a few moderate red (180B) stripes. Shrub to 1.2m. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Frizzy Liz'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sefton' × 'Purple Splendour' (s) × 'Sefton' × 'Purple Splendour' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, deep red (187A, 185A) in bud, opening moderate purplish red (70A) and strong reddish purple (70B) with a white throat, white flare and with strong reddish purple (70B) and light greenish yellow (1C) dorsal spots; anthers white. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Frolic'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Helen Close' × 'Campfire' R: W.L. Guttormsen (c 1966), N: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1967) Fls 1-2/truss, hose-in-hose, up to 75mm wide, strong purplish red (7.5RP 5/12). Lvs 30 × 20mm. Compact shrub. Early May

(a) **'Frome'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: F.E.W. Hanger, G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society (1958), REG: Royal Horticultural Society (1961) Fls 12-14/domed, compact truss, funnel-shaped, 53 × 70mm, with wavy-edged margins, strong orange-yellow, overlaid reddish orange in throat. Lvs 115 × 50mm, dark glossy green. Shrub at least 1.2m. *AM 1958. Knap Hill

(r) **'Frondosum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *ponticum* L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1818), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Frontier'** (Syn. of 'Westdale')

(r) **'Frontier'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Letty Edwards' × 'Crest' H: J.A. Elliott (1966), G: J.A. Elliott (1972), I: J.A. Elliott (1975), REG: J.A. Elliott (1977) Fls up to 14/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 100mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, french rose (520/1) shading to barium yellow (503/2) in centre. Calyx minute, dark jasper red. Lvs oblong, 115 × 50mm, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.4m in 10 years; new growth with a rosy blush. Early May

(a) **'Frontier Gold'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Rothschild Supreme' seedling (s) × *austrinum* H: E.J. Aromi (1971), G: J. Giordano (1975), N: E.J. Aromi, I: Magnolia Nursery (pre 1985), REG: Magnolia Nursery (1996) Fls 15-21/ball truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, brilliant orange-yellow (23B), flushed vivid reddish orange (34A) and with a vivid orange-yellow blotch; strongly scented. Lvs narrowly obovate, 75 × 35mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (147B) and with discrete hairs below. Shrub 1.8 × 1.1m in 10 years. Late March. (First published in *Azaleas*, Galle (1985))

(a) **'Frostburg'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Desiree' × 'Rose Greeley' R: H.R. Yates, N: H.R. Yates, REG: H.R. Yates (1969) Fls hose-in-hose, 75mm wide, 10-lobed, yellowish white (155D), with a spotted flare of light yellow-green (145C); scented. Lvs oblanceolate, 55 × 25mm, dark green. Shrub of compact habit, 1.0 × 1.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Frosted Emerald'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *R.x nikomontanum* (s) × 'Van Nes Sensation' H: B. & M. Shapiro (1968), G: B. & M. Shapiro, N: B. & M. Shapiro, REG: B. & M. Shapiro (1993) Fls 16/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 70mm, with 5 wavy or very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63B) shading to white at tips in bud, opening white with vivid yellow (15A) spots on dorsal lobe and streaks of light purplish pink (62C) on midribs outside; moderately scented. Calyx 1-2mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 127-152 × 51mm, convex, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.4m in 25 years. Early May

(r) **'Frosted Ice'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' (s) × (?) *aberconwayi* G: Pukeiti Rhododendron Trust, N: G.F. Smith, I: Pukeiti Rhododendron Trust, REG: G.F. Smith (1984) Fls 15-16/truss, 30 × 50mm, funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, white, with faint red spots in dorsal throat. Calyx 2-4mm long, pink. Lvs elliptic, 50-65 × 20-30mm, strongly keeled; young lvs with thin, tan indumentum. Shrub 0.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Frosted Jade'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *yakushimanum* G: H.C. Gehnrich, S: H.C. Gehnrich (2001), N: H.C. Gehnrich, REG: H.C. Gehnrich (2001) Fls 10/domed truss, funnel-campanulate, 40 × 45mm, strong purplish pink (55B) in bud, opening inside pale purplish pink (55D) and outside light purplish pink (55C) - changing to nearly white throughout. Lvs elliptic, 90 × 35mm, margins flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, glossy and dark yellowish green (139A) above, heavily felted below (hairs pale greenish

yellow (2D) when young, ageing to brownish orange (165B)). Shrub 1.5 × 1.1m in 25 years. Mid May.

(a) **'Frosted Lavender'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Holmes Nurseries (pre 1960) Fls 75mm wide, white, striped light purple

(r) **'Frosted Opal'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: J.C. Cowles (c 1960), G: Heritage Plantation (pre 1970), N: R.H. Gustafson, REG: Sandwich Club (1998) Fls 11/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 90mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, deep to strong purplish pink (67C-D) in bud, opening inside light yellow (11B), edged pale purplish pink (62D); outside pale purplish pink (65C). Lvs elliptic, 140-165 × 50-70mm, flat, broadly acute to obtuse at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (137B) above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.9m in 10 years. Late May. Syn: 'Parking Lot'

(a) **'Frosted Orange'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Bunka' × 'Target' R: J. Harris, N: J. Harris, I: J. Harris (pre 1981) Fls single, 75mm wide, white, edged orange-red. Shrub 0.8 × 1.0m in 9 years

(r) **'Frosted Plum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (Exbury form) (s) × 'Frank Galsworthy' H: J. Barlup (1989), G: J. Barlup (1994), N: J. Barlup (1999), REG: J. Barlup (1999) Fls 19/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish red (71A) in bud, opening inside with a strong reddish purple (78B) picotee edge (c6mm wide), changing rapidly to a very pale purple (69C) centre and with a large, prominent, dorsal blotch of light olive (152A) spots; outside light purple (75B), with strong reddish purple (78B) margins and midribs. Lvs elliptic, 105 × 40mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, margins decurved, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, a light tomentum of light yellowish pink (159A) hairs on young growth, mature leaves only slightly hairy (hairs moderate orange-yellow (165C)). Shrub 1.1 × 0.9m in 9 years. Late May

(r) **'Frosthexe'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *anthopogon* × *lapponicum* H: W. Reich (1979), G: W. Reich (1984), N: W. Reich, I: W. Reich (1987), REG: W. Reich (1992) Fls 4-6/flat, lax truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 16 × 21mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes that are turned upwards, strong violet (86B, C), with a deep reddish purple (77A) base outside; stamens 10, unequal, straight; style moderate purplish red (58A). Calyx 1.5mm long, green. Pedicels 6-7mm long. Lvs elliptic/narrowly elliptic, 7-18 × 2-8mm, flat, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, dark green (135A), bullate, glossy green and densely scaly above, moderate yellow-green to light olive (146C, 152B) and scaly below; mature scales brownish; petioles 2-4mm long, scaly. Shrub 0.5 × 0.6m in 8 years. Mid-late April

(a) **'Frostii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Knight & Perry (pre 1849), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy pink. Indian

(a) **'Frost's Semi-double'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Listed in addition to 'Frostii')

(a) **'Frosty'** (Syn. of 'Robin Hill Frosty')

(a) **'Frosty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* hybrid (s) × 'Snow' R: USDA, N: USDA (1952), I: USDA (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 65mm wide, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, white; stamens 5 or more. (Derived from the work of G.E. Yerkes & R.L. Pryor)

(a) **'Frosty Elegance'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling of 'Apricot Blush' H: D.J. Dosser (1992), G: D.J. Dosser (1995), N: D.J. Dosser (1999), REG: D.J. Dosser (1999) Fls hose-in-hose, double, 2-3/open truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 5+5 lobes plus 5 petaloids, strong yellow-green (145A) in bud, opening pure white inside and out; unspotted. No normal calyx present. Lvs obovate, 45-55 × 20-22mm, obtuse at apex and base, margins decurved, semi-glossy above, with hairs below and around edges. Shrub 0.9 × 0.6m in 7 years. October (Tasmania). (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0021375))

(a) **'Frosty Lee'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Elsie Lee' × 'Robin Hill Frosty' H: H.R. Schroeder (1973), G: S. Schroeder (1978), N: S. Schroeder, I: S. Schroeder (1986), REG: S. Schroeder (1986) Fls single, broadly funnel-shaped, 38 × 51mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (55C), with rose spotting on lower part of dorsal lobe. Calyx 6mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 38 × 13mm, glossy, dark green above, hairy below. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 10 years. Mid April

(a) **'Frosty Morn'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* × 'Blaaw's Pink' H: H. Van de Ven, G: H. Van de Ven (1966), N: H. Van de Ven, I: H. Van de Ven (1971), REG: H. Van de Ven (1971) Fls hose-in-hose, very pale purple (69A), shading to very pale purple (69D), spotted on dorsal lobe. Shrub 0.6m

(r) **'Frosty Pink'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Achiever' × 'Gable's Pioneer' H: W.E. Delp (1972), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 5/terminal shoot, open funnel-shaped, 28 × 40mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (71C, D) in bud, opening to a blend of moderate purplish pink (74D), light purplish pink (73C) and very pale purple (73D); filaments and style very pale purple (73D); anthers pale yellow (162D); stigma moderate red (179B). Lvs 70 × 32mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, scaly. Shrub 1.8 × 1.75m in 20 years. Mid May. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Frotherianum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1851), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Frou Frou'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Bambi' × *arboreum* H: R. Cutten, G: R. Cutten, N: R. Cutten, I: R. Cutten, REG: R. Cutten (1982) Fls 22/truss, strong pink (50C), with darker stripes

(r) **'Frühauf'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a *caucasicum* hybrid R: Friedrich Albertzard (pre 1956), N: Friedrich Albertzard, I: Friedrich Albertzard, REG: Friedrich Albertzard (1961) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, ruby red. April. (Used for forcing when it will flower by Christmas)

(r) **'Frühlingsanfang'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Albert Schweitzer' (s) × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' R: J. Bruns Nursery (1968), N: W. Schmalscheidt (1986), I: J. Bruns Nursery (1987) Fls 9-14/compact, broadly rounded truss, 45-65mm wide, intense pink, paler in the centre, with fine, dark red markings. Broadly rounded, compact shrub to 1.0 × 1.5m

(r) **'Frühlingsanfang'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Essex Scarlet' × *forrestii* Repens Group R: D.G. Hobbie, I: J. Bruns (1971) Fls bright red

(r) **'Frühlingsbeginn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vernum' (s) × *R.* × *geraldii* H: H. Hachmann (1985), G: H. Hachmann (1991), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 18-20/compact truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45 × 57-60mm, with 5 very slightly wavy-edged lobes, intense rose at first, opening inside to light purplish pink (68D), veins moderate purplish pink (68C), fading into centre to very pale purple (73D) with edges and veins light/strong purplish pink (73C/B); outside strong purplish pink (68B), moderate purplish pink (68C) on midveins, fading to light purplish pink (73C); dorsal lobe with a conspicuous basal blotch and spotting of dark red (187A/B); stamens 10, filaments white, anthers moderate brown; style very pale purple (75D), stigma dark red/deep purplish red (187C/D). Calyx 1-2mm long, strong yellow-green (144C). Lvs elliptic, 100-140 × 35-45mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dark glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 1.6 × 1.6m in 10 years. Early-late April. (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030627). First published in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(r) **'Frühlingserwachen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kluis Triumph' (s) × *yakushimanum* H: W. Bruns (1964), G: J. Bruns Nursery, N: J. Bruns Nursery(1985), I: J. Bruns Nursery (1987), REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1999) Fls 8-14/rounded, compact truss, sometimes slightly doubled, open funnel-shaped, 33-40 × 45-70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light red in bud, opening inside light pink, outside dark pink; very faint red markings on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 1-2mm long, pale greenish. Lvs elliptic, 57-110 × 20-47mm, obtuse at apex and base, margins flat or slightly decurved, matt green above, with a pale brown indumentum when mature. Compact, broad, rounded shrub, 1.3 × 1.8m in 15 years. Early May. (Published in Schmalscheidt *Rhododendron- und Azaleenzüchtung in Deutschland*, Part II (1930-1988), 1989, plus colour illustration)

(r) **'Frühlingsglühen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Abendglut' (s) × *degronianum* subsp. *heptamerum* × *hirtipes* H: H. Hachmann (1986), G: H. Hachmann (1991), N: H. Hachmann (1995), I: H. Hachmann (1998), REG: G. Stück (1999) Fls 8-11/rather loose truss, funnel-campanulate, 55 × 65-73mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside strong red (53B) shading to strong red (53B/C), outside strong red (53B); unmarked; stamens 10, filaments strong red (53D) at base, the remainder white, anthers brownish orange/moderate orange-yellow (164A/B); style strong purplish red (54A) (- moderate purplish pink (54D)), stigma dark red (187A(-C)). Calyx 2-3mm long, strong red (53B) (- deep red (53A)), with silvery hairs. Lvs ovate, 70-110 × 33-40mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, margins decurved, slightly glossy above, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 1.3m in 10 years. Mid-late April. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1998-2000 (1998), plus colour photograph)

(r) **'Frühlingsgold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goldsworth Yellow' (s) × *yakushimanum* H: J. Bruns Nursery (1969), G: J. Bruns Nursery (1975), N: J. Bruns Nursery (1988), I: J. Bruns Nursery (1993), REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1996) Fls 9-16/rounded truss, funnel-shaped, 34-43 × 35-50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light yellow in bud, opening light yellow throughout, with faint brownish markings and a dark red basal blotch. Calyx 2-3mm long, greenish yellow. Lvs elliptic, 65-130 × 25-60mm, margins decurved, slightly glossy above, cuneate at base, apiculate at apex. Compact shrub, 1.1 × 1.8m in 27 years. May. (First published in Schmalscheidt, *Rhododendron- und Azaleen-Sorten* (1995))

(r) **'Frühlingsleuchten'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *degronianum* × un-named hybrid R: G.D. Böhlje (1939), N: W. Schmalscheidt (1987), I: G.D. Böhlje Nursery (1970) Fls 12-21/compact, rounded truss, 45-60mm wide, 5-6 lobed, inside pale pink with dark red spotting and a bright red basal blotch; outside intense pink. Dwarf, compact shrub. Late April-early May. (Originally grown as Seedling no. 21)

(r) **'Frühlingstag'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Essex Scarlet' × *forrestii* Repens Group R: D.G. Hobbie, I: J. Bruns (1963) Fls 4-5/truss, funnel-shaped, bright red. Shrub c1.0m

(r) **'Frühlingstraum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Essex Scarlet' × *forrestii* Repens Group R: D.G. Hobbie, I: J. Bruns (1963) Fls bright red. Syn: 'Spring Dream'

(r) **'Frühlingszauber'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Essex Scarlet' × *forrestii* Repens Group R: D.G. Hobbie, N: D.G. Hobbie, I: J. Bruns (1962), REG: J. Bruns (1969) Fls 5-7/lax, globular truss, campanulate, 45 × 50-55mm, near strong red (46A), with very slight, almost black spotting at base of dorsal lobe. Lvs broadly ovate, 75-90 × 30-40mm, dark dull green. Shrub c0.6 × 1.4m after trial at Wisley. *AM 1969 Syn: 'Spring Magic'

(r) **'Frundsberg'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* × 'Everestianum' R: T.J.R. Seidel (c 1896), N: T.J.R. Seidel (1904), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose,

tinged lilac on margin and with yellow spots. (Raised from seed sown in 1896)

(r) **'Frye Butt'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Dad's Killer' (s) × 'Purple Splendour' H: S. Mauritsen (1984), G: Kent Nursery (1988), N: J. Hyde, I: Kent Nursery, REG: S. Mauritsen (1990) Fls 14-16/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 57 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (74D) with a conspicuous dark red (187A) flare on dorsal lobe. Calyx c2mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 102 × 38mm, convex, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, with sparse, dark brown glands. Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in 6 years. Mid April-early May.

(r) **'F.S. Smith'** (Syn. of 'Florence Sarah Smith')

(a) **'Fuchsia'** (Syn. of 'Girard's Fuchsia')

(a) **'Fuchsia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Caroline Gable' × *stenopetalum* R: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, fuchsia purple (28/2). Midseason. Gable

(a) **'Fuchsia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Formosum' R: J.G. Thompson (pre 1987), N: J.G. Thompson Fls 65mm wide, deep purplish red, with a darker blotch. Midseason

(v) **'Fuchsia Lady'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: (*konori* var. *phaeopeplum* × *laetum*) × *zoelleri* × 'Hunstein's Secret' H: J.L. Rouse, G: G.L.S. Snell (1990), N: G.L.S. Snell, I: Vireya Venue (1990), REG: Vireya Venue (1991) Fls 5-7/truss, campanulate, 90 × 110mm, 5-7-lobed, tube pale yellowish pink (29D), lobes deep purplish pink (54B); scented. Lvs oblong, 170 × 75mm. Shrub 1.0m. Spring-autumn.

(a) **'Fuchu-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Fude-sute-san'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1920), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958). Kurume (Perhaps the same plant as 'Fude-sute-yama')

(a) **'Fude-sute-yama'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1918), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 20mm wide, light poppy red. Syn: 'Poppy'; Wilson no.35. Kurume

(a) **'Fude-tsuka'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Yokohama Nurseries (pre 1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, bright pink, pale creamy green at centre with chestnut spotting; anthers creamy green. Kurume

(a) **'Fude-tsukasa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, with a very large, and ragged calyx, clear rose pink, paling at centre. Kurume

(a) **'Fugen-no-tsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* L: Kyoma Yokata Nursery (1976) Fls 20-25mm wide, deep to moderate purplish red, with a lighter centre; style red

(a) **'Fuji'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1989), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, with rounded, wavy-edged lobes, white, with vivid purplish pink margins. Satsuki

(a) **'Fuji-asagao'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c50mm wide, wisteria purple. Lvs more elongated than 'Kon-asagao'. Late. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Fuji-asahi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1978), N: Japan Fls hose-in-hose, up to 40mm wide, ruffled, with strong purplish pink (10RP 5/12) edges. Kurume

(a) **'Fuji-bakama'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, wisteria purple. Lvs like 'Fuji-asagao'. Late. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Fuji-botan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, pinkish lilac and purplish lilac. Kurume (Creech (in the translation of Ito) implies this is an anemone-centred double)

(a) **'Fujigasane'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, some of the stamens more-or-less petaloid, protruding from centre, otherwise similar to 'Kofuji'. Satsuki

(a) **'Fuji-hime'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1989), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, with rounded, wavy-edged, overlapping lobes, white, with stripes and sectors of purplish pink. Satsuki

(r) **'Fuji-kaku-no-hatsu'** (Syn. of 'Fuju-kaku-no-matsu' ; also seen as 'Fuju-kama-no-matsu')

(a) **'Fuji-kirishima'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c30mm wide, deep wisteria purple. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Fuji-komachi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* L: Kyoma Yokata Nursery (1976) Fls 20-30mm wide, light purple (75B)

(a) **'Fuji-mana'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls vivid yellowish pink. Kurume

(a) **'Fuji-manyo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *stenopetalum* × *ripense* R: Japan (pre 1819), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls fully or only semi-double, rose purple (633/2), with or without green rudimentary leaves in centre of flower, and with darker veins. Syn: 'Murasaki-botan', 'Plenum', 'Purple Peony'

(a) **'Fujimori'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, with long, narrow lobes, vivid pink; stamens and pistil white. Shrub of low, spreading habit. Early. Satsuki

(a) **'Fuji-moyo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: close to *mucronatum* R: Japan, N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pinkish lavender. Kurume

(a) **'Fuji-murasaki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large. Satsuki (Listed as Satsuki in 1958 Register, but Lee (1965) & Galle (1987) list it as a Kurume)

(a) **'Fujimusume'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* L: Miyami-en Nursery (1976) Fls 20mm wide, light purplish pink to near white

(a) **'Fujinami'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kikoshi' × 'On-yo' L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, white, variously marked with red and light red. Still listed in 20th century (fls 65-75mm wide, with long, rounded lobes, white with flecks and sectors of dark purplish pink). Satsuki

(a) **'Fuji-nishiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* × *indicum* I: Hakoneyo Nursery, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 65-75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, white, with large and small, deep purple spotting. Also seen listed as "white, sometimes striped lavender". Satsuki

(a) **'Fuji-no-asahi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1920), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 25mm wide, white, flushed salmon pink on lobe tips. Kurume

(a) **'Fuji-no-koshi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Chugai Nursery Co. (pre 1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 75mm wide, 5-6-lobed, white, with violet purple markings; some with a white centre or white margins. Satsuki

(a) **'Fuji-no-mine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Kurume azalea × *indicum* I: K. Wada (pre 1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white (Wada cat.). Wada (Galle (1987) also describes a strong pink flower with leaves flecked and blotched yellow under this name (Satsuki))

(a) **'Fuji-no-usagi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan, N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, edged rose. Kurume

(a) **'Fuji-sarasa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, white, variously marked with red and light red; red, white and light red selfs also produced. Satsuki (See also note under 'Sarasa-shibori')

(a) **'Fuji-takane'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Tsuki-no-shimo' × 'Gyoko' L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c50mm wide, red, with red (almost persimmon orange) streaks; red and light red selfs also produced. Satsuki

(a) **'Fuji-zakura'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Chiyo-no-hikari' R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, with pointed lobes, white, usually with numerous, fine, pink stripes and some large stripes and flakes; some pink selfs. Satsuki

(r) **'Fuju-kaku-no-matsu'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *makinoi* I: Yokohama Nurseries (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls darker pink than usual. Lvs narrower, with more indumentum when young. (Also seen as 'Fuju-kama-no-matsu' and 'Fuji-kaku-no-hatsu'. Correct form of epithet requires confirmation)

(r) **'Fuju-kama-no-matsu'** (Syn. of 'Fuju-kaku-no-matsu; also seen as 'Fuji-kaku-no-hatsu')

(a) **'Fukashigi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958). Kurume

(a) **'Fukimo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: G. Arends (1985) Fls purple rose

(a) **'Fukizume-ryukyu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: T. Makino (1910), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light purple, with strap-like petaloid stamens

(a) **'Fukuhiko'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, vivid crimson-red; anthers the same colour. Calyx ragged. (Later descriptions of a plant imported to USA in 1970s indicate flowers purplish red to purplish pink, sometimes striped; perhaps another cultivar)

(a) **'Fukuju'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kyokko-nishiki' × 'Madame Moreux' R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 100-115mm wide, with 5-7 rounded, overlapping lobes, white, striped, sectored or selfs of deep yellowish pink, with a greenish blotch. Lvs large. Satsuki

(a) **'Fukuju'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1964), N: Japan Fls 100mm wide, light purplish pink. (Bred on Hirado Island, Japan)

(a) **'Fukuju'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1984), N: Japan Kurume

(a) **'Fukuju-jiai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Fukuju' (Satsuki) R: Japan (pre 1989), N: Japan Fls light reddish purple, with darker stripes or spotting; some selfs; some with white spotting to lobes which have paler edges. Large lvs. Satsuki

(a) **'Fuku-musume'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Chugai Nursery Co. (pre 1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65mm wide, with dark, wavy-edged lobes, white, variably marked: flakes of deep reddish purple from margin inwards or selfs of light purple. Satsuki

(a) **'Fuku-no-hana'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kozan' × 'Tamaori-hime' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65mm wide, with rounded lobes, white, with stripes and sectors of deep pink to red. Satsuki

(a) **'Fuku-rokuju'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Zyuroku' × 'Kin-kazan' I: Chugai Nursery Co. (pre 1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 75mm wide, dorsal lobes well-separated, two central lobes overlapping, white, with a few flakes of light pink; some with pink sectors. Satsuki

(a) **'Fuku-ryo'** cv. Semi-evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan, N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep violet on blush and white. Indian

(a) **'Fuku-suzume'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Fuji-nishiki' × 'Tamaori-hime' R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 40-50mm wide, white, with numerous red flakes; occasionally red, with a small white centre. Satsuki

(r) **'Fulbrook'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *grande* × unknown R: J.H. Mangles (pre 1906), N: Mrs V.I. Gordon, I: Mrs V.I. Gordon, REG: Mrs V.I. Gordon (1961) Fls 12-14/truss, campanulate, 50 × 30-45mm, 7-lobed, phlox pink (625/3), with slight maroon speckling on dorsal lobes and a maroon blotch in the throat. Lvs up to 200 × 80mm. Shrub to 7.0 × 5.0m. April. AM 1961

(r) **'Fulgarb'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fulgens* (s) × blood red *arboreum* R: E.J.P. Magor (1920), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c15/neat truss, bright rosy crimson. Lvs oblanceolate, 125-150mm long, glossy green above, more-or-less hairy below. AM 1937 (Fulgarb Group)

(r) **Fulgarb Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *fulgens* (s) × blood red *arboreum* R: E.J.P. Magor (1920), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1930), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Fulgens'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1840), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange and scarlet (Fraser, 1875). Ghent (Perhaps the same plant as 'Cupreum Fulgens' (listed by L. van Houtte, 1870))

(a) **'Fulgens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Knight & Perry (1843), N: Knight & Perry, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet red. Indian

(r) **'Fulgens'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as an *arboreum* form or hybrid L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Fulgens Grandiflorum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: W. Youell (1857), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Fulgens Magniflorum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: T. Jackson & Son (1851), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Fulgens Odoratum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1839), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Fulgens Superba'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1846), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Fulgetrum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (c 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark crimson. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Fulgidum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1839), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange scarlet. Ghent

(r) **'Fulgidum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Whitley & Osborn (1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Fulgidum Flore Pleno'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double or semi-double, bright red. (See *Revue Horticole*, 1868, p.292; presumably the same plant listed by F. Godwin (1859) as fls double, rose)

(a) **'Fulleri'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Füllhorn'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: Volker Group (s) × *R.* × *nikomontanum* R: H. Robenek (c 1974), N: H. Robenek Fls double, creamy yellow, with a brownish red basal blotch and small brown markings. Lvs dark, glossy green. Shrub very compact; original plant 0.5 × 0.8m by c1989

(r) **Full House Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* subsp. *cinnabarinum* Blandfordiiflorum Group (s) × *maddenii* R: G.H. Johnstone, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Full Measure'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* (s) × 'Michael Waterer' H: Scott Arboretum (1958), G: Scott Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister

(r) **'Full Moon'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Full Moon')

(r) **'Full Moon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Hawk Group (s) × 'Adriaan Koster' I: J. Henny (c 1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 11/ball truss, 90mm wide, canary yellow. Lvs 90 × 65mm. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years

(r) **'Full Spectrum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Bambi' (s) × *arboreum* subsp. *delavayi* H: N. Sullivan (1986), G: N. Sullivan (1996), N: N. Sullivan (1998), REG: N. Sullivan (1998) Fls 15/domed truss, campanulate, 45 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (54B) in bud, opening inside strong pink (54C), changing rapidly to pale yellow (11D) with pale purplish pink (56D) margins; outside similarly coloured. Calyx 30mm long, coloured as corolla with 5 strap-like, reflexed and twisted lobes. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 40mm, margins decurved, acute at apex, obtuse at base, matt green above, with an orange-red indumentum below ageing to moderate reddish brown (166B). Shrub 1.2 × 0.7m in 11 years. Early October (Tasmania)

(a) **'Fulvum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1839), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Fulvum Elegans'** cv. Parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1849), INC: ICRA (1958). Hardy azalea

(a) **'Fulvum Ochroleucum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1849), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon rose, with a golden yellow blotch (C. van Geert, 1877). Hardy azalea

(a) **'Fumiko'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from Aronense Group R: W. Arends (pre 1960) Fls strong purple (77B). Shrub of dense, compact habit. Syn: 'Geisha Purpurrosa' (Aronense Group)

(r) **'Fumosum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (c 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA

(1958) Fls dark purple, strongly marked with dark spots. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Funai-musume'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Ohita Prefecture, Japan (post 1957), N: Ohita Prefecture, Japan (c 1975) Fls 2-3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50mm wide, pink, with scarlet spots on dorsal lobes. Lvs elliptic, up to 70 × 15mm. Shrub up to 2.0m. Late April-early May

(r) **'Fundy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* (s) × *smirnowii* H: Miss L.M. Hancock (pre 1958), G: G.S. Swain (1962), I: D.L. Craig (1973), REG: D.L. Craig (1977) Fls 10/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 90mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, rose opal (022) in bud, opening with lobe edges neyron rose (623/3), paler in centre and with a dorsal blotch of olive brown and light flecking; scented. Calyx c3mm long, green. Lvs narrowly oblong to narrowly obovate, 150 × 50mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, mid green above, with a slight, white indumentum below. Shrub 2.56 × 2.56m in 18 years. Mid June. Syn: 'Evangeline'

(a) **'Funsui'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Furbelow'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' × *mucronatum* (s) × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 65-75mm wide, white, with a greenish blotch. Shrub to 1.5m. Mid-late May. Syn: 'Fiesta'. Glenn Dale (The description in the 1958 Register was a long-standing error (see *The Azalean* 13 (4):74-75 (1991)))

(a) **'Furie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Sander & Sons (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, orange. Indian

(a) **'Furka'** cv. Semi-evergreen azalea: *yedoense* × *kiusianum* H: H. Frei (c 1970), G: H. Frei (1975), N: Firma C. Esveld, I: Firma C. Esveld (1980), REG: Royal Boskoop Hort.Soc. (1990) Fls single, 5-6/truss, funnel-shaped, 10 × 10mm, 5-lobed, pinkish lilac. Lvs 10-20 × 10mm, hairless. Dwarf, with tiny flowers and leaves. May

(r) **'Furnivall's Boy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Furnivall's Daughter' (s) × 'Midnight' H: K. Van de Ven (1984), G: K. Van de Ven (1989), N: F.R. Waghorn, I: Olinda Nursery, REG: Olinda Nursery (1992) Fls 8-10/flat truss, short funnel-shaped, 35 × 120mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, inside moderate purplish pink (68C), with strong purplish pink lobes (68B, but fading) and a strong purplish red (61B) dorsal flare; outside deep purplish pink (68A). Lvs oblanceolate, 110 × 45mm, flat, matt green above, cuneate at base, acuminate at apex. Shrub 2.0 × 2.0m

(r) **'Furnivall's Daughter'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: considered to be a seedling from selfed 'Mrs Furnivall' R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 15/compact truss, 65 × 90mm, 5-lobed, fuchsine pink (627/3), veined 627/2, heavily spotted strawberry red on dorsal lobe. Lvs broadly ovate, 125-150 × 65mm, mid glossy green. *HC 1957, *AM 1958, *FCC 1961

(r) **'Furore'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *oreotrephes* (s) × *cinnabarinum* subsp. *xanthocodon* Concatenans Group H: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1949), G: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1957), N: E.G.W.W. Harrison, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls erect, in compact trusses, 40 × 50mm, pale mauve pink

(a) **'Fürst'** (Syn. of 'Prince Camille de Rohan')

(r) **'Fürst Bismarck'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Firma Seidel (1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet red, with dark spots

(a) **'Fürst Camille von Rohan'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1840), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light orange, tipped white, with a deep orange blotch (1958 Register); fls bright orange, spotted dark orange (C. Vuylsteke, 1875). Syn: 'Prince Camille von Rohan'. Ghent

(az) **'Fürstin Bariatinsky'** cv. Azaleodendron: Indian azalea × *edgeworthii* I: C. Schulz (1876), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls of perfect shape, often 5-lobed, white with purple-red and rose lines and specks; fairly broad green blotch on dorsal lobes

(a) **'Fürstin Baro Trysky'** cv. Evergreen azalea: derived from 'Bealii' R: unknown (pre 1855), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Perhaps a garbled version of 'Fürstin Bariatinsky' (but note date))

(a) **'Fürstin Helena von Waldeck'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Gebr Mardner (1854), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Furvum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (c 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very dark puce. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Fusa-dan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in dense clusters, hose-in-hose, red. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Fusa-kin-shide'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls without petals, but with many red stamens and some strap-like petaloids. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Fushimi-murasaki'** (Syn. of 'Tebotan')

(r) **'Fusilier'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *elliottii* (s) × *griersonianum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls campanulate, 75mm wide, brilliant red (719/3), faintly spotted all over with a darker colour. Young lvs with a brown indumentum. AM 1938, FCC 1942 (Fusilier Group)

(r) **Fusilier Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *elliottii* (s) × *griersonianum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1938), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Futaba-no-tsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1989), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink, with a red blotch. Early. Satsuki

(a) **'Futa-emi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with many (c13) narrow lobes (looking as if they are knotted together at centre). Lvs large. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Futae-murasaki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, c40mm wide, deep purple. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Futae-zuru'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1984). Satsuki (A modern cultivar said by Creech (in the translation of Ito) to be similar to 'Sode-magaki', q.v)

(a) **'Futami-aketono'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 40mm wide, deep rose pink. Kurume

(a) **'Futa-omote'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, either red or white selfs, or red with broad white stripes, on the same bush. Satsuki

(a) **'Futari-shizuka'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, borne in pairs, c40mm wide, light purple. Satsuki

(a) **'Futurity'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × 'Cho-juraku' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, single, hose-in-hose, 65mm wide, white, with strong to moderate purplish red (70A) stripes. Shrub to 1.0m. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Fuyu-no-seiza'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Fuzzy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *nakaharae* (s) × (probably) *oldhamii* G: Mrs J.W. Hill (1987), S: Mrs J.W. Hill, N: Mrs J.W. Hill, REG: Mrs J.W. Hill (1991) Fls single, 1-2/terminal bud, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 55mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong red (41B), with a strong red (47B) blotch and with a little spotting on adjacent lobes. Calyx 5mm long, green, hairy. Lvs elliptic, 20-30 × 10-15mm, flat, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate yellow-green (147B), with long, pale red hairs above (mainly at edges and on midrib), moderate yellow-green (147C) and with white hairs below (mainly on midrib); petioles 10mm long, white hairy. Shrub 0.15 × 1.5m in 20 years, of dense, creeping habit. Mid June. (Grown from seed of US National Arboretum, PI 325025, sown 1971)

(a) **'F.W. Moore'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte (pre 1884), N: L. van Houtte, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, bright rosy crimson.. Indian

(v) **'Fyrglo'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *christianae* × *laetum* H: D.B. Stanton, G: D.B. Stanton (1975), N: D.B. Stanton Fls tubular-campanulate, vivid yellow (14B), with vivid reddish orange (33A) lobes. Lvs ovate, 90 × 60mm. Shrub to 2.0m

(r) **'Gable's Best Purple'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J.B. Gable (pre 1972), N: G.G. Nearing ?

(r) **'Gable's Blackie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *brachycarpum* × *fortunei* or 'Essex Scarlet' R: J.B. Gable (pre 1946), I: J.B. Gable (pre 1972) Fls very dark red; scented (fruit salad fragrance). Midseason. Syn: 'Blackie' (The use of the later name 'Gable's Blackie' is accepted here to distinguish this from other uses of 'Blackie')

(r) **'Gable's Blue Jay'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: Blue Tit Group (ex Magor) × unknown H: J.B. Gable, G: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable (pre 1972) Fls blue. Early

(r) **'Gable's Early Bird'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* var. *chapmanii* × *mucronulatum* × *racemosum* H: J.B. Gable (pre 1972), G: J.B. Gable, N: P.A. Cox (c 1988) Fls lavender purple or pale lavender. Shrub 1.2-2.0m in 10 years. Midseason. Good heat tolerance. Syn: 'Early Bird'

(a) **'Gable's Flame'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* × *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* R: J.B. Gable, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 45mm wide, with very wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink (46D). Midseason. Syn: 'Gable's Scarlet'. Gable

(r) **'Gable's Flamingo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Altrier Group × Dechaem Group R: J.B. Gable (pre 1972) Fls 8/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 70 × 75mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, opening deep pink (52B) throughout, with middle of lobes streaked vivid red (52A) inside and out; stamens 5, vestigial. Calyx c2mm long, greenish rose, viscid, hairy. Lvs obovate, 145 × 40mm, flat, acute to broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, near moderate olive green (147A) with sparse, tiny white hairs above and sparse, tan hairs on midrib below. Shrub 0.6 × 0.8m in 11 years. Mid May. Syn: 'Flamingo'

(r) **'Gable's Pink No.1'** (Syn. of 'David Gable')

(r) **'Gable's Pink No.2'** (Syn. of 'Robert Allison')

(r) **'Gable's Pioneer'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *mucronulatum* × *racemosum* or F2 from this parentage H: J.B. Gable (pre 1946), G: J.B. Gable, N: Gable Study Group (USA) (1991), I: W. Baldsiefen (as 'Pioneer') (1967), REG: Gable Study Group (USA) (1991) Fls 25mm wide, pink, borne in leaf axils along the stems. Lvs elliptic, 51 × 30mm, flat, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy, moderate olive green (137A) above, moderate yellow-green (147B) below, with tiny, brown scales above and below; semi-deciduous. Mature shrub 2.4 × 1.8m. Late March-early April. Syn: 'Pioneer'

(r) **'Gable's Red Head'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Atrosanguineum' × *griersonianum* H: J.B. Gable, G:

J.B. Gable (pre 1972) Fls in a lax truss, bright crimson red (reddest of the Atrier Group). Midseason. Syn: 'Red Head', 'Redhead' (Atrier no. 10; the leaves are not indumented as in the Henny 'Red Head')

(r) **'Gable's Renaissance'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J.B. Gable (pre 1972)

(a) **'Gable's Scarlet'** (Syn. of 'Gable's Flame')

(r) **'Gable's Tom Thumb'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × 'Conoco-cheague' H: J.B. Gable, G: J.B. Gable (pre 1972) Fls 10-12/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, clear red, with a few, small, pale markings at the base. Lvs indented at midsection. Shrub 0.75m in 10 years, slow-growing. Syn: 'Tom Thumb'

(r) **'Gable's White Lily'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J.B. Gable (pre 1972)

(r) **'Gabriel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor H.C. Dresselhuys' (s) × *smirnowii* H: G.S. Swain (1958), G: Kentville Research Station, N: D.L. Craig, I: Kentville Research Station (1973), REG: D.L. Craig (1977) Fls up to 18/truss, 70mm wide, 5-lobed, with very wavy-edged margins, rhodamine pink (027/2), with olive brown dorsal flecks. Lvs 140 × 50mm, margins slightly decurved, acute at apex, cuneate at base, with a patchy white inudmentum below. Shrub 1.3m in 19 years. Early June

(a) **'Gabriel de Zalesski'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1880), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, white, with a pale sulphur blotch. Indian

(a) **'Gabriele'** (Syn. of 'Hachmann's Gabriele')

(r) **'Gabriele Liebig'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* × *ponticum* R: L.L. Liebig (pre 1863), N: L.L. Liebig, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, white, with a rose tinge and striking red-brown spots

(r) **'Gabrielle Colaço'** cv. Parentage unknown L: France (1903), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, white, with green and rust-coloured spots

(a) **'Gabrielle Hill'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Chinyeyi' (s) × 'W. Leith' H: T. Rokuyo (1961), G: Mrs J.W. Hill (1965), N: Mrs J.W. Hill, I: Mrs J.W. Hill (c 1975), REG: Mrs J.W. Hill (1984) Fls single, 2/truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (52B), with a small dorsal blotch of strong red (53B). Calyx 3mm long, pale green. Lvs elliptic, 25 × 13mm, hairy. Shrub 0.5m in 23 years, more-or-less semi-evergreen

(a) **'Gabrielle Petit'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Madame Petrick Superba' I: A. Haerens (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rose, with a narrow, white edge. Indian

(r) **'Gabriel Liebig'** R: Schulz (1890), N: Schulz, INC: ICRA (1958) (An error for 'Gabriele Liebig')

(a) **'Gaby Welvaert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Gloire de Claude Goyet' I: M. Welvaert (1978) Fls vivid red (44A); otherwise similar to parent.. Indian

(r) **'Gael'** (See 'The Gael')

(a) **'Gaeshi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls star-shaped, single, deep salmon pink, lobes appear to be striped with deeper shade; anthers white. Kurume

(a) **'Gaho'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, with wavy-edged lobes, white, with pink areas containing purple spots and marks. Satsuki

(a) **'Gaiety'** cv. Evergreen azalea: deep salmon-coloured *indicum* (s) × 'Hazel Dawson' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 1-3/truss, 50-75mm wide, rose pink (light purplish pink (73C)), with a conspicuous, rose red (vivid red (52A)), dorsal blotch. Lvs narrow, dark green. Shrub to 1.5m. Early May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Gaiety'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* × 'Ascot Brilliant' R: W.C. Slocock (pre 1950), N: W.C. Slocock, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep crimson, with darker rays

(a) **'Gaily'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: I.L. Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L. Amann Fls 55mm wide, with rounded, wavy-edged petals, white, with a light greenish yellow (1C) throat. Low, spreading shrub to 0.6m or more. Midseason

(r) **'Gala'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'C.I.S.' × an unnamed hybrid × 'Lem's Cameo' H: J.A. Elliott (1974), G: J.A. Elliott (1979), N: J.A. Elliott, I: J.A. Elliott (1983), REG: J.A. Elliott (1987) Fls up to 15/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 38 × 83mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, shading from neyron rose (623/1) at lobe edges to 623/3 in centre, with poppy red (16/1) spotting on dorsal lobe; outside 623/1. Calyx 6mm long, 623/1. Lvs elliptic, 102 × 51mm, flat, parsley green (00962) above, pod green (061/2) below, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years. Late April

(r) **'Galactic'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Avalanche Group × *lacteum* R: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, REG: E. de Rothschild (1964) Fls 22/tight, rounded truss, open campanulate, 75 × 90mm, 5-lobed, pale yellow-green (4D), with some light crimson spotting in the throat. Pedicels 50mm long, red-stained. Lvs 225 × 90mm, with wavy edges, with a light, plastered indumentum below. AM 1964, FCC 1970

(a) **'Galatea'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls strong salmon red, of paper-like texture. Indian

(r) **'Galatea'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R.T. Pince (pre 1868), N: R.T. Pince, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, deep rose, well spotted. (Lucombe, Pince & Co. cat., c1868)

(r) **'Galatea'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1930), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft lilac pink

(a) **'Galathea'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Mrs Carmichael' (s) × 'Alice' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 40mm wide, acajou red (greyish red (183D)), with a few spots on dorsal and adjoining lobes (spots slightly darker or lighter, not conspicuous). Shrub to 1.5m. Late April. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Galathea'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ledikanense' × 'Hexe' × an un-named seedling (no. 19/1) R: J. Matouš (c 1970), N: J. Matouš Fls hose-in-hose, 55-58mm wide, light pink, shaded carmine (0621+23/1). Lvs obovate, dull dark green (00962-00962/1). Low, compact shrub

(r) **'Galathea'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* (s) × *campylocarpum* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellowish rose. (Exminster Group)

(a) **'Galaxie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1985) Fls double, vivid red. Indian

(a) **'Galaxy'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Galaxy')

(a) **'Galaxy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' × 'Willy' (s) × 'Mrs Carmichael' × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65-75mm wide, white, usually with a little light phlox purple (light purple (81C)) sanding; rarely branch sports of phlox purple, with a white centre. Shrub to 1.5m. Mid-late May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Galbannum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy crimson, with a pale centre and white dashes. Hardy Hybrid (The 1958 Register listed M. Young as raiser but Waterers claim it as their own. They also spelt the name 'Galbanum' which may be the correct form)

(r) **'Galceador'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1924), N: H. Goude (1950), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1957), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac, with a gold eye

(r) **'Gallacci's Gold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage uncertain: perhaps 'Crest' × one of the Loderi Group cultivars H: C. Gallacci (c 1986), G: Freshwater Bay Nursery, N: M. & H. Stockman (2001), I: Freshwater Bay Nursery, REG: M. & H. Stockman (2001) Fls 9/domed truss, saucer-shaped, 75 × 100-125mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, close to pale yellow-green (4D) throughout, the dorsal lobe and throat flushed brilliant yellow (14C); dark red basal markings; moderately scented. Calyx 30-50mm long, lobes fused, coloured as corolla and tightly appressed to it. Lvs elliptic, 145 × 60mm, margins downcurved, broadly acute at apex, cordate at base, dull and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 1.7 × 2.6m in c15 years. Late May

(a) **'Gallant'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Bridal Veil' (s) × 'Azuma-no-hana' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65mm wide, creamy white, with a few, small, red flakes. Shrub to 1.2m. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Galleon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Stewart & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange

(a) **'Galle's Choice'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *calendulaceum* × *alabamense* H: F.C. Galle (1962), G: F.C. Galle (1970), N: F.C. Galle, REG: F.C. Galle (1986) Fls 4-7/truss, narrow tubular funnel-shaped, 25 × 45mm, with 5 wavy-edged, reflexed lobes, light yellow (11B), with a white throat, pink tips and a vivid yellow (16A) blotch; outside white. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs between oblanceolate and narrowly obovate, 85-95 × 35-40mm, strong yellow-green (143B) above, ciliate, hairy; yellowish in autumn. Shrub 3.0 × 3.0m in 15 years. Late May

(a) **'Gallipoli'** cv. Deciduous azalea: Hotspur Group × an un-named pink R: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep flesh pink in bud, flushed and striped rose crimson, opening strong yellowish pink, with an orange blotch. Syn: 'Gallipoli Red' ? Knap Hill

(a) **'Gallipoli Red'** (Syn. of 'Gallipoli' ?)

(az) **'Galloper Light'** cv. Azaleodendron: parentage unknown R: L. de Rothschild (pre 1927), N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1927), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10-12/loose truss, 40 × 50mm, rose pink in bud, opening deep salmon and changing to a creamy yellow on the tube and with a pink flush on the lobes; blotch chrome yellow; anthers apparently sterile. Calyx lobes 4-6mm long, pale green, ciliate. Lvs azalea-like, rugose above, variously described as deciduous or evergreen. Shrub to 2.2m. May. AM 1927

(a) **'Gamecock'** cv. Deciduous azalea: wild-collected, natural hybrid between *calendulaceum* and *periclymenoides* (as f. *polypetalum*) G: L.C. Towe & N. Anastos (1995), S: L.C. Towe & N. Anastos (1990), I: E. Koone III (2001), REG: L.C. Towe & N. Anastos (2001) Fls single, 5-9/lax truss, with the 5 wavy-edged lobes very deeply divided (cut to base), each 45xc15mm, vivid reddish orange (41A) in bud, opening inside vivid reddish orange (41A) with a strong orange (25A) blotch on dorsal lobe; outside moderate reddish orange (41C). Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs obovate, 45 × 25mm, margins flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (146A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in 10 years. Late April. (Original plant collected from near Lake Keowee, Pickens County, South Carolina, USA)

(a) **'Ganda'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling of unknown parentage R: K. Glaser (pre 1985), N: K. Glaser Fls double, few/truss, open funnel-shaped, deep yellowish pink (c47C) throughout, throat paler, with some strong purplish red (60B) spotting on dorsal lobe. Calyx normal. Lvs broadly elliptic, mid green above and below. Very early. Indian

(r) **'Gandalf's Flame'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fusilier Group × 'Britannia' H: P. Wiseman (c 1958), G: Waterer (Bagshot) (c 1968), N: D.E. Mayers (1989), I: Leonardslee Gardens Nurs. (1989), REG: D.E. Mayers (1989) Fls 8/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, 5-lobed, geranium lake (20), spotted. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 40mm, with a brown indumentum when young. Shrub 1.5m high. Late May-late June

(a) **Gandavense Group** gp Deciduous azalea: derived from most of the deciduous azalea species Fls characterized by rather long corolla tubes. Equivalent to the collective term "Ghent azaleas". Syn: *R.* × *gandavense* (Koch) Rehder (1921)

(r) **'Gandavense'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Byls (pre 1868), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls reddish lilac; spotted

(a) **Gandavense Plenum Group** gp Deciduous azalea: derived from most of the deciduous azalea species Syn: *R.* × *gandavense* var. *plenum* Rehder (1921) (Collective name for all the double-flowered Ghent azaleas)

(r) **'Gandy Dancer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Crest' × 'Lionel's Triumph' × 'Diane' H: H. Larson, I: C. Smith (pre 1988) Fls in large trusses, golden yellow. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(a) **'Gannet'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (c 1937), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, pale straw yellow, fading to white, suffused pale pink and with an orange blotch; lobes slightly frilled. Knap Hill

(r) **'Gantrant'** cv. Parentage unknown L: G. Morlet (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) (Published in *Horticulture Français*, 1854: 107-111)

(a) **'Ganymede'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Fielder's White' (s) × *kaempferi* R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-2/truss, 50-65mm wide, paler than rose pink (near light purplish pink (53C)). Shrub to 1.9m. Late April-early May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Ganymede'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple lake. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Gap'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Sweetheart Supreme' R: D.J. Cole (pre 1987), N: D.J. Cole Fls deep pink

(a) **'Garda Joy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J.B. Gable, N: W.O. Griswold, REG: W.O. Griswold (1968) Fls semi-double, 55mm wide, salmon coral. Lvs oblanceolate, up to 30mm long, turning bronze in autumn. Shrub 0.6 × 0.45m in 10 years. Late May-early June.

(a) **'Garden Beauty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C.B. van Nes & Sons, I: C.B. van Nes & Sons (1922), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light rose. Syn: 'Gartenschönheit'. Kaempferi

(r) **'Garden Glamour'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.L. Tolstead (1965), G: W.L. Tolstead, N: W.L. Tolstead, REG: W.L. Tolstead (1995) Fls 9/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 45mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink, with a dark reddish black blotch and a purple style. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 45mm, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 30 years. Late May. (Derived from *catawbiense*/*fortunei* crosses, perhaps with admixture of some other species)

(v) **'Gardenia'** (Syn. of 'Gardenia Odyssey')

(v) **'Gardenia Odyssey'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown N: L.A. Craven (1992), REG: L.A. Craven (1993) Fls 8-26/flat to globose truss, campanulate, 90 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds green, opening inside light yellow (14D) with pale orange-yellow (19D) lobes; outside light yellow (12C) at base of tube, moderate yellowish pink (31C) at top of tube; pleasantly scented. Lvs elliptic, 130-190 × 50-80mm, cuneate to obtuse at base, acute to obtuse at apex, scaly. Shrub 2.0 × 1.0m in 8 years. April-August (at least). Syn: 'Gardenia' (Introduced to Australia, via The Netherlands, pre 1988)

(a) **'Gardenia Superba'** (Probably a synonym of 'Gardenia Supreme')

(a) **'Gardenia Supreme'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Pericat, N: A. Pericat, I: A. Pericat (c 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, white with chartreuse throat and a violet red blotch. Pericat

(a) **'Gardenia White'** (Probably a synonym of 'Gardenia Supreme': it is reported to be a sport from 'Sweetheart Supreme')

(a) **'Gardeniiflorum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Etabl. Linden (1882), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, double, pure white. Indian

(a) **'Garden Party'** (Syn. of 'Weston's Garden Party')

(a) **'Garden Party'** (Syn. of 'Nuccio's Garden Party')

(a) **'Garden Rainbow'** cv. Deciduous azalea: Gandavense Group (un-named bicolor selection), open-pollinated G: Weston Nurseries (pre 1964), S: E.V. Mezitt (1964), N: R.W. Mezitt, I: Weston Nurseries (1989), REG: R.W. Mezitt (1999) Fls 9/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, outer flowers in truss strong pink (49A), inner flowers brilliant yellow (13C); each flower with a brilliant orange-yellow (23B) dorsal flare. Calyx c1.5mm long, green. Lvs obovate, 40 × 20mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairless; mildew-resistant. Shrub 0.9 × 0.75m in 7 years. Early June. Syn: 'Rainbow' (Originally published in Weston Nurseries cat., 1989 as 'Rainbow')

(a) **'Garden State Garnet'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: G.A. Reid (1966), G: G.A. Reid, N: G.A. Reid, I: G.A. Reid (1976), REG: G.A. Reid (1979)

Fls hose-in-hose, broadly funnel-shaped, 30 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes/whorl, china rose (024), with darker spots on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 30mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs oblanceolate, 40 × 15mm, glossy parsley green (00962/1). Shrub 0.75 × 1.0m in 6 years. Mid May. (Linwood azalea no.0-12)

(a) **'Garden State Glow'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Salmon Spray' (s) × 'Hino-crimson' H: G.A. Reid (1955), G: G.A. Reid (1959), I: C.W. Fischer (1962), REG: G.A. Reid (1976) Fls hose-in-hose (5+5-lobed), 3-4/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 25 × 30mm, lobes flat-edged, china rose (024/1), with none to very slight spotting on dorsal lobe. Calyx 25mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs obovate, 20 × 13mm, glossy green (0960), hairless. Shrub 0.65 × 0.6m in 4 years. Early May. (Linwood azalea no. E-26)

(a) **'Garden State Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Dawn' (s) × 'Hino-crimson' H: G.A. Reid (1955), G: G.A. Reid (1959), N: G.A. Reid, I: G.A. Reid (1964), REG: G.A. Reid (1976) Fls hose-in-hose (5+5-lobed), 3-4/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 25 × 30mm, lobes flat-edged, china rose (024/1), with uniform dark pink spotting on dorsal lobes. Calyx 25mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs obovate, 20 × 13mm, glossy green (0960), hairless. Shrub 0.5 × 0.45m in 4 years. Early May. (Linwood azalea no. E-30)

(a) **'Garden State Red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: un-named hybrid (no. L-21) (s) × 'Hexe' × 'Vervaeneanum' H: G.A. Reid (1960), G: G.A. Reid (1965), N: G.A. Reid, I: G.A. Reid (1972), REG: G.A. Reid (1976) Fls hose-in-hose (5+5-lobed), 3/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 30 × 55mm, lobes wavy-edged, solferino purple (26/1), with darker spots on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 30mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs narrowly obovate, 50 × 25mm, glossy green (000862), hairless. Shrub 0.4 × 0.6m in 6 years. Late May. (Linwood azalea no. N-3)

(a) **'Garden State Salmon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Koenig' (s) × 'Orange Cup' H: G.A. Reid (1953), G: G.A. Reid (1958), N: G.A. Reid, I: G.A. Reid (1964), REG: G.A. Reid (1976) Fls hose-in-hose (5+5-lobed), 3-4/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 45mm, lobes flat-edged, blood red (820/3) with darker spotting on dorsal lobes. Calyx 40mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs oblanceolate, 40 × 13mm, glossy green (00962), hairless. Shrub 0.5 × 0.4m in 4 years. Early May. Syn: 'G.S. Salmon' (Linwood azalea no. C-36; sometimes seen listed as 'G.S. Salmon')

(a) **'Garden State White'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Salmon Glow' (Rutherford) (s) × an un-named hybrid (A-3) H: G.A. Reid (1956), G: G.A. Reid (1961), N: G.A. Reid, I: G.A. Reid (1972), REG: G.A. Reid (1976) Fls hose-in-hose, with 5+5 wavy-edged lobes, 3/ball truss, 40 × 55mm, broadly funnel-shaped, white, with a light chartreuse blotch and spots on dorsal lobe. Calyx 40mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs narrowly obovate, 40 × 20mm, glossy green (00962), hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 1.0m in 4 years. Early-mid May. (Linwood azalea no. H-11)

(r) **'Gardis'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Gladys Rillstone' × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* H: E. de Rothschild (pre 1960), G: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1982), REG: E. de Rothschild (1982) Fls pale purplish pink (55D), with a maroon eye and moderate red (180A) spots

(r) **'Garel'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Barbier & Co. (1913), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink

(r) **'Gargantua'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *decorum* subsp. *diaprepes* R: J.B. Stevenson (1923), N: J.B. Stevenson, I: J.B. Stevenson (1953), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 125mm wide, with very wavy-edged lobes, white, with a green flush at base of tube; scented. Lvs obovate-oblanceolate, c200mm long. Larger in all its parts than the typical plant. AM 1953, FCC 1974 (A triploid (2n=39) raised from seed of Forrest 11958)

(a) **'Garibaldi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Delmotte (pre 1864), N: J. Delmotte, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy carmine, thickly spotted. Indian (J. Ivery or Smith sometimes given as raisers)

(a) **'Garibaldi'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Vuylsteke (1875), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine red, with a yellow blotch. Ghent

(r) **'Garibaldi'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1867), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon red, with a paler centre; J. Veitch (1867) listed it as blood colour

(a) **'Garland'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Knight & Perry (pre 1849), N: Knight & Perry, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Garnet'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Decora' hybrid R: C. Sander, N: C. Sander, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine red or carmine lake. Indian (Original seed from Holm Lea collection)

(r) **'Garnet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* (s) × 'Broughtonii' R: P.D. Williams, N: P.D. Williams, I: P.D. Williams (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear salmon pink

(v) **'Garnet'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Ne Plus Ultra' × 'Ruby' I: Sir George Holford (1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls broad trumpet-shaped, blood red. AM 1925

(r) **'Garnet Glow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Susy' (s) × 'Sefton' H: T.L. Ring, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, darkred (187A, B, C) and deep purplish red (187D) in bud, opening dark red (59A), deep purplish red (59B) and deep red (60A, 53A), with dark red (187A) dorsal spots; anthers white. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Garnet Royal'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' × 'Warai-gishi' × 'Pluto' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1965) Fls double, 30-35mm wide, with 16-20 lobes, pomegranate purple

shading to acajou red, paler at base. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 10 years. Back Acres

(r) **'Garnish'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' (s) × 'Unique' H: B.J. Ogdon (1986), G: B.J. Ogdon (1990), N: B.J. Ogdon (1998), REG: B.J. Ogdon (1998) Fls 13/loose ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 47 × 65mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, cream in bud, opening white (155A) inside and out, with a blotch of pepper-like, strong red (39A) spots on dorsal lobe; stigma yellow. Calyx 10mm long, white, with red markings. Lvs elliptic, 90 × 27mm, margins flat, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 0.95 × 0.98m in 10 years. Mid April

(a) **'Gartendirektor Bouché'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: O. Hartl (1891), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white. Indian (Also seen listed as 'Gartendirector Bouché')

(r) **'Gartendirektor Glocker'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Doncaster' (s) × *williamsianum* R: D.G. Hobbie (pre 1945), N: D.G. Hobbie, I: D.G. Hobbie (1966), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 8-12/truss, campanulate, 60-70mm wide, rose red, partly with deeper margins. Lvs broadly ovate, 40-60mm long, deep bronze when young. Shrub 0.7 × 0.9m in 10 years. (Sometimes seen in error as 'Director Glockmer')

(a) **'Gartendirektor Krause'** (Syn. of 'Hofgartendirektor Krause')

(r) **'Gartendirektor Rieger'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Adriaan Koster' × *williamsianum* R: D.G. Hobbie (c 1948), I: H. Robenek (1971) Fls 4-9/truss, campanulate, 70-100mm wide, cream, with deep purplish red spotting on dorsal lobe and tinged rose externally. Shrub up to 2.0m. Syn: 'Gartendirektor Walter Rieger'

(r) **'Gartendirektor Schmidt'** (Syn. of 'Gartendirektor von Schmidt')

(r) **'Gartendirektor von Schmidt'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alstroemerioides' hybrid R: J.B. Müller (1860s), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, fading to white, with brown spots. Syn: 'Bau- und Gartendirektor von Schmidt', 'Bau- und Gartendirektor Schmidt', 'Gartendirektor Schmidt'

(a) **'Gartendirektor Walter'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: G. van Noordt (pre 1896), N: G. van Noordt, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose lake, heavily blotched purple. Syn: 'Hofgartendirektor Walter'. Mollis

(r) **'Gartendirektor Walter Rieger'** (Syn. of 'Gartendirektor Rieger')

(r) **'Garteninspector Baumann'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C.J.H. Walther (pre 1861), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet, with red spots. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Garteninspector Bosse'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C.J.H. Walther (pre 1861), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet, spotted. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Garteninspector C. Ohrt'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: G. van Noordt (pre 1896), N: G. van Noordt, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, "white, with rose", with a bronze blotch. Rustica (Sometimes equated with 'Byron' but several sources list it separately)

(a) **'Garteninspector Heiss'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (1883), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls coral red. Indian

(r) **'Garteninspector Heiss'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alstroemerioides' hybrid R: J.B. Müller (pre 1870), N: J.B. Müller, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Garteninspector Kolb'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alstroemerioides' hybrid R: J.B. Müller (pre 1870), N: J.B. Müller, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark red, spotted brown

(r) **'Garteninspector Wagner'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alstroemerioides' hybrid R: J.B. Müller (pre 1870), N: J.B. Müller, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet, strongly spotted brown

(r) **'Garteninspektor Ortgies'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alstroemerioides' hybrid R: J.B. Müller (pre 1870), N: J.B. Müller, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, edged white, with carmine red spots

(a) **'Gartenschönheit'** (Syn. of 'Garden Beauty')

(a) **'Gärtner Cr. Crosse'** (Syn. of 'John T.D. Lewelyn Albus')

(a) **'Gartrell's Lower Rock'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) (Parent of 'Rain Dance')

(r) **'Gary'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group × 'Gable's Pioneer' H: W.M. Fetterhoff (1969), G: W.M. Fetterhoff (1974), I: W.M. Fetterhoff (1979), REG: W.M. Fetterhoff (1981) Fls 3-15/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45mm wide, with 5 flat to wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (62A) shaded to 62C at lobe edges, with a yellowish tan blotch at base of dorsal lobe and a wide patch of moderate red (185B) spotting (changing to brownish orange (171B)); outside with ribs vivid purplish red (66A). Calyx 3mm long, greenish cream. Lvs elliptic, 60 × 25mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and moderate yellow-green (147B) above, with closely spaced, golden brown scales below. Shrub 0.7 × 0.75m in 11 years. Early May

(r) **'Gary Ann Lewis'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: dark pink selection from *minus* Carolinianum Group (s) × dark pink selection from *mucronulatum* H: G.D. Lewis (1977), G: G.D. Lewis (1980), N: G.D. Lewis (1985), REG: G.D. Lewis (1996) Fls 3-5/bud (with 3-6 buds per shoot tip), forming a ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (72A) in bud, opening inside strong reddish purple (72B) fading to very light purple (75C) at centre, with moderate orange (167C) dorsal spotting;

outside strong reddish purple (72B) fading to strong reddish purple (72C) at base; stamens 10, straight, filaments white. Calyx less than 1.0mm long, brilliant yellow-green (149C). Lvs lanceolate, 85 × 35mm, flat, cuneate at base, acute at apex; semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (147B) below, with numerous scales below, fewer above (white at first, ageing to brown); petioles 15mm long. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 18 years. Mid April

(r) **'Gary Davis'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Viet Vet' (s) × 'Lanny Pride' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp (pre 1989), N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls strong red (53B, C). Medium-sized shrub

(r) **'Gary Gee'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *keiskei* 'Yaku Fairy' (s) × white-flowered *racemosum* H: G.D. Lewis (1992), G: G.D. Lewis (1995), N: G.D. Lewis (1999), REG: G.D. Lewis (1999) Fls 3-5/bud (with 1-3 buds together in a terminal inflorescence), open funnel-shaped, 30 × 40mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale yellow-green (4D) in bud, tipped with vivid purplish red (57C), opening white throughout, the lobes occasionally tipped inside with vivid purplish red (57C); stamens 10, white. Calyx insignificant, light yellow-green (145B). Pedicels 10mm long. Lvs elliptic, 30 × 15mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless; petioles 6mm long. Shrub 0.15 × 0.4m in 6 years. Late April

(r) **'Gary Herbert'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: derived from plants grown from Rock 18139, *vernicosum* aff. H: J.B. Gable (1953), G: C. Herbert (1960), N: C. Herbert, I: C. Herbert (1965), REG: C. Herbert (1976) Fls 7/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 75mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong yellowish pink (38A) in bud, opening 38A to light yellowish pink (38D), with faint 38A spotting; scented. Calyx minute, light green with purple lobe tips. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 75mm, glossy medium green, hairless; new shoots with showy burgundy bracts. Shrub 2.0 × 1.6m in 20 years. Early May

(r) **'Gary Huber'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mount Siga', open-pollinated (s) H: R.R. Huber (1967), G: R.R. Huber, N: R.R. & H. Huber, I: Deer Run Nursery (1985), REG: R.R. & H. Huber (1993) Fls 14/domed truss, 51 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish red (186B) for c13mm at margins, shading inwards to moderate purplish pink (186D) in the throat and with moderate purplish red (186A) spotting in the dorsal throat; outside moderate purplish red (186B); stamens 12, curved. Lvs elliptic, 121 × 57mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (148B) below, hairless; petioles 38mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 7 years. Mid May

(r) **'G.A. Sims'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1917), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 16/compact, globular truss, 50 × 60-70mm, broadly funnel-shaped, with wavy-edged lobes, near strong red (46A), flushed at margins with deep red (53A) and with very dark spots on lower lobes. Lvs 150-175 × 45-55mm. Shrub 1.4m. AM 1938, *AM 1972

(a) **'Gauche'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: Exbury Gardens Ltd (pre 1965), G: Exbury Gardens Ltd (pre 1980), N: E. de Rothschild, REG: Exbury Gardens Ltd (1996) Fls 10-12/rounded truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 45 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes and some petaloid stamens, strong purplish pink (67D), veined light greenish yellow (4C) in bud, opening inside very light purple (75C), shading to strong purplish pink (68B) on lobes; outside pale purplish pink (65D), shading to strong purplish pink (68B); dorsal lobe with a vivid yellow (15A) blotch; filaments blush pink; style white; faintly scented. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 103 × 45mm, margins flat, matt green above, pointed at base and apex, hairless. Shrub 3.0 × 2.5m in 30 years. May

(r) **'Gaul'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Shilsonii Group (s) × *elliottii* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c20/compact truss, narrowly funnel-shaped, 45 × 50mm, deep red. Calyx lobes very short, deep red. Lvs broadly ovate, dark green above, hairless. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. April-May. AM 1939 (Gaul Group)

(r) **Gaul Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Shilsonii Group (s) × *elliottii* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1939), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Gaul Mastodon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Shilsonii Group (s) × *elliottii* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rich deep red. (Gaul Group)

(r) **Gauntlettii Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* × *arboreum* R: V.N. Gauntlett & Co. (pre 1903), N: V.N. Gauntlett & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls more-or-less funnel-shaped, white to pink. (Sometimes seen incorrectly as Gauntletii Group)

(r) **'Gavotte'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *davidsonianum* (s) × *mollicomum* R: G.M. Adams-Acton, N: G.M. Adams-Acton, I: G.M. Adams-Acton (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink to mauve

(a) **'Gawain'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* (s) × 'Modèle' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 1-2/truss, 65-75mm wide, lavender, with a blotch of inverted u-shaped marks on the dorsal lobe. Lvs rather narrow, dull mid green, almost deciduous, with some autumn colour. Shrub to 1.5m. Early-mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Gay Arsen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Henrietta Sargent' H: F.A. Arsen (1969), G: F.A. Arsen (1972), I: F.A. Arsen (1974), REG: F.A. Arsen (1983) Fls 15/truss, 50 × 75mm, open funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, strong red (53D) in bud, opening

strong purplish pink (55B), fading to light purplish pink (55C), with a dorsal blotch of brilliant yellow-green (150A) spots; outside vivid purplish red (57C). Calyx 3mm long, red. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 120 × 40mm, moderate olive green (137B), with traces of indumentum below. Shrub c1.1m in 13 years. Late May

(r) **'Gayblade'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Azma Group × 'Mars' R: A.O. Wright (1956), I: A.R. Lindsley, Sr (1968), REG: A.R. Lindsley, Sr (1971) Fls 15-18/domed truss, gaudy pink. Compact shrub, 1.2m in 10 years. Late May

(r) **'Gay Day'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Epoch' (s) × 'Achiever' H: W.E. Delp (1985), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 6/terminal shoot, open funnel-shaped, 41 × 51mm, 5-lobed, moderate purplish pink (186D) to pale yellow-green (155A) in bud, opening very light to very pale purple (73C, D), with light greenish yellow (1C) dorsal spots; anthers moderate red (181C). Lvs 51 × 25mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, scaly. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m in 7 years. Mid May. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer (1992))

(a) **'Gay Divorcee'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Comtesse de Kerchove' (Indian) × 'Woman's Day' H: I.C. Nichols, G: I.C. Nichols (1980), N: I.C. Nichols, I: I.C. Nichols, REG: I.C. Nichols (1986) Fls double, 2-3/truss, funnel-shaped, 60 × 100mm, with frilled lobes and a twisted central cone of petals, pale yellowish pink (36D). Lvs elliptic, 75 × 20mm. Shrub 1.5m. Indian

(r) **'Gay Gordon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Beau Brummell Group (s) × *elliottii* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a full truss, waxy, shining, hunting coat red. May

(r) **'Gay Hostess'** cv. Parentage unknown H: R.J. Kersey (1961), G: Mrs H.A. Frederick, Jr (1968), I: Mrs H.A. Frederick, Jr (1975), REG: Mrs H.A. Frederick, Jr (1975) Fls 14/conical truss, funnel-shaped, 45 × 75mm, 7-lobed, slightly fragrant, strong purplish pink (68B), spotted strong yellow-green (144C). Calyx 7mm long, yellow-green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 150-165 × 50-65mm, moderate yellow-green (146D), hairless. Shrub 1.6 × 2.0m in 14 years. Early-mid May

(r) **'Gay Lady'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Cornubia Group (s) × *griffithianum* I: Lady Loder (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c15/globular truss, funnel-shaped, up to 50 × 95mm, deep rose. Lvs oblong-lanceolate, hairless. AM 1938

(r) **'Gaylen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' (s) × 'Lamplighter' H: M. Stockman (1983), G: M. & H. Stockman (1991), N: M. & H. Stockman, I: M. & H. Stockman (1992), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1992) Fls 16/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 44 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purple (82A) at margins, shading to white at centre of each lobe, with discrete brilliant violet spotting on dorsal lobe; outside vivid purple (82A) flushed deep purplish pink (73A) on midribs; stamens 11, curved, unequal, strong purplish red (71C); pistil twice as long as stamens; style strong purplish red (71C). Calyx 3mm long, magenta, edged cream. Pedicels 32mm long, green, tinged pink. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 121 × 35mm, convex, cuspidate at apex, cuneate at base, bullate and glossy dark green above, hairless; petioles 16mm long, brown. Shrub 0.8 × 0.7m in 8 years. Mid May

(r) **'Gayle Vincent'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Fawn' × 'Dot' H: D.W. James (pre 1953), G: A.A. Childers (pre 1961), N: A.A. Childers, I: Bovees Nursery, REG: A.A. & M. Childers (1988) Fls 18/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 64 × 89mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, light purple (84B) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (56C) tinged light purple (84C); orange spotting on dorsal lobe matures to green. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs narrowly oblong to narrowly elliptic, 178 × 64mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless and strong yellow-green (143B) above, moderate yellow-green (146D) below. Shrub 3.0 × 1.5m in 28 years, with highly scented fls. Early May

(a) **'Gay-Lussac'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Paillet (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls fire red, tinged orange. Ghent

(r) **'Gay Nineties'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Whitney, I: G. & Mrs A. Sather (pre 1980)

(a) **'Gay Paree'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Albert-Elisabeth' × 'Captain Blood' R: H. Kerrigan (pre 1977), N: H. Kerrigan Fls hose-in-hose, white, with dark red, wavy edges

(r) **'Gay Princess'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Atroflo', open-pollinated R: C. Herbert (1953), N: C. Herbert, I: C. Herbert (1967), REG: C. Herbert (1979) Fls up to 18/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 65-75mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (67C), with very pale purple (69A) edging; outside also very pale purple (69A); moderate yellow (163C) dorsal blotch together with green spotting in dorsal throat. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 190 × 45mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (146A) above, with a sparse brown indumentum below. Compact shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in 10 years. Early-mid May. Syn: 'Pink Princess' (Derived from seed collected by C. Herbert in 1953)

(r) **'Gay Song'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marion' × Radium Group H: G. Langdon, G: G. Langdon, N: G. Langdon, I: G. Langdon, REG: G. Langdon (1980) Fls 14/truss, strong purplish pink (55B), with darker spotting on the dorsal lobes

(r) **'Gay Wink'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *pubescens* × *keiskei* × *racemosum* × Blue Diamond Group H: W.F. Winkler (pre 1978) (Exact combination of parents unknown)

(a) **'Gazebo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Obtusum Group (s) × unknown (possibly *yedoense* var. *poukhanense*) H: W.L.

Tolstead (c 1975), G:, W.L. Tolstead (1980), N: W.L. Tolstead, I: Rhody Run Nursery, REG: W.L. Tolstead (1993) Fls 3/truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish purple (10P 5/10) with a darker blotch; stamens 5, curved. Calyx 6mm long, green. Pedicels 6mm long. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 25 × 6mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, with sparse hairs; petioles 6mm long, green, hairy. Shrub 0.9 × 0.4m in c18 years. Mid May

(r) **'Gazelle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: derived from *catawbiense* L: C. Noble (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with brown spots

(r) **'G.B. Simpson'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1896), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bluish purple, with a light centre

(a) **Géant** (See 'Le Géant')

(a) **'Géant des Batailles'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Verschaffelt (pre 1860), N: J. Verschaffelt, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Géant des Batailles'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark red (variously described as blood red or deep carmine). Ghent (Grown at Sunningdale, UK pre 1854)

(a) **'Géante'** (See 'La Géante')

(r) **'Gee Bee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from open-pollinated *arboreum* G: Mrs P. Gordon (1976), N: Mrs P. Gordon, I: Mrs P. Gordon, REG: Mrs P. Gordon (1988) Fls 12-14/truss, tubular-campanulate, 40 × 65mm, 5-lobed, rose opal (022) in bud, opening blush white with neyron rose (623/1) lobes and flushing of same colour on back of tube; rose colour gradually fades; dark maroon spotting inside dorsal corolla tube. Calyx 2mm long, red. Lvs oblong-lanceolate, 130-140 × 30-35mm, with a silvery indumentum on young lvs. Shrub 2.0 × 3.0m. August-September (New Zealand)

(a) **'Gee Gee'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls pink

(a) **'Gee Whiz'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Aviator' × 'Veteran' × 'Gyokushin' R: D. Hager (pre 1984), N: D. Hager Fls single, 75mm wide, flesh pink at base, with many, fine, light pink rays and a green throat. Lvs ovate, dark, glossy green. Shrub 0.6m

(r) **'Gee Whiz'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Princess Elizabeth' × 'Calsap' R: W.E. Delp (pre 1989)

(r) **'Geheimer Doktor Wittmack'** (Syn. of 'Professor Doktor Wittmack')

(a) **'Geheimrat Gneist'** (Syn. of 'Wirklicher Legationsrat Gneist')

(a) **'Geheimrath von Martins'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Firma S. Rinz (pre 1866), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Geheimrath von Regel'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Firma Seidel (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft rose, with a carmine blotch

(r) **'Geh. Reg. Rath Professor Doktor Wittmack'** (Syn. of 'Professor Doktor Wittmack')

(a) **'Geigetsu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1989), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Geisha'** (Syn. of 'Geisha, Too')

(a) **Geisha Group** (Syn. of Aronense Group)

(a) **'Geisha'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (pre 1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 30mm wide, hose-in-hose, with wavy-edged lobes, coral. Coolidge

(a) **'Geisha'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Miyagino' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 40-50mm wide, white, with a chartreuse blotch, flaked and striped livid purple (moderate purple 79D). Shrub to 1.9m. Mid April. Glenn Dale

(r) **Geisha Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pineapple' (s) × *dichroanthum* R: L. de Rothschild (1932), N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in loose trusses, cream. Low, spreading habit. May

(a) **'Geisha Dunkellachsrot'** (Syn. of 'Michiko')

(a) **'Geisha Dunkellila'** (Syn. of 'Haruko')

(a) **'Geisha Girl'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Camellia Lodge Nursery (1977) Fls single, bright cyclamen pink, with a white throat; some fls all pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Geisha Karmin'** (Syn. of 'Noriko')

(a) **'Geisha Karminrot'** (Syn. of 'Kazuko')

(a) **'Geisha Lachskarmin'** (Syn. of 'Kumiko')

(a) **'Geisha Lilarosa'** (Syn. of 'Hanako' & 'Takako')

(a) **'Geisha Orange'** (Syn. of 'Satschiko')

(a) **'Geisha Orangerot'** (Syn. of 'Satschiko')

(a) **'Geisha Purpurrosa'** (Syn. of 'Fumiko' and 'Hiroko')

(a) **'Geisha Rosa'** (Syn. of 'Momoko')

(a) **'Geisha, Too'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: I.L. Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L. Amann Fls single, 65mm wide, white, with slight, deep purplish pink (55A) stripes. Shrub to 1.0m. Early. Produces some solid colour sports. Syn: 'Geisha'

(a) **'Geisha Weiss'** (Syn. of 'Hisako')

(a) **'Gekka'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 75mm wide, with

overlapping lobes, white, with flakes of deep pink and flushes of light pink; occasional margined or solid colour sports. Satsuki

(a) **'Gekkeikan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Yata-no-kagami' × 'Shozui' R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan Fls 75-100mm wide, with 6 or more rounded, non-overlapping lobes, white, with occasional deep yellow pink stripes to pink selfs, also some with pale pink centres and wide margins of vivid yellowish pink. Late. Satsuki

(a) **'Gekko'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Haru-gasumi' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, with rounded, overlapping lobes, white, with numerous pink flakes; often also light to vivid purplish pink, with white centres. Satsuki

(a) **'Gekkokan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Gekko-no-kyoku'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Syowa' × 'Haru-no-umi' H: T. Kuwano (1951), G: T. Kuwano (1955), N: T. Kuwano, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, white to light pink (49C), with spots, flecks and occasional stripes of deep pink (47D). Lvs elliptic, 32-37 × 14-18mm. Midseason

(a) **'Gekkyuden'** (Syn. of 'Shirorizuki')

(a) **'Gem'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Ivery (c 1857), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon red, with a dorsal blotch. SCC 1865. Indian

(a) **'Gem'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Pericat, N: Perkins-DeWilde, I: Perkins-DeWilde (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 25 × 30-40mm, with wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (52C), with a darker blotch. Midseason. (Similar to 'Salmon Beauty' (Kurume))

(r) **'Gem'** (See 'The Gem')

(r) **Gem Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Halopeanum' (s) × *thomsonii* R: unknown (pre 1881), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 20 or more/domed truss, broadly campanulate, 50 × 75mm, rose pink, with a paler centre and a broad pattern of mustard-coloured marks. Calyx lobes flesh-coloured, fringed with glands. Lvs oblong, c160 × 45mm, dark green above, with inconspicuous brown hairs below

(a) **'Gembu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *scabrum* (s) × Kurume hybrid R: Japan, I: K. Wada ? (pre 1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blackish purple-red. Kurume

(a) **'Gemini'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Helen Close' × 'Purple Splendor' R: W.L. Guttormsen (pre 1966), N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1977) Fls 2/truss, semi-double, up to 65mm wide, strong purplish pink (2.5RP 6/10). Lvs 40 × 20mm. Shrub to 0.6m

(a) **'Gemini'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Cecile' × 'Gibraltar' R: C. Fleischmann, N: C. Fleischmann, I: C. Fleischmann (1970) Fls 65mm wide, vivid orange-yellow, with a yellow blotch. Mid to late season

(a) **'Gemma Belgica'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Société de Flore, Bruxelles (1838), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Gemmatum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet, with dark spots. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Gemme'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as an *arboreum* form or hybrid L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) (Probably the same plant listed by A. Leroy (1868) as 'Gemmi')

(r) **'Gemmiferum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1856), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow

(az) **'Gemmiferum'** cv. Azaleodendron: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c16/compact, hemispherical truss, funnel-shaped, 30-35 × 35mm, dark crimson in bud, opening rose heavily flushed crimson, un-marked. Calyx lobes 1.5-4.0mm long, fringed with hairs. Lvs obovate, c60 × 30mm, glossy above, downy below, evergreen. Shrub to 1.9m

(r) **'Gemmosum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark scarlet rose, with black spots. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Gempei'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red, with a much shorter, white, hose-in-hose like structure between calyx and corolla. Satsuki

(r) **'Gemstone'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Bauble Group × *wardii* H: E. de Rothschild, G: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1979), REG: E. de Rothschild (1980) Fls light greenish yellow (3C)

(a) **'Gena Mae'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Homebush' × 'Cecile' H: F. Clement, G: J. & G. Kowalsky, N: G. Kowalsky, I: Briggs Nursery, REG: Briggs Nursery (1991) Fls double (with no normal stamens), 20-25/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 44 × 64mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, light greenish yellow (4C), with vivid reddish orange (43A) tips and a strong orange (25B) centre. Calyx c5mm long, strong yellow-green (145A). Pedicels 22mm long, 145A. Lvs obovate, 57 × 32mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green and bullate above, sparsely hairy; petioles 3mm long, hairy, strong yellow-green (145A). Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 10 years. Early May-early June

(r) **'Gene'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *scabrifolium* var. *spiciferum* (s) × *ciliatum* R: University of Washington Arboretum, N: B.O. Mulligan, REG: B.O. Mulligan (1962) Fls in nearly spherical trusses, funnel-shaped, 30mm long, cyclamen purple (30/3), deepening to 30/2 and 30/1 at tip of lobes. Lvs up to

55mm long. Shrub 0.6 × 1.0m in 10 years. Late March-early April

(a) **'Gene Miller'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid R: W.D. Smith (pre 1982), N: W.D. Smith Fls hose-in-hose, 65mm wide, jasper red. (For information on parentage see *The Azalean* 4 (1):1 (1982))

(a) **'Generaal Vetter'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *japonicum* × *molle* subsp. *molle* I: M. Koster & Sons (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 65mm wide, strong orange-yellow to strong yellowish pink, with a purple blotch. Mollis (Sometimes listed as 'General Vetter')

(r) **'General Anthony Wayne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scintillation' (s) × Atrier Group H: C. Herbert (1964), G: C. Herbert (1975), N: C. Herbert, I: C. Herbert (1975), REG: C. Herbert (1975) Fls 15-17/ball to conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 75 × 100mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, buds darker than open fls which are strong purplishpink (55B) with a hint of glowingorange, throat brilliant yellow-green (154B) shading to 55B towards lobes, spotted chartreuse green on two dorsal lobes; scented. Calyx 7mm long, pale green. Lvs elliptic, 175 × 75mm, glossy, medium green, hairless. Shrub 1.9 × 1.9m in 10 years. Mid May

(a) **'General Benjamin Lincoln'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Sweetheart Supreme' R: D.J. Cole (pre 1987), N: D.J. Cole Fls hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, light pink. Lvs light green. Mid April

(r) **'Général Bourbacki'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Backès (1861), INC: ICRA (1958) (Exhibited at Metz in 1861)

(r) **'General Braxton Bragg'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Butterhorn' (s) × 'Mi Amor' H: L.W. Charvet (1987), G: L.W. Charvet, N: Descanso Nursery (2002), I: Descanso Nursery (2003), REG: C. Love (2002) Fls 7/lax truss, funnel-campanulate, 95 × 115mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, brilliant yellow-green (154C) in bud, opening inside light greenish yellow (4C) at margins, shading inwards through light yellow (17D) to vivid yellow (17B) in throat; outside pale yellow-green (4D) at margins, shading into light greenish yellow (4C) at base, with faint lines of light orange-yellow (24C) on midribs; unmarked. Calyx 20mm long, vivid yellow-green (154A). Lvs elliptic, 140 × 65mm, margins downcurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, with widely scattered scales below, more numerous on midribs and veins. Shrub 1.6 × 1.2m in 15 years. Mid April.

(r) **'Général Bréa'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Byls (pre 1868), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Général Brialmont'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *japonicum* (s) × Ghent azalea I: C. Vuylsteke (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose violet, with a yellow blotch. Mollis (Sometimes listed as a Ghent)

(a) **'General Bridges'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls double, purplish pink. Indian

(r) **'General Cabrera'** cv. Parentage unknown I: J. Standish (1857), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine or crimson, with a blotch of dark spots. Hardy Hybrid (Probably raised by J. Standish)

(r) **'General Canrobert'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet, with clusters of dark spots. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'General Cavendish'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Monsieur Thiers' (s) × *griffithianum* hybrid R: C.B. Van Nes & Sons, N: C.B. Van Nes & Sons, I: C.B. Van Nes & Sons (pre 1922), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 13/hemispherical truss, campanulate, 70 × 80-95mm, rose pink, with a few crimson brown spots, shaded scarlet outside. Calyx lobes 3-5mm long. Lvs broadly elliptic, up to 160 × 65mm, dark green above

(a) **'Général Chassé'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1849), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vivid red, with a slight orange blotch. Ghent (Sometimes incorrectly listed as 'General Chassa')

(a) **'General Choizy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Sweetheart Supreme' R: D.J. Cole (pre 1987), N: D.J. Cole Fls hose-in-hose, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, pink. Late April

(r) **'General D. Eisenhower'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: A. Kluis, N: A. Kluis, I: A. Kluis (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large trusses, deep carmine (strong purplish red (63A)). Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. (Often seen just as 'General Eisenhower')

(r) **'Général de Rochebout'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Nomblot-Bruneau (1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, lilac rose

(a) **'Général Drouot'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear orange (e. g. Boskoop, 1896); rosy white with yellow blotch (e. g. T. J. Seidel, 1894). Ghent (Sometimes seen in error as 'General Druot', 'General Drouet' or 'General Drouôt')

(r) **'General Eisenhower'** (Syn. of 'General D. Eisenhower')

(r) **'General Eric Harrison'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × Shilsonii Group R: Hydon Nurseries, N: Hydon Nurseries, REG: Hydon Nurseries (1972) Fls vivid red (52A), with slight darker spotting

(a) **'General George Washington'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Sweetheart Supreme' R: D.J. Cole (pre 1987), N: D.J. Cole Fls hose-in-hose, purplish pink. Late April

(a) **'Général Goffinet'** cv. Deciduous azalea: Ghent azalea × Mollis azalea I: C. Vuylsteke (1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale purplish pink, with a yellow blotch. (Has been listed as a Ghent and as a Mollis)

(r) **'General Graham'** cv. Parentage unknown R: I. Davies (pre 1884), N: I. Davies, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c15/hemispherical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 60mm, scarlet or rosy crimson, with a narrow ray of scattered black marks. Lvs oblong-elliptic, up to 135 × 45mm, dull, dark green above

(r) **'General Grant'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: S.B. Parsons (pre 1875), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls magenta (3.5 RP 5/13), with a few deep purplish red markings (10 RP 2.5/10); stigma more-or-less black.

(a) **'General Hartmann'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (1876), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rose, with a big, dark rose blotch. Indian

(a) **'General Henry Knox'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Hino-crimson' R: D.J. Cole (pre 1987), N: D.J. Cole Fls hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, light red. Mid May

(r) **'General Hood'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958). Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Generalissimo'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright lake (Standish); rosy crimson, spotted (Rollisson, 1877). Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'General James Clinton'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Sweetheart Supreme' R: D.J. Cole (pre 1987), N: D.J. Cole Fls hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, purplish pink. Mid April

(a) **'Général Joubert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Petrick (1900), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, lively coral red. Indian

(a) **'General Larsen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Kerisnel (1991) Fls orange. Shrub c1.0m, with narrow leaves. April-May

(a) **'General MacArthur'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, cerise violet.

(r) **'General MacArthur'** cv. Probably derived from 'America' and 'Kettledrum' R: W.E. Stokes (pre 1969), N: W.E. Stokes Fls red

(a) **'General Mad Anthony Wayne'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Sweetheart Supreme' R: D.J. Cole (pre 1987), N: D.J. Cole Fls hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, yellowish pink, with a darker blotch. Mid April

(r) **'Général Merjay'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Linden (pre 1874), N: J. Linden, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet

(r) **'General Napier'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campanulatum* hybrid R: unknown

(a) **'General Outram'** (See note under 'Sir J. Outram')

(a) **'General Peter Muhlenberg'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Sweetheart Supreme' R: D.J. Cole (pre 1987), N: D.J. Cole Fls40mm wide, purplish pink. Mid April

(a) **'General Postmeister Stephan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: possibly a sport from 'Le Flambeau' I: Schulz (1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hazy fire-coloured amaranth, with black spots; bud reddish. Indian

(r) **'General Practitioner'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* hybrid, selfed H: Waterer (Bagshot) (1963), G: Waterer (Bagshot) (1970), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975) Fls opening pale pink, fading to light yellow-green (150D). Lvs 50 × 30mm, with a brownish indumentum. Compact shrub. May

(r) **General Sir John du Cane Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c9/lax truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 75 × 95mm, 5-7-lobed, rose madder (23/2) shading to 23/3 in tube; dark crimson flash above ovary; sweetly scented. Calyx up to 7mm long, glaucous green, ciliate. Lvs oblong-obovate, up to 135 × 65mm, matt green above, glaucous below. Tall shrub. May-June

(a) **'General Tottleben'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: de Witte (1861), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, red-orange. Indian (Sometimes seen as 'General Totleben'; may have been raised by A. Verschaffelt)

(a) **'Général Trauff'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. van Geert (1875), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, light violet rose, with paler lines and with a yellow flare edged white. Late. Ghent

(a) **'General Vetter'** (Syn. of 'Generaal Vetter')

(a) **'General von Molke'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Costantini (1886), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, bright blood red. Indian

(a) **'General von Obernitz'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Schulz (pre 1878), N: Schulz, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red, with a lilac tint and white edges. Indian

(r) **'General von Spitzemberg'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alstroemerioides' hybrid R: J.B. Müller (pre 1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls chamois, with dark purple spots

(r) **'General von Valois'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alstroemerioides' hybrid R: J.B. Müller (pre 1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple, with black spots

(a) **'General von Werder'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (1874), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, cherry red, with purple tinges. Indian

(a) **'General Wavell'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Glory of Numazu' × *indicum* I: C. Ingram (c 1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls solitary, 80mm wide, bright shade of camellia rose (622/1), suffused in centre of each lobe with porcelain rose (620) and 'central' (? dorsal) three lobes marked with a few crimson spots. Both the short pedicels and the calyx are ciliate. Low-growing. Late. AM 1959, FCC 1961

(a) **'General Williams'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Verschaffelt (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red. Indian

(r) **'General Wilson'** cv. Parentage unknown I: J. Standish (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright lake, copiously spotted over half of flower. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Gene's Favourite'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Jalisco Group × Albatross Group G: W.S. Reuthe (1960), S: E.W. Reuthe (1960), N: E.W. Reuthe, I: G. Reuthe Ltd (1965), REG: G. Reuthe Ltd (1985) Fls 15/truss, 75 × 50mm, 5-lobed, deep pink (50B) and pale orange-yellow (24D), with a blotch of deep red (185A) and a rose-like scent. Calyx 5mm long, light yellow (160B) and moderate yellowish pink (179D). Lvs elliptic, 140-155 × 45-50mm, hairless

(r) **'Gene Splash'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Wizard' (s) × 'Whisper Soft' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls strong red (53B, C, D) in bud, opening pale yellow (11D) edged strong purplish red (54A), deep purplish pink (54B) and strong pink (54C), with a light yellow-green (154D) flare and dark greenish yellow (152D) dorsal spots; filaments and style pale purplish pink (56D); anthers moderate orange-yellow (164C); stigma strong yellow-green (144B). Calyx strong pink (54C) and pale yellow (11D). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Gene's Valentine'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Cornubia Group (s) × *haematodes* subsp. *chaetomallum* H: C.H. Phetteplace (1969), G: E. Cockeram, N: E. Cockeram (1975), I: Rhododendron Plus, REG: E. Cockeram & E.G. Hall (2000) Fls 8-11/lax truss, funnel-campanulate, 50 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (46A) in bud at base, shading to dark red (187B) at apex, opening strong red (46A) throughout, with scattered, deep purplish red (59B) spots on the three dorsal lobes. Calyx 20mm long, strong red (53B). Lvs elliptic, 130 × 55mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, margins slightly decurved, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub of dense, rounded habit, 2.4 × 2.7m in 30 years. Mid February-March

(a) **'Geneva'** cv. Evergreen azalea: an un-named, scarlet seedling (s) × *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* H: J.B. Gable, I: P.E. Girard (c 1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, shrimp pink

(r) **'Geneva'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Unknown Warrior' × Fabia Group H: J.G. Bacher (pre 1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls campanulate, 75mm wide, camellia rose (622) at edges, shading through 622/1, 622/2 and 622/3 towards the centre, inconspicuously spotted majolica yellow (19/1) on dorsal lobe

(r) **'Genevie'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Stokes (pre 1969), N: W.E. Stokes

(r) **'Genevieve Schmidt'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'America' (s) × *yakushimanum* H: W.E. Delp (1973), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 12/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 38 × 51mm, 5-lobed, strong red (53B, C, D) in bud, opening to a blend of strong red (53D), moderate pink (51D), strong purplish pink (55B, 63C) and pale pink (49D), with strong red (53C) dorsal spots; anthers white. Lvs 127 × 54mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 19 years. Early June. Syn: 'Gen Schmidt' (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer (1986))

(r) **'Genghis Khan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' × Felis Group R: L.E. Brandt (pre 1966), N: L.E. Brandt, REG: L.E. Brandt (1968) Fls up to 15/full, well-rounded truss, 50 × 75mm, vivid red (45A). Calyx c20-25mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs 125 × 40mm, dark green above, with a silver, plastered indumentum below. Shrub 1.5 × 1.9m in 9 years. Syn: 'Ghengis Khan'

(a) **'Genie'** (Syn. of 'Genie Magic')

(a) **'Genie Magic'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Rose Greeley' × 'Ward's Ruby' (s) × 'Kirin' H: W.L. Guttormsen (1967), G: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen (1973), REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1979) Fls hose-in-hose, 1-3/truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes/whorl, deep yellowish pink (47C). Calyx 25mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and strong yellow-green (144A) above. Shrub 0.45 × 0.5m in 7 years. Late April. Syn: 'Genie'

(a) **'Genio Mortieri'** (Syn. of 'Mortieri Genio')

(a) **'Genji'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, light red, with red streaks and white edges; red selfs also occasionally produced. Satsuki

(a) **'Genji-guruma'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white, with a red border and spots. Satsuki

(a) **'Genji-koshimino'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale red, streaked red, with white margins and strap-like segments between calyx and corolla. Satsuki

(a) **'Genji-magaki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-

in-hose, light red, with red streaks and white margins; red selfs also produced; flowers again in autumn. Satsuki

(a) **'Genji-miyoshi'** (Syn. of 'Asagasumi')

(a) **'Genji-shibori'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, light red, heavily marked red, with white margins. Satsuki

(a) **'Genjo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c40mm wide, light red, with a persimmon orange cast. Tsutsuji

(r) **'Genouilly'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Croux (pre 1984), N: Croux Fls in rounded trusses, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, deep red; stamens and style white. Early

(r) **'Genoveva'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel (c 1897), N: T.J.R. Seidel (1905), I: T.J.R. Seidel (1918), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white, tinged lilac, with green-yellow spots. (Raised from seed sown in 1897)

(r) **'Gen Schmidt'** (Syn. of 'Genevieve Schmidt')

(r) **'Genseric'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark claret, finely spotted. Syn: 'Lucy Neal'. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Gentain Blue Diamond'** (Syn. of 'Diamant Enzianblau')

(a) **'Gentile'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1851), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as "Calendulacea Gentilis")

(r) **'Gentle Giant'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Point Defiance' (s) × 'Platinum Pearl' H: D. Sanders (1985), G: M. Sanders (1992), N: M. Sanders, I: Sanders Nursery(1995), REG: M.Sanders(1995) Fls 16-19/tall, conical truss, 75 × 125mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63B) with a greyed purple flare in the dorsal throat (mainly of solid colour, with a few spots at upper edge). Calyx minute. Pedicels 55mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly obovate/oblanceolate, 178-203 × 70mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, dull green above, hairless; petioles 20mm long, green. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 9 years. Early May

(v) **'Gentle Jenny'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *macgregoriae* × *zoelleri* × *jasminiflorum* R: unknown, N: R. Macdonald, I: Foothills Nursery (1990), REG: Foothills Nursery (1991) Fls 6-8/truss, long tubular funnel-shaped, 60 × 30mm, 5-lobed, tube pale yellow (158B), lobes light yellowish pink (36C). Lvs elliptic, 60 × 30mm. Shrub 1.2m. Spring-autumn (Australia)

(a) **'Genus Mortieri'** (Syn. of 'Mortieri Genio')

(r) **'Geoffrey Hall'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: G. Hall (1959), G: G. Hall, N: G. Hall (1988), REG: G. Hall (1988) Fls c12/truss, funnel-shaped, 45 × 90mm, 6-7-lobed, strong purple (83D) with a white tube in bud, opening strong purple (82C-D), paler below and on veins; lobes inside 82D, paling to white in tube; small black crimson blotch at base of dorsal lobes and a ray of light purple (78C) dots. Calyx 1mm long, reddish. Lvs elliptic, 130-170 × 60-90mm, obtuse at apex, slightly cordate at base, hairless. Early May

(r) **'Geoffrey Henslow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: derived from a *griffithianum* hybrid R: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1931), N: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright crimson

(r) **'Geoffrey Judson'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *edgeworthii* × *johnstoneanum* R: Judson, N: Judson, I: Judson, REG: Judson (1973) Fls creamy white, with a yellow blotch in the throat

(r) **'Geoffrey Millais'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: O. Schulz (1890), I: J.H. van Nes (c 1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c14/conical truss, campanulate, 60 × 100mm, pink in bud, opening white with a pale crimson flush externally and a ray of brown marks inside. Calyx up to 12mm long. Lvs elliptic, c170 × 55mm, deep and glossy green above, hairless. AM 1922

(r) **'Geoffrey William Crouch'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Jalisco Eclipse' × 'Crest' H: T. Lelliott, G: T. Lelliott (1988), N: Mrs H. Crouch, I: Mrs H. Crouch (1990), REG: Mrs H. Crouch (1991) Fls 6-8/truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 110mm, 7-lobed, pale greenish yellow (2D), with a yellow-green flare on 3 lobes. Lvs obovate, 110 × 45mm. Shrub 1.0m

(r) **'Geordie Sherriff'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *lindleyi* R: A.C. & J.F.A. Gibson, N: A.C. & J.F.A. Gibson, I: A.C. & J.F.A. Gibson (1969), REG: A.C. & J.F.A. Gibson (1969) Fls 6-7/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 75 × 75mm, 5-lobed, white, strongly flushed strong purplish red (63A) on outside (strongest on dorsal lobes), dorsal lobe strongly stained greenish yellow at base inside; scented. Calyx c14mm long, flushed with red and fringed with fine hairs. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 45mm, dark green above, glaucous below, with a slight, brown, scaly indumentum. AM 1969

(az) **'Georg Arends'** cv. Azaleodendron: seedling of 'Vuyk's Scarlet' × seedling of 'Vuyk's Scarlet' × seedling of an Arendsii cultivar × unknown, small-flowered rhododendron hybrid R: U. Schumacher (1966), I: U. Schumacher (1971) Fls 1-3/truss, 65-75mm wide, vivid purplish red (57C), with strong brown markings

(r) **'Georgeanne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney (pre 1973), N: Mrs A. Sather, I: Whitney Gardens (pre 1980) Fls in a somewhat lax truss, salmon orange. Lvs mid green. Shrub 0.9m in 10 years. Late May

(r) **'George Arblaster'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *hemsleyanum* (s) × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: G. Arblaster (1984), G: G. Arblaster (c 1988), N: Mrs J. Arblaster, REG: Mrs J. Arblaster (1997) Fls 9-12/tight

truss, funnel-campanulate, 70 × 90mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, pink in bud, opening pure white, with a slight yellow flush in the throat but without any other markings. Lvs broadly elliptic, 112-140 × 67-70mm, slightly waved, rounded at base, broadly acute at apex, with a pink indumentum below when young, turning to light bronze. Shrub 2.0 × 1.0m in 6-8 years. June-July.

(r) **'George Bennington'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* hybrid R: G. Paul (c 1880), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink

(r) **'George Betts'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × *elliottii* H: B. Betts (1978), G: G. Betts (1984), S: G. Betts, N: M. Betts, REG: M. Betts (1993) Fls 14/loose ball truss, campanulate, 51 × 51mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (48C, D), fading slowly, the upper 3 lobes speckled strong purplish red (54A), the throat also 54A; stamens 14, curved, unequal. Pedicels 25mm long, greyish yellow-green (194B). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 114 × 38mm, convex, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and hairless above, with a felted, brownish orange (165B) indumentum below; petioles 25mm long, greyish yellow-green (194B). Shrub 0.8 × 1.5m in 10 years. May

(v) **'George Budgen'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* × *zoelleri* H: T. Lelliott (1966), G: P. Sullivan (1969), N: B. Pollard, I: Strybing Arboretum (1970), REG: B. Pollard (1976) Fls 5-6/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 65 × 75mm, 5-lobed, indian yellow (6/2-6/1), shading to marigold orange (11/1) at lobe edges. Calyx minute. Lvs broadly elliptic to ovate, 100 × 65mm, dark green, minutely scaly; new growth glaucous. Shrub 0.8 × 0.35m in 4 years. September-December

(a) **'George Claretie'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Moser & Son (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark orange. Ghent

(r) **'George Cunningham'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably *arboreum* × *campanulatum* R: G. Cunningham (pre 1857), N: G. Cunningham, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with black spots. (Possibly best treated as a Group, since A. Leroy (1868) listed a red-flowered plant under this name and the 1958 Register implied there was more than the white variant)

(a) **'George Cuthbert'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* L: L. van Houtte (1899), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls apricot yellow, with a red blotch. Mollis

(a) **'George Eyles'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, orange scarlet, with little spotting

(a) **'George Franc'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably *simsii* × *indicum* R: unknown (pre 1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 1-2/truss, 75mm wide, deep rose pink with a strawberry pink tone that fades with age and a large, showy, tyrian rose blotch; stamens 10. Midseason. Indian

(r) **'George Fraser'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably *macrophyllum* × *maximum* H: G. Fraser (c 1931), G: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable (c 1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light red/pink. Large shrub of weeping habit. Late

(r) **'George Grace'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Loderi Group (s) × 'Borde Hill' R: R. Henny (1943), G: R. Henny, N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny (c 1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 15/truss, funnel-campanulate, 115mm wide, 5-6-lobed, rhodamine pink (527/1), with slightly recurved lobes. Lvs oblong to oblong-elliptic, 165mm long, obtuse at apex. Syn: 'Grace'

(a) **'George Harding'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Louise Gable' (s) × 'Shinnyo-no-hikare' H: R.D. Gartrell (1962), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell (1972), REG: R.D. Gartrell (1985) Fls single, (2-)3/bud, 35 × 82mm, broadly funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, deep yellowish pink (47C), often somewhat deeper and redder with a prominent white throat and deep purplish red spotting (59B); lobes wavy-edged. Calyx 6mm long, strong yellow-green (143C). Spring lvs elliptic, 62 × 32mm. Shrub up to 1.5m. (Robin Hill no. T38-5)

(r) **'George Hardy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* (s) × *catawbiense* R: J.H. Mangles (pre 1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c13/dense, conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 60-70 × 90-100mm, 5-lobed, reddish purple in bud, opening white with deep purplish pink (66C) edges which fade so that only the sinuses are coloured; conspicuous spotting of strong purplish red (60B) on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 8-10mm long, often irregular, with pink, spreading lobes. Lvs oblanceolate to elliptic, up to 140 × 55mm, dark glossy green above, with very sparse, minute, brown hairs below. Large shrub, 2.5-4.0m. Syn: 'Mrs George Hardy' (Parentage given as in 1958 Register. Bean (8th edn, 1976) give the pollen parent simply as a hardy white cv)

(r) **'George Haslam'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Polar Bear Group × 'Romarez' H: E.G.W.W. Harrison (c 1960), G: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1984), N: Mrs C.G. Hopwood, I: Leonardslee Gardens Nurs. (1987), REG: Mrs E.G. Hopwood (1987) Fls 12-14/truss, 65 × 60mm, open funnel-campanulate, 5-lobed, deep pink (52B) to deep purplish pink (55A). Calyx 2mm long, red, glandular hairy, especially at base. Lvs oblanceolate, up to 250 × 70-80mm, acute at apex, cordate at base, hairless. Shrub c6.0 × 5.0m. June-July

(a) **'George Hyatt'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Purple Splendor' (s) × 'Vuyk's Scarlet' H: H.R. Schroeder (1973), G: S Schroeder (1978), N: S. Schroeder, I: S. Schroeder (1986), REG: S. Schroeder (1986) Fls single, broadly funnel-shaped, 32 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (64C), with dark red dorsal spotting. Calyx 6mm long, light green. Lvs oblanceolate, 32 × 9.5mm, glossy, dark green above, light green below, hairy on both surfaces. Shrub 0.45 × 0.45m in 10 years. Mid April

(a) **'George Hyde'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: W.G.T. Hyde (pre 1970), G: W.G.T. Hyde, N: Mrs R.G. Legrand (1994), I: Linwood Plants (1994), REG: Mrs R.G. Legrand (1995) Fls semi-double, 47 × 28mm, with 5-7 very wavy-edged lobes and 4-6 petaloids, deep purplish pink (66C) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (68A) inside and out, with numerous, strong purplish red (67A) speckles on all dorsal lobes and on the petaloids. Calyx 4mm long, strong yellow-green (144A). Lvs elliptic, 21 × 10mm, flat, glossy green above, cuneate at base, acute at apex, hairless. Shrub 0.65 × 1.35m in 20 years. May

(r) **'George Johnstone'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* subsp. *xanthocodon* Concatenens Group × Full House Group R: G. Johnstone, REG: C. Ingram (1967) Fls 7-9/loose truss, campanulate, 45 × 45mm, waxy, brilliant orange (25B) at base, shading to strong orange (29B) slightly flushed moderate purplish red (185C) at apex. Calyx rudimentary. Lvs elliptic, 55 × 30mm, aromatic, with a brown, scaly indumentum below which extends on to the petioles, pedicels and calyx. AM 1967

(a) **'George, Junior'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'George Lindley Taber' R: I.L. Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L. Amann Fls 100 wide, pale purplish pink (65C), with a heavy, spotted blotch. Shrub 1.0m. Midseason. (Similar to seed parent but flowers larger, flatter and lighter coloured)

(a) **'George Lindley Taber'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Omurasaki' S: H.H. Hume (pre 1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 90mm wide, white, flushed violet red with a darker blotch of the same colour. Midseason. Syn: 'George Taber'; 'Alphonse Anderson' (in Australia). Indian

(a) **'George Loddiges'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon, with a broad saffron blotch and finely marked with amaranth. FCC 1871. Indian (Shown by L. van Houtte in 1871)

(r) **'George M. Cohan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: May Day Group × Jasper Group R: C.S. Seabrook, N: C.S. Seabrook, REG: C.S. Seabrook (1967) Fls in open trusses, campanulate, 65 × 75mm, moderate reddish orange (41C), brilliant orange (29A) at base, variably flushed yellowish pink inside. Calyx large, petaloid, coloured as corolla. Early June

(r) **'George Munro's Favorite'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney, G: W.E. Whitney (pre 1965), N: Briggs Nursery (1999), I: Briggs Nursery, REG: Briggs Nursery (1999) Fls 11-12/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 45-50 × 65mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (45B) in bud, opening inside vivid red (52A) at margins, shading to greenish white (155C) at centre; outside vivid red (52A); unmarked. Calyx 25-30mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 75-100 × 25-40mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins decurved, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairy below and at edge above towards base and on petioles, hairs moderate orange-yellow (165C) at first, ageing to brownish orange (165B). Shrub 0.6 × 0.9m in 6 years. Mid-late May. Syn: 'Whitney's Yak No. 7'

(a) **'Georgentor'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Leopold-Astrid' × 'Coelestine' R: Frau D. David (pre 1981), N: Frau D. David Fls purplish pink. Indian

(r) **'George Paul'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1896), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson, with dark spots

(r) **'George Peabody'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Fisher, Son & Sibray (1898), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls delicate lake, with faint spotting. (Grown in The Netherlands, 1896)

(a) **'George Reynolds'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), S: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (c 1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep greenish yellow in bud, flushed carmine, opening deep buttery yellow, greenish in centre and with very deep chrome yellow dorsal spotting. AM 1936. Knap Hill

(r) **'George Ring'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Delp's Cindy Lou' (s) × *meddianum* × *strigillosum* H: G.W. Ring, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls deep and dark red (53A, 59A) in bud, opening strong and vivid red (46A, B, 53A). Medium-sized shrub. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'George Ritter'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* hybrid H: E. Fry (pre 1947), G: J.S. Druecker (1954), I: J.S. Druecker (1954), REG: E.R. German (1976) Fls 6/lax truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 63 × 108mm, with 5-7 lobes, fuchsine pink (627/1), shading to 627/2 in centre, throat chrysanthemum crimson (824/1). Calyx 7mm long, spinel red (0023). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 182 × 58mm, spinach green (0960), hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.8m in 10 years. Late May-early June

(r) **'George Sansom'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Luscombei Group (s) × *lacteum* R: G. Gorer, N: G. Gorer, REG: G. Gorer (1968) Fls up to 15/truss, campanulate, 65 × 75mm, pale yellow, prominently tinged pink, with rosy pink buds. Calyx rim-like. Lvs c125 × 50mm, auricled at base. AM 1965

(a) **'George School'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nellie' (s) × 'Opal' H: G.A. Reid (1970), G: G.A. Reid (1975), N: G.A. Reid, I: G.A. Reid (1982), REG: G.A. Reid (1984) Fls hose-in-hose, 3-5/truss, open funnel-shaped, 30 × 55mm, 5+5-lobed, deep purplish pink (55A), shading to light purplish pink (55C) in throat, with prominent spotting of vivid purplish red (61C) on the dorsal lobes. Calyx 40mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs narrowly obovate to elliptic, 25-30 × 13-17mm, ciliate, sparsely setose. Shrub 0.75-0.6m in 12 years. Early May

(a) **'Georges Cuvelier'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: F. Desbois (1893), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, sometimes semi-double, lively rose. Indian

(r) **'George's Delight'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: a yellow Whitney hybrid (no.6002) (s) × 'Crest' H: W.E. Whitney (1967), G: Mrs A. Sather, N: Mrs A. Sather, I: Mrs A. Sather (c 1975), REG: Mrs A. Sather (1985) Fls 13/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 40 × 75mm, with 7 flat or wavy-edged lobes, buds strong reddish orange (42C), opening deep pink (51B) on lobe edges shading to light yellow (11B) in throat, with slight dorsal spotting of strong reddish orange (34C). Calyx 3mm long, yellow-green. Lvs elliptic, 100-115 × 50-65mm, hairless. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years

(r) **'George's Ring'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'George's Delight' (s) × 'Ring of Fire' H: M. Sanders (1989), G: Sanders Nursery (1995), N: M. Sanders, I: Sanders Nursery (1999), REG: M. Sanders (1998) Fls 10/flat, lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 6 flat-edged lobes, light yellow (11B) with a 10mm wide border of vivid purplish red (57C). Lvs elliptic, 130 × 50mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, deep green above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.1m in 8 years. Mid May

(r) **'Georges Royer'** (Syn. of 'Boskoop Concorde')

(a) **'Georges Steyaert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, red. Indian

(a) **'George Stephenson'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: Gebr Kersbergen (1918), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft rose. Mollis

(r) **'George Stevenson'** cv. Parentage unknown R: I. Davies (pre 1896), N: I. Davies, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'George Swain'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goldsworth Yellow' (s) × 'Catalgla' × Theresa Group H: D.L. Craig (1970), G: D.L. Craig, N: D.L. Craig, I: Agriculture Research Station, Kentville (1985), REG: D.L. Craig Fls up to 19/compact, globular-domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 60mm, 5-lobed, pale yellow (158B), with extensive golden brown markings on the dorsal lobe; filaments and style cream; anthers light mauve; stigma rose-coloured. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 60mm, slightly decurved, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (137B) above, slightly hairy on petioles (hairs moderate orange (167A)). Compact shrub 1.4 × 1.5m in 12 years. Early June. Syn: 'G.S. Swain' (Published in *Can. J. Plant Sci.*, 68: 899-900 (July, 1988) as 'G.S. Swain')

(r) **'George Sweesy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vera Elliott' (s) × 'Doctor A. Blok' H: W. Elliott (1969), G: W. Elliott (1975), N: W. Elliott, I: W. Elliott, REG: W. Elliott (1981) Fls up to 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 90 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (55A), with 9 rays extending into spotting, of moderate orange (167B) and covering all of dorsal lobe; outside strong red (51A). Calyx 45mm long, with recurved lobes, inside strong red (51A), outside pale yellow (158A) with strong red (51A) stripes. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 50mm, dull, moderate olive green (147A). Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 10 years. Early May

(a) **'George Taber'** (Syn. of 'George Lindley Taber')

(r) **'George Taylor'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* × Luscombei Group R: G.M. Adams-Acton (pre 1942), N: G.M. Adams-Acton, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'George Taylor'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *araiophyllum* R: Kew, N: Kew, REG: Kew (1971) Fls 7-8/loose truss, open campanulate, 45 × 50mm, 5-lobed, greenish white (155C), with blotching and marking of deep red (60A) in dorsal throat. Calyx rudimentary, green. Lvs elliptic, up to 90 × 33mm, dark green, with a light brown, woolly indumentum on midrib below. Early May. AM 1971

(a) **'Georgette'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'George Lindley Taber' R: I.L. Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L.Amann Fls 45mm wide, light purplish pink (65B), with a white edge and darker blotch. Shrub 1.0m, developing flat umbrella-like branches. Early

(r) **'Georgette'** (Syn. of 'Loderi Georgette')

(r) **'Georgette'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Exbury Cornish Cross' R: A.F. George, N: A.F. George, I: Hydon Nurseries (1972), REG: Hydon Nurseries (1972) Fls 12/globular, compact truss, campanulate, 50 × 65mm, white, flushed pale purplish pink (56C) externally when young. Lvs 90-125 × 40-50mm, medium dark, slightly glossy green. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years. *HC 1977

(r) **'Georgette of Quail Hollow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943) Fls pink (resembling 'Scintillation')

(r) **'George Watling'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: derived from subsect. *Fortunea* G: M. Greig (pre 1960), N: M. Greig (1965), REG: Vancouver Parks Board (2000) Fls 8/flat truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 90mm wide, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, yellowish pink in bud, opening pale yellow in the throat and fading towards margins; outside similarly coloured; faint red markings inside. Lvs oblong, 125 × 65mm, obtuse at apex, cordate at base, margins flat, hairless. Shrub 4.6 × 4.6m in 45 years. Midseason. (The original seedling came as an unflowered plant from England)

(a) **'Georgia Giant'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Moonbeam' × 'Lilacinum' R: J. Harris, N: J. Harris, I: J. Harris (pre 1981) Fls single, star-shaped, up to 140mm wide, white, scented. Shrub 1.4m in 8 years

(r) **'Georgia May'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.W. Core, N: W.W. Core, REG: W.W. Core (1964) Fls up to 14/truss, flat saucer-shaped, 75mm wide, 5-lobed, rose pink at margin to almost white at centre, with a blotch

of brownish maroon spots on a yellow ground. Lvs to 150 × 40mm. Shrub to 1.1m in 10 years. Very late

(a) **'Georgiana'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1843), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Exhibited by Hally in London, 1843)

(r) **'Georgiana'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1867), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light pink. Hardy Hybrid (Perhaps the plant listed, without description, by Knight & Perry c1850)

(a) **'Georgina'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1841), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Perhaps the 'Georgiana' exhibited by Hally in April, 1843)

(a) **'Georgina'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Marilyn Kay' × 'Rosanna' H: D.J. Dosser (1981), G: D.J. Dosser (1985), N: D.J. Dosser, I: Lockington Nursery, REG: Lockington Nursery (1987) Fls single, 2-3/truss, funnel-shaped, 30 × 80mm, 5-lobed, deep pink (50B), with a strong red (46A) blotch on the dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 40 × 15mm. Shrub 0.3m tall

(r) **'Georg Maier'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Genoveva' (s) × 'Hassan' R: T.J.H. Seidel (c 1938), N: Firma Seidel (1978), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 14-23/compact, rounded truss, 60-90mm wide, light pink, with heavy dark red markings on the dorsal lobe. Late May-early June

(a) **'Georg Silber'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Reinhold Ambrosius' × 'Erich Danneberg' R: O. Stahnke, N: O. Stahnke, I: O. Stahnke (1968) Fls double, strong purplish red (58B). Calyx normal, green. Indian

(r) **'Georg Steck'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Firma Seidel (1880), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls fiery rose, with black markings

(r) **'Georg Stipp'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Madame de Bruin' × *williamsianum* R: D.G. Hobbie (pre 1945), N: H.A. Hesse (1968), I: H.A. Hesse (1960) Fls campanulate, bright pink, with weak, red markings. Shrub c1.0m

(a) **'Georg Struppek'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Friedhelm Scherrer' × 'Kirin' or 'Rex' R: O. Stahnke, N: O. Stahnke, I: O. Stahnke (1977) Fls single, vivid purplish red to deep purplish pink (61C-D). Calyx normal, green. Midseason. Indian

(r) **Geraldii Group** (A wild hybrid between *praevernum* and *sutchuenense*, best treated as *R.* × *geraldii*)

(a) **'Geraldina'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Vuyk (c 1960), N: A. Vuyk Fls deep yellowish pink

(r) **'Geraldine'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep puce

(a) **'Geraldine Levon'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: P.E. Girard (c 1960), G: R.K. Peters (1970), N: R.K. Peters, I: R. Carter, REG: R.K. Peters (1986) Fls (6-)10(-11)/ball truss, flat saucer-shaped, 32 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds vivid greenish yellow (7.5Y 8/12), opening brilliant greenish yellow (7.5Y 9/8), which fades to white as flower matures; dorsal blotch 13 × 25mm, vivid yellow (2.5Y 8/12). Calyx 5mm long, strong yellow-green (2.5GY 6/8). Lvs obovate, 76 × 35mm, hairy and moderate olive green (2.5GY 4/3) above, silvery below. Shrub 1.5 × 0.9m in c25 years, with moderately scented fls. Mid-late May

(a) **'Geraldine Vuyk'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* hybrid (s) × 'J.C. van Tol' R: Vuyk van Nes, N: Vuyk van Nes, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 50mm wide, tyrian rose (24/2), with a deeper blotch. Vuykiana (Previously listed incorrectly as 'Gerardine Vuyk'. Genetic contribution from claimed pollen parent doubtful)

(r) **'Gerald Loder'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *degronianum* subsp. *degronianum* R: Royal Botanic Gardens, Wakehurst, I: Kew, REG: Kew (1974) Fls 10-12/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 40 × 50mm, 5-lobed, white, overlaid shades of purplish pink (68) and with darker lines along centre-line of each lobe; dorsal throat spotted vivid purplish red (66A). Calyx rudimentary, yellowish. Lvs narrowly elliptic, up to 130 × 40mm, dark green above, with a heavy, plastered, fawn indumentum below. AM 1974

(r) **'Geraniiflorum Splendidum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Delmotte (pre 1864), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Geranioides'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rosy crimson, with black spots in the dorsal throat. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Gerardine Vuyk'** (An error for 'Geraldine Vuyk')

(a) **'Gerard J. Bier'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Docteur Bergmann' R: G.J. Bier & Sons, N: G.J. Bier & Sons, I: G.J. Bier & Sons (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep pink (52C), edged white; otherwise similar to parent. Indian

(r) **'Gérard Moser'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1916), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy magenta, with yellow-green markings on a lighter ground

(a) **'Gerda'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C.B. van Nes & Sons (1922), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon pink. Kaempferi

(r) **'Gerda'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J. Seidel (1903), N: T.J. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, white, with broad carmine red margins; filaments rose white, anthers white; pistil red, stigma slate grey

(r) **'Gerda'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown L: Byland Bros (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose-coloured; said to be a green-leaved form (? derivative) of 'President Roosevelt'

(a) **'Gerhard Nicolai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Madame P.B. van Acker' × 'Paul Schäme' R: E. Herrmann, N: E. Herrmann, I: E. Herrmann (1956), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, vivid purplish red (57D) to deep purplish pink (66C). Calyx normal, green. Early. Indian

(a) **'Germaine Pynaert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: E. Pynaert van Geert (1892), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, light salmon rose, edged snow white, with a carmine blotch. Indian

(a) **'Germania'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: LBG 1886, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, bright crimson, with a dark blotch. Indian

(r) **'Germania'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C.J.H. Walter (pre 1863), N: C.J.H. Walter, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls reddish, spotted

(r) **'Germania'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Antoon van Welie' × *williamsianum* (s) × 'Catharine van Tol' H: D.G. Hobbie (c 1956), N: F.W. Dürre, I: F.W. Dürre (1979) Fls 12-19/compact, tall truss, 60-90mm wide, with strongly waved margins, bright pink, paler in the centre, and with slight reddish brown markings on a paler ground. Compact shrub eventually broader than tall. Mid-late May

(r) **'Germania II'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark crimson rose, with olive spots

(a) **'Germanique'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Geisha' × 'Mitsu-no-yamabuki' R: E. Deckert (pre 1980), N: E. Deckert Fls 55mm wide, white, variably marked with dots, stripes and sectors of dark red. Early. Syn: 'Sam Moller'

(a) **'Geronimo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lambertus C. Bobbink' × 'Rosebud' × 'Rhodalia' R: H. Kerrigan (pre 1987), N: H. Kerrigan Fls in large trusses, reddish orange. Very late

(a) **'Geronomo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Helen Close' × 'Purple Splendor' R: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1967) Fls 2-3/truss, hose-in-hose, up to 55mm wide, strong reddish purple (2.5 RP 5/10). Lvs 40 × 20mm. Shrub compact, up to 1.0m tall. Mid May

(r) **'Gerstäcker'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* hybrid L: Firma Seidel (1880), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, tinged lilac, with a darker blotch

(r) **'Gertie Beese'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Moonstone' × *wardii* Litiense Group H: W. Elliott (1966), G: G. Beese (1973), N: W. Elliott, REG: W. Elliott (1993) Fls 8-10/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 38 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light yellow (160B), with slight red markings in the throat; stamens 10, straight, unequal; stigma red. Calyx 6mm long, strong red (41B). Pedicels 25mm long, strong red (41B). Lvs ovate, 64 × 38mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairless; petioles 13mm long, moderate yellow-green (148B). Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in c25 years. May

(r) **'Gertrud'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel (1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright crimson red, with strong brownish markings

(v) **'Gertrude'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* × *leucogigas* (s) × *konori* H: P. Sullivan (1974), G: P. Sullivan, N: P. Sullivan

(a) **'Gertrude Bobbink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Bobbink & Atkins, N: Bobbink & Atkins, I: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, with wavy-edged lobes, rose pink. Indian

(r) **'Gertrude Bovee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi King George' (s) × un-named Ostbo seedling no. Y3 R: Bovees Nursery, N: Bovees Nursery, I: Bovees Nursery (1962), REG: Bovees Nursery (1972) Fls up to 12/truss, campanulate, 115mm wide, with wavy-edged margins, cream centre, blending to a wide pink (2.5R 8/5)margin, the dorsal lobe spotted dark red (5R 3/7). Lvs 200 × 75mm, very dark green. Shrub to 1.4m. June

(a) **'Gertrude Elliott'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Green (1861), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, salmon red, unspotted

(r) **'Gertrude Jekyll'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: J.H. Mangles (pre 1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c9/lax, open-topped truss, 60-65 × 70-75mm, funnel-campanulate, 5-lobed, strong red (53C) in bud and on lobe margins outside and inside; inside paling rapidly via deep purplish pink (54B) to a pure white throat and lobe bases; very few pinkish red spots on dorsal lobes. Calyx 6mm long, regular, green, edged bright red. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 50mm, dark, slightly glossy green above, with very sparse, minute, pale hairs below. AM 1904

(r) **'Gertrude Ragan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.A. Ragan (1969), G: W.A. Ragan (1979), N: W.A. Ragan, REG: W.A. Ragan (1988) Fls 17/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 38 × 76mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, purple in bud, opening very pale purple (73D), with a slightly yellow throat and a strong reddish purple (72B), 6mm wide margin, which both change to 73D; prominent, heavily spotted blotch of deep purplish red (59B) on dorsal lobe, spreading to adjacent lobes. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 178 × 38mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, upper surface glaucous, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.8m in 18 years. Late May

(r) **'Gertrude Saxe'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: pink form of *minus* Carolinianum Group × *mucronulatum* (a form known locally as "Pauls Pink") H: R. Murcott (1973), G: R. Murcott (1978), N: R. Murcott, I: R. Murcott (1985), REG: R. Murcott (1987) Fls 15/truss, open funnel-shaped, 25 × 32mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (55B). Lvs elliptic, 64 ×

25mm, acuminate at apex, rounded at base, flat, with brown scales. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 9 years. Mid-late April

(r) **'Gertrud Schäle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Prometheus' (s) × *forrestii* Repens Group R: D.G. Hobbie, N: D.G. Hobbie (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 6-12/truss, large, translucent scarlet red. (Gertrud Schäle Group)

(r) **Gertrud Schäle Group** gp 'Prometheus' (s) × *forrestii* Repens Group R: D.G. Hobbie, N: D.G. Hobbie (1951), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Gervin Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls shell pink. Indian

(r) **'Gesche'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor Torrey' × unknown H: D. Heinje, G: D. Heinje Baumschulen (c 1933), N: D. Heinje Baumschulen, I: D. Heinje Baumschulen (1954), REG: D. Heinje Baumschulen (1986) Fls 12-19/compact, rounded to conical truss, 50-55 × 45-75mm wide, 5-lobed, vivid red to vivid purplish red (57A-B), with a brownish yellow blotch. Calyx 35mm long, dark green-brownish. Lvs 100 × 50mm, dark green, indumentum below pale when young. Compact habit. Late May-mid June

(r) **'Gesproet'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1929), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white, speckled. Indian

(a) **'Get Happy'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, bright fluorescent pink, with a yellow flare; slightly scented. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Late June

(a) **'Getsu-keikan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, with 6, pointed lobes, pale purplish pink to brighter pink at edges, occasional fleck of deep pink and with a dark purple blotch; filaments white, pistil red. Early. Satsuki

(a) **'Getsuko'** (Syn. of 'Getsutoku')

(a) **'Getsu-rei'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 90-100mm wide, with broadly rounded, slightly wavy-edged lobes, white, with occasional flecks of deep pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Getsu-sai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1984), N: Japan (Said to be similar to 'Yae-asagao')

(a) **'Getsutoku'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Banka' × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 75-100mm wide, with often 6, wavy-edged and overlapping lobes, white, with strong pink and red stripes; many variations to pink selfs. Spreading habit. Syn: 'Gettoku', 'Getsuko'. Satsuki (Details from Galle (1987); the 1958 Register described it as a sport from 'Banka')

(a) **'Gettoku'** (Syn. of 'Getsutoku')

(r) **'Gevaert'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Byls (pre 1854), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red or lilac rose

(a) **'G.G.'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Hershey's Azalea Farm (pre 1987), N: Hershey's Azalea Farm Fls hose-in-hose, pink

(a) **'G.H.C.'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *cumberlandense* R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls deep dark red. Early June

(r) **'Ghengis Khan'** (Syn. of 'Genghis Khan')

(r) **'G.H. Maitland King'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* hybrid R: Slocock Nurseries, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright crimson pink

(r) **'Ghost'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* × *yakushimanum* (s) × *maximum* H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 16/truss, open funnel-shaped, 38 × 51mm, 5-lobed, yellowish white (158D, 155B) in bud, opening white, with strong yellow-green (145A) dorsal spots; filaments and style greenish white (157D); anthers pale yellow (158A); stigma moderate orange (171C). Lvs 111 × 41mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, with a tan, woolly indumentum. Shrub 0.6 × 1.4m in 18 years. Mid June

(r) **'Ghost Dancer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Westbury' (s) × *pseudochrysanthum* (Ben Nelson form) H: M.J. Whitman (1997), G: M.J. & B. Whitman (2002), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (2002), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (2002) Fls 14/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (66C) in bud, opening inside paler than very pale purple (69D) with brilliant yellow (11A) spotting at base changing to deep orange-yellow (163A); outside of dorsal lobes very pale purple (69D), ventral lobes paler. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 50mm, margins flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.65 × 0.65m in 5 years. Early May

(a) **'Giant'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, semi-double, with wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink (47C), with a darker blotch. Indian

(a) **'Giant Fireglow'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: D.G. Hobbie (c 1973), I: J. Wieting (1987) Fls in a large, compact, rounded truss, lobes wavy-edged, orange, with red markings, dorsal lobe yellow. (Raised from seed imported by Hobbie from the USA)

(r) **'Giant Jack'** cv. Parentage unknown H: O.S. Pride (pre 1980)

(a) **'Giant Ruffles'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987), N: unknown Fls deep pink. Early. (Possibly synonymous with 'Ruffled Giant')

(a) **'Gibbe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* hybrid I: G. Arends (pre 1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac. Kaempferi

(r) **'Gibbon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kluis Sensation' × *yakushimanum* H: W.A. Reese (pre 1978)

(a) **'Gibiyama'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale amparo purple and phlox purple. Low, compact shrub. Kurume

(a) **'Gibraltar'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Exbury, N: Exbury, I: E. de Rothschild (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10-12/truss, 65mm wide, deep crimson in bud, opening vivid orange, flushed red-orange; lobes frilled. Shrub to at least 3.0m. Midseason. Knap Hill

(r) **Gibraltar Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Bibiani Group (s) × *elliottii* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, with wavy-edged lobes, deep red. Young lvs bright chestnut, deep green when mature. Tall shrub. May-June.

(a) **'Gibrosea'** cv. Parentage unknown L: USA (1984)

(r) **'Gibsonii'** (A botanical synonym of *R. formosum* var. *formosum*, described as *R. gibsonii* from a cultivated plant by Paxton (1841))

(a) **'Gicksville'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: R. Gick (pre 1968) Fls heavily ruffled

(r) **'Gift'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cup Day. × 'Purple Splendour' H: D.J. Dosser, G: D.J. Dosser (1984), N: D.J. Dosser, I: Lockington Nursery (1987), REG: Lockington Nursery (1988) Fls 10-12/truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 90mm, 6-lobed, strong purplish red (71C), flushed in throat deep red (60A). Lvs elliptic, 150 × 40mm, hairless. Shrub 1.0m tall. Spring

(a) **'Giganteum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, N: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Exhibited by J. Ménoreau at Nantes in 1858; perhaps the plant listed by J. Verschaffelt (1861) as from Gebr Mardner)

(r) **'Giganteum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1847), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12-13/hemispherical truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 50mm, bright rose pink, without conspicuous markings. Calyx lobes 1-6mm long, white, usually hairless. Lvs elliptic to obovate-lanceolate, c130 × 50mm, thinly brown felted below. (Plants still cultivated in Germany (1999) have small red spots on a paler ground; W. Rollisson cat., 1877 indicates chocolate spots)

(a) **'Gigantiflorum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, I: unknown (1858), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark rose. Indian

(r) **'Gigantiflorum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Linden (1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, violet rose, with many blotches

(a) **'Giggi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: K. Müssig (pre 1996), N: K. Müssig Fls double, with a small central mass of shorter petaloids, c2-4/truss, white, with sectors, stripes and spots of pink or red

(r) **'Giggles'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scintillation' (s) × 'Dougle Eagle' H: M.J. Whitman (1997), G: M.J. & B. Whitman (2002), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (2002), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (2002) Fls 13-18/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 45-50mm, with 5-7 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (54A) in bud, opening inside pale pink at first, changing to vivid/brilliant yellow (15A-C) with brilliant yellow (11A) spotting on 3 dorsal lobes, outside pale yellow (11C). Lvs oblong, 165 × 75mm, margins downcurved, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and dark green (136A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.5 × 0.45m in 5 years. Late April-early May

(r) **'Gigha'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *calostrotum* REG: Hilliers (1969) Fls 1-3/truss, saucer-shaped, 5-lobed, up to 45mm wide, deep purplish red (61A), paler in the throat, dorsal lobes heavily marked deep red. Lvs ovate, up to 15 × 10mm, dark green, with brown scales above and below and a few red hairs. FCC 1971 (Sources differ on whether this was raised on Gigha (as the name would imply) or at Tower Court)

(r) **'Gigha Gem'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *neriiflorum* subsp. *neriiflorum* Euchaites Group (s) × 'Pleasant' R: Sir James Horlick (pre 1955), N: Sir James Horlick, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Gigi'** cv. Parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), S: W. Efinger, N: S.V. Burns, I: S.V. Burns (1969), REG: S.V. Burns (1973) Fls up to 18/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 80mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (57C), all lobes spotted with deep red (60A). Calyx very short, green. Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 115 × 50mm, moderate olive green (147A). Shrub 1.5 × 1.9m in 12 years. Mid-late May. Syn: 'Ross 9', 'Ross GG'

(a) **'Giko'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, white, with ragged, purple markings. Satsuki

(r) **'Gilbert Myers'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Blue Peter', open-pollinated G: G. Myers (1986), S: G. Myers, N: H. Myers (1998), REG: H. Myers (1998) Fls 11/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, c60 × 75mm, with 6 wavy to very wavy-edged lobes, light purple (81C) in bud, opening white with distinct (81C) margins inside and out, and with a yellowish green dorsal blotch. Calyx c1.5mm long, white. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 175 × 50mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.5m in 14 years. Midseason

(a) **'Gilbury'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Exbury, N: Exbury, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose pink. Knap Hill

(r) **'Gilbury'** (Syn. of 'Mariloo Gilbury')

(a) **'Gilda'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown (said to be an Exbury azalea seedling) H: J. Marty, G: J. Marty (1965), N: J. Marty, REG: J. Marty (1973) Fls up to 30/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 75mm wide, strong yellowish pink (32C), with a strong orange blotch (24A) on the dorsal lobe. Foliage bronzed. Shrub at least 1.2m. Knap Hill

(r) **'Gilded Gown'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Crest' × unknown R: Mrs R.J. Coker, N: Mrs R.J. Coker, I: Mrs R.J. Coker, REG: Mrs R.J. Coker (1979) Fls light greenish yellow (4C), fading to pale yellow-green (4D); buds moderate reddish orange (35A) to strong yellowish pink (35C)

(r) **'Gilded Sheen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Keystone' × 'Marypat' H: W.E. Delp (1988), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls 10/truss, open funnel-shaped, 65mm wide, 5-lobed, moderate red (179A, B), moderate reddish orange (179C) and brilliant greenish yellow (1A) in bud, opening brilliant yellow-green (154C), edged with a blend of moderate red and moderate reddish orange (179B, C) and moderate yellowish pink (179D), with a brilliant yellow-green (154B) flare. Lvs 80 × 30mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base. Early June

(v) **'Gilded Sunrise'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *auriculeranum* (s) × *laetum* H: T. Lelliott, G: E.B. Perrott, N: G.F. Smith, I: G.F. Smith (1983), REG: G.F. Smith (1984) Fls 7-8/truss, 50 × 60mm, 5-lobed, tubular funnel-shaped, lemon yellow (4/1), suffused apricot (609) on lobes, darkening with age. Lvs elliptic, 100-120 × 45-55mm, with minute, dark brown scales

(r) **Gilian Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* (s) × *griffithianum* R: E.J.P. Magor (1912), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1923), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, campanulate, cardinal red, faintly spotted. AM 1923

(r) **'Gillespie No. 3'** (Syn. of 'Maralyn Gillespie')

(r) **'Gillian Bramley'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown, probably a *maddenii* hybrid REG: G. Eaton (1999) Fls 4-9/lax truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 75 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (59B) in bud, opening inside brilliant yellow (12B) in the throat, shading to pale yellowish pink (27C) with deep purplish red (59B) blushes at lobe edges, fading to pale yellowish pink (27D) with only the faintest blush remaining; outside pale yellowish pink (27C) with conspicuous, but tiny, deep purplish red (59B), glandular spots (more concentrated at lobe edges), fading with age to remain only on dorsal lobes; stamens 10, uneven, anthers moderate orange-yellow (164B), filaments pale yellow (158B); ovary strong yellow-green (143B), style vivid yellow-green (154A), stigma strong greenish yellow (151A). Calyx 5-8mm long, strong yellow-green (143C), with broad, rounded lobes. Lvs broadly elliptic, 95 × 40mm, attenuate at apex, cuneate at base, margins decurved, glossy above, scaly above and below (scales pale and dark brown). Shrub 1.5 × 0.9m. October (Australia). (Standard: herbarium specimen provided by registrant (WSY 0021408). Probably raised by A.F. Bramley)

(r) **'Gillians'** (Syn. of 'Gladys Gillians')

(a) **'Gillian's Gold'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1985) Fls vivid yellow

(r) **Gillian Spencer Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *haematodes* (s) × 'Ascot Brilliant' × *neriiflorum* I: G.M. Adams-Acton (1950), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Gillie'** (Syn. of 'Robin Hill Gillie')

(r) **'Gillies Apricot'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as a parent of 'Doctor John')

(r) **'Gillii'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* (s) × *arboreum* (blood red form) R: R. Gill (pre 1912), N: R. Gill, I: R. Gill & Sons (1919), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c14/compact, hemispherical truss, campanulate, 75 × 90-100mm, inside of tube mottled pink and white, lobes soft rose pink with darker veining; nectaries blood red. Calyx lobes 3-7mm long, petaloid. Lvs narrowly elliptic to oblanceolate, up to 220 × 55mm, matt or slightly glossy above, becoming hairless below. Medium-sized to large shrub. AM 1919 (Beauty of Tremough Group)

(a) **'Gillin's Red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Gillin (pre 1943), N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep maroon red or brick red (sources differ). Shrub c2.2m in 22 years. Late

(r) **'Gill's Crimson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: R. Gill (pre 1918), N: R. Gill, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blood crimson. Lvs light green. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. March-April

(r) **'Gill's Gloriosum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: R. Gill & Sons, N: R. Gill & Sons, I: R. Gill & Sons (1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c15/pyramidal truss, bright cerise outside, paler inside. AM 1925 (Sources differ over parentage: *griffithianum* (seed) × 'Pink Pearl' was given in 1958 Register, but it also notes that 'Luscombei Superbum' × 'Halopeanum' was given in J RHS 51:liv (1926))

(r) **'Gill's Goliath'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: R. Gill (pre 1913), N: R. Gill, I: R. Gill & Sons (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 90-140mm wide, soft pink, paler at the base. Lvs lanceolate. AM 1914 (May belong in the Beauty of Tremough Group)

(r) **'Gill's Nobleanum Album'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R. Gill & Sons, N: R. Gill & Sons, I: R. Gill & Sons (1926), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white, tinged pale green at the base. AM 1926 (Presumably derived from *arboreum* × *caucasicum*)

(r) **'Gill's Triumph'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* (blood red form) (s) × *griffithianum* R: R. Gill, N: R. Gill, I: R. Gill (1906), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls strawberry red, fading to pink. May. AM 1906 (Beauty of Tremough Group)

(r) **'Gina'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.H. Lowinsky (pre 1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, in erect trusses, rich ruby red. AM 1931

(a) **'Gina Hohman'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: H.J. Hohman (c 1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, orange coral to near apricot. Midseason. Kurume

(r) **'Gina Lollobrigida'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marion' × 'Mrs Charles S. Sargent' R: Felix & Dijkhuis, N: Felix & Dijkhuis, REG: Felix & Dijkhuis (1964) Fls 15/compact truss, open saucer/funnel-shaped, 100mm wide, orchid purple (31/3), with brown spotting on dorsal lobe

(a) **'Gin-dai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red, with a shorter corolla-like whorl (tubular below, broad lobes above) between corolla and calyx. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Ginga'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Mine-no-hikari' R: Japan (pre 1971), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, with rounded, well-spaced lobes, white with many variations of deep pink stripes and sectors and a red blotch. Lvs long and narrow. Satsuki

(a) **'Ginger'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Exbury, N: Exbury, I: Exbury (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep orange carmine in bud, opening strong orange (30D), overlaid with a pinkish flush, with deeper lines down each lobe and a deep orange-yellow blotch. Knap Hill

(a) **'Ginger'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L.L. Brooks (pre 1965), N: L.L. Brooks Fls double, orange-red. Indian

(r) **'Ginger Rogers'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Coker's Pink' (s) × 'Lem's Cameo' H: B. Sligh (1983), G: B. Sligh (1990), N: B. Sligh (1993), REG: B. Sligh (1994) Fls 13-15/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 70mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, buds moderate reddish orange/deep yellowish pink (41C/D), opening inside with edges flushed moderate to light yellowish pink (38B/C), base pale yellow (20D) and dorsal lobes light yellow (20B); outside pale yellow (20D) at base, ribs and edges strong yellowish pink (38A), flushed light yellowish pink (38C); 5-10mm circle of strong red (46A) in throat, 3 dorsal lobes with dark red (187A) spots over 75%. Calyx 10mm long, strong red (46A). Lvs elliptic, 130-160 × 60-70mm, margins slightly decurved, rounded at base and apex, matt green; young foliage deep bronze. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 9 years. November (New Zealand).

(a) **'Gingy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Holly Heath Nursery (1978) Fls strong yellowish pink (43D), with a vivid red (52A) blotch. Kaempferi

(a) **'Ginkon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blushed lilac on white. Indian

(r) **'Ginny Beale'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *degronianum* subsp. *heptamerum* × *adenopodum* H: J.B. Gable (1964), G: R.B. Davis, Jr, N: R.B Davis, Jr, I: R.B. Davis, Jr (1973), REG: R.B. Davis, Jr (1979) Fls up to 16/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50mm wide, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, dark pink in bud, opening pale pink (49D), with faint pink stripes on the reverse, unmarked inside. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 115 × 25mm, slightly decurved, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dark yellowish green (139A) above, with a felted indumentum below (strong orange (26A) at first, ageing to brown at maturity). Shrub 0.8 × 1.2m in 14 years. Early May

(r) **'Ginny Delp'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Dexter's Appleblossom' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls strong and moderate purplish pink (68B, C) in bud, opening white with vivid yellow-green (154A) dorsal spots. Medium-sized shrub. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Ginny Gee'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *keiskei* (prostrate form) × *racemosum* (Forrest 19404) H: W.E. Berg (1969), G: W.E. Berg, N: W.E. Berg, I: W.E. Berg (1979), REG: W.E. Berg (1979) Fls in a terminal inflorescence of 9-11 buds (each with 3-5 fls), 13-25 × 20-25mm, tubular to broadly funnel-shaped, light yellow-green (154D) in bud, opening white with pale purplish pink (55D) mottling at lobe margins, both inside and out. Lvs elliptic, 30 × 13mm. Shrub 0.3 × 0.45m in 8 years. Early-mid April

(r) **'Ginny Mae'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* × Fabia Group (s) × 'Si Si' H: W.E. Delp (1980), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls hose-in-hose, 6/truss, open funnel-shaped, 65mm wide, 5-6-lobed, pale orange-yellow (23D) with a strong red (53B) dorsal flare and strong red (53B) spotting. Lvs 75 × 30mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base. Medium-sized shrub. Early June

(r) **'Ginny's Delight'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Gosh Darn!' (s) × 'Donna Hardgrove' H: W.E. Delp (1989), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls strong yellowish pink (38A) in bud, opening moderate to light yellowish pink (38B, C, D) edged moderate purplish pink (54D) with a light greenish yellow (4B) throat. Tall shrub. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992), with incorrect parentage)

(a) **'Ginrei'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Sanko-no-tsuki' R: Japan (pre 1969), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, with 5-6 rounded lobes, white, blushed light to deep pink, sometimes with a dark red blotch; or pale pink centre with dark margins and no blotch; very variable. Satsuki (Probably the same as 'Gunrei')

(a) **'Ginsei'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Meiko' × 'Kozan' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50mm wide, with rounded lobes, white, with a green blotch and an occasional pink blush; stamens and pistil white. Satsuki

(a) **'Gin-sekai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 25-40mm wide, white, with a slight greenish blotch and rounded, well-spaced lobes. Early. Satsuki (May be the same plant as 'Katsuragi')

(a) **'Ginta'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilac Time' × 'Hexe' H: R. Kondratovičs (1963), G: R. Kondratovičs (1968), N: R. Kondratovičs, I: Botanical Garden, University of Latvia (1981), REG: R. Kondratovičs (1989) Fls single, 1-4/truss, funnel-shaped to broadly funnel-shaped, 60-90mm wide, 5-lobed, solferino purple (26/1), with contrasting dorsal blotch. Calyx 8-10mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 30-55 × 10-20mm, light green, hairy. Shrub 0.31 × 0.38m. February-March (under cool glass)

(r) **'Ginta'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *catawbiense* H: R. Kondratovičs (1965), G: R. Kondratovičs (1975), N: R. Kondratovičs, I: Rhododendron Nursery "Babīte" of University of Latvia (2001) Fls 18/dense, strongly domed truss, funnel-shaped, 60 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside magenta (27/2), with sparse, relatively inconspicuous, red dorsal spotting; filaments pink, anthers light rose; style bright pink, stigma bright red. Calyx 2mm long, light green. Lvs ovate, 135 × 60mm, margins flat, pointed at apex, heart-shaped at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.7 × 1.8m in 20 years. Early June. (Published in *Dārzs un Drava*: 23-24 (November, 2001): name used previously by same registrant for an azalea, but its use for this *catawbiense* selection was established under Latvian PBR certificate no. ROD-28 (22 March, 2001) so its use has to be accepted)

(r) **'Giorgione'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark crimson, with dark spots. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Gipsy King'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'King George' (s) × *haematodes* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in an open truss, deep red. April-May. (Gipsy King Group)

(r) **Gipsy King Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'King George' (s) × *haematodes* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1939), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **Gipsy Maid Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sophia Gray' (s) × Loderi Group I: R. Wallace & Co. (1944), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Gipsy Moth'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × 'Lodauric Iceberg' R: A.F. George, N: A.F. George, I: A.F. George (1967), REG: A.F. George (1967) Fls in large trusses, broadly funnel-shaped, buds strong purplish red (63B), opening and fading to pale purplish pink (65D) with striping of light purplish pink (65B); outside deeply marked deep purplish pink (64D); scented. PC 1967

(r) **'Gipsy Queen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Bow Bells Group × 'Barclayi Robert Fox' L: Greer Gardens (1976) Fls deep pink; bud scales deep red. Lvs deep green. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years. (Also seen as 'Gypsy Queen')

(r) **'Giraffe'** (see 'The Giraffe')

(r) **'Giralda'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Byls (pre 1868), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Girard Better Letter'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Melford Red Letter' × unknown H: P.E. Girard, I: Girard Nurseries (1994) Fls deep orange-red. Vigorous shrub

(r) **'Girard Caroladore'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *minus* Carolinianum Group R: Girard Nurseries, N: Girard Nurseries, I: Girard Nurseries (1997) Fls white. Compact shrub

(a) **'Girard Dwarf Lavender'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: P.E. Girard (pre 1988), I: Girard Nurseries (1988) Fls medium clear lavender. Compact shrub

(a) **'Girard Fireflash'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Girard Nurseries, N: Girard Nurseries, I: Girard Nurseries (1992) Fls 65mm wide, deep orange-red, with an orange-yellow throat. Mid-late

(r) **'Girard Joshua'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'America' × 'Nova Zembla' × 'America' × 'Mars' H: P.E. Girard, G: P.E. Girard, N: P.E. Girard, I: Roslyn Nursery (1989) Fls dark red, with white stamens and pistil and with wavy-edged lobes. Lvs with wavy margins. Shrub to 1.5-1.8m. Syn: 'Joshua' (Originally introduced as 'Joshua' but 'Girard Joshua' was the raiser's preferred form)

(a) **'Girard Kathy'** (Syn. of 'Kathy Ann')

(r) **'Girard Lucky Star'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Chionoides' R: Girard Nurseries, N: Girard Nurseries, I: Girard Nurseries (pre 1994) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, pink in bud, opening white, with a light cream centre. Syn: 'Lucky Star'

(a) **'Girard Pink Delight'** (Syn. of 'Girard's Pink Delight')

(a) **'Girard Pleasant White'** (Syn. of 'Pleasant White')

(a) **'Girard Red Pom Pom'** (Syn. of 'Girard's Red Pom Pom')

(r) **'Girard Ruffled Red'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Girard Nurseries, N: Girard Nurseries, I: Girard Nurseries (pre 1994) Fls in a tight truss, with very wavy-edges lobes, rose red. Syn: 'Ruffled Red'

(a) **'Girard Salmon Delight'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Pink Delight' × 'Klondyke' R: P.E. Girard (pre 1985), N: P.E. Girard Fls semi-double, 25-30/truss, 50-65mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (50C), flushed strong yellowish pink. Lvs light yellow (15D) tinged orange in autumn. Syn: 'Salmon Delight'

(a) **'Girard's Border Gem'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Girard's Rose' R: P.E. Girard (pre 1985), N: P.E. Girard Fls 25-40mm wide, deep pink (52C). Lvs 20 × 10mm. Dwarf dense shrub. Syn: 'Border Gem'

(a) **'Girard's Caroline'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Girard Nurseries, N: Girard Nurseries, I: Girard Nurseries (1994) Fls rose rose. Lvs dark green, becoming reddish in winter. Compact shrub

(a) **'Girard's Chiara'** (Syn. of 'Chiara')

(a) **'Girard's Crimson'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Boudoir' × 'Aladdin' (s) × 'Boudoir' × 'Corporal' H: P.E. Girard (1962), G: P.E. Girard (1965), N: P.E. Girard, I: P.E. Girard (1972), REG: P.E. Girard (1975) Fls single, 3/ball truss, 40 × 65mm, broadly funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (7.5RP 5/12), with a strong red blotch (5R 4/12). Calyx 20mm long, light green. Lvs ovate to orbicular, 40 × 17-25mm, glossy dark green above, hairy below. Shrub 0.4 × 0.6m in 8 years. Early June. Syn: 'Crimson'

(a) **'Girard's Crimson Tide'** (Syn. of 'Crimson Tide')

(a) **'Girard's Deep Salmon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Roberta Ann' × 'Girard's Hot Shot' (s) × 'Roberta Ann' H: P.E. Girard (1971), G: P.E. Girard, N: P.E. Girard, I: Girard Nurseries, REG: Girard Nurseries (1983) Fls hose-in-hose, 3/truss, 30 × 65mm, open funnel-shaped, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (41B), un-marked. Calyx petaloid, coloured as corolla. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 40 × 17mm, moderate yellowish green (139B), glossy above. Shrub c0.6m in 4 years

(a) **'Girard's Fuchsia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: ('Herbert' × 'Girard's Hot Shot') × 'Sandra Ann' (s) × 'Sandra Ann' H: P.E. Girard (1971), G: P.E. Girard, N: P.E. Girard, I: Girard Nurseries (1978), REG: P.E. Girard (1981) Fls single, 3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65-75mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish red (71A) with strong purplish red (72A) spotting; outside strong reddish purple (72C). Lvs narrowly obovate to elliptic, 45 × 20mm, moderate olive green (147A) above, deep, glossy green. Shrub to 0.6m in 5 years. Syn: 'Fuchsia'

(r) **'Girard's Gold Charm'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: derived from a combination of *ferrugineum*, *myrtifolium* and *keiskei* R: Girard Nurseries, N: Girard Nurseries, I: Girard Nurseries (pre 1994) Fls creamy yellow. Compact shrub 0.75 × 1.2m. Syn: 'Gold Charm' (Exact combination of parents unknown)

(a) **'Girard's Hot Shot'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'El Capitan' (s) × 'Aladdin' H: P.E. Girard (1963), G: P.E. Girard (1965), N: P.E. Girard, I: P.E. Girard (1971), REG: P.E. Girard (1975) Fls single, 3-5/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 65-70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, dark reddish orange (7.5R 4/11), with dark red or maroon spotting. Calyx 10mm long, light green. Lvs broadly elliptic to ovate, 28 × 20mm, glossy, strong green (5G 4/7), hairless; winter leaves dark yellowish green (2.5G 4/6). Shrub 0.6 × 0.8m in 8 years. Mid May

(a) **'Girard's Mount Saint Helens'** (Syn. of 'Mount Saint Helens')

(a) **'Girard's National Beauty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: P.E. Girard, N: P.E. Girard, I: P.E. Girard (1986) Fls 50-65mm wide, with very wavy-edged lobes, deep pink. Lvs glossy, reddish in autumn. Low, spreading shrub, 0.45-0.6m in 5 years

(a) **'Girard's Orange Lace'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Gibraltar' × 'Klondyke' R: P.E. Girard (pre 1985), N: P.E. Girard, I: P.E. Girard Fls 18-28/truss, 65-75mm wide, strong orange (25A), blending to vivid yellow (15A) towards laced edges. Lvs orange-yellow in autumn

(a) **'Girard's Parfait'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Homebush' (s) × 'Cecile' H: P.E. Girard (1969), G: P.E. Girard (1974), N: P.E. Girard, I: P.E. Girard, REG: P.E. Girard (1983) Fls 25-30/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 25 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (50B) in bud, opening white, edged strong pink (49A), with a dorsal blotch of vivid yellow (14A); outside white, flushed 49A; highly scented. Calyx 10mm long, moderate yellow-green (139D). Lvs broadly elliptic, 75 × 45mm, brilliant yellow-green (149C), ciliate, otherwise hairless; light to strong orange-yellow (16B-22A) in autumn. Shrub 1.0 × 0.6m in 5 years. Mid-late May

(a) **'Girard's Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Girard's Crimson' (s) × 'Girard's Rose' H: P.E. Girard, G: P.E. Girard (1976), N: P.E. Girard, I: Girard Nurseries (1979), REG: P.E. Girard (1983) Fls 3-4/truss, 50 × 45mm, tubular funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, deep pink (50B) in bud, opening vivid red (52A), with a moderate purplish red (58A) dorsal blotch. Calyx 7mm long, brilliant yellow-green (154B). Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 25 × 10mm, dark yellowish green (139B), ciliate and sparsely setose below. Shrub c0.4 × 0.45m in 4 years

(a) **'Girard's Pink Dawn'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Geneva' × 'Kathleen' × 'Pink Boudoir' R: P.E. Girard (pre 1971), N: P.E. Girard Fls hose-in-hose, 65mm wide, rose pink. Lvs dark green, reddish in autumn and winter. Compact shrub. Syn: 'Pink Dawn'

(a) **'Girard's Pink Delight'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Homebush' × 'Cecile' R: P.E. Girard (pre 1982), N: P.E. Girard Fls double, hose-in-hose, 20-24/ball truss, bright salmon pink (deep salmon in bud); highly scented. Lvs mid green, turning yellow in autumn. Syn: 'Pink Delight', 'Girard Pink Delight'

(a) **'Girard's Pleasant White'** (Syn. of 'Pleasant White')

(a) **'Girard's Purple'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Sandra Ann' (s) × 'Girard's Scarlet' H: P.E. Girard (1971), G: P.E. Girard, N: P.E. Girard, I: Girard Nurseries (1977), REG:

P.E. Girard (1981) Fls 3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish purple (74B) with deep reddish purple (77A) spotting. Calyx 5mm long, light yellow-green (145C). Lvs close to narrowly obovate, 40 × 20mm, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairy above and below; winter leaves strong to moderate red (46A, 47A). Shrub 0.6 × 0.45m in 4 years. Mid May

(a) **'Girard's Red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Carlson's Gardens (1985) Fls large, red. Low-growing shrub. Mid May

(a) **'Girard's Red Pom Pom'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Girard Nurseries, N: Girard Nurseries, I: Girard Nurseries (pre 1994) Fls double, in tight trusses, red; scented. Mid-late May. Syn: 'Girard Red Pom Pom', 'Red Pom Pom'

(r) **'Girard's Remarkable Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Girard Ruffled Red' L: H.E. Greer (1996) Fls deep pink, shading to silvery white centres. Lvs glossy. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(a) **'Girard's Rose'** cv. Evergreen azalea: ('Fedora' × 'El Capitan') × 'Boudoir' (s) × 'Boudoir' H: P.E. Girard (1965), G: P.E. Girard (1968), N: P.E. Girard, I: Girard Nurseries (1971), REG: P.E. Girard (1975) Fls single, 3/tall truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds salmon pink, opening deep pink (10RP 6/12), outside deep yellowish pink (5R 6/11). Calyx 7mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 40 × 20mm, glossy, dark yellowish green (10GY 4/5); dark orange and scarlet shades in winter. New growth light red. Shrub 1.0 × 0.6m in 7 years. Mid May

(a) **'Girard's Salmon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: P.E. Girard, I: Girard Nurseries (1986) Fls large, hose-in-hose, salmon pink. Upright shrub

(a) **'Girard's Scarlet'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Aladdin' (s) × 'El Capitan' H: P.E. Girard (1962), G: P.E. Girard (1965), N: P.E. Girard, I: P.E. Girard (1970), REG: Girard Nurseries (1975) Fls single, 3-5/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 75 × 65mm, 5-lobed, buds scarlet, opening strong red (5R 4/12), with a deep maroon blotch. Calyx 7mm long, red. Lvs broadly elliptic, 25-40 × 20mm, deep glossy green. Shrub 0.6 × 0.8m in 9 years. Mid May

(a) **'Girard's Variegated Gem'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Girard's Border Gem' R: P.E. Girard (pre 1987), N: P.E. Girard Fls 25-40mm wide, deep pink. Lvs 10-30mm long, narrow and wavy-edged, with a brilliant yellow (14C) margin. Dwarf, compact shrub. More compact than 'Silver Sword'

(a) **'Girard's Variegated Hot Shot'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Girard's Hot Shot' R: P.E. Girard (pre 1988), N: P.E. Girard Fls 65mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, strong orange (24A), with dark red spotting. Lvs slightly smaller than in parent, with very pale yellow margins. Low, spreading shrub, 0.45m in 8 years

(a) **'Girard Unsurpassable'** (Syn. of 'Unsurpassable')

(a) **Girard White Clouds Group** gp Evergreen azalea: grown from open-pollinated seed from white-flowered Girard evergreen azaleas R: Girard Nurseries, N: Girard Nurseries, I: Girard Nurseries (c 1988) Most seedlings with white flowers

(a) **'Girard Yellow Pom Pom'** cv. Deciduous azalea: hybrid involving a 'White Swan' seedling, 'Klondyke' and 'Homebush' R: P.E. Girard (pre 1985), N: P.E. Girard Fls hose-in-hose, 18-24/truss, 50-65mm wide, vivid yellow (12A), occasionally tinged vivid orange-yellow (21A). Lvs vivid yellow (14A) in autumn. Syn: 'Yellow Pom Pom'

(a) **'Giroflé'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Jusa (pre 1880), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, glossy dark rose. Indian

(a) **'Gisela'** (See note under 'Giselde')

(r) **'Gisela'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Everestianum' (s) × 'Boule de Neige' R: T.J.R. Seidel (1905), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light lilac, with darker margins and green markings

(a) **'Giselde'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (1883), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white, often with rose dots. Indian (Also seen listed as 'Gisela'; J. Linden cat., 1878/79 lists a 'Gisela' with the same origin and description: it is not certain which spelling is correct)

(v) **'Giselle'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown I: Vireya Venue (1997) Fls soft white/blush pink; scented. Lvs fleshy. Bushy shrub to 1.0 × 1.0m

(a) **'Gislinde'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Rubinstern' × 'Rubinetta' (s) × 'Johanna' H: H. Hachmann (1976), G: H. Hachmann (1979), N: H. Hachmann (1989), I: H. Hachmann (1993), REG: G. Stück (1994) Fls solitary, in clusters of 3 at shoot tips, tubular funnel-shaped, semi-double to double, with 7-9 lobes, 28-32 × 45-50mm, deep purplish pink (55A) inside and out, not fading; dorsal lobe spotted strong red (53B/C). Calyx 2-3mm long, light green, with silvery hairs. Lvs ovate, 17-20 × 8-10mm, flat, slightly glossy dark green above, light green below. Semi-prostrate shrub, 0.3 × 0.6m in 10 years. Late May-mid June. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1993/1994)

(r) **'Giuseppe Verdi'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* (s) × 'Vineland Fragrance' H: R. Behring (1982), G: R. Behring (1988), N: R. Behring, REG: R. Behring (1989) Fls 15/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 76 × 102mm, with 5-7 wavy to very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (55B) with a moderate yellow (160A) flare and deep orange-yellow (163A) spotting on the dorsal lobe; slightly scented. Calyx very small, light green. Lvs oblong, 152 × 51mm, flat, acute at apex, cordate at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 6 years. Late May

(a) **'G.J. Bier'** (Syn. of 'Monsieur G.J. Bier')

(r) **'Glabrum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a form or hybrid of *arboreum* R: unknown (pre 1842), INC: ICRA (1958) (Exhibited in Paris by M. Guérin in 1842)

(r) **'Glabrum Triumphant'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1843), INC: ICRA (1958) (Exhibited by Paillet in Paris, 1843)

(a) **'Glacier'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Malvaticum' (s) × 'Yozakura' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, 65-75mm wide, shining white, with a faint green tone. Lvs dark, shiny green. Shrub to 1.5m. Late April. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Glacier'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: M.E. Greentree (pre 1969), N: M.E. Greentree Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, white, with a green throat

(a) **'Glacier Beauty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably a seedling from 'Glacier' R: I.L. Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L. Amann Fls 65mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, extremely variable in colour: solid reddish orange to white or very pale pink shading to light pink (50D) at tips, with a darker blotch; prominent feathered calyx turns red in autumn. Shrub to 2.2m, with vertical growth habit. Midseason

(r) **'Glacier Queen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: unnamed low, white hybrid × un-named white, with a yellow centre H: E.V. Mezitt (1971), G: Weston Nurseries (1975), N: Weston Nurseries, I: Weston Nurseries, REG: Weston Nurseries (1987) Fls 10-14/flattened ball truss, 51 × 89mm, open funnel-shaped, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, yellowish white (155B), with a strong greenish yellow (151A) blotch. Calyx 3mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 127-152×51mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 7 years. Mid-late May

(a) **'Glacier Stripe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably a seedling from 'Glacier' R: I.L. Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L. Amann Fls 50mm wide, white, with occasional vivid purplish red (57C) stripes and a yellowish green blotch. Shrub to 1.0m

(a) **'Gladiator'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Hinodegiri' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 3-4/truss, 45mm wide, nopal red (close to vivid red (45A)), with a blotch of bordeaux red spots that make the flower appear as very deep bordeaux red. Lvs dark green, up to 65mm long. Dense shrub to 1.5m. Mid April. Glenn Dale

(r) **Gladiator Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: F.C. Puddle Group (s) × *griersonianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1932), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep scarlet

(r) **'Gladifolium'** cv. Parentage unknown L: V.J. Boulter & Sons (1970) Fls rose pink; early. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Gladioliflorum Superbum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Delmotte (pre 1864), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Gladngay'** cv. Deciduous azalea: F2 derivative of 'Cecile' R: A.A. & M. Childers (1956), N: A.A. & M. Childers, I: A.A. & M. Childers (1970), REG: A.A. & M. Childers (1971) Fls 11/truss, 100 × 100mm, with 6 rather square lobes, more-or-less flat, light orange-yellow (24C), with strong reddish orange overlay (40C) and a strong orange blotch (26A). Colours well in autumn. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Mid May

(a) **'Glad Rag Doll'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, large, salmon pink, with a very bright golden orange flare covering the entire dorsal lobe. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Late June

(r) **'Gladsgay Gardens'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), N: Mrs J.W. Murray (2000), REG: M.V. & B. Whitman (2002) Fls 19/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purple (80A) in bud, opening inside vivid purple (80A) at margins shading to light purple (80C) at centre, with deep orange-yellow (163A) spotting on the dorsal lobe; outside pale violet with strong purple (80B) midribs and margins; filaments and style vivid purple (80A). Lvs elliptic, 140 × 55mm, margins flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.4×1.5min 10 years. MidMay. Syn: 'Mrs Glass Dexter'

(r) **'Gladstone'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: (Dexter no. 26 × *griersonianum*) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × 'Janet Blair' H: M.S. Green (1958), N: J.C. Wister

(a) **'Gladstonii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1841), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Exhibited in UK in 1841)

(r) **'Glad Tidings'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: China Group × *williamsianum* H: B.F. Lancaster, G: B.F. Lancaster, N: B.F. Lancaster, I: B.F. Lancaster, REG: B.F. Lancaster (1965) Fls 12/upright truss, up to 65 × 100mm, 6-lobed, a blend of cream and pink, the throat with a red flare at the base. Lvs up to 150 × 65mm, cordate at base. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Midseason

(a) **'Gladwynense'** L: USA (1985) (Probably an error for *R.* × *gladwynense* M.G. Henry (1953): described as *R. prunifolium* × *R. serrulatum*)

(r) **'Gladys'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* (s) × *fortunei* R: S.R. Clarke (pre 1926), N: S.R. Clarke, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c10/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 80mm, usually 6-lobed, creamy yellow in bud, opening to pale cream with a few purple markings on a dark ground. Calyx saucer-shaped. Lvs oblong-ovate, up to 105 × 50mm, dark glossy green above. Shrub to 2.2m or more. AM 1926 (Gladys Group)

(r) **Gladys Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* (s) × *fortunei* R: S.R. Clarke (pre 1926), N: S.R. Clarke, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Gladys Cannon'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: C. Cannon (1990), G: C. Cannon (1994), N: C. Cannon, REG: L. Caton (1997) Fls 16-17/ball truss, hose-in-hose, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 75mm, lobes 5/whorl, wavy-edged, moderate reddish orange (35B) in bud, opening vivid yellow (17C) with outer lobes tinged moderate reddish orange (35A) at margins; no stamens, style 50mm long, moderate reddish orange (35A); moderately scented. No normal calyx present. Lvs elliptic, 75 × 40mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (146A) above, with discrete hairs above and below. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in 6 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Gladys Gillians'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* (s) × *fortunei* I: Lord Digby (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Syn: 'Gillians' (Gladys Group)

(r) **'Gladys Johnson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Diva Group × *fortunei* N: Mrs E.E. Johnson, I: Mrs E.E. Johnson, REG: Mrs E.E. Johnson (1962) Fls 15/rounded truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 100mm wide, 7-lobed, rose pink in bud, paler when open. Lvs oblong-lanceolate, 150-175 × 75mm, thick. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. (Appears to be a superior *fortunei* form, showing little evidence of hybridity; bought by registrant as an unnamed seedling)

(r) **'Gladys Rillstone'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* hybrid R: Exbury (pre 1984), N: Exbury (Plant subsequently lost and no data recorded)

(r) **'Gladys Rose'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* (s) × *fortunei* R: Lord Swaythling (pre 1926), I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 5-10/lax, irregular truss, funnel-shaped, 65 × 60-90mm, light rosy pink in bud, opening creamy white, with a crimson blotch in the throat. Calyx green, with a short red fringe. Lvs oblong-lanceolate, 125 × 50mm, pale green above. Late April-mid May. AM 1950 (Gladys Group)

(a) **'Glamora'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Louise Gable' × 'Tama-giku' × 'Wako' H: R.D. Gartrell (1960), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell (1969), REG: R.D. Gartrell (1977) Fls single, occasionally semi-double, 2-3/bud, open funnel-shaped, flat-faced, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (62D), with faint, yellow-green, dorsal spotting. Calyx 3 mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 25 × 15mm. Low, broad, rounded shrub. Late May-early June. (Robin Hill no. V21-1)

(a) **'Glamor Girl'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Gretel' × unnamed Beltsville seedling R: G. Taylor, N: G. Taylor, I: G. Taylor (1978) Fls hose-in-hose, with wavy-edged lobes, salmon red. Shrub to 1.5m

(a) **'Glamour'** cv. Evergreen azalea: deep salmon form of *indicum* (s) × 'Hazel Dawson' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 1-3/truss, 50-75mm wide, a brilliant rose red (near vivid red (52A)). Lvs narrow. Shrub to 1.5m. Mid April-early May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Glamour'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Margaret' (s) × *griersonianum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10/truss, 75 × 100mm, deep cherryred (727), with undertones of orange. Lvs elliptic, 175 × 50mm. April-May. AM 1946 (Glamour Group)

(r) **Glamour Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Margaret' (s) × *griersonianum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1939), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Glamour Compactum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Glamour' R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls strong purplish pink. Compact shrub

(r) **'Glamour Girl'** (Syn. of 'Glamour Rose')

(r) **'Glamour Rose'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Essex Scarlet' (s) × *fortunei* (Nearing's hardy selection) H: B. & M. Shapiro (1959), G: B. & M. Shapiro, N: B. & M. Shapiro, REG: B. & M. Shapiro (1993) Fls 12-14/conical truss, open to broadly funnel-shaped, with (6-)7 smooth-edged and unusually deep lobes (corolla divided to c40mm), strong purplish red (67A) in bud, opening very pale pink, covered with a network of fine, deep purplish pink (68A) to strong purplish pink (67D, 68B) veins, paler at margins and with a deep red (60A) to strong purplish red (60B) throat and dorsal lobe spotting of same colour extending to within 10mm of margin and extending on to adjacent lobes; two dark red (59A) streaks also present on dorsal lobe; outside strong to vivid purplish red (67D, 68B), with lighter margins; stamens 12, straight. Calyx 1-2mm long, light greenish tan. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 127-152 × 51mm, with slightly wavy margins, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 2.0m in 30 years. Late May. Syn: 'Glamour Girl'

(r) **'Glanzblatt'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tarantella' (s) × *yakushimanum* H: H. Hachmann (1983), G: H. Hachmann (1988), N: H. Hachmann (1989), I: H. Hachmann (1996), REG: G. Stück (1995) Fls 14/dense truss, funnel-shaped, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, rose pink inside, with a more-or-less white throat and white midveins; outside deep pink (darker at edges); sparse spotting on the dorsal lobe. Lvs broadly elliptic, 95-123 × 35-58mm, strongly convex, with recurved margins, strongly and conspicuously glossy above, more-or-less oblique at base, acute at apex, with a thin, fawn indumentum below. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 10 years, of very compact, rounded habit. Late May

(a) **'Glaser Number 10'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Coelestine' hybrid R: K. Glaser, N: K. Glaser, I: K. Glaser (1963) Fls single (average 9 stamens/fl.), 76mm wide, deep yellowish pink (47C). Calyx normal, green. Growth similar to 'Coelestine'. Late. Syn: 'Manni Lachs', 'Elkar'. Indian

(r) **'Glasgow Glow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × 'Scarlet Lady' I: Sir John Maxwell (1953), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Glasnost'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *smirnowii* G: H.E. Salley (1987), S: W.E. Delp (1984), N: H.E. Salley, I: CardinalNursery (1992), REG: H.E. Salley (1991) Fls 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep to strong purplish red (71A-C) in bud, opening to a blend of light to very light purple (75A-C), with sparse, light olive (152B) spots; filaments and style strong purplish red (71C), anthers pale yellow (164D), stigma dark red (187A) and pale yellow (164D). Lvs elliptic, 120-150 × 30-50mm, glossy, dark yellowish green (139A) above, with a very thick, white, woolly indumentum below; young lvs hairy on both surfaces. Shrub 0.84 × 0.95m. June.

(r) **Glaucescens Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. chaetomallum var. glaucescens*

(r) **Glaucoboothii Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *glaucophyllum* (s) × *boothii* R: E.J.P. Magor (1915), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1922), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pinkish, with brownish red spots. Closely resembles Lepidoboothii Group

(a) **'Glaucum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: W. Aiton (1789), INC: ICRA (1958) (Perhaps best treated as *R. viscosum* var. *glaucum*)

(a) **'Glaucum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1826), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft rose. Lvs glaucous (A. Leroy, 1868). (Listed under *Azalea pontica*)

(a) **'Glaucum Aggregatum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1851), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Glaucum Flore Pleno'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Glaucum Glabrum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1826), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Glaucum Roseum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1851), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as "Viscosa Glauca Rosea")

(a) **'Glaucum Scabrum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Whitley & Osborn (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Stems 1.0-1.5m. Ghent

(a) **'Glaucum Strictum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Paillet (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white; scented. Ghent

(r) **'Glaucescens'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *glaucophyllum* (s) × *lutescens* R: G. Reuthe Ltd (1939), N: G. Reuthe Ltd, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow, suffused pink

(a) **'Gleam'** (Syn. of 'Croesus')

(r) **'Gleam'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* subsp. *cinnabarinum* Roylei Group (s) × orange selection from Royal Flush Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls long tubular, orange-yellow, with crimson-tipped lobes. Lvs rounded, grey blue when young becoming deep, slightly glaucous green. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. (Lady Chamberlain Group)

(r) **'Gleaming Pink'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group (Burns' yellow-orange) (s) × 'Delp's Sparkle' H: W.E. Delp (1990), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls moderate purplish pink (74D) and very pale purple (73D) in bud, opening to a blend of strong and light purplish pink (73B, C) and very pale purple (73D)

(a) **'Gledstanesii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably a seedling from 'Matsushima' R: W. Rollisson & Sons, N: W. Rollisson & Sons, I: W. Rollisson & Sons (1841), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, white, striped red. Syn: 'Lateritium Album', 'Lantanum Album'. Indian

(a) **'Gledstanesii Candidissimum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Henderson & Co. (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white. Indian

(a) **'Gledstanesii Excelsum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1844), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet rose. Indian

(a) **'Gledstanesii Formosum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: France (1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, striped and blotched scarlet. Indian

(a) **'Gledstanesii Major'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1847), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Gledstanesii Variegatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1857), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Glee'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' × 'Willy' (s) × 'Mrs Carmichael' × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50-65mm wide, striped and flaked mallow purple (close to strong reddish purple (72C)), with a faint chartreuse green blotch. Shrub to 1.5m. Late April-early May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Gleenoc'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: unknown (pre 1871), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(r) **'Glenarn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *sanguineum* subsp. *didymum* × *chamaethomsonii* H: A.C. & J.F.A. Gibson (1951), N: P.J. Urlwin-Smith, REG: P.J. Urlwin-Smith (1983) Fls 4/truss, 40 × 45mm, 5-lobed, deep red (53A). Calyx 4mm long, deep red (53A). Lvs ovate, 60 × 25mm, hairless

(r) **'Glenarn'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *ferrugineum* L: UK (1988) (Name originates from Glendoick Gardens (Scotland) and was intended as an indication of origin of their material, not as a cultivar

epithet. However, it has gained some circulation as a cultivar name in the trade)

(r) **'Glen Beacon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Glen Glow' × *arboreum* (Bennett's form) H: A.B. Raper (c 1975), G: A.B. Raper (1980), N: A.B. Raper (1991), I: Rhodo Glen Nursery (1991), REG: Rhodo Glen Nursery (1992) Fls 24-26/conical truss, tubular-campanulate, 50 × 40mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, inside strong red (53B), fading with age, with black spots on 3 lobes; outside strong red (53B). Lvs elliptic, 180 × 45mm, flat, matt green above, with a fawn indumentum below on mature foliage. Shrub 2.0m. Spring

(v) **'Glen Borch'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' × *laetum* H: T. Lelliott (1970), G: T. Lelliott (1985), N: Mrs H. Crouch, I: Mrs H. Crouch (1990), REG: Mrs H. Crouch (1991) Fls 5/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 60 × 60mm, 5-lobed, tube brilliant yellow (10A), lobes strong red (47B). Lvs elliptic, 80 × 35mm. Shrub 1.0m. Spring-autumn

(r) **'Glen Bruce'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marion' × *griersonianum* × *fortunei* H: G. Langdon, G: G. Langdon (1974), N: G. Langdon, I: G. Langdon (1975), REG: G. Langdon (1976) Fls 22/compact truss, funnel-shaped, 75mm wide, strong purplish pink (55B) with a deeper centre. Lvs elliptic. Shrub 0.8m

(r) **'Glen Cameron'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Glen Glow' (s) × 'Gill's Crimson' H: A.B. Raper, G: A.B. Raper (1974), N: A.B. Raper (1985), REG: A.B. Raper (1985) Fls 20-25/truss, campanulate, 50 × 70mm, strong red (51A). Calyx 30-50mm long. Lvs elliptic, 130 × 40mm. Shrub 1.5m

(r) **'Glen Catocal'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *sinogrande* × *macabeanum* H: J.F.A. Gibson, G: J.F.A. Gibson (1974), I: National Trust for Scotland (Brodick) (1976), REG: National Trust for Scotland (Brodick) (1976) Fls 28/rounded truss, ventricose-campanulate, 75 × 75mm, white, flushed cream, with a dorsal blotch of greyed red. Lvs oblong-elliptic, 52 × 25mm, dark green above, with a silvery grey indumentum below. April-May. PC 1976

(r) **'Glen Cloy'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *luteiflorum* R: National Trust for Scotland (Brodick), N: National Trust for Scotland (Brodick), REG: National Trust for Scotland (Brodick) (1967) Fls 7-11/truss, open campanulate, 22 × 22mm, light greenish yellow (4C). Calyx 5-lobed, pale green, faintly powdery. Lvs elliptic to narrowly ovate, 65 × 30mm, white below, aromatic. Shrub to 1.2m. FCC 1966

(a) **'Glencora'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' × 'Tama-giku' H: R.D. Gartrell (1960), G: R.D. Gartrell (1964), N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell (1972), REG: R.D. Gartrell (1977) Fls semi to fully double, 2-3/bud, 30 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes and numerous petaloid stamens, deep yellowish pink (47C), with faint, vivid reddish orange (43A) spotting on dorsal lobes. Calyx 3mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 40 × 13mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, moderate yellowish green (138A), glossy, hairless. Shrub 35 × 60cm in 15 years. Early. (Robin Hill no. V5-1)

(r) **'Glen Crimson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'President Roosevelt' × 'Earl of Athlone' H: A.B. Raper, G: A.B. Raper (1965), N: A.B. Raper, I: A.B. Raper (1975), REG: A.B. Raper (1976) Fls 22/compact truss, campanulate, 50mm wide, vivid red (52A). Lvs lanceolate, 125mm long. Shrub 1.2m

(r) **'Glenda Farrell'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a subsect. Fortunea hybrid H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), N: J.C. Wister, I: W. Efinger (1959), REG: The Tyler Arboretum (1983) Fls 13/truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 75mm, 5-7-lobed, strong purplish red (7.5RP 5/12), with deep purplish red (7.5RP 3/9) dorsal spotting merging into a blotch as base of dorsal lobe. Calyx 3mm long, light yellow-green. Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic or narrowly obovate to oblanceolate, 100-125 × 45mm, moderate olive green (5GY 4/3). Shrub c1.9m in 23 years. Mid May

(r) **'Glendoick'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *racemosum* R: Glendoick Gardens, N: Glendoick Gardens, REG: Glendoick Gardens (1970) Fls strong purplish pink (62A)

(a) **'Glendoick Crimson'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Red Red' (s) × 'Johanna' H: P.A. & K.N.E. Cox, G: P.A. & K.N.E. Cox, N: P.A. & K.N.E. Cox, I: Glendoick Gardens Ltd (c 2000), REG: Glendoick Gardens Ltd (2002) Fls 4-5/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, vivid red (46B) throughout and in bud. Calyx lobes c2mm long. Lvs 40-50 × 20-30mm, broadly elliptic, glossy, hairy. Shrub 35 × 22.5cm in 8 years. May.

(a) **'Glendoick Dream'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Panda' (s) × 'Rokoko' H: P.A. & K.N.E. Cox (1992), G: P.A. & K.N.E. Cox, N: P.A. & K.N.E. Cox, I: Glendoick Gardens Ltd (c 2000), REG: Glendoick Gardens Ltd (2002) Fls 2-3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 12-14mm long, strong purplish red (64C), with a few darker purple-red spots; stamens petaloid. Calyx tiny, green. Lvs ovate (but variable), 20-30xc10mm, margins upcurved, hairless. Shrub 45 × 45cm in 8 years. May.

(a) **'Glendoick Ermine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Panda' (s) × *mucronatum* H: P.A. & K.N.E. Cox, G: P.A. & K.N.E. Cox, N: P.A. & K.N.E. Cox (2001), I: Glendoick Gardens Ltd, REG: Glendoick Gardens Ltd (2002) Fls 2-3/truss, funnel-shaped, 30-35 × 30mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, white, with yellow-green spots and short lines on the 3 dorsal lobes; stamens and style white. Calyx 3-4mm long, green. Lvs obovate, up to 35 × 18mm, tapering at base to flattened petioles, flat, rounded at apex, matt green, hairy. Compact, spreading shrub, 20 × 35cm in 3 years. May.

(a) **'Glendoick Garnet'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Red Red' (s) × 'Johanna' H: P.A. & K.N.E. Cox, G: P.A. & K.N.E.

Cox, N: P.A. & K.N.E. Cox, I: Glendoick Gardens Ltd (c 2000), REG: Glendoick Gardens Ltd (2002) Fls 3-6/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 30 × 30-35mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep red (52A) throughout and in bud. Calyx lobes c5mm long, green. Lvs broadly ovate, more-or-less cuneate at apex and base, hairy. Shrub 30 × 30cm in 8 years. May.

(r) **'Glendoick Gem'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *dendrocharis* (from the wild collection made as CCH 3915) G: P.A. & K.N.E. Cox, S: P.A. & K.N.E. Cox, N: P.A. & K.N.E. Cox, I: Glendoick Gardens Ltd (2001), REG: Glendoick Gardens Ltd (2002) Fls 1(-2)/truss, funnel-campanulate, 30 × 40mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (66C) in bud, opening moderate purplish pink (66D) inside and out, heavily spotted with vivid purplish red (66A) on the dorsal lobe; anthers white. Calyx 4-6mm long, green. Lvs broadly elliptic, up to 15 × 6mm, margins decurved, obtuse and mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, matt green above, scaly. Shrub 30 × 40cm in 8 years. April(-May).

(a) **'Glendoick Goblin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Red Red' (s) × 'Johanna' H: P.A. & K.N.E. Cox, G: P.A. & K.N.E. Cox, N: P.A. & K.N.E. Cox (2001), I: Glendoick Gardens Ltd, REG: Glendoick Gardens Ltd (2002) Fls 2-3/truss, with a variable number of petaloid stamens, funnel-shaped, 30 × 40mm, with 6-8 slightly wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53B), unmarked; style red. Calyx 4-6mm long, green. Lvs ovate, 20-30 × 10-16mm, flat, cuneate at apex and base, glossy above, with appressed hairs. Shrub 20 × 30cm in 3 years. May.

(r) **'Glendoick Jewel'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *dendrocharis*, grown from CCH 4012 G: P.A. & K.N.E. Cox (1995), S: P.A. & K.N.E. Cox, N: P.A. & K.N.E. Cox, I: Glendoick Gardens Ltd, REG: Glendoick Gardens Ltd (2002) Fls solitary, campanulate, 30 × 50mm, with 5 lobes (each divided into 2), deep purplish pink (55A) in bud, opening light purplish pink (55C) to pale purplish pink (56C) on lobes inside and out; deep purplish pink (55A) spots on 2 dorsal lobes. Calyx 6-9mm long, reddish. Lvs broadly elliptic, 15 × 10mm, flat, rounded at apex, cuneate at base, scaly. Shrub 0.3 × 0.4m in 10 years. April-May.

(r) **'Glendoick Ruby'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lampion' × Charmaine Group (s) × Charmaine Group H: P.A. & K.N.E. Cox (1989), G: P.A. & K.N.E. Cox (1995), N: P.A. & K.N.E Cox (2000), I: Glendoick Gardens Ltd, REG: Glendoick Gardens Ltd (2002) Fls 5/flat truss, campanulate, 40 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (46B) throughout and in bud; no stamens; style sometimes distorted. Calyx to 30mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 60 × 25mm, margins decurved, cuneate at apex, rounded at base, glossy above, with a thin, light fawn indumentum below. Shrub 0.45 × 0.7m. April-May.

(r) **'Glendoick Velvet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Azurro' (s) × 'Rasputin' H: P.A. & K.N.E. Cox, G: P.A. & K.N.E. Cox, N: P.A. & K.N.E. Cox (c 2001), I: Glendoick Gardens Ltd, REG: Glendoick Gardens Ltd (2002) Fls 11/compact, conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with very wavy-edged lobes, inside deep purple (79C), outside deep purple (79C) with dark purple (79B) (almost black) down the centre of each lobe; the dorsal lobe with dark purple (79A) spots; stamens and style coloured as corolla. Calyx 1mm long, paler than corolla. Lvs broadly lanceolate, up to 95 × 28mm, margins decurved, acute at apex, cuneate at base, matt green above, hairless. Late May

(r) **'Glenfalloch'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *augustinii* L: Australia (pre 1984) Fls funnel-shaped, deep violet blue. Shrub 2.0m

(r) **'Glenfalloch Blue'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *intricatum* hybrid R: New Zealand (pre 1996), N: New Zealand Fls vivid blue. Compact shrub, 0.6m in 10 years. (Perhaps an error for 'Glenfalloch')

(r) **'Glenfiddick'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pacific Queen' × *wardii* H: Mrs G. Grant, G: Mrs G. Grant (1976), N: Mr & Mrs L.A. Grant, REG: Mr & Mrs L.A. Grant (1988) Fls 10/truss, funnel-shaped, 30 × 100mm, nasturtium red (14/3), shading to pale yellow (3/3), with a green ring around the inside of the tube. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs obovate, 130 × 55mm, hairless. November (New Zealand)

(r) **'Glen Glow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'May Day' × unknown H: A.C. Bramley, G: T. Browne, I: A.B. Raper, REG: A.B. Raper (1963) Fls c16/truss, geranium lake (20). Calyx large. Lvs with a brown indumentum. Shrub 0.6-1.0m

(r) **'Glen Highlight'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *calophytum* × 'Cornubia' H: A.B. Raper, G: A.B. Raper (1978), N: A.B. Raper (1993), I: Rhodo Glen Nursery (1994), REG: Rhodo Glen Nursery (1994) Fls 25-30/rounded truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds deep to strong red (53A-B), opening inside vivid red (57A) fading to white; outside vivid red (57A); 3 dorsal lobes blotched dark red (59A). Lvs elliptic, 150 × 35mm, wavy and twisted, matt green above, cuneate at base, acuminate at apex. Shrub 3.0m

(r) **'Glenna'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' (s) × 'One Thousand Butterflies' H: J. Barlup (1985), G: J. Barlup (1990), N: J. Barlup (1992), REG: J. Barlup (1996) Fls 19/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (50B) in bud, opening inside light pink (50D) at margins, shading to pale yellow (12D) in the throat with a moderate reddish orange (35A) area at base, extending upwards c6mm on three dorsal lobes; outside pale yellow (11C), with light pink (50D) midribs. Lvs oblong, 120 × 50mm, with wavy margins, rounded at base, obtuse at apex, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (146B) below, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.4m in 11 years. Late April-early May

(a) **'Glenndale White'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, single, white, with a soft green flush in the throat. (Not one of the officially named Glenn Dale cultivars from the USDA)

(r) **'Glennyanum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* hybrid R: Waterer (pre 1848), N: Waterer, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pinkish in bud, opening very pale lilac, almost white, spotted cinnamon. Dwarf shrub

(r) **'Glenolden'** cv. Parentage unknown R: G. Gillies, N: ScottArboretum, I: ScottArboretum (1980) Fls pink in bud, tinged yellow and apricot. (Seed collected by Gillies c1945 from open-pollinated flowers of Dexter hybrids on the Everitt estate)

(r) **'Glen Pagoda'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Leda Group × 'Zuiderzee' H: A.B. Raper (1975), G: A.B. Raper (1980), N: A.B. Raper (1991), I: Rhodo Glen Nursery (1991), REG: Rhodo Glen Nursery (1992) Fls 10-12/flat truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 70mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, pale greenish yellow (10D) inside, 10D with a red flush on each lobe edge on outside; deeper spotting on dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 45mm, flat, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.5m. Spring

(r) **'Glen Rosa'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *sidereum* R: National Trust for Scotland (Brodick), N: National Trust for Scotland (Brodick), REG: National Trust for Scotland (Brodick) (1964) Fls 20/rounded truss, ventricose-campanulate, 50 × 65mm, pale yellow-green (4D) with a ring of deep crimson at the base of the throat. Calyx rim-like. Lvs 225 × 65mm, leathery, dull silver below. AM 1964

(r) **'Glenrose Beauty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Polar Bear Group × unknown R: W.E. Glennie, N: W.E. Glennie, I: W.E. Glennie, REG: W.E. Glennie (1980) Fls white, with pale pink stripes

(r) **'Glenrose Star'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Naomi Group (s) × red seedling R: W.E. Glennie, N: W.E. Glennie, REG: W.E. Glennie (1984) Truss similar to Naomi Group, fls cherry red in bud, opening white with red margins. Lvs hairless. Habit similar to Naomi Group

(r) **'Glenroy Coppernob'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Ballalheannagh Garden (1987)

(r) **'Glenshant'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *grande* × *macabeanum* R: National Trust for Scotland (Brodick), N: National Trust for Scotland (Brodick), REG: National Trust for Scotland (Brodick) (1964) Fls c26/flat-topped truss, ventricose-campanulate, creamy white, flushed with a pale shade of pale yellow-green (4D) and with small, deep crimson, irregular markings in the throat. Calyx rim-like. Lvs 250 × 100mm, with a persistent, silvery indumentum below. AM 1964

(r) **'Glen's Orange'** (Syn. of 'Fred Hamilton'. Sometimes seen in error as 'Glenn's Orange')

(r) **'Glenwood Arctic Dawn'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group (s) × *dauricum* (white form) H: G.D. Lewis (1971), G: G.D. Lewis (1975), N: G.D. Lewis, REG: G.D. Lewis (1995) Fls up to 15/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 35 × 45mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, white, tinged very pale purple (75D), lightly spotted with dark reddish orange (172B) on dorsal lobe; stamens 10, straight. Pedicels 13mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 70 × 29mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, twisted, glossy and dark yellowish green (139A) above, moderate yellow-green (139C) below, with brownish scales; petioles 13mm long, moderate yellow-green (139D). Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years. Mid April. Syn: 'Arctic Dawn' (First published (under the unacceptable name 'Arctic Dawn') in the Cummins Garden cat., 1985)

(a) **'Glenwood Glow'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Alhambra' (s) × *prinophyllum* H: G.D. Lewis (1975), G: G.D. Lewis (1980), N: G.D. Lewis, I: G.D. Lewis (1982), REG: G.D. Lewis (1994) Fls 7-9/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped (with a very narrow tube and very widely flaring lobes), 38 × 38mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, opening strong pink (48C) with a vivid yellowish pink (30C) flare on the dorsal lobe and a deep pink (48A) tube; stamens 5, curved, equal. Calyx 3mm long, light yellow-green (144D). Pedicels 8mm long, light yellow-green (144D). Lvs elliptic, 64 × 25mm, flat, with slightly wavy margins, moderate olive green (146A) above, acute at apex, cuneate at base, white hairy at margins; petioles 5mm long, light yellow-green (144D). Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 19 years. Late May

(r) **'Glenwood Ivory'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Carolina Nude' × white-flowered *dauricum* (s) × *keiskei* H: G.D. Lewis (1992), G: G.D. Lewis (1995), N: G.D. Lewis (1999), REG: G.D. Lewis (1999) Fls 7/truss (only one, terminal, bud), broadly funnel-shaped, 30 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale yellow-green (4D) in bud, the apex tinged light purplish pink (63D), opening off white (pale yellowish pink 159D), lightly tinged with pale purplish pink (62D) inside and out, dorsal lobe spotted with strong orange-yellow (22A); stamens 10, white; pistil white. Calyx insignificant, strong yellow-green (145A). Pedicels 13mm long. Lvs lanceolate, 75 × 25mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless; petioles 10mm long. Shrub 0.45 × 0.75m in 6 years. Early May

(r) **'Glenwood Peach'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *keiskei* (s) × *racemosum* H: G.D. Lewis (1987), G: G.D. Lewis (1990), N: G.D. Lewis (1999), REG: G.D. Lewis (1999) Fls 3-4/bud (with 3-4 buds together), open funnel-shaped, 25 × 30mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds pale yellow (11D) at base, changing to deep purplish pink (66C) at apex, opening to pale

yellow (11D), flushed inside with vivid purplish red (66B) and outside with deep purplish pink (66C); unmarked. Calyx insignificant, strong yellow-green (145A). Lvs lanceolate, 45 × 15mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, scaly (scles dark brown, sparse above, more numerous below). Shrub 1.4 × 1.4m in 12 years. Late April(-early May)

(r) **'Glenwood Sentinel'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group, dark pink form (s) × *dauricum*, purple form H: G.D. Lewis (1982), G: G.D. Lewis (1985), N: G.D. Lewis (2000), REG: G.D. Lewis (2001) Fls 3/bud (with 1-2buds/shoot tip), open funnel-shaped, 30 × 45mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (72A) in bud, opening inside light purple (75A) at margins, shading to very pale purple (75D) at centre; outside light purple (84B) at margins, shading to very pale purple (84D) at base; unmarked. Calyx minute, light green, with tiny, colourless scales and white hairs. Lvs elliptic, 50 × 25mm, margins downcurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and moderate yellow-green (148A) above (dark red in winter), with tan to brown scales (very sparse above, more numerous below: also on petioles). Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 18 years. Mid April

(r) **'Glenwood Yellow'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *keiskei* (s) × 'Banana Boat' H: G.D. Lewis (1986), G: G.D. Lewis (1989), N: G.D. Lewis (1996), REG: G.D. Lewis (1996) Fls 3-5/flat truss, funnel-shaped, 35 × 30mm, with 5 very wavy-edged, rather pointed lobes, brilliant yellow-green (150B) in bud, opening light yellow-green (154D) throughout with strong yellow-green (144B) spotting on dorsal lobe. Calyx lessthn 1mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Lvs lanceolate, 75 × 25mm, margins flat, rounded at base, acute at apex, dull, dark yellowish green (139A) above, moderate yellow-green (148B) and with white scales below. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in 10 years. Late April

(r) **'Gletschernacht'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *russatum* (s) × Blue Diamond Group H: H. Hachmann (1961), G: H. Hachmann (1964), I: H. Hachmann (1976), REG: G. Stück (1983) Fls 8/truss, 25 × 30-40mm, funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, vivid violet (88A(-B)). Calyx 4-5mm long, strong yellow-green (145A). Lvs 40-50 × 13-17mm, scaly below. Shrub up to 2.0m. Syn: 'Starry Night'

(r) **'Glister'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *glischrum* subsp. *glischroides* R: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1990), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 12/loose truss, campanulate, 30 × 43mm, 5-lobed, white, with the central part of each lobe flushed deep purplish pink (68A) and with a dark red (59A) blotch in the dorsal throat; stamens 10; filaments white, anthers dark brown. Calyx 5-lobed, to 7mm long, greenish, glandular hairy. Lvs ovate-lanceolate, up to 110 × 45mm, dark green, bullate and hairless above, with brown bristles below. AM 1990

(r) **'Globiflorum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1856), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow

(a) **'Globosum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Hortus Gandavensis (1817), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush (Sweet, 1830). Ghent (Listed as "Nudiflora Globosa")

(a) **'Globosum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Ghent Floralies records (1830), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large, globular clusters, pure white (T. Rivers, 1835). Ghent (Listed as "Pontica Globosa")

(a) **'Globosum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1841), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Globosum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (1850), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Listed as "Calendulacea Globosa"; A. Leroy also listed a plant under this name, in 1868, when it was described as having rose-coloured flowers.)

(r) **'Globosum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in compact trusses, very large, glossy rose white/rosy lilac. (E. André (1864) attributes it to van Houtte; other sources suggest T. Jackson & Son)

(a) **'Globosum Album'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. van Geert (1877), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls milk white, with a jonquil yellow blotch. Ghent

(r) **'Globosum Purpureum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Lucombe, Pince & Co. (c 1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in compact trusses, globosa purple

(r) **'Globosum Roseum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R.T. Pince (pre 1868), N: R.T. Pince, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose. Neat, dwarf habit

(a) **'Globosum Rutilans'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1877), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Globosum Superbum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Jacob-Makoy (1851), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as "Pontica Globosa Superba"; perhaps the "Globosa Superba" of L. van Houtte, 1840)

(a) **'Glockenspiel'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1968), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1975) Fls double, yellowish pink. Midseason. Knap Hill

(a) **'Gloer'** (Syn. of 'Glör')

(a) **'Gloire'** (See 'La Gloire')

(a) **'Gloire Avant Tout'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: D. Vervaene, N: D. Vervaene, I: D. Vervaene (1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white, with an occasional carmine stripe. Indian

(r) **'Gloire d'Anvers'** (Syn. of 'Boddaertianum')

(a) **'Gloire d'Arras'** (Syn. of 'Madame Ambroise Verschaffelt')

(a) **'Gloire de Belgique'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: D. Vervaene, N: D. Vervaene, I: D. Vervaene (1857), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with rose stripes, spots and dots. Indian

(a) **'Gloire de Belgique'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1859), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, flesh rose, shaded white, spotted saffron yellow. Ghent

(a) **'Gloire de Belgique'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: C. Vuylsteke (pre 1896), N: C. Vuylsteke, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac red. Mollis (Sometimes considered to be a Ghent)

(r) **'Gloire de Bellevue'** cv. Parentage unknown R: D. Vervaene (pre 1864), N: D. Vervaene, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c12/hemispherical truss, 5-lobed, pale rosy carmine, white in centre of all lobes; dorsal lobe with lines of blackish spots, all lobes with minute, dark pink spots; filaments white

(a) **'Gloire de Boskoop'** (Syn. of 'Glory of Boskoop')

(r) **'Gloire de Boskoop'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1931), N: M. Koster & Sons, I: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) An improved 'John Walter', deeper coloured

(a) **'Gloire de Claude Goyet'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Madame Adolphe d'Haene' × 'Avenir' R: A. Truffaut (pre 1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, strong red (51A-53D). Calyx normal, green. Midseason. Syn: 'Claude Goyet', 'Monsieur Claude Goyet'. Indian

(r) **'Gloire de Gandavensis'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1851), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, beautifully spotted. (Probably the same as one of the plants also seen as 'Gloria Gandavensis')

(a) **'Gloire de la Belgique'** (Syn. of 'Gloire de Belgique')

(a) **'Gloire de Ledeberg'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Vervaene (1859), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Gloire de Loochristi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Paul Schäme' × 'Professeur Wolters' I: E. de Meyer (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, 75mm wide, lively light orange, between begonia rose & rose dorée, the lobes graduated in size from outer to innermost.. Indian

(r) **'Gloire de Luxembourg'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Backès (1861), INC: ICRA (1958) (Exhibited at Metz in 1861 by Backès, cf *Revue Horticole* (4th sér.) 10:418 (1861))

(a) **'Gloire de Meirelbeke'** (Syn. of 'John T.D. Lewelyn Albus')

(a) **'Gloire de Saint Georges'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *simsii* hybrid R: A. Steyaert, I: P. Bekaert (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double (stamens and pistil are petaloid), strong purplish red (58B). Calyx normal, green. Late. Syn: 'Hobbie'. Indian

(a) **'Gloire de Verschaffelt'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: L. Verschaffelt (1846), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple, with a band of rose on each petal, the lower lobe slightly washed with yellow; streaked white (L. Verschaffelt, 1846). Ghent (Other colour descriptions have been listed but these either represent errors or other plants under this name)

(a) **'Gloire d'Hippolyte'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1871), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose salmon, shaded creamy white, blotched golden yellow. Ghent

(a) **'Gloire d'un Parterre'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1859), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, rosy white, dorsal lobes yellow. Ghent

(a) **'Glomeratum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a rounded truss, reddish. May-June. (Listed under "*Azalea nudiflora*"; presumably the same plant listed by Sweet (1826): fls blush (Sweet, 1830))

(r) **'Glomeratum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1851), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed under *ponticum*; perhaps the same plant lised by Falla, 1827)

(a) **'Glör'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Noordtianum' × *kaempferi* and various Kurume azaleas R: G. Arends (1914), N: G. Arends (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls strong purplish red (64C), with slight reddish markings. Lvs wine red in autumn. Shrub 0.6-0.8m. Syn: 'Gloer'. Arendsii

(a) **'Gloria'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Gebr Mardner (pre 1860), N: Gebr Mardner, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Gloria'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Dorothy Gish' R: California Camellia Gardens (pre 1955), N: California Camellia Gardens Fls single to semi-double (some say hose-in-hose), very large, light purplish pink (55C), edged white; lobes strongly frilled. Early-mid-season. Indian (Sometimes listed as a Rutherford Hybrid)

(a) **'Gloria'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Elegans Superbum' × 'Hino-supreme' R: K. Sawada (pre 1960), N: K. Sawada Fls single, rose pink, blotched white. Early

(r) **'Gloria'** (Syn. of 'Bruns Gloria')

(a) **'Gloria Antwerpensis'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish red, with an orange red blotch (C. van Geer, 1890). Ghent (Some later sources (eg C.van Geert, 1890) list it as 'Gloria Antverpiensis')

(a) **'Gloria Belgica'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: P. Verleeuwen (1835), INC: ICRA (1958) (Perhaps the same plant as 'Gloria Belgiae' listed by J. Baumann, 1860)

(r) **'Gloria Belgica'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Barbier & Co. (1913), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink

(a) **'Gloria Francofurtensis'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Scheuermann (pre 1845), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls velvet red. Indian

(r) **'Gloria Gandavensis'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown, listed as an *arboreum* derivative by E. André (1864) R: L. Verschaffelt (pre 1864), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, strongly spotted brown. (Perhaps the same plant listed by Whitley & Osborn, 1850; in Germany 'Gloria Gandavensis' is now taken to represent what is thought to be a *catawbiense* hybrid, described as white, tinged rose, with striking yellow-green markings and listed by Seidel in 1894 (?= Hesse cat., 1925 as "fls pale pink"))

(a) **'Gloria Kessel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1990) (Listed as a parent of 'Shenandoah')

(a) **'Gloria Mundi'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Verleeuwen (1835), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 65mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, vivid orange (30C), with an orange-yellow blotch. Fls fade in bright sunlight. Midseason. Syn: 'Badia'? Ghent (Attributed to L. Sénéclause by some authors)

(a) **'Gloria Mundi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Apollo' × Kurume cultivar I: A. van Hecke (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 40mm wide, double, hose-in-hose, deep orange. Syn: 'Orange Coral Bells'. Sander

(r) **'Gloria Mundi'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably derived from hybrids involving *arboreum* and *caucasicum* L: A. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose

(v) **'Gloria Mundi'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Crown Princess of Germany' × *javanicum* R: unknown (pre 1891), N: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow to reddish orange

(a) **'Gloria Mundi Maxima'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Gloria Mundi Minor'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1849), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Gloriana'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Pericat (c 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, with petaloid calyx, 45mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, fuchsine pink (627/2), with a darker blotch. Dense, spreading shrub. Late. Pericat

(r) **'Gloriana'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group (s) × 'Goldsworth Orange' H: F.E.W. Hanger (1946), G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, I: Royal Horticultural Society (1953), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12/truss, a variable shade between claret rose (021/1) and empire rose (0621/1), suffused orange in the throat and with some spotting. AM 1953 (Gloriana Group)

(r) **Gloriana Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group (s) × 'Goldsworth Orange' H: F.E.W. Hanger (1946), G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, I: Royal Horticultural Society (1953), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Gloria Patria'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1851), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy pink. Knap Hill

(a) **'Gloria Rondi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Vervaene (1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, orange, with a bright red blotch. Indian

(a) **'Gloria Still'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Albert-Elisabeth' × 'Fedora' R: J. Harris, N: J. Harris, I: J. Harris (pre 1981) Fls hose-in-hose, in large trusses, 70mm wide, white, variegated pink. Shrub 0.6m in 6 years

(a) **'Gloria Triumphans'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1851), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow, shaded with pink (Fraser, 1875). Ghent

(a) **'Gloria Universalis'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1851), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Also seen listed as 'Gloria Universelle')

(a) **'Glorie de Boskoop'** (Syn. of 'Glory of Boskoop')

(a) **'Glorie van Boskoop'** (Syn. of 'Glory of Boskoop')

(a) **'Gloriosum'** (Syn. of 'Gloriosum Perfectum')

(a) **'Gloriosum'** (Syn. of 'Glory of Sunninghill')

(a) **'Gloriosum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* hybrid × *occidentale* R: unknown (pre 1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, flushed pink, with an orange blotch. Ghent

(a) **'Gloriosum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1913), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, bright rose. Resembles 'Madame John Haerens'. Indian

(a) **'Gloriosum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt, I: E.A. Merritt (c 1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, deep pinkish red. Kurume

(r) **'Gloriosum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1850), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush white

(r) **'Gloriosum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1856), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow

(r) **'Gloriosum Gandavense'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as an *arboreum* form or hybrid L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) (Probably a synonym of 'Gloria Gandavensis')

(a) **'Gloriosum Pectorii'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent ?

(a) **'Gloriosum Perfectum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1839), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, copper red, blotched golden yellow. Syn: 'Gloriosum'. Ghent

(r) **Glorious Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: unnamed red hybrid × *thomsonii* R: S. Smith, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Glorious Lady'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* × 'Earl of Athlone' R: H. Lem (pre 1959), N: H. Lem

(a) **'Glorious Orange'** cv. Deciduous azalea: seedling from 'Gibraltar' R: A.J. Knuttel (pre 1985), N: A.J. Knuttel Fls in large trusses, light orange. Knap Hill

(r) **'Glorium'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Glory'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1849), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Glory'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, empire rose (0621). Midseason. Bobbink & Atkins

(a) **'Glory'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: A. Pericat, N: Le-Mac Nurseries, I: Le-Mac Nurseries (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, 30 × 45mm wide, deep yellowish pink (46D); normal stamens mostly absent. Low-growing, compact shrub. Midseason. Pericat

(a) **'Glory'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls hose-in-hose, 30mm wide, strong yellowish pink, with a darker blotch. Kurume (Close to or identical with 'Blaauw's Pink')

(r) **'Glory'** (Syn. of 'John Willis Fleming')

(r) **'Glory Be'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R.W. Clark (pre 1980), N: R.W. Clark

(r) **'Glory of Athlone'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Earl of Athlone' (s) × 'Glory of Leonardslee' R: Sir James Horlick, N: Sir James Horlick, I: Sir James Horlick (1954), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Glory of Bagshot'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1930), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white, sweetly scented

(r) **'Glory of Bassett'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1942), INC: ICRA (1958) (Said to be similar to 'Professor Hugo de Vries')

(a) **'Glory of Boskoop'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: M. Koster & Sons, N: M. Koster & Sons, I: M. Koster & Sons (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange, spotted with red. Syn: 'Gloire de Boskoop', 'Glorie van Boskoop', 'Glorie de Boskoop'. Mollis

(a) **'Glory of Easter'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Jean Haerens' R: unknown (pre 1985) Fls double, deep yellowish pink. Indian

(r) **'Glory of Harkwood'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Fred Wynniatt' (i.e. the FCC clone) H: R.J.R. Drayson (1975), G: R.J.R. Drayson (1982), N: Mrs A.J.A. Drayson, REG: Harkwood Acres (1986) Fls 15-16/truss, open campanulate, 60 × 100mm, 6-lobed, deep pink (51B) in bud, opening more-or-less greenish white (155C), edged pale purplish pink (65C) especially in lobe sinuses, with dorsal spotting of brilliant yellow-green (150B). Calyx 4mm long, green. Lvs oblanceolate, 110 × 43mm, hairless. Shrub 0.5 × 0.8m in 10 years. May-June

(r) **'Glory of Keston'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1964) (Listed as a parent of 'Pélé')

(r) **'Glory of Leonardslee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* (blood red form) × *griffithianum* R: R. Gill & Sons (pre 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light strawberry red, fading with age. (Beauty of Tremough Group)

(az) **'Glory of Littleworth'** cv. Azaleodendron: parentage unknown R: J.H. Mangles (pre 1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 18 or more/compact, hemispherical truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40-45 × 50-60mm, 5-lobed, creamy orange and tipped pink in bud, opening to milk white, with a heavy, copper orange, dorsal blotch; scented. Calyx lobes 2-5mm long, purplish brown, glandular ciliate. Lvs lanceolate to elliptic, up to 130 × 30mm, dull, slightly glaucous green above. Straggly shrub to c1.9m. AM 1911

(r) **'Glory of Lockington'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tortoiseshell Wonder' (s) × 'Mrs Betty Robertson' H: D.J. Dosser (1990), G: D.J. Dosser (1997), N: D.J. Dosser (1997), REG: D.J. Dosser (1997) Fls in a domed truss, funnel-shaped, 57 × 50mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, deep red (53A) in bud, opening inside light yellow (12C) and outside pale yellow (11C), unspotted. Lvs elliptic, 123 × 39mm, margins decurved, apiculate at apex, attenuate at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.6m in 7 years. October-November (Tasmania)

(a) **'Gloryof Newcastle'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Gloria' L: Kelmscott Azalea Gardens (1984) Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, salmon red. Indian

(a) **'Glory of Numazu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Macrindicum Group hybrid R: K. Wada (pre 1937), N: K. Wada, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 125mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, pale terracotta ground with a scarlet edge, sometimes producing terracotta selfs

(r) **'Glory of Penjerrick'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* (blood red form) (s) × *griffithianum* R: S.

Smith, I: R.B. Fox (1903), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep strawberry red, fading to pink. AM 1904 (Beauty of Tremough Group)

(a) **'Glory of Sunninghill'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, strong lavender rose. Indian

(a) **'Glory of Sunninghill'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably *indicum* × *simsii* L: A. van Geert (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 2-3/truss, 50mm wide, orange-red, with a few darker spots; stamens 5-8. Lvs dark green. Late. Syn: 'Gloriosum', 'Floriosa'. Indian

(a) **'Gloskey Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1985) Fls double, strong purplish pink, flushed orange, with red dots near the throat. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 6 years

(a) **'Glow'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange. Kaempferi

(r) **'Glow'** (Syn. of 'Naomi Glow')

(r) **'Glow'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J.J. Crosfield, N: J.J. Crosfield, I: J.J. Crosfield (1935), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Glow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × 'Armistice Day' I: Bovees Nursery, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. Late

(a) **'Glo Wing'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Redwings' I: Sand Point Greenhouses (pre 1985) Fls hose-in-hose, orange to reddish orange. Indian

(r) **'Glowing Ember'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × *forrestii* Repens Group (KW 13225) H: Sunningdale Nurseries (1946), G: Sunningdale Nurseries (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vivid scarlet to bright red, spotted with crimson. (Herbarium material of KW 13225 is identified as *forrestii*, but some material under this number in cultivation has been tentatively attributed to *sanguineum* subsp. *didymum*)

(a) **'Glowing Embers'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Exbury, I: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vivid reddish orange, with a vivid orange blotch. Knap Hill

(a) **'Glowing Embers'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown N: Glenorie Nursery (pre 1979) Fls double, soft orange-red. Kurume

(r) **'Glowing Embers'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Romany Chal Group (s) × *griersonianum* R: J. Henny, N: J. Henny, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a conical truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 50 × 65mm, vivid red (54A) to moderate red (47A); stamens and pistil absent. Calyx white, hairy. Lvs oblanceolate, 125 × 50mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, deep green above, with a light tan, detersile indumentum below. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. June

(r) **'Glowing Gold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Yaku Sunrise' (s) × 'Lem's Cameo' H: F. Fujioka (1981), G: G.H. Kesterson (1986), N: G.H. Kesterson (2000), REG: G.H. Kesterson (2001) Fls 15/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish orange (34C) in bud, opening inside to a blend of moderate pink (49B) margins, deep pink (52B) midribs and a light orange-yellow (16C) throat, the dorsal throat spotted strong orange (26A); outside light yellowish pink (36C) at margins, shading to pale yellow (20C) near base, with deep yellowish pink (43C) midribs; with age the corolla changes from yellow-orange to gold and finally to light yellow. Calyx 13mm long, strong reddish orange (34C) blending to pale yellow (20C). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 150 × 50mm, with wavy margins, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.5m in 15 years. Mid-late April. Syn: 'Buna'

(r) **'Glowing Star'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* (s) × C.P. Raffill Group R: D.L. Hardgrove (pre 1954), N: D.L. Hardgrove, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls coral rose, with a red throat

(r) **'Glowlight'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group × *fortunei* R: D.L. Hardgrove (c 1960), N: D.L. Hardgrove Fls in semi-lax trusses, yellow. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Midseason

(a) **'Glow of Dawn'** cv. Evergreen azalea: (*yedoense* var. *poukhanense* × *kaempferi*) F2 R: J.B. Gable (c 1934), N: J.B. Gable, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light pink; similar to 'Springtime'. Gable (Discarded by the originator)

(a) **'Glow Worm'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls reddish orange. Kaempferi

(r) **'Glow Worm'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* (s) × Halcyone Group I: Sunningdale Nurseries (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep butter yellow

(r) **'Gloxineum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1940), N: R. de Wilde, I: Rhodo-Lake Nurseries (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls gloxinia-pink, with a prominent golden flare on the dorsal lobe, lobes slightly wavy-edged; scented. Lvs narrowly elliptic, with distinct veining and recurved margins. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Late. Syn: 'Dexter's Gloxineum'

(r) **'Gloxiniiflorum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *arboreum* R: R. Veitch & Son (pre 1913), N: R. Veitch & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, rose pink; scented. (Description from Veitch cat., 1913; 1958 Register gave it as waxy white with purple spots)

(r) **'Glutkissen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ovation' (s) × *forrestii* H: H. Hachmann (1988), G: H. Hachmann (1994), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 3-5/loose truss, tubular-campanulate, 45 × 40-45mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, more-or-less vivid red (45A) inside and out; unmarked; stamens 10, filaments strong pink (48D), anthers moderate brown (165A); style strong yellowish pink (37A), stigma deep red (185A). Calyx 3-14mm long, hose-in-hose, strong red/deep yellowish

pink (47B/C), edged somewhat yellowish. Lvs ovate, 50-55 × 25-28mm, flat, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, glossy above, hairless. Shrub 5 × 45cm in 10 years, mound-shaped or creeping, very slow-growing. Mid April-early May. (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030628). First published in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(a) **'Gnom'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Harvest Moon' × 'Johann Sebastian Bach' R: C. Fleischmann, N: C. Fleischmann, I: C. Fleischmann (1970) Fls 50mm wide, vivid red, with a yellow blotch. Late

(r) **'Gnom'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *haematodes* × red *catawbiense* hybrid R: G. Arends, N: G. Arends, I: G.D. Böhlje Nursery (1959), REG: G.D. Böhlje Nursery (1963) Fls up to 15/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, c60mm wide, red, with faint brown markings. Calyx large, scarlet. Lvs 40-80mm long, sparsely silvery felted below. Slow-growing shrub. April-May

(a) **'Gnome'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Bridal Veil' (s) × 'Azuma-no-hana' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, 65mm wide, white, with a green blotch and striped eugenia red (near moderate red (180B)). Dense, twiggy shrub to 1.2m. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Goat Fell'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *arboreum* R: National Trust for Scotland (Brodick), N: National Trust for Scotland (Brodick), REG: National Trust for Scotland (Brodick) (1964) Fls 15/globular truss, tubular-campanulate, 50 × 55mm, close to cherry red (722/1), with a few, small spots in the throat. Calyx small, red-rimmed. Lvs 175 × 50mm, silvery below. AM 1964

(a) **'Gobi-nishiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65-75mm wide, white, flaked, striped and sectored vivid red, with rounded lobes, sometimes producing red or white selfs; often light pink with white edges and a red-speckled throat. Shrub 0.9m. Satsuki (May be an alternative transliteration for 'Gomi-nishiki')

(a) **'Goblin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Bridal Veil' (s) × 'Azuma-no-hana' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, 50mm wide, white, flaked and striped eugenia red(near moderate red (180B)). Shrub to 1.5m. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Goblin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: W.C. Hage & Co., REG: W.C. Hage & Co. (1968) Fls single, deep lilac rose. Early. Kaempferi

(r) **'Goblin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Break of Day Group (s) × *griersonianum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 7/loose truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, pale salmon rose. Calyx lobes irregular, up to 25mm long. Lvs ovate-lanceolate, sage green, hairless. Shrub to 1.5m. April-May. AM 1939 (Goblin Group)

(r) **Goblin Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Break of Day Group (s) × *griersonianum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1939), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Goblin Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Break of Day Group (s) × *griersonianum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft rose pink, with a nankeen yellow throat. (Goblin Group)

(a) **'Godaishu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kyokko-nishiki' × 'Tenshiho' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65mm wide, with broad, rounded, irregular lobes, white, with occasional dark red sectors and a faint, greenish blotch. Satsuki

(a) **'Godefroid de Bouillon'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. de Cock (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark red. Ghent

(r) **'Godesberg'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* × hardy hybrid H: O. Schulz (1892), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, white, with brown spots. (Purchased by J.H. van Nes in 1896 and presumably introduced by them)

(a) **'Goethe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: F. Schneider (1863), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Goethe'** cv. Parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte (pre 1854), N: L. van Houtte, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Goethe'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catawbiense Grandiflorum' × 'Mrs Milner' R: T.J.R. Seidel (c 1897), N: T.J.R. Seidel (1905), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose, with weak, brown spotting

(r) **'Goethe'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Coombe Royal Group × un-named lilac hybrid R: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c14/dome-shaped truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 80-90mm, with wavy-edged lobes, pale lilac mauve with a paler centre and a ray of faint, brown markings. Calyx inconspicuous, rarely with its dorsal lobe up to 6mm long

(r) **'Go for It'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Oh My!' (s) × *aureum* H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, deep and strong purplish red (71A, B, C, D) in bud, opening very pale purple (76D) and white, edged strong purple (77B); anthers white. (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley, (1995))

(a) **'Gog'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1926), I: W.C. Slocock Ltd, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls strong orange. Midseason. Syn: 'Knap Hill Gog'. Knap Hill

(r) **'Gogetter'** cv. Parentage unknown R: H. Lem (pre 1980), N: H. Lem

(r) **'Go Green'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ivory Palace' (s) × 'Silvery Moon' H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 22/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 60mm, with 5 very wavy-edged

lobes, strong pink to pale purplish pink (54D, 56C-D) in bud, opening white with a light yellow-green (154D) flare and strong yellow-green (144A) dorsal spots; filaments and style greenish white (155C); anthers deep purplish red (187D); stigma dark red (187A). Lvs 140 × 51mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 0.9m in 18 years. Early June.

(a) **'Gohi-nishiki'** (Listed as a parent of 'Seiun')

(a) **'Gojo-nishiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, with a white ground, red stripes and halo-like spotting. Satsuki

(a) **'Goko'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Nikko' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, with rounded, well-spaced lobes, pale yellowish pink, with many variations of stripes and sectors of dark yellowish pink; occasional sectors of white. Satsuki

(r) **Golconda Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Beau Brummell Group (s) × *dichroanthum* H: L. de Rothschild (1932), G: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright pink. May-June

(a) **'Goldball'** (Syn. of 'Christopher Wren')

(r) **'Goldblattambiente'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Rotbäckchen' (s) × 'Tivoli' H: H. Hesse (1992), G: H. Hesse (1999), N: H. Hesse (1999), REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1999) Fls 9-19/slightly loose, rounded to pyramidal truss, open funnel-shaped, 35-47 × 35-70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong carmine pink in bud, opening inside slight pink-white, with darker margins and strong dark red markings on the dorsal lobe, ageing to nearly white; outside light purplish pink, with more intense colour on the veins. Calyx 1-5mm long, pale greenish. Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 65-147 × 21-54mm, flat, matt and dark green above, with golden yellow, mottled variegation, rounded at apex, cuneate at base. Shrub 0.35 × 0.35m in 6 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Gold Braid'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group (s) × Dondis Group H: R. Henny (1942), G: R. Henny, N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10/loose truss, 90mm wide, pale pink and bright yellow; calyx large. Semi-dwarf, spreading shrub

(a) **'Goldbrick'** cv. Deciduous azalea: wild-collected, natural hybrid of *arborescens* and *cumberlandense* S: L.C. Towe & N. Anastos (1992), N: L.C. Towe & N. Anastos (1992), I: E. Koone III (2001), REG: L.C. Towe & N. Anastos (2001) Fls single, 5-7/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, c40 × 40mm, 5-lobed, vivid yellow (14A) in bud, opening brilliant yellow (14C) inside and out, with a vivid yellow (14A) dorsal blotch; pistils red. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 40 × 20mm, margins flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (146A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in 10 years. Late May. (Collected from Nantahala Mountains, western North Carolina, USA)

(r) **'Goldbug'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* × Fabia Group H: R. Henny (1946), G: R. Henny, N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 9/truss, 40mm wide, opening scarlet, changing to orange, then to creamy yellow; throat flushed red and inside of flower with numerous, small, maroon dots. Lvs 75-100 × 30-45mm. Semi-dwarf shrub under 1.0m

(r) **'Goldbukett'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scintillation' (s) × *wardii* H: H. Hachmann (1966), G: H. Hachmann (1971), I: H. Hachmann (1980), REG: G. Stück (1983) Fls 10-14/truss, 35-40 × 50-55mm, 5-lobed, light greenish yellow (5D), tinted light greenish yellow (5C), marked deep red (60A) with darker spots on the blotch which is dark red (59A) shading downwards to strong purplish red (60B). Calyx 2mm long, greenish yellow. Lvs ovate, 70-90 × 45-55mm, hairless.

(r) **'Gold Charm'** (Syn. of 'Girard's Gold Charm')

(a) **'Gold Chip'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *prinophyllum* hybrid H: F.L. Abbott, S: Carlson's Gardens (1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls small, golden yellow, with orange edges. Mid June

(r) **'Gold Craze'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Fiery Orange' (s) × 'Opal' × 'Goldsworth Yellow' H: G. Gray, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, deep and strong red (53A, B, C) in bud, opening light and pale yellow (20B, C, D), with spots of strong yellow-green (144A) on the three dorsal lobes; filaments and style light yellow-green (154D); anthers moderate orange-yellow (164B); stigma dark reddish orange (172B). Calyx coloured as corolla. (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(a) **'Goldcrest'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (c 1935), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12-14/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 70mm wide, brilliant yellow (15C), with a brilliant orange-yellow (17B) blotch. Lvs light green, tinged red. *AM 1953. Knap Hill

(r) **'Gold Cup'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Linsweger Gold' (s) × Dido Group H: G. Dixon (1988), G: G. Dixon (1993), N: G. Dixon (2002), I: G. Dixon (2002), REG: G. Dixon (2002) Fls 7/flat truss, broadly campanulate, 45 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (73B) in bud, opening inside and out brilliant yellow (9C), deepening in throat to vivid yellow (9A); unmarked. Calyx 10mm long, vivid yellow (9B). Lvs elliptic, 80 × 50mm, margins decurved, acuminate at apex, cuneate at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 0.7 × 0.5m in 14 years. Flowering starting in mid May

(a) **'Gold Dust'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Exbury, N: Exbury, I: Exbury (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep yellow. Knap Hill

(a) **'Goldelse'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: O. Schulz (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with violet red lines. Indian (Listed in error as 'Goldeise' in 1958 Register)

(a) **'Golden Anniversary'** (Syn. of 'Golden Showers')

(r) **'Golden Anniversary'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Chlorops' × 'Golden West' × Mariloo Group R: B.F. Lancaster (1963), N: B.F. Lancaster, I: B.F. Lancaster (1970), REG: B.F. Lancaster (1970) Fls in globular trusses, open campanulate, 40 × 65mm, light greenish yellow (4C), with a reddish flare in the throat. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 50mm. Shrub at least 0.8 × 0.4m. Midseason

(r) **'Golden Anniversary No. 2'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: Thompson (pre 1985) (Listed as a parent of 'Tweedy Bird')

(r) **'Golden Beauty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Naomi Nautilus' (s) × *viscidifolium* H: G. Dixon (1987), G: G. Dixon (1998), N: G. Dixon (2002), I: G. Dixon (2002), REG: G. Dixon (2002) Fls 5/loose truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, yellow-green in bud, opening inside brilliant yellow (11A), with a strong yellowish pink (38A) rim; outside strong yellowish pink (38A) flushed brilliant yellow (11A); blotch vivid reddish orange (34A); style vivid reddish orange (34A). Calyx 5mm long, vivid reddish orange (34A). Lvs broadly elliptic, 80 × 50mm, margins decurved, acuminate at apex, slightly cordate at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 0.8m in 15 years. From mid May, for an extended period

(r) **'Golden Bee'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *keiskei* 'Yaku Fairy' (s) × *mekongense* var. *melinanthum* H: W.E. Berg (1971), G: W.E. Berg, N: W.E. Berg, I: W.E. Berg, REG: W.E. Berg (1983) Fls 5-6/truss, 22 × 35mm, open funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, brilliant yellow (8A), throat vivid yellow (9B), un-marked. Calyx 3mm long, strong orange (30D), with green lobes. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 50 × 17mm, moderate yellowish green (138A), with dense, pale green scales below. Shrub c0.6 in 10 years

(a) **'Golden Bell'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.S. Yeates (pre 1985), N: J.S. Yeates

(r) **'Golden Belle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × Fabia Group R: J. Henny, N: J. Henny, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 11/truss, saucer-shaped, 75mm wide, deep pink, deep yellow in throat. Lvs 115 × 40mm, deep green. Shrub under 1.9m. (Fls larger and throat a deeper yellow than 'Margaret Dunn'. Margaret Dunn Group)

(r) **'Golden Boy'** cv. Parentage unknown R: M. Wildfong (pre 1980), N: M. Wildfong

(v) **'Golden Casket'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown L: Orchid World/Vireya World (1995) Fls in full trusses, 50mm wide, pastel lemon yellow. Lvs light green. Shrub of open habit, to 1.5m tall

(v) **'Golden Charm'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Princess Alexandra' × *macgregoriae* R: F.M. Jury (pre 1991) Fls in large trusses, apricot and gold. Lvs very glossy; young foliage tinged bronze. Shrub 1.0m, with bright red stems

(v) **'Golden Chimes'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* hybrid L: USA (1993) Fls campanulate, buttercup gold, flushed apricot. (Perhaps raised in New Zealand)

(a) **'Golden Choptank'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *atlanticum* × *periclymenoides* L: Transplant Nursery (1987) Fls golden yellow; scented. (Choptank River Hybrid)

(r) **'Golden Clipper'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'New Comet' (s) × 'Crest' R: A.F. George, N: A.F. George (2000), I: Hydon Nurseries, REG: A.F. George (2000) Fls c12/rounded truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 70mm, 7-lobed, greyish red (182B) in bud, opening brilliant to light greenish yellow (4A-B) throughout; unmarked; stamens 14, filaments pale yellow, anthers pale brown; style pale yellowish green, glandular at base; ovary green, glandular; scented. Calyx rudimentary, with irregular lobes to 2mm long. Pedicels 20mm long, slightly glandular. Lvs oblong, to 110 × 55mm, rounded at apex, cordate to rounded at base, mid green above, slightly glaucous below, hairless; petioles 25mm long, heavily flushed maroon. Shrub to at least 1.5 × 1.0m. AM 1999 (Standard: herbarium specimen provided by registrant (WSY 0021410))

(r) **'Golden Coach'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Elizabeth de Rothschild Group × 'Jalisco Elect' H: R.J.R. Drayson (1976), G: R.J.R. & Mrs A.J.A. Drayson (1984), N: Mrs A.J.A. Drayson, REG: R.J.R. & Mrs A.J.A. Drayson (1990) Fls 8-9/truss, open campanulate, 80 × 135mm, with 7 lobes, moderate red (180B) in bud, opening brilliant yellow (10A) overlaid on edges of lobes moderate red (180C); inside pales to light greenish yellow (5D) shaded light greenish yellow (8B), with throat moderate red (179B); outside pales to light greenish yellow (5D). Calyx 30mm long, light greenish yellow (6D), shaded light greenish yellow (8B) and edged moderate red (179A). Lvs broadly ovate, 105 × 64mm, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.4m in 12 years. May

(r) **'Golden Cockerel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: May Day Group × 'Lascaux' R: A.F. George, N: A.F. George, REG: A.F. George (1968) Fls c10/laxtruss, scarlet in bud, opening to pale yellow (12D), with deeper yellow spotting. Calyx large, coloured as corolla. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years

(a) **'Golden Comet'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *luteum* G: Rhododendron Species Foundation, S: Rhododendron Species Foundation (1994), N: Rhododendron Species Foundation, I: Rhododendron Species Foundation (1996), REG: Rhododendron Species Foundation (1996) Fls 30/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, green in bud, opening vivid yellow (14A), with a darker vivid yellow throat and a darker edge to the dorsal lobe; stamens 5, curved, unequal; strongly scented. Calyx up to 3mm long, green. Pedicels 25mm long, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic to oblanceolate, 100 × 30mm, flat but with wavy margins, cuneate at base, acute at apex, moderate yellow-green (137C) above,

moderate yellow-green (138B) below, with discrete, white hairs on both surfaces; petioles c15mm long, green, hairy; autumn colour brilliant scarlet, with silvery hairs, retained to late November/early December. Shrub 1.8 × 1.5m in 18 years. Mid March-mid May. (Seed collected by D.A. Robbins near Inebolu (near the Black Sea) in Turkey, c1978)

(r) **'Golden Crest'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Whitney (pre 1980)

(r) **'Goldendale'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: (Loderi Group × *wardii*) × *campylocarpum* (s) × 'Skipper' H: C. McNew (1964), G: C. McNew (1969), N: C. McNew, I: C. McNew (1970), REG: C. McNew (1973) Fls 8-14/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 75 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, dark red in bud, opening butter yellow, with dark red in the throat. Calyx 20mm long, green. Lvs narrowly oblong, 75 × 25mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, pale green, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m in 9 years. May-June

(r) **'Golden Dawn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *macabeanum* (s) × unknown H: G. Huthnance, G: G. Huthnance (1980), N: G. Huthnance, I: G. Huthnance (1981), REG: G. Huthnance (1982) Fls 10-12/truss, 65 × 85mm, 7-lobed, light greenish yellow (601/2), with faint spotting at the base. Calyx green, edged red. Lvs oblong-elliptic, 200 × 80mm

(r) **'Golden Days'** (Syn. of 'Golden Moments')

(r) **'Golden Days'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Dondis Group × *dichroanthum* R: R. Henny, N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny (1959), REG: L. Henny (1972) Fls up to 10/truss, funnel-campanulate, 75mm wide, close to light yellow (21D) and shading to near brilliant yellow (13C); outer edges of lobes light yellowish pink (29C). Calyx 25mm long. Lvs oblong-elliptic, 140 × 45mm, dark green. Shrub to 1.2m

(r) **'Golden Delicious'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Catfortcampy Group × *lacteum* hybrid (s) × Goldfort Group × ('Chlorops' × (Hawk Group × Idealist Group)) H: C.R. & V. Haag (1980), G: C.R. & V. Haag (1987), N: C.R. & V. Haag, I: Cardinal Nursery & A Sandy Rhododendron (1989), REG: V. Haag (1995) Fls c10/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 65mm, with 7 smooth-edged lobes, straw yellow (604/3 with 604/1 throat), unmarked; stamens 12, straight, equal; stigma spinach green (0960/3). Calyx c1.5mm long, green, edged red. Pedicels ruby red. Lvs oblanceolate, 83 × 38mm, flat, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base; petioles c25mmlong, green. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 14 years. Early

(a) **'Golden Delight'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Stokes (pre 1969), N: W.E. Stokes (See *J. Am.Rh.Soc.* 42 (4):187 (1988))

(a) **'Golden Dream'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Exbury, N: Exbury, I: Exbury (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls strong orange-yellow. Knap Hill

(a) **'Golden Dream'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Stokes (pre 1969), N: W.E. Stokes (See *J. Am.Rh.Soc.* 42 (4):187 (1988))

(r) **'Golden Dream'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* × Naomi Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dusky pink in bud, opening deep creamy yellow, flushed and shaded pink, fading to ivory white at maturity. Lvs ovate, mid green. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Syn: 'Carita Golden Dream' (Carita Group)

(r) **'Golden Drop'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor Stocker' (s) × *campylocarpum* I: Sir James Horlick (1931), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Golden Eagle'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *calendulaceum* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10-12/domed truss, c65 × 75mm, funnel-shaped, strong reddish orange (32B), with an orange-yellow midrib and a vivid orange blotch. Lvs 90-100 × 40-50mm, bright glossy green. Shrub to at least 2.0m. *HC 1960. Knap Hill

(a) **'Golden Emma'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1992)

(a) **'Goldener Steig'** cv. Deciduous azalea: yellow hybrid (from Wüstemeier) (s) × double, light-coloured hybrid (from Exbury) H: H. Meltzer (1987), G: H. Meltzer (1992), N: H. Meltzer (1998), REG: H. Meltzer (1998) Fls single, 15-18/flat truss, funnel-shaped, 70mm wide, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, orange in bud, opening golden yellow inside and out, with a dark yellow dorsal blotch. Lvs elliptic, 110 × 40mm, margins upcurved, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.0m in 8 years. Mid-June

(a) **'Golden Eve'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, reddish orange, with an orange blotch. Late. Knap Hill

(a) **'Goldeneye'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 8-10/loose truss, 65mm wide, tubular to funnel-shaped, vivid reddish orange, with a strong orange blotch. Lvs glossy green, tinted bronze. Late. *AM 1952. Knap Hill

(r) **'Golden Falcon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Socrianum Group × Rima Group × 'Crest' H: A.F. George (1964), G: A.F. George (1974), N: A.F. George, I: Hydon Nurseries (1976), REG: Hydon Nurseries (1976) Fls 10/lax truss, 45 × 70mm, light greenish yellow (3D). Calyx irregular, up to 8mm long, greenish yellow. Lvs elliptic, light green. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. May

(r) **'Golden Fantasy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: R.J. Kersey (1963), G: Mrs H.A. Frederick, Jr, N: Mrs H.A. Frederick, Jr, I: Mrs H.A. Frederick, Jr, REG: Mrs H.A. Frederick, Jr (1979) Fls up to 8/lax, domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 125mm

wide, 7-lobed, cream, with a deeper yellow throat, a greenish dorsal blotch deep in the throat and slight chartreuse spotting; lobes fade to yellowish white (155B); scented. Lvs elliptic, 155 × 75mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, moderate olive green (147A) above. Shrub 2.4 × 2.1m in 15 years. Late May

(a) **'Golden Flare'** cv. Deciduous azalea: seedling from 'Altaclerense' R: A.C.H. Metselaar (pre 1966), N: A.C.H. Metselaar, REG: A.C.H. Metselaar (1969) Fls 12-14/truss, 60-65mm wide, vivid yellow (4/1), with a reddish orange blotch (11/1); lower lobes turned down. Tall shrub

(a) **'Golden Fleece'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Stokes (pre 1969), N: W.E. Stokes (See *J. Am.Rh.Soc.* 42 (4):187 (1988))

(r) **'Golden Fleece'** (Syn. of 'Princess Anne')

(r) **'Golden Fleece'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goldsworth Orange' × Yvonne Group R: W.C. Slocock Ltd, N: W.C. Slocock Ltd, REG: W.C. Slocock Ltd (1966) Fls large, with wavy-edged lobes, golden yellow. Lvs large, rounded

(r) **'Golden Flute'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *burmanicum* hybrid L: Riverview Gardens (pre 1996) Fls bright yellow gold. Compact shrub, 0.6m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Golden Folly'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group × Moonstone Group R: H.L. Larson, N: H.L. Larson, I: H.L. Larson, REG: H.L. Larson (1964) Fls in rounded trusses, campanulate, deep yellow. Lvs 115 × 50mm. Shrub to 1.0m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Golden Gala'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Great Lakes' (s) × 'Good Hope' H: D.G. Leach (1968), G: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1981), REG: D.G. Leach (1983) Fls 14/truss, 45 × 65mm, broadly funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, pale yellow-green (4D), with sparse, dorsal, light yellow-green (145B) spots. Calyx minute, green. Lvs elliptic, 110 × 55mm, moderate olive green (147A). Shrub 1.0m in 13 years. Syn: 'Fifty-fine'

(r) **'Golden Gate'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* hybrid R: unknown (pre 1975) Fls c10/truss, funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, pale orange in throat, with a broad reddish orange/rose border. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years

(v) **'Golden Gate'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *zoelleri* R: Strybing Arboretum (1967), N: Strybing Arboretum, I: Strybing Arboretum (1970), REG: Strybing Arboretum (1971) Fls 5-6/truss, funnel-shaped, 65 × 75mm, opens yellow chartreuse and ages to orange-yellow. Lvs broadly elliptic, 75 × 40-50mm. Shrub 1.5 × 1.9m in 10 years

(r) **'Golden Genie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lem's Cameo' (s) × 'Crest' H: G. Brady (1979), G: G. Brady (1988), N: G. Brady, I: Briggs Nursery (1990), REG: Briggs Nursery (1991) Fls 8-10/tall, domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 44 × 76mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish orange (34B) in bud, opening light greenish yellow (4B). Calyx 3mm long, light yellow-green (145B). Pedicels 25mm long, strong yellow-green (145A). Lvs elliptic, 102 × 38mm, convex, mucronate at apex, rounded at base, glossy green above, hairless; petioles 25mm long, strong yellow-green (145A). Shrub 0.25 × 0.3m in 3 years. Mid April-May. Syn: 'Brady's Yellow' (First published in Briggs Nursery 1990-1991 cat.)

(r) **'Golden Gift'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *rupicola* var. *chryseum* × *leucaspis* R: A. Wright, N: A. Wright (1962), I: A. Wright, REG: A. Wright (1962) Fls 4-5/truss, saucer-shaped, 25mm wide, yellow. Low-spreading shrub, 0.4m wide

(r) **'Golden Gift'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* × *maddenii* × *cinnabarinum* subsp. *xanthocodon* Concatenans Group H: E.G.W.W. Harrison, G: E.G.W.W. Harrison, N: E.G.W.W. Harrison, I: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1970), REG: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1970) Fls 7-8/truss, campanulate, 45 × 50mm, 5-lobed, brilliant yellow (20A), faintly tinged externally with pale purple and darker yellow, inside with pale olive green mottling in dorsal throat. Calyx to 3mm long, with yellow scales. Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, to 125 × 50mm, with fine brown scales below. AM 1970 (Clearly accepted for registration in error as Wright's plant has clear precedence)

(a) **'Golden Girl'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Exbury, N: Exbury, I: Exbury (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow, with a deeper blotch. Knap Hill

(a) **'Golden Gleam'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown, believed to be derived from a native North American species R: Miss L. Dosser (c 1955), N: Miss L. Dosser, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light yellow, with a deeper blotch and wavy-edged lobes

(a) **'Golden Glory'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Exbury (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow, with a darker blotch

(v) **'Golden Glory'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* × *aurigeranum* R: G.L.S. Snell (pre 1983), N: G.L.S. Snell (Listed in *Vireya Vine* 27: 21 (1983), without description. Reported only to be a "nickname")

(r) **'Golden Gloves'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: unnamed pale yellow hybrid × un-named cream with deep eye H: E.V. Mezitt (1971), G: Weston Nurseries (1975), N: Weston Nurseries, I: Weston Nurseries, REG: Weston Nurseries (1987) Fls 13-16/flattened ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 38 × 76mm, with 5-7 wavy-edged lobes, pale yellow (11D), with a brownish orange (166C) throat which fades to deep orange-yellow (163A). Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs oblong, 102-127 × 38-44mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m in 7 years. Mid-late May

(a) **'Golden Glow'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: H. den Ouden & Son (1924), INC: ICRA (1958). Mollis

(r) **'Golden Glow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group (s) × Azor Group H: B.F. Lancaster (1946), G: B.F. Lancaster, I: B.F. Lancaster (pre 1957), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 7-8/truss, rotate-campanulate, 65mm wide, majolica yellow (09/2), edged chartreuse (021/2). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 75-90 × 25-30mm. Shrub 0.45m in 9 years. Midseason

(r) **'Golden Glow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group × *fortunei* hybrid H: D.L. Hardgrove, G: D.L. Hardgrove (1959), N: D.L. Hardgrove Fls 11/upright truss, a yellow-orange blend

(r) **'Golden Glow'** cv. Parentage unknown R: M. Wildfong (pre 1980), N: M. Wildfong

(r) **'Golden Goddess'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'King of Shrubs' × 'Crest' (s) × Lionel's Triumph Group H: C.C. Smith (1973), G: C.R. Burlingame (1982), N: C.R. Burlingame, REG: C.R. Burlingame (1986) Fls 18/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 108mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, empire yellow (603/1), with spotting of 603 in dorsal throat and rays of carrot red (612/3) on outside. Lvs oblong, 170 × 76mm, spinach green (960) above, 960/3 below, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.5m in 11 years. Late April

(a) **'Golden Goose'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1987), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls vivid yellow, with a deep yellow flare

(a) **'Golden Guinea'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1959), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1961) Fls large, deep yellow; stamens sometimes petaloid. Lvs tinted bronze. Mid to late. Knap Hill

(a) **'Golden Hind'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light yellow (17D), blotched vivid orange-yellow (23A). Knap Hill

(a) **'Golden Horn'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Exbury, N: Exbury, I: E. de Rothschild (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale yellow in bud, tipped orange, opening deep golden yellow, but fading to ivory, tipped and flushed rose and with a slight yellow blotch. Knap Hill

(r) **'Golden Horn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *elliottii* (s) × *dichroanthum* R: L. de Rothschild (1939), N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 7-10/truss, more-or-less drooping, funnel-campanulate, 60 × 65mm, orange overlaid salmon red (18/1 but can look orange in some lights), spotted brown. Calyx large, irregular, coloured as corolla. Lvs oblanceolate, up to 125 × 40mm, dark matt green above, with a thin, brown indumentum below. AM 1945 (Golden Horn Group)

(r) **Golden Horn Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *elliottii* (s) × *dichroanthum* R: L. de Rothschild (1939), N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Golden Idol'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow. Mollis

(r) **'Golden Incense'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lemon Custard' × 'Crest' R: Elliott (pre 1988) Fls yellow. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years; more compact than 'Crest'

(r) **'Golden Jubilee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: possibly a *decorum* hybrid H: R.A. Pearce (c 1930), G: R.A. Pearce, N: R.A. Pearce, I: R.A. Pearce, REG: Mrs E.M. Watson (1983) Fls 9/truss, 50 × 90mm, open funnel-shaped, 7-lobed, strong purplish pink (55B) in bud, opening light purplish pink (55C), edged pale purplish pink (56D), with four dorsal, light olive (152B) rays and dorsal spotting of strong greenish yellow (151A); outside pale purplish pink (56A). Calyx 3mm long, strong yellow-green (143C). Lvs narrowly elliptic to slightly oblanceolate, moderate olive green (146A). Shrub 0.4m in 6 years. Syn: 'Pearce's Golden Jubilee'

(a) **'Golden Lights'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *atlanticum* × unknown (MLA no. 570091A) × red "Exbury" azalea (MLA no.600267H) H: Minnesota Landscape Arboretum (1975), G: Minnesota Landscape Arboretum (1978), N: H. Pellett & S. Moe, I: Minnesota Landscape Arboretum (1985), REG: H. Pellett (1986) Fls single, 10/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish orange (31B) in bud, opening light orange-yellow (16C), suffused 31B, throat 31B with a strong orange-yellow (17A) blotch on the dorsal lobe; highly scented. Calyx 4mm long, moderate yellow-green (138B). Lvs between oblanceolate and narrowly obovate, 90 × 35mm, moderate olive green (147A) and strigose above, ciliate, strigose and minutely hairy below. Shrub 1.3 × 1.0m in 6 years. Late May

(r) **'Golden Maya'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Apricot Fantasy' (s) × 'Lemon Marmalade' H: C. Smith (1991), G: S. Imrie (1997), N: S. Imrie (1998), I: Lake Tapps Rhododendron Nursery (1998), REG: S. Imrie (1998) Fls 17/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 75mm, 5-lobed, vivid yellow (13A) in bud, opening inside brilliant yellow (11A), unmarked; outside light yellow (10B). Lvs narrowly oblong, 165 × 55mm, flat, obtuse at apex, oblique at base, glossy, moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 0.9m in 7 years. Late May

(r) **'Golden Melodie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* seedling (s) × 'Manderley' × Albatross Group R: E.A. Stöckmann (1977), I: Baumschule Ernst Stöckmann (1990) Fls 9-14/rounded truss, 60-80mm wide, salmon pink in bud, opening yellow, inside golden yellow with a green throat. Calyx 15-20mm long, creamy yellow, with pink sections. Compact shrub, 0.8 × 1.3m in 10 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Golden Moments'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' × ('Pink Petticoats' × *wardii*) selfed H: J.G. Lofthouse (1974), G: J.G. Lofthouse (1978), I: J.G. Lofthouse, REG: J.G. Lofthouse (1981) Fls 15/tall, open truss, broadly funnel campanulate, 50 × 65mm, with 6 smooth-edged lobes, light greenish yellow (8C), fading to pale yellow (8D) at edges of lobes. Lvs elliptic, 100-125 × 45-50mm, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (146A-147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.7 × 0.7m in 6 years. Late April. Syn: 'Golden Days'

(r) **'Golden Orb'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* (s) × 'Crest' H: I.F. Gordon, G: I.F. Gordon, N: I.F. Gordon, REG: I.F. Gordon (1984) Fls 10-12/rounded truss, butter yellow. Lvs dark green, hairless

(r) **'Golden Orfe'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* subsp. *xanthocodon* Concatenans Group × Lady Chamberlain Group R: Mrs R.M. Harrison (1943), N: Mrs R.M. Harrison, REG: Mrs R.M. Harrison (1964) Fls 7/truss, pendent, tubular-campanulate, 50 × 50mm, a yellow shade of brilliant orange (25C). Calyx rim-like. Pedicels 13mm long, scaly. Lvs 75 × 40mm, scaly below. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. AM 1964

(a) **'Golden Oriole'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (c 1939), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls brilliant yellow, with a deep orange blotch. Shrub up to 4.0m. Early-midseason. Knap Hill

(r) **'Golden Oriole'** AM 1947 (Syn. of 'Talavera')

(r) **Golden Oriole Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *moupinense* (s) × *sulfureum* R: C Williams, N: C Williams, I: C Williams (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) (The previous attribution to P.D. Williams is thought to be an error)

(r) **'Golden Oriole Busaco'** (Syn. of 'Busaco')

(r) **'Golden Oriole Talavera'** (Syn. of 'Talavera')

(r) **'Golden Oriole Venetia'** (Syn. of 'Busaco')

(r) **'Golden Parachute'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Carnal' × 'Dead Ringer' R: C. Trautmann (pre 1995), N: C. Trautmann Fls 65mm wide, yellow, with a very light pink edge (c3-6mm wide). Compact shrub, 1.2m tall in 10 years. Mid May

(a) **'Golden Peace'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Conard Pyle Nursery (pre 1985), N: Conard Pyle Nursery Fls yellow, with a large, strong orange blotch

(r) **'Golden Pheasant'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Day Dream Group × Margaret Dunn Group H: L.E. Brandt (1946), G: L.E. Brandt, N: L.E. Brandt (1964), REG: L.E. Brandt (1965) Fls flat-opening, 115mm wide, aureolin (3), with an orange (12) blotch in the throat. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Golden Pippin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Virginia Scott' (s) × Jasper Group H: H.L. Larson (1956), G: H.L. Larson (1964), I: H.L. Larson (1981), REG: H.L. Larson (1983) Fls 7-9/truss, 90 × 60mm, 5-6-lobed, brilliant yellow (14C), the dorsal lobes spotted vivid reddish orange (44B). Calyx 7mm long, moderate reddish brown (166B). Lvs c115 × 45mm, hairless

(a) **'Golden Pom Pom'** cv. Deciduous azalea: F2 from ('Homebush' × 'Klondyke') H: P.E. Girard (1970), G: P.E. Girard, N: P.E. Girard, I: P.E. Girard, REG: P.E. Girard (1983) Fls hose-in-hose, 18-24/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 25 × 65mm, 5+5-lobed, vivid yellow (14B) in bud, opening vivid yellow (9A), with dorsal blotches of 14B; scented; no stamens. Calyx 7mm long, vivid yellow (14B). Lvs elliptic to broadly elliptic, 80 × 40mm, glossy, strong yellow-green (144B) above, hairy on veins, especially below; brilliant yellow (14C) to vivid yellow (17B) in autumn. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m in 5 years. Late May

(r) **'Golden Princess'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *keiskei* 'Yaku Fairy' (s) × *mekongense* var. *melinanthum* H: W.E. Berg (1971), G: W.E. Berg (1977), N: C. Smith, I: Benjamins Nursery (c 1985), REG: W.E. Berg (1995) Fls 5-6/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 25 × 35mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, brilliant yellow (8A), with a vivid yellow (9B) throat, unmarked; stamens 10, straight, unequal. Calyx c3mm long. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 51 × 16mm, flat but with wavy margins, acute at apex, cuneate at base, moderate yellowish green (138A) above and glossy when young; with tiny, closely spaced, light yellow-green (145C) scales below; petioles scaly; winter foliage bronzed. Shrub 0.6 × 0.9m in 10 years. Mid-late April. (First published in Benjamins Rhododendrons, 1987 cat., p.13)

(a) **'Golden Queen'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow. Mollis

(r) **'Golden Queen'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* subsp. *cinnabarinum* Roylei Group (s) × orange selection from Royal Flush Group R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 6-7/truss, pendulous, tubular-campanulate, 50 × 65mm, soft salmon pink, shaded with orange. Lvs elliptic, up to 75mm long, deep green above, heavily dotted with brownish scales below. FCC 1947 (Lady Chamberlain Group)

(a) **'Golden Quince'** (Listed by Galle (1985) in error for 'Golden Guinea')

(r) **'Golden Reunion'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney (1973), G: F. Watters (1983), N: W. Elliott, REG: F. Watters (1988) Fls 9-12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 64 × 102-127mm, with 8 wavy-edged lobes, light yellow (10C) with a brilliant yellow (11A) throat. Lvs ovate, 152 × 51mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 2.4 × 3.0m in 15 years. May

(r) **'Golden Ruby'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from 'Jalisco Elect' × ('Crest' × 'King of Shrubs') × 'Sonata' H: J.G. Lofthouse (c 1976), G: C. Wellmeier (1984), N: C. Wellmeier, I: C. Wellmeier (1987), REG: C. Wellmeier (1987) Fls 9-10/truss, campanulate, 50 × 80-90mm, 5-7-lobed, moderate red (185B) in bud, opening brilliant to light yellow (12B-C), edged deep pink (48A), blotch moderate orange (167A); flower eventually turns golden yellow. Calyx small, strong yellow-green (144C). Lvs elliptic, 108 × 35mm, moderate yellow-green (137C), hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.1m in 10 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Golden Salmon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Atrosanguineum' × *griersonianum* × 'Atrosanguineum' × *griersonianum* H: J.B. Gable, G: G.G. Nearing (1966), N: G.G. Nearing, I: G.G. Nearing, REG: G.G. Nearing (1973) Fls up to 10/lax truss, open funnel-campanulate, 50 × 90mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong yellowish pink (38A), with a blotch of radiating vivid reddish orange (33B) stripes; stamens lacking; scented. Calyx under 1mm long, strong yellowish pink (35C). Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 125 × 50mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (137B). Shrub 1.0 × 1.2m (in 1972). Mid May

(r) **'Golden Scepter'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: unnamed, pale yellow hybrid (s) × 'Goldsworth Yellow' H: E.V. Mezitt (1979), G: Weston Nurseries (c 1982), N: R.W. Mezitt, I: Weston Nurseries (1998), REG: R.W. Mezitt (1999) Fls 14/ball truss, funnel-shaped, c45 × 50mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, light greenish yellow (5D) with a slightly darker blotch. Calyx 1mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 50mm, margins decurved, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.6m in 7 years. Mid May. Syn: 'Scepter'

(a) **'Golden Showers'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *viscosum* × *cumberlandense* H: E.V. Mezitt (1963), G: Weston Nurseries (1967), N: C.S. Rogers, I: Weston Nurseries, REG: Weston Nurseries (1989) Fls single, 6-8/ball truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 32 × 38mm, 5-lobed, strong yellowish pink (32C) in bud, opening light yellow (20B) and ageing to strong pink (54C) on reverse and on midribs; moderately vanilla-scented. Lvs oblong, 44 × 19mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy above, hairless; foliage turns bronze in autumn. Early July. Syn: 'Golden Anniversary'

(a) **'Golden Slippers'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *schlippenbachii* × 'George Reynolds' R: R. Henny, N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vivid orange (25A), shading to reddish orange in throat. Knap Hill

(r) **'Golden Spirit'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Delp's Stardust' (s) × 'Si Si' H: W.E. Delp (1987), G: R.H. Gustafson (1997), N: R.H. Gustafson (1998), REG: R.H. Gustafson (1998) Fls 12-14/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light greenish yellow (8B) in bud, opening pale greenish yellow (10D), shading to vivid yellow (17C) in the throat. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 45mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, dull and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.0m in 10 years. Late April-early May

(r) **'Golden Splendour'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Ladybird Group × Inamorata Group (s) × 'Lascaux' H: E.G. Millais (1987), G: E.G. Millais (1994), N: E.G. Millais, I: Millais Nurseries (1996), REG: E.G. Millais (1996) Fls 9/flat truss, funnel-shaped, 75 × 81mm, with 6 slightly wavy-edged lobes, vivid yellow (9B) in bud, opening inside light yellow (10B), outside light yellow (10B) shading to vivid yellow (9A); a blotch of reddish orange (34) at base of corolla. Calyx irregular, yellow, shaded orange-red. Lvs 140 × 50mm, slightly wavy-edged and decurved at margins, rounded to very slightly cordate at base, rounded and mucronate at apex, hairless. Shrub 1.7 × 2.0m in 9 years. July

(r) **'Golden Spur'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: May Day Group × 'Lascaux' H: A.F. George (1959), G: A.F. George (1967), N: A.F. George, I: Hydon Nurseries (1975), REG: A.F. George (1975) Fls 10/truss, 55 × 67mm, 5-lobed, red, shading to golden apricot. Calyx 3mm long, greenish yellow. Lvs elliptic, 84 × 40mm, with woolly, cream-coloured indumentum. Compact habit. May-June

(r) **'Golden Star'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × *wardii* H: D.L. Hardgrove (1945), G: D.L. Hardgrove (c 1956), N: D.L. Hardgrove, I: S.V. Burns (1966), REG: S.V. Burns (1979) Fls up to 7/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm with 7 wavy-edged lobes, light greenish yellow (8B) throughout; unmarked. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 50mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, moderate yellowish green (139B). Shrub 1.5 × 1.4m in 9 years. Mid May

(a) **'Golden Sunlight'** (Syn. of 'Directeur Moerlands')

(a) **'Golden Sunrise'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *japonicum* × *molle* subsp. *molle* H: R.J. Stadtherr (1968), G: R.J. Stadtherr (1971), N: S. Adams, REG: S. Adams (1988) Fls single, 15-20/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 44 × 41mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, brilliant yellow (21C), with light orange-yellow (23C) markings on buds and on lobes when flower is opening. Calyx 10mm long, green. Lvs obovate, up to 89 × 48mm, flat, with slightly wavy margins, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base; hairless, glossy and bullate above; young foliage only with white hairs. Shrub 1.8 × 1.9m in 5 years. Early April.

(a) **'Golden Sunset'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Exbury (pre 1948), I: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 30/truss, funnel-shaped, 65 × 80-90mm, vivid yellow (16C), tinged red, with a vivid orange-yellow (21A) blotch, lobes wavy-edged. Lvs 100 × 45mm, light to mid green, slightly tinged bronze. Shrub up to 4.0m. *HC 1958, AM 1956. Knap Hill

(a) **'Golden Superior'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Bruns, N: J. Bruns, REG: J. Bruns (1971) Fls vivid orange-yellow (21A). Knap Hill

(r) **'Golden Tear'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* × *brachycarpum* (as subsp. *tigerstedtii*) H: D.G. Hobbie, G: D.G. Hobbie (1970), N: R. Behring, REG: R. Behring (1986) Fls 13-15/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 35 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong yellowish pink (33C) in bud, opening pale greenish yellow (1D), with moderate red (47A) spotting on the dorsal lobe and fine rays of 47A in the throat; outside light greenish yellow (1C). Calyx 3mm long, yellow-green. Lvs elliptic, 80 × 43mm, glossy, moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (146C) below, hairless. Shrub 0.55 × 0.38m in 9 years. Late May

(r) **'Golden Token'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Jalisco Group × 'Warm Spring' (s) × 'Lem's Goal' × ('C.I.S.' × 'Crest') H: A.A. Childers (1970), G: A.A. Childers (1977), N: M. Childers (1997), REG: M. Childers (1997) Fls 11-13/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 75 × 115mm, with 7 very wavy-edged lobes, strong red (39A) in bud, opening inside pale yellow (20D) heavily speckled moderate red (179B) on the three dorsal lobes and with strong yellowish pink (38A) markings on the edges; outside strong yellowish pink (37A) tinged pale yellow (20D) at base; 15 stamens. Calyx 25mm long, pale yellow (20D), speckled with moderate reddish orange (179C). Lvs elliptic, 150 × 55mm, flat, rounded/cuneate at base, broadly acute at apex, dull, moderate olive green (137A) above, moderate yellow-green (147B) below, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 2.1m in 27 years. Early May

(r) **'Golden Torch'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Bambi' × Grosclaude Group × *griersonianum* R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1971), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1971) Fls 15/globular, compact truss, 35-40 × 40-50mm, campanulate, pale yellow (11D), very lightly flushed pale greenish yellow (13D), dorsal lobe spotted light yellow (11B) to pale orange-yellow (16D). Lvs 60-65 × 26mm, dark dull green. Shrub c0.6m. *HC 1977, *AM 1984

(r) **'Golden Wedding'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Mrs Lammot Copeland' H: H.L. Larson (1969), G: J.A. Davis (1975), N: J.A. Davis, I: J.A. Davis (1980), REG: J.A. Davis (1986) Fls 10-14/truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 70mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, moderate reddish orange (35B) in bud, opening light yellow (15D), with 2 slight, dorsal, 35B rays; the flower has a slight orange flush at first, which fades to golden yellow. Calyx very small. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 50mm, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m. Mid May

(r) **'Golden West'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* (s) × *campylocarpum* R: D.W. James (1946), N: D.W. James, I: D.W. James (1956), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 14/rounded truss, funnel-campanulate, 90mm wide, pink in bud, opening dresden yellow with a small red blotch in the throat. Lvs oblong-elliptic. Large shrub. April

(r) **'Golden Wit'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* seedling × Moonstone Group × Adrastia Group H: J.A. Witt, G: L.J. Michaud, N: L.J. Michaud, I: L.J. Michaud, REG: L.J. Michaud (1977) Fls 7-9/truss, 75mm wide, 5-6-lobed, light greenish yellow (4C), throat and dorsal lobes spotted strong red (39A). Lvs oblong-elliptic, 75 × 40mm, dark green, hairless. Shrub under 1.4m. Early May. (Spelling with one 't' is correct)

(r) **'Golden Years'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ginny Mae' (s) × 'Stokes Bronze Wings' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls pale yellow-green (4D), strong red (51A) and strong pink (51B, C) in bud, opening yellowish white (158C), the throat brilliant yellow (12B), strong red (51A) and moderate yellow-green (146C); filaments and style yellowish white (158C); anthers moderate purplish red (185C); stigma vivid reddish orange (42A). Calyx coloured as corolla. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Golden Yellow'** (Listed as a parent of 'Butter Yellow')

(r) **'Goldfee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* × 'Alice Street' × 'Omega' × *wardii* H: H. Hachmann (1969), G: H. Hachmann (1974), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1985), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 15(-16)/truss, funnel-campanulate, 45-50 × 65-75(-80)mm, 5-lobed, buds coppery orange-yellow, opening pale greenish yellow (2D), tinged light to pale yellowish pink (36B-C(-D)) inside and out at first, fading later; dorsal spotting of moderate red (183C). Calyx 1.5mm long, reddish green. Lvs elliptic, 95-120 × 55-60mm, slightly convex, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, dark green and shiny above, hairless; petioles light green. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 10 years, of compact habit. Early-late May

(a) **'Goldfinch'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (c 1941), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50mm wide, light yellow (15D), with a vivid yellow blotch (15A), slightly tinged reddish orange. Knap Hill

(r) **Goldfinch Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* (s) × 'Mrs P.D. Williams' R: R. Collyer, I: C. Ingram (1945), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, with a gold eye. Late

(r) **'Goldfinger'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *burmanicum* × *valentinianum* R: Sir Giles Loder, N: Sir Giles Loder, REG: Sir Giles Loder (1965) Fls 4/lax truss, campanulate, c55 × 75mm, light greenish yellow (4C), with a faint orange blotch on the dorsal lobe. Calyx well-developed, ciliate. Lvs c80 × 40mm, densely scaly below. AM 1965

(a) **'Goldflake'** cv. Deciduous azalea: grown from imported Knap Hill Nursery seed, parentage unknown G: Bovees Nursery, N: Bovees Nursery (1961), I: Bovees Nursery, REG: Bovees Nursery (1962) Fls 12-14/truss, 65mm wide, vivid yellow (14A), with a strong orange blotch. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 15 years. Midseason

(a) **'Goldflamme'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Gibraltar' × 'Royal Command' H: H. Hachmann (1963), G: H.

Hachmann (1968), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1979), REG: G. Stück (1983) Fls 10-16/truss, 40-55 × 80-95mm, 5-6-lobed, strong orange (25B), flamed vivid reddish orange to strong orange (30A-D), some parts vivid reddish orange (33B); outside strong reddish orange (42B) on brilliant orange (25C); spotted vivid orange (28B). Several stamens are petaloid. Calyx 2-3mm long, strong yellow-green (144B-C). Lvs elliptic, 80-100 × 35-40mm, hairy below. Late

(r) **'Goldflimmer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: chance seedling from *catawbiense* or *ponticum* S: D.G. Hobbie (1955), I: H. Hachmann (1983) Fls 9-14/truss, 45-50mmwide, with ruffled margins, pale lilac pink, with brownish yellow flecks on a paler blotch. Lvs with irregular, yellow, central bands. Shrub 0.9 × 1.3m in 10 years. Late

(r) **'Goldfort'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goldsworth Yellow' (s) × *fortunei* R: W.C. Slocock, S: W.C. Slocock (1935), N: W.C. Slocock, I: W.C. Slocock (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear, light yellow, with a greenish centre and suffused pink at edges. Lvs ovate-lanceolate, 100-150mm long. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years (to at least 3.0m). April-May. (Goldfort Group)

(r) **Goldfort Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goldsworth Yellow' (s) × *fortunei* R: W.C. Slocock, N: W.C. Slocock, I: W.C. Slocock (1937), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Goldfunke'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Adriaan Koster' (s) × 'Golden Sunset' R: W. Nagel (1987), N: W. Schmalscheidt, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls in loose, rounded trusses, light yellow, with dark green markings on the dorsal lobe. Shrub 1.0 × 0.7m in 10 years

(r) **'Goldglöckchen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* (s) × Volker Group R: W. Nagel (1969), N: W. Nagel (1989), I: W. Nagel (1990) Fls pale yellow, with a dark red basal mark. Shrub 1.0 × 0.8m in 15 years

(a) **'Goldie'** cv. Deciduous azalea: perhaps (*luteum* × *calendulaceum*) × 'J. Jennings' R: unknown (pre 1965)

(r) **'Goldika'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Adriaan Koster' × *wardii* R: D.G. Hobbie (c 1955), N: J. Wieting (1979), I: J. Wieting Fls c10/truss, tinged reddish orange in bud, opening pure yellow to citron yellow, with a dark red basal blotch. Lvs broadly elliptic, obtuse but apiculate at apex, rounded at base, glossy green. Compact shrub, 0.9 × 0.9m in 10 years

(r) **'Goldilocks'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor Stocker' × *campylocarpum* Elatum Group R: M. Haworth-Booth (1974), N: M. Haworth-Booth, I: M. Haworth-Booth, REG: M. Haworth-Booth (1963) Fls 12-14/loose truss, 65mm wide, light greenish yellow (5D). Shrub c1.5m

(v) **'Goldilocks'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown L: Vireya Venue (1997) Fls in full trusses, small, orange and yellow. Compact, bushy shrub to 1.5m

(r) **'Gold Incense'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lemon Custard' (s) × 'Crest' H: W. Elliott (1970), G: F. Peste (1980), N: W. Elliott, REG: W. Elliott (1983) Fls 14-18/truss, 75 × 100mm, 7-lobed, light orange-yellow (16C), narrowly edged light purplish pink (55C) and with dorsal spotting of the same colour. Calyx 13mm long, light orange-yellow (16C). Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 155 × 55mm, hairless. Shrub c1.9m in 10 years. Early May.

(r) **'Goldinetta'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hachmann's Marina' (s) × 'New Comet' H: H. Hachmann (1989), G: H. Hachmann (1995), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 12-14/rather lax truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50-55 × 60-70mm, with 5(-6) almost smooth-edged lobes, light yellow-green (2C) inside and out, the throat tinged slightly darker, with very inconspicuous markings; stamens 10, filaments pale greenish yellow (2D), anthers greyish reddish orange (174C); style light greenish yellow (1C), stigma dark red (187B/C). Calyx 3-10mm long, reddish green. Pedicels reddish. Lvs ovate, 90-100 × 40-50mm, concave, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, dark and slightly glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.3m in 10 years. Early-late May. (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030629). First published in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(r) **'Goldjuwel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Letty Edwards' × *wardii* hybrid H: J. Böhlje (1966), G: J. Böhlje (1972), N: W. Schmalscheidt, I: G.D. Böhlje Nursery, REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1984) Fls 7-12/truss, 40-55 × 55-70mm, 5-6-lobed, bright yellow, with a strong red (46A) basal blotch. Calyx 3-6mm long, greenish to greenish yellow. Lvs obovate to ovate, 65-110 × 35-57mm, hairless

(r) **'Goldkrone'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* × 'Alice Street' (s) × 'Omega' × *wardii* H: H. Hachmann (1969), G: H. Hachmann (1974), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1981), REG: G. Stück (1983) Fls 16-18/truss, 30-35 × 50-70mm, funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, light greenish yellow (3D), tinted light greenish yellow (3C), marked deep red (60A), with darker spots of dark red (59A). Calyx 2mm long, brilliant to light yellow-green (154C-D). Lvs obovate to ovate, 70-90 × 35-55mm, hairless. Shrub up to 1.5m. PC 1986

(a) **'Goldlack'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: H.A. Hesse (1900), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large trusses, orange (or golden orange), with dark brown markings (Hesse, 1904, 1927). Ghent

(r) **'Gold Leaf'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nancy Evans' × (('Lem's Goal' × Loderi Group) × 'Brandt's Tropicana') (s) × Whitney hybrid of unknown parentage H: J. Barlup (1987), G: J. Barlup (1991), N: J. Barlup, REG: J. Barlup (1995) Fls 14/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong yellowish pink (39A) in bud, opening brilliant yellow (14C at edges, deepening to 13B in centre), with a moderate red (47A), dorsal nectar pouch; outside marked with moderate yellowish pink (39C); stamens 14, curved, unequal.

Calyx 20mm long, deep yellowish pink (39B) and vivid yellow (14B). Pedicels 30mm long, strong red (53B) above, strong yellow-green (144C) below. Lvs elliptic, 121 × 51mm, flat, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate yellow-green (147B) above, moderate yellow-green (146C) below; petioles 25mm long, moderate yellow-green (146B). Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 8 years. Early-mid May.

(r) **'Goldline'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *brachycarpum* (s) × 'Crest' H: D.L. Hinerman (1975), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 12/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 48 × 57mm, 5-lobed, brilliant and light yellow-green (154B-C) in bud, opening light yellow-green (154D) with brilliant yellow-green (154B) on underside of lobes and in the throat; sparse, brownish orange (165B), dorsal spots; filaments and style pale greenish yellow (1D); anthers brownish orange (165B); stigma pale yellow (11C). Lvs 102 × 51mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.4m in 17 years. Early June.

(r) **'Gold Medal'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cream Glory' × 'Seattle Gold' R: H.E. Greer, N: H.E. Greer, I: H.E. Greer (1988) Fls very large, 5-lobed, golden yellow, with a lightly spotted, red dorsal flare. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years.

(r) **'Gold Mohur'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Day Dream Group (s) × Margaret Dunn Group R: L.E. Brandt, N: L.E. Brandt, I: L.E. Brandt (1956), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 12/loose truss, 75mm wide, brilliant yellow (503) inside and out, shading to light yellow/pale greenish yellow (10C/D), flushed and spotted greenish. Shrub under 1.9m. (Dream Girl Group)

(r) **'Gold Moon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Goldfort Group × 'Full Moon' H: L. Bagoly (1966), G: M. Tietjens (1974), I: M. Tietjens (1975), REG: M. Tietjens (1975) Fls 11/ball-shaped, slightly lax, truss, open funnel-shaped, 30 × 100mm, 7-lobed, yellowish white (155D), throat brushed with yellow-green; scented. Calyx 10mm long, green. Lvs narrowly obovate, 150 × 70mm, glossy, moderate olive green (137A), hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.1m in 8 years. Late May

(a) **'Gold N'** (Syn. of 'Anneke')

(a) **'Goldpracht'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Cecile' × 'Klondyke' (s) × 'Marion Merriman' H: H. Hachmann (1971), G: H. Hachmann (1976), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1983), REG: G. Stück (1984) Fls 9-10(-12)/truss, 55-60 × 55-70mm, 5-lobed, vivid yellow to light orange-yellow (16A-B), blotched strong orange (25B). Calyx 5-7(-8)mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Lvs 64-87 × 29-36mm, hairy. Knap Hill

(r) **'Goldrausch'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hachmann's Marina' (s) × *wardii* × 'Alice Street' H: H. Hachmann (1969), G: H. Hachmann (1975), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1983), REG: G. Stück (1984) Fls 10-16/truss, 35-40 × 45-55mm, 5-lobed, light greenish yellow (1C), inconspicuously marked dark red (59A). Calyx 3-5mm long, strong yellow-green (145A). Lvs elliptic-ovate, 60-85 × 35-42mm, hairless

(r) **'Gold Rush'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Gold Rush')

(r) **'Goldschatz'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Festivo' (s) × 'Alice Street' H: H. Hachmann (1979), G: H. Hachmann (1985), N: H. Hachmann (1993), I: H. Hachmann (1994), REG: G. Stück (1995) Fls 15-17/fairlycompact, rounded truss, funnel-campanulate, 40 × 62-68(-70)mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds reddish orange/yellowish, opening light greenish yellow (3D) inside and out, with dorsal spotting and a basal blotch (8-9mm long) of deep to strong red (53A/B); stamens 10, filaments pale greenish yellow (1D), anthers moderate orange-yellow (164B); style light yellow-green (154D), tinged reddish, stigma strong orange-yellow (22A). Calyx 3-4mm long, light to pale greenish yellow (1C-D). Lvs broadly elliptic (to ovate), 45-70 × 35-40mm, flat, rounded at base, cuspidate at apex, glossy dark green above, light green below, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.8m in 10 years, of compact habit. May. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1995/96)

(r) **Goldschimmer Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sir Charles Butler' × *wardii* R: D.G. Hobbie (1948), N: W. Schmalscheidt (1984) Fls light yellow, with green or brown buds

(r) **'Goldschopf'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Woodchat' (s) × *fletcherianum* H: W. Reich (1990), G: W. Reich, N: W. Reich, I: W. Reich (1994), REG: W. Reich (1995) Fls 5-6/ball to lax truss, broadly funnel-campanulate to open funnel-shaped, 30-36 × 43-46mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, brilliant greenish yellow (1B) in bud, opening brilliant to light greenish yellow (4A/B), with small, deep to strong greenish yellow (153A/B) spots on dorsal lobe. Calyx 8-9mm long, strong to moderate yellow-green (144C/D). Lvs elliptic to lanceolate, 18-42 × 7-19mm, margins upcurved and slightly crenulate, glossy above, cuneate at base, mucronate at apex, without indumentum; petioles 2-6mm long, narrowly winged. Shrub 0.25 × 0.35m in 5 years, of rather straggling habit. Early May

(a) **'Goldspot'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown, believed to be derived from a North American species R: Miss L. Dosser (c 1955), N: Miss L. Dosser, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft yellow, with a deeper blotch (1958 Register). White, with an orange blotch (Galle, 1985)

(r) **'Gold Spread'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (Exbury form) × *aureum* var. *aureum* H: B.C. Potter (1967), G: B.C. Potter (1971), N: B.C. Potter, I: B.C. Potter, REG: B.C. Potter (1981) Fls 12/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 65mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, light greenish yellow (4C) in bud, opening light greenish yellow (5D), with an inconspicuous, yellow, dorsal blotch with green spotting. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 90 × 30mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, with moderate amounts of a light brown to tan, woolly indumentum below. Shrub 0.25 × 1.2m in 13 years. Late April.

(r) **'Goldsprenkel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a sport from 'Album Novum' R: unknown (pre 1950), N: W. Schmalscheidt (1985) Fls white, tinted lilac, with yellow-green to yellow-brown markings. Lvs mottled with yellow, similar to but less striking than 'President Roosevelt'. Shrub to at least 3.0 × 3.0m. Very hardy. (Grown in the Botanic Garden, Dortmund, Germany since 1950)

(a) **'Gold Star'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* L: Sunningdale Nurseries (1955), INC: ICRA (1958). Mollis

(r) **'Goldstrike'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: (*oreotrephes* × Royal Flush Group) selfed R: R. Henny, N: R. Henny (1961), I: R. Henny, REG: R. Henny (1961) Fls 8/truss, funnel-campanulate, 45-50mm, light yellow (12C), dorsal lobes shaded brilliant yellow (12B). Lvs up to 100 × 25mm, dark green. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Gold-striped'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: hybrid or selection from *ponticum* L: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1867), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Goldsworth Crimson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Doncaster' × *griffithianum* H: W.C. Slocock, S: W.C. Slocock (1926), N: W.C. Slocock, I: W.C. Slocock (pre 1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 18/compact, rather flat truss, campanulate to open funnel-shaped, 45-50 × 55-70mm, blood red, shading to pink (or paler) in the throat, dorsal lobes spotted with black. Calyx small, crimson. Lvs oblong-ovate, 90-225 × 35-80mm, matt dark green, hairless. Large shrub. *AM 1960, *FCC 1971 Syn: 'Madame Charron', 'Madame Victor Sharron', 'Victor Sharron'

(r) **'Goldsworth Orange'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* H: W.C. Slocock, S: W.C. Slocock (1938), N: W.C. Slocock, I: W.C. Slocock (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 8-10/lax, domed truss, funnel-shaped, with wavy-edged lobes, Egyptian buff (407-407/1), suffused shell pink (516/3) at margins. Lvs 125 × 50mm. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. June. *AM 1959

(r) **'Goldsworth Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from 'Isabella Mangles' S: W.C. Slocock (1926), N: W.C. Slocock, I: W.C. Slocock (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c11/lax, pyramidal truss, bowl-shaped, 80-90mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, deep rose in bud, opening mottled rose pink, fading to pale pink and with inconspicuous markings. Calyx lobes gland-fringed. Lvs similar to 'Loder's White', 160 × 65mm, dark glossy green. Large shrub. *AM 1958, *FCC 1987

(r) **'Goldsworth Purple'** cv. Parentage unknown H: W.C. Slocock, S: W.C. Slocock (1935), N: W.C. Slocock, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple

(a) **'Goldsworth Red'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: W.C. Slocock, N: W.C. Slocock, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls fiery red. Mollis

(r) **'Goldsworth White'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* × a hardy hybrid H: W.C. Slocock, S: W.C. Slocock (1926), N: W.C. Slocock, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, white, tinged pink on edges at first

(r) **'Goldsworth Yellow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* × *caucasicum* R: G. Harrow, I: W.C. Slocock (1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c15/broad, domed truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 50-60mm, apricot in bud, opening primrose yellow, with a large blotch of olive green markings. Calyx small, glandular. Lvs ovate, up to 100 × 40mm, dull green above, minutely felted below. Shrub to 1.5m. AM 1925

(a) **'Goldtopas'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Cecile' × 'Klondyke' (s) × 'Marion Merriman' H: H. Hachmann (1971), G: H. Hachmann (1976), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1983), REG: G. Stück (1984) Fls 7-9/truss, 60-70 × 65-75mm, 5-lobed, vivid yellow (15A-B), strongly blotched strong orange (24A). Calyx 5-8mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Lvs 82-100 × 27-32mm, hairy. Knap Hill

(r) **'Goldzauber'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Volker Group × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × *dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* R: W. Nagel (1972), N: W. Schmalscheidt (1991), I: J. Wieting (1991), REG: ICRA (2000) Fls lively yellow-orange. Compact, broadly upright shrub

(r) **'Golfer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × *pseudochrysanthum* H: W.E. Berg (1966), G: W.E. Berg, I: J.F. Caperci (c 1980), REG: J.F. Caperci (1983) Fls 13/truss, 45 × 50mm, broadly funnel-campanulate, 5-lobed, deep purplish pink (55A) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (56B), with slight brown dorsal spotting; outside striped strong purplish pink (55B). Calyx minute, pink. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 75 × 28mm, moderate olive green (137A), with a heavy yellowish white (156D) indumentum below. Shrub c0.6m in 15 years

(a) **'Goliath'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Rinz (pre 1849), N: J. Rinz, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Goliath'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Gumpo' × 'Lambertus C. Bobbink' R: H. Kerrigan (pre 1965), N: H. Kerrigan Fls single, 90-100mm wide, pink

(a) **'Goliath'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid R: W.D. Smith (pre 1982), N: W.D. Smith Fls with a rosette centre, 115mm wide, spinel red. (See *The Azalean* 4 (1):1-2 (1982) for notes on parentage)

(r) **'Goliath'** cv. Parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1877), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, deep red

(r) **'Goliath'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Antoon van Welie' × 'Professor J.H. Zaaijer' × 'Annie E. Endtz' R: P. van Nes, N: P. van Nes, I: P. van Nes (1958), REG: P. van Nes (1961) Fls 15/dense truss, 100mm wide, strong purplish red (63B). (Presumably the unattributed plant under this name in the 1958 Register)

(r) **'Golly Gee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Donna Hardgrove' (s) × *maximum* H: T.L. Ring (1977), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 13/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 43 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep, strong and vivid purplish red (61A, B, C) and deep purplish pink (61D) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (62D) and edged heavily with strong and vivid purplish red (61B, C), with an inconspicuous pale yellow-green (4D) flare and sparse light olive (152B) dorsal spots; filaments and style greenish white (157D); anthers and stigma moderate reddish brown (176B). Lvs 114 × 38mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 15 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer (1986))

(r) **'Gomer Waterer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Madame Carvalho' × 'Pink Pearl' R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1900), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1906), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 24/hemispherical truss, funnel-shaped, 55 × 70-80mm, white, flushed pale mauve at edges, with a mustard-coloured blotch. Calyx lobes 7-9mm long. Lvs ovate to oblong-obovate, c120 × 40-45mm, deep, more-or-less glossy green above. Shrub to c2.0m or more. AM 1906

(a) **'Gomi-nishiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan, N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls two-toned crimson on white. Indian

(r) **'Gonda'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: open-pollinated 'Grand Marquis' H: Mrs J.H. Grigg (1968), G: Mrs R. Pinney, N: Mrs R. Pinney, REG: Mrs R. Pinney (1985) Fls 20-22/truss, 75 × 100mm, strong pink (49A) in bud, opening light pink (50D) changing to pale purplish pink (55D), with a tiny purple eye at the base of the tube. Lvs 250 × 90mm, moderate olive green (137A) above, with a silvery indumentum below. Large shrub

(r) **Gondolier Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lady Harcourt' (s) × *griersonianum* R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large trusses, bright red. May

(r) **'Gonthynii'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Gontran'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably an *arboreum* selection or hybrid R: J. Byls (pre 1868), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cerise in bud, opening carmine. (Listed as an *arboreum* form/hybrid by L.Leroy, 1868; presumably the 'Gontrand' of Nomblot-Bruneau cat., c1922: fls bright rose, with a brown blotch)

(r) **'Gonzales'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* seedling × unknown H: H. Staal (1975), G: H. Staal (c 1980), N: H. Staal, I: Le Feber & Co. (c 1985), REG: Royal Boskoop Hort.Soc. (1990) Fls 15-18/truss, funnel-shaped, c50mm wide, 5-lobed, light purple (84B/C). Calyx green. Lvs ovate, c150 × 40mm, hairless. Shrub 3.0 × 2.0m. May

(r) **'Gooday'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: F. Boulter (1990), G: F. Boulter (1994), N: F. Boulter (1995), I: Boulters Olinda Nursery (1995), REG: Boulters Olinda Nursery (1995) Fls 9-17/rounded truss, campanulate, 75 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (60B) in bud, opening strong purplish red (63A) inside and out, with spotting on dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 130 × 50mm, margins slightly decurved, matt green, obtuse at base, acute at apex, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.7m in 5 years. Early spring

(r) **Good Cheer Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lord Milner' (s) × *sutchuenense* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large, compact trusses, white, with pink markings. Tall shrub. April

(r) **'Good Fortune'** (Syn. of 'Great Fortune')

(r) **'Good Fortune'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from open-pollinated 'Alandale' R: Scott Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister (From seed collected in 1958)

(r) **'Good Fortune'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × unknown H: C.R. & V. Haag (c 1960), G: C.R. & V. Haag, N: C.R. & V. Haag, I: C.R. & V. Haag (1975), REG: C.R. & V. Haag (1981) Fls 10/ball to domed truss (slightly open on top), open funnel-shaped, 80mm wide, with 6 slightly wavy-edged lobes, rose in bud, opening white, flushed amaranth rose (530/3), fading to all white, with sap green (62/3) spotting on dorsal lobe (heaviest in the dorsal throat); scented. Lvs elliptic to oblong, 125 × 65mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.8m in 15 years. Early May

(r) **'Good Hope'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (red-flowered) (s) × *wardii* H: D.G. Leach (1955), G: D.G. Leach (1961), N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1976), REG: D.G. Leach (1983) Fls 13/truss, 25 × 75mm, open funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, deep yellowish pink (39B) in bud, opening pale greenish yellow (9D), with a faint dorsal blotch and spots of light yellow-green (154D). Calyx minute, green. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 55mm, moderate yellow-green (148A). Shrub 2.2m in 26 years. Early May

(r) **'Good Luck'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from open-pollinated 'Alandale' R: Scott Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister (From seed collected in 1958)

(r) **'Good Neighbor'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Dianta' (s) × 'Kubla Khan' H: M. & H. Stockman (1992), G: M. & H. Stockman (2000), N: M. & H. Stockman (2002), REG: M. & H. Stockman (2002) Fls 9(-12)/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 75mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, bright pink in bud, opening inside creamy white with pink margins, and with a yellow blotch on the centre of each dorsal lobe, shading into amber at the base; outside yellowish cream, with light pink margins. Calyx variable, ventral lobes c15-20mm long, dorsal lobes c25-30mm long, alternating pink and yellow with creamy white areas at the base. Lvs lanceo-

late, 80 × 30mm, margins downcurved, acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and mid green above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.0m in 10 years. Late May

(r) **'Good News'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' × Romany Chal Group R: J. Henny, N: J. Henny, I: Henny & Wennekamp, Inc. (1968), REG: Henny & Wennekamp, Inc. (1973) Fls up to 12-15/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 50 × 65mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, red in bud, opening crimson scarlet. Calyx 1-2mm long, red. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 150 × 65mm, with a slight tan indumentum below. Shrub 1.2 × 2.0m in 10 years, the new shoots pale green with a fawn indumentum. Late May-early June

(a) **'Good Old Summertime'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *viscosum* R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls large, white, strongly scented. Mid July

(a) **'Good Ship Lollipop'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, with broad lobes, bright rose pink, with deeper pink veining; strongly scented. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m

(r) **'Good Sport'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Stokes (1969), N: W.E. Stokes (See *J. Am.Rh.Soc.* 42 (4):187 (1988))

(a) **'Good Times'** cv. Evergreen azalea: close to *kiusianum* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 20mm wide, strong purplish red. Kurume

(a) **'Good Will'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Corsage' (s) × 'Corsage' H: W.E. Delp (1991), G: W.E. Delp (1995), N: Mrs V. Delp, I: Crystalaire Rhododendron Naturescapes (1997), REG: J.D. Harris (1996) Fls 5/truss, open funnel-shaped, c45 × 65mm, 5-lobed, strong and light purple (77B-C) in bud, opening light, very light and very pale purple (75B-D), with moderate red (181A) dorsal spots; filaments and style very pale purple (75D); anthers moderate purple (79D); stigma greyish reddish orange (177D). Lvs 30 × 10mm, cuneate at base, broadly acute at apex. Shrub 0.9 × 0.75m in 5 years. Late May

(r) **'Goody Goody'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* × *catawbiense* H: M.W. Michener (1965), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 16/truss, open funnel-shaped, 47 × 80mm, 5-lobed, moderate to strong purplish red (64A, B) in bud, opening strong purplish red (64B, C) with a brilliant yellow-green (154B) flare and vivid yellow-green (154A) dorsal spots. Lvs 100 × 51mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 27 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, (1992))

(r) **'Goody Goody Gumdrop'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: un-named seedling no. V6019-1 (s) × 'Calsap' H: A.W. Smith, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls large, in a large truss, vivid reddish purple (74A, B) in bud, opening very pale purple (73D), edged vivid and light reddish purple (74A, B, C) and with dark red (59A) dorsal spots. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Goody Two Shoes'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Delp's Dream' (s) × 'Crest' × (*yakushimanum* × *lacteum*) H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls light greenish yellow (4B, C) in bud, opening light greenish yellow (4B, C) and pale yellow-green (4D), with a light yellow (10C) throat and strong yellow (153D) dorsal spots. Tall shrub. (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Googly Eyed'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs T.H. Lowinsky' × 'Stokes Bronze Wings' H: J. Looye, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls white, with dark greenish yellow (152C) and moderate red (185B) dorsal spots. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Goosander'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *ludlowii* × *lutescens* 'Exbury' H: P.A. Cox (1968), G: P.A. Cox, N: P.A. Cox, I: P.A. Cox, REG: P.A. Cox (1981) Fls 3-5/more-or-less compact, domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 32 × 42mm, near pale greenish yellow (2D), slightly flushed pale greenish yellow (1D), dorsal throat spotted brownish orange (165B) at centre and with moderate yellow (162A) spotting further out. Lvs 30 × 15mm, dark dull green. Shrub 0.2m. *AM 1981

(a) **'Gorbella'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: O.F. Wuyts (c 1944), I: T. Tollenaere (1962) Fls vivid purplish red (57C), with a white stripe on the outside. Shrub 1.0m. April-May. Syn: 'Corbella'

(r) **'Gordian'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' × ('Goldrausch' × *wardii* hybrid) (s) × Fred Wynniatt Group H: H. Hachmann (1990), G: H. Hachmann (1996), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 11/rather compact truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 80-85mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged, often recurved lobes, inside pale greenish yellow (2D), shaded brilliant greenish yellow (6B) on dorsal lobes towards the throat; outside pale greenish yellow (2D), dorsal lobes light yellow-green (2C) towards base, midveins moderate/light purplish pink (62B/C); basal markings of strong red (47B) mixed with brilliant greenish yellow (6B); stamens 12-14, filaments yellowish white, anthers moderate orange-yellow (165C); style brilliant yellow-green (150C), stigma brilliant yellow-green (150B). Calyx 4mm long, reddish green. Lvs ovate, 90-110 × 45-50mm, often twisted, apiculate at apex, rounded to cordate at base, mid green and matt above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.3m in 10 years. Late April-mid May. (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030630). First published in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(a) **'Gordon Bleu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: E. van der Cruyssen (1876), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, with pointed lobes, bright violet, tinged blue, with a fine black blotch. Indian (Probably an error for 'Cordon Bleu')

(r) **'Gordon Jones'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sappho' × *yakushimanum* (Exbury form) H: R. Murcott (1975), G: W. Brack (1979), N: W. Brack, I: Roslyn Nursery, REG: W. Brack (1989) Fls 16/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 64mm, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (73B) in bud, opening very pale purple (69D) ageing to white, prominent dark red (59A) heavily spotted dorsal blotch. Calyx minute. Lvs oblong, 152 × 51mm, convex, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.5m in 12 years. Early May

(r) **'Gordon Valley Supreme'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Queen Souriya' × unknown G: A. Harris (1978), N: Mrs I. Henry, REG: Mrs I. Henry (1987) Fls 9-10/truss, 40 × 110mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, rhodamine pink (527/1) in bud, opening 527/2 around corolla lobes, paling in centre of lobes and in throat to blush white; red flare and spotting at top of throat and on dorsal lobe only; slightly scented. Calyx 2-3mm long, red. Lvs broadly elliptic, 140 × 65mm. Vigorous shrub. Syn: 'Persian Lady' (Seed from Am.Rho.Soc. seed exchange, c1973)

(a) **'Gorgeous'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Maxwellii' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3-4/truss, 100mm wide, a little paler than begonia rose (near deep pink (50B)), with a heavy blotch on all three dorsal lobes of clear, inverted u-shaped marks of rose red (near vivid red (52A)). Shrub to 1.5m. Midseason. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Gorgeous'** cv. Parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney, G: G. & Mrs A. Sather (pre 1980)

(r) **'Gorgeous George'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Point Defiance' (s) × 'Trude Webster' H: D. Sanders (1986), G: Sanders Nursery (1991), N: M. Sanders, I: Sanders Nursery (1997), REG: M. Sanders (1998) Fls 18/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 100mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, very pale purple (69C), with vivid purplish red (57C) margins and vivid red (57A) dorsal spotting, outside vivid purplish red (57C). Lvs elliptic, 175 × 75mm, flat, acute at apex, oblique at base, glossy and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 2.1m in 11 years. Early May.

(a) **'Gorin-nishiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Kami-no-yama-kirin' R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls white, 65-75mm wide, with rounded lobes, usually heavily speckled and striped strong reddish purple, with some selfs also. Mid-late season. Satsuki

(r) **'Görlitz'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Rinaldo' × *williamsianum* R: V. von Martin, N: V. von Martin, I: V. von Martin (1964) Fls 5-10/truss, 40-60mm wide, deep rose with slight red marking. Lvs broadly ovate, 50-70mm wide, bronzed when young. Shrub to 1.5m

(a) **'Gosai-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, with rounded lobes, white, with yellowish pink sectors, and occasional flecks and a blush of deep yellowish pink. Midseason. Satsuki

(a) **'Gosh'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *cumberlandense* R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls bright orange-red, flatter-faced than usual. Mid June

(r) **'Goshawk'** (Syn. of 'Jalisco Goshawk')

(r) **'Gosh Darn!'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ('Catalgla' × 'Mrs H.R. Yates')F2 H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 18/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, 6-lobed, a blend of light yellowish pink (159A), pale orange-yellow (159B) and strong yellowish pink (35C) in bud, opening pale orange-yellow (159B, C) shading to pale yellowish pink (159D), with strong yellowish pink (35C) dorsal spots and throat and a little of same colour on reverse; filaments yellowish white (155D); anthers yellowish white (158D); style pale yellow-green (155A); stigma moderate orange-yellow (164C). Lvs 102 × 51mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 0.9m in 18 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, (1992))

(a) **'Gosh Darn It'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Salmon Spray' × 'Salmon Bells' × 'Blaauw's Pink' R: D. Hager (pre 1984), N: D. Hager Fls single, 50mm wide, rosy salmon, with a bright red blotch. Lvs narrowly ovate, glossy green. Shrub to 1.0m

(a) **'Gosho-guruma'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1989), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, white, marked with pink. Shrub of slightly pendulous carriage. Satsuki

(a) **'Gosho-murasaki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c50mm wide, purple. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Gosho-no-tsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Aikoku' × 'Seiko-no-tsuki' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, with 6 rounded, overlapping lobes, white, with occasional delicate blushes, stripes or sectors of purplish pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Gosho-zakura'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1918), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, striped peach colour (Wilson, 1921); the 1958 Register was presumably in error in referring to the fls as deep rose with darker spotting. Syn: 'Vanity'; Wilson no.46. Kurume

(a) **'Gosho-zakura'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50-65mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink, centre pale pink to whitish, occasionally with pale pink margins. Satsuki

(r) **'Gossamer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × Fred Wynniatt Group H: R.J.R. Drayson (1979), G: Harkwood Acres (1986), N: Mrs A.J.A. Drayson, REG: R.J.R. & Mrs A.J.A. Drayson (1987) Fls 12-14/truss, open campanulate, 56 × 91mm, 7-lobed, deep pink (50B) and strong red (51A) in bud, opening pale yellow (18C) with lobes edged strong pink (48C) and with a flare in the throat of strong orange (26B). Calyx 11mm long, pale yellow (20D). Lvs lanceolate, 104 × 45mm, with a moderate orange-yellow (164B) indumentum on mature lvs. Compact shrub 0.58 × 0.68m in 8 years. Late April

(v) **'Gossamer White'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *loranthiflorum* × *laetum* H: G.L.S. Snell (1984), G: G.L.S. Snell (1989), N: G.L.S. Snell (1990), I: G.L.S. Snell (1993), REG: G.L.S. Snell (1992) Fls 5-6/open truss, campanulate, 55 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds green, opening white inside; outside yellowish white (158D); unspotted; slightly scented. Lvs lanceolate, 90 × 40mm, margins upcurved, glossy above, cuneate at apex, obtuse at base, with silvery green scales on young foliage. Shrub 1.5 × 1.0m in 8 years. May flower at any time of the year

(r) **'Göteborg'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a *smirnowii* hybrid R: Göteborg Botanic Garden (pre 1983) Fls 9-18/rounded to pyramidal, fairly compact truss, 60-85mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, purplish pink, with heavy, dark red, dorsal lobe markings; other lobes with dark red spots

(r) **'Gotlots'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Princess Elizabeth' (s) × 'Oh My!' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls deep red (60A) and strong purplish red (60B, C) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (65D) edged strong purplish red (64B) and with a strong purplish red (64B) throat and dark red (59A) dorsal spots; outside with strong purplish red (64B) veins. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Gottfreid Peste'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Rodeo' H: F. Peste (1979), G: F. & L. Peste (1984), N: L. Peste, REG: S.P. Johnston (1986) Fls 15/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 55 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (58B) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (56C), with a 7mm edge of deep purplish pink (55A) and very heavy dorsal spotting of deep red (60A); outside 55A. Calyx very small. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 100-40 × 30-40mm, moderate olive green (147A) above, with a light to medium, plastered, pale orange-yellow (greyed) indumentum below. Shrub 0.7 × 0.8m in 6 years. Early-mid May

(a) **'Gotthard'** cv. Semi-evergreen azalea: *yedoense* × unknown H: H. Frei (c 1970), G: H. Frei (1975), N: Firma C. Esveld, I: Firma C. Esveld (1980), REG: Royal Boskoop Hort.Soc. (1990) Fls single, 4-5/truss, funnel-shaped, 30mm long, 5-lobed, lilac pink. Calyx green. Lvs narrowly ovate, 30-40 × 20-30mm, hairless. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. May

(r) **'Gourmet Truss'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tony's Gift' (s) × 'Maxhaem Salmon' H: W.E. Delp (1989), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls strong purplish red (72A) and vivid reddish purple (78A) in bud, opening moderate purplish pink (78D), heavily edged with vivid and strong reddish purple (78A, B) and with deep greenish yellow (153A) dorsal spots. (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(a) **'Govenia'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.R. Gowen (1829), N: J.R. Gowen, INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Published in *Botanical Register*, 1830, under t.1366, where two possible parental combinations are discussed)

(az) **Govenianum Group** (See note under Gowenianum Group)

(r) **'Governess'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush, with yellow spots. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Governess'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with brown spots. Hardy Hybrid (Two plants of same name listed together by Standish!)

(a) **'Governor Meyner'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Julius Roehrs Co. (1962) Fls single, bright red. Hardy outdoors in northern New Jersey (USA)

(r) **'Governor's Mansion'** cv. Parentage unknown N: H. Rogers, I: Dexter Study Group (1978), REG: Dexter Study Group (1983) Fls 11-15/truss, 55 × 90mm, open funnel-shaped, 5-6 lobed, vivid reddish purple (78A), with a prominent deep orange-yellow (163A) dorsal blotch and peripheral spotting. Calyx 3mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 140-165 × 50-65mm, dark yellow-green. Shrub 2.9m in 12-15 years. Mid May. (Found cultivated near Western Governor's Mansion, Sunset Mt, Asheville, North Carolina, USA)

(az) **Gowenianum Group** gp Azaleodendron: *periclymenoides* or *viscosum* (s) × *catawbiense* × *ponticum* R: J.R. Gowen (pre 1825), N: R. Sweet (1828), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c17/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, lobes narrowly ovate, pointed, light purple, with scattered, faint brownish spots; stamens 9(-10). Calyx divided almost to the base, hairy, fringed with glandular hairs, lobes linear, obtuse. Lvs evergreen or scarcely deciduous, elliptic-oblong or lanceolate, acute at apex, margins slightly recurved, hairy when young, later dark green and hairless above. Early June. (The description is taken from *The British Flower Garden* 3, t. 263 (1828) where Sweet adopts this spelling and not Govenianum)

(a) **'Goyet'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Belgium (pre 1979) Fls double, up to c120mm wide, dark red. Indian

(a) **'Goyoten'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls single, pale pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Graaf A. de Kerchove'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, 80-100mm wide, strongly ruffled, glossy red. Indian

(a) **'Graaf Alfred'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark purple-red. Ghent

(a) **'Grabbit'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Harbinger' × 'Hatsushimo' R: D. Hager (pre 1984), N: D. Hager Fls single, 75mm wide, salmon pink, with a heavy red blotch and with white rays at the margin. Lvs broadly ovate. Shrub to 1.5m

(r) **'Grace'** (Syn. of 'George Grace')

(r) **Grace Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* (s) × *arboreum* subsp. *cinnamomeum* var. *album* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with slight markings

(r) **'Grace and Will'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Robby' × *lutescens* 'Exbury' H: W.E. Delp (1975), G: W.E. Delp (1982), N: Mrs V. Delp, I: W.E. Delp (1990), REG: Mrs S.M. Salley (1990) Fls 6-8/rounded truss, 25mm wide, 5-lobed, buds light and pale yellow-green (154D, 157C) and moderate purplish pink (54D), opening a blend of pale yellow (158B), light yellow-green (150D) and moderate purplish pink; brilliant yellow-green (150A) dorsal spotting; filaments light yellow-green; anthers moderate orange (173C). Calyx very short. Lvs narrowly elliptic, up to 85mm long, scaly below. Shrub 0.8m tall in 15 years. Early flowering

(r) **'Grace Darling'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (c 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale lilac, with a dark blotch. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Grace Freeman'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from a seedling of ('Vittatum' × *mucronatum* (s) × 'Shinnyono-tsuki' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, 95-100mm wide, pale la france pink (near moderate purplish pink (54D)), with a few, slightly darker spots on the blotch area. Shrub to 1.9m with similar habit to *mucronatum* but more densely branched. Mid May. Sporting readily. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Grace Freeman No. 2'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Grace Freeman' S: R.W. Pennington (1953), N: R.W. Pennington

(a) **'Grace Kallum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright pink. Indian

(r) **'Grace Patterson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marion' × unknown H: P. Dowsna (1972), G: P. Dowsna (1976), N: F. Boulter (1991), I: Boulters Olinda Nursery (1991), REG: Boulters Olinda Nursery (1992) Fls 20-25/conical truss, funnel-shaped, 35 × 80mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (65C) inside and out, fading to near white. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 40mm, flat, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 2.0m. Spring

(a) **'Grace Pride'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Nadine' H: O.S. Pride, I: O.S. Pride (1952) Fls deep pink

(r) **'Grace Seabrook'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague' × *strigillosum* R: C.S. Seabrook, N: C.S. Seabrook, I: C.S. Seabrook, REG: C.S. Seabrook (1966) Fls in tight, ball-shaped trusses, funnel-shaped, up to 50 × 75mm, currant red (821/1) at the margin, shading to blood red (820) at the centre. Lvs lightly tomentose below. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years

(a) **'Gracile'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Gracile'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent ?

(a) **'Graciosum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: H. Demay (1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls fine carmine red. Indian

(a) **'Graciosum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *occidentale* hybrid I: M. Koster & Sons (1901), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c20/loose truss, 65mm wide, pale orange-yellow (19D), suffused strong pink (especially outside) and with an orange blotch; lobes waved; scented. Shrub up to c2.0m. Late May. AM 1908. Occidentale

(r) **'Graciosum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Linden (1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large trusses, pale lilac rose, with heavy dark blotches. (Perhaps the plant exhibited at Metz in 1861 by Backès; cf *Revue Horticole* (4th Series) 10:418 (1861); may have been raised by Verschaffelt)

(a) **'Gracious'** cv. Evergreen azalea: orange-flowered form of *indicum* (s) × 'Momozono' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-6/truss, 50mm wide, between tyrian pink and rose (near strong purplish red (71D-63B)), with a heavy blotch of tyrian rose. Shrub to 1.5m. Late April-early May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Gradito'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Blurettia' (s) × *smirnowii* H: H. Hachmann (1982), G: H. Hachmann (1987), N: H. Hachmann (1991), I: H. Hachmann (1992), REG: G. Stück (1994) Fls 14-18/pyramidal truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40-45 × 55-70mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (65C) in bud, opening yellowish white (155D), slightly tinged pale purplish pink (65D), edges strongly tinged deep to strong purplish pink (68A-B); outside coloured as inside but with moderate to light purplish pink (68C/D) midveins; dorsal spotting of strong yellow-green (144B/C); stamens 10, filaments white, tinged pale purplish pink (56D), anthers moderate to pale orange-yellow (165C/D); style pale purplish pink (56A/B), stigma dark red (187C). Calyx 2mm long, moderate yellow-green (139D). Lvs oblong/elliptic, 85-

100 × 25-40mm, margins recurved, matt mid green above, cuneate at base, acute at apex, with greenish white hairs. Shrub 1.1 × 1.3m in 10 years. Mid May-early June. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1993/94)

(r) **'Graduation'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lutescens* (s) × *mekongense* Viridescens Group H: C.G. Heller (1968), G: C.G. Heller (1975), N: P. Moore, REG: P. Moore (1984) Fls 5/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 25 × 35mm, 5-lobed, variable in colour: most pale yellow (11C), some edged strong yellowish pink (35C); one in five fls moderate pink (35D) with 35C edging; two dorsal lobes with spotting - brown on yellow fls, crimson on pink fls. Calyx very small, ciliate. Lvs elliptic, 150-190 × 75-100mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, margins sparsely ciliate, with tiny, light yellow scales below. Shrub 1.5m in 15 years. Early May

(a) **'Graf Alfred von Niepperg'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light yellowish pink, spotted yellow and edged red. Ghent (May be the 'Graf Alfred' listed 1836 (source unknown))

(r) **'Graf Anton Günther'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Britannia' H: G.D. Böhlje Nursery (1966) Fls pink

(r) **'Graf Bentinck'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: sport from 'Nippon' N: H.-G. Buchtmann Fls presumably like the parent. Lvs with a broad yellow-green margin (with an irregular, narrow, dark green blotch remaining in the centre). (First found by Buchtmann in 1981)

(a) **'Graf Carl zu Castell'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Gebr Mardner (1874), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Graffito'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Madame Jules Porgès' (s) × 'Hachmann's Diadem' H: H. Hachmann (1984), G: H. Hachmann (1989), N: H. Hachmann (1996), I: H. Hachmann (1998), REG: G. Stück (1999) Fls 17-19/fairly compact, ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40-45 × 65-80mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, inside pale purplish pink (56D), edged light purplish pink (62C), outside pale purplish pink (56D) with an influence of the large, internal, dorsal blotch, which is deep red (60A) and shading to dark red (59A) in the throat; stamens 10, filaments white, anthers brownish orange (165B); style pale yellow-green (149D), stigma dark red (187A/B). Calyx 2-4mm long, reddish green. Lvs elliptic-obovate, 100-130 × 35-45mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, flat, glossy above, hairless. Shrub 1.6 × 1.3m in 10 years. Early-mid June. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1998-2000 (1998))

(a) **'Graf Franz Thun'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L.L. Liebig (1886), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, large, atlas rose. Indian (Also seen listed as 'Graf Franz van Thun')

(a) **'Gräfin Anna Thun'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L.L. Liebig (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pure white. Indian

(r) **'Gräfin Kirchbach'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scharnhorst' × *forrestii* Repens Group H: V. von Martin (1944), G: V. von Martin, N: V. von Martin, I: V. von Martin (1966), REG: J. Bruns (1971) Fls funnel-shaped, conspicuous brown-red in bud, opening bright red with dark brown markings. Lvs broadly ovate, glossy. Shrub up to 1.0m

(a) **'Gräfin Olga Choteck'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Petzold (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine rose. Indian

(r) **'Gräfin Sonja'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *insigne* × 'El Alamein' (s) × 'Blue Peter' H: J. Bruns Nursery (1970), G: J. Bruns Nursery (1978), N: J. Bruns Nursery (1994), I: J. Bruns Nursery (1994), REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1995) Fls 15-22/compact, rounded to conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 38-55 × 45-70mm, with 5-7 wavy-edged lobes, light pink with a lilac tinge both inside and out; heavy dark red blotch over 3 dorsal lobes. Calyx 1mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 65-125 × 20-46mm, margins decurved, matt green above, obtuse at base, acuminate at apex, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 4.1m in 24 years, of broad, erect, compact habit. Late May-early June. Syn: 'Tivoli'

(a) **'Gräfin Thun'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Verschaffelt (1861), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cinnabar red. Indian

(r) **'Graf Lennart'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* × 'Alice Street' (s) × 'Hachmann's Marina' H: H. Hachmann (1969), G: H. Hachmann (1974), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1983), REG: G. Stück (1984) Fls 12-14/truss, 30-35 × 45-55mm, 5-lobed, light greenish yellow (3D), inconspicuously marked dark red (59A). Calyx 1.5-2.5mm long, greenish, edged pink. Lvs ovate, 62-74 × 36-42mm, fairly glossy above, hairless.

(r) **'Graf Taubenheim'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alstroemerioides' hybrid R: J.B. Müller (pre 1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac rose, with fine dark brown spots, and a darker centre

(r) **'Grafton'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1994)

(a) **'Graf von Meran'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Rinz (pre 1854), N: J. Rinz, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, light purplish pink (55C), paling to pearl colour in centre. Late. Ghent

(r) **'Graf Zeppelin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pink Pearl' (s) × 'Mrs Charles S. Sargent' R: C.B. van Nes & Sons (pre 1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft, bright pink, blushing darker to edges, in tight rounded trusses of c10 fls. Lvs very dark glossy green. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Graham'** cv. Parentage unknown R: New Zealand (pre 1973), N: New Zealand

(r) **'Graham Holmes'** cv. A chance seedling from USA seed R: A.G. Holmes, N: A.G. Holmes, I: A.G. Holmes, REG: A.G. Holmes (1982) Fls strong purplish red (58C), with a small red mark in the throat

(r) **'Graham Thomas'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably derived from *campanulatum* 'Knaphill' H: F.G. Waterer, G: F.G. Waterer (c 1960), N: G.D. Waterer, I: Waterer (Knap Hill), REG: G.S. Thomas (1985) Fls c15/truss, 50 × 80mm, 6-7-lobed, violet purple (733/1) in bud, opening with throat mauvette (537), edges cobalt violet (634/1); dark brown spots in throat on 3 dorsal lobes, darkening to small basal brown blotch in keel of corolla. Calyx 2mm long, greenish white, edged red. Lvs elliptic-oblong, 120-150 × 40-50mm, pale orange-brown, hairy below. AM 1993

(r) **'Graham Vivian'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Clyne Castle (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dusky purple

(r) **'Grains de Beauté'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kerneostic' (s) × Kilimanjaro Group H: M. Colombel (1992), G: M. Colombel (1996), N: M. Colombel (1998), REG: M. Colombel (1998) Fls 16-20/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50-55 × 55-60mm, with 6 slightly wavy-edged lobes, deep red (60A) in bud, opening light purplish pink (68D) inside, deep purplish pink (68A) outside, dark red (59A) spots over the whole corolla; small red nectar pouches. Calyx 2-4mm long, strong reddish purple (72B). Lvs elliptic, 120-130 × 45-50mm, margins decurved, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m in 6 years. Early-mid May. (Standard: colour slide provided by the registrant (WSY 0040217))

(a) **'Granada'** (Mis-spelling for 'Grenada')

(a) **'Granada'** (Syn. of 'Hachmann's Granada')

(a) **'Granat'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Osakazuki' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, 50mm wide, a little brighter than eugenia red (near moderate red (180B)), with a large but inconspicuous blotch of many fine tyrian rose dots. Shrub to 1.9m. Early May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Granat'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Milner' × *catawbiense* R: T.J.R. Seidel (1897), N: T.J.R. Seidel (1905), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with slightly wavy-edged lobes, ruby red, with weak, brown markings on a paler ground

(a) **'Granatifolium'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1887), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, salmon red, toned with violet. Indian

(a) **'Grandam'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × 'Fukuju' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 75mm wide, with wavy-edged margins, white, with a very little sanding and a few stripes of liseran purple (near deep purplish pink (78C)). Low, twiggy shrub, possibly reaching 0.9m in time. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Grand Arab'** (Syn. of 'Vesuvius')

(r) **'Grand Champ'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Minnie' (s) × 'Catalgla' H: W.E. Delp (1976), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 16/truss, 47 × 70mm, open funnel-shaped, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, deep reddish purple and strong purple (77A, B) in bud, opening to a blend of strong and light purple (77B-D), with dark red (187A, B) spots on 3 dorsal lobes; filaments very pale purple (76D); anthers light reddish brown (177B); style very pale purple (73D), stigma moderate red (181A). Lvs 102 × 44mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m in 16 years. Mid June

(a) **'Grand Duc'** (Syn. of 'Grand Duc de Luxembourg')

(r) **'Grand-Duc de Bade'** cv. Parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with the tip of each flower spotted or streaked with brown

(a) **'Grand Duc de Luxembourg'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: L. Verschaffelt (pre 1846), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark red, spotted orange. Syn: 'Grand Duc'. Ghent (First listed as 'Grand Duc', the expanded form has been much more widely used and is adopted here)

(a) **'Grand Duc Michel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Verschaffelt (1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rose, well spotted. Indian

(r) **'Grand Duke'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: possibly a *macabeanum* seedling R: B. Holland, N: B. Holland, I: G. Huthnance (pre 1960)

(a) **'Grand Duke Constantine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Henderson & Co. (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls tube-shaped, creamy white. Indian

(r) **'Grand Duke of Würtemberg'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as a parent of 'Ariadne')

(a) **'Grande'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Vervaene (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls brick red with a bluish blotch and more red-purple spots on the blotch. Indian (Perhaps the plant listed by L. van Houtte in 1844)

(r) **'Grande'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Dancer (pre 1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac, with red spots

(r) **'Grande'** cv. Parentage unknown R: A. van Geert (pre 1869), N: A. van Geert, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red, with darker markings

(a) **'Grande Duchesse de Bade'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Verschaffelt, N: A. Verschaffelt, I: A. Verschaffelt (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 100mm wide, semi-double, vivid fiery red, spotted and striped carmine; most stamens petaloid. Indian

(a) **'Grande Duchesse Hélène'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Verschaffelt (1858), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose. Lvs variegated. (Said to be a variegated form of 'Exquisitum'; Laurentius (1869) lists a rhododendron with this name (fls pale rose, with a large yellow blotch): it may be an error for this azalea)

(a) **'Grandee'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Yozakura' (s) × 'Kagaribi R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 70mm wide, geranium pink (near strong pink (48C)), with a conspicuous blotch of distinct dots of tyrian rose. Shrub to 1.2m. Early May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Grandeur'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L.L. Brooks (pre 1965), N: L.L. Brooks Fls double, purplish red. Indian

(a) **'Grandeur Triomphante'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1855), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, deep amaranth, shaded with orange. Late. Ghent

(r) **Grandex Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *falconeri* subsp. *eximium* (s) × *sinogrande* H: Lord Aberconway (1930), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow, flushed pink

(r) **'Grandezza'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Furnivall's Daughter' × 'Roseum Elegans' H: H. Hachmann (1969), G: H. Hachmann (1974), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1985), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 10-16/truss, open funnel-shaped, 45-55 × 75-95mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (68B), lobes deep purplish pink (68A) with light purplish pink (68D) centres; outside strong to deep purplish pink (68B(-A)), tinged vivid purplish red (68A-B); conspicuous marking on 3 dorsal lobes of dark red to deep purplish red (187B(-D)); pedicels reddish green. Calyx 5-8mm long, rosy greenish. Lvs broadly elliptic, 120-140 × 40-58mm, flat, with recurved margins, mucronate at apex, rounded(-oblique) at base, mid green and glossy above; petioles reddish brown above. Shrub 1.3 × 1.8m in 15 years, of broad erect habit. Late May-early June

(r) **'Grand Finale'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Doncaster' × *facetum* H: M. Haworth-Booth (1932), G: M. Haworth-Booth (1937), N: M. Haworth-Booth (1960), I: M. Haworth-Booth, REG: M. Haworth-Booth (1961) Fls resembling 'Doncaster' in shape and form, vivid red. Lvs with a *facetum*-like tomentum. Shrub to 2.56 × 3.0m. July

(a) **'Grand Frederic'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1851), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Perhaps the same as 'Friedrich der Grosse')

(r) **'Grand Gala'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: Slieve Donard Nursery (c 1960), G: Slieve Donard Nursery, N: Slieve Donard Nursery, I: Slieve Donard Nursery, REG: E.C. Nelson (1987) Fls 9/truss, 70 × 70mm, 7-lobed, the lobes very broad, slightly recurved, crumpled, overlapping; ground colour pale pink (49D) streaked outside deep pink (50B), fading to pale yellowish pink (29D) at base of tube, lobes strong pink (50C). Calyx c15mm long, same texture as corolla but a bit redder. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 50mm, hairless. Shrub 1.2m. May-June

(r) **'Grand Hasard'** cv. Parentage unknown G: C. de la Sablière (1994), N: C. de la Sablière, REG: Société Bretonne du Rhododendron (1996) Fls 19-21/ball truss, ventricose-campanulate, 52 × 50mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink/light yellowish pink (54B/36A) in bud, ageing after opening to pale yellow (8D) inside and out, with pink spots on the dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 260 × 80mm, flat, obtuse and apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, matt green above, with yellowish white (155D) hairs which age to pale yellow-green (157B). Shrub 1.9 × 3.1m in 11 years. April

(r) **'Grandiceps'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1853), INC: ICRA (1958) Flsdeep rose. (Exhibited at Ghent by Verschaffelt in 1853)

(a) **'Grandidissimum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) (A hardy azalea)

(r) **'Grandidissimum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid L: E.F. André (1864), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red, spotted

(a) **'Grandiflorum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1826), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Listed under *Azalea versicolor*; perhaps the 'Grandiflorum' listed by Hesse (1899, fls matt salmon, with dark orange spots) or by Paillet (1854, fls yellow, tinged purple))

(a) **'Grandiflorum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1826), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange (Sweet, 1830). Ghent (Listed as "Calendulacea Grandiflora")

(a) **'Grandiflorum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1849), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Exhibited at Brussels by Janssens in 1849)

(a) **'Grandiflorum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, yellow. Ghent (Listed as "Pontica Grandiflora")

(r) **'Grandiflorum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *thomsonii* L: G. Reuthe Ltd (1909), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Grandiflorum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *dauricum* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls larger than usual. (Found by Cels in an English nursery and grown in Paris c1840)

(a) **'Grandiflorum Album'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1898), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, very large, white. Shrub to 3.0m. AM 1898. Indian

(a) **'Grandiflorum Augusta'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1874), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Grandiflorum Maculatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1849), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Grandiflorum Plenum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from *ponticum* R: Dalibon (1845), N: Dalibon, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 17/truss, 40-50 × 80-90mm, deep violet blue, with a blotch of yellow spots and strongly veined violet; stamens transformed, in part, into petals. Lvs very dark, shiny green, more-or-less flat, lanceolate. (Perhaps the same plant as 'Fastuosum Flore Pleno')

(a) **'Grandiflorum Roseum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *simsii* L: A. van Geert (pre 1849), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Grandiflorum Rubrum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1856), INC: ICRA (1958) (Exhibited in Brussels by Goethals de Potter in March, 1856)

(a) **'Grandiflorum Spectabile'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent ?

(r) **'Grandiflorum Superbum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1843), INC: ICRA (1958) (Exhibited by Paillet in Paris in 1843)

(r) **'Grandios'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown G: W. Schmalscheidt (1980), N: W. Schmalscheidt, REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1987) Fls 12-23/truss, open funnel-shaped, 55-80mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, lilac pink to purplish red with centre nearly white and markings of yellow, yellow-green or yellow-brown. Calyx 2mm long, almost white. Lvs elliptic, 67-145 × 28-65mm, mucronate at apex, hairless. Shrub 1.6 × 2.6m in c10 years. Late May-mid June. (Discovered in 1976 or 1977 as a shoot on a rootstock of 'Antoon van Welie')

(a) **'Grandissimum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1871), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(r) **'Grand Jury'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: possibly a *macabeanum* seedling R: B. Hollard, N: B. Hollard, I: G. Huthnance (pre 1960)

(r) **'Grandma Barbara'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *macrophyllum* hybrid H: unknown (pre 1972), G: unknown, N: D.J. Williams (1998), REG: D.J. Williams (1998) Fls 21-25/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 45-55 × 60-70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (55B) throughout, with 10-15 dark pink spots on the dorsal lobe. Calyx c1.5mm long, strong yellowish pink (35C). Lvs elliptic, 200-250 × 75-90mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 4.6 × 6.2m in 25 years. Early May

(a) **'Grandma Cleveland'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Christina' (Vuykiana) (s) × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' H: W.L. Clagett (1989), G: W.L. Clagett (1993), N: W.L. Clagett, I: White's Nursery (1995), REG: W.L. Clagett (1997) Fls 2-3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 70mm, with 5 wavy to very wavy-edged lobes, light pink (50D), with a narrow, deep pink (50B) picotee-like edge; stigma red; style bright green; stamens 6, bright pink. Calyx 5mm long, chartreuse green. Lvs elliptic, 45 × 20mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, with discrete hairs below and on petioles. Shrub 0.24 × 0.3m in 3 years. Flowers have a somewhat wrinkled texture. Mid-late May. (Distributed originally as no. 89-2-1)

(r) **'Grandma Larson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fusilier Group × *strigillosum* (s) × 'Gina' H: D.K. McClure (1965), G: D.K. McClure (1976), N: D.K. McClure, I: D.K.McClure (1980), REG: D.K. McClure (1985) Fls 18/truss, 50 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53A), unmarked. Calyx very short, dark red. Lvs between narrowly elliptic and elliptic, 100-125 × 45-50mm, hairless. Shrub 2.2m in 20 years

(r) **'Grandma Matilda'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Watchung' × a white form of *minus* Carolinianum Group H: L. Yavorsky (c 1966), G: L. Yavorsky (c 1969), N: L. Yavorsky, I: L. Yavorsky, REG: L. Yavorsky (1987) Fls 2-5/truss, 9.5 × 25mm, broadly funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, light purple (82D). Calyx 2mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 16-22 × 8-10mm, scaly. Shrub 0.6 × 0.5m in 12 years. Early May. Syn: 'Matilda'

(r) **'Grand Marquis'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: possibly a *macabeanum* seedling R: B. Hollard, N: B. Hollard, I: G. Huthnance (pre 1960)

(r) **'Grandma's Hat'** cv. Parentage unknown G: B.M. Smith (1976), N: B.M. Smith, I: B.M. Smith, REG: B.M. Smith (1987) Fls 18-20/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 38 × 102mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish red (64A) in bud, opening greenish white (155C) with deep purplish red (71A) margins (c5mm wide); dark red (187A) dorsal blotch extending c12mm from centre towards tip and dark red (187A) spotting on 3 dorsal lobes; outside deep purplish red (71A). Calyx 2-4mm long, strong yellow-green (143B) with purplish tips. Lvs oblanceolate to lanceolate, 127 × 44mm, dull, dark yellowish green (139A) above, strong yellow-green (144A) below, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 10 years. Late May. (Seedling obtained from H.Lem in 1973)

(a) **'Grand Monarch'** (See note under 'Grand Monarque')

(a) **'Grand Monarch'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 75mm wide, deep pink, shaded rose towards margin, upper lobes densely spotted. Indian (Exhibited by C. Turner, 1862 (also reported as 'Grand Monarque'))

(a) **'Grand Monarque'** (See note under 'Grand Monarch')

(a) **'Grand Monarque'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1855), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls strong yellowish pink, with a golden yellow blotch. Late. Ghent (Also reported as 'Grand Monarch')

(r) **'Grand Mystery'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *macabeanum* × unknown H: H. Marchant, G: H. Marchant, I: Huthnance Nurseries, REG: S.J. & E.R. Rowe (1988) Fls 17/truss, funnel-campanulate, 65 × 65-70mm, 7-lobed, vivid red (52A) in bud, opening deep pink (52B) and fading to pale pink (49D); dark red blotch at base of flower. Calyx 2mm long, pink. Lvs elliptic, 170 × 60-65mm, with a light brown/grey indumentum on young foliage. Shrub 2.0 × 3.0m in c20 years. September-October (New Zealand)

(r) **'Grand Parade'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.L. Tolstead (1965), G: W.L. Tolstead, N: W.L. Tolstead, REG: W.L. Tolstead (1995) Fls 17/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 42mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, moderate red, with black spotting on dosal lobe. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 130 × 45mm, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 30 years. Late May. (Derived from *catawbiense*/*fortunei* crosses, perhaps with admixture of other species)

(r) **'Grand Pré'** (Syn. of 'Minas Grand Pré')

(r) **'Grand Prix'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *grande* (s) × *falconeri* subsp. *eximium* R: A.W. Heneage-Vivian, N: A.W. Heneage-Vivian, I: A.W. Heneage-Vivian (1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 22/truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 63mm, ivory white, outside shaded pale carmine (21/3), reverse of lobes edged deeper carmine. Lvs narrowly obovate, up to 225 × 100mm, with a heavy fawn tomentum below. AM 1940 (Grand Prix Group)

(r) **Grand Prix Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *grande* (s) × *falconeri* subsp. *eximium* R: A.W. Heneage-Vivian, N: A.W. Heneage-Vivian, I: A.W. Heneage-Vivian (1940), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Grand Sight'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × 'Maxecat' R: O. Holmsomback (pre 1996) Fls large, in an upright truss, pink. Compact shrub, 1.2m in 10 years. Late

(r) **'Grand Slam'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Trude Webster' × 'Lydia' R: H.E. Greer (pre 1982), N: H.E. Greer Fls in very large, cone-shaped trusses, deep pink with a darker, spotted dorsal blotch and wavy-edged lobes. Lvs glossy green. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Grand Teton'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × unknown H: G.W. Clarke, G: G.W. Clarke, N: G.W. Clarke, I: G.W. Clarke, REG: Mrs M. Clarke (1991) Fls 12/domed truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 32 × 38mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, strong red (52A) in bud, opening deep pink (52B), fading to moderate pink (49B); pistil red. Calyx 6mm long, brown. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 76 × 19mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and hairless above, with a felted indumentum below (tan when young, ageing to brown); petioles 19mm long, hairy. Shrub 0.8-0.9 × 0.9m in 8 years. May

(a) **'Grandville'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. van Geert (1853), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Perhaps the same as 'Grenvillei' q.v)

(a) **'Granny Cee'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Moonbeam' (Glenn Dale) (s) × un-named hybrid (no. ST-1-A) H: W.L. Clagett (1989), G: W.L. Clagett (1993), N: W.L. Clagett (1998), I: White's Nursery (1999), REG: W.L. Clagett (1999) Fls hose-in-hose, with some petaloid stamens, 2-3/truss, open funnel-shaped, with 5+5(+0-4), wavy to very wavy-edged lobes, buds white with a chartreuse base, opening inside white with random stripes of deep purplish pink (73A), with inconspicuous, chartreuse spotting on dorsal lobes; outside white, with deep purplish pink (73A) stripes and a chartreuse base; sports freely to solid strong purplish pink (68B) inside and out. No normal calyx. Lvs oblong, 55 × 18mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, flat, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, with white hairs below. Shrub 0.9 × 0.5m in 10 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Grant'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' (s) × 'Kammer's Ruffles' H: M. Stockman (1983), G: M. & H. Stockman (1988), N: M. & H. Stockman, I: M. & H. Stockman (1992), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1992) Fls 16/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 44 × 76mm, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes, strong purple (80B) with prominent dark purple (79A) spotting on dorsal lobe; outside strong purple (77B) flushed moderate purplish red (58A) along midribs; stamens 11, unequal, slightly curved; filaments (like the style) strong purplish red (71B); anthers cream coloured. Calyx 6mm long, cream. Pedicels 38mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 121 × 44mm, convex, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, bullate and glossy dark green above, hairless; petioles 19mm long, light green. Shrub 0.8 × 0.9m in 9 years. Mid May

(r) **'Grant's Gold'** (Syn. of 'Kapunatiki')

(r) **'Granulatum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *ponticum* L: Lefevre (1837), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Grapefruit'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Chaste Group × *wardii* Litiense Group R: Embley Park (pre 1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c20/hemispherical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45 × 70mm, light greenish yellow (5D), with a ray of crimson markings on a deeper yellow ground; stained externally. Calyx densely glandular, edged crimson. Lvs oblong-ovate, up to 130 × 55mm, matt green above, hairless below

(r) **'Grape Jam'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Achiever' (s) × *fastigiatum* H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, I: L. Pluta, REG: J.D. Harris (1996) Fls 6/truss, open funnel-shaped, c20 × 35mm, 5-lobed, moderate and strong violet (86A-C) in bud, opening strong and brilliant violet (86B-D); filaments moderate red (183C); style deep purplish red (59B); anthers greyish brown (166A); stigma moderate orange (170B). Lvs

30 × 15mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base. Shrub 1.5 × 1.4m in 22 years. Mid May

(r) **'Grape Leopard'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: A.W. Smith (pre 1989), G: D. Irish-Hosler (1997), N: D. Irish-Hosler (2000), REG: D. Irish-Hosler (2000) Fls 15/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light purple (75A) throughout, with a large, dark maroon, densely spotted, dorsal blotch; scented like ripe grapes. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 90 × 30mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins flat, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (146A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in c12 years. Mid June

(r) **'Grapevine'** (An error for 'Grapewine')

(r) **'Grapewine'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: un-named purple seedling × 'Purple Splendour' R: O. Holmsomback (pre 1989) Fls royal purple, with a deeper flare. Shrub under 1.8m in 10 years. (Sometimes misspelt 'Grapevine')

(a) **'Grata'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Firma S. Rinz (pre 1853), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright red, with a dark amaranth blotch. Indian

(r) **'Gratiosum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale lilac rose, with dark spots. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Gratitude'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kagetsu' × 'Waraigishi' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1965) Fls double, with 10-15 imbricated lobes, deep rose pink, with a few tyrian pink dots towards the base of the lobes. Growth type resembling 'Balsaminiflorum'. Shrub 0.35 × 0.6m in 10 years. Late. Back Acres

(r) **'Gratuity'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *calostrotum* × *dauricum* 'Arctic Pearl' H: C. & V. Haag (pre 1970), G: C. & V. Haag Fls pink. Winter foliage purple. April

(r) **'Grayswood Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *williamsianum* (s) × *venator* I: G.H. Dowty (1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls campanulate, red. Pedicels resemble *venator*

(r) **'Graziella'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Nomblot-Bruneau (1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose

(r) **'Graziella'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: possibly a hybrid of *ponticum* and *roxieanum* S: G. Eschrich, I: H. Hachmann (1992) Fls 8-15/loose, broadly rounded truss, 35-50mm wide, pink, with small red spots on the dorsal lobe. Lvs narrowly lanceolate, 90-110 × 8-13mm. Shrub 0.8 × 1.3m in 10 years. Mid May-early June

(a) **'Greasby'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: M.C. Pratt (c 1986), G: Ness Botanic Gardens (1996), N: Ness Botanic Gardens, REG: Ness Botanic Gardens (1998) Fls 6-10/loose truss, broadly tubular funnel-shaped, 45 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, red in bud, opening white suffused pale purplish pink (56B) inside, white suffused deep pink (52C) outside; dorsal blotch of brilliant yellow (15C); scented. Calyx brilliant yellow-green (142B). Lvs elliptic, 30-65 × 12-30mm, wavy-edged, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 0.75m in 12 years. June-July. Good autumn foliage colour

(r) **'Great Britain'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' × *griffithianum* I: Lord Digby (1953), INC: ICRA (1958)

(v) **'Great Coat'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *zoelleri* × *christianae* × *konori* H: B. Clancy (1994), G: B. Clancy (1997), N: G. Roelink (2000), I: G. Roelink (2000), REG: G. Roelink (2000) Fls 10-12/open truss, tubular-campanulate, 35 × 70mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, light orange (28C) in bud, opening inside light orange (28C) in tube, vivid reddish orange (43A) on the lobes, outside vivid reddish orange (43A); unmarked. Lvs obovate to broadly elliptic, 95 × 55mm, acuminate at apex, attenuate at base, flat, glossy green above, scales not visible to the naked eye. Shrub 1.0 × 0.8m in 6 years. Flowering throughout the year

(r) **'Great Dane'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × *rex* R: J.C. Birck, I: K.A. Lehmann (1988)

(r) **'Great Day'** cv. 'Powell Glass' × *calophytum* H: S. Baldanza (pre 1970), G: O.S. Pride, N: O.S. Pride (pre 1980)

(r) **'Great Eastern'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a subsect. *Fortunea* hybrid H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: C.O. Dexter, N: Mrs J.F. Knippenburg, REG: Scott Arboretum (1983) Fls 16/truss, 45 × 70mm, open funnel-shaped, 5-6-lobed, deep purplish pink (7.5RP 6/12), paling to light purplish pink (7.5RP 8/5) and pale purplish pink (7.5RP 9/2) toward centre, with four dorsal rays of strong greenish yellow (10Y 7/9) and faint dorsal spotting of brilliant greenish yellow (10Y 9/9) becoming more-or-less solid near the rays. Calyx 17mm long, pale yellow-green. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 65mm, moderate yellow-green (5GY 5/6). Shrub c1.9m in c20 years. (First distributed c1955)

(a) **'Great Expectations'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Anytime Tetra' (s) × 'Mariko' H: A.E. Kehr (1974), G: A.E. Kehr (1977), N: A.E. Kehr, I: A.E. Kehr (1984), REG: A.E. Kehr (1984) Fls 2-3/truss, funnel-shaped, 75 × 75mm, 6-lobed to doubled, strong reddish orange (42C), with a purplish dorsal blotch and 0-3 stamens. Calyx 10mm long, green. Lvs more-or-less narrowly obovate, 50 × 25mm, hairy above and below. Shrub 0.45m in 10 years

(r) **'Great Fortune'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Essex Scarlet' × *fortunei* H: B. & M. Shapiro (1958), G: B. & M. Shapiro, N: B. & M. Shapiro, REG: B. & M. Shapiro (1989) Fls 12-14/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 64 × 102mm, with 6 smooth to slightly wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (67B) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (68A) outside; inside 68A on margins shading to white centre with light yellow (20B) streaks deep in throat; moderately scented. Calyx 2-3mm

long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 127-152 × 51-64mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless above; young growth in general slightly hairy. Shrub 1.5 × 2.1m in 30 years. Mid May. Syn: 'Good Fortune'

(r) **'Great Genes'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ('Ruddy Red Max' × 'Midsummer'), selfed H: W.E. Delp (1988), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1995) Fls 20/truss, open funnel-shaped, 38 × 51mm, 5-lobed, deep purplish red (61A) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (65D), edged deep, strong and vivid purplish red (61A-C) with deep greenish yellow (153A) and strong purplish red (61B) dorsal spots; filaments pale purplish pink (62D); style light purplish pink (62C); anthers light yellowish pink (159A); stigma vivid purplish red (61C). Lvs 127 × 57mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 0.35 × 0.4m in 5 years. Late June

(r) **'Great Lakes'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* var. *album* × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' R: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach (1960), I: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1961) Fls up to 15/truss, 65mm wide, clear pink in bud, opening light pink and fading to chalk white. Lvs 108 × 45mm, mid green, with a sparse, light tan indumentum. Shrub 0.6 × 0.8m

(v) **'Great Scent-sation'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *konori* × *lochiae* H: G.L.S. Snell (c 1976), G: G.L.S. Snell (1985), N: G.L.S. Snell, I: G.L.S. Snell (1986), REG: Shrublands Nursery (1987) Fls 5-8/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 60 × 75mm, 5-lobed, deep purplish pink (55A), fading to centre. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 65mm. Shrub 1.0m. May-June (Australia)

(r) **'Great Scott'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs J.G. Millais' (s) × 'Cheyenne' H: H.E. Greer (1960), G: H.E. Greer, N: H.E. Greer, I: H.E. Greer (1975), REG: H.E. Greer (1979) Fls up to 14/truss, 115mm wide, slightly darker than pale purplish pink (2.5RP 9/2), with a very prominent dark red (2.5R 3/7) blotch on 3 dorsal lobes, solid at base, spotted at apex. Calyx 1-2mm long, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic to lanceolate, 150 × 55mm, deep green. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Great Smoky'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *vernicosum* × 'Hardy Giant' H: C. & V. Haag (pre 1970), G: C. & V. Haag Fls in large trusses, light lavender, with a darker blotch. Lvs shiny dark green. Shrub to 1.8m. May.

(r) **'Greeley'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Fawn' × *elliottii* × 'Umpqua Chief' R: H.E. Greer, N: H.E. Greer, I: H.E. Greer, REG: H.E. Greer (1961) Fls 13/rounded truss, campanulate, 100mm wide, 6-lobed, watermelon pink (11RP 4/11), dorsal lobes with dense, darker spots (10RP 1/10). Lvs oblanceolate, 150 × 50mm. Shrub to 1.2m in 10 years. May

(r) **'Green Eye'** (Syn. of 'Greenthroat')

(r) **'Greeneye'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *augustinii* (s) × 'Saint Tudy' H: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1948), G: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1954), N: E.G.W.W. Harrison, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls mauve blue, with green spots

(r) **'Green-eyed Ghost'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catawbiense Album' (s) × 'White Gold' H: M.J. Whitman (1995), G: M.J. & B. Whitman (2001), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (2001), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (2001) Fls 11/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, very pale purple (76D) in bud, opening inside white, tinged pale lavender at margins, with a prominent dorsal blotch of strong yellow-green (144B) spots on a brilliant greenish yellow (1A) ground; outside white, lightly tinged lavender at edges. Lvs oblong, 125 × 50mm, margins flat, broadly acute at apex, somewhat rounded at base, dull and dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.5 × 0.6m in 6 years. Early May

(a) **'Green Eyes'** cv. Evergreen azalea: derived from 'Maxwellii', Kurume and Indian parentage R: USDA, N: USDA, Beltsville (1960), I: USDA, Beltsville (1960), REG: USDA, Beltsville (1961) Fls hose-in-hose, 3/truss, 75-100mm wide, white, with a marked, green blotch on the dorsal lobe. Lvs dark green. Shrub twice as wide as high. (Derived from the work of G.E. Yerkes & R.L. Pryor)

(r) **'Greenfinch'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Lindsay Smith' (s) × *campylocarpum* I: C. Ingram (1945), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Greengage'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Olga' (s) × *fortunei* H: G. Dixon (1987), G: G. Dixon (2000), N: G. Dixon (2002), I: G. Dixon (2002), REG: G. Dixon (2002) Fls 8/rounded truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 80mm, with 5-6 very wavy-edged lobes, buds pale purplish pink (56A), inside opening light yellow (10C), light yellow-green (145B) in the throat and with a pale purplish pink (56A) rim; outside light yellow (10C) heavily flushed pale purplish pink (56A); green spots on dorsal lobes and a green central blotch; stamens and styles green; scented. Calyx 20mm long, pale purplish pink (56A). Lvs oblanceolate, 120 × 45mm, flat, acute at apex, rounded at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 0.6m in 15 years. Flowering from late May. (Overall effect is yellow/green, flushed pink; 'Olga' is the Slocock, elepidote hybrid)

(a) **'Green Glow'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Eri' × 'Glacier' × 'Anna Kehr' H: D.W. Hyatt (1979), G: P.M. Waldman (1983), N: P.M. Waldman, I: Roslyn Nursery, REG: P.M. Waldman (1988) Fls semi-double (with 2-3 stamens/fl), open funnel-shaped, 65 × 65mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, light yellow-green (154D), fading lighter at edges and with light yellow-green (145B) spotting in throat. Calyx 25mm long, light yellow-green (150D). Lvs elliptic, 40 × 20mm, concave, acute at tip, cuneate at base, smooth and hairy above. Shrub 0.6 × 1.2m in 7 years. Mid season to late

(a) **'Green Goddess'** cv. Evergreen azalea: un-named pink and white double × 'Damask Rose' R: R. Harrington (c 1970), N: R. Harrington Fls 75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, white, with a yellow-green blotch. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Green Goddess'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Lindsay Smith' × *fortunei* × Fabia Group R: M.W. Lyons, N: M.W. Lyons, I: M.W. Lyons (1971), REG: M.W. Lyons (1971) Fls up to 12/flat ball truss, 95mm wide, chartreuse (663/2), with a green blotch. Lvs long ovate, 180 × 75mm. Shrub under 1.9m. Early May

(r) **'Green Highlander'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Idealist Group × Hawk Group × Jalisco Group H: Waterer (Bagshot) (1960), G: Waterer (Bagshot) (1968), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975) Fls apricot in bud, opening pale yellow (8D), deepening to light greenish yellow (8C) in centre. Lvs 90 × 40mm. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Early June.

(a) **'Green Ice'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Berna Park Nurseries (1984) Fls single, white, with a green throat

(r) **'Green Ice'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Green Ice')

(a) **'Greenii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1843), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Greenmantle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *phaeochrysum*, from Rock 11325 R: S.R. Clarke, I: R.N.S. Clarke (1977), REG: R.N.S. Clarke (1977) Fls 11-15/rounded truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, up to 50 × 50mm, 5-lobed, greenish white (155C) with a small, red blotch in the throat. Calyx irregular, lobes up to 2mm long, ciliate. Lvs narrowly elliptic, up to 130 × 45mm, with a light covering of rusty brown hairs below. AM 1977

(a) **'Green Mist'** cv. Evergreen azalea: double pink florists' azalea × 'Treasure' H: USDA, Glenn Dale (1947), G: USDA, Glenn Dale, N: USDA, Glenn Dale, I: USDA, Glenn Dale (1962), REG: USDA, Glenn Dale (1962) Fls semi-double, 65mm wide, white with a distinct greenish blotch. Lvs elliptic, narrow, glossy, hairless. (May be the same plant as 'Limelight' in which case 'Green Mist' has priority)

(r) **'Green Scene'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Si Si' × 'Serendipity' (s) × 'Marypat' H: W.E. Delp (1984), G: W.D. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 16/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 46 × 51mm, 5-lobed, moderate red, deep pink and pale greenish yellow (180C, D, 1D) in bud, opening light yellow-green (154D, 150D), with strong yellow-green (144A) dorsal spots; filaments and style pale greenish yellow (1D); anthers moderate orange-yellow (165C); stigma brownish orange (165B). Lvs 76 × 25mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, with a sparse, woolly, tan indumentum. Shrub 0.9 × 0.8m in 8 years. Early June

(r) **'Green Shade'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Freckle Pink' × un-named apricot seedling H: K. Van de Ven, G: K. Van de Ven (1985), N: K. Van de Ven, I: K. Van de Ven, REG: K. Van de Ven (1986) Fls 15-17/truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 60mm, yellowish white (155D), flushed brilliant yellow-green (154B) on inside of all lobes. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 50mm. Shrub 1.0m

(r) **'Greensleeves'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Lindsay Smith' (s) × Dido Group H: Slocock Nurseries (1952), G: Slocock Nurseries, N: M.O. Slocock (1979), REG: M.O. Slocock (1993) Fks 11/truss, 51 × 76mm, 5-lobed, pale yellow (161D) inside, tinged pale purplish pink (65D) outside, heavily spotted. Calyx 13mm long, cream, tinged pink. Lvs elliptic, 127 × 63mm, hairless. Late May

(r) **'Greensprite'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Golden Jubilee' (s) × 'Crest' H: Mrs E.M. Watson (1971), G: Mrs E.M. Watson, I: Mrs E.M. Watson, REG: Mrs E.M. Watson (1983) Fls 10/ball truss, 80 × 80mm, broadly funnel-campanulate, 8-lobed, greenish white (157D), dorsal blotch of faint moderate yellow-green (146D) deep in the throat and peripheral spots of 146D; no stamens; gardenia-like scent. Calyx 3mm long, moderate yellow-green (146B). Lvs elliptic, 145 × 55mm, moderate olive green (147A). Shrub c1.2m in 10 years. Early June.

(a) **'Green Star'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: I.L. Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L. Amann Fls star-shaped, 45mm wide, with pointed lobes, white, with a greenish cast and a strong yellow-green (143A) blotch. Shrub to 1.5m. Midseason

(a) **'Green's White'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Greenthroat'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *maddenii* × unknown G: G. Eaton (1972), N: G. Eaton (1995), REG: G. Eaton (1995) Fls 5-8/open, rounded truss, funnel-shaped, 70 × 70mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, light greenish yellow (4C) in bud, opening pale yellow-green (4D) throughout, with brilliant yellow-green (154B) spotting on the dorsal lobe; scented. Lvs obovate, 100 × 45mm, margins slightly decurved, obtuse and mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, matt green above, scaly. Shrub 2.0 × 2.0m in 26 years. Early-mid spring. Syn: 'Green Eye' (Raised from seed of *maddenii* obtained by K. Van de Ven from RHS Garden, Wisley, UK)

(a) **'Greenthumb Peppermint'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selected sport from an unidentified azalea growing in garden of B.J. Maness, Asheboro, North Carolina, USA S: D.J. Cagle (1980), N: D.J. Cagle, I: D.J. Cagle (1989), REG: P.R. Fantz (1990) Fls 2-3/truss, open funnel-shaped, semi-double and hose-in-hose, 35-45 × 50-60mm, normal corolla with 5 wavy-edged lobes, colour pattern varies: white margins (2-7mm wide) with light purplish pink (5RP 7/8) inner areas following the vein patterns and a strong red (2.5R 4/10) blotch on upper petals; sports can be totally white or strong purplish pink (5RP 6/10); 5-8 straight stamens; pistil straight, pink. Calyx 35-45mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 30-60 × 15-30mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above and strigose hairy on midrib and veins; summer lvs elliptic, 40-90 × 20-50mm, mucronate at apex, cuneate to more-or-less rounded at base. Shrub 1.0 × 1.2m in 8 years. Mid-late spring. (Published in *Hort. Science* 25 (2):236-237 (1990))

(a) **'Greenville Gold'** cv. Deciduous azalea: wild origin selection from *austrinum* in Greenville County, Alabama, USA S: W. Dodd (pre 1985) Fls in large trusses, 40mm wide, vivid yellow; scented

(a) **'Greenvillei'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1852), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Probably the same plant listed as 'Grenvillei' (*q.v.*))

(a) **'Greenway'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: F.J. Williams (1975), REG: F.J. Williams (1975) Fls pink. AM 1975. Kurume (Perhaps a Kurume hybrid as the flowers are unusually large)

(r) **'Greenwell Glory'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Diane' × 'Gladys Rose' × *campylocarpum* × Kewense Group H: Waterer (Bagshot) (1964), G: Waterer (Bagshot) (1971), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975) Fls 8-10/truss, 70×70mm, 5-lobed, peach-coloured in bud, opening pale pink (49D) marked moderate pink (49B), dorsal lobes marked strong greenish yellow (151B). Calyx very small. Lvs 70-80 × 20-30mm, deep green. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. May

(v) **'Green with Envy'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *gardenia* × *laetum* × *aurigeranum* H: G.L.S. Snell, G: R. Macdonald (1991), N: R. Macdonald (1991), I: Foothills Nursery (1991), REG: Foothills Nursery (1992) Fls 10-15/loose, flat truss, long tubular funnel-shaped, 80 × 50mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, inside light greenish yellow (4B), the lobes light yellow (10C); outside light greenish yellow (1C). Lvs elliptic, 120 × 40mm, margins upcurved, matt green, hairless. Shrub 1.2m. Spring-autumn. (The identity of *gardenia* used as a parent in this hybrid requires confirmation)

(a) **'Greenwood Cherry'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Linda Jean' × 'Hahn's Red' H: W.L. Guttormsen (1975), G: W.L. Guttormsen (1979), N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen (c 1983), REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1985) Fls hose-in-hose, 1-2/truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, 5+5-lobed, plus some petaloid stamens, deep yellowish pink (46D), with a blotch of spots on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 40mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs more-or-less elliptic to more-or-less broadly elliptic, 22-40 × 13-22mm, glossy, moderate olive green (146A) above, hairy. Shrub 0.4 × 0.4m in 6 years. Early May. Syn: 'Cherry'

(a) **'Greenwood Diablo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Albert-Elisabeth' × 'Hino-crimson' R: W.L. Guttormsen (pre 1987), N: W.L. Guttormsen Fls 50mm wide, semi-double, strong purplish red (61B). Shrub of low, compact habit. Early

(a) **'Greenwood Jackpot'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Maria Elena' × 'Linda Jean' H: W.L. Guttormsen (1975), G: W.L. Guttormsen (1979), N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen (c 1983), REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1985) Fls 2/truss, double (more-or-less 23-lobed), broadly funnel-shaped, 25 × 50mm, deep pink (47D), with red dorsal spotting. Calyx 7mm long, green. Lvs broadly elliptic to elliptic, 20-30 × 13-17mm, more-or-less moderate olive green (147A) above, glossy, hairy. Shrub 0.2 × 0.6m in 6 years, creeping. Syn: 'Jackpot'

(a) **'Greenwood Lace'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Linda Jean' × 'Satanta' R: W.L. Guttormsen (pre 1985), N: W.L. Guttormsen Fls double, 65mm wide, white. Upright shrub. Midseason

(a) **'Greenwood Orange'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Louise Gable' × 'Ward's Ruby' R: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1969) Fls 2/truss, double, up to 50mm wide, strong reddish orange (7.5R 5/13). Lvs 40 × 13mm. Shrub to 1.1m

(a) **'Greenwood Orchid'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Helen Close' × 'Purple Splendor' R: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1969) Fls hose-in-hose, 2-4/truss, up to 55mm wide, strong purple (77B). Lvs 45 × 25mm. Shrub to 1.0m

(a) **'Greenwood Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Louise Gable' × 'Helen Close' R: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1969) Fls double, 2/truss, up to 75mm wide, moderate purplish pink (62B). Lvs 55 × 27mm. Shrub to 1.2m

(a) **'Greenwood Pink Sport'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: W.L. Guttormsen (pre 1985), N: W.L. Guttormsen Fls double, white, gently suffused pale pink towards midveins and in centre, with deep pink dorsal spots

(a) **'Greenwood Popcorn'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Linda Jean' × 'Springtime' (Kurume) H: W.L. Guttormsen (1975), G: W.L. Guttormsen (1979), N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen (c 1983), REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1985) Fls 2-3/truss, semi-double and hose-in-hose (5+5-lobed, plus some petaloid stamens), funnel-shaped, 30 × 50mm, white. Calyx 30mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic to more-or-less broadly elliptic, 25-40 × 17-25mm, more-or-less moderate olive green (146A) above, glossy, hairy. Shrub 0.4 × 0.6m in 6 years. Syn: 'Popcorn'

(a) **'Greenwood Rosebud'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Linda Jean' × 'Hahn's Red' H: W.L. Guttormsen (1975), G: W.L. Guttormsen (1979), N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen (c 1983), REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1985) Fls 2-4/truss, double (more-or-less 20-lobed), open funnel-shaped, 30 × 55mm, strong purplish pink (68B); buds rosebud-shaped. Lvs elliptic, 22-45 × 13-20mm, more-or-less moderate olive green (146A) above, glossy, hairy. Shrub 0.3 × 0.35m in 5 years

(a) **'Greenwood Rose Queen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Linda Jean' × 'Springtime' (Kurume) H: W.L. Guttormsen (1975), G: W.L. Guttormsen (1979), N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen (c 1983), REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1985) Fls 1-2/truss, double and hose-in-hose (16-lobed, most stamens petaloid), broadly funnel-shaped, 30 × 65mm, deep purplish pink (64D).

Calyx 30mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs more-or-less narrowly obovate, 25-35 × 13-20mm, more-or-less moderate olive green (146A) above, glossy, hairy. Shrub 0.35 × 0.6m in 6 years. Syn: 'Rose Queen'

(a) **'Greenwood Rosy-Red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Linda Jean' × 'Hexe' H: W.L. Guttormsen (1975), G: W.L. Guttormsen (1979), N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen (c 1983), REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1985) Fls 1-2/truss, double and hose-in-hose (5+5-lobed, plus petaloid stamens), broadly funnel-campanulate, 30 × 55mm, strong purplish red (58B), with a deeper red throat. Calyx 25mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs more-or-less elliptic to more-or-less narrowly obovate, 20-40 × 11-22mm, more-or-less moderate olive green (147A) above, glossy, hairy. Shrub 0.25 × 0.4m in 6 years

(a) **'Greenwood Showboat'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Linda Jean' × 'Hexe' H: W.L. Guttormsen (1975), G: W.L. Guttormsen (1979), N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen (c 1983), REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1985) Fls 1-2/truss, double and hose-in-hose (5+5-lobed, plus petaloid stamens), tubular-campanulate, 30 × 50mm, vivid purplish red (57D). Calyx 25mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs more-or-less elliptic, 20-25 × 11-13mm, more-or-less moderate olive green (146A) above, glossy, hairy. Shrub 0.25 × 0.5m in 6 years. Syn: 'Showboat'

(a) **'Greenwood White'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Linda Jean' × 'Hahn's Red' H: W.L. Guttormsen (1975), G: W.L. Guttormsen (1979), N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen (c 1983), REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1985) Fls 2-3/truss, hose-in-hose (5+5-lobed), funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, white, with a pale yellow throat and slight dorsal spotting. Calyx 40mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic to more-or-less narrowly obovate, 22-45 × 13-25mm, more-or-less moderate olive green (147A) above, more-or-less glossy, hairy. Shrub 0.3 × 0.4m in 6 years.

(a) **'Greenwood Yukon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Linda Jean' × 'Hahn's Red' H: W.L. Guttormsen (1975), G: W.L. Guttormsen (1979), N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen (1981), REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1985) Fls 1-2/truss, double (13-lobed, with some functional stamens), broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, white, with a pale greenish yellow throat and slight dorsal spotting. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic to more-or-less broadly elliptic, 22-40 × 13-20mm, more-or-less strong yellow-green (144A) above, hairy. Shrub 0.45 × 0.55m in 6 years. Syn: 'Yukon'

(r) **'Greer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection or hybrid of *haematodes* L: C. Esveld (1984) Shrub to 1.0m. (Used to indicate source of material but listed as if it were a cultivar epithet and may have limited use as such as a result)

(r) **'Greer's Cream Delight'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Barto Ivory' × 'Barto Lavender' H: H.E. Greer (pre 1988), G: H.E. Greer Fls in large trusses, cream-coloured. Dense shrub, 1.5m in 10 years. Syn: 'Cream Delight' (Originally named 'Cream Delight' by Boulter (Australia))

(r) **'Greer's Starbright'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Lady Bligh' R: C.H. Phetteplace, I: H.E. Greer (1988) Fls star-shaped, pink in bud, opening white. Lvs with a light indumentum. Shrub 0.9m in 10 years. Midseason. Syn: 'Starbright'

(a) **'Greeting'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Malvaticum' (s) × *indicum* R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-2/truss, single, 45-50mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, orange-red. Shrub to 1.2m. Mid-late April. Glenn Dale

(r) **Greeting Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Chanticleer Group (s) × Loderi Group H: Lord Aberconway (1942), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(r) **'Grellii'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, shaded yellow

(r) **'Gremlin'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: Vineland Station seedling no.V-7703-1 (=*dauricum* × 'Vinestar') (s) × 'Delp's Sparkle' H: W.E. Delp (1986), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 6/truss, open funnel-shaped, 41 × 51mm, 5-lobed, vivid reddish purple (78A) in bud, opening to a blend of vivid and strong reddish purple and light purple (78A-C). Lvs 38 × 19mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, scaly. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 6 years. Mid May

(a) **'Grenada'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lambertus C. Bobbink' × 'Miss Cottage Garden' R: H. Kerrigan (pre 1965), N: H. Kerrigan Fls single, hose-in-hose, blood red. Early

(r) **Grenada Group** gp Evergreen azalea: 'Lady Rumbold' (s) × *griersonianum* H: L. de Rothschild (1932), G: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. May

(r) **'Grenade'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Oh My!' (s) × 'Red Brave' H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 75mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, dark red (59A), deep red (60A) and strong purplish red (60B-D) in bud, opening strong purplish red (60B-D) with a strong purplish pink (62A) flare and sparse, dark red (59A) dorsal spots; filaments and style pale purplish pink (62D); anthers brownish orange (164A); stigma dark red (187A). Lvs 108 × 51mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, with a sparse, tan, woolly indumentum. Shrub 1.5 × 1.4m in 18 years. Early June

(a) **'Grenadier'** cv. Evergreen azalea: un-named reddish salmon seedling (s) × *kaempferi* R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, 45-50mm wide, lighter than scarlet red (near vivid reddish orange (42A)), with an inconspicuous blotch of small, pomegranate purple spots. Lvs semi-deciduous. Shrub to 1.5m. Late April. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Grenadier'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J.B. Gable, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 40mm wide, scarlet. Gable (Not named by Gable)

(r) **'Grenadier'** (See 'The Grenadier')

(r) **'Grenadier'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Moser's Maroon' (s) × *elliottii* R: L. de Rothschild (1939), N: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1943), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a close, rounded truss, c90mm wide, blood red (820/1). Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. FCC 1943 (Grenadier Group)

(r) **Grenadier Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Moser's Maroon' (s) × *elliottii* R: L. de Rothschild (1939), N: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1943), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Grenadine'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pauline' (s) × *griersonianum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 9-12/truss, open campanulate, 65-85mm wide, cherry (722), flushed deep orange in the throat, spotted deep brown. Lvs 120 × 40mm, mid dull green. Shrub 1.5m. May-June. AM 1956, FCC 1982 (Grenadine Group)

(r) **Grenadine Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pauline' (s) × *griersonianum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1939), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Grenvillei'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon scarlet. Indian (Probably the plant also seen listed as 'Greenvillei')

(a) **'Gresham'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Treasure' × *mucronatum* seedling (s) × 'Getsutoku' H: R.D. Gartrell (1962), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell (1971), REG: R.D. Gartrell (1985) Fls single, 1/bud, broadly funnel-shaped, 84mm wide, (5-)6-lobed, pale tints of strong pink (48D) to pale purplish pink (55D), or variably striped, sectored or selfed strong pink (48C) to deep pink (52C); very pale greenish yellow throat; spots greyish reddish orange (174C) or strong purplish red (61B) over markings. Calyx 5mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Spring lvs elliptic to broadly elliptic, 43 × 23mm. Shrub slow-growing, but up to 1.5m in 20 years. (Robin Hill no.T18-3)

(a) **'Greta'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Oakland' × (un-known Belgianhybrid × 'Carol' (Gable)) × 'Getsutoku' H: R.D. Gartrell (1960), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell (1972), REG: R.D. Gartrell (1977) Fls single, open funnel-shaped, 75mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (58C), with dark red spotting on 3 dorsal lobes. Calyx c3mm long, light green, slightly hairy. Lvs narrowly obovate to elliptic, 25 × 13mm, apiculate to obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, glossy, moderate olive green (137A) to moderate yellow-green (146B) above, hairless. Shrub 0.4 × 1.0m in 15 years. Mid-late May. (Robin Hill no.T13-8)

(a) **'Gretchen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: F. Schneider (1863), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Gretchen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C.B. van Nes & Sons, N: C.B. van Nes & Sons, I: C.B. van Nes & Sons (1922), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 50mm wide, mallow purple (630), with a darker blotch. Midseason. Kaempferi

(r) **'Gretchen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* × *griffithianum* (s) × 'Kettledrum' H: G.G. Nearing (pre 1947), I: J.B. Gable, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a large domed truss, pink, with a red throat. Shrub up to 2.0m

(r) **'Gretchen Gossler'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Idealist Group (s) × 'Crest' H: C.H. Phetteplace (1953), G: C.H. Phetteplace (1960), N: C.H. Phetteplace, I: C.H. Phetteplace, REG: C.H. Phetteplace (1976) Fls 12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 110mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds tinted red, opening near brilliant yellow green (2.5GY 9/8), with 10mm blotch of moderate red (2.5R 4/10) deep in dorsal lobe sector. Calyx irregular, 5-10mm long, reddish green. Lvs broadly elliptic, 100 × 60mm, moderate olive green (2.5GY 4/3), hairless. Shrub 2.4 × 2.2m in 22 years. Mid May

(a) **'Gretchen Kellas'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith Fls 75mm wide, strong reddish orange, with a vivid red (45B) blotch. Shrub 1.1m in 8 years

(a) **'Gretchen Kellas'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Sweetheart Supreme' R: D.J. Cole (pre 1987), N: D.J. Cole Fls 65mm wide, reddish purple, with a darker blotch. Mid April

(r) **'Gretchen Medlar'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Boule de Neige' (s) × 'Henrietta Sargent' H: H.T. Skinner (1936), N: H.T. Skinner (c 1951), I: H.T. Skinner, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Gretel'** (Syn. of 'John Haerens Sport')

(r) **'Gretha Rijksen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kluis Sensation' × Fusilier Group H: H.L. Larson (1968), G: Mrs E. Weesjes, N: K.N. Weesjes, REG: Mrs E. Weesjes (1995) Fls 11/domed truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 80 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (63C), spotted deep purplish red on dorsal lobe, fading to light purplish pink (63D); stamens 10, straight, unequal. Calyx 3mm long, yellowish. Pedicels 50mm long, yellowish green. Lvs elliptic, 165 × 57mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull mid green above, hairless; petioles 40mm long, light green. Shrub 2.4 × 1.5m in 15 years. Early June

(r) **'Gretia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Portia Group (s) × *griersonianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1936), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 14/truss, c65 × 75mm, blood red (820/3). Calyx irregularly toothed, blood red. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 30mm, hairy on veins below. AM 1946 (Gretia Group)

(r) **Gretia Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Portia Group (s) × *griersonianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1936), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Grétry'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1851), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(r) **'Grétry'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Byls (pre 1864), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with a large white blotch. Hardy Hybrid (May be the plant listed by C. Noble (1862) with dark rosy purple flowers)

(r) **'Gretzel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *bureavii* × Fabia Group R: H. Lem (pre 1960), N: H. Lem Fls pastel pink to shell pink, with salmon orange margins. Calyx about half the length of corolla, coloured as corolla. Lvs dark green with an attractive indumentum. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years. (Sometimes mis-spelt 'Gretsel')

(r) **Griercalyx Group** gp *griersonianum* (s) × *megacalyx* R: unknown (pre 1941), INC: ICRA (1958) (A rare example of a successful lepidote × elepidote hybrid)

(r) **Grierdal Group** gp *griersonianum* (s) × *dalhousiae* R: A.W. Heneage-Vivian, N: A.W. Heneage-Vivian, I: A.W. Heneage-Vivian (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 4-5/truss, pendulous, tubular, 90 × 80mm, scarlet, tinged magenta. Calyx red, lobes 10mm long, scaly and hairy. Lvs dull green, with hairs and scales. (A rare example of a successful lepidote × elepidote hybrid)

(r) **Grierocaster Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × 'Doncaster' R: Wakehurst, I: G.H. Loder (1939), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **Grierosplendour Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × 'Purple Splendour' R: G.H. Loder, N: G.H. Loder, I: G.H. Loder (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red-purple. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years

(r) **'Grierpont'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* × *ponticum* R: unknown (pre 1995) Fls 14/rounded truss, 75mm wide, fuchsia purple, lighter in the centre, with an orange dorsal flare and prominent red filaments. Lvs 100 × 40mm, pointed, recurved, heavy-textured, deeply veined, sage green. Shrub under 1.8m in 10 years. Early-mid May

(r) **Griersims Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'G.A. Sims' (s) × *griersonianum* I: Sir John Ramsden (1938), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Grieswoodianum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Henderson & Co. (1852), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Probably the 'Griswoodii' (Indian) exhibited by Peed (1857))

(r) **Grievii Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *virgatum* (s) × *ciliatum* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Grilse'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fusilier Group × 'Jalisco Eclipse' R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1957), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10/flat-topped truss, 75 × 100mm, a reddish shade of porcelain rose (620-620/1), with dark crimson spots in the throat and on the dorsal lobes. AM 1957

(r) **'Griselda'** (Syn. of 'Hachmann's Griselda')

(r) **'Griselda'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group (s) × Margaret Dunn Group R: R. Henny (1947), N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls flat-opening, to 75mm wide, orange, flushed pink and scarlet, heavily spotted. Lvs to 150mm long. Fairly dwarf shrub

(r) **Grisette Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* subsp. *cinnamomeum* var. *album* (s) × 'Doctor Stocker' R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white, with dark markings in the throat. April-May. Resembling *arboreum* in habit and flowers

(r) **'Grisewoodianum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1877), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with purplish crimson spots. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Gristede'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *russatum* hybrid R: J. Bruns Nursery, N: J. Bruns Nursery, I: J. Bruns Nursery (1961) Fls 2-7/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 20-35mm wide, light violet (88C). Lvs narrowly elliptic, glossy, dark green, aromatic. Compact shrub, 0.8 × 1.6m. (Has sometimes been listed as an *impeditum* hybrid)

(a) **'Griswoodii'** (See note under 'Grieswoodianum')

(r) **'Groovy No. 1'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tony's Gift' (s) × 'Mrs T.H. Lowinsky' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls pale purplish pink (56D) with a flare of moderate orange (168C) and deep purplish red (187D), dorsal spots moderate orange (168C) and deep purplish red (187D). Tall shrub. (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Groovy Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Midsummer' × (*maximum* × *wardii*) (s) × 'Midsummer' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, deep, strong and vivid purplish red (61A, B, C) in bud, opening white, edged strong and light purplish pink (63B, C, D), with brilliant yellow-green (154C) dorsal spots; filaments and style white; anthers strong purple (83D); stigma vivid red (57A). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Grosclaude'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *haematodes* (s) × *facetum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 6-12/lax truss, slightly pendulous, campanulate, 50-55 × 60-65mm, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, blood red (820/1), speckled brown in the throat. Calyx lobes up to 30mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs obovate-lanceolate, up to 110 × 40mm, matt dark green above, with a thick, brown indumentum below. Shrub to at least 2.0m. May. AM 1945 (Grosclaude Group)

(r) **Grosclaude Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *haematodes* (s) × *facetum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1941), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Grossfürstin Helene'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Schulz, N: Schulz, I: Schulz (1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange, with a rose tinge and a black blotch tinged dark red. Indian

(r) **'Grossfürstin Wera'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alstroemerioides' hybrid R: J.B. Müller (pre 1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with dark purple spots

(a) **'Grossherzog Friedrich von Baden'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: F. Schneider (1866), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Grossherzogin Louise von Baden'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: F. Schneider (1866), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Grossherzog Ludwig von Hessen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Rose (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pure bright vermilion red. Indian (Presumably the same plant listed by C. Vuylsteke, 1890)

(a) **'Ground Hog'** cv. Evergreen azalea: (*yedoense* var. *poukhanense* × 'Vuyk's Scarlet'), open-pollinated G: Weston Nurseries (c 1981), S: E.V. Mezitt, N: R.W. Mezitt, I: Weston Nurseries (1996), REG: R.W. Mezitt (1999) Fls 3-4/flat domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, c40 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (67B), with a large, burgundy coloured, speckled dorsal blotch. Calyx 6mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 25 × 13mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green. Shrub 0.3 × 0.9m in 7 years. Mid May

(r) **'Grouse'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *campylogynum* (Cremastum Group) 'Bodnant Red' × *calostrotum* 'Gigha' H: P.A. Cox (1969), G: P.A. Cox (1974), N: P.A. Cox, I: P.A. Cox (1977), REG: P.A. Cox (1977) Fls 1-4/truss, funnel-campanulate, up to 23 × 35mm, 5-lobed, deep rose. Calyx glandular hairy. Lvs elliptic, up to 25 × 14mm, often with yellow edges. Dwarf shrub, 0.4 × 0.45m in 8 years. May. AM 1977

(r) **'Grove City'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: F4 derivative of 'Newport' H: W.E. Delp (1960), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp (1995), I: Crystalaire Rhododendron Naturescapes (1997), REG: J.D. Harris (1996) Fls 18/truss, open funnel-shaped, c50 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep and strong purplish red (71A-C) in bud, opening strong and deep reddish purple (72B, 77A) together with strong and light purple (77B-C), with a white flare and light olive (152A) dorsal spots; filaments and style deep purplish red (61A); anthers pale yellow (161D); stigma dark red (187B). Lvs 95 × 45mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 15 years. Early June

(r) **'Grumpy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × unknown hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1970) Fls 11/globular, lax truss, funnel-shaped, 45 × 50mm, cream, slightly tinged pale purplish pink (55D) at edges and with light orange-yellow (22B) spotting on dorsal lobe. Lvs 80 × 30mm, dull dark green. Compact shrub to at least c0.7m. *AM 1979

(r) **'Gruss an Harrislee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* R: H. Robenek (1970), N: H. Robenek, I: H. Robenek (1987) Fls soft rose, fading to white; slightly scented. Buds red-brown

(a) **'Gruss aus Holzhausen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Coelestine Superbum' × 'Coelestine' hybrid R: K. Glaser, N: K. Glaser, I: K. Glaser (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls strong purplish red (58B). Midseason. Indian

(a) **'Grussendorf'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Erich Danneberg' × 'Easter Greetings' R: O. Stahnke, N: O. Stahnke, I: O. Stahnke (1968) Fls double, vivid purplish red (57C) to deep purplish pink (61C-D). Calyx normal, green. Indian

(a) **'G.S. Salmon'** (Syn. of 'Garden State Salmon')

(r) **'G.S. Swain'** (Syn. of 'George Swain')

(r) **'G. Stresemann'** (Syn. of 'Hollandia' (Endtz))

(r) **'G. Thistleton-Dyer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* hybrid R: Kew, N: Kew, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'G.T. Stresemann'** (Syn. of 'Hollandia' (Endtz))

(r) **'Guardian Fir'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Albatross Group × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × Tally Ho Group H: H. Lem (1955), G: M.K. & Mrs F. Butler, N: M.K. & Mrs F. Butler, I: M.K. & Mrs F. Butler (1971), REG: M.K. & Mrs F. Butler (1974) Fls 8-10/rounded, ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45 × 115-125mm, moderate pink shading to light yellowish pink on dorsal lobes, with a small red blotch and brownish speckling. Calyx 7mm long, deep pink. Lvs narrowly oblong to slightly obovate, 175 × 40mm, dull mid green to dark green above. Shrub 2.5 × 2.5m in 20 years. Mid-late June

(r) **Guardsman Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ivery's Scarlet' (s) × *arboreum* R: Sir Giles Loder, I: Sir Giles Loder (c 1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark red in a typical *arboreum*-shaped truss. Upright shrub. Early

(r) **'Gudehus'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel, N: T.J.R. Seidel, I: T.J.R. Seidel (1917), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, rose, with a reddish blotch on a white ground and darker edges

(r) **'Gudrun'** cv. 'Eggebrechtii' (s) × 'Madame Linden' R: T.J.R. Seidel (1905), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a slight purple tint and strong brown-red spotting. Shrub to c2.0m with decorative brown buds

(a) **'Guelder Rose'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1871), INC: ICRA (1958)

Fls soft yellow, flushed rosy apricot, with a deep chrome yellow blotch darker at the centre; pales with age to ivory and yellow (Sunningdale, 1961); fls in very large, round trusses, bright orange, with a chrome yellow blotch (L. van Houtte, 1871). Ghent

(r) **'Guepier'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from Merops Group N: C. Ingram (1961), I: C. Ingram, REG: C. Ingram (1961) Fls 17/small, rounded truss, shallowly campanulate, 40 × 50mm, chartreuse green (663/3), with a vestige of darker shading on the dorsal lobe. Calyx rim-like. Lvs 115 × 45mm, with conspicuously wavy margins; petioles 30mm long. AM 1961

(r) **'Guercino'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vivid scarlet rose. (Exhibited by Waterer (Bagshot) in 1865; probably the 'Guercimo' listed by C. Vuylsteke in 1890 (crimson, beautifully marked))

(a) **'Guerdon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' × 'Willy' (s) × 'Mrs Carmichael' × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 65-75mm wide, often 6-lobed, light mallow purple (near light reddish purple (74C)), with a tyrian rose blotch and an orange tube. Low, spreading shrub to 0.6m. Mid-late May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Guido'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid ? R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1850), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep crimson

(a) **'Guido Gezelle'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Pink Pearl' × 'Armand Haerens' I: C.J. Wille & Co. (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, strong pink (52D) to light purplish pink (55C). Calyx normal, green. Late. Indian ('Pink Pearl' refers here, presumably, to 'Haerewille Pink Pearl')

(r) **'Guido Gezelle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1954), N: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac

(a) **'Guilesmus Primus'** (See note under 'Guillaume 1er')

(r) **'Guilford'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: unknown (pre 1978), G: W.D. Tietjen, N: W.D. Tietjen, REG: W.D. Tietjen (1991) Fls 15/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 60 × 75mm, with 6 smooth-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (55D) with strong purplish pink (55B) margins; moderately scented. Lvs oblong, 160 × 75mm, flat, mucronate at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.7 × 1.7m in 10 years, of upright, spreading habit. Late May

(a) **'Guillaume II'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (pre 1849), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, bright orange, spotted very deep orange and with white tips (L. van Houtte cat., 1868); other sources have quoted orange-yellow, shaded salmon rose (1958 Register) or striped with 3 colours (L. de Cock cat., 1868). More than one plant probably involved. Ghent

(r) **'Guillaume II'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Byls (pre 1869), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Guillaume III'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Descriptions vary: orange, with a very dark orange blotch and white tips (C. Vuylsteke, 1884); dark purple, striped white (C. van Geert, 1877). Ghent (Perhaps the same as 'Willem III'; probably the plant listed by C. Noble, 1855)

(a) **'Guillaume III'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Vervaene (1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep orange, with a pale dark red blotch. Indian

(a) **'Guillaume 1er'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1849), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Probably the plant listed as 'Guilesmus Primus' (L.Leroy cat., 1868), 'Guliemus Primus' (Waterer (Bagshot), 1865, Whitley & Osborn, 1850 and 'Guillielmus Primus' (J. Verleeuwen, 1835): the last may be the correct form of the epithet)

(a) **'Guillaume 1er'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1853), N: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Guillaume Caillet'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: Gebr Kersbergen (pre 1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, light yellow, edged with rose. Midseason. Mollis

(r) **'Guillaume Tell'** cv. Parentage unknown L: L. de Cock (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Guillemette'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: E. de Reuse, I: Madame E. de Reuse (1932), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, red. Indian

(a) **'Guillielmus Primus'** (See note under 'Guillaume 1er')

(r) **'Guioletto'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid R: J. Rinz (pre 1864), N: J. Rinz, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark crimson, strongly spotted on all lobes

(a) **'Gulf Pride'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from *mucronatum* S: K. Sawada (1927), N: K. Sawada, I: K. Sawada (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 65mm wide, light purple, with slightly darker dorsal spotting

(a) **'GulfRay'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown S: R. Dean (1980), N: A.J. Laiche, REG: A.J. Laiche (1993) Fls 2-3/truss, open funnel-shaped, 35-70 × 60-75mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, strong pink (54C) with strong red (47B) spotting on dorsal lobe and parts of adjacent lobes; stamens 10. Calyx 0.5-1.8mm long, green. Pedicels 4-10mm long, green. Lvs lanceolate, elliptic or oblanceolate, 20-80 × 10-23mm, acute to broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, matt green to brownish green and hairy above, with discrete hairs below, hairs white on young growth, later brown; petioles 1-6mm long, green, hairy. Shrub prostrate, 0.3 × 1.2m in just over 2 years. Mid March-early April

(a) **'Guliemus Primus'** (See note under 'Guillaume 1er')

(r) **'Gulliver'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *adenogynum* (s) × 'Mardi Gras' H: H. Hachmann (1985), G: H. Hachmann (1990), N: H. Hachmann (1992), I: H. Hachmann (1998), REG: G. Stück (1999) Fls 13/rather lax truss, funnel-campanulate, 45 × 54mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, pale rose pink in bud, inside opening white; outside white striped strong purplish red (64C) which fades to white; with more-or-less purple markings inside; stamens 10, filaments greenish white, anthers brownish/moderate orange (166C/D); stigma moderate yellow (162A/B). Calyx 2-11mm long, unequally lobed, glandular, deep pink (48A/B). Lvs elliptic, 120 × 30-40mm, acute at apex, usually rounded or cuneate at base, flat, matt green above, with a dense, woolly, moderate orange-yellow (164C) indumentum below. Shrub 0.7 × 1.1m in 10 years. Late April-mid May. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1998-2000 (1998), plus colour photograph)

(r) **'Gulnare'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1853), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose, tipped darker pink. (The 1958 Register implied it was raised by Rogers (Red Lodge Nursery) but other sources (Laurentius: fls blue, in large trusses) indicate it was from Byls (Ghent))

(a) **'Gum Drop'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Malvaticum' × *indicum* R: J. & D. Garrett (pre 1987), N: J. & D. Garrett Fls 25mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, moderate yellowish pink, with a darker blotch. Lvs reddish in winter. Dwarf, spreading habit. Mid-late April

(r) **'Gumdrop'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Gumdrop')

(a) **'Gumpkins'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls pink. Low, compact habit

(a) **'Gumpo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *eriocarpum* R: Japan (pre 1934), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, with equal, overlapping, wavy-edged lobes, white, with occasional, small, purplish pink flakes and a light green blotch. Low, dense, slow-growing shrub to c0.3m. AM 1934 Syn: 'Gunpo'. Satsuki (Probably originated in early 1900s)

(a) **'Gumpo Dark Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls dark pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Gumpo Fancy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: K. Wada (pre 1937) Fls single, white, flushed and marked deep pink. Shrub 0.3m. Syn: 'Fancy Gumpo', 'Gumpo Roseum', 'Roseum.' Satsuki

(a) **'Gumpo Lavender'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Davidson's Nurseries (1979) Fls lavender. Shrub up to 0.4m. Satsuki

(a) **'Gumpo Mauve'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Camellia Lodge Nursery (1967) Fls single, with wavy-edged lobes, mauve pink. Shrub 0.3m. Syn: 'Mauve Gumpo'. Satsuki

(a) **'Gumpo Petunia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls single, with wavy-edged lobes, white and pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Gumpo Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, N: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose pink, with darker flecks. Syn: 'Pink Gumpo', 'Yugiri'. Satsuki (In Australia two forms are grown under this name, both single: one rose pink, the other pale pink and edged white)

(a) **'Gumpo Pink and White'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls single, some pink, some white, some striped pink and white. Satsuki

(a) **'Gumpo Pink Spray'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls salmon orange, with an off white centre. Satsuki

(a) **'Gumpo Red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: K. Wada (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, with wavy-edged lobes, deep rosy salmon pink. Shrub 0.3m. Syn: 'Red Gumpo'. Satsuki (Whether 'Red Gumpo' or 'Gumpo Red' has priority is uncertain; for the sake of consistency the latter is adopted here until contrary evidence can be provided)

(a) **'Gumpo Roseum'** (Syn. of 'Gumpo Fancy')

(a) **'Gumpo Salmon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Camellia Lodge Nursery (1967) Fls single, with wavy-edged lobes, salmon pink

(a) **'Gumpo Salmon Spray'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls white, with salmon edge. Satsuki

(a) **'Gumpo Stripe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Davidson's Nurseries (1979) Fls single, white, striped and flecked mauve red. Syn: 'Striped Gumpo'. Satsuki

(a) **'Gumpo White'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, with wavy-edged lobes, white, with occasional pink flecks. Shrub 0.3m. Syn: 'White Gumpo'. Satsuki (Whether 'White Gumpo' or 'Gumpo White' has priority is uncertain; for the sake of consistency the latter is adopted here until contrary evidence is provided. May be the same plant as 'Gumpo')

(a) **'Gumpo White Sport'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown S: T. & E. Bowhan (pre 1983) Fls mid pink. Lvs deep, glossy green. (Presumably a sport from 'Gumpo White' (? = 'Gumpo'))

(a) **'Gunbi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Gumpo' I: Chugai Nursery Co. (pre 1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 65-75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, white, with purplish red flecks, stripes or tips and also some white, with a purplish red blotch. Low, spreading habit. Very late. Satsuki (Said to be the same as 'Gunrei')

(a) **'Gunbo-nishiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1976), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm

wide, with wavy-edged lobes, white, variably striped, sectored and margined strong purplish pink; some light pink with a white margin. Lvs ovate, 30-40mm long

(r) **'Gunborg'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' × 'Cynthia' H: D. Heinje Baumschulen (1963), G: D. Heinje Baumschulen (1969), N: D. Heinje Baumschulen, I: D. Heinje Baumschulen (1984), REG: D. Heinje Baumschulen (1986) Fls 16-20/truss, 55-65 × 50-80mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish pink (62A) inside, deep purplish pink (55A) at edges, paling with age. Calyx 40-45mm long, green-brown. Lvs 150-160 × 60mm, glossy green. May

(r) **'Gundula'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hyperion' (Knap Hill) (s) × 'Herme' H: H. Hachmann (1980), G: H. Hachmann (1986), N: H. Hachmann (1992), I: H. Hachmann (1993), REG: G. Stück (1994) Fls 14-18(-21), fairly compact truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40-45 × 75-82mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, ground colour very pale purple (76C) inside and out, midveins and throat very pale purple (76D), edges light purple (to very light purple)(76A(-B)); dorsal lobe with a large, conspicuous blotch of dark red (187A) often extending onto adjacent lobes (187C/D); filaments conspicuously long, white, slightly tinged pale purplish pink (62D), anthers moderate to pale orange-yellow (165C/D); style pale purplish pink (62D), stigma deep red (185A). Calyx 3-5mm long, brilliant to light yellow-green (150C/D). Lvs broadly elliptic, 95-135 × 35-55mm, slightly wavy-edged, cuneate at base, acute at apex, glossy dark green with a pale green midvein above, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.6m in 10 years. Late May-mid June. (Published in Hachmann cat., 1993/94)

(a) **'Gunecho'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1920), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish pink. Kurume

(r) **'Gung Ho'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scott David' (s) × 'Double Faced' H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 16/truss, open funnel-shaped, with some petaloid stamens, 41 × 51mm, outer corolla 5-lobed, shades of vivid and strong reddish purple (74B, 78A, B) in bud, opening to a blend of very pale purple (75D), strong reddish purple (78B), light purple (78C) and moderate purplish pink (78D), with a deep purplish red (61A) and moderate red (180A, B) throat; filaments and style white; anthers yellowish white (158D); stigma moderate olive green (146A). Lvs 95 × 51mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 18 years. Early June

(a) **'Gunji'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt, I: E.A. Merritt (c 1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, single, 40mm wide, phlox pink (625/1)

(a) **'Gunjo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 50mm wide, red, with darker spots in the blotch. Satsuki

(a) **'Gunki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1978), N: Japan Fls single, up to 30mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, white, with deep purplish red (7.5RP 6/12) stripes on dorsal lobes. Kurume

(a) **'Gunki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 75-90mm wide, 6-lobed, 'petaloid' (Galle, 1987), white, variably and heavily striped, flecked and sectored reddish orange. Satsuki

(a) **'Guno'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, 90mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, deep wisteria purple. Satsuki (Correct spelling may be 'Gunno')

(a) **'Gunpo'** (Syn. of 'Gumpo')

(a) **'Gunrei'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Chugai Nursery Co. (pre 1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 55mm wide, with wavy-edged overlapping lobes, white, flushed rose madder (23/2) with occasional stripes of same colour. Low, spreading habit. Very late. Satsuki (Probably the same as 'Ginrei' and 'Gunbi')

(a) **'Gunsei'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Guno' × 'Gumpo' I: Chugai Nursery Co. (pre 1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50-65mm wide, with wavy-edged, overlapping lobes, milk white, with deep purple stripes and variegations; occasional light pink self. Satsuki

(r) **'Gustave Fargeton'** cv. Parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1894), INC: ICRA (1958). Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Gustave Guilmot'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (pre 1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, striped rose and carmine, with a green blotch. Indian

(a) **'Gustav Hacker'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Coelestine' hybrid R: K. Glaser, N: K. Glaser, I: K. Glaser (1966) Fls single (with an average of 8 stamens/fl.), strong purplish red (58B). Calyx normal, green. Very compact shrub. Late. Indian

(r) **'Gustav Lüttge'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Lindsay Smith' × *williamsianum* R: D.G. Hobbie (pre 1945), I: D.G. Hobbie (1971) Fls campanulate, white, outside tinted pale pinkish lilac, especially on the margin. Shrub up to 2.0m

(r) **'Gustav Mehlquist'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'C.S. Sargent' × *yakushimanum* H: G.A.L. Mehlquist (1965), G: J.J. McGuire (1970), N: J.J. McGuire, REG: J.J. McGuire (1991) Fls 15/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 60mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, dark pink in bud, opening pink and fading to clear white; 10 curved stamens. Calyx 2mm long, light green. Pedicels 28mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 43mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, with a light, fuzzy, brownish orange (165B) indumentum below at first, later becoming hairless; petioles 20mm long, light green. Shrub 1.2 × 1.3m in 25 years. Mid-late May

(a) **'Gusty Cole'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Sweetheart Supreme' R: D.J. Cole (pre 1987), N: D.J. Cole Fls hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, purplish pink. Late April

(r) **'Guttatum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1847), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls creamy white or blush, spotted with green and red. (Probably a *ponticum* selection/hybrid as indicated by Whitley & Osborn (cat.1850) & L.Jacob-Makoy; the latter claimed it as theirs; other sources suggest it came from Rogers of Red Lodge Nursery. More than one plant may be involved)

(r) **'Guttatum Colorans'** cv. Parentage unknown L: R. Veitch & Son (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac, spotted

(r) **'Guttatum Pictum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: R. Veitch & Son (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls snowy white, with black spots

(r) **'Guy Bradour'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Charles S. Sargent' × 'Purple Splendour' H: H.R. Yates (1963), G: H.R. Yates (1971), N: Mrs M. Yates, I: Mrs M. Yates (1975), REG: Mrs M. Yates (1976) Fls 10/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purple (80B), with a large, black, dorsal blotch and peripheral spotting. Calyx 7mm long, light yellow-green (145C). Lvs elliptic, 115 × 50mm, moderate yellow-green (147B), hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 1.0m in 11 years. Late May

(a) **'Guy de Dampierre'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. de Cock (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, striped yellow. Ghent

(a) **'Guy de Meulemeester'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: M. de Meulemeester (1975) Fls double, pink. Calyx normal, green. Midseason. Indian

(r) **Guyencourt Hybrids** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *keiskei* × *pubescens* H: G.G. Nearing (pre 1950), G: G.G. Nearing, N: G.G. Nearing, I: G.G. Nearing (c 1950)

(r) **'Guyens's Aphrodite'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Guyens's Super Nova' (s) × 'Golden Melodie' H: H.J.A. Guyens (1994), G: H.J.A. Guyens (2000), N: H.J.A. Guyens (2001), I: H.J.A. Guyens, REG: H.J.A. Guyens (2001) Fls 14-19/tight, globular truss, funnel-shaped, 90 × 100mm, with 6-7 slightly wavy-edged lobes, green in bud, opening inside very soft pink cream, outside pastel pink; dorsal lobes with olive green spots on a yellow ground. Calyx 30-55mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 85-125 × 25-40mm, margins flat to slightly wavy, almost acute at apex, acute at base, slightly glossy above, with some white hairs when young. Shrub 0.55 × 0.55m in 7 years. Late April-mid May

(r) **'Guyens's Apricot Queen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Souvenir of Anthony Waterer' F2 (s) × 'Ehrengold' H: H.J.A. Guyens (1985), G: H.J.A. Guyens (1991), N: H.J.A. Guyens (1999), I: H.J.A. Guyens, REG: H.J.A. Guyens (2000) Fls 14-20/spherical truss, funnel-shaped, 55-65 × 65-70mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, light green in bud, opening apricot inside, apricot with salmon brown stripes outside; becoming more yellow with age; dorsal lobe with numerous red-brown spots; pistil and filaments red. Lvs ovate, 85-125 × 35-55mm, broadly rounded at apex, narrowly rounded at base, margins flat or partly upcurved, slightly glossy above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 8 years. Late April-mid May

(r) **'Guyens's Ballerina'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Souvenir of Anthony Waterer' × Direktor E. Hjelm' (s) × 'Oldenburg' H: H.J.A. Guyens (1993), G: H.J.A. Guyens (2000), N: H.J.A. Guyens (2001), I: H.J.A. Guyens, REG: H.J.A. Guyens (2001) Fls 17-20/tight, globular truss, trumpet-shaped, 80 × 95mm, with 5-6 flat-edged lobes, green in bud, opening inside pastel pink to lilac-coloured, outside similarly coloured but rather darker; 3 dorsal lobes with brown-orange markings and spots. Lvs oblong, 80-120 × 35-50mm, more-or-less rounded at apex and base, hairless, with noticeable light green veining below. Shrub 0.8 × 0.7m in 8 years. Mid April-early May

(r) **'Guyens's Bordeaux'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Souvenir of Anthony Waterer' × 'Direktor E. Hjelm' (s) × 'Marrakesch' H: H.J.A. Guyens (1994), G: H.J.A. Guyens (2000), N: H.J.A. Guyens (2001), I: H.J.A. Guyens, REG: H.J.A. Guyens (2001) Fls 19-22/tight, globular truss, trumpet-shaped, 75 × 85mm, with 6-7 lobes, buds green, opening bordeaux red, with an orange-red base; outside bordeaux red to orange-red; no marking. Calyx 10-15mm long, orange-red. Lvs lanceolate, 90-120 × 35-45mm, margins flat to slightly upcurved or decurved, acute at apex, more-or-less acute at base, matt green above, hairless; petioles brownish red. Shrub 0.75 × 0.75m in 7 years. Mid April-early May

(r) **'Guyens's Hawaii'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Souvenir of Anthony Waterer' × 'Direktor E. Hjelm' (s) × 'Marrakesch' H: H.J.A. Guyens (1994), G: H.J.A. Guyens (2000), N: H.J.A. Guyens (2001), I: H.J.A. Guyens, REG: H.J.A. Guyens (2001) Fls 16-19/tight, globular truss, trumpet-shaped, 100 × 120mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, buds green (70mm long, hairy), opening inside creamy yellow with a pink margin, outside salmon pink; dorsal lobes with orange-brown markings and spots. Lvs lanceolate, 120-220 × 50-70mm, margins flat to wavy/decurved, more-or-less acute at apex and base, matt green above, with a slight, light brown indumentum. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m in 7 years. Late April-early May

(r) **'Guyens's La Paloma'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Souvenir of Anthony Waterer' F2 × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' (s) × 'Golden Melodie' H: H.J.A. Guyens (1994), G: H.J.A. Guyens (2000), N: H.J.A. Guyens (2001), I: H.J.A. Guyens, REG: H.J.A. Guyens (2001) Fls 20-23/tight, globular truss, funnel-shaped, 80 × 90mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, green in bud, pure white on opening inside, outside soft pink; basal blotch olive green; dorsal lobes with olive green

spots; pistil pink. Lvs oblong, 90-145 × 30-55mm, margins wavy, slightly decurved, matt green and silvery hairy above, slightly hairy below. Shrub very compact, 0.4 × 0.5m in 7 years. Late April-mid May

(r) **'Guyens's Madeira'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Souvenir of Anthony Waterer' × 'Direktor E. Hjelm' (s) × 'Marrakesch' H: H.J.A. Guyens (1994), G: H.J.A. Guyens (2000), N: H.J.A. Guyens (2001), I: H.J.A. Guyens, REG: H.J.A. Guyens (2002) Fls 13-17/dense, globular truss, funnel-shaped, 60 × 70mm, with 5 lobes, green in bud, opening inside a mixture of orange, salmon and yellow, somewhat mixed with cream; outside a mixture of orange, salmon and yellow and somewhat darker: the effect from a distance is bright orange; 3 dorsal lobes with olive green spots on a yellow ground. Calyx 10-20mm long, golden yellow. Lvs elliptic, 100-200 × 35-70mm, flat to slightly upcurved at margin, acute at apex and base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 0.7 × 0.8m in 7 years. Mid April-early May

(r) **'Guyens's Mitternachtssonne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' (s) × 'Bruns Gloria' H: H.J.A. Guyens (1984), G: H.J.A. Guyens (1988), N: H.J.A. Guyens (1999), I: H.J.A. Guyens, REG: H.J.A. Guyens (2000) Fls 9-15/loose, rounded truss, campanulate, 50-65 × 60-65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light green to apricot yellow in bud, opening cream/light yellow inside and out; three dorsal lobes with yellow blotches and olive spots. Calyx 10-20mm long, cream-coloured (ie hose-in-hose). Lvs oblong, 95-135 × 30-45mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, margins slightly wavy, matt green, hairless. Shrub 0.7 × 0.7m in 7 years. Late April-early May

(r) **'Guyens's Nepal'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Souvenir of Anthony Waterer' F2 × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' (s) × 'Golden Melodie' H: H.J.A. Guyens (1994), G: H.J.A. Guyens (2000), N: H.J.A. Guyens (2001), I: H.J.A. Guyens, REG: H.J.A. Guyens (2001) Fls 20-23/tight, globular truss, funnel-shaped, with 5-7 slightly wavy-edged lobes, buds silvery brown, opening inside pastel pink, outside soft pink cream, the dorsal lobe with olive green to orange spots on an ochre yellow ground. Calyx 25-30mm long, cream yellow, with orange spots. Lvs lanceolate, 110-145 × 30-55mm, margins flat to slightly wavy, acute at apex and base, silvery hairy at first; petioles red-brown. Shrub 0.65 × 0.65m in 7 years, with red-brown new shoots. Mid April-early May

(r) **'Guyens's Peking'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Souvenir of Anthony Waterer' × 'Direktor E. Hjelm' (s) × 'Marrakesch' H: H.J.A. Guyens (1994), G: H.J.A. Guyens (2000), N: H.J.A. Guyens (2001), I: H.J.A. Guyens, REG: H.J.A. Guyens (2001) Fls 17-20/tight, globular truss, funnel-shaped to bowl-shaped, 70 × 90mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, green in bud, opening pink, somewhat mixed with cream, outside strong pink; marked with thin olive green stripes and brown to orange spots on a yellowish ground; scented. Lvs oblong, 105-165 × 35-55mm, margins flat to slightly decurved, more-or-less rounded at apex and base, matt green above, hairless; petioles yellow. Shrub 0.8 × 1.0m in 7 years. Mid April-early May

(r) **'Guyens's Super Nova'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' (s) × 'Bruns Gloria' H: H.J.A. Guyens (1984), G: H.J.A. Guyens (1988), N: H.J.A. Guyens (1999), I: H.J.A. Guyens, REG: H.J.A. Guyens (2000) Fls 12-18/loose, rounded truss, campanulate, 60 × 55-60mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, light green to salmon pink in bud, opening inside creamy yellow/light pink, outside pink; dorsal lobe with orange-brown spots. Lvs lanceolate, 95-155 × 35-55mm, acute at apex, narrowly rounded at base, margins flat to decurved, slightly glossy, hairless; uppermost leaves arranged in a star-shaped 'rosette'. Shrub 0.6 × 0.8m in 7 years. Mid April-early May

(r) **'Guy Nearing'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *R.* × *detonsum* × Gilian Group H: G.G. Nearing (1939), G: A.A. Raustein, N: A.A. Raustein, I: A.A. Raustein (1972), REG: A.A. Raustein (1972) Fls up to 25/conical truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 50 × 50mm, strong purplish red (63A), with a dark red (187A) blotch on the dorsal lobe. Calyx a mere rim, light yellow-green (145C). Lvs elliptic, c135 × 55mm, moderate olive green (137A), glaucous. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 27 years

(a) **'Guy Yerkes'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* hybrid × 'Snow' R: USDA, N: USDA, I: USDA (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3-5/truss, hose-in-hose, 45-55mm wide, salmon pink, fading to pale pink, with a blotch of dark spots in the throat. Profusely branched shrub. (Derived from the work of G.E. Yerkes & R.L. Pryor)

(a) **'Guy Yerkes Tetra'** cv. Evergreen azalea: colchicine induced tetraploid form of 'Guy Yerkes' R: R.L. Pryor (pre 1974), N: R.L. Pryor Fls single, hose-in-hose, with 5 stamens, strong pink (52D). Calyx coloured as corolla. Late

(a) **'Gwen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* × 'Blaauw's Pink' H: H. Van de Ven, G: H. Van de Ven (1966), N: H. Van de Ven, I: H. Van de Ven (1971), REG: H. Van de Ven (1971) Fls hose-in-hose, 65mm wide, deep purplish pink (67C), lightly spotted on the dorsal lobe. Shrub c0.6m

(r) **'Gwen Bell'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anna' (s) × 'Marinus Koster' H: H. Lem (pre 1965), G: unknown, N: Willamette Chapter Study Group, I: E. Fisher (pre 1970), REG: Willamette Chapter Study Group (1998) Fls in a conical truss, saucer-shaped, 70 × 125mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, moderate red (179B) with some green speckling in bud, opening deep purplish pink (68A), with a small dorsal blotch of dark red (187A) spots. Calyx 20mm long, deep purplish pink (68A). Lvs elliptic, 120-150 × 45-70mm, broadly acute at apex, oblique (to rounded) at base, semi-glossy and dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.5m in 10 years. Mid-late May. Syn: 'Walloper No. 6' (Published in *Greer's Guidebook* (1982))

(a) **'Gwenda'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Louise Gable' × 'Tama-giku' × 'Eikan' H: R.D. Gartrell (1960), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell (1969), REG: R.D. Gartrell (1977) Fls single, 1-3/truss, open funnel-shaped, 150 × 75mm, with wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (56B) with faint pale purplish pink (56A) spotting. Calyx 3mm long, light green, hairy. Lvs broadly elliptic, 25 × 17mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub c0.5 × 1.0m in 15 years. Early June. (Robin Hill azalea no. T37-4)

(a) **'Gwenda Kitcat'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink, with a white blotch, scented. Knap Hill

(v) **'Gwenevere'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown L: Orchid World/Vireya World (1995) Fls in large trusses, trumpet-shaped, white, with rosy styles, waxy; scented. Lvs rounded, thick. Spreading shrub to 1.5m tall

(r) **'Gwen Grant'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Honey Glow', selfed H: Mrs G. Grant, G: L.A. & Mrs G. Grant (1976), N: L.A. & Mrs G. Grant, REG: L.A. & Mrs G. Grant (1988) Fls 9/truss, funnel-shaped, 60 × 100mm, 7-lobed, primrose yellow at edges, deepening at centre (to 4B). Lvs elliptic, 120 × 45mm, hairless. Early November (New Zealand)

(r) **'Gwen Morgan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anna' (s) × 'Ruby Bowman' H: E.T. Anderson (1985), G: E.T. Anderson (1993), N: E.T. Anderson (1998), REG: E.T. Anderson (1998) Fls 12/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55-65 × 100-120mm, with (6-)7 very wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish red (61A) in bud, opening inside deep purplish red (61A) and fading to strong purplish red (61B) and deep red (60A), with a prominent dark red (59A) dorsal blotch and a small basal marking; outside streaked strong purplish red (61B) and vivid purplish red (61C). Lvs oblong, 140-190 × 50-65mm, margins upcurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull, moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 1.8m in 13 years. Mid May

(r) **'Gwen's Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi King George' (s) × Azor Group H: G.E. Barefield (1960), G: G.E. Barefield, N: Mrs M.W. Barefield, I: Mrs M.W. Barefield, REG: Mrs M.W. Barefield (1983) Fls 9/truss, 90 × 115mm, open funnel-shaped, 7-lobed, deep pink (52B) in bud, opening light purplish pink (55C), shading to pale purplish pink (56A) in the throat and on lobe edges, dorsal blotch and spotting of deep pink (50B). Calyx 3mm long, strong yellow-green (145A). Lvs narrowly oblanceolate, 150 × 40-50mm, moderate olive green (137B). Shrub c3.8m in 22 years

(r) **'Gwerfyl Moss'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' × Romany Chai Group H: W. Moss, G: W. Moss, N: W. Moss, I: W. Moss (1974), REG: W. Moss (1974) Fls vivid reddish purple (74A) with a deep purplish red (71A) flash

(r) **'Gwillt-king'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × *arboreum* subsp. *zeylanicum* I: C. Haigh (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a semi-circular truss, 65 × 75mm, turkey red (721/2), spotted on dorsal lobe and with deep basal nectaries. Lvs 200 × 70mm, densely hairy below. AM 1952 (Gwillt-king Group)

(r) **Gwillt-king Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × *arboreum* subsp. *zeylanicum* I: C. Haigh (1938), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Gwyneth'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill)(?), N: Waterer (Knap Hill)(?), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange. Knap Hill

(r) **'Gwyneth Masters'** cv. Parentage unknown H: Mrs G. Masters, G: Mrs G. Masters, I: Mrs G. Masters, REG: Mrs G. Masters (1982) Fls 20-21/truss, deep red (53A), spotted on dorsal lobes and with five dark nectaries in the throat. Lvs 140 × 60mm, with a light tan indumentum.

(r) **'Gwynne Lewis'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group (dark pink form) (s) × *racemosum* (dark pink form) H: G.D. Lewis (1975), G: G.D. Lewis (1978), N: G.D. Lewis (1996), REG: G.D. Lewis (1997) Fls 5-6/bud (with 3-5 buds/truss), open funnel-shaped, 30 × 30mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (73C) tipped deep purplish pink (73A) in bud, inside opening white, gradually ageing to light purplish pink (73C), edged deep purplish pink (73A) and randomly flecked 73A and strong purplish pink (73B); outside opens white, midribs flushed deep purplish pink (73A), ageing to very pale purple (69A) and flushed deep purplish pink (73A). Lvs elliptic, 55 × 30mm, with decurved margins, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dark yellowish green (139A) above, moderate yellow-green (147C) below, brown scaly. Shrub 1.35 × 1.5m in 20 years. Late April

(a) **'Gwynnid Lloyd'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: E. de Rothschild (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, flushed pink, with a yellow blotch. Knap Hill

(r) **'Gylla MacGregor'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light red

(r) **Gymnocarpum Group** cv. Elepidoterhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. gymnocarpum*

(a) **'Gyokka-no-kagayaki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 40-50mm wide, light purplish pink centre, with dark purplish pink margins; occasionally light purplish pink star in centre, with wide, dark pink margins or white with dark purplish pink stripes and flecks. Early. Satsuki

(a) **'Gyoko'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Gomi-nishiki' × 'Shokko-nishiki' R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 75-100mm wide, with 5-7 rounded lobes, white, heavily marked with strong reddish orange (in stripes, sectors and spots); occasionally reddish orange, with a white centre. Satsuki

(a) **'Gyokokan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Gyoko' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, with rounded lobes, white, heavily striped vivid reddish orange, some with wide sectors; occasional reddish self. Lvs long and narrow. Satsuki

(a) **'Gyoko-no-kagayaki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Gyoko' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, white, variously striped deep purplish pink; some vivid purplish pink with a pale pink centre. Satsuki

(a) **'Gyokudo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Gekkeikan' × 'Sangosai' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls star-shaped, 50-75mm wide, with long, rounded lobes, white to light pink at base, tipped strong red and white. Satsuki

(a) **'Gyokuho'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, white, with vivid pink sectors and flecks; stamens and pistil white. Lvs large. Low, spreading habit. Satsuki

(a) **'Gyokuko'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, salmon orange. Kurume

(a) **'Gyokurei'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kaho' × 'Madame Moreux' R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls irregularly double, 65-75mm wide, with rounded lobes, white, often speckled vivid purplish red; sometimes purplish red self. Upright habit. Early-midseason. Satsuki

(a) **'Gyokurin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Chugai Nursery Co. (pre 1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, tubular, not opening fully, 25-50mm long, strong reddish purple, some lobes with white blotches. Satsuki

(a) **'Gyokuryu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 75mm wide, with well-spaced lobes, vivid purplish red, with dark spots in the throat. Lvs narrow, twisted. Satsuki

(a) **'Gyokushin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Asahi-zuru' I: Chugai Nursery Co. (pre 1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 65-75mm wide, with 5-6 rounded, wavy-edged lobes, white, with tyrian rose (24) flecks or stripes, or phlox pink (625/2) selfs, some with paler margins. Low, spreading habit. Very late. Satsuki

(a) **'Gyokusui'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls white, dotted, striped and sectored purplish pink. Low, spreading habit. Satsuki

(a) **'Gyokuyo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Chugai Nursery Co. (pre 1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 90-95mm wide, with wavy-edged, equal-sized lobes, white, with a few tiny flakes of vivid violet, the blotch area washed yellow. Satsuki

(a) **'Gyoten'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Kaho' R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65-75mm wide, with rounded, wavy-edged lobes, light pink, with feathered white edges, a vivid yellowish pink blotch and strong red stripes; sometimes white, tipped vivid yellowish pink. Slow-growing, bushy habit. Late. Satsuki

(a) **'Gyotoku'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 70mm wide, white, flaked moderate orange and flushed pink, with a reddish purple blotch. Satsuki

(a) **'Gypsy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' (s) × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 2-3/truss, somewhat starry-shaped, 75mm wide, between mallow purple and light mallow purple (near to strong to light reddish purple (72C, 74C)). Shrub to 2.56m. Late April. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Gypsy Fire'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Delp's Cindy Lou' (s) × 'Skookum' H: T.L. Ring, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, deep and strong red (53A, B, C) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (56D), strong pink (54C) and strong red (53C, D), with a small, pale greenish yellow (2D) flare; outside strong red (53B); filaments pale purplish pink (56D); style pale yellow (158B); anthers brownish orange (166C); stigma brilliant yellow-green (154C). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Gypsy King'** (Mis-spelling of 'Gipsy King')

(a) **'Gypsy Lass'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown S: L.F. Frisbie, N: L.F. Frisbie, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, orange, flushed pink. Shrub up to c2.0 × 1.5m. April-May. Mollis (Seedling selected from Gregg McKinnon Gardens)

(a) **'Gypsy Love Song'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, bright rose pink, with an entirely orange dorsal lobe. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Early-mid July

(r) **'Gypsy Melody'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (Exbury form) × Elizabeth de Rothschild Group H: R.J.R. Drayson (1978), G: Harkwood Acres (1990), N: Mrs A.J.A. Drayson, REG: Harkwood Acres (1991) Fls 12-15/truss, open campanulate, 54 × 82mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (45D) in bud, opening pale yellow-green (4D) overlaid light greenish yellow (5D), dorsal throat moderate red (179A) edged strong greenish yellow (151B); flower pales to pale yellow-green (4D), overlaid light greenish yellow (5D), throat to strong greenish yellow (151A) freckled with moderate red (180B); pistil brilliant greenish yellow (151D). Shrub 0.45 × 0.68m in 11 years. May

(r) **'Gypsy Princess'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × Gipsy King Group H: R.J.R. Drayson (1979), G: Harkwood Acres (1985), N: Mrs A.J.A. Drayson, REG: R.J.R & Mrs A.J.A. Drayson (1987) Fls 13-16/truss, tubular-campanulate, 48-50 × 60-63mm, 5-lobed, vivid red (45A) in bud, opening strong purplish

red (58B), fading to pale purplish pink (56C) with strong purplish red (54A) margins; finally becoming palest pink/white. Calyx 4-5mm long, strong bluish green (127C). Lvs lanceolate, 93 × 30-39mm, moderate olive green (147A) above, with a moderate orange-yellow (164C) indumentum below. Shrub 0.38 × 0.78m in 8 years. Late April-mid May

(r) **'Gypsy Queen'** (See 'Gipsy Queen')

(a) **'Gypsy Rose'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* hybrid R: R.P. Mayo, N: R.P. Mayo, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 50mm wide, strong purplish red (54A), with a darker blotch. Tall, erect habit. Midseason. Kaempferi

(a) **'Gypsy Rose'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Gumpo' × 'Lambertus C. Bobbink' R: H. Kerrigan (pre 1965), N: H. Kerrigan Fls single, hose-in-hose, 90-100mm wide, pink

(r) **'Gypsy Rover'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × Gipsy King Group H: R.J.R. Drayson (1979), G: Harkwood Acres (1987), N: Mrs A.J.A. Drayson, REG: R.J.R. & Mrs A.J.A. Drayson (1987) Fls 8/slightly lax truss, tubular-campanulate, 60 × 85mm, 5-6-lobed, strong red (46A) in bud, opening strong red (53B&C) with spotting on dorsal lobe and in throat of dark/deep red (59A/60A); pales to strong to light purplish pink (55B&C) inside, strong purplish red to strong pink (54A-C) outside. Calyx 3mm long, moderate red (180B). Lvs lanceolate, 119 × 44mm, moderate olive green (146A & 147A), with a moderate orange indumentum on young lvs. Shrub 0.38 × 0.68m in 8 years. Early May-early June

(a) **'Gyrokushin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: USA (pre 1970) Fls white. Shrub low and spreading. Satsuki

(r) **'Haaga'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *brachycarpum* (as subsp. *tigerstedtii*) (s) × 'Doctor H.C. Dresselhuys' H: M. Uosukainen (1974), G: M. Uosukainen (1980), N: M. Uosukainen (1987), I: Kemira Agro Oy (1987), REG: Kemira Agro Oy (1994) Fls 15-20/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 55-70mm wide, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, inside fuchsine pink (627/1-2); outside 627-627/2, with brownish red spots in dorsal sector. Lvs oblanceolate, 120-140 × 40-52mm, margins decurved, glossy green above, acute at base and apex, hairless; shoots sulphur yellow/primrose yellow (1-601). Shrub 1.4 × 2.0m in 10 years. June. Exceptionally hardy. (Published in *Landscape Plant News* 3 (4):11 (1992))

(r) **'Haag's Choice'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably *fortunei* (or *fortunei* hybrid: Nearing N4-20) × 'Charles Dickens' H: G.G. Nearing (pre 1947), G: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable, REG: Gable Study Group (1991) Fls in a conical truss, pink lavender. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 57mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dark green, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.2m in 6-7 years, 2.4m tall when mature. Mid May. (First published in *Hybrids and Hybridizers*, Livingston & West (1978))

(r) **'Haag's Peppermint'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pygmalion' × *haematodes* (s) × *yakushimanum*, Exbury form H: A.E. Kehr (1972), G: C. Russell & V. Haag (pre 1983), N: C. Russell & V. Haag (1987), REG: T.L. Ring (1996) Fls 10-12/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (52A) in bud, opening inside pale purplish pink (56D at margins, to 56A in centre), dorsal lobe heavily spotted vivid red (52A); stamens 10, curved. Pedicels 28mm long. Lvs lanceolate, 75 × 25mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green and hairless above, with a thin, felted indumentum of light tan hairs below; petioles 13mm long, yellow-green. Shrub 1.8 × 1.7m in 22 years. Midseason. (First published in *J.Am. Rh. Soc.* 47 (4): 235 (1993))

(r) **'Haag's Yellow Fortunei'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × unknown R: C.R. & V. Haag (pre 1980), N: unknown

(a) **'Habanera'** (See note under 'Habenera')

(r) **'Haba Shan'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *hippophaeoides* raised from seed collected by Forrest in 1914 S: J.P.C. Russell (1939), N: J.P.C. Russell, REG: J.P.C. Russell (1993) Fls 8-12/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 12 × 25mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds vivid violet (89C), opening inside vivid violet (88B) and outside vivid violet (88A); unspotted; style strong yellowish pink (37A); not scented. Calyx 3mm long, brownish orange (164A). Lvs oblanceolate, 20-30 × 9-12mm, flat, with margins decurved, matt green above, cuneate at base, obtuse at apex; scales glossy moderate yellow-green (147C) when young, ageing to dull moderate olive green (146A). Shrub 1.2 × 2.1m in c25 years. April-May (and repeats later)

(a) **'Habenera'** cv. Evergreen azalea: orange form of *indicum* × 'Hatsu-shimo' × 'Tama-sugata' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1965) Fls single, 50-55mm wide, with an irregular white centre, edged tyrian pink, with a conspicuous blotch dotted with tyrian rose. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Back Acres (Sometimes seen listed as 'Habanera')

(a) **'Habranthum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.R. Gowen (1829), N: J.R. Gowen, INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Published in *Botanical Register*, 1830, under t.1366, where two possible parental combinations are discussed)

(a) **'Habropis'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.R. Gowen (1829), N: J.R. Gowen, INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Published in *Botanical Register*, 1830, under t.1366, where two possible parental combinations are discussed)

(a) **'Hachijo-kurenai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c50mm wide, intense crimson. Satsuki

(a) **'Hachika-tsugi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1918), N: Japan, INC: ICRA

(1958) Fls pale lilac pink, with a white throat. Syn: 'Prudence'; Wilson no.7. Kurume

(r) **'Hachmann's Anastasia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'August' (s) × 'Lem's Monarch' H: H. Hachmann (1985), G: H. Hachmann (1991), N: H. Hachmann (1993), I: H. Hachmann (1998), REG: G. Stück (1999) Fls 11-13/rounded, upright truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50-55 × 85-100mm, with 5 narrowly but very wavy-edged lobes, inside deep purplish pink (66C) with a moderate purplish pink (66D) centre, outside deep to moderate purplish pink (66C-D), with vivid purplish red (66B) on the dorsal midveins; dorsal lobe markings of deep to strong greenish yellow (153A/B); stamens 10, filaments deep purplish pink (68A), anthers greyish reddish orange (177D); style strong purplish pink (62A), stigma strong purplish red (63A). Calyx 2-3mm long, moderate purplish pink (66D). Lvs ovate, 150 × 58-70mm, mucronate at apex, cuneate to rounded at base, flat to slightly wavy, mid green and slightly glossy above, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.7m in 10 years. Late May-mid June. Syn: 'Anastasia' (First published as 'Anastasia' in Hachmann cat., 1998-2000 (1998))

(r) **'Hachmann's Bananaflip'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *brachycarpum* subsp. *fauriei* × 'Goldsworth Orange' H: H. Hachmann (1967), G: H. Hachmann (1974), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1987), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 9-13/loose truss, funnel-campanulate, 45-50 × 55-70mm, with 5(-6) lobes, pale yellow-green (4D), the dorsal lobe blotched light greenish yellow with markings of moderate red (183C-D), a small area on midveins tinted strong to moderate purplish pink (62A-B); outside also with veins tinted 62A-B. Calyx 3mm long, yellowish green, edged red. Lvs lanceolate, 65-100 × 22-30mm, slightly convex, apiculate at apex, cuneate (-oblique) at base, mid green and slightly glossy above; petioles short, reddish brown. Shrub 1.1 × 1.6m in 15 years, of compact habit. Late May-early June

(r) **'Hachmann's Belona'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' (s) × 'Britannia' H: H. Hachmann (1963), G: H. Hachmann (1969), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1980), REG: G. Stück (1984) Fls 11-14/truss, 40-42 × 50-62mm, 5-lobed, deep purplish pink (58D) shading inwards brighter, lobes strong purplish red (58B-C), conspicuously spotted dark red/deep purplish red (59A-B). Calyx 1-2mm long, greenish pink. Lvs elliptic, 108-126 × 45-56mm, with a dark brown indumentum below. Syn: 'Belona'

(r) **'Hachmann's Bingo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lampion' (s) × 'Rosevallon' H: H. Hachmann (1983), G: H. Hachmann (1988), N: H. Hachmann (1990), I: H. Hachmann (1997), REG: G. Stück (1999) Fls 5-7/rather loose truss, tubular-campanulate, 30-35 × 50-55mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (46B) inside and out; unmarked. Lvs elliptic, 45-55 × 28mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate to rounded at base, flat, matt green above, with the lower surface dark red (187A/B). Shrub 0.45 × 0.6m in 10 years. Mid April-early May. Syn: 'Bingo' (First published as 'Bingo' in Hachmann cat., 1998-2000 (1998))

(r) **'Hachmann's Brasilia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Omega' × *wardii* (s) × *wardii* × 'Alice Street' H: H. Hachmann (1969), G: H. Hachmann (1974), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1982), REG: G. Stück (1983) Fls 16-18/truss, 40-45 × 50-55mm, 5-lobed, inside strong purplish red/deep purplish pink (54A-B) and strong pink (to moderate purplish pink)(54C(-D)); outside strong purplish red (54A) with darker pigmentation and veins; slight markings of brilliant yellow (11A) tinged strong pink (to moderate purplish pink) (54C(-D)). Lvs ovate, 80-100 × 30-45mm, slightly hairy. Shrub 2.5 × 4.0m

(a) **'Hachmann's Caroline'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Betty Kelly' (s) × 'Cecile' H: H. Hachmann (1967), G: H. Hachmann (1972), N: H. Hachmann (1974), I: H. Hachmann (1998), REG: G. Stück (1999) Fls single, 7-9(-12)/dense truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 65 × 75-100mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes (sometimes 7-10 when stamens petaloid), orange reddish in bud, opening light purplish pink (55C) with deep purplish pink (55A) midveins, outside light purplish pink (55C) with a deep purplish pink (55A) tube; dorsal lobe spotted light orange-yellow (16B); stamens 5, conspicuous, filaments light/pale purplish pink (55C/D), anthers light orange-yellow (22B); pistil 65-70mm long, style deep to strong purplish pink (55A/B), stigma strong yellow-green (144A/B). Calyx 3mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Shrub 1.4 × 1.3m in 10 years. Mid May-early June. Syn: 'Caroline' (First published as 'Caroline' in Hachmann cat., 1998-2000 (1998))

(r) **'Hachmann's Charmant'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hachmann's Diadem' × 'Holger' H: H. Hachmann (1979), G: H. Hachmann (1984), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1991), REG: G. Stück (1991) Fls 17-19/rounded, conical truss, almost saucer-shaped, 45-55 × 75-95mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pure white, with a 1.5mm wide marginal band of strong purplish red to deep purplish pink (64C-D) inside; outside with a marginal band up to 10mm wide; a conspicuous blood red blotch on dorsal lobes. Calyx 2-3(-5)mm long, strong purplish red (60D). Lvs elliptic, 90-120 × 30-40mm, mucronate at apex, rounded at base, slightly convex, mid to dark, glossy green above with yellowish to green midveins, with fawn-coloured hairs below. Shrub 1.1 × 1.3m in 10 years. Late May-mid June. (First published in *Deutsche Rhododendron-Gesellschaft, Jahrbuch 1990*, p.72 (1991))

(r) **'Hachmann's Constanze'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Humboldt' (s) × 'Kluis Sensation' H: H. Hachmann (1959), G: H. Hachmann (1964), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1975), REG: G. Stück (1983) Fls 18-20/truss, 45-52 × 65-75mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (64C) at edges, deep purplish pink (64D) at base, midvein vivid purplish red (61C), blotch dark red/deep purplish red (59A-B). Calyx 5-6mm long, reddish green. Lvs elliptic, 100-120 × 40-50mm, hairy. Shrub 2.5 × 4.0m. Syn: 'Constanze'

(r) **'Hachmann's Corinna'** cv. 'Lampion' (s) × 'Ruth Otte' × 'Feuerschein' H: H. Hachmann (1983), G: H. Hachmann (1988), N: H. Hachmann (1988), I: H. Hachmann (1995), REG: G. Stück (1995) Fls 9-10/lax ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65-75mm wide, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, vivid deep red inside and out; stamens red; dosal lobe with a large, conspicuous blotch of dark red (187A(-D)). Lvs ovate, 60-95 × 32-42mm, flat, glossy dark green above, with a yellowish green midvein, rounded at base, apiculate at apex, hairless. Shrub semi-prostrate, 0.35 × 0.9m in 10 years. May. (First published as 'Corinna' in Hachmann cat., 1995/96)

(r) **'Hachmann's Diadem'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hachmann's Ornament' (s) × 'Furnivall's Daughter' H: H. Hachmann (1969), G: H. Hachmann (1974), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1983), REG: G. Stück (1984) Fls 10-13/truss, 50-60 × 70-80mm, 5-lobed, light purplish pink (68D), limb moderate purplish pink (68C), midvein on outside 68C; large, conspicuous blotch of deep to strong red (53A-B) with deep red (60A), shading inwards to dark red (59A). Calyx 8-11mm long, greenish greyed purple. Lvs elliptic, 110 × 45-50mm, dark, slightly glossy green above, hairless. Syn: 'Diadem'

(r) **'Hachmann's Eileen'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *ambiguum* (s) × *cinnabarinum* subsp. *xanthocodon* Concatenans Group H: H. Hachmann (1988), G: H. Hachmann (1994), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 5-7/usually terminal truss, corollas out-facing to pendent, broadly funnel-shaped, 25-30 × 30mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, inside light yellow (15D), outside vivid/brilliant yellow (15B/C); stamens 10, filaments pale orange-yellow (19D), anthers greyish brown (166A); stigma strong yellow-green (144B); ovary strong yellow-green (144A/B), scaly. Lvs elliptic to ovate or obovate, 35-45 × 20-26mm, flat, apiculate at apex, rounded to cuneate at base, glossy green above, with dark red-brown scales. Shrub 1.2 × 1.4m in 10 years. Late April-mid May. Syn: 'Eileen' (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030631). First published in Hachmann cat., 2000)

(r) **'Hachmann's Eskimo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Gloriosum' × 'Herme' H: H. Hachmann (1978), G: H. Hachmann (1984), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1990), REG: G. Stück (1991) Fls 14-16/rounded, conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 70-85mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, yellowish white (155D), inconspicuously flushed very pale purple (69C); outside just touched with very pale purple (69A-B) along veins; dorsal lobe conspicuously marked deep to strong yellowish green to strong yellow (153A-B(-D)). Calyx 2-3mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic to ovate, 90-120 × 45-60mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate to rounded at base, mid green and slightly glossy above with light green midveins, with pale brown hairs below. Shrub 1.6 × 1.5m in 10 years. Late May-mid June

(a) **'Hachmann's Estrella'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Signalglühen' × 'Vuyk's Scarlet' H: H. Hachmann (1974), G: H. Hachmann (1977), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1987), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls single, 2-4/truss, funnel-shaped, 30-40 × 40-50mm, with 5(-6) slightly wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish orange (42A), with darker markings; colours not fading. Calyx 3-6mm long, strong to light yellow-green (144C-D), silvery hairy. Lvs elliptic, 28-35 × 13-18mm, concave, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, light green and glossy above, hairy. Shrub 0.35 × 0.6m in 10 years

(r) **'Hachmann's Evelyn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Oudijk's Sensation' × 'Daisy' H: H. Hachmann (1962), G: H. Hachmann (1967), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1976), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 9-14/truss, 45-50 × 60-70mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (67D), shaded vivid purplish red to deep purplish pink (67B-C), dorsal lobe with conspicuous markings of deep red (185A). Calyx 2-4mm long, light green. Flowering shoot buds reddish brown in winter. Lvs ovate, 100-120 × 45-55mm, convex, mucronate at apex, rounded at base, mid green and dull above, hairless; petioles reddish brown. Shrub 1.2 × 1.3m in 10 years, of rather loose habit. Mid May-early June

(a) **'Hachmann's Fabiola'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Homebush' (s) × 'Sarina' H: H. Hachmann (1986), G: H. Hachmann (1992), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 11-19/dense ball truss, double, tubular funnel-shaped, 45-50 × 50-65mm, with 12-16 very wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (50B) throughout, with a strong influence of strong red (50A); unmarked; style deep purplish pink (61D), stigma dark red (187A); ovary silvery hairy. Calyx 4-5mm long, like the pedicels strong yellow-green (144A), silvery hairy. Lvs ovate, 60-85 × 25-30mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, slightly glossy above, hairy; young foliage bronzy brown. Shrub 1.3 × 0.9m in 10 years. Late May-mid June. Syn: 'Fabiola' (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030632). First published (as 'Fabiola') in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(r) **'Hachmann's Felicitas'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goldkrone' × 'Hachmann's Ornament' × 'Furnivall's Daughter' H: H. Hachmann (1977), G: H. Hachmann (1982), N: H. Hachmann, I: (as 'Felicitas') H. Hachmann (1988), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 13-17/truss, funnel-shaped, 40-45 × 60-70(-80)mm, 5(-6)-lobed, pale yellow (11D), with broad margins to the lobes of moderate to pale pink (49B-D), the dorsal lobe blotched light yellowish green (4B-C) with markings of dark red to deep purplish red (187A-D) extending down into the throat; outside strong to moderate pink (49A-B), light to pale pink on lobes. Calyx 3-5mm long, yellowish green. Lvs ovate or broadly elliptic, apiculate at apex, rounded-cordate at base, mid green with light green veins above, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 1.1m in 10 years. Mid May-early June

(r) **'Hachmann's Feuerschein'** (Syn. of 'Feuerschein')

(a) **'Hachmann's Gabriele'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Mother's Day' (s) × 'Kermesinum' H: H. Hachmann (1959), G: H. Hachmann (1962), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1979), REG: G. Stück (1983) Fls 3-5/truss, 30 × 37-40mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (58B), slightly marked moderate purplish red (58A). Calyx 3-4mm long, light green, silvery hairy. Lvs 25 × 13mm. Syn: 'Gabriele'

(a) **'Hachmann's Granada'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Rubinstern' × 'Red Pimpernel' × 'Kermesinum' H: H. Hachmann (1967), G: H. Hachmann (1970), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1982), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls semi-double to double, 2-4/truss, funnel-shaped, 27-30 × 40mm, with 7-13 lobes (many stamens petaloid), vivid purplish red (57C), with spots of strong purplish red (60B-C). Calyx 2-3mm long, strongyellow-green (144C), silvery hairy. Lvs ovate, 27-32 × 13-18mm, convex, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dark green and glossy above, olive/bronze-coloured in winter, hairless. Shrub 0.35 × 0.8m in 10 years, of compact habit, slow-growing. Mid May-early June. Syn: 'Granada'

(r) **'Hachmann's Griselda'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Memoir' (s) × *williamsianum* H: H. Hachmann (1986), G: H. Hachmann (1992), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 8-10/rather loose truss (fls out-facing), funnel-campanulate, 40-45 × 55-65mm, with 5(-6-7) wavy-edged lobes, inside pale purplish pink (56D) paling towards centre, edges moderate to light purplish pink (62B/C); outside pale purplish pink (62D), edges and veins light purplish pink (62C); slightly spotted dark red (187C) on dorsal lobes; stamens 10, filaments white, anthers pale orange-yellow (165D); style light yellow-green (150D), stigma dark red (187C). Calyx 1mm long, greenish. Lvs orbicular to ovate, 70-80 × 45-55mm, margins decurved, strongly convex, mucronate at apex, cordate at base, slightly glossy above, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 1.3m in 10 years. Late April-mid May. Syn: 'Griselda' (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030633). First published as 'Griselda' in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(a) **'Hachmann's Harlekin'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Royal Command' × 'Gibraltar' H: H. Hachmann (1964), G: H. Hachmann (1969), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1979), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls single, 9-13/dense ball truss, 45-50 × 65-70mm, 5-lobed, vivid reddish orange (33A-B) inside, shaded and veined vivid reddish orange (34A); outside strong reddish orange (32B) to vivid yellowish pink or strong orange (30C-D), ummarked; style very long. Calyx 3-5mm long, green. Lvs broadly elliptic, 65-80 × 30-35mm, acute-apiculate at apex, cuneate-rounded at base; young lvs bronzy brown, later light green. Shrub 1.3 × 1.1m in 15 years, very free-flowering, of compact habit, very slow-growing. Late May-mid June

(a) **'Hachmann's Juanita'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Cecile' (s) × 'Gibraltar' H: H. Hachmann (1963), G: H. Hachmann (1968), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1980), REG: G. Stück (1983) Fls 9-12/truss, 50-60 × 60-73mm, with 5(-6) wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (52B-C), blotch strong orange (25A) with vivid orange-yellow (21A). Calyx 2-3mm long, strong yellow-green (144A(-143B)). Lvs hairy. Syn: 'Juanita'

(r) **'Hachmann's Junifeuer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mary Waterer' (s) × 'Moser's Maroon' H: H. Hachmann (1968), G: H. Hachmann (1974), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1983), REG: G. Stück (1984) Fls 14-17/truss, 45-50 × 65-70mm, 5-lobed, more or less strong red (53D), becoming darker towards edges (deep red (53A)); outside deep red (-dark red) (53A(-59A)), inside marked with dark greenish yellow (152D). Calyx 2-3mm long, reddish brown. Lvs elliptic, 120-140(-170)x45-55(-60)mm, hairless. Shrub up to 1.0m. Syn: 'Junifeuer'

(r) **'Hachmann's Kabarett'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hyperion' (s) × 'Hachmann's Diadem' H: H. Hachmann (1984), G: H. Hachmann (1989), N: H. Hachmann (1990), I: H. Hachmann (1997), REG: G. Stück (1999) Fls 12/dense ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 70-80mm, with narrowly but strongly wavy-edged lobes, light purple (75B), tinted light purple (75A) on edges inside and out; blotch on three dorsal lobes of dark red/deep purplish red (187C/D), becoming dark red (187A/B) towards throat; stamens 10, filaments white, anthers moderate brown/brownish orange (165A/B); style brilliant/pale yellow-green (149C/D), stigma brilliant yellow-green (149A). Calyx 8-10mm long, strong/light purplish pink (73B/C). Lvs elliptic, 130-180 × 40-52mm, acuminate at apex, rounded at base, margins decurved, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 1.3 × 1.6m in 10 years. Late May-mid June. Syn: 'Kabarett' (First published as 'Kabarett' in Hachmann cat., 1998-2000 (1998))

(r) **'Hachmann's Karianne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Fantastica' (s) × 'Scintillation' H: H. Hachmann (1977), G: H. Hachmann (1983), N: H. Hachmann (1991), I: H. Hachmann (1992), REG: G. Stück (1994) Fls 13-15/ball truss, very open funnel-shaped, 35-42 × 65-72mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside deep to strong purplish pink (68A/B), edged deep purplish pink (67C), shading to moderate purplish pink (68C) in throat; outside deep to strong purplish pink (68A/B), suffused deep purplish pink (67C) in places; slight dorsal markings of strong to vivid purplish red (67A/B); prominent white styles. Lvs broadly elliptic (to ovate), 90-110 × 35-50mm, slightly wavy-edged, moderately glossy and dark green above, light green below, rounded at base, cuspidate at apex, with fawn-coloured hairs. Shrub 1.4 × 1.6m in 10 years. Mid May-early June. (First published as 'Kerianne' in Hachmann cat., 1993/94)

(r) **'Hachmann's Kerstine'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Manuela' (s) × 'Spitfire' × 'Frühlingszauber' H: H. Hachmann (1976), G: H. Hachmann (1982), N: H. Hachmann (1990), I: H. Hachmann (1994), REG: G. Stück (1995) Fls 8/lax, ball truss, funnel-campanulate,

50-55mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside rose-coloured, centre of lobes and throat light pink, fading to pale pink, with inconspicuous, deep purplish red dorsal spotting; outside rose pink. Lvs elliptic/ovate, 80-90 × 35-40mm, flat, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 1.0m in 10 years, of dense, compact habit. May. (First published as 'Kerstine' in Hachmann cat., 1995/96)

(r) **'Hachmann's Kontiki'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ovation' (Nagel) (s) × *williamsianum* H: H. Hachmann (1988), G: H. Hachmann (1994), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 7-8/rather lax truss (fls out- or down-facing), broadly funnel-campanulate, 35-40 × 54-58mm, with 5 deep, slightly wavy-edged lobes, inside vivid purplish red (57D) on edges and veins on a much paler ground, paler in throat; unmarked; outside vivid purplish red (57C/D), colour on veins intensified to vivid purplish red (57B); stamens 10, 20mm long, filaments reddish; style 50mm long, conspicuous, reddish. Calyx 4-13mm long, with enlarged lobes, a pale shade of vivid purplish red (57D), shaded yellowish green. Lvs ovate, 50-70 × 30-45mm, convex, mucronate at apex, rounded at base, dark matt green above, hairless. Shrub of broadly rounded habit, 0.7 × 1.1m in 10 years. Late April-mid May. Syn: 'Kontiki' (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030634). First published as 'Kontiki' in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(r) **'Hachmann's Kristina'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Oudijk's Sensation' × 'Marinus Koster' (s) × 'Simona' H: H. Hachmann (1972), G: H. Hachmann (1977), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1983), REG: G. Stück (1984) Fls 16-18/truss, 40 × 50-55mm, 5-lobed, light to pale purplish pink (65B-D), spotted brilliant yellow-green (150A-C), midvein outside deep purplish pink (68A). Calyx 2mm long, strong to light yellow-green (145A-B). Lvs ovate-elliptic, 74-96 × 38-46mm, dark green and fairly glossy above, hairless. Syn: 'Kristina'

(r) **'Hachmann's Lagerfeuer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nova Zembla' (s) × 'Mars' H: H. Hachmann (1960), G: H. Hachmann (1965), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1975), REG: G. Stück (1984) Fls 14-16/truss, 35-45 × 55-63mm, 5-lobed, deep red (53A), with inconspicuous, brownish red markings. Calyx 1.0-2.5mm long, reddish green. Lvs elliptic, 125-140 × 42-46(-47)mm, slightly undulate, hairless. Syn: 'Lagerfeuer'

(r) **'Hachmann's Libelle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goldsworth Orange' (s) × 'Mrs J.G. Millais' H: H. Hachmann (1965), G: H. Hachmann (1971), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1981), REG: G. Stück (1984) Fls 12-14/truss, 35-50 × 50-60(-65)mm, 5(-7)-lobed, light yellow-green (150D), spotted strong yellow (153D) (-deep greenish yellow (153A)). Calyx 4-6mm long, strong yellow-green (144C) and strong greenish yellow (151A). Fls long-stalked. Lvs elliptic, 130-150 × 45-47mm, hairless. Syn: 'Libelle'

(r) **'Hachmann's Marianne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* × 'Alice Street' × 'Mareike' H: H. Hachmann (1969), G: H. Hachmann (1974), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1991), REG: G. Stück (1991) Fls 13-15(-17)/truss, open funnel-shaped, 40-45 × 48-60mm, 5-lobed, light yellow-green to pale greenish yellow (2C/D), with deep red (53A) markings on 3 dorsal lobes; stamens 10; filaments pale greenish yellow (2D), anthers brownish orange (164A); style light greenish yellow (1C), stigma pale yellow (164D). Calyx 2-3mm long, reddish green. Lvs ovate, 65-85 × 35-45mm, convex, mucronate at apex, rounded at base, mid green and slightly glossy above, slightly undulate, hairless. Shrub 1.3 × 1.6m in 10 years, of broad, compact habit. Mid-late May. Syn: 'Marianne'

(r) **'Hachmann's Marina'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Omega' (s) × *wardii* H: H. Hachmann (1963), G: H. Hachmann (1969), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1978), REG: G. Stück (1984) Fls 11-15/truss, 40-45 × 60-65mm, 5-lobed, pale greenish yellow (1D), inconspicuously marked dark reddish orange (178B) on a brilliant to light greenish yellow (1B-C) ground. Calyx 3-4mm long, yellowish green, edged pink. Lvs ovate, 88-92 × 48-54mm, mid green and slightly glossy above, hairless. Syn: 'Marina'

(r) **'Hachmann's Marlis'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: H. Hachmann (1970), G: H. Hachmann (1975), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1985), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 14-17/large, rounded truss, 40-45 × 60-75mm, broadly funnel-shaped, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (58C) on lobe margins and on outside, inside otherwise white with dorsal lobe marked moderate red (181C). Calyx 1-1.5mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 110-135 × 40-48mm, margins recurved, mucronate at apex, cuneate-rounded at base, mid green above; young foliage with a thin, white indumentum, mature lvs with a thin, greyish white indumentum below; petioles yellowish green. Shrub 0.8 × 1.4m in 10 years. Late May-early June

(r) **'Hachmann's Mazurka'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hachmann's Polaris' (s) × 'Florence Sarah Smith' H: H. Hachmann (1976), G: H. Hachmann (1982), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 14-19/dense ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45-50 × 70-75mm, with 5 very wavy-edged and slightly recurved lobes, inside moderate purplish pink (70D) in centre of lobes, paling to white in the throat and with 10-15mm wide edges of moderate purplish red/deep purplish pink (70A/C); outside deep to moderate purplish pink (70C/D), darkening to strong purplish red (71D) on midveins; dorsal lobe marked strong yellow-green/strong greenish yellow (144C/151A); stamens 10, filaments moderate purplish pink (68C), anthers pale yellow (161C); style strong purplish red/deep purplish pink (64C/D), stigma dark red (187B); ovary white-felted. Calyx c1mm long, whitish, hairy. Lvs elliptic to ovate, 90-100 × 32-40mm, convex,

margins recurved, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, dark slightly glossy green above, with brown hairs especially on midribs when mature. Shrub of broadly rounded habit, 1.1 × 1.3m in 10 years. Syn: 'Mazurka' (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030635). First published as 'Mazurka' in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(r) **'Hachmann's Medley'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *ambiguum* (s) × *concinnum* H: D.G. Hobbie (c 1960), S: H. Hachmann (1988), N: H. Hachmann (1993), I: H. Hachmann (1994), REG: G. Stück (1995) Fls 3-7/bud (several buds making a dense, ball truss of 9-20fls), funnel-shaped, 30-35mm wide, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, opening greenish/cream yellow, tinged with pale yellowish pink (27C/D), ageing to light/pale yellow (18B/C), eventually to pale purplish pink (56C/D); outside yellowish/pale pink; slight strong to light yellow-green (144C/D) markings on dorsal lobes. Lvs ovate, up to 40 × 20-25mm, flat, matt green above, scaly, very aromatic. Shrub 0.7 × 0.8m in 10 years. May. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1995/96)

(r) **'Hachmann's Mercator'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Polarnacht' (s) × *praevernum* H: H. Hachmann (1987), G: H. Hachmann (1993), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 11/fairly compact truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 65-70mm, with 5(-7) wavy-edged lobes, light purple (84C) inside; outside light purple (84C) with light purple (84B) on midveins and towards edges; dorsal lobe with a conspicuous blotch and markings of dark red (187A(-B)); stamens 10(-14), filaments white, tinted violet, anthers brownish orange (164A); style light yellow-green (150D), stigma strong greenish yellow (153B); ovary thinly white hairy. Calyx c1mm long, greenish/violet. Lvs elliptic, 110-140 × 40-45mm, flat, acute to apiculate at apex, cuneate to oblique at base, slightly glossy above, margins slightly yellowish, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.5m in 10 years. Late April-early May. Syn: 'Mercator' (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030636). First published as 'Mercator' in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(r) **'Hachmann's Mikado'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lumina' × 'Perlina' (s) × 'Lachsgold' H: H. Hachmann (1987), G: H. Hachmann (1993), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück(2001) Fls 15-18/dense, ball truss, broadly open funnel-shaped, 55-60 × 70-85mm, with 5 wavy-edged, slightly recurved lobes, rose red at first, ageing inside to pale greenish yellow (2D), with edges in some places tinged rose pink, outside similarly coloured; dorsal lobe with conspicuous markings of dark red (187B/C) which extend on to part of lateral lobes; stamens 10, filaments pale greenish yellow (2D), anthers pale yellow (161C/D); style light yellow-green (154D), stigma deep purplish red (187D); ovary silvery hairy. Calyx 2-4mm long, moderate red/moderate purplish red (185B/C). Lvs ovate, 90-120 × 40-45mm, slightly recurved/twisted, apiculate at apex, rounded to oblique at base, with inconspicuous yellow-green hairs when mature. Shrub 1.6 × 1.8m in 10 years. Mid May-early June. Syn: 'Mikado' (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030637). First listed as 'Mikado' in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(r) **'Hachmann's Minikin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hachmann's Lagerfeuer' × ('Spitfire' × 'Frühlingszauber') (s) × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: H. Hachmann (1983), G: H. Hachmann (1989), N: H. Hachmann (1990), I: H. Hachmann (1998), REG: G. Stück (1999) Fls 15-17/dense truss, open funnel-campanulate, 35-40 × 36-44mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, reddish in bud, opening pale yellow (18C/D) with edges and midveins strong red/deep pink (51A/B), dorsal lobe with a brilliant/light yellow-green (154C/D) flare, outside strong red/deep pink (51A/B); stamens 10, filaments white, anthers white; pistil 30mm long, style light yellow-green (154D), stigma deep red (60A). Calyx 1-2mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 110-140 × 46mm, acute at apex, cuneate to rounded or oblique at base, margins decurved, glossy green above, with a dense, fawn indumentum below. Shrub 0.45 × 0.6m in 10 years. Late May-early June. Syn: 'Minikin' (First published as 'Minikin' in Hachmann cat., 1998-2000 (1998))

(r) **'Hachmann's Mirabella'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goldrausch' × un-named *wardii* hybrid (s) × Fred Wynniatt Group H: H. Hachmann (1990), G: H. Hachmann (1996), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 11-15/rather lax truss, broadly open funnel-campanulate, 50-55 × 75-87mm, with (5-)6-7 wavy-edged and recurved lobes, light greenish yellow (6D), tinted brilliant greenish yellow (6C), intensified on dorsal lobes to brilliant yellow (8A/11A), the colour extending into the throat, with a 10mm wide band around edges of light yellowish pink (38C/D); outside light yellow (10B), tinted brilliant/light yellow (12B/C), with strong yellowish pink (38A) on midveins up to edges; inconspicuous reddish dorsal markings; stamens 12-14, filaments light yellow-green (154D), anthers moderate orange (167A); style brilliant yellow-green (150C); Calyx irregular, 10-20mm long, reddish yellow. Lvs ovate, 90-120 × 35-50mm, flat, acuminate at apex, rounded at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.3m in 10 years. Mid-late May. Syn: 'Mirabella' (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030638). First published as 'Mirabella' in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(r) **'Hachmann's Oktavia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ann Lindsay' (s) × *calophytum* H: H. Hachmann (1983), G: H. Hachmann (1988), N: H. Hachmann (1989), I: H. Hachmann (1997), REG: G. Stück (1999) Fls 15/dense truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40-45 × 60-70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside pale purplish pink (56D), edged pale purplish pink (56C), outside pale purplish pink (56C), tinged pale purplish pink (56A); a conspicuous, basal blotch and spots of deep/strong red (53A/B). Calyx 1mm long. Lvs elliptic, 160-240 × 65-95mm, acuminate at apex, cuneate at base, margins flat

to decurved, slightly glossy green above, hairy. Shrub 1.2 × 1.6m in 10 years. Late April-mid May. Syn: 'Oktavia' (First published as 'Oktavia' in Hachmann cat., 1998-2000 (1998), plus colour photograph)

(r) **'Hachmann's Ornament'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Humboldt' (s) × 'Direktor E. Hjelm' H: H. Hachmann (1957), G: H. Hachmann (1962), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1978), REG: G. Stück (1983) Fls 12/truss, 40-45 × 60-70mm, 5-lobed, strong reddish purple (72C), spotted dark red (59A), blotched dark red (187A). Calyx 7mm long, deep purplish pink (58D). Lvs elliptic, 80-100(-160)x30-60mm, slightly hairy. Shrub 2.5-4.0m. Syn: 'Ornament'

(r) **'Hachmann's Parsifal'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' (s) × 'Direktor E. Hjelm' H: H. Hachmann (1958), G: H. Hachmann (1964), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 15-20/fairly compact truss, broadly open funnel-shaped, 50-55 × 75-90mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, inside vivid purplish red (61C), tinted deep/strong purplish red (61A/B); outside similarly coloured; inconspicuous deep red markings on dorsal lobe; stamens 10, filaments vivid purplish red (61C), anthers brownish orange/moderate orange-yellow (165B/C); style light yellow-green (145C), stigma dark red (187C); ovary silvery hairy. Calyx c1mm long, greenish/red. Lvs elliptic, 110-140 × 35-55mm, concave, acute at apex, rounded to oblique at base, light green, midrib and edge yellowish green, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.7m in 10 years. Late April-late May. Syn: 'Parsifal' (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030639). First published as 'Parsifal' in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(r) **'Hachmann's Polaris'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' (s) × 'Omega' H: H. Hachmann (1963), G: H. Hachmann (1968), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1978), REG: G. Stück (1983) Fls 18-20/truss, 45-50 × 50-60mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish pink (67D) at edges, merging into light purplish pink (68D) to very pale purple (73D), and marked strong yellow-green (144A-C); midvein outside deep purplish pink (67C). Calyx 3mm long, light yellow-green (145C-D). Lvs elliptic-ovate, 100-120 × 50mm, strongly hairy. Shrub up to 1.0m. Syn: 'Polaris'

(r) **'Hachmann's Porzellan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs J.G. Millais' (s) × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: H. Hachmann (1970), G: H. Hachmann (1975), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1982), REG: G. Stück (1984) Fls 15-17/truss, 35-45 × 50-65mm, 5-lobed, yellowish white (155D), conspicuously blotched strong greenish yellow (151A(-B)). Calyx 2mm long, light yellow-green (145B). Lvs elliptic-ovate, 105-130 × 43-52mm, dark green above, with a dark reddish brown indumentum below. Syn: 'Porzellan'

(r) **'Hachmann's Priscilla'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Rotkäppchen' (s) × 'Schlaraffia' H: H. Hachmann (1988), G: H. Hachmann (1994), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 8-9/rounded but rather loose truss, broadly open funnel-campanulate, 40-45 × 60mm, with 5 strongly wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53D), midveins paler to almost white, outside strong red (53C) and more-or-less unicoloured; dorsal lobe with strong yellow-green (144A/B) markings on a whitish ground; stamens 10, filaments pale purplish pink (56D) above, light purplish pink (55C) at base; style whitish, stigma strong orange-yellow (22A); ovary densely white hairy. Calyx c1mm long, greenish. Lvs broadly elliptic, 80-110 × 32-45mm, strongly convex with recurved margins, obtuse at apex, cuneate to rounded at base, glossy dark green above, with a thin, mid brown indumentum below when mature. Shrub 0.6 × 0.9m in 10 years. Late April-mid May. Syn: 'Priscilla' (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030640). First published as 'Priscilla' in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(r) **'Hachmann's Rimini'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goldbukett' (s) × 'Nippon' H: H. Hachmann (1983), G: H. Hachmann (1988), N: H. Hachmann (1991), I: H. Hachmann (1993), REG: G. Stück (1994) Fls 8-10/fairly compact, ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 34-45 × 57mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside light yellow-green/pale greenish yellow (2C/D), tinged pale purplish pink (56B/C) at edges and with brilliant greenish yellow (2B) on dorsal lobe; outside similarly coloured, though lacking 2B tinges. Lvs ovate, 50-65 × 35-40mm, flat, slightly glossy and dark green above, light green and with a thin, brownish indumentum below, cuneate at base, apiculate at apex. Shrub 0.9 × 1.1m in 10 years. Early-late May

(a) **'Hachmann's Rokoko'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Rubinstern' × ('Red Pimpernel' × 'Kermesinum') × 'Johanna' H: H. Hachmann (1976), G: H. Hachmann (1979), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1987), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls double, 3-7/truss, 30 × 42-50mm, with 8 outer, broad, recurved lobes and 4-6 smaller, petaloid stamens which are crisped and twisted, strong purplish red (58C), with inconspicuous darker marking. Calyx 2mm long, strong yellow-green (144B), silvery hairy. Lvs ovate, 25-30 × 12-16mm, dark green and glossy above; purple-bronze-coloured in winter; hairless. Shrub 0.35 × 0.7m in 10 years, very slow-growing, of compact habit. Late May-early June. Syn: 'Rokoko'

(r) **'Hachmann's Rosabella'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Donar' × 'Furnivall's Daughter' H: H. Hachmann (1973), G: H. Hachmann (1978), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1987), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 15-18/tight truss, funnel-shaped, 35-40 × 45-55 (-65)mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (64C), lobes strong purplish red (64B), becoming light red to nearly white in throat, dorsal lobe with strong yellow-green (144A-B) markings on a light-coloured ground; outside 64C; conspicuous pale yellow anthers. Calyx 1-1.5mm long, strong yellow-green (144B-C), slightly edged red. Lvs elliptic-ovate, 95-135 × 40-55mm, acute at apex, rounded-oblique at base, flat,

mid-dark green and glossy above, veins and petioles yellowish green, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.2m in 10 years, of compact habit. Late May-mid June. Syn: 'Rosabella'

(a) **'Hachmann's Rosalind'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kermesinum' (s) × 'Jeanette' H: H. Hachmann (1961), G: H. Hachmann (1964), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1975), REG: G. Stück (1983) Fls 3-5/truss, 25-30 × 30-45mm, 5-lobed, deep purplish pink (55A), marked strong purplish red (60C). Calyx 4-5mm long, strong yellow-green (144C). Lvs 23-33 × 13-19mm. Syn: 'Rosalind'

(r) **'Hachmann's Rosarka'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *insigne* (s) × 'Spitfire' H: H. Hachmann (1963), G: H. Hachmann (1969), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1983), REG: G. Stück (1984) Fls 15-17/truss, 40-45 × 55-60mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (63A) shading inwards to strong purplish red to light purplish pink (63B-D), marked dark red (187A-B). Calyx 2-3mm long, greenish red. Lvs elliptic, 103-116 × 43-47mm, mid green above, hairless. Syn: 'Rosarka'

(r) **'Hachmann's Rosenelfe'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: H. Hachmann (1970), G: H. Hachmann (1975), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1987), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 9-11(-14)/truss, funnel-campanulate, 40-45 × 60-65mm, 5-lobed, buds strong purplish red (60D), opening deep purplish pink (61D), shading at base to pale purplish pink (62D); outside deep purplish pink (61D) (to strong or moderate purplish pink (62A-B)); dorsal lobe blotched white. Calyx 1-1.5mm long, brilliant yellow-green (154C). Lvs elliptic, 105-145 × 36-50mm, margins recurved, mucronate at apex, cuneate-oblique at base, dark green and slightly glossy above, with a light brown indumentum below; petioles yellowish green. Shrub 0.6 × 1.1m in 10 years, of compact habit. Mid May-early June. Syn: 'Rosenelfe'

(r) **'Hachmann's Rosina'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Roseum Elegans' (s) × *forrestii* H: H. Hachmann (1988), G: H. Hachmann (1994), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 4-7/flat, lax truss, tubular-campanulate, 42 × 50-55mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged, recurved lobes, inside strong purplish red (60C/D), centre of lobes and throat a bit paler, outside strong purplish red (60C/D); inconspicuous reddish spots on dorsal lobe. Calyx c1mm long, reddish. Lvs elliptic to ovate, 55-70 × 28-40mm, margins slightly recurved, apiculate at apex, rounded to cuneate at base, glossy mid green above, hairless; new shoots and petioles rose. Flat, creeping shrub, 0.2 × 0.3m in 10 years. Mid April-early May. Syn: 'Rosina' (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030641). First published as 'Rosina' in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(r) **'Hachmann's Rosita'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kokardia' (s) × 'Mars' × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: H. Hachmann (1969), G: H. Hachmann (1974), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1982), REG: G. Stück (1983) Fls 8-9/truss, 40-45 × 50-55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (68A) on edges, merging into strong purplish pink (68B) and pale purplish pink (65D); outside deep to strong purplish pink (68A-B), marked strong to light yellow-green (145A-B). Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 80-120 × 45-55mm, hairy. Shrub up to 2.0m

(r) **'Hachmann's Sabrina'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* × 'Alice Street' × 'Omega' × *wardii* H: H. Hachmann (1969), G: H. Hachmann (1975), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1987), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 9-13/truss, open funnel-shaped, 35-40 × 55-75mm, 5-lobed, pale yellowish pink (36D), lobes tinted light yellowish pink (36B-C), the dorsal lobe spotted deep red (60A) on a pale greenish yellow (9D) ground, veins outside tinted 36B-C. Calyx 2-3mm long, light green/reddish. Lvs elliptic-ovate, 80-90 × 35-40mm, flat, acute at apex, rounded at base, light green and glossy above; petioles c20mm long, yellowish green. Shrub 0.8 × 1.2m in 10 years, of compact, rounded habit. Mid May-early June. Syn: 'Sabrina'

(a) **'Hachmann's Satomi'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Saint Ruan' × 'Cecile' × 'Sylphides' H: H. Hachmann (1976), G: H. Hachmann (1981), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1990), REG: G. Stück (1991) Fls single, 7-9/truss, 50-55 × 75-85mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, ground colour white, variously marked or suffused purplish pink (56A-B to 65A-B & 67C-D), dorsal lobe with a warty blotch of strong orange-yellow (to light yellow)(17A(-D)); filaments very long, silvery white, anthers strong orange (26A); style strong pink (48D), stigma strong yellow-green (144A). Calyx 2-3mm long, light green, silvery hairy. Lvs broadly elliptic to ovate, 75-90 × 35mm, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.2m in 10 years, of erect habit. Mid-late May

(a) **'Hachmann's Stefanie'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Schneegold' (s) × 'Balzac' H: H. Hachmann (1985), G: H. Hachmann (1990), N: H. Hachmann (1991), I: H. Hachmann (1998), REG: G. Stück (1999) Fls single, 9-10/dense truss, long tubular funnel-shaped, 60-70 × 75-90mm, with narrowly but strongly wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (55C) inside and out, slightly tinged pale purplish pink (55D), veins inside and out tinged deep purplish pink (55A); dorsal lobe with a large, conspicuous, vivid yellowish orange/strong orange (30C/D) blotch which is divided at apex; stamens 5, filaments light purplish pink (65B), anthers brownish orange/moderate orange-yellow (164A/B); style strong purplish pink (62A), stigma moderate yellowish green (138A). Calyx 2-3mm long, green, with silvery hairs. Shrub 0.7 × 1.2m in 10 years. Late May-mid June. Syn: 'Stefanie' (First published as 'Stefanie' in Hachmann cat., 1998-2000 (1998), plus colour photograph)

(a) **'Hachmann's Sunny Boy'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Betty Kelly' × 'Feuerwerk' (s) × 'Salmon Queen' H: H. Hachmann (1986), G: H. Hachmann (1992), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 8-14/rather lax truss, broadly tubu-

lar funnel-shaped, 50-55 × 70-85mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged, recurved lobes, inside vivid reddish orange (33B), edges particularly suffused strong reddish orange (42B), outside similarly coloured; dorsal lobe blotched strong orange (25A/B), although markings can be absent; stamens 5, occasionally petaloid and resulting in a second irregular corolla within the normal one (the lobes 10-35 × 5-15mm), normal filaments 40mm long, light orange-yellow (22D), anthers strong orange-yellow (22A); style 44mm long, light greenish yellow (4C), stigma moderate yellowish green (138A); ovary silvery hairy. Calyx 1-2mm long, greenish, silvery hairy. Pedicels reddish green, silvery hairy. Lvs elliptic to ovate, 70-85 × 25-30mm, margins slightly recurved, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, slightly glossy above, hairy; young lvs purple bronze. Shrub 0.9 × 1.1m in 10 years. Late May-early June. Syn: 'Sunny Boy' (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030642). First published as 'Sunny Boy' in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(r) **'Hachmann's Topsi'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' (s) × *forrestii* H: H. Hachmann (1986), G: H. Hachmann (1992), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 2-3(-6)/rather loose truss, funnel-campanulate, 45 × 50mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (61D) throughout, with inconspicuous strong red (53B/C) dorsal spots; stamens 10, filaments rosy white, anthers greyish brown (166A); style pale yellowish pink (27C), stigma strong red (46A). Calyx c1mm long, light reddish/green. Lvs obovate to ovate, 25-60 × 15-30mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, slightly glossy above, hairless. Shrub 0.15 × 0.35m in 15 years. Mid April-early May. Syn: 'Topsi' (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030643). First published as 'Topsi' in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(r) **'Hachmann's Violetta'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *russatum* (s) × *impeditum* H: H. Hachmann (1963), G: H. Hachmann (1966), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1977), REG: G. Stück (1983) Fls 13-22/shoot, 25-30mm wide, funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, brilliant violet (86D). Lvs 40-43 × 13mm, scaly. Shrub up to 1.0m. Syn: 'Violetta'

(r) **'Had'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: F4 selection from 'Newport' H: W.E. Delp (1952), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 23/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 45 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purple (83D, 84A) to light purple (84B, C) in bud, opening to a blend of strong, light and very pale purple (84A-D) with a white flare and sparse moderate yellow-green (146D) dorsal spots; filaments and style very pale purple (84D); anthers light purple (87D) and white; stigma dark reddish orange (172B). Lvs 90 × 40mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.3 × 1.2m in 40 years. Early June. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer (1992))

(a) **'Had-ho-sato'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft lilac pink, with rather paler anthers and a large calyx. (Probably the same plant listed as 'Haru-no-sato')

(a) **'Had-no-sato'** (Syn. of 'Haru-no-sato')

(r) **Haemank Group** (Syn. of Hiraethlyn Group)

(r) **Haembarb Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *barbatum* × *oreodoxa* var. *oreodoxa* R: E.J.P. Magor (1915), N: E.J.P. Magor, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose pink, with 3 crimson blotches at base

(a) **'Haerens Alba'** (Syn. of 'Madame Auguste Haerens Alba')

(a) **'Haerens Beauty'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1967) (Used as a parent of 'Antonín Dvořák')

(a) **'Haerens Feu'** (Syn. of 'Princess Margaretha')

(a) **'Haerensianum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Mademoiselle Louise Cuvelier' I: Gebr Haerens (1898), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, strong pink (48D), sometimes striped deep pink (48A), edged white; otherwise similar to parent. Midseason. Indian

(a) **'Haerensianum Album'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Mademoiselle Louise Cuvelier' I: Haerens & Wille (1921), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pure white; otherwise similar to parent. Indian

(a) **'Haerensianum Roseum Plenum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1913), INC: ICRA (1958) Resembles 'Haerensianum' but the colour is a softer rose. Indian

(a) **'Haerensianum Rubrum'** (Syn. of 'Robert de Schrijver')

(a) **'Haerens Lorraine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Charles Encke' × 'Hexe' I: A. Haerens (1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose (with an average of 5 stamens), vivid purplish red (57D). Calyx coloured as corolla. Late. Syn: 'Lorraine'. Indian

(a) **'Haerens Lorraine Grandi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Haerens Lorraine' I: A. Haerens (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, red; shaped like 'Hexe'. Indian

(a) **'Haerens Ruber'** (Syn. of 'Princess Margaretha')

(a) **'Haerens Saumoneus'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Elfrida Haerens' I: A. Haerens (1923), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Haerens Saumoneus'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Madame Auguste Haerens' I: W. Haerens (1944), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep pink (47D), with fading light pink (50D) edges; otherwise similar to 'Avenir'. Syn: 'California Sunset'. Indian (Perhaps the same as the last entry, the 1923 A. Haerens introduction)

(a) **'Haerens Superbus'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Vervaeneanum' I: A. Haerens (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light salmon (a little deeper coloured than 'Pink Pearl'). Indian (Perhaps identical to 'Bier's Glorie')

(a) **'Haerewille'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1907), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, 4-5/truss, pure white. Indian

(a) **'Haerewille'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1911), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white, sometimes with stripes. Indian

(a) **'Haerewille Albus'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1910), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 4-5/truss, pure white. Indian

(a) **'Haerewille Panaché'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1929), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, with less wavy-edged lobes, pale salmon. Indian

(a) **'Haerewille Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1929), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, orange. Indian

(a) **'Haerewille Pink Pearl'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport in the series derived from 'Vervaeneanum' I: Haerens & Wille (1913), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink to almost white, with frilly-edged lobes. Syn: 'Pink Pearl'. Indian

(a) **'Haerewille Rood'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1929), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, red. Indian

(a) **'Hager White'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Aikoku' (white form) × 'Leprechaun' R: D. Hager (pre 1984), N: D. Hager Fls single, 95mm wide, pure white. Lvs dark glossy green. Spreading shrub up to 0.4-0.6m

(a) **'Hagoromo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c30mm wide, light red. Lvs small. Satsuki

(a) **'Hagoromo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1920), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light pink. Kurume

(a) **'Hagoromo-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Gekkeikan' × 'Sangosai' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 40-50mm wide, with pointed, well-spaced lobes, pale yellowish pink in the centre, edged deep reddish orange; some selfs. Satsuki

(a) **'Hagoromo-no-mai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65-75mm wide, 6-lobed, some lobes wavy-edged, white, flushed pink, with purple spots and markings. Satsuki

(a) **'Hahaguruma'** (An error for 'Hana-guruma')

(a) **'Hahn's Red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Louis Hahn & Sons (pre 1965) Fls 50mm wide, bright red. Compact, low-growing shrub. Kurume

(r) **'Haida Gold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* × Goldfort Group H: Bovee & Mayo Rare Seed Co. (1961), G: R.C. Rhodes (1968), N: R.C. Rhodes, I: Clay's Nurseries (1983), REG: R.C. Rhodes (1985) Fls 10/truss, open funnel-shaped, 30-50 × 80-100mm, 7-lobed, light greenish yellow (3D), with a light yellow-green throat. Lvs 100 × 40mm, hairless. Shrub under 2.0m in 24 years

(a) **'Haisai'** (Syn. of 'Issho-no-haru')

(a) **'Hakatahako'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 50-70mm wide, the three dorsal lobes overlapping, white, with a faint yellow-green blotch. Satsuki

(a) **'Hakatajiro'** (Syn. of 'Hakata-shiro')

(a) **'Hakata-kurenai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c60mm wide, with rounded lobes, deep crimson. Satsuki

(a) **'Hakata-no-shiro'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Hakata-shiro'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *indicum* L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 50-65mm wide, white, with yellowish green markings in the throat. Low-growing shrub. Satsuki (Sometimes spelt 'Hakatajiro'; still in cultivation)

(a) **'Hakkei'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Kurume hybrid × *scabrum* I: K. Wada (pre 1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon. Kurume (Scabrume Group)

(a) **'Hakko'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Nikko' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 40mm wide, with long-pointed, well-spaced lobes, white, with a slight greenish throat. Satsuki

(a) **'Haku-botan'** (Syn. of 'Shiro-man'e')

(a) **'Hakuho'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hakurei' × 'Chiyo-no-hikari' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 40mm wide, with well-spaced, pointed lobes, white, with a faint green centre; prominent white stamens and pistil. Satsuki

(a) **'Haku-oden'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls wheel-shaped, with 7-14 lobes, greenish white, with red spots and markings. Satsuki

(a) **'Hakuo-nishiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1978), N: Japan Fls hose-in-hose, up to 45mm wide, yellowish white, with dark red (10RP 4/12-10RP 3/10) stripes. Kurume

(a) **'Hakurei'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kozan' × 'Osakazuki' R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls star-shaped, with narrow, pointed lobes, 40-50mm wide, white. Satsuki (Grown especially for bonsai)

(a) **'Hakusen-no-mai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Miyuki-nishiki' × 'Hakata-shiro' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls semi-double, 65-75mm wide, inner lobes strap-like,

outer rounded, white, with a pale green centre. Spreading habit. Satsuki

(a) **'Hakushin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Matsukagami' R: Japan (1987), N: Japan Fls with rounded lobes, 50-65mm wide, white to pale pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Hakutsura'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* L: Miyami-en Nursery (1976) Fls 25-27mm wide, white

(a) **'Hakutsuru'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls with well-spaced, pointed lobes with serrated margins, 50mm wide, white. Satsuki

(r) **'Hal Bruce'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter, G: Winterthur Museum and Gardens, N: Winterthur Museum and Gardens, I: Winterthur Museum and Gardens, REG: Winterthur Museum and Gardens (1987) Fls 7-10/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 80mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53D) in bud, opening pale yellow (18D), shading to light yellow (15D) in throat, edges of lobes suffused deep purplish pink (58D) and blotch brownish; slightly scented. Calyx 3-5mm long, green, suffused red at tips of lobes. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 55mm, convex, obtuse at apex, oblique at base, hairless. Expanding bud scales strong red (53B). Shrub 2.4 × 1.5m in 25 years. Early-mid May. Syn: 'Winterthur 18'

(r) **'Halcyon'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy lilac

(r) **Halcyone Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *souliei* (s) × Lady Bessborough Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a lax, flat-topped truss, wide open, cup-shaped, a delicate but lively pink (*fide The Rothschild Rhododendrons*, Phillips & Barber, 1979). April-May

(r) **'Halesite'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a subsect. *Fortunea* hybrid H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: J. Parker, N: P.D. Vossberg, I: Westbury Rose Co. (c 1960), REG: Scott Arboretum (1983) Fls 8/truss, 50 × 75mm, broadly funnel-campanulate, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (7.5RP 5/12), with two purplish red (10RP 3/10) rays in the throat and a small area of strong purplish red (10RP 4/12) in the heart of the flower. Calyx 20mm long, bright yellow-green, lobes near white with a suggestion of rose. Lvs elliptic, oblanceolate to narrowly obovate, 110-125 × 40-70mm, moderate yellow-green (5GY 5/6) above, with scattered, tan to colourless, woolly hairs below. Shrub 2.2m in 18 years

(r) **'Halesite Maiden'** cv. Parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1930), G: C.O. Dexter (c 1935), N: Mrs H.C. Schlaikjer, I: Mrs H.C. Schlaikjer (1973), REG: Mrs H.C. Schlaikjer (1974) Fls up to 12/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (57C); scented. Calyx 7mm long, also 57C. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 70mm, moderate olive green (146A), hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 10 years. Late May

(r) **'Half and Half'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Whitney, I: G. & Mrs A. Sather (pre 1980)

(r) **'Halfdan Lem'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague' (s) × 'Red Loderi' H: H. Lem, G: H. Lem (1967), N: Mrs A. Lem, I: Seattle Chapter, American Rhododendron Society (1972), REG: L.J. Pierce (1974) Fls 11-13/large, tight, conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53B) with darker spots on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 10mm long, pink. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 175-200 × 65-75mm, deep glossy green. Shrub up to at least 2.0m. Early May

(r) **'Half Penny'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anna' × Margaret Dunn Group R: D.W. James, N: D.W. James (1959), I: D.W. James, REG: D.W. James (1961) Fls 12-14/erect truss, broadly campanulate, pink in bud, opening to pale yellow-green (4D), with large, dark red (59A) blotches around entire centre of corolla. Lvs 200 × 65mm wide. Shrub to 2.0m, compact. June

(r) **'Halibut Hal'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' (s) × 'Van Nes Sensation' H: M. Stockman (1990), G: M. & H. Stockman (1997), N: M. & H. Stockman (1999), REG: M. & H. Stockman (2000) Fls 10-15/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, close to pale greenish yellow (13D) in bud, opening inside white, tinged pale greenish yellow (10D) in the centre; outside light yellow (10B/C). Calyx c15mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs oblong, 100 × 50mm, broadly acute at apex, cordate at base, margins wavy and downcurved, semi-glossy and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.4m in 10 years. Early May

(r) **Hallali Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *venator* (s) × *sanguineum* subsp. *sanguineum* var. *haemaleum* R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, I: C. Ingram (1945), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Hallali'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *venator* (s) × *sanguineum* subsp. *sanguineum* var. *haemaleum* R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, I: C. Ingram (1979), REG: C. Ingram (1981) Fls 4-7/truss (in terminal, many-flowered compound umbels), broadly funnel-campanulate, up to 37 × 50mm, 5-lobed, deep red (53A), with darker spotting in dorsal throat. Calyx lobes irregular, up to 4mm long, green, densely hairy. Lvs elliptic, dull green above, lightly grey-felted below. PC 1979 (Hallali Group)

(r) **'Hallelujah'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague' × 'Kimberly' H: H.E. Greer (1958), G: H.E. Greer (1963), N: H.E. Greer, I: H.E. Greer (1965), REG: H.E. Greer (1976) Fls 10-13/ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 65 × 100mm, 5-lobed, claret rose (2.5R 5/10). Calyx 3mm long, reddish. Lvs narrowly obovate, 115 × 55mm, deep green, strongly recurved, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.1m in 10 years. Early May

(a) **'Hall's Red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: listed as a *kaempferi* selection L: UK (1988)

(r) **'Halma'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Firma Seidel (1918), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light violet, with a white throat and green spots

(a) **'Halo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L.L. Brooks (pre 1965), N: L.L. Brooks Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, pink. Indian

(a) **'Halo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Linda Jean' × 'Springtime' (Kurume) H: W.L. Guttormsen (1975), G: W.L. Guttormsen (1979), N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen (c 1983), REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1985) Fls 2-3/truss, hose-in-hose (5+5-lobed), open funnel-shaped, 45 × 65mm, white, with a pale yellow throat and slight dorsal spotting. Calyx 45mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs broadly elliptic, 22-40 × 17-25mm, more-or-less moderate olive green (146A) above, glossy, hairy. Shrub c0.3 × 0.5m in 6 years

(v) **'Haloed Gold'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *christianae* × 'Tropic Glow' H: O.S. Blumhardt (1981), G: O.S. Blumhardt (1985), N: O.S. Blumhardt, I: Koromiko Nurseries (1988), REG: O.S. Blumhardt (1990) Fls 5-7/truss, 60 × 60mm, 5-lobed, vivid yellow (15B) with a thin edge of vivid reddish orange (32A); anthers dark brown. Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 85 × 50mm. Shrub to 2.0m. Flowering several times a year

(r) **'Halolight'** cv. Parentage unknown R: D.L. Hardgrove (c 1958), N: D.L. Hardgrove

(r) **'Halopeanum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* (s) × *maximum* R: F. Halopé (pre 1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls slightly blushed at first, changing to pure white. AM 1906 Syn: 'White Pearl'

(r) **'Hal-Pal'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Arthur Bedford' (s) × 'Purple Splendour' H: M. Stockman (1968), G: H. & M. Stockman (1978), N: H. & M. Stockman, I: H. & M. Stockman (1992), REG: H. & M. Stockman (1992) Fls 22/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 51 × 89mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, very pale purple (69A, B) with a moderate purplish red (184C) blotch on the dorsal lobe which is heavily spotted dark red (187A); stamens 10, curved, unequal. Calyx 6mm long, cream. Pedicels 51mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 133 × 54mm, flat, cuspidate at apex, cuneate at base, bullate and dark glossy green above, hairless; petioles 13mm long, light green. Shrub 2.1 × 2.0m in 24 years. Mid May

(r) **'Halton'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *lacteum* (s) × Naomi Group R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1967), REG: E. de Rothschild (1967) Fls 13-16/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 75mm, light yellow-green (150D). Calyx rudimentary. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 70mm, hairless. AM 1967

(a) **'Hamachidori'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: K. Wada (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, bright purple-red, unspotted. Dwarf shrub. (Probably the same plant also listed as 'Hanachidori')

(r) **Hamardor Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *haematodes* (s) × 'Dorothea' I: Marquess of Headfort (1940), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Hamilcar'** (See note under 'Amilcar')

(r) **'Hamish Robertson'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *nuttallii* × (*dalhousiae* × *lindleyi*) (s) × *dalhousiae* H: unknown (c 1988), G: R.H. Robertson (1996), N: R.H. Robertson, REG: R.H. Robertson (1999) Fls 3-5/truss, funnel-campanulate, with 5 wavy-edged, reflexed lobes, 100-110 × 100-120mm, white, faintly striped pink, with a large yellow blotch at the base; stamens 10. Lvs elliptic, 170-180 × 70-80mm, cuneate at base, margins decurved, bullate above and with a conspicuous network of veins and very small, brown scales below; new growth purple. Shrub to 1.8m tall in 10 years. Mid May

(a) **'Hamlet'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *japonicum* × *molle* subsp. *molle* I: M. Koster & Sons (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, deep salmon orange, with a dark red blotch. Midseason. *AM 1936. Mollis

(r) **'Hamlet'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1881), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple, richly spotted

(r) **'Hamma Hamma'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group × unknown H: R.W. Clark (c 1958), G: R.W. Clark, N: R.W. Clark, I: R.W. Clark, REG: R.W. Clark (1979) Fls up to 18/truss, 70mm wide, strong red (53B), with heavy, black, dorsal spotting. Lvs 125 × 45mm. Shrub to 2.0m

(r) **'Hammondii'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: probably *ferrugineum* × *minus* R: unknown (pre 1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 8-10/compact racemose truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 20 × 25mm, rosy pink; stamens 10, filaments white, hairy at base; style pink, hairy at base. Calyx lobes very small, sometimes coarsly ciliate. Lvs narrowly ovate, 40 × 14mm, dark green above, with dark brown scales below. Dwarf shrub. Syn: 'Tenellum'

(r) **Hampreston Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *glaucophyllum* (s) × *russatum* R: W.J. Marchant (c 1937), N: W.J. Marchant, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls like *glaucophyllum* but much larger, crimson purple in bud, opening to rose purple. Lvs like *russatum*. Shrub c45cm high

(r) **'Hampshire Belle'** cv. Parentage unknown G: E.W. George (c 1984), N: E.W. George, REG: The Sir Harold Hillier Gardens and Arboretum (1990) Fls 8-11/truss, 38 × 40mm, 5-lobed, close to deep purplish pink (73A) at margins, shading to nearly white in centre of lobes and with a conspicuous flare of red blotches on dorsal lobe and adjacent halves of lateral lobes; deeper coloured streaks on back of the lobes. Calyx 1mm long, purplish red, with pale brown stellate hairs and glandular hairs. Lvs linear, 80 × 9mm. Very dense, upright shrub. May. (Seedling found c1973 by E.W. George)

(a) **'Hampton Beauty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Pericat, N: Le-Mac Nurseries, I: Le-Mac Nurseries (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 40 × 50mm, carmine rose (621/1), with a blotch of darker spots. Calyx partially petaloid. Dense, spreading shrub. Midseason. Pericat

(a) **'Hampton Rose'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Pericat, N: Le-Mac Nurseries, I: Le-Mac Nurseries (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 20 × 30-40mm, with wavy-edged lobes, rose bengal (25/1), with a paler throat. Lvs small. Compact, low-growing shrub. Early. Pericat

(a) **'Hana-aka'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* R: Japan (pre 1985), N: Japan Fls pink

(a) **'Hana-asobi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1918), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 20-25mm wide, deep purplish pink (58D), with white anthers. Syn: 'Sultan'; Wilson no.50. Kurume

(a) **'Hanabi'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Chelsea Reach' (s) × 'Golden Eagle' H: I. Kunio (1980), G: I. Kunio (1988), N: I. Kunio (1996), REG: I. Kunio (1996) Fls hose-in-hose, 10-15/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 55mm, 5+5-lobed, lobe margins wavy, buds yellow, opening golden yellow inside and out, with a yellow blotch on dorsal lobe. Calyx 5mm long, light yellow (160B). Lvs oblanceolate, 100 × 50mm, margins decurved, hairy at first (hairs white at first, changing to brown). Shrub 2.0 × 1.0m in 15 years

(a) **'Hanachidori'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *eriocarpum* (s) × *kaempferi* I: K. Wada, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls reddish purple. Wada (Probably the same plant also listed as 'Hamachidori')

(a) **'Hana-fubuki'** (Syn. of 'Chinsai')

(a) **'Hanagasa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very deep crimson, with 10 long, narrow lobes. Satsuki

(a) **'Hana-gatami'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, white, variously marked with red, light red and persimmon orange; white, red and light red selfs also produced. Satsuki

(a) **'Hana-guruma'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *stenopetalum* L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, very deeply 5-lobed, the lobes narrow and 25-40mm long, rose purple, with purple dappled throat; stamens usually shorter than lobes. Syn: 'Oyeyama'

(r) **'Hanahubuki'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan

(a) **'Hanaikada'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1920), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cherry pink. Kurume

(a) **'Hana-kagami'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, light persimmon orange, variously striped and streaked red; light red selfs also produced. Satsuki

(a) **'Hana-kazura'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, white, streaked with red; outer corolla whorl much shorter than main inner one. Satsuki

(a) **'Hanako'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from Aronense Group R: W. Arends (pre 1960) Fls hose-in-hose, lilac. Syn: 'Geisha Lilarosa' (Aronense Group)

(a) **'Hanamoyo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls with wavy-edged lobes, white, striped and sectored purplish red. Satsuki

(r) **'Hanano-ego'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from a cross between two wild origin *yakushimanum* R: D.G. Hobbie (pre 1984), N: D.G. Hobbie Fls rose. Lvs c100mm long, dark green, grey hairy below. Young growth silvery hairy. Shrub up to 1.0m

(a) **'Hana-no-en'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, persimmon orange, streaked red; some orange or red selfs also produced. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Hana-no-kagami'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kozan' × 'Reigetsu' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50mm wide, white, variably flecked, striped and sectored reddish orange; sometimes reddish orange selfs; occasionally white-centred. Satsuki

(a) **'Hana-no-moto'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, white, marked with red streaks and orange and light red markings; white, red and light red selfs also produced. Foliage dense, purple streaked in winter. Satsuki

(a) **'Hana-no-seki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958). Kurume

(a) **'Hanazono'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kaho' × 'Kotobuki' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls white, striped and flecked purplish red

(a) **'Hanazoroe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, variously patterned with white, red and persimmon orange; white, red and light red selfs also produced. Syn: 'Kinshusan'. Satsuki

(r) **'Händel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Lindsay Smith' (s) × *campanulatum* hybrid H: M. Koster & Sons (1920), G: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 14-16/compact truss, broadly campanulate, 55 × 75-90mm, light yellow, flushed green, with green spots on the dorsal lobes. Calyx small. Lvs broadly elliptic, 100-150 × 50-75mm, dark green above. *AM 1937

(r) **'Handsome Ris'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ('Mrs J.G. Millais' × 'La Bar's White') no.1 selection × ('Mrs J.G. Millais' × 'La Bar's White') no. 10 selection H: W.F.

Fetterhoff (1977), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 18/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45 × 64mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, moderate, light and pale purplish pink (68C, D, 65D) in bud, opening white with strong yellow-green (144A) dorsal spots; filaments and style light yellow-green (145D); anthers light yellowish pink (159A); stigma moderate red (181B). Lvs 121 × 51mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.4m in 15 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer (1992))

(r) **'Handsworth Brilliant'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Fisher, Son & Sibray (pre 1931), N: Fisher, Son & Sibray, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright scarlet

(r) **'Handsworth Early Crimson'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Fisher, Son & Sibray (pre 1931), N: Fisher, Son & Sibray, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson

(r) **'Handsworth Early Red'** (Syn. of 'Handsworth Early Scarlet')

(r) **'Handsworth Early Scarlet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* hybrid R: Fisher, Son & Sibray (pre 1898), N: Fisher, Son & Sibray, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c16/hemispherical truss, broadly campanulate, 50 × 50-60mm, rosy scarlet, un-marked; nectaries blood red. Calyx lobes short, crimson. Lvs up to 140 × 45mm, thinly brown felted below. Shrub to 4.0m. Syn: 'Handsworth Early Red', 'Handsworth Red', 'Handsworth Scarlet'

(r) **'Handsworth Early White'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* hybrid R: Fisher, Son & Sibray (pre 1898), N: Fisher, Son & Sibray, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls opening blush pink, fading to white. Syn: 'Handsworth White'

(r) **'Handsworthianum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Fisher, Son & Sibray (1898), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy pink, with a white centre

(r) **'Handsworth Red'** (Syn. of 'Handsworth Early Scarlet')

(r) **'Handsworth Scarlet'** (Syn. of 'Handsworth Early Scarlet')

(r) **'Handsworth White'** (Syn. of 'Handsworth Early White')

(a) **'Hanejiro'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* R: Japan (pre 1985), N: Japan Fls white

(a) **'Hane-komachi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* L: Miyami-en Nursery (1976) Fls 20mm wide, pale reddish orange. Lvs very hairy, deep bronzy green

(a) **'Hane-otome'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* L: Miyami-en Nursery (1976) Fls 20mm wide, pale pink

(r) **'Hang Tough'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs T.H. Lowinsky' (s) × 'Stokes Bronze Wings' H: J. Looye, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls strong purplish red (78B) and light purple (78C) in bud, opening light purple (78C) and moderate purplish pink (78D), with a white flare and spots of moderate and brilliant yellow-green (148A, 149A) on the three dorsal lobes; filaments and style vivid reddish purple (74A); anthers pale greenish yellow (2D). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Hangup'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Masterblend' (s) × 'Marypat' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls deep red (60A) and strong purplish red (60B, C) in bud, opening light purplish pink (63D) edged strong purplish red (63B), with a light yellow (14D) and deep red (60A) throat; outside strong purplish red (63B) and strong purplish pink (63C). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Hanio-no-shion'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1988)

(a) **'Hanko'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from Aronense Group R: uncertain Fls lilac rose. (Probably raised by G. Arends, 1930s)

(r) **'Hank's Find'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *degronianum* subsp. *heptamerum* G: H.A. Schannen (c 1975), S: H.A. Schannen (c 1980), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (2001), I: Rare Find Nursery (1999), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (2001) Fls 12/domed truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 40 × 50mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (66C) in bud, opening moderate purplish pink (62B) throughout, inside fading to very pale purple (69) except at lobe tips; a small patch of tiny, light yellow (18A) spots in dorsal throat; stigma brilliant greenish yellow (6A). Lvs oblong, 115 × 40mm, with slightly wavy-edged margins, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (137B) above, with a dense, light tan indumentum below. Shrub 0.75 × 1.2m in 10 years. Late April-early May. (Seed collected on Oki Island, Japan by Dr T. Rokujo. Plant originally germinated and grown by J.F. Caperci and seedling purchased (1968/69) by H.A. Schannen)

(r) **'Hanky Panky'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Delp's Cindy Lou' (s) × 'Captain Jack' H: W.E. Delp (1984), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 20/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 58 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish red (71A) in bud, opening strong purplish red (71B-D); filaments and style strong purplish red (60C); anthers light yellow (163D); stigma dark red (187A). Lvs 127 × 60mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 8 years. Early June

(r) **'Hanna Felix'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: unknown (pre 1910), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a dense, rounded truss, strong reddish purple (2.5RP 5/14), with pronounced beetroot purple

markings (5RP 2.5/10) on a whitish ground. (A plant of this name has been cultivated at the Arnold Arboretum, USA since 1910. The correct spelling may be 'Hannah Felix')

(r) **'Hannah'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Rik' (s) × 'Rik' H: L. Yavorsky (c 1978), G: L. Yavorsky, N: L. Yavorsky, I: L. Yavorsky, REG: L. Yavorsky (1987) Fls 6-7/truss, 9 × 19mm, broadly funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, yellowish white (155D), irregularly edged deep purplish pink (66C); some flowers flushed light pink; pink colouration deepens slightly with age. Calyx under 1mm long, very pale yellow-green. Lvs elliptic to ovate, 25 × 12mm, scaly. Shrub 0.3 × 0.4m in c8 years, more dwarf than 'Rik'. Early May

(r) **'Hannah Hersey'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* × *fortunei* (Gable's clone C-11) × *campylocarpum* subsp. *campylocarpum* H: J.B. Gable (pre 1943), G: J.B. Gable, N: C. Gable, I: J.B. Gable, REG: Gable Study Group, USA (1991) Fls broadly funnel-shaped, pink, flushed coral, with 5 wavy-edged lobes. Shrub 1.8m tall, when mature. Mid May. Syn: 'Catfortcampy No.2'

(r) **'Hannah Joy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Spanish Lady' (s) × 'Redwax' H: M. Stockman (1984), G: M. & H. Stockman (1993), N: M. Stockman, I: M. & H. Stockman (1994), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1994) Fls 7/lax truss, campanulate, 75 × 75mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, strong red (53D), with a strong red (53B) centre; stamens 11, straight, unequal; style yellow. Calyx up to 25mm long, coloured as corolla. Pedicels 25mm long, brownish red above, light green below. Lvs oblanceolate, 76-102 × 25-38mm, convex, acute at apex, cordate at base, bullate, dull green and hairless above, with tan hairs below (as a thin, plastered indumentum when young, sparse with age); petioles 13mm long, brown. Shrub 0.75 × 0.75m in 9 years. Late May

(a) **'Hannah Kessler'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Eden Frank Preston' × 'Ella Grainger' R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith Fls hose-in-hose, 90mm wide, deep yellowish pink (47C), spotted vivid red (46C). Shrub 1.2m tall in 7 years

(r) **'Hanni'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light pink, with darker margins, a paler throat and purple markings

(r) **'Hannibal'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1867), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose

(a) **'Hanny'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Felix & Dijkhuis, N: Felix & Dijkhuis, I: Felix & Dijkhuis (c 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red. Vuykiana

(a) **'Hanny Felix'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Mrs J. Dijkhuis' (s) × a red, Mollis seedling R: Felix & Dijkhuis, N: Felix & Dijkhuis, I: Felix & Dijkhuis (c 1908), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10/large, but compact, domed truss, 55 × 50mm, funnel-shaped, carrot red (612/2); dorsal lobes tipped jasper red (018/1), the central lobe with a large, dark yellow blotch. Lvs 75 × 40mm, glossy mid green. Shrub c1.4m. *HC 1962, *AM 1963. Mollis

(a) **'Hano-komachi'** (Listed in USA 1985, probably an error for 'Hane-komachi')

(v) **'Hansa Bay'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* (s) × *zoelleri* 'Golden Gate' H: unknown, G: P. Schick (pre 1980), N: L. Sorenson-Smith, I: Bovees Nursery (1996), REG: L. Sorenson-Smith (1999) Fls 5-7/flattruss, tubular funnel-shaped, with 5 flat-edged, recurved lobes, 80 × 90mm, inside vivid yellow (16A), edged strong reddish orange (31B); outside vivid yellow (16A); flowers age to a soft golden colour. Calyx minute, pale yellow-green. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 50mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, flat, dull and moderate olive green (146A) above, scaly. Shrub 1.8 × 0.75m in 10 years. Flowering intermittently throughout the year. (First published in Bovees Nursery cat., 1996)

(r) **'Hans-André Schultz'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* hybrid H: V. vonMartin (1944), G: Botanischer Garten und Rhododendronpark, Bremen, N: Deutsche Rhododendron-Gesellschaft (1988), REG: J. Westhoff (2001) Fls 15-20/compact, domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 64 × 95mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (72D) in bud, opening inside light purple/very light purple (75B/C), outside light purple (75B) with strong purplish pink (73B) midribs; deep greenish yellow (153A) spots in the throat and at base of dorsal lobe. Calyx 2-4mm long, yellow-green. Lvs elliptic-oblanceolate, 60-150 × 20-55mm, margins flat, cuspidate at apex, shortly attenuate at base, glossy above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.0m in 10 years. Early-mid May. (First published in *Schmalscheidt Rhododendron- und Azaleenzüchtung in Deutschland*, part II, 1991)

(r) **'Hansel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *bureavii* × Fabia Group R: H. Lem (pre 1976), N: H. Lem Fls salmon orange. Lvs with a buff indumentum. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Hans-Georg Sander'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' (s) × 'Doncaster' H: A. Behrens (1976), G: A. Behrens (1983), N: M. Schaüfler (1994), I: A. Behrens (1989), REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1998) Fls 8-14/loose, rounded truss, open funnel-shaped, 40-48 × 40-70mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, bright red in bud, opening inside light pink with a paler centre, outside rosy red; slight green-yellow markings on dorsal lobe. Calyx 1-2mm long, greenish. Lvs oblong-elliptic, 62-157 × 16-46mm, flat or sometimes slightly twisted, acuminate at apex, narrowed at base, matt green above, with a light brown indumentum. Compact shrub, 0.8 × 1.0m in 17 years. Late May-early June

(a) **'Hanshiro'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* L: Miyami-en Nursery (1976) Fls 20-25mm wide, white

(r) **'Hans Robenek'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *trailianum* × *forrestii* Repens Group R: D.G. Hobbie (1952) Fls light pink, with very faint red spots. Lvs glossy green, with a persistent brownish indumentum below

(a) **'Hans Scholl'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Multiflorum' (s) × 'Vuyk's Scarlet' R: W. Nagel (1965), N: W. Nagel (1988), I: W. Nagel (1992), REG: ICRA (2000) Fls 1-3/truss, 35-50mm wide, purplish lilac to purple-red. Shrub 0.6 × 0.8m in c20 years. (First published in Schmalscheidt, *Rhododendron- und Azaleenzüchtung in Deutschland, II*, part II (1989))

(a) **'Hans Spemann'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Gibraltar' × 'Cecile' R: C. Fleischmann, N: C. Fleischmann, I: C. Fleischmann (1970) Fls reddish orange. Mid to late

(a) **'Happiness'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Madame Charles Vuylsteke' × 'Lambertus C. Bobbink' R: H. Kerrigan (pre 1987), N: H. Kerrigan Fls double, vivid red. (A semi-double, cerise-flowered cultivar with this name was in cultivation in Australia in 1984 and is probably the same plant)

(r) **'Happiness'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* seedling I: A.M. Dougall (1939), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **Happy Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pauline' (s) × *griffithianum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, with a darker blotch. May

(a) **'Happy Anniversary'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: I.C. Nichols, G: I.C. Nichols (1975), N: I.C. Nichols, I: I.C. Nichols, REG: I.C. Nichols (1986) Fls double (with two layers of petals), 2-3/truss, funnel-shaped, 25 × 75mm, light yellowish pink (38D). Lvs elliptic, 25 × 15mm. Shrub 2.0m. Indian

(a) **'Happy Birthday'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* × 'Blaauw's Pink' H: H. Van de Ven, G: H. Van de Ven (1966), N: H. Van de Ven, REG: H. Van de Ven (1971) Fls hose-in-hose, 65mm wide, moderate to pale purplish pink (62B-D), spotted on dorsal lobe. Shrub 0.6m.

(r) **'Happy Day'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lady Clementine Mitford' × Ladybird Group R: M.W. Lyons, N: M.W. Lyons, I: M.W. Lyons (1971), REG: M.W. Lyons (1971) Fls in a ball truss, near moderate purplish pink (62B). Lvs ovate, 200 × 55mm

(a) **'Happy Days'** (Syn. of 'Nuccio's Happy Days')

(a) **'Happy Face'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: I.L. Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L. Amann Fls 55mm wide, light purplish pink (63D), with heavy midveins and a strongly dotted blotch. Shrub to 2.2m, of very erect habit. Described as having a "pansy face" flower

(a) **'Happy Holiday'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Eri' R: H. Kerrigan (pre 1985), N: H. Kerrigan

(r) **'Happy Hour'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Betty Robertson' × 'Fred Rose' (s) × 'Marie Starks' H: J. Barlup (1985), G: J. Barlup (1989), N: J. Barlup, REG: J. Barlup (1995) Fls 18/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 65mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, light yellow-green (145C) throughout except for the dorsal lobe which is brilliant yellow-green (150C) with a strong red (46A), spotted flare; stamens 13, straight, unequal; stigma dark red (59A). Pedicels 25mm long, light yellow-green (145B). Lvs elliptic, 108 × 41mm, convex, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (147B) below, hairless; petioles 20mm long, moderate yellow-green (146B). Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 10 years. Mid April-early May.

(v) **'Happy Jubilee'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* × *zoelleri* (Irian Jaya form) (s) × *laetum* × *zoelleri* (Irian Jaya form) H: B. Clancy (1981), G: B. Clancy (1985), N: B. Clancy (1997), I: Vireya Valley Nursery (1997), REG: Vireya Valley Nursery (1997) Fls 5/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 33 × 80mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, light yellow (17D) diffusing to strong reddish orange (32B) on lobes in bud, opening inside strong orange-yellow (17A), diffusing to vivid reddish orange (32A) on lobes; outside vivid yellow (17B), diffusing to vivid reddish orange (32A) on lobes; unspotted; anthers black. Lvs elliptic, 85 × 37mm, margins upcurved, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, no scales apparent to the naked eye. Shrub 1.4 × 0.7m in 10 years. Spring-summer

(v) **'Happy Memories'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Arthur's Choice' (s) × *carringtoniae* H: B. Clancy (1988), G: B. Clancy (1992), N: B. Clancy (1999), I: Vireya Valley Nursery (1999), REG: G. Roelink (1999) Fls 10/open truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 52 × 58mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, pale yellowish pink (27D) in bud, opening inside pale yellowish pink (27D) in the tube, the lobes pale yellowish pink (27D) suffused with strong purplish pink (55B), outside similarly coloured; unmarked; strongly scented. Lvs elliptic to obovate, 80 × 45-63mm, obtuse at apex, truncate at base, flat, matt green above. Shrub 0.7 × 0.6m in 7 years. Autumn-spring.

(r) **'Happy Occasion'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Snow Queen Group × 'Crest' H: E. de Rothschild (pre 1970), G: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1980), REG: E. de Rothschild (1980) Fls 10-12/loose truss, broadly funnel-shaped, to 70 × 125mm, white suffused pale greenish yellow (1D), deepening to brilliant greenish yellow (1A) in the throat; stamens 12-16, irregular; style and stigma green. Calyx irregularly lobed, green, up to 6mm long. Lvs ovate-lanceolate, up to 185 × 90mm, dark glossy green above, paler and hairless below. Shrub to 2.0 × 2.0m. Mid May. AM 1985

(a) **'Happy Returns'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Higasa' (s) × 'Amagasa' H: M. Phillips (1999), G: M. Phillips (2001), N: M. Phillips (2001), REG: M. Phillips (2001) Fls solitary, single, very broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 100-c125mm, with 6 slightly wavy-edged lobes, pink to

salmon in bud, opening inside salmon pink with some white in the centre and with slight red blotches on dorsal lobes; outside vibrant salmon pink. Calyx 3mm long, green. Summer lvs elliptic, 13 × 6mm, margins downcurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and dark green above, with colourless hairs. Shrub 0.25 × 0.4m in 2 years. Mid-late May

(v) **'Happy Times'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* × *aurigeranum* (s) × *rubineiflorum* H: B. Clancy (1987), G: B. Clancy (1992), N: B. Clancy (1993), I: B. Clancy (1994), REG: B. Clancy (1994) Fls 3-4/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 20 × 36mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, strong red (41B) throughout. Lvs elliptic, 26 × 12mm, flat, matt green above, acute at apex, cuneate at base. Shrub 0.3 × 0.25m in 4 years; very dwarf and compact; floriferous. Autumn

(v) **'Happy Wanderer'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Orania' × 'Rosy Chimes' H: O.S. Blumhardt (1983), G: O.S. Blumhardt (1988), N: O.S. Blumhardt, I: Lyndale Nurseries, REG: O.S. Blumhardt (1991) Fls 5-6/truss, open campanulate, 30 × 45-50mm, 5-lobed, strong red (39A), shading to vivid reddish orange (33B) in centre of throat and in tube; filaments orange-red, anthers brown; stigma dark maroon. Calyx 1mm long, red. Pedicels 30mm long, dark red, scaly. Lvs obovate to elliptic, 40-60 × 20-40mm, scaly. Spreading habit. Repeat-flowering

(a) **'Harbinger'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ivory' (s) × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 75mm wide, rose (near strong purplish red (63B)), with a tyrian rose blotch, tinged yellow at base of tube. Shrub to 1.0m. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Harbinger'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink. Early. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Harbor Lights'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Elizabeth de Rothschild Group (s) × 'Karen Triplett' H: M. Tanggard (1986), G: B.J. Ogden (1998), N: B.J. Ogden (1999), REG: B.J. Ogden (1999) Fls few/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 85 × 122mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, pale yellow-green (157A) in bud, opening pale yellow-green (157B) inside and out, the dorsal lobes with green to brown spotting; anthers beige; stigma green. Lvs 176 × 72mm, flat, matt green, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Hardgrove Salmon'** (Syn. of 'For Pete's Sake')

(r) **'Hardgrove's Deepest Yellow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1990)

(r) **'Hardgrove's Royal Star'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Moser's Maroon' (s) × unknown H: D.L. Hardgrove (pre 1962), G: D.L. Hardgrove (pre 1962), N: D.L. Hardgrove (as 'Royal Star') (pre 1962), REG: A.R. Brooks (1997) Fls 16/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 55-65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish red (71A) shading to strong purplish red (72A) along midribs in bud, opening inside moderate purplish red (70A) with middle half of dorsal lobe densely spotted dark purple (79A), the spots merging to an almost solid blotch at midvein; outside deep purplish red (71A). Calyx c5mm long, with narrow, curving lobes, strong purplish red (71B). Lvs elliptic, 90-115 × 40-50mm, slightly decurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and between dark yellowish green (139A) and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 1.8m in 14 years. Early June. Syn: 'Royal Star' (Published as 'Royal Star' in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer (1992))

(r) **'Hardgrove's White'** cv. Parentage unknown H: D.L. Hardgrove (pre 1984)

(az) **'Hardijzer Beauty'** cv. Azaleodendron: *racemosum* (s) × Kurume azalea R: W. Hardijzer & Co., N: W. Hardijzer & Co., REG: W. Hardijzer & Co. (1964) Fls in a compact head, consisting of 5-8 lateral trusses (each 2-4-fld), funnel-shaped, 30mm long, fuchsine pink (627/2), with darker spots on the dorsal lobe; stamens 5-6. Lvs evergreen, 40-45 × 25mm, light to mid glossy green, tinged red. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years. *AM 1970

(a) **'Hardy Firefly'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Similar to 'Suetsumu' and 'Vesuvius'. Kurume

(a) **'Hardy Gardenia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Fischer A3' (s) × 'Hexe' × 'Vervaeneanum' H: G.A. Reid (1959), G: G.A. Reid, N: G.A. Reid, I: G.A. Reid (1971) Fls double, hose-in-hose, white, 70mm wide. Prostrate shrub, 0.35 × 0.75m in 8 years

(r) **'Hardy Giant'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × *rex* subsp. *fictolacteum* H: D.L. Hardgrove, G: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (1953), N: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg, I: Laurelwood Gardens (1966), REG: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (1966) Fls 14/conical truss, funnel-campanulate, up to 90mm wide, light yellow (10B), with a raspberry-coloured blotch. Lvs leathery, up to 225 × 75mm. Shrub 1.9 × 1.9m in 10 years. Mid May

(a) **'Hardy Hexe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Linda Jean' (s) × 'Hexe' H: W.L. Guttormsen (1975), G: W.L. Guttormsen (1979), N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen (c 1983), REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1985) Fls 2-3/truss, hose-in-hose (5+5-lobed), tubular funnel-shaped, 25 × 50mm, strong purplish red (58B), with darker red dorsal spotting. Calyx 40mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs more-or-less broadly elliptic to elliptic, 30-50 × 20-25mm, more-or-less moderate olive green (146A), glossy, hairy, slightly bullate. Shrub 0.5 × 0.45m in 6 years. Late May

(r) **'Hardy Madfort'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from Madfort Group H: J.B. Gable (c 1953)

(r) **'Hardy Splendour'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' (s) × 'Purpureum Grandiflorum' H: B. & M. Shapiro (1966), G: B. & M. Shapiro, N: B. &

M. Shapiro, REG: B. & M. Shapiro (1989) Fls 12-15/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 57-70mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, deep reddish purple (77A) shading to deep purplish red (71A) in throat, with dark purple (79A) spotting on lower portion of dorsal lobe; outside deep purplish red (71A); white anthers on deep purplish red (71A) filaments. Calyx 5mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 152 × 57mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green and hairless above. Shrub 0.9 × 1.6m in 20 years. Mid May. (First published in *J. Am.Rh.Soc.* 42 (2):64 (1988))

(a) **'Haresugata'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, with 5-6 widely spaced lobes, white, variably marked with large and small, purplish pink stripes; margins sometimes lightly coloured; sometimes with a white throat

(r) **'Harewoodii'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Hariet'** (Syn. of 'Harriet')

(v) **'Hari's Choice'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Triumphans' × *javanicum* × *leucogigas* G: R.M. Withers (1983), N: R.M. Withers, I: R.M. Withers (1986), REG: R.M. Withers (1987) Fls 17/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 80 × 65mm, strong red (50A), the lobes deep pink (52C). Calyx 40mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 190 × 90mm. Shrub 2.5m tall. (Possibly hybridized at Strybing Arboretum, USA)

(r) **'Harkwood Friendship'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (Exbury form) (s) × Fred Wynniatt Group H: R.J.R. Drayson (1979), G: Harkwood Acres (1984), N: R.J.R. & Mrs A.J.A. Drayson, I: Harkwood Acres (1994), REG: Harkwood Acres (1994) Fls 10-12/truss, open campanulate, 51 × 75mm, with 7 very wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53C) in bud, opening inside light yellowish pink (159A), tinged deep pink (51C) in lobe sinuses; outside deep pink (51B & C) to pale orange-yellow (159B) overlaid pale yellowish pink (159D); dorsal lobe spotted vivid reddish orange (34B); stigma brilliant yellow (13B). Calyx 18mm long, pale orange-yellow (159B). Lvs broadly ovate, 121 × 40mm, hairless, moderate olive green (146A-147A). Shrub 0.69 × 0.97m (1994). Early May-early June

(r) **'Harkwood Premiere'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Bud Flanagan' H: R.J.R. Drayson (1975), G: R.J.R. Drayson (1985), N: R.J.R. Drayson, REG: Harkwood Acres (1986) Fls 18-20/truss, 60 × 85mm, open campanulate, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, cerise in bud, opening lilac, fading to white, with a pronounced dark red (187A-C) dorsal blotch. Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs lanceolate, 150 × 40mm, with moderate orange-yellow (165C) indumentum on young leaves. Shrub 0.6 × 0.9m in 10 years. May

(r) **'Harkwood Supreme'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × Fabia Group H: R.J.R. Drayson (1976), G: Harkwood Acres (1983), N: Mrs A.J.A. Drayson, REG: R.J.R. & Mrs A.J.A. Drayson (1987) Fls 12-16/truss, tubular-campanulate, 51 × 64mm, 5-lobed, light greenish yellow (6D) in bud, opening pale yellow-green (4D), spotted vivid yellow (14B & 15B) on dorsal lobe. Lvs lanceolate, 76 × 22mm, moderate olive green to moderate yellow-green (137A & C) above, with a deep orange-yellow (163A) indumentum on mature leaves (moderate orange-yellow (164C) on young foliage). Compact shrub c0.52 × 1.02m in 11 years. Early May-early June

(a) **'Harlequin'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Harlequin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1862), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Exhibited by J. Ivery, 1862)

(a) **'Harlequin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Macranthum' hybrid R: Bobbink & Atkins, N: Bobbink & Atkins, I: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white, slightly flaked and striped light carmine. Indian

(a) **'Harlequin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × 'Cho-juraku' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 2-4/truss, 50mm wide, with overlapping lobes, white, flaked and striped with phlox purple (near strong reddish purple (78B)) . Shrub to 1.5m. Early-mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Harlequin'** (Syn. of 'Dexter's Harlequin')

(r) **'Harlequin'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet purple, with a white centre. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Harlequin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* (s) × *eudoxum* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Harmony'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Pericat, N: Le-Mac Nurseries, I: Le-Mac Nurseries (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 30 × 65mm, with an occasional petaloid stamen, fuchsine pink (627/1), with a few faint darker spots. Similar to 'Splendor'. Midseason. Pericat

(r) **Harmony Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Vega Group (s) × Loderi Group H: Lord Aberconway (1937), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink

(a) **'Harmony Mott'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lockington' seedling × unknown H: D.J. Dosser (c 1985), G: D.J. Dosser (1988), N: D.J. Dosser, I: Lockington Nursery (1989), REG: D.J. Dosser (1990) Fls 6/truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 70mm, 5-lobed, very pale purple (69B) with brown spots on dorsal lobe. Lvs oblanceolate, 30 × 10mm, hairless. Shrub 0.3m

(r) **'Harm's Azor'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1961) (Listed as a parent of 'Crimson Queen')

(r) **'Harnden's White'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Albatross Group (s) × Hawk Group H: H.E. Greer (1955), G: H.E. Greer (1960), N: H.E. Greer, I: H.E. Greer (1971), REG: H.E. Greer (1979) Fls up to 10/conical truss, open funnel-campanulate, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, 115mm wide, almost white but with a slight greenish yellow tinge. Lvs obovate to elliptic, 125 × 55mm, glossy. Shrub 1.8 × 1.2m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Harold Amateis'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* × *strigillosum* R: E. Amateis, I: W. & S. Baldsiefen, REG: W. & S. Baldsiefen (1967) Fls up to 20/truss, campanulate, up to 55mm wide, 5-lobed, cardinal red, with a deep maroon throat and a darker central spot. Lvs up to 150 × 40mm, strongly rugose, with a slight, fawn indumentum below. Shrub 1.0 × 1.2m in 14 years. Early May.

(a) **'Harold Epstein'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport (a witches' broom) on 'White Rosebud' S: P.M. Waldman (c 1987), N: P.M. Waldman (1994), I: Roslyn Nursery (1994), REG: A.E. Kehr (1997) Fls 2-3/flat truss, broadly funnel-shaped, fully double and hose-in-hose, 45 × 50mm, with 40 wavy-edged lobes, white throughout and unmarked. Lvs elliptic, 20 × 10mm, flat, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, glossy deep green above, hairless. Shrub 0.25 × 0.3m in 5 years. Late May. (First published in Roslyn Nursery cat., 1994)

(r) **'Harold Heal'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Cornish Cross Group × *wardii* (s) × 'Loderi King George' R: C. Ingram (pre 1955), N: C. Ingram, INC: ICRA (1958)

(v) **'Harold's Delight'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Pink Delight' (s) × *intranervatum* H: J.L. Rouse (1973), G: H. Shepherd (1989), N: G. Roelink, I: Vireya Valley Nursery (1998), REG: G. Roelink (1998) Fls 8-14/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 20 × 47mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink (39B) in bud, opening inside and out strong reddish pink (40C). Lvs elliptic, 90 × 38mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green, with minute, tan scales. Compact, much-branched shrub, 0.8 × 0.75m in 8 years

(r) **'Harold Stockman'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kubla Khan' (s) × 'Spanish Lady' H: M. Stockman (1988), G: M. & H. Stockman (1997), N: M. Stockman (1998), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1998) Fls 5-9/domed truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 55 × 75mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong red (51A) in bud, opening strong red (51A) throughout, with 5 small, dark marks at the base and sparse, dark red dorsal spotting. Calyx saucer-shaped, 40mm long, 5-lobed, coloured as corolla. Lvs oblong, 115 × 45mm, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, with wavy margins, dull, dark green above, hairless; new growth reddish. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 10 years. Mid April

(a) **'Harold Whitelegg'** (Syn. of 'H. Whitelegg')

(a) **'Haro-no-yuki'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1988)

(r) **'Harp Wood'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *hodgsonii* R: A.E. Hardy, N: A.E. Hardy, REG: A.E. Hardy (1971) Fls light reddish purple (74C), with vivid reddish purple (74B), veined markings and a darker blotch. PC 1971

(r) **'Harriesii'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rich deep crimson, with a white throat

(r) **'Harriet'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *racemosum* × *ciliatum* R: M.A.C. Noble, N: M.A.C. Noble, I: M.A.C. Noble (1957), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 20/truss, rotate-campanulate, 25 × 30mm, pale pink. Lvs broadly elliptic, scaly below. AM 1957 Syn: 'Hariet'

(r) **'Harringtonii'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1845), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, spotted with purple

(r) **Harrisii Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* (s) × *arboreum* N: Clyne Castle (c 1880), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c14/flattish, compact truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 65-70mm, light crimson, with a few blackish spots, shaded scarlet outside. Calyx lobes up to 7mm long, very unequal, whitish. Lvs narrowly obovate, 95-140 × 40-55mm, deep matt green above, very thinly felted below

(r) **'Harrisii Superbum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* hybrid R: J.C. Williams ? (pre 1926), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls intense crimson, with a fewdark marks on the dorsal lobes

(a) **'Harrison Red'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *austrinum* S: Mrs O. Robertson (pre 1985), N: Mrs O. Robertson Fls dark red; scented. Compact habit. Very early. (Wild origin selection from south of Chipley, Florida, USA)

(a) **'Harris Purple'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Martha Hitchcock' × 'Wakaebisu' R: J. Harris, N: J. Harris, I: J. Harris (pre 1981) Fls hose-in-hose, 90mm wide, dark purple. Shrub 1.1m in 9 years

(r) **'Harrisville'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: F4 selection from 'Newport' H: W.E. Delp (1952), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 16/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 57 × 70mm, 5-lobed, vivid and strong reddish purple (74B, 72B) in bud, opening strong reddish purple (78B) shading to light purple (78C), with a white dorsal flare and brilliant greenish yellow (1B) dorsal spots. Lvs 126 × 55mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 2.7 × 2.7m in 40 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer (1992))

(a) **'Harry'** (Syn. of 'Harry Van de Ven')

(r) **'Harry Bertram'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep puce, finely spotted

(r) **'Harry Bryce'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: derived from *griersonianum* H: Slieve Donard Nursery (c 1965), G: Slieve Donard Nursery, N: Slieve Donard Nursery, I: Slieve Donard Nursery, REG: E.C. Nelson (1987) Fls 15/truss, conical-campanulate, 60 × 60mm, 5-lobed, vivid red (45A), darker in bud, upper lobe profusely blotched, some blotching on lateral lobes. Calyx 5mm long, red, with white, stellate hairs. Lvs elliptic, 140-170 × 35-45mm, dark, more-or-less shiny green above, hairless. Shrub 2.2m. May-June. Syn: 'Buccaneer' (Originally named and introduced under the unacceptable name 'Buccaneer' and re-named (1987) by Dr Nelson)

(r) **'Harry Carter'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *strigillosum* × *sutchuenense* R: E.J. Greig (pre 1983), N: A.R. Cook Fls mid pink. Lvs olive green, bristly. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Harry Goldney'** cv. Parentage unknown R: F.J. Street, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose pink

(r) **'Harry Madison'** cv. Parentage unknown R: B. Nelson (pre 1971), N: B. Nelson

(r) **'Harry Mangles'** cv. Parentage unknown R: H.A. Mangles, I: H.A. Mangles (1904), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a rather large and loose truss, of 'moderate size', with a long tube, rose pink shading to scarlet at the base. AM 1904

(a) **'Harry Scanlon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Nadine' R: O.S. Pride, N: O.S. Pride, I: O.S. Pride (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, light pink

(r) **'Harry Tagg'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Albescens' × *ciliicalyx* R: R.B.G., Edinburgh, N: R.B.G., Edinburgh (1958), I: R.B.G., Edinburgh, REG: R.B.G., Edinburgh (1961) Fls 3-4/truss, shallowly campanulate, 75 × 115mm, white, with a faint greenish yellow stain on the dorsal lobe and faint tinging of pink on outside. AM 1958

(a) **'Harry Van de Ven'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* × 'Blaauw's Pink' H: H. Van de Ven, G: H. Van de Ven (1966), N: H. Van de Ven, I: H. Van de Ven (1971), REG: H. Van de Ven (1971) Fls hose-in-hose, semi-double, 65mm wide, light purplish pink (68D), with a white throat. Shrub 0.6m. Syn: 'Harry'

(a) **'Harry Veitch'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Schulz (pre 1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, light pink, with wavy-edged lobes. Indian

(r) **'Harry von Tilzer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: dwarf selection from May Day Group × *haematodes* R: C.S. Seabrook, N: C.S. Seabrook, REG: C.S. Seabrook (1967) Fls in a loose truss, campanulate, a little larger than in *haematodes*, blood red (820). Lvs small, dark glossy green above, with a heavy indumentum below. Small shrub of compact habit

(r) **Harry White Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* (blood red form) × 'Ascot Brilliant' R: unknown (pre 1922), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet or blood red. (Exhibited by both Sir Edmund Loder and L. de Rothschild in 1922)

(v) **'Harry Wu'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *zoelleri* (s) × *leucogigas* H: P. Sullivan, G: P. Sullivan (pre 1985), N: P. Sullivan (1996), I: Bovees Nursery (1996), REG: L. Sorenson-Smith (1999) Fls 6/flat truss, elongated tubular below, broadly funnel-shaped above, 100 × 100mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, dark red in bud, opening inside with a light orange-yellow (25D) tube and strong yellowish pink (37A) lobes; outside with a strong yellowish pink (37A) tube, with a light yellow (12C) base, lobes moderate to light yellowish pink (37C-D). Calyx minute, light red, edged darker red. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 70mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins decurved, moderate olive green (137B) above, scaly. Shrub 1.2 × 0.75m in 10 years. Flowering several times each year. (First published in The Bovees Nursery cat., 1996)

(r) **'Hartley Luttrell'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy red

(a) **'Hartman'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *occidentale* R: E.J. Kraus (pre 1958), N: E.J. Kraus, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink

(a) **'Hartnellii'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1857), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light orange, shaded with scarlet, spotted brown at the base and with a yellow dorsal lobe. Ghent (Perhaps the same plant as the 'Hartwellianum' listed by L. van Houtte in 1870)

(a) **'Hartwegianum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. van Geert (1852), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Haru-gasumi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Kagetsu' R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65-75mm wide, with slightly wavy-edged, rounded lobes, white, with vivid purplish pink margins; with many variations and stripes of pink. Satsuki (Presumed to be the same plant also seen listed as 'Haru-kasumi')

(a) **'Haru-gasumi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum* × a Kurume azalea I: K. Wada, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep pink. Kurume

(a) **'Haru-kasumi'** (See note under 'Haru-gasumi')

(a) **'Harukaze'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, white with a green blotch; many variations with blushes, flecks, tips and sectors of pale yellowish pink, often with star-like centres with margins of vivid yellowish pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Haruko'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from Aronense Group R: W. Arends (pre 1960), I: W. Arends (1962) Fls hose-in-hose, vivid reddish purple (74B), slightly paler in the throat, with moderate purplish red (58A) spots. Syn: 'Geisha Dunkellila' (AronenseGroup)

(a) **'Harumiji'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 20-25mm wide, badly shaped, white, unspotted, with a pronounced calyx. Kurume

(a) **'Haru-no-akebono'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 20mm wide, vivid salmon rose, paler at throat and with crimson spotting; anthers pale. Kurume

(a) **'Haru-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with thick, rounded lobes, purple on white. Indian

(a) **'Haru-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (Hirado Island) (pre 1963), N: Japan (Hirado Island) Fls100mm wide, light purplish pink

(a) **'Haru-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Soko' R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 75-100mm wide, with often 6, rounded lobes, white and pink, with variegations of deep pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Haru-no-kyobu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: K. Wada, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white. Kurume

(a) **'Haru-no-kyokii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls irregular, ragged, 25mm wide, pure white, greenish in bud. Shrub of very spreading, low habit. Kurume (Perhaps the same plant also listed as 'Haru-no-kyobu')

(a) **'Haru-no-mai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50mm wide, 6-lobed, white, with a pale green blotch and with dots, flecks and sectors of purplish pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Haru-no-sato'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, up to 30mm wide, deep purplish pink (7.5RP 5/12-7.5RP 4/11), with a lighter throat and a darker, dorsal blotch. Syn: 'Had-no-sato'. Kurume

(a) **'Haru-no-shiou'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan, N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, medium-sized; calyx and corolla both blush pink, vividly flushed deep lilac at edges; no spotting; anthers pale. Kurume

(a) **'Haru-no-sono'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Issho-no-hara' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 75-100mm wide, with rounded lobes, pale purplish pink, with many variations of vivid purplish pink and selfs, to pink with white margins and a pale green blotch. Satsuki

(a) **'Haru-no-tsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Haru-no-umi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1951), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, variegated purple on white. Indian (Perhaps the same plant as found by Creech & March in cultivation on Hirado Island (Japan), 1963-64: fls 100mm wide, light purplish pink)

(a) **'Haru-no-umi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* L: Kyoma Yokata Nursery (1976) Fls 20-30mm wide, moderate to deep purplish pink

(a) **'Haru-no-uta'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Haru-no-yoi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* L: Miyami-en Nursery (1976) Fls 20-25mm wide, deep purplish pink

(a) **'Haru-osohiku'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, white, streaked red; occasionally with unmarked white, red and persimmon orange flowers or with persimmon orange stripes. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Harusame'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* L: Miyami-en Nursery (1976) Fls 25mm wide, deep purplish pink (68A)

(a) **'Haru-shibori'** (Syn. of 'Hatsu-shibori')

(a) **'Harvest Moon'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1926), N: W.C. Slocock Ltd, I: W.C. Slocock Ltd (c 1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 6-8/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 65mm, brilliant yellow (18A), with a darker blotch; lobes frilled; slightly scented. Lvs light, dull green. AM 1948, *AM 1953. Knap Hill

(r) **'Harvest Moon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Lindsay Smith' × *campylocarpum* hybrid H: M. Koster & Sons (1920), G: M. Koster & Sons, N: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10-13/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 90mm wide, 5-lobed, variously described as bright lemon yellow or creamy white, with brown-red spotting or a carmine blotch. Lvs yellowish green, glossy. Shrub to 2.0m. *AM 1948

(r) **'Harvest Queen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Lady Bessborough Group × Margaret Dunn Group R: J.P.C. Russell, N: J.P.C. Russell, REG: J.P.C. Russell (1971) Fls pale greenish yellow (9D), deepening to brilliant yellow (9C) in throat

(a) **'Harwell'** cv. Deciduous azalea: believed to be 'Sylphides' × 'Pompadour' R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1967) Fls in large trusses, deep pink. Knap Hill

(r) **'Harwich'** cv. Parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), N: Swarthmore College (pre 1978) Fls pink

(r) **'Hase'** (See under 'Haze')

(r) **'Hasgard'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Avis' × *strigillosum* H: J.A. Watts (1966), G: J.A. Watts (1978), N: J.A. Watts, I: J.A. Watts, REG: J.A. Watts (1986) Fls 8-10/truss, campanulate, 70 × 50mm, strong red (46A). Lvs lanceolate, 110 × 30mm. Shrub 1.5 × 1.3m

(r) **'Has Pizzaz'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Epoch' (s) × 'Hi Tech' H: W.E. Delp (1985), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 6/truss, open funnel-shaped, 41 × 51mm, 5-lobed, dark and moderate purplish pink (186C, D) in bud, opening light and very light purple (75A-C); anthers light yellowish pink (36C). Lvs 64 × 25mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, scaly. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 7 years. Mid May

(r) **'Hassan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Carl Mette' (s) × *catawbiense* R: T.J.R. Seidel, N: T.J.R. Seidel (1906), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls fiery carmine red, with red-brown spots. (Raised from seed sown in 1898)

(r) **'Hatchville'** cv. Parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), N: Swarthmore College (pre 1978)

(a) **'Hative de Loochristi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Acker (1929), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, red. Indian

(a) **'Hatsu-gasumi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Chugai Nursery Co. (pre 1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light lilac, with a white centre (1958 Register); fls 65-75mm wide, white, with stripes to selfs of very light purple, with a conspicuous blotch (Galle, 1987). Satsuki

(a) **'Hatsu-giri'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan, N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 2-3/truss, funnel-shaped, 25 × 30mm, 5-lobed, vivid purplish red (74B), with slight dorsal spotting of strong purplish red (60B). Lvs oblanceolate, dull, dark green (according to Bean, 1976), 25 × 13mm, glossy light green (in RHS Trial report). Shrub 0.6-1.0m high, but much wider. Late April-early May. *AM 1956, *FCC 1969 Syn: 'Normale' (f. *normale*) (Known in Japan in the mid 19th century. Treated as the single flowered form of "*obtusum* f. *amoenum*" by Wilson (1921))

(a) **'Hatsu-higumo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Gumpo' × 'Kagetsu' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, with 6, broad, rounded and wavy-edged lobes, white, with a light yellow throat and a fine edge of purplish pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Hatsu-kagami'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Hatsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Hatsu-kirishima'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c30mm wide, deep purple. Syn: 'Hatsu-murasaki'. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Hatsu-kirishima'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1984), N: Japan Fls deep purple, with a contrasting blotch. Syn: 'Hatsu-murasaki'. Kurume. (Perhaps the same plant listed by Ito)

(a) **'Hatsu-murasaki'** (Syn. of 'Hatsu-kirishima')

(a) **'Hatsunami'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with a contrasting blotch. Kurume

(r) **'Hatsune'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *kawakamii* (s) × *dauricum* H: M. Hatori (1976), G: M. Hatori (1980), N: M. Hatori (1996), REG: M. Hatori (1997) Fls single, 3-6/lax truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 25-30 × 20mm, with 4-5 smooth-edged lobes, light reddish purple (74C), unspotted. Lvs elliptic, 20-30 × 10mm, flat, glossy and moderate yellow-green (146C) above, scaly. Shrub 20 × 55mm in 20 years. (An unusual sect. *Vireya* × sect. *Rhodorastra* derivative)

(a) **'Hatsu-no-hana'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Tatsumi-no-hikari' × 'Kusudama' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 75mm wide, with 6 rounded, wavy-edged lobes, white, with many variations with large and small, pale purplish pink stripes and spotting, to those with pale pink centres and pink margins. Satsuki

(a) **'Hatsuoti'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, lilac blush. Kurume

(a) **'Hatsure-yuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c60mm wide, red, with patches of white at margins. Satsuki

(a) **'Hatsu-shibori'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c40mm wide, white, with red streaks and stripes of varying width. Syn: 'Haru-shibori'. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Hatsu-shimada'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hokyo' × 'Taihei' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, with 6 broad, rounded, wavy-edged, overlapping lobes, very light greenish white, with a yellowish green blotch; occasionally with deep pink spots. Satsuki (A plant of this name listed in Australia, 1977 (Camellia Lodge Nursery): fls single, white with orange variations, to white edged orange or orange selfs)

(a) **'Hatsu-shimo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: possibly *mucronatum* × *indicum* R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 50mm wide, light purplish pink (55C), edged white and with a darker blotch. Midseason. Kurume

(a) **'Hatsu-yuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c50-75mm wide, pure white. Syn: 'Shiro-tae'. Tsutsuji

(r) **'Hat Trick'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' × 'Graf Zeppelin' H: T.L. Ring, I: Mowbray Gardens (pre 2002) Fls white

(r) **'Haughty Pink'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Achiever' (s) × 'Gable's Pioneer' H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 6/truss, open funnel-shaped, 33 × 44mm, 5-lobed, a blend of deep, strong and light purplish pink (73A-C) with very pale purple (73D) in bud, opening to a blend

of the same colours; filaments and style vivid purplish red (66A, B); anthers moderate orange (170C). Lvs 51 × 29mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, scaly. Shrub 1.2 × 1.1m in 18 years. Mid May

(v) **'Haulani'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *hellwigii* (s) × *lochiae* H: J.L. Rouse, G: R.A. Mitchell (2002), N: R.A. Mitchell (2002), REG: R.A. Mitchell (2002) Fls 6/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 65 × 55mm, with 5 flat to wavy-edged lobes, inside vivid red (46C), outside vivid red (46B); unmarked. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 75mm, acuminate at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and deep yellowish green (141A) above, hairless. Shrub to at least 0.9 × 0.9m. October-December. (Etymology: named for the Hawaiian goddess of plants)

(a) **'Hauptmann Jungmann'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Schulz (pre 1866), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Havemeyer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Sander (c 1885), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose red. Sander

(r) **'Hawaii'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: D.G. Leach (1967), G: D.G. Leach (1973), N: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1991) Fls 15/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 75mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (67B), with a pale yellow-green (4D) dorsal blotch with faint spots of light greenish yellow (4B). Calyx minute, light green. Pedicels reddish, 37mm long. Lvs elliptic, 85 × 40mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, hairless; petioles light green, 25mm long. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 23 years. Midseason

(r) **'Hawaiian Holiday'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Senorita' × 'Autumn Gold' H: B.M. Smith (1970), G: B.M. Smith (1978), N: B.M. Smith, I: B.M. Smith, REG: B.M. Smith (1987) Fls 10-12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 114mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (55C) at margins, shading continuously to light yellow (14D) at centre; with a dark red (183A) blotch above centre, solid at its centre, then divided by lines of light orange-yellow, diminishing outwardly to spots. Calyx 13mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs lanceolate, 127 × 51mm, moderate olive green (137A) above, moderate yellow-green (147C) below, hairless; new growth moderate olive green (146A). Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 15 years. Early May

(r) **'Hawaiian Tropic'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Naselle' (s) × 'Unique Marmalade' H: S.T. Imrie (1997), G: S.T. Imrie (2000), N: S.T. Imrie, REG: S.T. Imrie (2002) Fls 12-15/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 80mm, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (57B) in bud, opening inside with a pale yellowish pink (36D) margin and yellowish white at centre of lobes and in the throat; outside pale yellowish pink (36D), shading to yellowish white at base. Calyx 3mm long, brilliant yellow-green (149A). Lvs obovate, 125 × 50mm, with flat margins, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, with a light olive brown (199B) felt-like indumentum below. Shrub of dense habit, 0.6 × 0.6m in 5 years. April

(a) **'Hawfinch'** cv. Deciduous azalea: hybrid of *occidentale* R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep pink in bud, opening white shaded with pink and with a tangerine blotch. Knap Hill

(r) **'Hawk'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* (s) × Lady Bessborough Group R: L. de Rothschild (1940), I: E. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a loose, flat-topped truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, 5-lobed, light greenish yellow (6D). Calyx lobes 7mm long, gland-fringed. Pedicels long. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 40mm, dark green. AM 1949 Syn: 'Exbury Hawk' (Hawk Group)

(r) **Hawk Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* (s) × Lady Bessborough Group R: L. de Rothschild (1940), I: E. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Hawk Buzzard'** cv. Presumably a selection from Hawk Group L: UK (1989)

(r) **'Hawk Falcon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* (s) × Lady Bessborough Group R: L. de Rothschild, L: G. Reuthe Ltd (pre 1970) Fls "a good yellow". Domed shrub of more compact habit than many in the Hawk Group; the influence of *wardii* very conspicuous

(r) **'Hawk Kestrel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* (s) × Lady Bessborough Group R: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rich yellow. (Hawk Group)

(r) **'Hawk Merlin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* (s) × Lady Bessborough Group R: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep yellow. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Syn: 'Exbury Merlin' (Hawk Group)

(a) **'Haya-otomi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan, N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright pink. Kurume

(r) **'Haydée'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: possibly a selection or hybrid of *ponticum* R: J. Byls (pre 1854), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, crimson. (Also seen listed as 'Hayde')

(r) **'Haydée'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Croux (pre 1913), N: Croux, I: Croux, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a dark blotch

(r) **'Haydn'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink

(r) **'Hayés'** (Syn. of 'Francis B. Hayes')

(r) **'Hay Lee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marion' seedling × 'Marion' seedling G: D.J. Dosser (1981), N: D.J. Dosser, I: Lockington Nursery (1989), REG: Lockington Nursery (1990) Fls 12/truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 70mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish pink (68B). Lvs elliptic, 110 × 40mm, hairless. Shrub 1.2m. (May have circulated initially under the name 'S.J. Dosser')

(r) **'Haymo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: FirmaSeidel (c 1905), N: Firma Seidel (1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac flamed, with ochre spots on a paler ground

(r) **'Haze'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *hodgsonii* × 'Muriel' R: Sir Giles Loder, N: Sir Giles Loder, I: Sir Giles Loder (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light pinkish mauve. (Evening Group. Has been listed incorrectly as 'Hase')

(r) **'Hazel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *bureavii* × unknown H: unknown (1959), G: H.E. Greer (1964), N: H.E. Greer, I: H.E. Greer (1970), REG: H.E. Greer (1979) Fls 12-15/ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, 75mm wide, deep pink in bud, opening slightly darker than pale purplish pink (2.5RP 9/2), with deeper stripes and edging and very slight brown spotting. Lvs narrowly oblong to narrowly elliptic, 140 × 50mm, deep glossy green above, with a moderate woolly indumentum below (tan at first, ageing to brown). Shrub to 1.5 × 1.2m in 10 years. Mid April.

(a) **'Hazel Dawson'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* × *mucronatum* R: H.S. Dawson (c 1923), N: H.S. Dawson, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 80mm wide, cyclamen purple (30/1). Midseason

(r) **'Hazel Fisher'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Lammot Copeland' × 'Mary Drennen' H: H.L. Larson (pre 1983), I: C.C. Smith (c 1990) Fls a combination of yellow, lavender and apricot, with a dark eye. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Midseason

(a) **'Hazel Hamilton'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *flammeum* L: USA (1994)

(az) **'Hazel Smith'** cv. Azaleodendron: *occidentale* (s) × 'Corona' (Waterer) R: V. Wyatt, N: V. Wyatt, REG: V. Wyatt (1966) Fls 16-18/truss, funnel-campanulate, up to 50mm wide, white, with a large chrysanthemum crimson blotch (824/3). Lvs up to 100 × 40mm, twisted. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 14 years. Late May

(a) **'Hazuma-no-hana'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Chugai Nursery Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with vermilion red variegations. Satsuki

(r) **'Head Honcho'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Siouxon' × 'Mrs J.G. Millais' H: C.C. Smith (1983), G: C. Trautmann (1988), N: C. Trautmann, I: Mowbray Gardens (1991), REG: C. Trautmann (1992) Fls 16/domed truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 71-76 × 102-114mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light purple (75B) in bud, opening pure white with twin rays of deep orange-yellow (163A) spotting on dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 102 × 51mm, flat to slightly convex, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and dark green above, with a moderate, felted, brown indumentum below. Shrub 0.6 × 0.7m in 8 years. Early May

(r) **'Headliner'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × 'Ronald Otto Delp' (s) × 'Mars' × 'Ronald Otto Delp' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls dark and deep red (187A, 50A) in bud, opening moderate purplish red (70A) and strong reddish purple (70B), with dark red (187A) dorsal spots; filaments and style strong reddish purple (70B); anthers moderate purplish red (70A); stigma dark red (187A). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Head Start'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × 'Ronald Otto Delp' (s) × 'Mars' × 'Ronald Otto Delp' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, moderate and strong purplish red (64A, B) in bud, opening very light purple (75C) and strong purplish red (71C, D), with dark red (59A) dorsal spots; filaments and style pale yellow-green (155A); anthers yellowish white (158D); stigma dark red (59A). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Headstrong'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Wyandanch Pink' (s) × Smirhaem Group H: B. Schram (1983), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 17/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 42 × 60mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red and deep purplish pink (66A-C) in bud, opening moderate purplish pink (66D) with moderate red (181A) spots on 3 dorsal lobes and vivid purplish red (66B) veins on the reverse; filaments and style vivid purplish red and moderate yellowish pink (57D, 173D); anthers dark yellowish pink (181D); stigma dark red (183A). Lvs 102 × 38mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.5m in 9 years. Early June

(r) **'Heane Wood'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *argyrophyllum* subsp. *hypoglaucum* R: A.E. Hardy, N: A.E. Hardy, REG: A.E. Hardy (1972) Fls 8/loose truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 35 × 40mm, 5-lobed, pink in bud, opening white, faintly suffused red-purple, with light spotting of deep purplish red (61A) in the throat. Calyx rudimentary. Lvs oblong-elliptic, up to 115 × 27mm, with a grey, plastered indumentum below. AM 1972

(a) **'Heart and Soul'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, bright rose pink in bud, opening mid pink, with darker veins and a gold flare; outside of each lobe with a deep pink line down centre; strongly scented; pistil red; stamens pink. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Early-mid July

(r) **'Hearthfire'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Atrier Group × un-named yellowish pink hybrid (no. H52-27) R: D.L. Hardgrove (c 1960), N: D.L. Hardgrove Fls in large trusses, flat-opening, to 125mm wide, bright rose red blending to an orange-red throat

(a) **'Hearthglow'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Warai-gishi' × 'Kagetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1965) Fls double, with 10-15 imbricated lobes, orange-pink, flushed scarlet from centre. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Late. Back Acres

(r) **'Heart of Gold'** (Syn. of 'Pacific Sunset')

(r) **'Heart of Gold'** cv. Parentage unknown R: G.W. Clarke (pre 1980), N: G.W. Clarke

(r) **'Heart's Delight'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs A.T. de la Mare' (s) × 'Britannia' H: A. Manenica (1964), G: A. Manenica, I: A. Manenica (1973), REG: A. Manenica (1983) Fls 14/truss, 50 × 115mm, open funnel-shaped, 5-7-lobed, china rose (024/1) shading to rose red (724) at edges, the cardinal red (822) blotch in the throat becoming spots on the dorsal lobes. Calyx lobes uneven, up to 10mm long, green, shading to pink. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 55mm, dull green. Shrub c2.5m in 13 years. Mid May. Syn: 'Heart's Desire'

(a) **'Heart's Desire'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L.L. Brooks (pre 1965), N: L.L. Brooks Fls double, red. Indian (Described as hose-in-hose by some sources)

(r) **'Heart's Desire'** (Syn. of 'Heart's Delight')

(a) **'Heart's Desire Variegated'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: USA ? (pre 1985) Fls white, with dark pink stripes and flecks

(r) **'Heart Talk'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ronald Otto Delp' (s) × 'Weldy' × 'Serendipity' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls moderate and strong purplish red (64A, B, C) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (62D), with a strong purplish pink (62A) flare and moderate purplish red (64A) dorsal spots; anthers white. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Heart Throb'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cisa' (s) × 'Midsummer' × 'Adele's Yellow' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls strong red (53B, C, D) in bud, opening white, edged vivid purplish red (66B) and deep purplish pink (66C), with a vivid red (45A) throat, a pale yellow-green (4D) flare and vivid red (45A) dorsal spots. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Heather'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1981) Fls hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, strong purplish red (63B). Kurume (Fls rose lavender according to some sources)

(r) **'Heather'** (Syn. of 'Heather Boulter')

(r) **'Heather Barr'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × unknown H: T. Lelliott (c 1975), G: T. Lelliott (1986), N: Mrs H. Crouch, I: Mrs H. Crouch (1990), REG: Mrs H. Crouch (1991) Fls 10/truss, campanulate, 50 × 60mm, 5-lobed, pale yellow (158A) with a yellow-green flush. Lvs elliptic, 110 × 40mm. Shrub 1.0m.

(r) **'Heather Boulter'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: unknown (s) × Chrysomanicum Group H: V.J. Boulter, G: V.J. Boulter (1981), I: F. Boulter, REG: F. Boulter (1984) Fls 5-7/truss, funnel-shaped, 60 × 75mm, pale greenish yellow (160C), spotted moderate yellow (162B). Lvs ovate, 75 × 35mm. Shrub 0.6 × 0.5m. Syn: 'Heather'

(r) **'Heatherdale'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marion' × 'Van Nes Sensation' H: V.J. Boulter (c 1970), G: V.J. Boulter (1976), N: F. Boulter (1991), I: Boulters Olinda Nursery (1991), REG: Boulters Olinda Nursery (1992) Fls 10-12/conical truss, campanulate, 50 × 90mm, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes, inside very pale purple (69C) with light purple (75A/B) lobes; outside very pale purple (69C). Lvs elliptic, 180 × 35mm, flat, matt green, hairless. Shrub 2.0m. Spring

(a) **'Heather Lynn'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Belgian Indica azalea × Southern Indica azalea R: Hines Nurseries (pre 1985), N: Hines Nurseries Fls double, rose purple, changing to white blushed lavender pink with darker edges. Midseason

(a) **'Heather Macleod'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Eira Group × *kaempferi* R: Hydon Nurseries, N: Hydon Nurseries, REG: Hydon Nurseries (1972) Fls strong purplish red (63A)

(r) **'Heather Moth'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' × *yakushimanum* × un-named hybrid H: Waterer (Bagshot) (1964), G: Waterer (Bagshot) (1974), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975) Fls pale purplish pink (65D), flushed strong purplish pink (68B). Calyx pink. Lvs 90-100 × 30-40mm. Spreading habit. May

(r) **'Heatherside Beauty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* hybrid I: Street (pre 1953), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a crimson blotch and wavy-edged lobes. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Early. (Possibly belongs in Nobleanum Album Group)

(r) **'Heatherwood'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* × 'Lady Eleanor Cathcart' × *decorum* H: Scott Arboretum (1958), G: Scott Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister

(r) **'Heather Young'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vicki Reine' (s) × 'Van Nes Sensation' H: M. Stockman (1989), G: M. & H. Stockman (1996), N: M. & H. Stockman (1998), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1998) Fls 7-9/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes and some stamens partially petaloid, nearly white, flushed with moderate, light and pale purplish pink (65A-D), darker at margins, with sparse, dark pink dorsal spotting; stigma lime green. Calyx 6mm long, lobes reflexed, strong red (51A). Lvs oblong, 95 × 45mm, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, with wavy margins, dull and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 0.9m in 9 years. Early May

(r) **'Heat Wave'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague × Leo Group R: H.E. Greer (c 1982), N: H.E. Greer Fls deep blood red. Lvs deep green. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(a) **'Heavenly'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *calendulaceum* R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls with wavy-edged lobes, cream, flushed yellow, with soft pink edges. Mid-June

(r) **'Heavenly'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Stokes (pre 1969), N: W.E. Stokes

(r) **'Heavenly Scent'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* hybrid R: W.E. Whitney (pre 1973), N: G. & Mrs A. Sather, I: G. & Mrs A. Sather (pre 1985) Fls in large, lax trusses, medium pink, with faint red spotting on dorsal lobe; scented. Rounded shrub, 1.5m in 10 years. Early May.

(a) **'Heaven Scent'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls white, flushed pink, with a hint of light yellow on the dorsal lobe; scented. Late May

(r) **'Heaven Sent'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Heaven Sent')

(r) **'Heavens Yes'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: F6 derivative of 'Newport' H: W.E. Delp (1960), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 16/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 50 × 64mm, 5-lobed, moderate purplish red and vivid red (64A, 57A) in bud, opening strong purplish red (71B-D) with a white flare and deep purplish red (71A) dorsal spots; filaments and style vivid purplish red (57D); anthers moderate purplish pink (186D); stigma dark red. Lvs 114 × 64mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 2.1m in 32 years. Early June

(r) **'Hebbel'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very pale lilac, with yellow spots

(a) **'Hebe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (1850), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Hebe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Sander (c 1885), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, striped red. Sander

(r) **'Hebe'** cv. Parentage unknown R: L.L. Liebig (pre 1863), N: L.L. Liebig, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft lilac

(r) **Hebe Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Neriihaem Group (s) × *williamsianum* R: E.J.P. Magor (1923), I: E.J.P. Magor (1927), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deepest shade of rose pink

(r) **Heca Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* × *dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* Herpesticum Group H: Lord Aberconway (1931), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow

(r) **Hecla Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* (s) × *griersonianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1931), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls good red

(a) **'Hector'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid R: W.D. Smith (pre 1982), N: W.D. Smith Fls double, 75mm wide, strong purplish pink. (See *The Azalean* 4 (1):4 (1982) for notes on parentage)

(r) **'Hector'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1874), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright crimson. (Perhaps the same plant listed by Standish & Noble in 1847, with flowers described as rosy purple)

(r) **'Hegel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Agnes' × 'Kaiser Wilhelm' R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose

(a) **'Heide Hanisch'** cv. Evergreen azalea: un-named seedling × un-named seedling H: K. Glaser (1983), G: K. Glaser, N: K. Glaser, I: K. Glaser (1993), REG: ICRA (1996) Fls double, large, few/truss, open funnel-shaped, margins somewhat undulate, strong red (53D), with weak to medium strong red (46A) spotting (spots touching each other) in the paler throat. Normal calyx present. Lvs elliptic, dark green above, mid green below, mucronate. Shrub of neat, bushy habit

(a) **'Heide Hartwiger'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling of 'Sweetheart Supreme' R: D.J. Cole (pre 1987), N: D.J. Cole Fls 50mm wide, white, tinted very pale yellowish green. Late May

(a) **'Heidelberg'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: UK (1995) Fls large, deep pink. Lvs white-variegated. Low, spreading habit. (Obtained from a garden centre in Cheshire (UK) c1988. Apparently identical to 'Salmon's Leap' and perhaps the same clone)

(r) **'Heidi'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: species or hybrid selection from within subsect. *Lapponica* R: D.W. James (pre 1978), N: D.W. James Fls white. Lvs small, glossy, with red petioles in winter. Upright shrub, 0.9m tall in 10 years. Early

(r) **'Heidi Boesch'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cup Day' (s) × Avalanche Group H: D.J. Dosser, G: D.J. Dosser (1982), N: D.J. Dosser, REG: D.J. Dosser (1985) Fls 14/truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 80mm, 7-lobed, white, with a strong yellow green (145A) flare on the dorsal lobe. Lvs oblanceolate, 160 × 60mm. Shrub 1.0m

(r) **'Heidi's Love'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nadia' (s) × 'Pink Petticoats' × *yakushimanum* H: J. Barlup (1985), G: J. Barlup (1989), N: J. Barlup, REG: J. Barlup (1995) Fls 15/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 65mm, with 7 very wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53B) in bud, opening pale yellow (11C) with light purplish pink (62C) margins and with outside midribs strong purplish pink (62A); the entire flower and calyx fade to yellowish white (155D) with a slight flush of light purplish pink (65D) on midribs; stamens 14, curved, unequal. Calyx 25mm long, pale yellow (11C) at first. Pedicels 20mm long, light yellow-green (144D). Lvs elliptic, 102 × 35mm, concave, broadly acute at apex,

cuneate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (147C) below; petioles 40mm long, strong yellow-green (145A). Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in 10 years. Early-mid May

(a) **'Heigh-ho'** cv. Evergreen azalea: un-named seedling (no.32629) × 'Tama-sugata' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1966) Fls single, of circular form, 65-75mm wide, with overlapping lobes, rose, with faintly darker tinting towards the margin and a conspicuous blotch of heavily patterned, distinct spots of tyrian rose tending to amaranth purple, extending half way across the two lateral lobes as well. Semi-evergreen (especially in dry seasons). Back Acres (Sister seedling to 'Extravaganza')

(a) **'Heil Hitler'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Paul Schäme' × 'Frits Sander' I: R. Ambrosius (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, double, bright rose. Indian

(a) **'Heimann'** (Syn. of 'Doktor Heimann')

(r) **'Heinje'** (Syn. of 'D. Heinje')

(r) **'Heinje's Venezia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' (s) × 'Cynthia' R: D. Heinje Baumschulen (1964), N: D. Heinje Baumschulen, I: D. Heinje Baumschulen Fls red, with a small dorsal blotch of dark red spots, margins wavy-edged. Lvs rather yellowish green. Shrub 1.0 × 1.6m in 26 years. Syn: 'Venezia'

(r) **'Heinje's Zauberflöte'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' (s) × 'Kluis Sensation' R: D. Heinje (1964), N: D. Heinje, I: D. Heinje (1984) Fls bright red with a darker eye, paler with age. Shrub 0.6 × 1.2m in 15 years. Syn: 'Zauberflöte'

(a) **'Heinrich Haas'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schäfer (1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white, sometimes with rose spots. Indian

(a) **'Heinrich Heine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (1876), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, dark purple, with a metallic sheen. Syn: 'Henrick Heine'. Indian

(a) **'Heinrich Luley'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1985) Fls semi-double (with average of 7 stamens/flower), vivid reddish orange (42A). Calyx normal, green. Indian (Found at the H. Luley Nursery)

(r) **'Heinrich Peiffer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* × *yakushimanum* 'Mist Maiden' H: R. Behring (1972), G: R. Behring (1986), N: R. Behring, I: Clay's Nurseries (1987), REG: R. Behring (1986) Fls 9/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (68A) in bud, opening light purplish pink (68D), with gold-green spotting on dorsal lobes; tips and outside edging of deep purplish pink (68A). Calyx 2mm long, deep pink (51B). Lvs oblong, 140 × 30mm, glossy green above, with white indumentum when young, becoming pale orange-yellow (165D) after 2 years, yellowish white (156D) after 3-4 years. Shrub 0.25 × 0.5m in 14 years. Late May

(a) **'Heinrich Siesmeyer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C. Schulz (pre 1863), N: C. Schulz, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Heinzelmännchen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × Elizabeth Group hybrid R: W. Nagel (1972), N: W. Nagel, I: W. Nagel (1999), REG: ICRA (2000) Fls light pink. Very compact shrub, 1.0 × 1.0m in 20 years

(a) **'Heinz Lund'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hellmut Vogel' × 'Rosifolium' H: W. Preil & R. Ebbinghaus (1976), G: Federal Research Centre, Germany (1978), N: Federal Research Centre, Germany, I: O. Stahnke (1986), REG: Federal Research Centre, Germany (1986) Fls 3/truss, open funnel-shaped, 30 × 80mm, 5-lobed, vivid purplish red (61C), with a vivid purplish red (57C) centre. Calyx 10mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 40 × 15mm, hairless. October-January (greenhouse)

(r) **'Heir Apparent'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Bud Flanagan' H: R.J.R. Drayson (1976), G: Harkwood Acres (1984), N: Mrs A.J.A. Drayson, REG: R.J.R. & Mrs A.J.A. Drayson (1987) Fls 21/truss, tubular-campanulate, 53 × 73mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish red (70A) to strong purplish red (61B) in bud, opening very pale purple (75D), edged strong reddish purple (78B) and light purple (78C), dorsal flare dark red (187A) in centre, dark/deep red (59A/60A) at edges; outside with a strong reddish purple (78B) stripe down each lobe; matures to white, shaded very pale purple (76D), shading to light purple (75B) at edges. Calyx 10mm long, pale yellow (164D). Lvs lanceolate, 113 × 31mm, with a brownish orange (164A) indumentum on young lvs. Compact shrub 0.82 × 1.15m in 11 years. Early May-mid June

(r) **'Heiress'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, tinged violet, with a blotch of brown spots

(a) **'Heirloom'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kagetsu' (s) × *indicum* × 'Hazel Dawson' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1966) Fls single, 75mm wide, centre white, margins between tyrian pink and mallow purple, the spots in blotch area conspicuous (brownish shading towards rhodamine purple when they overlap on the coloured border of the dorsal lobe). Evergreen to semi-evergreen. Shrub 1.2m tall in 10 years. Back Acres

(a) **'Heirloom'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: H.W. Motzkau (pre 1987), N: Yoder Bros, I: Yoder Bros Fls double, hose-in-hose, purplish pink

(r) **'Heirloom'** (Syn. of 'Soft Harmony')

(a) **'Heiwa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Wako' R: Japan (1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 75-95mm wide, 5-6-lobed, dorsal 3 lobes nearly flat and

notched, white flushed light purplish pink, with flakes of light purple to deep pink selfs or light pink with white margins. Satsuki (Probably the plant previously listed (1958 Register) as distributed by Wada: fls single, pale purple, spotted deep purple. pre 1954)

(a) **'Heiwa-no-hana'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Heiwa-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Chugai Nursery Co. (pre 1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65-75mm wide, white to pale pink at centre, bordered pink, with many variations. Satsuki

(a) **'Heiwa-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1963), N: Japan Fls 95mm wide, reddish purple, blotched. (Found in cultivation on Hirado Island, Japan)

(a) **'Heiwa-no-kagami'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50mm wide, with well-spaced, pointed lobes, pale yellowish pink to vivid orange at tips; stamens and pistil pale yellowish pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Heiwa-no-tsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(r) **'Heki-hoh'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *augustinii* (s) × *fastigiatum* H: K. Ono (1984), G: K. Ono (1990), S: K. Ono (1992), N: K. Ono (1998), REG: K. Ono (1998) Fls 3/lax truss, flat saucer-shaped, 20 × 60mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, light violet (89D) in bud, opening light violet (89D) inside and out, with a moderate purplish red (184D) blotch of spots. Calyx 1.5mm long, strong yellow-green (141D). Lvs 22 × 10mm, flat, scaly, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above. Shrub 0.3 × 0.5m in 13 years

(a) **'Helen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid R: W.D. Smith (pre 1982), N: W.D. Smith Fls 65mm wide, hose-in-hose, shades of pink brushed over a white ground. Midseason. (See *The Azalean* 4 (1): 4 (1982) for notes on parentage)

(a) **'Helen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Sekidera' seedling × 'Purple King' L: Greer Gardens (1983) Fls large, purple. Lvs dark green

(r) **'Helen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* (s) × Souldis Group R: L.E. Brandt (1945), G: L.E. Brandt, I: L.E. Brandt (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 9-12/truss, flat-faced with a short tube, 125mm wide, waxy, pink in bud, opening white, with a large yellow blotch. Lvs 150-200 × 75mm, deep bluish green. Upright shrub, 1.2 × 1.2m (in 1952). Early May

(r) **'Helen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Lindsay Smith' (s) × *campylocarpum* R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, INC: ICRA (1958) (Zuiderzee Group)

(a) **'Helena'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Knight (pre 1849), N: Knight, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Helena'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hinomayo' × 'Pink Pearl' R: Felix & Dijkhuis (1952), N: Felix & Dijkhuis, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, tyrian rose. Early. Kurume (Sometimes seen incorrectly as 'Helene')

(a) **'Helena'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose pink. Sander (Sometimes seen listed as 'Helene')

(a) **'Helena'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: P.E. Girard, Sr. (1971) Fls hose-in-hose, sweet pea pink. Gable

(a) **'Helena'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Eden Jane Alcott' × 'Pink Pearl' R: W.D. Smith (pre 1982), N: W.D. Smith Fls 100mm wide, strong yellowish pink (38A), with a vivid red (43A) blotch. Shrub 1.2m in 7 years. (Parentage listed as given by Galle (1987))

(r) **'Helena'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1847), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy red. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Helena'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot) (c 1930), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, suffused and edged pale rosy lilac, sweetly scented. Syn: 'Hellena', 'Hellene'

(r) **'Helena'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *edgeworthii* × *formosum* I: Sir John Ramsden (1934), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Helena'** cv. Parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), N: C. Herbert (pre 1978) Fls pink

(a) **'Helena de Groot'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: unknown (pre 1909), I: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange, shaded light yellow (1958 Register); bright yellow (1913 Belgian cat.). Mollis (Perhaps the same plant seen listed as 'Mevrouw Helene de Groot', which may be the correct spelling)

(r) **'Helen Amateis'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group × *ciliatum* (as "var. *bergii*") H: E. Amateis (1952), G: E. Amateis, N: E. Amateis (pre 1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink in bud, opening blush white.

(r) **'Helena Neumann'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: O. Schulz (pre 1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, of good circular form, white, from fat buds. Indian (May correctly be 'Helene Neumann' (Seidel cat., 1889/1890))

(a) **'Helena Oosthoek'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: P.J.C. Oosthoek & Co. (1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red. Mollis

(a) **'Helena Pratt'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Flaming June' × *viscosum* H: M.C. Pratt (1964), G: M.C. Pratt (1968), N: M.C. Pratt, REG: M.C. Pratt (1986) Fls 10-12/truss, long tubular funnel-shaped, 50-55 × 40-

45mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds striped creamy white and deep purplish pink (55A), strongly keeled, opening white, tinged strong purplish pink (55B) on edges of dorsal lobe (inside and out), tinged light purplish pink (55C) on edges of other lobes; dorsal flare (divided by a white line) vivid orange-yellow (21A); scented. Calyx 2.5mm long, pale green, with obtuse, appressed glandular hairy lobes. Lvs elliptic to oblanceolate, 45-67 × 12-27mm, slightly glossy, dark green above, pale and very slightly glaucous below, sparsely hairy, ciliate. Shrub 1.9-2.2 × 1.5m. Late June-early July

(a) **'Helena Thelemann'** (Syn. of 'Helene Thelemann')

(a) **'Helena Vuyk'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Maxwellii' (s) × 'J.C. van Tol' R: Vuyk van Nes, N: Vuyk van Nes, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 65mm wide, fuchsine pink (627/2), with a deep red blotch. Syn: 'P.W. Hardijzer'. Vuykiana

(r) **'Helen B'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Red Paint' (s) × 'Royston Red' H: D.W. Goheen (1985), G: D.W. Goheen (1994), N: D.W. Goheen (1997), I: C. Hoffman (1997), REG: D.W. Goheen (1999) Fls 12-14/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 65 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (45A) in bud, opening vivid red (45B) throughout, with sparse dorsal spotting of strong red (46A). Calyx minute, vivid red (45A). Lvs obovate, 100-150 × 40-45mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, with flat to somewhat wavy margins, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (137B) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.8m in 12 years. Midseason

(a) **'Helen Carmichael'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1881), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pure white. Indian

(r) **'Helen Cascio'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *minus* Carolinianum Group L: USA (1985)

(r) **'Helen Child'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* hybrid × *williamsianum* H: H.L. Larson (1958), G: H.L. Larson (1968), N: H.L. Larson, I: H.L. Larson (1973), REG: H.L. Larson (1976) Fls 9/ball truss, open campanulate, 45 × 75mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, buds strong red (46A), opening strong purplish red (58B), with pale purplish pink (56A) spotting on the dorsal lobes. Calyx minute, green. Lvs broadly elliptic, 75 × 50mm, dark green, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 10 years. Mid April

(a) **'Helen Close'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ivory' (s) × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 2-4/truss, 65-75mm wide, white, with a very pale yellow blotch fading to pure white. Shrub to 1.2m. Early-mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Helen Cook'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Nairn & Sons (1910), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with black spots

(a) **'Helen Curtis'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Desiree' × 'Rosebud' H: A.M. Shammarello (1960), G: A.M. Shammarello (1964), N: A.M. Shammarello, I: A.M. Shammarello (1967), REG: A.M. Shammarello (1976) Fls semi-double (10 frilled lobes in 3 rows), 2-3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 30 × 55-65mm, white, without markings. Normal calyx absent. Lvs broadly elliptic, 40 × 22mm, glossy, hairy below, yellowish brown when mature, new growth strong yellow-green (2.5GY 6/8). Shrub 0.6 × 1.0m in 10-15 years. Late May

(a) **'Helen Dawson'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* × *mucronatum* R: H.S. Dawson (c 1923), N: H.S. Dawson, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 80mm wide, lilac purple (031/1). Midseason. Kaempferi

(r) **'Helen Deehr'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Unknown Warrior' (s) × 'Noyo Brave' H: W.A. Moynier (1975), G: W.A. Moynier (1981), N: W.A. Moynier, REG: W.A. Moynier (1984) Fls 14-16/truss, open campanulate, 30 × 55mm, 5-lobed, vivid red (52A), unmarked. Calyx very small. Lvs more-or-less narrowly elliptic, 108-140 × 40-55mm, with tan indumentum below. Shrub 0.45m in c5 years

(r) **'Helen Druecker'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Betty Wormald' (s) × *elliottii* R: J.S. Druecker (1950), N: J.S. Druecker, I: J.S. Druecker (1961), REG: J.S. Druecker (1964) Fls 14-16/truss, funnel-shaped, up to 115mm wide, rose madder (23/1) at margin, shading to china red (024/1) at centre; lobes recurved. Lvs up to 200 × 100mm. Shrub 1.4 × 1.2m in 10 years. Midseason

(a) **'Helene'** (See note under 'Helena' (Sander))

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(a) **'Hélène'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. van Geert (1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, slightly tinged pale pink. Ghent

(r) **'Helene'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Firma Seidel (1880), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark rose, paler inside towards the base, with a yellowish sheen. (Perhaps the same plant listed by J. Vervaene, 1864)

(r) **'Hélène'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Professor Hugo de Vries' R: R. Grall (pre 1984), N: R. Grall Fls 12-16/globular truss, 60-80mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, bright pink, with a small blotch of red spots. Lvs like *yakushimanum*, with a pronounced indumentum; young growth silvery grey. Shrub wider than high (up to c0.9m in 10 years). Midseason

(a) **'Helene Bruggeman'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, milk white with bright red dots, spots and stripes. Indian

(a) **'Hélène de Groot'** (See note under 'Mevrouw Helene de Groot')

(r) **'Helene Huber'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a *fortunei* hybrid G: C. Herbert (1968), I: C. Herbert (1970), REG: C. Herbert (1977) Fls up to 16/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, 75mm wide, strong purplish pink (73B), with a moderate yellow blotch and spotting; scented. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 65mm, rounded at base, acute at apex. Shrub to over 2.0m. Mid May. (Raised from seed obtained from Dexter estate in 1960 and grown initially at Swarthmore College)

(a) **'Helene Neumann'** (See note under 'Helena Neumann')

(r) **'Helene Schiffner'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (c 1890), N: T.J.R. Seidel (1893), I: T.J.R. Seidel (1893), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c14/hemispherical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40-45 × 50mm, mauve in bud, opening to pure white, more-or-less un-marked or with an inconspicuous ray of brown markings; filaments white. Calyx very small, glandular. Lvs lanceolate to oblanceolate, c100 × 30-40mm, dark green above, with a very thin, scattered, brown felt below. Shrub c1.2m or more. FCC 1893 Syn: 'Helen Schiffner' (Often seen as 'Hélène Schiffner', but Seidel did not use the accents in his original publication)

(a) **'Hélène Thelemann'** (Syn. of 'Helene Thelemann')

(a) **'Helene Thelemann'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Gebr Mardner (c 1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pale pink; scented. Midseason. Syn: 'Hélène Thelemann', 'Helen Thelman', 'Helana Thelemann'. Indian (Seidel (1889/90) attributes this to Schulz)

(r) **'Helen Everitt'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: hybrid between two unknown Dexter hybrids H: S. Everitt (1950), G: H. & S. Fuller (1958), N: H. & S. Fuller, I: P.D. Vossberg (1958), REG: H. & S. Fuller (1975) Fls 7-9/ball truss, open funnel-shaped to almost flat, 95 × 125mm, with 5-7/smooth to wavy-edged lobes, white; stamens vestigial; slightly scented. Calyx 10-20mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 50mm, glossy, mid green, hairless. Shrub 2.9 × 2.9m in 24 years. Mid May

(r) **'Helen Everitt's Daughter'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Helen Everitt' × probably 'Dexter's Honeydew' H: H. & S. Fuller (c 1960), G: H. & S. Fuller, N: H. & S. Fuller, I: Hillside Rhododendron Gardens, REG: E. Morris (1992) Fls 14-16/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 76 × 95mm, with 8 smooth-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (56A) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (56C, D); stamens 8, rudimentary, with tiny petaloid anthers coloured as the corolla; strongly scented. Calyx 2-3mm long, green, hairy, viscid. Pedicels 35mm long, light green, very hairy and viscid. Lvs ovate, 114 × 52mm, flat, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless and dull moderate yellow-green (147B) above, greyish yellow-green (148C) below; petioles 32mm long, green. Shrub 1.1 × 1.2m in c15 years. Mid May.

(r) **'Helen Fleeger'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Abe Arnott' (s) × 'Calsap' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, strong purple (83D, 82B) and vivid purple (82A) in bud, opening strong purple (84A), light purple (84B, C) and very pale purple (84D), with a white flare and with vivid purple (80A) and dark purple (79A) spots on the three dorsal lobes; filaments very pale purple (76D); style greenish white (157D); anthers pale yellow (161D); stigma dark red (183A). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Helen Fosen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *williamsianum* (s) × 'Burgundy' H: H.L. Larson (1960), G: H.L. Larson (1968), I: H.L. Larson (1982), REG: H.L. Larson (1983) Fls 6-7/truss, 50 × 80mm, 5-lobed, vivid purplish red (67B). Calyx minute, dark reddish orange (178B). Lvs c60 × 40mm, hairless

(a) **'Helen Fox'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Bridal Veil' (s) × 'Azuma-no-hana' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 1-3/truss, 50-65mm wide, paler than eugenia red (near moderate red (180B)), flushed begonia rose (near deep pink (50B)), with a darker blotch and irregular white margins. Dense shrub to 0.9m. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Helen Fox'** (Syn. of 'Barclayi Helen Fox')

(r) **'Helen Gordon'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lindleyi* (from a Cox & Hutchison collection) × *lindleyi* (from a Ludlow & Sherriff collection) (s) × *lindleyi* 'Geordie Sherriff' × *lindleyi* (from a Kingdon-Ward collection) H: R.C. Gordon (1993), G: R.C. Gordon (1997), N: R.C. Gordon (1999), REG: R.C. Gordon (1999) Fls 5/flat truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 80 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pink and cream in bud, opening inside white, with a yellow throat, outside white with pink stripes; unmarked; scented. Calyx pink and white. Lvs elliptic, 110 × 40mm, flat, glossy green above, tapering to apex and base, scaly. Shrub 1.5 × 1.0m in 3 years. Mid October-mid November (New Zealand)

(a) **'Helen Gunning'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' × *mucronatum* (s) × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 1-2/truss, flat-faced, 65mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, centre white, margins tyrian pink (near strong purplish red (71D)) - some young branches producing self-coloured sports. Shrub 1.5m. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Helen Hill'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: B.Y. Morrison, N: S.M. Armstrong, I: H. Hill (pre 1987) Fls 70mm wide, pale pink in centre, with a variable margin (or just tips) of deep yellowish pink. Back Acres

(r) **'Helen Holmes'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Irene Stead' (s) × an un-named seedling H: A.G. Holmes, G: A.G. Holmes, I: A.G. Holmes, REG: A.G. Holmes (1982) Fls 12/truss, 70 × 100mm, 6-lobed, white, with a prominent yellow stigma. Lvs 130 × 40mm, hairless

(r) **'Helen Johnson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Furnivall' × 'Mrs Donald Graham' R: E. Ostbo (pre 1956), N: E. Ostbo, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls trumpet-shaped, salmon rose, with a striking blotch. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Late May

(a) **'Helen Koster'** (Syn. of 'Mrs Helen Koster')

(r) **'Helen Louise'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Fawn' × Albatross Group H: Mrs R. James (pre 1971) (Exhibited by P.F. Saunders)

(a) **'Helenm'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *calendulaceum* × 'Pink Pearl' R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith Fls hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, white, with deep pink (52C) tips. Shrub 1.2m in 8 years

(r) **'Helen Mangan'** cv. Parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney (pre 1973)

(r) **'Helen Marie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pink Pearl' × 'Loderi King George' H: G. Hall (1958), G: G. Hall (1971), N: G. Hall, Jr, I: G. Hall (1989), REG: Lord Harewood (1989) Fls c9/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, 5-lobed, bright rose pink, spotted chocolate on dorsal lobe. Lvs broadly ovate, 180 × 40mm, with greyish green indumentum when young. Shrub 4.0 × 3.0m. May

(r) **'Helen Paul'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × a Hardy Hybrid R: G. Paul (c 1880), N: G. Paul, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c14/compact truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 75-80mm, bright rose pink shading to white in the centre, with a greenish to reddish brown ray in the tube. Calyx discoid, glandular. Lvs oblong-obovate, up to 135 × 55mm, bright green above. AM 1896

(a) **'Helen Perkes'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Australia ? (pre 1984) Fls semi-double, campanulate, vivid pink. Indian (Correct spelling is probably 'Helen Perks')

(r) **'Helen Ring'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* × red-flowered *arboreum* H: A.E. Kehr (1968), G: G.W. Ring (1979), N: G.W. Ring, REG: G.W. Ring (1995) Fls 17/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (68B), slightly lighter towards the centre, with an area (c25 × 13mm) of greenish yellow spots on the dorsal lobe; stamens 10(-11), curved, unequal. Pedicels 38mm long, greenish bronze. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 140 × 44mm, flat, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, hairless; petioles 25mm long, rusty red. Shrub 3.6 × 2.4m in 26 years. Early June. (Pollen collected from *arboreum* at Simla, India by A.E.Kehr)

(a) **'Helen Rogers'** (Syn. of 'Mrs Arthur Rogers')

(r) **'Helen Rogers'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.H. Rogers & Son (pre 1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink madder

(r) **'Helen Schiffner'** (Syn. of 'Helene Schiffner')

(r) **'Helen Scott Richey'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *racemosum* × *moupinense* (s) × *mucronulatum* 'Cornell Pink' H: R.W. Scott (1965), G: R.W. Scott (1970), N: R.W. Scott, I: R.W. Scott (1974), REG: R.W. Scott (1977) Fls in a terminal cluster of 1-5 trusses (each with 1-2 fls), broadly funnel-shaped, 20 × 30mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, fuchsine pink (627/1), opening fuchsine pink (627/3) with light spotting of porcelain rose (620/1) at base of dorsal lobes; outside fuchsine pink (627/1). Calyx c3mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 25 × 13mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy, dark green and bullate above, margins long ciliate, with moderate to dense, tan to brown scales; semi-deciduous; new growth bronze. Shrub c0.5 × 0.5m in 10 years. Early February.

(v) **'Helen's Laughter'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: G.L.S. Snell, G: G.L.S. Snell (1989), N: R. Macdonald, I: Foothills Nursery (1990), REG: Foothills Nursery (1991) Fls 5-7/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, 5-lobed, vivid reddish orange (30A). Lvs elliptic, 70 × 30mm. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Spring-autumn

(r) **'Helen Smith'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Smith (Stanraer) (1917), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Helen Theleman'** (Syn. of 'Helene Thelemann')

(az) **'Helen Vandevere'** cv. Azaleodendron: *griersonianum* × *occidentale* R: E.G. Vandevere, N: E.G. Vandevere, I: E.G. Vandevere (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in small trusses, crumpled, though widely open and resembling an azalea, orange-red. Lvs and general habit rhododendron-like. PC 1939

(r) **'Helen Vieira'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Grierosplendour Group (s) × white-flowered *fortunei* seedling H: R.L. Means (1986), G: R.L. Means (1992), N: R.L. Means, I: R.L. Means (1994), REG: R.L. Means (1994) Fls 15/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 44 × 70mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (62B), with a deep red (60A) throat; stamens 11 (rarely petaloid), straight, unequal; style brilliant yellow-green (150B). Calyx very small. Pedicels 48mm long, brilliant yellow-green (150A). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 152 × 38mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, hairless; petioles 13mm long, greyed orange, ageing to moderate yellow-green; new growth hairy. Shrub 1.2 × 1.4m in 8 years. Late April-early May

(r) **'Helen Waterer'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (c 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1875), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c13/compact truss, funnel-shaped, 40-45 × 60-65mm, white with a bright crimson edge, almost unmarked. Calyx very small. Lvs oblanceolate, up to 140 × 43mm, dark green above. Shrub up to c2.5m. Syn: 'Ellen Waterer'. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Helen Webster'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × 'Richard Gill' I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 11/domed truss, flat campanulate, with wavy-edged lobes, phlox pink (625/3) with orange-brown spotting. AM 1954

(a) **'Helen Whalan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Australia ? (pre 1984) Fls semi-double, carmine red. Indian

(a) **'Helga Kauste'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: K. Glaser (c 1972), N: K. Glaser Fls double, strong purplish pink (62A). Calyx normal, green. Indian

(r) **'Helgoland'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scandinavia' × *yakushimanum* 'Hanano-ego' H: H. Robenek (1977), G: H. Robenek (1984), N: H. Robenek, REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1989) Fls 11-20/truss, 35-45 × 45-60mm, 5-lobed, pure pink with a lighter centre and green markings on a nearly white ground; lobe margins strikingly waved. Lvs elliptic, 87-132 × 27-50mm. Shrub 0.5 × 0.9m, of compact habit. Mid-late May. (First published in Schmalscheidt, *Rhododendron- und Azaleenzüchtung in Deutschland*, part II (1930-1988), (1989))

(r) **'Helios'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × *fortunei* subsp. *fortunei* × (*wardii* × *dichroanthum*) H: A.A. Raustein (1962), G: A.A. Raustein (1967), N: A.A. Raustein, I: A.A. Raustein (1979), REG:A.A. Raustein (1979) Fls up to 10/domed truss, 90mm wide, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (55A) in bud, opening moderate pink (49B), shading to light greenish yellow (5C) in the throat; outside shell pink, with pink striping. Lvs elliptic115 × 45mm, cuneate at base, broadly acute at apex, glossy and moderate yellow-green (137C) above. Shrub under 1.0m. Mid May

(r) **'Hella's Favorite'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Letty Edwards Group × Letty Edwards Group G: H. Vaartnou (1971), N: H. Vaartnou, REG: H. Vaartnou (1988) Fls 10/ball truss, open campanulate, 38 × 64mm, with 5 evenly rounded lobes, vivid red (52A) in bud, opening pale yellow (20C), with a few reddish spots on the dorsal lobes. Calyx 3mm long, greenish. Lvs broadly elliptic, 64 × 38mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy above, hairless; new growth greenish copper. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 20 years. April-May. (Seed from University of British Columbia, Vancouver Campus, 1965)

(r) **'Hellena'** (Syn. of 'Helena' (Waterer))

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(r) **'Hellikki'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* hybrid (s) × unknown H: M. Uosukainen (1974), G: M. Uosukainen (1980), N: M. Uosukainen (1987), I: Kemira Agro Oy (1987), REG: Kemira Agro Oy (1994) Fls 8-12/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 75mm wide, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, tyrian purple (727/1) inside and out, unspotted. Lvs narrowly obovate, 90-100 × 40-50mm, margins decurved, glossy green above, rounded at base, obtuse or mucronulate at apex, with an indian yellow (6/3) indumentum on mature leaves. Shrub 1.2 × 0.8-1.0m in 10 years. June. Exceptionally hardy. (First published in *Landscape Plant News* 3 (4):11 (1992))

(r) **'H. Elliott'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *formosum* × *edgeworthii* I: Messrs Elliott (1900), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large trusses, white, faintly spotted pale yellow on dorsal lobe; scented. AM 1900 (H. Elliott Group)

(r) **H. Elliott Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *formosum* × *edgeworthii* I: Messrs Elliott (1900), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Hellmut Vogel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ambrosianum' × 'Erich Danneberg' R: O. Stahnke, N: O. Stahnke, I: O. Stahnke (1967) Fls double, vivid purplish red (57C). Calyx normal, green. Early. Indian

(r) **'Hello Dolly'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group × *smirnowii* H: H. Lem, G: H. Lem, N: H. Lem, I: H. Lem, REG: J.A. Elliott (1974) Fls 10/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, porcelain rose (620/1), blending to naples yellow (403) in the throat where there are a few light green spots; fades to light yellow with age. Calyx 40mm long, porcelain rose in dorsal half, naples yellow below. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 100 × 30mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, with a light beige indumentum below. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 10 years. Late April

(r) **'Helloween'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × unknown R: W.E. Glennie, N: W.E. Glennie, REG: W.E. Glennie (1984) Fls pale cream, flushed pink, similar to *fortunei*. Lvs hairless. (The *fortunei* parent obtained as "aff. *fortunei*" but appears to be the pure species)

(a) **'Hell's Fire'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Big Red' × red Exbury azalea seedling R: A.A. & M. Childers, N: A.A. & M. Childers, I: A.A. & M. Childers (1970), REG: A.A. & M. Childers (1971) Fls 7-9/rounded truss, flat-opening and rather square, 115mm wide, 6-lobed, strong red (5R 4/12), lightly overlaid dark reddish orange (7.5R 4/11). Lvs 150mm long, rugulose, with deep colours in autumn. Shrub 1.0m in 8 years. Mid May. Knap Hill

(a) **'Hellyanum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Helma I'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure violet with very wavy-edged lobes and a few green spots.

(r) **'Helma's Joy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *macabeanum* G: H. Vaartnou (1976), N: H. Vaartnou, REG: H. Vaartnou (1988) Fls 20-30/ball truss, ventricose-campanulate, 57 × 70mm, with 8 smooth-edged lobes, salmon orange in bud, opening light greenish yellow (4C) to pale yellow-green (4D) with a reddish purple blotch on every lobe. Calyx minute, green. Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 305 × 102mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, indumentum on young leaves silvery, becoming moderate orange-yellow (165C) when mature. Shrub 3.7 × 3.7m

in 22 years. March-April. (Seed from Brodick Castle, Scotland (1963), seedling raised by M. Walker (1964))

(r) **'Helmers'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1980) Fls soft mauve

(r) **'Helmholtz'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Milner' (s) × 'Boule de Neige' R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep pink, almost without any marking

(r) **'Héloïse'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Byls (pre 1868), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Helsinki University'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *brachycarpum* (as subsp. *tigerstedtii*) (s) × unknown H: M. Uosukainen (1974), G: M. Uosukainen (1980), N: M. Uosukainen (1987), I: Kemira Agro Oy (1987), REG: Kemira Agro Oy (1994) Fls 12-18/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 76mm wide, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, of waxy appearance, rhodamine pink (527/1-2) inside, 527 outside, with a few, dark red, indistinct spots in dorsal sector. Lvs oblanceolate, 115-150 × 40-55mm, margins decurved, glossy green above, purplish below, acute at base, acute or mucronulate at apex, hairless; shoots more or less citron green (763/1-3). Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years. June. Exceptionally hardy

(a) **'Helvetia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: H.J. Hooftman, N: H.J. Hooftman, I: H.J. Hooftman (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. Kaempferi

(a) **'Helvola'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1839), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(r) **'Heman Howard'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* hybrid × unknown H: J.C. Cowles (pre 1967), G: Heritage Plantation, N: D.S. Kellam & H.A. Howard, REG: Sandwich Club (1993) Fls 12/ball truss, open campanulate, 49 × 70mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (66C) at margins, shading to a white centre, unmarked; outside slightly deeper than 66C; stamens 13, straight, equal; ovary pink, style green. Pedicels 25-32mm long. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 57mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, matt green. Shrub 3.0 × 3.7m in 25-30 years. Midseason

(a) **'Hendersonii'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1855), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Hendersonii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Soc.An. L. van Houtte (1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, salmon rose, with white edges and an intense crimson blotch. Indian

(r) **'Hendersonii'** cv. Parentage unknown R: A. Henderson & Co. (pre 1852), N: A. Henderson & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish crimson, with a paler centre and carmine spots

(v) **'Hendre'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Arthur's Choice' × *wrightianum* var. *wrightianum* H: B. Clancy (1984), G: B. Clancy (1988), N: B. Clancy (1991), REG: B. Clancy (1992) Fls 3-4/flat, drooping truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 30 × 35mm, with 5 lobes, strong red (45D); pedicels 35mm long, strong red (46A). Lvs oblanceolate, 48 × 26mm, flat, matt green. Shrub 0.36 × 0.25m in 3 years. January-May (Australia)

(r) **'Hendricks Park'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Jalisco Elect' (s) × 'Fawn' H: D.W. James (1962), G: Hendricks Park, N: Mrs R. James, I: Mrs R. James, REG: Mrs R. James (1980) Fls 10-12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, neyron rose (623/1), throat currant red (821/1), with a slight neyron rose (623/1) blotch and spotting; scented. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 50mm, obtuse at apex (but apiculate), rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 3.0 × 2.4m in 17 years. Late April-early May

(a) **'Hendrickxii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1851), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Henny'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Harrison (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, paeony-form, wavy-edged, light salmon rose. Indian

(a) **'Henrick Heine'** (Syn. of 'Heinrich Heine')

(a) **'Henri Conscience'** cv. Deciduous azalea: Ghent azalea × Mollis azalea R: C. Vuylsteke, N: C. Vuylsteke, I: C. Vuylsteke (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pinkish white, with a large saffron yellow blotch. (Has been listed both as a Ghent and as a Mollis azalea)

(a) **'Henri Conscience'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. de Kneef (1893), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, lively orange, with a dark purple blotch. Indian

(r) **'Henri Doucet'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Linden (pre 1874), N: J. Linden, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy white, with strong black spotting. Syn: 'Henry Doucet'

(a) **'Henri Duval'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1891), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lively carmine rose, with a varnished blood red blotch. Indian

(r) **'Henrietta Sargent'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1890), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1891), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a dense, rounded truss, deep purplish pink (4RP 6.5/12), with brown to greenish dorsal markings. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Resembles 'Mrs Charles S. Sargent' but a dwarfer plant. (The spelling 'Henriette Sargent' has been used)

(a) **'Henriette'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C.B. van Nes & Sons (1922), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink. Kamepferi

(a) **'Henriette Sonntag'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: F. Schneider (1863), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Henri Martinet'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Nomblot-Bruneau (1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose with a red blotch

(r) **'Henri Probasco'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: unknown (pre 1916) Fls reddish magenta, with a red-brown blotch. (Has been listed as 'Henry Pobasco')

(a) **'Henri Wille'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, soft rose (resembles the colour of 'Pink Pearl'). Indian

(a) **'Henry Allanson'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown, open-pollinated Mollis azalea seedling G: J.M. Keshishian (1961), N: J.M. Keshishian, I: J.M. Keshishian (1971), REG: J.M. Keshishian (1972) Fls 10-14/tight, rounded truss, 50-65 × 45-50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, chrome yellow. Calyx 13mm long, dark orange. Lvs narrowly lanceolate, 65 × 13mm, hairless. Shrub 1.9m in 11 years. Early May. (Grown from seed supplied by Henry Allanson)

(r) **'Henryanum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *dalhousiae* (s) × *formosum* R: I.A. Henry, I: I.A. Henry (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white with a blush tinge; sweetly scented. FCC 1865 (Parentage given as in 1958 Register; J. Veitch gave 'Sesterianum' as the pollen parent as did W. Watson in *Gardeners' Chronicle* 12 (2): 762 (1892))

(a) **'Henry A. Wallace'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt, I: E.A. Merritt (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, single, deep pink. Kurume

(r) **'Henry Bertram'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep purplish rose, with a pale centre. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Henry Bessamer'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (pre 1871), N: Waterer, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rich crimson, intensely blotched with black markings

(r) **'Henry Bohn'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (c 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy crimson, with a pale centre. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Henry Coe'** cv. Parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), N: Planting Fields Arboretum (pre 1978)

(r) **'Henry Doucet'** (Syn. of 'Henri Doucet')

(r) **'Henry Drummond'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T. Methven & Son (pre 1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish crimson

(r) **'Henry Dumper'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *makinoi* G: W. Brack (1980), S: H. Dumper (1976), N: W. Brack, I: Roslyn Nursery, REG: W. Brack (1991) Fls 12/flat truss, funnel-shaped, 48 × 57mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (55A) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (56C). Pedicels 25mm long, strong pink (54C). Lvs narrowly oblong, 108 × 19mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, with a felted indumentum below - moderate yellow (161B) at first changing to moderate orange (172D) with age; petioles 19mm long, brilliant yellow-green (150A), hairy; young growth covered with orange tomentum. Shrub 1.1 × 2.1m in 17 years. Early May

(r) **'Henry E. Burbridge'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* (s) × Letty Edwards Group I: T.C. Thacker (1944), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls apricot yellow

(r) **'Henry Probasco'** (See note under 'Henri Probasco')

(a) **'Henry Roland'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Purple Splendor' × 'Vuyk's Scarlet' H: H.R. Schroeder (1973), G: S. Schroeder (1978), N: S. Schroeder, I: S. Schroeder (1986), REG: S. Schroeder (1986) Fls single, broadly funnel-shaped, 38 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (52C), with rose red spotting on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 6mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 40 × 14mm, glossy, dark green above, light green and hairy below. Shrub 0.45 × 0.6m in 10 years. Late April. Syn: 'Roland'

(r) **'Henry R. Yates'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* Litiense Group hybrid R: J.B. Gable (1946), N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable (1958), REG: J.B. Gable (1971) Fls 9-11/truss, funnel-campanulate, 40 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, ivory, with a pale yellow blotch in dorsal throat. Lvs lanceolate, 115-150 × 30-55mm. Shrub 1.2 × 1.0m in 10 years. Early

(r) **'Henry Shilson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *arboreum* I: H.D. Shilson (1902), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(r) **'Henry's Red'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: red *catawbiense* seedling × unknown H: E.V. Mezitt, G: Weston Nurseries (1970), N: Weston Nurseries, I: Weston Nurseries (1971), REG: Weston Nurseries (1987) Fls 12-15/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 38 × 51mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep red (60A). Calyx 3mm long, green/red. Lvs oblong, 102 × 44mm, flat/convex, acute at tip, cuneate at base, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.6m in 7 years. Mid-late May.

(r) **'Henry Street'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1988)

(a) **'Henry Wallace'** (An error for 'Henry A. Wallace')

(r) **Hera Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *haematodes* (s) × Jock Group H: Lord Aberconway (1932), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet red

(a) **'Herald'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × 'Fukuju' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 50mm wide, white, with some magenta (near strong purplish red (72A)), stripes, a blotch of dull crimson spots and a pale phlox purple (near strong reddish purple (78B)) flush over the face of the flower. Shrub to 1.5m. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Herald Square'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan' × *pseudochrysanthum* H: J. Nicolella (1980), G: R.H. Gustafson, N: R.H. Gustafson, REG: R.H. Gustafson (1999) Fls 10/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 6 flat-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (66B) in bud, opening inside vivid red (57A) and strong purplish pink (63C), outside vivid red (57A); unmarked. Lvs elliptic, 100-110 × 40-45mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.7 × 2.0m in 19 years. Late April-early May

(a) **'Herbert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* × 'Hexe' R: J.B. Gable (1931), N: J.B. Gable, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 45mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, orchid purple (31), with a darker blotch. Shrub c2.0m in 19 years, of spreading habit. Midseason. Gable

(r) **'Herbert'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Firma Seidel (1926), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light carmine red

(r) **'Herbert I'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel ? (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale violet, with a few golden ochre markings

(a) **'Herbert Gable'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls orchid purple. Kurume (Probably the Gable azalea 'Herbert')

(a) **'Herbertianum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.R. Gowen (1829), N: J.R. Gowen, INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Published in *Botanical Register*, 1830, under t.1366, where two possible parental combinations are discussed)

(a) **'Herbertii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: T. Jackson & Son (1851), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Herbertii'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection or hybrid of *ponticum* L: Waterer (Bagshot) (c 1865), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Herbert Mitchell'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *cerasinum*, from KW 6923 G: Anne, Countess of Rosse and NT (Nymans), N: Anne, Countess of Rosse and NT (Nymans), I: Anne, Countess of Rosse and NT (Nymans) (1973), REG: Anne, Countess of Rosse and NT (Nymans) (1974) Fls deep red (185A). AM 1973

(r) **'Herbert Parsons'** (Syn. of 'President Lincoln')

(r) **'Herbert's Find'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Annie Dalton' hybrid H: J.B. Gable (pre 1972) Fls pink, flushed orange

(r) **'Herbert's Fortunei'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C. Herbert (pre 1980)

(r) **'Herbie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: E.H. Yelton (pre 1966), G: H. Hechenbleikner (c 1976), N: L. Mellichamp (1996), REG: L. Mellichamp (1999) Fls 15/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50(or more)x90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, yellowish pink in bud, opening inside yellow, tinged randomly with strong pink and peach tones and with a diffuse yellowish blotch; outside yellowish with pink overtones; moderately scented. Calyx c5mm long, reddish. Lvs lanceolate, 150 × 200 × 40-50mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 10 years. Late April. (May have *fortunei* in its parentage)

(r) **'Herb's Choice'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' × Fabia Group (s) × *rex* subsp. *fictolacteum* H: probably C.C. Smith, G: C.C. Smith, N: H.A. Spady, REG: H.A. Spady (1995) Fls 15/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 64mm, with 9 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (54A) in bud, opening outside strong purplish pink (55B), inside pale purplish pink (56C), with a small, dark red (187B) blotch and slight dorsal lobe spotting; stamens 18, curved, unequal; style yellow. Calyx 6mm long, pale yellow (160D). Pedicels 25mm long. Lvs narrowly obovate, 102-178 × 38-64mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and hairless above, with a moderate orange (173C), felted indumentum below; petioles 38mm long. Shrub 1.1 × 1.5m in 10 years. Late April

(r) **'Herbstfeuer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs R.S. Holford' (s) × *dichroanthum* R: W. Nagel (1970), N: W. Nagel (1985) Fls in a loose truss, pendent, pure red, with a small black blotch. Two-thirds of fls appearing in September

(r) **'Herbstfreude'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hachmann's Ornament' (s) × 'Furnivall's Daughter' H: H. Hachmann (1969), G: H. Hachmann (1974), N: H. Hachmann (1978), I: H. Hachmann (1995), REG: G. Stück (1995) Fls 16/dense truss, broadly open funnel-shaped, 65mm wide, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, inside rose white/light pink, darker pink at edges, outside pale rose white; dorsal lobe with a large, conspicuous, dark red to deep purplish red (187A/D) blotch; stamens white. Calyx 6-8mm long, reddish. Lvs ovate, 94-112 × 42-48mm, flat, cuneate at base, apiculate at apex, matt mid green above with main veins pale yellowish green, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.6m in 10 years. Late May-early June and again mid September-mid October in a warm season. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1995/96)

(r) **'Herbstgruss'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kalamaika' (s) × 'Perlina' H: H. Hachmann (1987), G: H. Hachmann (1993), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 10-11/compact truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40-45(-50)x65-74m, with 5(-6) narrowly wavy-edged lobes, pure white inside and out but with a conspicuous blotch on dorsal lobes of dark red (187B); stamens 10, filaments white, anthers pale yellow (162D); style light yellow-green (150D), stigma dark red (187B). Calyx 2-3mm long, greenish/reddish. Pedicels moderate purplish red (185C). Lvs ovate, 90-110 × 35-48mm, margins flat to slightly recurved, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, slightly glossy mid green above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 ×

1.4m in 10 years. When weather is warm c70% of flowers open in early September to mid October, the remainder in spring. (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030644). First published in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(a) **'Hercule'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Vervaene (1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple-red, with a big blotch which covers almost the entire flower. Indian

(a) **'Hercules'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Schulz (pre 1866), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon rose, spotted crimson (C. Turner, 1870). Indian

(v) **'Hercules'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *javanicum* hybrid R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1890), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 75mm wide, 6-7-lobed, apricot yellow, suffused rose pink at margin and in the tube. AM 1899

(r) **'Hereford'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × Jock Group R: W.A. Reese (pre 1978), N: W.A. Reese

(r) **'Here's Howe'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'All East' (s) × 'Marypat' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls opening flat-faced, light greenish yellow (3C) in bud, opening pale greenish yellow (2D), with moderate orange (170C) dorsal spots. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **Hereward Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Dolly Group (s) × *griersonianum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy pink

(r) **Herga Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Break of Day Group (s) × Lady Bessborough Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale yellow with a dark blotch in the throat. May

(r) **'Herkules'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Probably a *campanulatum* hybrid R: Firma Seidel (pre 1894), N: Firma Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 16-22/rounded to pyramidal, compact truss, 50-70mm wide, outside white, with soft lilac tinges; inside white, margins tinted soft lilac; slight brownish markings. May

(r) **'Herkunft Korea'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *brachycarpum* originally from Korea L: D.G. Hobbie (1975) Fls rose. (The name means literally 'of Korean origin' and, whilst no doubt originally intended merely as a reference, it has since been listed as a cultivar name)

(a) **'Her Majesty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: (W. ?) Barnes (pre 1867), N: (W. ?) Barnes, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy lilac, edged with white, dorsal lobes blotched and spotted with crimson. Indian

(a) **'Her Majesty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (pre 1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, purple. Coolidge

(r) **'Her Majesty'** (Syn. of 'Your Majesty')

(r) **'Her Majesty'** cv. *arboreum* (s) × 'Forsterianum' I: J. Veitch & Sons (1889), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 115mm wide, soft crimson. FCC 1889 (A rare elepidote × lepidote derivative)

(r) **'Hermann'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kaiser Wilhelm' × 'Agnes' R: T.J.R. Seidel, N: T.J.R. Seidel (1906), I: T.J.R. Seidel (c 1915), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright, light carmine red. (Raised from seed sown in 1898)

(r) **'Hermann Backhus'** cv. Parentage unknown R: A.W. Backhus (pre 1947) Fls white, with strong black-red markings

(a) **'Hermann Klusmann'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1972) (Listed as a parent of 'Bertina')

(a) **'Hermann Lüdicke'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: F. Schneider (1863), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Hermann Nitzschner'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *brachycarpum* × *catawbiense* R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon rose, with green-yellow spots

(r) **'Hermann Ortgies'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alstroemerioides' hybrid R: J.B. Müller (pre 1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cherry red, edged flesh pink, strongly spotted and with a violet throat

(a) **'Hermann Seidel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L.L. Liebig, N: L.L. Liebig, I: L.L. Liebig (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, with very broad lobes in two rows, rose, with a bright red tint. Indian

(a) **'Hermann Seidel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte, père (1891), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet carmine. Amoena

(r) **'Hermann Seidel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* hybrid L: Firma Seidel (1926), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, bright carmine red

(r) **Hermann Seidel Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Eidam' (s) × *williamsianum* R: D.G. Hobbie (pre 1945), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 8-12/truss, bright rose

(a) **'Hermann's Superbum'** (An error for 'Herrmann's Superbum')

(a) **'Hermann Stahnke'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Ernst Thiers' R: H. Stahnke, N: H. Stahnke, I: H. Stahnke (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls strong red (51A), otherwise similar to parent. Syn: 'Lachs Thiers', 'Madame Spae'. Indian

(r) **'Hermann von Soden'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Firma Seidel (pre 1926), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, pale pink

(a) **'Herme'** (Syn. of 'Hermes')

(r) **'Herme'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Diadema' (s) × 'Everestianum' R: T.J.R. Seidel (1912), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale violet, with yellow-green markings. (Other descriptions, including that in the 1958 Register, are considered to be erroneous)

(r) **'Hermelin II'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale violet, with strong olive green spotting

(a) **'Hermes'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Eggebrechtii' I: T.J.H Seidel (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, strong purplish red (58C), with broad white edges. Calyx normal, green. Late. Syn: 'Herme'. Indian

(r) **Hermes Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* subsp. *apodectum* (s) × Lady Bessborough Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in loose trusses, campanulate, orange-yellow with pink markings. May.

(r) **'Hermia'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.H. Rogers & Son (pre 1942), N: W.H. Rogers & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose madder; scented

(a) **'Hermine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Delmotte (1858), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with broad carmine red stripes. Indian (L. van Houtte (1870, cat.) claims to be its originator)

(r) **'Hermine'** cv. Parentage unknown R: H. Backhus (c 1947) Fls bright red, with dark red markings and white anthers. Mid-late May

(r) **'Hermine Seidel'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 9-17/round, rather loose truss, 45-60mm wide, outside intense purple rose, inside pale purple rose, the centre almost white, with small brownish red markings on a white ground. Mid-late May

(a) **'Hermine van Eeckhaute'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte, père (1891), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish violet. Amoena

(a) **'Hermione'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: O. Schulz (1881), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, deep rose, the lobes held very erect. Indian

(a) **'Hermione'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Sander (c 1885), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep salmon red. Sander

(r) **'Hermione'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple lake. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Hermione'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Gilian Group (s) × *arboreum* R: E.J.P. Magor (1921), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 12/spherical truss, 45 × 75mm, 5-lobed, deep rich crimson or blood red. Lvs oblanceolate, up to 125 × 40mm, mid green, hairless. AM 1941

(r) **'Hermione Knight'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × Fusilier Group H: E. de Rothschild (1980), G: E. de Rothschild (1988), N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1988), REG: E. de Rothschild (1988) Fls 10/truss, 45 × 55mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (58B) shaded light purplish pink (62C), fading to pale purplish pink (62D) with strong red (53C) markings mainly on dorsal lobes. Lvs oblanceolate-ovate, 110 × 30mm, with a moderate orange-yellow (164B) indumentum on young foliage. May. AM 1995 (Originally published incorrectly as 'Hermoine Knight')

(r) **'Hermit'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1881), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet, spotted

(a) **'Hermosa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1880), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double/semi-double, large, dark rose. Indian

(r) **'Hernando'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *lacteum* (s) × yellow-flowered selection from Loderi Group × 'Golden Dream' H: D.W. Goheen (1979), G: D.W. Goheen (1990), N: D.W. Goheen, I: C. Hoffman (1994), REG: D.W. Goheen (1994) Fls 16-18/somewhat lax, domed truss, open funnel-campanulate, 76 × 102-114mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, brilliant greenish yellow (3A) in bud, opening light greenish yellow (3C, 4C), with a slight pink tinge which fades rapidly to leave the clear ground colour; stamens 10, straight. Calyx minute, green, tinged pink. Pedicels 32mm long, light green, pink on underside. Lvs elliptic, 127-152 × 64-76mm, dull, hairless and dark yellowish green (139A) above, moderate yellow-green (147C) below; petioles 38-51mm long, moderate yellow-green (138B). Shrub 1.5 × 1.8m in 10 years. Late March-early April

(r) **'Hero'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Gloria Gandavensis' (s) × *catawbiense* R: T.J.R. Seidel (1906), N: T.J.R. Seidel, I: T.J.R. Seidel (1915), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white, with olive green markings

(a) **'Herodian'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange scarlet. Indian

(a) **'Heroine'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Rinz (pre 1854), N: J. Rinz, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very double, soft rose, shaded chamois and white, carmine tube (L. van Houtte, 1858); later descriptions say only two rows of petals and a tangerine throat. Syn: 'Heroine Plena'. Ghent

(a) **'Heroine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale tender rose, with a cherry red blotch. Indian

(a) **'Heroine Plena'** (Syn. of 'Heroine')

(a) **'Heron'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls strong reddish orange (35A), with an orange-yellow blotch. Knap Hill

(a) **'Héros de Flandre'** (Syn. of 'Impératrice des Indes')

(a) **'Héros de Flandre'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* × *luteum* R: C. Vuylsteke, N: C. Vuylsteke, I: C. Vuylsteke (pre 1902), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright pink, shaded yellow

(r) **Herpesticum Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. dichroanthum* subsp. *herpesticum*

(a) **'Herrmann's Eri'** (Syn. of 'Doberlug')

(a) **'Herrmann's Superbum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Madame P.B. van Acker' × 'Paul Schäme' R: E. Herrmann, N: E. Herrmann, I: E. Herrmann (1964) Fls double, c80mm wide, vivid reddish orange (43A). Calyx normal, green. Indian (Sometimes seen in error as 'Hermann's Superbum')

(r) **'Herschel'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy carmine, with crimson spots. Hardy Hybrid (Listed as 'Herschelli' by W. Rollisson, 1877)

(a) **'Hershey's Bright Red'** (Syn. of 'Hershey's Red')

(a) **'Hershey's Gold'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Hershey's Red' R: Hershey's Azalea Farm (pre 1987), N: Hershey's Azalea Farm Fls hose-in-hose, reddish orange.

(a) **'Hershey's Orange'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: R. Hershey (pre 1965), N: R. Hershey Fls hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, vivid reddish orange (44B), with some darker dorsal spots

(a) **'Hershey's Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Hershey's Azalea Farm (pre 1987), N: Hershey's Azalea Farm Fls hose-in-hose, purplish pink

(a) **'Hershey's Purple'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: R. Hershey (pre 1965), N: R. Hershey Fls purple

(a) **'Hershey's Red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: R. Hershey (pre 1965), N: R. Hershey Fls hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, vivid red (52A). Lvs dark bronze in winter. Syn: 'Hershey's Bright Red'

(a) **'Hershey's Red-tetra'** cv. Evergreen azalea: colchicine-induced tetraploid form of 'Hershey's Red' R: USDA (pre 1980), N: USDA

(a) **'Hershey's Salmon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: R. Hershey (pre 1965), N: R. Hershey Fls salmon.

(a) **'Hershey's Salmon No. 2'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: R. Hershey (pre 1965), N: R. Hershey Fls salmon red. (Sometimes seen as 'Hershey's Salmon Red No. 2')

(a) **'Hershey's Salmon Red No. 2'** (Syn. of 'Hershey's Salmon No. 2')

(r) **'Hertha'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goldsworth Orange' × *wardii* (s) × *insigne* H: W. Bruns (1961), G: W. Bruns (1966), N: W. Bruns, REG: J. Bruns (1985) Fls 7-8/truss, 50-60 × 50-60mm, 7-8-lobed, pale pink-white, with pink margins and faint brown markings. Lvs long ovate, 100-120 × 40-50mm

(r) **'Herzas'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs R.S. Holford' × *wardii* R: D.G. Hobbie (c 1952), N: W. Schmalscheidt (1986) Fls creamy to yellowish, outsides tinted pink, strong dark red dorsal marking

(a) **'Herzog Adolph von Nassau'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Henderson & Co. (1861), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose. Indian (Perhaps the same plant also listed as 'Duc de Nassau')

(r) **'Herzog Alexander von Würtemberg'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: Firma S. Rinz (pre 1862), N: Firma S. Rinz, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark brown-red, strongly spotted. (Probably the same plant also listed as 'Duc Alexandre de Wurtemberg' and 'Duc de Wurtemberg')

(a) **'Herzog Ernst von Sachsen-Cobourgh-Gotha'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Schulz (pre 1866), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Herzog Eugen von Würtemberg'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alstroemerioides' hybrid R: J.B. Müller (pre 1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls flesh pink, marked carmine red

(a) **'Herzogin Adelaide von Nassau'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Gebr Mardner (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark red, with violet spots. Indian

(a) **'Herzogin Paulina von Nassau'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Gebr Mardner (1854), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Herzog Paul Wilhelm von Wurttemberg'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark lilac, tinged rose, marked purple. (Apparently incorrectly attributed to C.J.H. Walther; Würtemberg is likely to be the correct spelling)

(a) **'Herzog von Aumale'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Rinz (pre 1869), N: J. Rinz, INC: ICRA (1958) Ground colour as in 'Albocinctum', but thickly marked with broad bands of deep scarlet. Indian

(r) **'Hesperia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *R.* × *detonsum* × 'Empress Eugénie' R: E.J.P. Magor (1921), N: E.J.P. Magor, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Hesperides'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Ayah Group (s) × *griersonianum* R: L. de Rothschild (pre 1940), N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1988), REG:

ICRA (1995) Fls 15-16/truss, funnel-shaped, up to 65 × 85mm, 5-lobed, strong red (53C), with a darker blotch and spotting in the throat; stamens 10, filaments red, anthers dark brown. Calyx reddish, rudimentary, glandular hairy. Lvs oblong-lanceolate, up to 180 × 50mm, dark matt green above, paler below and with traces of fawn indumentum. Late May. AM 1988 (Hesperides Group)

(r) **Hesperides Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Ayah Group (s) × *griersonianum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1940), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Hesperus'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: unknown (1883), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose, with a dark blotch. Indian

(r) **'Hespirus'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pretty shaded pink

(r) **'Hess Orange'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Snow Queen Group hybrid R: N.E. Hess, I: Roslyn Nursery (1994) Fls in a ball truss, orange. Rounded shrub, 1.5m in 10 years; new growth bright red

(r) **'Hester'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with brown spots

(r) **'Hestia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tortoiseshell Wonder' (s) × 'Goliath' H: Boskoop (1960), G: Boskoop (1968), N: Boskoop, I: Boskoop (1984), REG: Boskoop (1983) Fks 11-16/truss, 80mm wide, strong red (53C) in bud, opening strong purplish pink (55B) inside with a bronze yellow blotch and bronze dorsal spotting; outside deep purplish pink (55A). Lvs elliptic, 120-140 × 40-50mm, dark green, hairless

(r) **'Hesus'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright crimson. (Exhibited by Standish, 1862)

(a) **'Heswall'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: M.C. Pratt (1986), G: Ness Botanic Gardens (1996), N: Ness Botanic Gardens, REG: Ness Botanic Gardens (2000) Fls 7-10/loose truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds vivid yellow (16A), suffused deep pink (52C), opening light yellow (10C) inside and pale yellow (11C) outside; vivid yellow (17C) spots on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 2mm long, strong yellow-green (144C). Lvs elliptic, 25-60 × 8-25mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, margins flat, glossy above, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 1.5m in 14 years. June. (Standard: colour slide provided by registrant (WSY 0025876))

(r) **'Heterophyllum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C.J.H. Walther (pre 1863), N: C.J.H. Walther, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet, spotted. Hardy Hybrid (The 'Heterophyllum' listed by Lefevre in 1837, as a selection from *ponticum*, may have been another plant)

(r) **'Hethersett'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* × *maddenii* R: J.H. Mangles (pre 1884), N: Mrs D. Gordon, I: Mrs D. Gordon (1962), REG: Mrs D. Gordon (1962) Fls 7/truss, tubular, light yellow (11B) inside; outside tinged light orange-yellow (25D). AM 1962 Syn: 'Primrose Queen' (Rose Mangles Group)

(r) **'Hetty Davies'** cv. Parentage unknown R: I. Davies (pre 1896), N: I. Davies, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Heureuse Surprise'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Sunningdale Nurseries (1855), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 45mm wide, light purplish pink (62C) with dark yellow spots. Late. Ghent

(a) **'Hexe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Amoenum' × 'Duc de Nassau' R: O. Forster (1878), N: O. Forster, I: O. Forster (c 1885), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single (average 5 stamens/fl), hose-in-hose, c45mm wide, strong purplish red (58B). Calyx coloured as corolla. Late. AM 1907. Syn: 'Firefly'. Indian (Other plants may be circulating under this name, judging from variations in the descriptions. Not a Sander introduction as sometimes stated)

(a) **'Hexe de Saffelaere'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Professeur Wolters' × 'Hexe' I: A. van Hecke (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 65mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (58B). Calyx as corolla. Late. Syn: 'Red Wing' (under which name it is most widely grown), 'Adolph van Hecke'. Indian

(a) **'Hexe Grandiflora'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, deep red. Indian

(a) **'Hexe Grandis'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, deep red, tinged light purple. Indian

(a) **'Hexe Prima'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red, 'Hexe'-shaped. Indian

(a) **'Hexe Rosea'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Hexe' I: A. Haerens (1907), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rose. Indian

(a) **'Hexe Rosea'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, deep rose. Indian

(a) **'Hexe Saumonea'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Hexe' I: A. Steyaert (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, salmon red. Indian

(a) **'Hexe Superba'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Eggebrechtii' × 'Easter Greetings' I: A. Haerens (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red, 'Hexe'-shaped. Indian

(a) **'Hexe Supérieur'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hexe' × 'Le Flambeau' I: A. Haerens (1923), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, red, upper lobes are striped with a dark band. Indian

(a) **'Hexe Supreme'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1965) Fls double, deep red

(r) **'Heyday'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Harrisville' × 'Pink Twins' H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 12/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 46 × 64mm, with 5 very

wavy-edged lobes, deep and strong purplish red (61A, B) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (65D), edged with a blend of strong purplish red and deep purplish pink (64B-D); filaments and style pale purplish pink (65D); anthers brownish orange (164A); stigma dark red (187A). Calyx 19mm long, deep and pale purplish pink (64D, 65D). Lvs 127 × 60mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 18 years. Early June.

(a) **'Heyden'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Basket Neck Nursery (1985)

(a) **'H.F. Du Pont'** cv. Evergreen azalea: possibly a *mucronatum* hybrid N: T.F. Wheeldon (pre 1987) Fls hose-in-hose, 25mm wide, vivid reddish orange. Rounded habit. Midseason.

(a) **'H.H. Hume'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* × 'Snow' (Kurume) R: USDA, N: USDA, Beltsville, I: USDA, Beltsville (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 3-5/truss, hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, white, with slight yellow shading in the throat. (Derived from the work of G.E. Yerkes & R.L. Pryor)

(a) **'H.H. Hunnewell'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (c 1920), N: W.C. Slocock Ltd, I: W.C. Slocock Ltd, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vivid purplish red. Late. Knap Hill

(r) **'H.H. Hunnewell'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rich darkest crimson. FCC 1865

(a) **'Hiawatha'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Sander (c 1885), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon rose. Sander

(a) **'Hiawatha'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: A. Pericat, N: Robert Craig & Co., I: Robert Craig & Co. (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, with rounded lobes, 40mm wide, rose opal (022) with a darker blotch. Spreading shrub. Midseason. Pericat

(a) **'Hiawatha'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Bobbink & Atkins (pre 1950), N: Bobbink & Atkins, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Hiawatha'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, vivid reddish orange, with a darker blotch. Early-midseason. Knap Hill

(r) **Hiawatha Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Adrastia Group (s) × *griersonianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1929), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine

(r) **'Hiawatha'** cv. Parentage unknown H: W.E. Stokes (pre 1969)

(r) **'Hibbertii'** cv. Parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1844), INC: ICRA (1958) (Perhaps an error for 'Herbertii')

(r) **'Hibbertii Grandiflorum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Hibotan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan Fls double, dark pink, with darker blotches. Satsuki

(r) **'Hi Drama'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *brachycarpum* × 'Crest' (s) × 'Stokes Bronze Wings' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls pale purplish pink (65C, D) in bud, opening white with a pale yellow (8D) throat and moderate red (182A) dorsal spots. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Hien'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1976), N: Japan Fls pale red. (Developed on Hirado Island, Japan)

(a) **'Higasa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Banko' × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 100-125mm wide, with broadly overlapping, wavy-edged, "laid back" lobes, purplish pink, with a prominent reddish purple blotch. Satsuki

(a) **'Higashi-yama'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958). Kurume

(a) **'Higata-kirin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan. Satsuki

(r) **'High Beeches'** (Syn. of 'Fabia High Beeches')

(r) **'High Beech Hybrid'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × 'Sir Charles Butler' R: unknown (pre 1894), I: W. Paul & Son (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls delicate salmon pink, sweetly scented. AM 1894 (In 1903 W. Paul & Son showed a 'High Beech Pink' (fls rose pink) which may have been the same plant)

(r) **'High Beech Pink'** (See note under 'High Beech Hybrid')

(r) **'Highclere Yellow'** cv. Parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1851), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow. (Possibly an azaleodendron)

(v) **'High Country Wedding'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: (*konori* var. *phaeopeplum* × *lochiae*) × *leucogigas* × *laetum* H: J.L. Rouse (1984), G: G.L.S. Snell (1989), N: R. Macdonald (1991), I: Foothills Nursery (1991), REG: Foothills Nursery (1992) Fls 7-9/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 70 × 70mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, light yellow (10C) inside with strong purplish pink (55B) lobes fading to centre; outside light yellow (10C). Lvs elliptic, 140 × 70mm, flat, matt green, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 2.0m. Spring-autumn.

(r) **'High Curley'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group × *griersonianum* × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* hybrid H: Waterer (Bagshot) (1959), G: Waterer (Bagshot) (1968), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975) Fls 10-12/truss, 50 × 50mm, 7-lobed, light greenish yellow (4C), slightly flushed pale pur-

plish pink (56B) on edges. Calyx 10mm long, yellow. Lvs 80-90 × 20-30mm, yellowish green. Tall shrub. Mid May.

(r) **'High Esteem'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scintillation' (s) × *haematodes* H: Scott Arboretum (1958), G: Scott Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister

(a) **'High Fashion'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Greer Gardens (1976) Fls deep pink, with an orange blotch. Knap Hill

(r) **'Highfield Cream'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × unknown G: Mrs R.J. Coker, N: Mrs R.J. Coker, I: Mrs J.S. Clyne, REG: Mrs J.S. Clyne (1979) Fls 9/truss, open funnel-shaped, with wavy-edged lobes, opening light greenish yellow (8B), fading to pale cream, with a slight greenish tinge in the throat. Shrub 0.6 × 1.0m in 5 years. (Seed originally from USA)

(r) **'High Flier'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *vesiculiferum*, grown from KW 10952 R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1968), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1969) Fls 10-12/loose, subumbellate truss, 40 × 45mm, deep purplish red (61A) in bud, paling as flower opens when outside is strongly flushed moderate purplish pink (66D) - more so on dorsal than ventral lobes, base of throat dark red (59A). Calyx lobes 5, up to 6mm long, irregular, flushed red. Lvs oblanceolate, up to 175 × 65mm, covered with long, pale, reddish tipped, glandular hairs. AM 1968

(r) **'High Gold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Damaris Group × 'Crest' H: J. Eichelser, I: J. Eichelser (1982) Fls large, open-faced, with wavy-edged lobes, deep lemon yellow. Lvs glossy green. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. (At one time plants of 'Top Hat' were sold in error under this name. See also note under 'Top Hat'. 'High Gold' is taller, with glossier, larger leaves)

(r) **'High Hope'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × *maximum* × *fortunei* subsp. *fortunei* H: Scott Arboretum (1958), G: Scott Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister Fls pure white

(v) **'Highland Arabesque'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *orbiculatum* × *laetum* × *aurigeranum* H: J.L. Rouse (1983), G: G.L.S. Snell (1987), N: G.L.S. Snell, REG: G.L.S. Snell (1991) Fls 5-7/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 70 × 70mm, 5-lobed, deep purplish pink (66C). Lvs broadly elliptic, 70 × 40mm. Shrub 1.0m. Spring-autumn

(a) **'Highlander'** cv. Evergreen azalea: un-named pink and white double × 'Damask Rose' R: R. Harrington (c 1970), N: R. Harrington Fls 90mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red, with a darker blotch. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **Highlander Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Adonis' (s) × 'Kingianum' H: Lord Aberconway (1934), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose red. (Pollen parent variously recorded as *arboreum* subsp. *zeylanicum* or 'Kingianum')

(v) **'Highlander'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *lochiae* L: Vireya Venue (1997) Fls in loose trusses, campanulate, scarlet. Bushy shrub to 1.0m or more

(v) **'Highland Fair'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *konori* var. *phaeopeplum* × *lochiae* × *zoelleri* H: J.L. Rouse, G: G.L.S. Snell (1986), N: G.L.S. Snell (1992), I: G.L.S. Snell (1992), REG: G.L.S. Snell (1992) Fls 5/open truss, campanulate, 55 × 80mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, green in bud, opening light yellowish pink (36C) inside, the 3 dorsal lobes light yellowish pink (36C); outside moderate yellowish pink (37C) with strong red (50A) lobes. Lvs broadly lanceolate, 90 × 55mm, margins upcurved, glossy green above, obtuse at base, cuneate at apex, with silvery scales on young foliage. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 12 years. May flower at any time of year

(r) **'Highland Flynn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably derived mainly from *catawbiense* and *fortunei* H: W.L. Tolstead (1985), G: W.L. Tolstead (1992), N: W.L. Tolstead, REG: W.L. Tolstead (1993) Fls c10/conical truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 70mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, strong reddish purple (2.5RP 5/10), with a dark red blotch; stamens 10, curved. Pedicels 15mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 95 × 45mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless; petioles 10mm long, green. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 7 years. Late May.

(r) **'Highland Mary'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1858), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls delicate blush, with orange spots

(v) **'Highland Peter Pan'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *christianae* × 'Sweet Wendy' H: G.L.S. Snell (c 1980), G: G.L.S. Snell (1985), N: G.L.S. Snell, I: Vireya Venue (1990), REG: G.L.S. Snell (1990) Fls 5-6/truss, funnel-shaped, 60 × 50mm, with 5 twisted lobes, tube brilliant yellow (14C) inside and out, lobes strong red (41B); stigma tip green. Lvs elliptic, 80 × 50mm, hairless. Shrub 1.2m. Autumn

(v) **'Highland White Jade'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' × *herzogii* × *laetum* × *aurigeranum* H: J.L. Rouse, G: G.L.S. Snell (1984), N: G.L.S. Snell, I: Shrublands Nursery (1987), REG: Shrublands Nursery (1988) Fls 4-7/truss, long tubular funnel-shaped, 70 × 40mm, 5-lobed (the two lower lobes reflexed), pale greenish yellow (10D). Lvs elliptic, 70 × 40mm, hairless. Shrub 1.2m tall. Summer-autumn

(r) **'Highlight'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Glennie, N: W.E. Glennie, I: W.E. Glennie, REG: W.E. Glennie (1980) Fls 27/truss, red

(r) **'Highnoon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Earl of Athlone (s) × Fabia Group R: R. Henny (1944), N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny (pre 1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a loose truss, bright, waxy red. Shrub of sprawling habit, very slow-growing

(r) **'High Regard'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × *maximum* × *fortunei* subsp. *fortunei* H:

Scott Arboretum (1958), G: Scott Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister Fls faint pink

(a) **'High Sierras'** cv. Deciduous azalea: grown from imported Knap Hill Nursery seed, parentage unknown G: Bovees Nursery, N: Bovees Nursery, I: Bovees Nursery, REG: Bovees Nursery (1969) Fls 9-12/truss, up to 90mm wide, rather squarish in form, white, with a yellowish green blotch. Lvs up to 150mm long. Shrub 1.2-1.5m in 20 years. Late May

(r) **'High Society'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × *dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* H: Boswells Nurseries (1971), G: Mrs J.E. Keeley, N: Mrs J.E. Keeley, REG: Mrs J.E. Keeley (1987) Fls 14/truss, 40 × 45mm, 5-lobed, vivid red (52A), lobes maturing to strong pink (49A), the tube to pale yellowish pink (29D). Calyx 30mm long, pink, giving hose-in-hose appearance. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 90 × 30mm, with a thick moderate orange-yellow (164C) indumentum below; young shoots with white indumentum; petioles yellow. Compact, slow-growing shrub. Late October-early November (New Zealand)

(r) **'High Summer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs J.G. Millais' × Inamorata Group H: E.G. Millais (1963), G: E.G. Millais, N: Millais Nurseries, I: Millais Nurseries (1977), REG: E.G. Millais (1981) Fls 12/lax, domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 70mm, with wavy-edged lobes, nearest but much paler than pale greenish yellow (2D), shading to light greenish yellow (4C) at centre, upper half of the throat spotted light yellow (10B). Lvs 100 × 50mm, mid, dull green. Shrub 1.3 × 1.9m. Late May-early June

(a) **'High Tide'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: E.J. Aromi, L: Magnolia Nursery (1995) Fls white, with pink tips

(r) **'High Tower'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marinus Koster', selfed R: P. Newberry (pre 1980), N: P. Newberry

(r) **'High Voltage'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Yak Van Zile' × 'Mrs W.R. Coe' (s) × 'Dead Ringer' H: C. Trautmann, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls deep red (53A) in bud, opening deep and strong red (53A, B) with dark red (187A) dorsal spots; filaments and style deep red (53A); anthers pale yellow (158A); stigma dark red (187A). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(a) **'Higo-murasaki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c40mm wide, purple. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Higoromo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *eriocarpum* × *kaempferi* I: K. Wada (pre 1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, scarlet. Compact, dwarf shrub. Syn: 'Scarlet Robe'. Wada

(a) **'Higurashi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c50mm wide, cherry blossom pink, with very fine dots. Satsuki

(r) **'Hi-Ho'** cv. Parentage unknown R: G.W. Clarke (pre 1980), N: G.W. Clarke

(r) **'Hikage-no-kagayaki'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Curlew' (s) × *keiskei* Cordifolium Group H: M. Hatori (1981), G: M. Hatori (1986), N: M. Hatori (1996), REG: M. Hatori (1996) Fls up to 4/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 60mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, yellow in bud, opening light yellow-green (2C) inside and out, with small, orange spots in the dorsal throat. Calyx 2-7mm long, green/brown. Lvs elliptic, 25-30 × 15-20mm, flat, obtuse at apex and base, glossy above, scaly (scales green ageing to brown). Shrub 20 × 55cm in 14 years

(a) **'Hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Soko' R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls with large, rounded, overlapping lobes, 75-100mm wide, white, with flakes, sectors and dots of light pink; occasional selfs of strong pink and white margined with pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Hikari-no-affinity'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls light pink, with a deep orange margin; very variable. Satsuki (Listed by Galle (1987); perhaps a garbled name)

(a) **'Hikari-no-tsukasa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Nikko' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls star-shaped, with narrow, pointed lobes, 40-50mm wide, white to light pink, some with stripes, sectors & selfs in strong red. Satsuki (Widely used as a subject for bonsai work in Japan)

(a) **'Hikarugenji'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ishiyama' × 'Kinsai' R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 40-50mm wide, with well-separated, narrow lobes, purplish pink, with dark spots. Satsuki

(a) **'Hikkasen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1939), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale salmon pink, paler in the tube, with deeper spotting; anthers white. Calyx slightly distorted. Kurume (Galle (1987) refers this to 'Hiyakasan')

(a) **'Hilare'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Whitley & Osborn (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Shrub 1.0-1.5m. (Probably of Belgian origin; often seen as 'Hilaris' when treated under the feminine genus *Azalea*; listed as well as 'Hilarissimum' by L. van Houtte, 1870; L. Jacob-Makoy (1851, cat.) indicates 'Pictura Subtilissima' (sic) as a synonym (? = 'Picturatum Subtilissimum'), but J. van Geert, 1835 lists both)

(a) **'Hilare Novum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed in addition to 'Hilare' by Knight & Perry)

(r) **'Hilaria'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* × Barclayi Group N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 14-18/compact truss, tubular-campanulate, 40-50mm long, deep crimson. Calyx small. Lvs oblong-lanceolate, 100-120 × 30-35mm, silvery below. Tree to c 6m

(a) **'Hilarissimum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1840), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, shaded lilac rose, spotted with chrome yellow. Ghent (Listed by L.Leroy, 1868, as 'Hillarissimum' ; see also note under 'Hilare')

(r) **'Hilary Alice'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cup Day' (s) × unknown H: D.J. Dosser (1988), G: D.J. Dosser (1997), N: D.J. Dosser (1998), REG: D.J. Dosser (1998) Fls in a conical truss, funnel-shaped, 100mm wide, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63A) in bud, opening strong purplish pink (63C) turning to white, outside strong purplish pink (63C); deep purplish pink (61D) spotting. Lvs oblanceolate/elliptic, 160 × 40mm, margins decurved, obtuse at apex, attenuate at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 0.8m in 10 years. October (Tasmania)

(r) **'Hilary Joan'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Harry Tagg' (s) × 'Anne Teese' H: H. O'Rourke (1987), G: B. McLaughlan (1994), N: B. McLaughlan (1996), REG: B. McLaughlan (1996) Fls 5/open truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 140mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish red (59C) in bud, opening inside strong purplish red (59D), outside strongly flushed deep purplish red (59B); unmarked. Lvs elliptic, 70 × 30mm, margins decurved, glossy above, acute at apex, cuneate at base, scaly. Shrub 0.65 × 0.3m in 6 years. October (Australia)

(a) **'Hilda'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: E. de Reuse, I: Madame E. de Reuse (1932), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, red. Indian

(a) **'Hilda Hedlund'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Sander (c 1885), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep pink. Sander

(r) **'Hilda Margaret'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Carita Group × *fortunei* H: W.S. Reuthe (pre 1970), G: E.W. Reuthe (c 1980), N: E.W. Reuthe, I: G. Reuthe Ltd (1988), REG: E.W. Reuthe (1994) Fls 9-10/rounded truss (flattened at apex), funnel-shaped, 60 × 80-100mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, buds deep purplish pink (54B), opening inside light yellowish pink (27B), flushed strong pink (54C) on lobe tips; outside moderate purplish pink (54D), deep purplish pink (54B) blotch at base of tube. Calyx 3-4mm long, dark yellowish green (189A). Lvs elliptic, 95-100 × 59-62mm, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.3m in 6 years. April-May. (Published in G. Reuthe Ltd cat., July 1988-June 1989)

(v) **'Hilda Margaret Crouch'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* × *zoelleri* × *konori* H: T. Lelliott (c 1978), G: T. Lelliott (1989), N: Mrs H. Crouch, I: Mrs H. Crouch (1990), REG: Mrs H. Crouch (1991) Fls 5/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, 5-lobed, light greenish yellow (8C). Lvs elliptic, 100 × 60mm. Shrub 0.5m. Spring-autumn

(a) **'Hilda May'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: W. Simpson, G: W. Simpson (1971), I: F.R. Waghorn, REG: F.R. Waghorn (1986) Fls single, 10-15/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 90 × 50mm, 5-7-lobed, deep pink (52C), with a vivid yellow (13A) flare on the dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 45mm. Shrub 2.0m

(a) **'Hilda Niblett'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Glacier' × 'Tama-giku' (s) × 'Getsutoku' H: R.D. Gartrell (1962), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, I: Transplant Nursery, REG: R.D. Gartrell (1985) Fls single, 1/bud, 36 × 85mm, broadly funnel-shaped, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, pale tints of strong pink (52D) to pale purplish pink (55D), sometimes paler at margin, variously flecked, striped or sectored strong red (50A); occasionally selfed; throat greenish white; spotted deep pink (185D) or deep purplish red (59B) over markings. Calyx 5mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Spring lvs elliptic, 40 × 19mm. Shrub up to 1.0m. (Robin Hill azalea no. T17-5)

(a) **'Hilda, Princesse de Nassau'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Costantini (1886). Indian

(r) **'Hilda Spencer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: J.H. Mangles (pre 1884), REG: Lady Adam Gordon (1984) Fls 11/open-topped, but domed truss, campanulate, 40-45 × 60-65mm, 5-lobed, white, suffused deep pink (48B) on the dorsal lobe outside, suffused light yellow-green (2C) and spotted with pale orange-brown on the dorsal lobe inside. Calyx up to 13mm long, irregular, green, edged and suffused red. Lvs ovate-lanceolate to broadly elliptic, 130 × 70mm, dark green and shiny above, with very sparse, minute brown hairs below

(r) **'Hilde'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fulvum* (s) × *lacteum* H: J.B. Stevenson (1930), N: Mrs R.M. Stevenson (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow, flushed pink

(r) **'Hildebrand'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson, with black spots

(a) **'Hildegard'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L.L. Liebig (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white, with fine, rose specks. Indian

(r) **'Hildegard'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with dark purple spots

(a) **'Hilde Steyaert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1959) Fls semi-double, with an average of 3 stamens/flower, deep yellowish pink (43C). Calyx normal, green. Late. Indian

(r) **'Hi-lighter'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Making Waves' (s) × 'Blough's Yellow Bud' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls vivid, brilliant and light yellow-green (154A, C, D), pale purplish pink (56C) and pale greenish yellow (1D) in bud, opening vivid yellow-green (154A) edged pale yellow-green (157A); filaments and style pale greenish yellow (1D); anthers pale purplish pink (56A); stigma

greyish red (184A). Calyx small, pale greenish yellow (1D). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Hill Ayah'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × *facetum* R: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.W.M. Magor, REG: E.W.M. Magor (1965) Fls 8-11/compact truss, funnel-shaped, c50 × 75mm, 7-lobed, rose madder (between 23/2 and 23/1), the throat spotted rose opal (022); buds cardinal red (822/1). Calyx c15mm long, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 140-190 × 53mm, pale green below. AM 1965

(a) **'Hillbilly'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown G: W.L. Tolstead (1970), N: W.L. Tolstead, I: W.L. Tolstead (1994), REG: W.L. Tolstead (1994) Fls 3-5/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 25 × 30mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, strong reddish purple, with a dark purple centre; stamens 8-10, curved. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 20-30 × 15mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairy above and below; petioles 20mm long, green, hairy. Shrub 1.8 × 1.5m in 29 years. Mid May.

(r) **'Hillbilly Pink to White'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan' (s) × 'Carolyn Grace' H: D.B. Johnson (1985), G: D.B. Johnson (1992), N: D.B. Johnson (1997), REG: D.B. Johnson (1997) Fls 10/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (45B) in bud, opening pink and fading to white, lightly flushed pink with pale yellowish pink (36D) margins inside, and with strong purplish red (54A) stripes on margins outside. Lvs elliptic, 95 × 45mm, with upcurved margins, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, semi-glossy, moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 0.75m in 12 years. Early May.

(r) **'Hillcrest'** cv. Parentage unknown R: B. Esch (pre 1960), I: Briggs Nursery (pre 1988) Fls strong red. Lvs deep green. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Hille'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Graf Lennart' (s) × *irroratum* 'Polka Dot' H: J. Wieting (1984), G: J. Wieting (1991), N: J. Wieting (1994), REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1996) Fls 9-13/compact, rounded truss, open funnel-shaped, 35-46 × 50-70mm, with 5-6 slightly wavy-edged lobes, pale yellow, tinged pink in bud, opening creamy yellow inside and out (at first tinged pink especially on the margin outside); all lobes speckled dark red. Calyx 3-4mm long, green at apex, reddish brown towards the base. Lvs ovate to elliptic, 62-106 × 30-45mm, margins flat to decurved, slightly glossy above, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 0.9m in 9 years, of very compact habit. Early April

(a) **'Hillier's Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* R: Hilliers (pre 1937), N: Hilliers, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light purplish pink

(r) **'Hillier's Pink'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *campylogynum* L: UK (1988) Fls dusky pink

(r) **'Hill of Tarvit'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *ferrugineum* L: UK (1994)

(r) **'Hill's Bright Red'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Elizabeth Group × Kilimanjaro Group R: Hill (pre 1988) Fls red. Lvs dark green, with deep veining. Shrub 0.9m in 10 years, with new stems red. Mid-late April

(r) **'Hillsdale'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Chesterland' (s) × *fortunei* H: H.R. Shroeder (1967), G: H.R. Shroeder (1972), N: H.R. Shroeder, I: S. Schroeder (1976), REG: H.R. Shroeder (1983) Fls 18/truss, 45 × 90mm, 5-6-lobed, pale purplish pink (56B), shading to pale purplish pink (56D) at margins, with prominent dorsal spotting of brilliant yellow-green (154B). Calyx 1-2mm long, strong yellow-green (143C). Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 145 × 60mm, hairless. Shrub 1.3m in 11 years

(r) **'Hillside Orange'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: M. Sanders (1988), G: Sanders Nursery (1995), N: M. Sanders, I: Sanders Nursery, REG: M. Sanders (1998) Fls 14/flat, lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 70 × 80mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, strong red (41B) at edges, shading to strong yellowish pink (37B) at centre with age, with a small vivid red (45A) dorsal flare; nectaries vivid reddish orange (42A). Calyx 15mm long, vivid reddish orange (44B). Lvs elliptic, 130 × 50mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.5m in 9 years. Mid June

(r) **'Hill's Low Red'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown, possibly involving *haematodes* H: unknown, G: W. Hill (pre 1975), S: J. Barlup (pre 1975), N: W. Hill, REG: J. Barlup (1999) Fls 10/ball truss, funnel-campanulate, 45 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, dark red (59A) in bud, opening vivid red (45B) throughout, with a dark red (187A) basal blotch (c5-15mm deep) and slight, dark red (187B) dorsal spotting. Calyx c15mm long, vivid red (45B), with a narrow (c3mm wide) band of dark red (187A) at the base. Lvs elliptic, 85 × 40mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, margins decurved, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, with a thick, hairy indumentum below and on petioles (hairs pale orange-yellow (159C) at first ageing to moderate orange-yellow (164B)). Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in 10 years. Late May. (Published in *Greer's Guidebook to Available Rhododendrons*, second edn (1988))

(a) **'Hill's Single Red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *nakaharae*, open-pollinated R: Mrs J.W. Hill (pre 1987), N: Transplant Nursery Fls reddish orange. Shrub of compact, spreading habit. Similar to 'North Tisbury Orange'

(r) **'Hiltingbury'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *dauricum* R: Japan (pre 1939), N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1990), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1990) Fls 3-4/individual cluster, from axillary shoots, broadly funnel-shaped, up to 20 × 40mm, 5-lobed, vivid reddish

purple (78A) inside, strong reddish purple (72B) outside. Calyx lobes rudimentary, green, scaly. Lvs elliptic, up to 42 × 20mm, dark green, densely scaly below, slightly scaly above. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 20 years. January-March. AM 1990

(a) **'Hilversum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, double, deep red. Indian

(r) **'Himalayan Child'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *hodgsonii* × *falconeri* R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1981), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1981) Fls up to 28-30/loose, rounded truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 8-lobed, inside light purplish pink (68D), with darker inter-lobe staining of strong purplish pink (68B) and a blotch of deep purplish red (61A) deep in the throat; outside strong purplish pink (68B), strongly overlaid vivid purplish red (67B). Calyx rudimentary. Lvs narrowly elliptic, up to 280 × 90mm, dull green above, with a silvery brown indumentum below. AM 1981 (Grown from wild-collected seed, KW 13681)

(r) **'Himalayan Storm'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown, natural hybrid R: Mrs A.C.U. Berry (pre 1992) Fls large, white, with a gold blotch. Lvs large. Vigorous small tree, over 1.8m in 10 years. Early May

(a) **'Hime'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1989), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Himearukuma'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls trumpet-shaped, 65-75mm wide, the well-spaced pointed lobes with notched tips, white to pale greenish white; veryvariably marked - occasional vivid pink sectors or selfs; blotch green or sometimes pink, with darker pink stripes and flecks; some all white fls. Satsuki (Sometimes seen as 'Himearukumo')

(a) **'Hime-kagami'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1920), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 30mm wide, white, with a few pink stripes. Kurume

(a) **'Hime-kikoshi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Hime-nakahara'** cv. Evergreen azalea: possibly a selection from *nakaharae* R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls small, trumpet-shaped, reddish orange. Lvs 20-25mm long. Low, spreading, ground-hugging habit. Satsuki

(a) **'Hime-nishiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Chitose-nishiki' × 'Gumpo' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, with irregular, rounded, wavy-edged lobes, white with sectors, flecks and dots of purplish red; occasional selfs and fls with paler edges. Satsuki

(a) **'Hime-no-hana'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Himeshishin-nishiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 40mm wide, with rounded, overlapping lobes, pale pink, with a green throat; occasionally white with greenish tips. Early. Satsuki

(r) **'Himiko'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *degronianum* subsp. *heptamerum* G: Mrs N. Kawazu (1990), S: Mrs N. Kawazu, N: H. Maefara, REG: Mrs N. Kawazu (1993) Fls 12-13/ball truss, double (with petaloid or partially petaloid stamens), 50 × 50mm, with 15-20 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53C), changing to strong red (53D) and with a green or reddish blotch; stamens curved. Calyx very small. Lvs 120 × 45mm, with a felted brown indumentum below, deep glossy green above. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 6 years

(v) **'Hina'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *zoelleri* × *leucogigas* (s) × 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' × (*macgregoriae* × *aurigeranum*) H: R.A. Mitchell (1995), G: R.A. Mitchell (2000), N: R.A. Mitchell (2002), REG: R.A. Mitchell (2002) Fls 6/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 65 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside moderate pink (51D) on lobes, merging into light greenish yellow (8B) on tube; outside moderate pink (51D) at lobe margins merging into light greenish yellow (8B); unmarked. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 50mm, margins upcurved, acuminate at apex, cuneate at base, dull and dark yellowish green (136B) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in 7 years. October-December. (Etymology: named for the Hawaiian goddess in the moon)

(a) **'Hina-zakura'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* L: Miyami-en Nursery (1976) Fls 25mm wide, vivid purplish red (57D)

(a) **'Hinckley's Pride'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid R: W.D. Smith (pre 1982), N: W.D. Smith Fls hose-in-hose, 65-75mm wide, cardinal red. (See *The Azalean* 4 (1): 1-2 (1982) for notes on parentage)

(r) **'Hindsight'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Epoch' × 'Achiever' × *pemakoense* Patulum Group H: W.E. Delp (1985), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 6/terminal shoot, open funnel-shaped, 48 × 64mm, 5-lobed, a blend of moderate, light and pale purplish pink (62B, C, D) in bud, opening very pale purple (69C) edged light purple (75A, B), with vivid yellow-green (154A) dorsal spots; anthers dark yellowish pink (181D). Lvs 76 × 32mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, scaly. Shrub 1.0 × 0.9m in 7 years. Mid May. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer (1992))

(r) **'Hindustan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* × 'Goldsworth Orange' (s) × 'America' × Gertrud Schäle Group H: D.G. Leach (1967), G: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1983) Fls 17/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, 5-lobed, buds strong red (51A) developing to deep pink (48A) and opening pale yellow (20C), perimeter flushed pale purplish pink (55D(-62D)), dorsal spotting of light yel-

low (17D); outside with light purplish pink (62C) ribs. Calyx minute, greenish yellow. Lvs elliptic, 135 × 60mm, dark yellowish green (139A). Shrub c2.4m in 14 years

(a) **'Hino-crimson'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Amoenum' (s) × 'Hinodegiri' R: J. Vermeulen & Son, N: J. Vermeulen & Son, I: J. Vermeulen & Son (1944), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 6/lax, globular truss, open funnel-shaped, 25 × 30mm, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53D), flushed strong red (53B) especially in the throat. Lvs 20-30 × 7-13mm, mid, glossy green. Shrub c0.5m. *AM 1974. Kurume

(a) **'Hinode'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, rose-coloured. Kurume

(a) **'Hinode'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* L: Miyami-en Nursery (1976) Fls 25mm wide, strong purplish red (58B)

(a) **'Hinodegiri'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1918), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 3/compact, more-or-less domed truss, funnel-shaped, 25 × 30mm, strong purplish red (58B); anthers deep red. Lvs 20 × 13mm, glossy mid green. Shrub c0.7m. *AM 1965 Syn: 'Mist of the Rising Sun', 'Red Hussar'; Wilson no.42. Kurume

(a) **'Hinodegiri Double'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, otherwise similar to 'Hinodegiri'. Syn: 'Double Hinodegiri'

(a) **'Hinode Girl'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Camellia Lodge Nursery (1964) Fls single, cerise red. (Perhaps an error for 'Hinodegiri')

(a) **'Hinode-kirishima'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from Obtusum Group R: Japan (pre 1995), N: Japan

(a) **'Hinode-no-kumo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson. Kurume (Perhaps identical with 'Hinodegiri')

(a) **'Hinode-no-taka'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1918), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, vivid red (46C), with red anthers. Syn: 'Ruby'; Wilson no.48. Kurume

(a) **'Hinohakama'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, 40mm wide, rose opal (022/1). Kurume

(a) **'Hinomayo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from Obtusum Group R: Japan (pre 1910), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 30mm wide, soft, pale pink or phlox pink (625/1), speckled in throat (625). AM 1921, FCC 1945. Kurume (Grown in the Emperor's garden in Tokyo, 1910)

(a) **'Hinomayo Flore Pleno'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Galle (1987) Fls with partially petaloid sepals, otherwise similar to 'Hinomayo'. Kurume

(a) **'Hino Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hino-crimson' × *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* × 'Fedora' × 'Louise Gable' R: A.M. Shammarello, N: A.M. Shammarello, REG: A.M. Shamarello (1966) Fls 3/truss, single, up to 45mm wide, strong purplish pink (55B). Lvs up to 40 × 13mm. Compact, spreading shrub, c0.45 × 1.0m. Early-mid May. Kurume

(a) **'Hino Pink Double'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A.M. Shammarello (pre 1985), N: A.M. Shammarello Fls double, 50mm wide, pink

(a) **'Hino-red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hino-crimson' × *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* × red *kaempferi* seedling × 'James Gable' R: A.M. Shammarello, N: A.M. Shammarello, I: A.M. Shammarello (1963), REG: A.M. Shammarello (1964) Fls single, 3/truss, 45mm wide, moderate red (2.5R 4/10). Shrub 0.4 × 1.0m in 10 years

(a) **'Hino-scarlet'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Hino-crimson' R: H.M. Peters, N: H.M. Peters, I: H.M. Peters (1963), REG: H.M. Peters (1964) Fls hose-in-hose, 3-4/compact truss, funnel-shaped, 30 × 45mm, strong red (53D), lightly flushed strong red (53C) in centre and with faint strong red (53B) spotting on dorsal lobe. Lvs 25-30 × 20mm, light glossy green. Shrub c0.5m. *HC 1969, *AM 1974 Syn: 'Campfire'

(a) **'Hino-supreme'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Hinodegiri' R: K. Sawada, N: K. Sawada, I: Overlook Nurseries (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark crimson, non-fading. Kurume

(a) **'Hino-tsukasa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum* × a Kurume azalea R: K. Wada (pre 1937), N: K. Wada, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson scarlet. (*indicum* parent usually given as 'Macranthum')

(a) **'Hino-tsukasa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1978), N: Japan Fls single, 28mm wide, vivid strong red; stamens longer than corolla. Kurume

(a) **'Hino-tsukasa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 60-65mm wide, with pointed lobes, dark reddish orange. Satsuki (According to Galle (1987) this is "purportedly one of the original Satsukis")

(a) **'Hino-white'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hino-crimson' × *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* × 'Desiree' R: A.M. Shammarello, N: A.M. Shammarello, REG: A.M. Shammarello (1964) Fls single, 3/truss, 45-50mm wide, white. Lvs 30-40 × 10-13mm, olive green. Shrub 0.4 × 1.0m. Early-mid May. Kurume

(a) **'Hiodoshi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ishiyama' × 'Shuchuka' R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan Fls slightly campanulate, 50-65mm wide, with well-spaced, round but pointed lobes, vivid red, many with pale pink to white centres. Satsuki

(a) **'Hio-ogi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 95-100mm wide, with

rounded, wavy-edged lobes, reddish orange, with a dark red blotch; stamens red, prominent; pistil red. Spreading shrub. Satsuki

(r) **'Hip Hip Array'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' (s) × 'Lady de Rothschild' H: L. Looye, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls deep purplish pink (68A) and strong reddish purple (72C) in bud, opening very pale purple (73D) edged deep and strong purplish pink (73A, B), with deep greenish yellow (153A) dorsal spots. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(v) **'Hip-hip-hurrah'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' × *herzogii* × *laetum* × *aurigeranum* H: J.L. Rouse (c 1983), G: J.L. Rouse (1988), N: R. Macdonald (1991), I: Foothills Nursery (1991), REG: Foothills Nursery (1992) Fls 9-11/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (52C) inside and out, fading to lobe edges. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 35mm, flat, matt green, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m. Autumn-Spring

(r) **'Hipmol'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *hippophaeoides* (s) × ? *mollicomum* R: Clibrans Nursery (pre 1939), N: Clibrans Nursery, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3-6/truss, funnel-shaped, 25 × 25-30mm, rosy mauve, unmarked. Calyx lobes less than 1mm long. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 25-28 × 7-8mm, deep green above, pitted with more-or-less contiguous, pale golden scales below. (Original seed from RBG, Edinburgh)

(v) **'Hippolyta'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *multicolor* (as var. *curtisii*) × 'Queen of the Yellows' R: unknown (pre 1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet. FCC 1888 (Exhibited by Veitch and probably raised by them)

(r) **'Hippolyte van de Woestyne'** cv. Parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte (pre 1877), N: L. van Houtte, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls satiny lilac, with a blotch of red and black spots which more-or-less extend to lower lobes. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **Hipsal Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *hippophaeoides* (s) × *saluenense* H: E.J.P. Magor (1921), G: E.J.P. Magor, N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1926), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c11/truss, 25 × 40mm, open campanulate, purplish mauve. Dwarf shrub

(a) **'Hirado-no-homari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1976), N: Japan Fls pale reddish purple. (Raised on Hirado Island, Japan)

(r) **'Hiraethlyn Group'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *haematodes* (s) × *griffithianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1927), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose to deep red. Syn: Haemank Group

(a) **'Hiraku'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 90mm wide, with wavy-edged, overlapping lobes, white, with sectors and dots of reddish purple; occasional purplish red selfs. Satsuki

(a) **'Hiran'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Holly Heath Nursery (1978) Fls 100mm wide, bright purple red. Satsuki (Probably raised on Hirado Island, Japan)

(a) **'Hiroko'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from Aronense Group R: W. Arends (pre 1960), I: W. Arends (1962) Fls strong reddish purple (78B), with slightly wavy-edged lobes. Syn: 'Geisha Purpurrosa' (Aronense Group)

(a) **'Hirondelle'** (Syn. of L'Hirondelle')

(a) **'Hiroshima'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Greer Gardens (1976) Fls rosy pink

(a) **'Hiroshima-shibori'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c60mm wide, white, with a few red streaks and stripes. Satsuki

(r) **'Hirschfeld'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* hybrid H: V. von Martin (1944), G: Botanischer Garten und Rhododendronpark, Bremen, N: Deutsche Rhododendron-Gesellschaft (1976), REG: J. Westhoff (2001) Fls 12/loose, domed truss, funnel-shaped, 60 × 90mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (57D) in bud, opening inside with margins light purple (75B) shading to pale orange-yellow (19D) in the centre, sometimes with darker ribs; outside moderate purplish pink (74D); no markings. Calyx 2mm long, brown. Lvs oblong-elliptic, 70-140 × 20-55mm, margins flat, acute and mucronate at apex, tapered to base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.0m in 10 years. Mid-late May.

(a) **'Hisako'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from Aronense Group R: W. Arends, I: W. Arends (1971) Fls pure white. Syn: 'Geisha Weiss' (Aronense Group)

(r) **'His Lordship'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *aberconwayi* N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1945), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls campanulate, 50-65mm wide, white, with a pattern of crimson dashes on the dorsal lobes. AM 1945 (Raised from McLaren T41)

(r) **'His Majesty'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R. Gill & Sons, N: R. Gill & Sons, I: R. Gill & Sons (1926), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c12/truss, 140mm wide, broadly campanulate, rich rose pink, with a few darker dots. Lvs lanceolate, dark green. AM 1926

(r) **'Hispaniola'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Isabella Group (s) × *griersonianum* R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, INC: ICRA (1958) (Infanta Group)

(a) **'Hitachi'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50mm wide, white, with sectors of purplish pink; some white selfs; occasionally with a pink border. Low, spreading habit. Satsuki

(r) **'Hi Tech'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: tetraploid *minus* Carolinianum Group × *fastigiatum* (s) ×

tetraploid *minus* Carolinianum Group × 'Blue Diamond' H: J. Looye (1984), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 6/truss, open funnel-shaped, 20 × 25mm, 5-lobed, strong purple (80B) in bud, opening to a blend of strong and light purple (80B, C, D). Lvs 51 × 25mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, scaly. Shrub 1.1 × 0.9m in 8 years. Mid May

(a) **'Hitomaru'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls medium-sized, with up to 13 lobes; persimmon ground, striped cinnabar red, spotted white. Satsuki (Probably the plant listed by Ito (1692))

(a) **'Hitomaru-no-fuiri'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Hitoshio'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 5-6-lobed, lily-shaped, bright cherry blossom pink; corolla lobes rather long and narrow, slightly reflexed. Flowering in spring and autumn. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Hiyakasen'** (See note under 'Hikkasen')

(r) **'Hjalmar L. Larson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Lammot Copeland' (s) × 'Mary Drennen' H: H.L. Larson, G: H.L. Larson (1977), N: Mrs L. Hodgson, I: H.L. Larson (1981), REG: Mrs L. Hodgson (1982) Fls 75 × 125mm, edges and reverse of corolla moderate pink (35D), inside brilliant yellow (14C), dorsal lobe spotted vivid red (46B). Calyx 50mm long, moderate pink (35D). Lvs elliptic, 150 × 90mm, hairless. Shrub 0.9m. Syn: 'H.L. Larson'

(r) **'H.J. Mangles'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: J.H. Mangles (pre 1884), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'H.L. Larson'** (Syn. of 'Hjalmar L. Larson')

(r) **'H. Lüdicke'** cv. Parentage unknown R: L.L. Liebig (pre 1857), N: L.L. Liebig, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'H.M. Arderne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × a Hardy Hybrid R: G. Paul, N: G. Paul, I: G. Paul (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 7-lobed, cherry rose, with deeper edges, an almost white throat and a blotch of darkish crimson spots. AM 1896 (Named by Paul for a Mr Arderne of Cape Town, South Africa)

(r) **'H.M.S. Pinafore'** cv. Parentage unknown R: G.W. Clarke (pre 1980), N: G.W. Clarke

(r) **'H. Nitschner'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid L: East Germany (1981)

(a) **'Hobbie'** (Syn. of 'Gloire de Saint Georges')

(r) **'Hobbie Salute'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Essex Scarlet' × *forrestii* Repens Group R: ? D.G. Hobbie, L: Roslyn Nursery (1994) Fls campanulate, dark red. Lvs dark green, slightly twisted. Shrub of mounding habit, 0.9m in 10 years. Early

(r) **'Hobbie's Apricot'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Massot Nurseries (1982)

(a) **'Hobby'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Adventglöckchen' hybrid R: W. Thieme (pre 1965) Fls large, double, purplish red. Calyx normal, green. Midseason. Indian

(a) **'H.O. Carre'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Caledonia Nursery (1905), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, rose red. Late. Amoena

(r) **'Hockessin'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *pubescens* (s) × *keiskei* H: G.G. Nearing, G: G.G. Nearing (1945), N: G.G. Nearing, I: G.G. Nearing (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls apricot in bud, fading to white. Shrub 1.5m in 20 years. Essentially identical to 'Chesapeake', but larger

(r) **Hodconeri Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *hodgsonii* (s) × *falconeri* I: G. Reuthe Ltd (1926), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Ho Emma'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *degronianum* subsp. *heptamerum* R: R.N.S. Clarke, N: R.N.S. Clarke, I: R.N.S. Clarke, REG: R.N.S. Clarke (1976) Fls 15/truss, campanulate, 7-lobed, white, flushed strong purplish pink (67D), with vivid purplish red veins (67B), upper throat spotted deep purplish pink (59B). Calyx very small. Lvs oblong-lanceolate, 130 × 40mm, dark glossy green above, tawny felted below. Early May. *AM 1976, *FCC 1982

(a) **'Hoetsu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, white, spotted and marked deep purple. Satsuki

(a) **'Hofgartendirektor Krause'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: O. Hartl (1891), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, reddish brown. Syn: 'Gartendirektor Krause'. Indian (Also seen as 'Hofgartendirector Krause')

(r) **'Hofgarten-direktor von Effner'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alstroemerioides' hybrid R: J.B. Müller (pre 1870), N: J.B. Müller, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark rose, with white stripes, strongly spotted

(a) **'Hofgartendirektor Walter'** (Syn. of 'Gartendirektor Walter')

(r) **'Hofgärtner Ehmann'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alstroemerioides' hybrid R: J.B. Müller (pre 1870), N: J.B. Müller, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Hofgärtner Lebl'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alstroemerioides' hybrid R: J.B. Müller (pre 1870), N: J.B. Müller, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with dark violet spots and a purple centre

(a) **'Hofgärtner Michaëlis'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: O. Schulz (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, dark rose. Indian

(r) **'Hofgärtner Ruck'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alstroemerioides' hybrid R: J.B. Müller (pre 1870), N:

J.B. Müller, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale flesh pink shading to pink, margin flamed pink, spotted carmine red

(a) **'Hofgärtner Siebold'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: O. Schulz (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with a dark blotch. Indian (Probably the same plant listed by C. Costantini, 1886)

(r) **'Hofgärtner Stiegler'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alstroemerioides' hybrid R: J.B. Müller (pre 1870), N: J.B. Müller, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Hogarth'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1851), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy scarlet, with red spots. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Hogetsu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, white, with red spots and stripes. Satsuki

(a) **'Hogetsu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls light pink, with a reddish throat and twisted lobes. Lvs also twisted. Satsuki

(a) **'Hogetsu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Izayoi' (s) × 'Seidai' R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 40-50mm wide, with wavy-edged margins, white, edged light pink; sometimes moderate red, with white to pale pink centre. Satsuki

(a) **'Hohman'** cv. Deciduous azalea: seedling from *prunifolium* G: H.J. Hohman (c 1944), N: H.T. Skinner, I: United States National Arboretum (1971), REG: H.T. Skinner (1979) Fls single, 4-5/flat to lax truss, long tubular-campanulate, 40 × 40-45mm, 5-lobed, strong red (39A), with paler edges (strong reddish orange, 34C). Calyx very small. Lvs elliptic to obovate or oblong, 50-100 × 20-25mm, dull, mid green, hairless; green or purplish in autumn. New shoots purplish red. Shrub 3.0 × 1.9m in 15 years. Early August

(a) **'Hohman'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Domoto Bros (pre 1987) Fls partly petaloid, 65mm wide, reddish orange. Satsuki

(r) **'Ho-Ho'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' (s) × 'Lamplighter' H: M. Stockman (1983), G: M. & H. Stockman (1990), N: M. Stockman, I: M. & H. Stockman (1992), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1992) Fls 12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 70mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish purple (70B), heavily spotted with black on lower half of dorsal lobe; stamens 10, unequal, slightly curved; anthers creamy white. Calyx 10mm long, light magenta. Pedicels 22mm long, reddish. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 133 × 44mm, convex, acute at apex, oblique at base, bullate and matt, mid green above, hairless; petioles 19mm long, light green. Shrub 0.6 × 0.9m in 9 years. Early May

(r) **'Hoh-syun'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *calostrotum* subsp. *keleticum* Radicans Group × *mucronulatum* (as var. *ciliatum*) (s) × 'Crater Lake' H: K. Ono (1993), G: K. Ono (1997), N: K. Ono (1998), REG: K. Ono (1998) Fls 2-4/flat truss, flat saucer-shaped, 50mm wide, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, violet in bud, opening inside light purple (87C), outside light violet (88D), with moderate purplish red (186A) spots on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 2mm long, strong yellowish green (141C). Lvs elliptic, 20 × 10mm, flat, acute at apex, glossy above, scaly. Shrub 20 × 25cm in 5 years

(a) **'Hojo-ngodor'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1988) (Probably a garbled name)

(a) **'Hojo-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hosei' × 'Kokusei' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 75-90mm wide, with 6 overlapping lobes, white, with a pale yellowish green blotch and occasional dark pink spots. Early. Satsuki

(a) **'Hojo-no-odorikarako'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1988)

(r) **'Hokkaido'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *dauricum* I: W.E. Berg & P.A. Cox, REG: P.A. Cox (1981) Fls 1-2/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, up to 20 × 50mm, 5-lobed, yellowish white (155D), with faint green markings on dorsal lobe. Calyx rudimentary, green, scaly. Lvs elliptic, up to 38 × 19mm, dark green above, glaucous below, scaly on both sides. AM 1979

(a) **'Hoko'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Honen' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 75-100mm wide, with usually 6, broadly rounded, wavy-edged lobes (one lobe often irregular and smaller), white, with flecks and stripes of light purplish pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Hokoku'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 50mm wide, with often overlapping lobes, deep yellowish pink with a blotch of reddish dots; occasionally with a white border; very variable. Syn: 'How-koku'. Satsuki

(a) **'Hokorobi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, faintly touched with rose. Kurume

(r) **'Ho-kusi'** cv. Parentage unknown I: G.W. Clarke (pre 1980)

(r) **'Hokus Pokus'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scintillation' (s) × 'Double Eagle' H: M.J. Whitman (1997), G: M.J. & B. Whitman (2002), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (2002), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (2002) Fls 7-8/dome to ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, with 5-6 wavy to very wavy-edged lobes, light yellowish pink (159A) in bud, opening inside light greenish yellow (4B) shading to pale yellow-green (4D) at margins, with vivid red (45A) speckling on 3 dorsal lobes, the markings becoming more numerous near the base; outside pale yellow-green (4D). Lvs elliptic, 150 × 75mm, margins wavy, broadly acute at apex, cordate at base, semi-glossy and dark green (136A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.55m in 5 years. Late April-early May

(a) **'Hokutose'** (Listed as a parent of 'Shungetsu')

(r) **'Hokuto-sei'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Crater Lake' (s) × Blue Diamond Group H: K. Ono (1990),

G: K. Ono (1996), N: K. Ono (1996), REG: K. Ono (1998) Fls 5-7/domed truss, flat saucer-shaped, with 5-7 wavy-edged lobes, buds violet, opening inside strong purplish blue (94B), outside brilliant purplish blue (94C), unspotted. Calyx 1mm long, moderate yellow-green (143D). Lvs elliptic, 25 × 10mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, scaly. Shrub 0.3 × 0.5m in 7 years

(v) **'Hoku Ula'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *hellwigii* × 'Ne Plus Ultra' (s) × *aurigeranum* hybrid (Glenn's large form) H: R.A. Mitchell (1997), G: R.A. Mitchell (2001), N: R.A. Mitchell (2002), REG: R.A. Mitchell (2002) Fls 5/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 75 × 80mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, inside vivid reddish orange (40B) merging into light greenish yellow (8B) in the tube, outside similarly coloured; unmarked. Lvs lanceolate, 125 × 50mm, margins flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and deep yellowish green (141A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in 5 years. October-December

(a) **'Hokyo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan (Listed as a parent of 'Hatsu-shimada')

(r) **'Holbein'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alexander Adie' (s) × 'Carl Mette' R: T.J.R. Seidel (1906), N: T.J.R. Seidel, I: T.J.R. Seidel (1918), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, ruby rose, with weak red-brown spotting on a paler ground

(r) **'Holden'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cunningham's White' (s) × red *catawbiense* seedling R: A.M. Shammarello, N: A.M. Shammarello, I: A.M. Shammarello, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a conical truss, 65mm wide, luminous red, with a dark red blotch. Lvs 100 × 50mm, dark shiny green. Shrub under 1.0m

(a) **'Holdenii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: W Rollisson & Sons (1846), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Holfordianum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1846), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy purple. Syn: 'Holfordii'

(a) **'Holfordii'** (Syn. of 'Holfordianum')

(r) **'Holger'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Madame Linden' (s) × 'Eggebrechtii' R: T.J.R. Seidel (1906), I: T.J.R. Seidel (1916), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10-17/tight pyramidal truss, 55-75mm wide, light lilac, with strong yellow or yellow-green or red-brown markings. Large shrub. Late May-mid June

(r) **'Holiad Blush'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group (s) × *selense* H: G.H. Taylor (1985), G: G.H. Taylor (1993), N: G.H. Taylor (1997), I: Pant-yr-Holiad Garden (1997), REG: G.H. Taylor (1997) Fls 8-9/lax truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 60 × 75mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, strong red (53B) in bud, opening inside near light yellowish pink (27B), flushed around margins near strong purplish red (54A), outside near light yellowish pink (27A), flushed strong purplish red (54A); brown spots on dorsal lobe. Calyx 20mm long, strong purplish red (54A). Lvs elliptic, 150 × 60mm, flat, matt green, obtuse at apex, obtuse/cordate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.45 × 1.0m in 12 years. May-June

(r) **'Holiad Brenda'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Elizabeth Group × Carmen Group H: G.H. Taylor (1972), G: G.H. Taylor (1986), N: G.H. Taylor, I: G.H. Taylor (1990), REG: G.H. Taylor (1990) Fls (5-)6(-7)/truss, 36 × 40mm, tubular-campanulate, slightly flared at the mouth, overall colour effect deep pink (50B) - actually tessellated red on a paler ground. Calyx 2mm long, green, tinged red. Lvs ovate, 55 × 25mm, slightly cordate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 0.8m in 14 years. June-July

(r) **'Holiad Caroline Llewellyn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group (s) × *selense* H: G.H. Taylor (1985), G: G.H. Taylor (1994), N: G.H. Taylor (1998), I: Pant-yr-Holiad Garden (1998), REG: G.H. Taylor (1998) Fls 8/lax truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 62 × 82mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds near deep pink (50B), opening inside pale yellow (20C) in the throat, otherwise near deep pink (50B); outside pale yellow (20C), flushed light pink (50D), with margins deep to light purplish pink (55A-C); a few, basal, maroon spots. Calyx 28mm long, light yellow (20B) flushed deep to strong pink (50B&C). Lvs elliptic, 104 × 39mm, flat, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 1.3 × 1.3m in 13 years. Mid-late June

(r) **'Holiad Glenda Gough'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group (s) × *selense* H: G.H. Taylor (1985), G: G.H. Taylor (1994), N: G.H. Taylor (1997), I: Pant-yr-Holiad Garden (1997), REG: G.H. Taylor (1997) Fls 14/lax truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 55 × 55mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, strong red (45D) in bud, opening pale orange-yellow (19D) inside and pale yellow (18D) outside; light flushing on lateral parts of lobes of light yellowish pink (36B). Calyx 2mm long, light yellow (19B), with reddish glands. Lvs elliptic, 123 × 50mm, flat, matt green, obtuse at apex and base, with sparse reddish glands. Shrub 1.4 × 1.3m in 12 years. May-June

(r) **'Holiad Michelle'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* × *minus* Carolinianum Group H: G.H. Taylor (1980), G: G.H. Taylor (1985), N: G.H. Taylor, I: G.H. Taylor (1990), REG: G.H. Taylor (1990) Fls 5/truss, funnel-shaped, 30 × 33mm, 5-lobed, mainly strong purplish red (56B), strong purplish red (54A) at base externally and on midribs of lobes; spotted in throat. Calyx 2-3mm long, green, tinged plum. Lvs elliptic, 65 × 30mm, dark glossy green above, with a scaly indumentum below which is brown when young. Compact shrub, 1.25 × 0.5m in 10 years. June

(r) **'Holiad Strawberry Ripple'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group (s) × *selense* H: G.H. Taylor (1985), G: G.H. Taylor (1993), N: G.H. Taylor (1997), I: Pant-yr-Holiad Garden (1997), REG: G.H. Taylor

(1997) Fls 6-8/lax truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 47 × 60mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (51A) in bud, opening inside and out pale yellowish pink (27C) with a marginal flush of strong purplish red (54A); unspotted. Calyx 12mm long, pale yellowish pink (27C). Lvs elliptic, 110 × 48mm, margins decurved, glossy green, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.7m in 12 years. May-June.

(r) **'Holiad Trevor'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group (s) × *selense* H: G.H. Taylor (1985), G: G.H. Taylor (1992), N: G.H. Taylor (1997), I: Pant-yr-Holiad Garden (1997), REG: G.H. Taylor (1997) Fls 7/lax truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 50 × 75mm, with 5-6 slightly wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53B) in bud, opening inside moderate purplish pink (54D), flushed strong red (53B) around lobe margins, outside light yellowish pink (38C) with strong red (53B) flushing; greenish brown spots on dorsal lobes. Calyx 8-12mm long, light yellowish pink (38C). Lvs elliptic, 130 × 55mm, flat, glossy green, obtuse/cuspidate at apex, obtuse/cordate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 0.8m in 12 years. May-June.

(r) **'Holiad Yellow Beauty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group (s) × *selense* H: G.H. Taylor (1985), G: G.H. Taylor (1994), N: G.H. Taylor (1997), I: Pant-yr-Holiad Garden (1997), REG: G.H. Taylor (1997) Fls 10/lax truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 65 × 75mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, strong red (39A) in bud, opening light greenish yellow (8C) inside and out, with pink flushing that fades with age; greenish spots on dorsal lobes. Calyx 33mm long, light greenish yellow (8C). Lvs elliptic, 120 × 44mm, flat, obtuse/cordate at apex and base, matt green, with whitish glands at first. Shrub 0.75 × 1.2m in 12 years. May-June

(a) **'Holiday'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Pericat, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls strong yellowish pink. Pericat

(r) **'Holker Hall'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *arboreum* R: Cavendish (pre 1912), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Holland'** (Syn. of 'Holland Red')

(r) **'Hollandaise'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Lemon Mist' (s) × *burmanicum* × *chrysodoron* H: E.W. Moyles (1987), G: E.W. Moyles (1993), N: E.W. Moyles, REG: E.W. Moyles (1995) Fls 4/lax truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 50 × 60mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, light greenish yellow (4B-C) throughout; stamens 10, straight, unequal. Calyx at least 1mm long, light yellow-green (145B). Pedicels 10mm long, light yellow-green (145B), hairy. Lvs obovate/elliptic, 50 × 25mm, convex, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and dark yellowish green (139A) above, greyish yellow-green (191B) and scaly below (scales greyish reddish orange (174B)), hairy at margins; petioles 15mm long, light yellow-green (145B), scaly. Shrub 0.3 × 0.6m in 8 years. February

(a) **'Hollandia'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *luteum* (s) × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: P.M. Koster (pre 1896), N: P.M. Koster, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-yellow, tinged rose (Boskoop, 1896). Ghent

(a) **'Hollandia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, pure orange, unblotched (1958 Register) or deep yellowish pink (44D, in Galle, 1985). Calyx normal, green. Indian

(a) **'Hollandia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hinodegiri' × *kaempferi* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rich scarlet. AM 1925. Kurume (Possibly from van Nes)

(r) **'Hollandia'** cv. Parentage unknown L: M. Koster & Sons (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac, with a yellow throat

(r) **'Hollandia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pink Pearl' × 'Charles Dickens' R: L.J. Endtz & Co. (pre 1938), N: L.J. Endtz & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 14-18/compact, pyramidal to conical truss, 55-75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, carmine red, with dark red marking on the dorsal lobe. May. Syn: 'G. Stresemann', 'G.T. Stresemann'

(a) **'Holland Red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls 40mm wide, vivid red. Syn: 'Holland'. Kaempferi

(a) **'Holly Hills Late Pink'** (Syn. of 'Holly's Late Pink')

(a) **'Holly's Late Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Elsie Lee' × 'Gumpo Pink' H: H.R. Schroeder (1973), G: S. Schroeder (1978), N: S. Shroeder, I: S. Shroeder, REG: S. Shroeder (1986) Fls semi-double, 38 × 64mm, broadly funnel-shaped, with 9-10 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (55B). Calyx 6mm long, light green. Lvs broadly elliptic, 32 × 19mm, glossy, dark green above, light green below, hairy. Shrub 0.25 × 0.46m in 10 years. Late May. Syn: 'Holly Hills Late Pink'

(a) **'Holly's Yellow'** cv. Deciduous azalea: seedling from 'Penny' H: V.B. Holly (pre 1978), I: D.J. Dosser, REG: D.J. Dosser (1983) Fls 11-13/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 75-80 × 50mm, brilliant yellow (21C) with a flare of vivid orange-yellow (23A). Lvs elliptic, 130 × 50mm. Shrub 1.0m (1982). Knap Hill

(r) **'Hollywood and Vine'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: A.W. Smith (pre 1989), G: D. Irish-Hosler (1997), N: D. Irish-Hosler (2000), REG: D. Irish-Hosler (2000) Fls 17/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 95mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (57B) in bud, opening inside vivid purplish red (57C), with strong greenish yellow (151B) dorsal spotting; outside vivid purplish red (57D). Lvs elliptic, 170 × 70mm, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, margins flat, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 1.2m in c12 years. Mid May

(r) **'Holmeslee Barndance'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Irene Stead' (s) × un-named seedling, no. M.30 R: A.G. Holmes, N: A.G. Holmes, REG: A.G. Holmes (1984) Fls 9-10/truss, 70 × 110mm, 7-8-lobed, chartreuse green (663/3) in bud with flush of dawn pink (523/3) at centre of lobes, opening white with dawn pink flush on lobes, and a green and red dorsal flare in the throat composed of lines and pale spots; scented. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 50mm, hairless

(r) **'Holmeslee Bright Light'** cv. Parentage unknown R: A.G. Holmes, N: A.G. Holmes, I: A.G. Holmes, REG: A.G. Holmes (1979) Fls vivid red to vivid purplish red (57A-C)

(r) **'Holmeslee Flair'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs G.W. Leak' (s) × un-named seedling R: A.G. Holmes, N: A.G. Holmes, I: A.G. Holmes, REG: A.G. Holmes (1982) Fls 16/truss, 5-lobed, moderate purplish pink (62B) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (62D), dorsal lobe with a prominent red flare and spots. Lvs 100 × 35mm, hairless

(r) **'Holmeslee Greeneyes'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: un-named Loderi Group seedling × unknown R: A.G. Holmes, N: A.G. Holmes, I: A.G. Holmes, REG: A.G. Holmes (1982) Fls moderate purplish pink (65A) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (65C), fading to blush white with a prominent green throat and flare

(r) **'Holmeslee Missie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: un-named seedling × 'C.I.S.' R: A.G. Holmes, N: A.G. Holmes, I: A.G. Holmes, REG: A.G. Holmes (1982) Fls cream, overlaid strong pink (49A) in bud, opening pale yellow (11C), flushed pink, throat red

(r) **'Holmeslee Opal'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Waxeye' × 'Van Nes Sensation' R: A.G. Holmes, N: A.G. Holmes, I: A.G. Holmes, REG: A.G. Holmes (1979) Fls white with tinge of pale purplish pink (56D)

(r) **'Holmeslee Sunrise'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: un-named seedling × 'Little Pudding' R: A.G. Holmes, N: A.G. Holmes, I: A.G. Holmes, REG: A.G. Holmes (1982) Fls strong pink (54C) fading to cream at base and with a red flare on the dorsal lobe

(r) **'Holmeslee Triumph'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Irene Stead' (s) × un-named seedling R: A.G. Holmes, N: A.G. Holmes, I: A.G. Holmes, REG: A.G. Holmes (1982) Fls 10/truss, 60 × 110mm, 7-lobed, strong to light purplish pink (62A-C), dorsal lobe flecked red. Lvs 130 × 40mm, hairless

(a) **'Holm Lea'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Sander (c 1885), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson maroon. Sander

(r) **'Holstein'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Humboldt' (s) × 'Catawbiense Grandiflorum' H: H. Hachmann (1959), G: H. Hachmann (1964), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1978), REG: G. Stück (1983) Fls 15-16/truss, 35-40 × 60-70mm, 5-lobed, light purple (75A), shading inwards to light to very light purple (75B-C), blotched dark red to deep purplish red (59A-B). Calyx 2-3mm long, greenish. Lvs ovate, 100-130 × 50-70mm, sparsely hairy. Shrub 2.5-4.0m

(r) **'Holtei'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson, with a white throat and paler stripes

(r) **'Holten'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine rose, with wavy-edged lobes

(r) **'Holy Moses'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'King of Shrubs' × 'Souvenir of Anthony Waterer' R: H. Lem (pre 1976) Fls in flat trusses, flat-faced, orange-yellow bicolor. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. (Parentage is uncertain: *smirnowii* × 'King of Shrubs' is also suggested)

(r) **'Holy Toledo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Gosh Darn!' × ('Mrs H.R. Yates' × *wardii*) (s) × (*brachycarpum* × 'Crest') × 'Serendipity' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls large, with very wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (51B, C) and moderate pink (51D) in bud, opening pale yellow-green (155A) with a brilliant greenish yellow (2B) throat and brilliant greenish yellow (1B) dorsal spots; anthers moderate red (181C). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Holzhausen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Coelestine' R: K. Glaser (pre 1980), N: K. Glaser Fls single, dark red

(a) **'Homare'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65mm wide, with overlapping, wavy-edged lobes, white, with yellowish pink sectors and deep pink flecks; some solid white fls. Early. Satsuki

(a) **'Homare-matsunami'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Homare-no-hana'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Banka' R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 80-100mm wide, usually 6-lobed, white to strong pink, with many reddish stripes, flakes and dots; often appears stippled. Shrub 0.6m. Satsuki

(a) **'Homare-no-kokka'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958). Satsuki (Listed as a parent of 'Eishi')

(a) **'Homebush'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1925), I: W.C. Slocock Ltd, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, 14-16/tight, rounded truss, 30mm wide, open funnel-shaped, vivid purplish red (55A); lobes acute, slightly recurved; style prominently exserted. Lvs light green. Shrub up to 3.0m. *AM 1950. Knap Hill

(a) **'Homecoming'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Pink Ruffles' (Indian) (s) × 'Glacier' R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines,

REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls single, 4-7/truss, campanulate, with wavy-edged lobes, purplish pink to orchid pink, with a slight purplish red blotch. Shrub 1.1 × 0.9m. Late April. (First published in Holly Springs cat., 1990)

(a) **'Homei'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65-75mm wide, white, tipped with large red spots and markings. Satsuki

(r) **'Homer I'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kaiser Wilhelm' × 'Agnes' R: T.J.R. Seidel (1906), N: T.J.R. Seidel, I: T.J.R. Seidel (1916), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure rose, with inconspicuous red-brown spotting; larger and earlier than 'Homer II'. (Possibly raised earlier than indicated; the Vuylsteke cat. for 1890/1891 lists a 'Homere' which may be an error for this)

(r) **'Homer II'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kaiser Wilhelm' × 'Agnes' R: T.J.R. Seidel (c 1906), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls strong rose, with inconspicuous red spotting

(r) **'Homere'** (Said to be an error for 'Homer' (ie. one of the Seidel cvs))

(r) **'Homer Salley'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Genevieve Schmidt' (s) × 'Frank Moniz' H: W.E. Delp (1986), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 14/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 50 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, dark red (59A) and deep red (60A) in bud, opening strong red (46A) edged lightly with deep red (53A) and with dark red (187A) dorsal spots; filaments pale purplish pink (56D); style vivid red (46B); anthers light yellow (163D); stigma dark red (187A). Lvs 121 × 44mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.7m in 6 years. Early June

(r) **'Homestead'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* × 'Ilam Alarm' H: E.F. Stead, G: G. Huthnance & Pukeiti Rhododendron Trust, N: G.F. Smith (1978), I: G. Huthnance, REG: G.F. Smith (1985) Fls 16-18/truss, funnel-shaped, 55 × 75mm, 5-lobed, cardinal red (822/2), with deeper dorsal spotting. Calyx 2mm long, red. Lvs elliptic-lanceolate, 150 × 35mm, dark matt green above, with silvery indumentum below. Shrub up to at least 3.0 × 3.5m. October (New Zealand)

(a) **'Homo-no-haru'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Hon-dan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose (outer corolla lobes toothed), light red, almost persimmon orange. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Honen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Izayoi' × 'Gobi-nishiki' R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 75-100mm wide, with slightly irregular, rounded lobes (with sinuate margins), white, with stripes, flakes and sectors of strong red (Galle) or deep purple (1958 Register), some selfs. Satsuki

(a) **'Honesta'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1839), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red, with a golden orange blotch (C. van Geert, 1877). Ghent

(r) **'Honey'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* (s) × Bow Bells Group R: R. Henny (1950), N: R. Henny (1960), I: R. Henny, REG: R. Henny (1962) Fls 9/truss, campanulate, 90mm wide, pale orange-yellow (19D), fading paler. Lvs 65mm wide, orbicular. Shrub 0.3 × 1.0m. Mid-April

(r) **'Honey'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Hawk Group × China Group R: W.C. Slocock, N: W.C. Slocock, I: W.C. Slocock, REG: W.C. Slocock (1961) Fls 13/compact, globular truss, 50 × 75mm, funnel-shaped, cream, overlaid light greenish yellow (4C) at margins, deepening slightly in the throat. Lvs 90-125 × 30-65mm, dark dull green. Shrub 1.5m. *HC 1975

(r) **'Honey Bee'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *hanceanum* × *ludlowii* H: W.E. Berg, G: W.E. Berg, N: W.E. Berg (pre 1985) Fls campanulate, creamy yellow. Lvs small, dark green; young growth greenish bronze. Shrub 0.3m in 10 years. Early

(a) **'Honey Bunch'** (Syn. of 'Nuccio's Honey Bunch')

(r) **'Honey Butter'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nancy Evans' (s) × China Group × 'Lem's Cameo' H: J. Barlup (1986), G: J. Barlup (1991), N: J. Barlup (1996), REG: J. Barlup (1998) Fls 14/domed truss, funnel-campanulate, 55 × 75mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (45D) in bud, opening inside light yellowish pink (19B), edged with strong pink (48D), unmarked; outside strong pink (48D), with deep pink (48B) midribs. Calyx up to 25mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 55mm, with wavy margins, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.4m in 12 years. Early May

(a) **'Honeydew'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *occidentale* seedling R: A.J. Knuttel (pre 1985), N: A.J. Knuttel Fls brilliant orange

(r) **'Honeydew'** (Syn. of 'Dexter's Honeydew')

(r) **'Honeydew'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Moonstone Group (s) × 'Carolyn Grace; R: A. Wright, N: A. Wright (1962), I: A. Wright, REG: A. Wright (1962) Fls 5-7/truss, campanulate, 100mm wide, yellow. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years of rounded, compact habit. Early

(a) **'Honey Do'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *calendulaceum* R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls soft orange. Mid June

(r) **'Honey Glow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Crest' × unknown R: Mrs R.J. Coker, N: Mrs R.J. Coker, I: C.A. & Mrs G. Grant, REG: C.A. & Mrs G. Grant (1979) Fls 12-14/truss, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, light greenish yellow (4C), outer part pale yellow-green (4D), flushed pale purplish pink (55D) on opening and with a red eye

(a) **'Honey Hush'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1987), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls light yellow

(a) **'Honey Love'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, with reflexed lobes, buff yellow, with a bright yellow flare. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Late June

(a) **'Honeymoon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: double pink florists' azalea × 'Argosy' H: USDA, Glenn Dale (1947), N: USDA, Glenn Dale (1958) Fls semi-double, 55mm wide, rose madder (23/1)

(r) **'Honeymoon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* × 'Devonshire Cream' (s) × *wardii* H: W.E. Whitney (c 1955), G: W.E. Whitney, N: W.E. Whitney, I: W.E. Whitney (1960), REG: G. & Mrs A. Sather (1976) Fls 14/ball, flat-topped truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 40 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale greenish yellow (2D), throat light greenish yellow (1C); small, strong yellowish pink (31C) blotch deep in throat. Calyx 3mm long, yellow. Lvs broadly elliptic, 65-95 × 45-55mm, glossy, bullate when young, moderate olive green (137A). Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 10 years. Late April

(a) **'Honey's Lovin' Arms'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls with petaloid stamens, 55mm wide, in tight trusses, light yellow to strong orange (multicoloured). Early June

(a) **'Honeysuckle'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink, with an orange blotch. FCC 1933. Knap Hill

(r) **'Honey Wood'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *trichanthum* R: J.B. Stevenson, I: A.E. Hardy (1969), REG: A.E. Hardy (1971) Fls 3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 30 × 65mm, 5-lobed, strong purple (82B), paler in the throat with conspicuous green mottling, shading to light reddish purple (74C) towards base on outside. Calyx rudimentary. Pedicels c20mm long, fairly densely covered with bristly hairs. Lvs elliptic, up to 90 × 35mm, lightly covered with brown scales above and below. PC 1969, AM 1971

(r) **'Hong Kong'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: white-flowered *catawbiense* (s) × 'Crest' H: D.G. Leach (1956), G: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1974), REG: D.G. Leach (1983) Fls 13/truss, 55 × 75mm, broadly funnel-campanulate, 5-lobed, pale yellow-green (4D), with a brilliant greenish yellow (1B) dorsal blotch deep in the throat. Calyx minute, green, edged yellow. Lvs elliptic to broadly elliptic, 110 × 65mm, moderate olive green (147A). Shrub 2.9m in 25 years.

(r) **'Honingen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *williamsianum* × *oreodoxa* H: D.G. Hobbie (1965), G: D.G. Hobbie (1975), N: J.R.P. van Hoey Smith (1990), I: Firma C. Esveld (1991), REG: Royal Boskoop Hort.Soc. (1990) Fls 6-7/truss, campanulate, 40 × 40mm, 5-lobed, pink. Calyx green. Lvs orbicular, 30 × 30mm, hairless. Shrub 3.0 × 2.0m in 25 years, densely branched. April

(r) **'Honiton'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Jalisco Eclipse' × 'Album Elegans' R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1967) Fls cream, flushed pink with a reddish eye. Calyx reflexed. Late May

(r) **'Honky Tonk'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ignatius Sargent' (s) × 'Mrs C.S. Sargent' H: W.E. Delp (1976), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 14/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 44 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (72A) and strong reddish purple (72B, C) in bud, opening strong reddish purple (72B, C) with a white flare and light olive (152B) dorsal spots; filaments and style vivid purplish red (57D); anthers pale orange-yellow (159C); stigma dark red (59A). Lvs 102 × 51mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 15 years. Early June.

(a) **'Honneur d'Amsterdam'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Vervaene (pre 1874), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Honneur de Flandre'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Sunningdale Nurseries (1855), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls saturn red, spotted with orange (L. van Houtte, 1870s). Ghent

(a) **'Honneur de Gand'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1852), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Honneur de Gand'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Vervaene (1865), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Honneur de la Belgique'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Verschaffelt (1855), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange, with a yellow blotch. Ghent

(a) **'Honneur de Laerne'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Sunningdale Nurseries (1855), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Honoré Hacanson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Carmen' × 'Choremia (ie the FCC clone) R: L.E. Brandt, N: L.E. Brandt, REG: L.E. Brandt (1964) Fls 8/truss, 40 × 50mm, deep red (53A). Calyx large, coloured as corolla. Lvs 90 × 40mm, silver below. Shrub 0.3 × 0.45m in 9 years. (It is uncertain which of several cultivars called 'Carmen' was used in this cross)

(r) **'Honourable J. Boscawen'** (Syn. of 'The Honourable John Boscawen')

(r) **'Honourable Jean Marie de Montague'** (Syn. of 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague')

(r) **'Honourable John Boscawen'** (Syn. of 'The Honourable John Boscawen')

(r) **'Honourable Mrs Mercer Henderson'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1900), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with black spots

(r) **'Honsu's Baby'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *keiskei* 'Yaku Fairy' × *scabrifolium* var. *spiciferum* H: H.A. Spady (1978), G: H.A. Spady (1980), N: H.A. Spady, I: H.A. Spady (1987), REG: H.A. Spady (1987) Fls 4/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 20 × 35mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (55B) in bud, opening white, with pale purplish pink (56C) margins. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs ovate, 35 × 16mm, acute at apex, rounded at base, convex, dull green above, scaly. Shrub 0.4 × 0.7m in 10 years. Mid-April

(a) **'Ho-o'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1918), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 2-3/truss, open funnel-shaped, pink, with a white throat (various sources); some sources indicate a darker blotch and an occasional red stripe; others say colour is rose, flushed carmine, with darker spots. *AM 1950 Syn: 'Appleblossom'; Wilson no.9. Kurume

(r) **'Ho-o'** (Syn. of 'Zyuni-hitoe)

(a) **'Ho-oden'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown, but allied to *mucronatum* R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 65mm wide, white, flushed moderate purplish pink (70D), edged white and with a blotch and flakes of purplish pink. Low, spreading habit. Midseason

(a) **'Hoogheanum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Luna' R: G. d'Hooghe (pre 1907), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, burnt rose in centre, with white edges

(a) **'Hooibrenkii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: unknown (1861), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark red. Indian

(a) **'Hookeri'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1841), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Hoopla'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' F3 (s) × *haematodes* × *decorum* H: G.A.L. Mehlquist (1965), G: G.A.L. Mehlquist, N: M.H. Brand (1998), I: Dept. of Plant Science, University of Connecticut (1998), REG: M.H. Brand (1998) Fls 10-12/domed truss, open to broadly funnel-shaped, 40-50 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (186D) in bud, opening moderate purplish pink (62B & 65A) and fading to pale purplish pink (62D & 56C) and light yellowish pink (36B) inside and out; prominent blotch of light yellowish pink (159A & 27A) fading to pale yellow (160D & 162D) on dorsal lobe and encompassing the entire throat. Calyx 3mm long, greenish, edged red. Lvs elliptic, 120-140 × 40-50mm, margins flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (146A & 147A) above; with rusty tan hairs when young, these heaviest on stems, petioles and buds. Shrub 2.1 × 3.1m in 30 years. Mid May.

(a) **'Hoopoe'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (c 1935), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls near scarlet, with white markings and a slight orange blotch. Late. Knap Hill

(r) **'Hoopskirt'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Rosy Morn' (s) × Dido Group R: R. Henny (1944), N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in loose trusses, open campanulate, orange to peach to yellow (pale apricot, 609/1, fading to 609/2), with a yellow basal blotch. Lvs very dark green, 115 × 50mm. Semi-dwarf shrub. Midseason

(a) **'Hoosier Charm'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Purple Splendor' × 'Vuyk's Scarlet' H: H.R. Schroeder (1973), G: S. Schroeder (1978), N: S. Schroeder, I: S. Schroeder (1986), REG: S. Schroeder (1986) Fls single, broadly funnel-shaped, 38 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (55A), with dark red dorsal spotting. Calyx 6mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 38 × 19mm, glossy, dark green above, light green and hairy below. Shrub 0.46 × 0.38m in 10 years. Mid-April

(a) **'Hoosier Hysteria'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kaempferi* G: S. Schroeder (1979), S: H.R. Schroeder (1976), N: S. Schroeder, I: S. Schroeder (1987), REG: S. Schroeder (1987) Fls 15/ball truss, with 8 wavy-edged lobes which are divided to the base, some twisted, some flat, all vivid red (52A). Calyx 6mm long, strong yellow-green (144C). Lvs obovate, 32 × 16mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, sparsely hairy. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 11 years. Mid April-early May.

(a) **'Hoosier Peach'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Purple Splendor' × 'Vuyk's Scarlet' H: H.R. Schroeder (1973), G: S. Schroeder (1978), N: S. Schroeder, I: S. Schroeder (1986), REG: S. Schroeder (1986) Fls single, broadly funnel-shaped, 38 × 51mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (49A), with dark red dorsal spotting. Calyx 3mm long, light green. Lvs oblanceolate, 37 × 9.5mm, dull, dark green above, light green below, hairy. Shrub 0.46 × 0.46m in 10 years. Early May

(a) **'Hoosier Rose'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Purple Splendor' × 'Vuyk's Scarlet' H: H.R. Schroeder (1973), G: S. Schroeder (1978), N: S. Schroeder, I: S. Schroeder (1986), REG: S. Schroeder (1986) Fls single, broadly funnel-shaped, 51 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (55C), with dark rose dorsal spotting. Calyx 6mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly obovate, 35 × 14mm, dull, dark green above, light green below, hairy. Shrub 0.38 × 0.6m in 10 years. Late April

(a) **'Hoosier Sunrise'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Purple Splendor' × 'Vuyk's Scarlet' H: H.R. Schroeder (1973), G: S. Schroeder (1978), N: S. Schroeder, I: S. Schroeder (1986), REG: S. Schroeder (1986) Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, broadly funnel-shaped, 44 × 64mm, with 14 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (55B), with dark rose dorsal spotting. Calyx 5mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 37 × 14mm, dull, dark green above, light green below, hairy. Shrub 0.38 × 0.46m in 10 years. Late April

(r) **'Hope'** (Syn. of 'Naomi Hope')

(r) **'Hope Braafladt'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lindleyi* × 'Countess of Haddington' H: H.J. Braafladt (1969), G: H.J. Braafladt, N: H.J. Braafladt, I: H.J. Braafladt, REG: H.J. Braafladt (1980) Fls up to 5/lax truss, 80mm wide, pale yellow (158B) in bud, with moderate purplish red (186B) stripes, opening yellowish white (155D) with a moderate purplish pink (186D), narrowly triangular, blushed area and a faint stripe at the apex of each lobe; scented. Lvs 95 × 30mm. Shrub under 1.0m.

(r) **'Hope Findlay'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Loderi Group × 'Earl of Athlone' × 'Creeping Jenny' H: Crown Estate Commissioners, G: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1974), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1974) Fls 8-10/lax, globular truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 60mm, slightly deeper than vivid red (46C), lightly flushed strong red (47B) towards margins and with fine veining along midribs of moderate red (181B). Lvs 100 × 27mm, dark glossy green. Shrub 1.2m. PC 1974, *AM 1979

(a) **'Hopeful'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, open funnel-shaped, 35 × 50mm, deep yellowish pink (43C). Shrub 0.6m. *HC 1957, *AM 1962 (Grown at RHS Garden, Wisley (UK), pre 1947)

(a) **'Hopeful'** cv. Evergreen azalea: orange form of *indicum* (s) × 'Momozono' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947) Fls 2-3/truss, 40-45mm wide, rose (near strong purplish red (63B)), with an inconspicuous blotch. Lvs small, pointed, dark green. Shrub to 1.9m. Late April-early May. Glenn Dale

(r) **Hopeful Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: F.C. Puddle Group (s) × *hookeri* H: Lord Aberconway (1937), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red.

(r) **'Hopewell'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Degram Group × Atrier Group H: J.B. Gable (pre 1972)

(r) **'Hoppy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: (*yakushimanum* × 'Doncaster') selfed R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1970), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1972) Fls 18/globular, fairly compact truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 50mm, white, spotted brilliant to light yellow (12B-C) on dorsal lobe. Lvs 90 × 25mm, more-or-less dark, dull green. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years. *AM 1977

(a) **'Hora'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Smet, I: C. Vuylsteke (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, salmon to carmine rose, flaked with carmine. Early. Rustica

(r) **'Horace Vernet'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Horai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1964), N: Japan Fls c100mm wide, strong red. (Raised on Hirado Island, Japan)

(a) **'Horaizan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm long, with rounded lobes, white, with occasional dark purplish pink flakes. Satsuki

(a) **'Horaku'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 75-100mm wide, with 5-7, wavy-edged, rounded lobes, light purplish pink, with a white border; some solid white or solid light purplish pink. Satsuki (Galle (1987) says this is the same plant as 'How-raku')

(r) **'Horatio'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: hybrid or selection from *arboreum* R: van Acker (pre 1850), N: van Acker, INC: ICRA (1958) (See *Revue Horticole* 4:158 (1850))

(a) **'Hordinsii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: listed under *indicum* L: A. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Horebrinckii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple, like 'Cedo Nulli' but lighter. Indian (Perhaps an error for 'Hooibrenkii'?)

(r) **'Horizon'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R. Henny (pre 1963), N: R. Henny

(r) **'Horizon Atoc'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' × 'Brandt's Tropicana' (s) × 'Lem's Cameo' H: E.C. Brockenbrough (1978), G: E.C. Brockenbrough (1983), N: D.K. McClure (1984), I: Nelson's Nursery (2002), REG: E.C. Brockenbrough (2002) Fls 8-10/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 100mm, with 7 flat-edged lobes, strong red (50A) in bud, opening inside pale orange-yellow (23D), blending into strong red (50A) at the margins, and with prominent, discrete spotting of vivid red (45A) covering most of the dorsal lobe and half of each adjacent lobe, outside light pink (49C). Calyx 5-30mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 50mm, with wavy margins, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 10 years. Late May

(r) **'Horizon Dawn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' × 'Brandt's Tropicana' × *yakushimanum* × ('Alice Franklin' × 'Virginia Scott') H: E.C. Brockenbrough (1981), G: E.C. Brockenbrough (1985), N: E.C. Brockenbrough, REG: E.C. Brockenbrough (1991) Fls 12-14/ball truss, open campanulate, 64 × 76mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, pale yellow (11D), becoming brilliant yellow (11A) in the throat. Calyx 13mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 113-152 × 51mm, convex, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 10 years. Late April

(r) **'Horizon Fiesta'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' (s) × 'Whopper' × 'Lem's Cameo' H: E.C. Brockenbrough (1983), G: E.C. Brockenbrough (1989), N: E.C. Brockenbrough (2002),

I: Nelson's Nursery (2002), REG: E.C. Brockenbrough (2002) Fls 16-18/domed truss, broadly campanulate, 50 × 90mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (54B) in bud, opening inside pale orange-yellow (23D), blending into strong pink (54C) at the margins, with a prominent vivid red (45B) centre, outside pale purplish pink (56A). Calyx c13mm long, strong pink (54C). Lvs elliptic, 125 × 45mm, margins downcurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Horizon Garnet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anna' (s) × Kilimanjaro Group H: E.C. Brockenbrough (1974), G: E.C. Brockenbrough (1982), N: B.V. & K. Nelson (2002), I: Nelson's Nursery (2002), REG: E.C. Brockenbrough (2002) Fls 25/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep red (60A) in bud, opening strong red (46A) throughout, with blackish red spotting on all lobes, most concentrated on dorsal lobes. Lvs elliptic, 150-175 × 40-50mm, margins upcurved, acute at apex, slightly oblique at base, semi-glossy and moderate green (137) above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.5m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Horizon Lakeside'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nancy Evans' × 'Lem's Cameo' × 'Skipper' H: E.C. Brockenbrough (1982), G: E.C. Brockenbrough (1985), N: E.C. Brockenbrough, I: E.C. Brockenbrough (1992), REG: E.C. Brockenbrough (1992) Fls 15/ball truss, saucer-shaped, 76 × 102mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (46A) in bud, opening light yellow (10B, shading to 10C at margins), with a strong red (46A) throat and spots of same colour above an area of solid colour; slightly scented; stamens 14, curved, equal. Calyx 13mm long, strong red (46A). Pedicels 44mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 114 × 51mm, margins slightly wavy, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 10 years. Late April

(r) **'Horizon Monarch'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nancy Evans' × 'Point Defiance' H: E.C. Brockenbrough (1981), G: E.C. Brockenbrough (1985), N: E.C. Brockenbrough, I: E.C. Brockenbrough, REG: E.C. Brockenbrough (1989) Fls 15/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 60 × 100mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds red, opening pale greenish yellow (10D) to light yellow (10B), with a small vivid red (46B) flare. Calyx 25mm long, light yellow (10C). Lvs elliptic, 170 × 60mm, convex, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 2.0m in 8 years. May

(r) **'Horizon Snowbird'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' × *yakushimanum* × 'Mrs Lindsay Smith' × *yakushimanum* H: E.C. Brockenbrough, G: E.C. Brockenbrough (1975), N: E.C. Brockenbrough, REG: E.C. Brockenbrough (1989) Fls 18/ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 40 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (55B) in bud, opening yellowish white (155B); filaments and style pink; anthers brown; stigma light yellow. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 120 × 40mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless above, with a dusting of brown indumentum below. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in 10 years. Early May

(r) **'Horizon Wildfire'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nancy Evans' (s) × 'Whopper' × 'Lem's Cameo' H: E.C. Brockenbrough (1982), G: E.C. Brockenbrough (1988), N: E.C. Brockenbrough, I: Nelson's Nursery (2002), REG: E.C. Brockenbrough (2002) Fls 9-11/flat, lax truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (51A) in bud, opening inside light yellow (20B), blending with strong red (51A) at margins, with a prominent, vivid red (45A) central blotch, outside strong red (51A). Calyx 20mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs oblong, 150-175 × 50mm, margins flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 10 years. Late May

(r) **Hormophorum Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. hormophorum*

(r) **'Horsham'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ferdinand Massange de Louvrex' (s) × 'Queen Wilhelmina' R: C.B. van Nes & Sons (pre 1922), N: C.B. van Nes & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c14/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, crimson, shaded scarlet externally, lightly spotted dark brown; with a long, protruding, cream style. Lvs ovate, 115 × 40mm. (Some sources give another parentage but that given here was published by van Nes)

(r) **'Hortense'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Byls (pre 1854), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine, striped white. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Hortense Vervaene'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: D. Vervaene, N: D. Vervaene, I: D. Vervaene (1861), INC: ICRA (1958) Variously described: rose, grained carmine red (1958 Register); large, white, washed and abundently striped rose (E. André, 1864); salmon, edged white (Rollisson cat., 1877); pale flesh, irregularly marked white, banded deep salmon and with a large, deep vermilion blotch (L. van Houtte cat., 1870). Indian

(a) **'Hortensia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, moderate purplish pink (62B), with a darker blotch. Kurume (Introduced to USA by Domoto Bros, re-named by H.A. Dreer; original name lost)

(a) **'Hortulanus A. Fiet'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: G. van Noordt (pre 1896), N: G. van Noordt, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine, blotched reddish purple (1958 Register); fls salmon yellow (van Belleghem cat., 1913). Mollis

(a) **'Hortulanus H. Witte'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: M. Koster & Sons (1892), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 55mm wide, moderate orange-yellow, with a strong orange blotch. Midseason. Mollis

(a) **'Horus'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Osakazuki' (s) × 'Flame' R: B.Y. Morrison (pre 1941), N: B.Y. Morrison,

INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, star-shaped, 50-70mm wide, lavender pink. Shrub to 1.9m. Mid April. Glenn Dale (Probably never distributed; the 'Flame' parent is probably the plant correctly called 'Suetsumu' (Wilson no.34))

(r) **'Hos'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tortoiseshell Wonder' (s) × 'Redwax' H: M. Stockman (1980), G: M. & H. Stockman (1989), N: M. & H. Stockman (1992), I: M. & H. Stockman (1992), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1992) Fls 9/lax truss, campanulate, 51 × 57mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (51B, C) with strong pink (54C) spotting on all lobes; outside strong pink (54C); stamens 10, straight, unequal. Calyx 2mm long, red. Pedicels 25mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 114 × 25mm, convex, cuspidate at apex, cuneate at base, bullate and mid, glossy green above, with a felted tan indumentum below; petioles 16mm long, brown. Shrub 0.6 × 0.8m in 12 years. Late May.

(a) **'Hosai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls tubular, with narrow, separate lobes, white. Satsuki

(a) **'Hosai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 100mm wide, with overlapping lobes, reddish orange, with an inconspicuous red blotch. Satsuki

(v) **'Hosanna'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *zoelleri* × *leucogigas* H: unknown, G: G.L.S. Snell (1988), N: D. Moodie, I: Foothills Nursery (1990), REG: Foothills Nursery (1991) Fls 8/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 70 × 90mm, 5-lobed, light yellowish pink (19B) outside, light orange-yellow (22B) inside. Lvs elliptic, 180 × 80mm. Shrub 2.0m. Spring-autumn. (May have been hybridized by T. Lelliott, 1972)

(r) **'Hosea Waterer'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rich cerise pink, with dark red to black-brown markings. (Cultivated by Waterer (Knap Hill), 1955)

(a) **'Hosei'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kumo-no-ue' × 'Kyokko-nishiki' R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65-75mm wide, with broad, rounded, notched lobes, white, variably striped or sectored with deep purplish pink; some deep purplish pink selfs. Satsuki

(a) **'Hosei'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nikko' × 'Hakurei' R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls with star-shaped lobes, 40-50mm wide, light pink, some lobes white. Satsuki

(a) **'Hosei'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: USA (pre 1990) Fls occasionally semi-double, bright red. Satsuki

(a) **'Hoshi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls with rounded, well-spaced lobes, white, with a light green throat, purplish pink flakes to purplish pink tips and a pale to white centre. Satsuki

(a) **'Hoshi-no-kagayaki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1988), N: Japan Fls single, 5-lobed, the upper lobes slightly wavy-edged, uniformly deep bright pink; stamens and style also bright pink; the stigma conspicuous, yellow. Satsuki

(a) **'Hoshi-no-sato'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Hoshi-no-sekai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1976), N: Japan. Satsuki

(r) **'Hoshi-no-umi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan, N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple, with big white spots. Indian

(a) **'Hoshizukiyo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, with rounded lobes, white, suffused light yellowish pink, with occasional sectors of colour. Satsuki

(a) **'Hoshun'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50mm wide, with well-spaced, pointed lobes, yellowish pink in the throat, fading to deep yellowish pink at the tips; occasional orange selfs. Shrub of very dense, low, spreading habit. Satsuki

(a) **'Hosokawa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Yokohama Nurseries (1932), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, large, light purple. Lvs variegated

(r) **'Hot Dawn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' (s) × *yakushimanum* (Exbury form) × 'Mars' H: J.B. Brueckner (1975), G: J.B. Brueckner (1982), N: J.B. Brueckner, REG: J.B. Brueckner (1989) Fls 16-22/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 32 × 83mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong to vivid purplish red (61B/C). Calyx less than 2mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 102-127 × 44-51mm, flat, obtuse at apex, cuneate to oblique at base, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 0.8m in 12 years. Late May

(r) **'Hot Deal'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Rougemont' (s) × 'Sultry Peach' H: T.L. Ring, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, dark and deep red (187A, 53A) in bud, opening white, edged deep red (60A) and strong purplish red (60B, C, D), with a pale greenish yellow (2D) flare and moderate yellow-green (146C) dorsal spots; outside with deep red (53A) veins; filaments and style deep purplish pink (58D); anthers pale yellow (164D); stigma dark red (183A). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Hot Diggity Dog'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scintillation' (s) × 'Double Eagle' H: M.J. Whitman (1997), G: M.J. & B. Whitman (2002), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (2002), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (2002) Fls 21/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 70mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, buds light yellowish pink (27A) at base, shading to strong purplish red (54A) at apex, opening inside cream with a pale yellow (11C) throat, moderate purplish pink (65A) edges and sparse,

deep purplish red (61A) dorsal spotting; outside cream, the base pale yellow (11C) and the edges moderate purplish pink (65A). Lvs oblong, 175 × 75mm, margins flat and downcurved, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.55 × 0.65m in 5 years. Early-mid April

(r) **'Hotei'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goldsworth Orange' × *souliei* × *wardii* H: K.I. Sifferman (1953), G: K.I. Sifferman & B. Nelson (pre 1962), N: K.I. Sifferman & B. Nelson, I: K.I. Sifferman & B. Nelson (1969), REG: K.I. Sifferman & B. Nelson (1970) Fls 10-12/loose ball truss, open campanulate, 50 × 60-65mm, 5-lobed, light yellow (12C), with deeper shading of brilliant yellow (12B). Calyx with irregular lobes up to 20mm long, yellow. Lvs narrowly elliptic, up to 120 × 45mm, dark green above, hairless. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years. AM 1974

(v) **'Hotel on Mayfair'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: (*konori* var. *phaeopeplum* × *lochiae*) × *leucogigas* (s) × *laetum* H: J.L. Rouse (1982), G: R. Macdonald (1988), N: R. Macdonald (1992), I: Foothills Nursery (1993), REG: Foothills Nursery (1993) Fls 4-9/loose truss, long tubular funnel-shaped, 80 × 70mm, with 6 decurved lobes, moderate purplish pink (54D) in bud, opening the same colour but fading to base inside, deepening to base outside. Lvs oblanceolate, 160 × 80mm, flat, matt green above, acuminate at base, acute at apex. Shrub 1.5 × 1.0m. Spring

(r) **'Hot Flash'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Rougemont' (s) × 'Fiery Orange' H: T.L. Ring, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, dark and strong red (187A, 46A) in bud, opening deep and strong red (53A, B, 46A); filaments strong red (53B); style light yellow (163D); anthers moderate brown and brownish orange (165A, B); stigma dark reddish orange (173A). Calyx deep and strong red (53A, B). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(a) **'Hot Ginger and Dynamite'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *arborescens* R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls large, white, with pink stamens; strongly scented. Mid-June

(v) **'Hot Gossip'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lochiae* hybrid × *konori* H: F. Jury, G: F. Jury (1985), N: F. Jury, I: M. Jury, REG: M. Jury (1990) Fls 6-8/truss, 75 × 70mm, 5-7-lobed, opening pale red and deepening with age to an intense claret red. Lvs oblanceolate, 140 × 60mm, dark green, with a scaly indumentum which starts fawn and soon becomes reddish brown; petioles dark red. Shrub of spreading, rigid habit. Continuously in flower

(r) **'Hot Hands'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Delp's Cindy Lou' (s) × 'Goldsworth Orange' H: W.E. Delp (1985), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 10/truss, open campanulate, 54 × 60mm, 5-lobed, strong to vivid red (46A, B) in bud, opening strong to vivid red (46A, B) with dark red (59A) dorsal spots; filaments and style vivid red (45A); anthers and stigma dark red (187A). Lvs 102 × 44mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, with a tan, slightly woolly indumentum. Shrub 1.1 × 1.0m in 7 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer (1992))

(r) **'Hot Hues'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Princess Elizabeth' (s) × 'Fiery Orange' H: T.L. Ring (1990), G: W.E. Delp (1993), N: Mrs V. Delp, I: Crystalaire Rhododendron Naturescapes, REG: J.D. Harris (1996) Fls 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, c50 × 75mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, deep and strong red (53A-B) in bud, opening strong red (53C-D) and moderate purplish pink (54D), with a pale greenish yellow (9D) flare in the throat and with deep red (53A) dorsal spots; filaments moderate purplish pink (54D); style light yellow-green (150D); anthers moderate reddish brown (176B); stigma greyish red (178A). Calyx 25mm long, brilliant yellow (9C), spotted deep red (53A). Lvs 115 × 50mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base. Shrub 1.2 × 1.1m in 6 years. Early June. (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Hot Lick'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vivacious' (s) × 'Mars' × 'America' H: A.W. Smith (pre 1989), G: D. Irish-Hosler (1998), N: D. Irish-Hosler (2000), REG: D. Irish-Hosler (2000) Fls 15/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (67A) in bud, opening inside strong and vivid purplish red (67A-B), with slightly darker dorsal spotting (barely perceptible); outside strong purplish red (67A). Lvs elliptic, 125 × 45mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate to rounded at base, margins downcurved, dull and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in c12 years. Midseason

(a) **'Hot Line'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown G: Mrs J.W. Hill (c 1967), N: Mrs J.W. Hill, I: Mrs J.W. Hill, REG: Mrs J.W. Hill (1976) Fls single, 1-2/truss, open funnel-campanulate, 50 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (54B) to strong pink (54C), strongly blotched and spotted strong red (53B) on dorsal lobes; outside deep yellowish pink (44D) at base of tube. Calyx 6mm long, light green, silvery hairy. Lvs elliptic, 30 × 13mm, glossy, moderate olive green (146A), silvery hairy. Shrub 0.3 × 0.7-1.0m in 12 years. Mid-late June. (Seed collected from "new dwarf Gumpos" by T. Rokujo, 1963)

(r) **'Hotline Beauty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ('Kettledrum' × 'Jock') × 'Mrs Charles S. Sargent' (s) × *griersonianum* × Romany Chal Group H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls strong purplish red (61B) in bud, opening white, edged strong and vivid purplish red (67A, B). Tall shrub. (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1999))

(r) **'Hotlips'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *venator* (s) × 'Jenny Harris' H: T.L. Ring, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V.

Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls hose-in-hose, strong and vivid red (46A, B) in bud, opening vivid reddish orange (43A) and vivid red (44A). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Hot Mix'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Vineland Station seedling no.V-6238-7 (= 'Mars' × 'America') (s) × 'Delp's Cindy Lou' H: A.W. Smith (1986), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 22/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 50 × 60mm, 5-lobed, deep and dark red (53A, 60A, 187A) in bud, opening deep and strong red (53A, B; 46A) with sparse, dark red (187A), dorsal spots; filaments and style vivid red (46B); anthers moderate reddish orange (173B); stigma dark red (187A). Lvs 152 × 70mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 6 years. Early June.

(a) **'Hoto-no-kagami'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Hototogisu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Kikoshi' R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, with well-spaced, rounded lobes, white with deep pink flakes & some deep pink with a white centre: variable. Satsuki (More than one plant may be in circulation under this name)

(r) **'Hot Pants'** (Syn. of 'Ooh-la-la')

(r) **'Hot Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vinemount' (s) × (('Hassan' × (*dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* × *kyawii*)) × 'Catalgla') × 'La Bar's White' H: A.W. Smith (1985), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 12/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 55 × 75mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, deep and strong purplish red (61A, 72A) in bud, opening strong and vivid purplish red (67A, B), edged strong reddish purple (70B) and deep purplish pink (70C), with sparse, dark red (59A), dorsal spots on a small, white flare; filaments and style vivid purplish red (57D); anthers pale orange-yellow (165D); stigma dark red (59A). Lvs 102 × 38mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m in 7 years. Early June

(r) **'Hotrodder'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anne Hardgrove' (s) × (('America' × Blaze') × 'Red Brave') no.2 × 'Delp's Cindy Lou' H: T.L. Ring (1984), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 58 × 60mm, 5-lobed, dark and deep red (183A, 53A) in bud, opening to a blend of deep red (53A) and deep pink (48A), with dark red (183A) dorsal spots; filaments and style deep red (53A); anthers a blend of 53A and white; stigma dark red. Lvs 127 × 44mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.7m in 8 years. Early June

(a) **'Hot Shot'** (Syn. of 'Girard's Hot Shot')

(r) **'Hotshot'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *facetum* (s) × 'Mars' H: R. Henny (1944), G: R. Henny, N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny (1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. Semi-dwarf shrub

(a) **'Hot Shot Variegated'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Siskiyou Rare Plant Nursery (2000) Fls orange-red. Lvs variegated white and green. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m

(r) **'Hot Spot'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nova Zembla' × un-named seedling no. V6510-1 (s) × 'Mary Belle' H: J. Looye, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, strong and moderate red (46A, 47A) in bud, opening moderate and strong red (57A, 47B) and strong and light pink (48D, 49C), with a brilliant yellow-green (154B/C) flare on three dorsal lobes; filaments vivid red (46B); style light yellow-green (154D); anthers pale yellow (11C); stigma moderate reddish brown (174A). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(a) **'Hotspur'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Rothschild (pre 1934), N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep orange-red, with a yellowish blotch and yellowish filaments and style. AM 1934. Knap Hill (Hotspur Group)

(a) **Hotspur Group** gp Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Rothschild (pre 1934), N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958). Knap Hill

(a) **'Hotspur Orange'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls reddish orange. Knap Hill (Hotspur Group)

(a) **'Hotspur Red'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls strong reddish orange (32B), with a vivid orange blotch (25B). Shrub up to 3.0m. Knap Hill (Hotspur Group)

(a) **'Hotspur Salmon'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Galle (1985) (Probably synonymous with 'Hotspur Salmon-buff')

(a) **'Hotspur Salmon-buff'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale orange-pink in bud, opening pale pinkish buff, with a deep orange blotch. Knap Hill (Hotspur Group)

(a) **'Hotspur White'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Galle (1985) Fls white, with a deep yellow blotch. Knap Hill

(a) **'Hotspur Yellow'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, buds yellow, green at base, tipped orange-pink, opening yellow with darker midveins, edges slightly flushed orange-pink and with a heavy orange-yellow blotch. Knap Hill (Hotspur Group)

(r) **'Hot Stuff'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Carmen Group × Leo Group R: H.E. Greer (c 1982), N: H.E. Greer Fls deep red. Lvs dark, glossy green. Shrub 0.6m in 10 years

(r) **'Hotsy Totsy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kettledrum' (s) × 'Besse Howells' H: A.W. Smith

(1984), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 14/truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 65mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, dark red (59A) and deep purplish red (61A) in bud, opening vivid reddish purple (74A, B), with dark red (187A) dorsal spots; filaments vivid purplish red (57D); style pale purplish pink; anthers deep orange-yellow (163A); stigma dark red (187A). Lvs 102 × 44mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m in 8 years. Early June

(r) **'Hot Target'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Delp's Fireball' (s) × 'Firefox' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, deep and strong red (53A, B) in bud, opening vivid red (45A, B, C), with deep red (53A) dorsal spots; filaments and style white. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Hot Ticket'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Yaku Sunrise' (s) × 'Rocket' (Shammarello) H: M.J. Whitman (1991), G: M. J. & B. Whitman (1998), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (1999), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (1999) Fls 18/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (66A) in bud, opening inside vivid purplish red (66B) at margins, shading to pale purplish pink (65D) at centre; outside pale purplish pink (66C) with light purplish pink (66B) midveins; inside ages to pale purplish pink (65D). Lvs elliptic, 150 × 70mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, with wavy margins, dull and moderate olive green (137B) above, hairless. Shrub 0.5 × 0.5m in 8 years. Early May

(a) **'Hot Times'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, bright rose pink, with a showy golden flare; slightly scented. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Late June-July

(r) **'Hot Topic'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vivacious' (s) × 'Delp's Cindy Lou' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls dark and vivid red (183A, 46B) in bud, opening vivid red (46B) edged dark red (183A); filaments and style strong red (46A); anthers and stigma brownish orange (164A). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Hot Topper'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cherry Crisp' (s) × 'Tim Craig' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls deep and strong red (53A, B, 46A) in bud, opening deep red (53A), strong red (53B, C, D) and strong purplish red (54A); anthers pale greenish yellow (9D). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(v) **'Hot Tropic'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Tropic Glow' (s) × 'Tropic Glow H: O.S. Blumhardt (1976), G: O.S. Blumhardt (1980), N: O.S. Blumhardt, I: Koromiko Nurseries (1988), REG: O.S. Blumhardt (1990) Fls 5/truss, 60 × 70mm, 5-lobed, vivid yellow (15A), deepening to vivid reddish orange (32A) around lobes; anthers dark brown; stigma green. Calyx 2mm long, green. Pedicels 35mm long, deep red. Lvs elliptic, 75 × 40mm, scaly. Shrub 1.5m tall. Flowering at any time throughout the year. (First published in Koromiko Nurseries list, 1988)

(a) **'Hot Vibes'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *cumberlandense* R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls vivid red. June

(r) **'Hot Wonder'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Rosabel' × *arboreum* H: G. Langdon, G: G. Langdon, N: G. Langdon, I: G. Langdon, REG: G. Langdon (1982) Fls 13/truss, deep pink (52B) with vivid red (52A) in the throat

(r) **'Hot Ziggety'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Midsummer' (s) × 'Adele's Yellow' H: W.E. Delp (1978), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 18/truss, open funnel-shaped, 41 × 57mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red and strong purplish pink (63A-C) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (65D) edged strong purplish red (63A, B) and with light yellow (18A) dorsal spots; filaments and style pale purplish pink (56D); anthers moderate purplish pink (186D); stigma strong reddish orange (31B). Lvs 108 × 51mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m in 14 years. Late June

(r) **Houlstonii Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. houlstonii*

(a) **'Houri'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lavender. Indian

(a) **'Howard Anderson'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* hybrid R: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, flushed pink and spotted with red. Shrub of low, dense, spreading habit. Syn: 'H.W. Anderson'. Gable

(a) **'Howard John'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls hose-in-hose, purplish red

(r) **'Howard Kuhn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *degronianum* subsp. *heptamerum* (s) × *yakushimanum* 'Siouxon' × *sanguineum* subsp. *sanguineum* var. *haemaleum* H: H. Kuhn (1986), G: G. Woodard, N: J. Rosenthal (1998), REG: J. Rosenthal (1998) Fls 8/flat truss, funnel-campanulate, 50 × 65mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, deep purplish red (61A) throughout. Lvs oblong, 115 × 40mm, flat, obtuse at apex, oblique at base, dull and moderate yellowish green (139B) above, with plastered hairs below (tan at first, ageing to light tan). Shrub 0.4 × 0.6m in 12 years. Mid May

(r) **'Howard Short'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: Bric-à-brac Group × *moupinense* H: H.A. Short (1977), G: M. West (1982), N: M. West, I: Griswold Nursery (1991), REG: L. Malland (1992) Fls 4-5/flat truss, (narrow) tubular funnel-shaped, 30 × 35mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63A) in bud, opening strong

purplish red (63B) to strong purplish pink (63C) and becoming paler with age, heavily spotted dark red (187A) on three dorsal lobes; stamens 10, unequal, curved; anthers dark brown; stigma golden. Calyx 6mm long, very pale pink. Lvs elliptic to ovate, 30 × 15mm, flat, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy, hairless and moderate olive green (137A) above, moderate yellowish green (137D) and scaly below; petioles hairy and scaly. Flower bud scales persistent. Shrub 0.8 × 0.9m in 14 years. Early February

(r) **'Howard Van Vleck'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goldsworth Yellow' (s) × 'Dexter's Orange' H: H.A. Van Vleck (1969), G: H.A. Van Vleck, N: The Van Vleck House & Gardens, REG: The Van Vleck House & Gardens (1995) Fls 15/open, domed truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 40mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, light yellow in bud, opening light greenish yellow (4C) and fading to pale yellow-green (4D), with faint dorsal spotting of strong greenish yellow (151C); stamens 10, straight, unequal; slightly scented. Calyx 3mm long, green. Pedicels 40mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 102 × 35mm, slightly concave, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, with sparse, tan hairs on midribs below; petioles 20mm long, green. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 25 years. Mid May

(a) **'How-koku'** (Syn. of 'Hokoku')

(a) **'How-raku'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Chugai Nursery Co. (pre 1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 100mm wide, sometimes with wavy-edged lobes, white with a chartreuse blotch or white, flecked, striped or sectored tyrian rose (24/2); some tyrian rose selfs. Low, spreading habit. Very late. Satsuki (Galle (1987) says this is the same plant as 'Horaku')

(a) **'How-zan'** (See note under 'Hozan')

(a) **'Hozan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum* hybrid R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large (to 150mm wide), white, marked with red. Dwarf shrub. Syn: 'Mountain Jewel' ('Hozan' was listed in the 1958 Register as obtained from the Chugai Nursery Co; 'How-zan', listed separately came from K. Wada. It seems likely they are the same plant and the descriptions have been amalgamated here)

(a) **'Hozan Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Holly Heath Nursery (1978) Fls bright pink. Satsuki

(r) **'H. Phipps No. 2'** (Syn. of 'Wheatley')

(r) **'H. Phipps No. 3'** (Syn. of 'Westbury')

(a) **'Hradecká'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Soukupova' R: M. Srpková & J. Švec (c 1960), N: M. Srpková & J. Švec Fls 60mm wide, shining red. Lvs elliptic, light green, becoming dark green

(a) **'HRH Princess Margaret'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown G: E. de Rothschild (pre 1980), S: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: Exbury Enterprises Ltd, REG: Exbury Enterprises Ltd (1990) Fls single, 18/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 55 × 70mm, 5-lobed, strong orange-yellow (17A), with a vivid orange-yellow (23A) blotch on the dorsal lobe. Lvs oblanceolate, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 1.0m. May

(r) **'H.T. Gill'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × *thomsonii* R: R. Gill & Sons, N: R. Gill & Sons, I: R. Gill & Sons (1921), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 7-lobed, bright rose, with a conspicuous maroon blotch. Lvs deep, glossy green. (Description from Gill). AM 1921

(a) **'Hubert de Reuse'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Frits Sander' × 'Vervaeneanum Rubrum' I: A. de Reuse (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, deep red. Indian

(r) **'Hubert Robert'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* (s) × *williamsianum* I: G.M. Adams-Acton (1950) Fls shell pink. (Caroline Spencer Group)

(r) **'Hudibras'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep pink

(r) **'Hudson Bay'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group (white-fld) (s) × *dauricum* (white-fld) H: D.G. Leach (1968), G: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1979), REG: D.G. Leach (1983) Fls 3/truss (with 3-4 trusses together), 20 × 45mm, open funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, pale purplish pink (65C) in bud, opening white. Calyx minute, greenish yellow. Lvs elliptic, 45 × 20mm, near moderate olive green (147A), with almost contiguous, rusty brown scales below. Shrub 1.2m in 13 years

(a) **'Hugellii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Huggy Bear'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* var. *minus* × *minus* var. *chapmanii* H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 8/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 25 × 30mm, 5-lobed, moderate and light purplish pink (65A, B) in bud, opening shades of purplish pink (65A-D) with strong reddish orange (169A) dorsal spots; filaments pale purplish pink (62D), anthers pale yellow (164D); style strong purplish red (63B), stigma strong purplish pink (63C). Lvs 51 × 32mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, scaly. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 18 years. Mid May

(v) **'Hugh Caldwell'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* (s) × *leucogigas* G: unknown, N: W.A. Moynier (2002), REG: W.A. Moynier (2002) Fls 5-6/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 105 × 90-100mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside strong reddish orange (34C), changing gradually to light orange-yellow (23C) deep in the throat; outside light orange (29B), changing gradually to light orange-yellow (23C) at base of tube. Lvs elliptic, 165 × 55mm, margins upcurved, acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and dark green above, scaly. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 20 years. November-January. (Probably hybridised by Tom Lelliott)

(r) **'Hugh Fraser'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1980) Fls purple

(r) **'Hugh Koster'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'George Hardy' (s) × 'Doncaster' hybrid R: M. Koster & Sons (1915), N: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 16/truss, funnel-shaped, 60 × 70-80mm, glowing crimson scarlet, with black dorsal markings. Calyx 1-7mm long, red. Lvs similar to 'Doncaster'. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. *AM 1933

(v) **'Hugh Redgrove'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown, probably a *lochiae* hybrid H: probably T. Lelliott, G: O.S. Blumhardt (c 1979), N: G.F. Smith, I: O.S. Blumhardt, REG: H. Redgrove (1988) Fls 8-10(-15)/truss, tubular-campanulate, 50 × 50mm, 5-lobed, orient red (819) (paler in warm summer conditions); stigma and pedicels also orient red, anthers black. Calyx 2mm long, red. Lvs broadly ovate, 90-100 × 50-60mm, very dark green and glossy above, with light brown scales; petiole and main vein red. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m. Repeat-flowering

(a) **'Hugh Wormald'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Exbury, N: Exbury, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vivid yellow (13B), with an orange-yellow (23A) blotch. Knap Hill

(r) **'Hugh Wormald'** cv. Parentage unknown R: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1922), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 18/pyramidal truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 80-90mm wide, bright crimson in bud, opening cerise with centre of lobes and inside of tube white and with a ray of dark crimson markings. Calyx lobes 5-13mm long

(r) **'Hugo'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Hugo Casciola'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: unnamed, yellowish pink hybrid × 'Purple Splendour' H: P. Holden (1968), G: Mrs A.J. Holden, I: P. Holden, REG: P. Holden (1981) Fls 10-15/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 80mm wide, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (71B) in bud, opening strong purplish red (71D) with edging and outside strong purplish red (71C); central area of all but dorsal lobe yellowish white (155D), dorsal lobe with a vivid reddish orange (32A) blotch extending from the throat to within c5mm of the lobe tips. Calyx less than 3mm long, moderate red (180B). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 125 × 45mm, dull, moderate yellow-green (146B) above, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 0.9m in 11 years. Mid May

(a) **'Hugo de Groot'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: L.J. Endtz & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, strong orange. Late. Mollis

(r) **'Hugo de Vries'** (Syn. of 'Professor Hugo de Vries')

(a) **'Hugo Hardijzer'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Machteline Alberts' × unknown × 'J.C. van Tol' I: P.W. Hardijzer (pre 1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright red. Mollis

(a) **'Hugo Koster'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: M. Koster & Sons (1892), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 70mm wide, vivid reddish orange, with an orange blotch. Mollis

(a) **'Hugo Oosthoek'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: P.J.C. Oosthoek & Co., N: P.J.C. Oosthoek & Co., I: P.J.C. Oosthoek & Co. (1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light orange-red. Mollis

(r) **'Hugo Richter'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Firma Seidel (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls slightly pink, with paler margins and white radial stripes

(a) **'Hugo Zeppernick'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: O. Hartl (1891), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark carmine rose, with a dark blotch. Indian

(a) **'Hugs'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Marshy Point Nursery (pre 1995), N: Marshy Point Nursery Fls double, with very wavy-edged lobes, pure white. Upright shrub

(r) **'Hugtight'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *forrestii* Repens Group × *aureum* H: H.L. Larson (pre 1983), I: Fisher (pre 1988) Fls double (paeony-type), dark rose. Lvs small, dark green. Compact shrub 0.6m in 10 years

(r) **'Hulagu Khan'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* subsp. *xanthocodon* (AM form) × Lady Rosebery Group R: L.E. Brandt, N: L.E. Brandt, REG: L.E. Brandt (1968) Fls 10/truss, pendulous, vivid yellow (17B) inside, strong orange-yellow (17A) outside. Lvs 90 × 30mm, dark green, scaly below. Shrub 1.9m in 9 years, of columnar habit

(r) **'Hullaballoo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × *thomsonii* H: Sir Edmund Loder, G: Honourable H.E. Boscawen, N: Honourable H.E. Boscawen, I: Honourable H.E. Boscawen (1974), REG: Honourable H.E. Boscawen (1974) Fls 10-12/loose truss, open campanulate, 60 × 80mm, 5-lobed, deep purplish pink (61D) paling to tips, with darker staining of vivid purplish red (61C) centrally on reverse of each lobe, and a small blotch of deep red (53A) in dorsal throat. Calyx up to 8mm long, irregular, yellowish green, faintly flushed red-purple, ciliate. Lvs elliptic, up to 115 × 60mm, dark green above, hairless. AM 1974

(r) **'Hultschin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *insigne* × *williamsianum* R: H Robenek (c 1952), I: D.G. Hobbie (1976) Fls pastel rose with red markings. Lvs conspicuously glossy green

(a) **'Humber'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: F.E.W. Hanger, G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, REG: Royal Horticultural Society (1963) Fls 15/compact, globulartruss, open funnel-shaped, 75 × 100mm, vivid yellow (605/1), edged yellowish pink (620/1), with an orange-yellow (7/1) blotch. Lvs 95 × 40mm, glossy, mid green, tinged brown. Shrub at least 2.0m. Late May. *AM 1962. Knap Hill

(v) **'Humbolata Bay'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Sir George Holford' (s) × *leucogigas* G: Strybing Arboretum (pre 1976), N: L. Sorenson-Smith (1996), I: Bovees Nursery (1996), REG: Bovees Nursery (1999) Fls 8-22/domed truss, elongated tubular and broadly

funnel-shaped, 100 × 100mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, inside of lobes moderate to light yellowish pink (38B-C), tube light yellowish pink (24A), inside with deep and strong pink (50B-C) markings; outside of lobes strong and moderate pink (49A-B), tube light orange-yellow (25D to 22B-C)with vertical marks of deep and strong pink (50B-C). Lvs elliptic, 175 × 65mm, with upcurved margins, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, semi-glossy and moderate yellow-green (137C) above, scaly. Shrub 1.5 × 0.9m in 10 years. Flowering at least twice a year. (Probably crossed by J. Brydon (at Strybing Arboretum). First published in The Bovees Nursery cat., 1996)

(r) **'Humbold'** (See 'Humboldt')

(r) **'Humboldt'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel (c 1906), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 16-20/rounded truss, 50-80mm wide, very pale purple (76C), with black red markings. Lvs ovate, 100-150mm long, dark green. Tall shrub. Late May-mid June. (Sometimes seen incorrectly as 'Humbold' or 'Humbolt')

(r) **'Humboldtii'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rose, with a white throat

(a) **'Humboldt Peppermint'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *occidentale* R: L.F. Frisbie (pre 1965), N: L.F. Frisbie Fls 55mm wide, white, with a pink stripe down the centre of each lobe

(a) **'Humboldt Picotee'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *occidentale* S: B.M. Smith & F.D. Mossman (pre 1985), N: B.M. Smith & F.D. Mossman Fls variable: white, with purple-red margin and normal lvs; red, with small, pigmented, recurved lvs; intermediate between these two variants. Cuttings produce all three forms

(r) **'Humboldt Sunrise'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Else Frye' (s) × *johnstoneanum* H: R.L. Anderson (1967), G: H.J. Braafladt, N: H.J. Braafladt, REG: H.J. Braafladt (1979) Fls up to 6/truss, open funnel-shaped, 80mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds brilliant yellow-green (154C) with a strong reddish orange (31A) blush, opening inside pale yellow (11C) with a vivid yellow (12A) blotch in the throat; outside pale yellow (11C) with a moderate yellowish pink (38B) blush at tips; carnation-scented. Lvs elliptic to lanceolate, 80 × 35mm, cuneate at base, acute at apex with apiculus, with pale yellow-green (196C) hairs above and on margins, and tiny, closely spaced, tan scales below; petioles densely hairy above, scaly below. Shrub 1.0 × 1.2m in 10 years. Mid March-early April

(r) **'Humbug'** cv. Parentage unknown R: M. Wildfong (pre 1980), N: M. Wildfong

(r) **'Humdinger'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Accomac' (s) × 'Besse Howells' H: W.E. Delp (1979), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 71 × 102mm, with 6-7 very wavy-edged lobes, strong red and deep pink (51A, B) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (56D), edged strong and light purplish pink (55B, C) and with deep red (53A) dorsal spots; outside deep purplish pink (54B); filaments pale purplish pink (56D); style yellowish white (155D); anthers moderate yellowish pink (173D); stigma strong reddish orange (34C). Lvs 127 × 51mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.2m in 13 years. Early June

(a) **'Humile'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1811), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed under *Azalea viscosa*)

(a) **'Hummingbird'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (pre 1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, lavender. Coolidge

(r) **Humming Bird Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *haematodes* (s) × *williamsianum* R: J.C. Williams, N: J.C. Williams, I: J.C. Williams (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 4/truss, broadly campanulate, 35-47 × 55-57mm, usually 6-lobed, light crimson shading to scarlet in tube, un-marked. Calyx fleshy, crimson. Lvs similar to *williamsianum*, oblong-obovate, 30-50 × 15-27mm, dark olive green, matt or more-or-less glossy above, with a very thin brown indumentum below. Shrub c1.0m

(r) **'Humoreska'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pink Pearl' × 'Peter Koster' R: B. Kavka (c 1959), N: B. Kavka Fls 12-18/globose truss, 73mm wide, buds dark brown-red (824/2-824/3), opening red (724/2-724/3), with a conspicuous blotch of black-purple. Lvs elliptic, 135 × 50mm, dark green (0960). Shrub 1.2m in 9 years

(r) **'Huneric'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (c 1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark purple, with black spots. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Hunnewell'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. de Cock & Soeur (1872), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rich crimson (C. Vuylsteke, 1890)

(r) **'Hunnewell No. 1'** (Syn. of 'Walter Hunnewell')

(v) **'Hunstein's Secret'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *leucogigas* I: J.L. Rouse, REG: J.L. Rouse (1987) Fls 10/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 130 × 100mm, 7-lobed, white; scented. Lvs elliptic, 180 × 75mm. Shrub 2.0m tall in 20 years. Spring-autumn. (Collected as a cutting on Mount Hunstein, West Irian, by L.A. Craven in 1966. This cultivar is propagated from selfed seed and is not clonal)

(r) **'Hunter's Moon'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *augustinii* subsp. *chasmanthum* (s) × *cinnabarinum* subsp. *xanthocodon* Concatenans Group R: E.G.W.W. Harrison, N: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1960), REG: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1961) Fls 8/truss, tubular, 40 × 25mm, dull white, with greenish brown spots

(r) **'Hunting Hill'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: reputedly a hybrid of subsect. *Fortunea* H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: Mrs H. Ross, N: J.C. Wister, I: W. Efinger (1959), REG: The Tyler Arboretum (1981) Fls 13/ball truss, open funnel-campanulate, 90mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (7.5RP 6/12), shading to pale purplish pink (7.5RP 9/2) - almost white - at centre of lobes and in throat, with 2 moderate reddish brown areas of spotting in dorsal throat and with spotting on the dorsal lobe paling to light brown. Lvs elliptic to slightly obovate, 165 × 70mm, rounded at base, broadly acute at apex, flat to slightly wavy margins, hairless. Shrub 2.4 × 3.0m in 21 years. Mid May

(r) **'Huntington'** cv. Parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: J. Parker, N: P.D. Vossberg, I: Westbury Rose Co. (pre 1978) Fls in a tight, rounded truss, pink, with a yellow blotch

(r) **'Huntsman'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish rose

(r) **Huntsman Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *barbatum* (s) × *campylocarpum* Elatum Group I: Sir Giles Loder, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Hurricane'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Furnivall' × 'Anna Rose Whitney' H: W.E. Whitney (c 1960), G: W.E. Whitney, N: W.E. Whitney, I: W.E. Whitney (1969), REG: G. & Mrs A. Sather (1976) Fls 15/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, 5-lobed, buds vivid purplish red (66A), opening strong purplish pink (68B), blotch and spotting deep red (53A) on upper third of corolla. Calyx c1.5mm long, green. Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 115-150 × 55mm, cuneate/rounded at base, acute at apex, glossy, moderate olive green (137A), hairless. Shrub 1.6 × 1.6m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Husky Fever'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Crest' × *wardii* Litiense Group H: W. Elliott (1976), G: W. Elliott (1982), N: W. Elliott, REG: W. Elliott (1988) Fls 10/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 32 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light yellow-green (2C). Calyx 10mm long, light yellow-green (2C). Lvs oblong, 76 × 38mm, flat, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.5m in 10 years. April

(r) **'Huskymania'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: unnamed *catawbiense* type, open-pollinated G: G.A.L. Mehlquist, N: M.H. Brand (1998), I: Dept. of Plant Science, University of Connecticut (1998), REG: M.H. Brand (1998) Fls 12-16/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 70-80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, dark purple (83A) in bud, opening vivid, strong and deep reddish purple (78A-B, 77A) inside and out, with a 15mm wide, greyish reddish orange (177C-D) and light reddish brown (177B) flare on dorsal lobe. Calyx 2mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 120-130 × 40-50mm, margins wavy and decurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and dark yellowish green (139A) above, with rust-orange hairs at first, later hairless; hairs also on buds, petioles and stems. Shrub 2.4 × 3.1m in 30 years. Mid June. (Original seed collected by Mehlquist in 1963)

(r) **'Hussar'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *facetum* × Fabia Group × May Day Group R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1970) Fls blood red (820/1), speckled brown on dorsal lobe. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years, of compact habit

(a) **'Hussy'** (See 'The Hussy')

(r) **'Huzza'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (c 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple crimson, with dark spots. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'H.W. Anderson'** (Syn. of 'Howard Anderson')

(a) **'H. Whitelegg'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L.J. Endtz & Co. (pre 1931), N: L.J. Endtz & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rosy red. Early. AM 1931. Syn: 'Harold Whitelegg'. Kaempferi

(r) **'H. Whitner'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi Pink Diamond' (s) × Cornish Cross Group R: Sir Edmund Loder (pre 1935), N: Sir Edmund Loder, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear pink. AM 1935 (Ruthelma Group)

(r) **'H.W. Sargent'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a large, compact, rounded truss, campanulate, deep purplish pink to strong purplish red (4RP 4.5/12-8RP 4.2/14), marked deep purplish red (10RP 2/6) on dorsal lobe. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. FCC 1865

(r) **'Hyacinthiflorum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *ponticum* seedling or hybrid L: Cels (1835), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, 9-15/compact, rounded truss, 40-50mm wide, intense lilac, with slight yellow to brownish markings. Late May-early June. Syn: 'Hyacinthiflorum Flore Pleno'; 'Hyacinthiflorum Plenum' (Reported to be of Belgian origin)

(a) **'Hyacinthiflorum Duplex'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double. Ghent ? (Perhaps a complex error for 'Hyacinthiflorum')

(r) **'Hyacinthiflorum Flore Pleno'** (Syn. of 'Hyacinthiflorum')

(r) **'Hyacinthiflorum Plenum'** (Syn. of 'Hyacinthiflorum')

(r) **'Hyak'** cv. Parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney (pre 1980)

(a) **'Hyakuman'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c60mm wide, red. Satsuki

(r) **'Hybrid Campanulatum'** (Syn. of 'Campanulatum Hybridum')

(a) **'Hybridum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1840), INC: ICRA (1958) (A. Leroy (1868) listed it under *viscosum*)

(r) **'Hybridum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *ciliatum* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with long tubes, funnel-shaped, pure white. Buds and leaves ciliate. (See *Revue Horticole*, 1868, p.300)

(az) **Hybridum Group** gp Azaleodendron: *viscosum* (s) × *maximum* R: W. Herbert (1817), N: W. Herbert, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls funnel-shaped, 35-40 × 50mm, dark lilac purple in bud, opening rosy lilac, paling to white in the tube, with a ray of yellowish green markings. Calyx lobes 3-7mm long, glandular-ciliate. Lvs oblanceolate, up to 75 × 25mm, dark green above, more-or-less hairless at maturity below (puberulous and glandular when young). Shrub to c2m, usually evergreen. (In cultivation T. Methven, Edinburgh, 1868-69)

(a) **'Hybridum Bicolor'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown, listed under *calendulaceum* L: A. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bicoloured

(r) **'Hybridum Novum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as a form or hybrid of *arboreum* L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Hybridum Odoratum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: I. Davies (pre 1868), N: I. Davies, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls greenish white; highly scented. FCC 1868. Ghent (The award plant was from Isaac Davies who was said to be the raiser.Others have said it was from A.van Geert.Two plants may have been involved)

(r) **'Hybridum Pallidum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as a selection from *catawbiense* L: Whitley & Osborn (1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Hybridum Roseum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1877), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy pink, with black spots. Hardy Hybrid (Perhaps the plant listed under this name at Ghent in 1848)

(r) **'Hyde'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid I: C.B. van Nes & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light red

(a) **'Hyde Park'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: Exbury Gardens Ltd (pre 1965), G: Exbury Gardens Ltd (pre 1980), N: E. de Rothschild (pre 1980), REG: Exbury Gardens Ltd (1996) Fls 8-10/rounded truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 30 × 90mm, 5-lobed, light yellow (15D), heavily flushed strong red (41B), opening inside light yellow (11B), flushed strong yellowish pink (38A); outside pale orange-yellow (16D), flushed strong yellowish pink (37A); dorsal blotch of vivid orange-yellow (23A); filaments and style orange. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 90 × 47mm, bullate, margins flat, matt green above, pointed at base and apex, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 1.5m in 30 years. May. (Solent Group)

(a) **'Hydie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: W.G.T. Hyde (pre 1970), G: W.G.T. Hyde (pre 1980), N: Mrs R. Legrand, I: Linwood Plants (1991), REG: Mrs R. Legrand (1992) Fls 4-5/truss, semi-double, broadly funnel-shaped, 30 × 25mm, 5-lobed, deep pink (50B), marbled white and with faint vivid red (46C) markings on dorsal lobe. Calyx 10mm long, green. Lvs ovate to elliptic, 32 × 12mm, hairless. Shrub 0.5 × 0.6m. May.

(r) **'Hydon Amethyst'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: Blue Diamond Group (s) × *russatum* R: A.F. George, N: A.F. George, I: Hydon Nurseries, REG: Hydon Nurseries (2000) Fls c5/loose truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 15 × 40mm, vivid purple (82A), ageing to deep purple (83B), paler at base of tube externally; unspotted; stamens 10, filaments strong purple (82B), densely white pubescent at base; style strong purplish red (71B), white pubescent at base. Calyx rudimentary, with irregular lobes to 4mm long. Pedicels to 15mm long, heavily red-flushed, scaly. Lvs elliptic, up to 55 × 20mm, dark green and with reticulate venation above, paler below and with a sparse mixture of pale and dark brown scales. Shrub 1.5 × 0.75m in 20 years. Late April. AM 2000 (Standard: herbarium specimen of plant exhibited by registrant (WSY 0024427))

(r) **'Hydon Ball'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Springbok' H: A.F. George, G: A.F. George, N: A.F. George, I: Hydon Nurseries (1968), REG: Hydon Nurseries (1968) Fls 17/compact, globular truss, campanulate, c50 × 40-50mm, very pale cream, spotted brilliant orange-yellow (21B) on dorsal lobe. Lvs 80 × 25mm, more-or-less dark, dull green. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years. *AM 1977

(r) **'Hydon Ben'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Billy Budd' H: A.F. George (1975), G: A.F. George (1985), N: A.F. George, I: Hydon Nurseries (1989), REG: Hydon Nurseries (1990) Fls 10-12/truss, 35 × 40mm, 5-lobed, strong red (53C). Calyx very short, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 75 × 30mm, with a fawn indumentum. Low, domed, very compact shrub. May

(r) **'Hydon Comet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* (s) × 'New Comet' H: A.F. George (1978), G: Hydon Nurseries (1986), N: Mrs A.M. George, I: Hydon Nurseries (1996), REG: A.F. George (1996) Fls 10-12/rounded truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, 7-lobed, buds pink, inside opening primrose yellow flushed peach, deep greenish yellow at centre (ie shading from light greenish yellow/pale yellow-green (4C-D) at rims to light greenish yellow (4B) at centre); outside carmine at rim before fading to pale yellow (11C); no stamens. Calyx very small, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 115 × 65mm, margins flat, slightly rounded at apex and base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 0.6m in 8 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Hydon Dawn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Springbok' H: A.F. George, G: A.F. George, N: A.F. George, I: Hydon Nurseries (1968),

REG: Hydon Nurseries (1969) Fls 14-18/compact, globular truss, 40-52 × 55-75mm, open funnel-shaped, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, near strong purplish pink (62A), paler pink at margins and deepening to strong purplish red (58C) in the throat, with reddish brown spotting on dorsal lobes. Lvs 108 × 95mm, glossy mid green above. Shrub to at least 1.0 × 1.6m in 10 years. Late May. *HC 1974, *AM 1986, *FCC 1987

(r) **'Hydon Glow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Springbok' H: A.F. George, G: A.F. George, N: A.F. George, I: Hydon Nurseries, REG: Hydon Nurseries (1968) Fls up to 14/large, compact, rounded truss, broadly funnel-shaped, vivid red (52A) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (55A), with slight spotting. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Hydon Gold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'New Comet' × 'Crest' H: A.F. George (1974), G: A.F. George (1983), N: A.F. George, I: Hydon Nurseries (1987), REG: Hydon Nurseries (1990) Fls 15/truss, 50 × 90mm, 6-lobed, light greenish yellow (4B). Calyx very short, pale green. Lvs broadly elliptic, 100 × 65mm, hairless. Late May

(r) **'Hydon Harrier'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: May Day Group × 'Jervis Bay' H: A.F. George (1959), G: A.F. George (1968), N: A.F. George (1975), I: Hydon Nurseries (1975), REG: Hydon Nurseries (1975) Fls 10-12/truss, orange scarlet. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. May-June

(r) **'Hydon Hayley'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* (s) × 'New Comet' H: A.F. George (1978), G: Hydon Nurseries (1986), N: Mrs A.M. George, I: Hydon Nurseries (1996), REG: A.F. George (1996) Fls 10-12/rounded truss, broadly funnel-shaped, with 7 recurved lobes, strong purplish pink (55B) in bud, opening inside pale purplish pink (56A), deepening at rims and yellowing at centre to pale yellow (12D). Calyx very small, green. Mid-late May

(r) **'Hydon Hunter'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Springbok' H: A.F. George, G: A.F. George, N: A.F. George, I: Hydon Nurseries (1970), REG: Hydon Nurseries (1972) Fls 14/compact, domed truss, funnel-shaped, 45 × 55mm, white, flushed light purplish pink (62C) on apical half of each lobe, spotted orange to light greenish yellow (3C) on dorsal lobe. Lvs 100 × 37mm, slightly glossy dark green. Shrub to at least 1.04m in 10 years. AM 1976, *FCC 1979

(r) **'Hydon Juliet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* (s) × 'New Comet' H: A.F. George (1978), G: Hydon Nurseries (1986), N: Mrs A.M. George (1996), I: Hydon Nurseries (1996), REG: A.F. George (1996) Fls 10-12/rounded truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 6-lobed, light yellowish pink (38D), pale greenish yellow (13D) at centre. Calyx very small, reddish/green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 115 × 65mm, margins flat, slightly rounded at apex and base, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 0.6m in 8 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Hydon Magic'** (An erroneous listing for 'Morning Magic')

(r) **'Hydon Mist'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *russatum* × Blue Diamond Group H: A.F. George (1966), G: A.F. George (1971), N: A.F. George, I: Hydon Nurseries (1976), REG: Hydon Nurseries (1976) Fls 6-7/terminal truss, 33 × 40mm, 5-lobed, strong purple (84A), with very slight dorsal spotting in throat. Calyx very small, light green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 50 × 18mm, scaly. Shrub 0.6m in 10 years. April.

(r) **'Hydon Pearl'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'The Master' H: A.F. George (1966), G: A.F. George (1978), N: A.F. George, I: Hydon Nurseries (1990), REG: Hydon Nurseries (1990) Fls 14-16/truss, 50 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (55C), darker in bud and with darker markings. Calyx very short, pale green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 125 × 45mm

(r) **'Hydon Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Moser's Maroon' × 'Ice Cream' H: A.F. George, G: A.F. George, N: A.F. George, I: Hydon Nurseries, REG: Hydon Nurseries (1968) Fls up to 20/large, compact truss, buds vivid purplish red to deep purplish pink (61C-D), opening strong purplish pink (62A), with a crimson throat. Lvs glossy green. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years

(r) **'Hydon Primrose'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'New Comet' (s) × *fortunei* H: A.F. George (c 1981), G: A.F. George (1990), N: A.F. George, I: Hydon Nursery (1997), REG: Hydon Nursery (2001) Fls 16/compact truss, saucer-shaped, inside pale greenish yellow (1D), deepening to light greenish yellow (3C), outside flushed pink. Calyx very short, red/green. Mid May.

(r) **'Hydon Rodney'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *augustinii* × Azamia Group H: A.F. George, G: A.F. George, N: A.F. George, I: Hydon Nurseries, REG: Hydon Nurseries (1972) Fls light violet (88C), with dark spotting. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. AM 2000

(r) **'Hydon Salmon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × *griersonianum* H: A.F. George, G: A.F. George, N: A.F. George, I: Hydon Nurseries (1968), REG: Hydon Nurseries (1970) Fls 12-14/rounded truss, open funnel-campanulate, 55 × 60mm, 5-lobed, strong yellowish pink (43D), deepening in throat to deep yellowish pink (43C); outside similarly coloured. Calyx rudimentary, to 2mm long, dark red, with short, white hairs. Lvs lanceolate, up to 150 × 42mm, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. AM 1976

(r) **'Hydon Snowflake'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *orthocladum* var. *microleucum* × 'Chikor' H: A.F. George (1965), G: A.F. George, N: A.F. George, I: Hydon Nurseries (1978), REG: Hydon Nurseries (1978) Fls white. Shrub 0.6m in 10 years

(r) **'Hydon Velvet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × *bureavii* H: A.F. George (late 1960s), I: Hydon Nurseries (c 1985), REG: Hydon Nurseries (2001) Fls in a compact, rounded truss, pale pink. Lvs oblanceolate, 145 × 55mm, indumentum above and below at first pale cinnamon, persisting below and ageing to rich cinnamon. Compact shrub, 1.2 × 1.2m in 20 years. Mid May.

(r) **'Hymen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Boule de Neige' (s) × 'Everestianum' R: T.J.R. Seidel (c 1898), N: T.J.R. Seidel (1906), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light violet, with a white throat and yellow-brown or green-brown spots

(r) **Hypatia Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs R.S. Holford' (s) × *kyawii* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in full trusses, bright red. Tall shrub. June-July.

(r) **'Hypcat'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *hyperythrum* (s) × 'Catalgla', green-eyed form H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls deep, strong and light purplish pink (73A, B, C) and very pale purple (73D) in bud, opening white, with deep purplish red (71A) dorsal spots; filaments and style white. (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Hypercolor'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Christina Delp' (s) × 'Christina Delp' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, dark red (59A) and deep purplish red (59B) in bud, opening vivid purplish red (66A, B), with a pale purplish pink (65D) throat and sparse, deep purplish red (61A) dorsal spots; filaments and style pale purplish pink (65D); anthers moderate yellow (161A); stigma dark red (59A). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Hyper George'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi King George' (s) × *hyperythrum* H: P.G. Valder (1974), G: S. McDonald (c 1980), N: S. McDonald, REG: S. McDonald (1999) Fls 7/loose dome truss, funnel-shaped, 65 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, white in bud, opening white throughout and unmarked. Calyx 1mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 130 × 55mm, acuminate at apex, cuneate at base, margins decurved, glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 2.4m in 23 years. April

(r) **'Hyperion'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1924), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 9-19/round, compact truss, 60-80mm wide, pale lilac in bud, opening white, with lilac tints and a very conspicuous, large, black red blotch. Lvs dark green. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Late May-early June

(r) **Hyperion Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cardinal' (s) × *forrestii* Repens Group H: Lord Aberconway (1931), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blood red

(r) **'Hypermax'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *hyperythrum* (s) × *maximum* H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls 14/truss, vivid purplish red (67B) in bud, opening white, edged strong purplish pink (67D), with deep purplish red (71A) dorsal spots. Medium-sized shrub. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Hypermestra'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *hyperythrum* × 'Rosy Morn' H: E. de Rothschild, G: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, REG: E. de Rothschild (1990) Fls 12-14/truss, campanulate, up to 60 × 75mm, 5-lobed, outside pale greyed yellow, inside paler creamy white with a small blotch of deep red (185A) in the dorsal throat. Calyx lobes 5, to3mm long, green, tipped red, glandular, hairy. Lvs ovate-lanceolate, up to 135 × 65mm, dark matt green above, paler below, hairless. PC 1990

(r) **'Hypnotist'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Stokes Bronze Wings' (s) × 'Pierce's Apricot' H: T.L. Ring, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls deep red (53A) and strong red (53B, C) in bud, opening pale pink (49D) and pale yellowish pink (36D), with a pale yellowish pink (27C) flare and light yellow (160B) dorsal spots. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Hyronimus Bosch'** cv. Parentage unknown R: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1951), N: M. Koster & Sons, I: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 8-14/round to broadly rounded, compact truss, 65-90mm wide, opening very widely, soft lilac at first, fading to white, midribs outside tinted soft lilac, with brown to brown-red marking and a red mark at the base of the throat. Mid May-early June. (The artist is often recorded as Hieronymus Bosch: it is not certain if Koster's spelling was deliberate or an error)

(r) **'Iago'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1858), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep crimson purple, with a large jet black blotch. (Probably the *arboreum* form/hybrid listed by L. Leroy, 1868)

(r) **Iago Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Romany Chai Group (s) × Lady Bessborough Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy crimson, with a large blotch of darker spots. May

(r) **'Ianthe'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy crimson, spotted. (Sometimes seen in error as 'Janthe')

(r) **'Ian Wallace'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marion' × Tally Ho Group H: A. Howells, G: A. Howells (1968), N: A. Howells, I: A. Howells (1971), REG: A. Howells (1971) Fls 18/truss, funnel-campanulate, 65mm wide, strong red (53D), strongly spotted in the dorsal throat. Lvs with a slight indumentum. Shrub c1.2m

(r) **'Iberia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Isabella Group (s) × *wardii* R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram (1961), REG: C. Ingram (1961) Fls 6-12/truss, funnel-campanulate, 50 × 70mm, creamy white (155A), strongly suffused pale yellow-green (4D) and deepening to light greenish yellow (4C) towards the base and with a conspicuous, deep purplish red (61A) blotch in the throat. Calyx up to 3mm long, flushed red-purple, fringed with glandular hairs. Lvs elliptic to broadly elliptic, up to 125 × 70mm, hairless, dark green. Compact shrub. AM 1971

(r) **'Ibex'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × *pocophorum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c10/domed truss, 50 × 75mm, deep yellowish pink (46D), with dark dorsal spotting; filaments white, anthers black. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 45mm, with a dense, brown indumentum below. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. May-June. AM 1948 (Ibex Group)

(r) **Ibex Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × *pocophorum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1941), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Ibing'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine red, with a paler throat

(a) **'Ibis'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Maxwellii' × 'Snow' R: USDA, N: USDA, Beltsville (1954), I: USDA, Beltsville (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 40-45mm wide, bright salmon. Shrub as wide as high. (Derived from the work of G.E.Yerkes & R.L.Pryor)

(a) **'Ibis'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: K. Müssig (pre 1996), N: K. Müssig Fls essentially single, shortly funnel-shaped, with a few petaloid stamens in the centre, with 5 very slightly wavy-edged lobes, white, suffused very pale purplish pink, especially along midveins, with a conspicuous blotch of reddish spots; filaments pale purplish pink

(r) **Ibis Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Adelaide Group (s) × *griersonianum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cerise pink. April-May

(a) **'Ibis Rose'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1889), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, double, with a "pompom" centre, heavy rose with a purple blotch. Indian

(r) **'Ibsen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* hybrid R: unknown (pre 1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a slightly loose, rounded truss, violet red, with strong red markings

(a) **'Icarus'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Exbury (pre 1979), N: Exbury Fls salmon and orange. Knap Hill

(r) **Icarus Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'A. Gilbert' (s) × *dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* Herpesticum Group R: L. de Rothschild (c 1941), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Icarus'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'A. Gilbert' (s) × *dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* Herpesticum Group R: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c8/flat-topped truss, campanulate, 6-7-lobed, deep rose pink in bud, opening biscuit coloured, shaded rose, with a hint of orange. Calyx small. Pedicels chestnut, glandular. Lvs oblong-lanceolate, 100 × 40-45mm, dull green. May. AM 1947 (Icarus Group)

(r) **'Ice Baby'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: white-flowered *maximum* × *brachycarpum* (as subsp. *tigerstedtii*) H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 17/truss, open funnel-shaped, 39 × 50mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, deep and moderate purplish pink (70C, D) in bud, opening white, with brilliant greenish yellow (5A) dorsal spots; filaments and style pale yellow-green (155A); anthers greyish reddish orange (174B); stigma moderate orange (170C). Lvs 114 × 51mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base. Shrub 1.5 × 1.4m in 18 years. Early June

(a) **'Iceberg'** (Syn. of 'Vervaeneanum Album')

(a) **'Iceberg'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* × 'Hinodegiri' R: Deerfield Nurseries (pre 1940), N: Deerfield Nurseries, I: Deerfield Nurseries (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 55mm wide, white. Shrub of low, spreading habit. Midseason. Kurume

(r) **'Iceberg'** (Syn. of 'Lodauric Iceberg')

(a) **'Ice Cap'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Greenwood Gardens (pre 1985), N: Greenwood Gardens Fls hose-in-hose, white with a long, pale green style.

(r) **'Ice Cool'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *moupinense* N: Crown Estate Commissioners (1994), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1994) Fls 1-3/truss, funnel-shaped, up to 40 × 55mm, 5-lobed, greenish white (155C), with two small clusters of moderate red spots in the dorsal throat; stamens 10; filaments white, tipped purple; anthers dark brown. Calyx unevenly lobed, up to 5mm long, green, scaly. Lvs ovate-elliptic, up to 47 × 45mm. Shrub up to at least 1.0 × 1.5m. FCC 1994 (Plant obtained from Tower Court (J.B. & R.M. Stevenson) in 1951, very likely from a Wilson collection)

(r) **'Ice Cream'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Dido Group × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* R: W.C. Slocock Ltd, N: W.C. Slocock Ltd (1960), I: W.C. Slocock Ltd, REG: W.C. Slocock Ltd (1961) Fls 12-14/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 65-70 × 90-95mm, camellia rose (622/3), throat white, with pale olive green spotting on the dorsal lobe. Lvs c115-190 × 42-52mm, mid dull green. Shrub 1.5 × 2.3m. Late May-early June. *AM 1960

(r) **'Ice Cream Flavour'** (Syn. of 'Flavour')

(r) **'Ice Cube'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' × 'Belle Heller' R: A.M. Shammarello (1950), N: A.M. Shammarello, I: A.M. Shammarello (1961), REG: A.M. Shammarello (1972) Fls in a conical truss, funnel-shaped, 65mm wide, ivory white, with a lemon blotch. Lvs 125 × 50mm, dark green, with a slight, white indumentum below. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 10 years

(v) **'Iced Primrose'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *aurigeranum* × *leucogigas* H: J.L. Rouse, G: G.L.S. Snell (1984), N: G.L.S. Snell, I: Vireya Venue (1990), REG: Vireya Venue (1991) Fls 7-12/truss, campanulate, 95 × 115mm, 5-lobed, tube pale yellow (11C), lobes pale yellow (11D) deepening to pale pink (49D). Lvs lanceolate, 180 × 65mm. Shrub 2.0m. Spring-autumn

(r) **'Ice Dunes'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vineblanc' (s) × 'Mrs T.H. Lowinsky' H: A.W. Smith (pre 1989), G: D. Irish-Hosler (1997), N: D. Irish-Hosler (2000), REG: D. Irish-Hosler (2000) Fls 17/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light purple (75B) inside at margins, paling to white in the centre, with inconspicuous, yellowish green, dorsal spotting; outside very pale purple (69D); with age flowers fade to all white. Lvs elliptic, 75 × 45mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.1m in c12 years. Mid June

(r) **'Ice Floe'** cv. Parentage unknown H: H.L. Larson (1972), G: M. Wildfong (1980), N: M. Wildfong, REG: M. Wildfong (1983) Fls up to 18/truss, 50 × 75mm, 5-lobed, lavender, ageing to pure white, with considerable dorsal spotting of chestnut which becomes green. Calyx minute. Lvs narrowly elliptic to more-or-less oblanceolate, 125 × 45mm, with a light to moderate yellow (160B-161B) indumentum below. Young shoots silvery tomentose. Shrub c1.0m in 9 years

(a) **'Iceland'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* × 'Hinodegiri' R: Deerfield Nurseries (pre 1940), N: Deerfield Nurseries, I: Deerfield Nurseries (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 55mm wide, white. Shrub of low, spreading habit. Midseason. Kurume

(r) **'Iceland'** (Syn. of 'Stockholm')

(r) **'Ice Maiden'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* hybrid - possibly *decorum* subsp. *decorum* × *decorum* subsp. *diaprepes* R: G. Reuthe Ltd (pre 1990), N: G. Reuthe Ltd (May also have circulated under the unacceptable name 'Annapurna')

(r) **'Ice Music'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nancy Evans' (s) × 'Pirouette' H: J. Barlup (1991), G: J. Barlup (1996), N: J. Barlup (1998), REG: J. Barlup (1999) Fls 16/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 90mm, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53C) in bud, opening pale yellowish pink (159D) inside and out, the inside with two, light yellow (11B), dorsal flares extending c20mm from base; the basal third of outside midribs pale purplish pink (56C); nectaries deep red (60A), c5-6mm long. Calyx 20mm long, pale yellowish pink (159D) with two strong purplish red (60B) spots. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 45mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, with wavy margins, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 0.9m in 8 years. Mid May

(r) **Icenia Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Moser's Maroon' (s) × Lady Bessborough Group H: L. de Rothschild (1934), G: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in compact trusses, pink. May

(a) **'Ichimonji'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, red, with white stripes; both red and white selfs are also produced, as are whites with red streaks. Satsuki

(a) **'Ichiyo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c30mm wide, light red. Satsuki

(r) **'Icy Hot'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Delp's Fireking' (s) × 'Sharpie' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, deep red (53A) in bud, opening deep and strong red (53A, 46A) with dark red (187A) dorsal spots; anthers white. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Ida'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L.L. Liebig (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. Indian

(a) **'Ida'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C.E. Brown, I: D. Stewart & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rose pink (1958 Register); bright orange (Register card). Low habit. Kurume

(r) **'Ida'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with red spots

(r) **'Ida'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Byls (pre 1868), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very dark lilac, with a small orange blotch. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **Ida Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'J.G. Millais' (s) × *neriiflorum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy red

(r) **'Ida Bradour'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mary Belle' (s) × 'Mount Siga' H: J.B. Gable (1959), G: H.R. Yates (1965), N: Mrs M. Yates, I: Mrs M. Yates (1968), REG: Mrs M. Yates (1977) Fls 12-14/ball truss, saucer-shaped, c48 × 85mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light to pale purplish pink (62C-D), shading to light yellow-green (154D) in the throat. Calyx 10mm long, light yellow-green (145C). Lvs narrowly elliptic to narrowly oblong, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy strong yellow-green (144A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.9m in 16 years. Late May

(a) **'Ida Harmon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid R: W.D. Smith (pre 1982), N: W.D. Smith Fls hose-in-hose, 75mm wide, deep purplish pink (67C), with a

strong purplish red (67A) blotch. Shrub 1.2m in 7 years. Midseason. (See *The Azalean* 4 (1):3 (1982) for notes on parentage)

(r) **Idaho Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Dolly Group (s) × *elliottii* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls brick red. May-June

(a) **'Ida Marmion'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Hines Nurseries (pre 1985), N: Hines Nurseries Fls double, magenta. Midseason. (Said to derive from a "Belgian Indica" × "Southern Indica")

(r) **'Ida Waterer'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, rose, tinted violet, with greenish spots. AM 1925

(a) **'Ideal'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Madame Petrick' I: A. Haerens (1911), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, edged white. Indian

(r) **'Idealist'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* (s) × 'Exbury Naomi' R: L. de Rothschild (1941), N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10-12/truss, broadly campanulate, very pale greenish yellow (663/2). Lvs c150mm long, mid-green. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. AM 1945 (Idealist Group)

(r) **Idealist Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* (s) × 'Exbury Naomi' R: L. de Rothschild (c 1941), N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958)

(az) **'Ididit No. 1'** cv. Azaleodendron: 'Caroline' (Gable) × un-named deciduous Delp azalea no. 638 (s) × unnamed deciduous Delp azalea no. 609 H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls strong and light purple (77B, C) in bud, opening strong and light purple (77B, C, D) with deep greenish yellow (153A) dorsal spots; filaments and style very pale purple (75D); anthers moderate purplish pink (186D); stigma deep red (60A). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Idol'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi King George' (s) × 'Britannia' R: R. Henny, N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny (c 1957), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 12/truss, funnel-campanulate, 6-7-lobed, 90mm wide, tyrian rose (24/2), with a lighter centre. Lvs oblanceolate, 100-125mm long. Shrub to over 2.0m

(r) **'Idomeneo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Mars' H: Research Station for Nurseries, Boskoop (1968), G: Research Station for Nurseries, Boskoop (pre 1985), N: Research Station for Nurseries, Boskoop, I: Research Station for Nurseries, Boskoop (1991), REG: Royal Boskoop Hort.Soc. (1990) Fls 6-10/truss, funnel-shaped, 40-50 × 40-50mm, 5-lobed, pink, fading to light pink. Calyx green. Lvs ovate, 50-70mm long, with a silvery indumentum on young leaves. Shrub 1.5 × 2.0m. May. (First published in *De Boomkwekerij* 13 (1990))

(r) **'Ieva-Aldis'** cv. Parentage unknown R: K. Bauers & D. Getliņa (pre 1978), N: K. Bauers & D. Getliņa

(r) **'I. Fiale'** (An error for 'J. Fiala')

(r) **'Ightham'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *augustinii* (Bodnant form) (s) × *fastigiatum* R: G. Reuthe Ltd (pre 1952), N: G. Reuthe Ltd, INC: ICRA (1958) (Augfast Group)

(r) **'Ightham Gold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown, believed to be a *wardii* hybrid R: W.S. Reuthe, N: W.S. Reuthe, I: G. Reuthe Ltd (1981), REG: G. Reuthe Ltd (1985) Fls 9/truss, 40 × 60mm, 5-lobed, light yellow-green (2C), with a deep red (185A) blotch. Calyx 5mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 85-95 × 40-50mm, hairless. A very late-flowering yellow

(r) **'Ightham Peach'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* hybrid R: G. Reuthe Ltd (pre 1988), N: G. Reuthe Ltd Fls peach-coloured. Shrub 0.9m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Ightham Pink'** cv. Parentage unknown R: G. Reuthe Ltd (pre 1990), N: G. Reuthe Ltd

(r) **'Ightham Purple'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *ponticum* hybrid R: G. Reuthe Ltd (pre 1988), N: G. Reuthe Fls very dark purple, with conspicuous white stamens. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Ightham White'** cv. Parentage unknown R: G. Reuthe Ltd (pre 1988), N: G. Reuthe Ltd

(r) **'Ightham Yellow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* (s) × *wardii* N: G. Reuthe Ltd, I: G. Reuthe Ltd (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale yellow. (Arthur Smith Group)

(r) **'Igloo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ice Cube' (s) × *yakushimanum* (Exbury form) H: J.B. Brueckner (1969), G: J.B. Brueckner (1974), N: J.B. Brueckner, REG: J.B. Brueckner (1988) Fls 16/slightly lax, domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 38 × 51mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light pink in bud, opening white. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs oblong, 102-165 × 38-57mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.3 × 2.1m in 18 years. Early June

(a) **'Ignaceum'** (See note under 'Igneum Novum')

(v) **'Ignatius'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *zoelleri* × 'Clorinda' R: P. Sullivan (pre 1987), N: P. Sullivan (Reported to have been discarded and not propagated)

(r) **'Ignatius Sargent'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1914), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 13-23/compact, more-or-less rounded truss, 45-80mm wide, strong pink, with strong dark red markings. Late May-mid June. Syn: 'The Boss'

(a) **'Ignescens'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1826), INC: ICRA

(1958) Fls orange crimson (Fraser, 1875). (Listed as "Calendulacea Ignescens")

(a) **'Ignescens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Smith (pre 1841), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet, finely spotted. Indian

(r) **'Ignescens'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1850), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright red, with black spots

(r) **'Ignescens'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* × *maximum* R: W.H. Rogers & Son (pre 1932), N: W.H. Rogers & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c14/compact truss, between funnel-shaped and campanulate, 55 × 55mm, glowing crimson scarlet, with a ray of black spots; nectaries black crimson. Calyx lobes 2-7mm long, pink. Lvs oblanceolate, up to 180 × 50mm, dull dark green above, with a very thin, silvery indumentum below. (Perhaps the same plant as the Waterer (Knap Hill) entry)

(a) **'Igneum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: presumed to be a selection from *calendulaceum* L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1851), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Listed as "Calendulacea Ignea")

(r) **'Igneum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet. Hardy Hybrid (Probably the same plant listed without description by Knight & Perry, c1850)

(a) **'Igneum Novum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 6-7/loose truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 35 × 40-65mm, 5-lobed, deep yellowish pink (43C), shaded strong yellowish pink (43D) and strong red (47B), with a vivid orange-yellow blotch (23A); outside densely glandular hairy. Calyx small, green, densely ciliate. Lvs broadly elliptic. Shrub c3.0m. Late. AM 1977. Ghent (Commonly mis-spelt as *e.g.* 'Ignaeum Novum', 'Ignoeum Novum' etc)

(r) **'Ikina-haru'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' (s) × *aureum* H: K. Ono (1985), G: K. Ono (1991), S: K. Ono (1992), N: K. Ono (1998), REG: K. Ono (1998) Fls 8-10/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 80 × 90mm, strongly wavy-edged, purple in bud, opening light purple (81D), with a paler centre and a conspicuous blotch of greyish yellow-green (148D), outside light purple (75B). Calyx 3-3.5mm long, strong yellow-green (143C). Lvs elliptic to narrowly oblanceolate, 70 × 25mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above. Shrub 12 × 25cm in 13 years.

(a) **'Ikoi-no-tomo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 65-70mm wide, usually 6-lobed, white to purplish pink, with or without white margin or flakes; very variable. Satsuki

(a) **'Ikoma'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, with rounded lobes, white, with a very pale blush of yellowish pink and with occasional flecks and sectors of vivid yellowish pink. Shrub of low, spreading habit. Satsuki

(a) **'Ikon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: H.W. Motzkau (pre 1987) Fls single, fuchsia red. Early

(r) **'Ilam Alarm'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* subsp. *zeylanicum* (s) × pink-flowered *griffithianum* R: E.F. Stead (pre 1947), N: E.F. Stead, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red, with a paler centre

(a) **'Ilam Apricot'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Duncan & Davies (1984) Apricot-flowered selections, raised from seed

(r) **'Ilam Apricot'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pink Pearl' × *arboreum* subsp. *zeylanicum* (s) × *dichroanthum* R: E.F. Stead, N: E.F. Stead, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Ilam Beauty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown, an open-pollinated hybrid H: University of Canterbury (1985), G: University of Canterbury (1995), N: University of Canterbury (1997), REG: University of Canterbury (1997) Fls 12/conical truss, funnel-shaped, 70 × 120mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, china rose (024) in bud, opening inside china rose (024/3), fading to white, outside china rose (024/2); black spots, deeper coloured in the throat. Calyx 45mm long, green/pink. Lvs oblong, 170 × 55mm, margins flat, aristate at apex, obtuse at base, matt and dark green above, hairless below. Shrub 1.2 × 1.0m in 12 years. November (New Zealand)

(r) **'Ilam Canary'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × lemon-flowered selection from the Loderi Group R: E.F. Stead, N: E.F. Stead, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale yellow. Syn: 'Canary'

(a) **'Ilam Cardinal'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: E.F. Stead, N: L.F. Frisbie (pre 1985) Fls 75mm wide, deep red. (May have had early distribution as "Ilam no.5")

(a) **'Ilam Carmen'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.S. Yeates, N: J.S. Yeates, I: Duncan & Davies (1974), REG: Duncan & Davies (1986) Fls campanulate, 75-80mm wide, light orange, overlaid coral, with a golden flare. Lvs narrowly ovate, 115-125 × 35-40mm, shiny mid-green and hairy above, paler below, but not glaucous. Syn: 'Carmen'

(a) **'Ilam Centre Bush'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: USA (1985) Fls orange

(r) **'Ilam Cerise'** cv. Parentage unknown H: E.F. Stead, G: E.F. Stead, N: L.R. Stead, I: New Zealand Rhododendron Association, REG: L.R. Stead (1984) Fls 14-15/truss, 60 × 100mm, 5-lobed, vivid red (52A), blushed white in throat, with a small red eye; outside crimson. Calyx 1mm long, pink. Bracts large, pink. Lvs narrowly oblong, 160 × 60mm, hairless

(a) **'Ilam Chartreuse'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.S. Yeates, N: J.S. Yeates, I: Duncan & Davies (1975), REG: Duncan & Davies (1986) Fls campanulate, 80-85mm wide, greenish in bud, opening pale yellow with a hint of green and a light orange flare. Lvs

narrowly ovate, 115-125 × 45-50mm, light green and roughly hairy above, pale below, but not glaucous. Shrub 1.3m. Late. Syn: 'Chartreuse'

(a) **'Ilam Copper Cloud'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: New Zealand, S: J.S. Wells (1960), N: J.S. Wells, I: Wells Nursery, REG: Wells Nursery (1985) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, copper orange; scented. Syn: 'Copper Cloud'

(r) **'Ilam Cornubia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* subsp. *zeylanicum* (s) × Shilsonii Group R: E.F. Stead (pre 1947), N: E.F. Stead, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Ilam Cream'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Duncan & Davies (1984) Cream-flowered selections, raised from seed

(r) **'Ilam Cream'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Loderi Group × unknown H: E.F. Stead (pre 1950), G: E.F. Stead, N: E.F. Stead, I: E.F. Stead, REG: L.R. Stead (1981) Fls pink in bud, opening pale yellow-green (157B) to white (155A), suffused pink around the lobes. AM 1985

(a) **'Ilam Darky'** (Syn. of 'Darkie')

(a) **'Ilam Galaxy Appleblossom'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown, an open-pollinated hybrid H: University of Canterbury (1980), G: University of Canterbury (1987), N: University of Canterbury (1997), REG: University of Canterbury (1997) Fls 11/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 65 × 110mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, dawn pink (523) flushed white in bud, opening dawn pink (523) inside; outside dawn pink (523/1); strong yellow blotch on dorsal lobe. Calyx 30mm long, light green. Lvs oblong, 70 × 30mm, margins flat, apiculate at apex, attenuate at base, matt green above, hairy. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 15 years. October (New Zealand)

(a) **'Ilam Galaxy Aquarius'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown, an open-pollinated hybrid H: University of Canterbury (1980), G: University of Canterbury (1987), N: University of Canterbury (1998), REG: University of Canterbury (1999) Fls single, 7/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 83mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, saturn red (13/1) in bud, opening saturn red (13/3) inside and saturn red (13/2) outside, with a chinese yellow (606) blotch. Calyx 3mm long, light green. Lvs oblong, 85 × 30mm, wavy-edged, attenuate at apex, obtuse at base, matt green above. Shrub 2.0 × 1.8m in 20 years. October-November (New Zealand).

(a) **'Ilam Galaxy Capricorn'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown, an open-pollinated hybrid H: University of Canterbury (1980), G: University of Canterbury (1987), N: University of Canterbury (1998), REG: University of Canterbury (1999) Fls single, 7/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 60 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, poppy red (16) in bud, opening poppy red (16/2) both inside and out, with a marigold orange (11/1) blotch on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs broadly elliptic, 70 × 30mm, flat, aristate at apex, attenuate at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 1.9m in 20 years

(a) **'Ilam Galaxy Cascade'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown, an open-pollinated hybrid H: University of Canterbury (1980), G: University of Canterbury (1989), N: University of Canterbury (1997), REG: University of Canterbury (1997) Fls 11/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 60mm long, with very wavy-edged lobes, red in bud, opening brilliant orange-yellow (21B) inside and out, with an orange flash on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 30mm long, green. Lvs broadly elliptic, 100 × 45mm, margins flat, apiculate at apex, obtuse at base, matt green above, hairy. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 15 years. October (New Zealand)

(a) **'Ilam Galaxy Celeste'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown, an open-pollinated hybrid H: University of Canterbury (1980), G: University of Canterbury (1987), N: University of Canterbury (1997), REG: University of Canterbury (1997) Fls 12/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 100mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong orange (26A) in bud, opening inside and out strong orange (26B) with yellow toning; unspotted. Calyx 20mm long, green. Lvs broadly elliptic, 100 × 35mm, aristate at apex, cuneate at base, hairy. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 15 years. October (New Zealand)

(a) **'Ilam Galaxy Corona'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown, an open-pollinated hybrid H: University of Canterbury (1980), G: University of Canterbury (1987), N: University of Canterbury (1998), REG: University of Canterbury (1999) Fls single, 10/large, domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 80 × 110mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, nasturtium red (14/2) in bud, opening saturn red (13/2) inside and saturn red (13/3) outside, with an orange (12/1) dorsal lobe blotch; outside of corolla with a pink tinge. Calyx 1.5mm long, green. Lvs broadly elliptic, 100 × 40mm, margins flat, aristate at apex, cuneate at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 3.0m

(a) **'Ilam Galaxy Dawn'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown, an open-pollinated hybrid H: University of Canterbury (1980), G: University of Canterbury (1989), N: University of Canterbury (1997), REG: University of Canterbury (1997) Fls 11/ball truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pink in bud, opening light purplish pink (55C) inside and out, with a yellow blotch on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 20mm long, green. Lvs broadly elliptic, 110 × 40mm, margins flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, matt green above, hairy. Shrub 2.0 × 2.4m in 15 years. October (New Zealand)

(a) **'Ilam Galaxy Firestorm'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown, an open-pollinated hybrid H: University of Canterbury (1980), G: University of Canterbury (1989), N: University of Canterbury (1997), REG: University of Canterbury (1997) Fls 11/domed

truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 80mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, geranium lake (20) in bud, opening geranium lake (20/1) inside and out, with a bright orange blotch on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 20mm long, green. Lvs oblong, 70×30mm, margins flat, apiculate at apex, attenuate at base, matt green above, hairy. Shrub 2.5 × 2.5m in 15 years. October-November (New Zealand).

(a) **'Ilam Galaxy Gemini'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown, an open-pollinated hybrid H: University of Canterbury (1980), G: University of Canterbury (1987), N: University of Canterbury (1998), REG: University of Canterbury (1999) Fls single, 7/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 60 × 85mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, dawn pink (523/3) in bud, opening pink with an orange (12/1) tinge on the dorsal lobe, outside dawn pink (523). Calyx 5mm long, green. Lvs oblong, 65 × 23mm, wavy-edged, obtuse at apex, attenuate at base, glossy above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 20 years. October-November (New Zealand)

(a) **'Ilam Galaxy Gold Dust'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown, an open-pollinated hybrid H: University of Canterbury (1980), G: University of Canterbury (1987), N: University of Canterbury (1998), REG: University of Canterbury (1999) Fls single, 9/ball truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 75 × 110mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, marigold orange (11/1) in bud, with a prominent pink tinge, opening aureolin (3/2) inside and out, with an aureolin (3/2) blotch on the dorsal lobe and a pink flush on the exterior. Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs broadly elliptic, 75 × 29mm, aristate at apex, cuneate at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 3.0 × 2.5m in 20 years. October-November (New Zealand).

(a) **'Ilam Galaxy Libra'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown, an open-pollinated hybrid H: University of Canterbury (1980), G: University of Canterbury (1987), N: University of Canterbury (1998), REG: University of Canterbury (1999) Fls single, 9/domed truss, broadly campanulate, 60×100mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, orpiment orange (10/3) in bud, opening orpiment orange (10/2) inside and orpiment orange (10/3) outside, with a chinese yellow dorsal lobe. Calyx 6mm long, green. Lvs oblong, 75 × 25mm, margins flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 2.0m in 20 years. October (New Zealand).

(a) **'Ilam Galaxy Mars'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown, an open-pollinated hybrid H: University of Canterbury (1980), G: University of Canterbury (1987), N: University of Canterbury (1998), REG: University of Canterbury (1999) Fls single, 13/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 75 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, dutch vermilion (17/3) in bud, opening dutch vermilion (17/1) inside and (17/3) outside, with an indian orange (13/3) blotch on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs broadly elliptic, 80 × 40mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 1.5m in 20 years. October (New Zealand)

(a) **'Ilam Galaxy Orion'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown, an open-pollinated hybrid H: University of Canterbury (1980), G: University of Canterbury (1987), N: University of Canterbury (1998), REG: University of Canterbury (1999) Fls single, 16/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 60 × 100mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, currant red (821/3) in bud, opening jasper red (18) inside and out, with a nasturtium orange (610) blotch on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs broadly elliptic, 100 × 45mm, margins flat, obtuse at apex, attenuate at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 3.0 × 3.0m in 20 years. October (New Zealand)

(a) **'Ilam Galaxy Pegasus'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown, an open-pollinated hybrid H: University of Canterbury (1980), G: University of Canterbury (1987), N: University of Canterbury (1998), REG: University of Canterbury (1999) Fls single, 8/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 68 × 80mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, poppy red (16) in bud, opening inside and out in three shades of orange, red and poppy red, without spots or blotch. Calyx 5mm long, green. Lvs oblong, 60 × 24mm, margins flat, aristate at apex, cuneate at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 20 years. October (New Zealand)

(a) **'Ilam Galaxy Radiance'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown, an open-pollinated hybrid H: University of Canterbury (1980), G: University of Canterbury (1989), N: University of Canterbury (1997), REG: University of Canterbury (1997) Fls 11/ball truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 60 × 90mm, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes, red and orange in bud, opening Indian orange (713/3) inside and out, with a pale orange blotch on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 30mm long, green. Lvs broadly elliptic, 110 × 50mm, margins flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, matt green above, hairy. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 15 years. November (New Zealand)

(a) **'Ilam Galaxy Stardust'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown, an open-pollinated hybrid H: University of Canterbury (1980), G: University of Canterbury (1989), N: University of Canterbury (1997), REG: University of Canterbury (1997) Fls 11/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 70 × 90mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, buttercup yellow (5) inside, saturn red (13/2) outside, with a bright yellow blotch on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 15mm long, green. Lvs oblong, 110 × 40mm, margins flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, matt green above, hairy. Shrub 2.3 × 2.0m in 15 years. October (New Zealand)

(a) **'Ilam Galaxy Sunburst'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown, an open-pollinated hybrid H: University of Canterbury (1980), G: University of Canterbury (1987), N: University of Canterbury (1997), REG: University of Canterbury (1997) Fls 12/very large, domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 70 × 100mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate reddish orange (41C) in bud, opening strong yellowish pink (38A) inside and out, with yellow tonings; dorsal lobe

suffused with gold. Calyx 25mm long, green. Lvs broadly elliptic, 130 × 60mm, margins flat, obtuse at apex, attenuate at base, matt green above, hairy. Shrub 2.0 × 2.0m in 15 years. October (New Zealand)

(a) **'Ilam Galaxy Sunlight'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown, an open-pollinated hybrid H: University of Canterbury (1980), G: University of Canterbury (1989), N: University of Canterbury (1997), REG: University of Canterbury (1997) Fls 11/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 60 × 95mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, strong orange (25B) in bud, opening brilliant orange (25C) inside and out, with faint pink tones and the dorsal lobe entirely yellow. Calyx 60mm long, green. Lvs 95 × 40mm, margins flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, matt green above, hairy. Shrub 2.0 × 2.0m in 15 years. October (New Zealand)

(a) **'Ilam Galaxy Sunrise'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown, an open-pollinated hybrid H: University of Canterbury (1980), G: University of Canterbury (1987), N: University of Canterbury (1998), REG: University of Canterbury (1999) Fls single, 12/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 72 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, brilliant yellow (9C) in bud, opening vivid yellow (9A) inside and out, with a vivid orange-yellow (21A) blotch on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs broadly elliptic, 90 × 30mm, margins flat, aristate at apex, cuneate at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 2.0m in 20 years

(a) **'Ilam Galaxy Surprise'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown, an open-pollinated hybrid H: University of Canterbury (1980), G: University of Canterbury (1989), N: University of Canterbury (1997), REG: University of Canterbury (1997) Fls 6/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink in bud, opening deep pink (52C) inside and out, the dorsal lobe entirely orange. Calyx 15mm long, green. Lvs broadly elliptic, 100 × 45mm, margins flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, matt green above, hairy. Shrub 2.5 × 2.5m in 15 years. October (New Zealand).

(a) **'Ilam Galaxy Taurus'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown, an open-pollinated hybrid H: University of Canterbury (1980), G: University of Canterbury (1987), N: University of Canterbury (1998), REG: University of Canterbury (1999) Fls single, 10/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 60 × 70mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, mandarin red (17/1) in bud, opening mandarin red (17) inside and mandarin red (17/1) outside and with an orange (12) blotch. Calyx 4mm long, green. Lvs broadly elliptic, 75 × 33mm, obtuse at apex and base, hairless. Shrub 2.5 × 2.2m in 20 years

(a) **'Ilam Galaxy Venus'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown, an open-pollinated hybrid H: University of Canterbury (1980), G: University of Canterbury (1987), N: University of Canterbury (1998), REG: University of Canterbury (1999) Fls single, 6/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 57 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish orange (40C) in bud, opening vivid reddish orange (41A) both inside and out, with a yellow blotch. Calyx 4mm long, green. Lvs oblong, 60 × 10mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, matt green above. Shrub 2.5 × 2.0m in 20 years

(a) **'Ilam Galaxy Virgo'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown, an open-pollinated hybrid H: University of Canterbury (1980), G: University of Canterbury (1989), N: University of Canterbury (1997), REG: University of Canterbury (1997) Fls 8/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 60 × 75mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, white throughout (and in bud), with a strong gold blotch on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 15mm long, green. Lvs narrowly ovate, 70 × 35mm, margins flat, apiculate at apex, attenuate at base, matt green above, ciliate. Shrub 2.0 × 2.0m in 15 years. October-November (New Zealand).

(a) **'Ilam Galaxy Volcano'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown, an open-pollinated hybrid H: University of Canterbury (1980), G: University of Canterbury (1987), N: University of Canterbury (1997), REG: University of Canterbury (1997) Fls 8/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish orange (40B) in bud, opening strong reddish orange (40C) inside and out, with an orange blotch on the dorsal lobe; long stamens. Calyx 20mm, long, green. Lvs broadly elliptic, 95 × 40mm, margins flat, aristate at apex, cuneate at base, matt green above, hairy. Shrub 2.0 × 2.0m in 15 years. October (New Zealand).

(r) **'Ilam Glory'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* (s) × 'Ilam Canary' H: University of Canterbury (1982), G: University of Canterbury (1992), N: University of Canterbury (1997), REG: University of Canterbury (1997) Fls 9/flat truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 75mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, light greenish yellow (8B) in bud, opening light greenish yellow (8C) inside and out, with a trace of red-brown in the throat. Calyx 40mm long, green. Lvs oblanceolate, 120 × 60mm, margins flat, obtuse at apex and base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 2.0m in 12 years. October (New Zealand)

(a) **'Ilam Jasper'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.S. Yeates, N: J.S. Yeates, I: Duncan & Davies (1974), REG: Duncan & Davies (1986) Fls 14-16 in a loose, rounded truss, 50-55mm wide, campanulate, vermilion, overlaid scarlet, with a scarlet flare. Lvs narrowly ovate/lanceolate, 100 × 25-30mm, light green above, slightly glaucous below. Shrub 1.4m. Midseason

(a) **'Ilam Louie Williams'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.S. Yeates, N: J.S. Yeates, I: Duncan & Davies (1974), REG: Duncan & Davies (1986) Fls in large rounded trusses, 75-80mm wide, campanulate, pale creamy pink overlaid rose, with a pale golden flare. Lvs narrowly ovate, 120-130 × 35-40mm, light green and rough to rugose above, glaucous below. Shrub 1.2m. Midseason. Syn: 'Louie Williams'

(a) **'Ilam Martie'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.S. Yeates, N: J.S. Yeates, I: Duncan & Davies (1974), REG: Duncan & Davies (1986) Fls campanulate, 65-70mm wide, scarlet red, with an orange-red flare. Lvs narrowly ovate, 80-85 × 30-35mm, light green above, glaucous below, hairy. Shrub 1.3m. Late. Syn: 'Martie'

(a) **'Ilam Melford Beauty'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.S. Yeates, N: J.S. Yeates, I: Duncan & Davies (1974), REG: Duncan & Davies (1986) Fls up to 30/large, rounded truss, campanulate, 75-80mm wide, pale orange, overlaid pink, with a golden orange flare. Lvs ovate, 80-85 × 35-40mm, dark green, rough and deeply veined above, mid green below. Shrub 1.4m. Midseason to late. Syn: 'Melford Beauty'

(a) **'Ilam Melford Flame'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.S. Yeates, N: J.S. Yeates, I: Duncan & Davies (1974), REG: Duncan & Davies (1986) Fls in a large, compact truss, campanulate, 70-75mm wide, deep indian orange, with a golden flare. Lvs narrowly ovate, 120-130 × 45-50mm, mid green and rough to rugose above, glaucous below. Shrub 1.4m. Midseason. Syn: 'Melford Flame'

(a) **'Ilam Melford Gold'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.S. Yeates, N: J.S. Yeates, I: Duncan & Davies (1974), REG: Duncan & Davies (1986) Fls 13-14/compact truss, campanulate, 75-80mm wide, creamy gold, overlaid deeper gold and pink, with an orange flare on the dorsal lobe. Lvs narrowly ovate to lanceolate, 115-120 × 35-40mm, mid green and rugose above, pale green below. Shrub 1.4m. Midseason. Syn: 'Melford Gold'

(a) **'Ilam Melford Lemon'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.S. Yeates, N: J.S. Yeates, I: Duncan & Davies (1974), REG: Duncan & Davies (1986) Fls 10-12/large truss, campanulate, 80-85mm wide, lemon yellow, with a buttery golden flare on the dorsal lobe. Lvs narrowly ovate, 105-110 × 35-40mm, dark green, rough and rugose above, light green below. Shrub 1.5m. Early. Syn: 'Melford Lemon'

(a) **'Ilam Melford Red'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.S. Yeates, N: J.S. Yeates, I: Duncan & Davies (1975), REG: Duncan & Davies (1986) Fls 14-16 in a loose, rounded truss, campanulate, 70-75mm wide, orange scarlet, with an orange flare. Lvs narrowly ovate, 115-125 × 30-35mm, mid-green and roughly hairy above, slightly glaucous below. Shrub 1.4m. Midseason. Syn: 'Melford Red'

(a) **'Ilam Melford Salmon'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.S. Yeates, N: J.S. Yeates, I: Duncan & Davies (1975), REG: Duncan & Davies (1986) Fls 10/compact truss, campanulate, 70-75mm wide, pale yellow, overlaid salmon pink, with an orange dorsal flare. Lvs narrowly ovate, 115-125 × 40-45mm, dark green and glossy above, distinctly glaucous below, hairy. Shrub 1.4m. Midseason. Syn: 'Melford Salmon'

(a) **'Ilam Melford Yellow'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.S. Yeates, N: J.S. Yeates, I: Duncan & Davies (1974), REG: Duncan & Davies (1986) Fls 10-11/compact truss, campanulate, 65-70mm wide, clear yellow, with a deep golden yellow dorsal flare. Lvs narrowly ovate to lanceolate, 120-130 × 30-35mm, mid green and rough above, pale green below. Shrub 1.4m. Midseason to late. Syn: 'Melford Yellow'

(a) **'Ilam Ming'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.S. Yeates, N: J.S. Yeates, I: Duncan & Davies (1974), REG: Duncan & Davies (1986) Fls campanulate, 85-90mm wide, coppery orange, with light pink overtone and a golden flare on the dorsal lobe. Lvs narrowly ovate, 120-130 × 35-40mm, dark green and rough above, light green below. Shrub 1.4m. Early to midseason. Syn: 'Ming'

(r) **'Ilam Moonglow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ilam Canary' (s) × *dichroanthum* H: University of Canterbury (1982), G: University of Canterbury (1992), N: University of Canterbury (1997), REG: University of Canterbury (1997) Fls 11/flat truss, campanulate, 40 × 70mm, with 7 very wavy-edged lobes, light greenish yellow (4B) in bud, opening light greenish yellow (4C) inside and out, with a dark red blotch in the throat. Calyx 30mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 40mm, margins flat, obtuse at apex and base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 2.0m in 14 years. Late October-early November (New Zealand)

(r) **'Ilam Moonlight'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* (s) × 'Ilam Canary' H: University of Canterbury (1982), G: University of Canterbury (1992), N: University of Canterbury (1997), REG: University of Canterbury (1997) Fls 14/flattruss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, brilliant greenish yellow (6C) in bud, opening light greenish yelow (6D) inside and out, unspotted. Calyx 20mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 90 × 30mm, margins flat, apiculate at apex, attenuate at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 14 years. Mid October-mid November (New Zealand)

(a) **'Ilam Orange'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Duncan & Davies (1984) Orange-flowered selections, raised from seed

(r) **'Ilam Orange'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* subsp. *zeylanicum* × 'Pink Pearl' × *dichroanthum* R: E.F. Stead, N: E.F. Stead, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c5-8/truss, deep orange, with a red, basal blotch. Very compact and slow-growing shrub

(a) **'Ilam Peachy Keen'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: New Zealand, S: J.S. Wells (1968), N: J.S. Wells, I: Wells Nursery, REG: Wells Nursery (1985) Fls light pink, suffused red. Dwarf compact habit. Syn: 'Peachy Keen'

(r) **'Ilam Pearl'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *formosum* × unknown H: E.F. Stead (pre 1960), G: E.F. Stead, REG: Dunedin Rhododendron Group (1981) Fls

broadly funnel-shaped, 70mm wide, yellowish white (155D), with moderate yellow (162B) at base inside; outside tinted strong red (53D). Lvs 30-60mm long, narrowly elliptic, deep green. Shrub 1.0-1.5m

(a) **'Ilam Persian Melon'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: New Zealand, S: J.S. Wells (1968), N: J.S. Wells, I: Wells Nursery, REG: Wells Nursery (1985) Fls orange-red. Compact habit. Syn: 'Persian Melon'

(a) **'Ilam Persian Rose'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Duncan & Davies, N: Duncan & Davies, I: Duncan & Davies (1975), REG: Duncan & Davies (1986) Fls in large, compact trusses, campanulate, 85-95mm wide, deep rose pink, with a large golden orange dorsal flare. Lvs narrowly ovate, 115-130 × 55-60mm, dark green, rough and rugose above, hairy and glaucous below. Shrub 1.4m. Midseason. Syn: 'Persian Rose'

(a) **'Ilam Pink'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: R.E. Harrison (1966) Pink-flowered selections, raised from seed

(r) **'Ilam Pink Splendour'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *facetum* × Loderi Group H: E.F. Stead (1930), G: E.F. Stead, N: Mrs R.J. Coker (1982), REG: Mrs R.J. Coker (1982) Fls 10-12/truss, strong purplish pink (55B), shading to light purplish pink (55C), throat strong purplish red (54A)

(a) **'Ilam Pink William'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: New Zealand, N: J.S. Wells, I: Wells Nursery, REG: Wells Nursery (1985) Fls very pale pink, with an orange blotch; scented. Compact habit. Syn: 'Pink William' (Perhaps the same plant as 'Ilam Louie Williams')

(a) **'Ilam Primrose'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: New Zealand, S: J.S. Wells (1968), N: J.S. Wells, I: Wells Nursery, REG: Wells Nursery (1985) Fls pale primrose yellow, with a diffuse blotch of orangey spots. Syn: 'Primrose'

(a) **'Ilam Red'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: R.E. Harrison (1966) Red-flowered selections, raised from seed

(a) **'Ilam Red Ball'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.S. Yeates, N: J.S. Yeates, I: Duncan & Davies (1975), REG: Duncan & Davies (1986) Fls 14-16/compact, ball-like truss, campanulate, 65-70mm wide, deep orange, with a scarlet overtone and no significant flare. Lvs narrowly ovate, 105-115 × 40-45mm, dark green and roughly hairy above, slightly glaucous below. Shrub 1.5m. Late

(a) **'Ilam Red Frills'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.S. Yeates, N: J.S. Yeates, I: Duncan & Davies (1975), REG: Duncan & Davies (1986) Fls campanulate, 70-75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, deep scarlet red, with an orange flare. Lvs narrowly ovate, 75-85 × 35-40mm, light green and rough above, pale green below. Shrub 1.5m. Early-midseason. Syn: 'Red Frills'

(a) **'Ilam Red Gem'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.S. Yeates, N: J.S. Yeates, I: Duncan & Davies (1975), REG: Duncan & Davies (1986) Fls 11-12/loose, rounded truss, campanulate, 65-70mm wide, deep crimson, with an orange scarlet dorsal flare. Lvs narrowly ovate to lanceolate, 110-120 × 25-30mm, dark green and rough above, glaucous below. Shrub 1.4m. Early to midseason. Syn: 'Red Gem'

(a) **'Ilam Red Giant'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.S. Yeates, N: J.S. Yeates, I: Duncan & Davies (1975), REG: Duncan & Davies (1986) Fls 16-18/large, rounded truss, campanulate, 70-75mm wide, clear scarlet, with an orange dorsal flare. Lvs narrowly ovate to lanceolate, rough above, pale green below. Syn: 'Red Giant'

(r) **'Ilam Red Glow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ilam Alarm' (s) × *griersonianum* H: E.F. Stead (pre 1950), G: E.F. Stead, REG: G.F. Smith (1986) Fls 16-18/truss, funnel-shaped, 60 × 70mm, 5-lobed, turkey red (721/2), with darker spotting across the dorsal lobes; pedicels red, glandular; prominent curved red style, red stigma and filaments, black anthers. Calyx 2mm long, red. Lvs elliptic-lanceolate, 130-150 × 40mm, with a thin, plastered, silvery grey indumentum. Shrub 3.0 × 3.0m. October-November (New Zealand). Syn: 'Red Glow' (Scarlet King Group)

(a) **'Ilam Red Velvet'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: New Zealand, S: J.S. Wells, N: J.S. Wells, I: Wells Nursery, REG: Wells Nursery (1985) Fls deep blood red, with reflexed lobes. Syn: 'Red Velvet'

(r) **'Ilam Serenity'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* (s) × 'Ilam Canary' H: University of Canterbury (1982), G: University of Canterbury (1992), N: University of Canterbury (1997), REG: University of Canterbury (1997) Fls 9/flat truss, campanulate, 45 × 80mm, with 7 very wavy-edged lobes, light yellow (10C) in bud, opening pale greenish yellow (10D) inside and out, with a small, red blotch in the throat. Calyx 35mm long, green. Lvs broadly elliptic, 100 × 40mm, margins flat, apiculate at apex, obtuse at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 2.0m in 12 years. November (New Zealand).

(r) **'Ilam Springtime'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown, an open-pollinated hybrid H: University of Canterbury (1985), G: University of Canterbury (1995), N: University of Canterbury (1997), REG: University of Canterbury (1997) Fls 15/tight, conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 100mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, china rose (024) in bud, opening china rose (024/3) inside and china rose (024/1) outside, with a blotch of china rose (024). Calyx 6mm long, china rose (024/2). Lvs oblong, 120 × 40mm, margins flat, aristate at apex, obtuse at base, matt green above, hairless. Very compact shrub, 0.8 × 0.8m in 12 years. November (New Zealand).

(a) **'Ilam Tangerine'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: R.E. Harrison (1966) Tangerine-flowered selections, raised from seed

(r) **'Ilam Violet'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: Electra Group (s) × *russatum* I: E.F. Stead (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 11/globular, compact truss, 20 × 40mm, open funnel-shaped, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, between strong and brilliant violet (86C-D), tinged violet at midribs and into throat. Lvs 40 × 20mm, dark, slightly glossy green, with bronze tinges in winter. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. *AM 1983

(a) **'Ilam White'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Duncan & Davies (1984) White-flowered selections, raised from seed

(a) **'Ilam Yellow'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: R.E. Harrison (1966) Yellow-flowered selections, raised from seed (Duncan and Davies cat.,1984)

(r) **'Ilam Yellow'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1985) (Listed as a parent of 'Sockeye')

(a) **'Ilam Yellow Beauty'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.S. Yeates, N: J.S. Yeates, I: Duncan & Davies (1974), REG: Duncan & Davies (1986) Fls up to 30/large truss, campanulate, 65-70mm wide, creamy yellow, overlaid coral, with a golden flare. Lvs narrowly ovate, 85-95 × 35-40mm, mid green and rough above, glaucous below. Shrub 1.5m. Early. Syn: 'Yellow Beauty'

(a) **'Ilam Yellow Giant'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.S. Yeates, N: J.S. Yeates, I: Duncan & Davies (1974), REG: Duncan & Davies (1986) Fls in a large, rounded truss, campanulate, 80-85mm wide, pale chrome yellow, flushed deeper yellow, with a golden flare. Lvs narrowly ovate, 105-115 × 45-50mm, rough and rugose above, slightly glaucous below. Shrub 1.5m. Mid-late season. Syn: 'Yellow Giant'

(a) **'Ilario'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: W. Streck (pre 1983), N: W. Streck

(r) **'Iliad'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Nereid Group (s) × *kyawii* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c10/loose, flat-topped truss, funnel-shaped, 65 × 75mm, blood red (820/3). Calyx 13mm long, slightly villose. Pedicels villose. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 150 × 50mm, deep, glossy green above, with a loose, brown tomentum below at first. Dwarf, compact shrub. June. AM 1949 (Iliad Group)

(r) **Iliad Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Nereid Group (s) × *kyawii* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1941), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Ilio Point'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' (s) × 'Morna Belle' H: M. Stockman (1989), G: M. & H. Stockman (1998), N: M. & H. Stockman (1999), REG: M. & H. Stockman (2000) Fls 14/ball truss, saucer-shaped, 55 × 80mm, with 6 flat-edged lobes, buds white with longitudinal streaks of vivid red (52A), opening inside white, lightly flushed in the throat with very pale yellowish pink, and with sparse dorsal spotting of deep pink (52B); outside white. Calyx tapering from 13-20mm long, bright pink shading to white edged pink. Lvs oblong, 115 × 45mm, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, margins downcurved, dull mid green above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 11 years. Early May

(r) **'Illahee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Furnivall' × 'Evening Glow' H: A. Van Veen (1965), G: E. Yoder (1971), I: A. Van Veen (1972), REG: A. Van Veen (1976) Fls 10-12/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with (5-)6(-7) lobes, strong purplish pink (5RP 7/9), throat suffused light yellowish pink (2.5YR 9/3), with a strong orange-yellow flare (7.5YR 7/11); outside and veins 7.5RP 6/12 to 7.5RP 5/12; buds strong purplish red (10RP 5/12 to 10RP 4/12). Calyx ivory, striped deep purplish pink. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 150 × 50mm, moderate olive green (5GY 4/3), hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.8m in 11 years. Mid-late May

(a) **'I'll Be Damned'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Polar Sea' × 'Corinne Murrah' × 'Debonaire' R: D. Hager (pre 1984), N: D. Hager Fls semi-double, 115-140mm wide, with very wavy-edged lobes, light pink, with variable shading to a white centre, and with a touch of light green at the base of the throat. Lvs ovate, dark, glossy green. Shrub to 1.0m

(a) **'Illuminator'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Amoena azalea × Indian azalea R: unknown (pre 1885), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy magenta pink, dorsal throat faintly speckled crimson, base of throat vermilion (Bull cat., 1889). FCC 1885. Amoena

(r) **'Illuminator'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1847), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rose, with rosy brown spots. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Illusion'** cv. Evergreen azalea: orange-flowered *indicum* (s) × 'Momozono' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, somewhat star-saped, 65mm wide, deep rose pink (near deep purplish pink (64D)), with a tyrian rose blotch. Lvs lanceolate, glossy, dark green. Shrub to 1.2m. Late April. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Illustration'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: H. Demay (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, soft rose, merging into white, with a bluish carmine red blotch. Indian

(a) **'Illustre'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Gebr Mardner (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright red

(a) **'Illustre'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: W.C. Hage & Co. (1943), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange scarlet. Early. Kurume

(a) **'Illustre'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Madame Camille van Langenhove' R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose. Indian (Perhaps the plant listed by C. Vuylsteke, 1893)

(a) **'Illustre Novum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Amb. Verschaffelt (1851), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange scarlet. Indian

(r) **Illyria Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Romany Chal Group (s) × *kyawii* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a fairly compact truss, rich crimson, large. Lvs large, dark green. June-July

(r) **Ilona Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *valentinianum* (s) × *auritum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in small trusses, pale yellow. April-May

(r) **'Ilonka'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Gretzel' (s) × 'Lampion' H: H. Hachmann (1983), G: H. Hachmann (1989), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 6-7/rather loose truss (fls out- to almost down-facing), broadly open funnel-shaped, 40-50 × 55-65mm, with 5 slightly waved lobes, inside pale purplish pink (56D), edged strong to light purplish pink (55B/C); outside with broad bands of deep to strong purplish pink (55A/B) and narrow segments of pale purplish pink (56D); stamens 10, filaments very short (10mm long), white, with silvery hairs, anthers pale yellow (161C); style 35mm long, light yellow-green (145D), stigma brilliant yellow-green (150D); ovary silvery hairy. Calyx 30-43mm long (20-30mm wide), 'crimped', coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic to ovate, 50-60 × 25-30mm, margins slightly decurved, mucronate at apex, cuneate to rounded at base, dark glossy green above, when mature with vestiges of juvenile rust-coloured indumentum below. Shrub 0.4 × 1.1m in 10 years. Late April-mid May. (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030645). First published in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(a) **'Il Tasso'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: L. de Smet, I: C. Vuylsteke (1888) Fls double (of hose-in-hose form ?), 55mm wide, strong yellowish pink (43D), with paler exterior. Shrub up to c2.0 × 1.5m. Midseason-late. Rustica

(a) **'Ilva'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Paul Schäme' × 'Hexe' H: R. Kondratovičs (1963), G: R. Kondratovičs (1969), N: R. Kondratovičs, I: Botanical Garden, University of Latvia (1984), REG: R. Kondratovičs (1989) Fls hose-in-hose, 1-3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 70mm wide, 5+5-lobed, geranium lake (20/1). Lvs elliptic to broadly elliptic, 45-50 × 20-25mm, light green, hairy. Shrub 0.22 × 0.3m. February-March (under cool glass)

(a) **'Ilze'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Uguns' (s) × un-named seedling (no. Ex-5) H: R. Kondratovičs (1976), G: R. Kondratovičs (1983), N: R. Kondratovičs, I: Rhododendron Nursery "Babīte" of University of Latvia (2001), REG: R. Kondratovičs (2002) Fls 6-8/strongly domed, loose truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 80-90 × 80-90mm, with 5-7 smooth-edged lobes, orange in bud, opening inside strong reddish orange (32B), with a large yellow blotch on the dorsal lobe; filaments yellow, anthers yellow; style pink, stigma green. Calyx 2-4mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic-oblong, 125 × 45mm, wavy-edged, pointed at apex and base, glossy green above, with white hairs above when mature. Shrub 1.5-2.0 × 1.2m in 10 years. Late May-early June. (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0035066). Published in *Dārzs un Drava*: 23-24 (November, 2001))

(r) **'Ima Beaut'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kubla Khan' (s) × 'Van Nes Sensation' H: M. Stockman (1992), G: M. & H. Stockman (1999), N: M. & H. Stockman (1999), REG: M. & H. Stockman (2000) Fls 12-15/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 80-c90mm, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53C-D) in bud, opening inside light to pale purplish pink (55C-D) at margins, light yellow (near 11B) at lobe centres, with strong red (51A) dorsal spotting. Calyx lobes variable: two 20mm long, two 13mm long and one 5mm long, red and yellow. Lvs lanceolate, 150 × 65mm, acute at apex, oblique at base, margins wavy and downcurved, semi-glossy and dark green above, hairless; new foliage red. Shrub 0.75 × 0.9m in 8 years. Late April

(r) **'Imagemaker'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Midsummer' (s) × red-flowered *catawbiense* H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls vivid purplish red (66A) in bud, opening pale, deep and moderate purplish pink (65D, 70C, D). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Imago'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1959), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1961) Fls double, deep yellow, tinged purplish red. Midseason. Knap Hill

(a) **'Ima-murasaki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1978), N: Japan Fls single, up to 40mm wide, strong reddish purple (5RP 3/9), with a darker blotch on the dorsal lobes, tube a lighter red. Kurume

(a) **'Ima-shojo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1918), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 2-3/truss, open funnel-shaped, 22 × 27mm, bright red, deeper in the throat; anthers red. Shrub to 0.6m. *AM 1959 Syn: 'Christmas Cheer', 'Fascination'; Wilson no.36. Kurume

(a) **'Imayo-nishiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, light red, mottled deep red. Satsuki

(a) **'Ima-zuma'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very pale rose lilac on a white ground, flushed rose lavender at lobe tips and with a thin line of deeper colour around lobe edges; faint reddish spotting in centre of flower. Syn: 'Chi-no-ito'. Kurume (This may correctly be spelt 'Ina-zuma')

(a) **'Imbricatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C. Schulz (pre 1876), N: C. Schulz, INC:

ICRA (1958) Fls very double, white, with occasional flecks of rose, shaded green at base of lobes; fls occasionally flushed pale rose. FCC 1876. Indian

(r) **'Imbricatum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown, possibly derived from *ponticum* R: unknown (pre 1846), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c20/small, rounded, compact truss, 2-lipped; upper lip with central lobe partly obscuring laterals, lower lip of 2 diverging oblong lobes, light purplish blue, with dorsal light brown markings on a light ground. Calyx very small. An occasional petaloid filament present. Lvs obovate, small, recurved, tightly spaced on the stem, deep glossy green above. Much-branched, rounded shrub, 1.2m in 10 years. Syn: 'Daphnoides' (It has been suggested that the lepidote listed as 'Daphnoides' was also an error for this plant. The epithet 'Daphnoides' has definitely been applied to this elepidote cultivar.)

(a) **'Imbricatum Variegatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Imbricatum' R: unknown (pre 1887), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with white margins. Indian

(a) **'Imbros'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *simsii* derivative R: L. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild (1959), REG: E. de Rothschild (1961) Fls opening flat, 75mm wide, deep purplish pink (61D). Lvs ovate, c50 × 25mm, with sparse, pale red-brown hairs below, glossy and a pale, rich green above. Compact shrub

(r) **'Immaculatum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: G. Morlet (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) (Published in *Horticulture Français*, 1854:107-111)

(r) **'Immortal'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Abe Arnott' (s) × 'White Blue Peter' H: W.E. Delp (1991), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, deep, vivid and strong reddish purple (77A, 78A, B) in bud, opening white and very pale purple (76D), edged light purple (77C, D), with spotting of moderate purplish red (186B) and dark red (187A) on the three dorsal lobes; filaments and style pale yellow-green (157B); anthers moderate yellow (161B); stigma greyish red (176A). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Imogen'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R.T. Pince (pre 1868), N: R.T. Pince, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls delicate pale lavender, tinted blush and distinctly marked on dorsal lobes. (First published in Lucombe, Pince & Co. cat., c1868)

(v) **'Imogene'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Taylorii' (s) × *javanicum* var. *teysmannii* R: J. Veitch & Sons, N: J. Veitch & Sons, I: J. Veitch & Sons (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a large, globose truss, 65mm wide, light buff yellow; anthers pink. FCC 1888

(a) **'Impact'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from an unnamed Indian azalea R: D. Warren, N: D. Warren, REG: D. Warren (1971) Fls single, deep to strong purplish pink (68A-B). Lvs deep green, with a white margin. Shrub c0.4m

(a) **'Impala'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Knap Hill Red' × 'Satan' R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1962), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1967), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1975) Fls deep red. Knap Hill

(r) **'Impeanum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *impeditum* (s) × *hanceanum* R: Kew, N: Kew, I: Kew (1932), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 5/truss, rotate, 20 × 30mm, cobalt violet (634/2). Calyx lobes 2-3mm long, ciliate. Lvs ovate, up to 20 × 11mm, scaly above and below. Dwarf shrub. FCC 1934 (Impeanum Group)

(r) **Impeanum Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *impeditum* (s) × *hanceanum* R: Kew, N: Kew, I: Kew (1932), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Imperator'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Verschaffelt (1871), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, light salmon red, heavily spotted yellow. Ghent

(a) **'Imperator'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: K. Wezelenburg & Son (pre 1885), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, orange. Late. Mollis

(r) **'Imperatoria Elizabeth'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid R: J. Rinz (pre 1864), N: J. Rinz, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls flesh white, tinged rose

(a) **'Impératrice'** (Syn. of 'Imperatrix')

(r) **'Impératrice'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright cerise rose, with chocolate spots. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Impératrice Charlotte'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Verschaffelt (1873), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Impératrice de France'** (Syn. of 'Imperatrix')

(a) **'Impératrice des Français'** (Syn. of 'Imperatrix')

(a) **'Impératrice des Indes'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from an un-named seedling I: E. van der Cruyssen (1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, outer lobes wavy, salmon rose, darker at the base, edged white; doubleness take the form of a tuft of additional lobes in the centre of the flower. FCC 1879 Syn: 'Héros de Flandre', 'Empress of India'. Indian

(a) **'Impératrice Eugénie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: F. Schneider (1863), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Perhaps Rollisson's 'Empress Eugénie' *q.v*)

(a) **'Impératrice Eugénie'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Syn: 'Imperatrix Eugenie'. Ghent

(r) **'Impératrice Eugénie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* hybrid R: A. Verschaffelt (pre 1854), N: A. Verschaffelt, I: A. Verschaffelt, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10-20/very compact, ball truss, pale rose at edges at first (with a white throat), becoming all pure white, with yel-

low-green marking on a yellowish ground. Compact shrub. Mid April-early May. Syn: 'Imperatrix Eugenie'

(r) **'Impératrice Eugénie'** cv. Parentage unknown R: D. Dauvesse (pre 1870), N: D. Dauvesse, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, deep purple, with a broad blotch. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Impératrice Joséphine'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Paillet (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls flesh pink. Ghent

(a) **'Impératrice Joséphine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: W. Rollisson & Sons (pre 1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cherry red, with spots on the dorsal lobes. Indian

(a) **'Impératrice Victoria'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. de Kneef (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, double, soft rose, with white edges and a purple tinted blotch. Indian

(a) **'Imperatrix'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.R. Gowen (1829), N: J.R. Gowen, INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Published in *Botanical Register*, 1830, under t.1366, where two possible parental combinations are discussed)

(a) **'Imperatrix'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1840), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, nankeen yellow, shaded with salmon. Syn: 'Impératrice', 'L'Impératrice', 'Impératrice de France', 'Impératrice des Français'. Ghent

(a) **'Imperatrix'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Miellez (pre 1867), N: Miellez, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy orange, tinted violet. Indian

(r) **'Imperatrix Eugenie'** (Syn. of Impératrice Eugénie')

(a) **'Imperial'** (Syn. of 'Rousseau')

(a) **'Imperial'** (See 'L'Imperial')

(r) **'Imperial'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' × 'Arthur Bedford' H: E. & H.E. Greer (pre 1983) Fls blue-purple, with a prominent black blotch. Lvs glossy green. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years

(a) **'Imperial Countess'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Laughing Water' R: E.D. Hudson, I: Monrovia Nursery (pre 1987) Fls hose-in-hose, 65mm wide, with crinkled petals, moderate yellowish pink. Shrub of compact, spreading habit. Midseason

(a) **'Imperial Duchess'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Laughing Water' R: E.D. Hudson, I: Monrovia Nursery (pre 1987) Fls hose-in-hose, double, 65mm wide, deep to light pink. Shrub of compact, spreading habit

(a) **'Imperiale'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1840), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, pink, with darker lines (H. Hesse, 1899). Ghent

(a) **'Imperiale'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Veitch & Sons (1861), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon red. Indian

(r) **'Imperiale'** cv. Parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1847), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Imperiale'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R.T. Pince (pre 1868), N: R.T. Pince, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, agate-like colour. (First published in Lucombe, Pince & Co. cat. (c1868))

(a) **'Imperial King'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Laughing Water' R: E.D. Hudson, I: Monrovia Nursery (pre 1987) Fls double, 65mm wide, strong purplish red

(a) **'Imperial Pink'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Canada (1982)

(a) **'Imperial Prince'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Laughing Water' R: E.D. Hudson, I: Monrovia Nursery (pre 1987) Fls double, 65mm wide, vivid reddish orange. Shrub of compact, spreading habit

(a) **'Imperial Princess'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Laughing Water' R: E.D. Hudson, I: Monrovia Nursery (pre 1987) Fls semi-double, 70-75mm wide, purplish pink, with a darker blotch. Shrub of compact habit

(a) **'Imperial Queen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Laughing Water' R: E.D. Hudson, I: Monrovia Nursery (pre 1987) Fls hose-in-hose, sometimes semi-double, 75-90mm wide, white, shading to light purplish pink, with a darker blotch. Shrub of compact, spreading habit

(r) **'Imperial Yellow'** cv. Parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney (pre 1973)

(r) **'Impi'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *sanguineum* subsp. *didymum* (s) × 'Moser's Maroon' R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1945), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in small trusses, funnel-shaped, 50-55mm wide, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, very dark dusky red (indian lake, 826). June. AM 1945 (Impi Group)

(r) **Impi Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *sanguineum* subsp. *didymum* (s) × 'Moser's Maroon' R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1945), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Impossible'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × *dauricum* (dwarf form) H: W. Reich (1986), G: W. Reich (1990), N: W. Reich, REG: W. Reich (1992) Fls 4-6/flattened ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped to bowl-shaped, 26-30 × 37-45mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, light reddish purple (74C) to moderate purplish pink (74D) in bud, opening very light to very pale purple (76B, C) inside, and light purple (81D) with strong to light purple (84A, B) midribs on outside; stamens 10, slightly curved, unequal; stigma dark red (59A). Calyx 5mm long, strong to moderate yellowish pink (37B, C). Pedicels 17-25mm long, strong to moderate yellowish pink (37B, C). Lvs elliptic to ovate, 10-50 × 6-25mm,

convex, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, glossy, hairless and dark yellowish green (139A) above, moderate yellow-green (148B) and with brownish scales below; petioles 2-8mm long, scaly. Lvs held for 1 year. Shrub 0.27 × 0.25m in 5 years with *yakushimanum* habit. Early-late April. (A lepidote × elepidote rhododendron)

(az) **'Impossible Dream'** cv. Azaleodendron: ('Boule de Neige' × 'Crest') no. 2 (s) × (*smirnowii* × *yakushimanum*) × 'Gibraltar' (deciduous azalea) H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, deep and strong purplish red (61A, B) in bud, opening white, edged vivid purplish red (61C), fading to white. (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Impressario'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × 'Ronald Otto Delp' (s) × 'Mars' × 'Ronald Otto Delp' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, dark and deep red (59A, 60A) in bud, opening strong and vivid purplish red (67A, B) and deep and strong purplish pink (67C, D), with a small white flare and dorsal spots of strong and dark greenish yellow (151A, 152C); anthers light yellow (163D); stigma moderate reddish brown (174A). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Impression'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Golden Torch' (s) × ('Goldfort' × 'Odee Wright) no.1 H: R.A. Furman (1981), G: R.A. Furman (1986), N: R.A. Furman (2002), REG: R.A. Furman (2002) Fls 15/tall domed truss, open funnel-shaped, *c*70 × 120mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, opening inside light pink (49C), shading to yellowish white (158C), with a brilliant yellow (12B) centre, outside similar. Calyx 90mm long, coloured as inside of corolla. Lvs broadly elliptic, 65-130 × 40-75mm, margins wavy, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, glossy and dark green above. Shrub 0.75 × 0.75m in 10 years. Early May

(a) **'Impressum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1851), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Improved Linwood Pink'** (Syn. of 'Linwood Pink Giant')

(a) **'Improved Linwood White'** (Syn. of 'Linwood Lustre')

(r) **'Improved Parson's Grandiflorum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid H: W.E. Stokes, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish rose

(a) **'Improved Redwings'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'L.J. Bobbink' × 'Miss Cottage Garden' L: USA (1968) Fls hose-in-hose, semi-double, 90-100mm wide, reddish orange. Indian (There are also sports from 'Redwings' which are referred to in the same way)

(a) **'Improved Rose Queen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Bobbink & Atkins (pre 1987) Fls double, darker than 'Rose Queen'. Rutherford

(r) **'I.M.S.'** (Syn. of 'Irene Stead')

(a) **'Ina'** cv. Deciduous azalea: un-named seedling (no. Ex-5) (s) × 'Uguns' H: R. Kondratovičs (1976), G: R. Kondratovičs (1982), N: R. Kondratovičs (2002), I: Rhododendron Nursery "Babīte" of University of Latvia (2002), REG: R. Kondratovičs (2002) Fls single, 8/slightly domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 65-80 × 65-80mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, inside vivid reddish orange (30B) with a strong reddish orange (32B) margin, outside strong reddish orange (32B); a large part of dorsal lobe (and part of adjacent lobes) covered by a vivid orange (29A) blotch; filaments yellow, anthers light yellow; style pink, stigma green. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 75 × 30mm, wavy-edged, pointed at apex and base, matt green above, with sparse white hairs above when mature; purple-brown autumn colour. Shrub 1.4m tall in 20 years. Late May-early June

(r) **'Ina Hair'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *macabeanum* × unknown R: Pukeiti Rhododendron Trust, N: Pukeiti Rhododendron Trust, I: G.F. Smith, REG: G.F. Smith (1979) Fls rose madder (23/2) in bud, fading on opening to cream, with rose madder spots in the throat

(a) **'In a Mist'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1987), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls white, washed pale purplish pink; scented

(r) **'Inamorata'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* R: L. de Rothschild (1941), N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, wide-mouthed, sulphur yellow, with a small, spotted crimson blotch in the throat; pedicels purple. May-June. AM 1950 (Inamorata Group)

(r) **Inamorata Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* R: L. de Rothschild (1941), N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Inashoto'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: UK (1950), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Inca Chief'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × 'Mars' × *catawbiense* (as var. *rubrum*) R: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1972) Fls 17-18/globular truss, rotate-campanulate, 75mm wide, 5-6-lobed, strong purplish red (10RP 3.5/12) with an arch-shaped, deep purplish red dorsal blotch on a paler ground. Calyx minute, red. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 55mm, mid green. Shrub 1.4 × 1.1m in 13 years

(r) **'Inca Gold'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Chlorops' hybrid R: B.F. Lancaster, N: B.F. Lancaster (1961), I: B.F. Lancaster, REG: B.F. Lancaster (1962) Fls 10-12/truss, flat-campanulate, 75mm wide, 6-7-lobed, light yellow (10B), slightly rayed mahogany. Lvs ovate-elliptic, 75-100 × 50mm, blue-green. Shrub to 1.0m in 10 years. Midseason

(a) **'Incanum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1811), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. (Listed as "Nudiflora Incana")

(a) **'Incarnatum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1814), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls flesh-coloured. Ghent (Listed as "Nudiflora Incarnata")

(a) **'Incarnatum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1839), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Listed as "Calendulacea Incarnata")

(a) **'Incarnatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: listed under *indicum* L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1849), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft rose. (Perhaps the same plant listed by W. Rollisson & Sons, 1846; Jacob-Makoy attributes it to Knight)

(v) **'Incarnatum Floribundum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Maiden's Blush' (Veitch) × 'Prince Leopold' (Veitch) R: J. Veitch & Sons, N: J. Veitch & Sons, I: J. Veitch & Sons (1885), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy salmon. FCC 1885

(a) **'Incarnatum Rubrum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1851), REG: IRA 1958 (Listed as "Calendulacea Incarnata Rubra")

(a) **'Incarnatum Superbum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls flesh pink. Ghent (Probably the same plant listed by A. Henderson & Co., 1851, without description)

(a) **'Incense'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a pink margin. Indian

(a) **'Inch'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Alexander' (s) × *indicum* hybrid H: W.L. Clagett (1984), G: W.L. Clagett (1987), N: W.L. Clagett, I: White's Nursery, REG: W.L. Clagett (1994) Fls 2-3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, white, sanded and striped with deep and strong purplish pink (67C, D), the amount of marking varying from moderate to heavy from year to year. Pedicels 15mm long, chartreuse green. Calyx 4mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 30 × 7mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (137B) above, moderate yellow-green (146B) below; hairy above and below, with discrete white hairs; petioles 7mm long, light green. Shrub 0.2 × 0.56m in 10 years. Late May

(r) **'Inchmery'** (Syn. of 'Carita Inchmery')

(r) **Inchmery Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: The Don Group (s) × *facetum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls waxy, deep pink. Tall, erect, but loose shrub. June.

(a) **'Inclytum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: R. Veitch & Son (1867), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Probably the plant raised and named by J.R. Gowen (1829) and published in *Botanical Register*, 1830, under t.1366)

(a) **'Incomparabile'** See note under 'Incomparable' (Smith)

(a) **'Incomparabile'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Incomparable'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Smith (pre 1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear rosy pink. Indian (Perhaps the plant listed as 'Incomparabile' by W. Rollisson & Sons, 1846)

(a) **'Incomparable'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Vervaene (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blood red/purple, with chestnut brown spots. Indian (J. Vervaene (1864-65 cat.) listed a rhododendron with this name: there may be some confusion as to the nature of this cv)

(a) **'Incomparable'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, dark red. Indian

(r) **'Incomparable'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W. Rollisson & Sons (pre 1857), N: W. Rollisson & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright red. Late

(r) **'Incredible'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × *dauricum* (dwarf form) H: W. Reich (1986), G: W. Reich (1990), N: W. Reich, REG: W. Reich (1992) Fls up to 15/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 28-32 × 45-52mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light purple (87C, D) inside, light violet (88C, D) outside; stamens 10, slightly curved, unequal; stigma dark red (59A). Calyx 4-5mm long, strong to moderate yellowish pink (37B/C). Pedicels 11-14mm long, 37B/C. Lvs oblong to ovate, 12-45 × 7-22mm, flat or slightly convex, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and dark yellowish to moderate olive green (139A, 147A) above, with occasional hairs at margin, moderate yellow-green (146B) and with brownish scales below; petioles 1.5-6mm long, scaly, yellowish green. Lvs held 1 year. Shrub 0.43 × 0.38m in 5 years. Early-mid April. (A lepidote × elepidote rhododendron)

(a) **'Independence'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *cumberlandense* × *viscosum* × *viscosum* H: E.V. Mezitt (1963), G: E.V. Mezitt, N: E.V. Mezitt Fls 25mm wide, deep pink (53B) in bud, opening deep pink (50B), spicily scented. July. (May be best treated as a Group)

(r) **'Independence Day'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown, thought to be a *maximum* hybrid I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (c 1915), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 13-19/compact, rounded truss, 40-55mm wide, bright rosy red to bright red, with dark dorsal spotting; anthers conspicuous, white. June

(a) **'India'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red. Kurume

(r) **Indiana Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* (s) × *kyawii* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in an open truss, orange, speckled with red. Lvs deep, very glossy green. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years. June

(a) **'Indian Chief'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Bobbink & Atkins, N: Bobbink & Atkins, I: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, clear deep pink or red. Indian

(a) **'Indian Chief'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown S: L.F. Frisbie, N: L.F. Frisbie, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, blended shades of orange and yellow. Shrub up to c2.0 × 1.5m. April-May. (A seedling from the Gregg McKinnon Garden)

(r) **'Indian Chief'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'America' × 'Kettledrum' H: W.E. Stokes, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(v) **'Indian Chief Yellow'** (Syn. of 'Indian Yellow')

(a) **'Indian Mound'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lady Louise' × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: R.D. Gartrell (pre 1981), N: Cripple Creek Nursery Fls "double petaloidy", 75mm wide, strong red (39A). Shrub to 0.6m. (Ref. no. U16-10)

(r) **'Indian Penny'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Sarita Loder Group × Idealist Group H: D.W. James, G: D.W. James, N: D.W. James, I: D.W. James (1956), REG: D.W. James (1977) Fls 12-14/truss, broadly campanulate 50 × 100mm, light to pale yellow (12C-D). Lvs 150 × 50mm, elliptic, hairless

(r) **'Indian River'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Besse Howells' (s) × Delp's no.5 selection from ('Delp's Cindy Lou' × 'Captain Jack') H: D.L. Hinerman, G: T.L. Ring (1986), N: T.L. Ring, I: Mowbray Gardens, REG: T.L. Ring (1993) Fls 19/domedtruss, broadly funnel-shaped, 64 × 57mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (50C) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (58B) with a strong purplish red (58C) to brownish orange (166C) spotted flare; stamens 10, straight, unequal; style vivid purplish red (66A, B). Calyx very short. Pedicels 32mm long, strongyellowishgreen (141C). Lvs elliptic, 133 × 57mm, concave, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, bullate, hairless; petioles 32mm long, strong yellowish green (141C). Shrub 0.9 × 1.1m in 8 years. Mid May

(r) **'Indian Squaw'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Dopey' (s) × 'Flipper' H: W.E. Delp (1986), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls 8/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 55mm wide, 5-lobed, vivid red (45A) and strong red (46A) in bud, opening deep pink (48B), edged vivid red (45A, B), with strong red (46A) dorsal spots; filaments and style vivid red (45C); anthers light yellowish pink (26D); stigma strong red (46A). Lvs 80 × 45mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base. Early June

(a) **'Indian Summer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kaempferi* R: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, coral pink. Shrub c2.2m in 19 years. October and in spring. Syn: 'October'. Kaempferi

(a) **'Indian Sunset'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* hybrid R: R.P. Mayo, N: R.P. Mayo, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, salmon pink. Kaempferi

(a) **'Indian Warbonnet'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *calendulaceum* R: L.C. Towe (pre 1987), N: L.C. Towe Fls with 5, distinct (separated), narrow petals, 4.5-7mm wide, vivid orange-yellow; stamens and pistil present.

(v) **'Indian Yellow'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Crown Princess of Germany' × *javanicum* R: J. Veitch & Sons, N: J. Veitch & Sons, I: J. Veitch & Sons (1885), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow to red-orange. FCC 1885 Syn: 'Indian Chief'

(r) **'Indicojavanicum'** cv. 'Stella' (Veitch's Indian azalea) × 'Lord Wolseley' (Veitch's vireya hybrid) R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1900), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls tubular-campanulate, c11/truss, orange-red. Lvs oblanceolate, 70-85 × 25-30mm. (A rare vireya/azalea cross)

(a) **'Indicum Album'** (Syn. of *mucronatum*)

(a) **'Indicum Roseum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown, but allied to *mucronatum* L: Andorra Nurseries (1919), INC: ICRA (1958) (Similar to 'Sekidera', but an inferior form according to Wilson)

(r) **'Indigo'** (Syn. of 'Christiane Herzog')

(r) **'Indigo'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *impeditum* R: W.J. Marchant (pre 1937), N: W.J. Marchant, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls indigo. Lvs grey blue. (Original plants from Kalmthout Arboretum "many years ago")

(r) **'Indiridiva'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Crest' × Snow Queen Group R: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild, REG: E. de Rothschild (1978) Fls up to 10/firm, rounded truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, up to 55 × 100mm, 7-lobed, pale greenish yellow (2D), deepening in the throat to brilliant greenish yellow (2B), with markings of olive to greenish yellow (152+153) in the dorsal throat. Calyx rudimentary, green, glandular hairy. Lvs oblong, up to 155 × 73mm, dull above. PC 1978

(a) **'Indispensable'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **Indomitable Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *souliei* (s) × General Sir John du Cane Group R: L. de Rothschild (1934), N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, wide open, white, flushed pale pink. June

(a) **'Indra'** cv. Deciduous azalea: un-named seedling (no. Ex-5) (s) × 'Uguns' H: R. Kondratovičs (1976), G: R. Kondratovičs (1984), N: R. Kondratovičs, I: Rhododendron Nursery "Babīte" of University of Latvia (1999) Fls single, 9-11/strongly domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 90 × 90mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, inside moderate reddish orange (35A), with a yellow dorsal blotch; filaments red, anthers cream; style red, stigma green. Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 110 × 40mm, flat, pointed at apex and base, glossy green above,

with white hairs above when mature. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 10 years. Late May-early June. (Published in *Latvijas selekcionaru Ziedi* (1999). Unacceptable name but established as part of Latvian PBR Certificate no. ROD-7 (26 February, 1999))

(r) **'Indra'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* hybrid R: W. Braukmann (1978), N: W. Braukmann Fls white, tinted soft lilac at margins and with black-red marking; outside tinted soft lilac with conspicuous purple rose ribs. Foliage deep dark green. (Published in Schmalscheidt *Rhododendron- und Azaleenzüchtung in Deutschland,* Part II (1930-1988) (1989))

(r) **'Indy Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Serendipity' (s) × 'Lanny Pride' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls vivid red (52A, 57A) in bud, opening light purplish pink (62C) and pale purplish pink (62D), with vivid red (57A) dorsal spots. Lvs with an indumentum. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Inez'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × unknown H: van Herzeele Nurseries (c 1975), G: van Herzeele Nurseries, N: Firma C. Esveld, I: Firma C. Esveld, REG: Royal Boskoop Hort.Soc. (1990) Fls 8-10/truss, funnel-shaped, c40 × 40-50mm, 5-lobed, strong red to deep yellowish pink (47B/C), fading to creamy yellow. Calyx green. Lvs ovate, 30-60 × 20-30mm, young leaves with a thick orange-brown indumentum. Shrub 0.3 × 0.5-0.6m. Late April-May

(r) **'Inez May'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi King George' × 'Phyle Donegan' H: W. McClure, G: W. McClure (1975), N: W. McClure, I: W. McClure, REG: W. McClure (1986) Fls 6-8/truss, funnel-shaped, pale purplish pink (56A) inside, strong purplish pink (55B) outside, with brown spots on the dorsal lobe. Lvs oblanceolate, 120 × 40mm. Shrub 1.2m

(r) **'Infanta'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from Isabella Group (s) × *griersonianum* R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, I: C. Ingram (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c7/truss, funnel-shaped, 100mm wide with spreading lobes, tube 65mm long, white, flushed salmon red in the throat. Lvs narrowly elliptic, c200mm long. AM 1941 (Infanta Group)

(r) **Infanta Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from Isabella Group (s) × *griersonianum* R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, I: C. Ingram (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls varying from white with a salmon red throat to light crimson deepening to rose madder in the throat

(v) **'Inferno'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown I: Vireya Venue (1996) Fls in full trusses, brilliant orange/red. Veined foliage. Bushy shrub to 1.5m tall.

(a) **'Inflamatum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. van Geert (1877), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright pink, with a brownish blotch. Ghent

(a) **'Inga'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Hellmut Vogel' R: O. Stahnke, N: O. Stahnke, I: O. Stahnke (1973) Fls deep purplish pink (61D), edged white; otherwise similar to parent. Indian

(a) **'Inga'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Uguns' (s) × un-named seedling H: R. Kondratovičs (1976), G: R. Kondratovičs (1982), N: R. Kondratovičs, I: Rhododendron Nursery "Babīte" of University of Latvia (1999) Fls single, 9-11/slightly domed, open truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 60-80 × 60-80mm, with 5-7 more-or-less flat to slightly wavy-edged, slightly reflexed lobes, inside vermilion (18/3), with a bright yellow dorsal blotch (on dorsal and sometimes on adjacent lobes); filaments pale pink, anthers brown; style bright pink, stigma green. Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs elliptic-oblong, 150 × 50mm, wavy-edged, pointed at apex and base, glossy green above, with white hairs above when mature. Shrub 2.0 × 2.0m in 15 years. Early June. (Published in *Latvijas selekcionaru Ziedi* (1999). Unacceptable name but established as part of Latvian PBR Certificate no. ROD-8 (26 February, 1999))

(a) **'Inga Red Variegated'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Hellmut Vogel' R: Germany (pre 1973) Fls deep purplish pink (61D), with a narrow white edge. Indian (This sport occurs regularly on this cultivar)

(r) **'Ingeborg'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel (1918), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright, dark carmine red, paler in the throat and with umber spots

(r) **'Ingénieur Bonnet'** cv. Parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft rose. (L. van Houtte variously credits this cultivar to Dauvesse or to van Houtte)

(r) **'Ingenieur Harmsen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Rijneveld' × unknown H: A. Vuyk (c 1960), G: A. Vuyk (c 1970), N: A. Vuyk, I: Vuyk van Nes (1976), REG: Royal Boskoop Hort. Soc. (1988) Fls 8-16/dense, rounded truss, funnel-shaped, 40-60 × 40-50mm, light red (822/2), with a dark blotch. Calyx green. Lvs lanceolate, 100-180 × 30-45mm, dull green above, with a buff indumentum on young foliage. Shrub 3.0 × 4.0m. May. (See *Dendroflora* 18:76 (1981))

(r) **'Ingenieur Jürgens'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C. Vuylsteke (pre 1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet, with dark spots

(r) **'Ingleneuk'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* (s) × 'Lady Eleanor Cathcart' × *decorum* H: Scott Arboretum (1958), G: Scott Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister

(r) **'Ingleside'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* (s) × 'Mont Blanc' H: ScottArboretum (1958), G: Scott Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister

(r) **'Ingomer'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rose, with a white blotch, spotted. (The 1958 Register gives it as 'Ingomer', but Standish & Noble actually listed it as 'Ingomar')

(r) **'Ingos Rubellum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Infanta Group × 'Jalisco Goshawk' H: C. Ingram (1958), G: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, I: C. Ingram (1973), REG: C. Ingram (1973) Fls strong purplish pink (55B) at base, paling to pale purplish pink (55D), with a dark red blotch

(r) **'Ingramii'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Standish (pre 1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush white, with yellowish or chocolate spots (accounts vary; it may vary with age). Hardy Hybrid

(r) **Ingre Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* × *insigne* H: Lord Aberconway (1927), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep pink

(r) **Ingrid Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Tally Ho Group (s) × *griffithianum* R: L. de Rothschild (1934), N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in an open truss, large, pink. Tall shrub. June

(a) **'Ingrid Bergmann'** (Syn. of 'Madame Charles Gabert')

(r) **'Ingrid Mehlquist'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Besse Howells' (s) × *yakushimanum* H: G.A.L. Mehlquist (1967), G: G.A.L. Mehlquist (1971), N: G.A.L. Mehlquist, REG: G.A.L. Mehlquist (1994) Fls 20-22/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 35-40 × 45-55mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, pink in bud, opening pale pink, maturing to pure white with burgundy dots in the form of a flare or blotch; stamens 10, unequal; styles white, stigma burgundy; slightly scented. Calyx very short, light green. Pedicels 20mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic to slightly obovate, 55-95 × 25-35mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy dark green and powdery above, puberulent below (hairs pale tan at first, ageing to rusty brown); petioles 15-18mm long, green, hairy. Shrub 0.9 × 1.25m in 25 years. Late May

(r) **'Inheritance'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Jock' (s) × 'Antoon van Welie' H: E.E. Farwell (pre 1982), G: Unknown, N: Willamette Chapter Study Group (Am.Rh.Soc.), REG: Willamette Chapter Study Group (Am.Rh.Soc.) (1997) Fls 16/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 60 × 110mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (66A) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (66C) throughout, with a few vivid purplish red (61C) dorsal spots. Calyx 2mm long, moderate purplish red (64A). Lvs elliptic, 110-120 × 50-60mm, decurved longitudinally, with a twist, acuminate at apex, rounded (and very slightly oblique) at base, dark yellowish green (139A) above, with a very thin covering of brown/fawn hairs below when mature. Shrub 1.8 × 1.5m in 10 years. Mid May. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer (1992))

(r) **'Inkarho-Dufthecke'** (Syn. of 'Rhodunter 48')

(a) **'In Love Again'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, smaller than most in this Group, light salmon pink fading to buff yellow tinged with salmon, with a prominent golden yellow flare covering most of the dorsal lobe; scented; stamens bright red. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Late June

(a) **'Innocence'** (Syn. of 'Weston's Innocence')

(a) **'Innocence'** (Syn. of 'Perle de la Belgique')

(a) **'Innocence'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hexe' × 'Snow' R: USDA (1952), N: USDA, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 45mm wide, white, the throat slightly marked with greenish yellow. (Derived from the work of G.E.Yerkes & R.L.Pryor)

(v) **'Innuendo'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *multinervium* × 'Wattle Bird' H: J.L. Rouse, G: R. Macdonald (1991), N: R. Macdonald (1991), I: Foothills Nursery (1991), REG: Foothills Nursery (1992) Fls 12-16/loose, flat truss, long upcurved funnel-shaped, 70 × 40mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale yellow (12D) inside, the lobes strong pink (49A); outside pale yellow (12D). Lvs elliptic, 130 × 60mm, flat, matt green, hairless. Shrub 1.0m. Spring-autumn

(a) **'Inoiti'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: R.E. Harrison (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, bright cyclamen pink. Indian

(r) **'Inshriach'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection or hybrid of *hippophaeoides* R: unknown (pre 1978) Fls darker than usual for *hippophaeoides*. Lvs green, not greyish. Shrub more compact in habit

(r) **'Inshriach Blue'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1988)

(a) **'Insignans'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1854), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Probably the same plant listed as Insigne')

(a) **'Insigne'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: T.J. Seidel (1846), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red. Ghent (Probably the same plant shown by L. Verschaffelt, 1839)

(a) **'Insigne'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Gebr Mardner (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rose. Indian

(a) **'Insigne Novum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent ?

(a) **'Inspecteur Scheerlinck'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very double, deep red, of rounded form. Indian

(r) **'Inspiration'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group (s) × *edgeworthii* (from SBEC 0207) H: W. Reich (1985), G: W. Reich, N: W. Reich, I: W. Reich (1993), REG: W. Reich (1995) Fls up to

5/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 37-40 × 64-67mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, white in bud, opening greenish white (155C), unspotted; styles moderate red to dark yellowish pink (181C/D). Calyx 7mm long, deep purplish red (187D), especially on upper side. Pedicels dark pink (182D). Lvs elliptic to lanceolate, 15-74 × 6-23mm, margins decurved, acute at apex, cuneate at base, with dark greenish yellow (152C/D) scales below and a few marginal hairs, glossy green above. Shrub 0.75 × 0.85m in 8 years, the long annual shoots contributing to a rather straggling habit. Late April-early May

(r) **Insun Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Ingre Group (s) × Sunrise Group H: Lord Aberconway (1936), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink

(a) **'Inta'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Niobe' × 'Hexe' H: R. Kondratovičs (1963), G: R. Kondratovičs (1971), N: R. Kondratovičs, I: Botanical Garden, University of Latvia (1985), REG: R. Kondratovičs (1989) Fls hose-in-hose, 1-3/truss, funnel-shaped, 50-65mm wide, 5+5-lobed, strong purplish red (63B). Lvs ovate, 30-45 × 15-20mm, dark green, with brownish hairs above. Shrub dense, compact, 0.34 × 0.36m. February-March (under cool glass).

(r) **'Intaglio'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *keiskei* 'Yaku Fairy' × *intricatum* R: H.L. Foster (pre 1985), N: H.L. Foster Fls white, touched with clear pink. Lvs brilliant green. Shrub of mounding habit, 0.2 × 0.9m

(a) **'Intéressante'** (See 'L'Intéressante')

(r) **'Intermedium'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *ponticum* L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1826), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **Intermedium Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *ferrugineum* × *hirsutum* N: I.F. Tausch (1836), INC: ICRA (1958) *R.* × *intermedium* Tausch, nom. illigit. A natural hybrid occuring in the wild. Bean (1976) suggests that the correct botanical name for the cross is *R.* × *halense* Gremblich (1874)

(r) **'Intermedium Album'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Firma C. Esveld (1984) Fls funnel-shaped, white. Shrub up to 0.3m. (Probably a white-flowered form of *ferrugineum* × *hirsutum*)

(a) **'International Women'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: M.E. Greentree (pre 1987), N: M.E. Greentree Fls hose-in-hose, white, with a deep pink edge.

(a) **'In the Mood'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, bright yellow in bud, opening light yellow with a slightly deeper flare; scented. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Late June.

(a) **'In the Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* hybrid S: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls star-shaped, light pink

(r) **Intrepid Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Beau Brummell Group (s) × *kyawii* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in fairly compact trusses, rosy red. Lvs broad. Tall shrub. May-June

(r) **Intrifast Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *intricatum* (s) × *fastigiatum* R: T.H. Lowinsky, N: T.H. Lowinsky, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet blue

(az) **'In Tune'** cv. Azaleodendron: 'Little Pudding' × an Exbury azalea H: A.C. Martin, G: A.C. Martin (1968), N: A.C. Martin Fls 10-12/truss, 80mmwide, 5-7-lobed, moderate orange-yellow (10YR 8/10) and vivid yellow (2.5Y 8/12), with margins strong reddish orange (7.5R 6/12) and strong yellowish pink (7.5R 7/9); scented. Lvs lanceolate-oblong

(r) **'Invicta'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Britannia' × Loderi Group × 'Britannia' H: Waterer (Bagshot) (1958), G: Waterer (Bagshot) (1967), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975) Fls 10-12/truss, 50 × 60mm, 5-lobed, deep rose pink in bud, opening very pale purple (73D), deepening at edge to strong purplish pink (73B). Calyx very small. Lvs 90-100 × 20-30mm. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. May

(a) **'Invictissimum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1858), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep sulphur, striped deep salmon. Ghent

(r) **'Invictum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* selection or hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1851), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright scarlet. (First published in H. Waterer cat., 1851/2)

(a) **'Invincible'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: P. Mortier (pre 1855), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls flesh pink, with dark markings (Hesse, 1899). Ghent

(r) **'Invincible'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with large lemon spots. Hardy Hybrid (Probably the plant exhibited by M. Guérin in Paris, 1843)

(r) **'Invitation'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anita Dunstan' (s) × 'Lem's Cameo' H: J. Barlup (1987), G: J. Barlup (1991), N: J. Barlup, REG: J. Barlup (1995) Fls 20/ball truss, 55 × 75mm, open funnel-shaped, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53B) in bud, opening inside pale yellowish pink (36D), fading to pale greenish yellow (10D) at centre, with two strong red (47B) areas at the base which extend upwards c10mm into dorsal throat; outside has a slight pink tinge on the lobes and strong pink (49A) lines on the midribs; stamens 13, curved, unequal; style strong yellow-green (145A). Calyx 40mm long, strong red (51A) to light yellow (10B). Pedicels 30mm long, deep red (185A). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 108 × 25mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless; petioles 30mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Shrub 0.8 × 0.9m in 8 years. Mid-late April

(v) **'Ioane'** (Syn. of 'Belisar')

(r) **Iola Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *valentinianum* (s) × *edgeworthii* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in small trusses, primrose cream. Small, compact shrub. April

(r) **Iolanthe Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Blancmange Group (s) × *kyawii* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large trusses, cerise pink. Tall, fairly compact shrub. July

(r) **'Iona'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *tephropeplum* (s) × *tephropeplum* R: G.M. Adams-Acton (pre 1942), N: G.M. Adams-Acton, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **Ione Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: 'Countess of Haddington' (s) × *edgeworthii* R: E.J.P. Magor (1920), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1926), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, opening pale primrose

(a) **'Ione Burden'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ruffled Giant' × 'North Carolina Red' × 'Rashomon' R: N. Carolina/Louisiana State Univ. (pre 1981), N: N. Carolina/Louisiana State Univ. Fls large, rosy red

(a) **'Iora'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) ?, N: Waterer (Knap Hill) ?, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow. Midseason. Knap Hill

(r) **Iphigenia Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *haematodes* (s) × Red Admiral Group R: E.J.P. Magor (1925), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(r) **'Iphigénie'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Byls (pre 1864), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Irasburg'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *catawbiense* S: H. Bill (1992), N: H. Bill (1992), REG: M.C. Starrett (2002) Fls 10-15/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds mottled moderate purplish red (70A) and strong reddish purple (70B), opening the same mottled colours throughout; moderate yellow-green (146B-C) dorsal spotting. Calyx c1.5mm long, light yellow-green (145B). Lvs elliptic, 90 × 50mm, margins downcurved, broadly acute to obtuse at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Dense shrub, 2.1 × 2.7m in 60 or more years. Early-mid June. (Remarkable for its exceptional cold hardiness (plant to -40C, buds to -34C). Voucher specimen in University of Vermont Pringle Herbarium. An old bush found in a cemetery: thought to be probably of wild origin)

(a) **'Irby'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: M.C. Pratt (1986), G: Ness Botanic Gardens (1996), N: Ness Botanic Gardens (1999), REG: Ness Botanic Gardens (1999) Fls single, 15/loose truss, broadly tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 63mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (48C) in bud, opening inside white flushed pale pink (49D), outside white flushed pale purplish pink (56C); dorsal blotch brilliant yellow (15C); filaments pink; scented. Calyx 3mm long, light yellow-green (145C). Lvs elliptic, 30-70 × 12-25mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, slightly wavy-edged and margins slightly decurved, glossy green above; good autumn colour. Shrub 1.5 × 0.75m in 13 years. June-July. (Standard: colour slide provided by registrant (WSY 0015388))

(a) **'I Remember April'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, in varying shades of light pink, with a prominent yellow flare on a lighter coloured dorsal lobe. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Late June-July

(a) **'Irène'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (1893), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, lively cinnabar red. Indian

(a) **'Irène'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, bright rose. Indian

(r) **'Irene'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Guldemond (pre 1945), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose

(r) **'Irene Bain'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × May Day Group H: J.S. Yeates (1965), G: J.S. Yeates, I: Mrs I. Bain (1975), REG: Mrs I. Bain (1979) Fls open pale pink, fading to cream, with a pink, frilled edge. Lvs with a white indumentum. Compact shrub.

(a) **'Irene Cook'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Linda Jean' × 'Springtime' (Kurume) H: W.L. Guttormsen (1975), G: W.L. Guttormsen (1979), N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen (c 1983), REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1985) Fls 2-3/truss, hose-in-hose and semi-double (5+5-lobed, plus 5 petaloid stamens), funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, strong purplish pink (62A). Calyx 40mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs more-or-less broadly elliptic to more-or-less elliptic, 28-53 × 20-30mm, more-or-less moderate olive green (146A), very glossy and somewhat bullate above, hairy. Shrub 0.5 × 0.6m in 6 years

(a) **'Irène de Meulemeester'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1898), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, lilac rose, with white edges. Indian

(r) **'Irene Hall'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi King George' × 'Pink Pearl' H: G. Hall (1959), G: G. Hall, I: Lord Harewood (1979), REG: Lord Harewood (1979) Fls white, flushed pink outside along centres of lobes, dorsal lobes slightly spotted inside and with a short, deep red mark at the base

(a) **'Irene Harris'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.S. Yeates (pre 1985), N: J.S. Yeates

(a) **'Irene Koster'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Koster & Co. (pre 1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 65mm wide, white, flushed strong pink (523/1-523/3) and with a small yellow blotch;

scented. Tall shrub. Midseason. Occidentale (The previous listing as a Ghent was probably an error)

(r) **'Irene Stead'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Loderi Group, selfed R: E.F. Stead, N: E.F. Stead, I: E.F. Stead, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink. AM 1987 Syn: 'I.M.S.'

(r) **'Irene Tice'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Muriel Pearce' × 'Irene Stead' R: M.H. Sumner, N: M.H. Sumner (pre 1996)

(r) **'Irene Virag'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Dexter's Orange' (s) × 'Phipps Yellow' × 'Orange Marmalade' H: F.A. Arsen (1990), G: F.A. Arsen (1995), N: F.A. Arsen (2001), REG: F.A. Arsen (2001) Fls 8/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 75mm, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (55C) in bud, opening inside pale purplish pink (56B), with faint dorsal spotting of strong purplish pink (55B), outside pale purplish pink (56A). Lvs oblong, 165 × 55mm, margins downcurved, acute at apex, oblique at base, dull and moderate olive green (137B) above, hairless. Shrub 1.3 × 1.0m in 11 years. Late April-early May

(v) **'Irian Jaya'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lochiae* × 'Pink Delight' H: T. Lelliott, I: R. Cutten (pre 1983), REG: F.R. Waghorn (1988) Fls 11-12/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, deep pink (52B). Lvs elliptic, 90 × 40mm. Shrub 0.5m tall. (Sometimes listed in error as 'Irian Jima')

(v) **'Irian Jima'** (An error for 'Irian Jaya')

(a) **'Irihi-no-kumo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1964), N: Japan Fls 90mm wide, deep pink. (Raised on Hirado Island, Japan)

(r) **'Irina'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *catawbiense* H: R. Kondratovičs (1965), G: R. Kondratovičs (1975), N: R. Kondratovičs, I: Rhododendron Nursery "Babīte" of University of Latvia (2000), REG: R. Kondratovičs (2002) Fls 19-22/dense, strongly domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 70 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds strong purplish red (67A) and light purple (75B), opening inside very light purple (75C), outside deep purplish pink (73A); conspicuous, strong greenish yellow (153C) spots on dorsal lobes; filaments rose violet (ie noticeably darker than corolla), anthers brown violet; style red, stigma deep cherry red. Calyx 2mm long, light green. Lvs broadly elliptic, 90 × 45mm, flat, obtuse at apex, heart-shaped at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.7 × 1.5m in 25 years. Late May-early June. (First published in *Latvijas selekcionaru Ziedi* (1999))

(r) **'Irish Beauty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* × *arboreum* R: Glasnevin (c 1918), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Irish Cream'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'George Lindley Taber' × 'Janet Rhea' H: R.C. Vines (pre 1990), G: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines Fls single, 75-100mm wide, with 6 pointed lobes, white, with a large, yellowish green blotch. Low, spreading shrub. Early May

(r) **'Irish Cream'** cv. Elepidoterhododendron: 'Catalgla' × *wardii* (s) × Goldfort Group H: G.D. Lewis (1974), G: G.D. Lewis (1980), N: G.D. Lewis, REG: G.D. Lewis (1988) Fls 11/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 38 × 76mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, pale yellow green (4D), with brilliant yellow-green (154B) spotting in the throat; slightly scented. Calyx less than 2mm long, strong yellow-green (144B) with deep purplish pink (66C) edges. Lvs elliptic, 108 × 57mm, flat, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in 13 years. Early May

(a) **'Irish Lass'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown S: L.F. Frisbie, N: L.F. Frisbie, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, pink, orange and yellow. Shrub up to c2.0 × 1.5m. April-May. (A seedling from Gregg McKinnon Garden)

(r) **'Irish Yaku'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (Exbury form) (s) × 'Mars' H: Comerford's Nursery (pre 1970), G: Comerford's Nursery, I: P.J. McGuiness, REG: P.J. McGuiness (1983) Fls 22/truss, open funnel-shaped, 75 × 75mm, 6-lobed, deep purplish pink (55A) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (55D); outside strong purplish pink (55B). Calyx minute. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 150 × 65mm, moderate olive green (137A), with light brown, more-or-less floccose indumentum. Shrub c1.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Iris Lawrence'** cv. Parentage unknown I: H. Wormald (1941), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Iris LeFebvre'** (Syn. of 'Madame Iris LeFebvre')

(r) **'Iris Prizeman'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Jervis Bay' × China Group H: G.J.N. Prizeman (1974), G: G.J.N. Prizeman (1984), N: G.J.N. Prizeman, REG: G.J.N. Prizeman (1988) Fls 12-14/truss, 45 × 75mm, open funnel-shaped, 7-lobed, primrose yellow, with a small cerise blotch in the upper part of the throat. Calyx 5mm long, yellow-green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 125 × 60mm, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 1.0m. May

(a) **'Irma'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Vervaene (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose lilac, with a dark blotch on the dorsal lobes. Indian

(a) **'Irma'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Maxwellii' (s) × 'Snow' R: USDA, N: USDA, I: USDA (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 3/truss, 55-65mm wide, purple. Low, bushy habit, as wide as high. (Derived from the work of G.E. Yerkes & R.L. Pryor)

(r) **'Irmelies'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Oudijk's Sensation' × 'Marinus Koster' H: H. Hachmann (1962), G: H. Hachmann (1968), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1987), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 10-11/truss, funnel-campanulate, 40-50 × 65-85mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, buds deep to strong purplish pink (68A-B), opening strong purplish pink (67D) on outside, deep purplish pink (67C) on inside and spotted on dorsal lobe with strong purplish red (67A). Calyx 2mm long, greenish. Flowering shoot buds reddish brown in

winter. Lvs elliptic-ovate, 60-75 × 40-55mm, margins recurved, mucronate at apex, cordate at base, dark green and slightly glossy above, with cream-white hairs below; petioles 20-25mm long, reddish brown. Shrub 0.9 × 1.3m in 10 years, very free flowering. Early-late May.

(a) **'Irmtraut'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Albert Bardt & Söhne, N: Albert Bardt & Söhne, REG: Albert Bardt & Söhne (1991) Fls single, funnel-shaped, vivid purplish red (61C) inside, vivid purplish red (57C) outside, with inconspicuous, deep purplish red (61A) spots; anthers brown. Calyx present, normal. Lvs more-or-less obovate, acute at apex, dark green above.

(a) **'Iroasobi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *mucronatum* R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white

(a) **'Irohayama'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1918), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, white, overlaid mauve (633/2), margins pencilled mauve (633/1), with a faint chestnut 'eye'. *AM 1952 Syn: 'Dainty'; Wilson no.8. Kurume

(r) **Ironside Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Midsummer' (s) × *kyawii* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, bright crimson. Tall shrub. July

(a) **'Iroquois'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* × 'Maxwellii' R: J.B. Gable (c 1931), N: J.B. Gable, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 55mm wide, strong yellowish pink (43D). Gable

(a) **'Iro-sobi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 40mm wide, deep pink. Kurume

(a) **'Irresistible'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hino-crimson' × 'Salmon Elf' R: R.L. Pryor, N: R.L. Pryor, I: R.L. Pryor, REG: R.L. Pryor (1966) Fls 2-3/truss, hose-in-hose, 40 × 40mm, spinel red; stamens 5-7, coloured as corolla. Lvs greyish green, with white margins. Dwarf, compact shrub, about one and a half times as wide as high. Syn: 'My-O'

(a) **'Irresistible'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Pink Pearl' (Indian azalea) × 'Lambertus C. Bobbink' R: D. Lewis (pre 1987), N: D. Lewis Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, 65mm wide, with ruffled lobes, deep purplish pink

(r) **'Irresistible'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scintillation' (s) × *haematodes* H: Scott Arboretum (1958), G: John J. Tyler Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister

(r) **'Irresistible Impulse'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × 'Purple Splendour' R: O.O. Dobbs (pre 1983), N: H.E. Greer Fls deep red-purple, with a large, deep purple, dorsal blotch. Lvs deep green. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(a) **'Irridescent'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *cumberlandense* × *arborescens* R: E.V. Mezitt (pre 1985), N: E.V. Mezitt Fls 25mm wide, strong pink (54C); scented. Late June

(r) **Irrifarg Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *irroratum* (s) × *oreodoxa* var. *fargesii* H: E.J.P. Magor (1917), G: E.J.P. Magor, N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1926), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush, with copious crimson spotting

(r) **Irrir Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *irroratum* × *ririei* R: E.J.P. Magor (pre 1929), N: E.J.P. Magor, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Irving Berlin'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C.S. Seabrook (pre 1980)

(r) **'Isaac Davies'** cv. Parentage unknown R: I. Davies (pre 1890), N: I. Davies, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 20/rounded truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40-45 × 60-70mm, vinous crimson with a dorsal ray of black markings. Calyx crimson. Lvs oblong-ovate, c90 × 30mm, dull deep green and bullate above, hairless below

(r) **'Isaac Newton'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* × *catawbiense* (s) × *forrestii* Repens Group R: D.G. Hobbie, N: D.G. Hobbie (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-5/truss, 45-60mm wide, deep red (53A)

(a) **'Isabel'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1851), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pink

(a) **'Isabel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hexe' × 'Pink Pearl' R: J.B. Gable (c 1926), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, apricot rose. (Probably the plant imported to The Netherlands in 1953 and described as: fls partly hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, phlox pink (625/1). Early)

(r) **'Isabel'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1851), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush at first, ageing to white. (Waterer (Bagshot) were also credited with a plant of this name c1865: fls light rose, with a pale centre. Perhaps one and the same?)

(r) **Isabel Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *maddenii* (as *calophyllum*) × *maddenii* R: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light rose. Early

(a) **'Isabel Chisolm'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt, I: E.A. Merritt (c 1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, deep coppery red. Kurume

(r) **'Isabel Gable'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mary Belle' × *vernicosum* aff. (Rock 18139) H: J.B. Gable (pre 1972) Fls coral in bud, opening flesh pink

(r) **Isabella Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* (s) × *auriculatum* R: G.H. Loder, N: G.H. Loder, I: G.H. Loder (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear pink

(r) **'Isabella Mangles'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: J.H. Mangles (pre 1880), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c10-12/loose, domed truss, open campanulate, 60-65 × 80-85mm, 5-lobed, vivid purplish red (57B-C) in bud, paling on opening to vivid purplish red (more-or-less 57D), becoming mottled with white, the

colour most noticeable in the veins and around margins of dorsal lobe, paler inside, unspotted or with very few, greenish yellow spots. Calyx 5mm long, regular, pale green edged pale pink. Lvs oblong to elliptic, up to 230 × 80mm, dark shiny green above, with very sparse, minute, pale hairs below

(r) **'Isabella Nevada'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* (s) × *auriculatum* I: C. Ingram (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) (Isabella Group)

(a) **'Isabella Supreme'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Amb. Verschaffelt (1851), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Isabelle'** (See note under 'Izabelle')

(a) **'Isabelle van Houtte'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, light yellow, with orange spots. Midseason. Mollis (Sometimes seen in error as 'Isabella van Houtte')

(r) **'Isabel Meeres'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1910), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy crimson. (Sometimes seen as 'Isobel Meers')

(r) **'Isabel Pierce'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anna' × 'Lem's Goal' R: H. Lem, N: L.J. Pierce, I: H. Lem (1967), REG: L.J. Pierce (1975) Fls 9-10/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 60 × 90mm, with 5-7 wavy-edged lobes and an occasional small petaloid stamen, strong purplish pink (58C) fading to pale purplish pink (56A) (deeper pink on lobe edges), with a prominent, greyish reddish brown blotch in inner throat becoming spots of strong red (53B) towards dorsal lobes, with lesser blotch and spotting on ventral side; internal and external narrow stripes of strong red (53D) from base to lobe edges. Calyx minute, pink. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 130 × 40mm, hairless, dark green. Shrub 1.1 × 1.2m in 8 years. Early-mid May

(r) **'Isadora'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' × 'Cynthia' H: D. Heinje Baumschulen (1962), G: D. Heinje Baumschulen (1967), N: D. Heinje Baumschulen, I: D. Heinje Baumschulen (1984), REG: D. Heinje Baumschulen (1986) Fls 15-17/truss, 50-55 × 55-75mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong to light purplish pink (55B-C) inside, with reddish dorsal spotting; outside strong purplish red (58B-C). Calyx 25mm long, green-brownish. Lvs lanceolate, 135 × 55mm, dark green, tomentose below. Compact habit. May

(a) **'Isahai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c60mm wide, light red. Tsutsuji

(r) **'Isaiah Sunbeam'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Crest' (s) × 'Naomi Nautilus' H: C. Weeks (1988), G: C. Weeks (1995), N: C. Weeks (2002), I: Westgate Garden Nursery (2002), REG: C. Weeks (2002) Fls 12-13/domed truss, open funnel-campanulate, 100 × 80mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink (43C) in bud, opening inside pale orange-yellow (16D) with a small, red, dorsal blotch which fades quickly, outside light yellowish pink (29C), fading with age. Lvs elliptic, 165 × 55mm, margins flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 14 years. Mid May

(r) **'Isar'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Giganteum' × *brachycarpum* 'Montanum' R: D.G. Hobbie (1955), N: D.G. Hobbie (1983) Fls purple rose outside, inside paler with a darker margin and slight reddish markings. Shrub 0.6 × 1.1m in 10 years. Syn: 'Purple Hill'

(a) **'Ishibashi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958). Kurume

(a) **'Ishiyama'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls wide open, cream, with a broad lilac border (1958 Register); light purple centre, darker purple edge, reddish purple blotch, some purple dots and flecks; white stamens and pistil; fls 65-75mm wide (Galle, 1987). (Galle (1987) indicates there is also a Kurume of this name (syn. with 'Kei-no-hana'), but the situation is confused)

(a) **'Isis'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: O. Schulz (1886), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crystal white, with a yellowish blotch and cinnabar red stripes

(a) **'Isis'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Tempérance' × 'Winterroze' I: C.J. Wille & Co. (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, light rose. Indian

(r) **Isis Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Carex Group (s) × *annae* Laxiflorum Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, spotted

(r) **'Island Canoe'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* 'Powell Glass' × *yakushimanum* (s) × 'War Dance' H: M.J. Whitman (1994), G: M.J. & B. Whitman (1998), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (1998), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (1998) Fls 19/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (67B) in bud, opening inside light purple (75A), with slightly darker edging and deep red (60A) dorsal spotting; outside deep purplish pink (66C), mottled with very pale purple (69C) and with vivid purplish red (66B) ribs. Lvs oblong, 225 × 100mm, margins decurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.5 × 0.4m in 4 years. Early May

(a) **'Island Cardinal'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vermeulen & Son (1983) Fls red

(r) **'Island Drums'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Westbury' (s) × 'War Dance' H: M.J. Whitman (1993), G: M.J. & B. Whitman (1998), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (1998), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (1998) Fls 13-

15/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 75 × 115mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (57B) in bud, opening vivid red (57A) inside at margins and shading through 57B to vivid purplish red (57D) at centre, with a dark red (187A) blotch in the throat (solid at base, breaking into spots above); outside with vivid purplish red (57B) lines along the midveins. Lvs oblong, 240 × 100mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.5m in 5 years. Mid-late April

(r) **'Island Echoes'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* 'Powell Glass' × *yakushimanum* (s) × 'War Dance' H: M.J. Whitman (1994), G: M.J. & B. Whitman (1999), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (1999), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (2000) Fls 16/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (67A) in bud, opening inside vivid purplish red (67B) with a small, strong purplish red (67A), star-shaped blotch in the base, the dorsal lobe heavily spotted with deep red (60A); outside vivid purplish red (67B) with strong purplish red (67A) midribs; anthers white. Lvs oblong, 150 × 65mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, margins flat, semi-glossy and near moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 0.9m in 6 years. Early-mid May

(r) **'Island Fire'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Yaku Sunrise' (s) × 'War Dance' H: M.J. Whitman (1993), G: M.J. & B. Whitman (1998), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (1998), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (1998) Fls 20/domed truss, open campanulate, 50 × 75mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (45B) in bud, opening inside strong red (53C), with moderate purplish pink (54D) mottling, shading to pale purplish pink (56D) at centre, with a small, star-shaped, deep red (53A) blotch at the base of the throat, and deep red (53A) dorsal spotting; outside strong red (53C). Lvs oblong, 175 × 75mm, acute at apex, rounded at base, near moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.5m in 5 years. Early May.

(r) **'Island Flirt'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Westbury' (s) × 'War Dance' H: M.J. Whitman (1993), G: M.J. & B. Whitman (1998), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (1998), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (1998) Fls 13-15/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, with (5-)6, slightly wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (57A) in bud, opening vivid purplish red (66B) at edge inside, shading through deep purplish pink (66C) to pale purplish pink (65D) at centre, with a very small, vivid red (45A), star-shaped blotch at base and deep red (53A) spots on two dorsal lobes; outside vivid purplish red (66B) at margins, shading to deep purplish pink (66C) at base, with moderate to strong purplish red (53A-B) midrib on dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 175 × 65mm, margins decurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and between moderate olive green (137A) and dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.5 × 0.6m in 5 years. Early April

(r) **'Island Gem'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *oreotrephes*, open-pollinated R: H.A. Short, N: H.A. Short, I: H.A. Short, REG: H.A. Short (1979) Fls up to 4/bud (several buds in a compound, terminal inflorescence), light purple (76A), shaded moderate orange-yellow (168D) deep in the throat and with very prominent, moderate red (180B) spotting in dorsal blotch. Lvs as in *oreotrephes*. Shrub under 2.0m. (Raised from seed obtained from the RHS distribution scheme)

(r) **'Island Prince'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* 'Powell Glass' × *yakushimanum* (s) × 'War Dance' H: M.J. Whitman (1993), G: M.J. & B. Whitman (1998), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (1999), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (2000) Fls 18-20/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, dark red (59A) in bud, opening inside strong purplish red (63A) at edges, shading lighter to centre, with moderate purplish red (64A) dorsal spotting; outside deep purplish red (61A); anthers yellowish white. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 75mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, margins slightly wavy, dull and near moderate olive green (137A) above, with sparse, tan/rust-coloured hairs below. Shrub 0.75 × 0.9m in 7 years. Early May

(r) **'Island Rhythm'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* 'Powell Glass' × *yakushimanum* (s) × 'War Dance' H: M.J. Whitman (1993), G: M.J. & B. Whitman (1998), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (1998), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (1998) Fls 20/domed truss, saucer-shaped, 55 × 75mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, deep to strong purplish red (61A-B) in bud, opening strong purplish red (63B), mottled strong purplish pink (63C) inside and out, the inside edged with strong purplish red (63A), the outside with strong red (53C) midribs; slight dorsal spotting of deep purplish red (61B). Lvs elliptic, 175 × 75mm, margins decurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless; new foliage strong yellow-green (145A) above. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 5 years. Early May

(r) **'Island Song'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Arthur Bedford' (s) × 'War Dance' H: M.J. Whitman (1993), G: M.J. & B. Whitman (1998), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (1998), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (1998) Fls 16-18/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (60B) in bud, opening inside strong reddish purple (72B), mottled with 72C, with a small white area at base and deep red (185A) dorsal spotting; outside deep purplish red (71A), with vivid reddish purple (74A) mottling and vivid purplish red (66A) midribs. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 65mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.5 × 0.4m in 5 years. Late April

(v) **'Island Sunset'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *zoelleri* S: D.B. Stanton, N: D.B. Stanton, I: D.B. Stanton, REG: D.B. Stanton (1973) Fls 9/truss, 125mm wide, 5-lobed, vivid yellow (17B) in the tube, deepening to vivid reddish orange (33B) on the lobes. Lvs broadly elliptic, 100-120 × 60-70mm. Shrub 1.5m tall in 8 years. (Collected in the wild by D.B. Stanton on Goodenough Island, New Guinea)

(r) **'Island Tease'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Powell Glass' × *yakushimanum* (s) × 'War Dance' H: M.J. Whitman (1994), G: M.J. & B. Whitman (1999), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (1999), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (1999) Fls 21/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 75mm, with 5 wavy to very wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish purple (70B) in bud, opening very pale purple (69B) throughout, with deep purplish red (71A) spotting on the dorsal lobe; tips of lobes are faintly marked strong purple (89B) inside, the outside is veined with strong purplish red (71D). Lvs oblong, 140 × 55mm, margins flat or wavy, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 5 years. Early May

(r) **Islay Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *kyawii* (s) × Romany Chai Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rich scarlet

(r) **'Isme Group'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* (s) × *venator* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in small trusses, yellow, with rose markings. April-May

(a) **'Isn't It Romantic'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, buff yellow, washed and veined soft peach pink, with a bright golden yellow flare covering most of dorsal lobe; slightly scented. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. June-July

(r) **'Isobel Baillie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × 'Betty Wormald' R: M. Haworth-Booth, N: M. Haworth-Booth, REG: M. Haworth-Booth (1972) Fls deep purplish pink (61D) with a flare of red spots

(r) **'Isobel Meers'** (See note under 'Isabel Meeres')

(a) **Isochidari Group** gp Evergreen azalea: *eriocarpum* × *kaempferi* I: K. Wada, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, pink. Lvs dark. Stocky shrub

(a) **'Isochidori'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan. Satsuki. (An error for the Isochidari Group?)

(a) **'Isochodori'** (An error for Isochidari Group?)

(r) **'Isola Bella'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *fletcherianum* 'Yellow Bunting' (s) × selfed *dauricum* 'Arctic Pearl' H: J.B. Brueckner (1979), G: J.B. Brueckner, N: A.M. Brueckner, REG: J.K. Weagle (1999) Fls 3-5/bud (3-5 buds/truss), broadly funnel-shaped, 35 × 55mm, 5-lobed, pinkish to apricot in bud, opening very pale purple (69B-C) on lobe centres inside, very pale purple (69B) on lobe centres outside, maturing to white (155D), with a faint pink blush on lobe centres inside and out; faint yellow to green spotting on three dorsal lobes. Calyx 4mm long, light yellow-green (145C). Lvs variable, mainly elliptic, 45 × 20mm, acute to broadly acute at apex, cuneate to rounded at base, margins upcurved, glossy and dark green above, with a slight reddish tint in autumn and winter (non-persistent lvs change to shades of yellow to deep red), sparsely ciliate, scaly above (scales c3-5x their width apart) and below (scales 1-2x their width apart), the scales reddish brown. Shrub to 1.5 × 1.8m. Early May. Syn: 'Mabel R.'

(a) **'Isolde'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Alice' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-2/truss, 50-65mm wide, a little more brilliant than eugenia red (moderate red (180B)), with a heavy and conspicuous blotch of pomegranate purple, covered with heavy dots of amaranth purple. Shrub to 2.1m. Early May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Isolde'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown, described as Exbury azalea seedling R: W. Kern (pre 1985), N: W. Kern Fls 75-100mm wide, brilliant yellow, with long stamens. Midseason. Knap Hill

(a) **'Isoline'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Amb. Verschaffelt (1866), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, pale orange. Indian

(r) **'Isom Ragan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.A. Ragan (1976), G: W.A. Ragan (1987), N: W.A. Ragan, REG: W.A. Ragan (1989) Fls 8/lax, domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 64 × 114mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, white, with a light to moderate purplish pink (65B-65A) stripe (6-12mm wide) on the back of each lobe, showing through to the front and more pronounced at the tips. Calyx c2mm long, pink. Lvs oblong, 184 × 57mm, flat, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.5m in 12 years. Early June-early July

(r) **Ispahan Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group (s) × *wardii* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in loose, open trusses, tangerine to yellow, with a waxy polish. Shrub of low, spreading habit. May

(a) **'Issaqueena'** cv. Deciduous azalea: wild-collected natural hybrid believed to be *periclymenoides* × *calendulaceum* S: L.C. Towe (1975), N: L.C. Towe, I: The Cummins Garden (1988), REG: L.C. Towe (1990) Fls single, 5-7/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 35 × 38mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale greenish yellow (10D), ageing to very pale purple (69A), dorsal lobe edged deep purplish pink (73A); moderately scented. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 64 × 32mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green and hairy above. Shrub 2.7 × 1.8m in 12 years. Late April-early May. Syn: 'Chameleon' (Wild origin: Oconee County, South Carolina (at 300m). First published in The Cummins Garden cat., 1988)

(a) **'Issho-no-hana'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 65-70mm wide, light purplish pink, with purple spots in the blotch; anthers dark, conspicuous. Satsuki (See also note under 'Issho-no-haru')

(a) **'Issho-no-hara'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Nihon-no-hikari' R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, light purple, with purple and white spots. Satsuki (See also note under 'Issho-no-haru')

(a) **'Issho-no-haru'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Yamoto-no-hikari' R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with large, rounded lobes, 75-100mm wide, pale to light purplish pink, with purple stripes and flakes; some reddish purple selfs. Syn: 'Haisai'. Satsuki (Perhaps the same as plants listed here as 'Issho-no-hana' and 'Issho-no-hara'. Probably the plant sometimes listed as 'Isshu-no-haru')

(a) **'Issho-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 75-90mm wide, with overlapping lobes, light pink, with a greenish blotch. Satsuki

(a) **'Isshu-no-haru'** (See note under 'Issho-no-haru')

(a) **'Isshu-no-tsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Berna Park Nurseries (1984) Fls white, edged deep rose. Satsuki

(r) **Istanbul Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs H. Stocker' (s) × *elliottii* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in full trusses, red. June

(r) **Istar Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* (s) × Naomi Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a rather loose truss, yellow, marked pink. Low, spreading, compact shrub. May

(r) **Istria Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Astarte' (Aberconway) (s) × *griffithianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1934), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink.

(r) **'Ita'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *hirtipes*, grown from LS&T 3624 R: A.C. & J.F.A. Gibson, N: A.C. & J.F.A. Gibson, REG: A.C. & J.F.A. Gibson (1965) Fls 3-5/loose truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 65mm, 5-lobed, phlox pink (625/3), stained and striped phlox pink (625/1). Lvs oblong, 95 × 50mm, hairless below; petioles hairy. AM 1965

(r) **Italia Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Duke of York' (s) × *griersonianum* R: D.G. Hobbie (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon red, with faint red markings

(r) **Iteaphyllum Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. iteaphyllum*

(r) **Ithica Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* subsp. *septentrionale* (s) × *facetum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1941), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Itoguruma'** (Syn. of 'O-guruma')

(a) **'Itokurenai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double (more-or-less anemone-centred), red. Syn: 'Chuyo', 'Yae-shide'. Satsuki

(a) **'It's Always You'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, pale pink, suffused, tipped and veined a deeper pink and with a golden yellow flare covering half the dorsal lobe; stamens and pistil bright rose pink. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Early-mid July

(a) **'Itsigishi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Waraigishi' L: Holly Heath Nursery (1978) Fls deep rose, with a darker blotch. Lvs smaller and plant dwarfer than parent. Satsuki

(a) **'It's Magic'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hahn's Red' × 'Ward's Ruby' R: S. Mauritsen (pre 1987), N: S. Mauritsen Fls 40mm wide, vivid red (46C). Shrub 0.8 × 1.0m in 5 years

(r) **'It's Special'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ronald Otto Delp' (s) × 'Mary Belle' × 'Powell Glass' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls strong purplish red (64B, C) and deep purplish pink (64D) in bud, opening white, edged strong purplish red (64C) and deep purplish pink (64D), with strong greenish yellow (151A) dorsal spots. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Itsukushima'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Marshy Point Nursery (1995) Fls small, coral pink, with green in the throat. Lvs large, glossy. Kurume

(a) **'Itten'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale lavender. (A later introduction from Japan to USA (1970s) had single fls, c30-40mm wide, white, some edged purplish pink (2.5RP 6/10) with a white throat; stamens very short)

(r) **Ivan Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'B. de Bruin' (s) × *kyawii* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright light crimson. Lvs large, deep green. Tall, erect shrub. July

(a) **'Ivan Anderson'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Waraigishi' × 'Howraku' × 'Kokoku' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1965) Fls double, with 10-15 lobes (decreasing in size towards the centre), 65-70mm wide, white at centre, broadly edged tyrian rose tending towards amaranth purple. Shrub 0.8m in 7 years. Back Acres

(r) **'Ivan D. Wood'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'King of Shrubs' × 'Fawn' × Dido Group G: Mrs R.J. Coker, N: Mrs R.J. Coker, I: Mrs R.J. Coker, REG: Mrs R.J. Coker (1979) Fls pale purplish pink (55D) at edge, pale yellow (20C) at centre, fading to pale yellow (11C). Shrub 1.0m in 10 years. (Grown from seed obtained in 1961 from USA)

(r) **'Ivanhoe'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep claret

(r) **'Ivanhoe'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Chanticleer Group (s) × *griersonianum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls campanulate, c90mm wide, brilliant red (020), faintly mottled a darker shade of the same colour on the dorsal lobes. Tall, loose shrub. April-May. AM 1945 (Ivanhoe Group)

(r) **Ivanhoe Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Chanticleer Group (s) × *griersonianum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1941), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Ivanka'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: M. Srpková (c1977), N: M. Srpková Fls single, rarely semi-double, pure white, with a yellow-green blotch. Lvs lanceolate, dark green

(r) **'Ivan's Choice'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *fortunei* subsp. *fortunei* G: H. Vaartnou (1972), S: H. Vaartnou, N: H. Vaartnou, REG: H. Vaartnou (1991) Fls 12/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 64 × 102mm, with 7 smooth-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (56A); stamens 14, straight, unequal; very fragrant. Calyx 3mm long, green. Pedicels 51mm long, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 152 × 51mm, flat, rounded at base and apex, glossy and very deep green above, hairless; petioles 38mm long, greenish purple. Shrub 2.7 × 2.1m in 23 years. May

(a) **'Iveryanum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably a selection from *indicum* R: J. Ivery (1849), N: J. Ivery, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 1-2/truss, 75mm wide, white with rose madder (23/2) flecks and a faint chartreuse blotch; some rose madder selfs. Low, spreading habit. Late.(1958 Register); L. van Houtte (1870) says rose, often edged white. Indian

(a) **'Iveryanum Albocinctum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Iveryanum' R: Coene (pre 1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose red. Syn: 'Album Cinctum'. Indian

(a) **'Iveryanum Improved'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Ivery (pre 1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, striped crimson. A large and fine form of 'Iveryanum'. Indian

(a) **'Iveryanum Royal'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Iveryanum' R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls deep purple. Indian

(a) **'Iveryanum Silver'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Iveryanum' R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls white, with occasional purple stripes. Indian

(r) **'Ivery's Scarlet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably *arboreum* × *ponticum* R: J. Ivery (pre 1872), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12-14/compact truss, broadly campanulate, 40 × 55-65mm, crimson scarlet, with dorsal spotting of dark brown, nectaries black crimson. Calyx small. Lvs elliptic-oblanceolate, up to 140 × 35mm, tapered at both ends, dark green above, very thinly felted below. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. May. Syn: 'Ivorianum' (Sometimes seen in error as 'Ivory's Scarlet')

(r) **'Ivesa'** (Assumed to be an error for Iviza Group)

(r) **'Ivesonianum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown Fls white

(a) **'Ivette'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C.B. van Nes & Sons, N: C.B. van Nes & Sons, I: C.B. van Nes & Sons (1922), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose or salmon pink. Early. Kaempferi

(r) **Iviza Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group (s) × Bustard Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a lax truss, salmon orange from pink and yellow buds; "small double calyx". Lvs spoon-shaped, glossy. Shrub to c1.5m. May-June

(r) **'Iviza Philomen'** (An error for 'Philomene')

(r) **'Ivorianum'** (Syn. of 'Ivery's Scarlet')

(r) **'Ivornerii'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ivery's Scarlet' × *neriiflorum* R: E.J.P. Magor (pre 1931), N: E.J.P. Magor, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright red

(a) **'Ivory'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* × *mucronatum* × *mucronatum* R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 2-3/truss, 100 × 75mm, pure white, unmarked. Shrub to 1.5m. Late April. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Ivory I'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Deerfield Nurseries (pre 1941), I: Deerfield Nurseries (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. Kurume

(a) **'Ivory II'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hinomayo' × *mucronatum* R: Deerfield Nurseries (pre 1941), I: Deerfield Nurseries (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 40mm wide, white. Midseason. Kurume

(r) **'Ivory Bells'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Chlorops' × *williamsianum* R: B.F. Lancaster, N: B.F. Lancaster, I: B.F. Lancaster, REG: B.F. Lancaster (1966) Fls 7-10/truss, flattish, up to 75mm wide, chinese yellow (606/1) in bud, opening straw yellow (604/1). Lvs ovate, up to 65 × 40mm, slightly waved. Compact shrub, to 0.8m in 15 years. Midseason

(r) **'Ivory Cloud'** cv. Parentage unknown H: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (pre 1980)

(r) **'Ivory Coast'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *keiskei* (form from Mt. Kuromi) (s) × 'ArcticPearl' H: D.G. Leach (1974), G: D.G. Leach (1978), N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1985), REG: D.G. Leach (1984) Fls 5-7/truss, 27 × 52mm, 5-lobed, pale yellow-green (4D), with sparse dorsal spots of brilliant yellow-green (154B), becoming white with age. Calyx minute, light green. Lvs evergreen, elliptic, 40 × 19mm, scaly. Shrub c0.7m in 9 years.

(v) **'Ivory Coast'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1995) Fls 25mm wide, pale pink fading to white. Shrub to 2.0m

(r) **'Ivory Palace'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' (s) × 'Luxor' × 'Ronald Otto Delp' H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1995) Fls 14/truss, open funnel-shaped, 56 × 64mm, 5-lobed, pale purplish pink (62D) in bud, opening yellowish white (158D), with brilliant greenish yellow (1B) dorsal spots and strong reddish purple (72B) stamens. Lvs 102 × 51mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer (1992))

(r) **'Ivory Queen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Diane' × Phryne Group R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1964) Fls large, creamy white, with a red eye. Lvs glossy green. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Late April

(r) **'Ivory's Scarlet'** (An error for 'Ivery's Scarlet')

(r) **'Ivory Tower'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: white-flowered *catawbiense* (s) × *wardii* × *fortunei* R: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1964) Fls 10-13/globular truss, 75mm wide, 5-7-lobed, ivory (7.5Y 11/12), with a dorsal suffusion and dual, dorsal, discontinuous stripes of greenish yellow (2.5GY 9/7). Lvs elliptic, 115 × 45mm. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 12 years. Midseason

(r) **'Ivy'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* subsp. *cinnabarinum* Roylei Group (s) × orange form of Royal Flush Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon. (Lady Chamberlain Group)

(a) **'Iwai-no-tsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Banrai' × 'Bangaku' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, usually with 6 overlapping, rounded lobes, white to light pink with an off-white margin; or white with a red margin; occasional stripes and sectors. Broad, spreading habit. Satsuki

(a) **'Iwa-no-tsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 75mm wide, white, with a faint yellow-green blotch, some flecks and stripes of yellowish pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Iwatokagami'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, to 40mm wide, pale pink (10RP 6/12), with a white throat. Galle (1987) indicates that is hose-in-hose. Kurume (It is possible that two different plants are involved)

(a) **'Iwatsutsuji'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, red. Several forms recorded. Tsutsuji

(r) **'Izabelle'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls french white, with a bright yellow eye. (Listed as 'Isabelle' in 1868)

(a) **'Izaribi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1964), N: Japan Fls 95mm wide, strong red. (Raised on Hirado Island, Japan)

(a) **'Izayoi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *eriocarpum* R: Japan (pre 1937), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, streaked and splashed rose pink (1958 Register); lavender rose (K. Wada, 1937); rhodamine pink, blotched darker in throat (Carter's, 1976); fls 65-75mm wide, with rounded, wavy-edged lobes, deep pink, blotch heavily dotted with strong red; some moderate red selfs (Galle, 1987). Satsuki

(a) **'Izumi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Aikoku' × 'Kozan' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50mm wide, with rounded to slightly pointed lobes, white with a greenish blotch; many variations with stripes, dots, flecks and sectors of purplish red. Satsuki

(a) **'Izumigawa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 30mm wide, rose lilac, paler at centre, with reddish spotting. Kurume

(a) **'Izumi-no-mai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: T. Kuwana (pre 1987), N: T. Kuwana Fls 30mm wide, vivid purplish red, with a white centre

(r) **'Izuotome'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *degronianum* subsp. *heptamerum* var. *kyomaruense* f. *amagianum* G: Y. Sano (1994), S: Y. Sano (1994), N: Y. Sano (2001), REG: Y. Sano (2002) Fls 11-13/hemispherical truss, campanulate, 35 × 60mm, with 5 deep, wavy-edged lobes, the pistil degenerated, the stamens greatly increased in number and partially petaloid but short ("karakosaki" in Japanese), buds deep purplish pink (55A), inside opening pale purplish pink (55D), outside deep purplish pink (55A); unmarked. Calyx negligible. Lvs narrowly oblanceolate, 110 × 40mm, flat, acute at apex, obtuse at base, matt green above, with white hairs when young, later hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 0.6m in 6 years. (Standard: colour slide provided by registrant (WSY 0031888). Etymology: "Izu" is a district name, "otome" means young girl in Japanese. A remarkable and distinct cultivar)

(r) **'Jabberwocky'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *veitchianum* Cubittii Group × *moupinense* H: A.F. George, G: Hydon Nurseries, N: Hydon Nurseries, I: Hydon Nurseries (1975), REG: Hydon Nurseries (1976) Fls 3/truss, funnel-shaped, 35 × 75mm, 5-lobed, pale purplish pink (65C) with darker mottling and spotting of vivid purplish red (57C) in dorsal throat. Lvs elliptic to broadly elliptic, up to 60 × 24mm, slightly scaly. Shrub 0.6m in 10 years. PC 1975

(r) **'Jacinthiflorum'** (Probably a variant spelling of 'Hyacinthiflorum')

(r) **'Jack'** (Listed in UK (1990s) but is an error for Jock Group)

(a) **'Jack A. Sand'** cv. Deciduous azalea: F2 derivative of 'Homebush' × 'Cecile' H: D. Wood (F1), E.Sand (F2), G: J.A. Sand, N: E. Sand, I: J.E. Eichelser, REG: J.E. Eichelser (1980) Fls double (with many petaloid stamens), 12-18/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 ×

75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink in bud (43C), opening deep purplish pink (55A) at outer edges to light yellowish pink (36A) towards throat, with a strong orange-yellow blotch (17A) in dorsal throat, petaloids at first pale yellow (12D), becomingwhite; outside 55A; highly scented. Calyx 7mm long, strong yellow-green (145A). Lvs narrowly elliptic to oblanceolate, 108 × 35mm, glossy, light green, new growth sometimes bronzed; colouring purple in autumn. Shrub 1.0 × 0.8m in 7-8 years. Mid May

(a) **'Jack Bunnell'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Whitethroat' (s) × un-named white-flowered azalea) H: J.O. Bunnell (1971), G: J.O. Bunnell (1975), N: Mr & Mrs H.L. Bailey, REG: Mr & Mrs H.L. Bailey (1994) Fls 18/ball truss, hose-in-hose, tubular funnel-shaped, 51 × 32mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes in each whorl, light purplish pink (55C); moderately scented; stigma light greyish olive (195A), style strong purplish red (54A); pistil curved, exserted. Calyx 5mm long, strong yellow-green (144C). Pedicels 16mm long, strong yellow-green (144C). Lvs elliptic, 76 × 38mm, concave, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and dark yellowish green (136B) above, moderate yellowish green (138A) below; foliage vivid red (44A) in autumn; leaf edges and midribs with pale hairs at first which age to tan/reddish brown; petioles 6mm long, moderate yellow-green (138C). Shrub 1.7 × 1.8m in 20 years. Mid May

(a) **'Jack Coutts'** (Syn. of 'Jock Coutts')

(r) **'Jack Cowles'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: J.C. Cowles (pre 1965), G: Heritage Plantation, N: Sandwich Club, REG: Sandwich Club (1991) Fls 14/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 57 × 89mm, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes, moderate yellowish pink (38B) at margins, shading to pale yellowish pink (36D) in centre, no conspicuous markings in throat or on dorsal lobe. Lvs oblong, 152 × 70mm, with wavy margins, mucronate at apex, very glossy, dark green above, hairless. Shrub 2.4 × 1.8m in c30 years. Midseason

(a) **'Jack Frost'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Comtesse de Kerchove' (Indian) × 'Womans Day' H: I.C. Nichols, G: I.C. Nichols (1973), N: I.C. Nichols, I: I.C. Nichols, REG: I.C. Nichols (1986) Fls single, 2-3/truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 100mm, white, with a yellow basal flush on some lobes; lobes frilled; no stamens. Lvs elliptic, 25 × 15mm. Shrub 0.5m. Indian

(r) **'Jack Gable'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' × *wardii* R: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, REG: J.B. Gable (1971) Fls pale ivory

(r) **'Jack Hext'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *spinuliferum* R: N.T. Holman, N: N.T. Holman, I: N.T. Holman (1974), REG: N.T. Holman (1974) Fls axillary, in trusses of 3s & 4s at the end of the shoots, tubular-campanulate, 20 × 15mm, strong red (47B) paling to base, 5-lobed. Calyx rudimentary, green, scaly. Lvs elliptic, 70 × 35mm, sparsely scaly below. AM 1974

(az) **'Jackie'** cv. Azaleodendron: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rose, spotted

(r) **'Jackie Ann'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *macrophyllum* hybrid L: Greer Gardens (1983) Fls soft pink, with a yellow eye. Lvs mid green. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(a) **'Jackie Parton'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Carlson's Gardens (1984) Fls double, light reddish orange, striped orange

(r) **'Jack Izod'** cv. Parentage unknown I: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very pale pink, with deeper edges

(a) **'Jack Jamison'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Nadine' R: O.S. Pride, N: O.S. Pride, I: O.S. Pride (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon red

(r) **'Jack Looye'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Si Si' (s) × 'Serendipity' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp (pre 1985), N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls strong yellowish pink in bud, opening amber and pale yellow

(r) **'Jack Lyons'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Borde Hill' × 'Rose Red' R: M.W. Lyons, N: M.W. Lyons, I: M.W. Lyons (1971), REG: M.W. Lyons (1971) Fls 13/ball truss, campanulate, 90 × 90mm, crimson to cardinal red. Calyx small. Lvs 190 × 65mm, ovate

(r) **'Jackmannii'** cv. Parentage unknown L: A. Henderson & Co. (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink, edged bright rose, dark spots (Henderson); crimson, finely spotted (Methven, 1868); rosy purple, finely spotted (Fraser, 1875)

(r) **'Jack-o-lantern'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Donna Hardgrove' (s) × *vernicosum* aff. (Rock 18139) H: W.L. Rhein (1977), G: W.L. Rhein (1982), N: W.L. Rhein, REG: Am.Rh.Soc., Susquehanna Valley Chapter (1995) Fls 7-8/lax truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 48 × 64mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish orange (34A) in bud, opening inside pale yellow (11C); outside light orange-yellow (22C); stamens 13, straight, unequal. Calyx 3mm long, strong yellow-green (145A), edged strong yellowish pink (31C). Lvs elliptic, 60-73 × 29-32mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, slightly glossy and moderate olive green (137B) above, moderate yellow-green (146C) below, hairless; petioles 10-13mm long, strong yellow-green (144C). Shrub 1.4 × 1.2m in 15 years. Early May

(r) **'Jack Owen Yates'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' × *wardii* × 'Mars' H: H.R. Yates (1960), G: H.R. Yates (1968), N: H.R. Yates, I: Mrs M. Yates (1970), REG: Mrs M. Yates (1976) Fls 12-13/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 47 × 65mm, with 5 even or wavy-edged lobes, buds red, opening vivid purplish red (66A), lighter in centre of lobes and in throat, with two small, brilliant greenish yellow, dorsal flares; outside 66A; fls fade with age. Calyx minute, light yellow-green (145C). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 175 × 65mm, moderate olive green (137B), hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 0.8m in 14 years. Mid May

(a) **'Jackpot'** (Syn. of 'Greenwood Jackpot')

(r) **'Jackpot'** cv. Parentage unknown H: Mrs F. Knippenberg (pre 1980)

(r) **'Jackpot Winner'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mary Belle' × 'Ted's Yellow' (s) × unknown H: C.R. & V. Haag, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53C, D) in bud, opening strong, light and pale purplish pink (55B, C, D, 56D), the throat light greenish yellow (4C) and deep red (53A); filaments and style pale greenish yellow (2D); anthers pale yellow (158B); stigma moderate brown (165A). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Jack Skilton'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *lacteum* × 'Mrs Lindsay Smith' L: UK (1988) Fls creamy yellow, with red spots. Shrub 1.9m. (Also seen listed in error as 'Jack Skelton')

(a) **'Jacksonii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: T Jackson & Son (1851), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Jacksonii'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* (s) × Nobleanum Group R: W. Herbert (c 1835), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy pink, with a deeper stripe on exterior of lobes. This is the account as given in the 1958 Register. Bean (8th edition, 1976) suggests it is the same as 'Venustum' q. v., attributes it to W. Jackson & Co.(c1845) and regards the parentage as principally derived from *caucasicum* and *arboreum*. The descriptions of 'Jacksonii' and 'Venustum' are indeed very similar but this might be expected from the parentages. (May also have been used to cover seed raised progeny)

(r) **'Jacksonii Crimson'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c14/compact truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 35 × 45mm, rich crimson in bud, opening to rosy crimson, with a ray of blood crimson markings. Calyx small. Lvs elliptic to oblanceolate, 105 × 40mm, dull dark green above, thinly brown-felted below. Fls and lvs darker than typical 'Jacksonii'; earlier flowering

(r) **'Jacksonii No. 1'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: grown from seed proveded by C.S. Sargent as "Venustum (Jacksonii)" R: J.B. Gable (pre 1947)

(r) **'Jacksonii No. 5'** (Syn. of 'Strawberry Swirl')

(a) **'Jack's Picotee'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown N: Greer Gardens (1983) Fls deep but soft lavender at edges, white in centre. (Found in the garden of a Jack Simons)

(a) **'Jack Stewart'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Nadine' R: O.S. Pride, N: O.S. Pride, I: O.S. Pride (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright pink

(a) **'Jack Straw'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Gebr Kersbergen, N: Gebr Kersbergen, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, spotted with yellow. Mollis

(r) **'Jack's White'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loder's White' × unknown H: J. Haverfield (c 1960), G: J. Haverfield (1970), N: J. Haverfield, I: J. Haverfield (1986), REG: J. Haverfield (1987) Fls 6-9/truss, funnel-shaped, 70 × 100mm, 6-lobed, light yellow-green (145C) in bud, opening white (155D). Lvs elliptic, 110 × 40mm. Shrub 4.0m tall

(r) **'Jack Swift'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* × 'Mars' (s) × *catawbiense* × 'Mars' H: L. Yavorsky (c 1963), G: L. Yavorsky (c 1972), N: L. Yavorsky, I: L. Yavorsky, REG: L. Yavorsky (1987) Fls 18/ball truss, 51 × 76mm, open funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, vivid purplish red (57D), with a pale yellow (12D) centre. Calyx 2mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 127-152 × 57-64mm, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 2.3m in c23 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Jack the Ripper'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Erebus Group (s) × Jacquetta Group H: Lord Aberconway (1937), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10/domed truss, 50 × 70mm, 5-lobed, strong red (45D), with faint spotting on 3 dorsal lobes. Lvs lanceolate, up to 150 × 50mm, with a loose, brown tomentum below. AM 1949 (Jack the Ripper Group)

(r) **Jack the Ripper Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Erebus Group (s) × Jacquetta Group H: Lord Aberconway (1937), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1949), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Jack Vass'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *fulvum*, grown from Forrest 24314 R: S.R. Clarke, N: J.F. McQuire, I: R.N.S. Clarke (1981), REG: J.F. McQuire (1988) Fls up to 20/tight, rounded truss, tubular-campanulate, up to 43 × 45mm, 5-lobed, rich creamy white at base, suffused towards rim with shades of purplish red (65) and with a small blotch of vivid reddish orange (40A) deep in the throat; outside white to strong purplish red (64C). Calyx rudimentary, green. Lvs oblanceolate, up to 170 × 60mm, dark shiny green and hairless above, with cinnamon-felted indumentum below. Late March

(r) **'Jack Waterer'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Fisher, Son & Sibray (1898), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with a light centre and an edging of clear scarlet

(r) **'Jackwill'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Jacksonii' × *williamsianum* R: D.G. Hobbie (pre 1945), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a lax truss, campanulate, soft rose, fading to rose white with very faint red marking. Lvs rounded, 40-60mm long, green when young. Shrub up to 2.0m

(r) **Jacobean Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Bibiani Group (s) × *sanguineum* subsp. *sanguineum* var. *haemaleum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in fairly compact trusses, deep maroon. April-May

(r) **'Jacob Friedrich Seidel'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Firma Seidel (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vivid purple, with moderate black spotting and white filaments. Syn: 'Jacob Seidel'

(r) **'Jacob Seidel'** (Syn. of 'Jacob Friedrich Seidel')

(r) **'Jacob's Red'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1935), N: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1962), I: Waterer (Knap Hill), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1962) Fls bright scarlet

(a) **'Jacqueline'** (Syn. of 'Jaquline')

(r) **Jacqueline Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *facetum* (s) × Albatross Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, flesh pink. Tall, compact shrub. June

(a) **'Jacqueline Gau'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'MadameCyrillevan Gele' I: G. van Gele & Sons (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. Indian

(r) **'Jacqueline Looye'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sefton' (s) × 'Purple Splendour' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls deep purplish red (71A) in bud, opening strong purplish red (71B) and strong reddish purple (72B), edged strong purplish red (72A), with a strong purplish red (63A) flare and dark red (187A) dorsal spots; filaments and style white. Medium-sized shrub. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Jacqueline White'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* × 'Golden Jubilee' × white-flowered *fortunei* H: R.L. Means (1986), G: R.L. Means (1990), N: R.L. Means, REG: R.L. Means (1991) Fls 18/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 64 × 95mm, with 7 smooth-edged lobes, light yellowish pink (19B) in bud, opening light greenish yellow (5C), turning a darker shade (5D) along midportion and then to dark green at base (with a more dense green flare at base of dorsal lobe); stamens lacking or rudimentary; strongly scented. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 165 × 57mm, concave, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.5m in 7 years. Late April-early May.

(r) **'Jacques'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* (s) × Day Dream Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls a blend of orange and pink. April-May. (Jacques Group)

(r) **Jacques Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* (s) × Day Dream Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1942), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Jacques Dessor'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Lesèble, I: Thibaut & Keteleer (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, scarlet red. Indian

(a) **'Jacques van Artevelde'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Verschaffelt (pre 1863), N: A. Verschaffelt, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, 70mm wide, rose, edged pure white, deeply spotted with red, and with carmine red stripes. Indian

(a) **'Jacques van Artevelde'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. de Cock (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange, edged rose. Ghent

(r) **'Jacques von Artevelde'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Baumann (pre 1869), N: J. Baumann, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with yellow spots on all lobes. (Perhaps a mis-spelling and misattribution of 'Jacques van Artevelde' (Verschaffelt))

(r) **Jacquetta Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *facetum* (s) × *griersonianum* H: Lord Digby (1939), G: Lord Digby, N: Lord Digby, I: Lord Digby (1953), INC: ICRA (1958) (Sometimes seen mis-spelt as Jaquetta Group)

(r) **'Jade'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group (s) × 'Corona' R: R. Henny, N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in tight trusses, 50mm wide, opening pinkish orange, changing to greenish yellow. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Jade Renee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kammer's Ruffles' (s) × 'Dianta' H: M. Stockman (1985), G: M. & H. Stockman (1993), N: M. Stockman, I: M. & H. Stockman (1994), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1994) Fls 12-14/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 51 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light purple (75A) with a white blotch in the dorsal lobe, spotted with greenish gold which ages to red; stamens 15, curved, unequal, with prominent, pale yellow anthers; style bright red. Calyx less than 2mm long, tannish green. Pedicels 32mm long, brown above, apple green below. Lvs oblanceolate, 89-108 × 32mm, convex, emarginate at apex, oblique at base, dull dark green above, hairless; petioles 13mm long, brown. Shrub 0.6 × 0.75m in 8 years. Late May

(r) **'J'aime'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Jaipur Group × May Day Group (Reuthe's form) R: L.E. Brandt, N: C.E. Simons, REG: C.E. Simons (1963) Fls 8-12/lax truss, tubular-campanulate, 65mm wide, orient red, with faint crimson spotting on the dorsal lobe. Lvs 75 × 40mm, with a thin, greyish tan indumentum below. Compact, spreading shrub

(r) **Jaipur Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *forrestii* subsp. *forrestii* Repens Group (s) × *meddianum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, drooping, deep crimson. Lvs rounded, dark green. Dwarf, broadly spreading shrub. April-May

(r) **'Jalipeño'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: (Fabia Group × *haematodes*) × 'Earl of Athlone' × 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague' H: D.W. Goheen (1965), G: D.W. Goheen (1972), N: D.W. Goheen, I: D.W. Goheen (1975), REG: D.W. Goheen (1976) Fls 16-18/conical truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 45 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (45A), with a few dark brown spots and dark brown nectaries. Calyx

minute, light green. Lvs lanceolate, 125 × 45mm, bullate, dark green, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.0m in 10 years. Mid April-early May

(r) **Jalisco Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Lady Bessborough Group (s) × Dido Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls various shades of yellow, usually with reddish spotting. May-June. (*The Rothschild Rhododendrons* (Phillips & Barber, 1979) indicated a 'grex and clone' under this name but the identity of any 'Jalisco' clone is uncertain)

(r) **'Jalisco Eclipse'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Lady Bessborough Group (s) × Dido Group R: L. de Rothschild (pre 1942), I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c10/lax truss, funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, 7-lobed, primrose yellow, with a dark crimson blotch and spots towards base of throat; outside streaked crimson. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 165 × 65mm, matt green above. Shrub to 2.0m. AM 1948 (Jalisco Group)

(r) **'Jalisco Elect'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Lady Bessborough Group (s) × Dido Group R: L. de Rothschild (pre 1942), I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 7-10/slightly lax truss, funnel-shaped, 65-90mm wide, 7-lobed, primrose yellow, with paler lobes and brownish red spots. Calyx petaloid, dorsal lobes c13mm long. Lvs obovate, 150 × 50mm, dark green above. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. AM 1948, *FCC 1987 Syn: 'Elect' (Jalisco Group)

(r) **'Jalisco Emblem'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Lady Bessborough Group (s) × Dido Group R: L. de Rothschild (pre 1942), I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale yellow, with a dark blotch. Syn: 'Emblem' (Jalisco Group)

(r) **'Jalisco Goshawk'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Lady Bessborough Group (s) × Dido Group R: L. de Rothschild (pre 1942), I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 9/flat-topped truss, pendulous, campanulate, light greenish yellow (602/1), darker on the dorsal lobes and spotted with crimson. Calyx small, irregular, glandular-ciliate, dark red. Shrub to 3.0m. FCC 1954 (Jalisco Group)

(r) **'Jalisco Janet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Lady Bessborough Group (s) × Dido Group R: L. de Rothschild (pre 1942), I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow. (Jalisco Group)

(r) **'Jalisco Jubilant'** (Syn. of 'Jubilant')

(r) **'Jalisco Lindberg'** (Syn. of 'Lindberg')

(r) **'Jalisco Orange'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: presumably a selection from Jalisco Group R: L. de Rothschild ? (Used in hybridization by Waterer (Bagshot) in 1960s)

(r) **Jamaica Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Break of Day Group (s) × *facetum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in good trusses, deep orange. Low, wide-spreading shrub. April-May

(a) **'Jamboree'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Osakazuki' (s) × 'Kagaribi' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, 50-65mm wide, between vivid red and deep yellowish pink, with an inconspicuous blotch. Shrub to 1.5m. Late April. Glenn Dale

(a) **'James Backhouse'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte, père (pre 1891), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, bright rose. Amoena

(r) **'James Barto'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *williamsianum* (s) × ? *orbiculare* R: J.A. Barto, I: C. Prentice, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3-5/truss, funnel-shaped, 50mm wide, fuchsine pink (627/3); slightly scented. Lvs 75 × 50mm. Shrub under 1.5m

(r) **'James Bateman'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a dense, rounded truss, deep purplish pink (4RP 6.5/12), with deep purplish red (10RP 2/6) markings; stigma red, style pink

(a) **'James Belton'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Albert-Elisabeth' × 'Schryderi' R: E. Kirk, N: E. Kirk, I: Hazlewood Bros (c 1956), REG: E. Kirk (1963) Fls single, pink, suffused light purple, deeper in centre. Foliage hairy, similar to 'Magnificum'. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m. Long season. Indian

(r) **'James Bridghem'** (Syn. of 'James Brigham')

(r) **'James Brigham'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1913), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 11-16/round to broadly rounded, very compact truss, 40-55mm wide, with very wavy-edged lobes, lilac rose to lilac, centre slightly paler, with greenish yellow markings on a paler ground. Late May-early June. Syn: 'James Bridghem'

(r) **'James Burchett'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × *catawbiense* hybrid R: W.C. Slocock, N: W.C. Slocock (1927), I: W.C. Slocock, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 15-17/compact, globular truss, funnel-shaped, 70 × 90mm, white, with a very pale touch of pink at the margins and speckling of yellowish green at base of dorsal lobe; buds rhodamine pink (527/2-527/3). Lvs 200-210 × 50-65mm, dark green. Shrub to 3.0 × 4.5m. Early-mid June. *AM 1960 (Speckling may vary from yellow to yellow-green or yellowish brown)

(r) **'James Comber'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *sanguineum* subsp. *haemaleum*, raised from Rock no.10938 (USDA no.59453) R: Anne, Countess of Ross & National Trust (Nymans), N: Anne, Countess of Ross & National Trust (Nymans), I: Anne, Countess of Ross & National Trust (Nymans) (1973), REG: Anne, Countess of Ross & National Trust (Nymans) (1974) Fls strong red (46A). AM 1973

(r) **'James C. Stephens'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague' × un-named white hybrid H: J.F. Stephens (1964), G: J.F. Stephens, N: J.F. Stephens, I: J.F. Stephens (1972), REG: J.F. Stephens (1973) Fls open funnel-shaped, 115 × 115mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink in bud, opening moderate purplish pink (54D), with a red blotch in the throat and numerous red spots on dorsal lobes (just a few on ventral lobes). Lvs elliptic, 150 × 75mm, glossy dark green above, hairless. Shrub 1.3 × 1.5m in 8 years

(a) **'James Deans'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.S. Yeates (pre 1985), N: J.S. Yeates Fls deep orange

(r) **'James Deans'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × *grande* H: L. Jury (pre 1957), G: J. Deans, N: R.G. Deans, REG: R.G. Deans (1984) Fls 14/truss, 7-lobed, strong purplish pink (55B), fading to pale purplish pink (55D). Lvs elliptic-lanceolate, 250 × 90mm, dark dull green with a yellow midrib above; pale fawn indumentum on young lvs

(r) **'James Drive'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Old Copper' × 'Van Nes Sensation' H: W. Elliott (1970), G: W. Elliott, N: W. Elliott, I: W. Elliott, REG: W. Elliott (1981) Fls 10/truss, open funnel-shaped, 100 × 100mm, with 7 flat-edged lobes, light yellow (163D) with a moderate yellow (162A) throat and dark pink (182D) edging; moderate reddish orange (171A) spotting on 2 dorsal lobes; outside light yellowish pink (159A). Calyx 10mm long, moderate yellow (162A). Lvs narrowly oblong, decurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate to rounded at base, 165 × 55-65mm, dull, strong yellow-green (144C) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 9 years. Early June

(a) **'James Dunlop'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: G.A. Reid (1965), G: G.A. Reid, N: G.A. Reid, I: G.A. Reid, REG: G.A. Reid (1980) Fls hose-in-hose, semi-double, with 0-3 petaloid stamens, 5/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes/whorl, deep purplish pink (66C). Lvs elliptic, 40 × 20m, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy, moderate olive green (146A) above. Shrub 0.5 × 0.5m in 5 years. Mid May. (Linwood azalea no.0-13)

(r) **'Jamesee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'El Alamein' (s) × *neriiflorum* Euchaites Group H: J.A. Marcellus (1964), G: M.L. Trembath (1967), N: M.L. Trembath (2001), REG: M.L. Trembath (2001) Fls 10/flat-topped truss, campanulate, 40 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (46B) throughout, with very slight dark speckling on 3 dorsal lobes. Calyx 25mm long, vivid red (46B). Lvs oblong, 95 × 35mm, margins slightly decurved, matt and almost sage green above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.2m in 5 years. Mid May. (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0030312))

(a) **'James Gable'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Caroline Gable' × 'Purple Splendour' R: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable (c 1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 2/truss, funnel-shaped, 20 × 30mm, strong red (53B), with a dark blotch. Lvs 13-25 × 7-13mm, light green, dull above. Shrub c2.0m in 19 years. *HC 1975. Gable (Fls said to be rose opal (022) in some accounts)

(a) **'James H. Laing'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *japonicum* × *molle* subsp. *molle* R: F. de Coninck, N: Ed. Pynaert-van Geert, I: Ed. Pyneart-van Geert (1891), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 5-lobed, orange-yellow (more orange towards edges), with orange-red spots on the dorsal lobe. Mollis (First of the Kosterianum Group)

(r) **'James Holdaway'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Beauty of Tremough Group (probably the award clone) × 'Glory of Penjerrick' I: Harrison's Nursery (pre 1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright crimson

(r) **'James Hyde'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Croux Fils (1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls brilliant red. Foliage dark green

(r) **'James Mangles'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: perhaps a *wightii* hybrid R: J.H. Mangles (pre 1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 9/dense, open-topped truss, campanulate, 50-55 × 65-70mm, 5-8-lobed, white, slightly suffused strong reddish purple (72C) on margins, especially on dorsal lobes; very few red-purple dorsal spots; nectaries strong purplish red (71C), most strongly marked on dorsal side. Calyx up to 5mm long, white. Lvs broadly elliptic, 170 × 65mm, dark green and slightly shiny above, with a very thin indumentum below

(r) **'James Marshall Brooks'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1870), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c12/truss, funnel-shaped, 45 × 60mm, vivid rose crimson, with a ray of bronzy green markings on a light ground. Calyx small. Lvs elliptic to oblanceolate, c110 × 40mm, dull, dark green above. Syn: 'J. Marshall Brooks'

(r) **'James Mason'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1882), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c12/compact truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45-50 × 70-80mm, rosy crimson in bud, opening to light rose crimson, shading to pale rose pink in centre, with a few scattered, light brown markings. Lvs elliptic to obovate, up to 110 × 50mm, glossy dark green above, hairless below. (Has been seen listed incorrectly as 'James Masson')

(r) **'James McIntosh'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright purplish red, centre white, with black-red markings on a paler ground. (The spelling adopted here is from a Waterer cat., 1881; the 1958 Register gave "Macintosh")

(r) **'James Nasmyth'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1870), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a very large truss, rosy lilac, with a striking, large, black-red blotch

(r) **'James' Purple Form'** (Syn. of 'Chief Paulina')

(r) **'James Russell'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *argyrophyllum* subsp. *nankingense* (s) × unknown R: Royal Botanic Gardens, Wakehurst, N: M. Flanagan & P. Richards (1997), REG: The Director, Royal Botanic Gardens, Kew (1997) Fls 13-15/domed truss, funnel-campanulate, 38-40 × 40-50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (65A) in bud, opening inside light purplish pink (73C), outside moderate purplish pink (65A); with a 10mm band of deep purplish red (71A) spots/blotches on dorsal section; not scented. Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs elliptic-oblanceolate, 170 × 60mm, margins decurved, matt green above, with a silvery indumentum below. Shrub 1.24 × 1.4m in 9 years. April. AM 1996 (Raised from Guizhou 125: the pollen parent may be *R. maculiferum*)

(a) **'James Stewart'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Asahi-sakigake' (s) × 'Margaret Douglas' H: Robert Stewart (1994), G: Robert Stewart (1996), N: Robert Stewart (2002), REG: Robert Stewart (2002) Fls 2/truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 20mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds white and close to deep purplish pink (58D), opening inside white with ends of lobes close to deep purplish pink (58D), outside close to deep purplish pink (58D). Calyx c5mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 45 × 20mm, margins downcurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and near moderate yellow-green (147B) above, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 0.75m in 7 years. Mid May

(a) **'James Thompson'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Austrinum Gold' × *atlanticum* H: J.G. Thompson, G: S. Schroeder (1977), N: S. Schroeder, I: S. Schroeder (1987), REG: S. Schroeder (1987) Fls single, 15/lax truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 38 × 25mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid orange-yellow (23A) to strong orange (24A); scented. Calyx 3mm long, brilliant yellow-green (149A). Lvs obovate, 38 × 32mm, flat, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairy. Shrub 1.4 × 1.2m in 12 years. Early May

(a) **'James Veitch'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Vervaene (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rich carmine, with a brown blotch. Indian

(a) **'James Veitch'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Rose (1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, hose-in-hose, pure white with some rose stripes. Indian

(r) **'James Veitch'** cv. Parentage unknown L: B. Chandler & Son (1984) Fls claret red, with a yellow blotch.

(r) **'James Walsh'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Dicksons (1902), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as a 'greenhouse hybrid')

(r) **'James Watson'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1902), INC: ICRA (1958) (Shown by John Waterer (Bagshot), 1902)

(r) **'James Whittier'** cv. Parentage unknown I: A. McMillan (1902), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as a 'greenhouse hybrid')

(r) **'Jami'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1997) Fls in a lax truss, campanulate, coral. Tall shrub

(a) **'Jamie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Glenn Dale azalea × Satsuki azalea H: H.A. Caldwell Jr (pre 1978)

(a) **'Jan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Helen Close' × 'Purple Splendor' R: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1966) Fls 2-4/cluster, hose-in-hose, up to 65mm wide, strong reddish purple (2.5RP 5/10). Lvs 40 × 20mm. Shrub to 0.6m in 10 years. Mid-late May.

(r) **Jan Baptiste Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *facetum* (s) × *griffithianum* I: G.M. Adams-Acton (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls coral

(r) **'Jan Bee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Captain Jack' × Kingianum Group H: W.E. Berg (1964), G: W.E. Berg, N: W.E. Berg, I: W.E. Berg (1979), REG: W.E. Berg (1981) Fls 18-20/ball truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 40mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (45A), with deep red (53A) spotting on 3 dorsal lobes. Calyx negligible. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 125 × 40-45mm, downcurved, acute at apex, cuneate at base, with a very thin, fawn indumentum below. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 15 years. Mid April.

(a) **'Jan Bier'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Prinses Beatrix' I: G.J. Bier & Sons (1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, deep pink (47D), edged white. Young branches light green. Indian

(a) **'Jan Bosch'** (Syn. of 'Dirk Bosch')

(a) **'Jan Byrne'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Marilyn Kay' × 'Ambrosius Superbus' H: D.J. Dosser, G: D.J. Dosser (1984), N: D.J. Dosser, I: D.J. Dosser, REG: D.J. Dosser (1986) Fls double, 2-3/truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, strong red (53C). Lvs elliptic, 40 × 25mm. Shrub 0.5m. Indian

(r) **'Jancio'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *fortunei* × 'Crest' H: E. de Rothschild (1951), G: E. de Rothschild (1970), N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1981), REG: E. de Rothschild (1982) Fls 10-14/truss, 40 × 95mm, 5-6-lobed, pale greenish yellow (1D) deepening in centre to light greenish yellow (1C) and with a small strong red (46A) blotch. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs ovate, 150 × 70mm, slightly auriculate at base. Early-mid May

(r) **'Jan Dekens'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: L.J. Endtz & Co., I: J. Blaauw & Co. (1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large trusses, with wavy-edged lobes, rich pink, deeper at edges fading inwards to pale pink. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Jan-Di-Lyn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ole Olson' (s) × *lacteum* × 'Mary Swaythling' R: R.G. Wyrens (pre 1955), N: R.G. Wyrens (1962), I: R.G. Wyrens, REG: R.G. Wyrens (1962) Fls 9/compact truss, short funnel-shaped, up to 100mm wide, light cream, shading deeper in the throat where it is blushed pink. Lvs to 150mm long, dark green. Shrub 1.5m. Early May

(a) **'Jane Abbott'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Miss Louisa Hunnewell' × *prinophyllum* H: F.L. Abbott, G: F.L. Abbott (1930s), N: F.L. Abbott, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, clear pink; scented

(a) **Jane Abbott Group** gp Deciduous azalea: Mollis azalea cv. × *prinophyllum* R: E.V. Mezitt (pre 1942), N: E.V. Mezitt, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, scented

(a) **'Jane Abbott Peach'** cv. Deciduous azalea: Mollis azalea × *prinophyllum* R: Weston Nurseries, N: Weston Nurseries, I: Weston Nurseries (1990) Fls in large trusses, orange pink to apricot; sweetly scented. (Jane Abbott Group)

(a) **'Jane Abbott Pink'** cv. Deciduous azalea: Mollis azalea × *prinophyllum* R: Weston Nurseries, N: Weston Nurseries, I: Weston Nurseries (1990) Fls large, rich pink; strongly scented. (Jane Abbott Group)

(r) **'Jane Banks'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *ambiguum* R: W.L. & R.A. Banks, N: W.L. & R.A. Banks, I: W.L. & R.A. Banks (1976), REG: W.L. & R.A. Banks (1976) Fls 3-7/cluster, tubular funnel-campanulate, 30 × 28mm, 5-lobed, brilliant yellow-green (154C), upper throat spotted greenish. Calyx to 2mm long, green, scaly. Lvs elliptic, 70 × 32mm, dark green above, glaucous and scaly below. AM 1976

(a) **'Jane Bittinger'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid R: W.D. Smith (pre 1982), N: W.D. Smith Fls hose-in-hose, 75mm wide, white. (See *The Azalean* 4 (1):2 (1982) for notes on parentage)

(a) **'Jane Charlesworth'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: M.E. Greentree (pre 1974), N: M.E. Greentree Fls double, pale lavender pink, paling to white at tips. Indian

(a) **'Jane Geiselman'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Helenm' × 'Marjorie' (Gable) H: W.D. Smith (1967), G: W.D. Smith (1970), N: W.D. Smith, I: W.D. Smith, REG: W.D. Smith (1978) Fls hose-in-hose, 2-3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, with 5 wavy-edged lobes/whorl, 50mm wide, strong purplish pink (7.5RP 7/10) with a slight yellowish tinge in dorsal throat. Lvs oblong, 50 × 25mm. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 8 years. Early May. (Parentage is given as supplied by registrant)

(r) **'Jane Grant'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × *smirnowii* R: unknown, I: White Flower Farm (pre 1994) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, deep pink in bud, opening very pale pink, shaded darker at edges. Lvs similar to *yakushimanum.* Shrub 1.2m in 10 years, similar in habit to *smirnowii*

(r) **'Jane Hardy'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *nuttallii* (from LSE 12117) × *lindleyi* (from LS 2744) H: G.A. Hardy, G: G.A. Hardy, N: G.A. Hardy, I: G.A. Hardy, REG: G.A. Hardy (1982) Fls 3-6/truss, tubular-campanulate, up to 100 × 130mm, vivid yellow (16A) in throat, fading to creamy white towards the rim, the latter flushed moderate purplish pink (70D). Calyx 6-lobed, lobes up to 30mm long, rounded, reflexed, ciliate and greenish yellow, flushed red. Lvs ovate-elliptic, up to 90 × 42mm, dark green, sparsely scaly below. PC 1981, AM 1987

(r) **'Jane Henny'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lady Bligh' × 'Loderi Venus' H: R. Henny (1950), G: R. Henny, I: L. Henny (1972), REG: L. Henny (1979) Fls up to 13/truss, open funnel-shaped, 100mm wide, with 5 recurved, wavy-edged lobes, white shaded and mottled pale purplish pink (56B), fading to yellowish white (155D), with moderate pink (35D) rays in the throat; buds shaded strong purplish pink (55B); slightly scented. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 150 × 50mm, upcurved, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull, moderate yellow-green (146B) above, hairless. Shrub to over 2.0m. Late May-early June. Syn: 'Rosebud'

(r) **'Jane Holden'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Polar Bear Group × 'Autumn Gold' H: A.J. Holden (1967), G: A.J. Holden, N: A.J. Holden, I: A.J. Holden, REG: A.J. Holden (1979) Fls up to 10/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 75 × 100mm, with 7 reflexed and wavy-edged lobes, buds strong yellowish pink (35C), opening strong pink (48D) with strong yellowish pink (35C) spotting on dorsal lobe, centre of lobes and throat somewhat darker giving a star-shaped appearance; scented. Calyx 25mm long, moderate yellowish pink (39C). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 190 × 50mm, downcurved, acute at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (146A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 10 years. Early June

(r) **'Jane Law'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catagla' (s) × 'Streatley' H: R.M. Steele (1966), G: R.M. Steele (pre 1975), N: R.M. Steele, I: Bayport Plant Farm, REG: J.K. Weagle (2002) Fls 12/lax, domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 44 × 65mm, with wavy-edged lobes; buds in winter erect, pointed, moderate orange-yellow (164B), before opening buds tinged very pale pink; fls open white inside and out, with a few extremely faint green spots; stigma white, with a small, red style. Calyx 3mm long. Lvs obovate to almost elliptic, 105 × 44mm, margins flat, acuminate at apex, rounded to nearly cuneate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (146A-147A) above, with a very thin coating of hairs below (moderate orange-yellow (164B)); petioles 27.5mm long, light yellow-green (145C). Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 12 years; stems light yellow-green (145B). Late May-early June

(v) **'Janelle Marie'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Carillon Bells' × *gracilentum* H: G.L.S. Snell (c 1978), G: G.L.S. Snell (1983), N: G.L.S. Snell, I: G.L.S. Snell (1986), REG: Shrublands Nursery (1987) Fls 3/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 30 × 35mm, 5-lobed, pale yellow-green (4D), the lobes light yellowish pink (36B). Lvs elliptic, 30 × 15mm. Shrub 0.5m. June (Australia).

(r) **'Jane Mamot'** (See note under 'Jean Mamot')

(r) **'Jane Martin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'King Tut' × *yakushimanum* H: O.S. Pride (1977), G: E.T. Connors (c 1983), N: A.S. Martin, REG: A.S. Martin (1988) Fls 12-16/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 38 ×

51mm, with 5(-6) wavy-edged lobes, buds strong red (53D), opening white at centre, passing through lighter shades of pink to strong pink (52D) at margins (in an c8mm wide band); outside vivid red (52A), ageing to deep pink (52B) up centre of each lobe with lighter pink areas between centres. Calyx 1-2mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 76-102 × 32-38mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, indumentum on young lvs very light tan, becoming light tan when mature; new growth with a greyish white tomentum. Shrub 0.4 × 0.5m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Jane Redford'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × *decorum* H: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1969), G: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: R. Redford (1983), REG: R. Redford (1983) Fls 9-13/truss, 45-50 × 70-80mm, 7-lobed, deep purplish pink (55A) in bud, opening white flushed pale purplish pink (56A) externally (especially on midribs); spots of strong greenish yellow (151C) in the throat at base of dorsal lobe. Calyx 2mm long, green, edged pink. Lvs oblong to oblanceolate, 90-120 × 27-43mm, very sparsely hairy

(r) **'Jane Rice'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: complex parentage, including *catawbiense*, *maximum* and possibly unknown hybrids H: W.D. Smith (1970), G: W.D. Smith, N: W.D. Smith, REG: W.D. Smith (1979) Fls up to 10/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 90mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (2.5RP 6/10) in bud, opening moderate purplish pink (10P 7/7) with yellowish green spotting. Calyx c10mm long, light greenish yellow. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 50mm, obtuse to acute at apex, cuneate to rounded at base, with very small, sparse, apressed, golden hairs below. Shrub 1.8 × 1.5m in 7 years. Midseason

(r) **'Jane Rogers'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Donald Graham' (s) × 'Mrs R.S. Holford' R: E. Ostbo, N: E. Ostbo, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, with a deeper blotch. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(a) **'Jane Spalding'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kathleen' × 'Hahn's Red' R: N. Carolina/Louisiana State Univ., N: N. Carolina/Louisiana State Univ., I: N. Carolina/Louisiana State Univ. (1976) Fls single/semi-double, 1-3/truss, 50-75mm wide, with rounded lobes, strong purplish pink (55B), with a prominent, strong purplish red (59D) blotch. Lvs ovate-oblong, glossy, bronze in winter. Shrub up to 1.2m

(r) **'Jane Stenning'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Calsap' × 'Besse Howells' H: D.L. Hinerman (1986), G: D.L. Hinerman (1990), N: D.L. Hinerman (1990), REG: D.L. Hinerman (1990) Fls 18/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 76 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds black, opening dark red (187C), with a large black blotch. Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 102 × 44mm, convex, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m. Late May-early June.

(r) **'Janet'** (Syn. of 'Jalisco Janet')

(r) **'Janet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Avalanche Group (s) × 'Doctor Stocker' R: E. de Rothschild (1942), N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 16/loose, globular truss, funnel-shaped, 75 × 115mm, with wavy-edged lobes, white with a deep crimson dorsal blotch. Lvs 175 × 70mm, olive green above. Tall shrub. Late April. AM 1950 (Janet Group)

(r) **Janet Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Avalanche Group (s) × 'Doctor Stocker' R: E. de Rothschild (1942), N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1950), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Janet Baker'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown G: E. de Rothschild (pre 1980), N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1982), REG: E. de Rothschild (1982) Fls 20/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, 5-lobed, yellowish white (158D), with a light purplish pink (55C) flush on outside, and vivid yellow (13A) spotting on the dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 75 × 30mm. Shrub 1.5-1.9 × 1.2-1.5m. May. Knap Hill

(r) **'Janet Blair'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Dexter hybrid × unknown R: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach (1960), I: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1961) Fls up to 9 or more/tall truss, 80-90mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, very pale pinkish mauve, with golden bronze rays on dorsal lobe; rose (627/2) in bud. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 60mm, dark green. Shrub up to 1.9m or more. Midseason. Syn: 'John Wister'

(r) **'Janet Boyle Sikora'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: un-named, pink-flowered Lem hybrid (s) × *falconeri* subsp. *eximium* H: C. Weeks (1986), G: C. Weeks (1996), N: C. Weeks (2001), I: Westgate Garden Nursery, REG: C. Weeks (2001) Fls 10/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 75mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, very pale purple (69A) in bud, opening pale yellow (11D) inside and out. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 65mm, margins flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, glossy and dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairless. Shrub 2.2 × 1.8m in 19 years. Early May

(a) **'Janet Flick'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Triumph' × 'Benikirishima' (Satsuki) (s) × 'Marilee' H: A.E. Kehr (1984), G: A.E. Kehr (1987), N: A.E. Kehr, REG: A.E. Kehr (1997) Fls fully double (with no stamens), 2/flat truss, broadly funnel-shaped, c40 × 50mm, with 10 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (62A). Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, c25 × 15mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairy below and on petioles. Spreading to creeping shrub, 0.3-0.45 × 0.6-0.75m in 5 years. Late May

(a) **'Janet Harris'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Marshy Point Nursery (1995) Fls semi-double, white, tinged pink. Low, compact shrub

(a) **'Janet Kerrigan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Romance' × 'Ballerina' R: H. Kerrigan (pre 1987), N: H. Kerrigan Fls double, yellowish pink. Foliage dark. Very floriferous

(r) **'Janet Kerrigan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Evening Glow' × 'Purple Splendour' H: R. Kerrigan (1972), G: R. Kerrigan (1976), N: R. Kerrigan, I: R. Kerrigan (1987), REG: R. Kerrigan (1987) Fls 9/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 89mm, with 5-7 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (70C), with a dark red blotch superimposed on a moderate orange (171D) ground. Calyx 3mm long, greenish purple. Lvs elliptic, 127 × 64mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and wrinkled above, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 2.1m in 15 years. Mid May

(a) **'Janet Noyes'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ivory' (s) × 'Kagetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 2-4/truss, 50-65mm wide, near strong purplish red (63B), with tube and throat near vivid reddish orange (33A) and a faint blotch. Shrub to 1.5m. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Janet Rhea'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from a hybrid of the following parentage, ('Hiawatha' × 'Glacier') × unnamed Fischer seedling no. A1 (s) × 'Hexe' × 'Vervaeneanum' R: G.A. Reid (1974), N: G.A. Reid, I: G.A. Reid (1978), REG: G.A. Reid (1979) Fls hose-in-hose, semi-double, 2-4/truss, open funnel-shaped, 65mm wide, with 13-15 wavy-edged lobes, solferino purple (26/1), with a 3-7mm wide white border. Lvs narrowly obovate, 50 × 25mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, glossy. Shrub 0.4 × 0.6m in 4 years. Mid-late May. (Linwood Hybrid no.N-4X)

(r) **'Janet Scroggs'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Virginia Scott' × Jasper Group (no. LR 938) H: H.L. Larson (1958), G: H.L. Larson, N: H.L. Larson, I: H.L. Larson, REG: H.L. Larson (1979) Fls up to 9/truss, open funnel-shaped, 70mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light greenish yellow (5C), with moderate orange (171D) dorsal spotting. Calyx c1.5mm long, green. Lvs oblong, 130 × 55mm broadly acute at apex, cordate at base, moderate olive green (137B), hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 18 years. May

(r) **'Janet's Fantasy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Apricot Fantasy' (s) × 'Janet Blair' H: J. Rosenthal (1990), G: W. Brack (1995), N: W. Brack (1999), I: Roslyn Nursery (2000), REG: W. Brack (1999) Fls 14/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate yellowish pink (37C) in bud, opening inside brilliant yellow (14C), with light yellowish pink (37D) margins and moderate reddish orange (35A) dorsal spots; outside light yellowish pink (37D). Calyx c3mm long, strong yellow-green (145A). Lvs elliptic, 100 × 40mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, flat, dull and moderate olive green (137B) above, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.1m in 9 years. Early May

(r) **'Janet's Flair'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Janet Blair' × 'Autumn Gold' H: W. Brack (1979), G: W. Brack (1985), N: W. Brack (1990), I: W. Brack (1990), REG: W. Brack (1992) Fls 20/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 76mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (55A) in bud, opening pale yellow (11C), edged light purplish pink (55C) and with strong greenish yellow (151B) spotting in throat and on dorsal flare; slightly scented; stamens 12, straight, equal. Calyx 19mm long, light yellow (11B). Pedicels 25mm long, strong yellow-green (145A). Lvs oblong, 152 × 64mm, flat, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy, moderate olive green (137A) above, strong yellow-green (144B) below, hairless; petioles 25mm long, strong yellow-green (143A). Shrub 1.9 × 2.7m in 13 years. Mid May

(r) **'Janet Shapiro'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' × 'Purpureum Grandiflorum' H: B. & M. Shapiro (1966), G: B. & M. Shapiro, N: B. & M. Shapiro, REG: B. & M. Shapiro (1989) Fls 14/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 76mm, 5-lobed, strong purple (82B) inside and out, with vivid reddish purple ribs (74B) outside and a vivid reddish purple dorsal blotch and spotting (74A/B); filaments silvery, with white anthers. Calyx 2mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic to obovate, 127 × 57mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.8m in 22 years. Late May. (First published in *J. Am.Rh.Soc.* 42 (2):64 (1988))

(r) **'Janet Unger'** cv. Probably a *fortunei* hybrid R: C. Reid (pre 1947) Fls crimson/rich red-purple

(r) **'Janet Ward'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: sport from 'Cynthia' R: Slocock Nurseries, N: Slocock Nurseries, I: Slocock Nurseries (1974) Fls rosy crimson, prominently edged white. Tall shrub. Midseason. PC 1974

(r) **'Janet Warrilow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: unknown × *campanulatum* ? H: Waterer (Knap Hill), S: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1967), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1974) Fls lavender blue, with a pale centre. Lvs dark green. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years

(r) **'Jane Walker'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maginificum* × *macabeanum* H: Pukeiti-Rhododendron Trust (1979), G: Burnie City Council, Tasmania (1990), N: H.R. Malone (1990), REG: N. Sullivan (1992) Fls 22/spherical truss, ventricose-campanulate, 60 × 55mm, with 10 wavy-edged lobes, buds deep pink (51B), opening light yellow (10C) inside and out, changing to strong pink (54C) at outer edge; nectaries 10, dark; pistil red. Lvs oblanceolate, 350 × 120mm, wavy-edged, matt green above, with a buff indumentum below. Shrub 1.2 × 1.0m in 12 years. Spring. (First published in *Australian Rhododendron Society Journal* 1991)

(a) **'Janice Erhart'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex parentage R: W.D. Smith (pre 1982), N: W.D. Smith Fls double, 75mm wide, deep yellowish pink. (See *The Azalean* 4 (1):4 (1982) for notes on parentage)

(a) **'Janice Lynn'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nancy of Robinhill' × unknown R: Roslyn Nursery, N: P.M. Waldman, I: Roslyn Nursery (pre 1989) Fls large, semi-double, hose-in-hose, broadly funnel-shaped, pink, with a red dorsal flare and rosy red flecks on all lobes. Low, spreading shrub. Spring and autumn

(a) **'Janice Monyeen'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls 90mm wide, with wavy margins, pale yellow, tipped pink, with a darker blotch; scented. Late May

(r) **'Janielle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: unknown yellow × 'Marcia' R: H.E. Greer (pre 1961), N: H.E. Greer, I: H.E. Greer, REG: H.E. Greer (1961) Fls in a rounded truss, funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, 90mm wide, pink, with a prominent red blotch. Lvs oblong, 125 × 40mm. Shrub to 1.1m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Janine Alexandre-Debray'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goldsworth Orange' (s) × *yakushimanum* H: F.J. Street, G: F.J. Street (1963), N: F.J. Street, REG: F.J. Street (1964) Fls creamy pink, with a faint yellow centre. Compact shrub with *yakushimanum*-like indumentum. (Sometimes seen in error as 'Madame Janine Alexandre-Debray')

(a) **'Janique'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: W. Streck (c 1986)

(r) **'Jānis'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (s) × 'Purple Splendour' H: R. Kondratovičs (1974), G: R. Kondratovičs (1980), N: R. Kondratovičs, I: Rhododendron Nursery "Babīte" of University of Latvia (2001), REG: R. Kondratovičs (2002) Fls 17/dense, slightly domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 60-70 × 60-70mm, with 5 almost smooth-edged lobes, strong purplish red (72A) both inside and out, with a conspicuous dorsal blotch of dark greyish purple (202A); filaments dark purple violet, anthers dark purple violet; style dark purple violet. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs oblong-obovate, 120 × 50mm, flat, pointed at apex and base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 0.6-0.8 × 0.5m in 6 years. Late May-early June. (Published in *Dārzs un Drava*: 23-24 (November, 2001))

(a) **'Janka'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Johanna' L: Holly Heath Nursery (1978) Fls bright red. Foliage and stature smaller than parent. Vuykiana

(r) **'Jan Kamholtz'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lady Annette de Trafford' (s) × 'Disca' H: B. & M. Shapiro (1965), G: B. & M. Shapiro, N: B. & M. Shapiro, REG: B. & M. Shapiro (1993) Fls 10-12/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, with some petaloid stamens and 5-6, very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63A) in bud, opening light purplish pink (62C) shading to strong purplish pink (62A) on margins; outside strong purplish red (63B); stamens 10-12, the petaloids very variable in shape and size. Calyx 1-2mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 140-152 × 51mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub of upright, vase-shaped habit, 1.7 × 1.5m in 25 years. Early June.

(a) **'Janny'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Hershey's Azalea Farm (pre 1987), N: Hershey's Azalea Farm Fls hose-in-hose, purplish pink. Syn: 'Corner'

(r) **'Jan Smith'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* hybrid L: USA (1984)

(a) **'Jan Steen'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Gebr Kersbergen, N: Gebr Kersbergen, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very pale yellow. Mollis (A pink-flowered plant has also been reported under this name, raised by K. Wezelenburg & Son, c1938)

(r) **'Jan Steen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group (s) × Lady Bessborough Group R: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in loose trusses, cream at edge, shading to pink, then to orange with a maroon blotch in the throat. Late May. PC 1950 (Jan Steen Group)

(r) **Jan Steen Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group (s) × Lady Bessborough Group R: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1950), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Janthe'** (An error for 'Ianthe')

(r) **Janus Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* × Venus Group H: Lord Aberconway (1934), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet

(a) **'Jan Wellen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Aladdin' × 'Amoenum' × 'Vuyk's Scarlet' H: Boskoop (pre 1974), G: Boskoop, N: Boskoop, I: Boskoop, REG: Boskoop (1979) Fls 2-3/truss, 55-65mm wide, bright pink (23/1), with a dark red blotch. Lvs 24-40 × 14-20(-25)mm, glossy green. Shrub to 1.0m

(r) **'Jaonita'** (An error for 'Joanita')

(a) **'Japonicum Album'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown, but closely related to *mucronatum* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white. Poor flowerer.

(r) **Jaquetta Group** (An error for Jacquetta Group)

(a) **'Jaquline'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: M.E. Greentree (pre 1984), N: M.E. Greentree Fls hose-in-hose, deep yellowish pink. Syn: 'Jacqueline'. Kurume (Spelling is as confirmed by raiser)

(a) **'Jaro'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Mrs Frederick Sanders' × 'Haerens Beauty' R: J. Šesták (c 1968), N: J. Šesták Fls semi-double to double, 60-80mm wide, light pink. Lvs dark green

(a) **'Jasminiflorum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1839), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as "Viscosa Jasminiflora". Probably the *Azalea jasminiflora* exhibited by F. van Damme, 1827)

(v) **'Jasminiflorum Carminatum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *jasminiflorum* × *javanicum* R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1881), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rich carmine, resembling *jasminiflorum* in form. FCC 1886 Syn: 'Carminatum'

(v) **'Jasminiflorum Superbum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *jasminiflorum* × *longiflorum* I: J. Veitch & Sons (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, like *jasminiflorum* but larger. Lvs lanceolate. FCC 1876

(a) **'Jasminodorum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.R. Gowen (1829), N: J.R. Gowen, INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Published in *Botanical Register*, 1830, under t.1366, where two possible parental combinations are discussed)

(r) **'Jason'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *lacteum* (s) × Penjerrick Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 15-17/truss, campanulate, 75 × 95mm, between chartreuse green (663/3) and primrose yellow (601/3), shading to ivory white at base; buds tinged pink. Calyx 4mm long, 5-lobed. Lvs broadly elliptic, 190 × 80mm, deep green. Shrub to 4.8m. April. AM 1966 (Jason Group)

(r) **Jason Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *lacteum* (s) × Penjerrick Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1942), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Jason's Maxim'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* hybrid H: C.G. Bowers (c 1927), G: Planting Fields Arboretum, N: R.F. Miller, REG: R.F. Miller (1976) Fls 16/ball truss, 25 × 45mm, funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, white, with yellow dorsal spotting, outside of the tube light pink shading to white towards lobes. Calyx 7mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 130 × 47mm, dark green, with light tan indumentum below. Shrub 0.8 × 0.9m in 8 years. Mid June

(v) **'Jasorbit'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *jasminiflorum* hybrid R: Vireya Venue (pre 1996), N: Vireya Venue Fls in pendulous trusses, small, slender, white, blushed pink; scented. Lvs rounded. Compact, bushy shrub to 1.0m.

(a) **'Jasper'** (Syn. of 'Ilam Jasper')

(r) **Jasper Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* (s) × Lady Bessborough Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in loose trusses, pale orange or cream to yellow. Low, spreading shrub. May. Syn: 'Exbury Jasper'

(r) **'Jasper Pimento'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* (s) × Lady Bessborough Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep orange-red. Syn: 'Pimento' (Jasper Group)

(r) **'Jaune'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *brachyanthum* R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, REG: C. Ingram (1967) Fls 3-4/truss, campanulate, light greenish yellow (4C). Calyx 5-lobed, green, slightly reflexed. Pedicels c30mm long. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 40 × 13mm, with a scaly indumentum on both surfaces; aromatic. AM 1966

(r) **'Java'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' (s) × 'Mars' × *catawbiense* (red-fld) H: D.G. Leach (1958), G: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1975), REG: D.G. Leach (1983) Fls 16-17/truss, 40 × 70mm, broadly funnel-campanulate, 5-lobed, near strong red (53B), throat pale purplish pink (56B), nectaries deep red (53A). Calyx minute, light red. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 55mm, moderate olive green (147A). Shrub c1.5m in 23 years

(v) **'Java Light'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* (s) × *javanicum* H: D.B. Stanton, G: E.B. Perrott (1981), N: G.F. Smith, I: G.F. Smith (1983), REG: G.F. Smith (1984) Fls 12/truss, 50 × 65mm, 5-lobed, funnel-shaped, capsicum red (715), shading to orange (12) in the throat and on the tube. Lvs ovate, 120 × 55mm, with sparse, golden brown scales

(v) **'Java Rose'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Salmon Sensation' × *javanicum* R: unknown (pre 1999) Fls double, orange-red

(a) **'Javelin'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1959), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1962) Fls strong orange-yellow and red. Low, spreading habit. Late. Knap Hill

(r) **'Jawane'** cv. Parentage unknown R: P. Newberry (pre 1980), N: P. Newberry

(r) **'Jay-Bob'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' (s) × 'Morna Belle' H: M. Stockman (1989), G: M. & H. Stockman (1996), N: M. & H. Stockman (1997), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1997) Fls 12-16/flat ball truss, campanulate, 50 × 65mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, close to vivid red (45B-C) in bud, opening deep yellowish pink (47C) to deep pink (47D) throughout, essentially unmarked, fading inside to near strong pink (54C) with darker veins and with very light, central streaks on the dorsal lobes; outside fades to deep pink (48A). Calyx 25mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 85 × 40mm, margins decurved when mature, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 0.75m in 7 years. Mid May

(r) **'Jay Gould'** (Syn. of 'Alexander Adie')

(r) **'Jay McMartin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: C.P. Raffill Group × 'Moser's Maroon' H: H. Lem (1950), G: P.J. Bowman (1956), N: P.J. Bowman, REG: P.J. Bowman (1961) Fls 18/dense, rounded truss, 75mm wide, chrysanthemum crimson (824/1), with heavy black spots on the dorsal lobe. Lvs up to 225 × 40mm. Shrub 1.9m

(r) **'Jay Murray'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group × *mucronulatum* 'Pink Panther' H: G.D. Lewis (1972), G: G.D. Lewis (1975), N: G.D. Lewis, I: G.D. Lewis (1987), REG: G.D. Lewis (1987) Fls 4-6/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 25 × 51mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish red (70A) in bud, opening light purplish pink (62C), with brownish orange (164A) dorsal spotting. Calyx less than 2mm long, strong yellow-green (145A). Lvs elliptic, 70 × 38mm, moderate olive green (146A) above, moderate yellow-green (148B) below; scaly on both surfaces. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 13 years. Late April

(a) **'Jazz'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *calendulaceum* R: unknown (pre 1987), N: unknown Fls large, orange-yellow

(v) **'Jazz Band'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown N: Vireya Venue, I: Vireya Venue (pre 1996) Fls in full trusses, 75mm wide, bright rose/red, with a yellow throat and intermediate orange zone. Strong-growing, upright, bushy shrub to c2.0m

(r) **'Jazzberry Twirl'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Stokes Bronze Wings' (s) × 'Vinebrook' H: A.W. Smith (pre 1989), G: D. Irish-Hosler (1999), N: D. Irish-Hosler (2000), REG: D. Irish-Hosler (2000) Fls 20/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, yellowish white (155D) tipped light purple (78C) in bud, opening inside yellowish white (155D), with a narrow, light purple (78C) edge and a dorsal blotch of yellow ochre spots; outside yellowish white (155D), edged light purple (78C) and tinged purple on midribs; moderately scented (raspberry/strawberry-like). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 125 × 40mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, wavy-edged, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in c12 years. Early June

(r) **'Jazz's Cream'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Arctic Gold' (s) × 'Hardgrove's Deepest Yellow' × 'Phipps Yellow' H: R.J. Bondira (c 1990), G: E. Jasionowski (1998), N: E. Jasionowski (1998), REG: E. Jasionowski (1998) Fls 14/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 60-65 × 90-95mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, moderate yellowish pink (179D) with moderate red (179B) veins in bud, opening pale yellow (11C) inside, with two, strong red (53B), speckled dorsal flares (c15mm long) and five additional flares (5-10mm long) in the throat; outside pale yellow (11C), flushed light pink at base. Calyx 2-3mm long, light green, edged red. Lvs elliptic, 170 × 70mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and moderate yellow-green (147B) above, with rusty brown hairs on midveins below. Shrub 1.0 × 1.2m in c8 years. Late April

(r) **'Jazzy Virtues'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Windsor Lad' (s) × 'America' H: L.G. Crober, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls dark red (187A), deep purplish red (71A) and vivid purplish red (66A) in bud, opening dark red (187A), deep and vivid purplish red (71A, 66A), with a white throat and dark red (187A) dorsal spots; anthers white. (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(a) **'J.B. van Mons'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1871), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon orange, with a saffron yellow blotch. Ghent

(a) **'J.B. Varonne'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Neige et Cerise' I: J. Vervaene (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, single, orange rose, with a white margin, cherry red spots and stripes and a purple blotch. Indian

(a) **'J.C. Bowman'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably a seedling from a *mucronatum* hybrid R: J.B. Gable, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, pink. Gable

(r) **'J.C. Millais'** (An error for 'J.G. Millais')

(r) **'J.C. Stevens'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine, with a dark blotch.

(a) **'J.C. van Tol'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.C. van Tol (1890), N: J.C. van Tol, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 70mm wide, deep red. Midseason. Mollis

(r) **'J.C. Williams'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1988)

(r) **'J. Darcel'** cv. 'Brayanum' × 'Fleur de Marie' R: Charozé (pre 1874), N: Charozé, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, in compact trusses, bright carmine rose, marked with small dark brown spots on the dorsal lobes. Foliage a beautiful green. A rather dwarf shrub. (cf *Revue Horticole* 1874, p.331)

(r) **'J.D.J.'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), L: Transplant Nursery (1987) Fls large, very waxy-edged, cream, edged pink.

(r) **Jean Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × *decorum* I: Sir John Maxwell (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, with a deeper centre. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years

(a) **'Jean Alexandra'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: M.E. Greentree (pre 1977), N: M.E. Greentree Fls single, pale pink. Indian

(v) **'Jean Baptiste'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* × *leucogigas* (s) × *konori* var. *phaeopeplum* H: P. Sullivan (1972), G: P. Sullivan (1978), I: W.A. Moynier (1978), REG: W.A. Moynier (1985) Fls 7-9/truss, long tubular funnel-shaped, 75 × 95mm, with 5(-6) wavy-edged lobes, white with 3/4 of each lobe pale purplish pink (62D), throat cream with moderate purplish pink (62B) markings at base of each lobe intersection; outside with light pink stripes. Calyx very small. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 65mm, with tiny, closely spaced, golden brown scales below. Shrub 0.9m in 5 years. January-March

(r) **'Jean Baptiste Reboul'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × *wardii* × *dichroanthum* H: D.L. Hardgrove (pre 1964)

(a) **'Jean Botscheller'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex parentage R: W.D. Smith (pre 1982), N: W.D. Smith Fls single, 75mm wide, deep yellowish pink (39B), with a faint blotch of strong red (45D). Shrub 1.2m in 8 years. Early May. (See *The Azalean* 4 (1):3-4 (1982) for notes on parentage; Galle (1987) gives 'Helenm' × 'Marjorie' (Gable))

(a) **'Jean Brandt'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Nadine' I: O.S. Pride (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls coral pink. Gable

(a) **'Jean C'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *calendulaceum* × 'Klondyke' H: E.A. Hollowell (pre 1977)

(a) **'Jean Captain'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple. An improvement on 'Violaceum'. Indian

(a) **'Jean de Kneef'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. de Kneef (1893), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, lively incarnate rose, with darker stripes, scalloped white margins and a carmine red blotch. Indian

(r) **'Jean Eleanor'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Jingle Bells' × *lacteum* H: B.M. Smith (1975), G: B.M. Smith (1982), N: B.M. Smith, I: B.M. Smith, REG: B.M. Smith (1989) Fls 17/flat truss, open campanulate, 48 × 51mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light yellow-green (154D-2C) with slightly paler margins. Calyx 25-32mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic to broadly elliptic, 44-108 × 25-51mm, mucronate at apex, oblique at base, hairless above, with a light brown indumentum below. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 12 years. Mid April

(a) **'Jeanette'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Malvaticum' × *kaempferi* R: C.B. van Nes & Sons, N: C.B. van Nes & Sons, I: C.B. vanNes & Sons (1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65mm wide, moderate purplish pink (62B), with a darker blotch. Dwarf shrub. Midseason. Similar to 'Fedora'. *AM 1948. Kaempferi. (Perhaps the Byls plant)

(r) **'Jeanette'** cv. Parentage unknown L: H. Laurentius (1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac, with yellow spots. (Could be the same plant as 'Jeannette' (Byls, 1868))

(r) **'Jeanette Baker'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi King George' (s) × 'Puget Sound' H: H.S. Baker (1991), G: H.S. Baker (1995), N: H.S. Baker (1997), REG: H.S. Baker (1997) Fls 12-14/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 115 × 50mm, with 7 slightly wavy-edged lobes, dark pink in bud, opening light purple (76A) inside and out, shading to a very pale purple (76D) centre, with strong yellow-green (145A) streaks (c20mm long) in the dorsal throat. Calyx minute, red. Lvs elliptic, 115-125 × 65mm, flat, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, dull, moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 6 years. Late April

(r) **'Jeanette Clarke'** cv. Parentage unknown H: V.J. Boulter, G: F. Boulter (1981), I: F. Boulter, REG: F. Boulter (1984) Fls 10-12/truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 70mm, pale purplish pink (56C), throat pale purplish pink (56A). Lvs elliptic, 150 × 45mm. Shrub c1.5 × 1.0m

(a) **'Jeanette K. Siemens'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft rose. Mollis

(a) **'Jean Everaert'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Verschaffelt (1876), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine, with a yellow blotch on the dorsal lobes. Ghent

(r) **'Jean Glennie'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Glennie, N: W.E. Glennie, I: W.E. Glennie, REG: W.E. Glennie (1980) Fls in a loose truss, salmon

(r) **Jean Goujon Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Barclayi Group (s) × 'Unknown Warrior' I: G.M.Adams-Acton (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vivid scarlet.

(a) **'Jean Haerens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1929), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pale purplish pink (65C). Syn: 'John Haerens'. Indian (A double, red-flowered plant is grown under this name in Australia)

(a) **'Jean Haerens Orange'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, ?USA, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange. Indian

(v) **'Jeanhee'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Felinda' (s) × *javanicum* H: W.A. Moynier (1981), G: W.A. Moynier, N: W.A. Moynier, REG: W.A. Moynier (1999) Fls 11-15/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 65 × 65mm, with 5-7 very wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink (39B). Lvs elliptic, 140 × 50mm, margins upcurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and dark green above, with tan scales below (and on petioles). Shrub 0.8 × 0.7m in 18 years. November-February

(r) **'Jeanie Deans'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep blush, intensely spotted. (Listed by Standish & Noble as 'Jeannie Deans', which may be the correct spelling; also seen as 'Jennie Deans')

(r) **'Jeanie Gillis'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: probably by J.C. Cowles (pre 1965), G: Heritage Plantation, N: M. Stilwell, REG: Sandwich Club (1991) Fls 16/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 140 × 114mm, with 5-wavy edged lobes, very light purple (76B) initially, fading to almost pure white with brilliant yellow-green (154B) to deep orange-yellow (163A) freckles on dorsal lobe; style rose-coloured. Calyx 6mm long, green. Lvs narrowly oblong, 216 × 70mm, flat to slightly concave, mucronate at apex, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 6.1 × 7.3m. after c30 years. Midseason

(r) **'Jeanie's Good Fortune'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mary Belle' × 'Goldfort' (s) × *fortunei* hybrid H: E.R. Bahnson (1983), G: E.R. Bahnson (1989), N: E.R. Bahnson, I: E.R. Bahnson (1993), REG: E.R. Bahnson (1993) Fls 10/ball truss, saucer-shaped, 80 × 120mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, light greenish yellow (5C), with light greenish yellow (5D) edges; strongly scented. Pedicels 40-50mm long, light green. Lvs ovate/lanceolate, 150 × 60mm, concave, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless; petioles 20mm long, light green. Shrub 1.5 × 1.4m in 8 years. Early-midseason. (Pollen parent known locally as "Yelton's cream *fortunei* seedling")

(r) **'Jeanie Stern'** (Syn. of 'Johann Stern')

(r) **'Jean Leppo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: F4 generation of *catawbiense* × *maximum* H: W.D. Smith (1969), G: W.D. Smith (1974), N: W.D. Smith, REG: W.D. Smith (1978) Fls 17/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, buds

strong purplish red (7.5RP 4/11), opening moderate pink (10RP 8/5), with a very slight strong yellow (5Y 7/10) blotch and a strong purplish pink (7.5RP 7/10)reverse. Calyx c1.5mm long, strong yellow (5Y 7/10). Lvs narrowly oblong to oblong, 108 × 45mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (5GY 4/3) above, with a slight tan indumentum below. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 7 years. Mid May. (First cross in series made c1950)

(r) **'Jean Locks'** cv. Parentage unknown R: A. Verschaffelt (pre 1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose, with darker spots

(r) **'Jean Mamot'** (Reported from North America (1982) and also as 'Jane Mamot' (1996). Described as bright red and a sister seedling of 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague'. It seems more likely to be a deliberate or accidental contraction of that cultivar name)

(r) **'Jean Marie de Montagu'** (Syn. of 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague')

(r) **'Jean Marie Pink'** (Syn. of 'Pink Jeans')

(r) **'Jean Mercier'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Croux (pre 1949), N: Croux, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls tyrian purple red, with a yellow blotch

(a) **'Jeanne'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, reddish orange. Mollis

(a) **'Jeanne'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Felix & Dijkhuis, N: Felix & Dijkhuis, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 75mm wide, purple violet. Spreading shrub to 1.8m tall. Midseason. Vuykiana

(a) **'Jeanne A. Koster'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: M. Koster & Sons (1900), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls a fine yellow. Mollis

(r) **'Jeanne Church'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *macabeanum* × 'Unique' H: unknown, G: New Zealand Rhododendron Association, I: New Zealand Rhododendron Association, REG: Mrs W. Rayner (1982) Fls pale yellow-green (4D), with a pink flush on the lobes and 3 red flares inside at base

(a) **'Jeanne d'Arc'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. van Geert (1877), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls flesh pink, edged bright pink, with a golden orange blotch. Ghent

(r) **'Jeanne d'Arc'** cv. 'Aileen Henderson' × 'Mrs L.A. Dunnett' R: M. Koster & Sons (1939), N: M. Koster & Sons, I: M. Koster & Sons (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10-15/compact, conical truss, 60-95mm wide, margins fimbriate, pure white

(r) **'Jeanne Frets'** (Syn. of 'Madame Jeanne Frets')

(r) **'Jeanne Heuston'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Golden Jubilee' × 'Loderi Pink Diamond' H: W.L. Horner (1969), G: B.F. Heuston, N: B.F. Heuston, REG: W. Elliott (1993) Fls 10/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 89 × 127mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (65A) with a deep pink (48B) throat; no stamens; strongly scented. Pedicels 25mm long, greyish red (182B). Calyx minute. Lvs elliptic, 127 × 64mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull, moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless; petioles 22mm long. Shrub 2.1 × 3.0m in 20 years. Mid May

(a) **'Jeanne Oosthoek'** (Syn. of 'Mevrouw G.van Noordt')

(a) **'Jeanne Peeter'** (Syn. of 'Madame Peeters')

(r) **'Jeannette'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Byls (pre 1868), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Jeannette'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with many plum-coloured spots. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Jeannette'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1881), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose, with lake edging

(r) **'Jeannette Briggs'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' × unknown Whitney seedling H: B.A. Vander Wegen (1962), G: B.T. Briggs (c 1975), N: B.T. Briggs, REG: B.T. Briggs (1987) Fls 12-14/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 70 × 95mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (50C) shading to deep pink (50B) at margins; outside deep pink (50B), no blotch or spots, nectaries moderate red (47A). Calyx 19-22mm long, strong pink (50C). Lvs elliptic, 171 × 64mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, central vein depressed, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 2.4 × 2.4m in 24 years. Late May.

(r) **'Jeannette Lovett'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Horace Fogg' × Diva Group (s) × yellow-flowered *decorum* H: C. Weeks (1982), G: C. Weeks (1988), N: C. Weeks (1998), I: Westgate Gardens Nursery (1995), REG: C. Weeks (1998) Fls 10/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 75 × 115mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (50C) in bud, opening yellow with moderate purplish pink (65A) margins both inside and out. Lvs elliptic, 130 × 50mm, downcurved, acuminate at apex, cordate at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.3m in 15 years. Mid May

(r) **'Jeannette Marie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Bonito Group (s) × Angelo Group H: C. Weeks (1982), G: C. Weeks (1990), N: C. Weeks, I: Westgate Gardens Nursery (1991), REG: C. Weeks (1996) Fls 13/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 80 × 120mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63B) in bud, opening light purplish pink (62C) with strong purplish pink (62A) markings; stamens 15, straight, unequal. Pedicels c30mmlong, light yellow-green (145D). Lvs ovate, 170-175 × 80mm, with slightly wavy margins, broadly acute at apex, cordate at base, dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairless; petioles 40mm long, moderate yellow-green (138B). Shrub 1.4 × 1.2m in 14 years. Mid April

(a) **'Jeanne Vervaene'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Pharailde Mathilde' R: R. Vervaene, N: R. Vervaene, I: R. Vervaene (1904), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white. Indian (Identical to 'Vervaeneanum Album' and later also sold under that name)

(a) **'Jeanne Weeks'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Louise Gable' × 'Tama-giku' (s) × 'Kaigetsu' × 'Carol' (Gable) H: R.D. Gartrell (1960), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell (1974), REG: R.D. Gartrell (1983) Fls hose-in-hose, 1-2/truss, 35-42 × 50mm, open funnel-shaped, 5+5-lobed, strong purplish pink (62A) to moderate purplish pink (65A), with strong purplish red (63B) spotting on dorsal lobes and a variable number of petaloid stamens. Calyx petaloid. Lvs elliptic to broadly elliptic or narrowly obovate, up to 40 × 22mm, moderate olive green (137A), slightly hairy. Shrub c0.5m in 20 years

(r) **'Jeanne Yvonne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marinus Koster' × Pilgrim Group H: Mrs S. Laxdall (1963), G: Mrs S. Laxdall, N: D.L. Laxdall, REG: Mrs S. Laxdall (1988) Fls 13/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 70 × 102-127mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (50A) in bud, opening deep pink and then turning white. Calyx 6mm long, green, edged pink. Lvs elliptic, 152 × 54mm, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 3.0 × 3.0m in 25 years. Mid May

(r) **'Jeannie Deans'** (See note under 'Jeanie Deans')

(r) **'Jeannie's Black Heart'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: F. Minch (1979), G: F. Minch (1988), N: F. Minch (1988), REG: F. & J. Minch (1989) Fls 6/lax truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 64 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds blacker than dark red (187A), opening dark red (187A) with some black spotting and black tones. Calyx 38mm long, dark red (187A) toned with black. Lvs elliptic, 76 × 38mm, mucronate at apex, rounded at base, with wavy margins, upper surface bullate and glossy; tomentum on young leaves light green, ageing to copper. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 9 years. April-May (in flower for over one month)

(a) **'Jeannin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Osakazuki' (s) × 'Suetsumu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 45-50mm wide, rose (near strong purplish red (63B)), with tyrian rose (near purplish red (57B)) dots in the inconspicuous blotch, base of tube flushed scarlet (near vivid reddish orange (33A)). Shrub to 1.5m. Mid-late April. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Jean Peeters'** (Syn. of 'Madame Peeters')

(r) **'Jean Porte'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Midnight' × Idealist Group H: N. Sullivan (1981), G: N. Sullivan (1990), N: N. Sullivan (1992), REG: N. Sullivan (1992) Fls 16/truss, campanulate, 30 × 80mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, dark red in bud, opening deep purplish pink (64D) and fading through pink to pale yellowish pink (36D) both inside and out; flare of moderate red (180C) spots across 3 dorsal lobes. Lvs ovate, 150 × 60mm, margins decurved, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.0m in 10 years. Spring

(a) **'Jean Read'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* × 'Princess Ida' R: A.F. George (1963), N: A.F. George, I: Hydon Nurseries (1978), REG: Hydon Nurseries (1978) Fls pink with a red eye

(r) **'Jean Rhodes'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Naomi Group × 'Mrs Horace Fogg' H: R.C. Rhodes (c 1970), G: Mrs L. Hodgson, I: R.C. Rhodes (1978), REG: R.C. Rhodes (1979) Fls strong purplish red (54A) in bud, opening strong to light purplish pink (55B-C), with a moderate purplish red/deep pink (185B/C) throat

(a) **'Jean-sans-Peur'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. de Cock (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, striped yellow. Ghent

(a) **'Jean's Old Spice'** cv. Deciduous azalea: orange Exbury hybrid × purple Exbury hybrid H: F. Minch (c 1981), G: F. Minch (1984), N: J. Minch, REG: J. Minch (1988) Fls single, 11/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 50-75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, greyed orange in bud, opening light orange-yellow (24C), the dorsal lobe vivid orange (28B); flower with vivid orange-yellow (23A) and brilliant orange-yellow (23B) highlights. Lvs elliptic, 60 × 30mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 6 years. Late May.

(r) **'Jean Stearn'** (Syn. of 'Johann Stern')

(a) **'Jean van Eyck'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, bright vermilion orange, with a strong, dark red, brown-tinted blotch. Indian

(a) **'Jean van Geert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte (pre 1867), N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls shiny rose, dorsal lobes saffron and carmine. Indian

(a) **'Jean van Volxem'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Président van den Hecke' R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls variable, variously patterned but especially with rose orange bands. Indian

(a) **'Jean Verschaffelt'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte (pre 1867), N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy edges, dark orange (shaded colour of dead leaves), and with a rich blotch. Indian

(r) **'Jean Verschaffelt'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* hybrid R: J. Verschaffelt, N: J. Verschaffelt, I: J. Verschaffelt (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine cerise, with numerous black spots on each lobe

(a) **'Jean Vervaene'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'La Victoire' I: J. Vervaene (pre 1876), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, dark salmon rose, with bright rose stripes, pure white edges and a dorsal blotch of crimson spots. FCC 1876. Indian (Frequently reverts to its parental form)

(r) **'Jeda'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Butter Brickle' × 'Sunup-Sundown' × un-named Whitney hybrid H: J.G. Lofthouse (1984), G: J.G. Lofthouse (1987), N: Mrs J.E. D'Amato, I: J.G. Lofthouse (1987), REG: J.G. Lofthouse (1990) Fls c7/flat truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 51 × 64mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, buds beige, opening pale orange-yellow (159B), with heavy vivid reddish orange (42A) spotting on all lobes; outside deep yellowish pink (44D). Calyx 38mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 89 × 38mm, flat, cuspidate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy dark green above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 6 years. Late April. Syn: 'Endeavour/87' (First published in Lofthouse cat., 1987)

(r) **'J. Edgar Hoover'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ivery's Scarlet' × Francis Hanger Group R: C.S. Seabrook, N: C.S. Seabrook, I: C.S. Seabrook, REG: C.S. Seabrook (1966) Fls 'upstanding', in a loose truss, campanulate, up to 50 × 115mm, white inside, with pink edges; outside turkey red (721/1) to rose madder (23/1). Lvs large, light green. Late

(r) **'Jeepers Creepers'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Davies Evans' (s) × 'Virginia Delp' H: A.W. Smith, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls vivid reddish purple (78A), strong reddish purple (78B) and light purple (78C) in bud, opening light purple (77C, D), with moderate yellow-green (146B) dorsal spots; filaments and style white. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Jeff'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *prunifolium* × *arborescens* S: J. Beasley (pre 1985), N: J. Beasley Fls deep/rich pink, with lighter markings. Foliage dark green. July. Syn: 'Summer Lyric'

(a) **'Jeffery Alan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nancy of Robinhill' (s) × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls double, 2-3/truss, 75-95mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish coral, with a dark red blotch. Mid May. (First published in Holly Springs cat., 1990)

(a) **'Jeff Garrett'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Yuma-dona', open-pollinated R: J. & D. Garrett (pre 1987), N: J. & D. Garrett Fls 75mm wide, dark reddish orange, with a darker blotch. Spreading shrub. Mid-late April. (Raised from seed sent by M. Oyama from Japan)

(a) **'Jeff Hill'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Maruba-osaka Zuki' × unknown H: T. Rokujo (1961), G: Mrs J.W. Hill, N: Mrs J.W. Hill, I: Mrs J.W. Hill (1975), REG: Mrs J.W. Hill (1975) Fls single, 1-2/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (2.5R 6/11) to deep yellowish pink (5R 6/11), with inconspicuous spotting of moderate red (2.5R 4/10) on dorsal lobes. Calyx 8mm long, light green, white hairy. Lvs narrowly elliptic to narrowly oblong, 25 × 10mm, very glossy, greyish olive green (5GY 3/2), slightly hairy below. Shrub 0.4 × 0.6m in 13 years. Late June. (Parental cultivar perhaps an error for 'Mariko' × 'Osakazuki')

(a) **'Jeffie Moss'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Stewartstonian' × 'Illusion' R: D. Hager (pre 1984), N: D. Hager Fls hose-in-hose, 65mm wide, funnel-shaped, coral red, with a light red blotch. Lvs glossy, dark green. Shrub up to 1.2m, with bright red stems

(r) **'Jeff Lap'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parents derived from subsect. *Lapponica* G: W.L. Tolstead, N: W.L. Tolstead, REG: W.L. Tolstead (1995) Fls 8/conical truss, rotate-campanulate, 15 × 17mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, light violet (2.5P 5/8). Calyx 1mm long, green. Lvs oblong, 25 × 10mm. Shrub 0.7 × 0.5m in 32 years. Early May. (Seed obtained from Oregon, USA (1963))

(r) **'J.E. Harris'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *falconeri* (s) × *thomsonii* I: J.G.E. Harris (1940), INC: ICRA (1958) (Surprise Group)

(r) **'Jellia Jam'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cotton Candy' (s) × 'Van Nes Sensation' H: M. Stockman (1991), G: M. & H. Stockman (1998), N: M. & H. Stockman (2001), REG: M.& H. Stockman (2001) Fls 14/ball truss, saucer-shaped to funnel-campanulate, 50 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (67A) inside and out. Calyx c1.5mm long, lime green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 120 × 40mm, margins down-curved, acute at apex, rounded at base, dark green above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.1m in 10 years. Early June

(a) **'Jelly Bean'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Holmes Nurseries (pre 1960) Fls double, orange. Low, spreading shrub

(r) **'Jelly Bean Fever'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs J.G. Millais' (s) × ('Scandinavia' × 'La Bar's White'), selfed H: W.E. Delp (1984), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1995) Fls 20/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 79 × 95mm, 5-lobed, a blend of strong reddish purple, deep purplish pink and light to very light purple (70B-C, 75B-C) in bud, opening very pale purple (73D), edged light purple (78C), with dark greenish yellow (152C) dorsal spots. Lvs 127 × 57mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer (1992))

(r) **'J.E.M.'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Blue Ensign' (s) × 'Lem's Cameo' H: L.A. Hutchison (1992), G: L.A. Hutchison (1996), N: L.A. Hutchison (1997), I: Elliott's Wholesale Nursery Ltd, REG: L.A. Hutchinson (1998) Fls 19/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 75-80mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63A) fading to strong purplish red (63B) in bud, opening inside deep purplish pink (64D) at lobe edges merging into a white throat, outside shaded strong purplish red/deep purplish pink (64C, 64D), with speckles of internal flare evident; dark red (59A) speckled flare on dorsal lobe, backed by light shadings of pale yellow (20D). Calyx 20mm long, initially white, changing to pale shades of red-purple. Lvs elliptic, 80-127 × 42-55mm, flat, cuspidate at apex, rounded at base, matt

and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.79 × 0.79m in 4 years. Mid October-early November (New Zealand)

(r) **'Jen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan' × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: F.W. Brouse (1972), G: F.W. Brouse (1977), N: F.W. Brouse, I: Brouse Nursery (1985), REG: F.W. Brouse (1991) Fls 8/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 38 × 51mm, with 5 evenly rounded lobes, strong red (53B) in bud, opening deep pink (52B), with a vivid red (52A) throat; anthers vivid yellow (12A), filaments pale yellow (12D), stigma strong red (41B), style deep yellowish pink (41D). Pedicels 32mm long, strong pink (48D). Lvs elliptic/narrowly elliptic, 63-75 × 22-25mm, convex, acute at apex (with a mucronate tip), cuneate at base, bullate and dark yellowish green (139A) above; new growth light yellow-green (138D), with pale yellow-green (157A) tomentum; hairs age to moderate orange-yellow (165C). Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 18 years. Early May

(r) **'Jenice Coffey'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marinus Koster' × Pilgrim Group H: Mrs S. Laxdall (1963), G: Mrs S. Laxdall, N: Mrs S. Laxdall, I: Mrs S. Laxdall, REG: Mrs S. Laxdall (1979) Fls up to 16/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 65mm wide, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, rose pink (427) in bud, opening rose pink (427/2) with slight darker dorsal spotting and a deep red, star-shaped marking deep in the throat; outside with darker stripes. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 125 × 45mm, downcurved, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull dark green above. Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in 15 years. Early June.. (Has been listed as 'Jennice Coffey')

(r) **'Jenifer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* × *campylocarpum* R: G.H. Johnstone (pre 1943), N: G.H. Johnstone, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a loose truss, lemon to creamy yellow on long, red pedicels. (Sometimes seen as 'Jennifer' but the spelling given above is believed to be deliberate)

(r) **'Jenischii'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* × *arboreum* R: Kramer (1842), N: Böckmann, I: Böckmann, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac/cherry pink

(a) **'Jenkinsii'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lemon, tinged pink

(a) **'Jenkinsonianum Superbum'** (See note under 'Jenkinsonii Superbum')

(a) **'Jenkinsonii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1850). Indian (Probably the same plant exhibited by Green in 1845)

(az) **'Jenkinsonii'** cv. Azaleodendron: parentage unknown R: W. Smith (pre 1845), L: E.F. André (1864), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale yellow. (Norbiton Group)

(a) **'Jenkinsonii Superbum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1851), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Probably the 'Jenkinsoniaum Superbum' listed by A. Verschaffelt, 1851)

(v) **'Jenna Soojean'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *aurigeranum* × *brookeanum* (s) × 'Taylorii' H: W.A. Moynier (1985), G: W.A. Moynier, N: W.A. Moynier, REG: W.A. Moynier (1999) Fls 10-14/domed truss, narrowly tubular funnel-shaped, c50 × 40mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, with a narrow edging of strong pink (49A) fading rapidly to pure white for rest of corolla. Lvs elliptic, 90 × 30mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and mid green above, with tan scales below and on petioles. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 13 years. Autumn-winte

(a) **'Jenneri'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Denyer (1843), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose, with deep rich spots. Indian

(r) **'Jennica'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anna' × unnamed Lem's selection of *fortunei* or *fortunei* hybrid (s) × *yakushimanum* 'Siouxon' H: J. Barlup (1992), G: J. Barlup (1996), N: J. Barlup (1998), REG: J. Barlup (1998) Fls 14/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63A) in bud, opening very pale purple (69C) throughout, the base inside covered with a strong red (53C) blotch (c15mm deep), outside midribs streaked with strong purplish pink (68B). Lvs elliptic, 140 × 55mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, with slight pale yellow (161D) tomentum above on new growth, tomentum below more persistent (pale yellow (161D) at first, ageing to moderate orange (167A)). Shrub 0.6 × 0.9m in 6 years. Mid April

(r) **'Jennie Deans'** (See note under 'Jeanie Deans)

(r) **'Jennie Dosser'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' (s) × 'Trilby' H: Miss L. Dosser (1953), G: Miss L. Dosser, N: Miss L. Dosser, I: Miss L. Dosser, REG: Miss L. Dosser (1964) Fls up to 14/truss, shallow funnel-shaped, up to 40 × 100mm, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, light purple (5P 6/7 to 5P 8/5). Lvs up to 175 × 50mm. Shrub to 3.0m in 10 years. Late

(r) **'Jennie Lewis'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Trilby' (s) × 'Britannia' H: Miss L. Dosser (1953), G: Miss L. Dosser, N: Miss L. Dosser, I: Miss L. Dosser, REG: Miss L. Dosser (1964) Fls up to 10/rounded truss, saucer-shaped, to 150mm wide, 7-lobed, white, tinged green at centre. Lvs 175 × 65mm. Shrub to 1.5m in 10 years. Early

(a) **'Jennifer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Elegans Superbum' (syn.'Pride of Mobile') R: T. Dodd (c 1963), N: T. Dodd Fls 65mm wide, strong red (50A). Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 10 years. Early

(a) **'Jennifer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls deep purplish pink. Kurume

(r) **'Jennifer'** (See note under Jenifer')

(r) **'Jennifer Harris'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Princess Elizabeth' × *smirnowii* × *yakushimanum* H: R. Moyers (1975), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 16/truss, open funnel-shaped, 57

× 70mm, 5-lobed, strong red (53B) in bud, opening to a white central star, edged strong red (53B, C) and with vivid yellow-green (154A) dorsal spots; filaments and style white; anthers pale yellowish pink (159D); stigma dark red (187A). Lvs 114 × 38mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 17 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer (1992))

(r) **'Jennifer Marshal'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Jasper Group (s) × 'Alice Franklin' H: H.L. Larson (1961), G: H.L. Larson (1976), I: H.L. Larson (1981), REG: H.L. Larson (1983) Fls 9-12/truss, 60 × 90mm, 5-lobed, vivid yellow (12A), flecked vivid reddish orange (33A). Calyx 7mm long, light yellow (162C). Lvs 155 × 90mm, hairless

(a) **'Jennifer Nicole'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Desirée' × un-named hybrid (CB-1) (s) × 'Florence Waldman' H: R. Stewart (1994), G: R. Stewart (1997), N: R. Stewart (2001), REG: R. Stewart (2001) Fls semi-double, 3/truss, very broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 30mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes and petaloid stamens, slightly darker than light purplish pink (63D) in bud, opening slightly paler than moderate purplish pink (62B) inside and out, with white streaks and with strong purplish pink (63C) sectors and dorsal spotting. Calyx 13mm long, light yellow-green (142D). Lvs elliptic, 55 × 25mm, margins flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and strong yellow-green (144B) above, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 0.5m in 7 years. Midseason

(a) **'Jennifer Vinck'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex parentage R: W.D. Smith (pre 1982), N: W.D. Smith Fls90mm wide, white, with rose red stripes and specks. (See *The Azalean* 4 (1):4-5 (1982) for details of parentage)

(a) **'Jenny'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1866), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls reddish rose, blotched. Indian

(r) **'Jenny'** (Syn. of 'Creeping Jenny')

(r) **'Jenny'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very pale rose. (Perhaps the same plant listed by J. Vervaene, 1864)

(r) **'Jenny'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Achiever' (s) × 'Cutie' H: W.E. Delp (pre 1978) Fls described variously as clear pink or red/purple. Compact shrub, wider than tall, 1.2m in 10 years

(r) **'Jenny Gordon'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* subsp. *cinnabarinum* Roylei Group (s) × *trichanthum* H: Lady Adam Gordon (1974), G: Lady Adam Gordon, N: Lady Adam Gordon, REG: Lady Adam Gordon (1983) Fls 8/truss, 45 × 50mm, 5-lobed, garnet lake (828/2). Calyx 2mm long, green, edged red. Lvs elliptic, 90 × 40mm, hairless

(r) **'Jenny Harris'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Delp's Cindy Lou' (s) × 'Caltwins' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (66A) in bud, opening white, edged vivid purplish red (66A). Medium-sized shrub. (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(a) **'Jenny Lind'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. Verschaffelt (1853), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls nankeen rose, with golden yellow dorsallobes. Ghent

(a) **'Jenny Lind'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Verschaffelt (1860), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Jenny Lind'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* derivative R: J. Byls (pre 1864), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 20/compact truss, funnel-shaped, 35-40 × 60mm, glistening pink, shading to white in throat, with a small ray of crimson spots. Calyx small. Lvs linear to oblong-obovate, 80-140 × 18-43mm, dull, dark green above, thinly brown-felted below. Shrub up to 3m. (Probably the plant listed by J. Veitch & Sons in 1867 with bright rose fls, and by G. Morlet in *Horticulture Français*, 1854: 107-111)

(r) **'Jenny Lind'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.S. Seabrook (c 1952), G: J. Pandrea (1962), I: B.R. Jarvis, REG: B.R. Jarvis (1980) Fls 15-17/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds deep red (53A), opening light purplish pink (55C) edged strong red (53D); outside strong red (53C); dorsal flare of light orange (29C); corolla fades to orange white in c2 weeks. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 120-150 × 45-50mm, acute at tip, cuneate at base, v-shaped in section, moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.9 × 2.7m in c25 years. Mid May

(a) **'Jenny Mac'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Comtesse de Kerchove' (Indian) × 'Madame Auguste Haerens' H: I.C. Nichols, G: I.C. Nichols (1965), N: I.C. Nichols, I: I.C. Nichols, REG: I.C. Nichols (1986) Fls hose-in-hose, 2-3/truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, deep pink (48A), with wavy-edged lobes; no stamens. Lvs elliptic, 50 × 20mm. Shrub 1.5m. Indian

(r) **'Jennypoo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sweet Lulu' × (*brachycarpum* × 'Crest') × 'Delps' Cindy Lou' R: W.E. Delp (pre 1986) (Listed as a parent of 'Valedictorian')

(a) **'Jeremiah'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Pink Dawn' × 'Girard's Rose' (s) × 'Girard's Rose' H: P.E. Girard (1970), G: P.E. Girard, N: P.E. Girard, I: P.E. Girard, REG: P.E. Girard (1983) Fls hose-in-hose, 3-4/truss, 25 × 65mm, open funnel-shaped, 5+5-lobed, deep pink (52C), un-marked. Calyx the same length and colour as the corolla. Lvs oblanceolate to obovate, 25 × 7mm, moderate yellow-green (146B), red in winter. Shrub 0.8m in 5 years

(r) **'Jeremy Davies'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Souvenir of W.C. Slocock' (s) × *campylocarpum* H: G.H. Loder (1934), G: G.H. Loder, N: High Beeches Gardens Conservation Trust (1994), REG: High

Beeches Gardens Conservation Trust (1994) Fls 11/shallowly domed truss, campanulate, 43 × 50mm, with 5 more or less flat-edged lobes, light yellow-green (2C) inside and out (slightly darker on tube externally), with 3 small blotches of deep red (60A) at base of dorsal throat and scattered lines and spots of deep red (60A) at base of and below dorsal lobe; stamens 9, straight, unequal; filaments pale greenish yellow (2D); style 2D, stigma green. Calyx 3mm long, pale green, with very short-stalked, red glands on margins and scattered over surface. Lvs oblong-elliptic, 80-100 × 30-50mm, slightly wavy-edged or slightly decurved at margin, matt to slightly glossy green above, shallowly rounded at base, obtuse but apiculate at apex, glaucous below. Shrub 5.0 × 2.5m in 60 years. April-May

(v) **'Jeremy Funder'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *konori* × *rhodoleucum* (s) × *konori* H: J.L. Rouse, G: Mrs R. Funder (1992), N: Mrs R. Funder (1992), REG: Mrs R. Funder (1993) Fls 9/flat, loose truss, long tubular funnel-shaped, 80 × 60mm, with 7 wavy-edged and down-curved lobes, very pale pink in bud, opening white throughout. Lvs orbicular, 110 × 75mm, flat, matt green above, cordate at base, apiculate at apex. Shrub 1.0m. Spring-autumn

(r) **'Jerez'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × Jalisco Group R: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild, REG: E. de Rothschild (1966) Fls pale lemon yellow. Shrub tall but compact. (Fred Wynniatt Group)

(r) **'Jericho'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *keiskei* (Mt.Kuromi form) × 'Epoch' H: D.G. Leach (1976), G: D.G. Leach (1981), S: D.G. Leach (1986), N: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1986) Fls 6/truss, 20 × 40mm, 5-lobed, light yellow-green (2C) in bud, opening pale yellow-green (4D), with dorsal spotting of strong yellow (153D). Calyx 1mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 43 × 22mm, hairless. Shrub much wider than high. Early May

(r) **'Jeritsa'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* (s) × Lady Bessborough Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, shallow funnel-campanulate, pale yellow (8D), slightly darker on dorsal lobes and with a small crimson zone and spotting at the base. Lvs matt olive green. May. AM 1951. (Jeritsa Group)

(r) **Jeritsa Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* (s) × Lady Bessborough Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1951), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Jerome Kern'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague' × *sanguineum* subsp. *sanguineum* var. *haemaleum* R: C.S. Seabrook, N: C.S. Seabrook, REG: C.S. Seabrook (1966) Fls 10-15/large, tight truss, funnel-shaped, up to 50 × 90mm, vivid purplish red (57C). Lvs glossy, light green. Tall shrub. Midseason

(a) **'Jersey Belle'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, salmon. Low, spreading shrub. Midseason. Bobbink & Atkins

(r) **'Jersey Bounce'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Van Nes Sensation' (s) × 'Kubla Khan' H: M. Stockman (1991), G: M. & H. Stockman (1999), N: M. & H. Stockman (2001), REG: M. & H. Stockman (2001) Fls 9/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 100mm, with 7 very wavy-edged lobes, strong red (51A) in bud, opening inside strong pink (54C) and moderate purplish pink (54D), outside strong red (53C-D). Calyx unequal, c1.5-6mm long, yellowish green. Lvs oblong, 100 × 40mm, twisted, margins wavy, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.4m in 10 years. Late May

(r) **'Jersey Cream'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Lindsay Smith' × *campylocarpum* I: J.J. Crosfield, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c20/compact, spherical truss, funnel-shaped, up to 90mm wide, cream. Lvs elliptic, up to 100 × 65mm, hairless. AM 1939 (Zuiderzee Group)

(r) **'Jervis Bay'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* (s) × Lady Bessborough Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c10/rounded truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50-55 × 75mm, primrose yellow (601/2-3), with two small, crimson, dorsal flashes. Calyx lobes 4-7mm long, stained crimson, gland-fringed. Lvs oblong-ovate, c110 × 45mm, dull green above. AM 1951 (Hawk Group)

(a) **'Jessica'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt, I: E.A. Merritt (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, light jasper red. Kurume

(a) **'Jessica'** cv. Evergreen azalea: deep salmon-fld form of *indicum* (s) × 'Hazel Dawson' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-2/truss, to 75mm wide, deep rose pink (near strong purplish pink (64D)), with a small blotch of distinct, tyrian rose dots. Spreading shrub to 1.2m. Mid-late May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Jessica'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with a rich dark eye on a lavender ground

(a) **'Jessica Dawn'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: R. Mossholder, G: Hines Nurseries, N: Hines Nurseries, I: Hines Nurseries (1989), REG: Hines Nurseries (1990) Fls double and hose-in-hose, 2-4/truss, open funnel-shaped, 40-50 × 76-89mm, with 5+5 lobes & 5-7 petaloid stamens, all with wavy to very wavy-edged margins, marbled strong pink (49A), moderate pink (49B), light pink (49C) and pale pink (49D), with strong greenish yellow (153C) spotting in the throat. Calyx 40-50mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs obovate, 67 × 25mm, flat, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green and hairy above, hairy below - hairs pale yellow to brownish orange (158-164) at first, changing to deep orange-

yellow to brownish orange (163-164) with age. Shrub 0.9-1.0 × 0.9-1.5m in c10 years. Early March-mid April. (First published in *Nursery Manager Magazine* November, 1989)

(r) **'Jessica de Rothschild'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' (s) × *decorum* H: E. de Rothschild (1966), G: E. de Rothschild (1970), N: E. de Rothschild, REG: E. de Rothschild (1996) Fls 13-16/truss, tubular-campanulate, 30 × 50mm, with 7 lobes, light greenish yellow (5C) with strong yellowish pink (37A) tips, opening pale yellow-green (4D), lightly flushed strong yellowish pink (37A) at edges, nectaries light greenish yellow (5C-D). Calyx 4mm long, green. Lvs ovate, 75 × 35mm. Shrub 2.5-3.0m in 25 years

(r) **'Jessica Joy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Horace Fogg' (s) × Azor Group H: C. Weeks (1984), G: C. Weeks, N: C. Weeks, I: Westgate Gardens Nursery (1992), REG: C. Weeks (1996) Fls 10/lax ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 95 × 75mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (45C) at margins, shading to brilliant yellow (13B) at centre, with moderate red (47A) spotting in dorsal throat (colour carries as orange-pink and yellow with some red in the throat); stamens 14, straight, unequal. Pedicels 50mm long, deep purplish red (59B). Lvs elliptic, 150 × 55mm, with wavy (somewhat twisted) margins, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless; petioles 20mm long, light green. Shrub 1.4 × 1.4m in 11 years. May

(a) **'Jessica Lynn'** cv. Deciduous azalea: seedling from 'Gibraltar' R: A.J. Knuttel (pre 1985), N: A.J. Knuttel Fls in small trusses, ruffled, orange

(r) **'Jessica Marie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' (s) × Prelude Group H: J.F. Minahan (1984), G: J.F. Minahan (1994), N: J.F. Minahan, REG: J.F. Minahan (1998) Fls 15-18/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 70 × 90mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, strong red (45D) in bud, opening inside pale yellowish pink (27D) with strong pink (48D) veins, flushed 48D at sinuses and shading to pale yellow (11C) in centre, with a strong yellow (153D) blotch at base of dorsal lobe; outside strong red (45D), fading to pale yellowish pink (27D). Lvs narrowly oblong, 150 × 50mm, wavy-edged, upcurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (146A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 14 years. Early-mid May

(a) **'Jessica's Jewel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Getsutoku' (s) × unknown R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls 90-115mm wide, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, white, with a green blotch and coral pink and pink sectors; some coral pink or pink selfs; occasional light pink with a white margin and a wine blotch. Shrub 0.4 × 0.9m. Early June. (First published in Holly Springs cat., 1990)

(a) **'Jessie'** cv. Parentage unknown R: F.R. Kinghorn (1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon-coloured, edged white

(r) **'Jessie'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white, with brown and pink spots

(a) **'Jessie Coover'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Louise Gable' (s) × 'Caroline Gable' R: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, double, deep violet red. Similar to 'Rosebud', but larger. Gable

(a) **'Jessie Lee Cromer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: M.E. Greentree (pre 1987), N: M.E. Greentree Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, pink

(a) **'Jessie Mae'** cv. Evergreen azalea: "Belgian Indica" × "Southern Indica" R: Hines Nurseries (pre 1985), N: Hines Nurseries Fls single to semi-double, lobes with very wavy edges, purple, with dark spots in dorsal throat. Mid-late season

(a) **'Jessie Shirar'** cv. Evergreen azalea: "Belgian Indica" × "Southern Indica" R: Hines Nurseries (pre 1985), N: Hines Nurseries Fls hose-in-hose, with wavy-edged lobes, rose red to pink. Midseason

(r) **'Jessie's Song'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nancy Evans' (s) × 'Golden Anniversary' H: J. Barlup (1984), G: J. Barlup (1988), N: J. Barlup (1991), REG: J. Barlup (1996) Fls 19/domed truss, funnel-campanulate, 55 × 90mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (51A) in bud, opening moderate purplish pink (65A) at margins inside for c25mm, fading to pale yellow-green (4D) at centre, with two deep red (53A) flares (c20mm long) in the dorsal throat; outside moderate purplish pink (65A) fading to pale yellow-green (4D) c15mm from base. Lvs oblong, 115 × 55mm, with wavy margins, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (146B) below, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 6 years. Early May

(r) **'Jester'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* (s) × Naomi Group R: L. de Rothschild (pre 1942), N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow, with pink markings. Low, spreading shrub. May-June

(r) **'Jet Air'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' (s) × 'Pink Twins' H: M.W. Michener (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 16/truss, open funnel-shaped, 43 × 57mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong and vivid purplish red shading to deep and strong purplish pink (67A-D) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (65D), edged moderate purplish pink (70D), with dark greenish yellow (152C) dorsal spots on a light greenish yellow (3C, D) flare; filaments and style yellowish white (155D); anthers strong violet (86C); stigma deep purple (79C). Calyx 38mm long, pale purplish pink (65D). Lvs 127 × 57mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 1.8m in 18 years. Early June

(a) **'Jetfire'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Helen Close' × 'Glamour' R: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1968) Fls 2-3/truss, up to

65mm wide, strong purplish pink (7.5RP 6/12). Lvs 40 × 13mm. Shrub to 1.1m. Early May

(r) **'Jet Force'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ('La Bar's White' × 'Catalgla') selfed H: W.E. Delp (1977), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 18/truss, open funnel-shaped, 52 × 65mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, a blend of purplish red and purplish pink (61A, 67A-C) in bud, opening strong and vivid purplish red (67A, B); filaments and style deep purplish pink (66C); anthers greyish reddish orange (174D); stigma dark red (187A). Lvs 95 × 48mm, retuse at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 15 years. Early June

(a) **'Jethro'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Eden Midas 3' × 'Eden Midas 1' R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith Fls 75mm wide, strong red, with a reddish brown blotch. Shrub 1.2m in 7 years

(r) **'Jet Set'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ('Weldy' × 'Serendipity') no. 2 selection (s) × white-flowered *maximum* (wild-collected, Jackson Center, Pennsylvania, USA) H: W.E. Delp (1986), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls light yellow-green (2C), speckled brilliant yellow-green (154B). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer (1986))

(r) **'Jet Stream'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ruddy Red Max' (s) × *yakushimanum* × *maximum* H: W.E. Delp (1985), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 14/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 31 × 38mm, 5-lobed, deep to strong purplish pink (68A-C) in bud, opening to a blend of moderate to pale purplish pink (65A-D) and white, with vivid yellow-green (154A) dorsal spots; filaments and style white; anthers moderate reddish brown (166B); stigma moderate orange (168C). Lvs 89 × 38mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9 in 7 years. Late June.

(a) **'Jewel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Bobbink & Atkins, N: Bobbink & Atkins, I: Bobbink & Atkins (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, deep pink, with scarlet shading towards the centre and a bright red blotch. Indian

(r) **'Jewel'** (Syn. of 'Juwel')

(a) **'Jewell'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt, I: E.A. Merritt (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, light coppery red. Kurume

(r) **'Jewess'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* hybrid R: L.L. Liebig (pre 1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark purple in bud, opening to white with brownish spots on dorsal lobe

(a) **'Jezebel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: H. Kerrigan (pre 1984), N: H. Kerrigan Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, dark red. Foliage dark green. (Sometimes seen as 'Jezabel')

(r) **'Jezebel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group hybrid I: Clark, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'J. Fiala'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Linden (pre 1874), N: J. Linden, I: J. Linden, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft rose, with strong red-brown marking (J. Linden cat., 1874-1875); later accounts from other nurseries suggest a flower colour of white tinted with violet, with dark markings; some plants in cultivation in Germany (2000) have purple violet flowers with a whitish centre and strong black-red markings. Syn: 'Joseph Fiala' (Sometimes listed in error as 'I. Fiale')

(r) **'J.G. Millais'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ascot Brilliant' × 'Pink Pearl' R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 16/open-centred truss, campanulate, 70 × 85mm, scarlet, spotted and streaked black on a lighter ground on dorsal side of tube, marked brown crimson on ventral side, nectaries black crimson. Calyx lobes 4-9mm long, dull crimson, ciliate. Lvs elliptic to obovate, c120 × 50mm, dull dark green above, minutely brown-felted below. Shrub over 2.0m. April. (Sometimes seen incorrectly as 'J.C. Millais')

(r) **'J.H. Agnew'** (Syn. of 'John Henry Agnew')

(a) **'J. Horace McFarland'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Bobbink & Atkins, N: Bobbink & Atkins, I: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, soft lavender pink. Indian

(r) **'J. Hutton Edgar'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: grown from Forrest no.16450 R: G.H. Loder, I: Hon. H.E. Boscawen, REG: Hon. H.E. Boscawen (1982) Fls lavender purple. (Forrest no. 16450 is said to be *tapetiforme* by Cullen (1980), but this number was earlier attributed to *edgarianum* (which is now treated as a *nivale* hybrid))

(r) **'J.H. van Nes'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Monsieur Thiers' (s) × *griffithianum* hybrid R: C.B. van Nes & Sons (pre 1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12-14/compact, rounded truss, open campanulate, 50-55 × 80-90mm, rosy red, shaded scarlet outside, slightly paler in centre, with a few, dorsal crimson spots on a pale pink ground. Calyx lobes short, crimson, gland-fringed. Lvs oblong-elliptic, c100-110 × 40-45mm, deep, dull green above, minutely brown tomentose below. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Jibuti'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × 'Gill's Triumph' R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 13/conical truss, campanulate, 75 × 115mm, 5-lobed, glaucous, strong purplish pink (55B), with darker venation. Pedicels sticky. Lvs oblanceolate, 175 × 50mm, dark green. June. AM 1949 (Jibuti Group)

(r) **Jibuti Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × 'Gill's Triumph' R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1949), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Jill'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lutescens*, open-pollinated R: W.M. Fetterhoff (1974), N: W.M. Fetterhoff, I: W.M. Fetterhoff (1979), REG: W.M. Fetterhoff (1980) Fls 2-14/multi-budded truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40mm wide, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, brilliant greenish yellow (1B) in bud, opening light greenish yellow (4B), fading to pale yellow-green (4D). Calyx negligible. Lvs elliptic, 70 × 25mm, acuminate to acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (146A) above, with tiny, light brown scales widely spaced above, moderately spaced below. Shrub 0.5 × 0.7m in 10 years. Early May. (Original seed collected and germinated by O.Prycl)

(a) **'Jill McDowell'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kotobukihime' (s) × 'Crimson Queen' (azalea) R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls single, 2/truss, 65mm wide, with rounded lobes, variable: coral, with a narrow white margin; coral with red sectors; white, with red and coral pink sectors and sanding; red or white selfs. Shrub 0.45 × 0.9m. Late May. (First published in Holly Springs cat., 1990)

(a) **'Jill Seymour'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: M.E. Greentree (pre 1977), N: M.E. Greentree Fls semi-double, pink, with red stripes. Kurume

(r) **'Jim'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'George Sweesy' (s) × 'Cary Ann' H: W. Elliott (1984), G: W. Elliott (1991), N: R. Tracy, REG: R. Tracy (1994) Fls 12-14/open ball truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 64 × 76mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, strong pink (48C) with deep yellowish pink (43C) speckles in throat below 3 dorsal lobes; outside deep pink (48B); stamens 10, straight, unequal. Calyx 16mm long, deep pink (48B). Pedicels 44mm long, moderate yellow-green (146B) below, dark red (59A) above. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 152 × 51mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, dull moderate olive green (147A) above, strong yellow-green (144B) below; petioles 25mm long, brilliant yellow-green (149B). Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 7 years. Early-late May

(a) **'Jim Baggette'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Achievement' (s) × 'Winedrop' R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls single, 2/truss, 65mm wide, white, with heavy purple stripes, sanding and sectors; some purple selfs. Autumn foliage colour purple and yellow. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m. Early May. (First published in Holly Springs cat., 1990)

(r) **'Jim Dandy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Horace Fogg' × unknown R: J.A. Elliott (pre 1988), N: J.A. Elliott Fls in tall, erect trusses, white, blushed pink, with slight yellow spotting; sweetly scented. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Jim Dandy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei*, yellow-flowered × Marcat Group H: C.R. & V. Haag (pre 1991), I: Cardinal Nursery (1991) Fls in large trusses, rosy peach. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Early May

(r) **'Jim Drewry'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Betty Wormald' × *elliottii* R: J.S. Druecker & J.H. Drewry, I: J.S. Druecker (1969), REG: J.S. Druecker (1970) Fls 24-37/truss, funnel-shaped, chrysanthemum crimson (824), spotted oxblood red (00823). Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Midseason. ('Ruby Bowman', rather than 'Betty Wormald' may be the correct cultivar parent)

(v) **'Jim Hillegass'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *javanicum* × 'Triumphans' × *aurigeranum* H: P. Sullivan (1973), G: P. Sullivan, N: P. Sullivan Fls clear orange coral

(r) **'Jiminy Cricket'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *neriiflorum* subsp. *neriiflorum* Euchaites Group × *microgynum* Gymnocarpum Group R: D.W. James (1953), N: D.W. James (1961), I: D.W. James, REG: D.W. James (1961) Fls 12-14/rounded truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 65mm wide, vivid red (46C). Lvs elliptic, 50 × 25mm, dark green. Dwarf shrub, c30cm tall. Early April

(v) **'Jiminy Cricket'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Tropic Glow' × *saxifragoides* H: O.S. Blumhardt, G: M. Jury (pre 1998), N: M. Jury Fls salmon pink. Neat, compact shrub

(r) **'Jim Lynch'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Trilby' × *hyperythrum* I: Pushepetappa Gardens (1994) Fls deep pink. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Early April

(r) **'Jimmy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Carolyn Grace' × *wardii* R: Bovees Nursery, N: Bovees Nursery, I: Bovees Nursery (1962), REG: Bovees Nursery (1972) Fls c11/truss, opening flat, to 115mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, white, with a light flush of green in the throat. Lvs ovate, 125-150mm long, deep green. Shrub over 2.5m

(a) **'Jimmy Allan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Walter Allan Nursery, N: Walter Allan Nursery, I: Walter Allan Nursery (c 1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, rich orange-red. Kurume

(a) **'Jimmy Come Lately'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: H.L. Bailey (1969), G: H.L. Bailey (1973), N: Mrs I.M. Bailey, REG: Mr & Mrs H.L. Bailey (1986) Fls single, 9-11/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 65 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (45A) in bud, opening vivid reddish orange (33A), with the whole dorsal lobe strong reddish orange (31A); highly scented. Calyx 10mm long, strong yellow-green (145A). Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, moderate olive green (147A) and strigose above, ciliate, sparsely strigose below; deep red (53A) in autumn. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 15 years. Late June.

(a) **'Jimmy Coover'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum* hybrid R: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable (1944), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red; sometimes semi-double, sometimes double. Shrub c2.0m. Late. Gable

(a) **'Jindabyne'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: M.E. Greentree (pre 1980), N: M.E. Greentree Fls double, hose-in-hose, deep mauve. Indian

(a) **'Jindai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Chugai Nursery Co. (pre 1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 100-115mm wide, white with a chartreuse throat, or white flecked or striped strong pink (50C), or strong pink self. Low, spreading habit. Very late. Satsuki

(a) **'Jingle'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Hinodegiri' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, 40-50mm wide, rose red (near vivid red (52A)). Shrub to 1.5m. Mid-April. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Jingle Bells'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group × 'Ole Olson' H: H. Lem, G: H. Lem, N: H. Lem, I: H. Lem, REG: J.A. Elliott (1974) Fls 8-10/lax truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, 5-lobed, currant red (821) in bud, opening orpiment orange (10/2), fading to naples yellow (403) with age, throat inside and out currant red (821/2), inside with 2 rays of red spots extending to outer edge of dorsal lobe. Calyx 13mm long, currant red (821), fading with age. Lvs elliptic, 90 × 40mm, dark glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Jingle Jungle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum*, ivory-fld selection (s) × 'Jingle Bells' H: W.M. Fetterhoff (1984), G: A.R. Brooks & K. Turkington (1992), N: K. Turkington, REG: A.R. Brooks (1997) Fls 11-18/flat truss, funnel-campanulate, 50 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds deep yellowish pink (47C) at tip, shading to moderate yellowish pink (39C) at base, opening inside light yellowish pink (29C) with prominent speckling of strong red (46A) extending c30mm up dorsal lobe from a small solid blotch of same colour at base, and with a small (c10 × 3mm), vivid red (46C) blotch at base of other lobes; outside light yellowish pink (29C) with a narrow stripe of strong yellowish pink (31C) on midribs. Calyx c10-25mm long, 5-lobed, uneven, moderate yellowish pink (31D), with strong speckling of vivid red (46B). Lvs oblanceolate, 115-150 × 35-45mm, flat, acuminate at apex, cuneate at base, dull and dark yellowish green (139A) above, with a thin, patchy, greyish indumentum below. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 12 years. Mid June

(a) **'Jitsugessei'** (Syn. of 'Jitsugetsuse')

(a) **'Jitsugetsuse'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *eriocarpum* derivative I: K. Wada, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-2/truss, funnel-shaped, 45 × 50mm, mallow purple (630/2), speckled red on dorsal lobe. Shrub under 0.6m. *HC 1960 Syn: 'Jitsugessei'

(r) **'Jitterbug'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Dianta' (s) × 'Kubla Khan' H: M. Stockman (1993), G: M. & H. Stockman (2000), N: M. & H. Stockman (2001), REG: M. & H. Stockman (2001) Fls 9/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63A) in bud, opening inside moderate to light purplish pink (62B-C), with vivid red (46C), discrete speckles extending from base to near edge of dorsal lobe; outside strong purplish red (63B) to pale purplish pink (62D). Calyx lobes c10mm long, strap-like, pendent, pale greenish. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 40mm, margins slightly downcurved, acute at apex, oblique at base, dull and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 1.0m in 8 years. Late May

(r) **Jiusepa Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* (s) × Day Dream Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a loose truss, a blend of biscuit and yellow. May

(a) **'J.J. de Vink'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: M. Koster & Sons (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 70mm wide, reddish in bud, opening light yellow (18A) to moderate reddish orange (33C), with an orange blotch. Midseason. AM 1898. Mollis (Koster cat.(1925) says "soft rose with a red-purple blotch")

(r) **'J.J. de Vink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Doncaster' hybrid × *griffithianum* hybrid R: M. Koster & Sons, N: M. Koster & Sons, I: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 11-13/truss, 90 × 75mm, brilliant scarlet (according to Koster). Lvs very dark green. *AM 1946 (Award plant described as rose red (724-724/1) with a brown blotch)

(a) **'J. Jennings'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. Knap Hill (Sometimes listed as 'J.J. Jennings'; perhaps the same plant as listed earlier as 'John Jennings')

(a) **'J.J. Jennings Juniors'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Stokes (pre 1969), N: W.E. Stokes

(a) **'J.J. Moser'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Mrs Wright' I: L. van Houtte (1876), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, rose, with a flesh pink tinge, with white dots and edges and a dark rose blotch. Indian

(r) **'J. Marshall Brooks'** (Syn. of 'James Marshall Brooks')

(r) **Jo Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Boddaertianum' (s) × *argipeplum* R: E.J.P. Magor (1920), N: E.J.P. Magor, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Joan'** (Syn. of 'Joan Slinger')

(r) **Joana Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* (s) × Albatross Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, shaded cream

(r) **'Joan Bye'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Nobleanum Group (s) × 'Unique' H: V.J. Boulter, G: V.J. Boulter (1959), N: V.J. Boulter (1962), REG: V.J. Boulter (1962) Fls c16/truss, campanulate, 40 × 50mm, 5-lobed, maize yellow (607/3), flushed pink. Shrub 1.9m

(a) **'Joan Elizabeth'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Violaceum' × 'Ruth Marion' H: E.W. Jordan (c 1984), G: E.W. Jordan (1986), N: E.W. Jordan, REG: E.W. Jordan

(1989) Fls hose-in-hose, 2/truss, 40 × 60mm, vivid purplish red (57C). Lvs elliptic, 30 × 15mm. Shrub 0.6m tall

(a) **'Joan Garrett'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Banka' × 'Target' R: J.O. Harris, N: J.O. Harris, I: J.O. Harris (pre 1981) Fls single, 150mm wide, salmon pink, with a red blotch. Shrub 1.0m in 9 years

(a) **'Joan Hammond'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: T.C. Thacker (1960) Fls deep rose

(r) **'Joanie Means'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Boule de Neige' × *yakushimanum* H: R.L. Means (1982), G: R.L. Means (1989), N: R.L. Means, REG: R.L. Means (1991) Fls 16/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 38 × 44mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds pale rose, opening pure white. Calyx minute, light green. Lvs elliptic, 108 × 44mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.9m in 9 years. Late April

(r) **'Joanita'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *lacteum* (s) × *campylocarpum* subsp. *caloxanthum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in open trusses, shining green gold, with a crimson 'eye' and a deeper gold style. Lvs broad, similar to pollen parent. Shrub to 4.8m. Late April. (Joanita Group. Sometimes seen in error as 'Jaonita')

(r) **Joanita Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *lacteum* (s) × *campylocarpum* subsp. *caloxanthum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1942), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Joan Langdon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marion' × 'Joseph Whitworth' H: G. Langdon, G: G. Langdon (1965), N: G. Langdon, I: G. Langdon (1975), REG: G. Langdon (1976) Fls 15/truss, open campanulate, 90mm wide, very light purple (76B), with a strong yellow blotch (153D). Lvs lanceolate. Shrub 1.2m

(r) **'Joan Leslie Hammond'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Holy Moses' × 'Albatross' (s) × 'Abe Arnott' H: E.F. Newcomb (1981), G: L.L. & E.F. Newcomb (1983), S: D. Hammond (1993), N: D. Hammond (1993), REG: E.F. Newcomb (1993) Fls 16-18/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 60 × 89mm, with 5-7 wavy-edged lobes, very light purple (84C) at margins shading to very pale purple (84D) at centre of lobes, with a prominent, solid, dark red (187A) flare in the throat and densely speckled on the dorsal lobe and parts of adjacent lobes; nectaries deep purplish red (61A); outside light purple (77C) with strong purplish red (63B) midribs; stamens 12-15, straight, uneven; style dark reddish orange (173A). Calyx less than 2mm long, pale yellow (161D). Pedicels 51mm long, moderate yellow (161A). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 102-165 × 35-51mm, convex, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, dull moderate olive green above (147A), moderate yellow-green (146D) below, hairless; petioles 13-25mm long, moderate yellow-green (146C). Shrub 1.35 × 1.5m in 12 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Joanna Stenning'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'America' × 'Mars' × 'Pink Mango' H: O.S. Pride (1978), G: D.L. Hinerman (1984), N: D.L. Hinerman, REG: D.L. Hinerman (1990) Fls 18/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 64 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish red (187D), with a white blotch, spotted green. Calyx c2mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 102 × 51mm, convex, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m in 10 years. Mid May-early June

(r) **'Jo Ann Newsome'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Jasper Group (s) × Dido Group H: H.L. Larson (1955), G: H.L. Larson (1964), N: H.L. Larson, I: H.L. Larson (1982), REG: H.L. Larson (1983) Fls 13-14/truss, 70 × 75mm, 5-lobed, vivid reddish orange (43A). Calyx c17mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs 155 × 70mm, hairless

(r) **'Jo Ann Redditt'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kubla Khan' (s) × 'Robbo' H: M. Stockman (1987), G: M. & H. Stockman (1993), N: M. Stockman, REG: M. & H. Stockman (1995) Fls 6-7/ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 45 × 75mm, with 5(-6-7) wavy-edged lobes, strong red (47B), with somewhat lighter lobes as the flower ages; stamens 10, straight, unequal. Calyx 20mm long, coloured as corolla. Pedicels 25mm long, red. Lvs ovate, 89 × 38mm, flat, cuspidate at apex, cordate at base, glossy and dark green above, hairless; petioles 15mm long, light green. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 8 years. Mid April

(r) **'Joan of Arc'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rosy pink

(r) **'Joan O'Rourke'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lem's Cameo' (s) × 'Roza Stevenson' H: H. O'Rourke (1985), G: H. O'Rourke (1996), N: H. O'Rourke (2002), REG: H. O'Rourke (2002) Fls 14/ball truss, saucer-shaped, 60 × 120mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (62A) in bud, opening inside yellowish pink (27) turning to white, outside streaked deep purplish pink (68A) on all lobes; a small ray of deep purplish pink (68A) on 3 dorsal lobes; slightly scented. Calyx 30mm long, deep purplish pink (68A). Lvs elliptic, 130 × 60mm, acute at apex, obtuse at base, hairless. Shrub 1.3 × 1.0m in 10 years. Early October (Tasmania). (Standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0038781))

(a) **'Joan Paton'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: M. Koster & Sons (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange, flushed pink, with a large yellow blotch. Tall shrub. Midseason. Occidentale

(r) **'Joan Ramsden'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling of Loderi Group × seedling of 'Snowdrop' H: Sir John Ramsden, I: Sir William Pennington-Ramsden, REG: Sir William Pennington-Ramsden (1964) Fls in large trusses, funnel-shaped, 75mm wide, pure white

(a) **'Joan's Choice'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: USA (pre 1980) Fls hose-in-hose, bright red

(r) **'Joan Scobie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Matador Group × Gaul Group R: E.G.W.W. Harrison, N: E.G.W.W. Harrison, REG: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1972) Fls 13-15/truss, funnel-campanulate, 55 × 65mm, 5-lobed, strong red (50A). Calyx rudimentary, reflexed. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, up to 150 × 65mm, with traces of a light brown woolly indumentum below. AM 1972

(r) **'Joan Slinger'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* hybrid H: Slieve Donard Nursery (c 1965), G: Slieve Donard Nursery, N: Slieve Donard Nursery, REG: E.C. Nelson (1987) Fls 7/truss, campanulate, 50 × 60mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish pink (63C) to pure white inside. Calyx a very short, red rim. Lvs elliptic-obovate, 80 × 30mm, dark glossy green above, with a fawn indumentum below. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m, with straw white young growth. May-June. Syn: 'Joan' (Originally introduced under the name 'Joan' and re-named by E.C. Nelson)

(a) **'Joan Smith'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *prunifolium* (s) × *prunifolium* × *viscosum* Serrulatum Group H: H. Bruce (1972?), G: Mrs J.W. Hill (1987), N: Polly Hill Arboretum (1999), REG: Polly Hill Arboretum (1999) Fls 2-3/truss, long tubular funnel-shaped, 40-50mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, a blend of vivid to strong reddish orange (40B-C), deep to moderate yellowish pink (39B-C) and strong yellowish pink (38A), with strong yellowish pink (38A) prevailing; not scented. Calyx 1mm long, strong yellowish pink (38A). Lvs elliptic, 70 × 35mm, semi-glossy and moderate olive green to moderate yellow-green (137A, C) above, hairless. Shrub 1.8-2.1m tall in 25 years. August-September

(r) **'Joan Thompson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: unknown (s) × *macabeanum* R: W.M. Spry (pre 1968), REG: A.J. Teese (1968) Fls 25-26/truss, with wavy-edged lobes, opening strong purplish red (54A), fading to moderate purplish pink (54D). Shrub c1.9m

(r) **'Jocelyne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *lacteum* (s) × *calophytum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 22/lax truss, 90 × 100mm, broadly campanulate, white, tinged cream on dorsal lobes, blotched crimson in throat. Lvs oblanceolate, up to 200 × 70mm, matt green above, hairy below. March-April. AM 1954, FCC 1956 (Jocelyne Group)

(r) **Jocelyne Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *lacteum* (s) × *calophytum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1942), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **Jock Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *williamsianum* (s) × *griersonianum* I: Sir John Stirling-Maxwell (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 75mm wide, dark pink, with a suggestion of orange in the throat. Shrub c1.0m in 10 years. (Sometimes listed incorrectly as 'Jack')

(r) **'Jock'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *bureavii* selection or hybrid L: C. Esveld (1984) Shrub to 2.0m. (Originally an indication of source material (used by Greer, USA) but now used in catalogues as if a cultivar epithet)

(r) **'Jock Bonny Bell'** cv. Parentage unknown R: New Zealand (pre 1975), N: New Zealand

(a) **'Jock Brydon'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *occidentale* R: Clausen, I: Beneschoen Gardens (1968), REG: Beneschoen Gardens (1967) Fls 12-16/tight ball truss, tubular, up to 70mm wide, waved and ruffled at margins, white, suffused pink, dorsal lobe speckled reddish orange; scented. Lvs 90 × 40mm. Shrub 2.2 × 2.2m in 7 years. Late. Occidentale

(a) **'Jock Coutts'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush white. Lvs deep bronze. Syn: 'Jack Coutts'. Knap Hill

(v) **'Jock's Cairn'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: possibly *brookeanum* × *javanicum* R: unknown, N: P. Sullivan, I: Strybing Arboretum, REG: W.A. Moynier (1994) Fls 10-14/domed truss, narrow tubular-funnel-shaped (tube narrowly cylindrical for lower 20mm), 57 × 51mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, strong red (41B) lobes with a strong pink (52D) throat and a narrow, star-shaped band of darker colour between the two; stamens 10, curved, unequal. Pedicels 16mm long, pinkish green. Lvs elliptic, 114 × 51mm, concave, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull deep green and hairless above, with tan scales below; petioles 10mm long, light green, scaly. Shrub 1.3 × 1.5m in 15 years. August-December. (Received at Strybing from US National Arboretum as a Veitch cultivar, but clearly incorrectly labelled as received)

(r) **'Jock Scott'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Hawk Group × (*fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × un-named hardy hybrid) × 'Lindberg' H: Waterer (Bagshot) (1964), G: Waterer (Bagshot) (1971), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1974), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975) Fls apricot in bud, opening salmon pink with a slight yellow flush. Lvs 80-90 × 30-40mm. Tall shrub. Early June

(r) **'Jock's White'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1992)

(a) **'Jocundum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(r) **'Jodi'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *racemosum* × *moupinense* H: H. Lem ? (pre 1966), G: H. Lem, N: Mrs M.K. Granston, I: A. Lem (c 1970), REG: Mrs M.K. Granston (1976) Fls 3-4 in up to 6 ball trusses in a terminal inflorescence, 25 × 40mm, open funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, light purplish pink (55C), with slight deep purplish pink (55A) spotting in dorsal throat, exterior striped 55A on back of each lobe. Calyx minute, light green. Lvs elliptic, 25-50 × 13-25mm, glossy, glaucous, moderate olive green above, minutely scaly below. Shrub 0.5 × 0.5m in 6 years. Late March-early April

(r) **'Jodie King'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × unknown H: S.M. King (1970), G: S.M. King, N: S.M. King, I: S.M. King, REG: S.M. King (1984) Fls in compact, rounded trusses, deep pink, fading with age. Lvs glossy green. Habit as in seed parent

(r) **'Jody's Champagne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Horace Fogg' (s) × Azor Group H: C. Weeks (1988), G: C. Weeks (1993), N: C. Weeks (2002), I: Westgate Garden Nursery (2002), REG: C. Weeks (2002) Fls 13/slightly lax, domed truss, 95 × 95mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong yellowish pink (32C) in bud, opening inside light yellowish pink (27A) blending to brilliant yellow (12B) towards throat; outside similarly coloured with strong yellowish pink (37B) midribs. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 50mm, slightly downcurved at apex, oblique at base, dull and moderate olive green (146A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 2.0m in 14 years. Mid May

(r) **'Joe Brooks'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Caractacus' ? × *fortunei* G: E.H. Yelton (pre 1978), N: E.H. Yelton

(r) **'Joe Davis'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Butter Brickle' × 'September Song' (s) × 'Eunie' H: J.D. Winberg (1991), G: J.D. Winberg & C. Smith (1995), N: J.D. Winberg, REG: J.D. Winberg (1996) Fls 12/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 70 × 100mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, light greenish yellow (8B) at margins, shading to brilliant yellow (8A) at centre and with a prominent, moderate red (179A) blotch in the throat. Calyx 25-30mm long, brilliant yellow (8A). Lvs ovate, 125 × 55mm, flat, rounded at base, obtuse at apex, dull dark green (135A) above, moderate yellow-green (146C) below, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 0.7m in 4.5 years. Late April.

(r) **'Joe Gable'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' × *wardii* R: J.B. Gable (1954), N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable (1968), REG: J.B. Gable (1971) Fls 13-15/truss, funnel-campanulate, 70-90mm wide, pale ivory. Lvs oblong-elliptic. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Joe Janet'** cv. Parentage unknown L: W. Martin (1880) Fls flesh pink and white

(r) **'Joe Kruson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan's Flame' × 'Mars' R: H.R. Yates (1960), N: H.R. Yates, I: H.R. Yates (1970), REG: H.R. Yates (1971) Fls 13/truss, funnel-shaped, 70mm wide, strong red (53B). Lvs 140 × 50mm, dark green, revolute. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 10 years

(a) **'Joe Paterno'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: O.S. Pride (pre 1987), N: O.S. Pride Fls white. (The existence of both an azalea and a rhododendron with this name, both raised by Pride, need confirmation)

(r) **'Joe Paterno'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catawbiense Album' × 'Swansdown' H: O.S. Pride (pre 1970), G: O.S. Pride (pre 1980), N: O.S. Pride (pre 1982), I: Briggs Nursery Fls 20/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 20 × 50mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, near very pale purple (69A) in bud, opening white with a spotted, strong greenish yellow (153B) dorsal blotch; anthers moderate purplish pink (70D). Calyx very small, light green. Lvs elliptic and obovate, up to 175 × 60mm, flat to slightly wavy at margins, acute at apex, cuneate to slightly rounded at base, glossy, moderate olive green (146A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.8m in c8 years. Mid May. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer (1992))

(a) **'Joe's Charmer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Martha Hitchcock' × 'James Gable' R: J. Folding (1971), N: J. Folding Fls strong purplish pink (62A), with a white (155A) centre. Midseason. Kaempferi

(a) **'Joe's Showpiece'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Martha Hitchcock' × 'James Gable' R: J. Folding (1971), N: J. Folding Fls vivid red (45A), with a white (155A) centre. Dark autumn foliage. Late. Kaempferi

(a) **'Joe's White'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Martha Hitchcock' × 'James Gable' R: J. Folding (c 1971), N: J. Folding Fls 75mm wide, white (155D). Midseason. Kaempferi

(a) **'Joga'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Izayoi' R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 55-75mm wide, with broad, rounded lobes, white to light purple or light pink, occasionally flaked with purplish pink, with reddish dots in the blotch. Syn: 'Johga', 'Vogah'. Satsuki

(a) **'Johan Metzger'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Gebr Mardner (1858), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Also seen listed as 'Johann Metzger' (F. Schneider, 1863) and 'John Metzger' (J. Verschaffelt, 1860).)

(a) **'Johanna'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Koster & Co. (pre 1896), N: Koster & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright red, with a gold blotch. Mollis

(a) **'Johanna'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Florida' (s) × seedling I: Vuyk van Nes (1966), REG: Vuyk van Nes (1968) Fls single, turkey red (721/1). Lvs bronze green. *AM 1988. Vuykiana

(a) **'Johanna'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* selection L: USA (1994)

(a) **'Johanna Arndt'** (See note under 'Johann Arndt')

(a) **'Johanna Bauscher'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a yellowish blotch and with red dots and spots. Indian

(a) **'Johanna Gottschalck'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, alabaster white. Indian

(a) **'Johann Arndt'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C. Schulz (1863), N: C. Schulz, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (The correct epithet may be 'Johanna Arndt')

(r) **'Johann Berg'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* seedling G: J. Berg, S: J. Berg (1940), N: Deutsche Rhododendron-Gesellschaft (1988), REG: J. Westhoff (2001) Fls 8-14/loose, domed truss, funnel-shaped, 60 × 90mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (73A) in bud, opening inside very light purple (75C), shading to nearly white at edges, outside light purple (75B), with strong purplish pink (73B) midribs; moderate purplish red (186A) spots on all lobes, but most intensive on 2 dorsal lobes and in the throat. Calyx 4mm long, green to red, with a red margin. Lvs oblanceolate, to lanceolate or elliptic, 70-170 × 25-66mm, margins slightly wavy and upcurved, mucronate at apex, attenuate at base, matt green, hairless. Shrub of stiff, erect habit, 1.5 × 0.9m in 10 years. Early-mid May. (First published in *Rhododendron- und Azaleen-Sorten* vol. 3, Schmalscheidt (1995))

(r) **'Johann Bruns'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *insigne* × 'Graf Zeppelin' (s) × *wardii* × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* hybrid H: J. Bruns Nursery (1970), G: J. Bruns Nursery (1977), N: J. Bruns Nursery (1986), I: J. Bruns Nursery (1993), REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1996) Fls 16-25/rounded, compact truss, open funnel-shaped, 45-70mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong lilac pink in bud, opening inside lilac pink with a darker coloured margin, becoming paler towards the centre, outside purplish pink; brownish green markings on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 0.5-1.0mm long, light green. Lvs oblong, 62-155 × 23-60mm, flat, slightly glossy above, rounded at apex and base. Compact shrub 0.9 × 1.8m in 15 years. Late May-mid June. (First published in Schmalscheidt, *Rhododendron- und Azaleenzüchtung in Deutschland* part II (1930-1988), 1989)

(v) **'Johannes'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Christopher John' (s) × *lochiae* × *leucogigas* 'Hunstein's Secret' H: B. Clancy, G: B. Clancy (1993), N: B. Clancy (1995), REG: B. Clancy (1995) Fls 6-8/open truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 55 × 114mm, with 7 smooth-edged lobes, inside yellowish white (155B) with a pale yellow (158B) throat, suffused with deep yellowish pink (47C) at lobe sinuses; outside yellowish white (158B); no blotch; strongly scented. Lvs oblanceolate, 110 × 60mm, upcurved at margins, cuneate at base, obtuse at apex, glossy green, scales golden when young; upper surface ageing to dark green and becoming more-or-less scaleless, paler below. Shrub 1.0 × 0.2m in 5 years. Flowering freely throughout the year

(a) **'Johannes Guttenberg'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Costantini (1886), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Johannes Schmall'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Pharailde Mathilde' R: J. Schmall (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, delicate pink, speckled and striped. Early. Syn: 'Van Houtte's Pink Pearl', 'John Small', 'Johan Schmall'. Indian

(r) **'Johannes Vermeer'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1964) (A parent of 'Aristocrat' (Koster))

(a) **'Johann Metzger'** (See note under 'Johan Metzger')

(a) **'Johann Sebastian Bach'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Maxwellii' (s) × 'J.C. van Tol' R: Vuyk van Nes, N: Vuyk van Nes, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 65mm wide, vivid reddish purple (74B). Syn: 'J.S. Bach'. Vuykiana

(r) **'Johann Stern'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campanulatum* (s) × *catawbiense* R: S Rinz, N: S. Rinz, I: S. Rinz (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, edged clear lilac, dorsal lobe spotted deep crimson; fls fade to pure white. Syn: 'Jean Stern', 'Jeanie Stern', 'Jean Stearn', 'Barecanelia'

(a) **'Johann Strauss'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* hybrid × 'J.C. van Tol' R: Vuyk van Nes, N: Vuyk van Nes, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 65mm wide, rose bengal (25/2), with a deep blotch. Vuykiana

(a) **'Johan Schmall'** (Syn. of 'Johannes Schmall')

(a) **'Johga'** (Syn. of 'Joga')

(a) **'Johnathan'** (An error for 'Jonathan')

(a) **'John Ball'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Gebr Kersbergen (1918), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, rose red, shading to deep orange. Early. Mollis

(r) **'John Barr Stevenson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *lacteum* × 'Logan Damaris' R: J.B. Stevenson, N: unknown (1958), REG: unknown (1961) Fls 14-16/rounded truss, 50 × 80mm, open campanulate, 5-lobed, pale greenish yellow (1D) with a small dorsal blotch of dark red-purple. Calyx green-yellow, lobes up to 3mm long. Lvs broadly elliptic, up to 150 × 65mm. AM 1971

(r) **'John Bennett Poe'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* hybrid R: W. Paul & Son (pre 1908), N: W. Paul & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson, with an olive blotch (1958 Register); fls rich cream, with a large green blotch which is spotted with black (Paul & Sons cat., 1908)

(a) **'John Blair'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *occidentale* × *arborescens* H: G. Fraser (c 1923), G: G. Fraser, N: G. Fraser, I: G. Fraser, REG: W.A. Dale (1991) Fls 5-6/lax truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 44 × 38mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, yellowish white (155D) with a pale purplish pink (56A) line extending down centre of each lobe inside; the same colour line, slightly dotted, and with tiny pink hairs, on outside of each lobe; style strong purplish red (54A); strongly scented. Pedicels 10mm long, green. Lvs oblanceolate, 57 × 19mm, flat, acuminate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy moderate yellowish green (138A) above, moderate yellow-green (138B) below, hairless; petioles 6mm long, pinkish. Shrub 2.1 × 0.9m in 15 years. Mid June

(a) **'John Boeggeman'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Old Gold' (s) × unknown H: J.E. Boeggeman (c 1982), G: G.

Schwarz (1986), N: G. Schwarz, REG: G. Schwarz (1995) Fls 14/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 75 × 50mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, vivid reddish orange (34B) and strong yellow (153D) in bud, opening strong orange-yellow (17A), with a vivid orange-yellow (23A) blotch flushed with strong reddish orange (31B); stamens 5, prominent, curved, equal; stigma deep yellowish green (141B); moderately scented. Calyx c3mm long, green. Pedicels 15mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 102 × 42mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy, bullate and moderate olive green (147A) above, with bronze shading which deepens with age; petioles 6mm long, light green. Shrub 1.8 × 1.2m in 12 years. Mid May-early June

(r) **'John Bogie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown, probably a seedling of 'Elizabeth Lockhart' R: R.D. Lockhart (c1979), N: R.D. Lockhart (1987), REG: Mrs A.G. Cocker (1987) Fls 6-8/truss, tubular-campanulate, 46 × 60mm, 6-8-lobed, blood red. Calyx 20mm long, light green. Lvs ovate, 100 × 60mm; young leaves with a bronze indumentum and red veins. Shrub 2.0 × 1.0m. May-June. (Originally recorded as probably a sister seedling of 'Elizabeth Lockhart' but the latter was definitely a sport, from which Lockhart grew some similar red-foliaged seedlings. It is most likely that 'John Bogie' is one of those seedlings)

(a) **'John Bracken'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Nadine' I: O.S. Pride (1956), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(r) **'John Britten'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Butter Brickle' (s) × 'Noyo Chief' H: B. Sligh (1984), G: B. Sligh (1990), N: B. Sligh (1996), I: Taunton Gardens, REG: B. Sligh (2000) Fls 20/full truss, campanulate, 50 × 60mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, tyrian purple (727/1) in bud, opening inside tyrian purple (727/1) fading to magenta (27/1) at edge, outside magenta (27/1); three dorsal lobes with erythrite red (0027) spots from throat to edge (which show through to the outside). Calyx 40mm long, magenta (27/1) with magenta (27/3) flashes. Lvs ovate, 100 × 50mm, pointed at apex, rounded at base, flat, matt dark green above, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 1.2m in 8 years. Early-late October (New Zealand)

(a) **'John Brockett'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nellie' (s) × 'Opal' H: G.A. Reid (1970), G: G.A. Reid (1974), N: G.A. Reid, I: G.A. Reid (1982), REG: G.A. Reid (1984) Fls double to semi-double, 3-7/truss, open funnel-shaped, 30 × 40mm, 5+5-lobed, with 0-3 stamens, deep purplish pink (61D), moderate purplish pink (68C) in throat, with prominent dorsal spotting of vivid purplish pink (57D); 0-3 stamens. Calyx 13mm long, deep purplish pink (61D). Lvs elliptic, 28-30 × 13-17mm, ciliate, sparsely setose. Shrub 0.6m in 12 years

(r) **'John Bryan'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac purple

(r) **'John Bull'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *johnstoneanum* (s) × *edgeworthii* G: M.A.C. Noble (1957), N: M.A.C. Noble, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 4-5/loose truss, drooping, 125 × 100mm, pale pink, flushed cream. (Seed sown 1953)

(a) **'John Cairns'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Malvaticum' × *kaempferi* R: L.J. Endtz & Co. (pre 1940), N: L.J. Endtz & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 40-45mm wide, 5-lobed, dark red. Lvs oblanceolate, 13-20mm long, dark green. Shrub 1.0-1.1m. *AM 1940, *AM 1952. Kaempferi

(r) **'John Caller'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Idealist Group (selfed) × Jalisco Group ('Jalisco Orange') H: Waterer (Bagshot) (1964), G: Waterer (Bagshot) (1971), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975) Fls 12-15/truss, 60 × 60mm, 7-lobed, light greenish yellow (1C), outside shaded moderate yellowish pink (39C), throat flecked moderate red (181B). Calyx small. Lvs 60-70 × 30-40mm. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. May

(a) **'John Chappell'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown G: J.H. Chappell (1969), N: J.H. Chappell, I: J.H. Chappell, REG: J.H. Chappell (1975) Fls single, 8-12/ball truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 55 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid yellow (14A), with a strong orange (24A) dorsal blotch. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 30mm, slightly hairy, dark green; slightly maroon in winter. Shrub 1.0 × 0.8m in 9 years. Late April-early May. Knap Hill (Seedling originally from Bovees Nursery)

(r) **John Coutts Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vesuvius' (syn.'The Grand Arab') × *griffithianum* × *griersonianum* R: Kew, N: Kew, I: Kew (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark salmon pink in throat. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years

(a) **'John Crabtree'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls semi-double, campanulate, deep pink. Indian

(a) **'John Crimson'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1907), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rose with white stripes. Indian

(r) **'John C. White'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan' × *fortunei* H: G.W. Ring (1969), G: Col.& Mrs R.H. Goodrich (1974), N: Col.& Mrs R.H. Goodrich, I: Col.& Mrs R.H. Goodrich (1978), REG: Col.& Mrs R.H. Goodrich (1980) Fls 12-13/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 90mm wide, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (55A) in bud, opening with a 7mm wide edging of strong purplish pink (55B), shading through light and pale purplish pink (55C-D) to light and strong yellowish pink (29C & 31C) in the throat; outside deep purplish pink (55A) with faint, strong purplish pink (55B) rays; fls have a "frosty" appearance. Lvs elliptic, 155 × 65mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (147A) above, with light tan, patchy, plastered indumentum below (visible only with a lens). Shrub 1.5 × 1.6m in 10 years. Late April-early May

(r) **'John Dosser'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Blue Peter' × 'Corry Koster' R: K. Van de Ven, I: D.J. Dosser (1973), REG: D.J. Dosser (1974) Fls 19/tight truss, open funnel-shaped, vivid purple (80A), with a paler centre and a black dorsal blotch. Shrub to at least 1.0m

(r) **'John D. Stubbings'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *elliottii* (s) × possibly *arboreum*/*arboreum* hybrid H: E.B. Perrott (c 1974), G: J.D. Stubbings (1978), N: J.D. Stubbings, REG: J.D. Stubbings (1997) Fls 12-16/compact, rounded truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 45 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (46A) in bud, opening brick red inside with small, brown spots (colour 'glowing' in sunlight, scarlet red at a distance), outside brick red with light brown veining; filaments white, anthers brown, all turning completely red after the corolla falls. Calyx 7mm long, buff, but darkening to brown with age. Lvs oblanceolate, 150 × 45mm, flat, matt green above, acute at apex, oblique at base, with sparse, light buff hairs below when young. Shrub 4.0 × 3.0m in 20 years. May-September (New Zealand)

(a) **'John Eichelser'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: USA (1994)

(a) **'John F.D. Lewelyn'** (This and other cultivars previously listed based on this name, were all errors derived from a misreading of 'F' for 'T'. See 'John T.D. Lewelyn', etc)

(a) **'John F. Kennedy'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Corringe' × 'Knighthood' R: Beneschoen Gardens, N: Beneschoen Gardens, I: Beneschoen Gardens (c 1967), REG: Beneschoen Gardens (1967) Fls 9/ball truss, tubular, lobes ruffled, 75mm wide, vivid reddish orange (43A); scented. Lvs 75 × 40mm. Shrub 1.5 × 1.1m in 6 years. Midseason. Knap Hill

(a) **'John Francis'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hino-crimson' (s) × unknown G: W.L. Clagett (1984), N: W.L. Clagett (1985), I: W.L. Clagett (1985), REG: W.L. Clagett (1993) Fls hose -in-hose, 3/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 30 × 43mm, with 5+5 wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish purple (70B); stamens 5, straight, unequal. No normal calyx present. Pedicels 7mm long, green. Lvs obovate, 21 × 12mm, convex, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (146A) above, moderate yellow-green (146C) and with discrete hairs below; petioles 8mm long, green. Shrub 0.6 × 0.9m in 12 years. Late May

(r) **'John Gair'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Standish (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose coloured, paler in centre, scarcely spotted (some sources say heavily blotched)

(r) **'John Galsworthy'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls maroon purple, with a yellow blotch

(a) **'John Gould Veitch'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Mrs Wilson Saunders' R: L. van Houtte (pre 1872), N: L. van Houtte, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, lilac rose, with red stripes and a white border. FCC 1872. Indian (Resembles 'Sigismund Rucker' but has bigger leaves)

(a) **'John Haerens'** (Syn. of 'Jean Haerens')

(a) **'John Haerens Crimson'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Ernest Eeckhaute' I: Haerens & Wille (1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, bright red. Indian

(a) **'John Haerens Sport'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Jean Haerens' I: J.B. Haerens & Sons (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double (average 2 stamens/fl), lobes slightly wavy, white, with vivid purplish red (57B) edging. Calyx normal, green. Lvs dark, shiny green. Midseason. Syn: 'Mémoire John Haerens', 'Gretel'. Indian (Various other descriptions are given, but these probably refer to further sports or are errors)

(r) **'John Harris'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* (s) × *macabeanum* H: J. Harris (1970), G: D.F. Booth (1981), N: D.F. Booth (1983), I: D.F. Booth (1983), REG: D.F. Booth (1983) Fls 14-18/truss, broadly open campanulate, 45 × 67-85mm, 5-7-lobed, brilliant to light yellow-green (154C-D), with dark red (59A) striations at base of corolla below the 3 dorsal lobes; filaments pale green, anthers brown. Calyx rudimentary, reddish, glandular. Lvs elliptic, up to 200 × 95mm, mid green, hairless. AM 1983

(a) **'John Hawkesworth'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1880), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, with very broad ("circular") lobes, blood red, with a broad, black-red blotch at base of 3 dorsal lobes. Indian

(r) **'John Heinze'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Harrisville' (s) × 'Bob Bovee' H: J.F. Heinze, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls bright pink in bud, opening white. (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(v) **'John Henry'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' (s) × *leucogigas* H: P. Sullivan (1972), G: P. Sullivan (1976), N: P. Sullivan, REG: W.A. Moynier (1993) Fls 5-6/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped (with a straight, narrow tube), 90 × 120mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, light pink (49C), with deeper pink sinuses and a very pale pink tube; stamens 13, unequal; strongly scented. Pedicels 25mm long, pinkish maroon. Lvs elliptic, 127 × 51mm, concave, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, scaly. Shrub 0.9 × 1.0m in 21 years. February-April

(r) **'John Henry Agnew'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1898), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 18-20/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 50-60mm, light rose, blotched crimson and chocolate. Calyx very glandular. Lvs elliptic to oblanceolate, c110 × 30mm, deep green above (dull to more-or-less glossy). Syn: 'J.H. Agnew'

(a) **'John Hill'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Nadine' I: O.S. Pride (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon red

(r) **'John Holms'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* (s) × *barbatum* I: Mr & Mrs A.C. & J.F.A. Gibson (1957), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 25/globular truss, campanulate, cherry to rose red (722-724), with some dark, dorsal spotting. Shrub to 4.8m. AM 1957 (Duke of Cornwall Group)

(a) **'John Jennings'** cv. Parentage unknown R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1927), REG: IRA 1958 FCC 1927 (See note under 'J. Jennings')

(r) **'John Keats'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* Roylei Group (s) × *augustinii* R: G.M. Adams-Acton, N: G.M. Adams-Acton, I: G.M. Adams-Acton (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls mauve, fading

(a) **'John Kersbergen'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Gebr Kersbergen (1918), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, deep yellowish pink (41B), with an orange blotch. Mollis

(a) **'John Llewelyn'** (Syn. of 'John T.D. Lewelyn')

(a) **'John Loddiges'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Carter's (1976) Fls reddish carmine. Shrub up to 1.5m. Indian

(a) **'John Lyall'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1876), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, with very broad, wavy-edged lobes, salmon red. Indian

(r) **John Marchand Group** gp Elepidote/Lepidote cross: *moupinense* × *sperabile* N: C. Ingram, I: C. Ingram (1947), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'John Marchand'** cv. Elepidote/Lepidote cross: *moupinense* (s) × *sperabile* R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3/loose truss, open campanulate, 45 × 50mm, close to deep purplish pink (55A), shading at tips to strong purplish pink (623/1). Calyx rudimentary. Lvs broadly elliptic, 40 × 25mm, hairless. AM 1966 (John Marchand Group. A rare lepidote/elepidote hybrid)

(r) **'John Mason'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1900), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale crimson in centre, with darker edges. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'John Maxlure'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Clibrans Nursery (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet, with black spots

(r) **'John McLaren'** cv. Parentage unknown R: E. Walther (pre 1980), N: E. Walther

(a) **'John Metzger'** (See note under 'Johan Metzger')

(r) **'John Morley'** cv. Parentage unknown L: T. Smith (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rich crimson

(r) **'Johnnie Johnston'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *johnstoneanum* (double form) (s) × *tephropeplum* H: Sir Edward Bolitho (c 1937), G: Sir Edward Bolitho, N: Sir Edward Bolitho, I: Sir Edward Bolitho (1944), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, 3-4/truss, tyrian rose (24/3), stained a darker shade (24/2). Lvs 115 × 45mm, scaly below. AM 1956 (Johnnie Johnston Group)

(r) **Johnnie Johnston Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *johnstoneanum* (double form) (s) × *tephropeplum* H: Sir Edward Bolitho (c 1937), G: Sir Edward Bolitho, N: Sir Edward Bolitho, I: Sir Edward Bolitho (1944), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Johnny Bender'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague' × Indiana Group H: C.S. Seabrook (c 1960), G: C.S. Seabrook, I: J.E. Eichelser (1976), REG: Mrs C.S. Seabrook (1980) Fls 5-8/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, currant red (821/1), with red to black dorsal spotting extending on to adjacent lobes; scented. Lvs near narrowly elliptic to lanceolate, 125-175 × 50-65mm, downcurved, acute at apex, cuneate to slightly cordate at base, very deep glossy green above, with an inconspicuous, light tan, patchy indumentum. Shrub 1.2-1.5m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Johnny Mack'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Naomi Group (s) × 'Cup Day' H: D.J. Dosser (1992), G: D.J. Dosser (1999), N: D.J. Dosser (2002), REG: D.J. Dosser (2002) Fls 12/flat-topped truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 125mm, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (57A) in bud, opening strong purplish pink (68B) inside and out; dorsal lobe with moderate purplish red (59C) spots. Lvs oblanceolate, 140 × 45mm, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base. Shrub 1.5 × 1.0m in 10 years. November (Tasmania). (Standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0038784))

(r) **'Johnny Rose'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × un-named hybrid H: Waterer (Bagshot) (1951), G: Waterer (Bagshot) (1963), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975) Fls 8-10/truss, 50 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, rose in bud, opening pale purplish pink (62D), flushed moderate purplish pink (62B). Calyx small. Lvs 110-120 × 30-40mm, with a brown indumentum. May

(r) **'John of Gaunt'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple rose

(r) **'John Oliver'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada', selfed L: Roslyn Nursery (1997) Fls pink in bud, maturing to white. Lvs larger than in 'Koichiro Wada', well indumented. Compact shrub, 0.9m

(a) **'John P. Albert'** (Syn. of 'John Pieter Albert')

(r) **'John Paul II'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague' × 'Cheer' H: J.F. Minahan (1971), G: J.F. Minahan (1979), N: J.F.

Minahan, I: J.F. Minahan (1981), REG: J.F. Minahan (1989) Fls 15-18/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 44 × 70mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (46B), dorsal lobe with pale yellow (158B) streaks and sparsely spotted vivid yellow-green (154A). Calyx 3mm long, light yellow-green (145B). Lvs elliptic, 178 × 64mm, concave, acute at apex, cuneate at base, very glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 2.1m in 21 years. Mid May

(a) **'John Paul Albert'** (An error for 'John Pieter Albert')

(r) **'John Paul Evans'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *nuttallii* × another plant of *nuttallii* H: J.P. Evans (pre 1970), G: J.P. Evans, N: Mrs J.P. Evans, REG: Mrs J.P. Evans (1988) Fls 5/flat truss, campanulate, 102 × 102mm, with 5 distinctly recurved, wavy-edged lobes, buds light yellow (18A/B) with pink tips, opening light to pale yellow (18B, C, D) to white, with brilliant orange-yellow (21B) throat; outside light to pale yellow (18B, C); prominent indentation under each calyx lobe, brilliant orange-yellow (21B). Calyx 25mm long, light green, scaly. Lvs oblong to elliptic, 178-229 × 76-108mm, concave, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless and bullate above, with yellow-brown, medium-sized, closely spaced scales below and prominent lighter veins. Shrub 2.4 × 1.8m in 10 years, with papery reddish bark. Mid April-May

(a) **'John Pieter Albert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Belgium, N: J.A. Boer (c 1970), REG: Royal Boskoop Hort.Soc. (1990) Fls carmine rose. Syn: 'John P. Albert' (Published originally in error as 'John Paul Albert')

(a) **'John Pope'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1880), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with very broad lobes, opening out flat, salmon red, with a dark red-brown blotch. Indian

(r) **'John Q'** cv. Parentage unknown R: G.W. Clarke (pre 1980), N: G.W. Clarke

(r) **'John R. Elcock'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* Houlstonii Group R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1977), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1977) Fls 8-10/loose truss, funnel-campanulate, 50 × 80mm, 7-lobed, light purple (75B), paling to pale yellow (11D) in the throat, with slight spotting in dorsal part of throat. Lvs oblong-elliptic, 90 × 40mm. AM 1977

(r) **'John Roberts'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *mucronulatum* 'Cornell Pink' × unknown H: W.L. Tolstead (1975), G: W.L. Tolstead (1988), N: W.L. Tolstead, REG: W.L. Tolstead (1992) Fls 8-10/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 33 × 45mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, light reddish purple (10P 6/9), with an orange blotch; stamens 5, curved. Calyx vestigial. Pedicels 10mm long. Lvs elliptic, 70-90 × 35-45mm, flat, acuminate at apex, cuneate at base, with nearly colourless scales; petioles 12mm long. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 17 years. Mid May

(a) **'John Ruskin'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: Gebr Kersbergen (pre 1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, vivid pink. Late. Mollis

(a) **'John's Cream'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1913), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, white. Indian

(r) **'John's First'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ovation' (s) × 'Buketta' H: J. Wieting (1983), G: J. Wieting (1988), N: J. Wieting (1989), I: J. Wieting (1998), REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1997) Fls 7-15/full, rounded truss, open funnel-shaped, 25-40 × 35-45mm, with 5 strongly wavy-edged lobes, very dark red in bud, opening almost strong red (46A) inside and out, without blotch or spots. Calyx 1mm long, reddish. Lvs narrowly elliptic to ovate, 40-65 × 18-33mm, margins decurved, rounded at apex, obtuse at base, slightly glossy above. Shrub of very compact, broad, rounded habit, 0.35 × 0.5m in 6 years. April-early May. Fls sometimes slightly doubled (with some stamens petaloid)

(a) **'John Shaffer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Mark Bittinger' × 'Eden Y3' R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith Fls 90mm wide, strong purplish red to strong purplish pink (63B-C), with a vivid purplish red (66B) blotch. Shrub 1.2m in 7 years

(r) **'John Skrentry'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *arboreum* R: B.F. Lancaster, N: B.F. Lancaster, I: B.F. Lancaster, REG: B.F. Lancaster (1965) Fls 15-18/tight, rounded truss, campanulate, 50 × 50mm, cherry red, unmarked. Lvs oblong-lanceolate, up to 200 × 45mm, with a light fawn indumentum below. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Mid April. (From seed collected in Darjeeling, India by John Skrenty)

(a) **'John Small'** (Syn. of 'Johannes Schmall')

(r) **'John's Memory'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nancy Evans' (s) × 'Lem's Cameo' × 'Colonel Coen' H: L.A. Hutchison (1991), G: L.A. Hutchison (1996), N: L.A. Hutchison (1997), I: Elliott's Wholesale Nursery Ltd, REG: L.A. Hutchison (1998) Fls 10/fairly compact, rounded truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 100mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, unevenly shaded strong red to deep pink (51A-C), opening inside with the overlapping lobe edges with uneven shadings of deep to moderate pink (51B-D) and light yellowish pink (36B), merging to light yellowish pink (36B) in the throat on ventral lobes and to light orange-yellow (24D) on three dorsal lobes; outside unevenly shaded deep to moderate pink (51C/D); flare on three dorsal lobes of strong and vivid red (46A-B); style creamy yellow; stigma brilliant greenish yellow (140B). Calyx irregular, lobes up to 15mm long, moderate pink (51D) outside, vivid red (46B) inside. Lvs elliptic, 90-115 × 35-48mm, slightly twisted, broadly apiculate at apex, rounded at base, matt and dark green (136A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.62 × 0.68m in 5 years. Mid October-early November (New Zealand)

(r) **'Johnsonianum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1851), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls brilliant crimson, spotted. (Some sources list it as a Hardy Hybrid; Fisher, Son & Sibray (1898) describe it as tender)

(r) **'John Spencer'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1867), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, margined deep pink. Late. Syn: 'J. Spencer'. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'John's Soft Peach'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Apricot Fantasy' (s) × 'Lemon Marmalade' H: C. Smith (c 1993), G: S.T. Imrie (1997), S: S.T. Imrie, N: S.T. Imrie, I: Lake Tapps Rhododendron Nursery (2002), REG: S.T. Imrie (2002) Fls 9-15/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, c80 × 125mm, with 5-7 very wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish orange (32B) in bud, opening light yellowish pink (29C) inside and brilliant orange (29A) outside. Calyx 30mm long, brilliant orange (29A). Lvs oblong, 165 × 50mm, margins downcurved, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5-1.8 × 1.8m in 15 years. Late June

(a) **'John Stiner'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid R: W.D. Smith (pre 1982), N: W.D. Smith Fls hose-in-hose, 75mm wide, strong purplish red (63A), with a deep purplish red (61A) blotch. Spreading shrub 1.2m in 8 years. Midseason. (See *The Azalean* 4 (1):3 (1982) for notes on parentage)

(r) **'John Stone'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* subsp. *xanthocodon* 'Daffodilly' × 'Hunter's Moon' H: E.G.W.W. Harrison (c 1965), G: E.G.W.W. Harrison (c 1970), N: E.W.M. Magor (1987), I: Leonardslee Gardens Nurseries (1987), REG: E.W.M. Magor (1987) Fls c9/truss, campanulate, 38-48 × 40-50mm, 5-lobed, light yellow (10C), fading almost to white and with a very few, inconspicuous, orange-yellow spots at base of dorsal lobe, these just spreading to adjacent lobes. Calyx 1.5mm long, undulate, green, with a glandular rim. Lvs elliptic to narrowly obovate, 60-80 × 20-28mm, cuneate at base, apiculate at the obtuse to acute tip, with minute, well-spaced pale brown scales below. Shrub 3.0 × 2.0m. Late April

(r) **'Johnston's Impeditum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *impeditum* L: UK (1988) (Also seen listed as 'Johnson's Impeditum')

(a) **'John T.D. Lewelyn'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (c 1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, double, rounded, strong pink (48D), edged white, with a bright carmine red blotch. Outer lobes spreading, middle ones erect. FCC 1884 Syn: 'T.D. Llewelyn', 'J.T.D. Llewellyn', 'John Llewelyn'. Indian

(a) **'John T.D. Lewelyn Albus'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'John T.D. Lewelyn' N: Soc.Ann.Hort.des Flandres, I: Soc.Ann.Hort.des Flandres (1911), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white, with pink stripes. Syn: 'Gloire de Meirelbeke', 'Gärtner Cr. Crosse'. Indian

(a) **'John T.D. Lewelyn Ruber'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'John T.D. Lewelyn' I: K.J. Kuyck (?) (1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, deep yellowish pink (47C). Calyx normal, green. Late. Indian

(r) **'John T. Meagher'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *brachycarpum* (as subsp. *tigerstedtii*) (s) × 'Mrs T.H. Lowinsky' H: D.N. Hinton (1986), G: J.T. Meagher, S: J.T. Meagher (c 1997), N: J. & G. Meagher, I: Rhodoland Nurseries, REG: J.K. Weagle (2001) Fls 23/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped (base very slightly funnel-campanulate), 50 × 75mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, buds tipped white and edged light purple (84B), with blotch speckles showing through, opening white faintly edged inside and out with light purple (84C), changing rapidly to white; a large, prominent blotch of strong brown (172A), edged brownish orange (172C) on a faint brilliant yellow (13B) ground, covering most of the dorsal lobe and portions of adjacent lobes. Calyx 3-4mm long, brilliant yellow-green (150A-B). Lvs elliptic to slightly obovate, 180 × 85mm, mainly flat but some convex and others slightly concave, broadly acute at apex, rounded to slightly cordate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (146A-147A) above, with faint traces of non persistent hairs above and persistent hairs below along midrib edges (dark reddish orange (175C)). Shrub 1.5 × 2.4m in 10 years. Mid June

(r) **'John Trelawny'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Jutland Group (s) × Fusilier Group H: H.L. Larson (1968), G: E. Weesjes (c 1978), N: E. Weesjes, REG: E. Weesjes (1994) Fls 10/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, vivid red (46C), with faint reddish spotting on the dorsal lobes, ageing to deep yellowish pink (46D); stamens 10, curved. Calyx 3mm long, dark red. Pedicels 19mm long, red. Lvs elliptic, 127 × 44mm, convex, acute at apex, oblique at base, dull and powdery dark green above (powdery appearance the remnants of yellow glands), with discrete hairs below (whitish at first, ageing to light reddish brown) which are eventually lost; petioles 25mm long, green, glandular. Shrub 1.5 × 2.1m in 25 years. Early June

(r) **'John Tremayne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* (s) × *griffithianum* R: J. Tremayne (pre 1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c9/truss, campanulate, 55 × 50-60mm, dark crimson, unmarked, with darker nectaries. Calyx lobes 7-13mm long, flesh-coloured, hairless. Lvs obovate, c120 × 50mm. (Beauty of Tremough Group)

(r) **'John Trotter'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white in centre, edged purple rose

(r) **'John Walter'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (s) × *arboreum* R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 20/compact truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 50-60mm, light crimson, with inconspicuous dark brown markings. Calyx very small. Lvs elliptic to obovate, c100 × 45mm, dull mid green above, midrib below with shaggy brown indumentum. Shrub up to 3.0m

(r) **'John Waterer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably an *arboreum*/*catawbiense* hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre1857), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c17/truss, funnel-shaped, 45 × 70mm, crimson, with some brown speckling. Calyx lobes 1-3mm long. Lvs lanceolate, up to 120 × 35mm, dull dark green above, very thinly felted below

(a) **'John Weathers'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon rose, dorsal lobes rich yellow flushed rose; sweet-scented. AM 1895

(r) **'John Willis Fleming'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: W.H. Rogers (c 1952), N: W.H. Rogers, INC: ICRA (1958) Described as an improved 'Pink Pearl', with larger flowers of better substance and a deeper colour. Syn: 'J.W. Fleming', 'Glory'

(r) **'John Wister'** (Syn. of 'Janet Blair')

(r) **'Jo Janet'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Howden & Moncrieff (1911), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale lavender, with white stripes

(r) **'Jo-Jo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lord Roberts' (s) × 'Vicki Reine' H: M. Stockman (1989), G: M. & H. Stockman (1995), N: J. Stockman, REG: M. & H. Stockman (1996) Fls 10/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, close to vivid red (45B) throughout; anthers black. Calyx less than 2mm long, red. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 90 × 30mm, with decurved margins, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull, dark green above, bullate, hairless; petioles 20mm long, tan and light green. Shrub 0.6 × 0.75m in 7 years. Mid May

(a) **'Jokan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Joker'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ivory' (s) × 'Kagetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 75-90mm wide, similar to 'Chameleon' but much sanded with rosalane purple (near moderate purplish red (70A)) in addition to rosalane purple stripes. Shrub 1.2m, of broad, spreading habit. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Jolanta'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Violaceum' × 'Hexe' H: R. Kondratovičs (1972), G: R. Kondratovičs (1976), N: R. Kondratovičs, I: Botanical Garden, University of Latvia (1985), REG: R. Kondratovičs (1989) Fls double, 1-3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65-80mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, solferino purple (26/2). Calyx light green, silvery hairy. Lvs elliptic, 30-45 × 16-20mm, light green, hairy. Shrub 0.32 × 0.4m. February-March (under cool glass)

(a) **'Jolie Madame'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *viscosum* × 'Koster's Brilliant Red' × 'Satan' R: Boskoop (pre 1971), N: Boskoop, I: Boskoop, REG: Boskoop (1979) Fls 7-9/truss, 60-70mm wide, pink (23/2), with a faint orange-yellow blotch; scented. Lvs elliptic, 60-80 × 30-40mm

(r) **'Jolly Good'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Weldy' (s) × 'Fiery Orange' H: T.L. Ring (1990), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, deep red (53A) in bud, opening deep and moderate purplish pink (54B, D) and strong pink (54C), with dark red (59A) dorsal spots; outside with strong red (53C) veining; filaments and style pale yellow-green (157A); anthers moderate purplish pink (186D); stigma dark red (183A). Calyx strong pink (54C). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Jolly Jim'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *auriculatum* (s) × *yakushimanum* H: unknown (pre 1988), G: J.E. Cross, S: J.E. Cross, N: H.C. Gehnrich (2000), I: Roslyn Nursery (2001), REG: H.C. Gehnrich (2000) Fls 16/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 45 × 50mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, pink in bud, opening white inside and out, with yellow spotting on the dorsal lobe. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 165 × 45mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins flat, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.8m in 11 years. Mid May

(v) **'Jolly Roger'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *leucogigas* 'Hunstein's Secret' × (*konori* var. *phaeopeplum* × *lochiae*) × *zoelleri* H: J.L. Rouse (1984), G: G.L.S. Snell (1989), N: R. Macdonald (1991), I: Foothills Nursery (1991), REG: Foothills Nursery (1992) Fls 7-10/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, with 6 smooth-edged lobes, inside strong yellowish pink (43D), fading on 3 lobes, edged vivid red (45A); outside 43D, the backs of the lobes deep yellowish pink (44D). Lvs elliptic, 90 × 55mm, flat, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.0m. Spring-autumn

(r) **'Jolly Rouge'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pygmalion' × *yakushimanum* (s) × unknown elepidote H: A.W. Smith (pre 1989), G: D. Irish-Hosler (1998), N: D. Irish-Hosler (2000), REG: D. Irish-Hosler (2000) Fls 10-11/ball truss, funnel-campanulate, 45 × 70mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, moderate purplish red (58A) in bud, opening inside with a pale purplish pink (56D) margin c5mm wide, shading to near white in the centre and with slight yellow spotting on the dorsal lobe; outside strong purplish red (58B). Lvs elliptic, 125 × 65mm, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, margins flat, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.9m in c12 years. Mid May

(a) **'Jonathan'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Orangeade' × *austrinum* H: G. & T. Elmer (1966), G: G. & T. Elmer (1977), N: G. & T. Elmer, REG: G. & T. Elmer (1984) Fls 12/truss, flat saucer-shaped, 65 × 55mm, 5-lobed, inside brilliant orange-yellow (23B), with a dorsal blotch of vivid orange-yellow (23A); outside strong reddish orange (32B); scented. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 90-100 × 25-30mm. Shrub c2.2m in 15 years. (Originally listed in error as 'Johnathan')

(r) **'Jonathan Shaw'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Melanie Shaw' × 'Brenda Lee' H: J. Leonard (1981), G: J. Leonard (1983), N: J. Leonard, I: Briarwood

Gardens (1989), REG: Briarwood Gardens (1988) Fls 18-20/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 76mm, with 5-6-wavy-edged lobes, vivid purple (82A) shading to strong purplish red (71B) in centre and with a prominent black flare on dorsal lobes. Calyx minute, strong purplish red (60D). Lvs elliptic, 114 × 44mm, flat but with wavy margins, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, hairless. Shrub to at least 1.0 × 0.9m. Early-mid June.

(a) **'Jonathon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Mark Bittinger' × 'Eden Y3' R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith Fls 90mm wide, light reddish purple to moderate purplish pink (74C-D), with no evident blotch. Shrub 1.0m in 6 years

(a) **'Jongleur'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Alice' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 50-70mm wide, deep rose pink, with undertones of old rose and a blotch of tyrian rose (the dots not very distinct). Shrub to 1.9m. Mid April. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Jonita'** cv. Parentage unknown I: W.E. Whitney (c 1973) Fls yellow. Medium-sized shrub

(r) **'Jon-Jon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kammer's Ruffles' × 'Purple Splendour' H: M. Stockman (1983), G: H. & M. Stockman (1989), N: H. & M. Stockman (1992), I: H. & M. Stockman (1992), REG: H. & M. Stockman (1992) Fls 12/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 38 × 64mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish purple (72B, C) with dark red (187A) spotting on lower part of dorsal lobe; stamens 10, curved, unequal; filaments very pale purple (85D); anthers creamy white; pistil c13mm long; style very pale purple (85D). Calyx 6mm long, cream. Pedicels 19mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 95 × 38mm, concave, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, mid glossy green above, hairless; petioles 16mm long, light green. Shrub 0.6 × 1.1m in 9 years. Mid May

(a) **'Jonquilloideum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. van Geert (1846), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls jonquil yellow. Ghent

(a) **'Jordaens'** cv. Parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) (Given as a "hardy azalea")

(r) **'Jordaens'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Byls (pre 1864), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls amaranth, with a yellow-brown blotch

(r) **Jordan Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* (s) × *griffithianum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in fairly loose trusses, pale orange, with a trace of pink. April

(a) **'Jordon's Flame'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Adventglöckchen' × 'Nuccio's Garden Party' H: E.W. Jordon (c 1984), G: E.W. Jordon (1987), N: E.W. Jordon, REG: E.W. Jordon (1989) Fls hose-in-hose, 2/truss, funnel-shaped, 45 × 70mm, vivid red (46B). Lvs elliptic, 40 × 20mm. Shrub 0.6m. Tall

(a) **'Jory'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Melodie' R: K. Glaser (c 1994), N: K. Glaser, I: K. Glaser (1999) Fls loosely double, broadly funnel-shaped, c67mm wide, with more-or-less smooth-edged lobes, strong red (47B) at margins, deep pink (47D) in centre, markings absent or very weak; anthers and pistil absent. Normal calyx present. Lvs elliptic, c62 × 27mm, mucronate at apex, dark green. Early-midseason

(a) **'Jose'** (Syn. of 'Agemaki')

(r) **'Josefa Blue'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *russatum* (s) × *edgeworthii* H: W. Reich (1988), G: W. Reich (1991), N: W. Reich, REG: W. Reich (1994) Fls up to 8/lax ball truss, open to broadly funnel-shaped, 34-36 × 51-53mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light violet (91A) with margins brilliant violet (90C/D); stamens 10, straight, uneven; style yellow-green at base, moderate purplish red (186B) at tip. Calyx 6mm long, pale yellow (160D). Pedicels 6-12mm long, light yellow/pale greenish yellow (160B/C). Lvs oblong-lanceolate, 15-35 × 6-12mm, convex, dull moderate olive green (137A/B) above (darker and more bluish in summer), scaly, and with hairs at base and apex; petioles 1-3mm long, strong greenish yellow (151A/B), scaly and hairy. Shrub 0.65 × 0.6m in 5 years. Early-mid May. (The pollen parent was derived from SBEC 0207)

(a) **'Joseph'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, purple. Indian

(v) **'Josepha'** cv. Parentage unknown R: P. Sullivan (pre 1988), N: P. Sullivan

(a) **'Joseph Baumann'** (Syn. of 'Joseph Napoleon Baumann')

(a) **'Joseph Bernard'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schäfer (1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, pure white. Indian

(a) **'Joseph Byrne'** cv. Deciduous azalea: un-named Exbury seedling (s) × 'Holly's Yellow' H: D.J. Dosser (1987), G: D.J. Dosser (1992), N: D.J. Dosser (1992), I: Lockington Nursery, REG: D.J. Dosser (1993) Fls 11/loose truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish orange (33A) inside and out. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 45mm, wavy-edged, matt green above, narrowed at base, apiculate at apex. Shrub 1.0m. Spring

(a) **'Joseph Chiodo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid, for notes on parentage see under Stiner Group in *The Azalean* 4 (1):3 (1982) R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith Fls 65mm wide, vivid purplish red to deep purplish pink (67B-C), with a strong purplish red (67A) blotch. Shrub 1.2m in 7 years

(a) **'Joseph de Meulemeester'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Paul Schäme' hybrid R: M. de Meulemeester, N: M. de Meulemeester, I: M. de Meulemeester (1965) Fls double, red. Calyx normal, green. Early. Indian

(a) **'Joseph de Schrijver'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: P. de Schrijver (pre 1886), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, double, with wavy-edged lobes, bright orange/scarlet red, with a black-violet blotch. Indian

(a) **'Joseph Ditzen'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1965) Fls single, dark red. Mollis

(r) **'Joseph Dunn'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* var. *minus* (s) × *racemosum* H: G.D. Lewis (1972), G: G.D. Lewis (1976), N: G.D. Lewis, I: G.D. Lewis (c 1982), REG: G.D. Lewis (1994) Fls 20-25/ball truss (composed of several, 4-7 fld buds), open funnel-shaped, 25 × 29mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (62C) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (62D) and darkening to 62C; stamens 10, straight; style red. Pedicels 10mm long, light yellow-green (145C). Lvs elliptic, 44 × 22mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull, moderate olive green (137A) above, brown scaly below; petioles 6mm long, light yellow-green (145C), scaly. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 22 years. Early-mid May. (Published in The Cuommins Garden cat., 1983)

(r) **'Joseph Fiala'** (Syn. of 'J .Fiala')

(a) **'Joseph Gable'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Rose Greely' (s) × 'Nadine' I: O.S. Pride (1956), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, hose-in-hose

(r) **'Joseph Gary Fetterhoff'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: white-flowered *maximum* × 'Mrs J.G. Millais' H: W.M. Fetterhoff (1963), G: W.M. Fetterhoff (1969), N: W.M. Fetterhoff, REG: W.M. Fetterhoff (1989) Fls 20/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, very pale mauve in bud, opening white with a prominent brilliant yellow (11A) dorsal blotch. Calyx minute. Lvs narrowly elliptic to oblanceolate, 80-140 × 30-50mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.4m in 24 years. Late May-early June

(a) **'Joseph Haydn'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × 'J.C.van Tol' R: Vuyk van Nes (pre 1938), N: Vuyk van Nes, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 70mm wide, light purple (75B), with a brownish blotch. Vuykiana

(a) **'Joseph Hill'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *nakaharae* × 'W. Leith' (azalea) H: T. Rokujo (1961), G: Mrs J.W. Hill, N: Mrs J.W. Hill, I: Mrs J.W. Hill (1976), REG: Mrs J.W. Hill (1975) Fls single, 3/truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (2.5R 6/11) with an inconspicuous blotch of moderate red (2.5R 4/10) on dorsal lobes. Calyx 7mm long, light green, hairy. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic or narrowly obovate, 30 × 10mm, glossy, moderate olive green (7.5GY 4/4), sparsely hairy below; smoky bronze green in winter. Spreading shrub, 0.3 × 1.1m in 13 years. Late June.

(a) **'Joséphine'** cv. Hardy azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1849), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Josephine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, purple. Indian

(r) **'Josephine'** cv. Parentage unknown L: R. Veitch & Son (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls shaded lilac, with a blotch

(r) **Josephine Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* (s) × Ayah Group R: L. de Rothschild (1925), N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep cream or wan yellow. Lvs deep glossy green. May

(a) **'Josephine Coleman'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lady Louise' × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: R.D. Gartrell (pre 1981), N: Cripple Creek Nursery Fls 90mm wide, with broad, wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (slightly variable), with some petaloidy. Broad, spreading shrub to 0.8m. Very late

(r) **'Josephine Everitt'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a subsect. *Fortunea* hybrid H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: S.A. Everitt, N: S.A. Everitt, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear pink, with 5 wavy-edged lobes; scented. Shrub c1.5m in 10 years

(v) **'Josephine Gordon'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *stenophyllum* × *commonae* H: J.L. Rouse (c 1980), G: J.L. Rouse (1985), N: J.L. Rouse, I: J.L. Rouse (1986), REG: J.L. Rouse (1987) Fls 4-5/truss, tubular-campanulate, 50 × 25mm, 5-lobed, vivid reddish orange (44C). Lvs elliptic, 50 × 5mm. Shrub 0.5m tall

(r) **'Josephine Kaye'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Samantha Sawers' (s) × 'Gift' H: D.J. Dosser (1990), G: D.J. Dosser (1996), N: E.A. Game (1997), I: D.J. Dosser, REG: D.J. Dosser (1997) Fls 9/flat truss, funnel-shaped, with 8 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish red (64A) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (73A) throughout, unspotted. Lvs elliptic, 180 × 50mm, acute at apex, oblique at base, semi-glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 0.6m in 7 years. November (Tasmania)

(a) **'Josephine Klinger'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (pre 1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 45mm wide, strong yellowish pink (38A), with a deep yellow blotch. Shrub 3.0m. Late. Ghent (Earlier descriptions gave it as crimson, dotted with whitish or flesh-coloured spots. It is likely that two plants are involved)

(r) **'Josephine V. Cary'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goldsworth Yellow' × *brachycarpum* × 'Mrs P. den Ouden' H: E.A. Cary (1969), G: E.A. Cary (1978), N: E.A. Cary, I: E.A. Cary, REG: E.A. Cary (1980) Fls 12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50mm wide, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (55B) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (62D), with heavy, moderate orange (168C) spotting on dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 90-100 × 35-40mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (146A) above, with sparse, colourless hairs below. Shrub 0.5 × 0.7m in 5 years. Late May

(r) **'Josephine Whitaker'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Award' (s) × 'Esther Wagner' H: H.S. Baker (1989), G: H.S. Baker, N: H.S. Baker (2000), REG: H.S. Baker (2000) Fls 21/conical truss, funnel-shaped, 50×50mm, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes, red in bud, opening inside strong purplish pink (62A), with strong orange-yellow (163B) spotting on the dorsal lobe, outside with a moderate purplish pink (62B) base and four parallel lines of moderate purplish pink (62B) on each lobe, alternating with paler pink. Lvs ovate, 100 × 50mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, margins wavy-edged, dull and dark yellowish green (189A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 0.9m in 8 years. Late April

(r) **'Joseph Kreisell'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs R.S. Holford' (s) × un-named, brownish red-flowered hybrid H: B. & M. Shapiro (1968), G: B. & M. Shapiro, N: B. & M. Shapiro, REG: B. & M. Shapiro (1993) Fls 12-15/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 57×83mm, with 5 smooth to wavy-edged, recurved lobes, deep purplish pink (68A) at margins, shading through strong and moderate purplish pink (68B, C) to a white throat and with prominent moderate purplish red (64A) dorsal spots which are echoed faintly on other lobes; outside darker on midribs and at edges; stamens 10, straight, white, with greenish tan anthers. Calyx 10mm long, tan, star-shaped. Lvs elliptic, 127-152 × 57mm, concave, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.5m in 25 years. Mid May

(a) **'Joseph Lefebvre'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (pre 1885), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, dotted with rose. Indian

(a) **'Joseph Mardner'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: O. Schulz (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure scarlet red. Indian

(r) **'Joseph Martin'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1924), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light pink. (Probably an error for 'Joseph Martyr')

(r) **'Joseph Martyr'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1924), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light pink, with a yellow blotch

(a) **'Joseph Napoleon Baumann'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red, with an orange blotch. Syn: 'Joseph Baumann'. Ghent

(a) **'Joseph Napoleon Baumann'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Baumann (1875), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls star-shaped, rose. Indian (Perhaps the same plant listed as 'Président M. Baumann')

(a) **'Joseph's Coat'** cv. Deciduous azalea: possibly a *cumberlandense*× *viscosum* derivative S: W.G. & M.S. Beasley (pre 1985), N: W.G. & M.S. Beasley Fls variable in colour: yellow, turning to other colours; slightly scented.

(r) **'Joseph Simonis'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose

(a) **'Joseph Steyaert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, carmine rose. Indian

(r) **'Joseph Vervaene'** cv. Parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (pre 1875), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls amber vermilion, with a deep black blotch and pure white stamens

(r) **'Joseph Whitworth'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *ponticum* hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12 or more/compact truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55-60 × 80-90mm, deep purple lake, freely spotted purple-brown to black. Calyx lobes 3-8mm long. Lvs elliptic to oblong-obovate, 100-170 × 35-60mm, deep dull green above, hairless below. Large shrub. Syn: 'Sir Joseph Whitworth', 'Sir J. Whitworth'

(r) **'Joshua'** (Syn. of 'Girard Joshua')

(r) **'Joshua Huddy'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *rupicola* × *mucronulatum* 'Pink Panther' H: G.D. Lewis (1974), G: G.D. Lewis (1978), N: G.D. Lewis, REG: G.D. Lewis (1988) Fls in a ball truss (consisting of 2-5 buds, each with 3 fls), broadly funnel-shaped, 29 × 44mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep reddish purple (77A) in bud, opening light purple (77C). Calyx less than 2mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Lvs elliptic, 51 × 16mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, scaly. Shrub 1.2 × 1.1m in 13 years. Early April. (Published in The Cummins Garden cat., 1985)

(a) **'Joshua Jeffrey'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Girard's Crimson' × 'Girard's Hot Shot' R: P.E. Girard (pre 1987), N: P.E. Girard Fls 50mm wide, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, moderate red (47A). Low shrub

(r) **'Josi'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kimberly' (s) × 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague' H: D.J. Dosser (1990), G: D.J. Dosser (1998), N: D.J. Dosser (2000), REG: D.J. Dosser (2001) Fls 10/flat truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish red (58A) in bud, opening inside strong purplish red (58B), the throat (for 15mm) deep purplish red (59B), outside strong purplish red (58B); unspotted. Lvs ovate, 105 × 45mm, margins decurved, obtuse at apex, obtuse to slightly cordate at base, semi-glossy, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 0.8m in 10 years. October-November (Tasmania). (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0027987))

(a) **'Josiane Maeseele'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Dame Mélanie' hybrid R: J. de Meulemeester, N: J. de Meulemeester, I: J. de Meulemeester (1960) Fls single (with an average 6 stamens/flower), deep purplish pink (66C). Calyx coloured as corolla, hose-in-hose. Late. Indian

(r) **'Josie Nelson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Rubens' × 'Belvedere' H: B. Nelson, G: B. Nelson, N: B. Nelson (pre 1971)

(r) **'Journey'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mindy's Love' (s) × 'Mesquite' H: J. Barlup (1990), G: J. Barlup

(1994), N: J. Barlup (1999), REG: J. Barlup (2000) Fls 18/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale yellow (20C) in bud, opening inside and out pale yellow-green (4D) at margins and deepening to light greenish yellow (6D) in the throat; inside with a deep red (185A) basal blotch and two spotted, dorsal flares extending upwards c30mm. Lvs elliptic, 105 × 55mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 1.2m in 9 years. Early May

(a) **'Joya'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × 'Maxwellii' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 1-2/truss, 65-75mm wide, rose pink (near light purplish pink (73C)). Broad, spreading shrub, to1.2m tall. Late April-early May. Glenn Dale

(r) **Joyance Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* (s) × *dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in small trusses, campanulate, cream, with salmon pink to orange markings. Shrub c1.0m. May. (Also seen in error as 'Yoyance'; Schmalscheidt (1989) lists the Joyance Group as a Hobbie origination)

(r) **'Joy Bells'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *macabeanum* × Fortune Group G: J. Joyce, N: J. Joyce, I: Mrs W.J. Hayes, REG: Mrs W.J. Hayes (1979) Fls cream, suffused chartreuse with a small, faint crimson blotch in the throat

(a) **'Joy Bentall'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange, flushed orange-yellow; scented. Knap Hill

(r) **'Joyce'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *macabeanum* (s) × Fortune Group H: Mrs I.A. McKenzie (1969), G: J. Joyce (c 1975), N: Mrs W.J. Hayes (1984), REG: Mrs W.J. Hayes (1984) Fls 20-22/truss, 80 × 75mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, cream, suffused chartreuse, with a small, crimson blotch in the throat. Lvs 220 × 120mm, with silvery grey hairs when young

(r) **'Joyce Lyn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Midsummer' × 'Adele's Yellow' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls vivid purplish red (67B) and deep and strong purplish pink (67C, D) in bud, opening with a star-shaped white centre, edged deep purplish pink (72D), strong and light purplish pink (73B, C) and very pale purple (73D), with a light greenish yellow (5D) flare and moderate red (179A) dorsal spots; filaments white; anthers deep pink (185D); style pale greenish yellow (1D); stigma vivid red (45C). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Joyce Ramsden'** cv. Parentage unknown L: M. Haworth-Booth (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Resembles members of the Cornish Cross Group

(r) **'Joyce Rickett'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × 'Madame Carvalho' I: Hilliers (1945), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a pink edge

(r) **'Joyce's Joy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Letty Edwards Group × Letty Edwards Group H: H. Vaartnou (1965), G: H. Vaartnou (1969), N: H. Vaartnou, REG: H. Vaartnou (1989) Fls 6-8/flat truss, open campanulate, 44 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (52C) in bud, opening light pink (49C) to pale yellowish pink (27C). Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs ovate, 76-102 × 51-64mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cordate at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 1.2m in 25 years. April-May

(r) **'Joyful'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* (s) × Jalisco Group R: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild, REG: E. de Rothschild (1966) Fls creamy yellow, flushed carmine pink on outer lobes and, with a distinct red line down centre of each lobe on outer side, showing through as pink on inside. (Fred Wynniatt Group)

(a) **'Joy Greentree'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: M.E. Greentree (pre 1987), N: M.E. Greentree Fls large, with wavy-edged lobes, pink, with a lighter centre

(r) **'Joylyn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sefton' (s) × 'Purple Splendour' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls vivid reddish purple (74A) and strong purplish red (72A) in bud, opening vivid reddish purple (74A) and very pale purple (73D), with brilliant greenish yellow (1A) dorsal spots; filaments and style white. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Joy of David'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'David Haskell' × 'Mae Knapper' H: W.D. Smith (1982), G: W.D. Smith, N: W.D. Smith Lvs linear

(a) **'Joy of Eden'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'David Haskell' × 'Mae Knapper' H: W.D. Smith (1982), G: W.D. Smith, N: W.D. Smith Lvs linear

(a) **'Joy of Jane'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'David Haskell' × 'Mae Knapper' H: W.D. Smith (1982), G: W.D. Smith, N: W.D. Smith Lvs linear

(a) **'Joy of Paradise'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'David Haskell' × 'Mae Knapper' R: W.D. Smith (pre 1980), N: W.D. Smith Fls with linear, separate petals, each 40 × 10mm, light purplish pink. Lvs linear, 50 × 10mm. Compact, upright shrub. Syn: 'Odd Ball', 'Pride of Paradise'

(a) **'Joy of Shangri-la'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'David Haskell' × 'Mae Knapper' H: W.D. Smith (1982), G: W.D. Smith, N: W.D. Smith Lvs linear

(a) **'Joy of Verde Vista'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'David Haskell' × 'Mae Knapper' H: W.D. Smith (1982), G: W.D. Smith, N: W.D. Smith Lvs linear

(a) **'Joy of York'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'David Haskell' × 'Mae Knapper' H: W.D. Smith (1982), G: W.D. Smith, N: W.D. Smith Lvs linear

(r) **'Joyous'** (Syn. of 'Joyous Song')

(r) **'Joyous'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × *maximum* × *fortunei* H: M.S. Green (1958), G: Scott Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister (pre 1980)

(r) **'Joyous Song'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marquis of Waterford' (s) × un-named seedling (brownish red fls) H: B. & M. Shapiro (1968), G: B. & M. Shapiro, N: B. & M. Shapiro, REG: B. & M. Shapiro (1993) Fls 14-15/domed truss, 44 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (73A) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (72D) at edges and shading to a lighter centre, with moderate yellow (161A) spotting on the dorsal lobe; outside deep purplish pink (72D). Calyx 1-2mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 102 × 38-51mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 25 years. Late May. Syn: 'Joyous'

(r) **'Joy Ride'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney (c 1960), G: W.E. Whitney, N: G. & Mrs A. Sather, I: G. & Mrs A. Sather (1975), REG: G. & Mrs A. Sather (1976) Fls 15/ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 40 × 50mm, 5-lobed, buds strong purplish red (63B), opening pale purplish pink (62D), with a fan-shaped, strong reddish orange (34C) blotch on upper throat becoming spots of same colour towards lobes. Calyx 3mm long, pink. Lvs elliptic, 115-140 × 50-60mm, moderate olive green (147A), hairless. Shrub 1.9 × 1.9m in 10 years. Early May

(r) **'Joy Ridge'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Rose Scott' × *burmanicum* (Summer selection) × *chrysodoron* H: R.W. Scott, G: R.W. Scott (1978) Fls bronze in bud, opening with a golden yellow centre, shading out to a variety of yellows and creams and with a touch of red on margins; blotch darker yellow. Lvs glossy green. Dense, compact shrub

(az) **'Joy's Delight'** cv. Azaleodendron: parentage unknown R: J.H. Mangles (pre 1884), N: J.H. Mangles, REG: Lady Adam Gordon (1984) Fls c15 in a small, more-or-less loose truss, 35-40 × 40mm, tubular funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, vivid purplish red to deep purplish pink (66B-C), slightly darker on margins and paling with age, with a white dorsal blotch, unspotted. Calyx 2.5mm long, greenish white. Lvs elliptic, up to 80 × 30mm, evergreen, mid green and finely rugose above, with very sparse hairs below. Shrub c2.0m. (Raiser considered probable, but requires confirmation)

(a) **'Jozef Delvaux'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *cumberlandense* (s) × *occidentale* H: L. de Clercq (1994), G: L. de Clercq (1996), N: L. de Clercq (2002), I: L. de Clercq (2002), REG: L. de Clercq (2002) Fls single, up to 18-20/truss, open funnel-shaped, 65mm wide, 5-lobed - dorsal lobe wavy-edged, the remainder more-or-less smooth-edged, light pink/red, striped red, apices fading to white, outside light pink; almost the entire dorsal lobe covered by an egg yellow blotch; scented. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 52-73 × 29-34mm, margins flat, glossy green above. Shrub 1.5 × 1.3m in 8 years. Mid June-early August. (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0034914). Etymology: named for an amateur grower and collector of deciduous azaleas (from Brasschaat, Belgium))

(a) **'J. Rhoers'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Byland Bros (1962) Fls double, bright red. Indian

(r) **'J.R. Trumpy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: S.B. Parsons (pre 1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson

(a) **'J.S. Bach'** (Syn. of 'Johann Sebastian Bach')

(r) **'J. Spencer'** (Syn. of 'John Spencer')

(a) **'J.T.D. Llewellyn'** (Syn. of 'John T.D. Lewelyn')

(a) **'J.T. Lovett'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *indicum* N: W. van Fleet, I: W. van Fleet, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 65mm wide, strong red (50A), with a darker blotch. Syn: 'Macranthum Rose'. Indian

(r) **'Juan de Fuca'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Blue Ensign' × *ponticum* H: H.L. Larson (1964), G: H.L. Larson (1971), N: H.L. Larson, I: H.L. Larson (1976), REG: H.L. Larson (1976) Fls 12/ball truss, 50 × 75mm, open funnel-shaped, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds vivid purple (81A), with vivid violet stripes, opening light purple (87C), with vivid violet (87A) edging, with blotch and with spots on the dorsal lobe of deep purplish red (59B). Calyx c1.5m long, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 150 × 50mm, glossy, dark green, hairless. Shrub 2.2 × 1.5m in 10 years. Mid June

(v) **'Juan Diego'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Carillon Bells' (s) × *leptanthum* H: B. Clancy (1982), G: B. Clancy (1985), N: B. Clancy (1996), REG: B. Clancy (1996) Fls 2/truss, pendent, tubular funnel-shaped, slightly zygomorphic, 20 × 30mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, moderate purplish red (184C) in bud, opening inside and out deep yellowish pink (43C); unspotted. Lvs elliptic, 30 × 10mm, flat, glossy above, cuneate at base, acute at apex, scaly (scales moderate orange 170C) when young, but dropped by time leaf is mature. Shrub 0.85 × 0.7m in 10 years.

(a) **'Juanita'** (Syn. of 'Hachmann's Juanita')

(r) **'Juanita'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Isabella Group × *griersonianum* R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, I: C. Ingram (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep pink, flushed with scarlet salmon at the base of the throat. (Infanta Group)

(r) **'Juba'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R.T. Pince (pre 1868), N: R.T. Pince, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in compact trusses, large, rich crimson purple, with an orange eye. (Perhaps a confusion with 'Jubar'? First published in Lucombe, Pince & Co. cat., c1868)

(r) **'Jubar'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1860), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light rosy crimson, with dark spots. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Jubilant'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Mrs Carmichael' (s) × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, 50-65mm wide, near vivid purplish red (74A) self. Shrub to 1.9m. Late April. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Jubilant'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Lady Bessborough Group (s) × Dido Group R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1957), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12-14/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, buttercup yellow (5/2) at edges, deepening to chrome yellow (605) in the throat, with faint, green, dorsal spots; flushed poppy red (16/2) in bud. Calyx up to 24mm long, chrome yellow (605). Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 125 × 50mm, hairless. AM 1966 Syn: 'Jalisco Jubilant', 'Peter Barber' (Jalisco Group)

(a) **'Jubilé'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Triumph' I: A. Haerens (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, salmon violet. Indian (Probably the plant listed additionally in the 1958 Register as 'Jubilee')

(a) **'Jubilé'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kirin' × 'Hinomayo' R: A. van Hecke (c 1945), N: A. van Hecke, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, light purplish pink. Very early. Kurume

(a) **'Jubilee'** See note under 'Jubilé' (Haerens)

(a) **'Jubilee'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Forsterianum' hybrid I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) (The Waterer rhododendron with this name also listed in the 1958 Register was an error for this azalea)

(a) **'Jubilee'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Illusion' (s) × 'Gaiety' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, 50-65mm wide, eosine pink (near strong pink (48C)), with a few tyrian rose spots in the blotch. Shrub to 1.0m. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Jubilee'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Bobbink & Atkins (pre 1950), N: Bobbink & Atkins, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls strong purplish red, very similar to 'Chippewa'. Bobbink & Atkins

(r) **'Jubilee Gold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' (s) × 'New Comet' H: A.F. George (1983), G: A.F. George (1993), N: A.F. George (2002), REG: A.F. George (2002) Fls 10-12/rounded truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 42 × 60mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, light orange-yellow (23C) to light yellow (17D) in bud, opening inside light yellow (10B) and deepening to brilliant yellow (10A), outside light yellow (10B); unmarked; anthers light brown; pistil green. Calyx irregular, brilliant yellow (10A). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 88 × 42mm, margins decurved, rounded at apex, curved at base, matt green above, hairless. Very compact shrub, 1.2 × 1.4m in 19 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Jubilee Queen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Loderi Venus' (s) × Rose du Barri Group R: Lady Loder, N: Lady Loder, I: Lady Loder (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white, tips of lobes tinged rose at first. AM 1935 (Jubilee Queen Group)

(r) **Jubilee Queen Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi Venus' (s) × Rose du Barri Group R: Lady Loder, N: Lady Loder, I: Lady Loder (1935), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Jucundissimum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1849), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Presumably the same plant listed by C. van Geert (1846) as 'Jucondissimum')

(a) **'Jucundum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Verschaffelt (1860), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Judann'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *brachycarpum* × 'Calcutta' × 'Tahiti' H: W.E. Delp (1982), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 18/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 43 × 51mm, 5-lobed, a blend of deep to pale purplish pink (55A-D), with a vivid yellow-green (154A) flare and dorsal spots. Calyx 6mm long. Lvs 114 × 51mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.2m in 10 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer (1992))

(a) **'Judd'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls hose-in-hose, reddish orange

(a) **'Judge Solomon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Formosum' R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 90mm wide, similar to 'Elegans Superbum', water melon pink. Indian

(r) **Judith Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Loderi Group (s) × General Sir John du Cane Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, flushed pink

(r) **'Judith Anne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Rochelle' × 'Catalgla' (green-eyed form) H: W.E. Delp (1965), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 18/truss, open funnel-shaped, 57 × 90mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, deep to light purplish pink (68A-D) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (65D), edged moderate and light purplish pink (68C, D), with strong purplish red (61B) dorsal spots and a vivid purplish red (61C) throat; filaments pale purplish pink (65D); style pale yellow-green (157A); anthers light yellowish pink (159A); stigma deep red (60A). Lvs 114 × 51mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.9 × 1.8m in 27 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer (1992))

(r) **'Judith Boyd'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cadis' × 'Kluis Sensation' H: J.B. Gable (pre 1972) Fls bright pink.

(r) **'Judith Ellen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Gillii' × 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague' H: D.J. Dosser

(1980), G: D.J. Dosser (1984), N: D.J. Dosser, I: Lockington Nursery (1987), REG: Lockington Nursery (1988) Fls 16/truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 100mm, 5-lobed, vivid purplish red (57C) with a darker dorsal flare. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 50mm, hairless. Shrub 1.5m tall. Spring

(r) **'Judith Ogdon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Elizabeth de Rothschild Group (s) × 'Karen Triplett' H: M. Tanggard (1986), G: B.J. Ogdon (1985), N: B.J. Ogdon (1998), REG: B.J. Ogden (1998) Fls 13/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 70 × 110mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, yellow with deep yellowish pink (47C) suffusions in bud, opening pale (11C) inside and out, unmarked; anthers brown; stigma green. Calyx 25mm long, wavy and recurved, pale yellow (11C). Lvs elliptic, 135 × 52mm, margins flat, apiculate at apex, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.6m in 10 years. Mid May.

(a) **'Judy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable (1944), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, crimson/rosy pink. Gable

(r) **Judy Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *falconeri* × *pachytrichum* R: Lady Loder, N: Lady Loder, I: Lady Loder (1935), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Judy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* (s) × *campylocarpum* R: D.W. James (1946), I: D.W. James (1956), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12/flat truss, funnel-campanulate, 65 × 90mm, pale yellow-green (4D) in bud, opening light greenish yellow (4C) with a small red blotch. Lvs ovate to elliptic. Large shrub. April

(r) **'Judy Clarke'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Idealist Group (s) × Hawk Group H: J. Clarke (1965), G: J. Clarke, N: The National Trust, Nymans Garden, I: The National Trust, Nymans Garden, REG: The National Trust, Nymans Garden (1983) Fls 8-12/truss, saucer-shaped, up to 100mm wide, 5-lobed, pale yellow-green (4D), deepening in throat to light greenish yellow (4C). Calyx up to 6mm long, green, flushed red-purple. Lvs oblong-elliptic, up to 90 × 50mm, hairless. AM 1983

(a) **'Judy Haskell'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid R: W.D. Smith (pre 1982), N: W.D. Smith Fls hose-in-hose, 65mm wide, with very wavy-edged lobes, white ground speckled bright red. (See *The Azalean* 4 (1):4-5 (1982) for notes on parentage)

(r) **'Judy Hassett'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi King George' × 'Phyle Donegan' H: W. McClure, G: W. McClure (1975), N: W. McClure, I: W. McClure, REG: W. McClure (1986) Fls 6-8/truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 80mm, inside light purplish pink (55C); outside strong purplish pink (55B); pale green flare on dorsal lobe. Lvs oblanceolate, 120 × 40mm. Shrub 1.0m

(a) **'Judy McIntire'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Nadine' I: O.S. Pride (1953), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light pink. Gable

(r) **'Judy Spillane'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* × 'Janet Blair' H: J.C. Wister (1958), G: The Tyler Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister (1970), I: The Tyler Arboretum (1972), REG: The Tyler Arboretum (1980) Fls 14-18/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 65mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (2.5RP 8/5) paling in centre, with a 13 × 20mm blotch of strong greenish yellow (7.5Y 7/9) spotting on 3 dorsal lobes. Lvs elliptic, 120-155 × 50-75mm, flat, obtuse to acute at apex, cuneate to oblique at base, moderate olive green (7.5GY 4/4) above, hairless. Shrub 2.4 × 2.1m in 20 years. Early June

(a) **'Juge de Kuyck'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, with strongly wavy-edged lobes, rose. Indian

(a) **'Jugo-ya'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, light purple. Satsuki

(a) **'Jukachi-ko'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon red; anthers bright red. Kurume

(a) **'Juko'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kotobuki' × 'Gyoten' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, with broad lobes, light purplish pink with a white centre, varying to pink with a pale pink to white centre; variable. Satsuki

(a) **'Julda Schipp'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Vuylsteke (pre 1875), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, blood red with a dark orange marking. Ghent (Sometimes listed as 'Julda Schupp', 'Julia Schipp' or 'Yulda Schipp'. 'Directeur Charles Baumann' may be the same plant)

(a) **'Julda Schupp'** (See note under 'Julda Schipp')

(a) **'Jules César'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (pre 1849), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vivid red, with an orange-yellow blotch. Ghent (Often seen in the translated form 'Julius Caesar')

(a) **'Jules Closon'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *japonicum* × *molle* subsp. *molle* R: F. de Coninck, N: Ed. Pynaert-van Geert (1894), I: Ed. Pynaert-van Geert, INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(az) **'Jules Closon'** cv. Azaleodendron: unknown rhododendron × a Mollis azalea H: G. van der Meulen, I: Ed. Pynaert-van Geert (1892), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, with rather long, obtuse lobes, brilliant carmine, with very distinct, small, black spots on the dorsal lobe only; stamens and style short, coloured (cf. *Revue Horticole Belgique* 20: 204-205 (1894))

(a) **'Jules de Schrijver'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: P. de Schrijver (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lively orange. Indian

(a) **'Jules Ferry'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, single, well-shaped, rose. Indian

(a) **'Jules Kerrebroeck'** (Syn. of 'Jules van Kerrebroeck')

(r) **'Jules Porgues'** (Syn. of 'Madame Jules Porgès')

(a) **'Jules van Kerrebroeck'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Sander & Sons (1923), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, bright red. Syn: 'Jules Kerrebroeck'. Indian

(a) **'Jules van Loo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, red, with a dark purple-red blotch, surrounded by violet. Indian

(a) **'Jules Verne'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: E. van der Cruyssen (1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, white, with scarlet red stripes. Indian

(a) **'Jules Warocque'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. de Cock (1875), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Julia'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Paillet (pre 1845), N: Paillet, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white

(a) **'Julia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet orange. Indian

(a) **'Julia Blake'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Veitch & Sons (1882), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, deep carmine rose, with a darker centre. Indian

(r) **'Julia Grothaus'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Albatross Group × 'Golden Belle' H: Mrs M. Grothaus (1961), G: Mrs M. Grothaus (1966), N: Mrs M. Grothaus, I: Mrs M. Grothaus (1974), REG: Mrs M. Grothaus (1975) Fls 12/flat truss, 65 × 125mm, open funnel-shaped, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, buds strong yellowish pink (38A), edged pale yellowish pink (27D), opening with inner 1/3 of throat brilliant yellow (14C) with a moderate red (179A) blotch extending 1/2 way to edge of dorsal lobes, corollas basically strong yellowish pink (38A), ageing to light yellowish pink (38C), with almost white edging widening as flower ages. Calyx minute, brilliant yellow-green (149C). Lvs oblanceolate to narrowly obovate, 155 × 80mm, moderate olive green (137B), hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.5m in 13 years. Early June. (Sometimes seen in error as 'Julie Grothaus')

(a) **'Juliana'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Knight & Perry (pre 1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine orange, strongly dotted. Indian

(a) **'Juliana'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. van Geert (1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-yellow. Ghent

(a) **'Juliana'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C.B. van Nes & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep pink. Kaempferi

(r) **'Juliana'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from 'Duchesse de Nemours' R: unknown (pre 1849), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, tinged lilac. (Exhibited by Paillet (France) 1849. cf *Revue Horticole* 3:151 (1849))

(r) **Juliana Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × 'Queen Wilhelmina' R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, I: C. Ingram (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet

(a) **'Juliana Knight'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: F. Schneider (1863), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Juliana Nova'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-yellow. Ghent

(a) **'Julian Elmer'** (Syn. of 'Juliann Elmer')

(a) **'Juliann Elmer'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Orangeade' × *austrinum* H: G. & T. Elmer (1966), G: G. & T. Elmer (1977), N: G. & T. Elmer, REG: G. & T. Elmer (1984) Fls 12-14/truss, saucer-shaped, 65-75mm wide, 5-lobed, light orange-yellow (23C), tips vivid reddish orange (30A), dorsal blotch of 30A; scented. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 75-90 × 25-40mm. Shrub c2.2m in 15 years. Syn: 'Julian Elmer'

(r) **'Julian Pot'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Prince Camille de Rohan' × unknown H: J. Pot (pre 1980), G: J. Pot, N: Am.Rh.Soc., Great Lakes Chapter study grp (1993), REG: Am.Rh.Soc., Great Lakes Chapter study grp (1993) Fls 14/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 83 × 83mm, with 6 smooth-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (62B), with a dark red (59A) flare in the throat; slightly scented; stamens 12, curved, unequal; style white. Calyx 1-2mm long, pink. Pedicels 38mm long. Lvs elliptic, 108 × 44mm, convex, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, glossy green, hairless; petioles 25mm long. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 10 years. Early-mid May.

(a) **'Julian Sander'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Sander & Sons (1923), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rose. Indian

(a) **'Julia Schipp'** (See note under 'Julda Schipp')

(a) **'Julia Scott'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Elsie Lee' × 'Amagasa' H: S. Schroeder, G: C. Hicklin, I: C. Hicklin (pre 1982) Fls double, 65-75mm wide, white. Lvs glossy. Compact, rounded shrub, 0.6m in 5 years

(a) **'Julia Second'** (Syn. of 'Juliana Nova')

(a) **'Julia Vervaene'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1889), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls big, semi-double or sometimes double, lively rose orange with a broad pure white scalloped edge, covered with carmine red specks and stripes. Indian (Presumably the same plant awarded an AM in 1894)

(a) **'Julie'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. de Cock (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange and red. Ghent

(r) **'Julie'** (Syn. of 'Loderi Julie')

(r) **'Julie'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown Fls pinky mauve

(a) **'Julie Ann'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Kurume seedling × unknown H: G. Langdon, G: G. Langdon, N: G. Langdon, I: G. Langdon, REG: G. Langdon (1980) Fls strong purplish pink (55B)

(a) **'Julie Dupont'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. van Geert (1877), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls strong purplish pink, with a deep yellow blotch; tube pale rose red; stamens red

(r) **'Julie Grace'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (Exbury form) × *wardii* H: L.B. Mraw (1967), G: L.B. Mraw (1975), N: L.B. Mraw, REG: L.B. Mraw (1987) Fls 14/conical truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 13 × 25mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale yellow-green (4D), with strong greenish yellow spotting (151A) on three dorsal lobes. Calyx less than 1mm long, light yellow-green (145C). Lvs elliptic, flat, 89 × 38mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.4 × 0.3m in 20 years. Mid May

(r) **'Julie Grothaus'** (An error for 'Julia Grothaus')

(a) **'Julie Janus'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schäfer (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, intense rose, glossy. Indian

(a) **'Juliet'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Roehrs, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, deep rose. Indian

(v) **'Juliet'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Taylorii' × *javanicum* var. *teysmannii* R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1891), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in shades of primrose yellow

(r) **'Julie Titcomb'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marinus Koster' (s) × Snow Queen Group I: H.L. Larson (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 16/truss, 115mm wide, carmine outside, flushed pink on dorsal parts within; some crimson spotting. Lvs 175 × 55mm. Shrub over 2.0m

(a) **'Juliette'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, deep pink, with wavy-edged lobes. Indian

(a) **'Juliette'** cv. Deciduous azalea: described as an Exbury seedling R: W. Kern (pre 1985), N: W. Kern Fls 75mm wide, light orange. Early

(r) **'Julischka'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Thunderstorm' (s) × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: H. Hachmann (1968), G: H. Hachmann (1973), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hackmann (1980), REG: G. Stück (1983) Fls 16-20/truss, 35-40 × 45-50mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (63A), shading to vivid purplish red (57D) and to pale purplish pink (56D) in throat; outside dark red (59A); inside marked 59A on 56D. Calyx 2-4mm long, greenish pink. Lvs lanceolate/obovate, 100-130 × 40-50mm, hairy. Shrub up to 2.0m

(a) **'Julius Caesar'** (See note under 'Jules César')

(a) **'Julius Roehrs'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. Eeckhaute (1903), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, vivid purplish red (57C). Calyx normal, green. Late. AM 1905. Indian

(r) **'Julius Rüppel'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Firma Seidel (1880), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with few carmine markings

(r) **'Julius Schäme'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Firma Seidel (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with a purple blotch

(r) **'July Appreciation'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: white-fld *maximum* (s) × 'Ponticum Roseum' H: Scott Arboretum (1953), G: John J. Tyler Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister (pre 1980)

(a) **'July Charm'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *prunifolium* × 'Coquille' R: L.F. Frisbie (pre 1965), N: L.F. Frisbie Fls 50mm wide, light orange. Late July

(r) **'July Delight'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: white-fld *maximum* (s) × 'Ponticum Roseum' H: Scott Arboretum (1953), G: John J. Tyler Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister (pre 1980)

(r) **'July Expectation'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: white-fld *maximum* (s) × 'Ponticum Roseum' H: Scott Arboretum (1953), G: John J. Tyler Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister (pre 1980)

(a) **'July Flame'** cv. Parentage unknown H: uncertain (pre 1993) (Grown in the UK. Probably a deciduous azalea raised by M.C. Pratt)

(r) **'July Fragrance'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Isabella Group (s) × *decorum* subsp. *diaprepes* R: Hilliers, N: Hilliers, REG: Hilliers (1967) Fls 8-10/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 80 × 110mm, 7-lobed (the lobes broadly ovate, rounded, 30 × 40mm, crenate-undulate, wavy), white with a crimson (22) stain at the base of the throat (showing through as a pale rose glow on outside); stamens 15; strongly scented. Calyx a narrow rim with occasional lobes 1-2mm long. Lvs oblanceolate to oblong-oblanceolate, 160-260 × 35-70mm, truncate or rounded at base, flushed bronze when young. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'July Giant'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Polar Bear Group (s) × Albatross Group, pink selection H: M. Robinson (1984), G: M. Robinson (1991), N: M. Robinson, REG: M. Robinson (2002) Fls 12/truss, funnel-shaped, 100 × 130mm, with 7 reflexed lobes, greenish white (close to 157D), throat with a small area of light yellow (12C); strongly scented. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs lanceolate, 180 × 55mm, hairless; petioles not purple. Shrub 3.0 × 5.0m in 15 years. Early July. (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0035293))

(r) **'July Holiday'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: white-fld *maximum* (s) × 'Ponticum Roseum' H: Scott Arboretum (1953), G: John J. Tyler Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister (pre 1980)

(r) **'July Hope'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: white-fld *maximum* (s) × 'Ponticum Roseum' H: Scott Arboretum (1953), G: John J. Tyler Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister (pre 1980)

(a) **'July Jester'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'S.D. Coleman' (s) × 'Scarlet Salute' H: D.G. Leach (1961), G: D.G. Leach (1966), N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1978) Fls single, 5-6/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 45mm, 5-lobed, vivid reddish orange (40B), with an indistinct vivid reddish orange (30B) blotch. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 65 × 25mm, slightly bullate, dark green. Shrub 1.4 × 1.0m in 16 years. Mid July

(a) **'July Jewel'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'S.D. Coleman' (s) × 'Scarlet Salute' H: D.G. Leach (1961), G: D.G. Leach (1966), N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1978) Fls single, 5-7/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 40mm, 5-lobed, vivid reddish orange (33A), with a fugitive, vivid reddish orange (30A) blotch. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic (to narrowly lanceolate), 60 × 27mm, bullate, dark green. Shrub 0.5 × 1.0m in 16 years. Late July

(a) **'July Jingle'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'S.D. Coleman' (s) × *arborescens* H: D.G. Leach (1961), G: D.G. Leach (1967), N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1978) Fls single, 6-7/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 40mm, 5-lobed, moderate purplish pink (54D), suffused deep pink (52C) in centre of lobes, with a faint, pale orange dorsal blotch. Calyx 5mm long, green. Lvs oblanceolate (to narrowly lanceolate), 70 × 25mm, dark green, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.3m in 16 years. Mid July

(a) **'July Joy'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *prunifolium* × *arborescens* H: D.G. Leach (1961), G: D.G. Leach (1967), N: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1985) Fls 6/truss, 35 × 42mm, 5-lobed, strong pink (49A), flushed moderate pink (48B) on edges of lobes, with a brilliant orange (25C) dorsal blotch. Calyx 5mm long, green. Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 52-70 × 25-26mm, glaucous below, hairless

(a) **'July Joy'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *cumberlandense* × *prunifolium* R: O. Holmsomback (pre 1985), N: O. Holmsomback Fls deep pink, with a light yellow blotch. Early July

(a) **'July Jubilation'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'S.D. Coleman' (s) × 'Cream Puff' H: D.G. Leach (1961), G: D.G. Leach (1966), N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1978) Fls single, 6-7/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 35 × 40mm, 5-lobed, strong yellowish pink (40D), flushed strong reddish orange (40C), with a diffuse brilliant orange (25C) blotch; scented. Calyx c1.5mm long, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 65 × 22mm, slightly bullate, mid green. Shrub 0.7 × 1.0m in 16 years. Mid July

(a) **'July Julep'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'S.D. Coleman' (s) × 'Cream Puff' H: D.G. Leach (1961), G: D.G. Leach (1967), N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1978) Fls single, 6-7/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, 5-lobed, strong yellowish pink (40D), suffused strong reddish orange (40C), ageing to strong yellowish pink (32D), with a diffuse orange blotch; scented. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic (to obovate), 70 × 27mm, mid green, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.25m in 16 years. Late July

(r) **'July Morn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: white-fld *maximum* (s) × 'Ponticum Roseum' N: J.C. Wister (pre 1980) (Probably hybridized at Scott Arboretum, 1953)

(a) **'July Peach'** (Syn. of 'Framingham')

(r) **'July Possibility'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* × 'Ponticum Roseum' H: Scott Arboretum (1953), G: The Tyler Aboretum, N: J.C. Wister (pre 1980) Fls pale pink

(r) **'July Reward'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: white-fld *maximum* (s) × 'Ponticum Roseum' H: Scott Arboretum (1953), G: John J. Tyler Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister (pre 1980)

(a) **'July Yellow No.1'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Weston Nurseries (pre 1988), N: Weston Nurseries Fls small, rich yellow, slightly scented. Mid July.

(r) **'Jumping Jeff'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'C.I.S.' × 'Jock' H: G. Bell (1964), G: G. Bell (1969), N: G. Bell, REG: G. Bell (1986) Fls 5-6/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 95mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63A) in bud, opening deep pink (52C), throat deep pink (52B) with darker coloured (vivid red, 52A) rays at dorsal lobe sinuses. Calyx 19-25mm long, deep pink (52B). Lvs broadly elliptic, 83 × 44mm, dull, moderate olive green (147A) above, greyish yellow-green (148C) below, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.4m in 16 years. Late April-early May

(a) **'Junbi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 90-100mm wide, white, with a greenish blotch and deep pink stripes, flecks and sectors. Satsuki

(r) **'Junco'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tumalo' × 'Fawn' (s) × 'Tumalo' H: D.W. James (1955), G: D.W. James, I: Mrs R. James, REG: Mrs R. James (1980) Fls 6-8/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 100mm wide, with 7 flat-edged lobes, white in bud, opening white; strongly scented. Calyx 25mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly obovate to oblanceolate, 125 × 50mm, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 2.1m in 22 years. April-May

(a) **'June'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Maria Elena' × 'Linda Jean' H: W.L. Guttormsen (1975), G: W.L. Guttormsen (1979), N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen

(c 1983), REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1985) Fls 1-2/truss, double (13-lobed, stamens all petaloid), open funnel-shaped, 25 × 55mm, deep pink (50B), throat light red, with spotting on dorsal lobes. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs more-or-less elliptic to more-or-less broadly elliptic, 22-30 × 13-20mm, more-or-less moderate olive green (147A), glossy, somewhat bullate, hairy. Shrub 0.35 × 0.85m in 6 years

(r) **'June Achievement'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: pink-fld *maximum* (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* H: Scott Arboretum (1953), G: John J. Tyler Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister (pre 1980)

(r) **'June Beauty'** cv. Parentageunknown L: USA (1985) Fls bright pink, with a red blotch

(r) **'June Bee'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *keiskei* (prostrate selection) (s) × 'Mary Fleming' H: W.E. Berg (1969), G: Mrs J.E. Sinclair (1972), N: W.E. Berg & Mrs J.E. Sinclair, REG: W.E. Berg & Mrs J.E. Sinclair (1995) Fls 17-22/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 25 × 38mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, pale yellow-green (4D) in bud, opening yellowish white (155B); some fls with a faint, longitudinal ribbon of pale purplish pink (56A) on outside of dorsal lobe; stamens 10, curved, unequal. Pedicels c6mm long, pale yellow-green (155A). Calyx c1.5mm long, pale yellow-green (155A). Lvs elliptic, 44-51 × 16-19mm, slightly concave, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, dull, dark green (135A) and hairless above, moderate yellow-green (147B) and scaly below; scales brown; petioles 3mm long, strong yellow-green (145A). Shrub 1.1 × 1.5m in 17 years. Early-mid April.

(r) **'June Bloom'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Midsummer' × Delp's red-flowered *catawbiense* (s) × 'Midsummer' × Delp's red-flowered *catawbiense* H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls strong purplish red (63A) in bud, opening strong and light purplish pink (63C, D); filaments and style pale yellow-green (157A); anthers moderate orange-yellow (167D); stigma strong red (47B). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(a) **'June Bride'** cv. Deciduous azalea: derived from *arborescens* × *cumberlandense* G: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1964) Fls 4-5/truss, 50mm wide, white, with a bifurcate, light orange-yellow (22B) blotch; stigma red. Lvs oblanceolate, 70 × 27mm, glaucous below. Shrub 1.4 × 2.0m in 12 years. Late June

(r) **'June Bride'** (Syn. of 'Ben's June Bride')

(r) **'June Celebration'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Disca' (s) × 'Graf Zeppelin' H: B. & M. Shapiro (1966), G: B. & M. Shapiro, N: B. & M. Shapiro, REG: B. & M. Shapiro (1993) Fls 10-12/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 70 × 89-102mm, with 5 wavy to very wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (65A) in bud, opening light purplish pink (65B) with dorsal lobe shading to greenish yellow throat, very faint speckles of moderate purplish pink (65A) on all lobes; slightly scented. Calyx 1-2mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 152 × 51mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.4m in 25 years. Early June

(r) **'June Champion'** cv. Elepidoterhododendron: pink-fld *maximum* (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* H: Scott Arboretum (1953), G: John J. Tyler Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister (pre 1980)

(a) **'June Dawn'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon red, with a deep orange underlay, flaked carmine. Indian

(r) **'June Day'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: pink-fld *maximum* (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* H: Scott Arboretum (1953), G: John J. Tyler Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister (pre 1980)

(a) **'June Delight'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *occidentale* S: L.F. Frisbie (pre 1965), N: L.F. Frisbie Fls 50mm wide, orange, tinted pink. Late

(r) **'June Festival'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* hybrid N: B. & M. Shapiro (1993), REG: B. & M. Shapiro (1993) Fls 15-18/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 57 × 83mm, with (5-)6(-7) smooth-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (67B) in bud, opening very pale purple (69B) with moderate purplish red (59C) speckles on two dorsal lobes to within c10mm of edge; outside at base and on ribs vivid to deep purplish red (67B, C). Calyx 2mm long, light green to tan. Lvs lanceolate, 127-152 × 38-51mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 2.7m after 40 years or more. Early June. (Acquired from Rhodo-Lakes Nursery in 1952; believed to be of British origin and un-named or name lost)

(a) **'June Fire'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *prunifolium* × 'Royal Lodge' H: M.C. Pratt (1975), G: M.C. Pratt (1979), N: M.C. Pratt, I: M.C. Pratt, REG: M.C. Pratt (1981) Fls 4-5/truss, 30-40 × 20-30mm, 5-lobed, strong red (45D); not scented. Calyx 1-2mm long, brown. Lvs ovate, 60-70 × 20-30mm, slightly glaucous below, hairy above.

(r) **'June Fire'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × (Dexter no.26 × *griersonianum*) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* H: Scott Arboretum (1953), G: John J. Tyler Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister Fls glowing red

(a) **'Juneglow'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from plants derived from seed collected in Japan, 1929 (as PI no.81661) R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3-4/truss, 25-30mm wide, orange salmon. Shrub to 1.5m. Late. Glenn Dale

(a) **'June Jasmine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Chiyoda-nishiki' (s) × 'Juko' R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls single, 70mm wide, marbled light orchid pink with lighter lobes, centre and throat greenish white, with a few rosy red lines and sectors; lobes wavy-edged. Mid June. (First published in Holly Springs cat., 1990)

(r) **'June Magic'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: pink-fld *maximum* (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* H: Scott Arboretum (1953), G: John J. Tyler Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister

(r) **'June Maid'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: pink-fld *maximum* (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* H: Scott Arboretum (1953), G: John J. Tyler Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister Fls in tight globe-shaped trusses, pure white

(r) **'June Melody'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: pink-fld *maximum* (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* H: Scott Arboretum (1953), G: John J. Tyler Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister

(r) **'June Miss'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: pink-fld *maximum* (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* H: Scott Arboretum (1953), G: John J. Tyler Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister

(r) **'June Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: S. Hall (c 1972), I: S. Hall (c 1983) Fls bright pink, with gold in the throat. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Late

(r) **'June Pink'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: un-named hybrid of 'Olga Mezitt', open-pollinated G: Weston Nurseries, S: E.V. Mezitt (1977), N: R.W. Mezitt, I: Weston Nurseries (1995), REG: R.W. Mezitt (1998) Fls 8-11/flat domed truss, open funnel-shaped, c40 × 45mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (66D). Calyx c1mm long, green/brown. Lvs elliptic, 75 × 30mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, with scales below and on petioles. Shrub 0.75 × 0.75m in 7 years. Early June. (First published in Weston Nurseries cat., 1995)

(r) **'June Rhapsody'** cv. Parentage unknown R: D.L. Hardgrove (c 1958), N: D.L. Hardgrove

(a) **'June Rose'** cv. Deciduous azalea: (*amagianum* × *reticulatum*) selfed H: M.C. Pratt (1969), G: M.C. Pratt, N: M.C. Pratt, I: M.C. Pratt, REG: M.C. Pratt (1978) Fls strong purplish red (58C), with a vivid purplish red (67B) flare. (Plant died before being released)

(r) **'June Rose'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (pre 1980)

(a) **'June Skies'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 65mm wide, with rounded lobes, salmon, with a rose blotch. Very late. Bobbink & Atkins

(r) **'June Sun'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × (Dexter no.26 × *griersonianum*) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* H: Scott Arboretum (1953), G: The Tyler Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister

(r) **'Jungfrau'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Marie Antoinette Group × unknown seedling R: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild, REG: E. de Rothschild (1966) Fls 24-32/large, conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 95mm, creamy white in throat, flushing to pale tyrian rose (24/3) at tips. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 65mm, dark green, hairless. May. AM 1966, FCC 1992

(r) **'Jungle Star'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Blue Peter' (s) × 'White Gold' H: M.J. Whitman (1991), G: M.J. & B. Whitman (1998), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (1998), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (1998) Fls 17-19/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, strong purple (64A) in bud, opening inside very light purple (85C), with a narrow edging of strong purple (84A) and a strong yellow-green (143B) dorsal blotch; outside shading from strong purple (84A) margins to very light purple (85C) base. Lvs elliptic, 130 × 55mm, margins slightly decurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.5m in 7 years. Early April

(a) **'Juniduft'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *viscosum* (s) × 'Orange Hit' H: H. Hachmann (1985), G: H. Hachmann (1991), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls single, 12/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40-45 × 55mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged and recurved lobes, inside pale purplish pink (55D), midveins light purplish pink (55C), some areas especially on dorsal lobes strong purplish pink (55B); outside similarly coloured but tube intensely strong red (53B/C) all round, hairy; dorsal lobe with a vivid yellow (17C) blotch extending down to throat; stamens 10, very long (55mm), filaments white, anthers deep orange-yellow (163A); style 61mm long, moderate yellowish pink (39C), stigma dark red (187A); ovary felted silvery white; sweetly scented in warm weather. Calyx c1mm long, light green, hairy. Pedicels reddish green, hairy. Lvs ovate to oblong-lanceolate, 30-70 × 15-30mm, flat, acuminate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and more-or-less hairless above, slightly bristly on midrib below. Shrub 1.2 × 1.3m in 10 years, with fls appearing after the purple bronzed young foliage. Late May-mid June. (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030646). First published in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(r) **'Junifee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hachmann's Charmant' (s) × 'Anilin' H: H. Hachmann (1986), G: H. Hachmann (1992), N: H. Hachmann (1993), I: H. Hachmann (1998), REG: G. Stück (1999) Fls 16-18/dense truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45 × 65-75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside vivid purplish red (67B) at edges, otherwise strong purplish red (67A) on lobes fading inwards to light purplish pink (68D), and very pale purple (69A) in the throat; outside vivid purplish red (67B), with strong purplish red (67A) midveins; stamens 10, filaments very pale purple (69A/B), anthers strong purple (84A); style light purplish pink (63D), becoming strong purplish red (63A/B) below the dark red (187A) stigma. Calyx 1-2mm long, light yellow-green (145B). Lvs elliptic to ovate, 100-120 × 38-50mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate to somewhat oblique at base, somewhat convex, matt green, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.3m in 10 years. Early-late June. Flowers well even when very young. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1998-2000 (1998), with colour illustration)

(r) **'Junifeuer'** (Syn. of 'Hachmann's Junifeuer')

(r) **'Junifreude'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Omega' × 'Omega' H: H. Hachmann (1973), G: H. Hachmann (1979), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1986), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 13-16/truss, 40-50 × 65-72mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (71C), lobes strong purplish red (71B), shading to strong purplish pink (68B) in throat, dorsal markings of moderate olive green to moderate yellow-green (146A-B); outside shaded strong purplish red (64B). Calyx 1.5-2.0mm long, reddish green. Lvs ovate-elliptic, 115-135 × 47-58mm, slightly convex, acute at apex, cuneate(-oblique) at base, dark green and glossy above, hairless; petioles light brown. Shrub 0.7 × 1.3m in 10 years. Early-late June.

(r) **'Juniperle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mary Waterer' (s) × 'Moser's Maroon' H: H. Hachmann (1968), G: H. Hachmann (1974), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1983), REG: G. Stück (1984) Fls 12-15/truss, 35-40 × 55-60mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (63B), edges strong purplish red (63A), shading inwards to light to pale purplish pink (63C-D), marked strong to brilliant greenish yellow (151B-D). Calyx 3-5mm long, greenish with pink. Lvs elliptic/ovate, 105-125 × 42-46mm, slightly undulate, hairless

(a) **'Juno'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Costantini (1886), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **Juno Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Amaura Group (s) × F.C. Puddle Group H: Lord Aberconway (1932), G: LordAberconway, N: LordAberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink.

(v) **'Juno'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1891), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange buff

(a) **'Jupiter'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Sander (c 1885), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls fiery red. Sander

(r) **'Jupiter'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed by van Houtte under "*caucasicum grandiflorum*")

(r) **'Jupiter'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs E.C. Stirling' hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft lilac rose

(a) **'Jura'** cv. Semi-evergreen azalea: *yedoense* × unknown H: H. Frei (c 1970), G: H. Frei (1975), N: Firma C. Esveld, I: Firma C. Esveld (1980), REG: Royal Boskoop Hort.Soc. (1990) Fls single, 4-5/truss, funnel-shaped, 30-40mm long, 5-lobed, greyish lilac. Calyx green. Lvs narrowly ovate, 40-50 × 20-30mm, hairless. Shrub 1.0m in 15 years. May

(a) **'Jurin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c50mm wide, white, variously marked with red and light red; red, light red and white selfs also produced. Satsuki

(a) **'Jusanya'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(r) **'Justa Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs A.T. de la Mare' (s) × 'Trude Webster' H: D. Sanders (1986), G: Sanders Nursery (1991), N: M. Sanders, I: Sanders Nursery (1995), REG: M. Sanders (1998) Fls 20/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 100mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, very pale purple (69D), with very pale purple (69B) edges and sparse dorsal spotting of strong reddish purple (70B). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 180 × 55mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, glossy and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 2.1m in 11 years. Mid-late April

(r) **'Just Dessert'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mindy's Love' (s) × (('Lem's Goal' × Loderi Group) × 'Lem's Cameo') × ((Lem's Goal' × Loderi Group) × 'Brandt's Tropicana')) H: J. Barlup (1988), G: J. Barlup (1992), N: J. Barlup, REG: J. Barlup (1995) Fls 15/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (51B) in bud, opening strong pink (49A) at edges, shading inside to light yellow (18B) with the dorsal lobe light yellow (10B) and sparsely spotted moderate yellow (161B); outside light yellow (18B), shading to deep pink (52C) midribs; stamens 10, straight, unequal. Calyx 40mm long, deep pink (51B) and light yellow (10B). Pedicels 40mm long, moderate red (179B). Lvs elliptic, 114 × 48mm, convex, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (146C) below, hairless; petioles 20mm long, light olive (152B). Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 7 years. Early April-early May

(r) **'Just Dreamin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* × *wardii* H: G. Langdon, G: G. Langdon, N: G. Langdon, I: G. Langdon, REG: G. Langdon (1980) Fls 16/truss, light greenish yellow (4C), with a deeper centre

(r) **'Just Fancy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (Exbury form) × 'Fred Wynniatt' (FCC clone) H: R.J.R. Drayson (1978), G: Harkwood Acres, N: R.J.R. Drayson, REG: Harkwood Acres (1991) Fls 14-16/truss, open campanulate, 60 × 87mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (48A) in bud, opening pale yellow (19C), edged deep pink (48A); flower paling to pale greenish yellow (13D), edged strong pink (48C); pistil strong greenish yellow (151B). Calyx 25mm long, pale yellowish pink (29D) in bud, opening to pale greenish yellow (13D), fading to pale yellow (11D). Shrub 0.42 × 0.59m in 11 years. May

(r) **'Justizrath Doktor Stein'** (Syn. of 'Justizrath Stein')

(r) **'Justizrath Stein'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *degronianum* subsp. *heptamerum* hybrid R: Firma Seidel, N: Firma Seidel, I: Firma Seidel (1873), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vivid salmon pink, with dark markings. Syn: 'Doktor Stein', 'Justizrath Doktor Stein'

(r) **'Just Jo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.A. Ragan (1969), G: W.A. Ragan

(1979), N: W.A. & J.E. Ragan, REG: W.A. & J.E. Ragan (1988) Fls 10/lax truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 51 × 70mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink in bud, opening light purple (84C) with a lighter pink throat; scented (scent likened to minty almond). Lvs oblong, 102 × 54mm, flat, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.5m in 18 years. Early-mid May

(r) **'Just Peachy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Weldy' (s) × 'Oh-too' H: T.L. Ring, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, strong red (51A), vivid red (52A) and pale yellowish pink (27C, D) in bud, opening pale yellowish pink (27D) tinged strong yellowish pink (43D), the throat pale orange-yellow (16D); anthers greyish reddish orange (174C). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(a) **'Justus van Maurik'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: H. Knepper & Sons (pre 1896), N: H. Knepper & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls campanulate, orange, with a bronze blotch. Mollis

(r) **'Jutland'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *elliottii* (s) × Bellerophon Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 19/ball truss, broadly campanulate, 55 × 70mm, geranium lake (20), freely spotted on dorsal lobes, and more sparsely on ventral lobes, with dark red; nectaries conspicuous. Lvs oblanceolate, 150mm long, dull dark green. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. June. AM 1947 (Jutland Group)

(r) **Jutland Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *elliottii* (s) × Bellerophon Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1942), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Jutta'** (Syn. of 'Alpenrose')

(r) **'Jutta'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: May Day Group × 'Goldsworth Orange' × 'Kluis Triumph' R: J. Bruns Nursery (1961), N: J. Bruns Nursery Fls 7-13/loose truss, 45-70mm wide, bright red, appearing as if varnished, with slight brownish marking. Calyx strongly developed

(r) **'Juwel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Essex Scarlet' × *forrestii* Repens Group R: D.G. Hobbie, N: D.G. Hobbie (1960) Fls 3-5/truss, funnel-shaped, dark scarlet red. Lvs 45-70mm long, shiny. Shrub up to 1.0m. Syn: 'Jewel'

(r) **'J.Wainright'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Stokes (pre 1969), N: W.E. Stokes

(r) **'J.W. Fleming'** (Syn. of 'John Willis Fleming')

(a) **'J.W. Moore'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1880), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, heavy carmine red. Indian

(a) **'J. Wolf'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Album Magnificum' I: Wolf (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with a broad, white edge. Indian

(r) **'Kabarett'** (Syn. of 'Hachmann's Kabarett')

(r) **'Kabuki'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: J.C. Cowles (pre 1967), G: Heritage Plantation, N: E. Cowles, REG: Sandwich Club, American Rhododendron Society (1992) Fls 10 or more/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 76 × 102mm, with 7 very wavy-edged lobes, mottled light pink on a white ground, with vivid reddish orange (34B) rays in centre of 3 dorsal lobes and freckles of same colour extending beyond the rays; stamens 10, straight; pistil curved, tan; slightly scented. Lvs narrowly obovate to oblanceolate, 178 × 51-76mm, dull and strong bluish green (127B) above, moderate yellow-green (138C) below, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 2.1m in 25-30 years. Late May-early June

(a) **'Kacha-no-kawa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 30mm wide, strong purplish red (63B), with a darker blotch. Very late. Kurume

(a) **'Kachina'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Rose Greeley' × 'Ward's Ruby' R: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1969) Fls 2/truss, hose-in-hose, up to 40mm wide, strong red-purple (7.5RP 5/12). Lvs25 × 10mm. Shrub to 0.6m. May

(v) **'Kadam'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown G: M. Jury, N: M. Jury, I: M. Jury (1998) Fls large, pink, with a yellowish throat. Lvs dark maroon. (Raised from seed ex Australia. First published in Mark Jury Nursery cat., 1998, p.11)

(a) **'Kaeger'** (Syn. of 'Elsa Kärger')

(a) **'Kaempo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* × 'Gumpo' I: H. Fowle (1960) Fls 40mm wide, deep purplish pink (66C), with darker spots. Low, compact shrub. Midseason

(a) **'Kagamijishi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 25-30mm wide, with small, rounded lobes, white, with flecks and stripes of strong pink. some deep pink selfs; some heavily marked. Lvs narrow. Low-growing shrub. Satsuki

(a) **'Kagaribi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 50mm wide, scarlet red, tinged nopal red. Kurume

(a) **'Kagayaki-no-matsu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls trumpet-shaped, 50-65mm wide, with rounded lobes, white, with a pale green blotch and flecks of deep pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Kagetsu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Chugai Nursery Co. (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 65-75mm wide, with rounded wavy-edged lobes, white, with occasional purplish pink stripes, or white centred with a purplish pink margin. Kurume

(a) **'Kagetsu-muji'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1959), N: Japan According to

Galle (1987), two distinct forms are known under this name: one with deep purplish pink fls, occasionally with a white centre and the other with fls 65-75mm wide, white, rarely with dots or flakes of deep purplish pink from the margin inwards (sometimes producing deep purplish pink self). Kurume

(a) **'Kagoshima'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, not opening fully and with laciniate lobes, dark red. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Kagoshima-sai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan, N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Similar to 'Kagoshima'. Kurume

(a) **'Kagura'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1978), N: Japan Fls hose-in-hose, up to 25mm wide, strong purplish pink (5RP 7/9), with a whitish throat and a darker blotch on the dorsal lobes. Kurume

(a) **'Kaguraoska'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, either white with crimson stripes, or light red with various markings or red with white or light red streaks. Satsuki

(a) **'Kaho'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Asahi-zuru' hybrid L: Chugai Nursery Co. (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 75mm wide, with rounded wavy-edged lobes, white, with occasional deep pink stripes; some light to deep pink self; some light pink with a white border. Satsuki

(a) **'Kahoku-no-tsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Aikoku' × 'Reigetsu' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, with rounded lobes, pale yellowish white, with stripes, through to pink selfs and with many variations. Satsuki

(a) **'Kaho-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Kaho' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 40-50mm wide, with small, narrowly spathulate, well-spaced lobes, white, with occasional deep yellowish pink stripes; some light or deep pink selfs. Satsuki

(a) **'Kai-dan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, c30mm wide, somewhat twisted, light red, almost pinkish. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Kaigetsu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Chugai Nursery Co. (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, white with a light reddish purple margin. Satsuki (Said by some sources to have leaves mottled and splashed creamy yellow. Perhaps the same plant listed as 'Kagetsu')

(a) **'Kairaku'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65-75mm wide, with rounded, wavy-edged lobes, wisteria purple and deep purple, with a white throat. Satsuki

(a) **'Kaisan-shibori'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c40mm wide, white, with red streaks and stripes of varying width. Tsutsuji

(r) **'Kaiser Franz Joseph'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Rinz (pre 1862), N: J. Rinz, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, bright poppy colour, with dark spots. Syn: 'Emperor Francis Joseph II', 'Franz Joseph', 'Empereur François-Joseph II'. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Kaiser Friedrich'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Bauer (1892), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, very bright rose with a broad, pure white edge. Indian

(a) **'Kaiserin Augusta'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Gebr Mardner (1874), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Kaiserin Elizabeth'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Firma S. Rinz (pre 1862), N: Firma S. Rinz, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls flesh pink, tinged rose

(r) **'Kaiserin von Russland'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alstroemerioides' hybrid R: J.B. Müller (pre 1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine, with darker flecks all over

(r) **'Kaiser von Russland'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alstroemerioides' hybrid R: J.B. Müller (pre 1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine, with darker spots on all lobes. Dwarf habit

(a) **'Kaiser Wilhelm'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: O. Schulz (1874), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, carmine red or rose red. SCC 1878. Indian

(a) **'Kaiser Wilhelm'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Gebr Mardner (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet vermilion with dark marks. Indian

(r) **'Kaiser Wilhelm'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Firma Seidel (1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red, with a fine blotch.

(a) **'Kaitlin Elizabeth'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Desirée' × un-named hybrid (no. CB-1) (s) × 'Florence Waldman' H: R. Stewart (1994), G: R. Stewart (1997), N: R. Stewart (2001), REG: R. Stewart (2001) Fls semi-double, 3/truss, funnel-campanulate, 50 × 40mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes and some petaloid stamens, white with tinges of light purplish pink (62C) in bud, opening inside white, very lightly flushed light purplish pink (62C) on lobes, with streaks of light purplish pink (62C), flecks of vivid purplish red (57C) and some greenish yellow dorsal spotting, outside blush pink. Calyx 10mm long, brilliant yellowish green (140B). Lvs elliptic, 30 × 20mm, margins flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and moderate yellow-green (138B) above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.75m in 6 years. Midseason

(r) **'Kaka'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ilam Alarm' (s) × *griersonianum* H: E.F. Stead (pre 1950), G: E.F.

Stead, REG: G.F. Smith (1986) Fls 12-14/truss, often held horizontally, funnel-shaped, 60 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, turkey red (721/2) with darker spotting in dorsal throat. Pedicels red, covered with white indumentum; style and stigma red. Calyx 3mm long, red. Lvs elliptic-lanceolate, 120 × 35mm, with a very thin, grey-green, plastered indumentum; petioles dark red on dorsal side. Shrub up to 2.0 × 3.0m. November-December (New Zealand). (Scarlet King Group)

(a) **'Kakie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Pryored' G: Marshy Point Nursery (pre 1995), N: Marshy Point Nursery Fls pale pink, with red stripes, flakes and sectors.

(a) **'Kakiemon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nanki-Poo' × *kaempferi* R: A.F. George, N: A.F. George, REG: A.F. George (1969) Fls 3/truss, deep pink (50B), with darker spotting.

(a) **'Kaki-koshimino'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c50mm wide, persimmon orange, streaked red and with strap-like segments between calyx and corolla; red selfs also produced. Satsuki

(a) **'Kakko'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light cherry red, marked and spotted deep purple (1958 Register); fls 50-65mm wide, white, with occasional light pink spots with a deeper margin (Galle, 1987, as 'Kako'). Satsuki

(a) **'Kako'** (See under 'Kakko')

(a) **'Kakuba-chinzan'** (Syn. of 'Kazan')

(a) **'Kakyo-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50mm wide, with rounded, well-spaced lobes, very pale purplish pink with a faint white throat; stamens and pistil pale pink. Satsuki

(r) **'Kalakala'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.A. Ragan (1969), G: W.A. Ragan (1980), N: W.A. Ragan, REG: W.A. Ragan (1988) Fls 8-9/slightly lax, domed truss, campanulate, 64 × 114mm, with 5+2 wavy-edged lobes (2 calyx lobes are more-or-less petaloid), deep pink tinged yellow in bud, opening strong purplish pink (55B) tinged yellow, shading to light greenish yellow (8C) in throat; some red/pink spotting in throat. Calyx 13-51mm long, strong purplish pink (55B). Lvs narrowly oblong, 178 × 57mm, flat, apiculate at apex, oblique at base, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 2.1m in 18 years. Early-mid May

(a) **'Kalakaua'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, flesh red, with a dark blotch. Indian

(a) **'Kalama'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Graciosum' (Occidentale) × a Ghent hybrid R: B.F. Lancaster, N: B.F. Lancaster, I: B.F. Lancaster (c 1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange, tinted pink

(r) **'Kalamaika'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Edeltraud' × 'Progrès' H: H. Hachmann (1977), G: H. Hachmann (1982), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1990), REG: G. Stück (1991) Fls 12/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40-45 × 55-70mm, 5-lobed, moderate to strong purplish red (56A/B), darker (62B/C) on midveins inside and out, shading to white in throat and with a conspicuous large blotch of dark red (187B/C) on 3 dorsal lobes; colour fades in sun. Calyx 2-3mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 110-120 × 35-40mm, mid green, with yellowish green midveins, hairless. Shrub 1.3 × 1.6m in 10 years, of compact, rounded habit. Early-late May

(a) **'Kaleidoscope'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kotobukihime' × 'Crimson Queen' (azalea) H: R.C. Vines, G: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines (pre 1990) Fls single, 3/truss, 70mm wide, with 5-6 rounded lobes, rosy red with a darker red blotch. Very compact shrub, 0.6 × 0.9m. Mid May.

(v) **'Kaleidoscope'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: (*konori* × *christianae*)F2 H: G.L.S. Snell (1983), G: G.L.S. Snell (1989), N: R. Macdonald (1991), I: Foothills Nursery (1991), REG: Foothills Nursery (1992) Fls 6-9/flat, loose truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 80 × 60mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, inside pale yellow (11C), flushed pink and with lobes pale yellow-green (4D); outside 11C, flushed pink. Lvs oblanceolate, 120 × 50mm, flat, hairless. Shrub 1.0m. Spring-autumn. (Published originally with the erroneous spelling 'Kaleidascope')

(r) **'Kaleinani'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Holy Moses' × 'Albatross' (s) × 'Abe Arnott' H: E.F. Newcomb (1981), G: L.L. & E.F. Newcomb (1987), N: L.L. & E.F. Newcomb, REG: E.F. Newcomb (1995) Fls 16-19/tall, ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65-85 × 90-125mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, inside strong reddish purple (70B), suffused with very pale purple (69B) towards the 69B centre; throat dark red (59A) to deep red (60A), with a solid and spotted flare of same colours on dorsal lobe; outside strong reddish purple (70B), with alternating rays of very pale purple (69B); stamens 10-12/straight, unequal. Calyx 1.5mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Pedicels 35-65mm long, moderate red (178B) above, deep greenish yellow (153A) below. Lvs narrowly elliptic/elliptic, 76-152 × 25-57mm, convex, acute at apex, oblique at base, dull and darker than moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (146C) below, hairless; petioles 15-20mm long, moderate yellow-green (146B) above, strong greenish yellow (151A) below. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 13 years. Late April-early May

(r) **'Kalimna'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Edith Boulter' × 'Unknown Warrior' R: V.J. Boulter, N: V.J. Boulter, I: V.J. Boulter (1971), REG: V.J. Boulter (1971) Fls 20/truss, strong purplish pink (55B) at tips, shading to pale purplish pink (55D) in centre, light yellow-brown on dorsal lobe. Shrub 1.1m

(a) **'Kalimna Beauty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Australia (pre 1984), N: Australia Fls with wavy-edged lobes, reddish purple. Indian

(a) **'Kalimna Gem'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Australia (pre 1984), N: Australia Fls single, purple to purplish red. Indian

(a) **'Kalimna Glory'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Australia (pre 1984), N: Australia Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, red. Indian

(r) **'Kalinka'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Morgenrot' (s) × 'Mars' × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: H. Hachmann (1969), G: H. Hachmann (1974), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1983), REG: G. Stück (1984) Fls 12-16/truss, 30-35 × 35-43mm, 5-lobed, pale purplish pink (56A), shading inwards to pale purplish pink (56B-D), marked strong yellow-green (144B-C). Calyx 2mm long, light yellow-green (145C-D). Lvs elliptic, 84-98 × 28-36mm, dark green and fairly glossy above, with a dark brown indumentum below. Shrub up to 2.0m

(r) **'Kallista'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage uncertain, perhaps including *nuttallii* and *lindleyi* L: J. Dean (1992), REG: G. Eaton (1998) Fls 3-5/open, lax truss, tubular-campanulate, 140 × 120mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, pure white inside except for vivid yellow (17B) throat (the colour strongest on strongly indented folds at base of corolla), outside pure white; stamens 10, uneven, filaments pale greenish yellow (1D), hairy at the base; ovary greyish yellow-green (194B), style brilliant yellow-green (150B), stigma strong greenish yellow (151B); strongly scented. Lvs obovate, 115 × 45mm, margins flat, obtuse at apex, attenuate at base, semi-glossy above, scaly. Shrub 2.5 × 1.5m. October (Australia). (Probably raised by A.C. Bramley and marketed by J. Dean, who bought Bramley's nursery)

(a) **'Kalmia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: R.E. Harrison (1966) Fls open campanulate, soft pink. Kurume

(r) **'Kalmiifolium'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *ponticum* L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1826), INC: ICRA (1958) (Perhaps the same as 'Calmiaefolia' (*sic*) listed by C.J.H. Walther (c1863) and 'Kalmiiflorum' by Knight & Perry, c1850)

(a) **'Kama-kura'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan, N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white or pinkish, streaked or marked darker red, occasionally all red. Kurume

(a) **'Kaminfeuer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *simsii* hybrid R: G Harmsen (1984) Fls semi-double, large, strong red (53D)

(a) **'Kami-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, white, with flakes, spots and blotches of deep purplish pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Kami-no-yama-kirin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan Fls with rounded lobes, white, heavily spotted and flaked deep purplish pink; some deep purplish pink selfs. Satsuki

(a) **'Kamiyo-goromo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, with rounded lobes, white, heavily striped strong purplish pink, with occasional pink selfs. Satsuki

(r) **'Kammer's Ruffles'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense*× unknown REG: M. Stockman (1992) Fls 13/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 38 × 70mm, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (71C) in bud, opening light purple (75A, 77C, 84B) at margins and shading to very pale purple (69C, D), with distinct deep to strong purplish red (71A, B, C) spotting on two dorsal lobes; stamens 13, curved, unequal; style red. Calyx 3mm long, pinkish ivory. Lvs narrowly obovate, 127 × 48mm, flat, subacute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy, bullate and light to medium green above, hairless. Shrub 1.2-1.5 × 1.8m. Mid April. Syn: 'Ruffles' (Widely grown in NW USA; may have originated at Kammer's Nursery. First published in *Greer's Guidebook to Available Rhododendrons* (1982))

(a) **'Kamo-murasaki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c60mm wide, deep purple. Tsutsuji

(r) **'Kamper Klostergarten'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Souvenir of Anthony Waterer' F2 (s) × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: H.J.A. Guyens (1986), G: H.J.A. Guyens (1991), N: H.J.A. Guyens (1999), I: H.J.A. Guyens, REG: H.J.A. Guyens (2000) Fls 12-17/open ball truss, funnel-shaped, 55-60 × 70-80mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, green in bud, opening pink/red inside and out; the dorsal lobe with a cream blotch and red-brown spots; stamens white. Lvs elliptic, 75-95 × 30-40mm, broadly acute at apex and base, margins flat, matt green above, with a slight, white, felted indumentum. Shrub 0.7 × 1.1m in 7 years. Mid-late May.

(r) **'Kamper Schönheit'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Souvenir of Anthony Waterer' × 'Direktor E. Hjelm' H: H.J.A. Guyens (1994), G: H.J.A. Guyens (2000), N: H.J.A. Guyens (2001), I: H.J.A. Guyens, REG: H.J.A. Guyens (2001) Fls 18-22/tight, globular truss, funnel-shaped, 70 × 80mm, with 7 slightly wavy-edged lobes, green in bud, opening inside salmon cream to silvery pink, outside bordeaux red to salmon pink; dorsal lobes with brown-red spots; a basal blotch of brown-red; fls age to apricot. Calyx 3-6mm long, salmon cream. Lvs oblong, 80-120 × 30-45mm, margins flat to rather wavy, more-or-less rounded at apex and base, matt green, hairless; petioles brown-red. Shrub 0.75 × 0.75m in 7 years. Late April-early May

(a) **'Kan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Kanabo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *scabrum* R: unknown (pre 1943), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Kanchenjunga'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' × *fortunei* × *decorum* H: G.W. Ring (1972), G: A.R. Brooks (1980), N: A.R. Brooks, I: A.R. Brooks (1985), REG: A.R. Brooks (1986) Fls 11-13/flat truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 51 × 89mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, buds paler than light yellow-green (145D), opening white, with two small dorsal rays of strong yellow-green (145A); moderately scented. Calyx 1.5mm long, greyish red (178A). Lvs elliptic, 89-133 × 38-64mm, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 2.4m in 13 years. Mid May

(a) **'Kandy Kid'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Davidson's Nurseries (1985) Fls semi-double, white, speckled pink

(a) **'Kanki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Meisei' R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 70-100mm wide, with 5-6 overlapping lobes, white with deep red hairline spotting (1958 Register) or white with large and small flakes of deep purplish pink, some coloured selfs. (Galle, 1987). Satsuki

(a) **'Kanoka'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown, but allied to *mucronatum* R: Japan, N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Similar to 'Sekidera', but with the flowers flecked

(a) **'Kanoko'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *scabrum* L: K. Wada (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, splashed carmine on dorsal lobe

(a) **'Kanoko-unzen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, white, spotted purple in dorsal throat. Branches thin and wirelike. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Kansei'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, crimson on white

(r) **'Kant'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Lindsay Smith' × *campylocarpum* hybrid I: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow, pink in bud

(r) **'Kantate'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Donar' × 'Amphion' H: H. Hachmann (1973), G: H. Hachmann (1978), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1987), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 13-18/tight truss, open funnel-shaped, 40-50 × 60-70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (67B) to deep or strong purplish pink (68A-B), throat very pale purple (69A), dorsal lobe spotted strong yellow-green (144A(-B)). Pedicels reddish green. Calyx 1.0-1.5mm long. Lvs broadly elliptic, 95-130 × 45-63mm, slightly convex, with recurved margins, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, dark green and slightly glossy above, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.6m in 10 years, of compact habit. Late May-mid June

(r) **'Kantilene'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: H. Hachmann (1968), G: H. Hachmann (1973), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1984), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 15-19/compact, rounded truss, 35-45 × 50-55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (61D), edges of lobes vivid purplish red (61C), colouring the same both inside and out; dorsal lobe spotted white, shading to white in throat; no darker markings. Calyx 1-2mm long, yellowish green. Lvs elliptic, 110-125 × 35-45mm, margins recurved, acute at apex, cuneate-rounded at base, dark green and glossy above, with a slight brownish indumentum below; petioles yellowish green. Shrub 0.8 × 1.3m in 10 years, of compact habit. Late May-mid June.

(a) **'Kan-tsutsugi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958). Kurume

(a) **'Kanuma-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Gyoko' × 'Hoshi' R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, with slightly pointed lobes, white, flaked, striped or dotted reddish orange; occasionally reddish orange, tipped white, with a greenish throat. Satsuki

(a) **'Kaoru'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, light red, tinged persimmon orange. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Kapitein Lindberg'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, orange. Indian

(v) **'Kapo'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *hellwigii* (s) × 'Ne Plus Ultra' H: J.L. Rouse (c 1990), G: R.A. Mitchell (1998), N: R.A. Mitchell (2002), REG: R.A. Mitchell (2002) Fls 5/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 90 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (52A) throughout; unmarked. Calyx 6mm long, strong red (53D). Lvs elliptic, 125 × 65mm, margins downcurved, acuminate at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and deep yellowish green (141A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 0.9m in 10 years. October-December. (Etymology: named for the Hawaiian goddess of sorcery)

(r) **'Kaponga'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* (blood red form) × 'Ivery's Scarlet' H: B. Hollard, G: B. Hollard, N: B. Hollard, I: B. Hollard, REG: B. Hollard (1979) Fls red

(a) **'Kappa-koshimino'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red, with a shorter hose-in-hose type whorl between calyx and corolla. Satsuki

(a) **'Kaprize'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Eri' R: K. Bauers & D. Getliņa (pre 1978), N: K. Bauers & D. Getliņa Fls 70mm wide

(r) **'Kapunatiki'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pacific Queen' × *wardii* H: Mrs G. Grant, G: L.A. & Mrs G. Grant (1976), N: L.A. & Mrs G. Grant, REG: L.A. & Mrs G. Grant (1988) Fls 11/truss, funnel-shaped, 60 × 100mm, pale greenish yellow (9D), with a half green/half red throat. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 45mm, hairless. Mid November (New Zealand). Syn: 'Grant's Gold'

(a) **'Karafune'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan. Satsuki (Listed as a parent of 'Kokko-no-bi')

(a) **'Kara-ito'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls without petals, but with long thin crimson stamens. Some accounts indicate that the stamens may develop ragged bits of petal-like structures; Galle (1987) also indicates it has a petaloid calyx. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Karakusa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in dense trusses, single, red, deeply lobed. Tsutsuji

(r) **'Karalee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' (s) × a late-flowering Whitney hybrid with frilled yellow fls H: J. Barlup (1978), G: J. Barlup (1982), N: J. Barlup, REG: J. Barlup (1995) Fls 10/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 7 very wavy-edged lobes, brilliant yellow (11A) with pale yellow (11C) margins inside and out; stamens 14, straight, unequal. Calyx c10mm long, brilliant yellow (11A). Pedicels 25mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Lvs elliptic, 121 × 48mm, flat, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (137A) above, strong yellow-green (145A) below, hairless; petioles 15mm long, moderate yellow-green (146C). Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 17 years. Early-late June. (First published in Greer Gardens cat., 1994)

(a) **'Kara-nishiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, 55mm wide, white with a chartreuse throat. Midseason. Syn: 'Chinese Brocade'. Kurume

(a) **'Kara-nishiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1978), N: Japan Fls single, up to 40mm wide, deep pink to strong purplish red (10RP 5/12) with darker stripes. Kurume

(a) **'Kara-no-tsutsuji'** (Syn. of 'Kurofune')

(r) **'Kara Tsuki Hana'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vicki Reine' (s) × 'Van Nes Sensation' H: M. Stockman (1989), G: M. & H. Stockman (1997), N: M. & H. Stockman (1998), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1998) Fls 11-14/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 115mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, light purple (75A-B) at margins, shading paler inside, with a deep red (53C) speckled flare in the dorsal throat; outside vivid to light reddish purple (74B-C). Calyx c3mm long, yellowish green. Lvs lanceolate, 155 × 65mm, with slightly wavy margins, acute at apex, rounded at base, glossy and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 0.9m in 9 years. Mid May. (The spelling and form of the epithet follows that of a registered name for a Shar-Pei (a breed of dog))

(a) **'Kara-tsutsuji'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c60mm wide, red. Tsutsuji

(r) **'Karel's Red'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Freckle Pink' (s) × 'Apricot Gold' H: K. Van de Ven (1986), G: K. Van de Ven (1990), N: K. Van de Ven (1996), REG: K. Van de Ven (1996) Fls 20/domed truss, campanulate, 80 × 85mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (47B) inside and out, unspotted; stamens 12, red, unequal. Calyx 5-13mm long, strong red (47B). Lvs elliptic, 112-155 × 36-54mm, margins twisted and decurved, obtuse at base, apiculate at apex, matt moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in 10 years. Late spring

(a) **'Karen'** (Syn. of 'Karens')

(a) **'Karen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J.B. Gable, L: Hager Nurseries (1983) Fls hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, lavender. Spreading shrub to 1.2m tall. Midseason

(a) **'Karen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls hose-in-hose, deep yellowish pink

(r) **'Kareness'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cynthia' × 'Purple Splendour' H: M. Stockman (1983), G: M. & H. Stockman (1989), N: M. & H. Stockman, I: M. & H. Stockman (1992), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1992) Fls 15/ball truss, flat saucer-shaped, 51 × 89mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish purple (72C), with 72B midribs, both inside and out; discrete, dark purple (79A) spots on dorsal lobe; stamens 10, curved, unequal, the filaments 72B to strong purplish red (71C); anthers creamy yellow; pistil also 72B to 71C. Calyx 3mm long, reddish. Pedicels 22mm long, light green, tinged red. Lvs elliptic, 114 × 41, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, mid glossy green above, hairless; petioles 22mm long, light green. Shrub 0.9 × 1.1m in 9 years. Early May

(a) **'Karenka'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 25mm wide, rose. Kurume

(v) **'Karen Morebeck'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *leucogigas* 'Hunstein's Secret' (s) × *konori* H: J.L. Rouse, G: K. Morebeck, S: K. Morebeck, N: Strybing Arboretum (2000), REG: Strybing Arboretum (2000) Fls 8/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 150 × 140mm, with 6-8 wavy-edged lobes, reddish purple in bud, opening inside greenish white (155C), shaded pale purplish pink (62D) in the throat; outside with white lobes and a darker pink tube; strongly scented. Calyx 50-75mm long, dark pink. Lvs oblong, 200 × 100mm, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, margins decurved, dull mid green above. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 5 years. Flowers at various times through the year

(r) **'Karenne Griffin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Midnight' × 'Mrs J.G. Millais' H: N. Sullivan, G: N. Sullivan (1990), N: N. Sullivan, I: N. Sullivan (1990), REG: N. Sullivan (1991) Fls 17/truss, funnel-shaped, with reflexed lobes, very light purple (76B), with a moderate red (179A) flare. Lvs elliptic, 180 × 45mm. Shrub 1.0m.

(a) **'Karens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: perhaps 'Hinodegiri' × *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* H: A. & A. Pedersen, G: Pedersen Nursery, I: Pedersen Nursery (pre 1950), REG: R. Keith & F.A. Giles (1979) Fls 3-4/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 30 × 45mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, doge

purple (732/3) with 732 spotting on dorsal lobe which extends onto adjacent lobes; slightly scented. Lvs elliptic to narrowly obovate, 30 × 13mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and hairy, turning wine red in early winter. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 6-8 years. Late April-early May. Syn: 'Karen'

(r) **'Karen Triplett'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Seattle Gold' (s) × un-named, late-flowering yellow H: H.L. Larson (1965), G: H.L. Larson (1976), I: H.L. Larson (1981), REG: H.L. Larson (1982) Fls 10-12/truss, 70 × 115mm, 6-lobed, brilliant yellow (12B). Calyx 25mm long, strong yellowish green (141C). Lvs 140 × 115mm, hairless

(r) **'Karianne'** (Syn. of 'Hachmann's Karianne')

(r) **'Karibean'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Unknown Warrior' × 'Ole Olson' (s) × *strigillosum* H: Mrs E.M. Watson (1975), G: Mrs E.M. Watson (1980), N: Mrs E.M. Watson, REG: Mrs E.M. Watson (1998) Fls 18/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 75 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (46A) in bud, opening strong red (53C) with light spotting of strong red (46A) on the dorsal lobe; nectaries strong red (46A). Calyx 6mm long, strong red (53C). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 165 × 45mm, margins flat to decurved, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (146A) and hairless above, with fine, more-or-less colourless hairs below when young; petioles hairy. Shrub 1.8 × 1.5m in 22 years. February-March

(r) **'Karibia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Brinny' (s) × 'Hachmann's Libelle' × (*brachycarpum* subsp. *brachycarpum* (as *fauriei* var. *rufescens*) × 'Goldsworth Orange') H: H. Hachmann (1983), G: H. Hachmann (1988), N: H. Hachmann (1993), I: H. Hachmann (1994), REG: G. Stück (1995) Fls 7-9/rather lax truss, tubular-campanulate, 65-70mm wide, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, inside warm cream/yellowish, throat amber/yellowish; outside cream/yellowish, shaded amber below especially when young; unmarked. Lvs broadly ovate, 90-100 × 45-50mm, flat, rounded at base, apiculate at apex, slightly glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.4m in 10 years. May. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1995/96)

(a) **'Karin'** cv. Deciduous azalea: the northern form of *molle* subsp. *japonicum* L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, in dense clusters, c60mm wide, deep crimson, almost coral. Syn: 'Ko-teki', 'Eizan-ko', 'Tokenka', 'Beni-renge'; Beni-renge-tsutsuji (Perhaps better treated as a Group ?)

(r) **'Karin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' × *williamsianum* R: Boskoop (pre 1966), N: Boskoop, REG: Boskoop (1968) Fls 8-9/truss, saucer-shaped, 80-90mm wide, phlox pink (625/1). Lvs broadly ovate, 50-80mm long, dull dark green. Globular shrub, 0.7m in 10 years

(r) **'Karin Seleger'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *impeditum* × *dauricum* H: J.B. Brueckner (1971), G: J.B. Brueckner (c 1973), N: J.B. Brueckner, REG: J.B. Brueckner (1989) Fls 5-7/ball or domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 19-25 × 25-38mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid to strong purple (81A/B, 82A/B). Lvs elliptic to ovate, 19 × 10mm, scaly above, flat, apiculate at apex, rounded at base. Shrub 0.76 × 1.0m in 18 years. Early May

(r) **'Karin Seleger'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown, but may include *insigne* R: R. Seleger (pre 1980), N: R. Seleger Fls 21-25/truss, 50-60mm wide, rosy red, with dark red markings. Shrub c1.6 × 1.8m in 10 years. (Grown at Esveld Nursery (The Netherlands) 'for decades' (2002), named by R. Seleger for his wife. The Selegers and the Brueckners were close friends, but Dr Brueckner was unaware Mr. Seleger had also named a plant for the same lady)

(r) **'Karkov'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × Red Admiral Group R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c16/globular truss, funnel-shaped, 75 × 85mm, 5-lobed, carmine rose, faintly and evenly spotted. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 150mm long, dull green above. AM 1947 Karkov Group

(r) **Karkov Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × Red Admiral Group R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1947), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Karl'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Apricot Gold' × 'Lem's Cameo' H: K. Van de Ven (1979), G: K. Van de Ven (1985), N: K. Van de Ven, I: K. Van de Ven (1986), REG: Olinda Nursery (1987) Fls 12-15/truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, 5-lobed, light yellowish pink (27A) inside, with lobes tipped deep pink (52B), outside 52B. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 60mm. Shrub 1.0 × 0.8m

(r) **Karl Foerster** (Syn. of 'Doktor h.c. Karl Foerster')

(a) **'Karl Glaser'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Coelestine' hybrid Fls single, hose-in-hose (with an average of 4 stamens/fl), c60 mm wide, vivid purplish red (57C). Calyx coloured. Lvs narrow, glossy. Late. Syn: 'Carl Glazer'. Indian

(r) **'Karl Hoschna'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Bow Bells' × Jasper Group R: C.S. Seabrook (1960), N: C.S. Seabrook, REG: C.S. Seabrook (1967) Fls in a loose truss, funnel-shaped, 50mm wide, pale greenish yellow (10D). Lvs small, glossy. Medium-sized shrub of open habit

(r) **'Kārlis'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *catawbiense* H: R. Kondratovičs (1957), G: R. Kondratovičs (1967), N: R. Kondratovičs, I: Rhododendron Nursery "Babīte" of University of Latvia (2001), REG: R. Kondratovičs (2002) Fls 14-18/dense, strongly domed truss, funnel-shaped, 50-70 × 50-70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside pastel lilac (437), with brown/olive green spots on the dorsal lobe; filaments dark violet pink, anthers grey violet; style dark violet, stigma dark cherry/brown. Calyx 1mm long, light

green. Lvs ovate, 160 × 60mm, flat, obtuse at apex, heart-shaped at base, glossy dark green above, hairless. Shrub 1.7 × 2.0m in 20 years. Late May-early June. (Published in *Dārzs un Drava*: 23-24 (November, 2001))

(a) **'Kārlis Sūniņš'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Niobe' × 'Professeur Wolters' H: R. Kondratovičs (1963), G: R. Kondratovičs (1968), N: R. Kondratovičs, I: Botanical Garden, University of Latvia (1985), REG: R. Kondratovičs (1989) Fls double, 1-3/truss, very broadly funnel-shaped, 80-90mm wide, with 5 large outer lobes and many smaller inner lobes, white. Calyx 30-50mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 65 × 25mm, light green, hairy. Shrub 0.45 × 0.35m

(r) **'Karl Koch'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light pink to light ruby red, with brown-red marking on a paler ground

(a) **'Karl Korn'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Basilisk' × 'Ginger' R: R.G. Korn (c 1966), N: R.G. Korn, REG: R.G. Korn (1968) Fls up to 15/compact truss, 100mm wide, moderate orange-yellow. Lvs 100 × 50mm, dark, glossy, blackish green above. Shrub up to 1.2 × 1.2m in 10 years. Mid May. Knap Hill

(r) **'Karl Korn'** (Syn. of 'Phyllis Korn')

(r) **'Karl Sauerborn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* hybrid R: D.G. Hobbie (c 1950), N: D.G. Hobbie, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10-18/rounded, dense truss, 45-70mm wide, inside yellowish cream with partly soft rose margins, outside soft rose to partly cream-coloured; slight brownish marking. Mid-late May

(r) **'Karmie Debris'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* (hardy form) (s) × 'Molly Ann' R: C. Trautmann (pre 1989), N: C. Trautmann

(a) **'Karminduft'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *viscosum* (s) × 'Nabucco' H: H. Hachmann (1985), G: H. Hachmann (1991), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls single, 9-14/rather loose truss, tubular funnel-shaped, with 5 slightly wavy-edged, recurved, acute lobes, inside strong red (53D), outside strong purplish red (54A); an inconspicuous blotch of vivid reddish orange (34A/B); dorsal lobe 20mm wide, other lobes 12-14mm wide; stamens 5, filaments 45mm long, vivid red (52A), anthers moderate orange (167A); style 55mm long, strong red (53D), stigma dark red (187A); spicily scented. Calyx c1mm long, light yellow-green (144D). Lvs ovate to oblong lanceolate, 40-45 × 16-21mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, matt green, lower surface bristly on midrib. Shrub 1.6 × 1.7m in 10 years. Late May-mid June. (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030647). First published in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(r) **'Karneval'** (Syn. of 'Prinz Karneval')

(r) **'Karol'** cv. Parentage unknown R: G. Clarke (pre 1980), N: G. Clarke

(a) **'Karui-no-himo'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1951), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2/truss, very open funnel-shaped, 28 × 45mm, near phlox pink (625). Lvs small, mid glossy green. Shrub c0.5 × 1.1m. (Sent to trial at Wisley by Waterer (Knap Hill))

(a) **'Kasane-kagaribi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1918), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 40mm wide, strong red (39A); anthers similarly coloured. Syn: 'Rosita'; Wilson no.32. Kurume

(a) **'Kasane-yuyo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1984), N: Japan. Kurume (A modern azalea according to Creech in his translation of Ito)

(a) **'Kasei'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan. Satsuki (Listed as a parent of 'Zuigetsu')

(a) **'Kashin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65-75mm wide, with 5-6, rounded, well-spaced lobes, white to light purplish pink, with many variants; lobe tips sometimes vivid purplish red. Low, spreading shrub. Satsuki

(a) **'Kashiwa-no-hoshi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1988), N: Japan Fls single, with 5 overlapping, smooth-edged lobes, white, variously suffused from edges with shades of purplish pink (some virtually purplish pink selfs); blotch of darker spots on and below dorsal lobe; very occasional dark streak. Satsuki

(a) **'Kashiwazaki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c40mm wide, white, marked with purple streaks; some almost purple and white selfs produced. Foliage small and dense. Satsuki

(a) **'Kashmir'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Osakazuki' (s) × 'Kagaribi' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3-5/truss, 75mm wide, begonia rose (near deep pink (50B)), with a broken blotch of tyrian rose dots. Lvs narrow. Shrub 1.9m. Mid April. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Kasho'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kaho' × 'Taihei' R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, with 6 overlapping, wavy-edged lobes, white, with a pale green blotch and purplish pink flakes and sectors; some self colours. Satsuki

(a) **'Kashu-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown N: Mrs T. Ogawa, I: Mrs T. Ogawa (pre 1987) Fls double, 75mm wide, white, with stripes and sectors of light to deep pink; some pink selfs. Syn: 'California Sunshine'. Satsuki

(a) **'Kashuron'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, persimmon orange, with red streaks; orange selfs also produced. Blooms summer and autumn. Satsuki

(a) **'Kassandra'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: O. Schulz, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white, with vermilion red lines and specks. Indian (Date of introduction probably between 1883 and 1895)

(a) **'Kasugano'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c30mm wide, light purple. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Kasugano'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 60-65mm wide, deep red. Satsuki

(a) **'Kasumi-gaseki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1918), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 30mm wide, deep purplish pink (55A) at edges, paler at centre, with darker spots (Galle, 1987); fls pale or shell pink (1958 Register). Syn: 'Elf'; Wilson no.12. Kurume

(a) **'Kasumi-no-tsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Katanga'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, REG: E. de Rothschild (1961) Fls 12/truss, flat, deep pink, deepening in the throat. Knap Hill

(r) **'Kate Alice Waterer'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Fisher, Son & Sibray (1898), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls edged scarlet. (Perhaps the same plant as 'Kate Waterer')

(a) **'Kate Arendall'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: T. Dodd ? (pre 1958), N: T. Dodd Fls hose-in-hose, 55mm wide, white. Lobes ruffled. Early

(r) **'Kate Boulter'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marion' (s) × 'Unique' H: F. Boulter (1988), G: F. Boulter (1990), N: F. Boulter (1995), I: Boulters Olinda Nursery (1995), REG: Boulters Olinda Nursery (1995) Fls 11-13/flat-topped truss, campanulate, 54 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (51B) in bud, inside opening light yellow (19B) in the throat, shading to deep pink (51C) at lobe edges and fading to light yellow (11B) with little blushing remaining; outside opening deep pink (51C), flushed deep pink (51B) on centre edges of lobes and fading to light yellow (19B) with age; red spots on dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 90-130 × 40-60mm, margins decurved, matt moderate olive green (147A) above, obtuse at base, acute at apex, hairless. Shrub 0.45 × 0.5m in 4 years. Mid spring

(r) **'Kate Greenaway'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs E.C. Stirling' hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 14-20/compact, pyramidal truss, 70-105mm wide, pale rose, with dark rose margins, inside becoming whitish rose with thin, red, distinct veins and very slight red marking. Mid-late May. Syn: 'Niobe'

(r) **'Kate Waterer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot) (c 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c17/hemispherical truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 60mm, rosy crimson, passing to clear rose with bright green markings on a white ground. Calyx lobes 2-6mm long, dull white. Lvs oblong-obovate, c120 × 40mm, dull dark green above, with vestiges of indumentum below. Shrub c1.5m

(a) **'Katharine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: R.D. Gartrell, L: Marshy Point Nursery (1995) Fls large, pink. Low, mounding shrub. (Not a selection made by Gartrell)

(r) **'Katharine Fortescue'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hawk' × *griffithianum* (hardy white form) R: L.S. Fortescue, N: L.S. Fortescue, I: L.S. Fortescue (1970), REG: L.S. Fortescue (1970) Fls 9-12/compact, globular truss, campanulate to open funnel-shaped, 50-75 × 70-115mm, 5-lobed, pale greenish yellow (1D), deepening in throat to brilliant yellow-green (154C) with a very slight blotch of strong reddish orange (42B). Lvs ovate-lanceolate, 65-125 × 30-40mm, mid dull green. Shrub c1.6m. PC 1970, *HC 1975, *AM 1981

(r) **'Käthe Heinje'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' × 'Cynthia' H: D. Heinje Baumschulen (1963), G: D. Heinje Baumschulen (1968), N: D. Heinje Baumschulen, I: D. Heinje Baumschulen (1982), REG: D. Heinje Baumschulen (1986) Fls 14-16/truss, 45-60 × 40-60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (52A) in bud, opening strong to light purplish pink (55B-C), with red dorsal spotting. Calyx 25-30mm long, yellowish brown. Lvs lanceolate, 140-160 × 65mm, dark green above. Compact habit. May

(r) **'Käthe Mette'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Firma Seidel (1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, dark carmine rose

(r) **'Katherine Dalton'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* × *fortunei* H: J.B. Gable (1932), G: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale lavender pink. Lvs with traces of indumentum. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Early

(r) **'Katherine Slater'** cv. Parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), S: F. Brown, N: F. Brown, I: E.V. Mezitt (1970) Fls pink

(r) **'Katherine Tice'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Muriel Pearce' × 'Irene Stead' H: M.H. & Mrs F. Sumner (1972), G: M.H. & Mrs F. Sumner, N: M.H. & Mrs F. Sumner, REG: M.H. & Mrs F. Sumner (1991) Fls 12-13/flattened ball truss, open funnel-shaped, c70 × 83-95mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63A) in bud, opening strong purplish pink (55B) with a strong red (53C) throat, outside strong purplish red (63A); stamens 11-13, straight, unequal. Pedicels 25mm long, moderate red (47A). Lvs oblong to narrowly oblong, 127 × 51mm, concave, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless; petioles 19mm long, dark red (183A). Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 18 years. Early-mid May

(r) **'Katherine van Thol'** (An error for 'Catharine van Tol')

(r) **'Kathie Cannon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C. Cannon (1973), G: C. Cannon (1976), N: C. Cannon, REG: L. Caton (1997) Fls 11/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 80mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (54A) in bud, opening to deep purplish pink (55A) margins, a white centre and strong orange-yellow (17A) spotting in the dorsal throat; stamens 15, curved, unequal. Calyx 30mm long, star-shaped, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 45mm, wavy-edged, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, dull and dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 2.1m in 23 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Kathie Jo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' × 'Britannia' × *ponticum* hybrid R: J. Disney (pre 1996) Fls flat-faced, with reflexed lobes, deep wine purple. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(a) **'Kathleen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C.B. van Nes & Sons, N: C.B. van Nes & Sons, I: C.B. van Nes & Sons (1922), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2/truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 45mm, near phlox pink (625/1), spotted reddish brown at throat. *HC 1957, AM 1962. Kaempferi

(a) **'Kathleen'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, wide open, light orange, deeper at tips and with a darker blotch. Syn: 'Exbury Kathleen'. Knap Hill

(a) **'Kathleen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: deep salmon-flowered *indicum* (s) × 'Hazel Dawson' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-2/truss, 65mm wide, rose dorée or lighter (near deep yellowish pink (43C)), with a blotch of small dots of tyrian rose over a rose suffusion. Shrub to 1.2m. Mid-late May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Kathleen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* × *kaempferi* R: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable (1956), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, clear pink, small. Shrub 2.1 × 1.8m in 11 years. Midseason

(r) **'Kathleen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* hybrid R: S.R. Clarke (pre 1930), N: S.R. Clarke, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c8/loose truss, milk white, flushed pale lemon yellow, with crimson flash

(r) **'Kathleen Evans'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lindleyi* × *maddenii* H: J.B. Evans (1968), G: J.B. Evans (1976), N: J.B. Evans, REG: J.B. Evans (1986) Fls 4-6/truss, tubular-campanulate, 110 × 92mm, 5-lobed, greenish white in bud, opening white with a golden yellow blotch at base. Calyx 20mm long, deep green, scaly. Lvs oblong-lanceolate, 145 × 40mm, pale silvery green, with brown scales. Shrub 1.8m. April-May. Polyandrum Group

(r) **'Kathleen Fielding'** cv. Parentage unknown R: M. Koster & Sons, N: M. Koster & Sons, I: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1922), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red with a purple blotch

(r) **'Kathleen Jane'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: J.F. Stephens, N: J.F. Stephens, I: J.F. Stephens (c 1958), REG: J.F. Stephens (1975) Fls 12/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, chrysanthemum crimson (824/1) with black spots. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 115 × 42mm, dark green, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 7 years. Early May

(a) **'Kathleen Schepens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Hilde Steyaert' R: M.G. Schepens, N: M.G. Schepens, I: M.G. Schepens (1980) Fls strong pink (49A), edged white; otherwise similar to parent. Indian

(a) **'Kathleen van der Linden'** (Syn. of 'Souvenir Kathleen van der Linden')

(a) **'Kathleen Vines'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nancy of Robinhill' (s) × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls double, flat-faced, 70-80mm wide, very light pink, with lighter margins, a small rose blotch and a green throat. Late May. (First published in Holly Springs cat., 1990)

(r) **'Kathleen Wallace'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: C.B. van Nes & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink

(r) **'Kathmandu'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from *traillianum* var. *dictyotum* R: L. de Rothschild (pre 1942), I: E. de Rothschild (1965), REG: E. de Rothschild (1965) Fls up to 19/rounded, tight truss, open campanulate, 50 × 55mm, white, with a prominent crimson blotch and some crimson spotting on dorsal lobe. Lvs narrowly elliptic, c145 × 50mm, with a dense, cinnamon brown indumentum below. AM 1965

(r) **'Kathryna'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: complex hybrid including *catawbiense* and *maximum* H: W.D. Smith (1967), G: W.D. Smith, N: W.D. Smith, I: W.D. Smith, REG: W.D. Smith (1978) Fls 23/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, c70mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (7.5RP 5/12), with a heavy dark red (2.5RP 3/7) blotch with peripheral spotting, outside moderate purplish red (5RP 4/10); filaments prominent, white. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 55mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 8 years. Mid May . (Derives from breeding work started in c1950)

(r) **'Kathryn Forbes'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Charles S. Sargent' (s) × 'Dexter's Purple' H: J.B. Parks (1984), G: J.B. Parks (1991), N: J.B. Parks, REG: J.B. Parks (1995) Fls 15-17/domed truss, open funnel-campanulate, 40 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light purple (80D); stamens 11, curved, unequal. Lvs very narrowly elliptic, 203 × 38mm, wavy-edged, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, moderate yellow-green (147C) below, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in 10 years. Early June

(r) **'Kathryn Reboul'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *spinuliferum* × *racemosum* H: D.L. Hardgrove (c 1960), G: D.L. Hardgrove (1966), I: A. Reboul (1973), REG: A.

Reboul (1974) Fls up to 14/truss, funnel-shaped, 22 × 25mm, 5-lobed, pale orange-yellow (19D), flushed strong pink (50C), outside striped strong pink (50C). Calyx 1.5mm long, brilliant yellow-green (150C). Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 60 × 25mm, moderate olive green (147A); new growth reddish green. Shrub 1.1 × 1.5m in 14 years. Mid April

(a) **'Kathy'** (Syn. of 'Kathy Ann')

(a) **'Kathy Ann'** cv. Evergreen azalea: derived from a cross between two white seedlings R: Girard Nurseries, N: Girard Nurseries, I: Girard Nurseries (1962), REG: Girard Nurseries (1972) Fls 65-75mm wide, flat opening, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, white. Lvs 40 × 20mm. Shrub 1.0 × 0.8m. Syn: 'Kathy', 'Girard Kathy'

(r) **'Kathy Ann Pieries'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cynthia' × *decorum* H: C. Weeks (1971), G: C. Weeks (1977), N: C. Weeks, I: C. Weeks, REG: C. Weeks (1991) Fls 13/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 57 × 89mm, with 7 very wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (52B) in bud, opening moderate purplish pink (62B) outside and light purplish pink (62C) inside with a brilliant yellow (9C) centre; fls age to white; strongly scented. Calyx less than 3mm long, pink and green. Pedicels 51mm long, greyish red (184A). Lvs elliptic, 165-178 × 64mm, slightly concave, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, dark yellowish green (139A) above, moderate yellow-green (138B) below, hairless; petioles 38mm long, green. Shrub 3.7 × 2.1m in 20 years. Late April-early May

(r) **'Kathy Doll'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Corona' × Dondis Group R: R. Henny (pre 1963), N: R. Henny, REG: R. Henny (1963) Fls flat, 5-lobed, pink, waxy. Lvs up to 115mm long, dark green, hairless. Medium-sized shrub. June

(r) **'Kathy Lou'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: unknown (c 1993), G: L.F. Seeds, N: L.F. Seeds, REG: L.F. Seeds (1999) Fls 10/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink, tinged orange inside and out, the inside speckled with small, dark spots (more numerous on dorsal and upper lateral lobes than on lower lateral lobes), with bands of a paler colour (nearly white) from tips of lobes towards the centre. Calyx 25mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 90 × 35mm, acuminate at apex, cuneate at base, margins decurved, dull and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 0.9m in 5 years. Mid May

(r) **'Kathy Van Veen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: sport from 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague' R: W.L. Rhein, S: W.L. Rhein, N: Van Veen Nursery, I: Van Veen Nursery, REG: Van Veen Nursery (1990) Fls 15/domed truss, 51 × 76mm, broadly funnel-shaped, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds strong red (53B), outside vivid red (52A); inside variable: some flowers are a solid colour (strong red 53C), with sparser spotting on the dorsal lobe and none on the ventral lobe, others are mottled and striped, with a lighter throat (strong purplish red (54A), strong purplish pink (55B)); dorsal spotting is dark red (187A), ventral spotting is strong red (53D); irregular stripes and flecks of strong red (53D) randomly distributed; nectaries strong red (53B). Lvs elliptic, 114 × 51mm, concave, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.1m in 7 years. Early-mid May

(a) **'Katie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Helen Close' × 'Purple Splendor' R: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1966) Fls 2-4/truss, hose-in-hose, up to 65mm wide, strong purplish red (2.5RP 5/10). Lvs 65 × 25mm. Shrub up to 0.4m. Mid May

(az) **'Katie'** cv. Azaleodendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c20/lax truss, narrowly funnel-shaped, 50 × 45mm, soft rose pink, tipped crimson, marked with light and dark crimson. Calyx lobes 2-3mm long, fringed with hairs. Lvs ovate-lanceolate, up to 75 × 27mm, dark glossy green above

(r) **'Katie Childers'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Phalarope' × *moupinense* H: A.A. Childers (1975), G: A.A. & M. Childers (1980), N: A.A. Childers, I: Bovees Nursery, REG: A.A. Childers (1988) Fls 3/lax truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 38 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (70D) shading to very pale purple (73D) in throat; unspotted. Calyx 3-5mm long, brilliant yellow-green (149B). Lvs broadly elliptic, 33 × 8mm, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, scaly (scales widely spaced, tan-coloured on new growth, golden when mature); lvs are tan-coloured at tips for the first few days. Shrub 0.4 × 0.4m in 9 years. Late March

(r) **'Katie Gordon'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: probably *oreotrephes* × *cinnabarinum* Roylei Group H: Lady Adam Gordon (1976), G: Lady Adam Gordon, N: Lady Adam Gordon, REG: Lady Adam Gordon (1985) Fls 5-7/truss, 45 × 40mm, 5-lobed, crimson (22/2), paling on exterior to phlox purple (632/1), flushed salmon (412/1) on interior. Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 65 × 27mm

(a) **'Katie Speirs'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Sweetheart Supreme' R: D.J. Cole (pre 1987), N: D.J. Cole Fls single, 50mm wide, purplish pink. Mid March

(a) **'Katinka'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Butheanum' (s) × orange-flowered *indicum* R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-2/truss, 50mm wide, rose pink (near light purplish pink (73C)), lightly suffused with orange. Shrub 1.5m. Mid April. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Katisha'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kirishima' × 'Malvaticum' R: J.B. Stevenson, I: Hydon Nurseries, REG: Hydon Nurseries (1967) Fls lilac pink, with deeper spotting and white filaments. Compact shrub

(r) **'Katja'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (white) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × 'Madame de Bruin' H: A.A. Raustein (1963), G: A.A. Raustein (1968), N:

A.A. Raustein, REG: A.A. Raustein (1975) Fls 16/ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 50 × 50mm, 5-lobed, vivid purplish red (57C) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (67C), with shading of pale purplish pink (62D) in dorsal throat extending toward lobe edges. Lvs narrowly elliptic to narrowly obovate, 150 × 50mm, glossy, moderate olive green (147A), hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m in 10 years. Mid May

(a) **'Katoi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown (Listed as a parent of 'Onsho')

(a) **'Katrin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1978) Fls semi-double, strong purplish red (58B). Calyx normal, green. Midseason. Indian (Found on Plate and Draht Nursery, 1978)

(r) **'Katrina'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anna' (s) × 'Purple Splendour' H: Mrs E.M. Watson (1969), G: Mrs E.M. Watson (1975), N: Mrs E.M. Watson, I: Mrs E.M. Watson, REG: Mrs E.M. Watson (1983) Fls 10/truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 75mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (64B), with a prominent, black, dorsal blotch and spots. Calyx 3mm long, moderate yellowish green (139B). Lvs very narrowly elliptic, 175 × 50mm, dark yellowish green (139A). Shrub c1.5m in 13 years. Late May

(a) **'Katsuragi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, white, both small (c30mm wide) and medium-sized (c40mm wide) on the same bush. Satsuki (Maybe the same as 'Gin-sekai')

(a) **'Katsura-no-hana'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1918), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 30mm wide, strong purplish pink (55B); white anthers. Syn: 'Ruth'; Wilson no.27. Kurume

(a) **'Katsurayama-no-tsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, with rounded lobes, white, with deep pink to strong red stripes; many variants and some reddish selfs. Satsuki

(a) **'Katsuyama'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, with rounded lobes, persimmon orange, streaked and variously marked red; persimmon orange selfs also produced. Satsuki

(r) **'Katydid'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* × *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Crest' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp (pre 1984), N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls brilliant yellow-green (150B) in bud, opening to a blend of brilliant yellow-green (154B, 150B, C) and light yellow-green (150D). Medium-sized shrub

(r) **'Katy Hurley'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *souliei* × Idealist Group H: A.E. Hardy, G: A.E. Hardy, N: G.A. Hardy, REG: G.A. Hardy (1985) Fls 9-10/loose, open truss, saucer-shaped, up to 70 × 115mm, 5-lobed, white, flushed red-purple. Calyx greenish white, up to 4mm long. Lvs ovate-orbicular, up to 135 × 70mm, dark green, hairless below. AM 1985

(a) **'Katy's Plum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: a Knap Hill azalea × *flammeum* H: F.C. Galle (1972), G: F.C. Galle (1978), N: F.C. Galle, REG: F.C. Galle (1986) Fls 7-10/truss, tubular funnel-shaped to broadly funnel-shaped with a narrow tube, 30 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (50C), flushed red, with a strong orange (25A) dorsal blotch. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 75-100 × 25-45mm, strong yellow-green (143B) above, ciliate, hairy. Shrub 1.9 × 1.5m in 15 years. Late April-early May

(r) **'Kaulbach'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, flushed lilac, especially around the margin, with handsome yellow-brown marks

(r) **'Kaupo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *rex* subsp. *arizelum* G: H. Vaartnou (1978), S: H. Vaartnou, N: H. Vaartnou, REG: H. Vaartnou (1991) Fls 20 or more/ball truss, oblique-campanulate, 76 × 64mm, with 7 smooth-edged lobes, light greenish yellow (4C); stamens 16 or more, straight, unequal. Calyx minute, green. Pedicels 38mm long, green. Lvs broadly elliptic, 305 × 203mm, flat, rounded at apex and base, matt green above, with a felted indumentum below (fawn ageing to orange); petioles 38mm long, green, hairy. Shrub 3.0 × 2.4m in 25 years. April-May

(a) **'Kawari-asagao'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c50mm wide, deep purple. Late-flowering. Syn: 'Datemurasaki'. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Kawari-fuji-kirishima'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c40mm wide, wisteria purple. Later than 'Fuji-kirishima'. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Kawari-ko-kurumi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c50mm wide, light persimmon orange; similar in shape to 'Ko-kurumi'. Tsutsuji

(r) **'Kawehi Ona Lani'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Spanish Lady' × 'Redwax' H: M. Stockman (1982), G: M. & H. Stockman (1990), N: M. & H. Stockman, I: M. & H. Stockman (1992), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1992) Fls 10/lax truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 64 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (54B, 55A); stamens 10, curved, unequal. Calyx 6-16mm long (lobes unequal), coloured as corolla. Pedicels 29mm long, light brown. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 89 × 30mm, convex, mucronate at apex, oblique at base, bullate and glossy dark green above, with a dark tan, felted indumentum below; petioles 13mm long, mid green, tinged red. Creeping shrub, 0.35 × 0.9m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Kay'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' × 'Loderi King George' R: M.W. Lyons, N: M.W. Lyons, I: M.W. Lyons (1971), REG: M.W. Lyons (1971) Fls campanulate, moderate purplish pink (62B), with red spots. Lvs ovate, 150 × 55mm. Mid May

(v) **'Kay Catchlove'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* × 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' × *aurigeranum* × Doctor Herman Sleumer' H: J.L. Rouse, G: G.L.S. Snell (1988), N: R. Macdonald, I: Foothills Nursery (1990), REG: Foothills Nursery (1991) Fls 5-6/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 60 × 60mm, 5-lobed, tube brilliant yellow (15C), lobes vivid reddish orange (30A). Lvs elliptic, 100 × 40mm. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m. Spring-autumn

(r) **'Kaye Player'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague' (s) × *fortunei* hybrid H: L.M. Player (1978), G: L.M. Player (1989), N: L.M. Player, REG: L.M. Player (1997) Fls 14-17/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 75 × 115mm, with 5(-6-7) wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (55A) shading to pale purplish pink (56D) in the throat and on about two-thirds of the dorsal lobe, the lighter part of dorsal lobe spotted with strong red (53B) and dark red (187B). Calyx c2mm long, brilliant yellow-green (150B). Lvs ovate, 140 × 65mm, flat, acute to broadly acute at apex, dull moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (148B) below, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.4m in 15 years. Mid-late April

(a) **'Kay Greer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Nadine' R: O.S. Pride, N: O.S. Pride, I: O.S. Pride (1956), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls velvet pink

(r) **'Kay Kay'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scintillation' × *haematodes* H: Scott Arboretum (1958), G: John J. Tyler Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister Fls peach-coloured

(r) **'Kay Kirsten'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Jasper Group (s) × 'Belvedere' H: H.L. Larson (1966), G: H.L. Larson (1976), I: H.L. Larson (1981), REG: H.L. Larson (1982) Fls 11-12/truss, 40 × 90mm, 5-lobed, vivid purplish blue (99C), inside pale yellow (18D). Calyx 7mm long, moderate orange (171D). Lvs c130 × 50mm, hairless

(r) **'Kayla Rae'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Fawn' × 'Crest' H: C.H. Phetteplace (1968), G: A. Holmeide, N: A. Holmeide, I: A. Holmeide, REG: A. Holmeide (1986) Fls 14/ball truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 75 × 100mm, with 7 wavy-edged, reflexed lobes, crimson (22/2), with a slight blotch of cardinal red (822) deep in the throat at base of filaments, outside 22/1. Calyx minute, 22/2. Lvs between narrowly elliptic and elliptic, 140-160 × 55-65mm, dull, more-or-less spinach green (0960/1), hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 15 years. Mid May.

(r) **'Kay Logan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Romany Chai Group × Elizabeth Group R: C.S. Seabrook, N: C.S. Seabrook, REG: C.S. Seabrook (1968) Fls in a loose truss, tubular, 65 × 40mm, currant red (821). Large shrub with rather small lvs. Late May-early June

(a) **'Kayo-no-homare'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 25-40mm wide, with slightly pointed lobes, centre white, bordered yellowish pink; sometimes white with deep pink stripes or deep pink selfs. Satsuki

(r) **'Kay Too'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: (*auriculatum* × Fabia Group) × (*auriculatum* × Azor Group) (s) × 'Gargantua' H: L.L. Newcomb (1987), G: L.L. Newcomb (1992), N: L.L. Newcomb, REG: E.F. Newcomb (1997) Fls 10/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 95 × 150mm, with 6-8 very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (63C) in bud, opening white with 40mm wide margin, tinged very pale purple (69C), the throat light yellow (10C) and with a 40mm long flare of strong yellow-green (144C) streaks and flecks; flare persists when corolla becomes white with a brilliant yellow-green (154C) throat; outside white, shading to pale greenish yellow (10D) at base; scented. Calyx up to 5mm long, strong yellow-green (145A), irregular. Lvs obovate, 125-250 × 40-100mm, decurved, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 2.4m in 10 years. June

(r) **'Kay Walters'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: unknown × *yakushimanum* H: W.M. Fetterhoff (1966), G: W.M. Fetterhoff (1972), N: W.M. Fetterhoff, REG: W.M. Fetterhoff (1987) Fls 15/domed, slightly lax truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 25 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63A) in bud, opening strong purplish red (63B), fading to light purplish pink (63D), with edges and outside of ribs remaining 63B; blotch brownish white, peppered with greenish mustard specks on the dorsal lobe. Calyx vestigial. Lvs elliptic, 50-110 × 20-45mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy above by virtue of a silvery tomentum, underside with a thin, plastered, tan indumentum. Shrub 0.6 × 0.9m in 21 years. Late May.

(a) **'Kazaguruma'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, red, very deeply and narrowly lobed. Satsuki

(a) **'Kazan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Taihei' R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan Fls 25-40mm wide, salmon orange with a dotted blotch. Lvs up to 13mm long, deep, glossy green, heart-shaped. Very dwarf. Syn: 'Rukizon', 'Rokusan', 'Kakuba-chinzan'. Satsuki

(a) **'Kazan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Banzai' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls campanulate, 65-75mm wide, with rounded lobes, white, with light to dark pink sectors; sometimes suffused or with an irregular white margin or with a white centre and vivid pink margin. Satsuki

(a) **'Kazanjima-tsutsuji'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with 5, 6 or 7 lobes, red, dappled with purple. Lvs large. Late-flowering. Syn: 'Natsu-tsubaki'. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Kazan-no-homare'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls with 5-6 rounded lobes, white, with pale to light pink margins and occasional pink stripes and sectors. Upright habit. Satsuki

(a) **'Kazan-no-tsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, with 5-7, rounded, spreading lobes, vivid reddish orange. Low, spreading habit. Satsuki

(a) **'Kazan Sport'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Kazan' L: Siskiyou Rare Plant Nursery (2000) Fls orange. Lvs dark shiny green, congested. Shrub 10 × 15cm

(a) **'Kaze'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50mm wide, with rounded lobes, white, with purplish pink dots and sectors. Satsuki

(a) **'Kazuko'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from Aronense Group R: W. Arends (pre 1960) Fls small, hose-in-hose, deep purplish pink (67C). Syn: 'Geisha Karminrot' (Aronense Group)

(r) **'K.D. Harris'** (Syn. of 'Kenneth David Harris')

(r) **'Keay Slocock'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* × unknown hardy hybrid R: W.C. Slocock (pre 1929), N: W.C. Slocock, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale yellow, flushed salmon or creamy white with a slight blotch

(r) **'Keca'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *calostrotum* subsp. *keleticum* (s) × white-flowered *minus* Carolinianum Group H: G.G. Nearing (pre 1970), G: G.G. Nearing, N: G.G. Nearing, I: G.G. Nearing, REG: A.R. Brooks (1997) Fls 3-5/flat truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 30 × 45mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light purple (75A) in bud, opening inside light purple (75B), with moderate red (182A) speckling extending half way up the dorsal lobe and on the edges of the two lateral lobes; outside light purple (75B). Calyx c5mm long, moderate yellow-green (147D). Lvs elliptic, 25-40 × 15-20mm, wavy-edged with upcurved margins, acute at apex, cuneate/rounded at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (137B) above, with dense, overlapping, brownish orange (164A) scales below. Shrub 0.4 × 0.4m in 7 years. Mid May. (Published in The Cummins Garden cat., (1985))

(r) **'Keely Ogdon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lem's Cameo' (s) × 'Springfield' H: M. Wildfong (1984), G: B.J. Ogdon (1992), N: B.J. Ogdon (1998), REG: B.J. Ogdon (1998) Fls c10/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 60 × 95mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, moderate red (47A) in bud, opening deep pink (47D) inside, outside deep yellowish pink (47C); dark red dorsal spotting and a maroon blotch in the base of the throat; anthers brown; stigma green. Calyx 20mm long, deep yellowish pink (47C), with a conspicuous maroon base inside. Lvs elliptic, 142 × 49mm, margins flat, glossy above, hairless; new foliage edged with red. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m in 10 years. Late May

(r) **'Keen Machine'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nova Zembla' (s) × 'Independence Day' H: D.L. Hinerman (1975), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 15/truss, open funnel-shaped, 53 × 70mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, deep and strong purplish red (71A, 72A) in bud, opening to a blend of strong purplish red, strong reddish purple and deep purplish pink (72A-D), with strong greenish yellow (153B) dorsal spots; filaments and style strong purplish red (71D); anthers brownish orange (166C); stigma dark red (59A). Lvs 115 × 45mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.8m in 17 years. Early June

(a) **'Keepsake'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kagetsu' × *indicum* × 'Hazel Dawson' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1965) Fls single, 65-80mm wide, with a starry white centre, the margins between mallow purple and tyrian pink (the latter colour the most conspicuous), dots in blotch conspicuous - slightly brownish on a white ground. Shrub c1.4 × 1.0m in 10 years. Midseason. Back Acres

(a) **'Kees Bier'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Madame Petrick' I: G.J. Bier & Sons (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, less frilled than in its parent and a deeper shade of rose. Indian (First shown with the name 'Uiver')

(a) **'Kehr's R14'** (Syn. of 'Bob Hill')

(a) **'Kehr's White Rosebud'** (Syn. of 'White Rosebud')

(r) **'Kehr's White Ruffles'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Epoch' (s) × white-flowered *mucronulatum* H: A.E. Kehr (1977), G: A.E. Kehr (1979), N: A.E. Kehr (1997), REG: A.E. Kehr (1997) Fls 2-3/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, c45 × 65mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, white in bud, opening white inside and out, with a greenish dorsal blotch. Calyx rudimentary, light green. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 45mm, flat, cuneate at base, acuminate at apex, deep green and semi-glossy above, scaly. Shrub 1.2 × 2.25m in 10 years. Early

(a) **'Keibow'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure purple on white. Indian

(a) **'Keija'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1967), L: UK (1991) Fls single, light pink, with a pronounced green throat. Dense, low-growing shrub

(r) **'Keillour'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: listed as a selection of *russatum* L: UK (1988) (Probably only intended as a reference to the source of the plant, but has been listed as if it were a cultivar epithet)

(a) **'Kei-no-hana'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls long, narrow, of good form, deep lilac pink, with white anthers. Kurume

(a) **'Keisetsu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Chugai Nursery Co. (pre 1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 40mm wide, orange-red (018), with a light pink to white throat. Lvs variegated (with a fine network of yellowish lines and small blotches). Satsuki (Galle (1987) gives flower width as 75mm)

(a) **'Keishuku'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan, N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac-purple on white. Indian

(a) **'Keishuku'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, with 6 round, overlapping lobes with pointed tips, white, with a green blotch. Early. Satsuki

(r) **Keiskarb Group** gp Elepidote/Lepidote cross: *keiskei* (s) × *arboreum* R: E.J.P. Magor (1918), N: E.J.P. Magor, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, shaded to rose, with a crimson blotch at the base and two short lines of crimson spots. (A rare example of lepidote × elepidote)

(r) **Keiskrac Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *keiskei* (s) × *racemosum* R: E.J.P. Magor, N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink. Gable's Keisrac Group (sic) was of the same parentage and said to have fls ranging from pink to pale yellow or almost white. 'Keisrac Pink', with fls pink and white, has been offered in the USA

(r) **'Keith Brown'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Henry's Red' (s) × 'War Dance' H: P. Brown (1983), G: P. & E.J. Brown (1989), N: P. & E.J. Brown, REG: P. & E.J. Brown (1995) Fls 15/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 75 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (46A) throughout, with a black blotch on dorsal lobes and white anthers; stamens 9, curved, unequal. Calyx very short. Pedicels 32mm long, reddish. Lvs oblong, 108 × 44mm, convex, with wavy margins, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (137B) above, moderate yellow-green (147C) below, hairless; petioles 20mm long, yellow/green. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 11 years. Early June

(r) **Kellam's Orange** (Syn. of 'Don Kellam')

(a) **'Kellerina'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Kelmscott Azalea Gardens (1984) Fls double, with lobes ruffled, cerise. Syn: 'Cinderella'. Indian

(r) **'Kelley'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage involved 'Pygmalion', *haematodes* and 'Wellfleet' H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: Scott Arboretum, N: C. Herbert, I: Scott Arboretum (c 1955), REG: Scott Arboretum (1983) Fls 10/truss, 50 × 75mm, open funnel-shaped, 5-7 lobed, strong purplish red (7.5RP 5/12), dorsal lobes spotted deep purplish red (5RP 3/9), lower lobes moderate purplish red (5RP 4/10). Calyx 3mm long, medium yellowish green. Lvs elliptic to narrowly obovate, 120 × 50mm, moderate olive green (7.5GY 4/4), hairless. Shrub c2.5m in 21 years

(a) **'Kelly'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Arctic' × 'Acrobat' R: D. Hager, N: D. Hager, I: Hager Nurseries (c 1983) Fls single, 65mm wide, slightly ruffled, white, with irregular purple striping. Lvs semi-ovate, glossy green. Shrub to 1.2m

(r) **'Kelly Jester'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Jalisco Janet' (s) × 'Crest' H: P.G. Valder (1972), G: E.T. Anderson (1974), N: E.T. Anderson, REG: E.T. Anderson (1998) Fls 7-8/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 80-100mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink (47C) in bud, opening throughout with streaks of deep yellowish pink (47C), light yellow-green (2C) and light greenish yellow (1C), becoming light orange-yellow (24C) and pale orange-yellow (23D) with light greenish yellow (1C) deep in the throat. Calyx 10mm long, light greenish yellow (1C). Lvs oblong, 90-125 × 35-45mm, margins decurved, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 2.5 × 2.3m in 14 years. Early May

(a) **'Kelly Mosley'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *austrinum* 'Escatawpa' × selected Exbury (Knap Hill) hybrid H: C.J. Hiers (1976), G: C.J. Hiers (1979), N: C.J. Hiers, REG: C.J. Hiers (1986) Fls 12-18/tight, ball truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 38 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid yellow (14A) - becomes clear red-orange after very cold winters - blending to vivid orange (28B) in throat and to uneven strong orange (24A) edging; blotch vivid orange-yellow (21A), flaring from centre to cover dorsal lobe. Strongly fruity-scented. Calyx 3mm long, light yellow-green (145B). Lvs elliptic, 95 × 41mm, dull, dark yellowish green (139A) above, greyish yellow-green (191A) below, hairy on both sides. Shrub 1.8 × 1.2m in 10 years. Early April

(a) **'Kelly's Cerise'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Nellie Kelly Nurseries (pre 1977), N: Nellie Kelly Nurseries Fls double, dark scarlet cerise. Indian

(r) **'Kelly's Kipps'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W. Kelly (1974), G: W.A. & J.E. Ragan (1979), N: W.A. & J.E. Ragan, REG: W.A. & J.E. Ragan (1989) Fls 12/lax truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 64 × 89mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, pink in bud, opening light greenish yellow (4B) at centre, shading to pale yellow-green (4D) near margins which are pale purplish pink (65C). Calyx c5mm long, green. Lvs obovate, 140 × 51mm, flat, apiculate at apex, oblique at base, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 2.1m in 14 years. Late April-late May. Syn: 'Kipps'

(a) **'Kelly's Orange'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *flammeum* × 'Cecile' H: F.C. Galle (1972), G: F.C. Galle (1977), N: F.C. Galle, REG: F.C. Galle (1986) Fls 3-5/truss, narrow tubular funnel-shaped, 25 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish orange (30A), with a yellow dorsal blotch. Calyx 7mm long, green. Lvs between elliptic and oblanceolate, 70-108 × 30mm, moderate yellowish green (138A), ciliate, hairy. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 11 years. Mid-late April

(r) **'Kelsey Lynn Young'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan' (s) × un-named Dexter hybrid H: A.T. & S.A. Anderson (1976), G: A.T. & S.A. Anderson, N: A.T. & S.A. Anderson, REG: A.T. & S.A. Anderson (1995) Fls 8-10/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (57A) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (68A) at edges, shading to moderate purplish pink (68C) in the throat. Calyx 3mm long, yellow. Pedicels 25mm long. Lvs elliptic, 102 × 51mm, flat, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, hairless; petioles 25mm long. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 19 years. Late May

(a) **'Kenbishi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Chiyo-no-hikari' × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls trumpet-shaped, 50mm wide, with narrow lobes, pink, often with a white centre; some white selfs. Satsuki

(a) **'Ken Buons'** (See note under 'Ken Burns')

(r) **'Ken Burns'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *johnstoneanum* × unknown R: unknown, N: Dunedin Rhododendron Group, I: Mrs J. McLauchlan, REG: Dunedin Rhododendron Group (1988) Fls 3-5/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 60 × 90mm, 5-lobed, deep biscuit-coloured in bud, opening to pale yellow-green (155A) flushed pale rose, deeper cream-coloured on outside of lobes and with strong dorsal spotting of vivid reddish orange (34B). Calyx very small, green. Lvs elliptic, 80 × 25mm, scaly. Shrub 1.4 × 1.4m in 12 years. Midseason. (Listed in error as 'Ken Buons' in Galle (1987))

(r) **'Kenhelen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Daydream Group × Margaret Dunn Group × un-named seedling H: W. Graves, G: Mr & Mrs K Janeck, N: Mr & Mrs K. Janeck, REG: Mr & Mrs K. Janeck (1964) Fls 8-10/loose truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 70mm wide, 6-lobed, burnt orange in bud, opening to apricot with a lemon throat. Lvs lanceolate, 115 × 40mm. Shrub 0.75 × 1.5m in 8 years. Late May-early June

(r) **'Ken Janeck'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selected seedling of *yakushimanum* R: Mr & Mrs K. Janeck, N: Mr & Mrs K. Janeck, REG: Mr & Mrs K. Janeck (1964) Fls 13-17/truss, open funnel-shaped, to 65mm wide, opening fuchsine pink (627/1) to roseine purple (629/1), fading to white with a few green spots on the dorsal lobe. Lvs oblanceolate/linear, 125 × 25mm, heavily floccose tomentose below. Compact shrub, 0.8 × 1.4m in 12 years. Midseason. AM 2001

(r) **'Kenlis'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *orbiculare* (s) × *meddianum* R: Lord Headfort, N: Lord Headfort, I: Lord Headfort (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10/truss, broadly campanulate, 50 × 75mm, pale purplish pink (56A). Lvs broadly ovate, 150 × 125mm. AM 1948

(a) **'Ken Mitchell'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.S. Yeates (pre 1985), N: J.S. Yeates Fls strong orange. Late

(r) **'Kenneth'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Hiraethlyn Group (s) × Elizabeth Group H: Lord Aberconway (1937), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 8-10/lax truss, funnel-shaped, 75 × 65mm, geranium lake (20), darker at base. Calyx lobes up to 50mm long, geranium lake (20). Lvs broadly lanceolate, 125 × 40mm, dark glossy green above, slightly tomentose below. AM 1949 (Kenneth Group)

(r) **Kenneth Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Hiraethlyn Group (s) × Elizabeth Group H: Lord Aberconway (1937), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1949), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Kenneth David Harris'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sefton' (s) × 'Purple Splendour' H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 22/truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, dark red (187A), deep reddish purple (77A) and dark purple (79A) in bud, opening to a blend of deep purplish red (71A) and dark red (187B), with a strong red (53D) throat and dark red (187A) dorsal spots. Lvs 118 × 45mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.8m in 18 years. Early June. Syn: 'K.D. Harris'

(a) **'Kenryo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Kensey'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: F.E.W. Hanger, G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, REG: Royal Horticultural Society (1963) Fls 14/compact, globular truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, light yellow (605/2), heavily overlaid yellowish pink (516) and reddish orange (16/2), edged red (18/2) and with a yellow blotch (4). Lvs 100 × 45mm, mid, glossy green. Shrub to at least 1.6m. *AM 1963. Knap Hill

(r) **'Ken's Find'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: white-flowered selection from *catawbiense* S: K. Moore (1983), N: E.R. Bahnson, REG: E.R. Bahnson (1988) Fls 8-10/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 30 × 60mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, white in bud, opening white throughout. Lvs broadly elliptic, 100-130 × 60-70mm, hairless and glossy above, with a light brown, felt-like indumentum on young leaves only. Shrub 2.4 × 1.5m (original wild plant). Early May. (Found as a single white-flowered plant in a large population of otherwise typical individuals in Johnston County, North Carolina, USA)

(r) **'Kentish Lad'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Corry Koster' × 'Alice' I: R. Wallace & Co. (1944), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear pink, spotted pale cerise. (Sometimes seen as 'Kentish Lady')

(a) **'Kent Moss'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Sweetheart Supreme' R: D.J. Cole (pre 1987), N: D.J. Cole Fls 50mm wide, light purple

(a) **'Kent's Pride'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Les Clay & Son (1982)

(r) **'Kentucky Cardinal'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *brachycarpum* × 'Essex Scarlet' or *fortunei* R: J.B. Gable (pre 1946), N: J.B. Gable, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red. Lvs dark green. Shrub under 1.4m. Syn: 'The Cardinal'

(a) **'Kentucky Colonel'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *cumberlandense* R: L.F. Frisbie (pre 1985), N: L.F. Frisbie Fls reddish orange

(a) **'Kentucky Minstrel'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Golden Eagle' × orange Knap Hill seedling R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1962), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1962) Fls large, strong orange-yellow and orange

(a) **'Kenwood'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Waraigishi' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, 1-3/truss, 50-70mm wide, spinel pink - a deep tawny rose colour in the garden (near strong purplish red (59D)). Densely twiggy shrub to 1.5m. Late. April-early May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Kenya Queen'** cv. Parentage unknown R: G.W. Clarke (pre 1980), N: G.W Clarke

(a) **'Keowee Sunset'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *calendulaceum* × *periclymenoides* S: L.C. Towe (pre 1987), N: L.C. Towe Fls 55mm wide, moderate pink, with an orange-yellow dorsal lobe; pistil and filaments moderate red. Lvs wide ovate. Early-midseason. (Natural hybrid collected in Oconee Co., South Carolina, USA)

(a) **'Kepler'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: Gebr Kersbergen (1917), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red, with a brown blotch (Clibrans cat., 1931). Mollis

(r) **'Kepler'** cv. Parentage unknown R: I. Davies (pre 1896), N: I. Davies, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Kermesinum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3-5/truss, 20mm wide, vivid purplish red (57B). Shrub 0.5-0.6m. Midseason to late. Syn: 'Pink Kiusianum' (An 'old variety' grown in Boskoop, The Netherlands. Perhaps the Indian azalea of this name listed by Rollisson in 1840)

(a) **'Kermesinum Album'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Kermesinum Rosé' S: A. Wemken (1978), N: A. Wemken Fls single, pure white

(a) **'Kermesinum Rosé'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Kermesinum' S: A. Wemken (1972), N: A. Wemken Fls single, pink with white margins and pale red markings on the 3 dorsal lobes

(r) **'Kerneostic'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Countess of Athlone' × unknown H: M. Colombel (1986), G: M. Colombel (1990), N: M. Colombel, REG: M. Colombel (1992) Fls 12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 55×80mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, strong to vivid red (46A, B) in bud, opening light greenish yellow (6D) with a vivid yellow (14A) centre and discontinuous markings at edges of vivid red (46B) aging to strong pink (48D); stamens 11-13, straight, unequal. Pedicels 30mm long, brilliant greenish yellow (1B). Lvs elliptic, 100-140 × 35-55mm, flat, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, matt, moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (146C) below, hairless; petioles 25mm long, moderate reddish orange (42D). Shrub 0.8 × 1.3m in 5 years. May.

(r) **'Kernick Gem'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *barbatum* (s) × Luscombei Group R: R. Gill (pre 1928), N: R. Gill, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rich pink, with deep carmine spots on the ventral lobes. AM 1928

(r) **'Kernsey'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.L. Tolstead (1970), G: W.L. Tolstead (1981), N: W.L. Tolstead, REG: W.L. Tolstead (1996) Fls 25-30 (from multiple buds) forming a ball truss, campanulate, 15 × 15mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink, with a moderate orange-yellow dorsal blotch; stamens 10, straight. Lvs oblong, 50 × 20mm, with upcurved margins, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy above, scaly below. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 25 years. Early-mid June

(a) **'Kern's Pride'** cv. Deciduous azalea: described as an Exbury seedling R: W. Kern (pre 1985), N: W. Kern Fls 75-100mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, dark pink, with an orange undertone; scented. Tall shrub. Midseason. Knap Hill

(v) **'Kerrigan'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* × 'Souvenir de J.H. Mangles' R: Kerrigan (pre 1983)

(a) **'Kerrigan's Super Red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Meg' × 'Vic' × 'Ripples' R: H. Kerrigan (pre 1987), N: H. Kerrigan Fls formal double, red. Very early. ('Super Red' is perhaps the same plant)

(a) **'Kersbergen'** (See note under 'Kersbergen Bros')

(a) **'Kersbergen Bros'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Clibrans Nursery (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large trusses, deep red. Mollis (Probably the 'Kersbergen' listed by L. Beck, 1965 (but fls light red) and Galle, 1987 (fls moderate reddish orange, flushed yellowish pink, with a strong orange-yellow blotch))

(a) **'Kerspe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Noordtianum' × *kaempferi* and several Kurume azaleas R: G. Arends (pre 1914), N: G. Arends (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls strong pink, with brown-red markings. Lvs wine red in autumn. Shrub 0.6-0.8m. Arendsii

(a) **'Kerstbloem'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Madame Petrick' × 'Spit Fire' I: P.B. van Acker (1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, red. Indian

(a) **'Kerstdag Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Madame Petrick' I: A. Haerens (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rose. Indian

(a) **'Kerstin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: E. Herrmann, N: E. Herrmann, I: E. Herrmann (c 1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, single, vivid purplish red (61C). Calyx normal, green. Indian

(r) **'Kerstine'** (Syn. of 'Hachmann's Kerstine')

(a) **'Kerst Oranje'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1929), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, orange. Indian

(a) **'Kerst Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1929), INC: ICRA (1958) Resembles a double 'Pink Pearl'. Indian

(r) **'Kerubin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Golden Gate' (s) × 'New Comet' H: M. Colombel (1986), G: M. Colombel (1991), N: M. Colombel, I: C. Hoffman

(1996), REG: M. Colombel (1996) Fls 8-13/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 65-80mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, moderate yellowish pink (179D) in bud, opening pale yellow (18C/19C) inside, outside pale yellow/light yellowish pink (158A/159A); moderate orange-yellow (167D) spots on dorsal lobes. Calyx 2mm long, brilliant green (128A)edged deep purplish red (61A). Lvs elliptic, 90 × 40mm, margins decurved, matt green above, obtuse but apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.85 × 1.5m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Kerwoodii'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Kerzenfeuer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *simsii* hybrid R: G. Harmsen (1984), N: G. Harmsen Fls semi-double, strong red (53D)

(a) **'Kesho-kagami'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 75-90mm wide, light red, bordered white touched red, throat white. Satsuki

(r) **Kesselringii Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* × *ponticum* N: E. Wolf (1910), INC: ICRA (1958) (A naturally occurring hybrid)

(a) **'Keston Rose'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: G. Reuthe Ltd (pre 1986), N: G. Reuthe Ltd Fls rose pink. Early May. Kurume

(a) **'Kestrel'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown, but possibly a *calendulaceum* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red. Knap Hill

(a) **'Kesui'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan. Satsuki (Listed by Galle (1987) but no description available)

(v) **'Kesumba'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *konori* × 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' × *laetum* H: T. Lelliott, G: E.F. Allen (1990), N: E.F. Allen, REG: E.F. Allen (1991) Fls 9-11/truss, funnel-shaped, 60 × 60mm, 6-lobed, held horizontally, moderate yellowish pink (38B), flushed yellow in the throat; very strongly scented. Calyx 1mm long, green. Pedicels 20mm long. Lvs ovate, 130 × 60mm; petioles 20mm long. Shrub of upright habit to 1.0m. May-June

(r) **'Keteleerii'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Kettledrum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1877), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c16/compact truss, campanulate, 45-50 × 55-60mm, purplish crimson, with few blackish brown spots. Calyx small, dull crimson. Lvs ovate to obovate, 75-115 × 40-50mm, dark glossy green above. Large shrub

(r) **'Kevin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' × 'Jade' R: R.M. Bovee (pre 1955), N: R.M. Bovee, I: Bovees Nursery (1973), REG: Bovees Nursery (1975) Fls 12-14/ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 30 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (10RP 5/12) in bud, opening strong pink (10RP 7/8), gradually fading to light yellowish pink (7.5R 9/3) then 2.5YR 9/3, with faint red spots at first; edging and reverse always darker. Calyx lobes 7-13mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 125 × 50mm, slightly bullate, medium green, with a golden brown indumentum. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in c20 years. Early-mid May. (The spelling 'Keven' is an error)

(r) **Kewarb Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* (blood red form) (s) × Kewense Group R: E.J.P. Magor (1918), N: E.J.P. Magor, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **Kewdec Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Kewense Group (s) × *decorum* R: E.J.P. Magor (1913), N: E.J.P. Magor, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white

(r) **'Kewdec White Lady'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Kewense Group (s) × *decorum* I: A.W. Heneage-Vivian (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 9/loose truss, up to 50 × 125mm, white, with a tinge of green or pale crimson within at base. Lvs elliptic-ovate, hairless. AM 1938 (Kewdec Group)

(r) **Kewense Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* (s) × *fortunei* H: Kew (c 1875), G: Kew (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c9/loose truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 70 × 90-120mm, 5-7-lobed, rich rose in bud, opening white, edged pale rose, with a few greenish brown markings. Lvs oblong-ovate, 160 × 60mm, mid green above, hairless. Large shrub. May. AM 1907 (Raiser believed to be W. Binder (at Kew): retained here only for plants of this origin. There is some suggestion that the parentage may not be correct. See also under Loderi Group)

(r) **'Kewense Album'** cv. Parentage unknown, but presumably a selection from the Kewense Group INC: ICRA (1958) AM 1907

(r) **'Kew Pearl'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Kew, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush pink, edged rose

(r) **Kewxen Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Kewense Group (s) × *R.* × *detonsum* R: E.J.P. Magor (1919), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1927), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet rose, with some ochre spotting

(r) **'Key Lime'** (Syn. of 'Key Lime Pie')

(r) **'Key Lime Pie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Si Si' (s) × 'Limeade' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls vivid yellow-green (154A) and brilliant yellow-green (150B, 154B) in bud, opening brilliant yellow-green (150B, 154B, C), with a vivid yellow-green (154A) throat and strong yellow-green (144A) dorsal spots; anthers brownish orange (165B). Syn: 'Key Lime' (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995), under the then unacceptable epithet 'Key Lime')

(r) **'Keystone'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Gosh Darn!' (s) × 'Mrs H.R. Yates' × *wardii* H: W.E. Delp (1978), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls light greenish yellow (4B, C) in bud, opening light greenish yellow (4B, C) to pale yellow-green (4D)

(a) **'Khasia'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *formosum* (grown from Cox & Hutchison 320) G: P.A. Cox (c 1969), N: P.A. Cox, REG: P.A. Cox (1988) Fls 3-4/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, up to 60 × 95mm, 5-lobed, white (155D), with a slight flush of greyed yellow in the throat; strongly scented. Calyx rudimentary, green, scaly. Lvs oblanceolate, up to 85 × 28mm, mid green and glossy above, paler below, scaly. Shrub 2.5 × 1.5m in c20 years. Early May. AM 1988

(r) **'Khedive'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep crimson. Hardy Hybrid

(v) **'Kiandra'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *zoelleri* 'Island Sunset' × *brookeanum* H: B. Clancy (1978), G: B. Clancy (1982), N: B. Clancy (1991), REG: B. Clancy (1992) Fls 7-14/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 45 × 90mm, 5-6-lobed, vivid reddish orange (30B). Lvs lanceolate, 130 × 45mm, flat, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.33m in 3 years. January-May (Australia)

(r) **'Kickoff'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Achiever' × *mucronulatum* H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, S: W.E. Delp (1986), N: W.E. Delp, REG: A.T. & S.A. Anderson (1989) Fls 12/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 32 × 44mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light purple (77C/D), with vivid reddish purple (74B) dorsal spotting. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic-ovate, 76 × 32mm, with wavy margins, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and scaly above; scales below olive when young, olive green with age. Shrub 1.2 × 0.8m in 4 years. Late April

(r) **'Kid Stuff'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Epoch' × 'Mini Mode' H: W.E. Delp (1982), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 10/truss, open funnel-shaped, 33 × 44mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish red (186A, B) in bud, opening very pale purple (75D) and edged light purple (75A, B); anthers deep pink (185D). Lvs 64 × 29mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, scaly. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m in 10 years. Mid May. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer (1992))

(a) **'Kietsu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan. Satsuki (Listed by Galle (1987) but no description available)

(r) **'Kiev'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *elliottii* (s) × 'Barclayi Robert Fox' R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c8/loose, flat-topped truss, campanulate 75 × 100mm, deep blood red (820/3), with heavy dark spotting and prominent nectaries, fleshy. Lvs broadly oblong-lanceolate, 175 × 90mm, dull green above. Shrub c2.0m in 10 years. April-May. AM 1950 (Kiev Group)

(r) **Kiev Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *elliottii* (s) × 'Barclayi Robert Fox' R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1950), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Kifujin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50mm wide, with rounded lobes, white, with occasional flecks and blush of light yellowish pink; some selfs. Satsuki

(a) **'Kii-no-kuni'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c60mm wide, red. Satsuki

(a) **'Kii-no-kuni-unzen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c20mm wide, deep purple. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Kijei'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1988)

(a) **'Kijo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 75-90mm wide, with 5-6 very wavy-edged lobes, white, striped and sanded purple; some purple selfs. Satsuki

(a) **'Kiju'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum* × Kurume azalea L: K. Wada, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls mauve, white below. Kurume

(a) **'Kikabu'** (See note under 'Kikaku')

(a) **'Kikaku'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Macranthum' × 'Madame Moreux Alba' R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 40-50mm wide, with 5-8 rounded lobes, white, striped purple. Satsuki (Sometimes seen as 'Kikabu')

(a) **'Kikenjo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan (Listed as a parent of 'Appare')

(a) **'Kiko'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls small, shaped like *Platycodon grandiflorus*, vivid red, with a white throat. Late. Satsuki

(a) **'Kikoshi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Kyushu' R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 30-50mm wide, with pointed lobes, deep to light pink, with pale pink to white centres, tipped light pink (Galle, 1987); fls purple with a white throat or (in USA) white with a red border (1958 Register). Satsuki (Parentage as given in Galle (1987))

(a) **'Kiku-mori'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c40mm wide, red. Lvs small and densely layered. Satsuki

(a) **'Kikusui'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Matsunami' × 'Hakata-shiro' R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65mm wide, with rounded, overlapping lobes, white, variously marked purplish pink; also light and deep purplish pink selfs. Satsuki

(a) **'Kikyo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c50mm wide, dark violet. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Kikyo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c50mm wide, purple. Satsuki

(a) **'Kilauea'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1959), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1961) Fls reddish orange, with a yellow-orange blotch. Lvs tinted bronze. Dense compact habit. Late

(r) **'Kildonan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *magnificum*, grown from seed collected as Kingdon Ward no.9200 R: National Trust for Scotland (Brodick), N: National Trust for Scotland (Brodick), REG: National Trust for Scotland (Brodick) (1967) Fls up to 30/compact, domed truss, tubular-campanulate, 70 × 53mm, fuchsine pink (627/3), shading to fuchsine pink (627/1) at tips. Lvs oblong to oblong-obovate, up to 450 × 200mm, with a thin, pale indumentum below. FCC 1966

(a) **'Kilian'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Homebush' × 'Cecile' (s) × 'Mephistopheles' × 'Betty Kelly' H: H. Hachmann (1976), G: H. Hachmann (1981), N: H. Hachmann (1983), I: H. Hachmann (1997), REG: G. Stück (1999) Fls double, 11-13/dense ball truss, long tubular funnel-shaped, 40-45 × 45-50mm, 10-lobed, the lobes flat-edged and sharply pointed, orange in bud, opening light to pale purplish pink (55C/D) tinged deep to strong purplish pink (55A-B) both inside and out, the tips of lobes rosy white; outside with midveins striped white/rosy white; some orange spots; all stamens petaloid. Calyx 2mm long, light green, with silvery hairs. Lvs ovate, 90 × 35-43mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, flat, matt green above, hairy. Shrub 1.3 × 1.4m in 10 years. Mid May-mid June. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1998-2000 (1998))

(a) **'Kilimanjaro'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: D. Stewart & Son (pre 1958), I: D. Stewart & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a greenish blotch

(r) **'Kilimanjaro'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *elliottii* (s) × Dusky Maid Group R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 18/globose truss, funnel-shaped, 70 × 90mm, currant red (821/1), with chocolate spots on the dorsal lobes. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 150mm long, matt green. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. June. FCC 1947 (Kilimanjaro Group)

(r) **Kilimanjaro Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *elliottii* (s) × Dusky Maid Group R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) (Earliest reference to this name is 1943 according to Exbury records)

(a) **'Kilimari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: D. Stewart & Son (pre 1958), I: D. Stewart & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep yellowish pink (43C). Very compact shrub

(a) **'Killarney'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' × 'Willy' (s) × 'Mrs Carmichael' × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 1-3/truss, 70-80mm wide, white, with a chartreuse blotch and a few purple flakes (near strong reddish purple (78B)). Shrub to 1.5m. Mid-late May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Killer Scent'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Dad's Killer' (s) × 'Heavenly Scent' H: S. Mauritsen (1988), G: Kent Nursery (1995), N: J. Mauritsen, I: Kent Nursery (1996), REG: Kent Nursery (1996) Fls 9/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (68C), with darker stripes and a strong red (46A) throat; no stamens; moderately scented. Pedicels 25mm long. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 40mm, cuneate at base, broadly acute at apex, with decurved margins, bullate and dull green above, hairless; petioles 20mm long. Shrub 1.0 × 0.9m in 9 years. Early May

(r) **'Kim'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *campylogynum* × *campylogynum* Cremastum Group R: Mr & Mrs J.F. Caperci, N: Mr & Mrs J.F. Caperci, I: Mr & Mrs J.F. Caperci, REG: Mr & Mrs J.F. Caperci (1965) Fls 2-4/truss, tubular-campanulate, 20 × 20mm, pink, fading to yellow. Calyx 13mm long, bright green, slightly pubescent. Lvs obovate-elliptic, up to 25 × 13mm. New growth slightly pubescent. Shrub to 200 × 250mm in 7 years

(a) **'Kimba'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Sweetheart Supreme' R: D.J. Cole (pre 1987), N: D.J. Cole Fls 40mm wide, deep pink. Mid April

(a) **'Kimberley'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: M.E. Greentree (pre 1985), N: M.E. Greentree Fls hose-in-hose, bright pink. Indian

(a) **'Kimberley'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: K. Müssig (pre 1996), N: K. Müssig Fls double, with a small central mass of shorter petals, 2-3/truss, with rounded, overlapping lobes in outer whorl, deep but bright pink. Lvs dark green

(r) **'Kimberly'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *williamsianum* × *fortunei* H: E. Greer (pre 1963), G: H.E. Greer, N: H.E. Greer, I: H.E. Greer, REG: H.E. Greer (1963) Fls funnel-shaped, 90mm wide, persian rose in bud, opening light persian rose and fading to white. Lvs ovate, up to 75 × 50mm. Compact shrub, up to 1.0m in 10 years, with purple bud scales. April-May

(r) **'Kimberly Anne'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *veitchianum* Cubittii Group (form with pink fls) × 'Else Frye' H: J.P. Evans (1968), G: Mr & Mrs J.P. Evans (1972), N: Mr & Mrs J.P. Evans, REG: Mrs J.P. Evans (1988) Fls 4/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 64 × 76-83mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (55A) in bud, opening shades of purplish pink (55A, B, C, D) with a reddish orange (42) blotch on dorsal lobe; outside deep purplish pink (55A) with a slightly darker, longitudinal ray on each lobe; moderately scented. Calyx very small. Lvs broadly elliptic, 108 × 70mm, flat, with edges very narrowly decurved, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, bullate above, with yellow-brown scales on mature foliage. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 10 years. March-April

(r) **'Kimberton'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: unknown × 'Crest' H: L. Bagoly (1969), G: C. Herbert (1978), N: C. Herbert, I: C. Herbert, REG: C. Herbert (1979) Fls up to 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 90mm wide, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (62A) with a brilliant yellow-green (154B) dorsal blotch, outside strong purplish pink (63C); scented. Lvs elliptic, 145 × 55mm, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.75m in 8 years. Mid May

(r) **'Kimbeth'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kimberley' × Elizabeth Group H: H.E. Greer (1960), G: H.E. Greer (1965), N: H.E. Greer, I: H.E. Greer (1970), REG: H.E. Greer (1979) Fls up to 5/flat truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (7.5RP 6/12). Calyx minute, green. Lvs elliptic to oblong, 70 × 40mm, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, hairless; new growth bronze. Shrub 1.2 × 1.8m in 14 years. Early May

(r) **'Kimbolton Gold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anna' × un-named seedling (no.20) H: J.S. Yeates (1985), G: New Zealand Rhododendron Association (1991), N: R.C. Gordon (1993), REG: New Zealand Rhododendron Association (1993) Fls 9-12/slightly lax truss, funnel-shaped, 45 × 50mm, with 7 very wavy-edged lobes, pinky cream in bud, opening old gold flushed with old rose pink towards the lobes inside; outside old gold flushed with old rose pink on the midribs; not scented. Calyx 7mm long, reddish brown. Lvs oblong, 120 × 65mm, flat, matt green, rounded at base, obtuse at apex, hairless; with long-lasting bronze tints when young. Shrub 1.9 × 1.9m in 7 years. Late spring

(a) **'Kimbolton Orange'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.S. Yeates (pre 1985), N: J.S. Yeates

(a) **'Kimbolton Pink'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.S. Yeates (pre 1985), N: J.S. Yeates

(a) **'Kimbolton Red'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.S. Yeates (pre 1985), N: J.S. Yeates Fls vivid reddish orange

(r) **'Kimbolton Yellow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Gold Mohur' × 'Ilam Apricot' H: J.S. Yeates (1975), G: J.S. Yeates, N: J.S. Yeates, I: New Zealand Rhododendron Association, REG: J.S. Yeates (1987) Fls 10/truss, 50 × 80mm, 6-lobed, reddish pink in bud, opening light yellow (11B) with corolla lobes edged deep pink (47D), fading to light yellow all over; deeper yellow spotting in dorsal throat. Calyx 4mm long, green, edged pink. Lvs 100-120 × 40-50mm, rolled at edges, hairless. Shrub 2.5m in 10 years. Late October-early November (New Zealand). Syn: 'Topaz' (Introduced under the unacceptable name 'Topaz')

(a) **'Kimigayo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1918), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, tubular-campanulate, 40 × 25-40mm, almost white at base, shading to deep pink (52C) at edges and with a pale green blotch. *AM 1952 Syn: 'Cherub'; Wilson no.15. Kurume

(a) **'Kimimaru'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kimi-no-hana' × 'Hitomaru' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, with rounded, wavy-edged lobes, white, with a blush of pale yellowish pink or with darker sectors; some with a white throat and dark yellowish pink margins; some white selfs. Satsuki

(a) **'Kimi-no-hana'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Tamaorihime' × 'Yata-no-kagami' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, with rounded lobes, white, with occasional deep pink sectors: very variable - some white to deep pink with white centres. Satsuki

(a) **'Kimi-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kozan' × 'Kikoshi' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 40-50mm wide, white, variable: some with deep pink sectors; some pink selfs; some pale pink with a dark pink blotch. Satsuki

(v) **'Kinabalu Mandarin'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *brookeanum* S: Mr & Mrs E.F. Allen, N: Mr & Mrs E.F. Allen, I: Mr & Mrs E.F. Allen (1970), REG: Mr & Mrs E.F. Allen (1980) Fls 18/truss, nearest strong reddish orange (40C), fading slightly to strong yellowish pink (40D), the throat light yellow (17D-18A). FCC 1970 Syn: 'Mandarin' (Collected in Kinabulu National Park (Sabah))

(a) **'Kin-dai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red, with a shorter corolla-like whorl (tubular below, long narrow lobes above) between corolla and calyx. Syn: 'Nishiki-dan'. Tsutsuji

(a) **'King'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. van Geert (1849), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'King'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Bobbink & Atkins, N: Bobbink & Atkins, I: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very double, 75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, solferino purple (26). Indian

(r) **'King'** (See 'The King')

(a) **'King Albert'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: J. Kersbergen, I: Wallace (1921), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, orange-yellow. Midseason. Mollis

(r) **'King Alphonso'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls amaranth red, tinged salmon

(r) **'King Arthur'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Arthur Osborn' (s) × *griffithianum* I: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1956), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'King Bee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × *tsariense* H: W.E. Berg (1969), G: W.E. Berg, N: W.E. Berg, I: W.E. Berg, REG: W.E. Berg (1983) Fls 7-10/truss, 40 × 55mm, open funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, deep pink (52B) in bud, opening pale pink (49D) (fading to white), dorsal spotting of vivid reddish

orange (43B), with stripes of deep yellowish pink (43D) down centre of each lobe. Calyx minute, pale yellowish pink (29D). Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 55 × 20mm, with a heavy, felt-like, moderate orange (167A) indumentum below. Young shoots tomentose. Shrub c1.0m in 12 years. Mid-late April

(r) **'Kingcup'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* (s) × Bustard Group R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1943), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a loose, flat-topped truss, tubular, c50mm long, waxy, light yellow (17D). Low-growing shrub. May. AM 1943 (Kingcup Group)

(r) **Kingcup Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* (s) × Bustard Group R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1943), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Kingdom Come'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *eclecteum*, grown from Kingdon Ward no.6869 R: S.R. Clarke, REG: R.N.S. Clarke (1978) Fls 5-7/loose truss, tubular-campanulate, up to 60 × 65mm, 5-lobed, white, flushed light yellow-green (150D), with slight red-purple spotting in the dorsal throat. Calyx lobes irregular, up to 6mm long, reflexed, greenish white, darkening to red-purple at the base. Lvs broadly elliptic to obovate, up to 80 × 50mm, dark green above, hairless. AM 1978

(v) **'King Edward VII'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *javanicum* var. *javanicum* × *javanicum* var. *teysmannii* R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1901), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep yellow, "similar but superior to 'Exquisite'". AM 1901 (There is no evidence that this was other than a cultivar)

(r) **'King Elliott'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Scarlet King Group × *elliottii* R: E.W.E. Butler, N: E.W.E. Butler, REG: E.W.E. Butler (1971) Fls strong red (46A), darker at margins, throat vivid red (46B)

(a) **'Kingetsu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Chugai Nursery Co. (pre 1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 50-65mm wide, with overlapping lobes, white with a red margin, or white flecked, striped or sectored claret rose, or claret rose with a darker blotch. Low-spreading habit. Very late. Satsuki

(r) **'King Fisher'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *heliolepis* × *maddenii* subsp. *maddenii* Polyandrum Group H: Sir John Ramsden, I: Sir William Pennington-Ramsden, REG: Sir William Pennington-Ramsden (1964) Fls in loose trusses, tubular-campanulate, 50-75mm long, pale lilac

(a) **'Kingfisher'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: H.W. Motzkau (pre 1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 75-100mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (58C). Lvs glossy green. Early-midseason

(r) **'King George'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* × a Hardy Hybrid H: O. Schulz (1892), I: J.H. van Nes, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c12/compact truss, 100 × 125mm, scarlet, unmarked. Lvs elliptic to oblong-ovate, variable in size, very dark green and somewhat bullate above, hairless or with traces of indumentum below

(a) **'Kinghornii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: F.R. Kinghorn (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls flat, lilac rose, richly spotted purple. FCC 1861. Indian

(r) **'King Humbert I'** cv. Parentage unknown R: G. Chiari (pre 1902), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, delicately tinged pink, with small, dark crimson spots at the base, the dorsal lobe specked dark red

(r) **Kingianum Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: derived from *arboreum* subsp. *zeylanicum* N: G. Watt, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in domed/globose trusses, campanulate, 40mm wide, rich blood crimson, unmarked. Calyx 5-lobed. Lvs ovate-oblong to oblong, 50-75mm long, dark glossy green and somewhat bullate above, with an appressed fulvous indumentum below. Shrub with very thick branches. (Collected as seed by Watt in 1882 in Manipur, Assam. First published (as a species) by W.Watson in *Gard. Chron.* 26:306-7 (1899))

(r) **Kingking Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Kingianum Group (s) × 'Mrs Kingsmill' R: E.J.P. Magor (1915), N: E.J.P. Magor, INC: ICRA (1958) (This is the parentage on the Register card index and makes sense of the epithet; the published 1958 Register gave *arboreum* subsp. *zeylanicum* × 'Mrs Randall Davidson')

(a) **'King Lear'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *japonicum* hybrid R: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1925), N: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, yellow

(a) **'King Lear'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* L: Clibrans (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls brick red, with an orange blotch. Mollis

(a) **'King Leopold'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon orange. Mollis

(r) **'Kinglet'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *racemosum* (Forrest 19404) × 'Finch' R: R. Henny, N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny, REG: R. Henny (1963) Fls 3-4/axillary truss, tubular-campanulate, up to 20 × 30mm, fuchsine pink (627/1), base of tube outside phlox pink (625). Lvs 75 × 30mm, dark green. Early April

(a) **'King Midas'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1951), G: R.M. Bovee, I: Bovees Nursery (1975), REG: Bovees Nursery (1975) Fls 13/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 35 × 70mm, with 5 frilled lobes, brilliant yellow (13C), slightly darker in throat, paler at edges, whole dorsal lobe strong orange-yellow (17A). Calyx 3mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 50mm, bullate, hairy, moderate olive green (147A). Young shoots green bronze. Shrub 2.2 × 2.5m in 23 years. Mid May

(r) **'King of Crimsons'** cv. Parentage unknown R: I. Davies (pre 1896), N: I Davies, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet red

(r) **'King of Jordan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: hybrid involving Nereid Group, Tally Ho Group and *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* H: Mrs E. Frye (c 1947), G: Mrs B.I. Jordan (1959), N: Mrs B.I. Jordan, I: Mrs B.I. Jordan (1976), REG: Mrs B.I. Jordan (1977) Fls up to 10/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 70 × 100mm, with 5-7 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (39A) becoming strong yellowish pink (38A) in bud, opening light yellow to pale orange-yellow (15D-16D) in centre, shading to strong to light pink (49A-C) at edges, with slight greenish spotting in the throat and on dorsal lobes. Calyx 1.5-3.0mm long. Lvs narrowly oblong to narrowly elliptic, c160 × 45mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub c1.0 × 1.6m in 12 years. Late May-early June

(a) **'King of Red'** (See 'The King of Red')

(r) **'King of Shrubs'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × Fabia Group R: E. Ostbo, N: E. Ostbo, I: E. Ostbo (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 9-10/lax truss, broadly campanulate, 75 × 100mm, with 5-7 wavy-edged lobes, apricot yellow at base, with greenish yellow spotting in the throat and at base of lobes, margin inside broadly banded porcelain rose (620/2); outside strongly flushed carmine rose (621/1-621/2). Calyx, filaments, style and ovary glandular. Lvs oblanceolate, 150 × 50mm, acute at apex, obtuse to rounded at base, dull dark green above, hairless at maturity. Shrub 1.5m tall in 10 years. Syn: 'Orange Azor' (Some doubt attaches to the parentage; the seed may have come from England)

(r) **'King of the Purples'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1881), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep violet purple, spotted

(a) **'King of Yamamato'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, variegated purple with 12-15 lobes. Indian

(r) **'King Olav V'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Goldfort Group × *lacteum* × 'Mary Swaythling' R: H. Lem (pre 1968) (Presented to King Olav during a visit to Seattle in 1968)

(a) **'King Oluf'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: V.L. Wood, N: V.L. Wood, I: V.L. Wood (1954), REG: V.L. Wood (1977) Fls hose-in-hose, 25mm wide, pink, with a peach-coloured throat and tube. Lvs 40mm long. Shrub 1.2 × 1.9m. (Original seed collected in 1949)

(r) **'King Orry'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet red

(a) **'King Red'** (An error for 'King's Red')

(r) **'King's Buff'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Earl of Athlone' (s) × 'Lady Primrose' H: Mrs L.M. King (1952), G: H.W. King, N: H.W. King, I: H.W. King & Co., REG: H.W. King & Co. (1985) Fls buff, with dark red speckles in the throat. Lvs glossy mid green, hairless. Shrub up to 2.0m

(r) **'King's Cerise'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *ponticum* × *griersonianum* H: H.W. King (1952), G: H.W. King, N: H.W. King, I: H.W. King & Co., REG: H.W. King & Co. (1985) Fls in large, tight trusses, bright cerise. Lvs hairless. Shrub to 1.5m

(a) **'King's Choice'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Exquisite' × 'Crimson Glory' H: B. Smith, G: B. Smith (1985), N: B. Smith, I: B. Smith, REG: B. Smith (1986) Fls single, 2-3/truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, vivid purplish red (57C), with a moderate red (47A) flare. Lvs elliptic, 35 × 15mm. Shrub 0.3m

(r) **'King's Crimson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: King, I: King (1985) Fls 15/rounded truss, funnel-shaped, 75mm wide, with very wavy-edged lobes, red, with faint brown spotting and black anthers. Lvs 115 × 40mm, dark green. Dense shrub, c1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'King's Destiny'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: unknown × 'Purple Splendour' H: Mrs H.A. Frederick Jr (1966), G: Mrs H.A. Frederick Jr (1975), N: Mrs H.A. Frederick Jr, I: Mrs H.A. Frederick Jr, REG: Mrs H.A. Frederick Jr (1977) Fls up to 11/truss, open funnel-shaped, 115mm wide, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, strong purple (77B), with a darker blotch and darker spotting above the blotch, throat dark purple. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 150 × 50mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, moderate olive green (137B) above, hairless. Shrub c1.1 × 0.9m in 9 years. Mid May

(r) **'King's Dome'** cv. Parentage unknown H: H. Lem, I: G.E. Barefield (pre 1980)

(r) **'King's Favor'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' × 'Arthur Bedford' H: Mrs H.A. Frederick Jr (1966), G: Mrs H.A. Frederick Jr (1976), N: Mrs H.A. Frederick Jr, I: Mrs H.A. Frederick Jr, REG: Mrs H.A. Frederick Jr (1977) Fls up to 12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 80mm wide, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, dark purple in bud, opening strong reddish purple (78B), with a golden yellow, spotted blotch on the dorsal lobe. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 200 × 50mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 10 years. Mid May

(a) **'Kingsford'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: M.E. Greentree (pre 1984), N: M.E. Greentree Fls double, soft pink. Indian

(a) **'King's Luminous Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Pink Pearl' × 'Eleanor Allan' R: King, I: L. Partain (pre 1987) Fls 40mm wide, pink, with white rays, dark margins and a white throat. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 10 years. Kurume

(r) **'King's Milkmaid'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'J.G. Millais' (s) × Gladys Group H: Mrs L.M. King (1952), G: H.W. King, N: H.W. King, I: H.W. King,

REG: S.M. King (1984) Fls in dense trusses, creamy white, deeper yellow in the throat. Lvs oblong-elliptic, 100-120 × 30-45mm, hairless. Shrub to 2.0m in 20 years

(v) **'King Solomon'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *zoelleri* (Mount Hagen form) (s) × *leucogigas* 'Hunstein's Secret' H: J.L. Rouse (1984), G: B. Clancy (1990), N: B. Clancy (1997), I: Vireya Valley Nursery (1997), REG: Vireya Valley Nursery (1997) Fls 5/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 58 × 130mm, with 6 flat-edged lobes, buds deep purplish pink (54B) on lobes, shading to pale yellow (11D), opening inside strong red (53D) shading to light yellow (11B) in the throat; outside strong red (53D); unspotted. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 60mm, flat, matt green above, acute at apex, cuneate at base, with light brown scales when young. Shrub 1.3 × 0.7m in 10 years. October-March (Australia)

(a) **'King's Orange Red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: King (pre 1987), N: King Fls 75-90mm wide, reddish orange. Flowers intermittently

(r) **'King's Party Dress'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum*, open-pollinated H: S.M. King (1970), G: S.M. King, N: S.M. King, I: S.M. King, REG: S.M. King (1985) Fls in a tight truss, appleblossom pink. Compact habit

(r) **'King's Pink Glow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Peter Koster' (s) × *griersonianum* H: Mrs L.M. King (1952), G: H.W. King, N: H.W. King, I: H.W. King (c 1954), REG: S.M. King (1984) Fls in large, tight trusses, deep glowing rose pink. Shrub 2.5m in 20 years

(r) **'King's Ransom'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* × unknown H: S.G. Irvine, G: Mr & Mrs H.H. McCuaig, N: Mr & Mrs H.H. McCuaig, I: Mr & Mrs H.H. McCuaig (1974), REG: Mr & Mrs H.H. McCuaig (1974) Fls 10-14/truss, campanulate, 25 × 50mm, 5-lobed, light greenish yellow (3D), with a dark red (187A) blotch; stigma chartreuse green; stamens 10. Lvs 80 × 50mm, cordate at base. Shrub 0.8m tall in 7 years. Late April

(a) **'King's Red'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: E. King (pre 1975), G: A.E. Kehr (1975), N: A.E. Kehr, REG: A.E. Kehr (1987) Fls 11-14/ball truss, open to broadly funnel-shaped, 51 × 70mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (46B). Lvs elliptic, 95 × 41mm, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, convex, bullate above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 0.6m in 6 years. Mid May. (Sometimes seen in error as 'King Red')

(r) **'Kings Ride'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *insigne* × *yakushimanum* R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1972), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1972) Fls 17/domed, compact truss, campanulate, 45 × 40mm, white, speckled brown, flushed moderate purplish pink (62D) when young. Lvs 100-115 × 40mm, dull dark green. Late May. *HC 1975

(r) **'Kingston'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lem's Cameo' (s) × 'Polynesian Sunset' H: A. Holmeide (1977), G: A.P. Smith (1981), N: A.P. Smith, I: A.P. Smith, REG: A.P. Smith (1983) Fls 8-10/truss, 90 × 90mm, open funnel-campanulate, 7-lobed, moderate reddish orange (35A) in bud, opening light orange (29C) and becoming pale yellow (20C) after two weeks, edged strong red (51A) and becoming deep yellowish pink (44D) with age, heavy dorsal spotting of strong brown (172A) and with a deep red (53A) stain deep in the throat; outside with broad ribs and edges of strong red (51A) and becoming deep yellowish pink (44D) with age, paler between the ribs. Calyx up to 40mm long, strong red (51A). Lvs oblanceolate, 140-150 × 50mm, moderate olive green (137A); new lvs reddish orange (173). with red bracts. Shrub c0.8m in 4 years. Mid May

(r) **'Kingsway'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × *arboreum* subsp. *zeylanicum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild (1961), I: E. de Rothschild, REG: E. de Rothschild (1962) Fls white, flushed pink with a large, deep pink throat. PC 1960

(a) **'King's White'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Casadaban's Nurseries (pre 1965) Fls white. Indian

(r) **'Kingswood'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Swarthmore College (c 1960), N: Swarthmore College Fls pink. (Seed collected (1948) from Dexter hybrids at Swarthmore)

(r) **Kingthom Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Kingsmill' × *thomsonii* R: E.J.P. Magor, N: E.J.P. Magor, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Kingthorn'** (Perhaps an error for Kingthom Group)

(r) **'King Tut'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* × 'America' × red *catawbiense* seedling H: A.M. Shammarello, G: A.M. Shammarello (c 1943), N: A.M. Shammarello, I: A.M. Shammarello, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a conical truss, funnel-shaped, 65mm wide, light bright red, with a white blotch. Lvs 125 × 55mm, mid green. Shrub under 2.0m. Late May. (This description is from American Rhododendron Society records. Plants in cultivation in Germany (2000) had vivid purplish red (57D) margins, paler within, outside midribs vivid purplish red (57D) and paler at rim)

(a) **'Kinina 301'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958). Kurume

(a) **'Kinja'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Mevrouw Gerard Kint' R: Bernd Jackst GbR (1991), N: Bernd Jackst GbR, I: Bernd Jackst GbR, REG: ICRA (1997) Fls semi-double, white, edged red

(a) **'Kinjo-no-tama'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Closely resembles 'Kirin' but the flowers are a little larger and clumsier. Kurume

(a) **'Kin-kazan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50-65mm wide, with 6-8 wide, rounded lobes (slightly rolled back), white, flaked and striped reddish orange, with a green throat and a pale pink blotch. Satsuki

(a) **'Kinkujaku'** cv. Evergreen azalea: perhaps derived from *stenopetalum* R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan Fls with deeply divided corollas, pink

(r) **'Kinloss'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: possibly a hybrid or seedling of *smirnowii*, although this is disputed R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1967) Fls 10-14/rounded, loose truss, 47-65mm wide, strong to light purplish pink (73B-C) (dark rose outside, inside rose, with a whitish rose centre); strong dark red marking on the dorsal lobe. Young shoots conspicuously red. Late May-early June

(a) **'Kinmei'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 40-50mm wide, with well-separated lobes, light to strong purplish pink with an occasional blush of white. Satsuki

(a) **'Kin-nishiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Shokko-nishiki' R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65-75mm wide, with broad, rounded lobes, light pink with red stripes and small spots, to light pink rimmed with white, very variable; throat greenish. Satsuki

(a) **'Kinno-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan. Satsuki (Listed by Galle (1987), but no description available. Perhaps an error for 'Kinu-no-hikari')

(a) **'Kin-no-sai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *indicum* R: Japan (pre 1870), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls without a corolla, but with a 6-13-lobed, scarlet, petaloid calyx. Syn: 'Polypetalum' (*R. indicum* f. *polypetalum* (Maximowicz) Wilson). Indian (Plants seen as 'Kin-zai'/'Kin-Sai' are probably the same. See also under 'Zai')

(a) **'Kinpa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Matsunami' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50mm wide, white with stripes, flecks, sectors and selfs of yellowish pink. Lvs very small. Satsuki

(a) **'Kinpai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Yata-no-kagami' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, with rounded lobes, centre white, edges reddish orange; occasional selfs of light to strong reddish orange. Satsuki

(a) **'Kin-po'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls purplish red. Lvs variegated with yellow spots and blotches. Satsuki (Listed as such by Galle (1987) in company with 'Kinpo' *q.v*)

(a) **'Kinpo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Gumpo' R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, with rounded, wavy-edged lobes, white, with a very pale yellow centre. Satsuki

(a) **'Kinpo-nishiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Sakurayama' × 'Kono' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, with 6 or more, rounded, overlapping lobes, light to deep yellowish pink, with darker stripes; occasional pink selfs, or pink with a narrow white margin, or white centre with a pink margin. Satsuki

(a) **'Kinsai'** (Probably the plant here treated as 'Kin-no-sai')

(a) **'Kinsei'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Chiyo-no-hikari' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50mm wide, with rounded lobes, white, with pale pink stamens and pistil. Satsuki

(a) **'Kinsen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with a white mottled ground, marked and spotted red. Satsuki

(a) **'Kinsey White'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Kinsey Gardens (pre 1987), N: Kinsey Gardens Fls 40mm wide, white. Kurume

(a) **'Kin-shibe'** (Syn. of 'Cryptopetalum')

(a) **'Kin-shide'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls without petals, but with numerous and conspicuous, thick, crimson stamens. Tsutsuji (Perhaps the same plant as 'Cryptopetalum' ('Kin-shibe'))

(a) **'Kinshusan'** (Syn. of 'Hanazoroe')

(a) **'Kintaiyo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Kurume hybrid × *scabrum* R: Japan (pre 1937), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with a petaloid calyx; margins white, flushed deep yellowish pink (47C) and blotched the same colour (1958 Register); Wada cat. 1937 lists it as "fls large, 5-6-lobed, bright carmine"

(a) **'Kintaiyo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan, N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, white, edged bright orange. Kurume (Perhaps the same plant as the Kurume hybrid with confused data on flower colour)

(a) **'Kintaro'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Kintoki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Hirado Is., Japan (pre 1964), N: Hirado Is., Japan Fls c80mm wide, strong purplish red. Satsuki

(a) **'Kinugawa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c60mm wide, warm cherry blossom pink, streaked with red. Satsuki

(a) **'Kinu-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 40-65mm wide, with irregularly rounded or pointed, well-spaced lobes, white, very variably marked with flecks, stripes and sectors of deep pink; some suffused pale pink, with a narrow white edge and a dark red blotch. Satsuki

(a) **'Kinu-no-tsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 40-50mm wide, purplish pink, with a white throat, occasionally white suffused purplish pink and with sectors of purplish pink. Midseason. Satsuki

(a) **'Kin-yori'** (Syn. of 'O-guruma')

(a) **'Kin-zai'** (Probably the plant treated here as 'Kin-no-sai')

(a) **'Kiono-kami'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1920), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink. Kurume

(a) **'Kippo-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kozan' × 'Mine-no-hikari' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, with slightly pointed, well-spaced lobes, white, with occasional reddish orange sectors; some dark red selfs. Satsuki

(a) **'Kipps'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1943), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vivid reddish orange, with an orange blotch. Knap Hill

(r) **'Kipps'** (Syn. of 'Kelly's Kipps')

(a) **'Kirigane'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c40mm wide, deep cherry blossom pink approaching a light persimmon orange. Very late-flowering. Satsuki

(a) **'Kirin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, red, with laciniate lobes. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Kirin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1918), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, tubular funnel-shaped, 30 × 20-25mm, rose red (variously recorded as 24/2, 623/1 or 54C) with a darker blotch, shading to silvery rose. *AM 1952 Syn: 'Coral Bells', 'Daybreak', 'Pink Beauty'; Wilson no. 22. Kurume

(a) **'Kirinkan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 55-65mm wide, with rounded lobes, light purple, with reddish purple stripes, flecks and sectors, blotch red. Satsuki

(a) **'Kirin-no-tsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Kirishima'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1712), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, small, with rather pointed lobes, scarlet; slightly scented. Shrub up to 1.0m, densely branched, twiggy. Good autumn colour. Kurume (Obtusum Group. Following Wilson (1921) this is the plant grown for centuries in Japan as "Kirishima-tsutsuji"; many other related forms are known and these all fall within the Obtusum Group)

(a) **'Kiritsubo'** (Syn. of 'Maki-ginu')

(a) **'Kiritsubo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1918), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3(-4)/compact truss, funnel-shaped, 20mm wide, strong reddish purple (78B), with a bright cerise midrib which is more prominent externally. *AM 1974 Syn: 'Twilight'; Wilson no.24. Kurume

(r) **'Kirklyn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* (s) × 'Lady of Wakefield' H: Scott Arboretum (1953), G: John J. Tyler Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister

(r) **'Kirschkönigin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Oratorium' (s) × 'Kupferberg' H: U. Genzel (1988), G: U. Genzel, N: U. Genzel, I: U. Genzel (1998), REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1998) Fls 12-17/truss, 40-48 × 55-70mm, with flat-edged lobes, dark red in bud, opening cherry red inside and out, with black-red markings on a light red ground; lobes described as 'translucent'. Lvs 72-160 × 26-53mm. Shrub 1.7 × 1.6m in 10 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Kirsten Begeer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × 'Direktor E. Hjelm' H: D.G. Hobbie, G: D.G. Hobbie, N: Vuyk van Nes Ltd, I: Vuyk van Nes Ltd (1987), REG: Royal Boskoop Hort. Soc. (1990) Fls 10-12/truss, funnel-shaped, 60-80 × 60-80mm, 6-7-lobed, dark rosy crimson, with greenish yellow to green spotting. Lvs broadly ovate, 150-250 × 50-70mm, dark green, hairless. Shrub up to 4.0m high. May. (First published in *Dendroflora* no.24:55 (1987). Although registered with this parentage, Schmalscheidt (1989) states that Hobbie never used 'Direktor E. Hjelm' in his crosses, so this may be an error)

(a) **'Kirsten Flagstad'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: T.C. Thacker (1960) Fls vivid coppery orange

(a) **'Kirstin'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Elsie Lee' (s) × 'Purpurkissen' H: H. Hachmann (1988), G: H. Hachmann (1992), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls single, 2-3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 35-40 × 50-58(-65)mm, with 5 wavy-edged, recurved lobes, inside vivid purplish red (57D) shaded vivid purplish red (57C), outside similarly coloured but paler on midveins; dorsal lobes slightly spotted deep purplish red (187D); stamens 7, filaments strong to light purplish pink (55B/C), anthers greyish reddish orange (176C); style light to pale purplish pink (55C/D), stigma deep purplish red (187D). Calyx 3-4mm long, strong yellow-green (144C), silvery hairy. Lvs ovate, 30 × 10-13mm, margins slightly recurved, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dark and slightly glossy green above. Low, broadly rounded shrub, 0.4 × 0.6m in 10 years. Late May-early June. (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030648). First published in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(r) **'Kirsty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *adenogynum* Adenophorum Group, grown from Rock no.59636 R: S.R. Clarke, N: R.N.S. Clarke, I: R.N.S. Clarke (1976), REG: R.N.S. Clarke (1976) Fls

12/rounded truss, funnel-shaped, 45 × 60mm, 5-lobed, white, 'lip' of corolla and outside suffused strong purplish pink (63C); dorsal throat lightly spotted strong purplish red (63A). Calyx lobes red, reflexed, glandular hairy. Lvs oblong-lanceolate, 110 × 30mm, dark green above, with a thick, plastered indumentum below. AM 1976

(a) **'Kisaragi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c50mm wide, white. Lvs more-or-less roundish. Syn: 'Sarashina'. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Kisaragi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan, N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with purple markings. Indian

(a) **'Kisarazu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kohan-no-tsuki' × 'Matsunami' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 75mm wide, with 6 rounded, well-spaced lobes, white, blushed very pale pink with a narrow, deep yellowish pink margin, occasionally striped pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Kisarazu-no-sokojiro'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, with rounded lobes, white, with a vivid reddish orange border. Compact habit. Satsuki

(a) **'Kiska'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt, I: E.A. Merritt (c 1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 55mm wide, rose bengal (25/1), with a darker blotch. Kurume

(r) **'Kismet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Grenadier' (s) × 'Pygmalion' R: R. Henny, N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny (pre 1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(r) **'Kissena'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid I: S.B. Parsons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple

(a) **'Kisses'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Marshy Point Nursery, N: Marshy Point Nursery (pre 1995) Fls double, with very wavy-edged margins, pink. Upright shrub

(v) **'Kisses'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Tropic Glow' × *lochiae* × *macgregoriae* H: O.S. Blumhardt (1980), G: O.S. Blumhardt (1984), N: O.S. Blumhardt, I: O.S. Blumhardt (1987), REG: O.S. Blumhardt (1987) Fls 4-7/truss, 45 × 55mm, 5-lobed, tube light greenish yellow (6D), both inside and out, lobes deep yellowish pink (43C). Calyx 1mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 65 × 35mm, light green, with minute scales; petioles deep red

(a) **'Kiss Me Again'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, warm bright pink with an orange-yellow flare. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Late June

(r) **'Kiss of Lemon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: K.I. Sifferman (pre 1988) Fls clear yellow. Lvs dark green, deeply veined. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Ki-syun'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *aureum* (s) × 'Crest' H: S. Sato (1986), G: S. Sato (1993), S: S. Sato (1993), N: K. Ono (1998), REG: K. Ono (1998) Fls 7-9/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 85 × 65mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, light greenish yellow (1C) in bud, opening light greenish yellow (1C) inside and out and with yellow-green dorsal spots. Calyx 2mm long, moderate orange (171D). Lvs broadly elliptic, 70 × 60mm, obtuse and apiculate at apex, mostly truncate below, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.25 × 0.4m in 11 years

(r) **'Kit'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' × 'Evening Glow' × 'Lord Roberts' H: M. Stockman (1972), G: M. Stockman (1980), N: M. Stockman, I: Greer Gardens, REG: M. Stockman (1991) Fls hose-in-hose, 9/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 57 × 95mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep to strong red (53A/B) in bud, opening white, mottled very pale purple (69A), with strong red (53B) veins, longitudinal markings and spotting on upper lateral lobes and with prominent 53B to almost black spots over most of dorsal lobe; stamens 10-11, straight, unequal, greenish-yellow. Calyx 25mm long, light red fading to very light pink with a strong red (53C) centre, tips and spotting on two upper lobes near the apex. Pedicels 32mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 165 × 51mm, concave, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dark, dull green above, hairless; petioles 19mm long, light green. Mid May-early June. Syn: 'Kit-E'

(a) **'Kita-no-otome'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *schlippenbachii* (s) × white fld *kaempferi* (as f. *latisepalum*) × white fld *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* H: T. Saitou (1993), G: T. Saitou (1999), S: T. Saitou (1999), N: T. Saitou (1999), REG: T. Saitou (2001) Fls hose-in-hose, 2-3/truss, narrow funnel-campanulate, 45 × 40mm, with 5+5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish orange (43A) in bud, opening inside vivid reddish orange (43B), outside vivid reddish orange (43A), with a vivid red (46B) blotch. Calyx equalling and coloured as corolla. Lvs 50 × 20mm, flat, acuminate at apex, obtuse at base, matt green, hairs strong yellow-green (143C) at first, ageing to dark yellowish green (136B). Shrub 0.37 × 0.42m in 8 years. (Standard: colour slide provided by registrant (WSY 0030953))

(v) **'Kitchen Sink'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: USA ? (pre 1993)

(r) **'Kit Collier'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ilam Orange' × 'Ilam Canary' × 'Lemon Lodge' H: G. Collier (1972), G: G. Collier (1979), N: G. Collier, REG: G. Collier (1988) Fls 8-10/truss, funnel-shaped, 80-100 × 100-110mm, pale yellow-green (149D), throat light greenish yellow (5C). Calyx 2-10mm long (with uneven lobes), green, edged red. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 40mm, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 2.5m in 16 years. Late October-November (New Zealand)

(r) **'Kit Corynton'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* × *maddenii* R: E.G.W.W. Harrison, N: E.G.W.W. Harrison, REG: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1971) Fls moderate yellow (163C), darkening to strong orange-

yellow (163B) at base of corolla. Calyx lobes centrally flushed deep yellowish pink (39B). PC 1971

(r) **'Kit-E'** (Syn. of 'Kit')

(r) **'Kitsap King'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Grenadier Group × *yakushimanum* H: A.P. Smith (1972), G: A.P. Smith (1980), N: A.P. Smith, I: A.P. Smith (1992), REG: A.P. Smith (1992) Fls 12-13/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 70 × 84mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (62A) in bud, opening greenish white (157D) with strong purplish pink (68B) edging on lobes (inside and out); stamens 8-10, 6mm long; style brilliant yellow-green (149C). Calyx 3mm long, brilliant yellow-green (149C). Lvs ovate, 102-127 × 51mm, convex, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, matt green above, with a felted indumentum below (deep tan at first, aging to cream). Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 12 years. Mid May-early June

(r) **'Kittatinny'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Golden Star' (s) × *vernicosum* aff. (Rock 18139) H: W.L. Rhein (1979), G: W.L. Rhein (1984), N: W.L. Rhein, REG: Am.Rh.Soc., Susquehanna Valley Chapter (1995) Fls 8-9/slightly lax, ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 64 × 89mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, moderate yellowish pink (39C) in bud, opening inside pale yellow (11D) with a pale yellow (11C) throat and moderate yellowish pink (37C) highlights on the lobes; outside moderate yellowish pink (37C); stamens 14, curved, unequal; stigma brilliant yellowish green (140B). Calyx minute. Pedicels 38mm long, moderate reddish brown (174A) above, light yellow-green (145B) below. Lvs elliptic, 76-89 × 41-48mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, dull, moderate olive green (146A) above, moderate yellow-green (147C) below, hairless; petioles 16-22mm long, strong yellow-green (144A). Shrub 1.5 × 2.0m in 13 years. Mid May

(r) **Kittiwake Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *lutescens* (s) × *edgeworthii* R: J.C. Williams (1933), N: J.C. Williams, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Kitty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C.B. van Nes & Sons (1922), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange. Kaempferi

(r) **'Kitty Cole'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* × white-flowered *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* hybrid H: T.H. Lowinsky, N: Sir James Horlick (1930), REG: Sir James Horlick (1962) Fls in strong trusses, rose. Lvs light green. Spreading habit. Early June

(a) **'Kiwi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: H.W. Motzkau (c 1968), N: Yoder Bros, I: Yoder Bros Fls single (Galle, 1985), semi-double (Yoder cat., 1973), vivid purplish red (57D). Calyx coloured as corolla, hose-in-hose. Lvs dark green. Early-midseason

(r) **'Kiwi'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: sport from 'Sappho' S: H. Kirchner (c 1975), N: H. Kirchner, I: H. Kirchner Fls similar to parent but with yellow, not blackish markings

(r) **'Kiwi Majic'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × Dido Group × 'Lem's Cameo' H: Jeffrey Elliott (1983), G: Jeffrey Elliott (1987), N: Jeffrey Elliott (1988), REG: Jeffrey Elliott (1988) Fls 13-14/truss, open funnel-shaped, 70 × 90mm, 7-lobed, deep pink (52B) in bud, opening light pink (49C), centre brilliant yellow (12B) fading to pale yellow (12D) at edges: overall effect at a distance is yellowish pink (33C/D). Calyx 30mm long, deep pink (52B), spotted pale yellow (12D). Lvs elliptic, 150 × 60mm, hairless. Shrub 0.5 × 0.5m in 4 years. Mid October (New Zealand). (The spelling of Majic *sic* is deliberate)

(a) **'Kiyo-hime'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* L: Miyami-en Nursery (1976) Fls 45mm wide, reddish orange

(a) **'Kiyo-taki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, white, marked with red stripes of varying width and with light red streaks; white, red and light red selfs also produced. Satsuki

(a) **'K.J.P.'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kongo' hybrid R: R.W. Pennington (pre 1976), N: R.W. Pennington Fls 100mm wide, rose pink, with a white edge; occasional stripes or selfs. Mid-late season

(r) **'Klassy's Pride'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *neriiflorum* × *strigillosum* × Loderi Group × *thomsonii* H: B. Nelson (1963), G: C.G. Heller (1977), N: C.G. Heller, REG: C.G. Heller (1979) Fls up to 14/truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (46A), with black dorsal spotting. Calyx 3mm long, strong purplish pink (55B). Lvs elliptic, 125 × 45mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.4m in 13 years. Late April

(a) **'Kleiner Prinz'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Kurume azalea (s) × 'Multiflorum' R: W. Nagel (1977), N: W. Nagel, I: W. Nagel (1999), REG: ICRA (2000) Fls pure red. Shrub 0.45m in 20 years

(r) **'Kleist'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine rose, with a yellow blotch

(a) **'Kleopatra'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ledikanense' × 'Hexe' R: J. Matouš (c 1964), N: J. Matouš Fls hose-in-hose, 40-55mm wide, solferino purple (26), with a conspicuous blotch of indian lake (826-826/2). Lvs ovate, dull spinach green (0960-0960/1). Syn: 'Alena'

(r) **'Kleopatra'** (Syn. of 'Berliner Liebe')

(r) **'Klickitat'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kammer's Ruffles' (s) × 'Morna Belle' H: M. Stockman (1988), G: M. & H. Stockman (1993), N: H. Stockman, REG: M. & H. Stockman (1994) Fls 12-15/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 44 × 70mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63B) in bud, opening strong purplish red (63B) with a large, deep red (185A) spot-

ted area on a nearly white ground (extending from throat onto dorsal lobe); stamens 10, straight, unequal; anthers prominent, creamy yellow. Calyx 3mm long, reddish beige. Pedicels 32mm long, beige. Lvs elliptic, 121 × 44mm, concave, acute at apex, rounded at base, glossy dark green above, hairless; petioles 16mm long, light brown. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 6 years. Early May

(a) **'Klokke Roeland'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *cumberlandense* (s) × *arborescens* H: L. de Clercq (1994), G: L. de Clercq (1997), N: L. de Clercq (2002), I: L. de Clercq (2002), REG: L. de Clercq (2002) Fls single, 5/flat truss, funnel-shaped, 45mm wide, with 5 more-or-less flat-edged lobes, soft yellow inside and out, with a large, yellow, dorsal blotch; stamens and style red, long-exserted; heliotrope-scented. Lvs obovate, 70 × 35mm long, margins flat, acute at apex and base, glossy green above. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in 8 years. Early July-early August. (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0034916). Etymology: name of some bells in Ghent)

(a) **'Klondyke'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Exbury, N: Exbury, I: E. de Rothschild (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, vivid orange-yellow in bud, opening strong orange (24A), with an orange-yellow (23A) blotch. Shrub 3.0-4.0m. Knap Hill

(r) **'Kloster Kamp'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Souvenir of Anthony Waterer' × 'Direktor E. Hjelm' (s) × 'Marrakesch' H: H.J.A. Guyens (1994), G: H.J.A. Guyens (2000), N: H.J.A. Guyens (2001), I: H.J.A. Guyens, REG: H.J.A. Guyens (2001) Fls 14-18/tight, globular truss, funnel-shaped, 90 × 100mm, with 6-7 slightly wavy-edged lobes, green in bud, opening inside a mixture of salmon, yellow and cream, margins salmon pink, with rose pink veins; outside a mixture of salmon, pink and cream; a black/brown basal blotch and 3 dorsal lobes with brown-orange spots; scented. Calyx 12-16mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs oblong, 120-200 × 40-60mm, margins slightly decurved, more-or-less rounded at apex and base, matt green, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.0m in 7 years. Late April-early May

(a) **'Klugianum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1866), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, orange-red. Indian

(r) **'Kluis Sensation'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' × un-namedseedling R: A. Kluis (pre 1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 17-18/compact, globular truss, 45 × 45-50mm, funnel-shaped, more-or-less strong red (53C), with blackish brown dorsal spotting. Lvs 125 × 50mm, dark, dull green. Compact shrub 1.5m in 10 years. *HC 1970

(r) **'Kluis Triumph'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: A. Kluis (pre 1955), N: A. Kluis, I: A. Kluis, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 15-18/compact, domed truss, campanulate (expanded at the mouth, with tips recurved), 50 × 65m, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53B), slightly lighter along midrib and in the throat, fairly extensively spotted on dorsal lobe. Lvs 180 × 55mm, dark, dull green. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. *HC 1968, *AM 1969, *FCC 1971

(r) **'Knaphill'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *campanulatum* I: L. de Rothschild (1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lavender blue. AM 1925

(a) **'Knap Hill Apricot'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls apricot (moderate) yellow. Early-midseason. Knap Hill

(r) **'Knap Hill Dandy'** (Syn. of 'Dandy')

(a) **'Knap Hill Gog'** (Syn. of 'Gog')

(a) **'Knap Hill Orange'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vivid orange. Late. Knap Hill

(a) **'Knap Hill Pink'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 14-18/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 70mm wide, 5-lobed, moderate purplish pink (62B), edged darker, with an orange-yellow blotch (21B). Lvs light glossy green. AM 1926, *AM 1950. Knap Hill

(a) **'Knap Hill Red'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red. Late. Knap Hill

(a) **'Knaphill Rose'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Barters Farm Nurseries (1978)

(a) **'Knap Hill Tangerine'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage uknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls strong orange. Knap Hill

(a) **'Knap Hill White'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, deep pink in bud, opening white shaded very pale pink, fading to white. Midseason. AM 1926. Knap Hill

(a) **'Knap Hill Yellow'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vivid yellow, tinged orange. Midseason. Knap Hill

(r) **'Knee High'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (pre 1980), N: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg

(a) **'Knighthood'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1943), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very dark in bud, opening strong yellowish pink (40D), more orange on the dorsal lobe; long stamens. AM 1943. Knap Hill

(r) **'Knightianum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Knightii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Henderson & Co. (1852), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Henderson & Co. equated this with 'Phoeniceum Album'; they also listed the rhododendron 'Knightii')

(r) **'Knightii'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Société de Flore, Bruxelles (1838), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Knightii Albicans'** cv. Parentage unknown L: E.F. André (1864), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose, passing to white

(r) **'Knight's Beauty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Old Copper' × 'Van Nes Sensation' H: W. Elliott (1966), G: E.L. Knight (1979), N: E.L. Knight, I: E.L. Knight, REG: E.L. Knight (1981) Fls 11-12/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 105mm wide, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (7.5RP 5/12), opening strong purplish pink (7.5RP 7/10) with a pale pink (2.5R 9/3) throat and edging of 2.5R 9/3; stripes of light purplish pink (7.5RP 8/5) down centre of each lobe and strong red (5R 4/12) spotting on dorsal lobe and extending onto adjacent lobes; outside deep purplish pink (7.5RP 6/12); scented. Lvs narrowly obovate to oblanceolate, broadly acute at apex, oblique to rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.4m in 13 years. Late May

(r) **'Knight's Favorite'** cv. Parentage unknown L: F. Jamin (c 1900), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls brilliant red

(r) **'Knight's Orange Yellow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tidbit' × 'Whitney's Orange' H: E.L. Knight (1965), G: E.L. Knight (1978), N: E.L. Knight, I: E.L. Knight, REG: E.L. Knight (1981) Fls 10-11/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light orange (5YR 8/7) in bud, opening moderate orange-yellow (7.5YR 8/8) with a narrow edge and stripes down centre of each lobe into the throat of strong yellowish pink (5R 7/9); outside moderate orange-yellow (7.5YR 8/8). Calyx 22mm long, inside strong yellowish pink (5R 7/9), outside moderate orange-yellow (7.5YR 8/8). Lvs elliptic, 75-95 × 45-50mm, flat, rounded at apex and base, hairless above, with a light tan indumentum below. Shrub 0.6 × 0.8m in 14 years. Late May

(r) **'Knight's Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'J.H. van Nes' × 'Loderi King George' H: B.T. Briggs (1963), G: E.L. Knight (1970), N: E.L. Knight, I: E.L. Knight, REG: E.L. Knight (1981) Fls 14/domed truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 100mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (54A) in bud, opening strong purplish pink (55B) with a pale purplish pink (62D) throat and a stripe down the centre of each lobe; pales with age; scented. Calyx minute, pink. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 150-200 × 45-64mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 2.4m in 16 years. Late April

(r) **'Knockout'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Masterblend' (s) × 'Jennypoo' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls 21/truss, strong purplish red (63A, B, C) to light purplish pink (63D) in bud, opening moderate, light and pale purplish pink (62B, C, D) with a blend of moderate purplish red (64A) and pale greenish yellow (13D) in the throat, and moderate purplish red (64A) dorsal spotting; anthers white. (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Knowle Brilliant'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pygmalion' (s) × *venator* R: T.C. Thacker, N: T.C. Thacker, I: T.C. Thacker (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet

(a) **'Knowle Flame'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: T.C. Thacker (pre 1962), N: T.C. Thacker Fls bright salmon orange

(r) **'Knowle Gold'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.C. Thacker (pre 1960), N: T.C. Thacker Fls apricot, shaded flame

(r) **'Knowle Orange'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.C. Thacker (pre 1960), N: T.C. Thacker Fls orange, pendulous

(r) **'Knowle Yellow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* (s) × Letty Edwards Group R: T.C. Thacker, N: T.C. Thacker, I: T.C. Thacker (1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear yellow

(r) **'Knuksie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vicki Reine' (s) × 'Van Nes Sensation' H: M. Stockman (1989), G: M. & H. Stockman (1997), N: M. & H. Stockman (1998), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1998) Fls 10-12/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes and an occasional, partially petaloid stamen, strong red (53D) in bud, opening inside very pale purple (75D), with broad margins of light to very light purple (75B-C); outside light to very light purple (75A-C). Calyx c3mm long, green. Lvs lanceolate, 100 × 35mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.0m in 9 years. Late April

(a) **'Knut Albus'** (Syn. of 'Madame de Waele')

(a) **'Knute'** (Syn. of 'Knut Erwen')

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(a) **'Knut Erwen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Président Comte Oswald de Kerchove' × 'Professeur Wolters' × 'Paul Schäme' × 'Apollo' I: R. de Meyer (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, strong red (53D), with wavy-edged lobes, and exserted style. Calyx normal, green. Late. Syn: 'Knute Erwin', 'Knute'. Indian

(a) **'Knut Erwen Orange'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Knut Erwen' I: P. Buyle (1971) Fls strong red (39A); otherwise similar to parent. Syn: 'Erhard Neuber'. Indian

(a) **'Knut Erwen Red'** (Syn. of 'Eroica')

(a) **'Koasabi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale mauve. Kurume (Galle, 1987, lists it as 'Ko-osobi')

(a) **'Kobai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c40mm wide, deep crimson. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Kobai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Sanko-no-tsuki' × 'Yata-no-kagami' R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 40-50mm wide, with 6 rounded, overlapping lobes, deep pink, with distinct white blotches. Satsuki

(a) **'Kobold'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' × 'Willy' × 'Mrs Carmichael' × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 2-4/truss, 50mm wide, between pomegranate red and brownish red (between strong red (53B) and dark red (187B)). Shrub to 1.5m. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Kobold'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Harvest Moon' × 'Johann Sebastian Bach' R: C. Fleischmann, N: C. Fleischmann, I: C. Fleischmann (1970) Fls 65mm wide, pure orange, with strong ochre yellow marking on the dorsal lobe. Midseason-late

(a) **'Kocho'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c20mm wide, red, with long stamens. Satsuki

(a) **'Kocho-kirishima'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c20mm wide, red, with very long protruding stamens. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Kocho-no-kawa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 30mm wide, strong purplish red (63B), with a darker blotch. Very late. Spreading habit. Kurume

(a) **'Kocho-no-mai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown, but allied to Obtusum Group R: Japan (pre 1921), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Wilson says this is the Japanese name for 'Amoenum' (q. v.) but the plant introduced as 'Kocho-no-mai' to USA in 1919 by R. K. Beattie, is single, 40mm wide, vivid purple (32/2), with a faint, darker blotch. Syn: 'Butterfly Dance'. Kurume

(a) **'Kocho-zoroi'** (Syn. of 'Rhodoroides')

(a) **'Kodai-nishiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, white. Kurume

(a) **'Ko-ei'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan, N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blushed violet purple, with deeper coloured lines. Indian

(a) **'Koenig'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown (Used as a parent of 'Garden State Salmon'. Perhaps an error for 'König....' ?)

(a) **'Ko-fuji'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, dark, deep crimson, with reflexed lobes, resembling apricot blossom. Satsuki

(a) **'Kogane-nishiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, with rounded, overlapping lobes, white, with a slight green blotch. Early. Satsuki

(a) **'Kogasane'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, deep rose pink to rose, with a deeper band of colour down centre of lobes; anthers the same colour. Kurume

(a) **'Kogen-man'yo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double (anemone-centred), red. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Kogen-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls with broad, wavy-edged lobes, white, with occasional flecks of reddish orange, many edged with reddish orange. Satsuki

(a) **'Kogetsu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with a white ground and deep wisteria purple spots and markings. Satsuki

(a) **'Kogetsu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Matsunami' × 'Tamaori-hime' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, with broad, overlapping lobes, white, with flakes and sectors to borders of strong red; occasionally light pink with dark dots and a narrow white border. Variable low, spreading habit. Satsuki

(a) **'Kogome-tsutsuji'** (Syn. of 'Shiro-unzen')

(a) **'Kohama-unzen'** (Syn. of 'Tomoe-unzen')

(a) **'Kohan'** (Listed as a parent of 'Yakata-no-tsuki')

(a) **'Kohan-no-tsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Gyoko' × 'Seidai' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, with 5-6, wide, rounded lobes, white to very pale pink at centre, with a broad, reddish orange border. Satsuki

(a) **'Kohinoor'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Bridal Veil' × 'Azuma-no-hana' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 75mm wide, white, with a chartreuse blotch and a few nopal red (near strong red (45A)) stripes and flakes. Shrub to 1.5m. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Kohinoor'** (Syn. of 'Kohinur')

(r) **'Kohinur'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alstroemerioides' hybrid × unknown R: T.J. Seidel, I: T.J. Seidel (1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls fiery scarlet red, with a white eye; anthers golden. Syn: 'Kohinoor'

(a) **'Koho'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Gobi-nishiki' × 'Takasa' R: Japan (pre 1939), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 75mm wide, white to very pale purplish pink, with flecks, small sectors and selfs of deep purplish pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Koho-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(r) **'Koichiro Wada'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *yakushimanum* N: Royal Horticultural

Society, I: Royal Horticultural Society (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c12/dense truss, campanulate, c55mm wide, appleblossom pink in bud, ageing to white after opening with faint speckling. Lvs c75mm long, very dark green above when mature but white felted above when young, with strongly revolute margins, lower surface thickly tomentose (tomentum white ageing to brown). Very dense shrub c1.4 × 2.2m in c30 years. FCC 1947 (Originally imported to UK by L. de Rothschild in 1934 from K. Wada (Japan))

(a) **'Koi-ko'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c30mm wide, deep crimson. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Koi-unzen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c30mm wide, very deep purple. Lvs small. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Koji'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c50mm wide, deep purple. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Kojo-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50mm wide, white, with a green blotch and deep pink stripes and spots. Satsuki

(a) **'Kojo-no-homare'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Kojo-no-odorikaraka'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, vivid tomato red. Perhaps identical with 'Koran-yuki'? Syn: 'Ogi-no-odorikaraki'. Kurume

(a) **'Kojo-no-tsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 75-90mm wide, with 5-7 rounded lobes, white, with a slight green blotch and various reddish purple markings. Early. Satsuki

(a) **'Koka'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kyokko-nishiki' × 'Madame Moreux' R: Japan (pre 1898), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 75-100mm wide, with widely spaced lobes, white, with occasional flakes, sectors (and some selfs) of deep pink, with light yellow-green spots in the throat. Satsuki

(a) **'Kokabenisibori'** cv. Evergreen azalea: listed as an *indicum* cultivar R: Japan (pre 1918), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) (A parent of 'Syowa')

(r) **'Kokardia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Humboldt' (s) × 'Direktor E. Hjelm' H: H. Hachmann (1957), G: H. Hachmann (1962), I: H. Hachmann (1978), REG: G. Stück (1983) Fls 12-17/truss, 40-45 × 55-60mm, 5-lobed, strong reddish purple (72C), marked dark red (59A), blotched dark red (187A). Calyx 2-5mm long, reddish green. Lvs elliptic-ovate, 90-110 × 35-45mm, woolly, hairy below. Shrub 1.5m

(a) **'Ko-kasan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, 20-30mm wide, deep crimson. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Koki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 45mm wide, with long, pointed lobes, pale light purple, with a slight stripe down centre of lobes. Early. Satsuki

(a) **'Ko-kin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red, with c9, long, narrow lobes. Lvs also long and narrow. Satsuki (Said to be the same plant also known as 'Seigai' *q.v*)

(a) **'Kokin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 40mm wide, with rounded lobes, strong red. Satsuki

(a) **'Kokin-nishiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, with 5-6 overlapping lobes, white, with flakes, sectors (and some selfs) of moderate red and with yellow-green spots in the throat. Satsuki

(a) **'Kokinran'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 6-lobed, flesh pink, white in throat and with carmine spots. Kurume

(a) **'Kokinran'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Kokinsai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Kinsai' R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls single, small, with narrow, well-spaced lobes ("spider type", Galle), deep reddish orange. Lvs smaller than in 'Kinsai' and the plant slower-growing. Satsuki

(a) **'Kokin-shita'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown, but perhaps derived from 'Macrostemon' R: Japan, N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon orange. Late

(a) **'Kokkan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, white, banded wisteria purple, spotted darker purple. Satsuki

(a) **'Kokko-no-bi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Karafune' × 'Gyoko' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, very dark red. Satsuki

(r) **'Koko'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from Scarlet King Group R: E.F. Stead, N: E.F. Stead, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Kokoku'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Gumpo' × 'Fuji-nishiki' R: Japan (pre 1939), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50-65mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, white, with vivid red markings. Syn: 'Kow-koku'. Satsuki

(a) **'Kokonaye'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan, N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white or creamy, green at base, with a broad band of soft lilac pink on each lobe and chestnut spots. Kurume (Resembles 'Azuma-kagami' in shape and flower size; perhaps the same plant listed by Yokohama Nursery, 1939 as 'Koko-no-ye', with double purplish pink fls with a white centre)

(a) **'Kokonoe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single and double on same plant, c50mm wide, red. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Kokonoe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* R: Japan (pre 1985), N: Japan Fls double, pale reddish purple

(a) **'Kokonoe-nishiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1984), N: Japan Fls hose-in-hose, orange, streaked red. Satsuki (Creech, in the Ito translation, equates this present day cultivar with the older 'Kashuron')

(a) **'Koko-no-ye'** (See note under 'Kokonaye')

(a) **'Ko-kurenai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c30mm wide, red. Satsuki

(a) **'Ko-kurumi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, red, lobes with very irregular margins; buds like a shelled walnut. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Kokuryu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Kokusei'** cv. Evergreenazalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, greenish white, with fine reddish purple spots. Satsuki

(a) **'Kokyo-ko'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 50mm wide, pale yellowish pink. Satsuki

(r) **Kola Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Isabella Group (s) × Tally Ho Group H: L. de Rothschild (1938), I: E. de Rothschild (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink. June.

(a) **'Koli'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Schepens Kerstperel' × 'Rex' H: M. van Lancker (1967), G: J. Heursel, I: IOPG, Belgium (1979), REG: IOPG, Belgium (1981) Fls 6/truss, semi-double (average 2 stamens/fl.), 33 × 44mm, strong purplish red (58B), with almost white stripes of light purplish pink (63D). Calyx 3.5mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Lvs broadly elliptic, 34 × 17mm. Low-growing shrub. Midseason. Indian

(a) **'Kolibri'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Coelestine White' (s) × 'Yodogawa' R: K. Müssig, N: K. Müssig, REG: ICRA (1996) Fls single, several/truss, small, funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, white (155D), flushed paler than pale purplish pink (56D) within, with a conspicuous, strong purplish red (60B) dorsal blotch; anthers brown. Calyx normal. Lvs slightly obovate, mid green. Late

(r) **'Kölner Dom'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Souvenir of Anthony Waterer' × 'Direktor E. Hjelm' (s) × 'Guyens's Super Nova' H: H.J.A. Guyens (1993), G: H.J.A. Guyens (2000), N: H.J.A. Guyens (2001), I: H.J.A. Guyens, REG: H.J.A. Guyens (2001) Fls 20-25/rather loose, rounded truss, funnel-shaped, 80 × 90mm, with 6 flat-edged lobes, green in bud, opening inside a mixture of old rose, salmon pink and orange, ageing to a mixture of salmon pink, pink and cream, outside a mixture of old rose, salmon pink and orange; green to brown spots on a salmon/yellow ground. Calyx 15-25mm long, cream yellow. Lvs oblanceolate, 120-190 × 35-65mm, margins upcurved (lvs boat-shaped), rounded at apex, acute at base, slightly glossy above, with silvery hairs when young. Shrub 1.1 × 1.0m in 8 years. Early-mid May

(a) **'Komache-hine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls light pink, with darker flecks. Lvs small, curled. Very compact shrub. Satsuki (Perhaps correctly 'Komachi-hime')

(a) **'Komachi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, blush, deepening to rose lilac at lobe edges with a few chestnut spots and white anthers. Kurume

(a) **'Komachi-hime'** (See note under 'Komache-hine')

(a) **'Komachi-warai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Izayoi' × 'Gobi-nishiki' R: Japan (1979), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, with rounded, overlapping lobes, white, with variable marking (some with sectors of suffused light purplish pink), to pink with white edges; stamens and pistil white. Satsuki

(a) **'Komadori'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 75-90mm wide, with rounded, wavy-edged lobes, white, with occasional short, narrow stripes of light reddish purple. Satsuki

(a) **'Ko-mane'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1984), N: Japan Fls double, crimson. Satsuki (Mentioned by Creech in the Ito translation as an existing cultivar similar to 'Sene')

(a) **'Komanyo'** (Syn. of 'Balsaminiflorum')

(a) **'Komatsui'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kaempferi* R: Japan, N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with a petaloid calyx, hose-in-hose, salmon red. Kaempferi

(a) **'Komei'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kozan' × 'Tamaori-hime' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, with rounded, wall-spaced lobes, white, variably marked in flakes or sectors (and some selfs) of deep pink; some light pink, with a darker blotch. Satsuki

(a) **'Komeno-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Komeno-no-yuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Komo-kulshan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* L: Greer Gardens (1978) Fls single, 25mm wide, vivid puplish red (57B) at edges, paler in centre

(a) **'Ko-murasaki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c30mm wide, deep purple. Satsuki

(a) **'Ko-murasaki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c40mm wide, purple. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Ko-murasaki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls petaloid at centre, light rosolane purple/orchid pink. Kurume

(a) **'Kon-asagao'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, like a morning glory vine in shape, purple. Lvs rounded. Late-flowering. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Kongo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Chugai Nursery (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50mm wide, white, marked purple or with purple margins. Satsuki

(a) **'Kongo-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, with well-spaced, pointed lobes, white, variably marked with flakes and sectors (and some selfs) of deep pink, with white centres. Satsuki

(a) **'Kongow'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple on white. Indian

(a) **'König Albert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Petzold (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure flesh carmine rose. Indian

(r) **'König Albert'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *grande* × 'Album Hybridum' L: Firma Seidel (1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink. Lvs glossy green

(r) **'König Carl von Würtemberg'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alstroemerioides' hybrid R: J.B. Müller (pre 1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine, spotted red, with a white margin

(r) **König Carola Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *falconeri* (s) × *ponticum* L: R. Veitch & Sons (1913), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lavender with a purple throat. Lvs large, dark glossy green (noted as an excellent foliage plant). (From the description this seems to be the plant exhibited by Ludiecke in 1926 and listed by Hesse (1925/26), although the latter gave it as 'Königin Carola' and indicate an *argenteum* (i.e. *grande*) ancestry. It is possible that it is the plant originally known as 'Königin Carola' *q.v*)

(r) **Königdis Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × König Carola Group R: E.J.P. Magor (1913), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1926), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 8-lobed, lilac white with a crimson blotch at base, spotted olive green. (Sometimes seen as Koenigdis Group)

(r) **'Königin Carola'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *falconeri* × 'Album Hybridum' L: Firma Seidel (1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, outside of tube and inner margins tinged pale lilac; dark violet spotting. (Parentage has been claimed to be *grande* × 'Album Hybridum'. An 1896 Boskoop list also gives 'Königin Carola' as cream white. See also notes under König Carola Group)

(a) **'Königin Cleopatra'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Schulz (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with scarlet red dots and a greenish blotch. Indian (Perhaps the same plant listed by J. Verschaffelt in 1873 as 'Koningin Cleopatra')

(a) **'Königin Cleopatre Rouge'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Leroy (1897), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double. Indian

(a) **'Königin der Weissen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Schulz (1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, white, very big, lobes thin, slightly transparent. Late. Indian

(a) **'Königin Gunther'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Schulz (pre 1878), N: Schulz, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, red, with large violet red blotches. Syn: 'Koningin Gunther'. Indian (Listed by J. Linden, 1878/79 cat.)

(a) **'Königin Gunthert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Leroy (1889), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. Indian (Perhaps an error for 'Königin Gunther')

(r) **'Königin Louise'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Lindsay Smith' × 'Molière' R: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1939), N: M. Koster & Sons, I: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10-17/tight, tall truss, 80-115mm wide, 5-6-lobed, white, with soft rose suffusion on the margins, outside tinted soft rose. Late May-early June

(a) **'Königin Louise von Preussen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Schulz (1874), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure rose with a beautiful blotch. Indian

(r) **'Königin-Mutter von Würtemberg'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alstroemerioides' hybrid R: J.B. Müller (pre 1870), N: J.B. Müller, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with carmine flecks and an unusual yellowish tone on opening (T. J. Seidel cat., 1885); other accounts, describing this as dark violet with brown spots, appear to be in error

(a) **'Königin Olga'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Schulz, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, double, white with green spots. Indian

(a) **'Königin Olga von Würtemberg'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1876), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white. Indian (Perhaps the same plant also listed as 'Königin Olga')

(r) **'Königin Olga von Würtemberg'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alstroemerioides' hybrid R: J.B. Müller (pre 1870), N: J.B. Müller, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with dark carmine spots

(r) **'Königin von Holland'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alstroemerioides' hybrid R: J.B. Müller (pre 1870), N: J.B. Müller, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls flesh pink, banded white; spotted

(r) **'König Ludwig'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J.P. Scheidecker (c 1881), N: J.P. Scheidecker, INC: ICRA (1958) (Similar to 'Comet' and 'Sesterianum')

(a) **'Königstein'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kiusianum* hybrid R: VEG Saatzucht Zierpflanzen Erfurt (pre 1980), N: VEG Saatzucht Zierpflanzen Erfurt Fls lilac; filaments red, anthers black

(r) **'König Wilhelm von Würtemberg'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alstroemerioides' hybrid R: J.B. Müller (pre 1870), N: J.B. Müller, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with a white centre; the whole of the flower with dark spots

(a) **'Koning Albert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1912), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rose (like 'Marie-Antoinette' but slightly darker). Indian

(a) **'Koning Albert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, deep red. Indian

(a) **'Koning Canteclaer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, double, deep red, 'Hexe'-shaped. The colour resembles that of 'Eclaireur'. Indian

(r) **'Köningen Louise'** (An error for 'Königin Louise')

(a) **'Koning Fouad'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1929), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, red. Indian

(a) **'Koningin Astrid'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Madame P.B. van Acker' × unknown I: R. van Acker (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, red. Indian

(a) **'Koningin Cleopatra'** (See note under 'Königin Cleopatra')

(a) **'Koningin Elisabeth'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1910), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Koningin Emma'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: K. Wezelenburg & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 65mm wide, light orange-yellow (21D) to strong orange (25C), suffused yellowish pink (38A), with a strong orange blotch. Midseason. Syn: 'Doctor Nolans', 'W.H. Nolens', 'Monseigneur Doctor W.H. Nolens'. Mollis (Sometimes listed in the translated form 'Queen Emma' or incorrectly as 'Köningin Emma'. Some sources indicate this was raised by Vuyk & Son, introduced by P.L. Binken in c1940/41)

(a) **'Koningin Gunther'** (Syn. of 'Königin Gunther')

(r) **'Koningin Louise'** (An error for 'Königin Louise')

(a) **'Koningin Sophia'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Belgium (pre 1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 50mm wide, strong pink (52D), with vivid yellow blotch. Mollis (Sometimes listed in the translated form 'Queen Sophia' or incorrectly as 'Köningin Sophia')

(a) **'Koningin Wilhelmina'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: Ottolander & Hooftman (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 65mm wide, moderate orange, with a moderate red blotch. Midseason. Mollis (Sometimes listed in the translated form 'Queen Wilhelmina' or incorrectly as 'Köningin Wilhelmina')

(a) **'Koningin Wilhelmina'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Vuyk van Nes (pre 1941), N: Vuyk van Nes, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vivid red (45B), with a strong red (46A) blotch. Shrub to 1.0m. Midseason. Vuykiana

(a) **'Kono'** (Listed as a parent of 'Kinpo-nishiki')

(a) **'Konohana'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1978), N: Japan Fls single, up to 35mm wide, deep yellowish pink, with a darker purplish blotch. Kurume

(r) **'Konsonanz'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scintillation' (s) × 'Perlina' H: H Hachmann (1977), G: H. Hachmann (1983), N: H. Hachmann (1990), I: H. Hachmann (1992), REG: G. Stück (1994) Fls 14-15/fairly compact truss, open funnel-shaped, 50-55 × 75-95mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, deep to strong purplish pink (73A/B) in bud, opening light purplish pink (73C), shading to very pale purple (73D) in throat, edges strong purplish pink (73B) inside and out; outside light purplish pink (73C), midveins deep purplish pink (73A); dorsal lobe with conspicuous spotting of dark red (183A/B) extending onto adjacent lobes; stamens 10; style greenish. Calyx 1mm long, strong purplish pink (73B). Lvs broadly ovate, 95-145 × 60-75mm, matt and dark green above, flat, rounded at base, mucronate at apex, hairless. Shrub 1.6 × 1.8m in 10 years. Late May-early June. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1993/1994)

(r) **'Kontiki'** (Syn. of 'Hachmann's Kontiki')

(r) **'Kool'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Gladsgay Gardens' (s) × 'Carolyn Grace' H: M.J. Whitman (1995), G: M.J. & B. Whitman (2001), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (2001), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (2001) Fls 17-20/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish red (70A) in bud, opening inside moderate purplish pink (78D), streaked strong reddish purple (78B) along sides of dorsal lobes, with bronze spots on dorsal lobe, and a butterfly-shaped marking at base; outside light purple (78C) with vivid reddish purple (74B) veining. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 55mm, margins slightly wavy, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m in 6 years. Early May

(a) **'Koraini'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 30mm wide, spiraea red (025), with a darker blotch. Midseason. Kurume

(a) **'Koraku'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls medium-sized, 55mm wide, bright purple, banded pink, throat white. Shrub 0.9m (1958 Register); fls 65-75mm wide, white, with a broad, deep purplish pink border and overlapping, wavy-edged lobes (Galle, 1987). Satsuki

(a) **'Koran-yuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1922), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, vivid orange-red. AM 1922. Kurume (Perhaps identical to 'Kojo-no-odorikaraka'; sometimes seen as 'Korang-yuki'; see also note under 'Kuran-yuki')

(r) **'Kordus Orchid'** (Syn. of 'Orchid Corsage')

(r) **'Kordus Salmon'** (Syn. of 'For Pete's Sake')

(r) **'Kordus White'** (Syn. of 'Wynterset White')

(a) **'Korin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kozan' × 'Osakazuki' R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan Fls with star-shaped, pointed lobes, 40-50mm wide, deep pink. Satsuki

(r) **'Körner I'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with lilac margins and olive green spots

(a) **'Korokoshima'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (1963), N: Japan Fls c100mm wide, purplish red. (Raised on Hirado Island, Japan)

(a) **'Koromo-shikibu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown, possibly a *macropetalum* hybrid R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, with very deeply divided corollas, 65mm wide, the lobes 40 × 13mm, light purplish pink, with darker tips and spots at base. (Often listed as a Kurume)

(a) **'Koryu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kozan' × 'Meikyo' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 40-50mm wide, with narrowly spaced lobes, strong yellowish pink, with occasional darker stripes, to light pink with a white margin. Satsuki

(a) **'Kosan'** (See under 'Kozan' (Satsuki))

(a) **'Kosciusko'** cv. Parentage unknown R: M.E. Greentree (pre 1987), N: M.E. Greentree Fls semi-double, white

(a) **'Kosei'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with 6-9 thick lobes, white, sanded light red, marked and spotted dark red. Satsuki

(a) **'Ko-shibori'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c40mm wide, streaked red. Satsuki

(a) **'Koshiji-no-tsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1988), N: Japan Fls single, with 6 overlapping, smooth-edged lobes, white with a green throat and occasional salmon streaks, to white, heavily suffused salmon pink at edges; virtually unspotted or with purplish red spots over 2 dorsal lobes. Satsuki

(a) **'Ko-shikibu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c30mm wide, wisteria purple. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Koshikibu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 30mm wide, white throat, pale pink margin. Kurume

(a) **'Koshin'** (Syn. of 'Miyoshino')

(a) **'Koshi-nami'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c50mm wide, crimson, with a shorter irregularly-lobed skirt-like structure between calyx and corolla. Satsuki

(a) **'Koshi-no-nami'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Suis' × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 100-115mm wide, with 5-6 wavy-edged, rounded, overlapping lobes, white, with speckles and stripes of vivid purplish red, sometimes with a slight purplish pink blotch. Lvs small. Satsuki

(a) **'Koshi-no-tsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Kikoshi' R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, with well-spaced, pointed lobes, pale to moderate pink in centre, with vivid yellowish pink-tipped margins; some with a white centre and moderate yellowish pink margins. Spreading habit. Satsuki

(a) **'Koshitisibu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan, N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright pink. Kurume

(a) **'Koshoku'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c30mm wide, very deep crimson. Syn: 'Yugiri', 'Momi-kurenai'. Satsuki

(a) **'Koshuku-no-aki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls semi-double, 50-65mm wide, with rounded lobes, deep pink, with occasional white centres. Compact habit. Satsuki

(a) **'Kosmos'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling of unknown parentage R: K. Glaser (pre 1985), N: K. Glaser Fls double, few/truss, open funnel-shaped, centre of inner lobes vivid purplish red (66B), margins 66A, outer lobes 66B all over, throat 66B; a few spots of strong purplish red (60B) on the dorsal lobe. Calyx normal. Lvs broadly elliptic, dark green above, mid green below. Early-midseason

(a) **Kosterianum Group** gp Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* N: Schneider (1911), INC: ICRA (1958). Mollis (Derived from the botanical epithet covering all hybrids between *molle* subsp. *molle* and *molle* subsp. *japonicum*)

(a) **'Koster's Blotched'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: M. Koster & Sons (1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls a striking apricot yellow, with an enormous, dark blotch covering the dorsal lobe. Mollis

(a) **'Koster's Brilliant'** (Syn. of 'Koster's Brilliant Red')

(a) **'Koster's Brilliant Red'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: M. Koster & Sons (1918), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 65mm wide, moderate reddish orange, with orange spots. Midseason. Syn: 'Brilliant Red', 'Koster's Brilliant'. Mollis (Consists of more than one clone as it is regularly propagated by seed)

(r) **'Koster's Choice'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* hybrid H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), S: P.M. Koster, N: S.A. Everitt (pre 1978) Fls rose pink. Syn: 'Peter Koster'

(r) **'Koster's Cream'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* hybrid R: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large trusses, sulphur or creamy yellow, with a green blotch. Compact shrub to 1.2m

(a) **'Koster's Deep Brilliant'** cv. Deciduous azalea: seedling from 'Koster's Brilliant Red' R: M. Koster & Sons, N: M. Koster & Sons, I: M. Koster & Sons (1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls brilliant deep red. Mollis

(a) **'Koster's Orange'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: M. Koster & Sons (1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, orange. Mollis (Probably consists of more than one clone)

(a) **'Koster's Yellow'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: M. Koster & Sons (1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 80mm wide, strong orange-yellow, with an orange blotch. Midseason. Mollis (Probably consists of more than one clone)

(a) **'Kosui'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65mm wide, with well-spaced lobes, white, with light yellow-green dots in the blotch and occasional strong pink flakes. Satsuki

(a) **'Kosui-no-homare'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Kotara Golden Jubilee'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls double, purplish red

(a) **'Ko-teki'** (Syn. of 'Karin')

(a) **'Koten'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65mm wide, with rounded, well-spaced lobes, white, with a green blotch. Early. Satsuki

(a) **'Kotobuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1952), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65mm wide (Galle, 1987) 70-80mm wide (1958 Register), white, variably marked or edged with strong to deep purplish pink, some solids selfs, some purplish pink with faint white edges; occasionally with an irregular lobe. Compact shrub to 0.75m. Satsuki (Galle (1987) lists an Hirado Satsuki of this name which may or may not be the same plant)

(a) **'Kotobuki-hime'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Shinsen' × 'Kotobuki' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, with rounded lobes, white, with occasional red stripes and selfs of deep pink to strong red, some with white margins. Low, spreading habit. Satsuki

(a) **'Kotobuki-no-izumi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65mm wide, with rounded, overlapping lobes, white, with a slight light brown blotch. Early. Satsuki

(a) **'Kotobuki-no-sono'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Kotobuki' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, with broad lobes, white, with flakes and selfs of strong purplish pink, occasionally bordered. Satsuki

(a) **'Ko-tsubaki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose or double hose-in-hose (3-layered) or single, with petaloid stamens or anemone-centred doubles, a bit more purple than pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Kotsubo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, rose. Kurume

(r) **'Kotuku'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *maddenii* N: Dunedin Rhododendron Group, REG: Dunedin Rhododendron Group (1991) Fls 4/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 75-80 × 80-90mm, 5-6-lobed, white, flushed strong purplish red (54A) in bud; outside flushed strong yellow-green (144C) at base and deep purplish pink (54B) on lobes, inside with a brilliant yellow (12B) throat. Calyx 2mm long, strong yellow-green (144C). Lvs more-or-less oblanceolate, 80-90 × 25-30mm; small brown scales on petioles and stems. Shrub 4.0m or more high. Late October-mid November (New Zealand). (At one time known under the unacceptable name 'Virginale'. Selected at the Dunedin Botanic Garden and distributed by R.W. Balch at 1966 New Zealand Rhododendron Association Conference, Dunedin)

(r) **'Kotuku'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *simiarum* (s) × *yakushimanum* H: A.E. Kehr, G: A.E. Kehr, N: O.S Blumhardt, I: O.S. Blumhardt (c 1992) Fls 12/truss, 40 × 35mm, 5-lobed, white, with a flare of purple spots. Calyx 1mm long, green. Lvs obovate-elliptic, 80 × 30mm, with a silver indumentum below ageing to fawn. Small, compact shrub

(a) **'Kow-how'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Chugai Nursery Co. (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, splashed purple. Satsuki

(a) **'Kow-ka'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan, N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson on white. Indian

(a) **'Kow-koku'** (Syn. of 'Kokoku')

(a) **'Kowkow'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1958), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson and blush on white. Indian

(a) **'Koya-kurenai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c30mm wide, intense crimson. Foliage small and dense. Satsuki

(a) **'Koyo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls with broad, wavy-edged, overlapping lobes, pale pink, with strong purple stripes and sectors, or without stripes. Satsuki

(a) **'Ko-zakura'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, light red, tinted darker, of cherry blossom shape. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Kozan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, mottled colours, banded light yellow (1958 Register as 'Kosan'); 25-40mm wide, with small, well-spaced lobes, very pale pink to off-white. Slow-growing, bushy habit (Galle, 1987). Satsuki

(a) **'Kozan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Holly Heath Nursery (1978) Fls light yellowish pink (36C). Shrub more-or-less prostrate. Indian (See also 'Kozan' (Satsuki) which may be the same plant)

(a) **'Kozan-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Kozan' R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan Fls star-shaped (with narrow, strap-like lobes), 50mm wide, light pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Kozan-no-homare'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Kozan' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 40-50mm wide, with well-spaced lobes, pale pink, with an occasional stripe and wide sector of deep pink; very variable. Lvs small. Low, spreading habit. Satsuki

(a) **'Kozan-no-tsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kozan' × 'Matsunami' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 40-50mm wide, with small, rounded lobes, light pink, with deeper pink stripes; some pink selfs. Slow-growing. Satsuki

(a) **'Ko-zarashi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, crimson. Satsuki

(a) **'Krajka'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Adventglöckchen' × 'Alfa' R: J. Šesták (c 1968), N: J. Šesták Fls single, 55-60mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, bright pink with a pronounced green eye. Lvs elliptic, dark green with a bluish shade

(a) **'Krakatoa'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls fiery red. Knap Hill

(r) **'Kralingen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* seedling × unknown H: D.G. Hobbie (c 1975), G: D.G. Hobbie (1986), N: J.R.P. van Hoey Smith, I: Firma C. Esveld (1992), REG: Royal Boskoop Hort. Soc. (1990) Fls 8-11/truss, campanulate, 50mm wide, 5-lobed, light yellow, with a small crimson blotch. Calyx green. Lvs broadly ovate, 120-150 × 70-100mm, hairless. Shrub 3.0 × 3.0m in 15-20 years. June

(r) **'Kriemhild'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* × 'Alice Street' (s) × 'Mareike' H: H. Hachmann (1977), G: H. Hachmann (1983), N: H. Hachmann (1985), I: H. Hachmann (1995), REG: G. Stück (1995) Fls 8-10/fairly compact truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 85mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, cream/rose in bud, opening cream/yellowish inside and out; dorsal lobe with numerous spots, greenish brown at first, ageing to chocolate. Lvs broadly elliptic, 85-115 × 38-65mm, slightly wavy-edged, cordate at base, obtuse at apex, slightly glossy above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.4m in 10 years, of compact, rounded habit. May. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1995/96)

(a) **'Krishna'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1988)

(r) **'Kristen Marie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Chionoides' × 'Graf Zeppelin' H: B. & M. Shapiro (1968), G: B. & M. Shapiro, N: B. & M. Shapiro, REG: B. & M. Shapiro (1989) Fls 15-16/ball truss, open funnel-shaped (with deep sinuses), 44 × 57mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, buds white, tipped strong purplish red (63B), opening white, edged 63B and with a vivid yellow (9A), spotted dorsal flare. Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 140-152 × 44mm, convex, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 20 years. Late May. (First published in *J. Am.Rh.Soc.* 42 (2): 64 (1988))

(r) **'Kristin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' × Bow Bells Group R: R.M. Bovee (pre 1955), N: Bovees Nursery, I: Bovees Nursery (c 1973), REG: Bovees Nursery (1975) Fls 13-14/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 65mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (7.5RP 4/11) in bud, opening inside pale purplish pink (7.5RP 9/2), with faint red spotting; outside with strong purplish red (7.5RP 5/12) striping. Calyx minute, red. Lvs broadly elliptic, 125 × 50mm, dark green, with slight light brownish green indumentum. New growth reddish light grey. Shrub 0.5 × 1.1m in c20 years. Early-mid May

(r) **'Kristina'** (Syn. of 'Hachmann's Kristina')

(r) **'Kristin Arblaster'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ('Inca Gold' × *yakushimanum*) × Goldfort Group (s) × *williamsianum* × 'Lem's Goal' H: G. Arblaster (c 1983), G: G. Arblaster (1987), N: Mrs J. Arblaster (2001), REG: Mrs J. Arblaster (2001) Fls 12-14/loose truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 85 × 125mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (50A) in bud, opening inside deep pink (47D), flushed light orange/light yellowish pink (29B/C); outside deep yellowish pink (43C), fading to strong yellowish pink (43D) at edges; with black-red markings (shading to dark red near edges) over nearly the whole of dorsal lobes and over half of lateral and ventral lobes. Calyx 20-50mm long, coloured as corolla but with fewer markings. Lvs oblong to oblanceolate, 130 × 60mm, margins slightly decurved, acute at apex, cuneate at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 1.7m in 10 years. July-early August. (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0030840). Named for registrant's grandchild)

(r) **'Kronebergianum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection or hybrid of *arboreum* L: E.F. André (1864), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white, spotted brown

(a) **'Kronentor'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ambrosianum' × 'Holzhausen' R: Lux, N: Lux (1980) Fls semi-double, vivid reddish orange (41A), with darker markings

(r) **'Kronprinzessin Cecilie'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1909), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls intense light red

(a) **'Kronprinzessin Victoria'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (1886), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, deep rose. Indian

(a) **'Kronprinz Fr. Wilhelm von Preussen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, bright orange-red. Indian (Probably the same plant listed by A. van Geert, 1878)

(a) **'Krugerrand'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown G: E. de Rothschild (1970s), S: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: Exbury Enterprises (1997), REG: E. de Rothschild (1997) Fls single, tubular funnel-shaped (more-or-less flat-faced), 60 × 70m, with 5-6 slightly wavy-edged lobes, moderate red (179B) in bud (with brilliant yellow-green (154C) ribs), opening strong orange-yellow (22A), with a vivid orange-yellow (23A) flare; outside strong yellowish pink (32D); corolla with a blistered and deeply ribbed texture; stamens and style similarly coloured. Calyx 4mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 80 × 45mm. May. (Solent Group)

(r) **'KSW'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'King of Shrubs' × Walloper Group H: H. Lem (pre 1976) Fls pink, with orange tones. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Kubla Khan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' × 'Goldsworth Orange' H: L.E. Brandt (1950), G: L.E. Brandt, N: L.E. Brandt (1960), REG: L.E. Brandt (1961) Fls 11/truss, 115mm wide, with very wavy-edged lobes, edges mandarin red (17/2) fading to fire red (15/3) and with a very large blotch of currant red (821) extending into rays of spots of the same colour. Calyx 70mm wide, with very wavy-edged lobes, mandarin red (17/2) with rays of spots and blotches reaching to the currant red (821) edges. Lvs 150 × 65mm, yellowish green. Shrub c1.0m

(a) **'Kuchiba'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, in dense clusters, c60mm wide, yellow. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Kuchiba-kirishima'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c40mm wide, light persimmon orange. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Kuchibeni'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, red, with darker margins; becomes greenish in summer. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Kujaku-no-mai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(r) **'Kullervo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *brachycarpum* (as subsp. *tigerstedtii*) (s) × *yakushimanum* R: M. Uosukainen, N: M. Uosukainen, I: M. Uosukainen (1992) Fls pinkish white, ageing to pure white. Lvs and shoots hairy. Shrub 1.2m. Exceptionally hardy

(r) **'Kulu'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a natural hybrid of *vernicosum*, grown from Rock 18139 R: J.B. Gable, N: Gable Study Group, I: J.B. Gable (c 1958), REG: C. Gable (1979) Fls 7-10/truss, 50mm wide, open funnel-shaped, 90-100mm wide, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (49A) in bud, opening light pink (49C), blending to pale pink (49D) in the throat, with an indistinct, strong pink (49A), dorsal blotch; outside strong pink (49A). Calyx minute, green. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 45mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, moderate olive green (146A), hairless. Shrub 2.4 × 2.4m in c20 years. Early May. Syn: "Gable's Selection no.2"; "Rock 18139-2"

(a) **'Kumagai-yodogawa'** (Syn. of 'Omurasaki')

(a) **'Kumagaya'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls beautifully shaped, pale flame red with red anthers. Calyx prominent. Kurume

(a) **'Kumano'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65mm wide, red. Satsuki

(a) **'Kuma-no-himo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Camellia Lodge Nursery (1980) Fls hose-in-hose, carmine. Kurume (Listed as 'Kumano Hino' by Galle, 1987)

(a) **'Kumiko'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from Aronense Group R: W. Arends (pre 1960) Fls deep purplish pink (61D), with a slight blotch of deep purplish pink (61B). Syn: 'Geisha Lachskarmin' (Aronense Group)

(a) **'Kumo-asobe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan, N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep violet or light violet. Indian

(a) **'Kumogiri'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 40mm wide, strong red (41B), with darker spots. Kurume

(a) **'Kumoi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, red. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Kumoi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japàn (pre 1920), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, with wavy-edged lobes, carmine, with a paler throat. Kurume

(a) **'Kumoi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, single, white, spotted, striped and marked deep purple. Satsuki

(a) **'Kumoidori'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1939), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958). Kurume

(a) **'Kumo-no-homare'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1920), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep pink. Kurume

(a) **'Kumo-no-ito'** (Syn. of 'Suga-no-ito')

(a) **'Kumo-no-ue'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1964), N: Japan Fls 100mm wide, deep purplish pink. Satsuki (Raised on Hirado Island. Not apparently the same plant listed as 'Kumo-no-uye')

(a) **'Kumo-no-uye'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1918), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 40mm wide, orange-red, with a purple blotch. Syn: 'Salmon Prince'; Wilson no.29. Kurume (Galle (1987) also reports a hose-in-hose, red-flowered plant under this name)

(v) **'Kundasan'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *brookeanum* G: E.F. Allen (c 1968), N: E.F. Allen, REG: E.F. Allen (1987) Fls 6-15/truss, c85 × 80mm, funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, strong reddish orange, with a light yellow throat. Lvs oblong to oblong-lanceolate, 120-250 × 35-80mm; young lvs scaly, older lvs obscurely pitted. Shrub 0.5 × 0.5m. December to February. Flower colour identical to 'Kinabalu Mandarin', but plant is of superior habit and more cold tolerant. (Collected by E.F. Allen as a small seedling in 1966 on Mount Kinabalu (Sabah) at c 5,000ft)

(r) **'Kung Fu'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.L. Tolstead (1980), G: W.L. Tolstead, N: W.L. Tolstead, REG: W.L. Tolstead (1995) Fls 16/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 50mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink, with a light bronze blotch on the dorsal lobe; slightly scented. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 60mm, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 15 years. Early May. (Derived from *catawbiense*/*fortunei* crosses, perhaps with admixture of other species)

(a) **'Kunigunde Emmel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Gebr Mardner (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, salmon rose with a white edge. Indian

(a) **'Kunimitsu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1978), N: Japan Fls hose-in-hose to semi-double, up to 35-40mm wide, strong purplish red (7.5RP 5/12 - 7.5RP 4/11), with white centres; some stamens petaloid. Kurume

(a) **'Kuni-no-megumi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Hakata-shiro' R: Japan, N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with crimson variegations on a white ground. Satsuki

(r) **'Kunming'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *rupicola* var. *chryseum* × *minus* Carolinianum Group (white form) H: D.G. Leach (1974), G: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1978), REG: D.G. Leach (1981) Fls 9-10/bud, up to 34/multiple bud cluster, broadly funnel-shaped, 20 × 25mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, open pale greenish yellow (10C) with light yellow (10D) midribs, edges of corolla soon age to moderate pink (35D) with sparse dorsal spotting of light greenish yellow (8C). Calyx c5mm long, pale greenish yellow. Lvs elliptic, 30 × 13mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy, moderate olive green (147A) above, with large, closely spaced, clear to golden brown scales above and below. Stems densely scaly. Shrub 0.75 × 0.75m in 5 years. Early May

(a) **'Kunpu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, pale to light purplish pink. Erect habit. Satsuki

(r) **'Kunz'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls fiery carmine red, with little spotting

(r) **'Kupferberg'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown, possibly a derivative of *viscidifolium* × *dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* I: J. Wieting (1996), REG: ICRA (1996) Fls 10-12/broadly rounded truss, campanulate, 40-50mm wide, pure orange-yellow, with very faint, yellow-brown dorsal spots. Shrub 1.7m tall in c10-14 years. (Found by U. Genzel in a Sauerländer garden. First published in W. Schmalscheidt, *Rhododendron- und Azaleenzüchtung in Deutschland*, part II (1930-1990), second edition (1991))

(a) **'Kurai-no-himo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1918), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, carmine. Syn: 'Carmine Queen'; Wilson no.40. Kurume (Probably the plant seen listed as 'Carman Queen' and 'Carmen Queen')

(a) **'Kuran-yuki'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1958), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet. (Perhaps the same plant listed as 'Koran-yuki')

(a) **'Kure-no-yuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1918), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, white, with a violet red blotch, tinged cream in throat. AM 1952 Syn: 'Snowflake'; Wilson no.2. Kurume (The above description is essentially from Lee (1958); the plant grown at RHS, Wisley and awarded in 1952 was described as white with a yellowish green blotch)

(a) **'Kuroi-wahaku'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* L: Miyami-en Nursery (1976) Fls small

(a) **'Kurokojima'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1976), N: Japan Fls greyish reddish purple. Satsuki (Raised on Hirado Island, Japan)

(v) **'Kurt Herbert Adler'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *konori* var. *phaeopeplum* × *lochiae* H: T. Lelliott, G: Strybing Arboretum, N: Strybing Arboretum, I: Strybing Arboretum (1974), REG: Strybing Arboretum (1974) Fls 7-8/flat truss, narrow tubular funnel-shaped, 5(-6) lobed, 70 × 40mm, mandarin red (17/3), deeper (17/1) in the throat; strongly carnation-

scented. Calyx minute, with narrow lobes, beige. Lvs broadly elliptic, 80 × 50mm, glossy, bright green and slightly bullate above, brown scaly below. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 6 years. New growth covered in orange-brown scales. February-September

(a) **'Kurui-jishi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1984), N: Japan. Satsuki (A present day cultivar similar to 'Uranami' according to Creech in the Ito translation)

(a) **Kurumanthum Group** gp Evergreen azalea: derivatives of Kurume × Indian (Macranthum) azaleas R: K. Wada (pre 1958), N: K. Wada

(a) **'Kurume Blood Red'** (Syn. of 'Sakata Red')

(a) **'Kurume Pink'** (Syn. of 'Esmeralda')

(a) **'Kurume Red'** (Syn. of 'Sakata Red')

(a) **'Kurume White'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. Kurume

(a) **'Kusudama'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65-70mm wide, with broad, rounded lobes, pale pink, variably spotted and flaked deep pink to moderate red (sanded snake-eye-like spotting (1958 Register)); some selfs, some with white centres. Shrub to 0.75m. Satsuki

(a) **'Kusutaihai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Kwahow'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Chugai Nursery Co. (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear white, splashed purple. Satsuki (Equated with 'Kaho' by Galle, 1987)

(a) **'Kwai'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown G: E. de Rothschild (1970s), S: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: Exbury Enterprises (1997), REG: E. de Rothschild (1997) Fls single, 9-10/truss, tubular funnel-shaped (opening flat-faced), 54 × 59mm, 5-lobed (the two basal lobes strongly divergent), brilliant yellow (13B), with a strong orange-yellow (17A) dorsal flare; outside of tube is light yellow-green (145C), with flushes of brilliant orange (29A). Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs obovate/elliptic, 70 × 32mm. May. (Solent Group)

(a) **'Kwazan-jima'** (Japanese name for scarlet-flowered plants of *scabrum* (= f. *coccineum* Wilson))

(a) **'Kwo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Holly Heath Nursery (1978) Fls pale pink, with a lighter throat. Satsuki (Possibly an error for 'Kokoku' (Galle, 1987))

(r) **'Kyla King'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × unknown H: S.M. King (1970), G: S.M. King, N: S.M. King, I: S.M. King, REG: S.M. King (1984) Fls in tight trusses, pale pink, with red spots in the throat. Lvs glossy green. Habit as in female parent

(r) **'Kyocho'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *degronianum* subsp. *heptamerum* hybrid R: K. Wada (pre 1981)

(a) **'Kyokko-nishiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, white, striped deep red, edges paler. Satsuki

(a) **'Kyo-no-tsumibana'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 25mm wide, rose red to tyrian rose. Kurume (Galle (1987) gives it as 40mm wide, vivid red to vivid purplish red)

(a) **'Kyoto'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1985), N: unknown Fls red. Indian

(r) **'Kyoto Coral'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × Nereid Group × Tally Ho Group: exact combination not known H: Mrs B.I. Jordan (1963), G: Mrs B.I. Jordan (1974), N: Mrs B.I. Jordan, I: Mrs B.I. Jordan (1976), REG: Mrs B.I. Jordan (1977) Fls 11-13/domed truss (somewhat open and flattened), open funnel-shaped, 75 × 90-115mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, inside deep yellowish pink to deep pink (47C-D), throat vivid red (45C); outside with streaks of vivid red (46C or 45C). Calyx 13-20mm long, waxy, hairy, strong red (46A) at base. Lvs elliptic to oblong, 108-125 × 40-50mm, acute and apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, with a light covering of reddish brown hairs below, hairless above. New growth with red bracts. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 13 years. Late May-early June

(a) **'Kyri'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: K. Müssig (pre 1996), N: K. Müssig, REG: ICRA (1996) Fls single, of rather rounded form, with overlapping lobes, white, with a slight yellowish green dorsal blotch

(a) **'Kyu-miyagimo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 30mm wide, deep rose pink. Kurume

(a) **'Kyushu'** (Given as the parent of 'Kikoshi; in Galle (1987). Perhaps an error for the Kyushu azalea = *R. kiusianum*)

(r) **'Kyushu'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: wild-origin selection from *degronianum* subsp. *heptamerum* on Kyushu L: Greer Gardens (1983) Lvs relatively large.

(r) **'La Bar's Red'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron : selection from *catawbiense* N: La Bar's Nursery, I: La Bar's Nursery (pre 1972) Fls red. (Collected from the wild in mountains of North Carolina, USA)

(r) **'La Bar's White'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron : selection of *catawbiense*, or a natural hybrid N: La Bar's Nursery (1959), I: La Bar's Nursery, REG: La Bar's Nursery (1961) Resembles *catawbiense* except that the flowers are white in bud, opening white with yellow-green markings in the throat. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. (Found wild near Nallen, West Virginia, USA in c1942)

(a) **'Labe'** cv. Evergreen azalea : 'Amoenum' × *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* R: B. Kavka et al. (c 1970), N: B. Kavka et al. Fls 2-4/flat globose truss, c40mm wide, pink in bud (25-25/1), opening pink (25/1), with an inconspicuous, dull brownish blotch (00823/3). Lvs oblong-ovate, 19 × 8mm, dull green (0960). Shrub 0.9 × 1.0m

(r) **'La Belle'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron : *ciliatum* × 'Forsterianum' R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1887), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 75-90mm wide, white, with a small, pale yellow-green blotch at base of dorsal lobe. FCC 1887

(a) **'La Belle Hélène'** cv. Evergreen azalea : 'Glacier' (s) × 'Lady Louise' H: R.D. Gartrell (1961), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell, REG: R.D. Gartrell (1983) Fls 1-2/truss, 42 × 75mm, flat saucer-shaped, 5-lobed, throat white, corolla with irregular edges of strong purplish pink (63C) and a faint dorsal blotch. Calyx 5mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 70 × 27mm, glossy and yellow-green (138A-B) above. Shrub c0.4m in 18 years. (Robin Hill azalea no. V2-3)

(r) **'Labrador'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron : 'Catawbiense Album' × 'Mist Maiden' H: R. Behring (1972), G: R. Behring (1980), N: R. Behring, REG: R. Behring (1986) Fls 24/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 25 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, appleblossom pink, fading to white, with 1-4mm wide light purplish pink (68D) edging and brilliant greenish yellow (6B) dorsal spotting. Calyx 2mm long, light yellow-green (145C). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 120 × 25mm, dull and moderate olive green (146A) above, light yellow-green (145D) below, with a light indumentum (easily rubbed off). Shrub 1.4 × 1.0m in 12 years. Late May

(r) **'La Brillante'** cv. Parentage unknown R: I. Davies (pre 1896), N: I. Davies, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light red

(r) **'La Candeur'** cv. Parentage unknown I: L. van Houte (pre 1864), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, edged soft rose, fading to pure white

(a) **'Lace Valentine'** cv. Deciduous azalea : parentage unknown H: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1951), G: R.M. Bovee, I: Bovees Nursery (1975), REG: Bovees Nursery (1975) Fls 11/conical to ball truss, tubular-funnel-shaped, 55 × 75mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, buds light to pale purplish pink (55C-D), opening white shading to pale purplish pink (56B) at edges, dorsal blotch brilliant yellow (13B). Calyx 7mm long, light green. Lvs oblanceolate, 100 × 45mm, bullate, hairy, dark yellowish green (189A), wavy. Shrub 1.5 × 0.8m in 10 years. Mid May. Syn: 'Best White'

(a) **'La Charmante'** cv. Evergreen azalea : parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1907), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls said to resembles 'Uncle Sam', which has dark rose, semi-double fls. Indian (Listed as a *hardy* azalea by R.T. Veitch, 1867)

(r) **'Lachsgold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron : *wardii* var. *wardii*, open-pollinated R: D.G. Hobbie (c 1950-1953), N: Baumschule Lorenz van Ehren (1985), I: Baumschule Lorenz van Ehren (1970) Fls 9-13/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50-80mm wide, outside opening pink to yellowish pink; inside pale yellow, the margin tinged pale pink, with slight yellow-green markings

(a) **'Lachs Thiers'** (Syn. of 'Hermann Stahnke')

(a) **'Laciniatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea : selection from *indicum* R: Japan, N: T. Makino (1910), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, with 5 narrow, strap-like lobes, deep yellowish pink (47C), with a darker blotch. Calyx normal. Syn: 'Shide-satsuki' (See also under 'Angustipetalum')

(r) **'Laciniatum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron : selection from *hirsutum* N: Schröter (pre 1903), INC: ICRA (1958) Margins of the leaves deeply incised/dentate. (Probably of wild origin)

(a) **Lackamas Group** gp Deciduous azalea : 'Graciosum' (Occidentale) × various Ghent hybrids R: B.F. Lancaster (pre 1960), N: B.F. Lancaster Fls carried in large trusses, generally 75-100mm wide; scented

(r) **'Lackamas Blue'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron : seedling from *augustinii* N: B.F. Lancaster, I: B.F. Lancaster (c 1948), REG: B.F. Lancaster (1963) Fls 3-4/truss, flat-opening, up to 80mm wide, sea lavender violet (637). Lvs 75 × 20mm. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Midseason. (From imported stock obtained by Lancaster ex Peter Kerr estate (Washougal, Washington, USA))

(a) **'Lackamas Bouquet'** cv. Deciduous azalea : 'Graciosum' (Occidentale) × *luteum* R: B.F. Lancaster (pre 1965), N: B.F. Lancaster Fls pale yellowish white and pink; scented. (Lackamas Group)

(r) **'Lackamas Cream'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron : seedling from 'Chlorops' R: B.F. Lancaster, N: B.F. Lancaster (1961), REG: B.F. Lancaster (1962) Fls 10-12/truss, flat-opening, up to 90mm wide, 7-lobed, primrose yellow in the throat shading to rich cream, with mahogany rays on dorsal lobes. Lvs broadly elliptic, 75-100 × 50mm, blue-green. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Lackamas Firebrand'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron : 'Essex Scarlet' × *griersonianum* R: B.F. Lancaster (c 1950), N: B.F. Lancaster, I: B.F. Lancaster, REG: B.F. Lancaster (1966) Fls 18/globular truss, campanulate, up to 65mm wide, moderate red (47A). Lvs elliptic, up to 140 × 45mm, with a tan indumentum below. Upright shrub, 1.2 × 1.2m in 15 years. Late June

(r) **'Lackamas Glory'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron : 'Earl of Athlone' × *thomsonii* R: B.F. Lancaster (c 1949), N: B.F. Lancaster (1961), I: B.F. Lancaster, REG: B.F. Lancaster (1962) Fls 12-15/rounded truss, campanulate, 65-75mm wide, of thick wax-like texture, strong red (53B); no stamens. Calyx persistant (as in *thomsonii*). Lvs ovate, 75-100 × 50-75mm, dark green, shiny, thick-textured. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Lackamas Gold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron : 'Chlorops' × *wardii* R: B.F. Lancaster (c 1949), N: B.F. Lancaster (1961), I: B.F. Lancaster, REG: B.F. Lancaster (1962) Fls 12-15/upright truss, broadly campanulate, 65-75mm wide, 5-7-lobed, light greenish yellow (4B). Lvs elliptic, 75-100 × 40mm, blue-green. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Lackamas Ruby'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron : *thomsonii* (s) × 'Earl of Athlone' H: B.F. Lancaster (1949), G: B.F. Lancaster, N: B.F. Lancaster (1962), I: B.F. Lancaster, REG: B.F. Lancaster (1962) Fls 15-17/rounded truss, open campanulate, up to 75mm wide, deep to strong red (53A-B), of waxy texture. Lvs 150 × 50mm. Shrub 0.9m in 10 years. Early

(r) **'Lackamas Sovereign'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron : 'Purple Splendour' × Tally Ho Group H: B.F. Lancaster (1948), G: B.F. Lancaster, N: B.F. Lancaster, REG: B.F. Lancaster (1962) Fls 15-16/upright, rounded truss, open campanulate, up to 90mm wide, tyrian purple (727). Lvs 125-150 × 50mm. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Late

(r) **'Lackamas Spice'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron : 'Chlorops' × *decorum* subsp. *diaprepes* R: B.F. Lancaster, N: B.F. Lancaster (1961), I: B.F. Lancaster, REG: B.F. Lancaster (1962) Fls 10-12/truss, flat-opening, 100mm wide, 6-lobed, pale yellow to creamy white, rayed with mahogany; spicily scented. Lvs elliptic, 150-175 × 55mm, deep blue-green. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Lackblatt'** (See note under 'Flava Lackblatt')

(a) **'La Coquette'** cv. Evergreen azalea : parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lively rose. Resembles 'Le Brillant'. Indian

(a) **'Lacquer'** cv. Evergreen azalea : "Bridal Veil' (s) × 'Azuma-no-hana' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 1-3/truss, 75mm wide, white, with stripes and sanding of a moderate red (180C). Shrub to 1.0m. Early-mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Lacs'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron : *lacteum* × *sinogrande* H: E.J.P. Magor (1936), G: E.J.P. Magor (1948), I: E.J.P. Magor (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale cream with a dark crimson blotch and a pale pink tinge in the throat. (Lacsino Group)

(r) **Lacsino Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron : *lacteum* × *sinogrande* H: E.J.P. Magor (1936), N: E.J.P. Magor, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white to pale cream, with a dark blotch, some with a pinkish tinge in the throat

(r) **Lactcombei Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron : Luscombei Group (s) × *lacteum* H: J.B. Stevenson (1930), G: J.B. Stevenson, N: J.B. Stevenson, I: J.B. Stevenson (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow, flushed pink

(a) **'Lacteolum'** cv. Evergreen azalea : parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1857), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Exhibited by J. Dickson, 1857)

(a) **'Lacteolum Striatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea : *mucronatum* × unknown red-flowered selection R: J. van Geert (pre 1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cream white, with bright rose spots

(r) **'Lacteolum Superbum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: France (1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white. (cf *Revue Horticole* 2: 218 (1848))

(r) **'Lacteum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron : listed as a *ponticum* form or hybrid L: A. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white

(a) **'Lacteum Carneum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1849), INC: ICRA (1958) (Hardy azalea)

(a) **'Lacteum Floribundum'** cv. Evergreen azalea : parentage unknown I: L.L. Liebig (pre 1844), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, grained with violet and with a green blotch. Indian

(a) **'Lacteum Plenum'** cv. Evergreen azalea : parentage unknown I: Schulz (1886), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, borne closely together, very large, rounded, white. Indian

(a) **'Lacticolor'** cv. Deciduous azalea : parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(r) **'Lacy Ann'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron : Jalisco Group × *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Jalisco Elect' × 'Yellow Creek' H: C.C. Smith (1981), G: R.W. Cavender (1987), N: R. MacArthur (1989), REG: R. MacArthur (2001) Fls 14-16/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (48A) in bud, opening inside light yellow (11B), with rays of moderate pink (49B) extending from centre to outer edges and slight spotting of deep pink (48A), outside strong pink (49A). Calyx minute, greenish red. Lvs elliptic, 100-125 × 40-50mm, flat, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, moderate olive green (146A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years. April-May

(a) **'La Czarine'** cv. Deciduous azalea : *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: E. Pynaert (c 1893), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, pale rose, tinged violet. Mollis

(v) **'La-de-da'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron : *christianae* × *jasminiflorum* H: D.B. Stanton, G: G.L.S. Snell (1975), N: R. Macdonald, I: Foothills Nursery (1990), REG: Foothills Nursery (1991) Fls 6-10/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 25mm, 5-lobed, tube pale yellow-green (155A), lobes moderate pink (49B) shading to pale purplish pink (56B). Lvs elliptic, 60 × 30mm. Shrub 1.5m. Spring-autumn

(a) **'La Déesse'** cv. Evergreen azalea : parentage unknown I: D. Vervaene (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls flesh-coloured, creamy white at edges, sometimes with a broad, carmine red stripe and with a carmine red blotch. Indian

(r) **'Ladies' Choice'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron : Moonstone Group (s) × Hawk Group H: J.A. Elliott (1968), G: J.A. Elliott, N: J.A. Elliott, I: J.A. Elliott (1977), REG: J.A. Elliott (1983) Fls 9-10/truss, 50 × 75mm, open funnel-shaped, 6-lobed, straw yellow (604/2) in bud, opening primrose yellow (601/2), some with red dorsal spotting. Calyx 3mm long, light green, edged red. Lvs elliptic to broadly elliptic, 75 × 45mm, spinach green (0960/1 to 0960), hairless; petioles noticeably maroon red above. Shrub c1.0m in 12 years

(r) **'Ladifor'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lady Clementine Mitford' (s) × *fortunei* H: G.G. Nearing, G: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, with a bicolor effect; scented. Lvs glossy

(r) **'Ladrillo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Moonstone Group (s) × *williamsianum* or *campylocarpum* H: J. Henny (pre 1963), G: D.W. Goheen (1970), N: D.W. Goheen, I: C. Hoffman (1994), REG: D.W. Goheen (1994) Fls 5/flattened ball truss, open campanulate, 56-76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (46A) in bud, opening and ageing through vivid red (46B) to vivid red (46C); stamens 10, straight. Calyx minute, strong red (46A). Pedicels 25mm long, strong pink (50C). Lvs ovate, 51-64 × 38mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cordate at base, dull and moderate olive green (137A) above, moderate yellow-green (138C) below, hairless; petioles 13-19mm long, moderate yellow-green (138C). Shrub 3.0 × 3.0m in 30 years. Early-mid April

(r) **'Lady Adam Gordon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × *dichroanthum* × (*wardii* × *decorum*) H: A.F. George (1968), G: A.F. George (1974), N: A.F. George, I: Hydon Nurseries (1975), REG: A.F. George (1976) Fls 12/truss, 50 × 60mm, 5-lobed, pale pink (49D) with a light red, dorsal blotch and strong to moderate pink flushing; outside stained carmine. Calyx irregular, c20mm long, light yellowish pink. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 60mm, dark green above, with a thick, buff indumentum below. Compact shrub, 1.0m tall in 10 years. May

(a) **'Lady Alice de Stuers'** (Syn. of 'Alice de Stuers')

(r) **'Lady Alice Fitzwilliam'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *edgeworthii* × *formosum* I: Fisher, Son & Sibray (1881), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 75 × 100mm, white, with a faint yellow blotch, and with pink lines at tips of lobes outside; strongly scented. Calyx lobes 3-6mm long, green or brownish, fringed with silky hairs. Lvs elliptic to obovate-lanceolate, 65 × 27mm, glossy, reticulate and more-or-less hairy above, scaly below, ciliate. Straggly bush. FCC 1881

(r) **'Lady Alice Peel'** cv. Parentage unknown L: R. Veitch & Son (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark rose, with a blotch of very dark spots

(r) **'Lady Annette de Trafford'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (c 1874), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c16(-24)/compact, hemispherical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40-45 × 60-65mm, light rose pink, with a blackish crimson blotch on the dorsal lobe. Calyx lobes 2-3mm long, glandular. Lvs oblong-obovate, 100 × 40mm, dull and reticulate above, very thinly brown-felted below. Shrub 2.5-4.0m. Late

(r) **'Lady April'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Dido Group × *williamsianum* H: A.A. Childers (1958), G: A.A. Childers (1963), N: A.A. Childers, I: A.A. Childers, REG: A.A. Childers (1977) Fls up to 5/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 70mm wide, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (54D) in bud, opening white, lightly flushed moderate purplish pink (54D), fading to almost white. Lvs elliptic, 50 × 30mm, deep yellowish green (141A). Shrub 0.6 × 0.75m in 18 years. Mid April

(r) **'Lady Armstrong'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1867), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose, with a dark centre, very much spotted. Syn: 'Annedore' (Many plants grown under this name are in fact 'Annedore')

(r) **'Lady Baillie'** cv. Parentage unknown R: van Nes, N: van Nes, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish magenta

(r) **'Lady Balfour of Burleigh'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from *falconeri* R: R.B. Laird & Sons ?, N: R.B. Laird & Sons ? (No date recorded)

(a) **'Lady Bedford'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Davidson's Nurseries (1979) Fls double, white. Indian

(r) **'Lady Berry'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Rosy Bell' (s) × Royal Flush Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 5/loose, lax truss, pendulous, 'long, slim, trumpets', rose opal (022/3) inside; outside jasper red (018/1), gradually paling towards rim; fleshy textured. Calyx rim-like. Lvs ovate, 100 × 40mm, aromatic, red-dotted below, glossy above. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. April-May. AM 1937, FCC 1949 (Lady Berry Group)

(r) **Lady Berry Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: 'Rosy Bell' (s) × Royal Flush Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1935), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Lady Bessborough'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × *campylocarpum* Elatum Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 14/open-centred truss, funnel-shaped, 60 × 85mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, apricot in bud, opening creamy white, with a maroon eye on a deeper cream ground. Calyx lobes short, glandular. Lvs ovate-lanceolate, up to 140 × 55mm, usually matt green above. Medium to large shrub. Late May-early June. FCC 1933 (Lady Bessborough Group)

(r) **Lady Bessborough Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × *campylocarpum* Elatum Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1933), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Ladybird'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × 'Corona' R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large trusses, broadly expanded, deep coral pink, with a deeper eye and freckled with yellow. Lvs glossy green. Large shrub, 2.0m in 10 years. May-June. AM 1933. (Ladybird Group)

(r) **Ladybird Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × 'Corona' R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1933), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Lady Bligh'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: C.B. Van Nes & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls strawberry red, fading to rich pink with white centres. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. *AM 1934

(r) **'Lady Bowes Lyon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Pilgrim Group × *yakushimanum* H: F.E.W. Hanger (1949), G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, REG: ICRA (1996) Fls c20/globular truss, open campanulate, 90mm wide, phlox pink (625) in bud, opening white tinged rose pink (427/3) darkening to phlox pink (625/3). Shrub 1.0-1.2m. AM 1962

(r) **'Lady Bowring'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Veitch & Sons, N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls shaded rosy pink, spotted. SCC 1862

(a) **'Lady Bridges'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: V.J. Boulter & Sons (1970) Fls double, white, pencilled cerise. Indian

(r) **'Lady Bridport'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Conway (pre 1853), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink. (In 1862 C. Noble listed a pure white plant under this name)

(r) **'Lady Byng'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: Lady Rosebery Group (s) × *davidsonianum* I: T.C. Thacker (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose pink

(r) **'Lady Byron'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a purple blotch

(a) **'Lady Canning'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Todman (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, paler and larger than 'Lord Canning'. Indian

(r) **'Lady Cathcart'** (Syn. of 'Lady Eleanor Cathcart')

(r) **'Lady Catherine'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Corona' (s) × *auriculatum* H: Sir John Ramsden (1922), G: Sir John Ramsden, N: Sir John Ramsden, I: Sir John Ramsden (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls flushed rose, with rusty speckling within; scented. Late flowerer. AM 1936

(a) **'Lady Cavendish'** (Syn. of 'Cavendishii')

(r) **'Lady Cecil'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale red, with a dark blotch

(r) **Lady Chamberlain Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* Roylei Group (s) × orange form of Royal Flush Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) (The "original" award clone (FCC 1931) is known as 'Exbury Lady Chamberlain' *q.v.*)

(r) **'Lady Chamberlain Apricot'** (Syn. of 'Apricot Lady Chamberlain')

(r) **'Lady Chamberlain Etna'** (Considered to be an error for 'Lady Rosebery Etna')

(r) **'Lady Chamberlain Seville'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* Roylei Group (s) × orange form of Royal Flush Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright orange. Syn: 'Seville' (Lady Chamberlain Group)

(v) **'Lady Clare'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *konori* var. *phaeopeplum* × *lochiae* (s) × *leucogigas* H: P. Sullivan, G: R.M. Withers (1982), I: M. Baldwin, REG: M. Baldwin (1984) Fls. 10-12/truss, tubular-campanulate, 100 × 80mm, light pink (50D). Lvs elliptic, 150 × 60mm. Shrub c2.0 × 0.7m

(r) **'Lady Clemente Walsh'** (Syn. of 'Lady Clementine Walsh')

(r) **'Lady Clementina Mitford'** (Syn. of 'Lady Clementine Mitford')

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(r) **'Lady Clementine Mitford'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 16-18/compact truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45 × 70-80mm, peach pink, shading to white and blush in centre of lobes, with a V-shaped flare of brownish or greenish markings (redder towards edge of flare); style and filaments white, anthers pinkish. Calyx lobes shallow. Lvs lanceolate to lanceolate-obovate, up to 135 × 40mm, deep shiny green and above, finely tomentose when young, hairless at maturity. Large shrub. Early June. *HC 1970, *AM 1971 Syn: 'Lady Clementina Mitford', 'Lady Mitford' (Usually listed as a *maximum* hybrid, it shows the influence of *smirnowii* in its foliage)

(r) **'Lady Clementine Walsh'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1902), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c13/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped to flattish, 55-60 × 90-100mm, mauve in bud, opening white, flushed with delicate mauve edging and with a ray of mustard-coloured markings. Calyx lobes up to 10mm long, white. Lvs elliptic to obovate-lanceolate, c140 × 50mm, deep and matt green above, rough along midrib below. Large shrub. AM 1902 Syn: 'Lady C. Walsh', 'Lady Clemente Walsh', 'Lady Clementina Walsh', 'Lady Walsh'

(r) **'Lady Clermont'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 18-20/compact, rounded truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45 × 60mm, deep rose, shaded scarlet externally, with a ray of blackish markings on the 3 dorsal lobes; nectaries crimson, with pale, pubescent pouches. Calyx lobes very short. Lvs ovate to obovate-lanceolate, 120 × 50mm, matt green above, minutely hairy, with margins strongly recurved. FCC 1865

(r) **'Lady Codiva'** (An error for 'Lady Godiva')

(a) **'Lady Constance'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Australia ? (pre 1984) Fls double, deep pink. Indian

(r) **'Lady Constance'** cv. Parentage unknown I: A.G. Soames (1923), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls medium-sized, deep rose. AM 1923

(r) **'Lady C. Walsh'** (Syn. of 'Lady Clementine Walsh')

(r) **'Lady C. Wheeble'** cv. Parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1877), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy pink. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Lady Cynthia Colville'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: E. de Rothschild (pre 1979) Fls deep pink, with a yellow blotch

(r) **'Lady Decies'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1922), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 18-20/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 60 × 90-100mm, delicate lilac mauve, shading to white in centre, with a broad ray of yellow markings. Calyx lobes up to 4mm long

(r) **'Lady Decora'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lady Eleanor Cathcart' × *decorum* H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: Swarthmore College (pre 1978), N: Swarthmore College Fls pink

(a) **'Lady Derby'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (c 1937), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale creamy yellow, tinged pink, with a carmine blotch (as described in Knap Hill catalogues). Knap Hill

(r) **'Lady de Rothschild'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* × 'Sappho' R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1925), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c16/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 55 × 80-90mm, blush, fading to white, with a blackish crimson blotch. Calyx lobes 3-10mm long. Leggy shrub, 1.5m in 10 years. AM 1925

(v) **'Lady Di'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *christianae* × *jasminiflorum* R: G.L.S. Snell (pre 1983), N: G.L.S. Snell Fls tubular, 25mm wide, pale pink. Shrub of open habit, to 1.5m

(r) **'Lady Diana Spencer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Noyo Brave' (s) × *arboreum* subsp. *cinnamomeum* H: Y. Workman (1988), G: Y. Workman (1995), N: Y. Workman (1997), REG: Y. Workman (1997) Fls 18-20/ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 50 × 65-70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, dark pink in bud, opening strong purplish pink (62A) inside, with strong purplish pink (63C) nectaries; outside moderate purplish pink (62B). Calyx very small, green. Lvs lanceolate, 65-100 × 20-35mm, margins decurved, acute at apex, oblique at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, with a fawn indumentum below which ages to moderate orange-yellow (164B). Shrub 1.1 × 0.7m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Lady Digby'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *facetum* (s) × *strigillosum* R: Lord Digby, N: Lord Digby, I: Lord Digby (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 8/truss, campanulate, 70 × 65mm, blood red (820), with faint spots. Lvs elliptic, 250 × 75mm, dark green above, tomentose below. AM 1946

(r) **'Lady Dorothy Ella'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lindleyi* × *nuttallii* R: Duncan & Davies (pre 1984), N: Duncan & Davies, REG: Duncan & Davies (1986) Fls broadly tubular-funnel-shaped, ivory white, flushed pink externally, with a basal golden flare in the throat; strongly scented. Shrub up to c4.0m

(r) **'Lady Dorothy Neville'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Veitch & Son (pre 1857), N: J. Veitch & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark purple, with black spots (Veitch & Waterer descriptions); other sources describe a plant with lavender white flowers, finely spotted. Syn: 'Standard of Flanders', 'Etendard de Flandre', 'Etendard de Flandres', 'Dorothy Neville'

(r) **'Lady Duckworth'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1867), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear pink

(r) **'Lady Dunleath'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* (blood red form) × *elliottii* I: Lord Dunleath (1954), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Lady Easthope'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (c 1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c12/flattish, domed truss, 45 × 60-70mm, clear rose, with a blackish crimson blotch. Calyx lobes 3-6mm long, pinky white. Large shrub. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Lady Edith'** (Syn. of ' Anthenon')

(r) **'Lady Egremont'** cv. Parentage unknown L: R. Veitch & Son (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear pink, slightly spotted

(r) **'Lady Elberta'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'King of Shrubs' × a "selected yellow form" of *fortunei* H: A.A. & M. Childers (1964), G: A.A. & M. Childers (1970), N: A.A. & M. Childers, I: Bovees Nursery, REG: A.A. & M. Childers (1988) Fls 11-13/domed truss, open to broadly funnel-shaped, 38-51 × 102mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, moderate pink (49B) shading to light yellowish pink (27A) in throat, with maroon spotting in a small area near base of dorsal lobe; outside

moderate pink (49B); highly scented. Calyx very small, green. Lvs narrowly oblong/elliptic, 152 × 51mm, concave, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base; upper surface dull, hairless and moderate yellow-green (147B), underside moderate yellow-green (147D). Shrub 2.4 × 3.0m in 22 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Lady Eleanor Cathcart'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* (s) × *arboreum* R: Sandleford Park (pre 1836), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (c 1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12-15/rounded truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 35 × 50-60mm, clear rose with darker veins and a conspicuous maroon blotch. Calyx very small, glandular. Lvs oblanceolate, up to 110 × 35mm, dull and dark green above, with a rust-coloured indumentum below. Large shrub or small tree. Syn: 'Lady Cathcart'

(a) **'Lady Elphinstone'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C.E. Brown, N: D. Stewart & Son (1952), I: D. Stewart & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2/truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 65mm, with wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (52C), non-fading, with a darker pink blotch at base of dorsal lobe. Lvs dark green. Shrub up to 1.1m. *AM 1952. Kurume

(r) **'Lady Emily Peel'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1851), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose, intensely blotched with chocolate-coloured spots. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Lady Ethel Edgar'** cv. Parentage unknown R: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cerise red

(r) **'Lady Ethel Hall'** cv. Parentage unknown R: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large trusses, rose pink at margins, pale (almost white) towards centre, with no blotch

(a) **'Lady Fair'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lambertus C. Bobbink' × 'Gumpo' × 'Ballerina' R: H. Kerrigan (pre 1987), N: H. Kerrigan Fls hose-in-hose, with wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink

(r) **'Lady Fair'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lady Annette de Trafford' (s) × 'Disca' H: B. & M. Shapiro (1965), G: B. & M. Shapiro, N: B. & M. Shapiro, REG: B. & M. Shapiro (1993) Fls 10/tall, domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 48 × 70mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (66D) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (65C/D), with a yellow dorsal throat and a speckled dorsal flare shading from deep yellowish pink (43C) at base to vivid yellow (12A). Calyx 1-2mm long, very pale green. Lvs elliptic, 127 × 51mm, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.5m in 25 years. Early June

(r) **'Lady Falmouth'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with a black blotch

(r) **'Lady Florence'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *hookeri* hybrid R: J.H. Mangles (pre 1884), N: J.H. Mangles, REG: Lady Adam Gordon (1984) Fls c13/domed truss, campanulate, 40 × 45-50mm, 5-lobed, strong red (45D-53D), heavily spotted black all round flower, especially on dorsal lobes. Calyx 2mm long, lobes pale pink. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 40mm, dark and matt green above, silvery green below owing to the presence of more-or-less dense, minute, pale hairs

(r) **'Lady Francis Crossley'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy pink/salmon. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Lady Galway'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: derived from subsect. *Maddenia* R: unknown (pre 1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls usually 3/truss, rich fleshy red in bud, opening white, tinged mauve; sweetly scented. (Imported to Wellington (New Zeland) by a Mr Mason, c1850)

(r) **'Lady Gertrude Foljambe'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Fisher, Son & Sibray (1898), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with a light centre and bright pink margins. Early

(a) **'Lady Godiva'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Martha Hitchcock' × 'Shimmer' H: R.C. Vines, G: R.C. Vines (pre 1990), N: R.C. Vines Fls single, 90mm wide, with very wavy-edged lobes, white, with a faint light green blotch and a few, small, pink markings. Early May

(r) **'Lady Godiva'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with yellow spots. (Said to have been raised by A. Waterer (Knap Hill) but Waterer & Godfrey (1867) do not list it as one of theirs. Sometimes listed in error as 'Lady Codiva')

(r) **'Lady Grenville'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white in centre, purple at edges. Hardy Hybrid ('Lady Grenville' listed by Nairn & Sons, 1950 had clear cerise fls)

(r) **'Lady Grey Egerton'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: Waterer (pre 1888), N: Waterer, I: Waterer, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c20/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, pale lilac, shading to white in centre, with a ray of light brown markings. Calyx very small. Lvs obovate, up to 130 × 55mm, dull and dark green above, with a very thin indumentum below

(r) **'Lady Guines'** (An error for 'Lady Olive Guinness')

(r) **'Lady Guinness'** (Syn. of 'Lady Olive Guinness')

(r) **'Lady Gwendoline Broderick'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid (s) × 'Bacchus' R: C.B. van Nes & Sons (pre 1922), N: C.B. van Nes & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark pink, heavily overlaid with red spots. Syn: 'Mrs Gwendoline Broderick'

(r) **'Lady Harcourt'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with crimson spots

(r) **'Lady Hillingdon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1902), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls mauve, with yellow markings

(r) **'Lady Holland'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: Lady Berry Group × *maddenii* subsp. *crassum* H: J.P. Evans (c 1965-1970), G: J.P. Evans, N: Mrs J.P. Evans, REG: Mrs J.P. Evans (1988) Fls 8/lax truss, open funnel-campanulate, 102 × 102-127mm, 5-lobed, strong yellowish pink (37A, B) in bud, opening shades of yellowish pink (38A, B, C, D) with a brilliant to light yellow (20A, B) throat; outside strong pink (50C) with strong to light purplish pink (55B, C) rays. Calyx very small, green. Lvs oblanceolate, 89 × 32mm, convex, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless above, with brown scales below. Shrub 1.8 × 1.2m in c12 years. April

(r) **'Lady Horlick'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* × Loderi Group H: Sir James Horlick (1931), G: Sir James Horlick, N: Sir James Horlick (1961), I: Sir James Horlick, REG: Sir James Horlick (1961) Fls 7/truss, 150mm wide, pure white; slighted scented. Similar in habit to Loderi Group parent

(a) **'Lady Hortense'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Verschaffelt (pre 1844), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls velvet red. Indian

(a) **'Lady Hoskins'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: D. Parmenter (1969), N: D. Parmenter Fls variegated and striped, somewhat like 'Red Line'

(a) **'Lady Howard de Walden'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1880), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, pure white. Indian

(r) **'Lady Howe'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose

(r) **'Lady in Red'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Souvenir of Anthony Waterer' × 'Direktor E. Hjelm' (s) × 'Marrakesch' H: H.J.A. Guyens (1994), G: H.J.A. Guyens (2000), N: H.J.A. Guyens (2001), I: H.J.A. Guyens, REG: H.J.A. Guyens (2001) Fls 18-22/tight, rounded truss, trumpet-shaped, 70 × 80mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, green in bud, opening inside bright red, tinged orange, outside similarly coloured; a black-brown basal blotch and spots. Lvs lanceolate, 100-135 × 35-45mm, margins slightly upcurved, acute at apex and base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m in 7 years. Late April-mid May

(r) **'Lady in Waiting'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Idealist Group × 'Crest' H: Crown Estate Commissioners (1953), G: Crown Estate Commissioners (1969), N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1989), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1989) Fls 11-12/truss, funnel-shaped, up to 45 × 100mm, 7-lobed, creamy yellow, strongly flushed light orange (29B) in bud, opening to pale yellow with some orange flushing mostly on reverse and with slight red staining deep in dorsal throat. Calyx up to 8mm long, with 7 irregular lobes, green. Lvs oblong-elliptic, up to 135 × 60mm, dark and matt green above, paler below, hairless. Shrub 4.5 × 4.5m (1989). May. AM 1989

(a) **'Lady Ivor Churchill'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Rothschild (c 1933), N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, pink. Shrub 1.0m

(a) **'Lady Jayne'** cv. Deciduous azalea: unknown Exbury azalea × 'Klondyke' H: J.A. Elliott (1967), G: J.A. Elliott (1970), N: J.A. Elliott, I: J.A. Elliott (1974), REG: J.A. Elliott (1976) Fls 8-9/ball truss, saucer-shaped, 25 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds fire red (15/1), opening buttercup yellow (5), partially suffused fire red (15/1), and with a blotch of saffron yellow (7). Calyx 3mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 100 × 30mm, glossy, spinach green (0960/1), ciliate, hairy on midrib below; burnt red in autumn. Shrub 1.0 × 1.1m in 8 years. Late May. Knap Hill

(r) **Lady Jean Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* subsp. *diaprepes* (s) × *facetum* R: Lord Stair, N: Lord Stair, I: Lord Stair (1943), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Lady Knollys'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1894), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with a lighter centre

(r) **'Lady Laura'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Fawn' × 'Crest' H: D.W. James, G: D.W. James (pre 1971)

(a) **'Lady Lauren'** cv. Evergreen azalea: un-named seedling (HS79-10) (s) × 'Janet Rhea' R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls hose-in-hose, 2/truss, flat-faced, 75-100mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, hot pink to strong rosy red, with a darker red blotch. Shrub to c0.9 × 0.9m. Mid May. (First published in Holly Springs cat., 1990)

(r) **'Lady Lawrence'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: Lady Rosebery Group (s) × *ambiguum* I: T.C. Thacker (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls coppery rose

(a) **'Lady Liberty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vermeulen & Sons (1957), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy red. Kaempferi

(a) **'Lady Lilac'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown, but closely related to *mucronatum* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls similar to 'Lilacinum', but smaller, of a deeper colour and with only 5 stamens

(r) **'Lady Limerick'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Exbury (pre 1947), N: Exbury, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c12/truss, trumpet-shaped, 60 × 75-80mm, 5-lobed, rose madder (23/2), shaded neyron rose (623/1) outside, shading to more-or-less white within, with a dorsal flash of orange-brown. Calyx small. Lvs obovate-lanceolate, up to 100 × 25mm, dark green above, densely puberulous below at first . Large shrub

(r) **'Lady Lin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tortoiseshell Wonder' (s) × 'Evening Glow' H: M. Stockman (1980), G: M. & H. Stockman (1990), N: M. & H. Stockman, I: M. & H. Stockman (1992), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1992) Fls 9/flat, lax truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 64 × 76mm, with 5-6 wavy-

edged lobes, vivid red (45C) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (58B); stamens 11, curved, unequal. Calyx 13mm long, coloured as the corolla. Pedicels 25mm long, reddish brown above, light green below. Lvs elliptic, 114 × 44mm, convex, cuspidate at apex, cuneate at base, bullate and dark, matt green above, hairless; petioles 19mm long, brown. Shrub 0.8 × 0.6m in 12 years. Mid May

(r) **Lady Linlithgow Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* (s) × *sutchuenense* R: Royal Botanic Garden, Edinburgh (pre 1933), N: Royal Botanic Garden, Edinburgh, REG: IRA 1958 Fls various shades of dark pink and red

(a) **'Lady-locks'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Wakasagi', open-pollinated G: Mrs J.W. Hill (c 1966), N: Mrs J.W. Hill, I: Mrs J.W. Hill (1970), REG: Mrs J.W. Hill (1976) Fls 2-5/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 80mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, light to very pale purple (75B-C-D), with light streaking on midveins on all lobes, strong dorsal spotting of vivid reddish purple (73B); outside slightly darker; scented. Calyx lobes 25 × 7mm, green, glandular hairy. Lvs 50-75 × 40-50mm, mid green, hairy on both surfaces, with winged petioles. Shrub 0.8 × 1.2m in 11 years. Late May-early June. (Seed obtained from T. Rokujo, 1964)

(r) **'Lady Longman'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cynthia' × 'Lady Eleanor Cathcart' R: G.H. White (pre 1929), N: G.H. White, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear pale pink, with chocolate eye. Shrub c1.5m. Not so robust as 'Lady Eleanor Cathcart'

(r) **'Lady Lopez'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Veitch & Sons, N: J. Veitch & Sons, I: J. Veitch & Sons (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale lilac, spotted deep chocolate. C 1862

(a) **'Lady Louise'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Louise Gable' × 'Tama-giku' H: R.D. Gartrell (1957), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell (1967), REG: R.D. Gartrell (1977) Fls double (often irregular), 1-3/truss, openly tubular funnel-shaped, 46 × 65-75mm, with very wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (48C), faintly spotted with strong red (51A); petaloid stamens boat-shaped. Calyx 3mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 40 × 15mm. Shrub 0.4 × 0.8m in 18 years. Late May. (Robin Hill azalea no. J44-7)

(a) **'Ladylove'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Osakazuki' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, 75mm wide, between rose pink (light purplish pink (73C)) and deep rose pink (deep purplish pink (64D)), darker at margins, with a blotch of tyrian rose spots. Shrub to 1.9m. Late April. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Lady Luck'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' × 'Loderi Superlative' R: J. Elliott (pre 1990) Fls large, orchid pink; scented. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Lady Malcolm Stewart'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Tally Ho Group (s) × 'Purple Splendour' R: G.M. Adams-Acton, N: G.M. Adams-Acton, I: G.M. Adams-Acton (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rich pink

(r) **'Lady Mally'** cv. Parentage unknown L: van Geersdaele (1841), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Lady Malmesbury'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Carita Group × *wardii* H: E. de Rothschild (pre 1960), G: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1982), REG: E. de Rothschild (1982) Fls pale yellow-green (4D), deepening to light greenish yellow (4C) in the throat and with a brilliant yellow-green (154B) eye.

(r) **'Lady Mar'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1948), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as a parent of Fairy Light Group, probably raised at Exbury, but now lost)

(a) **'Lady Marmalade'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, light yellow, with a brighter yellow flare. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Late June

(r) **'Lady Mary Hood'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white

(r) **'Lady Mary Parker'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R. Veitch & Son (pre 1927), N: R. Veitch & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose, edged vivid pink

(r) **'Lady Matthews'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Impi Group (s) × *yakushimanum* H: N. Adams, G: K. Adams, N: K. Adams (2002), REG: K. Adams (2002) Fls 10-12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63B) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (56C), edged deep purplish pink (35A) on lobe edges, outside pale purplish pink (56C); lightly spotted brown on dorsal lobe. Calyx 5mm long, light brown. Lvs oblanceolate, 110 × 30mm, margins decurved, acute at apex, attenuate at base, matt green above, with a khaki, woolly indumentum below when young, which ages to light brown. Shrub 2.0 × 1.5m in 12 years. October (New Zealand)

(r) **'Lady Mitford'** (Syn. of 'Lady Clementine Mitford')

(r) **'Lady Molesworth'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1863), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls shaded pink, with rose edges

(r) **'Lady Montagu'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* (s) × ? *thomsonii* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c8/lax truss, campanulate, 65-70 × 65-70mm, pale salmon pink with darker veins and blood red nectaries. Calyx saucer-shaped. Lvs oblong-ovate, c120 × 60mm, hairless below. May. AM 1931. (Lady Montagu Group)

(r) **Lady Montagu Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* (s) × ? *thomsonii* R: L. de Rothschild, N:

L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1931), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Lady Mosley'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1867), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, with a light centre

(a) **'Lady Mulberry'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown, but closely related to *mucronatum* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft lavender, with a rose blotch; smaller and less flat than in 'Lilacinum'

(a) **'Lady Musgrave'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Carmichael (1879), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale carmine red, spotted. Indian

(r) **'Lady of Belfield'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lady Eleanor Cathcart' (s) × *decorum* H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: Scott Arboretum, N: Scott Arboretum, REG: The Tyler Arboretum (1985) Fls 22/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (7.5RP 6/12) in bud, opening light purplish pink (7.5RP 8/5), paling slightly to centre, with a 7 × 20mm deep purplish red (7.5RP 3/9) blotch and spots on dorsal lobes. Calyx tiny, yellow-green. Lvs narrowly oblong to narrowly elliptic, 150 × 45mm, with slight, brown, scurfy indumentum. Shrub 2.5 × 2.7m in 19 years. Mid June

(r) **'Lady of June'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lady Eleanor Cathcart' × *decorum* H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: Scott Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister, I: Scott Arboretum, REG: Scott Arboretum (1980) Fls 16/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 65mm wide, with 5 flat-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (5RP 7/9), fading to light purplish pink (5RP 8/5), with distinct, medium spots of strong greenish yellow (10Y 8/11) on dorsal lobe. Calyx c6mm long, whitish. Lvs elliptic, 165-200 × 65-90mm, acute at apex, cuneate to slightly oblique at base, moderate olive green (5GY 4/3) above, with reddish brown, plastered indumentum below. Shrub 4.5 × 6.0m in 36 or more years. Mid June

(r) **'Lady of Spain'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Horace Fogg' × 'Point Defiance' H: J.G. Lofthouse (1966), G: J.G. Lofthouse, N: J.G. Lofthouse, I: J.G. Lofthouse (1969), REG: J.G. Lofthouse (1981) Fls 12-15/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 150mm wide, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (52A), shading to strong pink (52D) in the throat, with slight, dorsal brownish speckling; outside darker; buds a more intense colour. Lvs elliptic, 150-225 × 70-75mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 10 years. Early May. Syn: 'Flamenco'

(r) **'Lady of the Lake'** cv. Parentage unknown L: T. Jackson & Son (1851), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush, beautifully spotted

(a) **'Lady of the Rose'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright pink. Mollis

(r) **'Lady of Vernon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lady Eleanor Cathcart' × *decorum* H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: Swarthmore College (pre 1978), N: Swarthmore College Fls white

(r) **'Lady of Wakefield'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lady Eleanor Cathcart' × *decorum* H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: Swarthmore College (pre 1978), N: Swarthmore College Fls pink

(r) **'Lady Olive Guinness'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1881), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with dark chocolate spots. Syn: 'Lady Guinness' (Also seen listed in error as 'Lady Guines')

(r) **'Lady Palmerston'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, finely spotted black (Noble cat.); delicate blush, with an orange-yellow eye (1958 Register)

(r) **'Lady Petite'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: Vineland Station seedling no.V-7703-1 (=*dauricum* × 'Vinestar') (s) × 'Arctic Pearl' H: W.E. Delp (1987), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 6/truss, open funnel-shaped, 23 × 29mm, 5-lobed, vivid reddish purple (78A) in bud, opening strong and light purple (77B-D); anthers deep purple (79C). Lvs 38 × 25mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, scaly. Shrub 1.0 × 0.9m in 5 years. Mid May. Syn: 'La Petite'

(a) **'Lady Pigott'** (Syn. of 'Nancy Waterer')

(a) **'Lady Poltimore'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: R. Veitch & Son (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, pure white. Indian

(r) **'Lady Primrose'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* × a Hardy Hybrid R: W.C. Slocock (pre 1929), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c11/truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, pale primrose yellow, deeper at base, speckled crimson at base of dorsal lobe; buds tipped rose. Calyx saucer-shaped, edged bright crimson, glandular ciliate. Lvs ovate, up to 70 × 40mm, dull green above, with a film-like indumentum below. Small shrub, 1.2m in 10 years. *AM 1933

(a) **'Lady Pygot'** (Syn. of 'Nancy Waterer')

(r) **'Lady Rae'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *souliei* × 'Robert Allison' R: J.B. Gable, N: T. Coleman Andrews, REG: T. Coleman Andrews (1968) Fls in an open truss, saucer-shaped, mother-of-pearl, fading to white. Lvs elliptic, up to 200 × 75mm, glossy and dark green above. Shrub to 2.56m in 10 years. Early May

(a) **'Lady Robin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Glacier' × 'Tamagiku' × 'Getsutoku' H: R.D. Gartrell (1960), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell (1969), REG: R.D. Gartrell (1977) Fls single, 1-3/truss, open funnel-shaped, 62 × 89-92mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, white with variable amounts of vivid purplish red (66B): some fls all white with only a pale pink wash, some pale pink with an almost white margin; all with or without stripes

and sectors; a spotted blotch of faint light brown or deep purplish red over coloured ground. Calyx 6mm long, light green, hairy. Lvs elliptic, 44 × 25mm; petioles hairy. Shrub 0.5 × 0.9m in 15 years. Late May. (Robin Hill azalea no.T14-10)

(r) **'Lady Rockley'** cv. Parentage unknown L: T.C. Thacker (1960) Fls rosy red. Lvs bluish

(r) **'Lady Rolle'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1869), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a strong brownish yellow blotch. AM 1869 Syn: 'Lady Rollo', 'Lady Rolles'. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Lady Rolles'** (Syn. of 'Lady Rolle')

(r) **'Lady Rollo'** (Syn. of 'Lady Rolle')

(r) **'Lady Romsey'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* subsp. *yakushimanum* × Elizabeth de Rothschild Group H: E. de Rothschild (1965), G: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1982), REG: E. de Rothschild (1982) Fls 17-20/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, up to 50 × 80mm, 7-lobed, white (155A) with faint dorsal spotting of greenish yellow (153). Calyx to 2mm long, reddish, glandular ciliate. Lvs ovate to lanceolate, up to 130 × 53mm, dark green above with a very sparse, brown indumentum below. AM 1982

(a) **'Lady Roosevelt'** (Syn. of 'President Roosevelt' (Indian azalea))

(a) **'Lady Rosebery'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1944), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 25-30/compact, globular truss, funnel-shaped, 45-50 × 55-65mm, deep yellowish pink (46D), with touches of vivid red (45C), midribs on older fls strong pink (48C); younger fls with slight orange tinge overlying the red; heavy vivid orange blotch. Lvs 50-65 × 25-35mm, light to medium, glossy green, tinged red. *HC 1969. Knap Hill (There may have been more than one clone circulated under this name. Sometimes listed incorrectly as 'Lady Roseberry')

(r) **'Lady Rosebery'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* Roylei Group (s) × pink form of Royal Flush Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 4-5/truss, tubular-campanulate, pendent, 55 × 50mm, strong purplish pink (623/1), shading to light purplish pink (623/2) at edge of lobes, shaded deep purplish pink (623) on outside of tube; orange streaks on dorsal side at base of tube. Calyx very small. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. AM 1930, FCC 1932 (Lady Rosebery Group)

(r) **Lady Rosebery Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* Roylei Group (s) × pink form of Royal Flush Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1930), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Lady Rosebery Dalmeny'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* Roylei Group (s) × pink variant of Royal Flush Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft saline pink. (Lady Rosebery Group)

(r) **'Lady Rosebery Etna'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* Roylei Group (s) × pink form of Royal Flush Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy pink. (Lady Rosebery Group)

(r) **'Lady Rosebery Pink Beauty'** (Syn. of 'Pink Lady Rosebery')

(r) **'Lady Rosebery Pink Dawn'** (Syn. of 'Pink Dawn')

(r) **'Lady Rosebery Pink Delight'** (Syn. of 'Pink Lady Rosebery')

(r) **'Lady Rumbold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1932), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as a parent of Grenada Group and probably raised at Exbury)

(r) **'Lady Skelmersdale'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Multiflorum' × *edgeworthii* R: I. Davies (1879), N: I. Davies, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls sweetly scented

(r) **'Lady Southampton'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, clear cherry pink. (Exhibited by Waterer (Knap Hill), 1865)

(r) **Lady Stair Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × Albatross Group R: Lord Stair, N: Lord Stair, I: Lord Stair (1939), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Lady Strangford'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C. Noble (pre 1885), N: C. Noble, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 9-16/flat or broad, rather loose truss, 50-65mm wide, white, tinged rose at margins and on outside. Late May-early June

(r) **'Lady Stuart of Wortley'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Coombe Royal Group hybrid H: M. Koster & Sons (1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c15/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 80-90mm, rosy scarlet in bud, opening to mottled rich rose pink, with a few black and brown markings. Calyx lobes short, reddish. Lvs c100 × 40mm, dark and matt green above. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. *AM 1933

(r) **'Lady Tankerville'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1881), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, with a light centre

(r) **'Lady Thistleton-Dyer'** (G. Paul cat., 1901; probably a synonym of 'Mrs W.T. Thistleton-Dyer')

(r) **'Lady Truro'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy crimson

(r) **'Lady Walsh'** (Syn. of 'Lady Clementine Walsh')

(r) **'Lady Warrender'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as a form or hybrid of *arboreum* I: M. Guérin (1842), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Lady Welch'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose lilac. (Perhaps an error for 'Lady Clementine Walsh')

(r) **'Lady Wenlock'** cv. Parentage unknown L: G. Morlet (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) (Published in *Horticulture Français*, 1854:107-111)

(r) **'Lady Wilcox'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Prelude' (the AM plant) × *campylocarpum* H: E. de Rothschild (1975), G: E. de Rothschild (1983), N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1988), REG: E. de Rothschild (1988) Fls 10/truss, 50 × 55mm, 7-lobed, pale yellow-green (4D), shading to light greenish yellow (4C) deep in throat and with greyed purple markings on dorsal lobe. Lvs oblanceolate-ovate, 145 × 54mm, hairless. April-May

(r) **'Lady Williams'** cv. Parentage unknown L: R.T. Veitch (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls shaded pink

(r) **'Lady Winifred Herbert'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1881), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy carmine, fringed, with a paler centre and chocolate spots

(a)**'Laelia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Linden (1873), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Laelia'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Noble (pre 1900), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink and orange. Ghent

(r) **Laerdal Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *johnstoneanum* (s) × *dalhousiae* R: Sir Edward Bolitho (1937), N: Sir Edward Bolitho, I: Sir Edward Bolitho (1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white

(a) **'Laertes'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *japonicum* derivative R: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1970), N: M. Koster & Sons Fls with a fine blotch

(r) **'Laetevirens'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group (s) × *ferrugineum* R: unknown (pre 1902), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in racemes of c12 fls, tubular-funnel-shaped, 25 × 30mm, pale rosy mauve, inconspicuously spotted. Calyx lobes 1-2mm long, reddish brown, scaly, ciliate. Lvs narrowly elliptic, up to 65 × 20mm, margins crenulate, dark green above, scaly above and below, scales below brown and of two sizes. Shrub up to 1.5-2.0m. Syn: 'Wilsonii'

(a) **'Laetitia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Linden (1873), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Lafontaine'** cv. Parentage unknown R: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1929), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, pink, with a brown blotch. (Given as 'La Fontaine' in 1958 Register, but Koster gave it as one word)

(a) **'La Fraicheur'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Verschaffelt (1876), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lively rose, with white lines down the centre of each lobe, and with a yellow blotch. Ghent

(a) **'La France'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, pink, flushed vermilion. Amoena

(a) **'La Géante'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Verschaffelt (1860), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Verschaffelt attributes it to Vervaene)

(r) **'Lagerfeuer'** (Syn. of 'Hachmann's Lagerfeuer')

(r) **'Lagg'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *macabeanum* × *magnificum* R: National Trust for Scotland (Brodick), N: National Trust for Scotland (Brodick), REG: National Trust for Scotland (Brodick) (1973) Fls light yellow-green (150D), stained dark purplish pink (186C) deep in throat - stain deepening to deep purplish red (187D)

(a) **'La Gloire'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: E. van der Cruyssen (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red, soft rose in centre, dorsal lobes crimson and spotted. Indian

(a) **'Lagoon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: double pink florists' azalea × 'Treasure' H: USDA, Glenn Dale (1947), N: USDA, Glenn Dale (1958) Fls double, 75mm wide, somewhat ruffled, amaranth rose (530/3)

(r) **'Lagoon'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *augustinii* hybrid H: A. Wright, Sr & Jr, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Lahaska'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Swarthmore College, G: Swarthmore College, N: Swarthmore College (post 1960) Fls pink. (Seed collected at the college (1948) from open-pollinated Dexter hybrids)

(r) **'Lajka'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* × 'C.S. Sargent' R: J. Scholz (c 1966), N: J. Scholz Fls 10-15/sunken globose truss, 67mm wide, purple violet in bud (33-33/1), opening bright purple violet (33/1-33/2), with a conspicuous blotch of yellow-green (763) on a whitish ground. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 40mm, dull and dark green (0960/1-0960) above. Shrub 0.8m in 9 years

(v) **'Lake Amaru'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *konori* (s) × *laetum* R: unknown (pre 1985), N: L. Sorensen-Smith, I: Bovees Nursery (1999), REG: L. Sorensen-Smith (1999) Fls 5-6/flat truss, tubular, 70 × 75mm, with 5-6 smooth-edged but widely flared lobes, strong pink (48C-D) in bud, opening inside strong pink (48C-D), outside of tube moderate reddish orange (42D) becoming light yellow (18A) at base, outside of lobes strong pink (48D), with strong reddish orange (42B-C) stripes extending to the middle of the tube. Calyx c3mm long, dark red. Lvs elliptic, 90 × 50mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and dark yellowish green (139A) above, with medium brown scales above and below. Shrub 1.2 × 0.75m in 10 years. Flowering several times each year

(r) **'Lake Baikal'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *dauricum* R: Greer Gardens (pre 1984) Shrub up to 2.0m. (Selection from seed collected around Lake Baikal, Russia)

(a) **'Lake Erie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: F2 selection from *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* × *kaempferi* R: E.N. Stanton (pre

1987), N: E.N. Stanton Fls deep pink, blotch spotted with reddish orange. Shrub 0.8 × 1.1m in 10 years. Midseason

(v) **'Lake Habbema'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *gardenia* (s) × (*konori* var. *phaeopeplum* × *lochiae*) × *zoelleri* H: P. Schick (c 1980), G: A. Jensen, N: L. Sorensen-Smith (1996), I: Bovees Nursery (1996), REG: L. Sorensen-Smith (1999) Fls 5-7/flat truss, elongated tubular salver-form, 100 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, colour changeable: inside moderate, light and pale pink (49B-D); outside strong pink (49A), with markings on lobes and tube, light yellowish pink (27A) at the base; scented. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 65mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, slightly cordate at base, semi-glossy and dark yellowish green (139A) above, with reddish margins and petioles, scaly. Shrub 0.75 × 0.9m in 10 years. Flowering several times each year. (The seed parent, *gardenia* is probably the cultivar 'Gardenia Odyssey'. First published in Bovees Nursery cat., 1996)

(r) **'Lake Labish'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lady Bligh' (s) × 'Loderi Venus' H: R. Henny (1944), G: R. Henny (pre 1955), I: R. Henny, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 17/truss, 90mm wide, strawberry red; stamens not fully formed. Lvs 125 × 65mm, mid green. Shrub under 2.0m

(r) **'Lake Lorraine'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *burmanicum* × *cuffeanum* H: R.W. Scott (1968), G: R.W. Scott (c 1972), N: R.W. Scott, I: R.W. Scott (1975), REG: R.W. Scott (1989) Fls 6-8/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 76 × 102mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, white, with a brilliant yellow (8A) blotch; outside of tube a paler yellow; slightly scented. Calyx c2mm long, green. Lvs oblanceolate, 76 × 25mm, glossy and hairless above, with tiny yellow to brown scales below. Shrub 1.6 × 1.5m in 15 years. Mid March

(a) **'Lake Michigan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: F2 selection from *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* × *kaempferi* R: E.N. Stanton (pre 1987), N: E.N. Stanton Fls purplish pink. Shrub 1.2 × 0.8m in 10 years. Midseason

(a) **'Lake Ontario'** cv. Evergreen azalea: F2 selection from *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* × *kaempferi* R: E.N. Stanton (pre 1987), N: E.N. Stanton Fls light purplish pink. Spreading shrub 0.8m high in 10 years. Early

(r) **'Lake Ozette'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × 'Loderi Venus' I: Clark (USA), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Lakeside'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *trichostomum* Ledoides Group R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1972), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1972) Fls up to 11/compact, rounded truss, tubular, up to 12 × 10mm, 5-lobed, white, variably flushed light to strong purplish pink (68D-B). Lvs narrowly oblong, up to 18 × 5mm, brown scaly, scented. AM 1972

(a) **'Lake St Clair'** cv. Evergreen azalea: F2 selection from *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* × *kaempferi* R: E.N. Stanton (pre 1987), N: E.N. Stanton Fls light purple. Upright shrub, 1.0m tall in 10 years. Early

(a) **'Lake Superior'** cv. Evergreen azalea: F2 selection from *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* × *kaempferi* R: E.N. Stanton (pre 1987), N: E.N. Stanton Fls deep purplish pink. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 10 years. Midseason

(v) **'Lake Toba'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *konori* × *laetum* (s) × *aequabile* N: L. Sorensen-Smith (1996), I: Bovees Nursery (1997), REG: L. Sorensen-Smith (1999) Fls 2-4/domed truss, campanulate, 50 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong yellowish pink (33C) in bud, opening strong yellowish pink (33C) throughout, with vivid reddish orange (33B) and moderate yellowish pink (33D) markings at sinuses. Calyx minute, dusky reddish orange. Lvs broadly elliptic (almost orbicular), 115-125 × 90mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, with flat and downcurved margins, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (137B) above, with numerous dark brown scales on both surfaces. Shrub 0.75 × 0.75m in 10 years. Flowering intermittently throughout the year. (First published in Bovees Nursery cat., 1997)

(v) **'Lake Wissel'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' (s) × *herzogii* H: unknown, G: P. Schick (pre 1985), N: L. Sorensen-Smith (1997), I: Bovees Nursery (1997), REG: L. Sorensen-Smith (1997) Fls 2-5/domed truss, elongated tubular funnel-shaped, with a curved tube, 70 × 45mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, with stripes of strong, moderate and light pink (49A-C) in bud, opening yellowish white (155D) throughout, with pinkish red scales on outside of lobes and tube; scented. Calyx minute, dark red. Lvs elliptic to orbicular, 65 × 40mm, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, with upcurved margins, semi-glossy and dark yellowish green (139A) above. Shrub 0.9 × 0.75m in 10 years. Flowering at least twice each year. (First published in Bovees Nursery cat., 1997)

(a) **'Lakme'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: P.M. Koster, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale red. Similar to 'Mary' but paler and lower-growing. Kaempferi

(r) **'Lalique'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from Loderi Group or a *griffithianum* seedling R: Mr & Mrs A.G. Holmes, N: Mr & Mrs A.G. Holmes, I: Mr & Mrs A.G. Holmes, REG: Mr & Mrs A.G. Holmes (1979) Fls with strongly wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (56A-D)

(r) **'Lal Kapra'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *neriiflorum* × *sanguineum* R: Sir Edward Bolitho, N: Sir Edward Bolitho (1958), REG: Sir Edward Bolitho (1962) Fls red

(a) **'Lalla'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C. Hicklin, N: C. Hicklin, I: C. Hicklin (pre 1987) Fls 21/truss, 65-75mm wide, moderate purplish pink (70D) in bud, opening very pale purple (75D), shading to light purple (75A-B) and with green in the throat. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 5 years

(r) **'Lalla Rookh'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1881), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark puce, spotted

(a) **'La Lumière'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hinodegiri' (s) × *kaempferi* × *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* R: J.B. Gable (c 1934), N: J.B. Gable, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 40mm wide, strong red (50A); similar to 'Cherokee'. Gable

(r) **'Lamartine'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Lambdenii'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as an *arboreum* selection or hybrid L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Lambertus C. Bobbink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Bobbink & Atkins, N: Bobbink & Atkins, I: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, 55mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, china rose (024), with a darker blotch. Late. Syn: 'L.C. Bobbink'. Indian

(a) **'Lambertus Dirkse'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Gijslinck (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, red, with a bronze sheen. Indian (Apparently first shown by R. Cornelis; mis-spelt as 'Lambertus Dirkoe' in 1958 Register)

(r) **'Lambourn'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: Lady Chamberlain Group × *maddenii* R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners (1962), I: Crown Estate Commissioners, REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1962) Fls 6-7/lax truss, tubular, 65 × 75mm, persian rose (628/3), outside deeper (628/2), dorsal lobe stained amber. Lvs oblanceolate, 150 × 40mm; petioles 13mm long. PC 1962

(r) **'Lamellen'** (Syn. of 'Nobleanum Lamellen')

(r) **Lamellen Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *campanulatum* (s) × *griffithianum* R: E.J.P. Magor (1936), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1943), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls campanulate, white to pale mauve

(r) **'Lamellen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *neriiflorum* L: UK (1988)

(r) **'Lamellen Damaris'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor Stocker' (s) × *campylocarpum* H: E.J.P. Magor (1917), G: E.J.P. Magor (1925), N: E.W.M. Magor (1989), REG: E.W.M. Magor (1989) Fls 6-10/truss, open campanulate, 55-60 × 80mm, 5-lobed, brilliant to light yellow-green (150C-D) at first, fading to pale yellow-green (4D), unspotted. Calyx 4.5-5.0mm long, brilliant yellow-green (149C), turning strong yellowish pink (31C), with broad, rounded lobes and irregularly fringed with pink glands. Lvs oblong-elliptic, 60 × 35mm, truncate to slightly cordate at base, obtuse but apiculate at apex, slightly glaucous yellowish green below, hairless. Shrub 3.0 × 4.5m. April. (Damaris Group. This is the clone distributed from Lamellen under the grex name Damaris)

(r) **'Lamellen Dante'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* × *facetum* H: E.W.M. Magor, G: E.W.M. Magor, N: E.W.M. Magor, I: E.W.M. Magor (1974), REG: E.W.M. Magor (1974) Fls 8-9/loose truss, open campanulate, 50 × 50mm, 5-lobed, deep yellowish pink (43C) with deeper shading of deep pink (48A) around the rim, throat heavily and uniformly spotted and marked with strong reddish orange (31A). Calyx irregular, up to 20mm long, 5-lobed, ciliate, red. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 160 × 55mm, hairless. PC 1974

(r) **'Lamentosa'** cv. Elepidoterhododendron: 'Humboldt' × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: H. Hachmann (1968), G: H. Hachmann (1973), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1984), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 11-17/truss, open funnel-shaped, 35-50 × 65-70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, very pale purple (69D), tinged very pale purple (69B), outside veined dark to moderate purplish pink (186C-D), dorsal lobe with a large, conspicuous blotch of dark red (187A(-D)). Calyx 1-4mm long, reddish green. Lvs elliptic, 105-120 × 35-45mm, margins slightly recurved, acute at apex, cuneate at base, mid green above, with a slight brownish indumentum below; petioles greenish yellow. Shrub 0.75 × 1.6m in 10 years, of rather loose habit. Mid May-early June

(a) **'La Merveilleuse'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1885), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rosy crimson. Indian

(a) **'La Merveilleuse'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Blanche Superbe' I: A. Haerens (1911), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white, with strongly wavy-edged lobes. Syn: 'Wonderperel'. Indian

(r) **Lamorran Red Group** (Syn. of Smithii Group)

(a) **'Lampa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red. Kaempferi

(r) **'Lampion'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Bad Eilsen' × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: H. Hachmann (1968), G: H. Hachmann (1974), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1985), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 5-7/truss, campanulate, 35-45 × 45-55mm, 5-lobed, vivid red to deep pink (52A-B), eventually fading to strong to light pink (49A-C), inconspicuously marked with darker spots; flowering shoot buds are reddish brown in winter. Calyx 1-2mm long, reddish. Lvs ovate-elliptic, 57-70 × 27-38mm, mucronate at apex, cuneate-rounded at base, mid green and dull above, with a thin brownish indumentum below. Shrub 0.4 × 0.75m in 10 years, of dense cushion habit and very free-flowering. Mid-late May

(r) **'Lamplighter'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' (s) × 'Madame Fr. J. Chauvin' I: M. Koster & Sons (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10-12/truss, sparkling light red, with a salmon glow. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(a) **'Lanarth'** cv. Parentage unknown R: P.D. Williams (pre 1951), N: P.D. Williams, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Lanarth Scarlet'** cv. Parentage unknown I: unknown (pre 1934), INC: ICRA (1958) (Shown from Wakehurst by G.W.E. Loder in 1934)

(v) **'Lana's Gold'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *christianae* × *laetum* × *laetum* × *zoelleri* 'Golden Gate' H: P. Schick, G: J.L. Rouse (1989), N: R. Macdonald, I: Foothills Nursery (1990), REG: R. Macdonald (1990) Fls 8/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, 5-lobed, lemon yellow in bud, opening vivid yellow (15A); stigma tip green. Lvs elliptic, 90 × 50mm, hairless. Shrub 1.0m. Autumn

(r) **'Lancashire Witch'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c14/ compact truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 60mm, rosy mauve in bud, opening to blush, then white, with a ray of maroon markings. Calyx very small, reddish. Lvs narrowly elliptic to oblanceolate, bright green above, with some minute indumentum below. Medium-sized shrub

(r) **'Lanceolatum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1852), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Lancer Group'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × *hookeri* H: Lord Aberconway (1930), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blood red

(r) **'Landex'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Stokes (pre 1969), N: W.E. Stokes

(r) **'Landmark'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Counterpoint' (s) × Carolina Rose Group H: E.V. Mezitt (1985), G: Weston Nurseries (1988), N: Weston Nurseries (1996), I: Weston Nurseries, REG: Weston Nurseries (1996) Fls 25/domed truss (composed of multiple buds), open funnel-shaped, 40 × 20mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish red (59B) in bud, opening strong purplish red (64C), with faint scarlet spotting. Calyx 1mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 55 × 25mm, downcurved, rounded at base, broadly acute at apex, semi-glossy and dark green above, with light green scales below (ageing to light rust). Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in 10 years. Mid May. (This could also be classified as an azaleodendron, as *prinophyllum* forms part of its ancestry)

(a) **'Landon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: R.W. Pennington, N: R.W. Pennington, I: Landon School (1973), REG: Landon School (1974) Fls in a lax truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 90mm, 5-lobed, deep purplish pink (66C), with dark magenta spotting. Calyx 6mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly obovate, 33 × 13mm, glossy and dark green. Shrub 0.25 × 0.3m in 4 years

(r) **'Landrii'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, edged with purple lake, with brown spots

(a) **'Langley'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1985) Fls pink, with a yellow blotch

(r) **'Langley Park'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Queen Wilhelmina' (s) × 'Stanley Davies' R: C.B. van Nes & Sons (pre 1922), N: C.B. van Nes & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 12/loose truss, campanulate, 50 × 60mm, crimson, with inconspicuous, blackish crimson markings; nectaries crimson on a whitish ground. Calyx small, red. Lvs narrowly ovate, c90-110 × 25-35mm, dull green above. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(a) **'Langlois Milk Maid'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *occidentale* S: L.F. Frisbie (pre 1965), N: L.F. Frisbie Fls c24/truss, all opening at once, flushed pink, with a yellow blotch

(a) **'Langmans'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from *stenopetalum* 'Linearifolium' R: W.C. Slocock Ltd, N: W.C. Slocock Ltd, REG: W.C. Slocock Ltd (1969) Fls cobalt violet (634/2) at first, fading to aster violet (38/3) when fully open, with small, dark spots on the dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic

(r) **'Langworth'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × 'Sappho' R: W.C. Slocock Ltd, N: W.C. Slocock Ltd, I: W.C. Slocock Ltd (1932), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 16/more-or-less lax, conical truss, funnel-shaped, 65-75 × 100mm, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, white, streaked greenish brown at throat, with green spotting on dorsal lobe. Lvs 175-200 × 55-75mm, dark and dull green above. Shrub c3.0m. *HC 1960, *AM 1962

(r) **'Lanny Pride'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Princess Elizabeth' × *smirnowii* × *yakushimanum* H: R. Moyers (1975), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 14/truss, open funnel-shaped, 41 × 54mm, 5-lobed, strong to vivid red (46A, B) in bud, opening vivid red (46B). Lvs 102 × 44mm, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 0.9m in 17 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer (1992))

(a) **'Lantanum Album'** (Syn. of 'Gledstanesii')

(a) **'Lantern Parade'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c 1935), N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 55mm wide, phlox purple; like 'Pagentry' and 'Dark Spring' but redder. Kurume

(r) **'Lanyon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *haematodes* (s) × *elliottii* I: Sir Edward Bolitho, INC: ICRA (1958) (Marshall Group)

(r) **'Lanzarote'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Souvenir of Anthony Waterer' (s) × 'Abendsonne' H: H.J.A. Guyens (1986), G: H.J.A. Guyens (1991), N: H.J.A. Guyens (1999), I: H.J.A. Guyens, REG: H.J.A. Guyens (2000) Fls 10-15/loose, rounded truss, campanulate, 45-55 × 60-70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light green in bud, opening dark salmon/orange red inside and out; dorsal lobe with brown spots; stamens white. Calyx hose-in-hose, 20mm long, salmon red. Lvs oblong, 100-120 × 35-45mm, slightly wavy-edged, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 0.8m in 7 years. Late April-mid May

(r) **'Lanzette'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *makinoi* (s) × *degronianum* H: H. Hachmann (1985), G: H. Hachmann, N: H. Hachmann (1988), I: H. Hachmann (1994), REG: G. Stück (1995) Fls 10-12/flat, lax truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55-60mm wide, with 5 wavy-

edged lobes, inside light pink, tinged lilac pink, outside light pink; brownish red dorsal markings on a paler ground. Lvs narrowly lanceolate, 130-140 × 40-50mm, with recurved margins, acute at apex, cuneate at base, with a loose, white indumentum above when young, and with a thick, tawny indumentum below. Shrub 0.8 × 1.2m in 10 years. Late April-mid May. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1995/96)

(a) **'La Paix'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Vervaene (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale lilac, with red spots. Indian

(a) **'La Perle'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, yellowish pink. Kurume

(r) **'La Petite'** (Syn. of 'Lady Petite')

(a) **'Lapideoflavescens'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1851), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Lapin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: I.L. Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L. Amann Fls 55mm wide, deep purplish pink (58D), with a darker blotch. Lvs 75mm long. Compact shrub. Late

(r) **'Lapoinya Moon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Fawn' × *griffithianum* (s) × Idealist Group × 'Crest' H: C.H. Phetteplace (1979), G: H.R. Malone (1985), N: H. Ronken (2002), I: H. Ronken, REG: H. Ronken (2002) Fls 10/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 70 × 130mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, moderate reddish orange (179C) in bud with yellow and pink tones, opening inside and out light greenish yellow (4B) at base, shading through light greenish yellow (4C) to pale yellow-green (4D) at margins; unmarked; stigma green. Calyx 1mm long, green, edged red/brown. Lvs elliptic, 110 × 65mm, margins decurved, obtuse at apex, oblique at base, glossy green above, hairless; petioles to 45mm long. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 6 years. October (Tasmania). (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0032320))

(a) **'La Première'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* × *kaempferi* (s) × *indicum* (double form) R: J.B. Gable (1930), N: J.B. Gable, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very double, 45mm wide, fuchsine pink (627/2). Late. Gable

(a) **'Lapwing'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill) (c1935), I: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 13-16/flat domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, straw yellow (604/3), tinged pink at tips, dorsal lobe chrome yellow (605/1), with an Indian yellow (6) blotch. Lvs bright green. Shrub 2.0m. *AM 1953. Knap Hill

(a) **'Lara'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Memoria Sander' (s) × 'Heiwa-no-hikari' G: R. Uytterhaegen (1975), S: J. Heursel (1975), N: J. Heursel (1984), I: Research Station for Ornamental Plant Growing, Belgium, REG: Research Station for Ornamental Plant Growing, Belgium (1998) Fls semi-double, 8/truss (truss looks like that of *arboreum*), funnel-shaped, 83 × 71mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (57C) in bud and on opening throughout, darker spotting on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 13mm long, strong yellow-green (145A). Lvs elliptic, 53 × 24mm, flat, glossy above. Fast-growing pot azalea, unusual in being scented. Midseason. (Published in *Deutscher Gartenbau* 39: 762-763 (1985))

(r) **'Laraine Langdon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marion' (s) × 'Unknown Warrior' × *arboreum* H: G. Langdon, G: G. Langdon, N: G. Langdon, I: G. Langdon, REG: G. Langdon (1982) Fls 19/truss, strong purplish pink (55B). (Sometimes listed in error as 'Loraine Langdon')

(r) **'Laramie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (Exbury form) (s) × *macabeanum* H: J. Barlup (1981), G: J. Barlup (1988), N: J. Barlup (1995), REG: J. Barlup (1998) Fls 23/flat truss, funnel-campanulate, 50 × 65mm, with 8 wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (62D) in bud, opening inside pale yellow-green (157C) with a dark red (59A) flare (c6-13mm long) at the base of each lobe, the flares on the three dorsal lobes with some peripheral (59A) spotting; outside pale yellow-green (157C). Lvs obovate, 165 × 70mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, slight tomentum above when young, hairy below (hairs pale yellow (161C) at first, ageing to moderate orange-yellow (164C)). Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 16 years. Early April

(a) **'La Reine des Blanches'** (Syn. of 'Reine des Blanches')

(a) **'La Reine des Pays-Bas'** (Syn. of 'Reine des Pays Bas')

(a) **'La Reine Elisabeth'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. van Geert (1877), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale salmon red. Ghent (Has also been listed later as 'Reine Elisabeth')

(a) **'Largesse'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Waraigishi' × 'Kagetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1965) Fls double, with 15-20 lobes, somewhat loose in form, 70mm wide, deep rose pink with a few rose red spots at the base of the dorsal lobes. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 10 years. Back Acres

(r) **'Largesse'** (Syn. of 'Noblesse')

(r) **Largo Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Astarte' (s) × *neriiflorum* Euchaites Group H: Lord Aberconway (1934), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. Shrub c1.0m

(r) **'Largo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cunningham's White' × *forrestii* Repens Group R: B. Kavka (c 1965), N: B. Kavka Fls 2-5/truss, 50mm wide, dark cardinal red in bud (822/1-822/3), opening crimson (22/1), unblotched. Lvs elongate elliptic, 52 × 25mm, glossy and spinach green (0960/1-0960) above. Shrub c0.5m in 12 years

(a) **'Lark'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hexe' × 'Snow' R: USDA, N: USDA (1952), I: USDA, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, white, throat slightly marked with greenish yellow. (Derived from the work of G.E. Yerkes & R.L. Pryor)

(r) **'Larneukk Sappho'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sappho' (s) × unknown H: L. Begg (1971), G: L. Begg (1976), N: L. Begg, I: L. Begg, REG: L. Begg (1998) Fls 12-21/loose, conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45 × 80mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong purple (84A) in bud, opening strong purple (84A) inside and out shading to light purple (84B) towards base; dark purple (83A) blotch on dorsal lobe with associated spotting of strong purple (80B) on three dorsal lobes; stamens 10, uneven, anthers moderate orange-yellow (164B), filaments light purple (84B); ovaries strong yellowish green (141C), style light purple (84B), stigma dark red (59A). Calyx 1-2mm long, moderate yellow-green (138B). Lvs elliptic, 215 × 55mm, wavy-edged, with decurved margins, acute at apex, cuneate at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 4.0 × 4.0m in 27 years. October (Australia)

(a) **'La Roche'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* (s) × 'Hinodegiri' R: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, magenta red. Shrub c1.5m in 25 years. Midseason. Gable

(r) **'Larsen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *bureavii* selection or hybrid L: Greer Gardens (1984) Shrub up to 2.0m. (Used as a cultivar epithet, but originally only intended to be a source indicator)

(r) **'Lartag'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *taggianum* hybrid R: H.L. Larsen (c 1950), N: P.J. & R. Bowman, I: P.J. & R. Bowman (1964), REG: P.J. & R. Bowman (1965) Fls 3-4/loose truss, funnel-shaped, with a narrow tube, up to 75 × 75mm, with broad lobes, rose pink in bud, opening pure white with a small yellow blotch in the throat. Calyx 13mm long, with narrow, ciliate lobes. Lvs 75-125 × 25-40mm, scaly. Shrub to at least 1.9m. February-March

(r) **'Lascaux'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group (s) × *wardii* Litiense Group H: F.E.W. Hanger (1947), G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, I: Royal Horticultural Society (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c8/lax truss, deeply campanulate, a blend of red and orange in bud, opening light yellow (10C), with a small crimson blotch at base of throat. AM 1954

(a) **'Laser'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Greenwood Gardens (pre 1985), N: Greenwood Gardens

(r) **'La Signora de Faure'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson

(r) **'Last Chance'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' (s) × *facetum* H: R. Henny, G: R. Henny, N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny (1957), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 14/truss, 90mm wide, claret rose (021/1) shading to delft rose (020/1) in centre. Lvs 150 × 50mm. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Last Hurrah'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Belle Heller' × *aureum* var. *aureum* H: D.G. Leach (1958), G: D.G. Leach (1961), N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1974), REG: D.G. Leach (1981) Fls 13/ball truss, flat saucer-shaped, 40 × 70mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, white (155A) with moderate dorsal spotting of moderate yellow (160A). Calyx very small, green, rimmed pink. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 70mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (146A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.7 × 1.6m in 22 years. Mid September in many climates. Syn: 'Athens'

(r) **'Last Rose'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × Tally Ho Group N: E.J. & M. Greig (1961), I: E.J. & M. Greig, REG: E.J. & M. Greig (1962) Fls 7-9/rounded truss, 65 × 90mm, rose madder (23/2-1), dorsal lobes freckled orange, with an orange flush in the throat. Lvs 150-200 × 55mm. Shrub to 2.56m. July-August

(a) **'Last Tango'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ward's Ruby' × 'Hahn's Red' H: R. Mauritsen (1975), G: R. Mauritsen (1980), N: R. Mauritsen, I: Kent Nursery, REG: R. Mauritsen (1986) Fls single, 1-5/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 32 × 57mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (46C). Calyx 1.5mm long, light green. Lvs mostly elliptic (to broadly elliptic), 38 × 19mm, glossy, dark bluish green (131A) above, lime green below, hairy. Shrub 0.25 × 0.46m in 3 years. Early April. Kurume

(a) **'La Superbe'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1855), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls shaded orange, with a sulphur yellow dorsal lobe (Veitch, 1867)

(a) **'La Superbe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: E. van der Cruyssen, N: E. van der Cruyssen, I: E. van der Cruyssen (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lacquer red, with black spots. FCC 1869. Indian

(a) **'La Surprise'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: E. van der Cruyssen, N: E. van der Cruyssen, I: E. van der Cruyssen (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon rose, and with an amaranth "aureola" and black spots on the 3 dorsal lobes. Indian

(a) **'La Surprise'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls widely open, with almost reflexed lobes, pale salmon pink to flesh ground, flushed a warmer colour with a few lines; dorsal lobes deep yellow, orange at base. Late. Ghent

(a) **'Latanum Album'** (Syn. of 'Gledstanesii')

(r) **'Late Arrival'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* (s) × 'C.S. Sargent' H: Scott Arboretum (1953), G: Scott Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister

(r) **'Late Beginning'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* (s) × 'C.S. Sargent' H: Scott Arboretum (1953), G: Scott Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister

(r) **'Late Brown Throat'** (Syn. of 'Marilyn Horne')

(a) **'Late Date'** cv. Deciduous azalea: natural hybrid, probably *prunifolium* × *arborescens* G: N. Anastos (1980), S: L.C. Towe (1990), N: L.C. Towe, I: Roslyn Nursery (1996), REG: L.C. Towe (1996) Fls 6-9/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped (with a long, narrow tube), 38 × 38mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, white; pistil red, filaments white to pink, both exserted; moderately scented. Calyx less than 2mm long, green. Lvs obovate, 50 × 20mm, bullate, acute at apex, cuneate at base, with wavy margins, glossy above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in 10 years. August-early September. (Seed collected pre 1980. First published in Roslyn Nursery cat., 1996)

(r) **'Late Discovery'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lady of Belfield' × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* H: Scott Arboretum (1953), G: Scott Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister

(r) **'Late Ensign'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Blue Ensign' (s) × 'Purple Splendour' H: W.L. Rhein (1977), G: W.L. Rhein (1982), N: W.L. Rhein, REG: Am.Rh.Soc., Susquehanna Valley Chapter (1995) Fls 20-25/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 38-44 × 64-76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside strong purple (84A), shading to very pale purple (76D) in the throat and on midribs, with a large, vivid reddish purple (77A) blotch on the dorsal lobe; outside strong purple (84A) fading to light purple (77C) with strong purple (77B) midribs; stamens 10, straight, unequal; pistil and stamens light coloured. Calyx minute. Pedicels 32-38mm long, moderate red (180C) above, strong yellow-green (145A) below. Lvs obovate, 114-140 × 51-64mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, slightly glossy, dark yellowish green (139A) above, bullate; moderate yellow-green (146C) below, hairless; petioles 13-19mm long, moderate yellowish-green (138A). Shrub 1.7 × 2.1m in 15 years. Late May. (Illustrated in *J.Am.Rh.Soc.* 44(3):136 (1990))

(a) **'Late Love'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Chinyeyi' × *nakaharae* H: T. Rokujo (1961), G: Mrs J.W. Hill (c 1972), N: Mrs J.W. Hill, I: Mrs J.W. Hill (post 1974), REG: Mrs J.W. Hill (1976) Fls 2/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (48C), with a moderate strong purplish red (61B) blotch on the dorsal lobes. Calyx 3mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic or oblanceolate to obovate, 25 × 10mm, glossy, hairy; smokey purple in winter. Shrub 0.45 × 1.2m in 14 years. Late June-late July

(r) **'La Tempérance'** (Syn. of 'Tempérance')

(a) **'La Tendresse'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1885), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, white, with wavy-edged lobes. Indian

(a) **'Lateritium'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *indicum* N: J. Lindley (1834), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, brick red. Indian (Probably originated in Japan: imported from China to England in c1833)

(a) **'Lateritium'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1877), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Lateritium Album'** (Syn. of 'Gledstanesii')

(a) **'Lateritium Album Supremum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Smith (pre 1851), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. Indian (Probably the 'Lateritium Album Superbum' in a Knight & Perry catalogue of c1850)

(a) **'Lateritium Elegans'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. van Geert (1849), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Lateritium Formosum'** (Syn. of 'Formosum')

(a) **'Lateritium Fulgens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Lateritium Gracile'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Lateritium Grandiflorum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. van Geert (1849), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Lateritium Plenum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: B. Boddaert ? (pre 1863), N: B. Boddaert, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Lateritium Pulchrum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Lateritium Rubrum Plenum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1845), INC: ICRA (1958) (Exhibited by de Loose, in Ghent, 1845)

(a) **'Lateritium Striatum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown - hardy azalea L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, striped with pink. (Probably the deciduous azalea listed by A. Henderson & Co., 1852)

(a) **'Lateritium Superbum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Stronger growth and higher colour than 'Lateritium'. Indian (Perhaps the same plant exhibited by Van Acker at Orléans (France) in 1848 as an Indian azalea)

(a) **'Lateritium Variegatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown, but listed under *indicum* L: A. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Later On'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown S: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1987), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls large, yellow, with distinct pale orange stripes. Late June

(r) **Latona Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* × *souliei* H: Lord Aberconway (1926), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord

Aberconway (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cream to pale pink

(v) **'Latona'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Princess Beatrice' × yellow form of *multicolor* R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1897), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in lax trusses, 50mm wide, pure cream yellow

(a) **'Laughing Water'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown, but closely related to *mucronatum* I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, very similar to 'Ryukyu', but smaller

(a) **'Laura'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Verschaffelt (1876), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose, with a large, golden yellow, dorsal blotch. Ghent

(a) **'Laura'** cv. Deciduous azalea: un-named seedling (no. Ex-5) (s) × 'Uguns' H: R. Kondratovičs (1976), G: R. Kondratovičs (1982), N: R. Kondratovičs, I: Rhododendron Nursery "Babīte" of University of Latvia (2000) Fls single, 11/slightly domed, loose truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 60-70 × 60-70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes (dorsal lobe reflexed), deep yellowish pink (43C) in bud, opening strong reddish orange (32B), outside deep yellowish pink (44D); a strong orange (24A) blotch covering virtually all of dorsal lobe; filaments yellow/pink, anthers light yellow; style pink, stigma green. Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 110 × 40mm, wavy-edged, pointed at apex and base, matt green above, with white hairs persisting above when mature. Shrub 2.0 × 1.8m in 15 years. Late May-early June. (Published in *Dārzs un Drava*: 26 (January, 2001). An unacceptable name but established as part of Latvian PBR certificate no. ROD-11 (3 March, 2000))

(a) **'Laura'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Daphne Salmon' × 'Hexe' R: Carolina Floral Nursery (pre 1985), N: Carolina Floral Nursery Fls hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, rich pink with darker undertones and darker dorsal spots. Compact habit

(a) **'Laura'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, vivid purplish red (57C), with dark spots. Kurume. (Probably the plant raised by Carolina Floral Nursery)

(r) **'Laura'** cv. Parentage unknown L: T. Methven & Son (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson

(r) **'Laura Aberconway'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × Barclayi Group H: Lord Aberconway (1933), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 9/loose truss, funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, geranium lake (20/1). Lvs lanceolate, dark green. AM 1941, FCC 1944 (Laura Aberconway Group)

(r) **Laura Aberconway Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × Barclayi Group H: Lord Aberconway (1933), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Laura Arblaster'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'King of Shrubs' (s) × *yakushimanum* × Jalisco Group H: G. Arblaster (1980), G: G. Arblaster (c 1985), N: Mrs J. Arblaster, REG: Mrs J. Arblaster (1998) Fls 9-11/open, domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 100mm, with 7 very wavy-edged lobes (the dorsal somewhat recurved), moderate reddish orange (178C) in bud, greening at base to strong greenish yellow (153B), inside opening brilliant yellow (12B), lobe edges and below the lobe sinus to centre overlaid pale orange-red (the yellow pales with age); outside similarly coloured but suffused strong greenish yellow (151C); soft spotting at base of corolla inside. Calyx 9mm long, strong greenish yellow (153C). Lvs oblanceolate, 140 × 50mm, margins recurved and slightly waved, acute at apex, narrowly rounded at base, more-or-less matt above. Shrub 1.6 × 1.5m in 6 years. Late June-July

(a) **'Laura Ashley'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Mevrouw Jozef Heursel' × 'Hermann's Superbum' H: M. Van Lancker (1976), G: J. Heursel (1979), N: J. Heursel (1991), I: Research Station for Ornamental Plant Growing, Belgium (1991), REG: Research Station for Ornamental Plant Growing, Belgium (1991) Fls double, 3/truss, 67 × 72mm, strong red (53B) to strong purplish red (63A). Calyx 8mm long, strong yellow-green (143C). Lvs ovate, 57 × 30mm, hairless. Midseason

(a) **'Laura Connor'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Walter Allan Nursery (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, deep pink. Indian

(r) **'Laura David'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* hybrid I: Mrs L. David (1954), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Laurago'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Moser's Maroon' (s) × *yakushimanum* H: B.F. Lancaster (1962), G: D.W. Goheen, N: D.W. Goheen, I: D.W. Goheen, REG: D.W. Goheen (1983) Fls 16-18/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, 5-lobed, deep purplish pink (55A) in bud, opening 55A at edges, shading through 55B to pale purplish pink (55D) in throat, with dorsal spotting of deep greenish yellow (153A); outside strong purplish pink (55B). Calyx minute. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic or oblanceolate, 125 × 45mm, with a moderate orange-yellow (164B) indumentum below. Shrub c1.2m in 10 years

(r) **'Laura Haubold'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark lilac, almost white in the throat, and with greenish spots

(a) **'Laura Holm'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Wako' × 'Moonbeam' H: G. Griswold (1982), G: Griswold Nursery, N: Griswold Nursery, I: Griswold Nursery, REG: G. Griswold (1990) Fls 2-3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 51 × 51mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish red (186B). Lvs elliptic, 51 × 25mm, convex, acute at apex, rounded at base, hairy above. Shrub 0.4 × 0.5m in 7 years. Early

(v) **'Laura Kate'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *superbum* (s) × 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' H: Mrs N. Caddy, G: B. Clancy(1993), N: B. Clancy(1995), REG: B. Clancy (1995) Fls 5/truss, funnel-shaped, 7-lobed (lobes slightly ruffled, reaching almost to halfway), inside strong pink (49A) shading to pale yellow (11D) in the throat; outside pale yellow (11D), edged strong pink (49A); unspotted; spicily scented. Lvs oblong to elliptic, 115 × 60mm, glossy green above, with fawn brown scales when young (most scales not persisting), dark green above, paler below. Shrub 53 × 50cm in 4 years. Peak flowering in spring

(r) **'Laura Lee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: unknown, G: M. Tietjens (1990), N: M. Tietjens, REG: M. Tietjens (1997) Fls 9/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 55mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (52C) in bud, opening light yellow (160B) inside, with a strong red (46A) throat and short rays of strong red (46A) spotting extending upwards; margins and outside are moderate yellowish pink (39C); scented. Calyx very small, strong yellow-green (142A). Lvs elliptic, 115 × 40mm, flat, rounded at base, broadly acute at apex, dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 2.0m in 24 years. Early-mid May

(r) **'Laura Marie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Countess of Athlone' × *ponticum* R: B.F. Lancaster (1963), N: B.F. Lancaster, REG: B.F. Lancaster (1970) Fls in full, rounded trusses, campanulate, c60 × 75mm, with wavy-edged lobes, mauve (622/3). Lvs 100 × 40mm, mid green. Shrub 0.8m tall in 6 years. Midseason

(r) **'Laura Matthews'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *irroratum* × 'Coronation Day' H: N. Sullivan (1980), G: N. Sullivan (1990), N: N. Sullivan (1992), REG: N. Sullivan (1992) Fls 12/truss, campanulate, 40 × 70mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, buds light yellowish pink (38D), opening white with the palest yellow flush both inside and out. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 40mm, margins decurved, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 0.6m in 10 years. Spring

(a) **'Laura Morland'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Louise Gable' × 'Tama-giku' × 'Kaigetsu' × 'Carol' (Gable) H: R.D. Gartrell (1960), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell (1969), REG: R.D. Gartrell (1969) Fls semi-double to double, hose-in-hose, 1-6/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45 × 57-64mm, moderate to strong pink (49B, 48D), striped and sectored strong to moderate pink (49A, 51D) and with a faint 49A blotch. Calyx 3mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 25 × 10mm, very glossy green, tinted maroon. Shrub 45 × 75cm in 15 years. Late May. Syn: 'Mrs Morland' (Robin Hill azalea no.U4-1)

(a) **'Laura Saunders'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *schlippenbachii* H: H. Vaartnou (1964), G: H. Vaartnou (1968), N: H. Vaartnou, I: H. Vaartnou (1985), REG: H. Vaartnou (1994) Fls 2-3/flat truss, flat saucer-shaped, 41 × 76mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (62D) with dark pink spots on the three dorsal lobes; stamens 10, curved, unequal; slightly scented. Calyx 6mm long, green. Pedicels 3mm long, greenish. Lvs obovate, 76 × 44mm, flat, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, hairless; petioles 19mm long, greenish, hairy. Shrub 1.8 × 1.2m in 25 years. April

(a) **'Laura Speirs'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Sweetheart Supreme' R: D.J. Cole (pre 1987), N: D.J. Cole Fls 50mm wide, light yellowish pink, with a darker blotch. Mid April

(r) **'Laurel Clarke'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown, but seed parent may be 'Unknown Warrior' H: V.J. Boulter (1972), G: V.J. Boulter (1977), N: F. Boulter (1991), I: Boulters Olinda Nursery (1991), REG: Boulters Olinda Nursery (1992) Fls 10-14/conical truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 90mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (68A) both inside and out, with deeper spotting on the dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 40mm, flat, glossy green above. Shrub 3.0m. Spring

(r) **'Laurel Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Boule de Neige' (s) × *catawbiense* × F.C. Puddle Group R: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg, N: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg, I: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (pre 1966), REG: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (1966) Fls 10-12/rounded truss, up to 50mm wide, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, neyron rose (623) in bud, opening 623/3. Lvs of *williamsianum* type, almost round, 45-55 × 30mm. Shrub 60 × 80cm in 12 years. Late April

(r) **'Laurelwood Copper'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Sir Charles Lemon' L: USA (1985)

(r) **'Laurelwood Snow Bunting'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *mucronulatum* (Vossberg's pink selection) × Bric-à-brac Group H: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (1960), G: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (1963), N: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg, REG: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (1988) Fls 3-4/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 38 × 57mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, rose madder (23/2) in bud, opening 23/3, fading to white; pistil pink; filaments white, anthers black. Calyx 6mm long, blush pink. Lvs elliptic, 64 × 38mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, with both hairs and scales. Shrub 0.9 × 1.0m in 20 years. Late March-April. Syn: 'Snow Bunting' (First published in Roslyn Nursery cat., 1988 (as 'Snow Bunting'))

(r) **'Lauren'** (Syn. of 'Twinkle Toes')

(r) **'Lauren Atkins'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Trilby' (s) × 'Anah Kruschke' H: J.D. Brim (1990), G: J.D. Brim (1994), N: J.D. Brim (2001), REG: J.D. Brim (2001) Fls 25/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 75mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, strong purplish red (61B), with prominent, dark red (59A) spotting on the dorsal lobe. Lvs oblong, 200 × 65mm, margins flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 2.0m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Lauren with Love'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Jeannie's Black Heart' (s) × 'Top Banana' H: F. Minch (1989), G: F. Minch (1996), N: F. & J. Minch (1996), I: F. & J. Minch, REG: F. & J. Minch (1996) Fls 18/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 75mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (50A) in bud, opening pale yellow (18C) with strong red (50A) deep in the throat; outside deep pink (51C). Calyx 20-25mm long, deep pink (51C). Lvs oblong, 150 × 50mm, cuneate at base, broadly acute at apex, margins decurved, dull and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 5 years. Early

(r) **'Lauretta'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Sacko' × 'Gletschernacht' H: H. Hachmann (1978), G: H. Hachmann (1982), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1988), REG: G. Stück (1991) Fls 2-4 at ends of shoots, 20 × 28-32mm, 5-lobed, brilliant violet (90D) throughout, tinted reddish on midveins externally, unspotted; stamens 10, filamens 90D, anthers greyish brown (166A); style light reddish purple (74C), stigma dark red (187A). Calyx 2-3mm long, light green, silvery hairy. Lvs ovate to elliptic, 13-24 × 8-12mm, dark and glossy green above, scaly. Shrub 0.8 × 1.1m in 15 years, of erect, compact habit. Mid-late May

(r) **'Lauri'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Day Dream Group × Margaret Dunn Group × un-named seedling G: Mr & Mrs K. Janeck (pre 1980), N: Mr & Mrs K. Janeck Fls up to 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, up to 100mm wide, red in bud, opening cream, flushed pink and with a burnt umber throat. Lvs linear-lanceolate. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 8 years. Late May. (Grown from seeds supplied by W. Graves)

(r) **'Laurie'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group (white-flowered) (s) × PJM Group H: E.V. Mezitt (1957), G: Weston Nurseries (1962), I: Weston Nurseries (1965), REG: Weston Nurseries (1983) Fls 28-35/terminal cluster (individual trusses 2-3 fld), c20 × 45mm, open funnel-shaped, 5-lobed (occasionally semi-double), moderate purplish pink (70D) in bud, opening white (155D), spotted with gold on dorsal lobes, striped 70D on exterior. Calyx 1.5mm long, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 55 × 25mm, dark green, with dense, tan to golden scales below; coppery bronze in winter. Shrub c0.6m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Laurie's Choice'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Van Nes Sensation' (s) × *degronianum* subsp. *heptamerum* H: F.R. Waghorn (1984), G: Mrs J.A. Hutchinson (1990), N: Mrs L.A. Waghorn (1994), REG: Mrs L.A. Waghorn (1995) Fls 18/compact, rounded truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside moderate purplish pink (66D), outside deep purplish pink (66C), red (185) spots in throat and on dorsal lobe flare. Lvs lanceolate, 180 × 55mm, slightly twisted, wavy-edged, matt green above, acuminate at base, apiculate at apex, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.1m in 10 years. Late spring

(r) **'Lauri Lap'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group (s) × *lapponicum* H: W.L. Tolstead (c 1970), G: W.L. Tolstead, N: W.L. Tolstead, REG: W.L. Tolstead (1992) Fls 5-7/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 18 × 25mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, light violet (2.5P 7/7), with red spotting in centre of dorsal lobe; stamens 5, straight. Calyx vestigial. Pedicels very short. Lvs elliptic, 40 × 15mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless above, with brownish scales below; petioles 5mm long. Shrub 1.0 × 0.5m in c20 years. Mid May

(r) **'Laurin'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Purpur-Geisha' (s) × *pemakoense* Patulum Group H: W. Reich (1986), G: W. Reich, N: W. Reich, I: W. Reich (1993), REG: W. Reich (1995) Fls 2-4/lax truss, funnel- to tubular funnel-shaped, 32-35 × 35-42mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purple (82C) in bud, opening light purple (84B/C) in centre of lobes, broadly edged strong to light purple (80B-D) towards margin; unspotted. Calyx 4mm long, light grey-green. Lvs oblong to ovate, thick and leathery, 13-40 × 6-22mm, margins flat or upcurved, glossy green above, with moderate yellow-green to greyish yellow-green (148B/C) scales below; petioles very short, 3-6mm long; in winter all but apical leaves turn purplish red on both sides. Shrub 0.35 × 0.3m in 6 years. Early May

(r) **'Laurin's Daughter'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Radhan Baby' (s) × 'Laurin' H: W. Reich (1992), G: W. Reich, N: W. Reich, REG: W. Reich (1995) Fls 3-4/lax truss (often several trusses together near stem apex), funnel-shaped, 34-37 × 28-32mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, light purple (81C) in bud, opening inside light purple (82D) in centre of lobes, broadly edged moderate to light purple (81C/D) - the lobes overlapping so darker margins contrast with paler centre of adjoining lobes - outside light purple (81C); a few, fine, reddish violet spots towards base of dorsal lobe. Calyx 6mm long, yellow-green. Lvs oblong to slightly obovate or elliptic, 13-35 × 7-17mm, margins flat to upcurved, glossy green, with moderate yellow-green (148B) scales below. Shrub 0.16 × 0.25m in 4 years. Early-mid May

(a) **'Lauritz Melchior'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: T.C. Thacker (1960) Fls vivid salmon pink

(a) **'Lava'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Addy Wery' × 'Mother's Day' (s) × 'John Cairns' R: W. Nagel (1967), N: W. Nagel (1999), I: W. Nagel (1999), REG: ICRA (2000) Fls pure red

(r) **'Lava Flow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: a Kingdon-Ward collection (13225) × *griersonianum* R: Sunningdale Nurseries (pre 1955), N: Sunningdale Nurseries, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright red

(a) **'Lavallei'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte (pre 1874), N: L. van Houtte, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, bright orange, with lemon yellow markings. Mollis

(r) **'Lavana'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scintillation' seedling, selfed H: N.E. Hess (1972), G: N.E. Hess (1977), N: N.E. Hess, I: N.E. Hess (1982), REG: N.E. Hess (1992) Fls 12/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 64 × 89mm, with 7 smooth-edged lobes, white, with a strong to brilliant greenish yellow (151C, D) throat and dorsal spotting; stamens 14, straight, unequal; highly scented. Calyx 5mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 146 × 70mm, mucronate at apex, rounded at base, moderate yellow-green (147B above, 147D below), hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 0.8m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Lavanda'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *catawbiense* H: R. Kondratovičs (1965), G: R. Kondratovičs (1979), N: R. Kondratovičs (pre 1999) Fls 20-26/slightly domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 55-70 × 55-70mm, with 5-7 wavy-edged lobes, buds strong to light purple (84A-B), opening inside very pale purple (76C), outside very light purple (76B); dorsal lobes with yellowish spots; filaments light violet, anthers grey; style light green, stigma light red. Calyx 2mm long, light green. Lvs oblong-lanceolate, 145 × 45mm, flat, pointed at apex, cordate at base, glossy above, hairless. Shrub 1.7 × 1.5m in 25 years. Late May-early June. (Published in *Latvijas selekcionaru Ziedi* (1999)

(r) **'Lavandula'** (An error for 'Lavendula')

(a) **'L.A. van Houtte'** (Syn. of 'Louis Aimé van Houtte')

(a) **'Lavenda'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kiusianum* hybrid R: Mittendorf (pre 1981), N: Mittendorf Fls lavender blue

(r) **'Lavendar Lady'** cv. Probably a *fortunei* hybrid R: C. Reid (pre 1947) Fls moderate purplish red (59C)

(r) **'Lavendelcharm'** (Syn. of 'Lavendelzauber')

(az) **'Lavendelmilch'** cv. Azaleodendron: chance hybrid of 'Catawbiense Grandiflorum' and *luteum* G: G. Coners (1990), S: G. Coners (c 1986), N: W. Schmalscheidt (1993), I: G. Coners (1998), REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1997) Fls 10-16/rounded, fairly compact truss, open funnel-shaped, 42-50 × 45-60mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, light lilac pink in bud, opening white, slightly tinged lilac pink, with a light lilac margin, outside whitish lilac with a darker margin; yellow markings on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 5-6mm long, pale green. Lvs elliptic, 38-110 × 23-45mm, flat, matt green, acuminate or acute at apex, narrowed at base, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 0.9m in 7 years. Late May

(r) **'Lavendelzauber'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' × *yakushimanum* 'Hanano-ego' H: H. Robenek (c 1976), G: H. Robenek (1982), N: W. Schmalscheidt, REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1992) Fls 11-17/fairly compact truss, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, lavender, with green-yellow markings. Calyx 1-2mm long, greenish brown. Lvs oblong-elliptic, 65-95 × 22-37mm. Shrub 0.5 × 1.0m in c13 years. Mid-late May. Syn: 'Lavendelcharm' (First published in Schmalscheidt, *Rhododendron- und Azaleenzüchtung in Deutschland,* part II (1930-1988) 1989)

(a) **'Lavender and Old Lace'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (pre 1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, lavender

(a) **'Lavender Bouquet'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* × a hardy *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* seedling R: Girard Nurseries, N: Girard Nurseries, I: Girard Nurseries (c 1962), REG: Girard Nurseries (1963) Fls hose-in-hose, up to 50mm wide, lavender. Lvs 20 × 13mm, deep green. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m. Mid May

(a) **'Lavender Brilliant'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1993)

(r) **'Lavender Charm'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* × *griffithianum* × 'Purpureum Elegans' H: J.B. Gable (1954), G: C. Herbert (1962), N: C. Herbert, I: C. Herbert (1966), REG: C. Herbert (1976) Fls 12-14/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 80 × 115mm, with 5-7 wavy-edged lobes, buds much darker than open flowers which are light purple (77C-78C), silvery towards the throat (throat cream, yellow at base), with a brownish orange (166C) blotch; outside darker lavender. Calyx 30mm long, willow green. Lvs broadly elliptic, 170 × 70mm, glossy and moderate olive green (146A) above, hairy below. Shrub 3.0 × 1.9m in 19 years. Mid May

(r) **'Lavender Crystals'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably 'Kristin' (s) × 'Calsap' H: A.W. Smith (pre 1989), G: D. Irish-Hosler (1997), N: D. Irish-Hosler (2000), REG: D. Irish-Hosler (2000) Fls 19/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 55mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, inside light purple (80D) shading to a white centre, with a prominent, dark maroon red dorsal blotch; outside light purple (80D). Lvs elliptic, 95 × 40mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins flat, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.75m in c12 years. Mid May

(a) **'Lavender Day'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably a seedling from 'Dayspring' R: I.L. Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L. Amann Fls 40-50mm wide, vivid purplish red (67B). Shrub c1.5m. Very early

(a) **'Lavender Delight'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Gretel' (s) × 'Purple Triumph' H: M. Mackay, G: M. Mackay (1980), N: M. Mackay, REG: M. Mackay (1985) Fls 2-3/truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 70mm, with some petaloid stamens, pale purplish pink (56A), fading. Lvs elliptic, 70 × 25mm, hairy. Shrub 0.45m

(a) **'Lavender Elf'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Maxwellii' × 'Snow' (s) × *kaempferi* × 'Snow' R: USDA, Beltsville, N: USDA, Beltsville (1960), I: USDA, Beltsville (1960), REG: USDA, Beltsville (1961) Fls hose-in-hose, 40-45mm wide, lavender. Lvs semi-evergreen. Shrub about as wide as high

(r) **'Lavender Filigree'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Purple Splendour' H: K. van de Ven, G: K. van de Ven (1979), N: K. van de Ven, I: K. van de Ven, REG: K. van de Ven (1986) Fls 12-15/truss, campanulate, 50 × 70mm, very light purple (75C) outside, light purple (75B) inside, with a strong yellow (153D) flare on the dorsal lobe. Lvs oblanceolate, 100 × 40mm. Shrub 1.5m

(a) **'Lavender Formosum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: USA (1987) (Cited as a parent of 'Dwarf Formosum' (Galle, 1987))

(r) **'Lavender Frost'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Laurie' (s) × white-flowered *dauricum* H: E.V. Mezitt (1977), G: Weston Nurseries (c 1981), N: R.W. Mezitt (1998), I: Weston Nurseries (1992), REG: R.W. Mezitt (1998) Fls c4/domed truss, fully double (with no stamens), broadly funnel-shaped, c25 × 40mm, with 15 wavy-edged lobes, very pale purple (75D) to almost white, with light purple (75A) margins, flushed pale greenish yellow (2D) when opening. Calyx 1.5mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 45 × 20mm, flat, upcurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, scales above and below and on petioles. Shrub 0.9 × 0.75m in 7 years. Late April. (Published in Weston Nurseries cat., 1992)

(r) **'Lavender Girl'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* (s) × 'Lady Grey Egerton' S: W.C. Slocock (1934), N: W.C. Slocock, I: W.C. Slocock (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 16-20/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 95mm wide, amaranth rose (530/2) at edges, shading to white in centre. Lvs c160 × 55-65mm, glossy green. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years (to at least 4.0m with age). May-June. *AM 1950, *FCC 1967

(a) **'Lavender Glow'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably a seedling from 'Indicum Roseum' R: I.L. Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L. Amann Fls 50mm wide, light purple (78C). Shrub c1.2m. Very early (and again in autumn)

(r) **'Lavender Halo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vossberg No. 2' (s) × 'Vossberg No. 2' H: M.J. Whitman (1991), G: M.J. & B. Whitman (1998), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (2000), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (2001) Fls 12/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish purple (70B) in bud, opening very pale purple (76D), with a prominent border of moderate purplish pink (66D) inside and out; stamens short, with strong to light purple (77B-C) anthers. Lvs ovate, 100 × 35mm, margins flat, obtuse at apex, oblique at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 7 years. Early May

(r) **'Lavender Haze'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Purple Splendour' R: E.G. Hall (c 1992) Fls lavender. Compact shrub 0.9m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Lavender Lace'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × 'Purple Splendour' H: D.L. Hardgrove, G: D.L. Hardgrove, N: D.L. Hardgrove (1961) Fls large, in large trusses, lavender, with a spotted maroon flare on the dorsal lobe

(a) **'Lavender Lady'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Domoto Bros (pre 1987) Fls 50-65mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, light violet. Compact, cascading growth. Satsuki

(r) **'Lavender Lady'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: A.M. Shammarello (pre 1961), N: A.M. Shammarello

(r) **'Lavender Leopard'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs T.H. Lowinsky' (s) × 'Calsap' H: A.W. Smith (pre 1989), G: D. Irish-Hosler (1997), N: D. Irish-Hosler (2000), REG: D. Irish-Hosler (2000) Fls 22/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds light purple (75A) shading to white, opening very pale purple (76D), shading to very light purple (76B) at edge, with prominent reddish purple spotting covering most of the dorsal lobe and parts of adjacent lobes; outside very light purple (76B). Lvs elliptic, 115 × 50mm, broadly acute at apex, slightly cordate at base, margins downcurved, glossy and moderate olive green to yellow-green (147) above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.75m in c12 years. Early June

(a) **'Lavender Light'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: I.L. Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L. Amann Fls 65mm wide, strong purplish pink (68B). Shrub c1.5m. Midseason

(a) **'Lavender Mist'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: D. Parmenter (pre 1969), N: D. Parmenter Fls single, large, strong reddish purple. Shrub 2.0m

(a) **'Lavender Pearl'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Dayspring' × 'Pink Pearl' R: I.L. Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L. Amann Fls hose-in-hose, 50-55mm wide, light purple (75A), with paler midribs and a white throat, blotch reddish purple. Shrub 1.9m. Like a larger, lavender, version of 'Pink Pearl'

(a) **'Lavender Perfection'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Rosa Belton' × *oldhamii* (s) × 'Rosa Belton' × *oldhamii* H: E.W. Jordan (1993), G: E.W. Jordan (1996), N: E.W. Jordan (1997), REG: E.W. Jordan (1997) Fls 3/lax truss, hose-in-hose, funnel-shaped, 40 × 60mm, with 10 lobes, pale purplish pink (62D) in bud and opening pale purplish pink (62D) throughout, with rose spots on the dorsal lobe. Lvs broadly elliptic, 55 × 21mm, flat, mucronate at apex, attenuate at base, matt green above, ciliate. Shrub 0.6m tall in 3 years. Spring

(r) **'Lavender Princess'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a *fortunei* hybrid H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), N: P.R. Bosley, I: P.R. Bosley (pre 1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lavender mauve

(a) **'Lavender Queen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1920), N: H.A. Dreer, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 30mm wide, rhodaminepurple (29/2),

with white stamens. Shrub broader than tall. Kurume (Introduced to USA from Japan by Domoto Bros; original name lost, re-named by Dreer)

(r) **'Lavender Queen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: red *catawbiense* seedling × 'Boule de Neige' R: A.M. Shammarello (pre 1970), N: A.M. Shammarello Fls bluish lavender, with a faint brown blotch. Lvs shiny, dark green. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(a) **'Lavender Supreme'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: R.M. Milfield ? (pre 1985) Fls double, lavender

(r) **'Lavender Swiss'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' (s) × *irroratum* 'Polka Dot' H: P.G. Valder (1970), G: W.B. Wilkes (1982), N: W.B. Wilkes, REG: W.B. Wilkes (1995) Fls 20-25/domed truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 48-54 × 50-64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (64B) in bud, opening inside with broad margins of strong reddish purple (72B), shading to very pale purple (75D) at the centre, with vivid purplish red (61C) nectaries and heavily spotted dark red (187A-C) and deep purplish red (187D) on the 3 dorsal lobes; outside strong reddish purple (72C); stamens 9, unequal. Calyx c2-6mm long, moderate yellow (160A). Pedicels 15-20mm long, moderate yellow (160A). Lvs elliptic, 45-152 × 13-54mm, convex, acuminate at apex, rounded at base, bullate, with deeply impressed midribs, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (146C) below, hairless; petioles 5-20mm long, dark greenish yellow (152D). Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 12 years. Mid April-early May

(r) **'Lavender Time'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* subsp. *diaprepes* × 'Purple Splendour' R: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1956), N: E.G.W.W. Harrison, REG: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1964)

(r) **'Lavendula'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *russatum* × *saluenense* × *rubiginosum* R: D.G. Hobbie (1952) Fls 50-60mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, lavender with a purple blotch. Lvs small, ovate, dark green, bronzed in winter. Shrub to 0.6m. (Sometimes listed in error as 'Lavandula')

(a) **'Lavenia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. Indian

(a) **'L'Avenir'** (Probably the plant listed here as 'Avenir')

(r) **'Laverett(e) Pichards'** (An error for 'Leverett Richards')

(r) **'La Verne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan' × 'Mrs Furnivall' H: Mr & Mrs J.F. Stephens (c 1950), G: Mr & Mrs J.F. Stephens (1955), N: Mr & Mrs J.F. Stephens, I: Mr & Mrs J.F. Stephens (c 1969), REG: Mr & Mrs J.F. Stephens (1975) Fls 9-11/ball truss, 100 × 100mm, open funnel-shaped, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep rose in bud, opening deep purplish pink (61D), with a deep red blotch and spots. Calyx 50mm long, rosy. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 120 × 45mm, dark green, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m in 10 years. Late April

(a) **'Lavershott'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose purple. (Sent for Trial at RHS Wisley by L.R. Russell & Co., pre 1958)

(a) **'La Victoire'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: E. van der Cruyssen, N: E. van der Cruyssen, I: E. van der Cruyssen (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cherry red, with a fine white blotch; lobes circular, marked with numerous black spots (1958 Register); fls orange with a rather darker blotch (L. van Houtte cat., 1870, 1894). Indian (Perhaps the plant listed by Taylor & Sangster (1907) with 'centre orange scarlet, lighter towards edges')

(a) **'La Victoire'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Spit Fire' × 'Le Flambeau' I: P.B. van Acker (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, dark red, with an orange sheen. Indian

(a) **'LaVierge'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Petrick (1900), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, snow white. Indian

(r) **'Lavinia'** cv. Parentage unknown L: H. Fraser (1875), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, light rose

(r) **'La Vivandière'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose, shaded white (or all white) on dorsal lobes, with reddish brown spots. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'LaWanda Watters'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Letty Edwards Group × Letty Edwards Group H: L. Watters (1973), G: F. & L. Watters (1980), N: F. Watters, REG: F. Watters (1988) Fls 12-13/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 38 × 89-102mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, buds and open flowers light yellow-green (154D). Calyx minute, yellowish green. Lvs ovate, 127-140 × 51mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 15 years. Mid April-mid May

(v) **'Lawrence'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lochiae* (s) × *commonae* (New Guinea Forestry Dept. no.36830) H: P. Sullivan (1975), G: P. Sullivan (1980), N: P. Sullivan, I: P. Sullivan (1982), REG: P. Sullivan (1993) Fls 5-7/lax truss, open funnel-shaped with a long narrow tube (25 × 10-12mm), 38 × 44mm, with 5 wavy-edged, retuse lobes, red (as in *lochiae*); stamens straight, darker red; pistil straight, paler red. Calyx minute, red. Pedicels 25-32mm long, darker red. Lvs obovate, 75 × 44mm, flat, broadly acute and mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, dull green and hairless above, scaly below; scales green, tinted red when young, aging to light green; petioles 32-40mm long, red-brown. Shrub 2.4 × 1.5m in 17 years. February-June

(r) **'Lawrence Sharley'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' (s) × 'Dianta' H: M. Stockman (1983), G: M. Stockman (1989), N: M. Stockman,

REG: H. & M. Stockman (1993) Fls 7-11/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 44 × 81mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, purple in bud, opening moderate purplish pink (70D), heavily mottled strong reddish purple (72C), with a blotch on the dorsal lobe and portions of adjacent lobes consisting of moderate yellow-green (138A) spots on a vivid red (45C) ground; stamens 9, curved, unequal. Calyx 10mm long, light green. Pedicels 28mm long, mid green. Lvs narrowly obovate, 95 × 38mm, concave, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and very dark green above, hairless; petioles 19mm long, mid green. Shrub 0.5 × 0.8m in 10 years. Late May

(a) **'Lawsal'** (Syn. of 'Daphne Salmon')

(r) **'Lawsonii'** (Syn. of 'Broughtonii')

(r) **'Lawton's Chinese Red'** cv. Parentage unknown H: unknown (c 1959), G: L.H. Lawton, N: L.H. Lawton, I: Hoogendorn Nurseries (1976), REG: L.H. Lawton (1979) Fls up to 12-15/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, 70mm wide, moderate red (47A), unmarked. Lvs lanceolate, 100 × 40mm, acute at apex, rounded at base, dull dark green above, with slight, light buff indumentum below. Shrub 1.4 × 1.4m in 20 years. Mid-late May

(r) **Laxiflorum Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. laxiflorum*

(a) **'Layne Ashlee'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Christina' (Vuykiana) (s) × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' H: W.L. Clagett (1989), G: W.L. Clagett (1994), N: W.L. Clagett, I: White's Nursery (1995), REG: W.L. Clagett (1997) Fls 2-3/truss, semi-double (with 5 wavy-edged lobes and 7-9 petaloid stamens), broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 65mm, vivid reddish orange (43B), with light pink (39D) centres or blotches distributed randomly on most flowers; fls on young plants may be a solid colour. Calyx 5mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 20 × 12mm, margins decurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, with discrete, yellow hairs below and on petioles. Shrub 0.3 × 0.5m in 8 years. Late May-early June. (Distributed originally as no. 89-2-7)

(v) **'Lazarus'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *auriger-anum* × 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' (s) × *konori* H: P. Sullivan (1972), G: P. Sullivan, N: W.A. Moynier, I: W.A. Moynier (1980), REG: W.A. Moynier (1983) Fls 8-10/domed truss, 75 × 83mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong yellowish pink (38A), changing to light orange (26C) in the throat. Calyx minute, deep pink. Buds often droop at first and then rise up. Fls strongly carnation-scented. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 45mm, moderate olive green (147A), with dense tan scales below. Shrub c0.8 × 0.8m in 10 years. January-March

(a) **'L.C. Bobbink'** (Syn. of 'Lambertus C. Bobbink')

(r) **'L.C. Fisher'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1991)

(r) **'L. de Rothschild'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C.B. van Nes & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rich pink fading to white

(r) **'Leaburg'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroan-thum* (s) × Penjerrick Group R: C.H. Phetteplace, N: C.H. Phetteplace, I: C.H. Phetteplace (1956), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 5-8/lax truss, campanulate, 65 × 50mm, , blood red (820/3). Calyx 40mm long. Lvs elliptic, 90-100 × 50mm. Compact shrub under 1.0m. May

(r) **'Leach's Mount Mitchell'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from *maximum* R: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1964) Fls up to 15/ball truss, rotate, 50mm wide, buds red, opening suffused strong pink (6RP 6/12), with a dorsal blotch of yellowish green (10Y 5/5), outside stained red (8.5RP 4/10). Lvs 150 × 50mm. Syn: 'Mount Mitchell' (Raised from seed of a red-flowered *maximum* from W. Baldsiefen. Re-named (1999) by S.L. Krebs to avoid confusion with Gable's earlier use of the name 'Mount Mitchell')

(r) **'Leach's White'** (Syn. of 'Wynterset White')

(r) **'Lea Corthout'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maki-noi* (s) × *macabeanum* H: R. Van Loon (1987), G: R. Van Loon (1996), N: R. Van Loon (2002), REG: R. Van Loon (2002) Fls up to 15/rounded to flat-topped truss, ventricose-campanulate, 50 × 55mm, with 6 slightly wavy-edged lobes, pink in bud, opening inside and out light pink which fades to white; nectar pouches making a purple blotch at base of corolla tube and a few purple spots at base of dorsal lobes. Calyx negligible. Lvs oblong, 200 × 55mm, margins decurved, acute at apex, narrowed at base, glossy green above, with white hairs below when young, ageing to fawn. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 15 years. Midseason. (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0034874).Etymology:named for a friend of the registrant's family)

(r) **'Leading Edge'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' (green-eyed form) (s) × *vernicosum* aff. (Rock 18139) H: J. Looye (1979), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 75mm, 5-lobed, deep to vivid purplish red (61A-C) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (62D), edged strong purplish pink (68B), with dark greenish yellow (152C) spots on a white dorsal flare; filaments very pale purple (69B); style vivid purplish red (57D); anthers moderate orange-yellow (164C); stigma dark red (59A). Lvs 102 × 38mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 13 years. Early June

(a) **'Leah Coe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt, I: E.A. Merritt (c 1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, single, pinkish red with coppery overtone. Kurume

(r) **'Leah Yates'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars', selfed H: H.R. Yates (c 1956), G: H.R. Yates (1963), N: H.R. Yates, I: Mrs H. Yates (1963), REG: Mrs H. Yates (1976) Fls 8-10/ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 55 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid

purplish red (66B), with a large white dorsal flare containing two moderate yellow (162A) rays of spots. Calyx 7mm long, brilliant yellow-green (142B). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 190 × 65mm, strong yellow-green (143A), hairless. Shrub 1.6 × 1.9m in 20 years, with stems red in winter. Mid-late May

(r) **'Leann'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: O.S. Pride (pre 1980), S: Lucas Gardens (pre 1996) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, red throughout. Shrub under 1.8m. Late May

(r) **'Leanne's Favourite'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Bud Flanagan' H: R.J.R. Drayson (1976), G: R.J.R. Drayson (1984), N: D.M. O'Hare, REG: D.M. O'Hare (1987) Fls 19/truss, funnel-shaped, 51 × 62mm, 6-lobed, deep red-purple in bud, opening pale purplish pink with brownish spots on the dorsal lobe; lobe margins slightly waved. Calyx 11mm long, cream and pale green. Lvs elliptic, 126 × 48mm, olive green, with a very thin fawn indumentum below. Shrub 0.6m

(r) **'Leap Year'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ('Midsummer' × Delp's red-flowered *catawbiense*), selfed H: W.E. Delp (1983), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 20/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 48 × 57mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (63A, B) in bud, opening to a blend of very pale purple (69D), strong purple (83C) and moderate purplish pink (65A), with moderate orange-yellow (164B) spots on a pale greenish yellow (1D) dorsal flare; filaments and style pale yellow-green (157B); anthers moderate purplish pink (186D); stigma deep red (185A). Lvs 102 × 32mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.7m in 9 years. Early June

(a) **'Leartes'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: M. Koster & Sons (1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blotched. Mollis

(r) **'Lebanon Lass'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Dead Ringer' × pale yellow Dexter hybrid (s) × 'Matthew Weldon' H: W.E. Delp (1985), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 15/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 48 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep red (60A), strong purplish red (60B-D) and light purplish pink (63D) in bud, opening pale yellow and yellowish white (158B-D), edged moderate purplish pink (74D) and very pale purple (75D), with a light greenish yellow (1C) flare and throat, together with moderate yellow-green (146B, C) spots on 3 dorsal lobes; filaments yellowish white (155B); style pale yellow-green (155A); anthers pale orange-yellow (159C); stigma deep red (60A). Calyx 5mm long, green. Lvs 115 × 40mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.6m in 7 years. Early June

(a) **'Le Brillant'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, lively red, a lighter tint than 'Mr Jean Peeters' and 'General Postmeister Stephan'. Indian

(a) **'Le Congolais'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: F. Versypt (1907), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, red, with a black blotch. Indian

(a) **'Le Conquerant'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: E. van der Cruyssen (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, orange, with a thick purple-red blotch. Indian

(r) **'Leda'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, slightly tinted violet. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **Leda Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* subsp. *apodectum* (s) × *griersonianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1926), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vermilion

(r) **'Leda Luana'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lord Roberts' (s) × 'Vicki Reine' H: M. Stockman (1989), G: M. & H. Stockman (1996), N: M. & H. Stockman (1999), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1999) Fls 14-16/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong to vivid red (46A-B) in bud, opening inside strong purplish red (63B), shading lighter towards the middle of lobes, with deep red (185A) dorsal spotting; outside strong purplish red (63A). Calyx c5mm long, red. Lvs obovate, 145 × 55mm, acute to broadly acute at apex (with a mucro), cuneate at base, margins upcurved, semi-glossy and near moderate olive green (146A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.3 × 1.4m in 10 years. Late May

(r) **'Le Dante'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink, with a strong blotch

(a) **'Ledicanense'** (An error for 'Ledikanense')

(a) **'Ledifolium Album'** (Syn. of *mucronatum*)

(a) **'Ledifolium Noordtianum'** Syn: 'Noordtianum'

(a) **'Ledifolium Roseum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Similar to 'Sekidera'. (Plant said to have been obtained from Tingle Nursery (USA) in late 1940s/early 1950s)

(a) **'Ledifolium Umbellatum Album'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Fratelli Rovelli (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls silver white, with double stamens. Indian

(a) **'Ledifolium Versicolor'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1848), INC: ICRA (1958) (Exhibited by Verschaffelt, 1848)

(a) **'Ledikanense'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* × *mucronatum* R: B. Kavka & M. Opatrná (c 1945), N: B. Kavka & M. Opatrná, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/flat truss, 60mm wide, purple violet (633+33/1) in bud, opening light purple violet (633/2-633), with a conspicuous blotch of dark brown-purple

(931-931/2). Lvs 40 × 12mm, dull green (0960/1-0960/2). Shrub 1.0 × 1.2m

(r) **Ledoides Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. trichostomum* var. *ledoides*

(a) **'Ledsham'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: M.C. Pratt (c 1986), G: Ness Botanic Gardens (1996), N: Ness Botanic Gardens, REG: Ness Botanic Gardens (1998) Fls single, 8-10/loose truss, broadly tubular funnel-shaped, 45 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds pale greenish yellow (1D) flushed moderate yellowish pink (33D), opening inside white flushed strong pink (52D), outside flushed light purplish pink (55C); vivid yellow (14B) blotch on dorsal lobe; slightly scented. Calyx 5mm long, brilliant yellow-green (142B). Lvs elliptic, 18-60 × 10-25mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green, hairless. Shrub 1.75 × 0.75m in 12 years. June-July. Good autumn foliage colour

(r) **'Leeann'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Carmen' (? Rothschild) × Choremia Group × 'Gill's Crimson' H: C.G. Heller (1969), G: S. Lent, N: C.G. Heller, I: C.G. Heller, REG: C.G. Heller (1979) Fls up to 8/lax truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 100 × 100mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, deep red (60A), with a blotch of light maroon spots. Lvs elliptic, 115-190 × 50-90mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, moderate yellowish green (139B) above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.75m in 10 years. Early April

(r) **'Leeanne Hardgrove'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × *wardii* × *dichroanthum* H: D.L. Hardgrove, G: D.L. Hardgrove (c 1962) Fls yellow

(a) **'Leeanum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1857), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Leeanum Superbum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, striped pink. Indian

(r) **'Lee Edward Entsminger'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Wardian Cream' × *wightii* × *macabeanum* H: B. Nelson (1956), G: L.E. Entsminger (1961), N: L.E. Entsminger, I: L.E. Entsminger (1986), REG: L.E. Entsminger (1994) Fls 14-20/tall, compact truss, open campanulate, 64 × 76mm, with 8 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (46B) to brilliant yellow (9C) in bud, opening pastel orange, fading within 2 days to light yellow-green (2C) with c19mm wide edging of pale greenish yellow (2D), finally fading 3 weeks later to white; 8 short brush-marks radiating from throat, these deep and moderate red to moderate purplish red (185A-C); stamens 16, straight, unequal; anthers dark reddish orange (173A); strongly scented. Calyx 2mm long, green, edged red. Lvs elliptic to obovate, 203 × 76mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull, moderate olive green (146A) and hairless above, with a moderate yellow (161A), felted indumentum below; petioles 38mm long, strong greenish yellow (153C). Shrub 2.1 × 2.1m in 30 years. Late February-early March. Syn: 'L.E.E.'s W.W.M.'

(r) **'Lee's Best Purple'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ? *catawbiense* hybrid R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 13-23/lax, rounded truss, open funnel-shaped, 40-60mm wide, 5-lobed, violet, with yellow-green or yellowish red markings. Lvs dark, glossy green. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. (Presumably a J.& C. Lee introduction)

(r) **'Lee's Dark Purple'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: J. & C. Lee (pre 1851), N: J. & C. Lee, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c16/rounded truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 70mm, royal purple, with a ray of greenish brown to ochre markings. Calyx lobes 3-7mm long, pale green. Lvs similar to *catawbiense*, glossy and dark green above. Shrub 1.5-2.0m in 10 years. Syn: 'Lee's Purple'

(r) **'Lee's Purple'** (Syn. of 'Lee's Dark Purple')

(r) **'Lee's Scarlet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* hybrid R: J. & C. Lee (pre 1900), N: J. & C. Lee, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy crimson or scarlet, fading to deep pink. Lvs with a plastered indumentum below. Shrub c1.2m in 10 years. Normally flowers just before Christmas

(r) **'L.E.E.'s W.W.M.'** (Syn. of 'Lee Edward Entsminger')

(r) **'Leetchii'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Lee Thomas'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Banka' × 'Target' R: J. Harris (pre 1982), N: J. Harris Fls 125mm wide, pink, with a red blotch. Shrub 0.5m

(r) **'LeFever Sunrise'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ('Pink Petticoats' × 'Janet Blair') × *decorum*, yellow-fld (s) × 'Caroline' (Gable) × 'Queen of McKenzie' H: G.W. LeFever (1991), G: J.D. Brim (1995), N: J.D. Brim, REG: J.D. Brim (2002) Fls 10/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 75 × 125mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, inside light greenish yellow (6D) shading to brilliant greenish yellow (1B) in throat, with green markings in the base, outside moderate yellowish pink (37C). Lvs oblong, 225 × 65mm, margins downcurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.5m in 11 years. Early May

(r) **'Lefevreanum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: uncertain (pre 1856), L: C. Noble (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish crimson. (Raised at Bagshot according to a J. Waterer catalogue of c1865, but other sources have indicated a Belgian origin. Originally listed in the 1958 Register as 'Le Fevreanum', apparently in error; sometimes see in error as 'Lefeverianum')

(a) **'Le Flambeau'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Vervaene (1874), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, star-shaped, dark wine red. Syn: 'Flambeau'. Indian (Listed in 1873 by J. Verschaffelt so, if attribution to Vervaene is correct, introduction was probably pre 1873)

(r) **'Legacy'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'April Glory' (s) × 'Princess Susan' H: E.V. Mezitt (1982), G: Weston Nurseries (c 1986), N: R.W. Mezitt, I: Weston Nurseries (1997), REG: R.W. Mezitt (1998) Fls dully double (with no normal stamens), 10/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, c40 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish purple (78B). Calyx c1.5mm long, tan. Lvs elliptic, 65 × 30mm, flat, downcurved, acute at apex, cuneate at base, scaly above and below and on petioles. Shrub 0.9 × 0.6m in 7 years. Late April. (Published in Weston Nurseries cat., 1997)

(r) **'Legal Johnny'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Bow Bells Group × Socrianum Group × Rima Group H: A.F. George (1963), G: A.F. George (1972), N: A.F. George, I: Hydon Nurseries (1976), REG: Hydon Nurseries (1976) Fls 10-12/truss, 35 × 58mm, 6-lobed, pale yellow (19C) with strong red rims (51A); outside deep pink (52C) with deeper markings. Calyx 4mm long. Lvs elliptic, 110 × 65mm, hairless. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years. May-June

(a) **'Le Géant'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Vervaene (1857), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls striped white. Indian

(r) **'Legend'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Point Defiance' (s) × 'Lem's Monarch' H: J. Barlup (1988), G: J. Barlup (1994), N: J. Barlup (1997), REG: J. Barlup (1997) Fls 15/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 75 × 115mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep red (53A) in bud, opening inside with a white centre and a narrow, strong red (53D) edge, the dorsal lobe with deep yellowish pink (44D) veining on each side of a central white band; outside strong purplish red (54A). Lvs oblong, 175 × 75mm, decurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 9 years. Early-mid May

(r) **'Le Havre'** cv. Parentage unknown G: E. de Rothschild (pre 1980), S: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: Exbury Enterprises Ltd (1990), REG: Exbury Enterprises Ltd (1990) Fls 11/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 60 × 80mm, 6-lobed, light orange-yellow (16C), with a vivid orange-yellow (21A) blotch on dorsal lobe. Lvs oblanceolate, 105 × 43mm, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 1.0m. May

(a) **'Leibnitz'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: S. & J. Rinz (c 1853), N: S. & J. Rinz, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, yellow, tinted carmine around margins. Midseason. Ghent (Sometimes seen in error as 'Liebnitz')

(a) **'Leigh'** cv. Deciduous azalea: seedling from 'Gibraltar' R: A.J. Knuttel (pre 1985), N: A.J. Knuttel Fls in loose trusses, reddish orange, with pointed lobes

(a) **'Leigh Anne'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Glenn Dale azalea × Satsuki azalea H: H.A. Caldwell Jr (pre 1978)

(r) **'Leighton Tasker'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *macabeanum* hybrid H: H. Tasker (1960s), G: H. Tasker, N: H. Tasker Fls large, cream

(a) **'Leika'** (See note under 'Maleika')

(a) **'Leilani'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1951), G: R.M. Bovee, N: L. Sorensen, I: The Bovees Nursery (1963), REG: The Bovees Nursery (1975) Fls 13/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 30 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds strong orange (170A), opening moderate orange (168C), changing to light pink, white and yellow; dorsal lobe at first strong orange-yellow (24B), adjacent lobes greyed orange, lower lobes paler. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 115-125 × 50-65mm, bullate, hairy on veins, moderate olive green (147A). Shrub 3.8 × 1.1m in 23 years. Mid May. (Introduced first under the reference no. BK-53)

(r) **'Leilie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Jaipur Group × May Day Group H: L.E. Brandt (1949), G: L.E. Brandt, N: L.E. Brandt, REG: L.E. Brandt (1965) Fls c9/truss, 65 × 65mm, orient red. Calyx 40mm long. Lvs 175 × 40mm, with a heavy brown indumentum below. Compact shrub 0.6 × 1.0m in c15 years

(a) **'Leisl Fiery'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid R: W.D. Smith (pre 1982), N: W.D. Smith Fls with a rosette centre, 90-100mm wide, orange-red. (See *The Azalean* 4 (1): 3-4 (1982) for notes on parentage)

(a) **'Leith'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls dark red. Dwarf shrub. Late. (See also 'W. Leith')

(r) **'Lek Rasmussen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'C.I.S.' (s) × 'Jalisco Elect' H: N. Sullivan (1982), G: N. Sullivan (1993), N: N. Sullivan (1996), REG: N. Sullivan (1996) Fls 14/tight, ball truss, campanulate, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, light yellow (162C) in bud, opening inside to light yellow-green (2C), shading to light greenish yellow (3D) at edges, outside similarly coloured; blotch of moderate reddish orange (173B) spots on 3 dorsal lobes. Calyx minute. Lvs oblong, 100 × 50mm, flat, matt green, obtuse at apex, obtuse at base, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.8m in 10 years. Late October

(a) **'Le Leon de Flanders'** (Syn. of 'Le Lion de Flandre')

(a) **'Lelia'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Sunningdale Nurseries (1898), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale yellow, flushed moderate purplish red at margins, with a deep yellow flare; fades to cream with a yellow eye. Syn: 'Lelie'. Ghent

(a) **'Lelie'** (Syn. of 'Lelia')

(a) **'Le Lion de Flandre'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: unknown (1861), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon red, strongly spotted on dorsal lobes. Syn: 'Lion des Flandres', 'Le Leon de Flanders'. Indian (Perhaps introduced by J. Veitch & Sons (*fide* F. Schneider cat., 1867); A. Verschaffelt indicates a similar origin)

(r) **'Lem'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a selection from *bureavii* L: The Netherlands (1984) Shrub to 2.0m. (Originally from Greer Gardens, who merely intended Lem as a source indicator, not as a cultivar epithet; however it is now used as an epithet by various sources. Also seen as 'Lem's Variety')

(r) **'Lemichez'** (Syn. of 'Lemichezii')

(r) **'Lemichezii'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as an *arboreum* form or hybrid R: Bertin (pre 1864), N: Bertin, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light red, strongly spotted brown on all lobes. Syn: 'Lemichez'

(a) **'Lemonade'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: E.V. Mezitt (pre 1985), N: E.V. Mezitt Fls 25mm wide, pale greenish yellow (160C). Lvs glossy. Early July

(r) **'Lemonade'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Damaris Group × 'Crest' R: J.E. Eichelser (pre 1982), N: J.E. Eichelser Fls bright yellow. Lvs rounded, glossy green. Shrub 1.5-1.8m in 10 years. Midseason

(a) **'Lemonara'** (An error for 'Lemonora')

(r) **'Lemon Bells'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* (s) × Fabia Group H: R. Henny (1943), G: R. Henny, N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 5-6/lax truss, campanulate, large, pinkish yellow. Calyx lobes reflexed on dorsal side. Lvs up to 150mm long. Shrub 0.8m. May

(r) **Lemon Bill Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *rigidum* (white form) (s) × *cinnabarinum* subsp. *xanthocodon* Concatenans Group H: Lord Aberconway, G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1943), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Lemon Cheesecake'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' (s) × 'Van Nes Sensation' H: M. Stockman (1990), G: M. & H. Stockman (1999), N: M. & H. Stockman (2001), REG: M. & H. Stockman (2001) Fls 15-20/ball truss, funnel-campanulate, 50 × 75mm, with 6-7 flat-edged lobes, close to pale yellow-green (4D) inside and out, shading slightly deeper in the throat, with two small, speckled, vivid red (45B), basal brushstrokes. Calyx lobes 6-20mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 40mm, margins wavy and downcurved, acute at apex, oblique at base, dull and mid green above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.1m in 11 years. Late May

(r) **'Lemon Chiffon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × Anita Group H: D.L. Hardgrove, G: D.L. Hardgrove, N: D.L. Hardgrove (1960) Fls yellow throughout (with good depth of colour). Early

(r) **'Lemon Cloud'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *keiskei* 'Yaku Fairy' (s) × *hanceanum* Nanum Group H: W. Reich (1981), G: W. Reich (1985), N: W. Reich, I: W. Reich (1993), REG: W. Reich (1993) Fls up to 9/flat ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 30-33 × 43-48mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds moderate red (183C/D) at tip shading to deep/strong greenish yellow (153A/B) at base, opening brilliant to light greenish yellow (3B/C), fading to light greenish yellow/pale yellow (8C/D); stamens 10, straight, uneven. Pedicels 14-23mm long. Calyx 2.5-3mm long, creamy yellow-green. Lvs elliptic to ovate, 13-55 × 6-31mm, with sunken scales below, dull and dark yellowish green (139A) above; petioles 2-7mm long, light yellow-green (145C). Shrub 0.25 × 0.8m in 12 years. Early-mid May

(r) **'Lemon Custard'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Crest' (s) × 'Mrs Betty Robertson' × *wardii* H: W. Elliott (1966), G: W. Elliott, N: W. Elliott, I: W. Elliott, REG: W. Elliott (1981) Fls 8-12/rounded truss, open funnel-campanulate, up to 100mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, light yellow (162C), with a moderate yellow (162B) throat, unmarked. Lvs elliptic, 125-150 × 55-70mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate to rounded at base, moderate olive green (147A), hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 2.1m in 10 years. Early May

(r) **'Lemon Dream'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nancy Evans' × un-named seedling (Whitney no.5736) H: S. McCulloch (1983), G: S. McCulloch (1989), N: S. McCulloch, I: Briggs Nursery (1999), REG: Briggs Nursery (1999) Fls 13/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light greenish yellow (3C) throughout. Calyx c3mm long, strong yellow-green (145A). Lvs elliptic, 65 × 30mm, margins upcurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and dark green above with a "powdery" indumentum above on new growth, hairless above when mature, with a felted indumentum below (yellowish grey (156C) when young, ageing to brownish orange (164A)). Shrub 0.25 × 0.4m in 9 years. Mid May. (The flowers are sometimes double)

(a) **'Lemon Drop'** (Syn. of 'Weston' s Lemon Drop')

(a) **'Lemon Drop'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *viscosum* S: W.G. & Mrs M.S. Beasley (pre 1985), N: W.G. & Mrs M.S. Beasley Fls pale yellow, scented

(r) **'Lemon Drop'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Lemon Drop')

(r) **'Lemon Drop'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from Moonstone Group R: The Bovees Nursery, N: The Bovees Nursery (1960), I: The Bovees Nursery, REG: The Bovees Nursery (1961) Fls 8/truss, campanulate, with somewhat wavy-edged lobes, 65mm wide, brilliant light yellow-green (2.5GY 9/8). Lvs orbicular. Compact shrub, 0.3m. May

(r) **'Lemon Float'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' × 'White Wedding' × *lacteum* H: J.G. Lofthouse, G: J.G. Lofthouse, N: J.G. Lofthouse, I: J.G. Lofthouse (1979), REG: J.G. Lofthouse (1979) Fls light greenish yellow (1C)

(r) **'Lemon Frost'** cv. Parentage unknown L: USA (1985)

(r) **'Lemon Girl'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: yellowish-flowered form of *minus* Carolinianum Group (s) × *lutescens* H: L.B. Mraw (1967), G: L.B. Mraw, N: L.B. Mraw, I: L.B. Mraw (1978), REG: L.B. Mraw (1983) Fls 7-14/truss (1-3 trusses together), 30 × 30mm, broadly funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, brilliant yellow (13C) in bud, opening pale yellow (8D), with dorsal spotting of brilliant greenish yellow (1A) to vivid yellow (13A). Calyx

minute, yellowish green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 80 × 25mm, moderate yellow-green (147B-148A), with moderately spaced, golden brown scales below; greyish reddish brown (200B) in winter. Shrub c1.2m in 13 years

(r) **'Lemon Grove'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* × unknown H: W.S. Reuthe (1960), G: W.S. Reuthe (1965), N: W.S. Reuthe, I: W.S. Reuthe (1967), REG: G. Reuthe Ltd (1985) Fls 9/truss, 45 × 60mm, 5-lobed, throat light greenish yellow (1C), lobes pale greenish yellow (1D), blotch brilliant greenish yellow (5B). Calyx 13mm long, light greenish yellow (5C). Lvs elliptic, 90-100 × 45-50mm, hairless. Medium-sized to large shrub

(r) **'Lemon Honey'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *edgeworthii* (s) × Chrysomanicum Group H: B. Sligh (1985), G: B. Sligh (1991), N: B. Sligh (1993), REG: B. Sligh (1994) Fls 6/flat truss, open trumpet-shaped, 50 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds light yellow-green (154D), flared vivid purplish red (57D), opening light greenish yellow (3C) inside and light greenish yellow (3D) outside; lobes either side of dorsal lobe with a vivid purplish red (57D) flare which gradually fades; very strongly scented. Calyx 8mm long, moderate reddish orange (179C). Lvs ovate, 100 × 45mm, margins upcurved, acute at apex, rounded at base, glossy green above, scaly. Shrub 0.5 × 0.4m in 8 years, with greyish brown (166A) to moderate yellowish pink (173D), peeling bark. Early September-early October (New Zealand)

(a) **'Lemon Ice'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: A.F. Serbin (pre 1970), N: A.F. Serbin Fls soft lemon yellow. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years

(r) **'Lemon Ice'** cv. Elepidote/Lepidote cross: parentage unknown R: P.R. Bosley (pre 1980), N: P.R. Bosley Fls cream white to very light yellow, with a gold blotch. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years

(a) **'Lemon Joy'** cv. Deciduous azalea: F6 selection from a Knap Hill azalea H: W.E. Delp (1958), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 32 × 38mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, yellow (11A-D) in bud, opening pale yellow (11D), with a light yellow (11B) flare spotted with vivid orange-yellow (23A) on 3 dorsal lobes; filaments and style light greenish yellow (3D); anthers brownish orange (164A); stigma strong yellow-green (144B); strongly scented. Lvs 76 × 38mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 35 years. Late May

(v) **'Lemon Light'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Princess Alexandra' × *konori* R: O.S. Blumhardt (pre 1998), N: O.S. Blumhardt Fls soft lemon yellow; scented. Compact shrub, to 1.2m, with red stems

(a) **'Lemon Lights'** cv. Deciduous azalea: (Knap Hill (Exbury) azalea seedling × *atlanticum* hybrid), open-pollinated H: Minnesota Landscape Arboretum (1978), G: Minnesota Landscape Arboretum, N: Minnesota Landscape Arboretum, REG: Minnesota Landscape Arboretum (1995) Fls 8-10/ball truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40-50 × 40-50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, brilliant yellow (13C), with a vivid orange-yellow (21A) blotch on the dorsal lobe; stamens 5, curved; slightly scented. Calyx 1mm long. Lvs elliptic, 80-100 × 30-40mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, slightly glossy, moderate olive green (137A) and hairless above, moderate yellowish green (137D) and with discrete white hairs below. Shrub 1.5 × 1.25m in 15 years. Late May

(r) **'Lemon Lime'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lemon Lodge' (s) × 'Sierra del Oro' H: B. Sligh (1979), G: B. Sligh (1989), N: B. Sligh, I: Taunton Gardens, REG: B. Sligh (1996) Fls 10-11/full truss, with a very open flower with 6 smooth-edged, reflexed lobes, light greenish yellow (5C) in bud, opening light greenish yellow (5D) with the throat flushed 5C; outside 5D; unspotted; scented. Calyx 5mm long, green. Lvs 115 × 50mm, margins decurved, glossy, rounded at base, pointed at apex, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 0.8m in 10 years. Mid October-mid November (New Zealand)

(r) **'Lemon Lodge'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Prelude Group, ? selfed R: Pukeiti Rhododendron Trust, N: Pukeiti Rhododendron Trust, I: Pukeiti Rhododendron Trust, REG: Pukeiti Rhododendron Trust (1972) Fls light greenish yellow (4B)

(v) **'Lemon Lovely'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *retivenium* × 'Os's Oriana' R: O.S. Blumhardt (pre 1998), N: O.S. Blumhardt Fls soft lemon yellow at first, flushed light orange with age; scented. Lvs long, narrow, glossy. Upright shrub of open habit, to 1.2m

(r) **'Lemon Marmalade'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Lammot Copeland' × 'Mary Drennen' H: H.L. Larsen, G: H.L. Larsen, I: C. Smith (pre 1988) Fls clear yellow. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Late

(r) **'Lemon Meringue'** cv. 'Mrs J.G. Millais' × Inamorata Group H: E.G. Millais (1963), G: E.G. Millais, N: E.G. Millais, I: Millais Nurseries Fls creamy yellow, with a slight blotch. Foliage with a tendency to be chlorotic

(v) **'Lemon Minuet'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* × *gracilentum* (s) × *gracilentum* H: G.L.S. Snell, G: G.L.S. Snell (1983), N: G.L.S. Snell, I: G.L.S. Snell, REG: G.L.S. Snell (1984) Fls 4-5/truss, tubular-campanulate, with reflexed lobes, 30 × 30mm, pale greenish yellow (9D). Lvs elliptic, 35 × 25mm. Shrub 0.4m

(r) **'Lemon Mist'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *xanthostephanum* × *leucaspis* R: R.W. Scott, N: R.W. Scott, REG: R.W. Scott (1968) Fls 2-3/truss (with several at or below shoot apices), open funnel-shaped, up to 40mm wide, light greenish yellow (5C), lobes pale greenish yellow (1D). Lvs elliptic, 70 × 30mm, mid green. Shrub 0.3 × 0.6m

(r) **'Lemon Mousse'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' (s) × 'Unique' H: B.J. Ogdon (1986), G: B.J. Ogdon (1993), N: B.J. Ogdon (1998), REG: B.J. Ogdon (1998) Fls 9/open ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 60 × 85mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, pale greenish yellow (2D) in bud, opening pale greenish yellow (2D) inside

and out, with a brilliant yellow (10A) blotch on three dorsal lobes; anthers brown; stigma yellow. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 43mm, margins flat, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 1.22 × 1.45m in 10 years. Early May

(a) **'Lemonora'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: T. Vuyk & Son, N: K. Wezelenburg & Son, I: K. Wezelenburg & Son (1912), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, moderate yellow, tinted pink externally. Midseason. Syn: 'Doctor L.N. Deckers', 'Monseigneur Doctor L.N. Deckers', 'Mr Doctor L.N. Deckers', 'Monseigneur Doctor W.H. Deckers'. Mollis (Sometimes listed as 'Lemonara')

(r) **'Lemon Pie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: G.W. Clarke, G: G.W. Clarke, N: G.W. Clarke, I: George W. Clarke Nursery (c 1980), REG: Mrs G.W. Clarke (1990) Fls 12/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 64 × 102mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, light greenish yellow (1C), unmarked; anthers dark brown; slightly scented. Lvs elliptic, 165 × 76mm, glossy green above, hairless; petiole hairy. Shrub 1.8-2.1 × 1.2m in 10 years. April-May

(a) **'Lemon Popsickle'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *flammeum* R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls lemon yellow. Mid May

(a) **'Lemon Rind'** cv. Deciduous azalea: possibly *arborescens* × *cumberlandense* G: C. Herbert (1964), I: C. Herbert (1975), REG: C. Herbert (1975) Fls single, 10/ball to lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 6 wavy-edgedlobes, light yellow-green (154D) to pale yellow-green (4D), with a 154D to light greenish yellow (5D) blotch and greyish red (176A) dorsal spotting. Stamens 65-75mm long. Calyx minute, green. Lvs lanceolate to ovate, 75 × 30mm, moderate olive green (146A), yellow in autumn, hairy at outer edges. Shrub 1.5 × 1.0m in 15 years. Mid May. (Seed collected in Great Smoky Mountains, North Carolina (USA) by J.B. Gable, 1960)

(r) **'Lemon Slush'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Si Si' × 'Serendipity' (s) × 'Marypat' H: W.E. Delp (1984), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 14/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 55 × 55mm, 5-lobed, light to pale greenish yellow (1C, D) shading to strong to moderate yellowish pink (31C, D) in bud, opening light to pale greenish yellow (1C, D) with a brilliant greenish yellow (1A, B) throat and strong greenish yellow (153C) dorsal spots; filaments and style light yellow-green (154D); anthers moderate reddish orange (178D); stigma moderate red (180A). Lvs 114 × 51mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m in 8 years. Early June

(r) **'Lemon Sorbet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Jan Steen Group × 'Crest' H: J. May (1968), G: J. May, N: J. May, I: Knoll Gardens (1988), REG: J. May (1987) Fls 11/truss, funnel-shaped, 100mm wide, 7-lobed, pale greenish yellow (1D). Lvs elliptic, 105 × 55mm, hairless. Shrub 1.5m. April

(r) **'Lemon Tart'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: G.W. Clarke, G: G.W. Clarke (pre 1980), N: G.W. Clarke, I: George W. Clarke Nursery (c 1987), REG: Mrs G.W. Clarke (1990) Fls 12-14/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 76 × 89mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, brilliant yellow-green (154B), with a strong purplish red (60C) blotch on the dorsal lobe; anthers brown; slightly scented. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 70mm, flat, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, glossy green above, hairless; petioles noticeably hairy. Shrub 2.1 × 1.5m in 10 years. April-May

(r) **'Lemon Tea'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Mary Fleming' (s) × *keiskei* H: B. & M. Shapiro (1969), G: B. & M. Shapiro, N: B. & M. Shapiro, REG: B. & M. Shapiro (1995) Fls 3-6/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 25 × 30mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, inside light greenish yellow (5D), with a brilliant greenish yellow (5B) throat and occasional, small, random, pink markings; outside light greenish yellow (5D), streaked brilliant greenish yellow (5B); stamens 10, slightly curved, unequal; some pistils red. Pedicels 10mm long, reddish green. Lvs lanceolate/ovate, 50 × 18mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (137A) above, moderate yellow-green (148A) below, with numerous, tiny, reddish brown scales below; petioles 2mm long, green. Shrub 0.8 × 0.9m in 8 years. April

(r) **'Lemon Twist'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *keiskei* var. *ozawae* (s) × *lutescens* 'Bagshot Sands' H: T. Rokujo (1987), G: A.R. Brooks (1992), N: A.R. Brooks (1992), REG: A.R. Brooks (1999) Fls 3-8/multibudded truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 35 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light greenish yellow (4B) in bud, opening light greenish yellow (8C) inside and out, with very faint, moderate yellow (163C) spotting where dorsal lobe meets adjacent lobes. Calyx less than 1.5mm long, brilliant yellow-green (150A). Lvs lanceolate, 50-65 × 20-25mm, flat, acuminate at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, with widely spaced scales below. Shrub 0.75 × 1.2m in 11 years. Early May

(a) **'L'Empératrice'** (Syn. of 'Imperatrix')

(r) **'Lem's 121'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anna' × 'Lem's Goal' H: H. Lem (pre 1965) Fls with violet pink margins, fading to cream, becoming yellow towards centre, throat maroon. New lvs bronze. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Lem's 49'** (Syn. of 'Lem's Fortyniner')

(r) **'Lem's Annabella'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anna' (s) × Temple Belle Group H: H. Lem (pre 1969), N: H.A. Spady (1997), REG: Willamette Chapter Study Group (1997) Fls 11/flat truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 80mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (57B) in bud, opening inside strong purplish pink (62A) with vivid red (52A) spots on all lobes (but more numerous on dorsal lobes); outside vivid purplish red (57D). Calyx 1mm long, green. Lvs lanceolate, 80 × 30mm, markedly recurved and saddle-shaped with strongly upcurved margins, acute at apex, cordate at base, dull, moderate olive green (137A) above, greyish yellow-green (148C) below, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in 10 years

(r) **'Lem's Aurora'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catawbiense Album' × Fabia Group H: H. Lem, S: D. Gortener & G. Bell (pre 1985) Fls luminous yellow-orange, with pink edges. Compact shrub, 0.9m in 10 years. Midseason. (Some sources list it as a hybrid involving *catawbiense*, Fabia Group and Tally Ho Group)

(r) **'Lem's Cameo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Dido Group × 'Anna' H: H. Lem (1956), G: H. Lem (1961), N: A. Lem, I: H. Lem (1962), REG: L.J. Pierce (1975) Fls 17-20/domed truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 55 × 90mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, buds deep purplish pink (55A), opening with throat light yellowish pink (27A) shading to strong purplish pink (55B) at edges, fading to pale yellowish pink (27C) with some pink shading, dorsal blotch vivid red (46B) in throat and slightly spotted at outer edge of throat; outside shaded deep purplish pink (55A). Calyx up to 20mm long on dorsal side, leafy, cream, with reddish stripes and edging. Lvs elliptic, 130 × 55m, dark green, hairless. New growth mahogany. Shrub 2.0 × 1.4m in 17 years. Mid May. AM 1987, FCC 1991

(r) **'Lem's Early Orange'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: H. Lem (pre 1983) (Listed as a parent of 'Rainbow's End')

(r) **'Lem's Early Yellow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: H. Lem (pre 1969) (Listed as a parent of 'Master Spencer David')

(r) **'Lem's Fluorescent Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: C.P. Raffill Group × 'Loderi King George' H: H. Lem (pre 1965) Fls in a ball truss, bright rosy pink in bud, opening pastel pink with rosy pink edges; scented. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Lem's Fortyniner'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'J.H. van Nes' (s) × 'Loderi King George' H: H. Lem (pre 1966), N: H.A. Spady (1997), REG: Willamette Chapter Study Group (Am.Rh.Soc.) (1997) Fls 10/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 70 × 120mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, dark red (187A) in bud, opening inside very pale purple (69C), with a small central blotch of strong purplish red (64B); outside moderate purplish pink (68C). Calyx less than 1.0mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 90-130 × 40-50mm, v-shaped along longitudinal axis, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, glossy and dark yellowish green(139A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.6m in 10 years. Mid May. Syn: 'Lem's 49'

(r) **'Lem's Goal'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ole Olson' (s) × Azor Group I: H. Lem (c 1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 6-7/truss, creamy apricot, darker in the throat. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Lem's Legacy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: H. Lem (1966), G: L. Watts (1983), N: L. Watts, I: L. Watts, REG: L. Watts (1989) Fls 19-20/conical truss, open campanulate, 50 × 80mm, with 7 smooth-edged lobes, apricot in bud, opening pale orange-yellow (16D) with a vivid reddish orange (42A) throat; slightly scented. Pedicels exceptionally thick and sturdy. Lvs elliptic, 160 × 72mm, flat, apiculate at apex, oblique/rounded at base, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.5m in 20 years. May

(r) **'Lem's Monarch'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anna' (s) × 'Marinus Koster' H: H. Lem (pre 1965), G: H. Lem, N: E. Fisher, I: E. Fisher (1971), REG: G. Bell (1995) Fls 16/tall, domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 80-125mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged, overlapping lobes, vivid red (57A) in bud, opening white with 10-15mm wide vivid red (57A) margins and with two narrow rays of red spots on the dorsal lobe (showing through on reverse); a narrow pink line down the centre of each lobe; margins and spots fade with age; stamens 12-13, curved, unequal; style pinkish red; ovary dark red. Calyx 10mm long, light green and red. Pedicels 40-45mm long, dark red above, moderate yellow-green (146D) below. Lvs ovate, 178-216 × 70-83mm, flat, with slightly wavy margins and an apical twist, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (146D) below; petioles 20-22mm long, whitish. Shrub 1.8 × 1.4m in 10 years. May. ((?) First published in *Greer's Guidebook to Available Rhododendrons* (1982))

(r) **'Lem's Pink Cloud'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *calophytum* (s) × Sarita Loder Group H: H. Lem (pre 1969), G: H. Lem, N: Northwest Rhododendron Hybridizers Group, I: H. Lem, REG: Mrs E.M. Watson (1995) Fls 12/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 76 × 76mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, inside very light purple (75C), with a small, solid area of deep to strong purplish red (71A-D) in dorsal throat; outside light purple (75A) at base, shading to very light purple (75C) at margins; stamens 12, curved, unequal; style pale greenish yellow (160C), stigma moderate yellow (160A); ovary prominent, strong yellow-green (145A). Calyx 3mm long, strong purplish red (71D). Pedicels 57mm long, moderate red (185B). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 229 × 70mm, flat to slightly concave, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and dark green (135A) above, moderate yellow-green (148B) below, hairless; petioles 24mm long, strong to light yellow-green (145A-D), hairy. Shrub 2.1 × 1.8m in 30 years. Mid April

(r) **'Lem's Salmon'** cv. Parentage unknown R: H. Lem (pre 1980)

(r) **'Lem's Stormcloud'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Burgundy' × 'Mars' H: H. Lem (c 1962), G: H. Lem, N: B.M. Smith, I: H. Lem (1970), REG: B.M. Smith (1980) Fls 16/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 80mm wide, with 5 flat-edged lobes, deep red (53A), paling towards strong red (53D) at centre, with a dorsal blotch of mottled near white, superimposed over deep red (53A). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 150 × 50mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, mid yellowish green, hairless; new stems dark red. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Lem's Tangerine'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Margaret Dunn Group × 'Anna' × 'King of Shrubs' H: H. Lem (1967), G: L.L. Newcomb (1977), N: L.L. Newcomb, I: L.L. Newcomb (1985), REG: L.L. Newcomb (1987) Fls 10-14/domed truss, open funnel-

shaped, 57 × 83mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, strong yellowish pink (40D), with edging (c5mm wide) of deep yellowish pink (43C), throat vivid red (44A); outside vivid reddish orange (41A), with 3-5 vivid reddish orange (42A) rays (38-51mm long). Calyx 9.5-25mm long, moderate reddish orange (41C). Lvs lanceolate to narrowly lanceolate, 114 × 44mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, convex, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, light yellow-green (145B-145C) below, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.4m in 19 years. Late May. AM 1998

(r) **'Lem's Variety'** (See note under 'Lem')

(r) **'Lem's Walloper'** (Syn. of Walloper Group)

(a) **'Lemur'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Mariko' × 'Vuyk's Scarlet' H: P.A. Cox (1973), G: P.A. Cox, N: P.A. Cox, I: P.A. Cox (1979), REG: P.A. Cox (1982) Fls 45mm wide, vivid red (52A). Lvs red in winter. Dwarf, semi-creeping shrub. Late. *HC 1988

(r) **'Lenape'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *pubescens* (s) × *keiskei* H: G.G. Nearing, G: G.G. Nearing (1945), N: G.G. Nearing, I: G.G. Nearing (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in small, golf ball size trusses, pale yellow. Lvs 75 × 40mm. Shrub under 1.5m in 20 years

(r) **'Len Beer'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *glaucophyllum* I: Mrs K.N. Dryden (1977), REG: Mrs K.N. Dryden (1977) Fls white (155A). (Collected in Nepal by Beer, Lancaster & Morris in 1971)

(r) **'Lencret'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'White Wings' (s) × *ciliatum* R: G.M Adams-Acton, N: G.M. Adams-Acton, I: G.M. Adams-Acton (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cream, fading to white

(r) **'Lenore Marie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: unknown, G: M. Tietjens (c 1990), N: M. Tietjens, REG: M. Tietjens (1997) Fls 12/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (67A) in bud, opening inside moderate purplish pink (62B) and pale yellowish pink (36D), with a strong red (46A) throat and spotted (46A) rays extending outwards; outside strong purplish pink (62A). Calyx very short, moderate yellow-green (138B). Lvs elliptic, 125 × 50mm, flat, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 1.1m in 20 years. Early-mid May

(r) **'Le Nôtre'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Croux, N: Croux, I: Croux (1979) Fls in rounded trusses, with wavy-edged lobes, rose pink, with a strong, spotted, darker blotch; stigma dark pink. Lvs dark, slightly glossy green. Midseason

(a) **'Lentegroet'** (Syn. of 'Easter Greetings')

(a) **'Lentegruss'** (Syn. of 'Easter Greetings')

(a) **'L'Enterressent'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose. (Spelling as given by Veitch)

(r) **'Leny'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1988)

(a) **'Leo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* × *oldhamii* R: L. de Rothschild (c 1933), N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 65mm wide, bright orange (1958 Register). AM 1997. Oldhamii (*The Rothschild Rhododendrons* (Lucas Phillips and Barber (1979) gives parentage as 'Malvaticum' × *kaempferi* ? and describes the fls as orange pink on a compact shrub to 1.0m, flowering in June. The plant exhibited from Exbury and awarded an AM in 1997 was described as having 1-6, funnel-shaped fls, 40 × 50mm, of uniform vivid reddish orange (43B), with slightly darker dorsal spotting, red filaments and style, black anthers and a brown stigma)

(r) **'Leo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' (s) × *elliottii* R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 20-25/domed truss, campanulate, 55 × 90mm, crimson scarlet; filaments pink, anthers brown. Lvs elliptic, 200 × 90mm, dark matt green above. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. May-June. AM 1948, FCC 1989 (Leo Group)

(r) **Leo Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' (s) × *elliottii* R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1948), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Leo Captain'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Albert-Elisabeth' I: J. Haerens (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a broad, deep yellowish pink (47C) edge which extends towards the centre, otherwise similar to its parent. Indian

(r) **'Leo Friedman'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Bowbells Group × *strigillosum* R: C.S. Seabrook, N: C.S. Seabrook, REG: C.S. Seabrook (1968) Fls campanulate, 45 × 30mm, rose madder (23). Lvs relatively small, cordate at base. Very compact, small plant. April

(a) **'Leo Kelly'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-yellow

(r) **'Leo Lap'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parents derived from subsect. *Lapponica* G: W.L. Tolstead, N: W.L. Tolstead, REG: W.L. Tolstead (1995) Fls 5-7/ball truss, rotate-campanulate, 10 × 10mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, purple. Lvs oblong, 24 × 12mm, glossy above, with green scales below. Shrub 0.7 × 0.6m in 32 years. Early May. (Seed obtained from Oregon, USA, in 1963)

(r) **'Leona'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Corona' (s) × Dondis Group H: R. Henny (1944), G: R. Henny, N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny (1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in domed trusses, 75mm wide, two-toned rich pink, shading to white in the throat, slightly spotted. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Leona Holmes'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Boule de Neige' × *fortunei* × Rock no.18139 *vernicosum* aff. H: W.M. Fetterhoff (1967), G: W.M. Fetterhoff (1976), N: W.M. Fetterhoff, REG: W.M. Fetterhoff (1986) Fls 10-12/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 30 × 60mm, with 7 slightly wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (48C) in bud, opening moderate yellowish pink (38B), shading to pale

yellowish pink (27C) in lobe centres and in throat, with a light orange-yellow (16C) dorsal blotch (c20 × 20mm) and two rays of medium red extending through blotch (blotch and rays fade with age); outside with strong pink ribs (54C). Calyx very small. Lvs near elliptic to more-or-less narrowly obovate, 70-95 × 32-43mm, moderate olive green (146A), hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 1.1m in 18 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'LeonaMaud'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × Thomaleum Group H: A.P. Johnson (1968), G: A.P. Johnson (1975), N: A.P. Johnson, I: A.P. Johnson (1981), REG: A.P. Johnson (1986) Fls 18/ball or domed truss, funnel-shaped, 51 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53B) in bud, opening vivid purplish red (57D), fading to pale purplish pink (55D) with age, spotted deep red (53A) on dorsal lobe. Calyx 3mm long. Lvs elliptic, 102 × 32mm, dull and moderate olive green (137A) above, with a greyish yellow-green (197D), moderate indumentum below. Shrub 0.8 × 1.2m in 15 years. Early May

(a) **'Leonard'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Camellia Grove Nursery (1970) Fls single, pale lavender pink. Indian

(r) **'Leonard'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.L. Tolstead (c 1970), G: W.L. Tolstead, N: W.L. Tolstead, I: Rhody Run Nursery, REG: W.L. Tolstead (1993) Fls 14/conical truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 51 × 51mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, strong reddish purple (10P 5/10) with a very dark red blotch; stamens 10, curved. Pedicels 25mm long, light red. Lvs 152 × 57mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless; petioles 25mm long, light red. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in c10 years. Late May

(a) **'Leonard Frisbie'** cv. Deciduous azalea: wild selection from *occidentale* S: F.D. Mossman & B.M. Smith (1968), N: F.D. Mossman & B.M. Smith, I: F.D. Mossman & B.M. Smith (1969), REG: F.D. Mossman & B.M. Smith (1971) Fls 22/compact truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 90mm wide, deep pink (51B), with a strong orange-yellow blotch (17A). Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m

(r) **'Leonard Messel'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: probably a hybrid of *brachyanthum* R: Mrs L.C.R. Messel, I: Anne, Countess of Rosse and National Trust (Nymans) (1966), REG: Anne, Countess of Rosse and National Trust (Nymans) (1966) Fls 4-5/loose truss, open campanulate, c18 × 25mm, light greenish yellow (4B), throat lightly flecked greenish brown. Calyx 5-lobed, lobes up to 4mm long, flushed red. Lvs elliptic, 50 × 25mm, slightly scented, with a sparse covering of scales below. AM 1966

(r) **'Leonardo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Tally Ho Group (s) × *griersonianum* R: G.M. Adams-Acton, N: G.M. Adams-Acton, I: G.M. Adams-Acton (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vermilion

(r) **'Leonardslee Brilliant'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Halopeanum' (s) × *thomsonii* R: Sir Edmund Loder (pre 1920), N: Sir Edmund Loder, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red. (Gem Group)

(r) **'Leonardslee Coralia'** (Syn. of 'Coralia')

(r) **'Leonardslee Cream'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Halopeanum' (s) × 'Loderi Pink Diamond' R: Sir Edmund Loder (pre 1920), I: Lady Loder (1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, flushed rose pink on lower half on outside. AM 1930 (White Lady Group)

(r) **'Leonardslee Flame'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ascot Brilliant' (s) × *thomsonii* R: Sir Edmund Loder (pre 1920), INC: ICRA (1958) (Red Star Group)

(r) **'Leonardslee Gem'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Sir Edmund Loder, I: Lady Loder (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c14/compact truss, broadly campanulate, 5-lobed, 65 × 95mm, soft rosy red, unmarked, nectaries blood red. Calyx greenish yellow. Lvs ovate, up to 150 × 80mm, deep green above, hairless below. (Perhaps a selection of Gem Group)

(r) **'Leonardslee Gem of the Woods'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *ciliatum* hybrid × *virgatum* R: Sir Edmund Loder (1912), I: Lady Loder (1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, campanulate, pure white. Lvs lanceolate, deep green, hairy above and on margins. AM 1925 (Leonardslee Gem of the Woods Group)

(r) **Leonardslee Gem of the Woods Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *ciliatum* hybrid × *virgatum* R: Sir Edmund Loder (1912), I: Lady Loder (1925), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Leonardslee Gertrude'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Halopeanum' (s) × 'Loderi Pink Diamond' R: Sir Edmund Loder (pre 1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with pink markings. (White Lady Group)

(r) **'Leonardslee Giles'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Standishii' (s) × *griffithianum* R: Sir Edmund Loder (pre 1920), I: Lady Loder (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 12/domed truss, 75 × 120mm, 5-lobed, pink in bud, opening pale pink with a little brown spotting on dorsal lobes; fading to white marked with darker patches externally. Lvs elliptic, 225 × 90mm, dark green. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. AM 1948

(r) **'Leonardslee Loki'** (Syn. of 'Loki')

(r) **'Leonardslee Luna'** (Syn. of 'Rosa Bonheur Luna')

(r) **'Leonardslee Luscombei'** (Syn. of 'Pride of Leonardslee')

(r) **Leonardslee May Queen Group** (Syn. of May Queen Group)

(r) **'Leonardslee Peach'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* (s) × *campylocarpum* R: Sir Edmund Loder (pre 1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange pink. (Exminster Group)

(r) **'Leonardslee Pink Bride'** (Syn. of 'Pink Bride')

(r) **'Leonardslee Primrose'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* (s) × *arboreum* subsp. *cinnamomeum* var. *album* R: Sir Edmund Loder (pre 1920), I: Lady Loder (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls primrose, dotted on dorsal lobes with small maroon spots. AM 1933 (Earl of Morley Group)

(r) **'Leonardslee Red Glow'** (Syn. of 'Red Glow')

(r) **Leonardslee Rose du Barri Group** (Syn. of Rose du Barri Group)

(r) **Leonardslee Ruthelma Group** (Syn. of Ruthelma Group)

(r) **Leonardslee Sunkist Group** (Syn. of Sunkist Group)

(r) **'Leonardslee Sunset'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Queen Wilhelmina' (s) × Loderi Group R: Sir Edmund Loder (pre 1920), I: Lady Loder (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c14/conical truss, campanulate, 70 × 80-90mm, 5-7-lobed, flesh pink, with dark shadings outside and small crimson rays; nectaries crimson. Lvs oblong-ovate, up to 160 × 75mm, dark and matt green above. AM 1931 Syn: 'Sunset'

(r) **'Leonardslee White Glory'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *irroratum* (s) × Loderi Group R: Loder (pre 1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Larger and more compact truss than "the type" (i. e. 'White Glory'), with no spotting on the flowers which have a delicate pink tinting outside. AM 1938 (White Glory Group)

(r) **Leonardslee White Lady Group** (Syn. of White Lady Group)

(r) **'Leonardslee Yellow'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lindleyi* × *nuttallii* R: Sir Giles Loder, N: Sir Giles Loder, I: Sir Giles Loder (1964), REG: Sir Giles Loder (1964) Fls 3-4/truss, tubular funnel-campanulate, up to 90 × 95mm, 5-lobed, light yellow (11B) in the throat paling to creamy white at edges. Calyx lobes up to 13mm long, scaly below. Lvs narrowly elliptic, up to 170 × 58mm, dark glossy and green above, glaucous below, scaly on both surfaces. AM 1964, FCC 1980

(r) **'Leonarran'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown G: Sir Giles Loder, N: Sir Giles Loder, I: Sir Giles Loder, REG: Sir Giles Loder (1979) Fls 2-3/loose truss, tubular, up to 75 × 60mm, 5-lobed, white (155A), outside sparingly and irregularly flushed vivid purplish red (57D), dorsal throat lightly spotted yellow-green. Calyx lobes irregular, to 10mm long, reddish green, ciliate, sparsely scaly. Lvs elliptic to broadly elliptic, up to 85 × 34mm, dark green above, glaucous and scaly below, with a fringe of bristly brown hairs. AM 1979 (Obtained as an un-named hybrid from Brodick Castle Gardens, Isle of Arran, Scotland)

(v) **'Leon Bloy'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *konori* × *zoelleri* H: T. Lelliott (1972), G: P. Sullivan (pre 1987), N: P. Sullivan Fls inside deep pink (52B), with a light yellow (10C) throat, outside light yellow (10C); scented

(a) **'Leon de Clercq'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: J. de Strycker (1990), G: J. de Strycker (1994), N: J. de Strycker (1994), I: L. de Clercq (2002), REG: L. de Clercq (2002) Fls 10-15/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, corolla 5-lobed, with additional partially petaloid stamens, rose, flamed white inside and out, with an inconspicuous light orange dorsal blotch; style red; slightly scented. Lvs elliptic, 90 × 30mm, flat, acute at apex and base, matt green above. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m in 5 years. Mid May-early June. (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0034915). Parents described as Knap Hill azaleas)

(a) **'Leonidas'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: H. Demay (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, bright orange vermilion. Indian

(a) **'Léonie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Petrick (1900), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, ivory white, with some carmine red stripes. Indian

(r) **'Leonie Borch'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Jalisco Eclipse' × 'Crest' H: T. Lelliott, G: T. Lelliott (1989), N: Mrs H. Crouch, I: Mrs H. Crouch (1990), REG: Mrs H. Crouch (1991) Fls 10/truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 60mm, 7-lobed, deep pink (50B), with a red-brown flush on the dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 110 × 50mm. Shrub 1.0m

(r) **'Leonie Pink'** cv. Parentage unknown G: J. Faull (1982), N: J. Faull, I: J. Faull, REG: J. Faull (1986) Fls 15-18/truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, strong purplish pink (55B), striped deep purplish pink (55A), with a strong yellow-green blotch (145A) on the dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 130 × 40mm. Shrub 2.0m

(a) **'Leonora'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Eri' × lavender sport of 'Indicum Roseum' R: Q.R. Westfall, I: C.R. Brandt (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light pink. Indian

(r) **'Leonora'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1847), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rosy pink, with green spots. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Leonore'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1866), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Leonore'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum* (s) × 'Hazel Dawson' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-2/truss, 65mm wide, deep rose pink (deep purplish pink (64D)), shading to almost white at base of tube, blotch of inverted horseshoe-shaped spots of tyrian rose. Shrub to 1.2m. Mid-late May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Leonore'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Leuchtfeuer' × 'Schnee' I: R. Meyer (1977) Fls semi-double, deep purplish pink (67C). Calyx normal, green. Late. Indian

(r) **'Leonore'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *auriculatum* (s) × *kyawii* R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12/tall, loose truss, narrow funnel-shaped, 90mm long, with spreading, orbicular lobes, crimson (22/2); outside shaded carmine (21/1). Lvs elliptic, 150-200mm long, bright green, with

brownish indumentum below. July-August. AM 1948 (Leonore Group)

(r) **Leonore Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *auriculatum* (s) × *kyawii* R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1948), INC: ICRA (1958)

(v) **'Leonore Frances'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *macgregoriae* × *aurigeranum* × 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' H: P. Sullivan (1972), G: P. Sullivan (1976), N: P. Sullivan, I: P. Sullivan (1977), REG: P. Sullivan (1987) Fls 12-14/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 44 × 64mm, with 5 flat lobes, bright cherry pink with a cream throat; corolla tube is 19mm long, expanding abruptly into the spreading limb. Calyx vestigial. Lvs elliptic, 89 × 44mm, dull and mid green above, paler below, with tiny scales. Shrub 1.0 × 0.8m in 11 years. February-March

(a) **'Léon Pynaert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Louise Pynaert' I: E. Pynaert-van Geert (c 1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, 100mm wide, pure deep rose, with a few purplish spots on the dorsal lobes. Late. Indian

(a) **'Leon's Amy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Elizabeth Gable' × un-named pink seedling H: L. Yavorsky (c 1965), G: L. Yavorsky, N: L. Yavorsky, I: L. Yavorsky, REG: L. Yavorsky (1987) Fls double (sometimes irregularly so), 2-3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 38 × 63-70mm, moderate purplish pink (68C), with slight dorsal spotting of strong purplish red (63B). Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 25-29 × 10-11mm, hairy, glossy. Shrub 0.5 × 0.6m in 8 years. Early-mid May. Syn: 'Amy'

(r) **'Leon's Bicolored'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catawbiense Album' × 'Mars' H: L. Yavorsky (c 1975), G: L. Yavorsky, N: L. Yavorsky, I: L. Yavorsky, REG: L. Yavorsky (1990) Fls 9/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 51 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish purple (74A) in bud, opening with vivid reddish purple (74B) margins c10mm wide; centre white and with a prominent brilliant yellow (10A) spotted 'eye' on the dorsal lobe; outside solid 74B or with 74B margins and midribs, and lighter reddish purple areas near base and between ribs. Calyx 1mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 121 × 44mm, flat, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.5m in 5 years. Mid May

(a) **'Leon's Red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vuyk's Rosyred' × 'Margie' H: L. Yavorsky (c 1955), G: L. Yavorsky (c 1960), N: L. Yavorsky, I: L. Yavorsky (c 1960), REG: L. Yavorsky (1988) Fls hose-in-hose, 3-4/shoot, open to tubular funnel-shaped, 32 × 38mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish orange (43A); colour does not fade in sun or with age. Calyx 30mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 25 × 16mm, convex to concave, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, hairy above. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 10 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Leon's Rheba'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *mucronulatum* × *racemosum* × *minus* Carolinianum Group H: L. Yavorsky (c 1960), G: L. Yavorsky (c 1963), N: L. Yavorsky, I: L. Yavorsky, REG: L. Yavorsky (1987) Fls 6-10/truss, 32 × 41mm, open funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, light reddish purple (74C) shading to moderate purplish pink (74D) in centre (with age centre fades to almost white); some vivid reddish purple (74A) dorsal spotting. Calyx 1mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 51 × 25mm, scaly. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 10 years. Late April-early May. (Circulated for several years under the reference Pical no. 6)

(a) **'Leon's Sport'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Leon's Red' S: L. Yavorsky, N: L. Yavorsky, I: L. Yavorsky (c 1975), REG: L. Yavorsky (1988) Fls hose-in-hose, 2-3/shoot, broadly funnel-shaped, 32 × 44mm, with 5-6 flat-edged lobes, deep red (53A) in bud, opening strong red (53C, D), vivid red (52A) and deep pink (52B) - colour is variable. Calyx 32mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 22 × 13mm, convex, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairy. Shrub 0.5 × 0.6m in 10 years. Early-mid May. (Discovered by Yavorsky c1973. First published in *J. Am. Rh. Soc.* 37 (2): 69 (1983))

(a) **'Leon's Toby'** cv. Evergreen azalea: purple seedling of unknown parentage × 'Hahn's Red' H: L. Yavorsky (c 1978), G: L. Yavorsky (c 1982), N: L. Yavorsky, I: L. Yavorsky, REG: L. Yavorsky (1987) Fls single, 2-5/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 38 × 57mm, 5-lobed, strong red (53C); does not fade with age. Calyx 5mm long, green. Lvs obovate, 35 × 19mm. Shrub 0.6 × 0.5m in c8 years. Early May

(a) **'Leon's Whimsy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Edna Bee' × seedling of unknown parentage H: L. Yavorsky (c 1978), G: L. Yavorsky (c 1982), N: L. Yavorsky, I: L. Yavorsky, REG: L. Yavorsky (1987) Fls semi-double, 2-4/truss, 32 × 64mm, broadly funnel-shaped, vivid reddish orange (44C), with light dorsal spotting of strong red (46A). Calyx 3mm long, light green. Lvs obovate to elliptic, 35-38 × 16-19mm. Shrub 0.4 × 0.4m in 8 years. Early May

(a) **'Leontientje'** (Probably a synonym of 'Toreador')

(r) **'Leopardii'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* subsp. *cinnamomeum* var. *album* hybrid L: A. Henderson & Co. (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear lilac, with a conspicuous dorsal blotch, all the lobes flaked and striped as well (L. van Houtte cat., 1870). Some earlier accounts indicate the lilac ground was very pale and plants in cultivation in Germany (2000) have white fls with a faint purplish tinge. (Perhaps raised Waterer (Bagshot) as quoted by Van Houtte (1870) & Laurentius (1869))

(r) **'Leopold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mira' (s) × *catawbiense* H: T.J.R. Seidel (1909), G: T.J.R. Seidel, N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark purple violet to lilac, marked yellow-brown. Large shrub

(a) **'Leopold I'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1851), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale sulphur, shaded salmon and orange. Ghent

(a) **'Leopold I'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. van Loo (1858), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark rose, with dark red spots. Indian

(a) **'Leopold II'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Vervaene (1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet/carmine red, with a strong blotch. Indian

(a) **'Leopold II'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange. Ghent

(r) **'Leopold II'** cv. Parentage unknown R: D. Vervaene, I: D. Vervaene (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with purple spotting on three dorsal lobes

(r) **'Leopold II'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1917), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red

(a) **'Leopold III'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red, deeper than 'Etoile de Belgique'. Indian

(a) **'Leopold-Astrid'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Armand Haerens' I: J. Haerens (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, white, edged strong red (50B). Calyx normal, green. Lvs glossy green. Midseason. Indian

(a) **'Leopold Liliane'** (Syn. of 'Madame Roggeman')

(r) **'Leo XIII'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Firma Seidel (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a magenta red band round the flower

(r) **Lepidoboothii Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *lepidotum* (s) × *boothii* H: E.J.P. Magor (1915), G: E.J.P. Magor, N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1919), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls broadly campanulate, 40mm wide, white or yellowish white, tinged with pink and with buff-coloured spots. Lvs very dark green. AM 1919

(a) **'Lepidum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1835), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Listed as 'Lipida' by van Geert but this is regarded as an error: many later listings use 'Lepida' (now correctly rendered as 'Lepidum'))

(r) **'Lepidum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Le Poussin'** (Syn. of 'Barclayanum')

(a) **'Leprechaun'** cv. Evergreen azalea: derived from two un-named Kaempferi azalea seedlings, combined with Kurume and Indian azaleas R: USDA, Beltsville, S: R.L. Pryor, N: USDA, Beltsville (1957), I: USDA, Beltsville (1960), REG: USDA, Beltsville (1961) Fls single, 2-7/truss, 40mm wide, light purple (77C). Lvs semi-persistent, shiny and dark green. Very dwarf shrub, about twice as wide as high

(a) **'Le Printemps'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1875), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, lively lacquer carmine red, with black spots and a pale white sheen. Indian (Perhaps the same plant listed as 'Printemps' *q.v.*)

(a) **'Le Progrès'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Vervaene (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls usually semi-double, fire red, with deep purple blotch on a bluish background. Syn: 'Progrès'. Indian

(r) **'Le Progrès'** (Syn. of 'Progrès')

(a) **'Le Rayon du Matin'** (Syn. of 'Princesse d'Orange')

(r) **'Lerigau'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Duke of York' (s) × *williamsianum* R: D.G. Hobbie (pre 1945), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 6-10/truss, 7-lobed, delicate rose. Young shoots bronzed

(r) **'Leschi'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R. Clark (pre 1980), N: R. Clark

(r) **'Les Jury'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *grande* × *griersonianum* R: unknown (pre 1998) Fls deep pink. Early. (Raised in New Zealand)

(r) **'Lesley Maloney'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lockington Pride' (s) × 'Cup Day' H: D.J. Dosser (1990), G: D.J. Dosser (1998), N: D.J. Dosser (2000), REG: D.J. Dosser (2001) Fls 17/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (66C) in bud, opening white inside and out, with deep purplish pink streaks on both surfaces (marks on each side showing through to the other side) and with strong purplish red (67A) spotting on all lobes; slightly scented. Lvs elliptic, 190 × 52mm, wavy-edged, obtuse at apex and base, matt, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.0m in 10 years. November (Australia). (Standard: scanned colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0027986))

(a) **'Leslie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: P.E. Girard (pre 1985), N: P.E. Girard Fls single, rosy pink

(r) **'Leslie Belle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' (s) × 'One Thousand Butterflies' H: W.A. Stipe (1989), G: W.A. Stipe (1994), N: W.A. Stipe (1997), I: Glynneden Gardens (1997), REG: W.A. Stipe (2000) Fls 18/ball truss, approaching rotate in form, 45 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish purple (74A) in bud, opening inside very pale purple (76C) with a conspicuous vivid purple (81B) edge and a small, strong purplish red (59B) centre; outside strong purple (80B). Lvs elliptic, 125 × 45mm, acute at apex, rounded at base, margins flat, semi-glossy and dark green (136A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.75m in c12 years. Mid May

(r) **'Leslie Hancock'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group (s) × *mucronulatum* 'Cornell Pink' R: L. Hancock (pre 1985)

(a) **'Leslie's Purple'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Elizabeth Gable' × 'Boudoir' H: P.E. Girard (1962), G: P.E. Girard (1965), N: P.E. Girard, I: Girard Nurseries, REG: Girard Nurseries (1975) Fls hose-in-hose (5+5-lobed), 3/ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 50 × 65mm, strong purplish red (7.5RP 5/12), with deep crimson spotting. Calyx 7mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 40 × 17-25mm, glossy above and dark yellowish green (10GY 4/5), hairless. New growth light red. Shrub 0.4 × 0.4m in 6 years. Mid May

(a) **'Le Soupir du Crépuscule'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. Verschaffelt (pre 1847), N: L. Verschaffelt, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, yellow, edged brick red, with dorsal lobe entirely darker yellow. Syn: 'Soupir du Crépuscule', 'Cymodocée' (L. van Houtte, 1849). Ghent

(a) **'Les Parkes'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: ? Australia (pre 1984) Fls double, light pink. Indian

(a) **'L'Esperance'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1875), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright orange, blotched deep orange. Ghent

(r) **'Lessing'** cv. Parentage unknown R: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1929), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, rosy crimson, with darker markings

(a) **'Les's Penny'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: L. Horsborough, G: L. Horsborough (1950), N: F.R. Waghorn, REG: F.R. Waghorn (1986) Fls 15-18/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 45 × 60mm, brilliant orange (29A), flushed strong red (41B) on both sides of lobes. Lvs elliptic, 80 × 30mm. Shrub 2.0m

(a) **'Letegruss'** (A mis-spelling of 'Lentegruss', a syn. of 'Easter Greetings')

(r) **'Letitia Salisbury'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cloudy pink, with a brown eye

(a) **'Le Titien'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Smet, I: C. Vuylsteke (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, centre creamy white, shaded canary yellow, outer petals cream with pale pink, wavy edges. Rustica

(a) **'L'Etoile de Gand'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Président Claeys' I: F. Spae (1858), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls a light shaded salmon, with a star like centre, a broad white border and crimson spots.. Syn: 'Etoile de Gand'. Indian

(a) **'Let's Dance'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, soft pink with a light yellow dorsal lobe; scented. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Mid-late June

(a) **'Lette Parkes'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Kelmscott Azalea Gardens (1984) Fls double, candy pink. Indian

(r) **'Lettie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: (*catawbiense* × *haematodes*) × 'Mars × 'Ralph Pape' H: Mrs M. Yates (1977), G: Mrs M. Yates (1984), N: Mrs M. Yates, REG: Mrs M. Yates (1986) Fls 10-13/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 44 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds strong purplish red (63B), opening 63B at edges, shading rapidly to a white throat, with two small rays and a few spots of vivid yellow-green (154A) in the throat; outside strong purplish red (63B). Calyx minute, strong yellow-green (141D). Lvs elliptic, 127 × 51mm, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate olive green (147C) below and slightly hairy; new lvs with a light tan indumentum. Shrub 1.1 × 1.2m in 9 years. Mid May

(r) **'Letty Edwards'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* Elatum Group (s) × *fortunei* R: S.R. Clarke (pre 1946), N: S.R. Clarke, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 9-12/truss, funnel-shaped, 65 × 70mm, light greenish yellow (6D), shaded slightly darker. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. *AM 1946, *FCC 1948 (Letty Edwards Group)

(r) **Letty Edwards Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocapum* Elatum Group (s) × *fortunei* R: S.R. Clarke (pre 1946), N: S.R. Clarke, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Leucanthea'** (See note under 'Leucothoë')

(a) **'Leucanthemum Album'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1900), INC: ICRA (1958) (A hardy azalea, exhibited by Cuthbert, 1900)

(r) **'Leucanthum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *campylogynum* hybrid N: C. Ingram (1969), I: C. Ingram (1973) Fls usually 2/truss, nodding, open campanulate, c14mm long, white (155C); stamens 10, lower third hairy. Calyx lobes c4mm long, scaly, hardly spreading. Lvs obovate, c10-25 × 5-11mm, dark green above, with a large number of scales on both surfaces (pale above, brown below), highly aromatic. Flattened shrub c25cm tall. AM 1973 (Formerly considered to be a selection of the species; has also been listed in error as 'Leucanthemum')

(az) **'Leucanthum'** cv. Azaleodendron: parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1856), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed by Baumann under his yellow rhododendrons; assumed here to be an azaleodendron)

(a) **'Leucanthum Delicatissimum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Verschaffelt (pre 1844), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with green spots alternated with lemon yellow. Indian

(a) **'Leuchtfeuer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: R. Ambrosius (1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double (with an average of 3 stamens/flower), strong red (53D) to strong purplish red (58C). Calyx normal, green. Late. Indian

(r) **'Leuchtfeuer'** (Syn. of 'Bruns Leuchtfeuer')

(a) **'Leucomegista'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1845), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. Indian (Exhibited as such by Robertson (UK) in 1845; also seen listed as 'Leucomagesta' by H. Lane & Son (1852) and as 'Leucomagiste' by A. van Geert (1849))

(a) **'Leucothoë'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (pre 1877), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, large, ivory white. Indian (Original listing in 1958 Register as "Leucanthea" appears to have been an error; also seen as 'Leukothea' (C. Vuylsteke cat., 1877/78) where it was said to be pure white; attribution to Schulz and date of introduction require confirmation)

(a) **'Leukothea'** (See note under 'Leucothoë')

(a) **'Le Vainquur'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls black lacquer red. Indian

(a) **'LeVengeur'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: E. van der Cruyssen (1880), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, with wavy-edged lobes, carmine red. Indian

(r) **'Leverett Richards'** cv. Elepidoterhododendron: *wardii* × F.C. Puddle Group × 'Mrs Betty Robertson' H: W.E. Whitney, N: G. & Mrs A. Sather, I: G. & Mrs A. Sather (1975) Fls pink in bud, opening yellow. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. (Sometimes seen in error as 'Laverett(e) Pichard')

(a) **'Leviathan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Ivery (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, white, tinged violet. Indian

(r) **'Leviathan'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pinkish white, darker towards edges, spotted. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Lewis Carroll'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1932), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls trumpet-shaped, very large, white, pink edged, with a distinct 'eye'

(r) **'Lhasa'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *nuttallii*, grown from LS & E 12117 R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners, REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1971) Fls flushed yellow. PC 1971

(a) **'L'Hirondelle'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: W.C. Hage & Co. (1953), REG: W.C. Hage & Co. (1968) Fls single, carmine rose, tinged with salmon (621). Early. Syn: 'Hirondelle'

(r) **'Liane'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cunningham's White' (s) × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: J. Bruns Nursery (1970), G: J. Bruns Nursery (1976), N: J. Bruns Nursery (1988), I: J. Bruns Nursery (1995), REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1996) Fls 12-17/broad, rounded truss, open funnel-shaped, 42-54 × 60-75mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, pure white in bud, opening inside pure white with a soft lilac tinge at first, outside pure white; very faint yellow-green markings on dorsal lobe. Calyx 1mm long, yellowish. Lvs elliptic, 42-122 × 25-46mm, margins decurved, matt green above, acuminate at apex, rounded at base, with light brownish grey hairs. Compact shrub, 0.65 × 0.9m in 10 years. Mid-late May

(a) **'Libby'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* (white), open-pollinated G: Mrs J.W. Hill (1970), N: Mrs J.W. Hill, I: Mrs J.W. Hill (1970), REG: Mrs J.W. Hill (1976) Fls 1-3/truss, open funnel-shaped, 30 × 45mm, with 5 smooth to wavy-edged lobes, buds slightly darker than open flower which is between moderate purplish pink (2.5RP 7/8) and light purplish pink (5RP 8/5), lightly blotched tan to moderate purplish red (5RP 5/10). Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 40 × 18mm, green, with reddish hairs above and below; new growth tan. Shrub 0.5 × 0.6m in 7 years. Early June. (Seed from T. Rokujo, 1965)

(r) **'Libelle'** (Syn. of 'Hachmann's Libelle')

(r) **'Libelle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Faggetter's Favourite' (s) × *williamsianum* R: D.G. Hobbie (pre 1945), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, 7-lobed, bright rose

(a) **'Liberty'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Gebr Kersbergen, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, dark pink. Midseason. Mollis

(r) **Liberty Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Eupheno Group (s) × *barbatum* H: Lord Aberconway (1936), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red

(v) **'Liberty Bar'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lochiae* (s) × *aurigeranum* H: D.B. Stanton, G: D.B. Stanton (1981), I: J.L. Rouse, REG: J.L. Rouse (1984) Fls 10-15/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, deep yellowish pink (39B). Lvs elliptic, 90 × 40mm. Shrub c1.5 × 1.5m

(r) **'Libretto'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lee's Best Purple' (s) × 'Purple Splendour' H: H. Hachmann (1979), G: H. Hachmann (1984), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1991), REG: G. Stück (1991) Fls 11-14/rounded truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40-50 × 70-78mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep reddish purple (77A), shading inwards to strong purple (77B), tinged strong purplish red (72A) inside and out; dorsal lobe marked with strong yellow-green (144A/B), on a paler ground (more-or-less pale yellow (161D)); colour does not fade in sun. Calyx 1-2mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 80-100 × 35-45mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, dark green above, with pale brown hairs. Shrub 1.3 × 1.5m in 10 years, of broad, compact habit. Early-late June

(r) **'Lichtblick'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Inamorata Group × Volker Group R: W. Nagel (1968), N: W. Nagel, I: W. Nagel (1999), REG: ICRA (2000) Fls light yellow, with a red basal blotch. Lvs very dark green. Compact shrub of broadly upright habit

(r) **'Liddy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1909), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose red, tinged lilac, with a large, dark red marking and carmine red lines

(a) **'Liebig's Superbum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L.L. Liebig (pre 1873), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls fiery carmine red. Indian

(a) **'Liebnitz'** (An error for 'Leibnitz')

(a) **'Liene'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Exbury (ie Knap Hill) azalea hybrids H: R. Kondratovičs (1971), G: R. Kondratovičs (1976), N: R. Kondratovičs, I: Rhododendron Nursery "Babīte" of University of Latvia (2001), REG: R. Kondratovičs (2002) Fls 9/strongly domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 60-70 × 60-70mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, inside poppy red (16/1) with a bright yellow blotch on the dorsal lobe; filaments orange, anthers yellow; style orange-red, stigma green. Calyx 3.5mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 100 ×

40mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, pointed at base, matt green above, with white hairs persistent above when mature. Shrub 2.5 × 3.0m in 20 years. Early June. (Published in *Dārzs un Drava*: 23-24 (November, 2001))

(r) **'Liesbeth'** cv. Parentage unknown R: H.T. Hooftman, N: H.T. Hooftman, I: H.T. Hooftman, REG: H.T. Hooftman (1964) Fls 15-17/compact truss, solferino purple (26/2)

(r) **'Lieselotte Herrmann'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling of 'Caractacus' R: E. Herrmann (pre 1966) Fls rose, with greenish yellow markings

(a) **'Liesma'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *molle* subsp. *japonicum* H: R. Kondratovičs (1965), G: R. Kondratovičs (1972), N: R. Kondratovičs, I: Rhododendron Nursery "Babīte" of University of Latvia (2001), REG: R. Kondratovičs (2002) Fls single, 6-15/strongly domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 75-85 × 75-85mm, with 5 more-or-less flat-edged lobes, bright poppy red (16/1) inside, with a light yellow blotch on the dorsal lobe; filaments orange, anthers yellow; style orange, stigma green. Calyx 3mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic-oblong, 110 × 35mm, wavy-edged, broadly acute at apex, pointed at base, glossy green above, with white hairs persistent above when mature. Shrub 2.5 × 2.5m in 25 years. Late May-early June. (Published in *Rhododendri*, Kondratovičs (1978), plus illustration)

(r) **'Lies Weesjes'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Belvedere' H: H.L. Larson (1968), G: Mrs E. & K.N. Weesjes (c 1978), N: K.N. Weesjes (1998), REG: Mrs E. & K.N. Weesjes (1998) Fls 13-15/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 45mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63B) in bud, opening strong purplish pink (63C) throughout, fading to pale purplish pink (55D) inside, with faint, yellowish green spotting on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 25mm long, lobes reflexed, pale purplish pink (55D). Lvs elliptic, 100 × 40mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull, mid green above, silvery grey hairy above and below at first, hairs becoming pale yellow (162D) with age and remaining only below. Shrub 1.5 × 2.1m in 20 years. Early May

(a) **'Lieutenant Bartet'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Moser & Son (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, golden yellow, with a dark yellow blotch. Ghent

(r) **'Lieutenant Cameron'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac rose

(r) **'Lieutenant David Chaikin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: unknown red-flowered hybrid × *yakushimanum* × 'Mars' H: R. King (1979), G: A.R. Brooks (c 1985), N: R.W. Chaikin, I: R.W. Chaikin, REG: R.W. Chaikin (1992) Fls 16-18/tight, ball truss, funnel-shaped, 32 × 51mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep red (60A) with a faint white dorsal blotch and a white style. Lvs elliptic, 51-89 × 38mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 10 years. Early June

(a) **'Lieveling'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Charme de Noël' I: A. Haerens (1932), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, light violet rose, with no blotch. Indian

(a) **'Lieven de Meulemeester'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Madame van der Cruyssen' × 'Ernst Thiers' R: M. de Meulemeester, N: M. de Meulemeester, I: M. de Meulemeester (1965) Fls red. Late. Indian

(r) **'Lifeforce'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Making Waves' (s) × 'Ada Lohr' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls moderate purplish red (186A, B), dark purplish pink (186C) and moderate purplish pink (186D) in bud, opening pale pink (49D) and moderate pink (51D), with a light greenish yellow (3D) dorsal flare and strong yellow-green (144B) dorsal spotting. (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **Lifeguard Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* (s) × Lancer Group H: Lord Aberconway (1936), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red

(a) **'Liffey'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: F.E.W. Hanger, G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, REG: Royal Horticultural Society (1971) Fls 16/more-or-less compact, domed truss, funnel-shaped, 65 × 75mm, white, with cream ribs, and a blotch of more-or-less strong orange (25B) in the centre, fading at the margin to more-or-less brilliant orange-yellow (21B). Lvs 70 × 25mm, mid green. Shrub 1.1m. *HC 1971. Knap Hill

(r) **'Ligava'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* hybrid R: R. Kondratovičs (c 1967), N: R. Kondratovičs Fls with 5 narrowly wavy-edged lobes, almost white, with purple tinges towards margins and a scattering of green dorsal spots; stigma bright red, conspicuous; filaments very pale or white

(r) **'Light and Easy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tony's Gift' (s) × 'Maxhaem Salmon' H: W.E. Delp (1975), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 23/truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 75mm, 5-lobed, shades of purple in bud (84A, 76A-D), opening very pale purple (76C, D) with a pale greenish yellow (1D) flare and strong yellow-green (144A) dorsal spots; filaments white; style vivid purplish red (57D); anthers very pale purple (76D); stigma strong purplish red (67A). Lvs 105 × 42mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 17 years. Early June

(r) **'Lighthouse'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* 'Bennett' (s) × 'Sir John Waterer' H: K. Van de Ven (1973), G: K. Van de Ven (1975), N: K. Van de Ven (1975), I: Olinda Nursery, REG: K. Van de Ven (1995) Fls 17-24/conical truss, campanulate, 45 × 55mm, with 5 lobes, strong red (53B) throughout, with one dark spot at the base of the throat. Stamens 10, unequal; style pink. Lvs elliptic, 130 × 50mm, margins decurved, acute

to obtuse at apex, attenuate at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 4.0 × 3.0m in 20 years. Mid spring

(r) **'Lightly Lavender'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Purple Splendour' I: H.E. Greer (1988) Fls light lavender. Lvs 75-100mm long, deep green, with a very light indumentum below. Compact shrub, 1.2m in 10 years. Midseason (often blooms in autumn)

(a) **'Lightning Ridge'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: M.E. Greentree (1973), G: M.E. Greentree (1977), N: Camellia Lodge Nursery, I: Camellia Lodge Nursery (1987), REG: Camellia Lodge Nursery (1988) Fls hose-in-hose, 2/truss, funnel-shaped, 30 × 60mm, deep red (53A). Lvs obovate, 25 × 15mm. Shrub 0.3m tall. Spring. Kurume

(a) **'Light Touch'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Shugetsu (s) × 'Splendens' (Indian) H: E.W. Jordan (1990), G: E.W. Jordan (1996), N: E.W. Jordan (1997), REG: E.W. Jordan (1997) Fls 3/flat, open truss, like 'Splendens' in form, 75mm wide, with 5 flat-edged lobes, strong pink (54C) in bud, opening inside pale purplish pink (56B) shading to strong pink (54C) at lobe edges, outside moderate purplish pink (54D); unspotted. Lvs obliquely elliptic, 58 × 20mm, flat, mucronate at apex, oblique at base, matt green above, ciliate. Shrub 0.6 × 0.3m. Spring

(r) **'Light Touch'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan' × 'Sun Devil' R: L.W. Bulgin (pre 1990) Fls coral, with a deep red throat. Lvs deep green, with prominent veins. Shrub 0.9m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Light Years'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nancy Evans' (s) × 'Mrs Furnivall' H: J. Barlup (1989), G: J. Barlup (1994), N: J. Barlup, REG: J. Barlup (1996) Fls 15/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 95mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep red (60A) in bud, opening inside pale purplish pink (56B) at margins, fading to pale yellow (11C) at centre, with discrete, dark reddish orange (173A) spotting on the light yellow (11B) dorsal lobe; outside with pale purplish pink (55B) midribs and a pale yellow (11C) base. Calyx irregular, up to 25mm long, pale yellow (11C) with strong purplish pink (55B) edges and dark reddish orange (173A) spotting on two dorsal lobes. Lvs oblong, 115 × 50mm, margins upcurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull, moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (146B) below, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 7 years. Mid May

(r) **'Līgo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *catawbiense* H: R. Kondratovičs (1957), G: R. Kondratovičs (1972), N: R. Kondratovičs, I: Rhododendron Nursery "Babīte" of University of Latvia (2000), REG: R. Kondratovičs (2002) Fls 9-16/dense, slightly domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 70 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside light purple (75A), outside deep purplish pink (73A), with relatively inconspicuous, dark reddish orange (175B) spots on the dorsal lobe; filaments light violet, anthers grey-brown; style light violet, stigma and upper part of style cherry red. Calyx 2mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 60mm, margins strongly decurved, obtuse at apex, cordate at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 2.5m in 20 years. (Published in *Latvijas selekcionaru Ziedi* (1999))

(r) **'Like Ben Moseley'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943) Fls rose pink (more vivid than 'Ben Moseley'). Syn: 'Besson'

(r) **'Like Fluff'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × Vanessa Group R: R.M. Bovee (pre 1960) Fls light pink, fading almost to white. Shrub 0.9m in 10 years. Midseason

(a) **'Lila'** cv. Deciduous azalea: grown from imported Knap Hill Nursery seed, parentage unknown G: Bovees Nursery, N: Bovees Nursery (pre 1965), I: Bovees Nursery Fls 100mm wide, 5-6-lobed, pale yellow in bud, with pink tips, opening ivory white, with a large, deep yellow blotch. Lvs dark green

(a) **'Lilac'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose lavender. Indian

(a) **'Lilac Beauty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Firma C. Esveld (1984) Fls rose. Shrub 0.5-0.6m. (Esveld say this was probably an error for 'Little Beauty')

(a) **'Lilac Beethoven'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Vuyk (c 1960), N: A. Vuyk Fls moderate purple, with a red blotch

(a) **'Lilac Charm'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: A. Pericat, N: R.P. Mayo Nurseries, I: R.P. Mayo Nurseries, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, with partially petaloid sepals, 55mm wide, lilac. Pericat

(a) **'Lilac Diamond'** (Syn. of 'Diamant Hellila')

(r) **'Lilac Haze'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kristin' (s) × 'Calsap' H: A.W. Smith, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls vivid purple (81A, 82A) in bud, opening light purple (81C, D) with a deep reddish purple (77A) dorsal flare and spotting. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Lilaciaria'** cv. Parentage unknown L: R. Veitch & Son (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls shaded lilac, with darker markings

(a) **'Lilacinum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown, but closely related to *mucronatum* R: unknown (pre 1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 55-100mm wide, light reddish purple (632/1), with a red blotch and 10 stamens. Syn: 'Purpureum'

(r) **'Lilacinum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: S.B. Parsons, N: S.B. Parsons, INC: ICRA (1958)

(az) **'Lilacinum Luteum'** cv. Azaleodendron: parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1856), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed by Baumann under his yellow rhododendrons; assumed here to be an azaleodendron)

(a) **'Lilacinum Striatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1849), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Makoy attributes it to Smith)

(a) **'Lilac Lady'** (Syn. of 'Nuccio's Lilac Lady')

(r) **'Lilac Lagoon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Davies Evans' (s) × 'Microflare' H: A.W. Smith (1986), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 17/truss, open funnel-shaped, 64 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid and strong purple (82A, B) in bud, opening very pale purple (76D), heavily edged with a blend of strong and light purple (84A, B); filaments and style light purple (84C); anthers dark purplish pink (186C); stigma moderate yellow-green (146C). Lvs 114 × 44mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.1m in 6 years. Early June

(a) **'Lilac Pearl'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: A. Pericat, N: R.P. Mayo Nurseries, I: R.P. Mayo Nurseries, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 40mm wide, pink. Low, spreading shrub. Midseason. Pericat

(r) **'Lilac Pixie'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: tetraploid *minus* Carolinianum Group × 'Blue Diamond' × 'Epoch' × *augustinii* H: W.E. Delp (pre 1990), G: W.E. Delp

(a) **'Lilacs'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac. Kurume

(a) **'Lilac Superbum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1844), INC: ICRA (1958) (Perhaps 'Lilacinum Superbum' was intended)

(a) **'Lilac Time'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L.J. Endtz & Co., N: L.J. Endtz & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, intense lilac, with slight reddish markings. Shrub 1.0m. Midseason. Kaempferi

(r) **'Lilac Time'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* subsp. *diaprepes* (s) × 'Purple Splendour' H: E.G.W.W. Harrison, N: E.G.W.W. Harrison, I: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1956), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Lila Pedigo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Odee Wright' × 'Crest' R: Mrs L. Pedigo (pre 1985), N: Mrs L. Pedigo Fls in a large upright truss, with very wavy-edged lobes, chartreuse yellow, with very light red spotting in the throat. Lvs deep glossy green. Compact shrub, 1.2m in 10 years. Midseason

(a) **'Lila Stapleton'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: B.Y. Morrison (pre 1987), N: B.Y. Morrison Fls double to semi-double, with imbricated petals, pale yellowish white. Low, compact shrub. Back Acres

(r) **'Lilazauber'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group × *smirnowii* (s) × 'Purple Splendour' H: H. Meltzer (1984), G: H. Meltzer (1987), N: H. Meltzer, REG: H. Meltzer (1996) Fls 8-10/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 30 × 40-50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep reddish purple (77A) in bud, opening light purple (75A) on ventral lobes and paling towards centre, vivid violet (87A) on dorsal lobes and marked dark greyish purple (202A). Calyx 20mm long, lilac. Lvs elliptic, 70-100 × 25-30mm, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.7m. May

(r) **'Lilian'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably *griffithianum* × *catawbiense* R: J.H. Mangles (pre 1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c10/loose, open-topped truss, open campanulate, 65-70 × 85-95mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (58B) outside (paler on ventral side); inside white, edged vivid purplish red (57C) with lines of dark red-purple or brownish spots below each sinus (especially on dorsal side). Calyx 8mm long, regular, pinkish, edged white. Lvs oblong to elliptic, up to 190 × 65mm, dark and shiny green above, hairless below

(r) **'Lilianae'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* (blood red form) × Shilsonii Group R: S. Smith, I: R.B. Fox (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c18/truss, campanulate, c75mm wide, blood red, shaded carmine. Lvs deep green above. AM 1914 (Cornubia Group)

(az) **'Lilian Harvey'** cv. Azaleodendron: *racemosum* (s) × 'Hatsu-giri' R: W.H. Hardijzer, N: W.H. Hardijzer, I: P.W. Hardijzer (1965), REG: P.W. Hardijzer (1966) Fls 18-21/globular, compact truss, broadly funnel-shaped, c22 × 20mm, white, flushed deep purplish pink (73A) especially along midveins. Lvs 25 × 9mm, fairly glossy and rather dark green above. Shrub 0.8m. *HC 1976, *AM 1983

(a) **'Lilienstein'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kiusianum* hybrid R: VEG Saatzucht Zierpflanzen (pre 1980), N: VEG Saatzucht Zierpflanzen Fls dark lilac

(a) **'Liliiflorum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: close to *mucronatum* I: J. Rinz (c 1854), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Liliiflorum Album'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. (Exhibited by C. Michel (France), 1852)

(a) **'Liliiflorum Novum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: van Geersdaele (1841), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, pure white. Indian

(a) **'Liliiflorum Roseum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: F. Schneider (1863), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Lilikoi'** cv. Deciduous azalea: grown from imported Knap Hill Nursery seed, parentage unknown R: Bovees Nursery, N: Bovees Nursery, I: Bovees Nursery (c 1976) Fls 100mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, light greenish yellow (5D), with a faint light greenish yellow (5C) blotch

(v) **'Lilinoe'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *zoelleri* × *leucogigas* (s) × 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' H: R.A.

Mitchell (1995), G: R.A. Mitchell (2000), N: R.A. Mitchell (2002), REG: R.A. Mitchell (2002) Fls 3/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 75 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside light yellow (20B), with 2 red blotches at base of each lobe; outside light yellow (20B) at margins, blending into vivid reddish orange (40B) at the middle of the tube. Calyx 6mm long, light yellow (20B). Lvs elliptic to orbicular, 90 × 55mm, margins flat, acuminate at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and deep yellowish green (141A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 0.6m in 7 years. November. (Etymology: named for the Hawaiian goddess of the mists)

(a) **'Lilium'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls "lily-shaped", 80mm wide, orange. Indian

(a) **'Li'l Lavender'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably a seedling of 'Dayspring' R: I.L. Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L. Amann Fls hose-in-hose, 30mm wide, strong purplish pink (68B). Midseason

(r) **'Lillian Deans'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *grande* × *protistum* var. *giganteum* R: J. Deans, N: R.G. Deans, REG: R.G. Deans (1968) Fls 9-10/tight truss, pink in bud, opening to pale cream, darker in the throat. Lvs averaging 300 × 100mm, dark green above, pale green below. Shrub c2.9 × 4.5m

(r) **'Lillian Hodgson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Solent Queen' × 'Old Copper' H: R.C. Rhodes, G: R.C. Rhodes, N: R.C. Rhodes, I: R.C. Rhodes (1978), REG: R.C. Rhodes (1979) Fls pale orange-yellow (16D) at centre, edged light yellowish pink (37D)

(r) **'Lillian Mauney'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Furnivall' × 'Mount Siga' H: R. Emmerich (1967), G: D.S. Kellam (1972), N: D.S. Kellam, REG: D.S. Kellam (1989) Fls 11-13/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 89mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds vivid purplish red (66B) to deep purplish pink (66C) and moderate purplish pink (66D), openingvivid purplish red (67B), with light purplish pink (62C) edges and a prominent moderate red (185B) to moderate purplish red (185C) spotted dorsal flare; slightly scented. Calyx 6mm long, orange-pink. Lvs obovate, 140 × 57mm, convex, apiculate at apex, oblique at base, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 2.7m in 21 years. Mid-late April

(r) **'Lillian Peste'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' (s) × un-named hybrid H: F. Peste (1970), G: F. Peste, N: F. Peste, I: F. Peste, REG: F. Peste (1983) Fls 25-30/truss, 50 × 65mm, tubular-campanulate, 5-lobed, light yellowish pink (38D) at edges, shading to light yellowish pink (29C) in the throat, with very narrow, deep purplish pink (61D) edges to lobes; outside shaded pink. Calyx up to 20mm long, light yellowish pink (38D). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 110-120mm long, moderate olive green (137A), with a heavy, light yellow (163D) indumentum below, maturing through moderate orange-yellow (165C) to near light yellowish brown (199C). Shrub c0.6m in 10 years

(a) **'Lillie Maude'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' × *mucronatum* × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 2-3/truss, 75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, clear tyrian pink (strong purplish red (71D)). Spreading shrub to 1.5m. Mid-late May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Lilliput'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Daimio' × *simsii* R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1966) Fls 1-2/truss, funnel-shaped, c40 × 45mm, with wavy-edged lobes, between strong pink (48C) and deep yellowish pink (47C), with light spotting on the lower lobe of reddish brown. Lvs 90 × 13mm, light glossy green. Shrub 0.3 × 1.1m. Late May. *HC 1966

(r) **'Lilofee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nova Zembla' × 'Purple Splendour' × 'Purple Splendour' H: H. Hachmann (1976), G: H. Hachmann (1981), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1990), REG: G. Stück (1991) Fls 14-16/rounded truss, funnel-shaped, 45-50 × 70-80mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish purple (72B), the dorsal lobe with dark purple markings (79B) on a dark red to deep purplish red (59A-B) ground; conspicuous, long, white filaments. Calyx 2mm long, greenish. Lvs elliptic, 100-160 × 35-60mm, acute at apex, dark glossy green above, with brown hairs below. Shrub 1.1 × 1.3m in 10 years, of erect but compact habit. Mid May-early June. (First published in *Deutsche Rhododendron-Gesellschaft, Jahrbuch 1990*. p.68 (1991))

(r) **'Lily'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alice' × *auriculatum* (s) × 'Mrs Donald Graham' R: E. Ostbo (pre 1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white; scented. Lvs narrow, deep green. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Syn: 'Easter Lily', 'Lily No. 1', 'White Lily'

(r) **'Lily Dache'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon pink. (Azor Group)

(r) **'Lily Maid'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × unknown H: B. Nelson (c 1964), N: F. Putney, I: F. Putney (1974), REG: F. Putney (1975) Fls up to 16/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, moderate pink (51D) in bud, opening pale pink (49D), with a light yellow (11B) throat and a stripe-like blotch of moderate reddish orange (173B) fading to pale pink (49D) towards apex; scented. Calyx 3mm long, pale yellow-green (157C). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 220 × 75mm, hairless, moderate olive green. Shrub 2.2 × 1.5m in 10 years

(a) **'Lily Marleen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Little Ruby' × 'Doctor W.F. Wery' R: Vuyk van Nes, N: Vuyk van Nes, REG: Vuyk van Nes (1968) Fls double and hose-in-hose, 2-5/truss, 30 × 40mm, broadly funnel-shaped, strong purplish red (58B). Lvs 20 × 10mm, light glossy green. Midseason. *AM 1982 Syn: 'Marlene Vuyk'. Vuykiana

(a) **'Lily Mearns'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: D. Parmenter (pre 1969), N: D. Parmenter Fls single, large, with a long tube, pink

(r) **'Lily No. 1'** (Syn. of 'Lily')

(r) **'Lily No. 7'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown, I: New Zealand Rhododendron Association (1980s) Fls large, in large, rounded trusses, soft peach; no stamens. Shrub 1.5m. Late

(r) **'Lily's Sister'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Australia (1984)

(r) **'Lily White'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ermine' (s) × 'Umpqua Chief' × 'Fawn' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls strong red (51A) and deep pink (51B, C) in bud, opening strong red (51A) and deep pink (51B, C), fading to pure white, with white filaments and style. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Limba'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nordlicht' × 'Ronja' R: Bernd Jackst GbR (1992), N: Bernd Jackst GbR, I: Bernd Jackst GbR, REG: Bernd Jackst GbR (1998) Fls double, light pink

(r) **'Limbatum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cunningham's White' × 'Blandyanum' R: J. Standish (pre 1857), N: J. Standish, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, paler towards the centre, with reddish margins on the dorsal lobe

(r) **'Limeade'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: (*brachycarpum* × 'Crest') × 'Delp's Cindy Lou' (s) × *aureum* × *maximum* H: W.E. Delp (1986), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls brilliant yellow-green (154C) in bud, opening light yellow-green (2C). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer (1986))

(r) **'Lime Chiffon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vinecrest' (s) × 'Ken Janeck' H: A.W. Smith (pre 1989), G: D. Irish-Hosler (1998), N: D. Irish-Hosler (2000), REG: D. Irish-Hosler (2000) Fls 14/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside pale yellow-green (4D), shading to pale yellow-green (157A-B) at base, unmarked; outside close to pale yellow-green (4D). Lvs elliptic, 100 × 35mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins downcurved, dull and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in c12 years. Early

(a) **'Limelight'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Camellia Grove Nursery (1974) Fls double, white, touched with green in the throat. (Possibly a synonym of 'Nuccio's Limelight')

(a) **'Limelight'** cv. Evergreen azalea: double pink florists' azalea × 'Treasure' R: USDA, Glenn Dale (pre 1985) Fls semi-double, 65mm wide, white, with a green blotch. (May be the same plant as 'Green Mist', which name has priority)

(r) **'Limelight'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' (s) × *fortunei* × *wardii* R: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach (1961), I: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1962) Fls 12-15/full, globular truss, open saucer-shaped (resembling *wardii*), 80mm wide, 7-lobed, pale yellow (10Y 11/7) with a strong yellow-green (2.5GY 7/10) dorsal blotch. Lvs 125 × 55mm. Shrub 1.1 × 1.4m. Midseason

(a) **'Limerick'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × *kaempferi* R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, 40-50mm wide, white, striped spinel pink to spinel red (strong to moderate purplish red (59D, 58A)); general effect is flesh pink. Shrub to 1.9m. Mid April. Glenn Dale

(r) **Limerick Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' (s) × *dichroanthum* R: Earl of Limerick, N: Earl of Limerick, I: Earl of Limerick (1948), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Limetta'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Cecile' × 'Klondyke' × 'Marion Merriman' H: H. Hachmann (1971), G: H. Hachmann (1976), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1991), REG: G. Stück (1991) Fls single, 10-12/truss, 45-50 × 80-85mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, brilliant yellow (14C), tinged vivid yellow (14B) inside and out, dorsal lobe with a blotch of strong orange-yellow (14A); stamens 5, filaments light yellow (14D), anthers moderate reddish brown to brownish orange (166B/C); style 14D, stigma strong yellow-green (144A). Calyx 5mm long, light green. Lvs broadly elliptic, 85-100 × 35mm, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.6m in 10 years, of loose, erect habit. Late May-early June

(a) **'Limona'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1969). Knap Hill (Listed as a parent of 'Yasmina')

(a) **'L'Impératrice'** (Syn. of 'Imperatrix')

(a) **'L'Imperial'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Vervaene (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale red, with a purplish blotch and blackspots. Indian

(a) **'Lina Born'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'James Veitch' I: J. Rose (1886), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rounded, rose, edged with a broad, pure white band, and with a strong red blotch. Indian (Previously listed in error as 'Linna Born')

(a) **'Lina Herrmann'** (Syn. of 'Frau Lina Herrmann')

(a) **'Lina Schulz'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Schulz (1887), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, bright cinnabar red, with a metallic sheen. Indian

(r) **'Lincoln'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: Stanley Hall (pre 1972) Fls crimson red, with a white throat. Lvs dark green. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Late

(a) **'Linda'** (Syn. of 'Linda Jean')

(r) **'Linda'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' × *williamsianum* R: Boskoop, N: Boskoop, REG: Boskoop (1968) Fls 7-8/truss, open campanulate, 60-70mm wide, rose red (24/1). Lvs broadly ovate, 50-80mm long, dull green; young shoots bronze. Compact, globular shrub, 0.8-1.0m in 10 years. Midseason-late

(a) **'Linda Ann'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J.B. Gable (pre 1972), N: J.B. Gable Fls double, 40mm wide, pink. Shrub to 1.8m. Gable

(a) **'Linda Cuthill'** cv. Deciduous azalea: probably an 'Altaclerense' seedling R: B. Chandler & Son (c 1950), N: Cuthill (pre 1984) Fls golden yellow. Good autumn colour. Mollis

(a) **'Linda Jean'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Helen Close' × 'Glamour' H: W.L. Guttormsen (1960), G: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen (1973), REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1979) Fls double (no normal stamens), 1-2/truss, open funnel-shaped, with 11 flat-edged lobes, 75mm wide, strong purplish pink (68B). Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 45 × 20mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (146A) above. Shrub 0.4 × 0.8m in 8 years. Mid May. Syn: 'Linda'

(a) **'Linda Lewis'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: D. Lewis (pre 1987), N: D. Lewis Fls hose-in-hose, sometimes semi-double, 50-65mm wide, with ruffled lobes, deep pink, with irregular red stripes; sometimes sports solid red flowers

(r) **'Linda Marie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from open-pollinated *irroratum* subsp. *irroratum* G: H. Vaartnou (1966), S: H. Vaartnou (1963), N: H. Vaartnou, REG: H. Vaartnou (1989) Fls 15-18/conical truss, campanulate, 51 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds rose, opening light purplish pink (55C) with dorsal lobe blotched and heavily spotted maroon. Calyx 1mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 127 × 38mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 2.4 × 2.1m in 25 years. April

(a) **'Linda R'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Eikan' R: W. Curtis (pre 1983), N: W. Curtis Fls 75-100mm wide, with 6-9 wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Linda Stuart'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Blaauw's Pink' × unknown seedling H: L. Yavorsky (c 1965), G: L. Yavorsky, N: L. Yavorsky, I: L. Yavorsky, REG: L. Yavorsky (1987) Fls hose-in-hose, 3-4/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 25 × 38mm, buds vivid reddish orange to deep yellowish pink (43B & 43C), with lighter streaks, opening creamy white, with 43C margins and some dorsal spotting. Calyx 15-20mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs obovate, 35-38 × 19-25mm. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m, in c20 years. Early-mid May

(r) **'Lindberg'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Lady Bessborough Group (s) × Dido Group I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) (Jalisco Group)

(r) **Lindbull Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *lindleyi* (s) × *edgeworthii* R: E.J.P. Magor (1920), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1926), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, yellow at base; sweetly scented

(r) **Lind-dal Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *lindleyi* (s) × *dalhousiae* H: Lord Aberconway (1927), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a yellowish tinge

(a) **'Lindean'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Helen Close' × 'Purple Splendor' R: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1967) Fls 2-3/truss, hose-in-hose, up to 65mm wide, strong purplish red (2.5RP 5/10). Lvs 50 × 20mm. Compact shrub up to 40cm. Early May

(r) **'Lindleyanum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Gebr Mardner (pre 1870), N: Gebr Mardner, INC: ICRA (1958). Hardy Hybrid (Probably the same plant listed by de Cock, 1868)

(az) **'Lindleyanum'** (See note under 'Aureum Lindleyanum')

(r) **Lindo Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: ? 'Lady Eleanor Cathcart' × ? 'Mrs Lindsay Smith' R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, I: C. Ingram, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Lindsayi'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *dalhousiae* × *formosum* R: Lindsay, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Lindseyanum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Lindseyi (sic)'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet

(r) **'Lindy Ellen'** cv. Parentage unknown H: D.J. Dosser (c 1968), G: D.J. Dosser (1975), N: V. Williams, REG: V. Williams (1987) Fls 20-25/truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 70mm, 5-lobed, strong reddish purple (72B), with a black flare on the dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 45mm. Shrub 2.5 × 2.5m

(a) **'Lindy Lou'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Cecile' × 'Sylphides' R: A.J. Knuttel (pre 1985), N: A.J. Knuttel Fls in large trusses, pink, fading to yellowish pink

(a) **'Linearifolium'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *stenopetalum* N: P.F. von Siebold & J.G. Zuccarini (1846), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3-5/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, up to 40 × 70mm, 5-lobed and divided almost to base with lobes spreading, purplish red/purplish pink (66), with deeper markings. Calyx up to 23mm long, green. Lvs lanceolate, up to 80 × 8mm, dull green above, sparsely glandular hairy on both surfaces. AM 1984 (Probably originated in Japan but not known in the wild)

(a) **'Lineatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C. Schulz (pre 1863), N: C. Schulz, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Lineatum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls shaded pink and yellow. Ghent

(a) **'L'Infante Isabelle'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. de Cock (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose. Ghent

(a) **'Ling'** (Syn. of 'Ling Close')

(a) **'Ling Close'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: O.S. Pride (1987), N: O.S. Pride Fls strong red. Syn: 'Ling'

(a) **'Lingese'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Noordtianum' × *kaempferi* and various Kurume azaleas R: G. Arends (pre 1914), N: G. Arends (1959) Fls pale red, with slight reddish marking. Arendsii

(r) **'Lingos'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Lindsay Smith' × 'Jalisco Goshawk' R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, REG: C. Ingram (1971) Fls cream, fading to sulphur yellow in the throat

(a) **'Linhartii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Etendard de Flandre' I: Linhart (1892), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft rose, with white edges and a dark blotch. Indian

(r) **Linley Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Loderi Group hybrid R: L.C.R. Messel, N: L.C.R. Messel, I: L.C.R. Messel (1927), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft pink, spotted carmine at the base. AM 1927

(r) **'Linley Sambourne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Loderi Group hybrid R: L.C.R. Messel, N: L.C.R. Messel, I: L.C.R. Messel (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rich pink, blotched carmine at base. AM 1928

(a) **'Linna Born'** (An error for 'Lina Born')

(r) **'Linné'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C.J.H. Walther (pre 1863), N: C.J.H. Walther, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bluish reddish, spotted. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Linnet'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, carmine, with a faint yellow flush. Knap Hill

(r) **'Linswege'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' × *forrestii* Repens Group R: D.G. Hobbie (1974), S: Boskoop Fls 4-7/truss, more-or-less campanulate, deep scarlet red. Lvs 50-70mm long. (Linswegeanum Group)

(r) **Linswegeanum Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' × *forrestii* Repens Group R: D.G. Hobbie, N: D.G. Hobbie (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep scarlet red

(r) **'Linsweger Gold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* × 'Koster's Cream' R: D.G. Hobbie (c 1953), N: D.G. Hobbie (1984), I: D.G. Hobbie (1984) Fls yellow, similar to *wardii*

(a) **'L'Intéressante'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1859), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Linwood Blush'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Salmon Spray' × 'Jean Haerens' R: G.A. Reid (1955), N: G.A. Reid Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, 55mm wide, light salmon pink. Shrub 30 × 25cm in 3 years

(a) **'Linwood Charm'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: G.A. Reid (1966), G: G.A. Reid, N: G.A. Reid, I: G.A. Reid (1976), REG: G.A. Reid (1979) Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, 4-5/truss, open funnel-shaped, 55mm wide, phlox pink (625/1). Calyx 30mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 25 × 13mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and spinach green (0960/1) above; petiole hairy. Shrub 40 × 80cm in 6 years. Mid May

(a) **'Linwood Lavender'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Salmon Glow' × un-named seedling H: G.A. Reid (1956), G: G.A. Reid (1961), N: G.A. Reid, I: G.A. Reid (1965), REG: G.A. Reid (1976) Fls hose-in-hose and semi-double, 3/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 65mm, with 5+5+1-5 wavy-edged lobes, fuchsia purple (28/2), with purple to brown spots on 5-7 upper lobes. Calyx 25mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs obovate, 30 × 20mm, glossy green (000861), hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 5 years. Mid May

(a) **'Linwood Lilac'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Albion' × 'Maryann' R: G.A. Reid (1955), N: G.A. Reid, I: Fischer Greenhouses Fls hose-in-hose, 65mm wide, lavender. Shrub 35 × 25cm in 3 years

(a) **'Linwood Lustre'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Crimson King' × un-named seedling (Fischer no. A-3) H: G.A. Reid (1956), G: G.A. Reid (1961), N: G.A. Reid, I: G.A. Reid (1970), REG: G.A. Reid (1976) Fls hose-in-hose and semi-double, 2-3/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 25 × 65mm, with 5+5+2-5 wavy-edged lobes, white, with chartreuse blotch and spots on the upper lobe. Calyx 25-30mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs obovate, 40 × 25mm, glossy green (00962/1), hairless. Shrub 0.5 × 0.45m in 5 years. Late May. Syn: 'Improved Linwood White'

(a) **'Linwood Pink Giant'** cv. Evergreen azalea: unnamed seedling × 'Rose Greeley' × 'Mrs L.C. Fischer' H: G.A. Reid (1958), G: G.A. Reid (1963), N: G.A. Reid, I: G.A. Reid (1973), REG: G.A. Reid (1976) Fls hose-in-hose, 2-4/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 30 × 65mm, with 5+5 wavy-edged lobes, tyrian purple (727/3), with slight spotting of 727 on dorsal lobe. Calyx 45mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs obovate, 40 × 25mm, glossy green (00962), hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 7 years. Mid May. Syn: 'Improved Linwood Pink'

(a) **'Linwood Pink No. 1'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Salmon Special' × 'Mother of Pearl' H: G.A. Reid (1953), N: G.A. Reid, I: Fischer Greenhouses Fls hose-in-hose, 55mm wide, pink. Shrub 35 × 30cm in 3 years

(a) **'Linwood Pink No. 2'** cv. Evergreen azalea: unnamed seedling × un-named seedling R: G.A. Reid (1958), N: G.A. Reid Fls hose-in-hose, 55mm wide medium pink. Shrub 30 × 35cm in 3 years

(a) **'Linwood Ruby'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: G.A. Reid (1966), G: G.A. Reid (1971), N: G.A. Reid, I: G.A. Reid (1975), REG: G.A. Reid (1977) Fls hose-in-hose, double to semi-double (0-2 stamens), 3-4/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, with 12-14 wavy-edged lobes, 55mm wide, strong purplish red (63B), with a few faint spots on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 30mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs narrowly obovate, 40 × 20mm, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 1.0m in 6 years. Mid May

(a) **'Linwood Salmon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: un-named seedling × 'Rose Greeley' × 'Mrs L.C. Fischer' H: G.A. Reid (1958), G: G.A. Reid (1963), N: G.A. Reid, I: G.A. Reid (1968), REG: G.A. Reid (1976) Fls hose-in-hose, 3/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 65mm, with 5+5 (but often 11 or 12) wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink (46D), with darker spotting on the dorsal lobes. Calyx 40mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs narrowly obovate, 40 × 20mm, glossy green (0862), hairless. Shrub 0.55 × 0.7m in 6 years. Late May

(a) **'Linwood White'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Salmon Glow' × un-named seedling H: G.A. Reid (1956), G: G.A. Reid (1961), N: G.A. Reid, I: G.A. Reid (1966), REG: G.A. Reid (1976) Fls hose-in-hose and double, 2-4/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 25 × 55mm, with 5+5+5 wavy-edged lobes (and no stamens), white, with very light chartreuse spots on the dorsal lobe. Calyx irregular, 13-25mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs oblanceolate, 30 × 13mm, glossy green (0960), hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 0.8m in 7 years. Mid May. (May also have been used previously by Fischer Greenhouses as a blanket name for a range of white azaleas)

(a) **'Lion Belge'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Vervaene (1861), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. Indian

(a) **'Lion des Combats'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1875), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Lion des Flandres'** (Syn. of 'Le Lion de Flandre')

(r) **'Lionel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid I: S.B. Parsons, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Lionel Fortescue'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Hawk Group × *wardii* `Ellestee' H: L.S. Fortescue (1970), G: L.S. Fortescue, N: L.S. Fortescue, I: L.S. Fortescue, REG: L.S. Fortescue (1977) Fls light greenish yellow (3D), with a dark red (59A) blotch

(r) **'Lionel's First'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *lacteum* × *sutchuenense* H: L. de Rothschild (c 1920), G: L. de Rothschild (c 1930), N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild, REG: E. de Rothschild (1985) Fls 16/truss, 60 × 67mm, 5-lobed, pale purplish pink (62D), with light purplish pink (63D) spots, darkening to strong purplish pink (63C) on outside and with dark red (59A) markings in the throat. Lvs oblong-lanceolate, 175 × 65mm, hairless. Tall shrub. Mid April

(r) **'Lionel's Red Shield'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'America' × Carmen Group H: J.B. Brueckner (1969), G: J.B. Brueckner (1976), N: E. de Rothschild, REG: J.B. Brueckner (1988) Fls 2-6/lax truss, funnel-shaped, 38 × 51mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, very dark red - almost black - in bud, opening strong red (46A). Calyx less than 2mm long, reddish. Lvs elliptic, 51-64 × 25-32mm, flat, mucronate to obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 0.3 × 0.8m in 8 years. Late May

(r) **'Lionel's Triumph'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *lacteum* (s) × Naomi Group H: L. de Rothschild, G: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c18/truss, campanulate, 75 × 100mm, Dresden yellow (64/3), slightly darker on the dorsal lobe, with a crimson blotch and limited crimson spotting in the throat; rose pink in bud, the pink present initially at the margins of newly opened fls. Lvs oblanceolate, 200 × 95mm. Shrub 1.5-2.0m tall in 10 years. April-May. AM 1954, FCC 1974 (Lionel's Triumph Group)

(r) **Lionel's Triumph Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *lacteum* (s) × Naomi Group H: L. de Rothschild, G: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1954), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Lionheart'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Rimini' × 'Mrs Lammot Copeland' H: M.L. Trembath (1971), G: M.L. Trembath (c 1984), N: M.L. Trembath (1989), REG: M.L. Trembath (1994) Fls 8-12/flat-topped truss, tubular-campanulate, 55 × 60mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, strong red (46A) in bud, opening brilliant yellow (13B) inside and out, with slight, strong red (47B) streaking on first opening, unspotted. Calyx 2.5-3.0mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs oblong, 110 × 40mm, flat, matt green above, pointed at apex, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.0m in 10-12 years. Early-mid June

(a) **'Lipidum'** (See note under 'Lepidum')

(a) **'Lipstick'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Holmes Nurseries (pre 1960) Fls red

(r) **'Lipstick'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group (s) × Dondis Group R: R. Henny (1942), N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny (pre 1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep pink, lightly spotted darker pink. Lvs 75-125mm long. Semi-dwarf shrub. Late June

(v) **'Lipstick'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *konori* hybrid R: F.M. Jury (pre 1993), N: F.M. Jury Fls 13/erect truss, tubular, with star-shaped lobes, pink in bud, opening white and frosted with pink. Lvs dark green. Shrub 1.2m

(a) **'Liputa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. Indian

(r) **'Liquid Gold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ronald Otto Delp' (s) × 'Golden Star' H: W.E. Delp (1983), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1995) Fls 10/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 64 × 83mm, with

6-7 very wavy-edged lobes, moderate red (180B), strong yellowish pink (37A-B), pale yellow (158B) and pale greenish yellow (1D) in bud, opening pale yellowish pink (159D), lightly tinted moderate and light yellowish pink (37C-D), with a brilliant greenish yellow (4A) throat and moderate yellow-green (146D) dorsal spots; anthers yellowish white (158D). Lvs 108 × 54mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Early June. (Published in *J.Am.Rh.Soc.* 43:1 (1989))

(a) **'Lisa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Maria Elena' × 'Linda Jean' R: Greenwood Gardens (pre 1985), N: Greenwood Gardens Fls double, 55mm wide, deep purplish pink (58D). Late

(r) **'Lisa'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' × 'Madonna' (Gable) H: J.B. Gable (c 1954), G: J.B. Gable (1962), N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable (pre 1962), REG: J.B. Gable (1963) Fls up to 18/truss, up to 100mm wide, 5-lobed, white, with a brilliant yellow-green (150B-C) blotch and dorsal spotting. Lvs elliptic, up to 200 × 70-100mm. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(a) **'Lisa Broom'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hinodegiri' × 'Tancho' H: K.M. Marsh, G: K.M. Marsh (1970), N: K.M. Marsh, I: K.M. Marsh, REG: K.M. Marsh (1973) Fls 4-8/truss, hose-in-hose, moderate purplish pink (62B). Lvs 45mm long, dark glossy green. Shrub c1.0m

(a) **'Lisa's Red Flame'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *calendulaceum* R: Transplant Nursery (pre 1987), N: Transplant Nursery Fls large, with very wavy, crimped edges, red. Large shrub

(r) **'Lisa Stillman'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* × *catawbiense* hybrid R: J.H. Mangles (pre 1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c11/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 45 × 65-75mm, 5-lobed, strong red (51A) on dorsal lobe (inside and outside), paler (55A-B) at edges and on other lobes, with very few black spots on the dorsal lobe; extreme base of corolla inside stained blackish red. Calyx up to 11mm long, irregular, whitish pink. Lvs elliptic, up to 160 × 50-55mm, dull and mid to dark green above, with sparse, minute, pale brown hairs below

(r) **'Lisenne Rockefeller'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Van Nes Sensation' × *hyperythrum* L: Pushepetappa Gardens (1994) Fls white. Shrub 0.9m in 10 years. Early April

(r) **'Lisetta'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ovation' (Wüstemeyer) (s) × 'Erato' H: H. Hachmann (1987), G: H. Hachmann (1993), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 16-20/fairly compact, rounded truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 30-35 × 45-65mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53C) inside, with a white throat; outside strong red (53C), with strong red (53B) on the back of dorsal lobe; unmarked; stamens 10, filaments strong purplish pink (55B), anthers brown; style deep purplish pink (55A), stigma yellow-green. Calyx c1mm long, greenish. Lvs ovate, 80-110 × 40-50mm, flat, mucronate at apex, rounded to cuneate at base, glossy and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 0.7 × 1.1m in 10 years. Early-mid May. (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030649). First published in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(a) **'Lisinka Thelemann'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Schulz (pre 1874), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Lissabon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nova Zembla' × *williamsianum* R: V. von Martin, N: J. Bruns Nursery, I: J. Bruns Nursery (1964), REG: J. Bruns Nursery (1971) Fls 7-11/truss, 55-70mm wide, outside and margins inside rose red, paler in centre, with dark red markings. Lvs broadly ovate, 40-60mm long, dark green, bronzed when young. Shrub to 1.5m

(r) **'Lissabon Rosa'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1988)

(r) **'Lissome'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Essex Scarlet' × *fortunei* H: B. & M. Shapiro (1959), G: B. & M. Shapiro, N: B. & M. Shapiro, REG: B. & M. Shapiro (1989) Fls 14-15/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 76mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (55A), shading much lighter in streaks towards the throat and with deep red (53A) dorsal lobe spotting which is very dense in the throat and moderately dense, half to three quarters the length of the lobe; sparser spotting on all other lobes. Calyx 2mm long, light green. Lvs obovate, 127 × 57mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 2.4 × 1.8m in 30 years. Mid May

(a) **'Lister'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Noordtianum' × *kaempferi* and several Kurume azaleas R: G. Arends (pre 1914), N: G. Arends (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls strong purplish red (63B), with wavy-edged margins and very faint, brownish markings. Lvs wine red in autumn. Shrub 0.6-0.8m. Arendsii

(r) **'Lita'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (s) × 'Mrs P.D. Williams' H: R. Kondratovičs (1973), G: R. Kondratovičs (1986), N: R. Kondratovičs, I: Rhododendron Nursery "Babīte" of University of Latvia (2000), REG: R. Kondratovičs (2002) Fls 14-17/dense, slightly domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 70 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds light reddish purple (74C), opening inside very light purple (75C), outside light purple (75B); dorsal lobe with conspicuous brown/olive spots; filaments light violet, anthers white; style red, stigma dark cherry red. Calyx 2-5mm long, light grey rose. Lvs broadly elliptic, 140 × 55mm, flat, obtuse at apex, cordate at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 2.5 × 2.0m in 20 years. Late May-early June. (Published in *Dārzs un Drava*: 26 (January, 2001))

(a) **'Litany'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Malvaticum' (s) × deep salmon-flowered *indicum* R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 50-70mm wide, light purple (light reddish purple (74C)), with a showy blotch of amaranth purple dots. Twiggy shrub to 1.5m tall, broader than high. Late April-early May. Glenn Dale

(r) **Litiense Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. litiense*

(r) **'Little Amy'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *campylogynum* Cremastum Group × *campylogynum* H: J.F. Caperci (1961), G: J.F. Caperci, N: J.F. Caperci, I: J.F. Caperci (1977), REG: J.F. Caperci (1977) Fls up to 6/truss, nodding, open campanulate, 18 × 20mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, pale yellowish pink (36D) inside, outside light yellowish pink (36B); buds also 36B. Lvs narrowly elliptic to oblanceolate, 35-40 × 13-25mm, with tiny white scales above and yellowish brown below; petiole scaly. Shrub 0.4 × 0.8m in 15 years. Late May

(r) **'Little Augie'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *augustinii* hybrid R: S. Barber (pre 1988), N: S. Barber Fls bright blue. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years

(a) **'Little Beauty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Favorite' × 'Amoenum' hybrid R: A. Vuyk, I: Vuyk van Nes (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 2-6/truss, funnel-shaped, c25 × 45mm, with wavy-edged lobes, near phlox pink (625/1). Shrub to at least 0.6 × 0.6m. Midseason. *HC 1960. Amoena

(v) **'Little Beauty'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Monarch' (s) × *malayanum* R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1891), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 6-9/truss, 25mm long, bright red. AM 1896

(r) **'Little Beaver'** cv. Parentage unknown R: G.W. Clarke (pre 1980)

(r) **'Little Ben'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *neriiflorum* (s) × *forrestii* Repens Group R: C.R. Scrase-Dickins, N: C.R. Scrase-Dickins, I: C.R. Scrase-Dickins (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 4-5/truss, broadly funnel-shaped to campanulate, 5-lobed, 35-40 × 45-60mm, brilliant scarlet. Calyx lobes large and conspicuous, one often as long as the corolla tube, slightly paler coloured than corolla. Lvs elliptic, 60-75 × 30-37mm, dark green and reticulate above, hairless below except along midrib. Dwarf shrub. FCC 1937

(r) **'Little Bert'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *forrestii* Repens Group (s) × *neriiflorum* subsp. *neriiflorum* Euchaites Group R: C.R. Scrase-Dickins, N: C.R. Scrase-Dickins, I: C.R. Scrase-Dickins (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 4-5/truss, pendulous, campanulate, up to 40 × 50mm, shining crimson scarlet. Lvs elliptic/ovate, up to 75 × 40mm. Dwarf shrub. AM 1939

(r) **'Little Beth'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: G.W. Clarke, G: G.W. Clarke, N: G.W. Clarke, I: George W. Clarke Nursery, REG: Mrs M. Clarke (1990) Fls 6-8/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, c44xc57mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, buds deep purplish pink (67C), opening very pale purple (69B) on inside, deep purplish pink (68A) on outside. Calyx c2mm long, pink. Lvs elliptic, 83 × 44mm, flat, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, glossy green above, hairless; petioles hairy. Shrub 1.8-2.1 × 1.2m in 10 years. April-May

(r) **Little Bill Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *williamsianum* (s) × 'Lady Stuart Wortley' I: Wallace (1934), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Little Birdie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Humming Bird Group (s) × *forrestii* Repens Group H: R. Henny, G: R. Henny, N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny (1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls campanulate, 65mm wide, blood red (820/3). Lvs 50 × 25mm. Dwarf shrub

(r) **'Little Bit'** (Syn. of 'Prince of McKenzie')

(r) **'Little Blue Boy'** (Syn. of 'Little Boy Blue')

(r) **'Little Bobbie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *forrestii* Repens Group (s) × Humming Bird Group H: R. Henny, G: R. Henny, N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny (1956), INC: ICRA (1958) Dwarf shrub

(r) **'Little Bonnie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tom Thumb' (Gable) hybrid H: J.B. Gable (pre 1972) Fls pale buff, edged pink

(r) **'Little Boy Blue'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: Blue Diamond Group × *minus* Carolinianum Group R: L. Hancock (pre 1978), N: L. Hancock Syn: 'Little Blue Boy'

(a) **'Little Cherub'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Dainty Rose' × 'Ho-o' H: S. McDonald (1975), G: S. McDonald (1977), N: S. McDonald, I: S. McDonald (1992), REG: S. McDonald (1992) Fls 2/terminal bud, hose-in-hose, open funnel-shaped, 23 × 30mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, white with pink tips in bud, opening deep pink (52C) at margins and shading to white towards centre of lobes, with spotting of light pink on dorsal lobe; stamens 5, unequal, curved; pistil curved, style white. Calyx 23mm long, deep pink (52C) at edges, shading to white. Pedicels 3mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly obovate, 7-24 × 4-11mm, flat, truncate and mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy, hairy and moderate olive green (146A) above, moderate yellow-green (146B) below, with scattered pale gold hairs ageing gold to light brown. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m in 17 years. Mid April

(r) **'Little Creature'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Bob Danik' (s) × 'Bob Danik' H: W.E. Delp (1979), G: W.E. Delp (1988), N: Mrs V. Delp (1988), I: Crystalaire Naturescapes (1999), REG: J.D. Harris (1999) Fls 8/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, c30 × 40mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, pale orange-yellow (19D) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (62D), with deep purplish red (61A) spotting on three dorsal lobes. Lvs elliptic, 65 × 30mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (137A) above, no visible indumentum. Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in 19 years. Mid May

(r) **'Little Dipper'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: Burns' yellow-fld *minus* Carolinianum Group (s) × 'Delp's Small Fry' H: W.E. Delp (1987), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 8/truss, open funnel-shaped, 36 × 51mm, with 6 reflexed lobes, strong and light yellow-green (145A, B) in bud, opening greenish white (157D) with strong yellow-green (145A) dor-

sal spots; filaments and style light yellow-green (150D); anthers dark pink (182C); stigma pale yellow-green (157A). Lvs 51 × 25mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, scaly. Shrub 0.8 × 0.7m in 5 years. Mid May

(r) **'Little Dragon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group (s) × *venator* H: G.D. Grace, G: B.F. Lancaster (1946), N: B.F. Lancaster, I: B.F. Lancaster (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls open campanulate, 55mm wide, 5-lobed, cardinal red (822), sparsely flecked with darker red. Lvs 75-100 × 25mm, dark green. Shrub 0.9m in 10 years, broader than tall. Midseason

(r) **'Little Ernie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *forrestii* Repens Group × May Day Group (s) × *neriiflorum* R: E.V. Allen, N: E.V. Allen (1961), I: E.V. Allen, REG: E.V. Allen (1961) Fls 8-10/rounded, upright truss, funnel-campanulate, 50mm wide, vivid red (46C). Lvs elliptic, 50 × 25mm. Dwarf shrub, c25cm high. Early April

(a) **'Little Favorite'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987), N: unknown Fls deep pink. Low shrub

(r) **'Little Flame'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Cathaem Group × *forrestii* Repens Group H: D.L. Hardgrove, G: D.L. Hardgrove, N: D.L. Hardgrove (1958) Fls 7/truss, red. Calyx large, coloured as corolla

(r) **'Little Foxy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.G.T. Hyde (1970s), G: W.G.T. Hyde (1980s), N: Mr R. Legrand (1995), I: Linwood Plants (1995), REG: Mrs R. Legrand (1998) Fls 6-7/slightly loose truss, funnel-shaped, 55 × 25mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53C) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (58D) inside, outside shaded deep purplish pink (55A); profuse, deep red (53A) speckling on three dorsal lobes, slightly less on ventral lobes. Calyx 15-25mm long, strong purplish red (54A). Lvs oblanceolate, 90 × 25mm, margins decurved, acute at apex, narrowly obtuse at base, matt green above, with a moderate orange-yellow (164B) indumentum. Compact shrub c0.7 × 1.0m in 20 years. May

(a) **'Little Gem'** (Syn. of 'Nuccio's Little Gem')

(r) **'Little Gem'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Carmen Group × *elliottii* (from KW 7725) H: W.E. Whitney (pre 1956), G: W.E. Whitney, N: W.E. Whitney, I: W.E. Whitney (1957), REG: G. & Mrs A. Sather (1976) Fls 7-8/flat to lax truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 50 × 50mm, 5-lobed, deep red (53A) in bud, opening strong red (46A), without blotch or spots. Calyx 7mm long, red. Lvs oblanceolate to narrowly obovate, 65-75 × 25mm, moderate olive green (147A), with a slight, dark greyish yellow indumentum below. Shrub 0.6 × 1.0m in 10 years. Early May

(a) **'Little Giant'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Ray's Ruby' L: USA (1987) Fls deep purplish red. Lvs with a reddish cast

(v) **'Little Ginger'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1993) Fls 25mm wide, bright orange. Lvs narrow. Upright shrub to 1.0m

(a) **'Little Girl'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Gretel' × unnamed Beltsville seedling R: G. Taylor, N: G. Taylor, I: G. Taylor (1973) Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, pale pink, edged white. Shrub to 1.5m

(r) **'Little Girl Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum*, Exbury form (s) × 'Marchioness of Lansdowne' H: M.J. Whitman (1991), G: M.J. & B. Whitman (1998), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (1998), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (2000) Fls 11/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (66C) inside, fading to white with age, with strong yellow-green (144C) spotting on the dorsal lobe; outside pale purplish pink (65D), with moderate purplish pink (65A) midribs. Lvs obovate, 130 × 50mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and near moderate olive green (137A) above, with light rusty brown hairs below at first. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 9 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Little Glendoe'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* subsp. *delavayi* × *forrestii* Repens Group H: L.E. Jury, G: Miss E.G. Johnstone, N: Miss E.G. Johnstone, REG: Miss E.G. Johnstone (1968) Fls 7-9/truss, campanulate, 40 × 65mm, deep red (53A). Lvs 70-75 × 30-40mm, hairless. Compact, rounded shrub, c0.7xc1.0m in 14 years. Mid June (New Zealand, i. e. very early flowering)

(v) **'Little Grace'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown N: Vireya Venue, I: Vireya Venue (pre 1996) Fls campanulate, red. Lvs rounded. Bushy shrub to 0.5m

(a) **'Little Imp'** (Syn. of 'Bijinsui')

(r) **'Little Imp'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Sapphire' × *impeditum* R: S. Barber (1966), N: S. Barber, I: S. Barber (1971) Fls 25mm wide, moderate purple (82C). Lvs elliptic, 20 × 5mm, mid green. Compact shrub, 0.3 × 0.6m. March-April

(a) **'Little Indian'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* × *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* R: J.B. Gable, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red, with a coppery sheen. Dwarf shrub. Similar to 'Claret'. Gable

(r) **'Little Jack Horner'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × Sangreal Group H: J.S. Yeates, G: J.S. Yeates, N: B. Robinson (pre 1998) Fls rose red. Lvs deep green. Shrub 1.0m, very compact. Midseason

(r) **'Little Janet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *forrestii* Repens Group (s) × Humming Bird Group H: R. Henny, G: R. Henny, N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny (1956), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. Dwarf shrub

(r) **'Little Jessica'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *hodgsonii* × unknown N: The High Beeches Gardens Conservation Trust, I: G. Reuthe Ltd (1914), REG: The High Beeches Gardens Conservation Trust (1989) Fls c29/dense, domed truss, ventricose-campanulate, c56 × 56mm, 8-lobed, buds strong purplish red (64B) at base, shading to paler than deep purplish pink (64D) at apex,

opening more-or-less white with a very slight purplish pink suffusion along midvein area, unspotted, but with a blackish red-purple blotch at base of dorsal throat; style red-purple in basal two thirds, more-or-less white above, stigma yellow; filaments white, anthers brown. Calyx 1mm long, pale pink, densely covered in white and yellowish brown hairs, as are the pedicels. Lvs oblanceolate, up to 260 × 125mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, more-or-less hairless and dull mid green above at maturity, with a dense pale brown indumentum below. Shrub at least 6.0m high. May. (Originally supplied as *hodgsonii* but subsequently considered to be of hybrid origin)

(r) **'Little Jock'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1988)

(r) **'Little Joe'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *forrestii* Repens Group (s) × May Day Group R: L.E. Brandt (1945), N: L.E. Brandt, I: L.E. Brandt (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3-5/lax truss, trumpet-shaped, 50 × 70mm, strong red (46A). Lvs obovate, 40 × 25mm, dark green. Shrub of creeping habit, 0.15 × 0.45m. Early May

(a) **'Little John'** cv. Evergreen azalea: "Second generation sport" from 'Ray's Ruby' R: G. Jones (pre 1982), N: G. Jones Fls 90mm wide, reddish purple. Lvs reddish (rose in shade)

(v) **'Little Kisses'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Rosy Chimes' × 'Os's Oriana' R: O.S. Blumhardt (pre 1998), N: O.S. Blumhardt Fls small, with cream tube and pink lobes. Lvs dark green. Shrub 0.8m, of upright habit

(r) **'Little Lou'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Lucy Lou' (s) × *valentinianum* H: M.H. & Mrs F. Sumner, G: M.H. & Mrs F. Sumner (c 1957), N: M.H. & Mrs F. Sumner, I: M.H. & Mrs F. Sumner, REG: M.H. & Mrs F. Sumner (1963) Fls 2-4/truss, funnel-campanulate, 45mm wide, yellow in bud, opening greenish yellow with a touch of apricot. Calyx 5-lobed, light red, ciliate. Pedicels densely covered with white hairs. Lvs obovate to elliptic, up to 45 × 20mm. Shrub 20 × 30cm in 6 years. March

(v) **'Little Maria'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lochiae* × 'Saint Valentine' H: P. Sullivan, G: P. Sullivan, N: P. Sullivan (pre 1993)

(r) **'Little Minx'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Jock Group (s) × *haematodes* H: V. Wyatt (pre 1965), G: V. Wyatt, N: V. Wyatt, I: V. Wyatt, REG: V. Wyatt (1965) Fls in a loose truss, funnel-shaped, to 30mm wide, tyrian rose (24). Lvs up to 50 × 25mm, ovate. Shrub 60 × 15cm in 10 years. Early May

(r) **'Little Miss Muffet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney (c 1967), G: F. Watters (1974), N: F. Watters, REG: F. Watters (1989) Fls 11-12/ball truss, open campanulate, 38 × 44-51mm, with 5 wavy-edgedlobes, strong red (45D) in bud, opening deep pink (47D) at first, changing to moderate yellowish pink (37C) and later to light yellowish pink (27B). Calyx 19mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 64-76 × 25mm, concave, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dull green and bullate above, with a very leathery texture and a moderate orange-yellow (164B) indumentum on young leaves that ages to pale greenish yellow (160C). Shrub 0.8 × 1.5m in 22 years. Mid April-mid May

(v) **'Little Nell'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *wrightianum* × 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' G: R. Macdonald (1989), N: R. Macdonald, I: Foothills Nursery (1990), REG: R. Macdonald (1990) Fls 3-5/truss, 40 × 35mm, tubular funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, strong red (46A). Lvs obovate, 80 × 35mm, hairless. Shrub to 1.2m. Autumn

(r) **'Little Nemo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Carmen' × 'Choremia' (i.e. the FCC clone) R: L.E. Brandt, N: L.E. Brandt, REG: L.E. Brandt (1964) Fls 7/truss, 50 × 70mm, turkey red (21). Calyx large, coloured as corolla. Lvs 75 × 40mm. More-or-less prostrate shrub, 20 × 40cm in 9 years

(a) **'Little Neston'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: M.C. Pratt (c 1986), G: Ness Botanic Gardens (1996), N: Ness Botanic Gardens, REG: Ness Botanic Gardens (1998) Fls single, 10-15/loose truss, broadly tubular funnel-shaped, 53 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid greenish yellow (2A) in bud, opening light yellow (10C) inside and pale yellow (12D) outside; vivid yellow (14A) blotch on the dorsal lobe; stamens pink; scented. Calyx 5mm long, brilliant yellow-green (149C). Lvs elliptic, 60 × 15-25mm, wavy-edged, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.2m in 12 years. June-July. Good autumn foliage colour

(r) **'Little Olga'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: a natural sport from a plant of (*minus* (compact form) × pink selection from *dauricum* Sempervirens Group) G: Weston Nurseries, S: E.V. Mezitt (1984), N: E.V. & R.W. Mezitt, I: Weston Nurseries (c 1990), REG: R.W. Mezitt (1998) Fls 9/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, c30 × 40mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (74D). Calyx 1.5mm long, tan-coloured. Lvs elliptic, 50 × 25mm, margins flat, decurved, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, scaly below. Shrub of dense habit, 0.6 × 0.6m in 7 years. Early May. (Published in Weston Nurseries cat., 1996. Sport first noticed in 1984)

(v) **'Little One'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Sunny' × *rubineiflorum* H: B. Clancy (1987), G: B. Clancy (1992), N: B. Clancy (1993), REG: B. Clancy (1994) Fls 2-3/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 20 × 40mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, strong yellowish pink (40D) inside and out with a strong yellowish pink (32C) throat. Lvs elliptic to lanceolate, 20 × 7mm, wavy-edged, matt green above, cuneate at base, acute at apex. Shrub 0.25 × 0.46m in 4 years; very dwarf, compact, stoloniferous; very floriferous. Autumn

(r) **'Little Paddocks'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* (s) × *campylocarpum* I: Sir James Horlick (1940), INC: ICRA (1958) (Exminster Group)

(r) **'Little Patty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *forrestii* Repens Group (s) × Humming Bird Group R: R. Henny, N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny (c 1958), REG: R. Henny (1962) Fls 4-5/truss, campanulate, 40 × 50mm, the petaloid centre forming a tube with inturned edges, orient red (819/3). Lvs elliptic, 50 × 45mm, pale green rugulose. Shrub 15 × 45cm

(a) **'Little Pearl'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Rosa Belton' × *oldhamii* (s) × 'Rosa Belton' × *oldhamii* H: E.W. Jordan (1993), G: E.W. Jordan (1996), N: E.W. Jordan (1997), REG: E.W. Jordan (1997) Fls 3/lax truss, hose-in-hose, funnel-shaped, 40 × 60mm, with 5+5 wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (63D) in bud, opening light purplish pink (63D) throughout, unspotted. Lvs elliptic, 40 × 15mm, flat, mucronate at apex, attenuate at base, glossy green above, ciliate. Shrub 0.3 × 0.23 in 3 years. Spring

(r) **'Little Peep'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Earl of Athlone' × Fabia Group × *forrestii* Repens Group H: R. Henny (1949), G: R. Henny, N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny (1956), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blood red. Prostrate shrub

(v) **'Little Pinkie'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lochiae* × *macgregoriae* × *loranthiflorum* H: G.L.S. Snell (1980), G: G.L.S. Snell (1984), N: G.L.S. Snell, I: Shrublands Nursery (1987), REG: Shrublands Nursery (1988) Fls 9-10/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 30 × 30mm, 5-lobed, deep purplish pink (55A). Lvs elliptic, 70 × 30mm, hairless. Shrub 1.0m tall. Summer-autumn

(r) **'Little Pioneer'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lochiae* (s) × *virgatum* H: O.S. Blumhardt (c 1964), G: O.S. Blumhardt, N: O.S. Blumhardt, I: O.S. Bumhardt, REG: O.S. Blumhardt (1984) Fls 2-3/truss, 45 × 45-50mm, funnel-shaped, pendulous, 5-lobed, persian rose (628/2-628/3), deeper on the tube. Calyx 2mm long, red. Terminal and axillary trusses produced. Lvs ovate, 50-80 × 20-50mm, with small, brown, well-spaced scales on young lvs. Spreading habit. (A rare sect. *Vireya* × subsect. *Virgata* derivative)

(a) **'Little Princess'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright lavender. Kurume

(a) **'Little Princess'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Amoenum' hybrid × 'Favorite' I: Vuyk van Nes (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, bright red (china rose 024), with a darker stripe across each lobe. Amoena

(r) **'Little Princess'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W. Baldsiefen (pre 1980)

(r) **'Little Pudding'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* (s) × Fabia Group H: R. Henny (1943), G: R. Henny, N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny (1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10-13/loose truss, funnel-campanulate, 100mm wide, camellia rose (622/1) on lobes, shading to near chinese coral (614/2) in the throat. Lvs oblanceolate to elliptic, 90 × 40mm, dark green above, with a thin indumentum below. Shrub to c1.4m. Late May

(a) **'Little Purple'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Hershey's Azalea Farm (pre 1987), N: Hershey's Azalea Farm Fls purple

(a) **'Little Queenie'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown S: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1987), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls off white. Low shrub

(r) **'Little Red Eye'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vinecrest' (s) × 'Gee Whiz' (Delp) H: A.W. Smith (pre 1989), G: D. Irish-Hosler (1998), N: D. Irish-Hosler (2000), REG: D. Irish-Hosler (2000) Fls 11/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, inside pale yellow-green (155A) in the centre, fading to yellowish white (155D) near margins, with an intense red basal blotch and red speckling on the dorsal lobe; outside yellowish white (155D). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 100 × 25mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins downcurved, dull and strong yellow-green (144A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in c12 years. Midseason

(a) **'Little Red Riding Hood'** (Syn. of 'Nuccio's Little Red Riding Hood')

(r) **'Little Red Riding Hood'** (See note under 'Red Riding Hood')

(v) **'Little Rosie'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* × *aurigeranum* (s) × *rubineiflorum* H: B. Clancy (1987), G: B. Clancy (1990), N: B. Clancy (1997), I: Vireya Valley Nursery (1997), REG: Vireya Valley Nursery (1997) Fls 4/flat truss, very short tubular funnel-shaped, 44mm wide, with 5-7 flat-edged lobes, vivid reddish orange (34A) in bud, opening vivid reddish orange (33A) inside and vivid reddish orange (33B) outside; unspotted. Lvs ovate, 28 × 12mm, flat, glossy above, acute at apex, cuneate at base, no scales apparent to the naked eye. Compact, strongly stoloniferous shrub, 0.35 × 0.65m in 8 years. Spring-summer

(a) **'Little Ruby'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Amoenum' hybrid × 'Favorite' R: Vuyk van Nes, N: Vuyk van Nes, I: Vuyk van Nes (1953), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, deep scarlet red. Amoena

(r) **'Little Sara'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Apricot Glow' (s) × *aureum* H: A.R. Brooks (1984), G: A.R. Brooks (1993), N: A.R. Brooks, REG: A.R. Brooks (1998) Fls 10/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 30 × 40mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, brilliant greenish yellow (2B) in bud, opening light yellow-green (2C) throughout, with faint feathering of strong greenish yellow (151C) halfway up dorsal and adjacent lobes. Calyx c3mm long, dark greenish yellow (152C). Lvs narrowly elliptic to oblanceolate, 40-55 × 15-20mm, flat, broadly acute at apex (with a small mucro), cuneate at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (137A-B) above, with scattered patches of a minute, thin, buff indumentum when young below. Shrub 0.3 × 0.6m in 14 years. Early May

(a) **'Little's Blushing Giant'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *calendulaceum* S: P.L. Little (1996), N: P.L.

Little (1996), I: Piping Tree Gardens (1996), REG: P.L. Little (1996) Fls 7/domed truss, narrowly tubular funnel-shaped, 45 × 50mm, with 5 twisted lobes, creamy white tinged light pink near the margins, with two longitudinal golden blotches on the dorsal lobe; outside of tube light yellow-green; stamens and pistil exserted. Lvs elliptic, 55 × 25mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, with white hairs above and below. Shrub 2.3 × 1.2m. Late May. (Collected from Greenbrier County, West Virginia, USA)

(a) **'Little's Deep Pink'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *periclymenoides* S: P.L. Little (1991), N: P.L. Little, I: Piping Tree Gardens (1996), REG: P.L. Little (1996) Fls 20/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 45mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, pink with a lavender hue, throat light lavender red, dorsal lobe light pink; outside of tube lavender red; filaments pink; stamens and style exserted; slightly scented. Calyx very short, light green. Pedicels 10mm long, red. Lvs elliptic, 45xc25mm, with wavy and decurved edges, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, glaucous below, with white hairs on both surfaces; petioles 3mm long, yellow-green. Shrub 0.3 × 0.45m. Late April. (Collected from Hanover County, Virginia, USA)

(a) **'Little's Early Light Pink'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *arborescens* G: P.L. Little (1985), S: P.L. Little (1990), N: P.L. Little (1996), I: Piping Tree Gardens (1995), REG: P.L. Little (1996) Fls 29/domed truss (from 5 buds), tubular funnel-shaped, 45 × 40mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, white, flushed very light pink, with some light pink streaks; tube light greenish white, streaked pink near the top; filaments light pink; style red; stamens and pistil exserted; moderately scented. Calyx c5mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 55 × 20mm, flat, acute at apex and base, glossy, dark green above. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 18 years. Late April-early May. (A seedling purchased from Woodlanders, Inc., Aiken, South Carolina, USA)

(a) **'Little's Enchanting Dawn'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *calendulaceum*, from south-eastern Greenbrier County, West Virginia, USA S: P.L. Little (1994), N: P.L. Little (1996), I: Piping Tree Gardens (1996), REG: P.L. Little (1996) Fls 11/ball truss, narrow tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 40mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, fls in centre of truss are creamy yellow to light salmon with a golden blotch on the dorsal lobe, surrounding fls similar at first but changing to salmon pink with darker streaks; outside of lobes creamy yellow, tube light yellow with a salmon base; stamens and pistil exserted. Calyx c1.5mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 45 × 20mm, flat, acute at apex and base, with white hairs above and below. Shrub 0.45 × 0.45m in 15 years. Mid May

(a) **'Little's Enchanting Eve'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from wild-collected *calendulaceum* S: P.L. Little (1993), N: P.L. Little (1996), I: Piping Tree Gardens and Nursery (2000), REG: P.L. Little (2002) Fls 10/domed truss, broadly tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, creamy yellow, flushed light pink at first, changing to salmon pink, outside of tube salmon. Calyx 3mm long, yellowish green. Lvs elliptic, 75 × 25mm, with flat margins, acuminate at apex, cuneate at base, dull yellow-green above, hairy above and below and on margins (hairs white at first, ageing to tan). Winter flower buds purplish maroon. Shrub 0.55 × 0.6m. Mid May. (Wild-collected from White Rock Mountain, West Virginia, USA in 1993. First published in Piping Tree Gardens & Nursery cat., 2001)

(r) **'Little's Enchanting Shells'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *maximum* S: P.L. Little (1990), N: P.L. Little (1999), REG: P.L. Little (2002) Fls 20/dense ball truss, saucer-shaped, with 5 wavy-edged, overlapping lobes, purplish pink in bud, opening white, becoming lavender pink along lobe edges both inside and out, with greenish yellow spotting on lower half of dorsal lobe. Calyx 8mm long, white, tinged greenish yellow. Pedicels salmon pink. Lvs elliptic, 190 × 45mm, margins flat and downcurved, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, with purple red glands and a white scurfy layer above and on petioles; the scurfy layer on petioles ages to black. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 10 years. June-July

(a) **'Little's Fancy Giant'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Little's Early Light Pink', open-pollinated × either *atlanticum* or *periclymenoides* G: P.L. Little (1995), N: P.L. Little (1996), I: Piping Tree Gardens (1996), REG: P.L. Little (1996) Fls 13/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, light lavender pink, with a light yellow dorsal blotch and with wide, longitudinal, creamy white streaks in centre of other lobes; colour fades to white; stamens and pistil exserted; moderately scented. Calyx c3mm long, light green. Pedicels c3mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 65 × 25mm, with decurved margins, acute at apex and base, glossy and light yellow-green above, with sparse, discrete white hairs below and on petioles; petioles c8mm long, yellow-green. Shrub 0.9 × 0.6m in 6 years. Late April. (Grown from 1990 open-pollinated seed)

(a) **'Little's Fancy Shell'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *periclymenoides* S: P.L. Little (1996), N: P.L. Little (1996), I: Piping Tree Gardens (1996), REG: P.L. Little (1996) Fls 11/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light purple lavender, with slightly darker margins and a white dorsal blotch; tube lavender red; pistil pink red; stamens lavender; stamens and pistil exserted; slightly scented. Calyx very small, green. Pedicels c5mm long, yellow-green, flushed red. Lvs elliptic, 50 × 15mm, with wavy margins, broadly acute at apex, acute at base, glossy and light green above, with discrete, white hairs below; petioles c5mm long, yellow-green. Shrub 0.45 × 0.45m. Early May. (Collected from Hanover County, Virginia, USA)

(a) **'Little's Fancy Twist'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from wild-collected *calendulaceum* S: P.L. Little (1999), N: P.L. Little (1999), I: Piping Tree Gardens & Nursery (2001), REG: P.L. Little (2002) Fls 9/domed truss, hose-

in-hose, narrowly tubular expanding to broadly flaring lobes, 50 × 60mm, with 5+5 wavy to very wavy-edged lobes, creamy salmon pink in bud, opening light greenish yellow-pink with purplish pink lobe margins, changing to creamy yellow blushed pink at margins; dorsal blotch orange gold; tube greenish yellow outside. Calyx 33mm long, curled and extended, greenish yellow at base, yellowish pink at edges. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 76 × 27mm, with wavy and upcurved margins, cuneate at base, glossy green, hairy above and below and on margins (hairs white at first, ageing to tan). Shrub 1.8 × 1.1m. Late May. (Wild-collected on White Rock Mountain, West Virginia, USA in 1999. First published in Piping Tree Gardens & Nursery cat., 2001)

(a) **'Little's Fiery Star'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *calendulaceum* S: P.L. Little (1994), N: P.L. Little (1996), I: Piping Tree Gardens (1996), REG: P.L. Little (1996) Fls 7/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 45 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes (the dorsal lobe more so than the rest), bright orange tinted pink in the centre and at lobe margins, dorsal lobe shades from orange gold at base to orange at edge; filaments light orange-pink; stamens and style exserted. Calyx very short, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 75 × 25mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, with discrete, white hairs above and below as well as on the petioles. Shrub 2.1 × 0.9m. Late May. (Collected from Greenbrier County, West Virginia, USA)

(a) **'Little's Fire Glow'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from wild-collected *calendulaceum* S: P.L. Little (2000), N: P.L. Little (2001), REG: P.L. Little (2002) Fls 12/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, with a narrow tube and broadly flaring lobes, 50 × 50mm, with 5 wavy to very wavy-edged lobes, orange-red in bud, opening inside deep pink orange, with a yellow-orange blotch which becomes orange on basal portion of dorsal lobe, outside pink orange. Calyx 2mm long, greenish yellow. Lvs broadly elliptic, 75 × 35mm, with wavy and upcurved margins, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull yellowish green above, hairy on both sides and on margins (hairs white at first, ageing to tan). Shrub 0.9 × 0.6m. Mid May. (Wild-collected on White Rock Mountain, West Virginia, USA in 2000)

(a) **'Little's Frosted Purple'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *periclymenoides* S: P.L. Little (1996), N: P.L. Little (1996), I: Piping Tree Gardens (1996), REG: P.L. Little (1996) Fls 12/lax domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, with 5 wavy-edged, narrow, twisted and/or reflexed lobes, light pinkish purple, flushed white on dorsal lobe, with lavender red midribs outside; tube lavender red, darkening towards base; stamens and pistil exserted; slightly scented. Calyx very small, blackish purple. Lvs elliptic, 50 × 15mm, flat, with wavy-edged margins, acute at apex and base, with discrete, white hairs below. Shrub 0.45 × 0.3m. Early May. (Collected from Hanover County, Virginia, USA)

(a) **'Little's Giant Salmon'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *calendulaceum* S: P.L. Little (1994), N: P.L. Little (1996), I: Piping Tree Gardens (1996), REG: P.L. Little (1996) Fls in a domed truss, narrow tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 55mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, light pinkish orange, with an orange dorsal blotch; stamens and pistil exserted. Lvs elliptic, 55 × 20mm, yellow-green, with white hairs above and below and on petioles. Shrub 1.8 × 1.2m. Late May. (Collected from Greenbrier County, West Virginia, USA)

(a) **'Little's Giant Spice'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *periclymenoides* S: P.L. Little (1995), N: P.L. Little (1996), I: Piping Tree Gardens (1996), REG: P.L. Little (1996) Fls 13/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 45 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light pink to white, with a light lavender pink throat, outside with pink midribs and a red tube; slightly scented. Calyx very small, green. Pedicels c12mm long, red. Lvs elliptic, 70 × 45mm, flat, with wavy margins, broadly acute at apex, acute at base, glossy and light blue-green above, with silvery green hairs below on new growth and on petioles; petioles c6mm long, yellow-green. Shrub 1.5 × 1.8m. Late April. (Collected from Hanover County, Virginia, USA)

(a) **'Little's Glacier Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown, chance seedling found in the registrant's garden G: P.L. Little (2001), S: P.L. Little, N: P.L. Little (2001), I: Piping Tree Gardens & Nursery (2001), REG: P.L. Little (2002) Fls 4/domed truss, hose-in-hose, open funnel-shaped, 35 × 45mm, with 5+5 flat-edged lobes, deep pink in bud, opening inside pink, becoming purplish pink towards margins, with light red spots on basal half of dorsal lobe and portions of adjacent lobes; outside purplish pink with white streaks along midribs; pistil dark pink. No normal calyx present. Lvs broadly obovate, 50 × 30mm, margins wavy and upcurved, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, glossy below, hairy on both surfaces and on margins (hairs white, ageing to light yellow). Shrub 0.7 × 0.3m in 3 years. Late April-early May

(a) **'Little's Gold Giant'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from wild-collected *calendulaceum* S: P.L. Little (1997), N: P.L. Little (2000), I: Piping Tree Gardens & Nursery (2001), REG: P.L. Little (2002) Fls 6/compact, domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, with a narrow tube and broadly flaring lobes, 45 × 55mm, with 5 wavy to very wavy-edged lobes, creamy yellow, flushed light pink near lobe ends, with a light orange or golden blotch covering the dorsal lobe; outside of tube greenish yellow and light pink. Calyx 3mm long, greenish yellow. Lvs elliptic, 50 × 25mm, margins wavy and downcurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull yellowish green above, hairy above and below (hairs white at first, tan with age). Shrub 2.1 × 1.5m. Late May. (Wild-collected on White Rock Mountain, West Virginia, USA in 1997)

(r) **'Little Sheba'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Earl of Athlone' × Fabia Group (s) × *forrestii* Repens Group H: R. Henny (1949), G: R. Henny, N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny (pre 1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 3/terminal bud, campanulate, 65mm wide, blood red (820/1); stamens aborted. Calyx prominent, with recurved lobes. Lvs 65 × 25mm. Shrub under 40cm. Early May

(a) **'Little's Honey Pink'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *periclymenoides* S: P.L. Little (1995), N: P.L. Little (1996), I: Piping Tree Gardens (1996), REG: P.L. Little (1996) Fls 18/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 30mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, lobes light pink with a light yellow blotch which is spotted pink near the dorsal throat, outside of tube red, outside of lobes light pink with twin, pink stripes on midribs; stamens and pistil exserted; moderately scented. Calyx minute, light green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 40 × 15mm, with decurved margins, broadly acute at apex, acute at base, light blue-green above, with discrete, white hairs below. Shrub 2.4 × 1.8m. Early May. (Collected from Hanover County, Virginia, USA)

(a) **'Little's Lavender Glow'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *periclymenoides* S: P.L. Little (1995), N: P.L. Little (1996), I: Piping Tree Gardens (1996), REG: P.L. Little (1996) Fls 16/lax ball truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 45 × 40mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, tube purplish red, dorsal lobe light pink, other lobes lavender pink, ageing to lavender; stamens and pistil exserted; slightly scented. Calyx minute, green. Lvs elliptic, 45 × 20mm, with decurved margins, acute at apex and base, glossy, light green and hairless above, with discrete, white hairs below. Shrub 2.1 × 2.7m. Late April. (Collected from Hanover County, Virginia, USA)

(a) **'Little's Misty Blush'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *calendulaceum* S: P.L. Little (1994), N: P.L. Little (1996), I: Piping Tree Gardens (1996), REG: P.L. Little (1996) Fls 6/domed truss, narrow tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 55mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, yellowish white, with light pink markings at edges and faint yellow streaks in central portion of lobes; dorsal lobe with a prominent, golden blotch; stamens and pistil exserted; filaments pale yellow. Calyx very small, green. Lvs elliptic, 55 × 25mm, flat, with wavy-edged margins, acute at apex and base, strong yellow-green above, with white hairs above and below and on petioles. Shrub 2.4 × 1.2m. Mid-late May. (Collected from Greenbrier County, West Virginia, USA)

(a) **'Little's Mountain Giant'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from wild-collected *calendulaceum* S: P.L. Little (1990), N: P.L. Little (1995), I: Piping Tree Gardens & Nursery (1999), REG: P.L. Little (2002) Fls 8/domed truss, with a long, narrow tube expanding abruptly into 5, narrow, wavy-edged, keeled lobes which are curved downwards at the apex, 50 × 75mm, throat greenish yellow, lobes creamy yellowish pink becoming deeper pink at edges, the dorsal lobe covered with a yellowish orange blotch, tube salmon yellow. Calyx 3mm long, yellowish green. Lvs elliptic, 80 × 35mm, margins wavy and down-curved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and dark green above; hairy above, below and at edges, hairs white ageing to tan. Shrub of open habit, 1.8 × 2.4m. Late May. (Wild-collected on White Rock Mountain, West Virginia, USA in 1990)

(a) **'Little's Mountain Gold'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *calendulaceum* S: P.L. Little (1994), N: P.L. Little (1996), I: Piping Tree Gardens (1996), REG: P.L. Little (1996) Fls 7/domed truss, narrow tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 55mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, inside pale yellow, flushed light pink, with a golden blotch on the dorsal lobe; outside greenish yellow at the base of the tube, becoming pink near the lobes; lobe edges translucent; stamens and pistil exserted. Calyx very small, green. Lvs elliptic, 65 × 25mm, flat, acute at apex and base, with white hairs on both surfaces and on the petioles. Shrub 3.0 × 2.7m. Late May. (Collected from Greenbrier County, West Virginia, USA)

(a) **'Little's Mountain Melody'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *calendulaceum* S: P.L. Little (1994), N: P.L. Little (1994), I: Piping Tree Gardens (1996), REG: P.L. Little (1996) Fls 9/domed truss, flat-faced tubular funnel-shaped, 45 × 55mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, very light orange-yellow, flushed pink inside, with a yellow-orange blotch covering almost the entire dorsal lobe; stamens and style exserted; slightly scented. Calyx less than 2mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 80 × 30mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and dark green above, with discrete white hairs above and below as well as on margins. Shrub 1.8 × 3.6m. Late May. (Collected from Greenbrier County, West Virginia, USA)

(a) **'Little's Mountain Passion'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *calendulaceum* S: P.L. Little (1994), N: P.L. Little (1996), I: Piping Tree Gardens (1996), REG: P.L. Little (1996) Fls 8/ball truss, narrow tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-eded lobes, light pink with light yellow markings throughout, dorsal lobe golden at base, shading to yellow with pink margins, tube pink; stamens and pistil exserted. Calyx 1.5mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 75 × 30mm, margins uncurved, acute at apex and base, bluish green, with white hairs above and below and on the petioles. Shrub 3.0 × 3.0m. Late May. (Collected from Greenbrier County, West Virginia, USA)

(a) **'Little's Mountain Sunlight'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from wild-collected *calendulaceum* S: P.L. Little (1993), N: P.L. Little (1994), I: Piping Tree Gardens & Nursery (1999), REG: P.L. Little (2002) Fls 10/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 36 × 43mm, with 5 wavy to very wavy-edged lobes, light greenish yellow in bud, opening inside lemon yellow with a golden blotch on the dorsal lobe; outside lemon yellow on lobes, with a light greenish yellow tube. Calyx c1.5mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 55 × 40mm, margins wavy, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, hairy above and below (hairs white, ageing to tan). Shrub 1.8 × 1.2m. Mid June. (Wild-collected on White Rock Mountain, West Virginia, USA in 1993. First published in Piping Tree Gardens & Nursery cat., 2001)

(a) **'Little's Orange Crush'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from wild-collected *calendulaceum* S: P.L. Little (1998), N: P.L. Little (1998), REG: P.L. Little (2002) Fls 7/almost ball-shaped truss, tubular funnel-shaped, with a long narrow tube and broadly flaring, reflexed lobes, 40 × 50mm, with 5 wavy to very wavy-edged lobes,

light orange with creamy yellow areas and an orange gold blotch covering most of dorsal lobe, becoming light pinkish orange along border, tube salmon orange outside; filaments light yellowish pink; style pink. Calyx 1mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 40 × 15mm, margins wavy and downcurved, acuminate at apex, cuneate at base, hairy above and below (hairs white at first, ageing to tan). Shrub 1.8 × 0.9m. Mid May. (Wild-collected on White Rock Mountain, West Virginia, USA in 1998)

(a) **'Little's Orange Pink'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *cumberlandense* S: P.L. Little (1994), N: P.L. Little (1996), I: Piping Tree Gardens (1996), REG: P.L. Little (1996) Fls 4/domed truss, narrowly tubular funnel-shaped, 35 × 40mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside orange, flushed reddish pink, outside with light yellowish cream midribs; stamens and pistil exserted; not scented. Lvs elliptic to obovate, 55 × 25mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, acute at base, glossy above, with white hairs below and on petioles. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m. Late May. (Collected from Knox County, Kentucky, USA)

(a) **'Little's Orange Ridge'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from wild-collected *calendulaceum* S: P.L. Little (1998), N: P.L. Little (1998), REG: P.L. Little (2002) Fls 9/domed truss, broadly tubular funnel-shaped, 35 × 48mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside pinkish orange, the entire dorsal lobe orange; outside of lobes pink becoming orange at tips, tube deep salmon red; filaments orange; style pink. Calyx 2mm long, yellowish green. Lvs broadly elliptic, 65 × 30mm, margins wavy and downcurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, semiglossy and yellowish green above, hairy above and below (hairs white at first, ageing to tan). Shrub 1.8 × 1.2m, with long lasting fls. Mid May. (Wild-collected on White Rock Mountain, West Virginia, USA in 1998)

(a) **'Little's Pink Glow'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *calendulaceum* S: P.L. Little (1994), N: P.L. Little (1996), I: Piping Tree Gardens (1996), REG: P.L. Little (1996) Fls 8/domed truss, narrow tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 45mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, inside deep pink with an orange gold dorsal blotch edged yellowish pink; outside with pink lobes, with white midribs and a deep salmon red tube; stamens and pistil exserted. Lvs elliptic, 65 × 20mm, flat but with wavy margins, acute at apex and base, yellow-green, with white hairs above and below and on the petioles. Shrub 2.1 × 1.2m. Mid-late May. (Collected from Greenbrier County, West Virginia, USA)

(a) **'Little's Pink Gold'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *calendulaceum* S: P.L. Little (1994), N: P.L. Little (1996), I: Piping Tree Gardens (1996), REG: P.L. Little (1996) Fls 7/domed truss, narrow tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, with 5 lobes (dorsal lobe strongly wavy-edged, the remainder less so), dorsal lobe golden with a broad deep pink margin, other lobes pink with creamy white midribs and tips, tube salmon pink; stamens and pistil exserted. Calyx c1.5mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 65 × 30mm, flat but with wavy margins, acute at apex and base, yellow-green, with white hairs above and below and on the petioles. Shrub 2.1 × 1.5m. Late May. (Collected from Greenbrier County, West Virginia, USA)

(a) **'Little's Pink Stars'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *periclymenoides* S: P.L. Little (1995), N: P.L. Little (1996), I: Piping Tree Gardens (1996), REG: P.L. Little (1996) Fls 7/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 45mm, with 5, strongly reflexed, very wavy-edged lobes, lobes medium pink, tube salmon pink; filaments light pink; stamens and pistil exserted; not scented. Calyx minute, green. Lvs elliptic, 55 × 25mm, with wavy margins, acute at apex and base, light green, with white hairs above and below. Shrub 2.4 × 1.2m. Late April. (Collected from Hanover County, Virginia, USA)

(a) **'Little's Purple Taber'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'George Lindley Taber' G: P.L. Little (2001), N: P.L. Little (2001), I: Piping Tree Gardens & Nursery (2001), REG: P.L. Little (2002) Fls 2-3/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 60 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, dark purple in bud, opening inside medium reddish purple becoming more purple towards margins, with reddish purple veining throughout and discrete reddish purple spots on the dorsal lobe and portions of adjacent lobes; outside reddish purple; filaments purple; pistil rose pink; slightly scented. Calyx 15mm long, yellowish green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 80 × 20mm, margins upcurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull yellowish green above, hairy above and below and on margins (hairs white at first, light yellow with age). Shrub probably to 1.5m tall. Early May

(a) **'Little's Red Glow'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *cumberlandense* S: P.L. Little (1993), N: P.L. Little (1996), I: Piping Tree Gardens (1996), REG: P.L. Little (1996) Fls 6/domed truss, narrow tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 45mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, lobes red, with a large yellow-orange, dorsal blotch, tube deep pink; lobes age to dark pink red, with a scarlet blotch; stamens and pistil exserted; not scented. Calyx less than 1mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic to obovate, 65 × 25mm, slightly upcurved at margins, broadly acute at apex, acute at base, with white hairs above and below and on petioles. Rhizomatous shrub, 0.7 × 0.5m in 3 years. Early June. (Collected from Knox County, Kentucky, USA)

(a) **'Little's Salmon'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *prunifolium* G: P.L. Little (1992), S: P.L. Little (1993), N: P.L. Little (1996), I: Piping Tree Gardens (1996), REG: P.L. Little (1996) Fls 13/domed truss (from 2 buds), narrow tubular funnel-shaped, 45 × 45mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, shades of salmon, salmon flushed orange, salmon flushed pink, or salmon flushed red throughout (depending on weather and age of fls); filaments pink, style red; stamens and pistil exserted; not scented. Calyx minute. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 40mm, flat, acute at apex and base, sparsely white hairy below. Shrub 3.0 × 1.5m in 14 years. Late July-mid August. (Seedling purchased from Woodlanders, Inc., Aiken, South Carolina, USA)

(a) **'Little's Salmon Blush'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *calendulaceum* S: P.L. Little (1996), N: P.L. Little (1996), I: Piping Tree Gardens (1996), REG: P.L. Little (1996) Fls tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, light yellowish pink with a golden dorsal blotch; base of tube outside salmon; stamens and style exserted. Calyx c3mm long, yellow-green. Lvs elliptic, 55 × 25mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, with white hairs above and below. Shrub 1.8 × 1.5m. Late May. (Collected from Greenbrier County, West Virginia, USA)

(a) **'Little's Salmon Glow'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *cumberlandense* S: P.L. Little (1993), N: P.L. Little (1996), I: Piping Tree Gardens (1996), REG: P.L. Little (1996) Fls 4/domed truss, narrow tubular funnel-shaped, 45 × 45mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, lobes light pinkish salmon inside, darker at edges, with a deep orange, dorsal throat and a gold blotch on the dorsal lobe; outside light salmon pink, with narrow, red, longitudinal veins on the lobes, tube yellow-green at base; stamens and pistil exserted; not scented. Calyx very small, green. Lvs elliptic, 65 × 25mm, flat, with wavy margins, broadly acute at apex, acute at base, white hairy below and on petioles. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m. Late May-early June. (Collected from Knox County, Kentucky, USA)

(a) **'Little's Spreading Pink'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage uncertain, *arborescens* × *cumberlandense* is suggested S: P.L. Little (1994), N: P.L. Little (1996), I: Piping Tree Gardens (1996), REG: P.L. Little (1996) Fls 6/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 55 × 55mm, with 5 elongated lobes (upper lobe wavy-edged, the other lobes smooth-edged), light pink with darker pink margins and a gold blotch on the lower part of the dorsal lobe, tube dark pink, with a dark pink streak extending upwards along midvein of dorsal lobe; filaments pink, style red; stamens and pistil exserted; fls with a clove-like scent. Calyx very small, light green. Lvs elliptic, 65 × 45mm, margins upcurved, broadly acute at apex, acute at base, glossy, dark green above, with discrete, white hairs below. Rhizomatous shrub, 0.8 × 0.8m in 10 years. Late May

(a) **'Little's Sugarplum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *periclymenoides* S: P.L. Little (1985), N: P.L. Little (1996), I: Piping Tree Gardens (1996), REG: P.L. Little (1996) Fls 14/lax truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 30 × 40mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, rose red in bud, opening lavender, with a lavender red tube and light lavender pink filaments; stamens and pistil exserted; moderately scented. Calyx minute, light green. Lvs elliptic, 45 × 20mm, with upcurved margins, acute at apex and base, reddish green at first ageing to light green, with discrete white hairs below. Shrub 1.5 × 0.75m in 15 years. Late April. Lavender colour said to be enhanced by an oak leaf mulch. (Collected from Hanover County, Virginia, USA)

(a) **'Little's Sunburst'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *calendulaceum* S: P.L. Little (1994), N: P.L. Little (1995), I: Piping Tree Gardens (1996), REG: P.L. Little (1996) Fls 6/domed truss, narrow tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 55mm, with 5 wavy- to very wavy-edged lobes, deep lemon yellow inside and out, with a golden blotch covering the entire dorsal lobe; stamens and style exserted. Calyx very small, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 55 × 20mm, with wavy margins, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green, with discrete, white hairs above and below as well as on margins. Shrub 2.4 × 2.4m. Late May. (Collected from Greenbrier County, West Virginia, USA)

(a) **'Little's Sunfrost Torch'** cv. Deciduous azalea: probably a natural hybrid of *calendulaceum* and *periclymenoides* S: P.L. Little (1994), N: P.L. Little (1996), I: Piping Tree Gardens (1996), REG: P.L. Little (1996) Fls 10/ball truss, narrow tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 45mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, yellow-brown in bud, opening inside creamy yellow flushed yellowish pink at margins, with a golden blotch covering almost the entire dorsal lobe; outside of tube yellow, flushed yellowish pink; stamens and style exserted. Calyx very small, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, c6xc1.5mm, with decurved margins, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and light green above, with discrete, white hairs above and below as well as on margins. Shrub 1.25 × 0.75m. Late May. Notable for the very small lvs. (Collected from Monroe County, West Virginia, USA)

(a) **'Little's Sun Mist'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *calendulaceum* S: P.L. Little (1994), N: P.L. Little (1996), I: Piping Tree Gardens (1996), REG: P.L. Little (1996) Fls 9/ball truss, narrow tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with 5 lobes (dorsal strongly wavy-edged, others flat), soft yellow lightly flushed pale creamy pink, dorsal lobe with a yellow gold blotch at the base; stamens and pistil exserted; slightly scented. Lvs elliptic, 80 × 30mm, flat, acute at apex and base, deep green, with white hairs above and below and on the petioles. Shrub 2.1 × 1.5m. Late May. (Collected from Greenbrier County, West Virginia, USA)

(a) **'Little's Super Truss'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *atlanticum* S: P.L. Little (1995), N: P.L. Little (1996), I: Piping Tree Gardens (1996), REG: P.L. Little (1996) Fls 21/ball truss (from multiple buds), tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 40mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, white tinged lavender pink (colour more pronounced at edges - especially at lobe tips); stamens and pistil exserted; scented. Lvs elliptic, 40 × 15mm, flat, acute at apex and base, glossy, light green above, with white hairs above and below and on the petioles. Rhizomatous shrub, 0.6 × 0.45m. Early May. (Collected from Henrico County, Virginia, USA)

(v) **'Littlest Angel'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lochiae* (s) × *pauciflorum* H: G.L.S. Snell, G: G.L.S. Snell (1983), N: G.L.S. Snell, I: G.L.S. Snell, REG: G.L.S. Snell (1984) Fls 4/truss, tubular-campanulate, 30 × 25mm, vivid red (46C). Lvs elliptic, 40 × 20mm. Shrub c0.4m

(a) **'Little's Tangerine Giant'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from wild-collected *calendulaceum* S: P.L. Little (1998), N: P.L. Little (1999), I: Piping Tree Gardens & Nursery (2001), REG: P.L. Little (2002) Fls 8/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped (with a narrow tube), 50 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, orange in bud, opening inside with an orange-red throat and shading to creamy orange pink towards margins, the dorsal lobe with an orange-red blotch at base shading to orange pink at edge; outside of tubes salmon red, the lobes creamy light orange, edged deep pink; filaments yellow; style pink. Calyx minute, green. Lvs elliptic, 45 × 25mm, margins wavy and downcurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull yellowish green above, hairy above and below and on margins (hairs white at first, ageing to tan). Shrub 1.8 × 1.2m. Late May. (Wild-collected on White Rock Mountain, West Virginia, USA in 1998)

(a) **'Little's Tangerine Luster'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from wild-collected *calendulaceum* S: P.L. Little (1997), N: P.L. Little (2000), I: Piping Tree Gardens & Nursery (2001), REG: P.L. Little (2002) Fls 6/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, expanding into 5 wavy-edged, saucer-shaped lobes, 50 × 58mm, inside pink to deep orange with a scarlet dorsal blotch, outside with orange-red tubes; filaments orange pink. Calyx minute, green. Lvs broadly elliptic, 62 × 30mm, margins flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and dark green above, hairy above and below and on margins (hairs white at first, ageing to tan). Shrub 2.4 × 1.5m. Early-mid May. (Wild-collected on White Rock Mountain, West Virginia, USA in 1997)

(a) **'Little's Tangerine Pink'** cv. Deciduous azalea: natural hybrid of *calendulaceum* and possibly *prinophyllum* S: P.L. Little (1993), N: P.L. Little (1994), I: Piping Tree Gardens & Nursery (1999), REG: P.L. Little (2002) Fls 9/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, expanding into 5 wavy-edged, reflexed lobes, 45 × 55mm, purplish red in bud, opening inside deep salmon pink with a light yellowish pink throat, a yellowish orange blotch on the dorsal lobe and a yellow streak running longitudinally from apex of lobe to the throat; outside deep salmon pink with red tubes. Calyx 2mm long, yellowish green. Lvs broadly elliptic, 40 × 25mm, margins wavy and downcurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and yellowish green above, hairy on veins and midrib below and on margins (hairs white at first, ageing to tan). Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m. Early June. (Wild-collected on White Rock Mountain, West Virginia, USA in 1993. First published in Piping Tree Gardens & Nursery cat., 1999)

(a) **'Little's Wavy Pink'** cv. Deciduous azalea: natural hybrid of *calendulaceum* and *periclymenoides* S: P.L. Little (1997), N: P.L. Little (1998), I: Piping Tree Gardens & Nursery (1999), REG: P.L. Little (2002) Fls 8/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 40mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes (lobes reflexed, ventral lobes twisted), buds light greenish with a lavender pink apex, opening inside light pink with a narrow, longitudinal pink streak along centre of each lobe and a large, golden, dorsal blotch; outside of tube shades from dark pink at base to light greenish at base of lobes. Calyx 3mm long, yellowish green. Lvs elliptic, 60 × 25mm, margins wavy and downcurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and yellowish green above, hairy on midrib below and on margins (hairs white at first, ageing to tan). Shrub 1.8 × 3.6m. Mid-late May. (Wild-collected on White Rock Mountain, West Virginia, USA in 1997. First published in Piping Tree Gardens & Nursery cat., 2001)

(a) **'Little's White Ruffles'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown G: P.L. Little (2000), S: P.L. Little (2000), N: P.L. Little (2000), I: Piping Tree Gardens & Nursery (2001), REG: P.L. Little (2002) Fls 3/flattened dome truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 55mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, white in bud, opening white inside and out, with yellowish green spotting on basal portions of dorsal lobes; filaments white. Calyx 8mm long, light green. Lvs broadly elliptic, 45 × 30mm, margins waved and upcurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull mid green above, hairy above and below (hairs white, ageing to yellow). Dense shrub, 0.4 × 0.5m in 4 years. Late April

(a) **'Little's White Spice'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *atlanticum* S: P.L. Little (1996), N: P.L. Little (1996), I: Piping Tree Gardens (1996), REG: P.L. Little (1996) Fls 9/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 45 × 45mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, lobes white, some tinged very light pink at the margins; tube light green at base shading to white flushed light pink, covered with white, glandular hairs (tipped brownish red) which extend upwards along midrib of lobes; stamens and pistil exserted; strongly scented. Calyx c5mm long, yellow to light green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 30 × 5mm, margins decurved, acute at apex and base, light yellow-green, with white glandular hairs (tipped brown-red) above and below. Shrub 0.6 × 0.3m. Early May. (Collected from Henrico County, Virginia, USA)

(r) **'Little Trooper'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Arthur Osborn' × Fabia Group R: G.L. Baker, N: G.L. Baker, REG: G.L. Baker (1968) Fls up to 8/truss, campanulate, 40 × 50mm, with wavy-edged lobes, deep blood red. Calyx 13 mm long. Lvs elliptic, 75 × 25mm, dark olive green. Shrub 60 × 70cm in 10 years. Late

(r) **'Little Twit'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'La Bar's White' (s) × *sutchuenense* H: A.W. Smith (pre 1989), G: D. Irish-Hosler (1998), N: D. Irish-Hosler (2000), REG: D. Irish-Hosler (2000) Fls 15/domed truss, funnel-campanulate, 50 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, opening inside pale purplish pink (56D), with a small, magenta blotch at the base of the dorsal lobe; outside pale purplish pink (56C) at base, paling to pale purplish pink (56D). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 215 × 65mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins downcurved, semi-glossy and dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in c12 years. Early

(r) **'Little White Dove'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* (s) × *yakushimanum* H: B.F. Lancaster (pre 1964), G: J.A. Elliott (1968), N: J.A. Elliott, I: J.A.

Elliott (1971), REG: J.A. Elliott (1974) Fls 10-12/ball truss, open campanulate, 30 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds light rose pink, opening white. Calyx 3mm long, yellow-green. Lvs narrowly oblong, c65 × 25mm, dark and glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 1.1m in 9 years. Early May

(a) **'Little White Lie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* hybrid × 'Snow' × 'Hexe' R: USDA, Beltsville, N: USDA, Beltsville (1957), I: USDA, Beltsville (1960), REG: USDA, Beltsville (1961) Fls hose-in-hose, 2-3/truss, c25mm wide, white. Lvs semi-evergreen. Very dwarf shrub, 1.5 times as wide as high

(r) **'Little Winston'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cerisette' × Toreador Group I: Lord Digby, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Littleworth'** cv. Parentage unknown I: R.E. Horsfall (1935), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Littleworth Beauty'** (Syn. of 'Beauty of Littleworth')

(r) **'Littleworth Corallina'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J.H. Mangles, I: Miss C. Mangles (1911), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in loose trusses, campanulate, large, pale lilac rose, with a crimson base. Lvs ovate, deep glossy green. Large shrub. AM 1911

(r) **'Littleworth Cream'** cv. Parentage unknown I: R.E. Horsfall (1935), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Littleworth Flush'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: J.H. Mangles (pre 1884), N: Lady Adam Gordon (1984), REG: Lady Adam Gordon (1984) Fls c11/open-topped truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 60 × 50-60mm, 5-6-lobed, vivid red (57A) in bud, opening vivid purplish red (57C-D) on dorsal lobes, paling to white below and in throat, heavily spotted moderate to strong purplish red (58A-B) all round flower (heaviest and darkest on dorsal lobes); nectaries strong purplish red (58B). Calyx up to 7mm long, regular, pale yellow-green, tinged red at base and tips. Lvs elliptic, up to 125 × 55mm, mid green and dull above, with a very thin indumentum below

(r) **'Littleworth Gem'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: J.H. Mangles (pre 1884), REG: Lady Adam Gordon (1984) Fls c13/dense, open-topped truss, funnel-shaped, 35-45 × 50mm, 5-lobed, strong red (51A) outside and on edges inside, paling in centre of lobes and in throat to deep to moderate pink (51C-D), with a few brownish red spots on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 10mm long, with broad, rounded lobes, pale green, tinged pale pink. Lvs oblong-oblanceolate, 110 × 55mm, mid green and slightly glossy above, with sparse golden brown hairs below

(r) **'Littleworth Hybrid'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: resembles *grande* R: J.H. Mangles, I: Miss C. Mangles (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c30/truss, campanulate, sulphury white, with a purple blotch at the base; anthers absent or aborted. Lvs large, dark green above, silvery white below. AM 1914

(r) **'Littleworth Pearl'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: J.H. Mangles (pre 1884), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Littleworth Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: J.H. Mangles ?, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3-9/loose, domed truss, funnel-shaped, 57-60 × 65-70mm, 5(-6)-lobed, strong to moderate purplish pink (68B-C) outside - darker around edges of lobes, light purplish pink (68D) inside - darker around edges of lobes; dorsal throat with 2 lines of greenish yellow spots and 3 of orange spots; lines of spots sometimes on other parts of throat; stamens much reduced or absent. Calyx 1.5mm long, pale green, very shortly glandular ciliate, hardly more than an uneven rim. Lvs elliptic, 80-155 × 40-57mm, pale dull green above, hairless. Tall shrub. May

(r) **'Littleworth Puffin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: J.H. Mangles ? (pre 1884), N: Lady Adam Gordon (1984), REG: Lady Adam Gordon (1984) Fls c14/open-topped, more-or-less flat truss, 50 × 50-55mm, broadly tubular-campanulate, 5-7-lobed, strong reddish purple (72B-C) on midveins on outside (above), much paler below, lobes on inside edged light purple (84C), fading inwards to very pale purple (84D), with very heavy dorsal spotting of deep purplish red (59B), which shows through on outside; nectaries stained deep red (60A). Calyx 3mm long, with narrow, regular lobes, green, edged pink. Lvs oblong-elliptic, up to 170 × 60mm, mid dull green above with impressed veins, silvery green below with numerous, minute, pale brown hairs

(r) **'Littleworth Star'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: J.H. Mangles (pre 1884), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Littleworth White'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: J.H. Mangles (pre 1884), REG: Lady Adam Gordon (1984) Fls c8/loose, open-topped truss, funnel-shaped, 60 × 90mm, 5-7-lobed, white, with inconspicuous pale green dorsal spotting and a slight suffusion of pale green at base outside. Calyx regular, c7mm long, green, tinged pink. Lvs elliptic, up to 170 × 60mm, dark green and slightly glossy above, very sparsely hairy below

(a) **'Liva'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: De Clercq-van Gyseghem (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, rose. Indian

(a) **'Līva'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *R.* × *kosterianum* (s) × *roseum* H: R. Kondratovičs (1974), G: R. Kondratovičs (1984), N: R. Kondratovičs, I: Rhododendron Nursery "Babīte" of University of Latvia (1999) Fls single, 9-11/strongly domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 80 × 80mm, with 5 more-or-less flat-edged lobes, inside begonia rose (619), with an inconspicuous, yellow, dorsal blotch; filaments pale yellow, anthers cream; style pale yellow, stigma yellow-green. Calyx 1-2mm long, green. Lvs elliptic-oblong, 145 × 35mm, wavy-edged, matt

green above, broadly acute at apex, pointed at base, with white hairs persistent above when mature. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 10 years. Late May-early June. (Published in *Praktiskais Latvietis* no. 17 (189): 12-13 (April, 2000). An unacceptable name but established as part of Latvian PBR certificate no. ROD-6 (26 February, 1999))

(a) **'Lively'** cv. Parentage unknown I: C. Turner (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, soft pink, running to dark brown at margins. AM 1894

(r) **'Lively One'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *brachycarpum* × 'Crest' (s) × 'Wizard' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls pale greenish yellow (1D), deep pink (51C) and moderate pink (51D) in bud, opening pale yellow-green (155A) with a light greenish yellow (4C) throat and strong yellow-green (144A) dorsal spotting. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Livonia Lindsley'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi King George' × 'Mars' R: A.O. Wright Sr, N: A.O. Wright Sr, I: A.R. Lindsley Sr, REG: A.R. Lindsley Sr (1968) Fls up to 24/cone-shaped truss, orchid purple (31/2), slightly fading with age (31/3). Lvs 125 × 50mm. Rounded shrub to 2.2m in 19 years. Midseason

(r) **'Liz Ann'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selected seedling from 'Maricee' R: J.F. Caperci (pre 1980) Fls pastel pink, paling with age. Shrub 0.4m in 10 years

(r) **'Liza Shirey'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Masterblend' (s) × 'Jennypoo' H: W.E. Delp (1986), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1996) Fls 11/truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 70mm, 5-6-lobed, strong red (53B-D) in bud, opening strong and light purplish pink (63C-D) with strong purplish red (63A) dorsal spots, outside strong purplish red (63B); filaments white. Lvs 80 × 30mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base. Early May. (First published in Salley & Greer, *Rhododendron Hybrids*, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Liza's Yellow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × unknown H: G.E. Barefield (1959), G: G.E. Barefield (1976), I: Mrs M.W. Barefield (1978), REG: Mrs M.W. Barefield (1980) Fls 12/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 100 × 100mm wide, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, strong yellowish pink (37A) in bud, opening light orange-yellow (16C) and fading to pale yellow (19C) at edges, with vivid reddish orange (33B) at the base of the throat and as flecks on the dorsal lobe; outside with a moderate yellowish pink (33D) flush; slightly scented. Calyx lobes 20-40mm long, light yellow (11B), with a vivid reddish orange (33B) blotch. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 165 × 50mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dark yellowish green (139A), hairless; new growth bronze. Shrub 1.1 × 0.9m in 17 years. Early June

(a) **'Liz Colbert'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *viscosum* Serrulatum Group (s) × *austrinum* H: E.J. Aromi (1979), G: John Smith (1984), N: E.J. Aromi, I: Magnolia Nursery (1995), REG: Magnolia Nursery (1996) Fls 14/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, c40 × 45mm, 5-lobed, white, flushed deep pink (52B), with a vivid yellow (16A) blotch; strongly scented. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 70 × 23mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (146A) above, moderate yellow-green (146B) and with yellow-green hairs below. Shrub 1.5 × 0.9m in 10 years. Late April

(a) **'Lizetta Lynn'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: Marshy Point Nursery, G: Marshy Point Nursery, N: Marshy Point Nursery, I: Marshy Point Nursery (1995) Fls single, bright pink. Compact shrub

(a) **'Lizette'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt (c 1947), I: E.A. Merritt (c 1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, single, light pink (55B). Kurume

(r) **'Lizzard'** (See 'The Lizzard')

(a) **'Lizzie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: F.R. Kinghorn (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white, broadly striped rosy crimson. FCC 1867. Indian

(a) **'L.J. Bobbink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Bobbink & Atkins (pre 1930), N: Bobbink & Atkins, INC: ICRA (1958) Fl hose-in-hose, 50-75mm wide, petunia purple (32/1), lighter in the throat; with an occasional whitish flower. Late. Syn: 'Louise J. Bobbink'. Rutherford

(r) **'Llandaff'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: C.B. van Nes & Sons (pre 1923), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson pink

(r) **'Llenroc'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: white-flowered *minus* Carolinianum Group (s) × *mucronulatum* 'Cornell Pink' H: E.V. Mezitt (1958), G: Weston Nurseries (c 1962), N: E.V. Mezitt, I: Weston Nurseries (1971), REG: R.W. Mezitt (1998) Fls c4/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, c30 × 40mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (65D) with a yellow blotch. Lvs elliptic, 75 × 30mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and dark green above, with scales below; inner leaves change to brilliant orange, yellow and red before dropping; up to 35 per cent of green leaves held over winter. Shrub 0.9 × 0.75m in 7 years. Mid May. Syn: 'Shrimp Pink No. 3'

(a) **'Llewelyn Bernice'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ben Morrison' (s) × 'Watcher' H: M. Phillips (1991), G: M. Phillips (1994), N: M. Phillips (1994), REG: M. Phillips (1994) Fls 2/lax truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 51 × 89mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, orange-red throughout, with dark red speckling on the dorsal lobe; stamens 8, unequal. Calyx 6mm long, green. Pedicels 19mm long, red/green at base. Lvs elliptic, 51 × 19mm, slightly concave, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, with colourless to greenish hairs; petioles 6-13mm long, green. Shrub 0.35 × 0.45m in 3 years. Mid-late May

(a) **'L.L.Liebig'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: F. Schneider (1863), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'L.L. Liebig'** (Syn. of 'Ludwig Leopold Liebig')

(v) **'Lobbii'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *longiflorum* I: J. Veitch & Sons (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson. FCC 1869, FCC 1860

(r) **'Lobengula'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J.W. de Ruyter (pre 1896), N: J.W. de Ruyter, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple red, with a yellow blotch

(r) **'Lobilius'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1859), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Lobo's Lemon Lime'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Art Childers' (s) × *yakushimanum*, Exbury form H: R.E. Burns (1992), G: R.E. Burns (1999), N: F.E. Burns (2002), REG: F.E. Burns (2002) Fls 11/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 40mm, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes, brilliant greenish yellow (2B) in bud, opening inside brilliant greenish yellow (2B) paling to pale greenish yellow (1D) at edges, the dorsal lobes with strong greenish yellow (151A) speckling; outside light yellow-green (2C); stamens 12; stigma brilliant greenish yellow (1B). Pedicels brilliant yellow-green (12A). Calyx with one lobe c3.0mm long, other lobes c10mm long and curled, pale greenish yellow (1D). Lvs narrowly oblanceolate, 100 × 30mm, margins downcurved, acuminate at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Lobo's Lollipops'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sandy Mile' (s) × *yakushimanum*, Exbury form H: R.E. Burns (1992), G: R.E. Burns (1999), N: F.E. Burns (2002), REG: F.E. Burns (2002) Fls 15/ball truss, open campanulate, 50 × 30mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (54A) in bud, opening inside and out pale purplish pink (56C) edged with a band (c15mm wide) of deep purplish pink (54B), the inside with 3 speckled, strong greenish yellow (151A) dorsal flares, the outside midribs strong purplish red (54A) blending gradually into the principal colour; stamens 10, pale purplish pink (56A-D); stigma strong purplish red (54A). Calyx 1.5-3.0mm long, pale yellow-green (194D), edged strong purplish red (54A). Lvs oblanceolate/elliptic, 150 × 50mm, margins wavy and downcurved, acute at apex, oblique at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.9m in 10 years. Mid-late May

(a) **'Lobster'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *prunifolium* hybrid R: Weston Nurseries, N: Weston Nurseries, I: Weston Nurseries (1986) Fls reddish orange, non-fading. Late July

(a) **'Lobster Pot'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown G: E. de Rothschild (1970s), S: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: Exbury Enterprises (1988), REG: E. de Rothschild (1997) Fls single (or occasionally semi-double), 9/truss, tubular funnel-shaped (opening flat-faced), 70 × 90mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, buds ribbed and "claw-like", vivid reddish orange (32A) and strong red (39A), opening brilliant orange (29A) to light orange-yellow (24C) in centre, dorsal lobe with a strong orange (24A), dotted flare; outside of lobes flushed deep yellowish pink (39B); filaments and style very long (style up to 90mm long), similarly coloured, occasionally petaloid. Calyx 1mm long, green. Lvs obovate, 90 × 35mm. May. (Solent Group)

(r) **'Locarno'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs L.A. Dunnett' × *griersonianum* × un-named hybrid R: Fa. M. Koster, N: Fa. M. Koster, REG: Fa. M. Koster (1964) Fls 12-16/compact truss, 90mm long, deep purplish pink (61D), inside with some inconspicuous, darker spots on the dorsal lobe

(r) **'Loch Eck'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *vernicosum* R: Younger Botanic Garden, N: Younger Botanic Garden, REG: Younger Botanic Garden (1964) Fls up to 12/dense, rounded truss, flat saucer-shaped, 25 × 80mm, white, entirely un-marked. Calyx rim-like. Lvs 100 × 50mm. AM 1964

(r) **Lochinch Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Elsae Group (s) × *falconeri* subsp. *eximium* R: Lord Stair, N: Lord Stair, I: Lord Stair (1932), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Lochinch Spinbur'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *spinuliferum* (s) × *burmanicum* R: Lord Stair, N: Lord Stair, I: Lord Stair (1957), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 5/loose truss, tubular, 40 × 25mm, pale yellow, stained pink. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 75 × 25mm, scaly below. AM 1957 (Spinbur Group)

(v) **'Lochmin'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lochiae* × *jasminiflorum* H: T. Lelliott, G: T. Lelliott, N: R. Cutten, I: R. Cutten, REG: R. Cutten (1981) Fls 7/truss, light purplish pink (55C), with a darker tube

(r) **'Loch o' the Lowes'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tidbit' × *caucasicum* (s) × 'Crest' × (*yakushimanum* × *wardii*) H: P.A. Cox (1976), G: P.A. Cox, N: P.A. Cox, I: Glendoick Gardens, REG: P.A. Cox & K.N.E. Cox (1994) Fls 9-11/rounded truss, funnel-campanulate to broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale yellow-green (4D) inside and out, unmarked. Calyx 70mm wide (almost hose-in-hose in effect), pale yellow-green (4D). Lvs obovate, up to 120 × 60mm, flat, glossy above, slightly apiculate at apex, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 2.0m in 18 years. Late May-early June

(r) **'Loch Rannoch'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tidbit' × *caucasicum* × *wardii* × (*yakushimanum* × 'Crest') H: P.A. Cox (1976), G: Glendoick Gardens (c 1981), N: Glendoick Gardens, REG: Glendoick Gardens (1990) Fls 11-16/truss, 5-lobed, yellow, with a small red blotch. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs obovate, 85 × 40mm, hairless. Compact shrub, 0.84 × 1.2m, free flowering from a young age; bud scales red. Mid-late May

(r) **'Loch Tay'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' × *caucasicum* H: P.A. Cox (1971), G: P.A. Cox (c 1980), N: Glendoick Gardens, REG: P.A. Cox (1987) Fls c13/truss, 45 × 70mm, 5-lobed, lobes pale yellow (20D), centre changing to light yellow (20B) with moderate red-

dish orange (41C) spotting, outside lined and flushed 41C. Calyx 13-20mm long, moderate reddish orange (41C), spotted moderate yellowish pink (38B). Lvs narrowly ovate, 100 × 40mm, hairless. Shrub 1.5m in 15 years, compact. Mid May-early June

(r) **'Loch Tummel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *pachysanthum* × *morii* G: P.A. Cox (c 1980), N: P.A. & K.N.E. Cox, I: Glendoick Gardens (1988), REG: P.A. & K.N.E. Cox (1992) Fls 15-18/truss, funnel-campanulate, 44 × 35mm, 5-lobed, buds dark purplish pink (186C), opening pure white with a bold basal blotch of dark red (187B); outside pure white. Lvs lanceolate, 80-110 × 30-40mm, with a fawny brown indumentum below and a thin silvery indumentum on upper side when young. Compact shrub, 1.5 × 2.2m in 20 years. March-April. (From wild seed of *pachysanthum* collected by John Patrick, Rhododendron Venture, in Taiwan, 1972)

(a) **'Lockington'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Beau Bonnie' × 'Harry Van de Ven' H: D.J. Dosser (1982), G: D.J. Dosser (1985), N: D.J. Dosser, I: Lockington Nursery (1986), REG: Lockington Nursery (1987) Fls hose-in-hose, 4-7/truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish pink (68B) inside and out, with deep purplish pink (67C) spotting on the dorsal lobes and white stripes on back of lobes; strongly scented. Calyx 25mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs oblanceolate, 40 × 20mm. Shrub 0.5m tall

(r) **'Lockington Alina'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lockington Sandy' (s) × 'Crest' H: D.J. Dosser (1994), G: D.J. Dosser (2000), N: D.J. Dosser (2001), REG: D.J. Dosser (2002) Fls 20/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 90 × 50mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (54A) in bud, opening pale yellow (11D) at lobe edges, pale greenish yellow (9D) in centre, outside pale yellow (11D); vivid reddish orange (34A) spots on 3 dorsal lobes. Lvs oblanceolate, 164 × 41mm, margins decurved, obtuse at apex, attenuate at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 0.6m in 6 years. October (Tasmania). (Standard: print provided by registrant (WSY 0031922))

(r) **'Lockington Aurora'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Samantha Sawers' (s) × 'Cup Day' H: D.J. Dosser (1992), G: D.J. Dosser (2000), N: D.J. Dosser (2000), REG: D.J. Dosser (2001) Fls 14/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 63 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63B) in bud, opening inside pale yellow (11C), edged strong purplish pink (67D); outside pale yellow (11C), streaked strong purplish pink (67D); extensive strong purplish red (60D) spotting on 3 dorsal lobes. Lvs broadly elliptic, 145 × 55mm, margins decurved, obtuse at apex and base, semi-glossy above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 8 years. November (Tasmania). (Standard: scanned colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0027988))

(a) **'Lockington Avon'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Holly's Yellow' (s) × un-named Exbury seedling H: D.J. Dosser (1987), G: D.J. Dosser (1992), N: D.J. Dosser (1992), REG: D.J. Dosser (1993) Fls 11/conical truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 60 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside vivid orange-yellow (21A), flushed red, outside brilliant orange-yellow (21B). Calyx 10mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 45mm, wavy-edged, matt green above, narrowed at base, apiculate at apex. Shrub 1.0m

(r) **'Lockington Crown'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lockington Pride' × 'Coronation Day' H: D.J. Dosser, G: D.J. Dosser (1986), N: D.J. Dosser, I: Lockington Nursery (1987), REG: Lockington Nursery (1988) Fls 15-17/truss, funnel-shaped, 60 × 100mm, 6-lobed, deep purplish pink (66C), throat blotched and flared deep purplish red (61A). Lvs elliptic, 120 × 35mm. Shrub 1.0m tall. Spring

(r) **'Lockington Daisy Belle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Delamere Belle' (s) × un-named seedling H: D.J. Dosser (1980), G: D.J. Dosser (1990), N: D.J. Dosser (2001), REG: D.J. Dosser (2002) Fls 7/flat truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, with 7 smooth-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (62A) in bud (with a pale base), opening inside very pale purple (69B) fading to white with age, outside very pale purple (69B); unmarked. Lvs broadly elliptic, 118 × 39mm, margins decurved, obtuse at apex and base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 20 years. October (Tasmania). (Standard: scanned colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0031921))

(a) **'Lockington Dancer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Beau Bonnie' × 'Harry Van de Ven' H: D.J. Dosser (1982), G: D.J. Dosser (1985), N: D.J. Dosser, I: Lockington Nursery (1986), REG: Lockington Nursery (1987) Fls hose-in-hose (plus petaloids), 2-3/truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 60mm, deep pink (48A), with white tips. Lvs elliptic, 40 × 15mm. Shrub 0.3m

(a) **'Lockington Dream'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Pink Dream' × 'Orchid Gem' H: D.J. Dosser, G: D.J. Dosser, N: D.J. Dosser, REG: D.J. Dosser (1989) Fls 2-4/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 70mm, 5-lobed, deep purplish pink (68A), back of outer lobes fading to central rib, dorsal lobes inside with deeper spots. Lvs elliptic, 40 × 20mm. Shrub 1.0m tall

(r) **'Lockington Flame'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Sarita Loder Group × 'Cup Day' H: D.J. Dosser (1978), G: D.J. Dosser (1985), N: D.J. Dosser, I: Lockington Nursery (1987), REG: Lockington Nursery (1988) Fls 17/truss, funnel-shaped, 60 × 100mm, 5-lobed, strong red (51A), with a darker dorsal flare. Lvs lanceolate, 150 × 50mm, hairless. Shrub 1.5m tall. Spring

(r) **'Lockington Gold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Crest' (s) × un-named yellow seedling H: D.J. Dosser (1990), G: D.J. Dosser (1996), N: D.J. Dosser (1997), REG: D.J. Dosser (1997) Fls 9/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 89mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (51A) in bud, gradually losing red as it opens inside and out to pale yellow-green (4D), shading to light greenish yellow (4B) at base. Lvs elliptic, 102 × 37mm, margins decurved, apiculate at apex, oblique at base,

matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 0.5m in 7 years. October-November (Tasmania)

(r) **'Lockington Jane'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'John Dosser' (s) × 'Unique' H: D.J. Dosser, G: D.J. Dosser (1980), I: D.J. Dosser, REG: D.J. Dosser (1984) Fls 15/truss, funnel-shaped, 80 × 40mm, white spotted moderate purplish red (59C). Lvs obovate, 120 × 60mm. Shrub 1.1 × 1.0m

(r) **'Lockington Lockie'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *maddenii* seedling G: D.J. Dosser (1976), N: D.J. Dosser, REG: D.J. Dosser (1989) Fls 3-4/truss, tubular-campanulate, 90 × 100mm, 5-lobed, white, with a yellow throat. Lvs elliptic, 130 × 60mm, bullate. Similar to 'Tyermannii' but growth habit less unruly

(a) **'Lockington Pink Orchid'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Magnificum' × 'Orchid Gem' H: D.J. Dosser (1983), G: D.J. Dosser (1986), N: D.J. Dosser, REG: D.J. Dosser (1989) Fls 1-2/truss, 90 × 50mm, funnel-shaped, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (68C), with vivid purplish red (57C) spotting on the dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic-oblanceolate, 40 × 10mm. Shrub 0.6m tall

(r) **'Lockington Pride'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Morio' × 'Mrs E.C. Stirling' H: D.J. Dosser, G: D.J. Dosser (1976), N: D.J. Dosser, I: D.J. Dosser, REG: D.J. Dosser (1978) Fls 13/truss, open funnel-shaped, pale purplish pink (65C), with a red centre and red spots on the dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic. Shrub c1.1m

(r) **'Lockington Sandy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cup Day' × Margaret Dunn Group H: D.J. Dosser (1982), G: D.J. Dosser (1990), N: D.J. Dosser (1991), I: Lockington Nursery (1991), REG: Lockington Nursery (1992) Fls 12/conical truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, pale yellow-green (4D) inside and out, with strong red (53B) spotting on the 3 dorsal lobes. Lvs oblong, 110 × 35mm, flat, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.0m. Spring

(a) **'Lockington Shannon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Wakakayede' × 'Magnificum Mauve' H: D.J. Dosser (1985), G: D.J. Dosser (1989), N: D.J. Dosser, I: Lockington Nursery (1989), REG: Lockington Nursery (1991) Fls double, 3/truss, funnel-shaped, 25 × 75mm, vivid red (45B). Lvs obovate, 35 × 25mm. Shrub 0.6m

(a) **'Lockington Star'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Magnificum' × 'Harry Van de Ven' H: D.J. Dosser, G: D.J. Dosser (1986), N: D.J. Dosser, I: Lockington Nursery (1987), REG: Lockington Nursery (1988) Fls single, 5/truss, funnel-shaped, 30 × 50mm, 5-lobed, white. Lvs elliptic, 40 × 20mm. Shrub 0.5m tall. Spring

(r) **'Lockington Supreme'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Samantha Sawers' (s) × 'Cup Day' H: D.J. Dosser (1990), G: D.J. Dosser, N: D.J. Dosser, REG: D.J. Dosser (1997) Fls 15/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 63 × 95mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, strong yellowish pink (37A) in bud, inside opening pale purplish pink (62D) streaked light yellow-green (150D), when fully expended the yellow-green turns to white; outside similarly coloured. Lvs oblanceolate, 171 × 54mm, margins decurved, obtuse and mucronate at apex, attenuate at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 0.5m in 7 years. November-December (Tasmania)

(r) **'Lockington Wonder'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tortoiseshell Wonder' (s) × 'Ross Maud' H: D.J. Dosser (1992), G: D.J. Dosser (1998), N: D.J. Dosser (2000), REG: D.J. Dosser (2001) Fls 13/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 115mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, pale yellow (11C) in bud with slight strong purplish pink (67D) markings, opening pale yellow (11C) inside and pale yellow (11D) outside; strong purplish pink (67D) spots on 2 dorsal lobes. Lvs broadly elliptic, 165 × 60mm, margins decurved, obtuse at apex and base, semi-glossy, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.0m in 8 years. November (Tasmania). (Standard: scanned colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0027982))

(r) **Lodabia Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group (s) × Loderi Group H: Lord Aberconway (1932), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose

(r) **Lodauric Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Loderi Group (s) × *auriculatum* I: J.J. Crosfield (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 7/truss, nodding, trumpet-shaped, 105 × 125mm, pure white, with two streaks of brownish crimson at the base of the tube. Calyx saucer-shaped, with an undulate, gland-fringed rim. Lvs intermediate between parents, minutely glandular on veins below. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. (Sources differ on originator; some give Crosfield, others Sir John Ramsden in 1922)

(r) **'Lodauric Iceberg'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Loderi Group (s) × *auriculatum* S: Slocock Nurseries (1936), I: Slocock Nurseries (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c13/flat-topped truss, campanulate, 100 × 125mm, white, with a small, pale crimson blotch in the throat; scented. Lvs 225 × 75mm, pale olive green. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. AM 1958 Syn: 'Iceberg' (Lodauric Group)

(r) **'Lodbrit'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Loderi Group × 'Britannia' L: H.E. Greer (1988) Fls dark crimson in bud, opening cherry pink, fading to very light pink. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Late

(r) **Loderi Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × *griffithianum* H: Sir Edmund Loder (1901), G: Sir Edmund Loder (1907), N: W. Watson (1911), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large trusses, ranging from white to pink, usually scented. Large shrubs. (When considered to represent the same parentage Kewense Group strictly has nomenclatural priority as the collective epithet. However, in view of some degree of uncertainty about the origin of Kewense and the almost universal use of Loderi the latter was sanctioned by the International Registration Authority (June, 1986) as the collective name for plants derived from crosses between *fortunei* and *griffithianum*

(r) **'Loderi Cougar'** (Syn. of 'Cougar')

(r) **'Loderi Cream'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × *griffithianum* R: Sir Edmund Loder (pre 1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, blush white; sweetly scented. (Loderi Group)

(r) **'Loderi Dairymaid'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × *griffithianum* R: Sir Edmund Loder (pre 1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a green blotch. (Loderi Group)

(r) **'Loderi Diamond'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × *griffithianum* R: Sir Edmund Loder (pre 1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white. FCC 1914 (Loderi Group)

(r) **'Loderi Fairyland'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × *griffithianum* R: Sir Edmund Loder (pre 1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Large shrub. Syn: 'Fairyland' (Loderi Group)

(r) **'Loderi Fairy Queen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × *griffithianum* R: Sir Edmund Loder (pre 1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink, with a blotch. Syn: 'Fairy Queen' (Loderi Group)

(r) **'Loderi Game Chick'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × *griffithianum* R: Sir Edmund Loder (pre 1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink, with a faint blotch. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. (Loderi Group)

(r) **'Loderi Georgette'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi King George' × 'Loderi Sir Edmund' R: Sir Edmund Loder (pre 1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Syn: 'Georgette' (Loderi Group)

(r) **'Loderi Helen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × *griffithianum* R: Sir Edmund Loder (pre 1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink. (Loderi Group)

(r) **'Loderi Irene Stead'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: E.F. Stead, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Loderi Julie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Loderi Group × Loderi Group R: Townhill Park Gardens, N: Townhill Park Gardens, I: Lord Swaythling (1944), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 8/truss, large, narrowly funnel-shaped, white, suffused sulphur yellow. AM 1944 Syn: 'Julie' (Loderi Group)

(r) **'Loderi King George'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × *griffithianum* R: Sir Edmund Loder (pre 1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c10-12/truss, funnel-campanulate to tubular funnel-shaped, 70-90 × 120-150mm, 7-lobed, soft pink in bud, opening pure white, with traces of a reddish flush on outside, two faint bands of green in throat; scented. Calyx irregular, lobes up to 5mm long, green, flushed red, gland-fringed. Lvs narrowly oblong, 250 × 75mm, hairless. Large shrub. AM 1968, FCC 1970 (Loderi Group)

(r) **'Loderi Maximus'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × *griffithianum* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) (Loderi Group)

(r) **'Loderi May Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Cornish Loderi Group × 'Loderi Sir Edmund' R: Sir Edmund Loder (pre 1920), I: Sir Giles Loder (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 18/dense, tall truss, 100 × 120mm, 7-lobed, fuchsine pink (627/2), shaded with light solferino purple (26/2). Lvs 175 × 65mm. AM 1946 (Loderi Group)

(r) **'Loderi Millais Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × *griffithianum* R: Sir Edmund Loder (pre 1920), INC: ICRA (1958) (Loderi Group)

(r) **'Loderi Netherfield Rose'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi Sir Edmund' × 'Snowdrop' I: H. Heal, INC: ICRA (1958) (Loderi Group)

(r) **'Loderi Olga'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi Pink Diamond' (s) × 'Loderi King George' H: L.E. Brandt (c 1952), G: L.E. Brandt (1967), N: L.E. Brandt, REG: L.E. Brandt (1968) Fls up to 10/well-shaped truss, 75 × 120mm, white (155D), with some light greenish yellow (5D) in the throat; strongly scented. Resembles *griffithianum*, but is very hardy. (Loderi Group)

(r) **'Loderi Patience'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × *griffithianum* R: Sir Edmund Loder (pre 1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12/truss, up to 145mm wide, pink in bud, opening white, with a flash of crimson and green at the base of the tube. (Loderi Group)

(r) **'Loderi Pearly Queen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi King George' × 'Loderi Sir Edmund' R: Sir Edmund Loder (pre 1920), I: Sir Giles Loder (1949), INC: ICRA (1958) (Loderi Group)

(r) **'Loderi Pink Coral'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × *griffithianum* R: Sir Edmund Loder (pre 1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink with a puce blotch; scented. (Loderi Group)

(r) **'Loderi Pink Diamond'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × *griffithianum* R: Sir Edmund Loder, N: Sir Edmund Loder, I: Sir Edmund Loder (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls delicate pink, with a crimson flush (passing to green and flushed brown); scented. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. FCC 1914 (Loderi Group)

(r) **'Loderi Pink Glamour'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × *griffithianum* R: Sir Edmund Loder (pre 1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very pale pink. (Loderi Group)

(r) **'Loderi Pink Satin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × *griffithianum* I: J.M.J. Evans (1953), INC: ICRA (1958) Syn: 'Pink Satin' (Loderi Group)

(r) **'Loderi Pink Topaz'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × *griffithianum* R: Sir Edmund Loder (pre 1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, fading to white, with a green blotch. (Loderi Group)

(r) **'Loderi Pretty Polly'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × *griffithianum* R: Sir Edmund Loder ? (pre 1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink. (Extinct. Loderi Group)

(r) **'Loderi Princess Marina'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi King George' × 'Loderi Sir Edmund' R: Sir Edmund Loder (pre 1920), I: Sir Giles Loder (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12/truss, up to 175mm wide, palest pink, shading to white, often marked with deeper pink patches externally. Large shrub. AM 1948 (Loderi Group)

(r) **'Loderi Queen Mary'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × *griffithianum* R: Sir Edmund Loder (pre 1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink; scented. (Loderi Group)

(r) **'Loderi Sir Edmund'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × *griffithianum* R: Sir Edmund Loder (pre 1920), I: Lady Loder (1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls waxy, veined pink at first but fading to a clear, blush pink; scented. AM 1930 (Loderi Group. First flowered after Sir Edmund Loder died)

(r) **'Loderi Sir Joseph Hooker'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* × 'Lady Digby' R: Sir Edmund Loder (pre 1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c12/truss, 90 × 120-130mm, white, flushed deep shell pink, with faint green rays; strongly scented. Lvs up to 195 × 65mm. AM 1973 (Not part of the Loderi Group)

(r) **'Loderi Stag's Head'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × *griffithianum* R: Sir Edmund Loder (pre 1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, tinted pink. Large shrub. (Loderi Group)

(r) **'Loderi Sue'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi King George', selfed R: D.W. James, N: D.W. James, I: D.W. James (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 9-12/tall truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 125-140mm wide, non-fading deep pink; scented. Lvs 175 × 65mm. Shrub over 2.0m. Syn: 'Sue' (Loderi Group)

(r) **'Loderi Superlative'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × *griffithianum* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, white, flushed pale yellow inside; scented. Large shrub. (Loderi Group)

(r) **'Loderi Titan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × *griffithianum* R: G. Reuthe Ltd, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very pale blush; delicately scented. Shrub at least 1.9m. (Loderi Group)

(r) **'Loderi Venus'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × *griffithianum* R: Sir Edmund Loder (pre 1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c8/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50-60 × 140mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink in bud, opening soft pink (527/2) and paling with age, with a faint greenish flash; scented. Calyx apple red, covered in bloom, the lobes 2-3mm long, gland-fringed. Large shrub. (Loderi Group)

(r) **'Loderi White Diamond'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × *griffithianum* R: Sir Edmund Loder, N: Sir Edmund Loder, I: Sir Edmund Loder (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 150mm wide, ivory to white, with a faint blotch in the throat; scented. Lvs up to 300 × 100mm. Large shrub. FCC 1914 (Loderi Group)

(r) **'Loder's Fairhaven'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Loder's Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a seedling from 'Loder's White' R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright pink

(r) **'Loder's White'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: possibly *arboreum* subsp. *cinnamomeum* var. *album* × *griffithianum* R: J.H. Mangles (pre 1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c12/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 60 × 90-100mm, delicate mauvy pink in bud, opening pure white, edged with pink and with a few crimson spots. Calyx lobes 3-4mm long, green, flushed purplish red. Shrub 3.0-3.8 × 2.4-3.0m. May. AM 1911 (Perhaps received by Mangles, as a seedling, from Luscombe)

(r) **'Lodestar'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (white-fld) (s) × 'Belle Heller' R: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1964) Fls c15/full truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 80mm wide, usually white but varying to very pale purple (7.5P 9/2), with a boldly spotted, dark green-yellow (7.5Y 6/7) dorsal blotch. Lvs elliptic, convex, 125 × 50mm; petioles hairy. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 11 years. Midseason

(r) **Lodetta Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Jacquetta Group (s) × Loderi Group H: Lord Aberconway (1934), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet/rose

(r) **'Loeb's Moonlight'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: C. Loeb, N: C. Loeb, I: C. Loeb, REG: C. Loeb (1965) Fls in a conical truss, up to 125mm wide, rosy orchid, with an old rose blotch. Lvs up to 175mm long. Shrub c0.5m. Mid May

(a) **'Loelia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hermann Seidel' × 'Haerensianum' I: A. Haerens (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white. Lvs large, shiny. Syn: 'Loelia Alba'. Indian

(a) **'Loelia Alba'** (Syn. of 'Loelia')

(r) **'Lofthouse's Legacy"** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Butter Brickle' × 'Viennese Waltz' H: J.G. Lofthouse (1984), G: J.G. Lofthouse (1989), N: J.G. Lofthouse, REG: J.G. Lofthouse (1990) Fls 30 or more/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 64 × 76mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, buds vivid orange (28B), opening light orange-yellow (19A) at centre, darkening to light orange (28D) at edges, with 28D streaks between lobes to within c25mm from edges; outside light orange (28D). Calyx 13mm long, light orange (28D). Lvs elliptic, 102 × 44mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.5m in 6 years. Mid-late April

(r) **'Logan Belle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *rex* subsp. *arizelum* × *hodgsonii* N: R.O. Hambro, I: R.O. Hambro, REG: R.O. Hambro (1961) Fls in a large, compact truss, opening cream, flushed pink, fading to cream with a purple blotch at the base of the tube. Lvs large, deep green. Tree to 6.0m, with shining bark. PC 1960

(r) **'Logan Damaris'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor Stocker' (s) × *campylocarpum* I: J.B. Stevenson (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c12/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 45 × 75mm, light greenish yellow (5D). Lvs elliptic, 125 × 50mm. AM 1948 (Damaris Group)

(a) **'Lohengrin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ed. Pynaert-van Geert (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, red. Indian (Presumably the plant Vuylsteke claimed as 'new' in 1899)

(a) **'Lohengrin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Koster & Co. (pre 1920), N: Koster & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose. Midseason. Kaempferi

(a) **'Lois'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Rudko (pre 1999), N: A. Rudko Fls lavender

(r) **'Lois'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *pemakoense* × *racemosum* H: H.E. Greer (1955), G: H.E. Greer (1959), N: H.E. Greer, I: H.E. Greer (1962), REG: H.E. Greer (1979) Fls in ball-shaped trusses of 2-5 buds, each with 2-3 fls, funnel-shaped, 20-25mm wide, with 5 flat-edged lobes, lighter than moderate purplish pink (10P 7/7). Calyx minute, pink. Lvs lanceolate, 65 × 13mm, with inconspicuous, light tan scales above, below and on petioles. Shrub 0.3 × 0.45m in 10 years. March-April

(a) **'Lois Hines'** cv. Evergreen azalea: "Belgian Indica" × "Southern Indica" R: Hines Nurseries (pre 1985), N: Hines Nurseries Fls double, with very wavy-edged lobes, clear orange/desert rose, with very faint spotting. Midseason

(r) **'Lois Jean'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lutescens*, open-pollinated G: W.M. Fetterhoff (1974), N: W.M. Fetterhoff, I: W.M. Fetterhoff, REG: W.M. Fetterhoff (1981) Fls in ball-shaped clusters composed of 1-4 buds (each with 2-4 fls), broadly funnel-shaped, 100mm wide, with 6 flat to slightly wavy-edged lobes, brilliant greenish yellow (1B) in bud, shaded rose on one side, opening light greenish yellow (4B) and fading to pale yellow-green (4D), a quarter of each lobe shaded to moderate yellowish pink (37C). Calyx negligible. Lvs narrowly elliptic to lanceolate, 200 × 70mm, acuminate at apex, cuneate to slightly oblique at base, with widely spaced scales (brown above, amber to almost clear below); petioles scaly. Shrub 0.5 × 0.75m in 10 years. Early May. (Original seed collected and germinated by O. Prycl)

(r) **'Lois K'** cv. Parentage unknown H: G.W. Clarke (pre 1980)

(r) **'Loki'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from Cornubia Group R: Sir Edmund Loder (pre 1920), I: Lady Loder (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, open, deep crimson. AM 1933 Syn: 'Leonardslee Loki'

(r) **'Lola'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ignatius Sargent' × Robert Allison' H: E.A. Skonieczny (pre 1978)

(a) **'Lola Montez'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Verschaffelt (1860), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Verschaffelt attributes it to Seidel)

(a) **'Lolanda'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* × 'Magnificum' (*mucronatum* derivative) R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, I: C. Ingram (1947), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Lollipop'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: E.V. Mezitt (pre 1985), N: E.V. Mezitt Fls moderate pink; scented. Late June

(r) **'Lollipop'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *williamsianum* (s) × Loderi Group R: E. Ostbo, I: A.O. Wright, REG: A.O. Wright (1964) Fls 7-9/truss, saucer-shaped, up to 100mm wide, with 5-7 lobes, of heavy texture, rose pink. Lvs 115 × 40mm. Compact shrub, 0.8 × 1.0m in 10 years. April

(r) **'Lollipop Lace'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *williamsianum* (s) × unknown H: L.E. Jury, G: F.M. Jury, I: F.M. Jury, REG: F.M. Jury (1982) Fls 3/truss, 50 × 100mm, rich pink with a striped effect externally, lobes paler and much frilled. Lvs ovate, 80 × 40mm, hairless

(r) **'Lollypop Time'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Duncan & Davies (UK) (1984) (Perhaps an error for 'Lollipop Lace')

(v) **'Lolly Willows'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *konori* × *laetum* H: W. Mearns, G: G.L.S. Snell (1990), N: R. Macdonald, I: Foothills Nursery (1990), REG: Foothills Nursery (1991) Fls 13/truss, tubular-funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, 5-lobed, vivid yellow (14B), fading towards lobe edges. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 60mm. Shrub 2.0m. Spring-autumn

(a) **'L.O.M.'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: S. Barber (pre 1975), N: S. Barber Fls very large, red. Lvs glossy. Shrub 1.2-1.5m, of spreading habit, with red stems

(v) **'Lomac'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lochiae* × *macgregoriae* H: T. Lelliott (pre 1983), G: R. Cutten Lvs oblong/oval, 80 × 55mm. Shrub c0.2m

(a) **'Lombardia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Eggebrechtii' I: C.J. Wille & Co. (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rose. Indian

(r) **'Lompoc'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' (s) × 'Morna Belle' H: M. Stockman (1989), G: M. & H. Stockman (1998), N: M. & H. Stockman (1999), REG: M. & H. Stockman (2000) Fls 12/ball truss, funnel-campanulate, 55 × 90-c100mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (51A) in bud, opening inside white, lightly flushed pale purplish pink (56C-D), with small, vivid red (52A) markings in the base; outside white, tinged pale purplish pink (56A-B). Calyx 13mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 40mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, margins wavy and down-curved, dull mid green above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 11 years. Early May

(r) **'Londinense'** (Syn. of 'Ne Plus Ultra')

(r) **'London'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Queen Wilhelmina' (s) × 'Stanley Davies' R: C.B. van Nes &

Sons (pre 1922), N: C.B. van Nes & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in an *arboreum*-like truss, pink, suffused bright crimson, with a deep crimson outside

(r) **'London Calling'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Bulstrode Park' (s) × 'Loderi King George' H: M.J. Lane (1985), G: M.J. Lane (1994), N: M.J. Lane (1996), I: G. Reuthe Ltd (1997), REG: M.J. Lane (1997) Fls 14/more-or-less spherical truss (slightly flattened at top), broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds deep purplish pink (61D), inside opening deep purplish pink (68A) near edges shading to very pale purple (69A) near centre; outside deep purplish pink (68A) over all except the very pale purple (69A) base; moderate red (179A) spots c10mm out from base of corolla on dorsal side, sometimes spreading out laterally; scented. Calyx 8mm long, strong yellow-green (143B) at base, shading to deep purplish pink (68A) at apex. Lvs elliptic, 110 × 49mm, flat, margins decurved, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.3 × 1.0m in 12 years (pot grown). Mid-late April

(r) **'Londonense'** (Syn. of 'Ne Plus Ultra')

(a) **'London's White'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'A. Borsig' × 'Bernard Andreae Albus' I: A. Haerens (1913), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white. Indian

(r) **Lone Eagle Group** gp *minus* Carolinianum Group (s) × 'Pink Pearl' I: Baardse (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink. (The identity of the 'Pink Pearl' parent is uncertain)

(r) **'Longbeach Dream'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Grand Marquis', open-pollinated G: Miss G.E. Grigg, N: Miss G.E. Grigg, REG: Miss G.E. Grigg (1982) Fls 21/truss, yellowish white (155B). (Seed obtained at Longbeach, 1969)

(r) **'Longbow'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *burmanicum* × *johnstoneanum* H: R. Scoborio, G: R. Scoborio (1972), N: R. Scoborio, I: R. Scoborio, REG: R. Scoborio (1982) Fls 8-12/truss, pale yellow (8D), with a brilliant yellow (12B) dorsal flare. Lvs elliptic, 65 × 25mm. Shrub 1.2m

(a) **'Longifolium'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1842), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Longifolium'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as form or hybrid of *catawbiense* L: A. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose

(r) **'Longwood'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vernum' × Olympic Lady Group H: D.G. Leach (1962), G: Longwood Gardens (1969), I: Longwood Gardens (1969), REG: D.G. Leach & Longwood Gardens (1975) Fls 4-7/domed truss, open campanulate, 35 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (61B) in bud, opening light purplish pink (68D), with dark red spots below the dorsal lobe; outside deep purplish pink (68A). Calyx minute, green. Lvs broadly elliptic to obovate, 60 × 42mm, medium green, hairless. Shrub 1.7 × 2.0m in 16 years. Early May

(a) **'Lonnie Smit'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: P. van Noordt & Sons (pre 1905), N: P. van Noordt & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red. Mollis

(r) **'Lonny'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Charley' × 'Fawn' × Damaris Group H: D.W. James (1959), N: Mrs R. James, I: Mrs R. James, REG: Mrs R. James (1980) Fls up to 10/flat truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 90 × 125mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, chartreuse green (663/3) in the throat, shading to neyron rose (623/3) at edges. Lvs oblong, 200 × 80mm, rounded to slightly auriculate at base, glossy above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 18 years. Midseason. (Grown on by D.W. James until 1963, then by Hendricks Park)

(r) **'Looking Glass'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × 'China' H: D. Gordner, G: D. Gordner (1985), N: Briggs Nursery, I: Briggs Nursery (1990), REG: Briggs Nursery (1993) Fls 16/flattened dome truss, open funnel-shaped, 44 × 70mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (45A) in bud, opening with strong purplish red (58B) centre and margins, mottled deep purplish pink (58D) in-between and with vivid red (46B) spotting in throat; outside vivid purplish red (57B) at midveins, shading to 58B at edges; corolla ages to light pink; stamens 9-12, straight, equal; style pale yellow-green (4D). Pedicels 19mm long, light yellow-green (145B). Lvs elliptic, 114-127 × 44-57mm, convex, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glaucous and dull moderate olive green (147A) above, strong yellow-green (143A) below with a light felted indumentum, yellowish white (155B) at first, ageing to moderate orange (167C); petioles 25-29mm long, strong yellow-green (144A), hairy. Shrub 0.9 × 1.1m in 6 years. Early April. (First published in Briggs Nursery cat., 1990-1991, liner list)

(r) **'Look Out'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tols' (s) × 'Robert Weldon' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls moderate purplish red (70A), strong reddish purple (70B) and deep purplish pink (70C) in bud, opening pure white, with deep purplish red (71A) dorsal spots; anthers pale orange-yellow (159C); stigma deep purplish red (71A). Lvs with an indumentum. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Looky Looky'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* × *vernicosum* aff. (Rock 18139) (s) × (*smirnowii* × *yakushimanum*) × 'Mary Belle' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls strong purplish red (63A) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (62D), edged strong purplish red (63B) and with moderate orange (167C) dorsal spots. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Loon's Call'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mindy's Love' (s) × 'Satin Gold' H: J. Barlup (1988), G: J. Barlup (1993), N: J. Barlup (1997), I: Nelson's Nursery (1999), REG: J. Barlup (2002) Fls 15/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, light

greenish yellow (3C) in bud, opening inside and out pale yellow (11C), the dorsal lobes inside light yellow (10C); each of the dorsal lobes with a deep yellowish pink (46D) flare, c20mm long, extended another c10mm with faint spotting which changes to light greenish yellow (8B). Calyx variable, 15-30mm long, pale yellow (11C), with spotting of deep yellowish pink (46D) changing to light greenish yellow (8B). Lvs elliptic, 105 × 35mm, with flat margins, acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.5m in 14 years. Late May

(a) **'Loosii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: de Loose (1846), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Lopex'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls yellowish pink

(r) **Lophogynum Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. lophogynum*

(r) **'Loquendum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1898), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c15/truss, campanulate, 40 × 50mm, deep rose crimson at edges, shading to almost white in middle, very few markings. Calyx very small. Lvs oblanceolate, up to 190 × 50mm, dull and deep green above, with vestiges of tomentum below

(r) **'Loraine Langdon'** (An error for 'Laraine Langdon')

(r) **'L'Orchid'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Elsie Straver' × *dichroanthum* subsp. *apodectum* (s) × 'White Wedding' × *lacteum* H: J.G. Lofthouse (1976), G: J.G. Lofthouse (1983), N: J.G. Lofthouse, I: J.G. Lofthouse Fls 13-15/umbel, modified funnel-shaped, 40 × 40mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes; inside pale yellow (164D) with prominent markings of moderate red (185B) on the dorsal lobe, and spotted rays extending from base to margins around the corolla, both inside and out; outside pale yellow (164D), shading to light yellow (12C) at base; pedicels stiff, erect, reddish brown. Lvs narrowly oblanceolate, 125 × 40mm, apex acute and mucronate, cuneate at base, dull green above, very slightly reddish brown hairy below. Shrub 0.3 × 0.45 in 7½ years. Mid April

(r) **'Lord Beaconsfield'** (Syn. of 'Viscount Powerscourt')

(r) **'Lord Bolingbroke'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid R: A. Henderson & Co. (pre 1864), N: A. Henderson & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls amaranth rose, spotted brown

(r) **'Lord Brougham'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably an *arboreum* form or hybrid R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson. (Exhibited in Paris by Modeste Guérin, 1842)

(r) **'Lord Byron'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy purple, with black spots

(a) **'Lord Canning'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Todman (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rather small, rose carmine red, with a crimson red dorsal blotch. Indian

(a) **'Lord Clifton'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Todman (1863), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Lord Clyde'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Todman (1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon rose, with dark rose shadows and carmine red dots. Indian

(r) **'Lord Clyde'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid R: C. Noble (pre 1860), N: C. Noble, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep blood red

(r) **'Lord Courtenay'** cv. Parentage unknown L: R. Veitch & Son (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson shaded, with dark spots

(a) **'Lord Derby'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Todman (1864), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose purple, with a blotch of crimson spots. C 1864. Indian

(r) **'Lord Derby'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Flsbloodred. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Lord Digby'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, salmon red, spotted a deeper colour, and with pale anthers. Sander

(r) **'Lord Dougall'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Taylor & Sangster (1907), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy red, with a yellow centre

(a) **'Lord Elgin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Todman (1861), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rosy crimson, sparsely spotted. Indian

(r) **'Lord Elgin'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Verschaffelt (1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cerise crimson, finely spotted. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Lord Eversley'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark crimson, with black spots. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Lordeye'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Verschaffelt (1860), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Lord Fairhaven'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls shrimp pink, suffused yellow. Shrub up to 2.0m. (Said to be identical to 'Marion' (Cheal) and may be the same plant named independently)

(r) **'Lord Fauntleroy'** cv. Parentage unknown H: L.E. Brandt, I: L.J. Pierce (c 1967)

(r) **'Lord Granville'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet, tinted cerise

(r) **'Lord Harewood'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from 'Loderi King George' G: G. Hall (1976), N: Lord Harewood, REG: Lord Harewood (1987) Fls

9-10/truss, 80 × 110mm, 8-lobed, white, with a rose blotch in the throat; scented. Calyx 8mm long, pale green. Lvs oblanceolate, 200 × 80mm. Shrub 15 × 8m in 20 years. June. (Seed sown 1956 (G. Hall))

(r) **'Lord John Russell'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1860), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose, with a blotch of dark spots on the dorsal lobe (Knap Hill). Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Lord John Russell'** cv. Parentage unknown L: R. Veitch & Son (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark purple (Veitch); purplish crimson, with black spots (Rollisson, 1877)

(r) **'Lord Lambourne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid H: O. Schulz (1892), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls gloxinia-shaped, red. (Purchased from Schulz by J.H. van Nes in 1896)

(a) **'Lord Lister'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Gebr Kersbergen (pre 1931), N: Gebr Kersbergen, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink. Midseason. Mollis

(r) **'Lord Loftus'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white, with bright red stripes and spots. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Lord Macaulay'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls like 'Concessum'. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Lord Milner'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1937), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as a parent of the Endymion Group)

(r) **'Lord Napier'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Fisher, Son & Sibray (1898), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very dark. Late

(r) **'Lord Ongley'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1881), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark crimson. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Lord Palmerston'** (Syn. of 'Cynthia')

(a) **'Lord Raglan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Verschaffelt (1860), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Lord Roberts'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a *catawbiense* hybrid R: B. Mason, I: Fromow & Son (1900), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12-22/dense, hemispherical truss, funnel-shaped, 45-60 × 65-80mm, dark crimson (on a blue base, which shows as flower ages), with extensive v-shaped black markings on the dorsal lobes; hairy filaments, bluish anthers, reddish style and crimson stigma. Calyx lobes 6mm long. Lvs glossy green, crinkled. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Late May-mid June

(r) **'Lord Selborne'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1890), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson, with a paler centre

(a) **'Lord Shaftesbury'** cv. Parentage unknown I: H.J. Cutbush (1886), INC: ICRA (1958) FCC 1886

(r) **'Lord Shannon'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Rhododendron Association Yearbook (1929), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark crimson

(r) **'Lord Stair'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lindleyi* (s) × *taggianum* R: Lord Stair, N: Lord Stair, I: Lord Stair (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3-5/truss, semi-pendulous, 90 × 115mm, white, stained pale orange at base of two dorsal lobes; sweetly scented. Calyx c20mm long. Lvs broadly lanceolate, 100 × 40mm, dark green above, with scattered scales below. AM 1952

(r) **'Lord Stamford'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy crimson. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Lord Sudeley'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown Fls plum. (Probably raised pre 1958)

(r) **'Lord Swaythling'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* × a Hardy Hybrid H: O. Schulz (1892), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 8-10/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 75 × 90mm, outside rose madder (23/1) fading to pale mauvy pink at margins, inside neyron rose (623/1), with dark maroon spots. Lvs 150 × 50mm, dark glossy green. Shrub at least 2.7 × 2.4m. *AM 1954, AM 1926 (Purchased from Schulz by J.H. van Nes in 1896)

(r) **'Lord Tennyson'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple-red, with a dark blotch

(r) **'Lord Wolseley'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: C. Noble (pre 1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 14-16/truss, broadly campanulate, 50 × 60mm, crimson in bud, opening to rosy crimson with a narrow ray of blackish brown markings. Calyx lobes up to 10mm or more long. Lvs ovate to oblong-elliptic, c100 × 35-40mm, dull and dark green above, tomentose below when young, with vestiges of indumentum when mature. Hardy Hybrid

(v) **'Lord Wolseley'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Duchess of Tech' × *javanicum* R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1891), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-yellow, tinted rose on margins

(r) **'Lord Wolseley Improved'** cv. Parentage unknown R: L.R. Russell & Co., INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Lorelei'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1959), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1961) Fls double, pale purplish pink. Midseason. (Knap Hill)

(a) **'Lorelei Robins'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: M.E. Greentree (pre 1987), N: M.E. Greentree Fls pink. Tall shrub

(a) **'Loreley'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Gebr Mardner (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with purple stripes. Indian (Perhaps an error for 'Loveley', or *vice versa*)

(r) **'Loreley'** (Syn. of 'Bruns Loreley')

(r) **'Lorenzo'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a fine yellow eye

(r) **'Lorenzo'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Howden & Moncrieff (1911), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark rose, slightly spotted black on the dorsal lobes

(a) **'Lori Beaverson'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid, see *The Azalean* 4 (1):1-2 (1982) for notes on parentage R: W.D. Smith (pre 1982), N: W.D. Smith Fls double, 55mm wide, scarlet red, with jasper red stripes

(r) **'Loribelle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Van Nes Sensation' × 'Belle of Lockington' H: F.R. Waghorn (1984), G: H. Shepherd (1988), N: F.R. Waghorn (1991), REG: F.R. Waghorn (1992) Fls 10-12/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 70mm, with 7 very wavy-edged lobes, inside pale purplish pink (56D) with moderate purplish pink lobes (65A); outside pale purplish pink (56D). Lvs orbicular/elliptic, 120 × 50mm, flat, matt green above, hairles. Shrub 1.3m. Spring

(r) **'Lori Eichelser'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *forrestii* Repens Group (pink form) × Bow Bells Group H: L.E. Brandt (1951), I: Mr & Mrs K. Janeck, REG: Mr & Mrs K. Janeck (1966) Fls 3-4/truss, campanulate, 50 × 65mm, cherry (722/1). Lvs broadly elliptic, 65 × 40mm, dark green, with impressed venation. Shrub 0.4 × 1.6m in 14 years, compact. Late March-early April

(r) **'Lorien'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *souliei* × *wardii* H: Embley Park, G: Hilliers (c 1960), N: Hilliers, REG: Hilliers (1973) Fls 5-6/loose truss, open campanulate, 50-55mm wide, with 5 broadly ovate, emarginate lobes, light yellow-green (150D) (described as creamy white with a suggestion of sulphur); style and ovary with red gland-tipped hairs. Calyx with lobes 3-7mm long, green, ciliate (with red gland-tipped hairs). Pedicels 20-35mm long. Lvs broadly elliptic to ovate-elliptic, 60-100mm long (including petiole), mucronate at apex, rounded at base, glossy and dark green above, minutely glandular hairy above when young. Shrub 2.56 × 2.56m. Late May-early June

(a) **'Lorija'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Uguns' (s) × unnamed seedling (no. Ex-5) H: R. Kondratovičs (1976), G: R. Kondratovičs (1982), N: R. Kondratovičs (2002), I: Rhododendron Nursery "Babīte" of University of Latvia (2002), REG: R. Kondratovičs (2002) Fls single, 9-12/slightly domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 80 × 80mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, light orange (29B) inside and out, with a yellow blotch on the dorsal lobes; filaments light pink, anthers sandy-coloured; style pink, stigma green. Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 155 × 50mm, wavy-edged, pointed at apex and base, matt green above, with sparse white hairs above when mature. Shrub 2.0m in 20 years. Late May-early June

(a) **'Lorna'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Louise Gable' (s) × 'Caroline Gable' R: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double and hose-in-hose, 2-3/compact truss, funnel-shaped, 30 × 30-40mm, strong purplish pink (62A), deepening in centre of flower, with very faint spotting of moderate purplish red (59C) on dorsal lobe. Lvs c47 × 20mm, very light green. *HC 1969

(a) **'Lorna Carter'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nellie' (s) × 'Opal' H: G.A. Reid (1970), G: G.A. Reid (1975), N: G.A. Reid, I: G.A. Reid (1982), REG: G.A. Reid (1984) Fls hose-in-hose and doubled, 2/truss, 25 × 40mm, open funnel-shaped, 5+5+5-lobed, deep purplish pink (54B), with minor dorsal spotting of vivid purplish red (67B); no stamens. Calyx 20mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs narrowly obovate to elliptic, 30-40 × 20mm, ciliate, moderately setose. Shrub 1.0m in 12 years. Early May

(r) **'Lorna Doone'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × Fred Wynniatt Group H: R.J.R. Drayson (1979), G: Harkwood Acres (1986), N: Mrs A.J.A. Drayson, REG: Mr & Mrs Drayson (1987) Fls 13/truss, open campanulate, 56 × 90mm, 7-lobed, strong red (51A) in bud, opening to pale yellow (20D) with deep purplish pink (54B) lobe sinuses, paling with age to pale yellow (11D) with deep purplish pink (54B) sinuses; flare in throat strong greenish yellow (151A) and brilliant yellow-green (154B). Calyx 20mm long, pale greenish yellow (160C). Lvs lanceolate, 108 × 41mm, hairless. Shrub 0.63 × 0.89m in 8 years. Late April-mid May

(a) **'Lorna X'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Carlson's Gardens (1984) Fls double, pink

(a) **'Lorraine'** (Syn. of 'Haerens Lorraine')

(a) **'Lorraine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Pericat, N: A. Pericat, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, deep pink. Pericat

(a) **'Lorraine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Comtesse de Kerchove' (Indian) × unknown H: I.C. Nichols, G: I.C. Nichols (1965), N: I.C. Nichols, I: I.C. Nichols, REG: I.C. Nichols (1986) Fls double, 2-3/truss, funnel-shaped, 45 × 75mm, deep purplish pink (55A), flushed strong red (46A); no stamens. Lvs elliptic, 50 × 20mm. Shrub 1.5m. Indian

(r) **'Losers Weepers'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Moser's Maroon' (s) × 'Purple Splendour' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, dark red (187A, B) and deep red (60A) in bud, opening moderate purplish red (64A), with dark red (187A) spotting on three dorsal lobes; outside with deep red (60A) veining; filaments and style white. (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(a) **'Lost Chord'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Dream' × 'Luna' × *kaempferi* × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1965) Fls single, circular in form with overlapping lobes, c75mm wide, rose red, centres paler than rose pink (at least with age), with a blotch of distinct, small, deep rose pink spots; sta-

mens 10; pistil normal. Lvs narrow to obovate, dark green. Shrub 1.5m in 15 years, of columnar habit, only semi-evergreen. Back Acres

(r) **'Lost Horizon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *principis* Vellereum Group G: S.R. Clarke, N: R.N.S. Clarke, REG: R.N.S. Clarke (1976) Fls 15-22/compact, rounded truss, 35 × 45mm, 5-lobed, pink fading to white, (inside flushed light purplish pink (65B), outside strongly flushed 65B), upper throat lightly spotted deep red (53A). Calyx 1mm long, pale green. Lvs oblong-elliptic, 110-150 × 40-50mm, with silvery white to fawn, spongy indumentum below. Shrub 3.0m. AM 1976 (Seed collected by Kingdon Ward (no. 5656), 1924-5)

(a) **'Lost Love'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Amagasa' (s) × 'Sekai-no-hikari' R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls single, 115-125mm wide, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, strong begonia rose to red, with a red blotch; very long stamens. Late May. (First published in Holly Springs cat., 1990)

(r) **Lotis Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Metis Group (s) × Loderi Group H: Lord Aberconway (1932), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red

(a) **'Lotta Burke'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nellie' (s) × 'Opal' H: G.A. Reid (1970), G: G.A. Reid (1974), N: G.A. Reid, I: G.A. Reid (1982), REG: G.A. Reid (1984) Fls hose-in-hose, 2/truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 55mm, 5+5-lobed, deep pink (52C) with heavy vivid purplish red (57C) spotting on the dorsal lobes. Calyx 40mm long, deep pink (52C). Lvs elliptic to more-or-less narrowly obovate, 25 × 13mm, very sparsely setose. Shrub 0.75 × 0.9m in 12 years. Early May

(a) **'Lotte'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls deep pink. Lvs glossy. Compact shrub. Satsuki

(a) **'Lotty'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright pink. (Sent to trial at RHS, Wisley by Knap Hill Nursery)

(a) **'Lotus Porter'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: O. Benesh, N: O. Benesh, I: Beneschoen Gardens, REG: Beneschoen Gardens (1966) Fls semi-double, 40mm wide, phlox purple (632/2). Lvs ovate, 40 × 20mm. Shrub 0.5 × 1.0m in 8 years. Midseason

(r) **'Loudonii'** cv. Parentage unknown L: van Geersdaele (1841), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Louie Williams'** (Syn. of 'Ilam Louie Williams')

(a) **'Louis'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* × *oldhamii* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls flame pink. Kaempferi

(a) **'Louisa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Chinyeyi' (s) × 'W. Leith' H: T. Rokujo (1961), G: Mrs J.W. Hill, N: Mrs J.W. Hill, I: Mrs J.W. Hill (1972), REG: Mrs J.W. Hill (1974) Fls single, 1-2/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 50mm, 5-lobed, deep to strong pink (10RP 6/12-7/8), with inconspicuous, strong purplish red (10RP 5/12) spotting on 3 dorsal lobes. Calyx 6mm long, white hairy. Lvs mostly elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 30 × 13mm, moderate yellow-green (7.5GY 5/7) to moderate olive green (7.5GY 4/4), bronze green in winter. Shrub 0.26 × 0.83m in 10 years. Early-late June

(a) **'Louisa Duemling'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *viscosum* Serrulatum Group × *prunifolium* H: H.T. Skinner (pre 1964), G: Winterthur Museum, Garden & Library (pre 1964), N: Winterthur Museum, Garden & Library, I: Winterthur Museum, Garden & Library (1992), REG: Winterthur Museum, Garden & Library (1992) Fls 7/flat truss, tubular-funnel-shaped (with a long, slender tube and pointed lobes), 44 × 32mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, deep pink (52C) with yellow blended at lobe tips and on dorsal lobe; stamens 5, curved, unequal; pistil curved, pink; stamens and pistil exserted. Calyx 1-2mm long, light green. Pedicels 8mm long, green. Lvs obovate to narrowly obovate, 38 × 22mm, flat, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, dull green and hairless; petioles 10mm long, green. Shrub 1.8 × 1.5m in 8 years. Late July

(a) **'Louisa Hunnewell'** (Syn. of 'Miss Louisa Hunnewell')

(a) **'Louis Aimé van Houtte'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. Hellebuyck, I: L. van Houtte (c 1873), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, vermilion red, centre of each lobe ribboned with orange. Syn: 'L.A. van Houtte', 'Louis van Houtte'. Ghent (Listed earlier (1869) by J. Baumann; this is the spelling used by van Houtte (not 'Louis Aimée van Houtte'). 'Louise Aimé van Houtte' and 'Louis Ainé van Houtte' have also been used in error)

(r) **'Louis Amateis'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *edgeworthii* (s) × *minus* Carolinianum Group R: E. Amateis, N: E. Amateis (c 1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-5/truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 65mm, with very wavy-edged lobes, white, tinged pink outside; strongly scented. Lvs elliptic to obovate, c65-75mm long, slightly bullate. Early

(r) **'Louisa P. Delano'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* hybrid H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon pink

(a) **'Louisa Pynaert'** (An error for 'Louise Pynaert')

(r) **'Louisa Pyne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush, with a large blotch of yellow spots. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Louisa Wittrock'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Bob Bovee' (s) × 'Lem's Cameo' H: F. Fujioka (1983), G: F. Fujioka (1988), N: B. & L. Cornelsen (2002), I: Meerkerk Rhododendron Gardens (2002), REG: F. Fujioka (2002) Fls 18/domed truss, very broadly fun-

nel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (52C) in bud, opening inside pale purplish pink (56D, 55D), with vivid reddish orange (43A) spots on the dorsal lobe, outside light pink (49C). Calyx 25mm long, pale purplish pink (56D) edged vivid reddish orange (43A). Lvs oblong, 150 × 65mm, margins down-curved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and dark green (135A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 15 years. Late April

(a) **'Louis Blommaert'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1875), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, magenta, shaded rose, centre of each petal lined with white. Ghent (Listed earlier by J. Baumann, 1869)

(a) **'Louis Bonaparte'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1851), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange. Ghent (Perhaps the 'Prince Louis Bonaparte' listed by Paillet in 1854, but there described as blood red, lined with white)

(r) **'Louis Chauvin'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Moser & Son (pre 1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark rose, with purple spots

(a) **'Louis de Male'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. de Cock (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow, dotted white. Ghent

(a) **'Louis de Nevers'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. de Cock (1868), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(r) **'Louis Deny'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Moser & Son (pre 1903), N: Moser & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in rounded, pyramidal trusses, bright cerise red, with a greenish yellow blotch on a pale ground

(a) **'Louise'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C.B. van Nes & Sons, N: C.B. van Nes & Sons, I: C.B. van Nes & Sons (1922), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, rose madder (23/1). Tall shrub, similar to 'Mary'. Midseason. Kaempferi

(a) **'Louise'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* (s) × *oldhamii* R: L. de Rothschild (c 1933), N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 2-3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, c65mm wide ("flat-faced"), flame pink. Calyx c7mm long, green, hairy. Lvs ciliate, hairy above and below. AM 1939 (The AM description gives the parentage as *kaempferi* × a dark red Indian azalea)

(a) **'Louise Bluth'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: F. Bluth (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, fresh rose. Indian

(a) **'Louise Dowdle'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' × *mucronatum* (s) × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2/compact truss, open campanulate, 65 × 80mm, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, slightly paler than vivid purplish red (61C), spotted deep red (60A) on lower lobes. Lvs 50 × 20mm, light dull green. Shrub 0.6m. Mid-late May. *HC 1973, *AM 1974, *FCC 1976. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Louise Estelle'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Bertin (pre 1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, edged mauve

(a) **'Louise Gable'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum* × *kaempferi* × *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* H: J.B. Gable, G: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable (1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, 4/compact truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (52C), marked on midribs and spotted on lower lobes with strong purplish red (61B). Lvs 50 × 20mm, light glossy green. Shrub to c2.0m in 25 years. May. *HC 1973

(a) **'Louise Hellebuyck'** (An error for 'Louis Hellebuyck')

(a) **'Louise J. Bobbink'** (Syn. of 'L.J. Bobbink')

(r) **'Louise Katey'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* hybrid × unknown H: G. Hall (1959), G: G. Hall, N: G. Hall (1988), REG: Lord Harewood (1988) Fls 7-8/truss, campanulate, 70 × 100mm, 7-lobed, off-white, with a slight rose flush on the reverse; bud scales opening slightly cream-coloured. Calyx green and rose. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 120 × 50mm, grey green, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m. May

(a) **'Louise Margottin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Margottin (1857), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single (or semi-double, sources differ), 1-2/truss, 55mm wide, white, often striped and flecked strong purplish red (67A). Late. Syn: 'Madame Margottin'. Indian

(a) **'Louise Marie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1864), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Louise Morrow'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: B.Y. Morrison (pre 1966), N: Morrow, I: C. Murrah (pre 1987) Fls 75-100mm wide, light pink, often with a white centre. Back Acres

(a) **'Louis Endtz'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: unknown (pre 1908), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-yellow. (J. Veitch (1909 cat.) indicated that this was a subsp. *molle* × subsp. *japonicum* derivative)

(a) **'Louise Pynaert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Lievin, I: Ed. Pynaert-van Geert (1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white, with small carmine rose stripes: petal claw sometimes the same colour. Indian (Sometimes seen incorrectly as 'Louisa Pynaert')

(a) **'Louise Vervaene'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, large, silver white. Indian

(a) **'Louise von Baden'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white. FCC 1863. Indian

(a) **'Louis Hellebuyck'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. van Geert (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose, with a large black blotch. Indian

(a) **'Louis Hellebuyck'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. Hellebuyck, I: L. van Houtte (c 1873), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, fiery vermilion, tinged with orange (LvH), with centre of lobes and rim of dorsal lobe white, dorsal lobe otherwise orange-yellow. Late. Ghent (Sometimes equated with 'Bouquet de Flore', although both are listed separately in some catalogues. Listed earlier by J. Baumann (1869). Sometimes seen in error as 'Louise Hellebuyck'. Many later (20th century) descriptions indicate a ground colour of purplish pink/rose so the true plant may have been usurped by an imposter)

(a) **'Louis Koster'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1984) (Listed as a parent of 'Clara Lee Hager')

(a) **'Louis Lubbers'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1876), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, varnished orange-red, with a big, dark crimson blotch. Indian

(a) **'Louis Napoleon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Verschaffelt (pre 1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple red. Indian

(r) **'Louis Napoleon'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Maule & Sons (pre 1852), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Louis Pasteur'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, 80-100mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, bright rose. Indian

(r) **'Louis Pasteur'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Tritton' (s) × 'Viscount Powerscourt' R: L.J. Endtz & Co. (pre 1923), N: L.J. Endtz & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c24 conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 60 × 90mm, brilliant light crimson at edges, shading to white in centre, with a narrow ray of pale brown or pale green spots; dark pink externally. Calyx lobes 5-8mm long, pale green, ciliate. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Louis-Philippe'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* × *ponticum* H: Bertin (c 1842), G: Bertin, N: Bertin, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a more-or-less hemispherical truss, open-funnel-shaped, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, brilliant lacquer red, with purple black spotting on all of dorsal lobe and quarter of laterals. Calyx campanulate, shallowly lobed. Lvs lanceolate-oblong, flat, mucronate at apex, green above, paler below. Large shrub. April-May

(a) **'Louis Pynaert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white. Indian

(a) **'Louis Späth'** (Syn. of 'Eggebrechtii')

(a) **'Louis van Houtte'** (Syn. of 'Louis Aimé van Houtte')

(a) **'Louis van Houtte'** (Syn. of 'Mémoire de Louis van Houtte')

(r) **'Louis van Houtte'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Gebr Mardner (pre 1864), N: Gebr Mardner, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white inside, bordered rose, with black dorsal spots on a dark rose ground. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Lou-John Gem'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Van Nes Sensation' × 'Cynthia' H: M. Stockman (1982), G: M. & H. Stockman (1991), N: M. & H. Stockman, I: M. & H. Stockman (1992), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1992) Fls 9/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 67 × 102mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, deep to strong purplish pink (55A, B) in bud, opening white flushed pale purplish pink (55D), with a pale yellow (158B) blotch on three dorsal lobes, spotted deep yellowish pink (54B); outside flushed strong to light purplish pink (55B, C) along midribs; stamens 10, straight, unequal, white. Calyx 6mm long, pale green. Pedicels 19mm long, light green, tinged red. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 102 × 32mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, apical half of blade reflexed, matt and dark/mid green above, hairless; petioles 13mm long, light green. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 10 years. Early May

(v) **'Lou Searle'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *macgregoriae* × *dielsianum* S: L.C. Searle, I: L.C. Searle (pre 1983) (Collected from the wild in New Guinea by Lou Searle)

(r) **'Lou's Saco'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sappho' × 'Mrs W.R. Coe' H: L.B. Mraw (1976), G: L.B. Mraw, N: L.B. Mraw, I: L.B. Mraw (1987), REG: L.B. Mraw (1988) Fls 12/domed truss, flat saucer-shaped, 13 × 35mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (186D), edged with very pale purple (73D), throat very pale purple (69D), dorsal blotch deep purplish red (71A). Lvs oblong, 114 × 43mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 1.1m in 10 years. Early-mid May

(r) **'Louvecienne'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *rigidum* R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1975), REG: E. de Rothschild (1979) Fls 5-6/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, up to 22 × 45mm, 5-lobed, pale purplish pink (56D) with a speckled eye of pale purplish pink (56B). Calyx rudimentary. Lvs elliptic to oblanceolate, up to 55 × 20mm. AM 1975

(a) **'Lovable'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Glacier' × 'Alight' R: D. Hager (pre 1984), N: D. Hager Fls 75mm wide in rhododendron-like trusses, white, with light pink margins, slightly ruffled. Lvs very round, glossy green. Shrub 1.2m

(a) **'Lovanensis'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1842), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Love Explosion'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: F.L. Abbott, S: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1987), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls wavy-edged, orange

(a) **'Loveley'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Gebr Mardner (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, striped purple. Indian (Perhaps an error for 'Loreley', or *vice versa*)

(a) **'Loveliness'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1864), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with rose stripes and blotches. Indian (Exhibited by B.S. Williams, 1864)

(a) **'Loveliness'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Fielder's White' (s) × *kaempferi* R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 2-4/truss, 50-70mm wide, with wavy-edged, overlapping lobes, deep rose pink (deep purplish pink (64D)) with a pale yellow undertone (making the fls vivid pink). Lvs narrow. Erect shrub to 1.9m. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Loveling'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Dotty' I: P.B. van Acker (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, rose with a white edge (resembles 'Madame Raphael de Smet'). Indian

(r) **'Lovelock'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *chrysodoron* × unknown H: UK ?, G: Dunedin Botanic Garden, I: H.G. Rutland (1970), REG: Dunedin Rhododendron Group (1977) Fls 5/truss, 80 × 40mm, 5-lobed, pale greenish yellow (1D), darkening to brilliant greenish yellow (2B) at base. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 40mm, densely scaly. Compact shrub. July (New Zealand) and extending over c8 weeks

(r) **'Lovely Lady'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lodestar' (s) × 'Catalgla' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (65C, D) and white in bud, opening white with a light greenish yellow (3C) flare and moderate yellow-green (146C) dorsal spots; filaments and style greenish white (157D); anthers dark purplish pink (186C); stigma moderate red (183D). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Lovely Linda'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Florence Waldman' (s) × 'Dayspring' H: J.F. Klimavicz (1993), G: J.F. Klimavicz (1995), N: J.F. Klimavicz (2000), I: J.F. Klimavicz (2000), REG: J.F. Klimavicz (2000) Fls 2-3/ball truss, some hose-in-hose (with 5-6 lobes/whorl), and either double to semi-double (1-all stamens petaloid), saucer-shaped, 40 × 65mm, with an average of 12 wavy-edged lobes (5+5+2), vivid purplish red (57C) in bud, opening inside moderate purplish pink (65A) to light purplish pink (73C), with sparse dorsal spotting of moderate orange (171D) and a small, pale green blotch at the base; outside moderate purplish pink (62B). Calyx 10mm long, moderate yellow-green (138B). Lvs elliptic, 45 × 20mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, flat, glossy and moderate olive green (146A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 5 years. Early April

(r) **'Lovely William'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *neriiflorum* subsp. *neriiflorum* Euchaites Group (s) × *williamsianum* H: Sir James Horlick (1940), G: Sir James Horlick, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rose

(r) **'Love Me Tender'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Oh My!' (s) × *brachycarpum* × 'Crest' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with some petaloid stamens, vivid purplish red (57B, C) in bud, opening light purplish pink (68D), edged strong purplish pink (68B). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Love Poem'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Silk Ribbon' (s) × *yakushimanum* (Exbury form) × 'Mrs J.G. Millais' H: J. Barlup (1991), G: J. Barlup (1995), N: J. Barlup (1998), REG: J. Barlup (1998) Fls 24/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (64C) in bud, opening inside pale purplish pink (65D) and ageing to pale yellow-green (157C), very lightly tinted pink, with deep purplish red (59B) spotting covering a large area of the dorsal lobe; outside pale yellow-green (157C). Calyx lobes irregular, up to 40mm long, pale yellow (11D), spotted deep purplish red (59B). Lvs elliptic, 115 × 40mm, flat, rounded at base, broadly acute at apex, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 0.9m in 7 years. Early April

(a) **'Loverly'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: I.L. Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L. Amann Fls 75mm wide, vivid red (57A), with a darker blotch. Shrub to 1.0m or more. Midseason

(a) **'Love Song'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958). Kurume

(r) **'Love Song'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan's Flame' × *yakushimanum* H: B.F. Lancaster (c 1960), G: D.G. Hobbie, N: D.G. Hobbie, I: D.G. Hobbie (1975) Fls white with a soft pink margin inside, outside pale pink

(r) **'Love Song'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Catherine Collier' × *nuttallii* (as var. *stellatum*) H: R.C. Gordon, G: B. Robinson, N: B. Robinson (pre 1998) Fls 10-12/truss, large, trumpet-shaped, purple and white, with a yellow throat; scented

(r) **'Love Story'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney (c 1965), G: W.E. Whitney, N: G. & Mrs A. Sather, I: G. & Mrs A. Sather, REG: G. & Mrs A. Sather (1976) Fls 10/lax truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 65 × 90mm, with 5 even to wavy-edged lobes, pale yellowish pink (27C) fading to light yellow (10C), blotch brilliant yellow (8A) fading to brilliant yellow (7B), spotting strong reddish orange (34C) (disappears in mature fl.), edges moderate yellowish pink (37C) becoming strong pink (48D). Calyx 30mm long, strong yellowish pink (35C), light yellow (10C) when mature. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 100 × 40-45mm, moderate olive green (146A), hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 8-10 years. Early May

(v) **'Lovey'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *konori* × (*konori* var. *phaeopeplum* × *lochiae*) × *zoelleri* H: J.L. Rouse, G: G.L.S. Snell (1988), N: G.L.S. Snell, I: Vireya Venue (1990), REG: Vireya Venue (1991) Fls 5-6/truss, campanulate, 70 × 85mm, 6-7-lobed, tube pale yellow (11C), lobes pale purplish pink (56B). Lvs oblong, 135 × 70mm. Shrub 2.0m. Spring-autumn (Australia)

(a) **'Lovey Mine'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, pink, with a large golden yellow flare and red stamens; scented. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Late June

(r) **'Loving Spirit'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.G.T. Hyde (1970), G: W.G.T. Hyde, N: Mrs R.G. Legrand, I: Linwood Plants (1995), REG: Mrs R.G. Legrand (1995) Fls 10-12/compact truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 35mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (67B) in bud, opening white (155D) with a very light purple (75C) line down the centre of each corolla lobe; outside white (155D) with a light purple (75A) line down lobe centres; two, small, speckled flashes of dark greenish yellow (152C) on dorsal lobe. Lvs oblanceolate, 125 × 45mm, margins decurved, matt green above, acute at apex, narrowly cuneate at base, with a moderate orange-yellow (164C) indumentum. Shrub 1.34 × 1.64m in 25 years. May

(a) **'Low Boy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Flame Creeper' × 'Otome' R: J. Harris (c 1979), N: J. Harris Fls single, 75mm wide, deep pink. Shrub 30cm tall in 10 years

(r) **'Loweanum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *ponticum* hybrid R: unknown (pre 1848), INC: ICRA (1958) (See also note under 'Lowenianum')

(r) **'Lowei'** (Syn. of 'Pictum')

(r) **'Lowellii Album'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *ponticum* hybrid ? R: unknown (pre 1842), INC: ICRA (1958) (Exhibited in Paris by Modeste Guérin, 1842)

(r) **'Lowenianum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1843), INC: ICRA (1958) (Exhibited by Paillet, in Paris, 1843. Perhaps the plant also listed as 'Loweanum')

(r) **'Lowii'** (Syn. of 'Pictum')

(r) **'Lowinsky's White'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.H. Lowinsky (pre 1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink in bud, opening pure, unspotted white. Lvs sharply pointed, very dark green

(r) **'Low Red Frilled'** (Syn. of 'Red Frilled')

(r) **'Loyalty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' × *arboreum* subsp. *zeylanicum* R: P.D. Williams, N: P.D. Williams, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(r) **'Loyola'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark plum colour

(a) **'Lozenge'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Madeira' × 'Nocturne' × 'Waraigishi' R: D. Hager, N: D. Hager, I: Hager Nurseries (c 1983) Fls hose-in-hose, 65mm wide, soft clear pink. Lvs medium green. Shrub up to 2.2m

(a) **'L. Roth'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Gebr Mardner (1874), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'L. Späth'** (Syn. of 'Ludwig Späth')

(a) **'Lucan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pinkish scarlet. Indian

(a) **'Lucas Pniagua'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1891), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple, with a dark carmine blotch. Indian

(a) **'Lucca'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Schäme Albus' × 'Lara' R: Bernd Jackst GbR (1986), N: Bernd Jackst GbR, I: Bernd Jackst GbR, REG: ICRA (1997) Fls double, salmon

(a) **'Luce Ellettrice'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Costantini (1886), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Lucent'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Dream' × 'James Gable' H: G.W. Ring (1973), G: G.W. Ring (1977), N: G.W. Ring, I: G.W. Ring (1984), REG: G.W. Ring (1991) Fls hose-in-hose, 1-2/truss, open funnel-shaped, 32 × 64mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, deep pink (52C) to strong pink (52D), with strong red (53C/D) speckles on dorsal lobes; 6-9 curved stamens. Calyx 32mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 25-51 × 10-19mm (summer lvs), 8-25 × 3-6mm (winter lvs), flat, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, hairless to slightly hairy above and below. Shrub 1.5 × 1.1m in 10 years, of upright, spreading habit. Early May

(a) **'Lucette'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Yozakura' (s) × 'Kagaribi' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, 50mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, tyrian pink (strong purplish red (71D)), with heavy spotting between tyrian rose and amaranth purple, base of tube lighter with a faint suggestion of yellow. Erect shrub, 1.0-1.2m. Late April-early May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Luci'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Doctor Arnold' × unnamed seedling R: K. Glaser, N: K. Glaser, I: K. Glaser (1980) Fls semi-double, large, vivid purplish red (57C) with a darker throat and slight, strong red (53C) spotting. Lvs ovate, mid green, hairy. Early. Indian (Sometimes incorrectly listed as 'Lucie')

(a) **'Lucia'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. van Geert (1877), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls flesh pink, washed soft rose. Ghent

(a) **'Lucia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Firefly' × 'Snow' R: USDA, N: USDA, Beltsville, I: USDA, Beltsville (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, with

wavy-edged lobes, white, unspotted. Erect shrub. (Derived from the work of G.E. Yerkes & R.L. Pryor)

(a) **'Lucidum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1804), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed under *Azalea viscosa*; see also note under *Azalea lucida* Meerburgh in Rehder & Wilson (1921))

(r) **'Lucidum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Smith (pre 1851), N: Smith, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow. (May have been an azaleodendron)

(r) **'Lucidum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (pre 1857), N: Waterer, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 15-21/compact, rounded truss, outside strong lilac, inside soft lilac with an almost white centre and strong, dark red markings. Mid May-early June (as cultivated in Germany, 1986). (Sources differ as to whether this was a Knap Hill or Bagshot cultivar)

(a) **'Lucie'** (See 'Luci')

(r) **'Lucie Brand'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Wilgen's Ruby' × Elizabeth Group H: Brand & Zonen B.V., G: W. Brand (c 1970), N: Brand & Zonen B.V., I: Brand & Zonen B.V. (1976), REG: Royal Boskoop Hort. Soc. (1988) Fls 8-10/truss, funnel-shaped, c30 × 25mm, 5-lobed, scarlet. Calyx green. Lvs broadly lanceolate, 40-60 × 20-30mm, with a brownish indumentum on young foliage. Shrub 1.5 × 2.0m. April-May. (Published in *Dendroflora* 18:76 (1981))

(r) **'Lucien Linden'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Etabl. Linden (pre 1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson/violet red

(a) **'Lucien Steyaert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, deep rose. Indian

(v) **'Lucie Sorensen'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: probably *macgregoriae* (s) × *bagobonum* H: J.L. Rouse (1986), G: F. Rutherford (1991), N: E. White Smith, REG: E. White Smith (1995) Fls 4-6/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 20 × 20mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, reddish green in bud, opening vivid yellowish pink (30C); stamens 10, straight, equal. Calyx very short, light green. Pedicels 13mm long, dark red. Lvs elliptic, 22 × 10mm, concave, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy above; petioles 3mm long, light green. Shrub 0.35 × 0.35m in 8 years. Mainly spring and autumn

(a) **'Lucie Sproull'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Sweetheart Supreme' R: D.J. Cole (pre 1987), N: D.J. Cole Fls 40mm wide, light purple. Late April

(a) **'Lucifer'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Moser & Son (pre 1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, carmine red. Ghent

(a) **'Lucifer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Eclaireur' I: J. Wille (1943), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vivid purplish red (57B), with a narrow, white edge; otherwise similar to the parent. Indian

(r) **'Lucifer'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1853), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright scarlet

(v) **'Lucifer's Blush'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* × unknown H: unknown, G: G.L.S. Snell (1988), N: R. Macdonald (1991), I: Foothills Nursery (1991), REG: Foothills Nursery (1992) Fls 6-10/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 60 × 55mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, moderate reddish orange (41C) inside and out. Lvs ovate, 80 × 40mm, flat, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 1.0m. Spring-autumn

(r) **'Luciferum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1854), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in an open, rounded truss, light reddish purple (9P 6/8), with a white centre, marked greenish yellow; lobes wavy-edged

(r) **'Luciferum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: H. Fraser (1875), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear white

(r) **Lucil Group** (Syn. of Fine Feathers Group)

(a) **'Lucille K'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Redwings' I: Kraus (pre 1985) Fls double, red, tipped white at edges and with wavy-edged lobes. Indian

(r) **'Lucille's Gem'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Fiery Orange' (s) × 'Opal' × 'Goldsworth Yellow' H: G. Gray, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with slightly wavy-edged lobes, moderate red (47A), strong red (47B) and pale greenish yellow (2D) in bud, opening light greenish yellow (3D) with a light greenish yellow (3C) flare and dark reddish orange (173A) dorsal spots; filaments pale yellow-green (157A); style pale yellow (18D); anthers moderate reddish brown (166B); stigma greyish brown (166A). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Lucille Williamson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Jasper Group (s) × 'Virginia Scott' H: H.L. Larson (1968), G: H.L. Larson (1977), N: H.L. Larson, I: H.L. Larson (1981), REG: H.L. Larson (1982) Fls 11/truss, c65 × 90mm, 7-lobed, strong red (46A) in bud, opening outside strong red (47B); inside light orange-yellow (16B), fading to yellow all over. Calyx c55mm long, light greenish yellow (4B). Lvs c115 × 65mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless

(a) **'Lucinda'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* hybrid × 'Snow' R: USDA, N: USDA, Beltsville, I: USDA, Beltsville (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 5/truss, hose-in-hose, 45mm wide, rose pink, paler at base. Rounded, compact shrub. (Derived from the work of G.E. Yerkes & R.L. Pryor)

(a) **'Lucinda Hurley'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *calenduleaceum* × 'Sang de Gentbrugge' H: G.A. Hardy (1976), G: G.A. Hardy, N: G.A. Hardy, REG: G.A. Hardy (1990) Fls 6-7/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, up to 30 × 15mm, interior of corolla vivid red (45C), darkening externally to vivid red (45B), glandular hairy towards base; anthers reddish brown, filaments red; style conspicuously projecting from flower, red. Calyx very short,

green, densely glandular hairy. Shrub 1.1 × 1.2m in 13 years. June. AM 1990

(a) **'Lucius'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Weston (pre 1869), N: Weston. Indian

(r) **'Lucius'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep purple claret, with black spots all over. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Lucky Break'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Champagne' × 'Crest' H: R.J.R. Drayson (1976), G: Harkwood Acres (1987), N: Mrs A.J.A. Drayson, REG: Mr & Mrs Drayson (1987) Fls 11-14/truss, open campanulate, 46 × 61mm, with 5-6 lobes, buds strong red (47B) and vivid reddish orange (44C), opening strong red (39A), edges of lobes light orange (28C) and brilliant yellow (14C), base of throat vivid reddish orange (42A), dorsal spotting 42A. Calyx petaloid, 18mm long, strong to light orange-yellow (22A & B), overlaid strong reddish orange (32B) and strong yellowish pink (32C). Lvs lanceolate, 95 × 40mm, moderate olive green (147A), hairless. Compact shrub 0.74 × 1.10m in 11 years. Early May-mid June

(r) **'Lucky Hit'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: seedling from *davidsonianum* R: D.M. van Gelderen (pre 1965), N: D.M. van Gelderen, REG: D.M. van Gelderen (1968) Fls 6-8/truss, saucer-shaped, 30-40mm wide, light purple (76A), with a bloch of red purple dots. Shrub to 2.0m

(a) **'Lucky Lady'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown N: J.D. Zimmerman, REG: J.D. Zimmerman (1965) Fls single, 30-34/truss, 75 × 65mm, vivid yellow, with a reddish blotch. (Plant originally purchased from Comerford's Nursery (USA). Said to be an Exbury (i.e.Knap Hill) azalea seedling)

(r) **'Lucky Seven'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ronald Otto Delp' (s) × aff. *vernicosum* (Rock 18139) × (Nereid Group × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor*) H: A.W. Smith (pre 1989), G: D. Irish-Hosler (1998), N: D. Irish-Hosler (2000), REG: D. Irish-Hosler (2000) Fls 10/lax truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, with 7 flat-edged lobes, moderate to light purplish pink (68C-D) in bud, opening inside pale yellow-green (155A), edged light purplish pink (68D), with rusty red spotting in an arrowhead configuration on each of the three dorsal lobes; outside light purplish pink (68D) to yellowish white (155B). Calyx c3mm long, reddish green. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 55mm, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, margins wavy and downcurved, dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in c12 years. Midseason

(a) **'Lucky Star'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: H. Kerrigan (pre 1987), N: H. Kerrigan Fls very large, white, with a purple stripe down each lobe

(r) **'Lucky Star'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Lucky Star')

(r) **'Lucky Star'** (Syn. of 'Girard Lucky Star')

(r) **'Lucky Strike'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × 'Countess of Derby' R: T. van Veen, N: T. van Veen, I: T. van Veen, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 9/conical truss, funnel-shaped, 75mm wide, deep salmon pink. Shrub to c1.2m. Late May

(a) **'Lucombeanum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Lucombe, Pince & Co. (1845), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Lucombe Majesta'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Lucombe, Pince & Co. (pre 1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white. Indian

(r) **'Lucretia'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls peach, with ochre spots. Hardy Hybrid. (Perhaps the same plant listed by Waterer (Bagshot) in 1865)

(r) **'Lucy'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush

(r) **'Lucy Elizabeth'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *formosum* Iteaphyllum Group R: Mrs E. Mackenzie, N: Mrs E. Mackenzie, I: Mrs E. Mackenzie, REG: Mrs E. Mackenzie (1979) Fls 2-3/truss, funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, white (155D), flushed pale yellow (158A) in dorsal throat. Calyx rudimentary, irregularly lobed to 3mm long, green, scaly. Lvs narrowly oblong-lanceolate, up to 56 × 15mm, dark green, sparsely scaly above, scaly below. AM 1979

(r) **'Lucy Locket'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Loderi Group hybrid R: A.W. Heneage-Vivian (c 1937), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Lucy Lou'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *leucaspis* (s) × *ciliatum* × *leucaspis* I: H.L. Larson (1956), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. Lvs with hairs and scales. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Lucy Neal'** (Syn. of 'Genseric')

(r) **'Lucy's Good Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ruby Bowman' × *griersonianum* H: J.S. Druecker (1958), G: J.S. Druecker (1963), N: J.S. Druecker, I: J.S. Druecker (1966), REG: E.R. German (1976) Fls 7/lax truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 36 × 120mm, 7-lobed, tyrianrose (24/2). Calyx 2mm long, cardinal red (822). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 175 × 46mm, spinach green (0960), hairless. Shrub 2.4 × 1.8m in 10 years. Late May-early June

(a) **'Ludieke'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Verschaffelt (1860), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Ludovicia'** cv. Parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) (Hardy azalea)

(a) **'Ludwig Leopold Liebig'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Petzold (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright carmine rose. Indian

(r) **'Ludwig Leopold Liebig'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: L.L. Liebig (pre 1880),

N: L.L. Liebig, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet red, with black red spots (Schmalscheidt); cherry red (Boskoop list, 1896); brilliant carmine red (Koster cat.). Syn: 'L.L. Liebig' (The 1958 Register gave Jean Bracke as raiser; this is considered to be an error)

(a) **'Ludwig Späth'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: G. van Noordt (pre 1896), N: G. van Noordt, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon pink, shaded rose and spotted orange. Syn: 'L. Späth'. Mollis

(r) **'Ludwig Uhland'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C.J.H. Walther, N: C.J.H. Walther, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet, spotted. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Lugano'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Fantastica' × 'Hachmann's Ornament' × 'Furnivall's Daughter' H: H. Hachmann (1977), G: H. Hachmann (1982), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1990), REG: G. Stück (1991) Fls 17/truss, open funnel-shaped, 40-45 × 70-85mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (to light purple) (78D-(C)), strong reddish purple (78B) on veins outside, with a conspicuous blotch of dark red (to deep purplish red) (187A-(D)) on dorsal lobe and often extending to adjacent lobes. Calyx 2-3mm long, slightly reddish green. Lvs elliptic, 90-120 × 40-50mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, slightly glossy, mid green above, mature leaves with brownish hairs below. Shrub of compact, rounded habit, 0.75 × 1.4m in 10 years. Late May-mid June

(a) **'Luisa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Coelestine White' (s) × 'Comtesse de Kerchove' R: K. Müssig (pre 1991), N: K. Müssig Fls double, 2-4/truss, short funnel-shaped, very pale purple (73D) to light purplish pink (73C) at margins, light purplish pink in centre (73C), outside very pale purple (69C); with a strong purplish red (54A) blotch; anthers white. Calyx normal. Lvs elliptic to slightly obovate, dark green. Midseason-late

(r) **'Luisella'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Azurika' × Blue Tit Group (Magor) H: H. Hachmann (1978), G: H. Hachmann (1981), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann(1988), REG: G. Stück(1991) Fls 4-6/truss, 15-17 × 25-30(-35)mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, strong purple (84A), fading to light or very pale purple (84C/D) throughout; unspotted. Calyx 3-4mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 17-25 × 7-10mm, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, dark and glossy green above, scaly. Shrub of dense, compact habit, 0.35 × 0.6m in 10 years. Early-late May

(r) **'Luise Verey'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × Glamour Group H: A.F. George (1968), G: Hydon Nurseries, N: Hydon Nurseries, I: Hydon Nurseries (1978), REG: Hydon Nurseries (1978) Fls strong purplish red (58C) inside, with crimson on dorsal throat; outside strong purplish red (58B). Shrub 1.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Lukas'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan' × *yakushimanum* R: W. Nagel (1971), N: W. Nagel (1996), I: W. Nagel (1995), REG: ICRA (2000) Fls rosy red

(a) **'Lullaby'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Willy' (s) × 'Momozono' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, deep yellowish pink (43C), with a tyrian rose blotch. Shrub to 1.2m. Late April. Glenn Dale

(v) **'Lullaby'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *jasmiflorum* hybrid R: F.M. Jury (pre 1993), N: F.M. Jury Fls tubular, very soft pink. Compact habit to 1.5m tall

(v) **'Lulu'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: F.M. Jury (pre 1988), N: F.M. Jury Fls 5/truss, throat butter yellow, lobes subdued orange. Compact habit. (Listed in *Vireya News* no.6 (July, 1988))

(a) **'Lumeha'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Kosmos' R: J. Slykerman (pre 1996), N: J. Slykerman Fls double, 2-3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, with 12-16/slightly wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (67D), with a very irregular white margin and strong purplish red (63A) markings in the throat; pistil red, usually longer than stamens. Calyx present, usually green. Lvs slightly obovate, mucronate at apex, somewhat glossy and dark green above. Very early. Pot azalea. (Published in *Plant Varieties Journal* 11 (3): 15, fig.14 (1998); similar to 'Venus' but with more extensive white margins)

(a) **'Lumière'** (See 'La Lumière')

(r) **'Lumina'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kokardia' (s) × 'Mars' × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: H. Hachmann (1968), G: H. Hachmann (1974), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1982), REG: G. Stück (1984) Fls 12-14/truss, 45-50 × 60-70mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish pink (73B), marked with light yellow-green (145B). Calyx 1-2mm long, strong to light yellow-green (145A-B). Lvs elliptic, 100-120 × 35-45(-65)mm, dark green above, woolly below

(a) **'Luminary'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ivory' (s) × 'Keisetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, 50-70mm wide, often 6-lobed, spinel pink (strong purplish rose (59D)), with a rose (vivid to strong purplish red (57D, 63B)) throat and yellow at base of the tube. Shrub to 1.2m tall. Mid-May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Lumineux'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Kees Bier' R: unknown (1955), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Said to be more-or-less indistinguishable from 'Benelux')

(a) **'Luminosity'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987), N: unknown Fls vivid pink. Mid May. Kaempferi

(r) **Luminous Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: Lady Rosebery Group (s) × *cinnabarinum* subsp. *xanthocodon*

Concatenans Group H: Lord Aberconway (1937), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red

(a) **'Luna'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (1887), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rounded, silver-white, with a yellow blotch and sometimes a few rose dots. Indian

(a) **'Luna'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* (s) × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, to 90mm wide, vivid reddish purple (74A-B) with a whitish centre varying in size from a small central eye to covering half the corolla; developing in time to a colour-bordered flower resembling 'Martha Hitchcock'. A darker blotch is evident in more coloured flowers. Shrub 1.5m tall. Mid-late May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Luna'** (Syn. of 'Rosa Bonheur Luna')

(r) **'Luna'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *souliei* × *campylocarpum* I: S.R. Clarke (1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale sulphur yellow with a central blotch of deep red, buds and the outside of the open flowers are also flushed rose, fading to almost white. AM 1930

(r) **'Lunar Queen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Hawk Group (s) × *griffithianum* R: E.G.W.W. Harrison, N: E.G.W.W. Harrison, REG: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1966) Fls 9/truss, 65 × 100mm, 5-lobed, cream. April-May

(a) **'Lunar Sea'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Helen Close' × 'Purple Splendor' R: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1967) Fls 2/truss, hose-in-hose, up to 75mm wide, light purple (7.5P 6/8). Lvs 65 × 40mm, bullate on new growth. Compact shrub to 60cm. Early-mid May

(r) **'Luník'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* × 'C.S. Sargent' (?) R: J. Scholz (c 1961), N: J. Scholz Fls 14-15/sunken globose to globose truss, 75mm wide, purple pink in bud (729-729/2), opening whitish purple pink (630/2-630/3), with a blotch of yellow-green on a whitish ground (63-63/1). Lvs elliptic, 115 × 40mm, dull and grey green (0960-000858/1) above. Shrub 1.0m in 9 years

(a) **'Luntera'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Inga' S: W. Oosterom (1986) Fls strong purplish red (58B), gradually changing to deep/strong pink (52C/D) at margins: otherwise similar to parent

(a) **'Lurida'** (Syn. of 'Vurida')

(r) **'Lurline'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Unknown Warrior' R: P.H. Brydon, N: P.H. Brydon, REG: P.H. Brydon (1968) Fls up to 20/full, rounded truss, campanulate, up to 65mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, rose madder (23/1) in bud, opening 23/2 and fading to 23/3. Lvs lanceolate to oblanceolate, up to 150 × 65mm, dark green, leathery, with fawn-coloured indumentum. Compact, rounded shrub, c40 × 37cm in 5 years. Mid April

(r) **'Lu's Choice'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ('Souvenir of W.C. Slocock' × *dichroanthum* subsp. *apodectum*) × 'Crest' × (Fabia Group × *bureavii*) × 'Crest' H: J.G. Lofthouse, G: J.G. Lofthouse, N: J.G. Lofthouse (pre 1997) Fls orange-yellow

(r) **Luscombeanum Group** (Syn. of Luscombei Group)

(r) **Luscombei Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × *thomsonii* R: T. Luscombe (pre 1880), N: W. Watson (1892), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 12/loose truss, trumpet-shaped, 75 × 100-110mm, 5-7-lobed, deep rose with a ray of crimson markings. Calyx lobes 2-7mm long, pale green, flushed rose, ciliate and with a waxy bloom. Lvs obovate, c110 × 60mm, glossy green above. Shrub to 4.5 × 9.0m. Syn: Luscombeanum Group (Description is of a particular seedling)

(r) **'Luscombei'** (USA) (Syn. of 'Pride of Leonardslee')

(r) **'Luscombei Splendens'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × *thomsonii* R: T. Luscombe ?, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a lax truss, darker than "typical" form. (Luscombei Group)

(r) **'Luscombei Superbum'** (Given as a possible parent of 'Gill's Gloriosum')

(r) **'Luscombe Seedling'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1909), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Luscombe's Red'** (Syn. of 'Luscombe's Scarlet')

(r) **'Luscombe's Sanguineum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × *thomsonii* R: T. Luscombe, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet crimson. (Luscombei Group. Perhaps a synonym of 'Luscombe's Scarlet')

(r) **'Luscombe's Scarlet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × *thomsonii* R: T. Luscombe, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c13/compact, hemispherical truss, campanulate, 60 × 80mm, light scarlet, with inconspicuous crimson and brown dorsal spots; nectaries crimson. Calyx lobes 3-5mm long, ciliate, purplish brown. Syn: 'Luscombe's Red' (Luscombei Group. 'Luscombe's Sanguineum' may also be synonymous)

(r) **'Lush'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Abe Arnott' (s) × 'White Blue Peter' H: W.E. Delp (1991), G: W.E. Delp (1993), N: Mrs V. Delp, I: Crystalaire Rhododendron Naturescapes, REG: J.D. Harris (1996) Fls 14/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, c50 × 75mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish red and dark to moderate purplish pink (186B-D) in bud, opening white and very pale purple (69D), with a deep purplish red (187D) flare spotted with dark red (187A) on the three dorsal lobes; filaments yellowish white (155D); style pale yellow-green (157A); anthers pale yellow (161D); stigma dark red (187A). Lvs 105 × 45mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base. Shrub 0.9 × 0.75m in 5 years. Early June. (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Lu-Shan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *fortunei* R: unknown, L: UK (1988) (Probably

originated merely as an indicator of geographic origin, but subsequently listed as an epithet)

(a) **'Lush Life'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, bright salmon pink, with a golden orange blotch at the base of a yellow flare which covers the dorsal lobe. Spreading habit. Late June

(a) **'Lustre'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Waraigishi' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2/truss, pink, 50-65mm wide, strong purplish red (63B). Shrub 1.5m. Early May. Glenn Dale

(r) **Lustre Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Dante Group (s) × *griersonianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1932), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet

(r) **'Lustrous'** cv. Parentage unknown R: F.R. Kinghorn (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very bright rose

(v) **'Luteoroseum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *javanicum* × 'Princess Alexandra' R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1886), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls over 50mm wide, satiny rose, suffused white, centre toned with light yellow; filaments and styles bright crimson. FCC 1886

(a) **'Lutescens Grandiflorum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1849), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, bright yellow. (Probably the deciduous azalea listed under this name pre c1850 by Knight & Perry)

(az) **'Luteum Carneum Elegantissimum'** (Syn. of 'Carneum Elegantissimum')

(a) **'Luteum Major'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Ottolander & Hooftman (pre 1896), N: Ottolander & Hooftman, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-yellow, tinted rose. Mollis

(r) **'Luteum Purpureum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Luteum Purum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Luteum Rubicundum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Whitley & Osborn (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Shrub 1.0-1.5m. Ghent (Listed under *Azalea pontica*)

(az) **'Luteum Splendens'** (See note under 'Aureum Luteum Splendens')

(a) **'Lützow'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: F. Schneider (1863), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Luv'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Romance' (Brooks) R: H. Kerrigan (pre 1987), N: H. Kerrigan Fls with the same floral pattern as 'Eri'

(a) **'Luxemburg'** cv. Evergreen azalea: derived from 'Hexe' I: A. Steyaert (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet rose. Indian

(r) **'Luxor'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (white-fld) (s) × GoldfortGroup H: D.G. Leach (1952), G: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1973), REG: D.G. Leach (1983) Fls 14-15/truss, 50 × 70mm, open funnel-shaped, 5-7-lobed, strong purplish pink (55B) in bud, opening pale yellow (11D), with moderate orange-yellow (165C) dorsal spots. Calyx minute, greenish yellow. Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 125 × 50mm, moderate olive green (146A). Shrub c2.2m in 30 years. Syn: 'Morocco'

(a) **'Luxury Rose'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Roberta Ann' (s) × 'Girard's Pink' H: P.E. Girard (1972), G: P.E. Girard (1976), N: P.E. Girard, I: P.E. Girard, REG: P.E. Girard (1984) Fls hose-in-hose, 3/truss, 65mm broad, open funnel-shaped, 5+5+5-lobed, deep pink (52B), unmarked; stamens 3-5. Calyx 7mm long, moderate yellow-green (139D). Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 40-50 × 22mm, setose on both surfaces. Shrub 0.5m in 5 years. Mid May

(a) **'Luzi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kiusianum* hybrid R: G. Mittendorf (1975), N: G. Mittendorf Fls 50-70mm wide, white, unmarked. Shrub 0.8 × 0.9m in 10 years. Mid May-early June

(a) **'Luzi-Baby'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Luzi' N: W. Schmalscheidt (1999) Fls 1-3/truss, 35-50mm wide, pure white. Very compact shrub, 0.35 × 0.4m in 4 years. (Discovered in 1992 by W. Scheltwort)

(r) **'Lyall Fretz'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Chionoides' × 'Catalgla' × Lady Bessborough Group H: L. Fretz, G: R. Behring (1979), N: R. Behring, REG: R. Behring (1989) Fls 12/conical truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 70 × 76mm, with 6 smooth-edged lobes, pale greenish yellow (2D) with a strong red (53B) flare and spotting on dorsal lobe; slightly scented. Lvs elliptic, 152 × 51mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 20 years. Late May

(r) **Lycia Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Vanessa Group (s) × *elliottii* H: Lord Aberconway (1932), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet red

(r) **'Lydia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Antoon van Welie' × Day Dream Group (red form) R: H.E. Greer, N: H.E. Greer, REG: H.E. Greer (1963) Fls 12-14/tight truss, up to 100mm wide, rotate funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, china rose (8.5RP 4.8/12), with slight markings on dorsal lobes of cardinal red (5R 3/7). Lvs elliptic, up to 150 × 65mm. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Late

(a) **'Lydia Haerens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987), N: unknown (Listed as a parent of 'Marin')

(r) **'Lydia Richards'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: open-pollinated seed from *makinoi*, collected in Japan G: Mrs

J.W. Hill (c 1980), N: Mrs J.W. Hill, REG: Mrs J.W. Hill (1993) Fls 9(-10)/domed truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 50 × 60mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (55A) in bud, opening strong to light or pale purplish pink (55B-D), with a strong purplish red (54A) blotch in the throat; stamens 10, curved. Calyx 3mm long, white. Pedicels 30mm long, pale purplish pink (55D). Lvs narrowly lanceolate, 140 × 15mm, concave, acute at apex, tapered at base, dull, dark green (136A), hairless and very slightly bullate above, with a felted indumentum below (white at first, ageing to deep orange-yellow (163A)); petioles 20mm long, moderate yellow (162A). Shrub 1.5 × 1.8m in 26 years. Mid May

(r) **'Lyme Regis'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fred Wynniatt Group × Angelo Group H: R.J.R. Drayson (1978), G: Harkwood Acres (1989), N: Mrs A.J.A. Drayson, REG: Harkwood Acres (1991) Fls 10/truss, open campanulate, 83 × 135mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, brilliant to light greenish yellow 5B & C) with a strong greenish yellow (151B) throat. Calyx 15mm long, strong yellow-green (144A) at first, becoming strong greenish yellow (151C). Shrub 0.58 × 0.75m in 11 years. May

(r) **'Lyminge'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alice' (s) × unknown H: A.E. Hardy, G: A.E. Hardy (1950), N: A.E. Hardy, REG: G.A. Hardy (1984) Fls bright pink, similar to 'Alice'. Lvs elliptic, c125 × 45mm, dark, slightly glossy green above, hairless or with very sparse, minute hairs below

(r) **'Lympne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: un-named dark red hybrid × *elliottii* R: A.E. Hardy, N: A.E. Hardy, I: A.E. Hardy (1975), REG: A.E. Hardy (1975) Fls dark red with back dorsal spotting. Shrub c3.0m. AM 1975

(r) **'Lyndsleyanum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Rhododendron Association Yearbook (1929), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson lake

(a) **'Lynette'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls double, purplish pink. Indian

(r) **'Lynn Boulter'** cv. Parentage unknown H: V.J. Boulter, G: F. Boulter (1982), I: F. Boulter, REG: F. Boulter (1984) Fls 12-14/truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 40mm, deep purplish pink (55A) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (56D) inside, light purplish pink (55C) outside. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 40mm. Shrub c1.2m

(r) **'Lynne Heckler'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Kiev Group (s) × *yakushimanum* H: R.P. Jefferis (1966), G: R.R. & H. Huber (1976), N: R.R. & H. Huber, I: R.R. & H. Huber (1980), REG: R.R. & H. Huber (1995) Fls 14/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (55A) in bud, opening inside pale purplish pink (56B) with light purplish pink (55C) edging about 10mm wide, and deep pink (51B) spotting on dorsal lobes; outside light purplish pink (55C); stamens 10, curved, unequal. Calyx 30mm long, strong yellow (153D). Pedicels c30mm long, strong pink (48C). Lvs narrowly obovate, 152 × 50mm, convex, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and dark yellowish green (139A) and hairless above, with a greyish yellow-green (196A) plastered indumentum below, ageing to light yellowish brown (199C); petioles 20-25mm long, moderate yellow-green (138B). Shrub 1.1 × 0.9m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Lynne Robbins Steinman'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: PJM Group × unknown H: E.V. Mezitt (1978), G: Weston Nurseries, N: Weston Nurseries (1989), I: Weston Nurseries (1990) Fls double, with very wavy-edged lobes, pink, with a yellow throat. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Early

(a) **'Lynn Stieglitz'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Myu-no-tsuki' × 'Corsage' R: R.W. Pennington (pre 1987), I: B. Handcock (pre 1987) Fls large, star-shaped, purple; slightly scented. Early

(a) **'Lyn Robinson'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls double, pale pink. Indian

(r) **'Lynsey Ann'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *souliei* × ? *souliei* R: S. Hilscher (1982), N: S. Hilscher, REG: S. Hilscher (1990) Fls 8-10/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, with smooth or wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (68B). Calyx very short, green. Lvs obovate, 70 × 40mm, convex, mucronate at apex, rounded at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in c11 years. Early-mid May. (Seed from Am.Rh.Soc. seed exchange, c1978)

(r) **'Lyn's Memory'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' (s) × 'Lem's Cameo' H: L.A. Hutchison (1987), G: L.A. Hutchison (1993), N: L.A. Hutchison (1993), I: Elliott's Wholesale Nursery Ltd, REG: L.A. Hutchison (1994) Fls 15-17/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 80-100mm, with 6-8 very wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (65A) in bud, opening moderate purplish pink (65A) at edges, shading to light purplish pink (65B) and then to pure white in centre of lobes and in the throat; reddish brown eye (12 × 12mm) deep in throat, breaking into spotting apically and which for a short distance is yellow; outside moderate purplish pink (65A) with some lighter shading; prominent stamens; creamy white style. Lvs oblong, 125 × 65mm, margins upcurved, cuspidate at apex, cuneate at base, matt and moderate olive green above, hairless. Shrub c1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years. Early October (New Zealand)

(a) **'Lyn Spencer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: M.E. Greentree (pre 1987), N: M.E. Greentree Fls large, wavy-edged, white

(r) **'Lynx'** (See 'The Lynx')

(a) **'Lyon's Late White'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Whitley & Osborn (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Shrub 1.0-1.5m. (Listed as a hardy azalea)

(a) **'Lyon's Magnificum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Whitley & Osborn (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Shrub 1.0-1.5m. (Listed as a hardy azalea)

(a) **'Lyric'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Illusion' (s) × "No. 1" (possibly 'Osakazuki' × 'Flame') R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 65-75mm wide, white, with a chartreuse blotch. Shrub 1.5m tall. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Lysande'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Mother's Day' × 'Elsa Kärger' R: U. Schumacher (1951), N: U. Schumacher, I: U. Schumacher (1965) Fls 1-3/truss, 65-75mm wide, vivid purplish red (57C), with strong brown markings. Lvs reddish in winter. Mid-late season. (Sometimes seen in error as 'Lysander')

(a) **'Lysander'** (See note under 'Lysande')

(r) **'Lyta Way'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'C.I.S.' (s) × *macrophyllum* H: C. Tuomala (1969), G: C. Tuomala (1977), N: C. Tuomala, REG: E.R. German (1984) Fls 13/truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 65mm, 5-lobed, strong red (50A) in bud, opening deep pink (52C), fading to light pink (50D), shaded deep pink (52B) irregularly at lobe edges and on reverse, and with a dorsal blotch of deep to strong red (53A & C). Calyx 16mm long, strong red (41B). Lvs narrowly elliptic, with patchy, yellow-brown indumentum below. Shrub 1.1 in 10 years.

(a) **'Mabel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Clibrans Nursery (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep pink

(r) **'Mabel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* hybrid R: R. Gill & Sons (pre 1932), INC: ICRA (1958) In effect an apricot-coloured *thomsonii*, with conspicuous blood red markings at the base

(r) **'Mabel Combe'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J.H. Mangles (pre 1884), REG: Lady Adam Gordon (1984) Fls c10/very loose, open-topped, but domed truss, 55-60 × 60-75mm, funnel-campanulate, 5-lobed, more-or-less vivid purplish red (66B) in bud, paling on opening to become blotched with white (especially inside), with inconspicuous, scattered, pale yellow-green spots on the dorsal lobe, which has darker margins. Calyx 5mm long, regular, pale green, narrowly edged pale red. Lvs oblong to oblanceolate, up to 180 × 75mm, dark, dull green above, with very sparse, minute, pale brown hairs below

(r) **'Mabel Cory'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Barbier & Co. (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light pink, with yellow spots

(a) **'Mabel H'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *calendulaceum* × 'Klondyke' H: E.A. Hollowell (pre 1978)

(a) **'Ma Belle'** cv. Evergreen azalea: possibly derived from 'Merlin' R: I.L. Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L. Amann Fls 55mm wide, deep purplish pink (54B), with a moderate blotch. Shrub to 1.2m

(r) **'MaBelle's Star'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ring of Fire' (s) × 'Lem's Cameo' H: R.W. Thompson (c 1982), G: R.W. Thompson, N: D.K. & J. Cheyne (2002), I: Thompson's Nursery (c 1995), REG: D.K. Cheyne (2002) Fls 12-14/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 100mm, with 5-7 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (45D) in bud, opening inside light yellowish pink (19B) edged strong purplish red (58C); outside pale yellow (11C) edged strong purplish red (58C); unmarked. Calyx 1-2mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs oblong, 115 × 50mm, margins downcurved, obtuse at apex, rounded at base; new growth glossy and red (187), becoming semi-glossy green in 3-4 weeks; hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 0.9m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Mabel Parsons'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid I: Parsons & Sons (pre 1916), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bishops violet, paler towards centre. (The earliest listing traced so far is as 'Miss Mabel Parson' (sic) but this spelling requires confirmation)

(r) **'Mabel R.'** (Syn. of 'Isola Bella')

(a) **'Mable Andrews'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: D. Pender, Jr (pre 1987), N: D. Pender, Jr Fls 75mm wide, light purplish pink. Shrub 1.2-1.9m. Midseason

(a) **'Mable Zimmerman'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J.B. Gable (pre 1972), N: J.B. Gable Fls single, brick red. Gable

(a) **'Macaroni'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. Mollis

(r) **'Macaw'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Blue Steel' (s) × 'Night Sky' H: J.P.C. Russell (1979), G: J.P.C. Russell, N: J.P.C. Russell, REG: J.P.C. Russell (1983) Fls 6/truss, 35mm wide, 6-lobed, strong violet/strong purplish blue (94A-B), with a small, white eye. Calyx c1.5mm long, green. Lvs lanceolate, 30 × 9mm, sparsely scaly

(r) **'MacConkey'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.L. Tolstead (1970), G: W.L. Tolstead (1983), N: W.L. Tolstead, REG: W.L. Tolstead (1996) Fls 14-17/domed truss, open funnel-campanulate, 40 × 40mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, strong purple, with a brilliant yellowish green blotch; stamens 10, curved, equal. Lvs elliptic, 110 × 40mm, flat, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.9 × 1.3m in 25 years. Mid June

(r) **'Ma Chère'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × *yakushimanum* × 'Mars' H: J.B. Brueckner (1975), G: J.B. Brueckner (pre 1983), N: J.B. Brueckner, REG: J.B. Brueckner (1990) Fls 16/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 32 × 44mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, deep red in bud, opening with a white centre and deep red to strong red (53A-B) margins, fading slowly to vivid purplish red (57D). Calyx less than 2mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 114 × 51mm, flat, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 0.5 × 0.8m in 14 years. Late May-early June

(r) **'Machrie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *meddianum* hybrid R: National Trust for Scotland (Brodick), N: National Trust for Scotland (Brodick), REG: National

Trust for Scotland (Brodick) (1965) Fls c15/fairly compact truss, funnel-shaped, 45 × 90mm, with 5 slightly reflexed lobes, currant red (821/3). Lvs ovate to ovate-oblong, 125 × 70mm, cordate at base, hairless below. AM 1965

(a) **'Machtelina Alberts'** (See note under 'Machteline Alberts')

(a) **'Machteline Alberts'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: G.J.Alberts (pre 1896), N: G.J.Alberts, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light cherry red. Mollis (Also seen, probably incorrectly, as 'Machtelina Alberts')

(r) **'Mac Kantrus'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Degram Group × Atrier Group H: J.B. Gable (pre 1972) Fls pink, with a red eye

(a) **'MacLeod'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, deep rose, "camellia-like" in form. Indian

(a) **'MacMahon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Brugge (1874), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, wide-opening; cut, dotted and sprayed with bright purple on three dorsal lobes; filaments scarlet red, anthers blue-black. Indian

(r) **'Macopin'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *racemosum* × unknown R: G.G. Nearing, N: G.G. Nearing, I: G.G. Nearing (c 1962), REG: G.G. Nearing (1972) Fls in globular clusters, pale lilac. Lvs 50 × 25mm, dark green, shiny. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years

(a) **'Macranthum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *indicum* N: Bunge (1833), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep purplish pink (54B) - the AM plant; earlier accounts say salmon red single fls in July (e. g. Yokohama Nursery cat., 1932). *AM 1975 (Probably originated in Japan)

(a) **'Macranthum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Verschaffelt (1840), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Listed as a form of *calendulaceum*)

(a) **'Macranthum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: derived from *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: J. Byls (pre 1842), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, shaded pink, with a gold flare. Ghent

(a) **'Macranthum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, deep sulphur yellow. Shrub 1.0-1.5m. Ghent (Listed as a form of *Azalea pontica* (ie *R.luteum*; probably the plant listed by A. Henderson & Co., 1851)

(r) **'Macranthum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed under *campanulatum* N: L. Jacob-Makoy, I: L. Jacob-Makoy (pre 1851), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Macranthum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Byls (pre 1868), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls shaded rose, with greenish brown spots. (This may be the *catawbiense* hybrid listed about the same time in the UK (eg. Waterer & Godfrey, 1867) said to be of Waterer origin (fls blush, tinged pink))

(a) **'Macranthum Album'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. Indian

(a) **'Macranthum Double Purple'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *indicum* L: Hager Nurseries (1983) Fls double, 65mm wide, purple. Spreading shrub to 0.6m. Midseason

(a) **'Macranthum Dubbel Rose'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, rose red. Very late. Indian (Probably the same plant sometimes seen as 'Macranthum Double')

(a) **'Macranthum Dwarf'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *indicum* L: Greer Gardens (1978) Fls semi-double, salmon pink. Small shrub. Indian

(r) **'Macranthum Flavum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls shaded pink, with a buff yellow centre

(a) **'Macranthum Flore Pleno'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Hager Nurseries (1983) Fls double, 50mm wide, orange-red. Spreading shrub to 0.75m. Late

(r) **'Macranthum Nigrum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Macranthum Orange'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1960) Fls salmon orange

(a) **'Macranthum Ovatum Rokuzan'** (Probably an error for 'Kazan' (Syn. 'Rukizon'))

(a) **'Macranthum Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *indicum* L: Hager Nurseries (1983) Fls 50mm wide, deep pink. Spreading shrub to 0.75m. Late. Indian

(a) **'Macranthum Purple'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *indicum* L: Hager Nurseries (1983) Fls 50mm wide, soft lavender purple. Spreading shrub to 0.75m. Late

(r) **'Macranthum Purpureum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Macranthum Rose'** (Syn. of 'J.T. Lovett')

(a) **'Macranthum Salmon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: USA (1994)

(a) **Macrindicum Group** gp Evergreen azalea: *indicum* × Indian or Belgian Hybrid R: K. Wada (pre 1937), N: K. Wada, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large; various colours. (The same cross as produced the Chugai (Satsuki) azaleas; includes 'Glory of Numazu', 'Pink Delight' etc)

(r) **'Macris'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Bulstrode Park' (s) × 'Loderi King George' H: M.J. Lane (1985), G: M.J. Lane (1994), N: M.J. Lane (1996), I: G. Reuthe Ltd, REG: M.J. Lane (1996) Fls 11/rounded truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 62mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds dark red (59A), opening deep pur-

plish pink (67C) inside and out except for a strong purplish red (67A) rim on inside; spots scattered all around the centre, but most on dorsal lobe, greyish brown (166A) at centre, moderate purplish red (59C) nearer the margins. Calyx 30mm long, light yellow (160B). Lvs oblong, 182 × 66mm, margins flat, matt green above, acute at apex, rounded at base, with white hairs when young. Shrub 1.1 × 0.6m in 11 years (pot grown). Late May-early June

(a) **'Macrophyllum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1835), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, dark rose and yellow. Ghent

(r) **'Macrophyllum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *ponticum* L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1818), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Macrophyllum Incarnatum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1851), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Macrostemon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: closely related to Obtusum Group R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 40mm wide, salmon orange, with exserted stamens. Low, spreading habit. Late

(a) **'Maculatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Smith (pre 1849), N: Smith, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Maculatum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1851), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep plum, with a large black eye

(r) **'Maculatum Cachet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as a *ponticum* form/hybrid L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft lilacy rose

(a) **'Maculatum Cericeum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Verschaffelt (1852), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Maculatum Grandiflorum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rich plum, with dark spots. Hardy Hybrid (Probably the same plant known as 'Currieanum')

(r) **'Maculatum Grandiflorum Album'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Maculatum Luteum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *ponticum* L: Lefevre (1837), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Maculatum Nigrum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1903), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet, with black spots on the dorsal lobes. Indian

(r) **'Maculatum Nigrum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1851), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep plum, with a large black eye. (May have been raised by van Houtte)

(r) **'Maculatum Nigrum Superbum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1851), INC: ICRA (1958) A large-flowered form of 'Maculatum Nigrum'. (May have been raised by van Houtte)

(a) **'Maculatum Novum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: de Loose (pre 1852), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Maculatum Novum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Maculatum Punctatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Verschaffelt (1861), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with carmine red stripes. Indian

(r) **'Maculatum Purpureum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish rose, purple spotted. Syn: 'Chancellor' (Waterer)

(r) **'Maculatum Roseum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1875), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose

(r) **'Maculatum Rubrum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose with darker markings (Veitch (1867), Waterer & Godfrey (1867)); a rather different plant with much darker fls was in cultivation under this name in the UK by the 1930s

(a) **'Maculatum Semi Duplex'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Smith (pre 1849), N: Smith, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Maculatum Semi Duplex'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Knight (pre 1849), N: Knight, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Listed in the same Jacob-Makoy cat. as Smith's 'Maculatum Semi Duplex')

(r) **'Maculatum Splendidum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as a *catawbiense* form or hybrid L: A. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Maculatum Superbum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Knight & Perry (pre 1849), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Maculatum Superbum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1877), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose, with carmine spots. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Maculosissimum'** cv. Parentage unknown I: J. Standish (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls spotted all over with little dots and streaks of blackish purple on a pale blush lilac ground. FCC 1860

(r) **'Mad about Max'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Midsummer' (s) × 'Hypermax' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls strong purplish red (67A) and moderate purplish red (64A) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (65D) edged strong purplish red (67A) and vivid purplish red (67B), with a brilliant greenish yellow (1A) flare and vivid yellow-green (154A) spots on three dorsal lobes; anthers dark red (187A). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Madah Jean'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from open-pollinated 'Marinus Koster' H: P. Newberry (1962), G: P. Newberry (1970), N: E. Philp, I: E. Philp, REG: E. Philp (1986) Fls 12-14/truss, open funnel-shaped, 140mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, rose red (724/3) in bud, opening phlox pink (625/3), edges and outside rose bengal (25/1); spotted indian lake (826/2) on dorsal lobe. Calyx 20mm long, yellowish green (763/1). Lvs lanceolate, 225 × 90mm, moderate olive green. Shrub 2.2 × 2.9m in 13 years. Mid May

(r) **'Madam Barton'** (Syn. of 'Baron von Kröser')

(r) **'Madame Abel'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. de Cock (1872), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Madame A. Cachet'** (Syn. of 'Madame Cochet')

(a) **'Madame Adelbert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with rounded lobes, snow white, with saffron yellow spots in the centre. Indian

(a) **'Madame A. de Smet'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: G. Paul (c 1900), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large trusses, white, the dorsal lobe stained with lemon yellow. AM 1900 (Sometimes seen in error as 'Madame A.M. Smit')

(a) **'Madame A. de Smet'** cv. Evergreen azalea: derived from 'Hexe' I: A. Steyaert (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rose. Indian

(a) **'Madame A. de Warelles'** (Syn. of 'Madame Arthur de Warelles')

(a) **'Madame Adolphe d'Haene'** (Syn. of 'Adolphe d'Haene')

(a) **'Madame Adolphe d'Haene'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. de Kneef (1886), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, large, pure white. Indian (Another plant grown under this name is here treated as 'Adolphe d'Haene')

(a) **'Madame Ad. Stelzner'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Stelzner (pre 1870), N: Stelzner, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Madame Ad. van Hecke'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Professeur Wolters' × 'Hexe' I: A. van Hecke (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, double, orange, 'Hexe'-shaped. Indian

(a) **'Madame A. Koster'** (Syn. of 'Madame Anthony Koster')

(a) **'Madame Albert Gorr'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1880), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white with carmine red dots and stripes. Indian (L. van Houtte cat., 1894 lists it as 'Madame Albert Goor'; the spelling 'Madame Albert Garr' used in the 1958 Register is considered to be an error)

(r) **'Madame Albert Moser'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Moser & Son (pre 1903), N: Moser & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 21/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 75mm, with wavy-edged lobes, mauve (633) in bud, opening mauve (633/2) fading to white at base, heavily spotted buttercup yellow (5/1) on dorsal lobe. Lvs 150 × 50mm, dark glossy green. Large shrub. *AM 1954 Syn: 'Madame A. Moser'

(a) **'Madame Albert van Hecke'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Willy' × unknown R: A. van Hecke (1960), N: A. van Hecke Fls light pink. Kaempferi

(a) **'Madame Alexander Hardy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, bright rosy orange with a big amaranth purple blotch on 3 dorsal lobes. Indian (Not in trade since 1890)

(a) **'Madame Alexander Hardy'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. Hellebuyck, I: L. van Houtte (c 1873), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, edged violet red, with a pale straw yellow blotch. Ghent

(a) **'Madame Alexander van Langenhove'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, broadly flaked (like a carnation), barred and speckled bright rose, shading to deep red and with a green blotch. Indian

(a) **'Madame Alfred Chaber'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1887), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, single, bright cherry rose, with a very dark carmine red blotch. Indian

(a) **'Madame Alfred de Man'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1874), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, double, resembling 'Doctor D. Moore' but is a more regular double. Indian

(a) **'Madame Alfred Sander'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, dark red. Syn: 'Mademoiselle Sanders'. Indian

(a) **'Madame Alphonse Pericat'** (Syn. of 'Madame Pericat')

(a) **'Madame Ambroise Verschaffelt'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Alexandre II' R: A. Verschaffelt, N: A. Verschaffelt, I: A. Verschaffelt (1861), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose, edged white (L. van Houtte, 1870); salmon irregularly flaked lake, thickly spotted (J. Veitch & Sons, 1867); soft violet rose, edge white, flaked and striped crimson (Rollisson, 1877). Syn: 'Gloire d'Arras'. Indian

(r) **'Madame A. Moser'** (Syn. of 'Madame Albert Moser')

(a) **'Madame A.M. Smit'** (An error for 'Madame A. de Smet')

(r) **'Madame Anthony Kluis'** cv. Parentage unknown R: A. Kluis, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure yellow

(a) **'Madame Anthony Koster'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, light orange, tinged pink at margins, with a bronze blotch. AM 1907. Mollis (Sometimes listed as 'Madame A. Koster'; possibly also the plant given as 'M. Koster')

(a) **'Madame Armand de Meulenaere'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. de Kneef (1893), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Madame Armand Haerens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rose, with a red edge. Indian

(a) **'Madame Arthur de Warelles'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, moderate orange. FCC 1879 Syn: 'Madame A. de Warelles', 'Mr Arthur de Warelles', 'Monsieur Arthur de Warelles', 'Mrs Arthur de Warelles' 'Arthur de Warelles', 'Madame Ad. Stelzner'. Mollis (Previously listed as 'Arthur de Warrelles'; form and spelling used here adopted by L. van Houtte in 1870 and later catalogues)

(a) **'Madame Arthur Steyaert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum* × *molle* I: A. Steyaert (1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pure white. Indian

(r) **'Madame A. Stelzner'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Stelzner (pre 1870), N: Stelzner, INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed in addition to the azalea)

(a) **'Madame Auguste Haerens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rose. Lvs dark, brownish. Indian

(a) **'Madame Auguste Haerens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Avenir' I: A. Haerens & Sons (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, 100-120mm wide, deep pink (52C), edged white; otherwise similar to parent. Early. Indian

(a) **'Madame Auguste Haerens Alba'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Madame Auguste Haerens' I: A. Haerens (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pure white; otherwise similar to parent. Syn: 'Avenir Albus', 'Haeren's Alba'. Indian

(a) **'Madame Auguste Haerens Alba Rosea'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Madame Auguste Haerens' I: R. Haerens (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white, with slightly pink inner surfaces; otherwise similar to parent. Indian

(a) **'Madame Auguste Lemoinier'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Madame J.E. Planchon' I: L. van Houtte (1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, single, pale rose with white blotches and carmine red stripes, and with deep carmine on the dorsal lobes. Indian

(a) **'Madame Auguste Mestdagh'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Madame Petrick' I: A. Mestdagh (1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, strong purplish pink (63C), with a light purplish pink (62C), almost white, edge; otherwise similar to parent. Syn: 'Madame Mestdagh'. Indian

(a) **'Madame Auguste Moreux'** (Syn. of 'Docteur Bergmann Saumoneus')

(r) **'Madame Auguste Pellerin'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Moser & Son (1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fle pink, with a white centre (Moser, 1909). Syn: 'Madame Pellerin'

(a) **'Madame Auguste van Damme'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Madame Petrick' I: A. van Damme (1915), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double to semi-double, strong purplish pink (67D), edged white; otherwise similar to parent. Syn: 'Madame van Damme', 'Van Damme'. Indian

(a) **'Madame Auguste van Geert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Elfride' I: J. Vervaene (1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, carmine red with white edges and a chestnut blotch. Indian

(a) **'Madame Auguste Verschueren'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: E. de Meyer, I: A. Verschueren (1971) Fls double, moderate purplish pink (62B). Calyx normal, green. Late. Indian

(r) **'Madame A. Viger'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark violet, with a garnet purple blotch. (Listed in The Netherlands in 1938; perhaps originated with Croux)

(r) **'Madame Barré'** cv. Parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1894), INC: ICRA (1958). Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Madame Barton'** (Syn. of 'Baron de Croeser')

(r) **'Madame Bertaux'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Croux (pre 1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls brilliant red, with a brown blotch and wavy-edged lobes

(a) **'Madame Bertha Froebel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1885), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, large, flat, with rounded lobes which have slightly wavy edges, satin white with rose dots. Indian (L. van Houtte cat., 1894 and J. Vervaene cat., 1888 give it as 'Mademoiselle Bertha Froebel')

(r) **'Madame Bertin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* × unknown G: Bertin (1841), S: Bertin (1834), N: Bertin (1841), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 16-18/truss, campanulate, 50mm wide, violet rose ground, purple rose on the limb and on all the outside. Lvs large, without the white indumentum of *arboreum*. Syn: 'Madame Emil(e) Bertin' (Seed sown by Bertin, 1834)

(r) **'Madame Bertin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Hymans' × 'Concessum' R: Moser & Son (pre 1903), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large trusses, soft rose, with a pale centre

(r) **'Madame Bertin'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Bertin (pre 1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls poppy red

(a) **'Madame Bier'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Hexe' I: G.J. Bier & Sons (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep yellowish pink (46D); otherwise similar to parent. Syn: 'Diablo'. Indian

(a) **'Madame Blommaert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Pharailde Mathilde' I: Soc. An. L. van Houtte, père (1906), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pale red (like *R.* 'Pink Pearl'). Indian

(a) **'Madame Bocquet'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Croux (pre 1905), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red, with an orange centre. Mollis

(a) **'Madame Bofinger'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, large, cream white. Indian

(r) **'Madame Bosio'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale blush, finely spotted

(a) **'Madame Botelberge'** (Syn. of 'Madame G. Bottelberge')

(a) **'Madame Bourlard'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Eri' I: G.J. Bier & Sons (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, orange, strongly spotted. Early. Indian

(a) **'Madame Bovary'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown G: E. de Rothschild (1970s), S: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: Exbury Enterprises (1997), REG: E. de Rothschild (1997) Fls single, 13/truss, 59 × 79mm, with 5 rounded, overlapping, slightly fimbriate lobes, vivid reddish orange (30A) in bud, opening light orange (28C) and light orange-yellow (23C), with flushes of strong reddish orange (31A), dorsal flare vivid orange-yellow (23A); filaments and style similarly coloured, stigma green. Calyx 1mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 90 × 35mm. May. Syn: 'Dandy' (Solent Group)

(a) **'Madame Butterfly'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, very large, blood red, with a dark blotch. Indian

(a) **'Madame Butterfly'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Fedora' (s) × *mucronatum* R: Deerfield Nurseries (pre 1940), N: Deerfield Nurseries, I: Deerfield Nurseries (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 65mm wide, white, flushed lavender at edges and with chocolate/chartreuse spots. Low, spreading habit. Midseason. Kaempferi

(a) **'Madame Butterfly'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Australia (c 1984) Fls double, strong purple

(a) **'Madame Buyle'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Madame Petrick' × 'Paul Schäme' I: H. Buyle (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, deep purplish pink (67C). Calyx normal, green. Midseason. Indian

(r) **'Madame Cachet'** (Syn. of 'Madame Cochet')

(a) **'Madame Camille Thiébaut'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Moser & Son (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, large, white. Ghent

(a) **'Madame Camille van Langenhove'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, snow white, barred salmon or striped rose and carmine, or both; with green spots. Indian

(a) **'Madame Cannaert d'Aumale'** (An error for 'Madame de Cannaert d'Hamale')

(a) **'Madame Cappe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: E. van der Cruyssen (1897), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Madame Carles Enke'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Costantini (1886), INC: ICRA (1958) (Spelling requires confirmation; perhaps the same as 'Carl Enke'.)

(a) **'Madame Caroline Legrelle-d'Hanis'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: L. van Houtte (1871), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, rosy red, shaded salmon pink in centre of each lobe, spotted with orange. Mollis

(r) **'Madame Carvalho'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot) (1866), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c16/compact truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 60-70mm, mauve pink in bud, opening white, flushed mauve, with a ray of yellowish green markings. Calyx lobes 2-5mm long. Lvs elliptic to oblong-obovate, up to 100 × 40-45mm, glossy dark green above. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Syn: 'Madame Miolan Carvalho'

(a) **'Madame Cavalier'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, white. Late. Indian

(r) **'Madame Céline Mathieu'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Croux Fils (1938), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Madame Chappat'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Moser & Son (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, red, with a yellow blotch. Ghent

(r) **'Madame Charles Detriché'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Pinguet-Guindon & Fils (c 1927), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very dark red

(a) **'Madame Charles Gabert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Docteur Bergmann Saumoneus' I: Madame C. Paelinck-de Paepe (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, light purplish pink (55C); otherwise similar to 'Docteur Bergmann'. Syn: 'Ingrid Bergmann', 'Pink Bergmann'. Indian

(a) **'Madame Charles Laurent'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Moser & Son (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark rose, with a golden blotch. Ghent

(a) **'Madame Charles Mallet'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Moser & Son (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, shaded white, with an orange blotch. Ghent

(r) **'Madame Charles Mallet'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Moser & Son (pre 1894), N: Moser & Son, I: Moser & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, with a striking, large, greenish brown blotch

(a) **'Madame Charles van Eeckhaute'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1871), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, snow white. Indian

(a) **'Madame Charles Vuylsteke'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, in dense trusses, 90mm wide, rose red. Indian

(r) **'Madame Charozé'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as a *ponticum* derivative R: Charozé (pre 1874), N: Charozé, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large trusses, lilac rose. Lvs rather narrow. Tall shrub

(r) **'Madame Charron'** (Syn. of 'Goldsworth Crimson')

(r) **'Madame Chauvin'** (Syn. of 'Madame Fr. J. Chauvin')

(r) **'Madame C. Marcel'** cv. Parentage unknown L: France (1903), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls old rose

(r) **'Madame Cochet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably derived from *ponticum* and/or *catawbiense* R: Bertin (pre 1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10-22/round to broadly rounded, dense truss, 50-65mm wide, outside and margin on inside dark violet, centre white, strong yellow-green markings on the dorsal lobe. Late May-mid June. Syn: 'Madame Cachet', 'Madame A. Cachet'

(r) **'Madame Colijn'** (Syn. of 'Mevrouw P.A. Colijn')

(a) **'Madame Collumbien'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Paul Schäme' × 'Rubis de Meirelbeke' I: Fr. J. Collumbien (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double (an average of 1 stamen/fl.), deep pink (50B), with a dark blotch. Calyx normal, green. Lvs dark shiny green. Midseason. Indian

(a) **'Madame Coty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Président Coty' R: unknown (c 1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red, said to be virtually indentical to 'Benelux'. Indian

(a) **'Madame Crève'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1923), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white, striped. Indian

(a) **'Madame Crousse'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Moser & Son (pre 1894), N: Moser & Son, I: Moser & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, cinnabar red. Ghent

(a) **'Madame Cuvilier'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1896), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Perhaps an error for 'Madame Estelle Cuvelier' or 'Madame Victor Cuvelier')

(a) **'Madame Cyrille van Gele'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Madame John Haerens' I: G. van Gele & Son (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, deep pink (50B); otherwide similar to parent. Syn: 'Anton Kobisch', 'Madame van Gele', 'Madame van Gill', 'Madame Galle'. Indian

(r) **'Madame Daniel'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Barbier & Co. (1913), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink

(a) **'Madame de Bailleul'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: G. Royer (1932), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rose. Resembles 'Theodor Findeisen', but is lighter and smaller. Indian

(a) **'Madame Debene'** cv. Deciduous azalea: un-named seedling (no. Ex-5) (s) × *luteum* H: R. Kondratovičs (1978), G: R. Kondratovičs (1984), N: R. Kondratovičs (2002), I: Rhododendron Nursery "Babīte" of University of Latvia (2002), REG: R. Kondratovičs (2002) Fls single, 19/slightly domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 70 × 60mm with 5 wavy-edged lobes, yellow-green tinged red in bud, opening inside vivid yellow (15A) with strong reddish orange (32B) margins, outside vivid yellow (15A); an inconspicuous dorsal blotch of vivid orange-yellow (23A); filaments light green, anthers brown-orange; style pink-yellow, with a bright green stigma. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 165 × 50mm, wavy-edged, pointed at apex and base, matt green above, with sparse white hairs above when mature. Shrub 1.7m tall in 20 years. Late May-early June

(a) **'Madame Debille'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1898), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vermilion lacquer, with a purple-black blotch in a circumflex-mark-shape. Indian

(a) **'Madame de Blockhausen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Linden (pre 1878), N: Linden, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Madame de Bruin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Prometheus' (s) × 'Doncaster' R: M. Koster & Sons (1904), N: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cerise red, with dark brown spots on a paler ground. Lvs oblong-obovate, c110 × 35mm, dull dark green above. Shrub to 1.5m. Early

(a) **'Madame de Cannaert d'Hamale'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: D. Vervaene, N: D. Vervaene, I: D. Vervaene (1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls satin white, rarely with any stripes. Indian

(a) **'Madame de Cnydt'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Paul Schäme' × 'Pax' I: C. de Cnydt (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double (an average of 1 stamen/fl.), white. Calyx normal, green. Indian

(a) **'Madame de Ghellinck'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Etabl. Linden (pre 1884), N: Etabl. Linden, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Madame de Grève'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Cérès' (van der Cruyssen) I: E. van der Cruyssen (1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, incarnate red with white edges and a crimson red blotch at the centre. Indian

(r) **'Madame de Jouvenel'** cv. Parentage unknown L: France (1938), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Madame de Kerchove-Lippens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1882), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, white with a carmine red tint at centre of lobes, and a broad, deep carmine red blotch on 3 dorsal lobes. Indian

(a) **'Madame de la Galliserie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: F. Schneider (1863), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (See note under 'Madame Legalissier')

(r) **'Madame de Lardemelle'** cv. Parentage unknown L: France (1861), INC: ICRA (1958) (Exhibited at Metz in 1861 by Backès)

(r) **'Madame Delaunay'** cv. Parentage unknown L: France (1858), INC: ICRA (1958) (Exhibited by Fleury, 1858)

(a) **'Madame de Meulemeester'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Reinhold Ambrosius' × 'Findeisen' R: J. de Meulemeester, N: J. de Meulemeester, I: J. de Meulemeester (1959) Fls semi-double (an average 0.43 stamens/fl.), vivid purplish red (57D). Midseason. Indian

(r) **'Madame Denny'** (Syn. of 'Madame E. Deny')

(a) **'Madame de Paepe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Byland Bros (1962) Fls double, white. Indian

(a) **'Madame Desbois'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1886), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, bright rose, dorsal lobes with carmine spots. Indian

(a) **'Madame Desbordes-Valmore'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, large, 5-lobed, white, spotted and irregularly streaked salmon and rose, sometimes with solid colour sectors. Early. Indian

(a) **'Madame Dessaert'** (Syn. of 'Schäme Saumoneus')

(a) **'Madame de Waele'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'De Waele's Favorite' I: F. de Waele (1963) Fls white; otherwise similar to 'Knut Erwen'. Syn: 'Knut Albus'. Indian

(r) **'Madame Didiée'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with yellow spots. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Madame Didier'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Moser & Son, ? date Fls large, rose, tinged orange. Ghent

(a) **'Madame Docteur Ballion'** cv. Evergreen azalea: developed from 'Hexe' I: A. Steyaert (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, salmon rose. Late. Indian (This spelling is used by Scheerlinck et al. (1938), "Baillion" was used in the 1958 Register)

(a) **'Madame Docteur van Hove'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pure white. Indian

(a) **'Madame Dominique Vervaene'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably a *mucronatum* × *indicum* hybrid R: unknown, N: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 1-2/truss, 55mm wide, white but overlaid orange-red except at margins and with a conspicuous red blotch; stamens 7. Midseason. Indian (There is a second entry in the 1958 Register under this name for another Indian azalea, crediting its introduction to D. Vervaene, 1865. It is probably the same plant (fls rose, with a salmon tint, red and red-purple stripes and pure white edges))

(a) **'Madame Dominique Vervaene Sport'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls coral pink, variegated. Indian

(r) **'Madame Doumier'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably derived from *ponticum* and/or *catawbiense* R: France (pre 1976) Fls in a compact truss, lilac, inside whitish lilac, with black-red markings

(r) **'Madame Durand'** cv. Parentage unknown L: F. Jamin (c 1900), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, very slightly tinged rose

(r) **'Madame E. Deny'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Moser & Son (pre 1909), N: Moser & Son, I: Moser & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white at centre, with soft rose borders and a blotch of yellow and rust-coloured spots. Syn: 'Madame Denny'

(a) **'Madame Edm. de Meyer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: E. de Meyer (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, deep rose. Indian

(r) **'Madame Edward Denny'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson, with a black blotch

(r) **'Madame Emil Bertin'** (Also seen as 'Madame Emile Bertin'. Syn. of 'Madame Bertin')

(r) **'Madame Emile Fessart'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Croux (pre 1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, and in large trusses, rosy lilac, with an olive green throat

(a) **'Madame Emile van de Sompel'** cv. Deciduous azalea: sport from 'Theodor Findeisen' R: unknown (c 1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Said to be more-or-less indistinguishable from 'Benelux'

(a) **'Madame Emil Liebig'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Rose (1883), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, circular in outline, the lobes described as 'grown out of shape', pure white, with small scarlet red stripes and dots. Indian

(a) **'Madame Emma Eilers'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houte (1880), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine rose, with a pale carmine rose blotch on 3 dorsal lobes. Indian

(a) **'Madame Ernest Gravis'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1887), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large trusses, white, marked bright yellow on one lobe. Ghent

(a) **'Madame Ernest Saintin'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Moser & Son (pre 1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, with an orange blotch. Ghent

(a) **'Madame Estelle Cuvelier'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1880), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, white, with bright carmine red dots and lines. Indian

(a) **'Madame Eugène de Cock'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: E. de Cock (1906), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Madame Evariste de Reuse'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Madame E. de Reuse (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, red. Lvs long, wavy-edged, dark green. Indian

(a) **'Madame Félicie Eulaert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1885), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, double, purple rose, with a red-brown blotch. Indian

(r) **'Madame Ferdinand Massange de Louvrex'** (Syn. of 'Ferdinand Massange de Louvrex')

(a) **'Madame Flore'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Leopold-Astrid' I: Flore (1959) Fls deep pink (52B). Indian

(a) **'Madame F. Meirschaert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'François de Taeye' I: Cannaert (pre 1887), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine red, with white edges. Indian

(a) **'Madame Fortier'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Paillet (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose, tinged white. Ghent

(a) **'Madame François de Meyer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Madame John Haerens' (s) × 'Apollo' I: E. de Meyer (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rose. Indian

(a) **'Madame François Spae'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white. Indian

(a) **'Madame François Steyaert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1926), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, rose. Indian

(a) **'Madame François Vervaene'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Pharailde Mathilde' I: F. Vervaene (c 1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, lively rose, with a white border. Indian

(a) **'Madame Frey'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light salmon pink. Late. Indian

(r) **'Madame Fr. J. Chauvin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* hybrid R: M. Koster & Sons (1916), N: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10-12/lax truss, funnel-shaped, 65 × 80mm, deep pink in bud, opening soft pink with paler centre and wine red basal flash. Calyx irregular, pink. Lvs oblong to oblanceolate, c130 × 40mm, hairless. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. *AM 1933 Syn: 'Madame Chauvin'

(r) **'Madame Froebel'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. de Cock (1878), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Madame Furtado'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as a *catawbiense* variant or hybrid L: A. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Madame Gabert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1923), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rose, with a white edge. Indian

(a) **'Madame Galle'** (Syn. of 'Madame Cyrille van Gele')

(r) **'Madame Gaston Chandon'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose. (The 1958 Register entry for 'Madame Gustave Chandon', fls crimson, is considered to be an error)

(a) **'Madame Gaston Worth'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Moser & Son (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, salmon red, with an orange blotch. Ghent

(a) **'Madame Gau'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Madame Auguste Mestdagh' I: G. van Gele & Son (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, deep purplish pink (58D), with a light purplish pink (55C) to white edge; otherwise similar to 'Madame Petrick'. Indian

(a) **'Madame G. Bottelberge'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, deep blue-purple, with a dark blotch. Syn: 'Madame Botelberge'. Indian

(a) **'Madame Gele'** (Syn. of 'Madame Cyrille van Gele')

(r) **'Madame Gélineau'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Gélineau (pre 1882), N: Gélineau, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in spherical trusses, corolla lobes obtuse, soft lilac, the 3 dorsal lobes with fine red-brown to violet spots in lines, interrupted by eyed spots. Lvs elliptic, acute, light green, reticulate. Compact shrub

(a) **'Madame Georges Berger'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Moser & Son (pre 1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pink, with a yellow blotch. Ghent

(a) **'Madame Gerard Kint'** (Syn. of 'Mevrouw Gerard Kint')

(a) **'Madame Glover'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Etabl. Linden (1874), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in dense trusses, lobes turned out at apex and slightly wavy-edged, pure white. (There may also have been a rhododendron bearing this name (cf *Revue Horticole* for 1874, p.74))

(a) **'Madame Grève'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1923), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white striped. Indian

(r) **'Madame Guillemot'** (Syn. of 'Monsieur Guillemot')

(r) **'Madame Gustave Chandon'** (See note under 'Madame Gaston Chandon')

(r) **'Madame Gustave Croux'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Croux, N: Croux, I: Croux (1924), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft violet rose, paler in centre, with a large, nut brown blotch. Mid May

(a) **'Madame Gustave de Smet'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Madame Auguste Haerens' R: G. de Smet, N: G. de Smet, I: G. de Smet (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, edged white, a little darker than parent; otherwise similar to 'Avenir'. Indian

(a) **'Madame Gustave Guillemot'** (Syn. of 'Madame Gustave Guilmot')

(a) **'Madame Gustave Guilmot'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (c 1871), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large trusses, single, 55mm wide, bright rose, shaded blood red, spotted primrose yellow. Late. Syn: 'Madame Gustave Guillemot'. Ghent (Sometimes listed as a synonym of 'Roi des Belges' or *vice versa*, but they were listed separately by van Houtte)

(a) **'Madame Gustave Toebaert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Docteur Bergmann Saumoneus' I: G. van Gele & Son (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep pink (48B), edged strong pink (48D) with a copper-coloured sheen; otherwise similar to 'Docteur Bergmann'

(r) **Madame G. Verde Delisle Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* × 'Doncaster' R: T.H. Lowinsky, N: T.H. Lowinsky, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright deep pink. AM 1919

(a) **'Madame Hartlieb'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Ideal' I: A. Haerens & Sons (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, moderate purplish pink (66D), with a moderate purplish pink (62B) to white edge and a bright blotch; otherwise similar to 'Madame Petrick'. Early. Indian

(a) **'Madame Haussmann'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Petrick (1901), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, bright violet 'of a tender satin', with a big, dark blotch. Indian

(a) **'Madame H. Croux'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Croux, N: Croux, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, spotted

(a) **'Madame Henny'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Madame John Haerens' I: G. van Gele & Son (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls strong purplish red (58B-C); otherwise similar to parent. Indian

(a) **'Madame Henri de Vilmorin'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Moser & Son (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cream, with a citron yellow blotch. Ghent

(a) **'Madame Henri Wille'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pure white. Indian

(a) **'Madame Henry'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls double, salmon. Indian (Perhaps an error for 'Madame Henny')

(r) **'Madame Henry Simon'** cv. Parentage unknown L: France (1905), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale mauve, with a yellow blotch. (Sometimes seen as 'Madame Henri Simon')

(a) **'Madame Herbault'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Moser & Son (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, rose, with a saffron yellow blotch. Ghent

(a) **'Madame Hermann Seidel'** (Syn. of 'Frau Hermann Seidel')

(r) **'Madame Hortense Cheuvreux'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Croux (pre 1902), N: Croux, I: Croux, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy lilac, with brown spots. (Also listed in error as 'Madame Hortense Chevreuse')

(a) **'Madame Houlet'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Paillet (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pinkish white. Ghent

(r) **'Madame Hugo T. Hooftman'** cv. Parentage unknown N: H.J. Hooftman, I: H.J. Hooftman, REG: H.J. Hooftman (1965) Fls 15-17/compacttruss, solferino purple (26/1)

(r) **'Madame Ida Rubenstein'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Moser & Son (pre 1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a large conical truss, rose, with an ochre yellow blotch. Shrub of 'Pink Pearl' habit

(a) **'Madame Iris LeFebvre'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (c 1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very double, dark orange, with a broad, deep chocolate blotch, shaded violet (the violet suffusing on to lower lobes (L. van Houtte cat., 1870)). Syn: 'Iris Lefebvre'. Indian (The picture accompanying an identical description by van Houtte in *Flore des Serres* 18:63 (1869) shows a much redder flower. The 1958 Register entry under this name must be an error or be confused with another plant)

(r) **'Madame Janine Alexandre de Braye'** (An error for 'Janine Alexandre-Debray)

(a) **'Madame J. Cumont de Craecker'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1891), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, in large trusses, white, shaded flesh, with a slight yellow blotch. Ghent

(a) **'Madame Jean de Broeck'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Julius Roehrs' × 'Spit Fire' I: E. de Meyer (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright red. Indian

(a) **'Madame Jean de Kneef'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. de Kneef (1886), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, large, white. Indian

(a) **'Madame Jean de Meyer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Merveille' R: J. de Meyer, N: J. de Meyer, I: J. de Meyer (1965) Fls red, edged white; otherwise similar to parent. Indian

(r) **'Madame Jean Dupuy'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Moser & Son (pre 1909), N: Moser & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, lightly tinged flesh pink, with a greenish yellow-brown blotch

(a) **'Madame Jean Haerens'** (Syn. of 'Madame John Haerens')

(r) **'Madame Jeanne Bois'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark pink

(r) **'Madame Jeanne Frets'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Prince Camille de Rohan' × 'Bylsianum' I: C. Frets & Sons (pre 1911), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls strong pink, with dark brown to black-brown markings. Syn: 'Jeanne Frets', 'Mademoiselle Jeanne Frets'

(a) **'Madame Jeannine Joubert'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Moser & Son (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, rose, with a dark, nankeen yellow blotch. Ghent

(a) **'Madame Jean Nuytens-Verschaffelt'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. de Kneef (pre 1881), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls of perfect shape, large, with wavy-edged lobes, pure white, with a greenish blotch which soon disappears. Indian (Previously listed as introduced in 1884, but J. Veitch were already offering it in 1881)

(a) **'Madame Jean Peters'** (Syn. of 'Madame Peeters' ?)

(a) **'Madame Jean Wolhoff'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Etabl. Linden (1875), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls partly hose-in-hose, mother-of-pearl white, with carmine red stripes at edges of lobes. Indian

(a) **'Madame J.E. Planchon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1881), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, with broad lobes, white, with deep rose spots and stripes and a sulphur yellow blotch. Indian

(r) **'Madame J. Moser'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Moser & Son (pre 1897), N: Moser & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, 7-14/compact, rounded truss, 30-55mm wide, strong purplish red (67A), with slight brownish black markings. June. AM 1897 Syn: 'Madame Moser'

(a) **'Madame John Haerens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1907), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, vivid purplish red (57D). Calyx normal, green. Late. Syn: 'Madame Jean Haerens'. Indian

(a) **'Madame Jos. Calmeyn'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose. Indian

(a) **'Madame Joseph Baumann'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Baumann (c 1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon pink, centre of lobes striped white, with an orange blotch. Ghent

(r) **'Madame Joseph Boyau'** cv. Parentage unknown L: F. Jamin (c 1900), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark lilac rose, spotted black

(a) **'Madame Joseph de Kneef'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Berna Park Nurseries (1984) Fls single, white. Indian

(a) **'Madame Joseph Lefebvre'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1880), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls of good form, white, grained rose. Indian

(a) **'Madame Joseph Maenhout'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Comtesse de Kerchove' I: J. Maenhout (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls strong pink (48C) to pale purplish pink (62D), with a strong red (50A) blotch. Young branches red; otherwise similar to parent. Syn: 'Madame Maenhout'. Indian

(a) **'Madame Joseph Maenhout Bont'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Madame Joseph Maenhout' R: R. Verhaege, N: R. Verhaege (1979) Fls double, deep yellowish pink, with white margins. Indian

(a) **'Madame Joseph Vervaene'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, salmon pink, streaked red, spotted bright rose at base of dorsal lobes (Award description); other sources (e. g. J. Veitch cat., 1903) indicate a white margin or (1958 Register) a darker blotch. AM 1898. Indian (More than one plant may have been involved)

(r) **'Madame Joseph Vervaene'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Vervaene (pre 1880?), N: J. Vervaene, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large, compact trusses, carmine red, with a black blotch

(a) **'Madame Joseph Vervaene Rosea'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1977) Fls double, salmon rose, with a darker throat. Syn: 'M.J. Rose'. Indian

(a) **'Madame Joseph Vervaene Rubra'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Madame Joseph Vervaene' I: J. Vervaene (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls brick red. Indian

(a) **'Madame Jules Buyssens'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, orange. Midsummer. Mollis

(a) **'Madame Jules Claretie'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Moser & Son (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale carmine, with a canary yellow blotch. Ghent

(a) **'Madame Jules de Cock'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with red stripes and spots. Indian

(r) **'Madame Jules Fontaine'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Barbier & Co. (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light blue, edges darker, with yellow-green spots

(a) **'Madame Jules Grisard'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, in large trusses, white, slightly tinted with rose. Ghent (Much later van Houtte listings (1930) describe it as double-flowered)

(r) **'Madame Jules Porgès'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Moser & Son (pre 1902), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, pale mauve with a golden blotch on 3 dorsal lobes. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. Syn: 'Jules Porgues'

(r) **'Madame Juliette Porcher'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid R: van Acker (pre 1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft rose, edged bright rose

(a) **'Madame J. Wolf'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Rose (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, double, snow white, with some red stripes. Indian

(a) **'Madame Karel Wille'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, sometimes double, with wavy-edged lobes, rose. Indian

(r) **'Madame Knutz'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1994)

(a) **'Madame Koningk'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white, edged purple. Indian (Perhaps correctly 'Madame Coninck')

(a) **'Madame Kotzmann'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Apollo' (of Schulz) (s) × 'Madame Petrick' I: P.B. van Acker (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, dark red. Indian

(a) **'Madame Krelage'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, bright rose (higher tint than that of 'Mémoire de Louis van Houtte'). Indian

(a) **'Madame la Baronne de Puynode'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, white, slightly striped, but dotted all over with incarnate red. Indian

(a) **'Madame Labrousse'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1885), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, wine red, with no spots. Indian

(a) **'Madame Laforcade'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Croux (pre 1905), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft rose, with a yellow blotch. Mollis

(a) **'Madame la Générale Hartung'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Moser & Son (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls china rose, with a straw yellow blotch. Ghent

(r) **'Madame Laurent'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Barbier & Co. (1913), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Madame la Vicomtesse Obert de Thieusier'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1893), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, purplish carmine with a vermilion blotch. Indian

(a) **'Madame Legalissier'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose. Indian (Probably an error for 'Madame de la Galliserie' (or *vice versa*))

(r) **'Madame Legrelle d'Hanis'** cv. Parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (pre 1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Madame Lemkes'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Julius Roehrs' I: M. Knockaert (1944), INC: ICRA (1958) Fl strong purplish red (58B); otherwise similar to parent. Indian

(a) **'Madame Lemoinier'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1894), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Madame Leon Maenhout'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: E. van der Cruyssen, N: E. van der Cruyssen, I: E. van der Cruyssen (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep crimson with bright rose, spotted black. Indian

(a) **'Madame Leon Moreux'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Docteur Bergmann Saumoneus' I: G. van Gele & Son (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep pink (47D), edged moderate pink (52D); otherwise similar to 'Docteur Bergmann'. Indian

(a) **'Madame Leopold van Acker'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Madame Petrick' × 'Spit Fire' I: L. van Acker (1923) Fls double, dark rose. Indian

(r) **'Madame Linden'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Etabl. Linden (1873), N: Etabl. Linden, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish violet, with a blood red blotch

(a) **'Madame Lommel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Fritz Seidel' (s) × 'Anna Gunkel' I: P.B. van Acker (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white, with a greenish tinge. Indian

(az) **'Madame Loth'** cv. Azaleodendron: *racemosum* (s) × Kurume azalea R: W. Hardijzer, I: Fa. J. van Gelderen, REG: Fa. J. van Gelderen (1964) Fls 2-3 in each of 8-12 lateral trusses (making a compact terminal head), funnel-shaped, nearly 25mm long, persian rose (628/2); stamens 8-10

(a) **'Madame Louise de Kerchove'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1873), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls flesh-coloured, flaked orange, banded white and with a maroon blotch. Indian

(a) **'Madame Louis Eeckhaute'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Princesse Louise' × 'Charmer' I: L. Eeckhaute (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, double, rose. Indian

(a) **'Madame Louis van Houtte'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Madame Joseph Lefebvre' R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, deep pink, with red stripes and white edges, centre shaded bright purple, dorsal lobes with dark red spots. Late. Indian (An earlier plant listed by van Houtte (1870) had been raised by van der Cruyssen, but the whole stock failed)

(r) **'Madame Louis van Houtte'** cv. Parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte (pre 1880), N: L. van Houtte, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose on lobe edges, centre white slightly tinted flesh; dorsal lobes with a dark blood red blotch on a white ground, tinged orange, and divided in two by a white band. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Madame Louis Vervaene'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. Vervaene (1893), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pure white with flesh pink rose stripes and dots. Indian

(a) **'Madame L. Thelier'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Moser & Son (1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft rose, with an orange blotch. Ghent

(r) **'Madame Lucas'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Lucas (pre 1870), N: Lucas, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson, tinged chestnut. Dwarf shrub. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Madame Lucien de Cock'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Paul Schäme' × 'Rubis de Meirelbeke' R: Fr. J. Collumbien, N: Fr. J. Collumbien, I: Fr. J. Collumbien (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, vivid purplish red (57D). Calyx normal, green. Indian

(a) **'Madame Mab Chalon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Glacier' × 'Tama-giku' (s) × 'Getsutoku' H: R.D. Gartrell (1962), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell (1973), REG: R.D. Gartrell (1985) Fls single, 1(-2)/bud, 65 × 90mm, broadly funnel-shaped, 5-6-lobed, pale tints of deep pink (48D) to pale purplish pink (55D), throat pale yellowish pink (159D), some striping and sectoring of strong pink (48C to 52D); spots moderate orange-yellow (165C) to strong purplish red (61B) over markings; lobes frilled. Calyx 6mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Spring lvs elliptic to narrowly obovate, 36 × 17mm. Shrub up to 1.0m. (Robin Hill azalea no. T16-7)

(a) **'Madame Maenhout'** (Syn. of 'Madame Joseph Maenhout')

(a) **'Madame Malibran'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1871), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in very large trusses, medium-sized, soft rose passing to creamy white, spotted golden yellow. Ghent

(a) **'Madame Marcel de Paepe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Eri' I: M. de Paepe (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white; otherwise similar to 'Paul Schäme'. Syn: 'White Schäme'. Indian

(r) **'Madame Marchand'** cv. Parentage unknown L: G. Morlet (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) (Published in *Horticulture Français*, 1854:107-111)

(a) **'Madame Margottin'** (Syn. of 'Louise Margottin')

(a) **'Madame Marie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Eclaireur' × 'Paul Schäme' I: R. van Oost (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, light rose. Indian

(r) **'Madame Marie Deschamps'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1903), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, white, tinged pink, with a blackish blotch. (Grown in France in early 20th century)

(r) **'Madame Marie de Speransky'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Moser & Son (pre 1909), N: Moser & Son, I: Moser & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy salmon, shaded white, with a red blotch. (Has been listed incorrectly as 'Madame Marie de Sperangsky')

(a) **'Madame Marie Lefebvre'** (See note under 'Mademoiselle Marie Lefebvre')

(a) **'Madame Marie Louise'** (Syn. of 'Marie-Louise')

(a) **'Madame Marie Rosseel'** (See note under 'Mademoiselle Marie Rosseel')

(a) **'Madame Martin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Guy de Meulemeester' × 'Willem van Oranje' R: M. de Meulemeester, N: M. de Meulemeester, I: M. de Meulemeester (1980) Fls double, lobes strongly waved, deep yellowish pink (43C) to deep pink (50B). Calyx normal, green. Indian

(r) **'Madame Masson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense*(s) × *ponticum* R: Bertin, N: Bertin, I: Bertin (1849), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a yellow blotch. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Syn: 'Mademoiselle Masson' (Sometimes seen as 'Madame Mason' but 19th century sources (eg *Revue Horticole Belgique* for 1878, p.192) uses the spelling adopted here)

(a) **'Madame Maurice de Bruycker'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Pink Pearl' I: M. de Bruycker (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep salmon. Indian

(a) **'Madame Maurice D'Haerens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Madame de Meulemeester' I: M. D'Haerens (1975) Fls vivid red (52A); otherwise similar to parent. Indian

(a) **'Madame Maxime Barbier'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Moser & Son (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright old rose, with a canary yellow blotch. Ghent (Listed in the 1958 Register in error as 'Madame Maxime Barbler')

(a) **'Madame Max Singer'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1887), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, in large trusses, white, shaded pale flesh, with a golden yellow blotch. Ghent

(a) **'Madame Mayer'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright red. Mollis

(a) **'Madame M. de Ghellinck de Walle'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Striatum Formosissimum' I: Etabl. Linden (1876), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, salmon with white edges. Indian

(a) **'Madame Memoria Sander'** (Syn. of 'Memoria Sander')

(a) **'Madame Mendel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Etabl. Linden (1873), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls flesh-coloured, with broad, snow white edges. Indian

(r) **'Madame Menduc'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls french white, shaded light purple, spotted reddish brown and yellow. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Madame Mesman van der Loo'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Gebr Kersbergen, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls saffron yellow flushed apricot

(a) **'Madame Mestdagh'** (Syn. of 'Madame Auguste Mestdagh')

(a) **'Madame Michel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Delmotte (1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with red stripes. Indian

(a) **'Madame Miellez'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: de Marcq (pre 1853), N: de Marcq, I: Miellez (1857), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with violet stripes and flakes. Indian

(a) **'Madame Millaut'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1898), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, carmine rose with a glossy sheen and a purple blotch with blue-tinted edges. Indian

(a) **'Madame Mina van Houtte'** (Syn. of 'Mina van Houtte')

(r) **'Madame Miolan Carvalho'** (Syn. of 'Madame Carvalho')

(a) **'Madame Montefiore Levi-Bischofsheim'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1889), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, single, wine red. Indian (Also seen as 'Madame Montefiore Livi-Bischoffsheim')

(a) **'Madame Moreau'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Suzanne Moreux' I: L. Moreau (1975) Fls light purplish pink (65B); otherwise similar to 'Madame Petrick'. Indian

(a) **'Madame Moreux'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Impératrice des Indes' I: Moreux (1898), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, bright rose pink, with a white edge and wavy lobes. Indian

(a) **'Madame Moreux Alba'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1955), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as a parent of 'Kikaku')

(a) **'Madame Morlot'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Paillet (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, slightly tinged rose. Ghent

(a) **'Madame Moser'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Moser & Son (pre 1896), N: Moser & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, deep pink, with white stripes and a conspicuous yellow blotch. Midseason. Ghent

(r) **'Madame Moser'** (Syn. of 'Madame J. Moser')

(r) **'Madame Nauen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campanulatum* hybrid L: Germany (1872), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Madame Néjedly'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Johannes Vermeer' × 'Britannia' R: Fa. M. Koster, N: Fa. M. Koster, REG: Fa. M. Koster (1964) Fls 9/compact truss, c75mm long, outside deep purplish pink (61D), somewhat paler inside and with darker spotting on the dorsal lobe. Lvs rather broad, with slightly undulate margins

(r) **'Madame Nobert'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Backès (1861), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Madame Oktaaf Gillis'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Eclaireur' I: O. Gillis (1959) Fls deep yellowish pink (46D); otherwise similar to parent. Indian

(r) **Madame Omei Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *oreodoxa* (s) × *forrestii* Repens Group R: D.G. Hobbie (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 6-8/truss, deep rose

(r) **'Madame Oscar Lamarche'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a yellow blotch

(r) **'Madame P.A. Colijn'** (Syn. of 'Mevrouw P.A. Colijn')

(a) **'Madame Papi'** (Syn. of 'Snowwhite')

(a) **'Madame Paul de Schryver'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose lilac, the heart of the flower sometimes arranged pantile-like as in some double camellia flowers. FCC 1873. Indian

(a) **'Madame Paul Gervais'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Moser & Son (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine, with an orange blotch. Ghent

(a) **'Madame Pauline Volker'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Rose (1883), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cherry red, with rosy shadows along the white edges of the lobes. Indian

(a) **'Madame P.B. van Acker'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Madame Petrick' × 'Spit Fire' I: P.B. van Acker (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, strong red (51A). Calyx normal, green. Early. Syn: 'Madame van Ackers'. Indian

(a) **'Madame Peeters'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, double, salmon red. Syn: 'Jeanne Peeter', 'Jean Peeters', ? 'Madame Jean Peters'. Indian

(r) **'Madame Pele'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *hellwigii* (s) × *konori* × *leucogigas* 'Hunstein's Secret' H: G.L.S. Snell, G: R.A. Mitchell (1999), N: R.A. Mitchell, REG: R.A. Mitchell (2001) Fls 6/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 90 × 100mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep red (53A) in bud, opening inside strong red (53B), outside strong red (53C); unmarked. Calyx c6mm long, strong red (53C). Lvs oblong, 140 × 70mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and deep yellowish green (141B) above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.6m in 10 years. Mid January

(r) **'Madame Pellerin'** (Syn. of 'Madame Auguste Pellerin')

(r) **'Madame Penco'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, finely spotted

(a) **'Madame Pépin'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Paillet (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft rose, flamed violet. Ghent

(a) **'Madame Pericat'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Pericat, N: A. Pericat, I: A. Pericat (c 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls (with up to 3 corollas one inside the other) hose-in-hose, 45-65mm wide, light pink shaded lavender, with a greenish throat. Resembles 'Dawn'. Syn: 'Madame Alphonse Pericat'. Pericat

(a) **'Madame Pericat Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Madame Pericat' R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls hose-in-hose, deep pink. Pericat

(a) **'Madame Perrin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: France (1871), INC: ICRA (1958) (Cultivated by Keteleer (Sceaux, France) cf *Revue Horticole*, 1871, p.472)

(a) **'Madame Petrick'** cv. Evergreen azalea: possibly derived from 'Deutsche Perle' × 'Sigismond Rücker' R: S. Mardner (c 1880), N: C. Petrick (1901), I: C. Petrick (1901), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double (with a small central rosette of petals), 90mm wide, vivid purplish red (57D). Calyx green. Very early flowering. Indian

(a) **'Madame Petrick Alba'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Madame Petrick' R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. Indian

(a) **'Madame Petrick Superba'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Madame Petrick' N: Soc Ann.Hort. de Mont-Saint-Amand (1913), I: Soc.Ann.Hort. de Mont-Saint-Amand (1913), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls smaller than parent, deep rose pink, with an irregular white margin. Early. Syn: 'Petrick Superba'. Indian (Some sources describe a white 'flame' rather than a white margin)

(a) **'Madame Petrique'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Huntingdale Nursery (pre 1977) Fls semi-double, dark cerise red, with wavy-edged lobes. Indian (Listed by this and other Australian nurseries in addition to 'Madame Petrick', but it seems more likely they are one and the same thing)

(r) **'Madame Philippe de Vilmorin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Météore' × 'Duchesse de Dino' R: Moser & Son (c 1895), N: Moser & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Very late flowering. *Revue Horticole* (1930-31, p.292) gives parentage as 'E. Raud' [? = 'Edward S. Rand'] × a dark red, large-flowered plant and the following description: fls in domed trusses, dark lacquer red, with a greenish yellow blotch; petioles reddish. (The 'Météore' parent should perhaps be 'Meteor')

(r) **'Madame Picouline'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* × *ferrugineum* R: A. Verschaffelt (pre 1864), N: A. Verschaffelt, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with blackish markings on all lobes. (Sometimes listed in error as 'Madame Piccouline')

(a) **'Madame Pierre Thiébaut'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Moser & Son (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very double, white. Ghent

(r) **'Madame Pierrette Forestier'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Moser & Son (c 1905), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light mauve on a white ground

(a) **'Madame Podevin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Lesèble, I: Thibaut & Keteleer (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, soft salmon pink, striped and flamed red, edged white

(a) **'Madame Poelman'** cv. Evergreen azalea: thought to be a cutting off a "witches broom" I: Poelman & Son (1967) Fls double, red. Calyx normal, green. Early. Indian

(r) **'Madame Pompidou'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T. Kordus, N: T. Kordus, I: T. Kordus (1971), REG: ICRA (1971) Fls 28/truss, large, salmon pink. Lvs dark green

(a) **'Madame President'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid, see *The Azalean* 4(1): 2-3 (1982) for notes on parentage R: W.D. Smith (pre 1982), N: W.D. Smith Fls 75mm wide, white, with a strong yellow blotch

(r) **'Madame Questel'** cv. Parentage unknown L: G. Morlet (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) (Published in *Horticulture Français*, 1854: 107-111)

(a) **'Madame Raphael de Smet'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Mademoiselle Caroline de Schryver' I: J. de Kneef (1886), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, single, orange rose, striped lacquer red, and with a bright purple blotch which covers half the flower; lobes with broad, white edges. Indian

(a) **'Madame Rattier'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Moser & Son (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, shaded rose, with a pale yellow blotch. Ghent

(a) **'Madame Raymond Haerens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple, with white edges, striped. Indian

(a) **'Madame René van Oost'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: R. van Oost (1965) Fls hose-in-hose, 45mm wide, vivid purplish red (57B-C). Calyx coloured as corolla. Syn: 'Madame van Oost'. Indian

(a) **'Madame Rhatert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Petrick (1900), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, soft rose. Resembles 'Helen Theleman'. Indian

(r) **'Madame Robineau'** cv. Parentage unknown L: A. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white

(a) **'Madame Roger de Meyer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Paul Schäme' × 'Vervaeneanum Roseum' I: R. de Meyer (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white. Calyx normal, green. Early. Indian

(a) **'Madame Roggeman'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Comtesse de Kerchove' R: van Houtte (pre 1966) Fls white to strong yellowish pink (43D), with deep yellowish pink (39B) edges; otherwise similar to parent. Syn: 'Leopold Liliane'. Indian

(a) **'Madame Romain de Smet'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Eborinum Plenum' N: J. Vervaene, I: J. Vervaene (1891), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, salmon rose, tinted purple, with a snow white edge and marked salmon rose. Early. Indian

(a) **'Madame Romain de Smet Superba'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Eborinum Plenum' I: L. de Smet-Duvivier (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls a deeper rose than in parent. Indian

(r) **'Madame Rosenthal'** cv. Parentage unknown R: L. Leroy, N: L. Leroy, I: L. Leroy (1877), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear pink. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Madame Royer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1911), N: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as a parent of 'Avenir')

(r) **'Madame Rudolphe Abel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from 'Prince Camille de Rohan' R: Verschaffelt (pre 1874), N: Verschaffelt, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Madame Scarlet'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet

(r) **'Madame Sommier'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Croux (pre 1928), N: Croux, I: Croux, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark lilac blue, with green spots on a yellow ground

(r) **'Madame Sontag'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, shaded pink at edges

(r) **'Madame Sophie Bosse'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C.J.H. Walther (pre 1870), N: C.J.H. Walther, INC: ICRA (1958). Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Madame Spae'** (Syn. of 'Hermann Stahnke')

(r) **'Madame Sydenham'** cv. Parentage unknown L: G. Morlet (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) (Published in *Horticulture Français*, 1854:107-111)

(a) **'Madame Tavernier'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Moser & Son (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, tinged rose, with a strong, yellow blotch. Ghent

(a) **'Madame Theo Captain'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, carmine rose. Indian

(a) **'Madame Thomain'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Paillet (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. Ghent

(r) **'Madame Titian'** cv. Parentage unknown L: W.H. Rogers (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy crimson. (Perhaps a corruption of 'Madame Titiens')

(r) **'Madame Titiens'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rose, spotted. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Madame Tristan'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Barbier & Co. (1913), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, with a black blotch

(a) **'Madame Troch'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Inga' (Harmsen) R: E. Troch (pre 1998), N: E. Troch Fls white

(a) **'Madame van Ackers'** (Syn. of 'Madame P.B. van Acker')

(a) **'Madame van Damme'** (Syn. of 'Madame Auguste van Damme')

(a) **'Madame van der Cruyssen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: E. van der Cruyssen, N: E. van der Cruyssen, I: E. van der Cruyssen (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single or semi-double, strong purplish pink (67D), the lobes with bright red, wavy edges and a darker blotch. Late. FCC 1869 Syn: 'Van der Cruyssen'. Indian

(r) **'Madame van de Weyer'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (c 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy crimson. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Madame van Gill'** (Syn. of 'Madame Cyrille van Gele'; also seen as 'Madame van Gele')

(a) **'Madame van Houtte'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, white with many rose stripes and a greenish blotch. Indian

(r) **'Madame van Houtte'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958). Hardy Hybrid (Perhaps the same plant listed as 'Madame Louis van Houtte')

(a) **'Madame van Oost'** (Syn. of 'Madame René van Oost')

(a) **'Madame van Wassenhove'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1887), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, single, bright incarnate red with a broad, pure white edge, a few dark stripes and a dark carmine red blotch. Indian

(a) **'Madame Vermeersch'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Vermeersch & Baerdemaeker (1898), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white. Indian

(a) **'Madame Verschaffelt'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Verschaffelt (1861), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, diluted with very deep rose, each lobe striped with crimson, the dorsal lobe crimson at the base with dull, blackish blotches; lobe margins wavy, white (Verschaffelt, 1861); fls violet rose, edged white (E. André, 1864); fls large, flesh pink, almost white at edges, veined rose in centre, dorsal lobe darker and spotted vinous red, lobes slightly wavy-edged (*Revue Horticole*, 1872). Indian

(a) **'Madame Victor Bart'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Moser & Son (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with a brown blotch. Ghent

(a) **'Madame Victor Cuvelier'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, single, lively vermilion rose, surrounded by a broad, pure white edge, and with a dark carmine blotch. Indian

(a) **'Madame Victor de Wilde'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, pale rose (colour is paler than that of 'Julius Roehrs'). Indian

(a) **'Madame Victor Savart'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1889), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, white with cherry red and rose stripes, dotted and grained in same tint as the stripes, and with a pale green blotch. Indian

(r) **'Madame Victor Sharron'** (Syn. of 'Goldsworth Crimson')

(a) **'Madame Vilmorin'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Paillet (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine rose, lined with white. Ghent

(a) **'Madame Wagner'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Verschaffelt (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, rose, with carmine red in the middle. Indian

(r) **'Madame Wagner'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* hybrid R: A. Verschaffelt (1856), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 9-19/compact truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 60mm, vivid rose pink, paling to a more-or-less white centre. Calyx lobes up to 10mm long, white. Lvs narrowly elliptic, c100 × 27mm, dull, dark green above, with a very thin brown indumentum below. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Late April-early May

(r) **'Madame Walters'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Barbier & Co. (1913), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pinkish white

(a) **'Madame Wartel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Soc. An. Hort Gantoise (1913), INC: ICRA (1958) Similar to 'Deutsche Perle' but with a very soft rose colour. Indian

(a) **'Madame Weigt'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Weigt (pre 1868), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Madame Wibier'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Madame Petrick' I: G. Wibier (1929), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale purplish pink (62D), with no blotch; otherwise similar to parent. Indian

(a) **'Madame Wolf'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Rose (pre 1895), N: J. Rose Fls double, white with deep red stripes and spots. Indian

(r) **'Madame Yvonne Delehelle'** (Syn. of 'Yvonne Delehelle')

(a) **'Madam Greeley'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls 25mm wide, white, with green flecks in the throat

(a) **'Madcap'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Bridal Veil' (s) × 'Azuma-no-hana' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, 50mm wide, white, flaked and striped (but not sanded) eugenia red (moderate red (180B)), with a yellow undertone throughout. Broad, spreading shrub to 1.5m. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **Maddchart Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *maddenii* (s) × *yunnanense* Hormophorum Group R: E.J.P. Magor (1921), N: E.J.P. Magor, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls open very pale lilac and later become white

(a) **'Madeira'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Osakazuki' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, funnel-shaped, c75mm wide, between deep rose pink and rose, with a showy blotch of tyrian rose spots; anthers brown, filaments tyrian rose. Shrub to 2.2m. Late April. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Madeleine'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Paillet (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac rose. Ghent

(a) **'Madeleine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Turner (1879), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, white. Late. FCC 1879. Indian (Originated in Ghent)

(a) **'Madeleine'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild

(1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink, with a yellow blotch. Knap Hill

(r) **'Madeleine'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Byls (pre 1868), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls amaranth, with a dark sheen

(r) **Madeline Group** gp Parentage unknown R: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1935), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Mademoiselle Albonii'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as a *ponticum* form or hybrid L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white

(a) **'Mademoiselle Alice Guilmot'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rose, with a vermilion blotch. Indian

(a) **'Mademoiselle Amy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ambrosianum' × 'Joan's Choice' R: S. McDonald (pre 1980), N: S. McDonald Fls hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, strong red (46A), with a slightly darker blotch. Midseason

(a) **'Mademoiselle Bertha Froebel'** (See note under 'Madame Bertha Froebel')

(a) **'Mademoiselle Bertha Vervaene'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, white with red and carmine dots, and a bright green blotch which soon pales. Syn: 'Bertha Vervaene'. Indian

(a) **'Mademoiselle Bridgette'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Loelia' × 'Ambrosianum' R: S. McDonald (pre 1980), N: S. McDonald Fls double, 90mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red, with a blotch of strong red (53C) spotting: fls of pompom form with no stamens. Midseason

(a) **'Mademoiselle Caroline de Schryver'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. de Kneef (1886), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, pure white, the lobes broad and with some rose lines. Syn: 'Caroline de Schryver'. Indian

(a) **'Mademoiselle Charlene'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Loelia' × 'Ambrosianum' R: S. McDonald (pre 1980), N: S. McDonald Fls double, 70mm wide, strong purplish red (58C), with a deep red blotch. Midseason

(a) **'Mademoiselle Clem. Ville'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white, with a regular rose tint at centre of each lobe and an amaranth blotch. Indian

(a) **'Mademoiselle de Lonchamps'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Paillet (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-yellow. Ghent

(a) **'Mademoiselle Elvire Haentjens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haentjens (1906), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Mademoiselle Emilie Lefebvre'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, salmon, shaded white, with a salmon red blotch. Indian

(a) **'Mademoiselle Emma Eeckhaute'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Madame Louis Eeckhaute' I: L. Eeckhaute (1898), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pale carmine red with lively carmine stripes and broad, white edges. (1958 Register; L. van Houtte cat., 1899, indicates a white centre). Indian

(a) **'Mademoiselle Estelle Cuvelier'** (Listed as having sported to give 'Mina Riva'; probably an error for 'Madame Estelle Cuvelier')

(a) **'Mademoiselle Fanny Boeye'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1879), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Mademoiselle Fernande de Puynode'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, white, with an olive green blotch. Indian

(a) **'Mademoiselle Germaine van Coppenolle'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. de Kneef (1900), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, salmon with white edges. Indian

(a) **'Mademoiselle Gertrude van Hove'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, white, with a greenish blotch. Indian

(a) **'Mademoiselle Gigi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Loelia' × 'Ambrosianum' R: S. McDonald (pre 1980), N: S. McDonald Fls double (pompom centre, no stamens), 75mm wide, strong purplish red (63B), with a purplish red blotch. Midseason

(r) **'Mademoiselle Jeanne Frets'** (Syn. of 'Madame Jeanne Frets')

(a) **'Mademoiselle Jeanne Sicre'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Moser & Son (pre 1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pinkish white. Ghent (Previously listed in error as 'Mademoiselle Jeanne Siere')

(a) **'Mademoiselle Jeanne Siere'** (See note under 'Mademoiselle Jeanne Sicre')

(a) **'Mademoiselle Jeanne Tisserand'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Moser & Son (pre 1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pink, darker at the tips. Ghent (Previously listed in error as 'Mademoiselle Jeanne Tissarand')

(a) **'Mademoiselle Juliette Lemaire'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Moser & Son (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft rose, with a yellow blotch. Ghent

(a) **'Mademoiselle Léonie van Houtte'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van

Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (c 1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, occasionally striped rose and with a sulphur blotch. Indian

(a) **'Mademoiselle Lisette'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Loelia' × 'Ambrosianum' R: S. McDonald (pre 1980), N: S. McDonald Fls double (with centre lobes folded), 75mm wide, moderate purplish pink (62B), with a purplish red blotch. Midseason

(a) **'Mademoiselle Louise Cuvelier'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Rosa Bonheur' (s) × 'Mademoiselle Marie Planchon' I: J. de Kneef (1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white, with rose flakes and stripes, and a green blotch which soon fades. Calyx normal, green. Late. Indian

(a) **'Mademoiselle Louise de Kerchove'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Comtesse Eugénie de Kerchove' R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1873), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, flesh-coloured, flaked orange, edged white, blotched maroon. Indian

(a) **'Mademoiselle Margot'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ambrosianum' × 'Joan's Choice' R: S. McDonald (pre 1980), N: S. McDonald Fls hose-in-hose, 70mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, strong red (46A). Lvs glossy

(r) **'Mademoiselle Maria Closon'** (An error for 'Mademoiselle Marie Closon')

(a) **'Mademoiselle Marie Audent'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1891), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy white, with a deep yellow blotch. Ghent

(r) **'Mademoiselle Marie Closon'** cv. Parentage unknown R: L. Jacob-Makoy (pre 1885), N: L. Jacob-Makoy, I: L. Jacob-Makoy, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, white, slightly tinted rose, with very wavy-edged lobes. (Has been listed in error as 'Mademoiselle Maria Closon')

(a) **'Mademoiselle Marie de Kneef'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. de Kneef (1886), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, large, snow white. Indian

(a) **'Mademoiselle Marie D'Hooghe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: G. D'Hooghe (1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, salmon with pure white edges. Indian

(a) **'Mademoiselle Marie D'Hooghe Rubra'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: G. D'Hooghe (1910), INC: ICRA (1958) Similar to 'Mademoiselle Marie D'Hooghe' but with brick red flowers. Indian

(r) **'Mademoiselle Marie Fortie'** (Syn. of 'Marie Fortie')

(a) **'Mademoiselle Marie Lefebvre'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Baron Edouard Osy' R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, very large, white. Indian (Probably the plant also listed as 'Madame Marie Lefebvre' (*e.g.* J. de Cock, 1870, as from van Houtte))

(a) **'Mademoiselle Marie Planchon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, pure white. Indian

(a) **'Mademoiselle Marie Rosseel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Rosseel (1879), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, very pale rose. Indian (Also seen listed as 'Madame Marie Rosseel' (L. van Houtte cat., 1894); see also note under 'Souvenir de Marie Roseel')

(a) **'Mademoiselle Marie Stockman'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1880), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, semi-double, pure satin white, with slightly wavy edges. FCC 1884. Indian (The spelling "Stockmar" is considered to be an error)

(a) **'Mademoiselle Marie van Houtte'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling of 'Baron Edouard Osy' R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, white, striped, grained and spotted with salmon rose. SCC 1872. Indian

(r) **'Mademoiselle Marie van Houtte'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a *maximum* hybrid I: L. van Houtte (pre 1879), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls flesh pink or lively rose, striped white, with a maroon dorsal blotch (J. Baumann, 1879). Syn: 'Marie van Houtte'. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Mademoiselle Marie Vervaene'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls varying from semi-double to double, white, tinted soft flesh pink; the lobes broad and rounded, striped, grained and with brush-like markings of pale rose. Indian

(a) **'Mademoiselle Marthe Lecesne'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. de Kneef (1892), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pure white with a pale green tinted blotch. Indian

(r) **'Mademoiselle Masson'** (Syn. of 'Madame Masson')

(r) **'Mademoiselle München'** cv. Parentage unknown L: France (1861), INC: ICRA (1958) (Exhibited at Metz in 1861 by Backès)

(a) **'Mademoiselle Nanette'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Loelia' × 'Ambrosianum' R: S. McDonald (pre 1980), N: S. McDonald Fls double (with no stamens), 70mm wide, vivid purplish red, with a vivid red blotch. Midseason

(a) **'Mademoiselle Natalie Fortie'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1896), N: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon orange, with a dark purple blotch. Mollis

(a) **'Mademoiselle Paula van Acker'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Madame Petrick' × 'Spit Fire' I: L. van Acker (1923), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, red. Indian

(r) **'Mademoiselle Rose Simon'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Croux Fils (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose

(a) **'Mademoiselle Sanders'** (Syn. of 'Madame Alfred Sander')

(a) **'Mademoiselle Sieber'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Croux (pre 1905), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with a yellow blotch and red veins. Mollis

(a) **'Mademoiselle Sue'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls white, flushed pink, scented. Early June

(a) **'Mademoiselle Suzanne Haerens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1907), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. Indian

(r) **'Mademoiselle Victoire Balfe'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls a fine white, spotted with brown

(r) **'Mademoiselle Wathely'** cv. Parentage unknown L: France (1858), INC: ICRA (1958) (Exhibited by Fleury)

(a) **'Mademoiselle Yvette'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Loelia' × 'Ambrosianum' R: S. McDonald (pre 1980), N: S. McDonald Fls double, 75mm wide, strong purplish red, with a deep red blotch. Midseason

(a) **'Mademoiselle Yvonne Blommaert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. de Kneef (1893), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, very pale flesh pink with a carmine red blotch and pure white edges. Indian

(r) **Madfort Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Madonna' (Gable) × *fortunei* R: J.B. Gable (pre 1972), N: J.B. Gable Fls very large, pale pink to white; scented. Lvs dark green

(r) **'Madge Bramley'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi Superlative' × *fortunei* H: A.C. Bramley, G: A.C. Bramley, N: A.C. Bramley, I: P. & C. Deen & Sons, REG: P. & C. Deen & Sons (1988) Fls 9-10/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 110mm, 7-lobed, strong purplish pink (68B), fading to centre. Lvs oblong, 170 × 70mm, hairless; petioles red. Shrub 2.0m tall. Spring

(r) **'Mad Hatter'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada', open pollinated G: S. McCulloch (1993), N: S. McCulloch, I: Briggs Nursery, REG: Briggs Nursery (1993) Fls 14-16/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 32 × 51mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds vivid purplish red (57D) at base, shading to strong purplish red (63A) at apex, opening yellowish white (155D) at centre, with vivid purplish red (61C) margins, some pale purplish pink (62D) shading near the veins and moderate orange (167A) speckles in the throat; outside light purplish pink (63D) at base, with vivid purplish red (61C) margins; colour fades with age; stamens 11-14, curved. Pedicels 19-22mm long, strong greenish yellow (153B). Lvs narrowly elliptic/elliptic, 38-140 × 13-48mm, convex, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (146B) below; petioles 13-19mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Shrub 0.25 × 0.3m in 4 years. Mid-lateApril. (Seed collected by S. McCulloch in 1989)

(r) **'Madhatter'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Madhatter')

(a) **Madison Group** gp Deciduous azalea: wild-collected *cumberlandense* × *arborescens* derivatives N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (pre 1978) (Mostly collected in North Carolina by Leach)

(a) **'Madison Flower Girl'** cv. Deciduous azalea: derived from *cumberlandense* × *arborescens* G: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (pre 1985) Fls pale pink with a gold blotch and red stamens. Mid June. Syn: 'Flower Girl' (Madison Group; originally introduced as 'Flower Girl')

(r) **'Madison Hill'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: possibly a hybrid derived from subsect. *Fortunea* H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: Scott Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister, I: Scott Arboretum, REG: Scott Arboretum (1983) Fls 15/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 100mm, 5-6-lobed, strong purplish pink (7.5RP 7/10), shading to pale purplish pink (7.5RP 9/2) in the throat, outside deep purplish pink (7.5RP 6/12); un-marked. Calyx 3mm long, light yellowish green. Lvs elliptic, 125-150 × 55-70mm, moderate yellow-green (7.5GY 5/7), hairless. Shrub c1.9m in 20 years

(r) **'Madison Snow'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *dauricum* (white fl'd) N: C.J. Wrzesinski, I: Knight Hollow Nursery (1985), REG: C.J. Wrzesinski (1987) Fls 4/flat truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 10 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, flowers and buds pure white; slightly scented. Calyx 5mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 25-32 × 14-16mm, glossy, scaly above and below. Shrub 1.4 × 0.9m in 11 years. Early May. (Grown to flowering by Wrzesinski (1977) from a cutting off an unbloomed seedling from C. Phetteplace)

(r) **'Madleen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scintillation' × 'Furnivall's Daughter' (s) × 'Oldenburg' H: H. Hachmann (1989), G: H. Hachmann (1995), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 9-11/compact, rounded truss, broadly open funnel-shaped, 55-60 × 85-90mm, with 6-7 slightly wavy-edged lobes, inside pale purplish pink (62D), tinged light purplish pink (62C) on veins; outside pale purplish pink (62D), broadly striped strong to moderate purplish pink (62A/B) on midveins; conspicuous dorsal markings of strong yellow-green (145A) and brilliant yellow-green (150A/B); stamens 12, filaments light purplish pink to very pale purple (73C/D), anthers brownish orange to moderate orange-yellow (164A/B); style pale yellow-green (149D), white hairy, stigma brilliant to light yellow-green (154C/D); ovary whitehairy. Calyx 2mm long, strong yellow-green (145A), silvery hairy. Lvs ovate, 110-130 × 65-76mm, margins slightly recurved, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, dark slightly glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 1.6 × 1.8m in 10 years. Late April-mid May. (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030650). First published in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(a) **'Madonna'** (Syn. of 'Seikai')

(a) **'Madonna'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L.L. Brooks (pre 1987), N: L.L. Brooks Fls double, white. Indian

(r) **Madonna Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* × 'Mrs Messel' R: L.C.R. Messel (pre 1931), N: L.C.R. Messel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. Hardy shrub. AM 1931

(r) **'Madonna'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* × *griersonianum* (s) × 'America' H: J.B. Gable (1941), G: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable (1953), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c15/truss, white, with a yellow throat; buds greenish white. Fls resembles those of *Lilium candidum* (the Madonna Lily). (Degram Group)

(a) **'Mado-no-tsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* I: Kyoma Yokata Nursery (pre 1976) Fls light purple

(r) **'Madras'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' (s) × 'Fanfare' H: D.G. Leach (1958), G: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1973), REG: D.G. Leach (1983) Fls 19-21/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 25 × 70mm, 5-lobed, strong red (53B), dorsal blotch dark red (187A). Calyx minute, light red. Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 120 × 50mm, moderate olive green (147A). Shrub c1.5m in 24 years. Syn: 'Bengal'

(r) **'Madrid'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: un-named Dexter hybrid (no. L-1) (s) × 'America' H: D.G. Leach (1953), G: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1973), REG: D.G. Leach (1983) Fls 12-14/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 80mm, 5-6-lobed, deep purplish pink (73A) in bud, opening moderate purplish pink (68C), soon ageing to pale purplish pink (62D); dorsal blotch moderate purplish red (64A). Calyx minute, green. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 55mm, obtuse at apex with an apiculus, cuneate to rounded at base, moderate olive green (147A), hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.8m in c10years. Syn: 'Seville'

(a) **'Madrigal'** cv. Evergreen azalea: deep salmon form of *indicum* (s) × 'Hazel Dawson' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 90mm wide, begonia rose (deep pink (50B)), almostly entirely suffused spectrum red (vivid reddish orange (42A)), with a showy blotch of heavy, amaranth purple (deep purplish red (61A)) dots. Shrub to 1.1m. Mid-late April. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Mae Knapper'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid, for notes on parentage see *The Azalean* 4 (1): 4-5 (1982) R: W.D. Smith (pre 1982), N: W.D. Smith Fls 90mm wide, lobes wavy-edged, white, with with deep yellowish pink stripes and specks. Shrub 1.2m in 7 years

(a) **'Maenhoutii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Maenhout (1860), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Maesie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lady de Rothschild' (s) × 'Noyo Chief' H: M. Lauer (1992), G: M. Lauer (2001), N: C. Love (2002), I: Love Ericaceae (2004), REG: C. Love (2002) Fls 25-27/conical truss, funnel-campanulate, 50 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53B) in bud, opening inside and out strong red (53B) at margins (c10mm wide), shading through vivid purplish red (57C-D) to pale purplish pink (56C) at base, with diffuse, strong red (53B) dorsal spots. Calyx c5mm long, light yellow (160B). Lvs elliptic, 150 × 50mm, margins downcurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 2.0m in 9 years. Early March

(r) **'Maestro'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *williamsianum* × 'Barclayi Robert Fox' R: E.G.W.W. Harrison, N: E.G.W.W. Harrison, I: E.G.W.W. Harrison, REG: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1962) Fls strong purplish red (63A) in bud, opening light purplish pink (63D), darkening in throat to strong purplish pink (63C) and flushed strong purplish red (63B). PC 1969, AM 1975

(a) **'Magaki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, white, with crimson streaks; red and light red selfs also produced. Will flower twice a year in warm conditions. Satsuki

(a) **'Magda'** cv. Evergreen azalea: a seedling, parentage unknown I: A. de Reuse (1931), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Magdalana'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C. Turner (pre 1888), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Magenta'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Green (1861), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose-coloured, with wavy-edged lobes, unspotted

(a) **'Magenta'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rose. Indian

(a) **'Magenta'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hexe' × 'Tempérance' I: L. de Smet-Duvivier (1921), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, dark purple-red. Indian

(r) **'Magenta'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as an *arboreum* form or hybrid L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Magenta Madness'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nova Zembla' (s) × *strigillosum* × 'Essex Scarlet' H: J. Looye (1987), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 14/truss, open funnel-shaped, 46 × 51mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, dark red (59A) in bud, opening to a blend of deep red (60A) and strong purplish red (60B, C); filaments and style deep red (60A); anthers moderate yellow (161B); stigma dark red (59A). Lvs 127 × 44mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.5m in 5 years. Early June

(a) **'M.A. Georges Masonais'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1885), INC:

ICRA (1958) Fls very large, semi-double, with wavy-edged lobes, bright salmon with a bright carmine red blotch. Indian

(r) **'Maggie Heywood'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1908), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, edged pink, with a yellow eye. Poor habit

(a) **'Maggie McGee'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nancy of Robinhill' (s) × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls irregular double/semi-double, 65mm wide, with rounded lobes, white, with a slight yellowish green flush. Shrub 0.75 × 0.9m. Late May. (First published in Holly Springs cat., 1990)

(a) **'Maggie Powell'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Saint James' × 'Red Slippers' R: A.J. Boike (1986), N: A.J. Boike Fls 70-90mm wide, with a wide, vivid reddish orange (44B) margin, throat light to pale pink (49C-D), deep red spotting in the throat

(r) **'Maggie Stoffel'** cv. Parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney, G: C. Schmidt, I: Mrs J. Rutherford, REG: Mrs J. Rutherford (1968) Fls 8-10/compact truss, double, campanulate, 90mm wide, pale rose with crimson brown markings. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 45mm. Shrub 1.2 × 1.0m. Mid May

(a) **'Magic'** cv. Evergreen azalea: orange-flowered form of *indicum* (s) × 'Momozono' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls irregularly hose-in-hose, 2-5/truss, 45mm wide, rose dorée (deep yellowish pink (43C)), with a tyrian rose (vivid purplish red (57B)) blotch (which appears darker because dots are confluent). Shrub to 1.5m. LateApril-early May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Magic'** cv. Deciduous azalea: Gandavense Group × unknown H: E.V. Mezitt (1964), G: E.V. Mezitt, I: Weston Nurseries (pre 1990) Fls yellow at first, maturing to orange so creating a bicolor effect

(a) **'Magic Flute'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: W.G.T. Hyde (pre 1970), G: W.G.T. Hyde, N: Mrs R.G. Legrand, I: Linwood Plants (1995), REG: Mrs R.G. Legrand (1995) Fls hose-in-hose, funnel-shaped, 38 × 14mm, with 10 very wavy-edged lobes and 1 petaloid, moderate purplish red (64A) in bud, opening strong purplish red (64B) inside, remaining 64A outside; dark red (59B) speckles on dorsal lobes and the petaloid. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 30 × 13mm, flat, with decurved margins, glossy green above, obtuse at base, acute at apex, hairless. Shrub 0.91 × 0.73m in 20 years. Late May

(v) **'Magic Flute'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1995) Fls in pendant trusses, long tubular, 50mm wide, white, scented. Lvs rounded. Shrub to 1.5m tall

(a) **'Magic Gold'** cv. Deciduous azalea: Mollis azalea × unknown H: T. Metselaar, G: A.C.H. Metselaar (c 1980), N: T. Metselaar, I: T. Metselaar (1989), REG: Royal Boskoop Hort.Soc. (1990) Fls single, 6-8/truss, funnel-shaped, 50-60mm long, 5-lobed, brilliant yellow (21C). Calyx green. Lvs 50-80 × 30-50mm. Shrub c2.5m tall. May. (Published in *Dendroflora*, 1989. Highly rated in The Netherlands as completely disease free)

(r) **'Magician'** cv. Parentage unknown R: I. Davies (pre 1885), N: I Davies, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark crimson lilac; the centre of outside of petals white

(a) **'Magic Lily'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Mother of Pearl' × 'Mandarin' R: D. Hager (pre 1984), N: D. Hager Fls hose-in-hose, more-or-less funnel-shaped, 40-50mm wide, variegated pink and white, with a white tube. Lvs hairy. Shrub 1.0m

(r) **'Magic Moments'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *aberconwayi* or (*aberconwayi* × *yakushimanum*) H: J.G. Lofthouse (1966), G: J.G. Lofthouse, N: J.G. Lofthouse, I: J.G. Lofthouse (1978), REG: J.G. Lofthouse (1979) Fls strong purplish pink (55B) in bud, opening white (155D), with a large, deep to moderate purplish red (59B-C) dorsal blotch

(r) **'Magic Mood'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mary Belle' (s) × 'Dexter's Honeydew' H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp (1977), N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: Delp Preservation Committee (1995) Fls 9/truss, funnel-shaped, 76 × 76mm, with 6-7 very wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink (39B) and moderate red (179A) in bud, opening inside light greenish yellow (8C) and pale yellow (8D), with strong red (46A) freckling on all lobes and in the throat; outside deep yellowish pink (39B). Lvs oblong-lanceolate, 140 × 54mm. Mid May. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Magic Pink'** cv. Deciduous azalea: wild-collected, natural hybrid between *calendulaceum* and *periclymenoides* S: L.C. Towe & N. Anastos (1999), N: L.C. Towe & N. Anastos (2001), I: E. Koone III (2001), REG: L.C. Towe & N. Anastos (2001) Fls single, 5-9/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped (with a narrow tube), c40 × 40mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (73A) in bud, opening very pale purple (73D) throughout, changing to strong red (46A) after three days; unmarked. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 65 × 20mm, margins flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 0.9m in 10 years. Early May. (Wild-collected from near Toxaway Mountain, western North Carolina, USA; described by registrants as a sterile triploid)

(r) **'Magnagloss'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × unknown H: G.G. Nearing (1956), G: G.G. Nearing, N: G.G. Nearing, I: G.G. Nearing (1972), REG: G.G. Nearing (1973) Fls up to 12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 65mm, moderate purplish pink (186D), with a conspicuous blotch extending into spots of moderate red (182A). Calyx greyed

green. Lvs broadly elliptic, 75 × 40mm, glossy, moderate olive green (147A). Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 16 years

(a) **'Magnet'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: W. Barnes (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose red. Dwarf shrub. Indian

(r) **'Magnet'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1847), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy red. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Magnificat'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Disca' × 'Graf Zeppelin' H: B. & M. Shapiro (1966), G: B. & M. Shapiro, N: B. & M. Shapiro, REG: B. & M. Shapiro (1989) Fls 12-13/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 83mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63A) in bud, opening white with a 6mm wide edging of deep purplish pink (73A) and a small, brilliant yellow (11A) dorsal flare; slightly scented. Calyx small, pink. Lvs elliptic, 152 × 51-64mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 2.1m in 22 years. Late May. (Published in *J. Am. Rhod.Soc.* 42 (2): 64 (1988))

(a) **'Magnificens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Verschaffelt (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine red. Indian

(a) **'Magnificens'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large trusses, medium-sized, rose, shaded with white and spotted chrome yellow. Ghent

(a) **'Magnificent'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. Indian

(a) **'Magnificum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1826), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Listed under *"Azalea versicolor"* in 1826, in later lists just as "Azalea magnifica")

(a) **'Magnificum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Knight & Perry (pre 1845), N: Knight & Perry, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose lilac. Indian (A. Henderson & Co. (1852) listed a Smith's 'Magnificum' (fls double, purple:Indian) whilst T.Jackson & Son (1851) listed a Young's 'Magnificum' (no colours given: Indian))

(a) **'Magnificum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Rendle (pre 1849), N: Rendle, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Magnificum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: W. Rollisson & Sons (1857), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, long tubular funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, creamy white, with lower lobes reticulately veined with rose, dorsal lobe with a bright orange-brown blotch extending almost to the white edges and partly extending to lateral lobes; filaments and style rose (*Ill. Hort.*, 1858); fls delicate blush, suffused pink, dorsal lobe amber (Rollisson, 1857). Ghent (Listed under "*Azalea nudiflora*" by Rollisson in 1873)

(a) **'Magnificum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: M. Koster & Sons (1901), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls creamy yellow at first, then suffused moderate purplish red (55C), with an orange-yellow blotch. Tall shrub. Mid to late. Occidentale

(a) **'Magnificum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown, but allied to *mucronatum* L: Yokohama Nursery (1918), INC: ICRA (1958) Similar to 'Sekidera' and usually treated as synonymous. (Perhaps the white-flowered Indian azalea listed by Veitch in 1867; a single, white with a blotched throat is still grown in Australia (1980s))

(r) **'Magnificum'** cv. Parentage unknown I: J. Byls (pre 1839), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple

(r) **'Magnificum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *cinnabarinum* Roylei Group R: unknown (pre 1918), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls much larger than usual, orange-red, slightly darker outside. AM 1918 (Exhibited by G. Reuthe Ltd, 1918)

(r) **'Magnificum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1942), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson. Early. (Perhaps the same plant claimed to have been raised at Knap Hill, 1851/52: fls bright rosy scarlet)

(a) **'Magnificum Albicans'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very bright rose merging into white, with a spotted, straw yellow blotch (van Houtte, 1871). Ghent

(a) **'Magnificum Album Plenum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Fraser (1857), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Magnificum Grandiflorum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent ?

(a) **'Magnificum Incanum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Magnificum Mauve'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1985) (Listed as a parent of 'Cheryl Anne')

(a) **'Magnificum Plenum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: UK (1845), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Exhibited by W. Smith at Royal Botanic Society (UK) in 1848)

(r) **'Magnificum Purpureum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Desfossé-Thuillier Fils (1892), INC: ICRA (1958). Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Magnificum Roseum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *occidentale* hybrid R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) (Perhaps the 'Magnificans Roseum' in J. Waterer & Sons cat., 1865 or 'Magnificens Roseum' of J. Veitch & Sons cat., 1867 ("shaded pink"))

(a) **'Magnificum Roseum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Magnificum' L: Australia (1984) Fls single, rose pink; slightly scented. Shrub to 2.0m, of sprawling habit. Midseason. Syn: 'Rose Magnificum'. Indian

(a) **'Magnificum White'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: B. Chandler & Son (1984) Fls single, white, with a blotched throat. Indian

(a) **'Magniflorum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Knight (c 1843), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange scarlet red. Indian (The Knight & Perry list for c1850 lists a plant under this name but attributes it to Smith)

(a) **'Magniflorum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: F. Spae (1858), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white with salmon and a darker blotch. Indian

(r) **Magniflorum Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: 'Countess of Haddingon' (s) × *edgeworthii* I: Parker (1917), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Magniflorum Album'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: T. Jackson & Son (1851), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Magnolia Alba'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Magnolia Gardens, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 65mm wide, white. Syn: 'Magnolia White'. Indian (Probably of 19th century origin)

(a) **'Magnolia Shell Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1965) Fls light pink. Indian

(a) **'Magnolia White'** (Syn. of 'Magnolia Alba')

(r) **'Magnoliifolium'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as a *ponticum* hybrid or selection L: Whitley & Osborn (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Shrub 1.5-3.0m

(r) **'Magnoliifolium Superbum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet purple. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Magnum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* × *magnificum* R: New Zealand (pre 1984), N: New Zealand

(r) **'Magnum Bonum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1867), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in very large trusses, rosy lilac, each lobe spotted all over. (In cultivation with T. Methven, Edinburgh, 1868-69: the 1958 Register description of crimson fls appears to be an error)

(r) **'Magnum Roseum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Magog'** cv. Parentage unknown I: A.M. Williams (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet. Young foliage tinted reddish. AM 1928

(r) **'Magor'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *campylocarpum* N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (c 1983) Fls yellow. (Probably intended as a source indicator but rendered in catalogues as a cultivar epithet)

(r) **'Magor'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *augustinii* subsp. *augustinii* R: unknown (pre 1998) Fls dark lavender blue. (Cultivated in USA (The Bovees Nursery) 'for many years' (1998): probably originally a source indicator, now listed as a cultivar epithet)

(r) **'Maguise de Caun'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with light rose borders and a strong chocolate blotch

(r) **'Maharani'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Harvest Moon' (s) × Letty Edwards Group H: H. Hachmann (1964), G: H. Hachmann (1969), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1978), REG: G. Stück (1983) Fls 12-16/truss, 60 × 90mm, 5-lobed, white (155A) tinged light to pale purplish pink (62C-D), blotched dark red (59A), shading inwards to deep red (60A) on pale greenish yellow (2D) in throat. Calyx 2-3mm long, vivid to brilliant yellow-green (154A-B). Lvs elliptic-ovate, 120-160 × 60-70mm, hairless

(r) **'Mah Jong'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Chink' × *valentinianum* R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1971) Fls brilliant yellow-green (154C). PC 1971

(a) **'Mahler'** cv. Evergreen azalea: un-named seedling (s) × 'Vuyk's Rosyred' R: Vuyk van Nes, N: Vuyk van Nes, I: Vuyk van Nes (1969), REG: Vuyk van Nes (1968) Fls 2-3/compact truss, funnel-shaped, 70mm wide, near strong reddish purple (78B), tinged strong reddish purple (72B) at margins, lower lobes speckled with deep purplish red (59B). Lvs 45 × 20mm, dull, light green. Shrub c0.7m. *AM 1973, *FCC 1976. Vuykiana

(r) **'Mahmoud'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lavender pink, with a large yellow eye. Lvs matt green. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **Mahogani Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. triflorum* var. *mahogani*

(a) **'Mahogany'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: UK (1982)

(a) **'Mahogany'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: D. Hager (pre 1984), N: D. Hager Fls mahogany

(r) **'Mahogany Leaf'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' (s) × 'Pink Twins' H: M.W. Michener (1973), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 48 × 65mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (71B, C, D) and moderate purplish pink (70D) in bud, opening to a blend of strong reddish purple (70B) and deep, moderate and pale purplish pink (70C, D, 65C, D), with a white flare and sparse, light olive (152A), dorsal spots; filaments very light purple (75C); style yellowish white (155B); anthers brownish orange (164A); stigma dark red (187A). Lvs 108 ×

50mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 1.8m in 19 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer (1992))

(r) **'Mahogany Red'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *mucronulatum* R: unknown (pre 1984) Fls subdued watermelon red. Typical upright habit. (Obtained from K. Wada, via A.E. Kehr, by Rhododendron Species Foundation, c1981)

(r) **'Mahomet'** (An error for Mohamet Group)

(r) **'Mah-velous Mauve'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: (Medusa Group × 'Crest') × *wardii* (from L&S 5679) (s) × *yakushimanum* × 'Jubilant' H: R.E. Burns (1984), G: R.E. Burns (1994), N: F.E. Burns (2000), REG: F.E. Burns (2000) Fls 9/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 105mm, mauve pink in bud, opening inside moderate red (181C) at margins, shading inwards to moderate yellowish pink (173D), the throat moderate red (181A); outside moderate red (181C) at margins, shading through moderate yellowish pink (173D) to deep pink (185D) at base; moderately scented. Calyx less than 0.1mm long, strong yellow-green (145A). Lvs elliptic, 145 × 55mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, margins flat, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 2.1m in 16 years. Late May

(r) **Mai Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* (s) × *campylocarpum* H: J.B. Stevenson (1930), G: J.B. Stevenson, N: J.B. Stevenson, I: J.B. Stevenson (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cream

(r) **'Maida-Grace'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* hybrid × unknown H: B.P. McBrier (1978), G: B.P. McBrier (1983), N: B.P. McBrier, I: C. Trautmann (1992), REG: C. Trautmann (1991) Fls 16/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 83mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (57B) in bud, opening moderate purplish pink (62B) inside and out, with the throat fading lighter to almost white; slightly scented. Lvs elliptic, 102 × 38mm, flat, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, dark green and glossy above, slightly hairy below. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 14 years. Early-mid May. Flowers last 3 weeks and barely fade

(a) **'Maiden's Blush'** (Syn. of 'Otome')

(a) **'Maiden's Blush'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: A. Pericat, N: R.P. Mayo Nurseries, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 45mm wide, with partially petaloid calyx, strong purplish pink (55B), with a darker blotch. Pericat

(a) **'Maiden's Blush'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* hybrid S: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls star-shaped, white, with conspicuous rose purple spotting in the blotch and a rose lavender flush

(r) **'Maiden's Blush'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* hybrid R: uncertain (pre 1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale cream, edged with pink. (Both Loder and Slocock have been quoted as raiser)

(v) **'Maiden's Blush'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *brookeanum* subsp. *gracile* × 'Princess Alexandra' R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1876), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, suffused pale rose, with a yellowish eye and yellow on the exterior of the tube. FCC 1876

(a) **'Maid Marion'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: I.L. Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L. Amann Fls 50mm wide, pale orange-yellow (24D), with deeper rose margins (looks buff overall). Erect shrub to 1.9m. Midseason

(r) **'Maid of Athens'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with a pale centre and brown spots

(a) **'Maid of Honour'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *cumberlandense* × *arborescens* H: D.G. Leach, G: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1964) Fls 6-7/truss, 45mm wide, deep pink (52C), with a vivid reddish orange (30A) blotch. Lvs oblanceolate, 55 × 22mm, glaucous below. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m in 12 years. Late June. (The *cumberlandense* parent was probably 'Scarlet Salute')

(r) **'Maid of Honour'** (See 'The Maid of Honour')

(r) **'Maid of Kent'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alice' × LoderiGroup I: R. Wallace & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush pink

(r) **'Maid of Orange'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* × 'Loderi Sir Edmund' R: Sir Giles Loder, N: Sir Giles Loder, I: Sir Giles Loder, INC: ICRA (1958) (Now extinct (*fide* Loder))

(a) **'Maid of Orleans'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Marion Lee' × 'Glacier' R: E. Deckert (pre 1980), N: E. Deckert Fls 65mm wide, white, the wavy margins with a narrow edge of deep yellowish pink. Upright shrub. Late

(r) **'Maid of Saragossa'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls delicate rosy red. (Perhaps raised by T. Methven & Son)

(a) **'Maienblume'** (See note under 'Mainblume')

(r) **'Maientag'** (Syn. of 'Oberbürgermeister Janssen')

(r) **'Maienzauber'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Direktor E. Hjelm' (s) × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' R: H. Hachmann (pre 1984) Fls 5-8/truss, 50-60mm wide, intense rose in bud, inside opening whitish rose, outside rose. Flowering shoot buds a striking brown. (Has been listed in error as 'Maizauber')

(r) **'Maifeier'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' (s) × 'Goldrausch' × un-named, late-flowering *wardii* hybrid H: H. Hachmann (1989), G: H. Hachmann (1995), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 12-14/compact truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45-50 × 70-80mm, with 5(-7) slightly wavy-edged lobes, inside light greenish yellow (3D), darkening to brilliant greenish yellow (3B) in the throat; outside light greenish yellow (3D) shaded light greenish yellow (3C); unspotted; stamens 10, filaments light greenish yellow

(3D), anthers dark brown; stylelight greenish yellow (1C), stigma strong yellow-green (144C). Calyx 5-7mm long, greenish. Lvs ovate, 100-140 × 55-60mm, margins slightly waved, apiculate to cuspidate at apex, rounded to cordate at base, slightly glossy mid green above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 10 years. Late April-late May. (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030651). First published in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(r) **'Maifeuer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Oldenburg Group (s) × *makinoi* H: H.J.A. Guyens (1987), G: H.J.A. Guyens (1991), N: H.J.A. Guyens (1999), I: H.J.A. Guyens, REG: H.J.A. Guyens (2000) Fls 11-17/open, loose truss, funnel-shaped, 50-65 × 50-65mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, red-brown in bud, opening light pink inside and out, with light brown/orange spots. Lvs lanceolate, 85-125 × 20-30mm, acute at apex and base, margins slightly decurved, tip strongly decurved, matt green above, with a light, felted indumentum; new growth fire red in May. Shrub 0.65 × 1.2m in 7 years. Mid April-early May

(a) **'Maigesho'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Aikoku' × 'Seiko-no-tsuki' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 75-90mm wide, with broad, rounded, overlapping, irregular lobes, white with occasional flecks and dots of vivid reddish orange; or white with wide margins or wide tips of reddish orange and a red blotch. Satsuki

(a) **'Maihime'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Chugai Nursery Co. (pre 1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 65-75mm wide, variable:- tyrian rose (24/2), with a darker blotch, or flushed tyrian rose with darker spots, or white with a faint tyrian rose flush and darker spots, or white striped tyrian rose. Low, spreading shrub. Very late. Satsuki

(a) **'Maihime'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1939), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls greenish white, tinged greeny yellow in the throat, slightly spotted same colour; anthers green and white. Kurume

(a) **'Maikojaku'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1939), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958). Kurume

(v) **'Maile'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *leucogigas* × *laetum* (s) × *javanicum* G: R.A. Mitchell (2000), N: R.A. Mitchell (2002), REG: R.A. Mitchell (2002) Fls 7/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 75 × 70mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, inside light yellow (12C), the margins slightly darker, blending into strong red (41B) about half way to the base, outside strong red (41B); unmarked. Calyx 6mm long, light greenish yellow (4C). Lvs elliptic, 175 × 70mm, margins upcurved, acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and dark yellowish green (136B) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 0.9m in c8 years. October. (Seedling given to registrant by E.W. Moyles; probably raised by W.A. Moynier)

(r) **'Mailicht'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group (s) × Remo Group H: W. Reich (1985), G: W. Reich (1992), N: W. Reich, REG: W. Reich (1999) Fls 7/open, flattened ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 28-30 × 42-45mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, creamy yellow in bud, opening light greenish yellow to pale yellow-green (4C/D) inside and out, unspotted. Calyx 1.5mm long, moderate red (181B/C). Pedicels moderate red (181B/C), contrasting with corolla colour in open centre of truss. Lvs broadly ovate to lanceolate, 23-60 × 7-24mm, wavy-edged, margins lightly decurved, acute at apex, cuneate at base, matt green above. Shrub 0.75 × 0.8m in 10 years. Mid-late May

(a) **'Maimsode'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1939), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rather blue rose. Late. Kurume

(a) **'Mainblume'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Schulz (pre 1866), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Perhaps the 'Maienblume' listed by Costantini, 1886)

(a) **'Mai-ogi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Shogetsu' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, with rounded lobes, white, with flakes, speckles and sectors of deep pink to strong red; many variations and selfs, ranging to pink with a white rim. Satsuki

(a) **'Mai-ogi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls strong purplish red. (Perhaps the same as 'Mai-ohgi' (fls deep pink, 20-25mm wide) and 'Maisogi' (fls strong purplish red, with a pale centre), both listed as *kiusianum* derivatives, in addition to 'Mai-ogi', by Galle, 1987)

(a) **'Mai-shojo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1984), N: Japan An old clone, similar to 'Hanagasa' according to Creech in Ito translation. Satsuki

(a) **'Maisugata'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1976), N: Japan Fls reddish purple. Satsuki (Raised on Hirado Island, Japan)

(r) **'Mai Tai'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lem's Cameo' × (Fabia Group × *bureavii*) × 'Crest' R: unknown (pre 1991) Fls rose salmon at first, ageing more orange; strong dorsal spotting. Calyx prominent

(r) **'Maizauber'** (An error for 'Maienzauber')

(a) **'Máj'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Adventglöckchen' × 'Alfa' R: J. Šesták (c 1967), N: J. Šesták Fls semi-double, 67-73mm wide, deep pink with violet shading, blotch carmine. Lvs elliptic, dark green with bluish shading

(a) **'Maja'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: S. & J. Rinz, N: S. & J. Rinz (c 1853), I: S. & J. Rinz, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, lilac rose, tinged cream, spotted yellow. Syn: 'Maya'. Ghent (Descriptions in some sources of brick red flowers are known to be errors)

(r) **'Maja'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C.J.H. Walther (pre 1860), N: C.J.H. Walther, INC: ICRA (1958). Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Maja'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lee's Dark Purple' × unknown R: W. Braukmann (1980), N: W. Braukmann Fls 11-21/compact, rounded to broadly rounded truss, 45-70mm wide, with very wavy-edged lobes, outside and inner margin lilac, centre whitish lilac, dorsal lobe with a yellow-green marking. Lvs dark green. Shrub broader than tall

(r) **'Majestic'** cv. Parentage unknown L: T. Methven (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, crimson

(a) **'Majestic Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: un-named Kaempferi Hybrid × 'Snow' R: USDA, N: USDA, Beltsville (1950), I: USDA, Beltsville (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 45mm wide, rose pink, with faint, darker spots. (Derived from the work of G.E. Yerkes & R.L. Pryor)

(r) **'Majesticum'** cv. Perhaps a form or hybrid of *campanulatum* L: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1851), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rose

(a) **'Majesty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: (*yedoense* var. *poukhanense* × 'Vuyk's Scarlet'), open-pollinated H: E.V. Mezitt (1970s), G: Weston Nurseries (1970s), I: Weston Nurseries (1979), REG: R.W. Mezitt (1998) Fls 3/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, c55 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish purple (72C). Calyx c8mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 45 × 20mm, flat, acute to broadly acute at apex, cuneate to rounded at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.75mm in 7 years. Late May. (Published in Weston Nurseries cat., 1979)

(r) **Major Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *haematodes* (s) × *thomsonii* R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in an open truss, deep crimson or bright red, waxy; filaments white; style yellow. Calyx like *thomsonii*. Compact shrub, to 2.5m. April-May

(r) **'Major Edwards'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T. Methven & Sons (pre 1896), N: T. Methven & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink

(r) **'Major Harris'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Aunt Mildred' (s) × 'Virginia Delp' H: W.E. Delp (1991), G: W.E. Delp (1993), N: Mrs V. Delp, I: Crystalaire Rhododendron Naturescapes, REG: J.D. Harris (1996) Fls 22/truss, open funnel-shaped, c50 × 75mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, vivid and strong purple (82A, 83D) in bud, opening very pale purple (76D), edged strong, moderate and light purple (82B-D), with deep greenish yellow (153A) spots on the three dorsal lobes; filaments greenish white (157D); style pale yellow-green (157B); stigma dark red (187A). Lvs 100 × 45mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base. Shrub 0.9 × 1.0m in 5 years. Early June. (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Major Joicey'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C. Noble (pre 1900), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark crimson. Late (1958 Register); magenta, with a large black blotch (Boskoop, 1916)

(a) **'Maki-ginu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, red. Syn: 'Kiritsubo'. Satsuki

(r) **'Making Waves'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' (green-eyed form) × 'Evening Glow' H: W.E. Delp (1983), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 10/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 60mm, with 6-7 very wavy-edged lobes, deep and strong red (53A, B, C) in bud, opening light greenish yellow (5C) heavily edged deep and moderate purplish pink (54B, D) and strong pink (54C), with a brilliant greenish yellow (1A) flare on the three dorsal lobes; filaments pale greenish yellow (1D); style light greenish yellow (1C); anthers greyish red (182B); stigma strong yellow-green (144A) and greyish red (182B). Calyx 5mm long, strong yellow-green (145A) and deep purplish pink (54B). Lvs 102 × 38mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.7 × 0.6m in 9 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer (1992))

(a) **'Makin' Whoopee'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, bright salmon pink, with a bright golden flare on a yellow dorsal lobe. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Late June-early July

(r) **'Malabar'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Coromandel' × 'Marmora' R: J.P.C. Russell, N: J.P.C. Russell, REG: J.P.C. Russell (1971) Fls light greenish yellow (8B), deepening to brilliant yellow (8A) in the throat

(a) **'Malaguena'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' × 'Waraigishi' × 'Pluto' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1965) Fls double, 30-40mm wide, with 12-16 lobes, begonia rose flushed rose dorée, dorsal lobe with tyrian rose dots; pistil usually present; no stamens. Garden effect is of coral pink with a rose blotch. Early (sometimes with an autumn flush). Back Acres

(r) **'Malahat'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Gill's Triumph' (s) × *strigillosum* H: H.L. Larson (1949), G: H.L. Larson (1960), I: H.L. Larson (1980), REG: H.L. Larson (1983) Fls 14/truss, 70 × 70mm, 5-6-lobed, vivid red (45B), spotted deep red (53A). Calyx minute, moderate red (184B). Lvs 125-150 × 45mm, with a sparse, dark reddish orange (175C) indumentum

(r) **'Malcolm Allan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'J.G. Millais' × *neriiflorum* H: Sir James Horlick (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red

(v) **'Malcolm Canmore'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *macgregoriae* × *zoelleri* (s) × *laetum* H: M.D. Cullinane (1989), G: M.D. Cullinane (1994), N: M.D. Cullinane (1994), REG: M.D. Cullinane (1994) Fls 10-14/domed

truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 30 × 50mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, buds brilliant yellow (20A), opening brilliant orange-yellow (23B) on lobes and vivid yellow (14A) in the throat; outside with a vivid yellow (14A) tube and brilliant orange-yellow (23B) lobes; unspotted; stamens vivid reddish orange (34A); style markedly upcurved, vivid yellow (14A); veining in flower obvious. Calyx 1.5mm long. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 50mm, flat, glossy green above, cuneate at base, apiculate at apex, with greyish scales when young. Shrub 2.0 × 1.5m in 5 years. Repeat-flowering. Hardy to -6C

(a) **'Maleika'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nordlicht' × unnamed seedling R: Bernd Jackst GbR (1992), N: Bernd Jackst GbR, I: Bernd Jackst GbR, REG: Bernd Jackst GbR (2000) Fls double, pink. (Previously registered (1998) and published as 'Leika' but this epithet rejected by German PBR Authority. Apparently never released under the earlier name)

(r) **'Malemute'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi King George' × semi-dwarf, orange-fld Lem hybrid H: J.A. Elliott (1966), G: J.A. Elliott (1972), N: J.A. Elliott, I: J.A. Elliott (1975), REG: J.A. Elliott (1977) Fls up 11/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 125mm wide, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, phlox pink (625/3), edges and outside darker (625/1); dorsal lobe with spotting of brick red (016/2). Calyx minute, dark red. Lvs narrowly oblong, 150 × 50mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Mid-late April

(r) **'Maletta'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *auriculatum* × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × *ungernii* hybrid R: H.R. Yates (1960), N: H.R. Yates, I: H.R. Yates (1970), REG: H.R. Yates (1971) The previously published description appears to have been in error. American Rhododendron Society records confirm the following: Fls 6-lobed, strong purplish pink (55B), fading to pale purplish pink (55D) with a pale yellow-green (149D) flare. Lvs elliptic to slightly obovate, 125-150 × 55-65mm, revolute. Shrub 1.1 × 1.4m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Mallorca'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Souvenir of Anthony Waterer' (s) × 'Direktor E. Hjelm' H: H.J.A. Guyens (1986), G: H.J.A. Guyens (1991), N: H.J.A. Guyens (2001), I: H.J.A. Guyens, REG: H.J.A. Guyens (2001) Fls 19-22/tight, globular truss, funnel-shaped, 70 × 80mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, green in bud, inside opening soft lilac, ageing to white, outside lilac; 3 dorsal lobes with large, blackberry-coloured spotting; stamens lilac. Lvs oblong, 120-190 × 45-60mm, margins flat to slightly wavy, more-or-less rounded at apex and base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.8m in 6 years. Late April-early May

(r) **'Malone's Seven Up'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: H.R. Malone (c 1982), G: H.R. Malone, N: H.R. Malone, REG: H. Ronken (2002) Fls 13/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with 7-8 wavy-edged lobes, buds moderate purplish pink (62B), fading to pale purplish pink (62D), opening inside and out pale purplish pink (62D) at base, darkening to moderate purplish pink (62B) at edges; heavy, strong purplish red (72A) spotting on central lobe and half of each adjacent lobe; filaments white, anthers brown; style white, stigma deep yellowish pink (41D). Calyx 1mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 45mm, margins flat, acute at apex, rounded at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 1.8m in 20 years. September (Tasmania). (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0032318))

(r) **'Malta'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Gable's Pioneer', selfed H: D.G. Leach (1956), G: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1962), REG: D.G. Leach (1981) Fls up to 6/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (65C), lobes and edges irregularly flushed moderate purplish pink (65A), unmarked, outside moderate purplish pink (65A); stamens vestigial or absent. Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 65 × 30mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, with widely spaced, small, black scales above and closely spaced, mid-sized, golden brown scales below; new growth red. Shrub 2.4 × 2.7m in 24 years. Mid April

(a) **'Malvaticum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage uncertain, probably a Kurume hybrid R: Japan (pre 1910), N: Koster & Co., I: Koster & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, flattened funnel-shaped, 20 × 65mm, near phlox purple (632/1), with maroon spots on dorsal lobe. Shrub 1.0m. *HC 1962 (Koster gave the name to a stray found among a group of 'Hinodegiri' imported from Japan to Boskoop, c1910)

(r) **'Malvina'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Verschaffelt (pre 1874), N: Verschaffelt, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large trusses, amaranth red

(r) **'Malvina'** (See note under 'Malwine')

(a) **'Malvine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: F. Schneider (1863), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Malwine'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hachmann's Marlis' (s) × 'Brinny' H: H. Hachmann (1983), G: H. Hachmann (1988), N: H. Hachmann (1991), I: H. Hachmann (1994), REG: G. Stück (1995) Fls 7-11/rather loose truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 85-95mm wide, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, inside and out pink to rose or red, sometimes tinged orange/salmon pink, broad margins inside and out of strong purplish red to deep purplish pink (64C/D); dosal lobe with sparse, deep purplish red (61A) markings. Calyx tending towards producing a hose-in-hose effect. Lvs elliptic to ovate, 120-130 × 45-50mm, margins slightly recurved, slightly glossy and light green above, cuneate at base, cuspidate at apex, with some mid brown indumentum below. Shrub 0.8 × 1.2m in 10 years. May. (First published (as 'Malvina') in Hachmann cat., 1995/96)

(r) **'Mama Elsie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anna' (s) × 'One Thousand Butterflies' H: Y. Workman (1988), G: Y. Workman (1992), N: Y. Workman (1997), REG: Y. Workman (1997) Fls 15/domed truss, open

funnel-shaped, 65 × 100mm, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes, with strong purplish red (58B-C) to deep purplish pink (58D) stripes in bud, opening inside dark red (59A), shading to moderate purplish pink (68C) in the throat and with a dark blotch on the dorsal lobe; stripes on outside fade to strong purplish red (58B). Calyx 25mm long, with strap-like lobes, deep purplish pink (58D) and dark red (59A). Lvs oblong, 125 × 45mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, semi-glossy and dark yellowish green (136B) above, hairless. Shrub 0.7 × 0.9m in 8 years. Late April

(r) **'Mama Jo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Edith Boulter' (s) × 'Amigo' H: Y. Workman (1988), G: Y. Workman (1992), N: Y. Workman (1997), REG: Y. Workman (1997) Fls 24/ball truss, saucer-shaped, c45 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside very pale purple (69A) with a picotee-like, deep purplish pink edge and numerous yellow-red spots on the dorsal lobe; outside deep purplish pink (70C). Calyx very short, red. Lvs lanceolate, 100 × 30-40mm, with wavy, upcurved margins, acute at apex, glossy and moderate yellow-green (137C) above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.75m in 9 years. Mid April

(r) **'Mama Mia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ('Bryce Canyon' × (Naomi Group × 'Loderi Sir Joseph Hooker')) × 'Lem's Cameo' × 'Brandt's Tropicana' × 'Blue Boy' H: Y. Workman (1992), G: Y. Workman (1997), N: Y. Workman (1997), REG: Y. Workman (1997) Fls 20-22/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 65mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong red (47B) in bud, opening inside deep purplish pink (58D), with yellow highlights, moderate red (47A) nectaries and paprika-coloured spotting on the dorsal lobe; outside deep pink (47D) with deep purplish pink (58D) dorsal margins. Calyx 15mm long, with strap-like lobes, moderate red (47A). Lvs oblong, 75-90 × 40-45mm, flat, obtuse at apex, oblique at base, glossy and dark green (136A)above, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 0.3m in 5 years. Late April

(r) **'Mama-san'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Naomi Nautilus' (s) × 'Fragrant Red' H: Y. Workman (1988), G: Y. Workman (1993), N: Y. Workman, REG: Y. Workman (1996) Fls 15-17/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, with 5-7 wavy-edged lobes, inside light purplish pink (65B), edged strong purplish pink (67D), tinged ivory in the throat; outside deep purplish pink (67C). Calyx very small, green. Pedicels 40mm long, reddish green. Lvs oblanceolate, 150 × 65mm, flat or with slightly wavy margins, glossy green, hairless; petioles 45mm long, green. Shrub 1.1 × 1.7m in 8 years. Early April

(a) **'Mamie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1965) Fls single, hose-in-hose, light pink. Indian

(r) **'Mamie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *souliei* (s) × Bow Bells Group R: R. Henny, N: R. Henny (1961), REG: R. Henny (1962) Fls 7-11/upright truss, campanulate, 75mm wide, fuchsine pink (627/2). Lvs elliptic, 90 × 50mm. Compact shrub to c1.1m. May

(r) **'Mamie Doud Eisenhower'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T. Kordus, N: T. Kordus, I: T. Kordus (1971), REG: T. Kordus (1971) Fls up to 30/truss, vivacious pure pink. Lvs dark green. Compact shrub

(r) **'Mamma Mia!'** (Syn. of Delp's Mamma Mia!')

(r) **'Mammoth Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anna' × 'Tudelo' × (*lacteum* × Loderi Group) H: G.E. Barefield (1958), G: G.E. Barefield, I: Mrs M.W. Barefield (c 1975), REG: Mrs M.W. Barefield (1981) Fls 13/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 120 × 120mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53C) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (56C) with a dark red (59A) blotch in the throat with peripheral spotting of dark red (185A) to dark reddish orange (173A) towards lobes; outside strong purplish pink (55B) at base; scented. Calyx 3mm long, deep red (185A). Lvs narrowly elliptic to oblanceolate, 225 × 75mm, acute to broadly acute at apex, dark yellowish green (139A), hairless. Shrub 3.7 × 2.2m in 20 years. Early July

(r) **'Mammouth'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Rogers (pre 1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy purple (1958 Register); light pink (J. Veitch, 1867 as 'Mammoth'); pale rose, with crimson spots (W. Rollisson, 1877, as 'Mammoth)

(a) **'Mamouth'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Schulz (pre 1886), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, bright rose, shaded violet. Indian

(r) **'Manapouri Sunrise'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: seedling from Cilpinense Group R: B.W. Campbell (pre 1975), N: B.W. Campbell Fls pink. Shrub c0.4m

(r) **Mandalay Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *haematodes* (s) × *venator* R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a loose truss, deep or brilliant red. Shrub c1.2m. April-May

(a) **'Mandarin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Illusion' × 'Gaiety' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65-70mm wide, geranium pink (deep pink (48B)), with tyrian rose (vivid purplish red (57B)) dots in the blotch. Spreading shrub to 1.0m. Mid May. Glenn Dale (The previously published parentage was an error)

(r) **Mandarin Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Letty Edwards Group (s) × *griersonianum* I: T.C. Thacker (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange salmon

(v) **'Mandarin'** (Syn. of 'Kinabalu Mandarin')

(r) **'Mandarin Day'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Chlorops' × *decorum* subsp. *diaprepes* (s) × *venator* H: D.W. Goheen (1964), G: D.W. Goheen (1974), N: D.W. Goheen, I: A Sandy Rhododendron, REG: D.W. Goheen (1996) Fls 10-12/flat domed truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 55 × 65mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged

lobes, deep yellowish pink (43C) in bud, opening inside vivid reddish orange (33A), with vivid reddish orange (32A) nectaries and spots in the throat, outside deep yellowish pink (43C); stamens 10-12, straight, equal; not scented. Calyx minute, deep yellowish pink (43C). Pedicels 20mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 100-125 × 40-50mm, margins flat or decurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull, moderate olive green (137A) above, moderate yellow-green (138C) below, with glands on midrib below (and a few on the petioles); petioles 20mm long, light green. Shrub 1.5 × 1.8m in 20 years. Late April-early May

(a) **'Mandarin Lights'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *calendulaceum* (s) × 'Orangeade' H: Minnesota Landscape Arboretum (1967), G: Minnesota Landscape Arboretum, N: Minnesota Landscape Arboretum, I: Minnesota Landscape Arboretum (1994), REG: Minnesota Landscape Arboretum (1994) Fls 7-10/ball truss, narrow tubular funnel-shaped, 40-50 × 50-60mm, 5-(6-7) lobed, some fls with an additional small, very ruffled central lobe, margins wavy, the dorsal lobe more wavy than the others, strong reddish orange (32B) with darker veining and a strong orange (25B) blotch on the dorsal lobe; stamens 5, curved; slightly scented. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 40mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (137B) and hairless above, moderate yellow-green (138B) below with discrete white hairs. Shrub 2.0 × 2.0m in 12 years. Mid May-early June

(a) **'Mandarin Maid'** cv. Deciduous azalea: seedling from an open-pollinated Knap Hill azalea G: D.W. Hyatt, I: D.W. Hyatt, REG: D.W. Hyatt (1983) Fls 12/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 90mm, with 5-7 wavy-edged lobes, opening brilliant orange (29A), soon fading to light yellowish pink (29C), veined and suffused strong yellowish pink (37B), with a dorsal blotch of brilliant orange-yellow (21B) on light orange-yellow (24C); scented. Calyx 7mm long, moderate yellowish green (138A). Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic or narrowly obovate, 125 × 50mm, moderate olive green (137A), ciliate. Shrub 1.0 × 1.6m in 17 years. Knap Hill

(r) **'Manda Sue'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan' × 'Elspeth' R: G.L. Baker (1961), N: G.L. Baker, REG: G.L. Baker (1970) Fls 12-14/upright truss, shell pink, with red edges and a yellow throat. Lvs 100 × 45mm, bright deep green. Compact shrub, 0.8m in 8 years. May

(r) **'Mandate'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* (s) × *lacteum* H: E.G.W.W. Harrison, G: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1964), N: E.G.W.W. Harrison, REG: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1966) Fls 10/truss, 55 × 80mm, clear pink. April

(r) **'Manderley'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scandinavia' × Fabia Group R: G.H. Slootjes, N: G.H. Slootjes, REG: G.H. Slootjes (1968) Fls up to 12-13/domed, fairly compact truss, open funnel-campanulate, 50 × 65-70mm, strong red (46A), deeper at margins and with dorsal spotting of dark red (187A-B). Lvs similar to 'Scandinavia', reddish when young. Compact shrub to at least 0.95m. Early-mid May. *HC 1981, *AM 1983

(r) **'Mandy Kay'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Amigo' (s) × *aberconwayi* × *elliottii* 'War Paint' H: D.W. Goheen (1978), G: D.W. Goheen (1988), N: D.W. Goheen, I: A Sandy Rhododendron, REG: D.W. Goheen (2000) Fls 12-16/domed truss, open campanulate, 40 × 50-65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep to strong purplish pink (55A-B), with vivid red (46C) nectaries. Calyx minute, mid green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 76-90 × 25mm, apiculate at apex, margins downcurved, glossy green, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 0.9m in 10 years. May

(a) **'Man'e'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double (anemone-centred), c50mm wide, crimson. Satsuki

(v) **'Maneau Ra'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *konori* (s) × *christianae* R: unknown (pre 1985), N: L. Sorensen-Smith (1999), I: Bovees Nursery (1999), REG: L. Sorensen-Smith (1999) Fls 5/flat truss, long tubular funnel-shaped, 90 × 75mm, with 5-7 wavy-edged lobes, strong yellowish pink (43D) in bud, opening inside with strong yellowish pink (43D) lobes and a golden throat; outside with pale greenish yellow (13D) lobes, edged strong yellowish pink (43D) and with a light yellow (15D) tube. Calyx c1.5mm long, light red. Lvs obovate, 115 × 70mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, moderate olive green (137A) above, scales inconspicuous. Shrub 1.5 × 0.9m in 10 years. Flowering several times each year

(a) **'Mangetsu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Satsuki hybrid × Kurume hybrid L: Nuccio's Nurseries (1996) Fls single, small, white, with a purple border. Early-late

(r) **'Manglesii'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* (s) × *catawbiense* hybrid R: uncertain (pre 1885), I: J. Veitch & Sons (1885), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10-15/conical truss, campanulate, 75 × 110mm, pink in bud, opening pure white, with a bright crimson ray. Calyx lobes 5-14mm long, pink, with a white centre. Lvs broadly elliptic to oblong-ovate, up to 165 × 65mm, matt grass green. Large shrub. (Description of plant grown at Hilliers (UK) in 1930s; Veitch (1905) describes it as pure white, with reddish brown spots; plants cultivated in Germany (1990s) described as white, yellowish in throat, with a soft lilac tint at margin and very few, small brown spots.). FCC 1885 (Raiser may have been Veitch or J.H. Mangles; pollen parent variously given as 'Album Elegans' or 'Album Grandiflorum')

(r) **'Manglesii Delicatum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: R. Gill & Sons (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, splashed pink

(a) **'Manhattan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum* (s) × 'Hazel Dawson' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-2/truss, 65mm wide, with rounded lobes, between amaranth pink (deep purplish pink (72D)) and tyrian pink (strong purplish red (71D)), with a tyrian rose (vivid purplish red (57B))

blotch on dorsal lobe. Lvs dark green. Spreading shrub to 1.2m. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Mania'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Alexander' (s) × *indicum* hybrid H: W.L. Clagett (1984), G: W.L. Clagett (1988), N: W.L. Clagett, I: White's Nursery, REG: W.L. Clagett (1994) Fls 2-3/truss, open funnel-shaped, 57 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, white, with infrequent stripes of strong and light purple (77B-D). Calyx 3mm long, light green. Pedicels 7mm long, light green. Lvs lanceolate, 29 × 10mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate yellow-green (137C) above, moderate yellow-green (138B) below, hairy on both surfaces; petioles 5mm long, light green, hairy. Shrub of creeping habit, 0.17 × 0.58m in 6 years. Late May

(r) **'Manitau'** (An error for 'Manitou' ?)

(r) **'Manitou'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Conestoga' (s) × unknown H: G.G. Nearing (pre 1975), G: G.G. Nearing, N: G.G. Nearing, I: G.G. Nearing (pre 1980), REG: Princeton Chapter Study Group (1997) Fls up to 31-35/multiple-budded, ball truss (3-7 fls/bud, 3-5 buds), open funnel-shaped, 20 × 25-30mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, greenish white with pale pink markings in bud, opening white and rapidly changing to pale purplish pink (62D) with a moderate purplish pink (62B) throat and small, discrete, strong red (51A) spots on the dorsal lobe (sometimes spreading to edges of adjacent lobes). Calyx c1mm long, very pale green. Lvs elliptic, 45 × 25mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy, moderate olive green (146A) above, with very small brown scales mainly on the midribs below. Shrub 0.6 × 1.1m in c7 years. Late April

(r) **'Manivalde'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *praestans* G: H. Vaartnou (1981), S: H. Vaartnou (1965), N: H. Vaartnou, REG: H. Vaartnou (1989) Fls 20 or more/truss, oblique campanulate, 64 × 76mm, with 8 wavy-edged lobes, rose in bud, opening strong purplish pink (55B) to pale orange-yellow (19D); slightly scented. Calyx 1mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 380 × 178mm, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, with a fawn felt-like indumentum below. Shrub 3.7 × 2.4m in 25 years. March

(r) **'Mannheim'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Essex Scarlet' × *forrestii* Repens Group R: D.G. Hobbie (pre 1975) Fls 3-7/truss, funnel-shaped, 40-60mm wide, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, scarlet red, with faint, dark brown spotting. Lvs ovate, 40-60mm long. Shrub up to 1.0m

(r) **'Mannie Weber'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catawbiense Boursault' × 'Madame Albert Moser' H: E.O. Weber (1957), G: E.O. Weber, N: E.O. Weber, I: E.O. Weber (1973), REG: E.O. Weber (1974) Fls up to 14/ball truss, flat saucer-shaped, 55 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, imperial purple (33/2), edged 33, spotting on dorsal lobe fern green (0862/3). Calyx 3mm long, imperial purple (33). Lvs oblanceolate, 140-160 × 50-65mm, very dark green, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 14 years

(a) **'Manni Lachs'** (Syn. of 'Glaser Number 10')

(r) **'Man of War'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' × 'Loderi King George' (s) × Leo Group R: M.W. Lyons, N: M.W. Lyons, I: M.W. Lyons (1971), REG: M.W. Lyons (1971) Fls 15/conical truss, campanulate, rose red (724) with dark spots. Lvs ovate, 250 × 100mm

(r) **'Manon'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *tephropeplum* (s) × *ciliatum* R: G.M. Adams-Acton, N: G.M. Adams-Acton, I: G.M. Adams-Acton (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white

(r) **'Manon'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Croux (pre 1965), N: Croux Fls in domed trusses, white, with a strong, spotted, brownish purple dorsal blotch

(r) **'Manor Hill'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Dido Group × Jalisco Group × *yakushimanum* H: Crown Estate Commissioners (1958), G: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1974), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1974) Fls 8-9/truss, open campanulate, 40 × 45mm, 5-lobed, light orange-yellow (16B), paling at tip to pale orange-yellow (16D) with some darker staining of vivid yellow (16A) and some flushing of strong yellowish pink (37A). Calyx irregular, up to 28mm long, yellow-orange. Lvs narrowly obovate, 90 × 40mm, dark green, with a sparse brown indumentum below. Very dwarf and compact shrub. AM 1974

(a) **'Mansaku'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Honen' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65-70mm wide, with wavy-edged, rounded lobes, strong pink, with occasional white and deep pink stripes. Satsuki

(r) **Mansellii Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *falconeri* (s) × *grande* I: Downie (1875), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Manuela'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Blinklicht' × 'Mars' × *yakushimanum* H: H. Hachmann (1969), G: H. Hachmann (1974), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1985), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 14-18/truss, funnel-shaped, 40-45 × 60-75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish purple (72C (B)), midveins both inside and out longitudinally striped vivid purplish red (66A); inside becoming paler down into throat, dorsal lobe with strong yellow-green (144A-B) markings on a white ground. Calyx 1-1.3mm long, reddish green. Lvs broadly ovate, 100-140 × 40-55mm, acute at tip, rounded-oblique at base, dark green and dull above, with a thin, pale grey to fawn indumentum below. Shrub 1.0 × 1.4m after 10 years, of compact, upright habit. Mid May-early June

(a) **'Man-yoki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958). Kurume

(a) **'Maori'** cv. Deciduous azalea: un-named Ilam hybrid × un-named Ilam hybrid H: J.S. Yeates, G: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1964) Fls c10/truss, 70mm wide, 5-6-lobed, strong reddish orange (7.5R5/13). Lvs lanceolate, 90 × 35mm, glaucous below. Shrub 1.2 × 0.8m in 13 years. Midseason

(r) **'Marabu'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tarantella' (s) × 'Silver Lady' H: H. Hachmann (1984), G: H. Hachmann (1990), N: H. Hachmann (1992), I: H. Hachmann (1997), REG: G. Stück (1999) Fls 15/dense truss, funnel-shaped, 45 × 60-70(-75)mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, white inside with c10mm wide edges of strong purplish red (60B); outside strong purplish red (60B), tinged strong pink (53D) especially on the midveins; the dorsal lobe with strong orange-yellow/strong orange (22A/24B) markings; stamens 10, filaments pale purplish pink (56A-D); anthers pale yellow (161D); style brilliant yellow-green (150C) at base, otherwise reddish white. Calyx 1mm long, red. Lvs ovate, 110-140 × 55-60mm, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, somewhat twisted, slightly glossy above, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.6m in 10 years. Early-mid June

(r) **'Maralyn Gillespie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably of Dexter hybrid origin (subsect. *Fortunea*) H: Scott Arboretum (1958), G: Scott Arboretum, N: Scott Arboretum, REG: Scott Arboretum (1986) Fls 9/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 51 × 89mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, purplish pink (2.5RP 6/10) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (2.5RP 9/2), flushed light purplish pink (2.5RP 8/5), a solid blotch in the centre and in two flares, blending into irregular flares on all lobes - to 32mm long on dorsal lobes, to 12.7mm on ventral lobes - all strong reddish purple (2.5RP 4/10). Calyx 3mm long, light yellow-green. Lvs mostly broadly elliptic (to elliptic), 102 × 44mm, moderate olive green (5GY 4/3) above, greyed light yellow-green below, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 2.4m in 11 years. Early May. Syn: 'Gillespie No. 3' (Sometimes listed in error as 'Marilyn Gillespie')

(r) **'Maranda Nicole'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Jalisco Group × *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Jalisco Elect' × 'Yellow Creek' H: C.C. Smith (1981), G: R.W. Cavender (1987), N: R. MacArthur (1989), REG: R. MacArthur (2001) Fls 10-12/domed truss, funnel-campanulate, 50-65 × 75mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, light yellow (11B) in bud, opening inside light greenish yellow (8B), slightly deeper in the throat, with strong red (46A) spotting on the dorsal lobe; outside yellow (8). Calyx minute, greenish red. Lvs elliptic, 100-125 × 40-50mm, flat, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (146A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.8m in 10 years. April-May

(r) **Marathon Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pauline' (s) × *elliottii* R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright red

(r) **'Marathoner'** (Syn. of 'Milestone')

(r) **'Marbella'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *auriculatum* × *griffithianum* R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, REG: C. Ingram (1971)

(r) **'Mar-belle Hsing'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vicki Reine' (s) × 'Van Nes Sensation' H: M. Stockman (1989), G: M. & H. Stockman (1997), N: M. & H. Stockman (1998), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1998) Fls 13-18/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 100mm, with 7 very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (71C) in bud, opening white flushed light purple (75B) inside at margins, with a light orange-yellow (16C) centre and two small, reddish flares at base; outside flushed light purple (75A-B). Calyx c3mm long, lime green. Lvs oblong, 175 × 50mm, flat, acuminate at apex, cordate at base, semi-glossy, mid green. Shrub 0.75 × 0.9m in 9 years. Late April. (The epithet is the name of an individual Shar-Pei (a breed of dog))

(r) **'Marble Arch'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* × Avalanche Group (s) × 'Spellbinder' H: G.T. Miller (1985), G: R.H. Gustafson (c 1992), N: R.H. Gustafson (1994), REG: R.H. Gustafson (1998) Fls 13/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 60 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (62A, 63C) in bud, opening inside pale purplish pink (62D) with a deep red (60A) blotch and some spotting; outside light to pale purplish pink (62C-D); stigma 4mm wide, greyish reddish orange (174C), with 11 lighter lines radiating from centre to edge; scented. Lvs oblong, 140 × 65mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, glossy and dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 11 years. Mid May

(r) **'Marc'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kit' × 'Van Nes Sensation' H: M. Stockman (1982), G: M. & H. Stockman (1990), N: M. & H. Stockman, I: M. & H. Stockman (1992), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1992) Fls 9/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 64 × 102mm, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes, dark rose pink in bud, opening white with a strong red (45D) throat and blotch (on dorsal lobe and parts of adjacent lobes), spotted vivid red (45A, B, C); outside flushed strong purplish pink (55B) on midribs; stamens 13, straight, unequal, white; style yellow, equalling stamens; stigma green. Calyx 3-6mm long, yellowish. Pedicels 19mm long, red. Lvs elliptic, 89 × 32mm, convex, mucronate at apex, oblique at base, bullate and matt, medium green above, hairless; petioles 13mm long, light green. Shrub 0.6 × 0.8m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Marc Anthony'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac, with a bronze eye

(r) **Marcat Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × 'Cathaem No. 1' H: J.B. Gable, G: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable (pre 1972) Fls deep red to pink

(r) **'Marcat No. 1'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × 'Cathaem No. 1' H: J.B. Gable, G: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable (pre 1972) Fls light red. (Marcat Group)

(r) **'Marcat No. 4'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × 'Cathaem No. 1' H: J.B. Gable, G: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable (pre 1972) Fls hose-in-hose, pinkish red. (Marcat Group)

(a) **'Marcel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, rose. Indian

(a) **'Marcel de Paepe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1978)

(r) **'Marcel Ménard'** (Syn. of 'Monsieur Marcel Ménard')

(r) **'Marcel Moser'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Météore' × 'Duchesse de Dino' R: Moser & Son (pre 1894), N: Moser & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright red

(r) **'Märchenfee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Odessa', open-pollinated H: H. Müller (1991), G: H. Müller (1996), N: H. Müller (1998), REG: H. Müller (1998) Fls hose-in-hose, 10-15/broadly rounded, compact truss, open funnel-shaped, 45-50 × 60-70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, cherry red in bud, opening inside yellowish white in centre with broad pink margins, outside with centre of lobes and margins pink, the remainder light yellow; olive spots and arched lines on a yellow ground on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 35mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs oblong, 115 × 40mm, slightly wavy-edged, glossy and dark green above, pointed at apex, tapered at base, hairless. Shrub c1.4xc1.4m in c10 years. Mid May-early June

(r) **'Märchenland'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × Fabia Group × *smirnowii* R: W. Nagel (1972), N: W. Nagel, I: W. Nagel (1998), REG: ICRA (2000) Fls orange to salmon pink. Loose, upright shrub. Often flowering September-October

(r) **'Marchioness'** cv. Parentage unknown R: I. Davies (pre 1883), N: I. Davies, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 4-5/truss, campanulate, 65mm wide, bluish, tinted rose, outside striped rose

(r) **'Marchioness of Downshire'** cv. Parentage unknown I: F.J. Street, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, spotted brown. (Perhaps the same plant listed as 'The Marchioness of Downshire')

(r) **'Marchioness of Lansdowne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (c 1879), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 14-17/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40-45 × 65mm, pale lilac rose, heavily blotched with black on a crimson ground on the dorsal lobe. Calyx lobes 3-6mm long. Lvs elliptic to oblong-obovate, up to 75 × 35mm, glossy above. Large shrub

(r) **'Marchioness of Londonderry'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × a Hardy Hybrid R: W.C. Slocock ? (pre 1931), N: W.C. Slocock ?, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a conical truss, salmon pink

(r) **'Marchioness of Tweeddale'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1906), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large trusses, rosy crimson, dorsal lobes pale, with yellow spots. AM 1906

(r) **'Marchland'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: derived from hybrids involving mainly *fortunei* and *catawbiense* H: W.L. Tolstead (1985), G: W.L. Tolstead (1992), N: W.L. Tolstead, REG: W.L. Tolstead (1992) Fls 15-20/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 65mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, deep purplish pink, with dark red spotting on a lighter ground; stamens 10, curved. Pedicels 15mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 45mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless; petioles 10mm long. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 7 years. Late May

(r) **'March Madness'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purpureum Elegans' (s) × *calophytum* H: G.A.L. Mehlquist (1965), G: G.A.L. Mehlquist, N: M.H. Brand (1998), I: Dept. of Plant Science, University of Connecticut (1998), REG: M.H. Brand (1998) Fls 12-15/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish purple (78A) in bud, opening moderate purplish pink (78D) and light purple (77C & 75A) inside and out, with a deep red (60A) flare (c20mm wide) on the dorsal lobe. Calyx less than 1mm long, strong yellow-green (145A). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 170 × 50mm, margins decurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate to rounded at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Mushroom-shaped shrub with a massive basal trunk, 3.1 × 4.6m in 30 years. (Late April-early May

(r) **'March Sun'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Caucasicum Citrinum' × Moonstone Group R: R.G. Wyrens, N: R.G. Wyrens, I: R.G. Wyrens, REG: R.G. Wyrens (1964) Fls up to 12/tight truss, campanulate, 30 × 55mm, lemon yellow, with a crimson blotch in the throat. Lvs ovate, 65 × 45mm, olive green with a yellow midrib. Very compact shrub to 30cm in 7 years. March

(r) **'Marcia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* (s) × Gladys Group R: Lord Swaythling, N: Lord Swaythling, I: Lord Swaythling (1944), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10/truss, campanulate, 50mm wide, light greenish yellow (4C). Lvs ovate, 90mm long. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. FCC 1944

(r) **'Marcia Ann'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *edgeworthii*, selfed (s) × (*lindleyi* × *nuttallii*), selfed H: P. Halligan (1988), G: P. Halligan (1992), N: P. Halligan (2000), I: P. Molinari (2001), REG: P. Halligan (2000) Fls 3-4/flat truss, broadly funnel-shaped, becoming flatter with age, 100 × 125-150mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, white in bud, opening white throughout except for a small yellow eye in the centre; moderately to strongly scented. Calyx 20mm long, red. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 45mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, margins flat, semi-

glossy, somewhat wrinkled and moderate olive green (137A) above, with very sparse, tan scales below. Shrub of dense habit, 1.2 × 1.2m in c10 years. Late April (in California)

(r) **'Marcia Joy Ellis'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Lace' × *yakushimanum* H: F. Peste (1976), G: F. & L. Peste (1982), N: L. Peste, REG: S.P. Johnston (1986) Fls 15/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 83mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (67C) in bud, opening light purplish pink (65B) with a 6mm edging of moderate purplish pink (65A) and light olive (152B) spots on the dorsal lobe; outside pale purplish pink (65D). Lvs elliptic, 90 × 35mm, moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (147C) below, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.9m in 9 years. Mid May

(a) **'Marconi'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1924), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, strong reddish orange, with a reddish orange blotch. Midseason. Mollis

(a) **'Marconi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: developed from 'Hexe' I: A. Steyaert (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. Indian

(a) **'Marcus'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, spotted. Indian

(a) **'Marcus Aurelius'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with a yellow blotch. Ghent

(r) **'Marcus of Lockington'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cup Day' × Margaret Dunn Group H: D.J. Dosser (c 1984), G: D.J. Dosser (1990), N: D.J. Dosser (1991), I: Lockington Nursery (1991), REG: Lockington Nursery (1992) Fls 12-15/flat truss, funnel-shaped, 70 × 90mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, greenish white (155C) with vivid purplish red (62C) lobes both inside and out. Lvs elliptic, 130 × 40mm, flat, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 0.7m. Spring

(a) **'Mardi Gras'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Elegans Superbum' R: Abbot's Nursery, N: Abbot's Nursery, I: Abbot's Nursery (1961) Fls single, light silvery pink

(a) **'Mardi Gras'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Nuccio's Nurseries (1981) Fls single, with wavy-edged lobes, red, edged white. Dense, compact shrub to 0.75m. Midseason, with some autumn flowering

(a) **'Mardi Gras'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls 65mm wide, white, striped purple

(r) **'Mardi Gras'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' × Vanessa Group ("Vanessa A") R: R.M. Bovee (1950), N: Bovees Nursery, I: Bovees Nursery (1972), REG: Bovees Nursery (1975) Fls 11-12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 30 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds cherry red, opening pale purplish pink (7.5RP 9/2), fading irregularly within corolla to white, edging and reverse strong purplish pink (7.5RP 7/10) to strong purplish red (7.5RP 5/12). Calyx c1mm long, yellow. Lvs oblanceolate, 140-150 × 50mm, dark green, with reddish brown indumentum below. Shrub 1.0 × 1.2m in 24 years. Early-mid May

(r) **'Mareike'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Omega' × *wardii* H: H. Hachmann (1963), G: H. Hachmann (1969), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1990), REG: G. Stück (1991) Fls 10-11/loose truss, funnel-campanulate, 50 × 58-64mm, 5-lobed, pale greenish yellow (1D), dorsal lobe sparsely marked moderate to strong purplish red (59C/D). Calyx 2-4mm long, yellowish green, edged red. Pedicels strong yellow-green (144B/C), reddish on upper side. Lvs ovate (similar to *wardii*), 65-80 × 45-60mm, mucronate-obtuse at apex, rounded-cordate at base, mid green, slightly glossy and with pale yellowish green midveins above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.3m in 10 years, of broad, compact habit. Early-mid May

(r) **'Margalit'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cavalcade' × *fortunei* (Nearing's hardy selection) H: N.E. Hess (1968), G: N.E. Hess (1973), N: N.E. Hess, I: N.E. Hess (1982), REG: N.E. Hess (1992) Fls 14/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 57 × 89mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (50C) in bud, opening pale yellow (19C) to pale orange-yellow (19D) with strong pink (50C) margins, a pale yellow (20D) throat and brilliant orange (25C) spotting on dorsal lobe; stamens 15, straight, of equal length; slightly scented. Calyx 3mm long, brilliant yellow-green (149C). Lvs lanceolate, 140 × 44-51mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (147C) below, hairless. Shrub 1.35 × 2.1m in 14 years from seed. Mid May

(r) **'Margaret'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: R. Veitch & Son (pre 1927), N: R. Veitch & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink with a dark throat. May

(a) **'Margaret Abbott'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *prinophyllum* × *calendulaceum* R: F.L. Abbott, N: F.L. Abbott, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls larger than parents, white, with a lemon yellow blotch

(r) **'Margaret Alice'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: unnamed hybrid × Elizabeth Group H: J.F. Stephens (1960), G: J.F. Stephens, N: J.F. Stephens, I: J.F. Stephens (1966), REG: J.F. Stephens (1973) Fls up to 8/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 80 × 80mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, tyrian rose (24/2), with small red streaks in the throat. Calyx minute, rose. Lvs elliptic, 90 × 40mm, dark green, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.1m in 12 years

(r) **'Margaret Amy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'John Dosser' (s) × 'Mrs G.W. Leak' H: D.J. Dosser (1990), G: D.J. Dosser (1999), N: D.J. Dosser (2002), REG:

D.J. Dosser (2002) Fls 18/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 78mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (66B) in bud, opening inside white, tinged deep purplish pink (66C); outside white, with deep purplish pink (66C) streaks; the dorsal lobe with moderate purplish red (58A) spots. Lvs ovate, 135 × 50mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base. Shrub 0.6 × 1.5m in 12 years. October-November (Tasmania). (Standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0038793))

(r) **'Margaret Bean'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* (s) × 'Esmeralda' R: Kew, N: Kew, I: Kew (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c9/compact truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, cream, edged delicate rose. Calyx very small. Lvs ovate, 105 × 50mm, glossy, mottled green above, sparsely and minutely pubescent below

(r) **'Margaret Cutten'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Bambi' × *arboreum* H: R. Cutten, G: R. Cutten, N: R. Cutten, I: R. Cutten, REG: R. Cutten (1981) Fls 21/truss, between deep and strong yellowish pink (43C-D)

(a) **'Margaret Davis'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Hazlewood Bros (1971) Fls single, lilac pink. Indian

(a) **'Margaret Douglas'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum* × 'Hatsu-shimo' × 'Shinsei' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1964) Fls single, 70-75mm wide, centre hermosa rose (pale pink), with a fairly uniform margin (c10mm wide) of begonia rose (orange pink); buds appear rose dorée. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Back Acres

(r) **'Margaret Dunn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × Fabia Group R: Lord Swaythling, N: Lord Swaythling, I: Lord Swaythling (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 8-9/truss, 75 × 90mm, apricot yellow (609/3), flushed shell pink (516). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 150mm long. AM 1946 (Margaret Dunn Group)

(r) **Margaret Dunn Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × Fabia Group R: Lord Swaythling, N: Lord Swaythling, I: Lord Swaythling (1946), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Margaret Dunn Talisman'** cv. Elepidote rhodo-dendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × Fabia Group I: R. Henny, INC: ICRA (1958) Resembles the colour of the rose 'Talisman'. Syn: 'Talisman' (Margaret Dunn Group)

(r) **'Margaret Falmouth'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* × *auriculatum* H: G.H. Loder, I: Hon. H.E. Boscawen, REG: Hon. H.E. Boscawen (1968) Fls up to 10/slightly elongated truss, open funnel-campanulate, with 5-7 wavy-edged lobes, 108 × 108mm, white, inside of throat heavily marked strong red (53B-C), partially overlaid strong purplish red (60B) for c7mm at base inside and extending in the upper throat to a bilobed zone c40 × 25mm. Calyx unevenly 5-lobed, the lobes c7mm long, glandular ciliate. Lvs up to 225 × 75mm, rounded and auriculate at base, mucronate at apex. AM 1968

(r) **'Margaret Fell'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scintillation' (s) × unknown white H: Scott Arboretum (c 1959), G: Scott Arboretum, N: G.S. Wister, REG: Scott Arboretum (1985) Fls 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with 5-7 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (7.5RP 7/10) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (7.5RP 9/2) and soon white, with a 22 × 17mm, brilliant greenish yellow (7.5Y 9/8), heart-shaped blotch in dorsal throat. Calyx 10mm long, medium yellow-green. Lvs between narrowly elliptic and elliptic, 130-155 × 45-55mm, with very small, scattered brown hairs below. Shrub 2.5m in 26 years

(r) **Margaret Findlay Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* (s) × *griersonianum* H: Sir James Horlick (1933), G: Sir James Horlick, N: Sir James Horlick, I: Sir James Horlick (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls almost white with red (deepening to near port wine) in the throat. PC 1974

(a) **'Margaret George'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Eira Group × *kaempferi* R: Hydon Nurseries, N: Hydon Nurseries, REG: Hydon Nurseries (1972) Fls 3/truss, open funnel-shaped, 35 × 60mm, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (66C), lightly flushed moderate purplish pink (66D), lightly dotted deep red (53A) towards base of dorsal lobe. Lvs 35 × 17mm, dark and glossy green above. Shrub 0.55 × 0.83m, of spreading habit. Early May. *AM 1987

(a) **'Margaretha Cornelia'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Koster & Co. (pre 1896), N: Koster & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red, with a bronze blotch. Mollis

(a) **'Margarethe'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Gebr Kersbergen, N: Gebr Kersbergen, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark pink. Mollis

(a) **'Margareth Rose'** (An error for 'Margaret Rose')

(a) **'Margaret Hyatt'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Elsie Lee' × 'Robin Hill Frosty' H: H.R. Schroeder (1973), G: S. Schroeder (1978), N: S. Schroeder, I: S. Schroeder (1986), REG: S. Schroeder (1986) Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, 38 × 70mm, broadly funnel-shaped, with 12 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (73B), with rose red dorsal spotting. Calyx 6mm long, light green. Lvs oblanceolate, 25 × 9.5mm, dull and dark green above, light green below, hairy. Shrub 0.46 × 0.38m in 10 years. Late April

(r) **'Margaret Knight'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pink Dexter' × 'Purple Splendour' R: C. Loeb (1960), N: C. Loeb, I: C. Loeb (1970), REG: C. Loeb (1970) Fls 14/truss, 90 × 80mm, very light purple (76B), edged strong purple (77B), blotch in throat deep purplish red (59B) to dark red (187A). Lvs 140mm long, dark green. Compact shrub, 1.1 × 1.2m. Mid May

(a) **'Margaret Lovegrove'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Hazlewood Bros (1964) Fls double, salmon pink. Indian

(r) **'Margaret Mack'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marion' (s) × 'Annie E. Endtz' H: V.J. Boulter, G: V.J. Boulter (1956), N: V.J. Boulter, I: V.J. Boulter, REG: V.J. Boulter (1964) Fls c15/large, conical truss, funnel-shaped, 100 × 90mm, with very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63A-B), spotted on dorsal lobe. Shrub c1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Margaret Mead'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *veitchianum* R: unknown, REG: G. Gorer (1979) Fls 2-3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, up to 70 × 90mm, 5-lobed, greenish white (155C), with a faint yellow-orange flush in the dorsal throat. Lvs narrowly obovate, up to 80 × 40mm, dull matt green and very scaly above when young, glaucous and scaly below. AM 1978

(v) **'Margaret of Scotland'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *javanicum* subsp. *javanicum* (s) × *brookeanum* subsp. *brookeanum* var. *kinabaluense* H: M.D. Cullinane (1990), G: M.D. Cullinane (1995), N: M.D. Cullinane (1996), REG: M.D. Cullinane (1996) Fls 15-21/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 55 × 80mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish purple (72C) in bud, opening inside strong reddish orange (31B), edged with a very fine line of vivid reddish orange (34A), throat light orange-yellow (22D) flushed strong reddish purple (72C) at edges and base; outside paler; unspotted; filaments and style light orange-yellow (22D) at base, strong purplish red (72A) at apex. Calyx 1.5-2.0mm long, pale green. Pedicels vivid reddish orange (34B). Lvs lanceolate, 160 × 60mm, flat, glossy, attenuate at base, acute at apex, with fawn scales on young growth; petioles strong purplish red (72A). Shrub 1.0 × 0.5m in 5 years. Repeat flowering

(a) **'Margaret Olive'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: P.E. Girard (c 1965), G: R.K. Peters (1975), N: R.K. Peters, I: R. Carter, REG: R.K. Peters (1983) Fls 10/truss, 65 × 75mm, tubular funnel-shaped, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, brilliant yellow (5Y 9/9), edged moderate orange-yellow (7.5YR 8/8) on lobes adjacent to the dorsal lobe, which has a fan of vivid yellow (2.5Y 8/12) spots; outside moderate orange-yellow (7.5YR8/8); scented. Calyx minute. Lvs narrowly obovate, 100 × 45mm, moderate olive green (5GY 4/3), setose above, setose and hairy below. Shrub 1.2 × 2.2m in 17 years. Late May

(a) **'Margaret Palmer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Phoeniceum' hybrid H: K.M. Marsh, G: K.M. Marsh (1966), N: K.M. Marsh, REG: K.M. Marsh (1968) Fls 4-8/truss, rich pink, with a deep rose throat. Shrub 1.0m

(a) **'Margaret Pride'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Nadine' I: O.S. Pride (1956), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon red

(r) **'Margaret Ramshaw'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Moon Blush' (s) × 'Moon Blush' H: N. Sullivan (1986), G: N. Sullivan (1991), N: N. Sullivan (1998), REG: N. Sullivan (1998) Fls 6/flat truss, campanulate, 40 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate red (181C) in bud, opening inside pale yellow (158A) with paler than dark pink (182D) edges to the lobes, outside moderate red (181C), stained paler than dark pink (182D); dorsal lobe spotted brownish orange (171B); slight scent. Calyx minute. Lvs obovate, 60 × 30mm, margins upcurved, obtuse at apex, attenuate at base, matt green above, scaly. Shrub 0.45 × 0.4m in 6 years. Late September (Tasmania)

(a) **'Margaret Rose'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Guido Gezelle' I: J. Wille (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white, edged deep pink (52B), otherwise similar to parent. Late. Indian

(r) **'Margaret Rose'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi Venus' (s) × Rose du Barri Group I: Sir Edmund Loder, INC: ICRA (1958) (Jubilee Queen Group)

(a) **'Margaret Rowell'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Mother's Day' × 'Red Slippers' R: J. Harris (pre 1982), N: J. Harris Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, 75mm wide, strong red (53B). Shrub 0.35m in 10 years

(r) **'Margaret Sindorff'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Emperor' × 'Van Nes Sensation' R: N. Sullivan, N: N. Sullivan, REG: N. Sullivan (1989) Fls 12/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, mauve in bud, opening light purple (84C) with a large dorsal flare which is green at first, changing to moderate yellow (163C). Lvs elliptic, 140 × 40mm. Shrub 1.2 × 0.6m in 7 years. Late spring

(a) **'Margaret Slaughter'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: B.Y. Morrison (pre 1966) Fls double, 65mm wide, light reddish orange. Back Acres (Probably also named by Morrison)

(r) **'Margaret Victoria'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* × *griersonianum* (s) × 'America' H: J.B. Gable (1941), G: J.B. Gable, N: R.K. Peters, I: J.B. Gable, REG: R.K. Peters (1983) Fls 8-10/truss, open funnel-shaped, 75mm wide, 5-6-lobed, strong reddish purple (2.5RP 5/10) in bud, opening moderate purplish pink (10P 7/7), with a small blotch of dark red (2.5R 3/7) deep in the throat and dorsal spotting of dark orange-yellow (10R 6/8). Calyx minute. Lvs narrowly elliptic to narrowly oblong, 120 × 40mm, dark yellowish green (2.5G 4/6). Shrub c1.2m in 15 years. (Degram Group)

(r) **'Margaret Waddington'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *dendricola* (s) × *lindleyi* H: C.R.W. Waddington (1990), G: C.R.W. Waddington (1996), N: C.R.W. Waddington (1998), REG: C.R.W. Waddington (1998) Fls 6-8/flat truss, funnel-shaped, 95 × 120mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, buds white tipped strong to light purplish pink (55B-C), opening white inside and out; basal blotch, 20 × 10mm, of brilliant yellow (13B); scented. Calyx 18mm long, greenish, edged pinkish. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 45mm, margins decurved, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy above. Shrub 1.5 × 0.7m in 8 years. Late April-mid May

(r) **'Margaret White'** cv. Elepidoterhododendron: selection from *makinoi*, from seed collected in the wild (Mikawa, Japan) by H. Suzuki G: J. Ayers, S: J. Ayers (c 1980), N: J. Ayers, REG: H.E. Reiley (1997) Fls 7-15/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (56C) throughout, with deeper pink stripes down centre of lobes outside; buds slightly deeper coloured. Calyx c5mm long, white. Lvs linear, 115 × 19-22mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and dark green above, hairy below (the hairs grey at first, ageing to fawn). Shrub 1.4 × 2.1m in 19 years. Early May

(a) **'Marge Alexander'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' × 'Grace Freeman' × 'Foxy Lady' R: J. & D. Garrett (c 1986), N: J. & D. Garrett Fls 90mm wide, light pink with dark pink margins. Midseason

(r) **'Marge Danik'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Achiever' × selection from PJM Group H: W.E. Delp (1977), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 6/truss, open funnel-shaped, 28 × 40mm, 5-lobed, reddish purple. Lvs 56 × 31mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, scaly. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 15 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer (1992))

(r) **'Margela'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' (s) × *dichroanthum* R: Earl of Limerick, N: Earl of Limerick, I: Earl of Limerick (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 7/truss, campanulate, 65 × 90mm, orange-brown shading to a broad band of geranium lake (20/1) around edges. Calyx petaloid, dorsal lobes 50mm long. Lvs elliptic, c150 × 50mm. AM 1948 (Limerick Group)

(a) **'Margery Congreve'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from *mucronatum* R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, I: C. Ingram (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) A large-flowered seedling of *mucronatum*, the blooms being even larger than those of 'Noordtianum'

(r) **'Margery Slocock'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* × a Hardy Hybrid R: W.C. Slocock, S: W.C. Slocock (1930), N: W.C. Slocock, I: W.C. Slocock, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep pink. Tall shrub. Early May

(a) **'Margie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hexe' × *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* (s) × *kaempferi* × *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* R: J.B. Gable (1952), N: J.B. Gable, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, deep pink. Shrub c2.2m in 19 years. Late. Gable

(r) **'Marginatum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as a *ponticum* cultivar L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Marginatum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *maximum* L: A. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls whitish rose

(a) **'Marginatum Formosissimum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with a salmon rose ground, striped and spotted red and with a broad white margin

(r) **'Marginatum Punctatum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Verschaffelt (pre 1868), N: Verschaffelt, I: Verschaffelt, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white, with carmine red dorsal spots, other lobe edges with spots of same colour

(a) **'Marginatum Roseum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentageunknown L: C. van Geert (1877), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls straw yellow, edged rose. Ghent

(a) **'Margo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Felix & Dijkhuis, N: Felix & Dijkhuis, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep carmine rose. Vuykiana

(a) **'Margo Koster'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: P.M. Koster (pre 1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a yellow blotch. Mollis

(r) **'Margolita'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: N.E. Hess (pre 1986), N: N.E. Hess Fls in large, rounded trusses, creamy white, speckled

(r) **'Margo Napper'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a *fortunei* hybrid R: C. Reid (pre 1947) Fls 18/truss, 50mm wide, rosy pink

(r) **'Margo Reynolds'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Mars' H: L. Yavorsky (c 1980), G: L. Yavorsky (1988), N: L. Yavorsky, I: L. Yavorsky, REG: L. Yavorsky (1990) Fls 15/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 54 × 64mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (61C) in bud, opening strong purplish pink (62A) at margins, shading to nearly white at centre, with inconspicuous yellowish spots at base of dorsal lobe; fls age to nearly white, with pink streaks on outer midribs. Calyx c2mm long, light green. Lvs oblong, 121 × 38mm, flat, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate yellowish green (138A, 139B) and hairless above, with a few light tan hairs below on young lvs, later hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.1m in c10 years. Mid May

(a) **'Margot'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × *simsii* R: C. Ingram (1937), N: C. Ingram, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vivid magenta pink. (The parentage given in the 1958 Register was in error)

(a) **'Margot'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C.E. Brown, I: D. Stewart & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls flame, with a spotted red eye

(r) **'Margot'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Milner' (s) × *catawbiense* R: T.J.R. Seidel (1910), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark purplish red, with brown spots

(r) **'Margret'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* hybrid H: D. Heinje (1928), G: D. Heinje (c 1933), N: D. Heinje Baumschulen, I: D. Heinje Baumschulen (1954), REG: D. Heinje Baumschulen (1986) Fls 9-16/truss, 55-70 × 60-85mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, salmon rose, with yellowish green dorsal spotting. Calyx 30-35mm long, whitish green. Lvs lanceolate, 140-180 × 50-60mm, light green, indumentum pale below when young. June

(r) **'Margret Einarson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan' × Azor Group H: Mrs S. Laxdall (1961), G: Mrs S. Laxdall, N: Mrs S. Laxdall, I: Mrs S. Laxdall, REG: Mrs S. Laxdall (1977) Fls up to 12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 65mm, with 6 flat-edged lobes, geranium lake (20/3), with deep rose stripes on the reverse; buds geranium lake (20/2). Lvs lanceolate, 130 × 40mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins upcurved; new growth coppery bronze. Shrub 1.0 × 1.1m in 15 years. Mid June. (The previously published spelling 'Margaret Einarson' was an error)

(a) **'Margretti Louise'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, striped and flaked lake. Indian

(r) **'Marg Sawers'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Morio' × 'Mrs E.C. Stirling' H: D.J. Dosser, G: D.J. Dosser (1973), N: D.J. Dosser, I: D.J. Dosser, REG: D.J. Dosser (1978) Fls 18/truss, campanulate, light purplish pink (55C). Lvs lanceolate, 100 × 25mm. Shrub c0.8m

(a) **'Marguerite'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: E. de Reuse, I: Madame E. de Reuse (1932), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, deep red-orange. Indian

(r) **'Marguerite'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T. Methven & Son (pre 1860), N: T. Methven & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush, with yellow spots

(r) **'Marguerite'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group hybrid R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink

(r) **'Marguerite'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: unknown, I: P.R. Bosley, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep pink

(a) **'Marguerite de Flandres'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. de Cock (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale yellow. Ghent

(a) **'Marguerite Sheehan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith Fls 90mm wide, deep pink (47D), with a blotch of moderate red (47A) on 3 dorsal lobes. Shrub 1.1m in 8 years

(a) **'Marguerite Steyaert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pure white. Indian

(r) **'Marham'** cv. Un-named, late, red hybrid × 'Mary Waterer' R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1967) Fls rich pink, with a deep red eye and a speckled blotch

(a) **'Maria'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Gebr Mardner (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple-red. Indian

(a) **'Maria'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, striped pale carmine

(r) **'Maria Christina'** cv. Parentage unknown L: USA (1985)

(a) **'Maria Derby'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Jimmy Coover' (s) × 'Glamour' H: R.D. Gartrell (c 1953), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell (1970), REG: R.D. Gartrell (1985) Fls double (of hose-in-hose appearance but normal calyx present), (1-)2/bud, 40 × 50-55mm, open funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, deep yellowish pink (43C) to vivid reddish orange (44C), throat slightly paler; prominent spotting of greyish red (184A) to deep red (53A). Calyx 5mm long, strong yellow-green (144A). Spring lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 48 × 18mm. Shrub up to 1.5m. (Robin Hill no. H-19-9. Has been listed in error as 'Marie Derby')

(a) **'Maria Elena'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Louise Gable' × 'Helen Close' R: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1969) Fls double, 2/truss, up to 70mm wide, strong purplish pink (62A). Lvs 25 × 13mm. Compact shrub, 0.6m in 10 years. June. (Has been listed in error as 'Marie Elena')

(r) **'Mariah Lynn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Paprika Spiced' (s) × 'Fawn' (James) H: D.W. Goheen (1989), G: D.W. Goheen (1995), N: D.W. Goheen, I: A Sandy Rhododendron, REG: D.W. Goheen (1996) Fls 14-16/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 100mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (52D) in bud, opening inside in shades of brilliant, light and pale yellow (20A-C), edged deep and strong pink (52C-D), with seven vivid reddish orange (33A) rays in the throat, outside deep and strong pink (52C-D). Calyx minute, green, tinged pink. Pedicels 25mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Lvs elliptic, 150 × 50-65mm, with flat to wavy margins, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate yellow-green (137C) above, strong yellow-green (144B) and with a few glands on midribs below; petioles 25mm long, strong yellow-green (144C). Shrub 0.9 × 0.75m in 5 years. Early-mid May

(r) **'Marian'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1862), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls french white, spotted brown. Dwarf shrub. Hardy Hybrid (Sometimes seen as 'Marion')

(r) **'Marian'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: J.H. Mangles (pre 1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c9/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 55 × 60-70mm, 5-lobed, deep pink (51B) in bud, opening white, tinged very pale pink externally on dorsal lobe; spotted deep yellow-green on dorsal lobe inside. Calyx up to 13mm long, irregular, pale green, tinged very pale pink on lobes. Lvs oblanceolate, up to 120 × 40mm, pale to mid green and shiny above, hairless below

(a) **'Mariana'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958) (Probably the plant listed by A. Verschaffelt (1840) and described by C. van Geert (1877) as orange-yellow, blushed pink Ghent azalea)

(r) **'Marian Corley'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vera Elliott' × 'Loder's White' H: W. Elliott (1976), G: W. Elliott (1982), N: W. Elliott, REG: W. Elliott

(1989) Fls 8/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 83 × 102mm, with 7 very wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (68C) in bud, opening pale yellowish pink (39D) with a light yellow-green (154D) throat, outside light pink (49C); moderately scented. Calyx 19mm long, lobes recurved, light yellow-green (154D). Lvs elliptic, 127-152 × 51-64mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.8m in 10 years. Early-mid May

(a) **'Marian Lee'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kagetsu' × 'Hazel Dawson' × *indicum* R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1964) Fls 65-70mm wide, centre white, washed over with alizarin pink, edged with nopal red (varying in width from 7-10mm), blotch of slightly darker spots. Lvs narrow, completely evergreen in a mild winter. Shrub 1.4m in 10 years. Midseason. Very hardy. Back Acres (Sometimes listed in error as 'Marion Lee')

(a) **'Marianne'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Linda Jean' × 'Hahn's Red' R: W.L. Guttormsen (pre 1987), N: W.L. Guttormsen Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, strong pink (48C). Small shrub. Late April

(r) **'Marianne'** (Syn. of 'Hachmann's Marianne')

(r) **'Marianne Hardy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *lacteum* × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* H: L. de Rothschild, G: L. de Rothschild, I: A.E. & G.A. Hardy, REG: A.E. & G.A. Hardy (1982) Fls 11-15/truss, funnel-shaped, up to 60 × 95mm, 7-lobed, creamy white (between 155A and 4D), with a blotch of yellow-orange in the dorsal throat. Calyx rudimentary, green. Lvs elliptic, up to 260 × 100mm, dark green above, hairless. FCC 1982

(a) **'Marianne Härig'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Hellmut Vogel' I: H. Härig (1977) Fls deep pink (50B); otherwise similar to parent. Indian

(a) **'Marianne Holman'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Nadine' I: O.S. Pride (1956), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft pink

(r) **'Marianne von Weizsäcker'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kluis Triumph' (s) × *insigne* H: J. Bruns Nursery (1961), G: J. Bruns Nursery (1969), N: J. Bruns Nursery (1990), I: J. Bruns Nursery (1990), REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1996) Fls 18-26/pyramidal, partially rounded truss, open funnel-shaped, 40-55 × 50-70mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, strong red in bud, opening bright red throughout, with dark red markings on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 2-10mm long, faint reddish green. Lvs elliptic, 73-155 × 25-55mm, flat, matt green above, acuminate at apex, narrowed at base. Shrub 0.9 × 1.4m in 15 years. Late May-early June. (First published in Schmalscheidt, *Rhododendron- und Azaleenzüchtung in Deutschland*, part II (1930-1990), (2nd edn), 1991)

(a) **'Maria Pia'** (Syn. of 'Princess Maria Pia')

(r) **'Maria's Choice'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Apricot Gold' × 'Lem's Cameo' H: K. Van de Ven, G: K. Van de Ven (1985), N: K. Van de Ven, I: K. Van de Ven, REG: K. Van de Ven (1986) Fls double, 15-18/truss, funnel-shaped, 75 × 100mm, light yellow (15D), lobes moderate yellowish pink (38B). Lvs elliptic, 130 × 50mm. Shrub 1.0m

(r) **'Maria's Dream'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' (s) × 'Bluebell' H: T. Huisman (1987), G: T. Huisman (1992), N: J.A. Leonard (2000), REG: J.A. Leonard (2000) Fls 12/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, opening greenish white (155C), lightly flushed light purplish pink (62C) at sinuses inside, more heavily flushed (62C) on midribs outside; a prominent dorsal flare shading from deep yellowish pink (47C) to strong yellow (153D). Calyx c3mm long, brilliant greenish yellow (151D). Lvs oblanceolate, 75-150 × 20-45mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins downcurved, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 0.7m in 6 years. Late May-early June

(r) **'Maria Stenning'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Janet Blair' × 'Calsap' H: D.L. Hinerman (1979), G: D.L. Hinerman (1984), N: D.L. Hinerman, REG: D.L. Hinerman (1990) Fls 24/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, very light purple (75C), with comma-shaped markings of reddish purple on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 6mm long, green. Lvs ovate, 127 × 51mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 10 years. Mid May

(a) **'Maria Stuart'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: F. Schneider (1863), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Maria van Zelm'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'President Roosevelt' (s) × 'Lady Primrose' H: T. Slykerman, G: T. Slykerman (1981), N: T. Slykerman, REG: T. Slykerman (1985) Fls 12-15/truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 60mm, moderate purplish pink (66D). Lvs lanceolate, 75 × 25mm. Shrub 1.0m

(r) **'Maricee'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: seedling from *sargentianum* G: Mr & Mrs J.F. Caperci, S: Mr & Mrs J.F. Caperci, N: Mr & Mrs J.F. Caperci (1959), REG: Mr & Mrs J.F. Caperci (1961) Fls 10/globular, compact truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 20 × 17mm, half the fls 4-lobed, one third 5-lobed, the remainder 3-lobed, white. Lvs 17 × 8mm, more-or-less dark glossy green. Shrub 30-40cm tall. *AM 1983

(r) **'Maricela'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pineapple Delight' (s) × 'Hill's Low Red' H: J. Barlup (1989), G: J. Barlup (1994), N: J. Barlup (1998), REG: J. Barlup (1998) Fls 11/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 80mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, moderate red (47A) in bud, opening strong yellowish pink (43D) throughout, with moderate red (185B) spotting on the dorsal lobe and deep red (185A) nectaries. Calyx up to 40mm long, strong yellowish pink (43D) with some deep red (185A) spotting. Lvs elliptic, 130 × 55mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive

green (147A) above, with a slight tomentum on new growth and more persistent, sparse hairs below (hairs brownish orange (164A), both when young and with age). Shrub 0.75 × 1.2m in 9 years. Early May

(a) **'Marie'** (Syn. of 'Ophelia')

(a) **'Marie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* (s) × *oldhamii* R: L. de Rothschild (c 1933), N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, flat-faced, 75mm wide, bright red (1958 Register); fls large, hose-in-hose, cerise. Shrub to 1.9m

(a) **'Marie'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1985) Fls purplish pink. Knap Hill (Grown in New Zealand)

(a) **'Marie-Antoinette'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1911), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, rose. Indian

(r) **Marie-Antoinette Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Albatross Group (s) × Ariel Group R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1945), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white flushed pink, with green markings. Tall shrub. May-June

(a) **'Marie-Claire Rodrigue'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Knut Erwen' I: C. Rodrigue (1977) Fls vivid purplish red (57D), with fading edge of moderate purplish pink (66D); otherwise similar to parent. Indian

(a) **'Marie-Claude Truffaut'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Haerens Saumoneus' I: G.J. Bier & Sons (1953), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep to strong pink (52C-D); otherwise similar to 'Avenir'. Syn: 'Truffaut'. Indian

(r) **'Marie Curie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* × *fortunei* hybrid H: J.J. Crosfield (1939), N: High Beeches Gardens Conservation Trust, REG: High Beeches Gardens Conservation Trust (1992) Fls 12-13/loose truss, campanulate, up to 70 × 80mm, 5-lobed, deep pink (50B), lower lobes paler with darker veins, upper throat sparsely spotted reddish brown; stamens 10, irregular, filaments white, anthers dark brown. Calyx 5-lobed, up to 10mm long, greenish, flushed pink. Lvs broadly elliptic, up to 115 × 65mm, dark green above, paler below, hairless. Shrub 3 × 3m in 20 years. May. AM 1992

(r) **'Marie Day'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marquis of Lothian' (s) × 'Australian Sunset' H: D.J. Dosser (1995), G: D.J. Dosser (2001), N: D.J. Dosser, REG: D.J. Dosser (2002) Fls c19/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 100mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (67A) in bud, opening inside white with a pink margin, outside deep purplish pink (67C) edged strong purplish pink (67D); a slight blotch of strong purplish red (60D) deep in the dorsal throat. Lvs oblong, 130 × 45mm, margins flat, acute at apex, shortly attenuate at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 0.45 × 0.45m in 6 years. November (Tasmania). (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0035243))

(a) **'Marie de Bourgogne'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1871), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pinkish white, with a dark nankeen yellow blotch (van Houtte); L. de Cock (1868) listed one as red, finely striped rose. Ghent (May earlier have been known as 'Candidissimum')

(a) **'Marie Derby'** (An error for 'Maria Derby')

(a) **'Marie Dorothée'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Verschaffelt (1846), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large trusses, pinkish white, edged bright rose, dorsal lobe spotted with lemon yellow (L. van Houtte, 1871 and many other sources). Ghent (L. Verschaffelt (1846) list it as all white except for one yellow lobe)

(a) **'Marie Elena'** (An error for 'Maria Elena')

(r) **'Marie Elise'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Christie Ess' × 'Arthur Bedford' H: M. Stockman (1983), G: M. & H. Stockman (1991), N: M. & H. Stockman, I: M. & H. Stockman (1992), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1992) Fls 10/lax, ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 41 × 64mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, light reddish purple (74C) at margins, shading to nearly white at centre of each lobe, large dorsal blotch of vivid red (45A) spotted with vivid red (46A); outside light reddish purple (74C); stamens 10, slightly curved, unequal; style red, 10mm long. Calyx 6mm long, reddish. Pedicels 19mm long, brown. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 89 × 25mm, convex, acute at apex, oblique at base, bullate and glossy mid green above, hairless; petioles 16mm long, light green. Shrub 0.3 × 0.3m in 9 years. Late May

(r) **'Marie Fallon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Van Nes Sensation' (s) × *ponticum* H: E. Lyon (1989), G: E. Lyon (1994), N: E. Lyon (1999), REG: E. Lyon (1999) Fls 19/pyramidal truss, open funnel-shaped, 60 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep mauve in bud, opening inside soft lilac mauve, outside lilac mauve; with a distinct reddish flare; jagged style. Calyx 30mm long, pale green. Lvs oblong-ovate, 155 × 50mm, acuminate at apex, obtuse at base, flat, matt green, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 1.9m in 10 years. Mid October-mid November (New Zealand)

(a) **'Marie Fiedler'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: unknown (1892), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pure white. Indian

(r) **'Marie Fortie'** cv. Parentage unknown R: B. Fortie (pre 1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 14-23/compact, conical truss, 40-60mm wide, usually dark wine red, with a blotch of dark markings. Late May-mid June. Syn: 'Mademoiselle Marie Fortie', 'Mary Forte'

(r) **'Marie Giasi'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid seedling (s) × *maximum* H: W.D. Smith (1969), G: W.D. Smith (1974), N: W.D. Smith, I: W.D. Smith (1980), REG: W.D. Smith (1983) Fls 17/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, 5-lobed, deep purplish red (61A) shaded vivid purplish red (61C) in bud, opening strong purplish red (63A) with deep purplish

red (71A) dorsal spotting on a white ground. Calyx 25mm long, pale yellow-green. Lvs between narrowly elliptic and elliptic, 120 × 45mm, moderate olive green (137A), hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.8m in 8 years. Mid May

(r) **'Marie Irene'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Queen Souriya' × unknown G: A. Harris, N: Mrs I. Henry, REG: Mrs I. Henry (1988) Fls 12/truss, broadly funnel-shaped (almost flat when fully open, with recurved lobes), 65 × 100-120mm, 7-lobed, deep purplish pink (68A), paling to light purplish pink (68D) in centre, throat dark red (59A), darker flare and spots on dorsal lobe of moderate purplish red (59C). Calyx 2mm long, green, edged red. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 140 × 55mm, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 1.8m (in 1988). October-November (New Zealand). (Raised from seed from American Rhododendron Society seed exchange, c1973)

(r) **'Marie Jones'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1861), INC: ICRA (1958) (Exhibited at Metz in 1861 by Backès)

(a) **'Marie Louise'** (Syn. of 'Marjorie' (Glenn Dale))

(a) **'Marie-Louise'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: de Marcq (pre 1845), N: de Marcq, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single (with 5 stamens), white, with lavender rose stripes. Late. Syn: 'Madame Marie Louise'. Indian

(a) **'Marie-Louise Sport'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Marie-Louise' R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls coral pink. Indian

(r) **'Marie-Martine'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Croux (pre 1965), N: Croux Fls in rounded trusses, with very wavy-edged lobes, tinged pink in bud, opening white. June

(r) **'Marie Oliva Schlicková'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* × 'Pink Pearl' R: B. Kavka (c 1958), N: B. Kavka Fls 8-15/globose or sunken globose truss, 100mm wide, whitish pink purple (633/1-633/3+533) in bud, opening purple pink fading to white in centre (533/1-533/2), conspicuous blotch of dark brown-purple (1030-1030/2) sometimes shaded yellow-green (861-861/2). Lvs broadly elliptic, 118 × 54mm, slightly glossy green (0960/1-0960). Shrub c0.9m in 9 years. Syn: 'M.O. Schlicková'

(a) **'Marie Planchon'** (Syn. of 'Mademoiselle Marie Planchon')

(a) **'Marie Röder'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: F. Schneider (1863), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Marie-Rose'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Marie-Louise' I: M. Maenhout (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light purplish pink (55C), strong pink towards middle of lobes; otherwise similar to parent. Indian

(a) **'Marie's Choice'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hino-crimson' × *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* (s) × 'Desirée' H: A.M. Shammarello (1961), G: A.M. Shammarello (1964), N: A.M. Shammarello, I: A.M. Shammarello (1974), REG: A.M. Shammarello (1983) Fls single, 2-3/truss, 25 × 75mm, 5-lobed, white. Calyx 10mm long, strong yellow-green (5GY 7/10). Lvs more-or-less elliptic to more-or-less narrowly obovate, 45 × 20mm, setose. Shrub c0.6m in 10 years

(r) **'Marie Smith'** cv. Parentage unknown R: F. Spae (pre 1868), N: F. Spae, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Marie Starks'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (Exbury form) × red selection from Fabia Group (s) × 'Odee Wright' H: E. Murray (1974), G: E. Murray (1979), I: M. Starks (1979), REG: M. Starks (1985) Fls 14-18/truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 80mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, light yellow-green (154D) to brilliant yellow-green (154B) on dorsal lobes, with dark red (183A) dorsal blotch and peripheral dorsal spotting of same colour extending into throat. Calyx 7mm long, light yellow-green. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 45mm, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in 10 years. Mid-late April

(r) **'Marie Stuart'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1875), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush, with a maroon blotch. Large shrub

(a) **'Marie-Thérèse'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls creamy white, suffused rose at edges (Paillet, 1854). Ghent

(a) **'Marie Thérèse'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Comtesse de Flandre' I: G. van der Meulen (1893), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, lilac rose with white edges; sometimes striped. Indian

(r) **'Marie Tietjens'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mount Siga' × 'Full Moon' H: L. Bagoly (1967), G: M. Tietjens (1974), N: M. Tietjens, I: M. Tietjens (1975), REG: M. Tietjens (1975) Fls 6-7/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, buds darker than open fls which are strong purplish pink (63C) shading to strong purplish red (63B) at edges, no blotch or spots; slightly scented. Calyx 7mm long, violet. Lvs elliptic, 160 × 55mm, glossy and moderate olive green (146A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.4 × 0.5m in 7 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Marietta'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tosca' × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: H. Hachmann (1968), G: H. Hachmann (1974), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1986), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 10-14/truss, campanulate, 35-40 × 45-55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale greenish yellow (2D), eventually fading to pale yellow-green (4D), tinged deep pink (47D) inside and out (especially in bud); dorsal lobe spotted with moderate red (183C-D); pedicels reddish above. Calyx 2mm long, reddish green. Lvs ovate or ovate-elliptic, 70-88 × 30-45mm, slightly convex, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, dark glossy green above, with an inconspicuous brownish indumentum below; midveins and

petioles light green. Shrub 0.35 × 0.8m in 10 years. Mid May-mid June

(a) **'Marie van Houtte'** cv. Parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte (pre 1872), N: L. van Houtte, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, slightly spotted. FCC 1872

(r) **'Marie van Houtte'** (Syn. of' Mademoiselle Marie van Houtte')

(r) **'Marie Velaers'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with a bronze blotch

(a) **'Marie Verschaffelt'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1859), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, pale violet rose, with a golden yellow blotch. Late. Ghent (Some nineteenth century descriptions, eg. L. van Houtte, 1871, list it as white and red. Presumably the plant listed without description by C. Noble, 1855)

(a) **'Marie Vervaene'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Vervaene (1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, pure white, yellowish at base and dotted with rose and carmine red. Indian

(a) **'Marie von Schönberg'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Gebr Mardner (1858), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Marie von Woedtke'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Firma Seidel (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark violet, with brown-red spots

(a) **'Mari-kiu'** (Syn. of 'Vason')

(a) **'Mariko'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *nakaharae* R: Hydon Nurseries, N: Hydon Nurseries, REG: Hydon Nurseries (1970) Fls 1-3/truss, funnel-campanulate, up to 40 × 25mm, 5-lobed, deep yellowish pink (43C), flushed strong purplish red (54A) on dorsal throat. Calyx up to 7mm long. Lvs elliptic, up to 25 × 10mm, dark green, densely appressed hairy. Shrub to 0.3m. July. AM 1970

(a) **'Marilee'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *nakaharae*, open-pollinated G: Mrs J.W. Hill (1965), N: Mrs J.W. Hill, I: Mrs J.W. Hill (1973), REG: Mrs J.W. Hill (1974) Fls single, 1-2/truss, tubular funnel-shaped to broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 60mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged, notched lobes, deep yellowish pink (47C), with prominent deep red (53C) spotting on the dorsal lobes. Lvs elliptic, 20-25 × 10-15mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (146A) and glossy above, with silvery hairs below; smoky purple-green in winter; new shoots with reddish tan twigs. Shrub 0.5 × 1.6m in 15 years. Late June. (Raised from seed obtained from T. Rokujo)

(r) **'Mariloo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor Stocker' (s) × *lacteum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a large, well-packed truss, tubular-campanulate at first, later more open, lemon yellow, flushed with green and with some crimson spots. Large shrub. April. (Mariloo Group)

(r) **Mariloo Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor Stocker' (s) × *lacteum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1941), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Mariloo Eugenie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor Stocker' (s) × *lacteum* R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 17/large truss, pale cream, darkening on 3 dorsal lobes and marked with small, crimson spots and stained with crimson at base of throat. AM 1950 Syn: 'Eugenie' (Mariloo Group)

(r) **'Mariloo Gilbury'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor Stocker' (s) × *lacteum* R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1943), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 115mm wide, pale creamy pink, with deep pink stripes on the back of each lobe. AM 1943 Syn: 'Gilbury' (Mariloo Group)

(r) **'Marilyn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fusilier Group (s) × Fabia Group R: R. Henny, N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny, REG: R. Henny (1964) Fls large, red (almost scarlet with an orange tint). Lvs narrow, 65mm long. Low, dwarf shrub. Late May

(r) **'Marilyn Gillespie'** (An error for 'Maralyn Gillespie')

(r) **'Marilyn Horne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Bonita' × *fortunei* R: N.E. Hess (pre 1990), N: N.E. Hess Fls white, with cerise margins and a brown throat. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Syn: 'Late Brown Throat'

(a) **'Marilyn Kay'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Elsa Kärger' × 'Red Ruffles' H: D.J. Dosser, G: D.J. Dosser, N: D.J. Dosser, I: D.J. Dosser, REG: D.J. Dosser (1982) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, between vivid and strong reddish orange (42A-B)

(a) **'Marilyn Monroe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: M.E. Greentree (pre 1974), N: M.E. Greentree, I: Camellia Lodge Nursery (1974) Fls double, blush pink, flecked and striped deeper pink. Indian

(r) **'Marilyn's Show Stopper'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Westbury' (s) × 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague' H: M.J. Whitman (1993), G: M.J. & B. Whitman (1998), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (1998), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (1998) Fls 15/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 100mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (67A) in bud, opening white, with narrow, vivid purplish red (67B) edges and a brilliant yellow (11A) blotch and with strong greenish yellow (151A) spots on the three dorsal lobes; outside with strong purplish red (67A) edges and midveins, fading to white. Lvs elliptic, 190 × 70mm, wavy-edged, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.5 × 0.4m in 5 years. Early May

(a) **'Marilyn Stiner'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid R: W.D. Smith (pre 1982), N: W.D. Smith Fls hose-in-hose, 75mm wide, reddish purple. Midseason. (See *The Azalean* 4 (1): 3 (1982) for notes on parentage)

(r) **'Marimba'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *brachycarpum* subsp. *fauriei* (as var. *rufescens*) (s) × 'Goldsworth Orange' H: H. Hachmann (1967), G: H. Hachmann (1974), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1980), REG: G. Stück (1984) Fls 14-16/truss, 38-42 × 55-65mm, 5-lobed, pale yellowish pink (36D), light yellowish pink (36B-C) on lobes, marked deep to strong greenish yellow (153A-C) on a yellow ground. Calyx 3-4mm long, strong to light yellow-green (145A-B). Lvs elliptic, 90-105 × 32-36mm, hairless. Shrub up to 2.0m

(a) **'Marin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lydia Haerens' × 'Ballerina' R: H. Kerrigan (pre 1987), N: H. Kerrigan Fls double, light pink

(a) **'Marina'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Exbury, N: Exbury, I: E. de Rothschild (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale yellow, with a deeper blotch. Knap Hill

(r) **'Marina'** (Syn. of 'Hachmann's Marina')

(r) **'Marine'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *augustinii* G: Bovees Nursery, N: Bovees Nursery (1960), I: Bovees Nursery, REG: Bovees Nursery (1961) Fls 3/truss, up to 75mm wide, strong purple (5P 4/9) shading to light purple (5P 7/7), with purple spots on the dorsal lobe. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. (Originally grown on by H. Swanson from seedlings bought from J. Barto: subsequently purchased by The Bovees Nursery)

(r) **'Mariner'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Day Dream Group (s) × Hawk Group × China Group R: A.F. George, N: A.F. George, REG: A.F. George (1965) Fls 15-20/truss, ochre in bud, opening primrose yellow with a greenish yellow blotch, not fading

(a) **'Mariner's Sunset'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Saint James' (s) × 'Harukaze' R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls single, 3/truss, 75mm wide, reddish orange, with a very light pink, star-shaped centre and a purplish red blotch. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m. Late May. (First published in Holly Springs cat., 1990)

(r) **Marinka Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Solon Group (s) × Rapture Group H: Lord Aberconway (1934), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose

(r) **'Marinus Koster'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1937), N: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12-14/truss, almost flat, deep pink in bud, opening with centre fading to white, with pink edges and a large, purple, dorsal blotch. Lvs oblong-lanceolate, dark green above. *AM 1937, *FCC 1948

(r) **'Marion'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Cheal & Sons, N: J. Cheal & Sons, I: J. Cheal & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 20/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, c42 × 62mm, with wavy-edged lobes, tyrian rose (24/3), dorsal lobe spotted orange at base; outside tyrian rose (24/2). Lvs 140 × 50mm, glossy light green. Shrub 2.56m. *AM 1955 (See note under 'Lord Fairhaven')

(r) **'Marion'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pink Pearl' (s) × 'Catawbiense Grandiflorum' R: Felix & Dijkhuis, N: Felix & Dijkhuis, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, with wavy-edged lobes, deep pink, with brown spots. Syn: 'Dutch Marion'

(a) **'Marion Armstrong'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Waraigishi' × 'Kagetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1965) Fls double, opening flat like a formal camellia, with 14-20 lobes, begonia rose, with very few carmine dots on dorsal lobe. Shrub 1.5 × 1.0-1.1m. Can bloom again in autumn. Back Acres

(a) **'Marionette'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Alice' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 40-50mm wide, with overlapping lobes, eosine pink (strong pink (48C)) shading to geranium pink (deep pink (48B)) on margin, with a tyrian rose (vivid purplish red (57B)) blotch (the effect is of brilliant salmon pink with a light crimson blotch). Shrub to 2.56m. Mid April. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Marionette'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, with an orange blotch; scented. Knap Hill

(r) **'Marion Koster'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs L.A. Dunnett' (s) × *griersonianum* R: M. Koster & Sons, N: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 14/domed truss, funnel-shaped, up to 100mm wide, 5-lobed, clear ivory white; buds flushed pale pink. Lvs obovate to elliptic. *AM 1948

(a) **'Marion Lee'** (An error for 'Marian Lee')

(r) **'Marion McKelvey'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kate Waterer' (s) × 'Ripe Corn' H: G. Dixon (1992), G: G. Dixon (1999), N: G. Dixon (2002), I: G. Dixon (2002), REG: G. Dixon (2002) Fls 6/rounded truss, funnel-shaped, 70 × 110mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, inside light pink (49C) flushed light greenish yellow (3C), stronger on 2 dorsal lobes, outside pale pink (49D), flushed moderate pink (49B); red spots on a yellow ground on dorsal lobes; sweetly scented. Calyx 5mm long, green, edged red. Lvs obovate, 130 × 50mm, margins decurved, acuminate at apex, cuneate at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.4m in 10 years. Flowering from early June

(a) **'Marion Merriman'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 18-30/domed truss, flat-faced, 75-90mm wide, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, brilliant yellow (15C), flushed orange-yellow (17C), with a vivid orange-yellow (23A) blotch. Lvs light green, glossy. Midseason. *AM 1950, AM 1925. Knap Hill

(r) **'Marion Shapiro'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Slocock's Late White' × 'Mrs P.D. Williams' H: B. & M. Shapiro (1965), G: B. & M. Shapiro, N: B. & M. Shapiro, REG: B. & M. Shapiro (1989) Fls 13/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, white, with a rather prominent, brilliant yellow (7A) to dark greenish yellow (152C), speckled dorsal flare; moderately scented. Calyx 1mm long, very light green. Lvs elliptic, 102-127 × 44mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.8m in 23 years. Late May

(r) **'Marion Street'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Stanley Davies' (s) × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: F.J. Street, G: F.J. Street (1963), N: F.J. Street, REG: F.J. Street (1964) Fls 14-16/rounded truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, up to 40 × 50mm, 5-lobed, inside white in throat, flushed shades of pale purplish pink (56A-D), outside stained strong purplish pink (55B); green mottling in dorsal throat. Calyx rudimentary, green, with soft, fine hairs. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 75 × 30mm, dark green above, with a felted, brown indumentum below. AM 1978, *AM 1989

(r) **'Mario Pagliarini'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × unknown H: J.J. McGuire (1960), G: J.J. McGuire (1962), N: J.J. McGuire, REG: J.J. McGuire (1990) Fls 6-7/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 62 × 100mm, with 7 smooth-edged lobes, very pale purple (76D); highly scented. Calyx 2mm long, light green. Lvs oblong, 150 × 67mm, flat, mucronate at apex, rounded at base, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 5.5 × 4.2m in 30 years. Mid May

(r) **'Mariposa'** cv. Parentage unknown H: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (pre 1980)

(r) **'Marissa'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Fancy' × *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Coronation Day' H: J. Barlup (1984), G: J. Barlup (1989), N: J. Barlup, REG: J. Barlup (1995) Fls 17/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 60 × 85mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (68A) in bud, opening purplish pink and changing rapidly to greenish white (155C) with a tinge of light purplish pink (62C) on midribs and at tip of lobes; prominent, circular, deep red (60A) area in the throat, extending upwards 22mm on to dorsal lobe and 16mm on all other lobes; sparse, deep red (60A) spotting on dorsal lobe; stamens 12, curved, unequal. Pedicels 50mm long, strong yellow-green (145A) below, moderate red (181B) above. Lvs elliptic, 127 × 44mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (146B) below, hairless; petioles 35mm long, strong yellow-green (144A). Shrub 0.76 × 1.4m in 11 years. Mid May-early June

(a) **Marita Group** gp Deciduous azalea: *prunifolium* × *viscosum* R: Exbury, N: Exbury, I: E. de Rothschild (1945), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls moderate reddish orange to pink

(az) **'Maritime'** (An error for 'Martine')

(a) **'Maritimum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1840), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Maritimum Incarnatum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J.-B. de Saegher (1846), INC: ICRA (1958) Shrub 1.0-1.5m. Ghent

(r) **'Marj Anderson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anna' (s) × 'Captain Jack' H: G.E. Barefield (1966), G: G.E. Barefield, N: Mrs M.W. Barefield, I: Mrs M.W. Barefield, REG: Mrs M.W. Barefield (1983) Fls 11/truss, open funnel-shaped, 100 × 90mm, 5-6-lobed, light yellowish pink (36C) with deep pink (48B) dusting on top, edged strong purplish pink (55B), with a v-shaped dorsal blotch and spotting of vivid reddish orange (33A), outside strong purplish pink (55B). Calyx 30mm long, light yellowish pink (36C). Lvs narrowly elliptic to lanceolate, 150 × 50mm, moderate olive green (137A). Shrub c1.2m in 16 years

(v) **'Marjiam'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Carillon Bells' (s) × *wrightianum* var. *wrightianum* H: B. Clancy (1986), G: B. Clancy (1989), N: B. Clancy (1992), REG: B. Clancy (1993) Fls pendulous, 3-4/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 30mm, 5-lobed, the lobes flat but decurved, inside strong red (53C), outside strong red (53B). Lvs oblanceolate, 40 × 15mm, flat, matt green above, cuneate at base, obtuse at apex. Shrub 0.3 × 0.3m in 5 years. Spring/autumn

(r) **'Marjie Kay Hinerman'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nassau Red' × 'Dexter's Honeydew' H: D.L. Hinerman (1975), G: D.L. Hinerman (1984), N: D.L. Hinerman, REG: D.L. Hinerman (1988) Fls 12/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 75 × 90mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (67A) in bud, opening white, edged very pale purple (69A), with a light yellow (10C) blotch, outside very pale purple (69A). Calyx 6mm long, green. Lvs ovate, 150 × 60mm, apiculate at apex, truncate to rounded at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.1m in 10 years, with moderately scented flowers. Late May-early June

(a) **'Marjorie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* (s) × *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* R: J.B. Gable, N: O.S. Pride (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright orchid. Gable

(a) **'Marjorie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum* (s) × 'Hazel Dawson' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-2/truss, 75mm wide, with broad, rounded lobes, rose (strong purplish red (63B)), with a heavy, tyrian rose (vivid purplish red (57B)) blotch on the dorsal lobe; faint yellow flush at base of tube. Shrub to 1.2m, of spreading habit. Mid-late May. Syn: 'Marie Louise'. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Marjorie Ann'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: A. Pericat, N: Le-Mac Nurseries, I: Le-Mac Nurseries (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double and hose-in-hose, 30 × 45mm, deep pink (52B),

with darker spots. Low, spreading shrub. Midseason. Syn: 'Richesse'. Pericat

(r) **'Marjorie Baird'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Iviza Group × *campylocarpum* R: H.L. Larson, N: H.L. Larson, I: H.L. Larson, REG: H.L. Larson (1964) Fls tubular-campanulate, 50mm wide, deep yellow, with a maroon blotch. Lvs 140 × 50mm. Shrub to 1.9m in 10 years

(r) **'Marjorie Louise'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Whitney's Orange' (s) × Fabia Group × *bureavii* H: K.T. Shea (1984), G: B.J. Ogdon (1992), N: B.J. Ogdon (1998), REG: B.J. Ogdon (1998) Fls 7/lax truss, open campanulate, 52 × 73mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (54A) inside and out and in bud, with deep red (53A) markings in the throat; stigma maroon. Calyx 16mm long, deep red (53A). Lvs elliptic, 113 × 61mm, margins flat, glossy green above, with a faint white indumentum below. Shrub 0.85 × 0.85m in 10 years. Early May

(v) **'Marjory Fraser'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: chance seedling from 'Star Posy' H: M.D. Cullinane (1988), G: M.D. Cullinane (1992), N: M.L. Cullinane (1999), REG: M.L. Cullinane (1999) Fls 10-12/flat truss, funnel-shaped, 60 × 50mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, buds light brown, opening brilliant yellow (21C) inside; outside light yellow (21D), the lobes with a very fine edge of moderate red (179A); anthers moderate red (179A); stigma moderate red (181A). Calyx 5mm long, green. Pedicels moderate red (179A). Lvs elliptic, 110 × 45mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, scaly. Shrub 1.2 × 1.0m in 5 years. Flowering 3-4 times a year

(a) **'Marj T'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kirin' × 'Hinodegiri' R: G. Taylor (pre 1987), N: G. Taylor Fls slightly tubular, c40mm wide, deep pink. Compact shrub

(r) **'Marka'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Caractacus' × *decorum* R: B. Kavka (c 1962), N: B. Kavka Fls 7-13/globose to sunken globose truss, 78mm wide, dark pink shaded purple in bud (27/1+26/1-26/2), opening pink (627), with a conspicuous blotch of dark brown-red to purple (824+828-828/1); scented. Lvs elliptic, 132 × 60mm, dull green (0960/2-0960/3). Shrub 1.1m in 9 years

(a) **'Mark Bittinger'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith Fls 90mm wide, pure white. Shrub 1.2m in 9 years

(r) **'Markeeta'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from open-pollinated *adenopodum* G: D.W. Goheen (1971), N: D.W. Goheen, I: D.W. Goheen (1976), REG: D.W. Goheen (1983) Fls 16-18/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 50 × 75mm, 5-lobed, vivid purplish red (57D) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (56C), fading to almost white, with dorsal tan spotting. Calyx 3mm long, light green. Lvs very narrowly oblanceolate, 175 × 40mm, more-or-less moderate olive green (147A) above, with a pale yellow (164D) indumentum below. New shoots with a greyed-white tomentum. Shrub c1.9m in 15 years. (Seed, collected in 1964, came from University of Washington Arboretum)

(r) **'Markeeta's Flame'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi Venus' × 'Anna' H: Mrs H.P. Beck (1960), G: Flora Markeeta Nursery (1966), N: A.C. Korth, I: A.C. Korth (1972), REG: A.C. Korth (1977) Fls up to 13/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 125mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (58C), with moderate purplish red (58A) dorsal spotting. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 70mm, acute at apex, rounded at base, moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 10 years. April. Syn: 'Markeeta's Prize No. 2'

(r) **'Markeeta's Prize'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi Venus' × 'Anna' R: Markeeta Nursery, N: Markeeta Nursery, REG: Markeeta Nursery (1968) Fls 12/truss, 125mm wide, scarlet red. Lvs 150 × 65mm. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Markeeta's Prize No. 2'** (Syn. of 'Markeeta's Flame')

(r) **'Markgraf'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel (c 1902), N: T.J.R. Seidel (1910), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, dark violet, with brownish yellow to greenish yellow spots

(r) **'Mark Henny'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Diane' × *williamsianum* R: R. Henny, I: L. Henny, REG: L. Henny (1964) Fls 7-8/truss, funnel-campanulate, 45mm long, cherry red (722) to currant red (821/2). Lvs 90mm long, dark green. Shrub 40cm tall

(r) **'Mark Mansfield'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lighthouse' (s) × 'Fire Prince' H: H.R. Malone (1986), G: H.R. Malone (1993), N: R. Galbraith, I: H.R. Malone (1995), REG: R. Galbraith (1995) Fls 15/tight, rounded, cone-shaped truss, 35 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (46B) inside and out, with markings of the same colour. Lvs elliptic to oblanceolate, 80-85 × 35-39mm, flat, matt green above, rounded at base, obtuse to acute at apex, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.0m in 9 years. Mid August-mid September (Tasmania)

(r) **'Marksman'** cv. Parentage unknown R: I. Davies (pre 1896), N: I. Davies, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark carmine red, with a purple blotch

(r) **'Mark Twain'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague' × Indiana Group R: C.S. Seabrook (pre 1965), N: C.S. Seabrook, REG: C.S. Seabrook (1967) Fls in tight trusses, campanulate, up to 75mm wide, currant red (821-821/3). Lvs large. Large shrub. Mid May

(r) **'Marlene Peste'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Corona' × *haematodes* H: F. Peste (1971), G: F. & L. Peste (1977), N: L. Peste, REG: S.P. Johnston (1986) Fls 13/ball truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 44 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (45A), which does not fade, with very light, deep red (53A) spotting on the dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 89 ×

35mm, glossy and moderate olive green (146A) above, with a moderate orange-yellow (164B) woolly indumentum on young foliage. Shrub 0.86 × 0.95m in 14 years. Mid May

(r) **'Marlene Saye'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Fawn' × 'Dot' H: D.W. James (pre 1953), G: A.A. Childers (1960), N: A.A. Childers, I: Bovees Nursery, REG: A.A. Childers (1988) Fls 15/tall, conical truss, open to broadly funnel-shaped, 67 × 114mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, light pink in bud, opening white with deep greenish yellow (153A) spotting on dorsal lobe; highly scented. Calyx less than 3mm long, light yellow-green (145B). Lvs narrowly oblong to oblanceolate, 102-165 × 32-44mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 3.0 × 1.8m in 28 years. Early May

(a) **'Marlene Vuyk'** (Syn. of 'Lily Marleen')

(r) **'Marlene Vuyk'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Direktor E. Hjelm' × unknown H: D.G. Hobbie, S: A. Vuyk, N: A. Vuyk, I: Vuyk van Nes, B.V. (1976), REG: RoyalBoskoop Hort. Soc. (1988) Fls 12-15/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50-70 × 50-60mm, with very wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (68A), with reddish markings. Calyx green. Lvs like *fortunei*, 200-250 × 40-80mm, hairless. May. (Published in *Dendroflora* 18:76 (1981))

(r) **'Marley Hedges'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anna' × 'Purple Splendour' H: Mrs E.M. Watson (1970), G: Mrs E.M. Watson (1984), N: Mrs E.M. Watson, REG: Mrs E.M. Watson (1987) Fls 24/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 70 × 102mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish red (71A) in bud, opening white, edged strong reddish purple (72B) inside and with a 51 × 38mm, greyed purple (184) blotch on the dorsal lobe and strong red (53C) nectaries; outside strong reddish purple (72B). Calyx 1.5mm long, light yellow-green (145B). Lvs elliptic, 165 × 51mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and yellow-green (147) above, moderate yellow-green (147C) below, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 0.6m in 18 years. Mid May

(r) **'Marley's Ghost'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' (s) × 'Merley Cream' H: A.W. Smith (pre 1989), G: D. Irish-Hosler (1997), N: D. Irish-Hosler (2000), REG: D. Irish-Hosler (2000) Fls 17/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 55 × 75mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, white in bud, opening white throughout, with a spotted green dorsal flare; stigma bright pink. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 40mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, margins downcurved, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 0.9m in c12 years. Late May

(a) **'Marlies'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: M.C. Pratt (1964), G: M.C. Pratt (1968), N: F. de Jong, I: F. de Jong, REG: M.C. Pratt (1985) Fls 9/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 65-75 × 85-90mm, 5-lobed, vivid red (52A) in bud with white midribs to lower lobes, opening deep pink (52B) inside, with a strong orange (24A) dorsal blotch. Calyx 3.5mm long, green. Lvs elliptic to oblanceolate, 85 × 28mm, pale green and slightly shiny above, greyish below. Late

(r) **'Marlis'** (Syn. of 'Hachmann's Marlis')

(r) **'Marlon'** (An error for 'Marion')

(a) **'Marmalade'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1956), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as a parent of 'Farall Yellow')

(a) **'Marmion'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, yellow, with an amber blotch. Midseason. *AM 1936. Mollis

(r) **'Marmion'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1857), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple crimson, shaded white

(a) **'Marmora'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Madame Margottin' (s) × 'Warai-gao' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 2-4/truss, 50-65mm wide, pure white, with no blotch. Shrub to 2.2m. Mid April. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Marmora'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* (s) × Margaret Dunn Group R: Sunningdale Nurseries, N: Sunningdale Nurseries, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright orange-yellow, flushed rose at tips

(r) **'Marmoratum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: sport from 'Album Novum' S: Baumschulbetrieb Ernst Stührenberg (c 1957), N: Baumschulbetrieb Ernst Stührenberg Lvs golden variegated, otherwise similar to parent

(a) **'Marmot'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vida Brown' (s) × 'Vuyk's Scarlet' H: P.A. Cox, G: P.A. Cox, N: P.A. Cox, I: Glendoick Gardens (1993), REG: Glendoick Gardens (1993) Fls solitary, funnel-shaped, 55mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (55A), unmarked. Calyx negligible. Lvs lanceolate-elliptic, up to 12 × 8mm, flat, rounded at base, acuminate at apex. Shrub 0.25 × 0.6m in c10 years. Late May-early June

(r) **'Marnie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs C.B. van Nes' × Albatross Group H: R. Malone (1983), G: Mr & Mrs T. Lockhart (1990), N: Mr & Mrs T. Lockhart (1992), REG: N. Sullivan (1992) Fls 16/truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, with 6 smooth-edged lobes, buds deep red (60A), opening deep purplish pink (61D) inside and vivid purplish red (61C) outside; centre paler with two small "feathers" of strong red (50A). Lvs lanceolate, 150 × 50mm, flat, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 7 years. Spring

(r) **'Maroon'** (See 'The Maroon')

(r) **'Maroon Bells'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *forrestii* Repens Group (s) × *williamsianum* H: A. Meerkerk (pre 1975), G: Meerkerk Rhododendron Gardens, N: W.A. Stipe, I: Meerkerk Rhododendron Gardens (1993), REG: W.A. Stipe (1993) Fls 6/lax

truss, funnel-shaped, 54 × 76mm, with 7 smooth-edged lobes, deep purplish red (187D) throughout, unmarked; stamens 12, curved. Pedicels 25mm long, maroon. Lvs elliptic, 64 × 38mm, convex, cuspidate at apex, rounded at base, dull and dark yellowish green (139A) above, dull and moderate yellowish green (139B) below, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in c15 years. Early April

(r) **Maroze Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Red Admiral Group (s) × *meddianum* H: J.B. Stevenson (1937), G: J.B. Stevenson, N: J.B. Stevenson, I: J.B. Stevenson (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls tubular, waxy red

(r) **'Marquarto Jock'** cv. Parentage unknown L: W.E. Whitney (1973) Fls pink. Semi-dwarf shrub

(a) **'Marquis Corsi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Etabl. Linden (1874), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine rose, with black spots in the middle. (*Revue Horticole* (1874, p.74) has a rhododendron (not azalea) as 'Marquis Corsi Salviati':- lilac, marked violet purple. There may be two plants involved or a confusion as to the name and identity)

(a) **'Marquis de la Ferté'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Paillet (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. Ghent

(a) **'Marquis de Pepoli'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. de Kneef (1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose, with a broad, pure white scallop edge and a black carmine red blotch. Indian

(a) **'Marquis de Vianna'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Paillet (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac rose on a white ground. Ghent

(r) **'Marquise de Brazais'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Croux Fils (1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls old rose, with a strong garnet blotch

(a) **'Marquise de la Fuente'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1879), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, bright salmon red, the three dorsal lobes with a black-purple blotch on an amaranth ground. Indian

(r) **'Marquis of Downshire'** (See 'The Marquis of Downshire')

(a) **'Marquis of Lorne'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1871), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, orange, with a saffron blotch. FCC 1871 Syn: 'Orange Boven'. Indian

(r) **'Marquis of Lothian'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* × *griffithianum* H: W. Martin (pre 1880), G: W. Martin, N: W. Martin, I: W. Martin (1880), REG: Dunedin Rhododendron Group (1977) Fls vivid red (52A) to deep pink (52C), with a pronounced flush of a darker colour

(r) **'Marquis of Waterford'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1871), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright pink, lighter in centre

(r) **'Marrakesch'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* seedling × 'Manderley' × Albatross Group R: E.A. Stöckmann (1977) Fls salmon red in bud, opening salmon-coloured with a red-brown throat, paling with age. Compact shrub, 0.6 × 1.1m in 10 years

(a) **'Mars'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: F.R. Kinghorn (1861), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red, almost scarlet, the dorsal lobes spotted purplish crimson. Indian

(a) **'Mars'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Sander (c 1885), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls intense scarlet. Sander

(r) **'Mars'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid R: J. & C. Lee (pre 1843), N: J. & C. Lee, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson

(r) **'Mars'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in conical trusses, broadly campanulate, deep red/rich crimson, with a slight tinge of bronze. Lvs deep green. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. AM 1928, *FCC 1935 (Bean (8th edn., 1976) records it as a hybrid of 'Corona', but the plant shows little evidence of this)

(v) **'Mars'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *multicolor* (as var. *curtisii*) × un-named double salmon (no.207) R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1891), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Marsalla'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hyperion' (Waterer) (s) × 'Herme' H: H. Hachmann (1980), G: H. Hachmann (1985), N: H. Hachmann (1986), I: H. Hachmann (1994), REG: G. Stück (1995) Fls 15-17/dense, rounded truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 80-95mm wide, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, inside nearly pure white, slightly tinged light lilac (midveins are pure white); dorsal lobe with a large, conspicuous, dark red (187A/B) blotch; outside almost white; filaments pure white, very long; style ususually long, stigma strong red (53A). Calyx 2-3mm long, yellowish green, edged with rose red. Pedicels strong yellow-green (144B/C). Lvs elliptic, v-shaped in section, slightly wavy-edged, 90-130(-140)x40-60mm, rounded at base, apiculate at apex, glossy green, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.6m in 10 years. Mid May-early June. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1995/96)

(r) **'Mars Bars'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × 'Barclayi Robert Fox' H: P.G. Valder (1972), G: J.C. Brotherton (1980), N: J.C. Brotherton, I: J.C. Brotherton (1984), REG: J.C. Brotherton (1986) Fls 15/domed truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 51 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, dark red (2.5R 3/7), with black spotting in throat. Calyx 3-6mm long, light pink. Lvs narrowly obovate, 152 × 51mm, greyish olive

green (5GY 3/2) above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 0.9m in 12 years. Early April. (Grown from N.Am.Rhodo.Soc. Seed Exchange, 1972)

(a) **'Marshal Foch'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown Fls yellow, margined orange-red. Mollis (Probably raised pre 1958)

(r) **'Marshall'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *haematodes* (s) × *elliottii* H: Exbury, I: E. de Rothschild (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright scarlet or red. Lvs deep green above, with a slight, fawn indumentum below. Spreading habit. May. (Marshall Group)

(r) **Marshall Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *haematodes* (s) × *elliottii* H: Exbury, I: E. de Rothschild (1947), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Marshall Blücher'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow-orange, with brown blotches. Mollis

(r) **'Marshallii'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale purple, with a large, dark blotch. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Marshall Lyons'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ole Olson' × 'Loderi King George' R: M.W. Lyons, N: M.W. Lyons, I: M.W. Lyons (1971), REG: M.W. Lyons (1971) Fls 150 × 150mm, moderate purplish pink (62B), with deeper shades and a red blotch. Lvs ovate, 160 × 75mm. Mid May

(v) **'Marshall Pierce Madison'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Triumphans' × *javanicum* × *leucogigas* H: P. Sullivan (1972), G: P. Sullivan (1976), N: P. Sullivan, I: P. Sullivan, REG: W.A. Moynier (1987) Fls 14-16/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 76 × 89mm, with (5-)7 wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (48C); highly scented. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 203 × 76mm, moderate olive green (147A) above, strong yellow-green (144A) below, with tiny, closely spaced brown scales. Shrub 1.0 × 0.9m in 7 years. November-January

(a) **'Marshall P. Wilder'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1880), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rounded, white (looks as if sprayed with sand), striped lilac rose (1958 Register). Indian (J. Veitch (1884 cat.) describes a plant with this name as salmon scarlet, with large double fls - perhaps another plant)

(r) **'Marshall Stilwell'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: J.C. Cowles (pre 1965), G: Heritage Plantation, N: R.H. Gustafson, J. & N. Beaudry, REG: R.H. Gustafson (2000) Fls 8/loose ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 65mm, with 7 flat-edged lobes, strong red (51A) in bud, opening strong pink (48C) and changing to strong pink (50C) at edges, fading inside to pale yellow (19C) with a light yellow (12C) throat, fading outside to light yellowish pink (19B) and pale yellow (19C); moderately to strongly scented. Lvs oblong, 110 × 50mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, margins flat, dull and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub to at least 3.3 × 2.4m. Mid-late May (New Jersey)

(r) **'Marshfield'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), N: Swarthmore College/Heritage Plantation (pre 1978) Fls dark pink, fading lighter towards centre, with a red blotch in the throat. Compact shrub

(r) **'Marshmallow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Loderi Group seedling (s) × unknown H: Mrs R.J. Coker, G: A.G. Holmes, N: Mrs R.J. Coker, I: A.G. Holmes, REG: Mrs R.J. Coker (1982) Fls 10/truss, light purplish pink (62C), with a faint red-purple flare in the throat. Lvs 150 × 60mm, hairless

(r) **'Marshmallow Cloud'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Oh My!' × 'Besse Howells' (s) × 'Oh My!' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, pale greenish yellow (1D) and greenish white (157D) in bud, opening white with a pale greenish yellow (1D) flare and strong yellow-green (144B) dorsal spots; filaments yellowish white (155D), anthers moderate purplish pink (186D); style moderate purplish red (184D), stigma moderate purplish red (184C). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Marsie'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *nuttallii* × *dalhousiae* × *lindleyi* (exact combination unknown) G: Mrs M. Wilson, I: C.A. McLaughlin, REG: Dunedin Rhododendron Group (1992) Fls 2-4/truss, campanulate (flaring at edges), 105 × 110mm, 5-lobed, greyish yellow-green (148D) in bud, opening moderate yellow (160A) and ageing to pale yellow (160D) and eventually to yellowish white (155B), with a slight rose streak down centre of lobes on outside. Calyx 12mm long, green, tinged pink. Lvs lanceolate, narrowed at base, 220 × 70mm, bullate, glaucous below; new foliage with a pink/silver bloom. Shrub 3.0m tall in 24 years. (Original seedling probably from Massey College (NZ) & distributed at an NZ Rh.Assoc.Conference (c1952?))

(r) **'Mars Novus'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Betsy Trotwood' × 'Mars' L: Firma Seidel (pre 1880), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet, paler in the throat

(a) **'Marta'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) (Recorded as a parent of several Glenn Dale azaleas (eg. 'Bopeep'))

(a) **'Martha'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose. Low, spreading shrub. Late. Kaempferi

(a) **'Martha Gardner'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Comtesse de Kerchove' (Indian) × unknown H: I.C. Nichols, G: I.C. Nichols (1975), N: I.C. Nichols, I: I.C. Nichols, REG: I.C. Nichols (1986) Fls hose-in-hose, 2-3/truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 65mm, vivid reddish orange (34A); no stamens. Lvs elliptic, 40 × 15mm. Shrub 2.0m. Indian

(a) **'Martha Hitchcock'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 75mm wide, mature plants with white fls edged with strong purplish red (72A); young plants may produce only strong reddish purple (72B) selfs, with darker spotting on all, or just dorsal, lobes. Lvs 70 × 30mm, dark dull green above, hairy. Shrub to 1.2m, of spreading habit. Midseason. *HC 1967, *AM 1972, *FCC 1976. Glenn Dale

(az) **'Martha Isaacson'** cv. Azaleodendron: *occidentale* × 'Mrs Donald Graham' R: E. Ostbo, N: E. Ostbo, REG: E. Ostbo (1961) Fls white, with pink stripes. Lvs deep maroon. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Martha May'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × Tally Ho Group R: R. Henny, I: L. Henny, REG: L. Henny (1964) Fls 10/upright truss, clear red. Lvs up to 150 × 50mm. Shrub to 2.2m. June

(r) **'Martha Peste'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lillian Peste' (s) × 'Lillian Peste' H: F. Peste, G: F. & L. Peste (1983), N: L. Peste, REG: S.P. Johnston (1986) Fls 13/ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 51 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds strong pink (48C), streaked light yellowish pink (27B), opening pale yellowish pink (27C), tinged and streaked deep pink (48B); spotting moderate reddish orange (35A) mostly on dorsal lobe; throat strong red (53B) for c3mm; basic colour changes with age to pale orange-yellow (19D). Calyx 44mm long, 27C, streaked 48D with 53B throat. Lvs obovate, 95 × 32mm, moderate olive green (147A); young lvs with a moderate yellow (161A) indumentum. Shrub 0.76 × 0.81m in c8 years. Late May

(r) **'Martha Phipps'** cv. Parentage unknown H: H. Phipps (1965), G: H. Phipps, N: H. Phipps, I: H. Phipps (1971), REG: H. Phipps (1973) Fls 7-10/compact truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 100mm, 7-lobed, crimson in bud, opening inside close to deep yellowish pink (41D), shading to pale yellow-green (4D) in the throat. Calyx minute. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 130 × 45mm. Shrub 1.1 × 1.7m in 7 years. Mid May

(r) **'Martha Robbins'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *forrestii* Repens Group × *sperabile* H: L.E. Brandt, N: F.M. Robbins (1970), REG: F.M. Robbins (1970) Fls 4/truss, 40 × 55mm, vividred (45A). Lvs 50 × 25mm, dark green, glossy, slightly bullate. Shrub 1.0 × 1.9-2.2m in 22 years. Mid March-April

(a) **'Martha's Double'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: USA (pre 1987) Fls semi-double, with rounded lobes, 65-70mm wide, white. Upright, rounded shrub

(r) **'Martha Wright'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *burmanicum* × 'Fragrantissimum' R: M.H. & Mrs F. Sumner (pre 1963), N: M.H. & Mrs F. Sumner, I: M.H. & Mrs F. Sumner, REG: M.H. & Mrs F. Sumner (1967) Fls up to 4/truss, tubular-campanulate, up to 90mm wide, creamy white, with a yellow centre; scented. Lvs 75 × 40mm, dark green, glossy and bullate above. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m

(a) **'Martian Boy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Agnes Neale' R: G. Taylor (pre 1984), N: G. Taylor Fls double, white, with wavy-edged lobes

(r) **'Martian King'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Gipsy King Group (s) × 'Mars' H: W. Hanke (1978), G: W. Hanke (1982), N: W. Hanke (1986), I: Hanke's RhododendronNursery (1986), REG: E.G. Hall (1999) Fls 10-12/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, dark red (59A) in bud, opening deep red (53A) throughout; unmarked; anthers cream-coloured. Calyx 15mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 150 × 50mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, margins slightly decurved, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 10 years. Mid May. (First published in *Greer's Guidebook*, 3rd edn (1996))

(a) **'Martie'** (Syn. of 'Ilam Martie')

(az) **'Martine'** cv. Azaleodendron: *racemosum* (s) × a Kurume azalea R: P.W. Hardijzer, N: P.W. Hardijzer, REG: P.W. Hardijzer (1964) Fls 2-4 in each of 5-10 lateral trusses (forming a compact pseudoterminal head), funnel-shaped, 30mm wide, fuchsine pink (627/1), with darker spots on the dorsal lobe; anthers 5-6. Lvs glossy. Shrub 0.8m. (Has been listed in error as 'Maritime')

(a) **'Martine Maenhout'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Madame Joseph Maenhout' I: R. Verhaege & Sons (1970) Fls strong pink (50C), with a narrow, somewhat lighter edge and a strong red (46A) blotch; otherwise similar to 'Comtesse de Kerchove'. Indian

(r) **'Martin Hope Sutton'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1888), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 11-18/compact, rounded truss, 60-70mm wide, magenta red, with black markings. Late May-early June

(r) **'Martin's Pride'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Blue Peter' × 'Purple Splendour' × 'Trilby' H: M. Wapler (c 1964), G: M. Wapler, I: Del's Lane County Nursery, REG: Del's Lane County Nursery (1979) Fls 12-15/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 75mm wide, with wavy to very wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish purple (10P 4/10), lightly spotted strong yellowish brown (10YR 5/6). Lvs narrowly elliptic to oblong, 115 × 40mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dark green above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 6 years. Late May

(a) **'Martin Stewart'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown, seedling R: C.E. Brown, N: D. Stewart & Son (1957), I: D. Stewart & Son, REG: D. Stewart & Son (1961) Fls hose-in-hose, 3-4/truss, funnel-shaped, c25 × 35mm, deep purplish pink (55A). Shrub to c1.0 × 1.0m. *HC 1957

(a) **'Martin's White'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Martin (pre 1965), N: J. Martin Fls

hose-in-hose, 2-4/truss, 40-50mm wide, white. Shrub 0.6-0.8m

(r) **'Martin Van Hof'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from an open-pollinated, un-named *fortunei* hybrid G: J.J. McGuire (1962), S: J.J. McGuire (1962), N: J.J. McGuire, I: Rhode Island Agricult. Experiment Station (1989), REG: J.J. McGuire (1989) Fls 8-10/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 100mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, very pale purple (69B), with a dark red (59A) blotch in the throat extending part of the way up the dorsal lobe; slightly scented. Calyx 1mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 55mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 3.7 × 3.0m in 20 years. Mid-late May

(a) **'Martin Winter'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Coelestine' hybrid R: K. Glaser, N: K. Glaser, I: K. Glaser (1963) Fls single, small, red. Calyx normal, green. Midseason. Indian

(a) **'Maruba-osaka Zuki'** (See note under 'Jeff Hill')

(v) **'Marudu Bay'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *zoelleri* × *macgregoriae* × *suaveolens* H: F.D. Mossman (c 1980), G: A. Jensen, N: L. Sorensen-Smith (1997), I: Bovees Nursery (1997), REG: L. Sorensen-Smith (1999) Fls 8-15/domed truss, elongated tubular funnel-shaped, 47 × 35mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pink and white in bud, opening light purplish pink (55C) inside, pale purplish pink (55D) outside, tube yellowish white (155D) inside and out. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 45mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (137B) above, with no visible indumentum. Shrub pendent, 0.6 × 0.45m in 10 years. Flowering several times each year. (First published in Bovees Nursery cat., 1997)

(a) **'Maruschka'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Rubinstern' × 'Rubinetta' × 'Johanna' H: H. Hachmann (1976), G: H. Hachmann (1979), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1988), REG: G. Stück (1991) Fls 2/truss, funnel-shaped, 35-40 × 40-50mm, with 6(-8), partly toothed lobes, strong purplish red (58B) throughout, unmarked; stamens 6 (some occasionally petaloid); filaments deep purplish pink (58D); style strong purplish red (58B), stigma moderate purplish red (58A). Calyx 3-4mm long, light greyish green. Fl. colour does not fade in sun. Lvs obovate, 25 × 10mm, glossy and blackish green/dark reddish brown above, becoming blackish/bronzed in winter. Shrub 0.45 × 0.7m in 12 years, of dense, compact habit. Late May-early June. (Published in *Deutsche Rhododendron-Gesellschaft Jahrbuch 1990* p.60 (1991))

(a) **'Marvee'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Louise Gable' × 'Ward's Ruby' H: W.L. Guttormsen (1962), G: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen (1970), REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1979) Fls double (with no stamens), 3-5/truss, funnel-shaped, 50mm wide, with 10-12 flat-edged lobes, strong purplish red (61B). Lvs elliptic, 40 × 20mm, glossy, moderate yellow-green (147C), hairless; winter colour bright maroon red. Shrub 0.8 × 0.7m in 14 years. Early May

(a) **'Marvel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Maxwellii' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, up to 5/truss, 75-90mm wide, deep rose pink (deep purplish pink (64D)), shaded rose (strong purplish red (63B)), with a tyrian rose (vivid purplish red (57B)) blotch. Shrub to 1.5m. Mid April. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Marvel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, carmine. Amoena

(r) **'Marvellous'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Countess of Derby' × unknown R: H.E. Greer (pre 1960), N: H.E. Greer, I: H.E. Greer, REG: H.E. Greer (1962) Fls up to 18/upright truss, open funnel-shaped, 140mm wide, reddish purple (7RP 5.5/11), spotted reddish purple (4RP 1/9) on dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, up to 225 × 90mm. Shrub to 1.5m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Marwood's Caucasicum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* hybrid R: unknown (pre 1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 7-13/compact, rounded to domed truss, 50-70mm wide, inside white, slight to more intense rose lilac colouring on midveins; outside white with midvein bands (to 5mm broad) of rose lilac; greenish yellow to yellowish brown markings on a yellowish ground. Mid April-mid May

(a) **'Mary'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C.B. van Nes & Sons (1922), N: C.B. van Nes & Sons, I: C.B. van Nes & Sons (1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 50mm wide, violet red/rose pink (427). Midseason. AM 1925. Kaempferi

(a) **'Mary'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1925), N: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red. Mollis

(a) **'Mary'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt, I: E.A. Merritt (c 1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, strong pink

(r) **'Mary'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J. Seidel (pre 1913), N: T.J. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, white, with a lilac border. Compact habit

(a) **'Mary Allen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Linda Jean' × 'Springtime' (Kurume) H: W.L. Guttormsen (1975), G: W.L. Guttormsen (1979), N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen (c 1983), REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1985) Fls 1-2/truss, double (12-lobed, with no functional stamens), broadly funnel-shaped, 25 × 45mm, pale purplish pink (56A). Calyx 20mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs between elliptic and broadly elliptic, 22-40 × 13-22mm, more-or-less strong yellow-green (144A), hairy. Shrub 0.35 × 0.5m in 6 years

(r) **'Mary Ann'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Corona' × Dondis Group H: R. Henny (1944), G: R. Henny (1952), N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny (1956), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10/truss, 65-75mm wide, 5-lobed, carmine rose (621/1), fading to (521/2), with a blotch on the dorsal lobe. Lvs 90 × 40mm

(a) **'Maryann'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum* × *kaempferi* × *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* H: J.B. Gable, G: J.B. Gable (1931), N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, lavender pink, with a darker blotch. Low, spreading shrub

(a) **'Mary Anne Elmer'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Orangeade' (s) × *austrinum* H: G. & T. Elmer (1966), G: G. & T. Elmer (1977), N: G. & T. Elmer, I: G. & T. Elmer (1982), REG: G. & T. Elmer (1986) Fls 10/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 75 × 65mm, with 5 somewhat reflexed, wavy-edged lobes, strong orange-yellow (24B), lobe tips vivid yellowish pink (30C), with a strong orange blotch (25A), outside vivid reddish orange (33B). Calyx minute, green. Lvs elliptic to somewhat oblanceolate, 90-95 × 25-40mm, hairy. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 15 years. Mid-late April

(a) **'Mary Ann Egan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Amagasa' × 'Grace Freeman No. 2' R: J. Harris (pre 1982), N: J. Harris Fls 90mm wide, pale purplish pink (62D), edged deep pink (52B). Shrub 0.7m in 10 years

(a) **'Mary Ann Fiery'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid R: W.D. Smith (pre 1982), N: W.D. Smith Fls double, 90mm wide, orange-red. (See *The Azalean* 4 (1):3-4 (1982) for notes on parentage)

(a) **'Maryann Hyatt'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Elsie Lee' (s) × 'Robin Hill Frosty' H: H.R. Schroeder (1973), G: S. Schroeder (1978), N: S. Schroeder, I: S. Schroeder (1986), REG: S. Schroeder (1986) Fls semi-double, broadly funnel-shaped, 44 × 64mm, with 11 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (73B), with rose brown spotting on lower part of dorsal lobe. Calyx 6mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 38 × 19mm, glossy and dark green above, light green below, hairy. Shrub 0.46 × 0.38m in 10 years. Mid April

(r) **'Mary Arabella'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lockington Pride' (s) × 'Loderi Titan' H: D.J. Dosser (1990), G: D.J. Dosser (1996), N: D.J. Dosser (1997), REG: D.J. Dosser (1997) Fls 15-20/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 63 × 95mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (67A) in bud, opening pale yellow (11D) inside, outside strong purplish pink (68B); deep purplish red (59B) spots on four dorsal lobes. Lvs elliptic, 245 × 57mm, margins slightly decurved, acute at apex, attenuate at base, mattgreen above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 0.6m in 7 years. September-October (Tasmania)

(r) **'Mary Ascenzi'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Red Yard' (s) × Naomi Group H: B. & M. Shapiro (1968), G: B. & M. Shapiro, N: B. & M. Shapiro, REG: B. & M. Shapiro (1995) Fls 10-12/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 75 × 100mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, white, lightly flushed brilliant yellow-green (150A) deep in the throat; no stamens. Calyx 1-3mm long, green. Lvs broadly elliptic, 110 × 75mm, flat, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 2.0m in 27 years. Early May

(r) **'Mary Bean'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Caractacus' × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × *yakushimanum* H: W.E. Delp (1973), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 60 × 80mm, 5-lobed, white, with a red throat. Lvs 118 × 46mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, with a plastered brown indumentum. Shrub 0.95 × 1.1m in 19 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer (1992))

(r) **'Mary Belle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Atrier Group × Dechaem Group H: J.B. Gable (c 1948), G: J.B. Gable (1959), N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable (1962), REG: J.B. Gable (1963) Fls 10-11/flat-topped, rounded truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 90-100mm wide, with 5-7 wavy-edged lobes, salmon peach with a basal blotch of cardinal red (822/2), with spotting around the blotch and extending upwards over three quarters of corolla length, edges of lobes tinged red; inside of tube amber yellow (505/2-505/1), outside of tube flushed vermilion (18/3); garden effect is salmon peach, fading eventually to yellow. Lvs elliptic, up to 140 × 65mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m in 12 years. Mid-late May

(a) **'Marybeth'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Moonbeam' (s) × unknown (no. CB-1A) H: W.L. Clagett (1989), G: W.L. Clagett (1993), N: W.L. Clagett, I: White's Nursery (1995), REG: W.L. Clagett (1995) Fls 2-3/truss, hose-in-hose and double to semi-double, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes/whorl and up to 8 petaloid stamens; flowers on young plants strong reddish purple (70B), on older plants strong reddish purple (70B) at margins with a very pale centre; varying degrees of light pink in centre of petaloids; normal stamens 0-4, curved, equal. Calyx 40mm long, coloured as corolla. Pedicels 5mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 33 × 17mm, concave/convex, obtuse at apex, oblique at base, moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (146C) and with discrete, colourless hairs below; petioles 8mm long, light green. Shrub 0.18 × 0.3m in 3 years. Mid May. (Originally distributed as no. 89-4-3)

(r) **'Mary Blane'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls claret

(r) **'Mary Bridge'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: F. Minch (c 1970), G: F. Minch (c 1975), N: F. Minch (1996), REG: F. Minch (1996) Fls 14-15/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light purple (84B) in bud, opening inside light purple (84B) with a moderate yellow (161A) dorsal blotch, spotted vivid purple (80A), outside strong purple (84A); long, white stamens and style. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 150 × 50mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and deep green above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Mary Briggs'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *haematodes* × Elizabeth Group R: V. Wyatt (1954), N: V. Wyatt, I: V. Wyatt (1963), REG: V. Wyatt (1967) Fls 8-10/compact truss, funnel-campanulate, up to 50 ×

50mm, blood red (820). Lvs elliptic-lanceolate, 75 × 25mm. Shrub dwarf and compact, 20 × 40cm in 10 years. Early May

(v) **'Mary Buchanan'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *herzogii* × *laetum* × *aurigeranum* H: M.D. Cullinane (1990), G: M.D. Cullinane (1993), N: M.D. Cullinane (1995), REG: M.D. Cullinane (1995) Fls 10-12/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 65 × 50mm, with 5 smooth-edged and retuse lobes, 'Granny Smith' apple green in bud, opening inside with lobes paler than pale yellow (11D), the throat pale yellow (11C); outside light yellow-green (154D) at base, mid part of corolla pale yellow (11C), lobes paler than pale yellow (11D); unspotted; stamens and style brilliant yellow (11A); stigma strong yellow-green (141D); scented. Calyx 1mm long, 'Granny Smith' apple green. Lvs elliptic, 110 × 45mm, flat, cuneate at base, acute at apex, matt green above, with brown scales. Shrub 1.0 × 0.6m in 4 years, flowering 3-4 times/year

(a) **'Mary Cabell'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: D. Pender, Jr (pre 1987), N: D. Pender, Jr Fls 75mm wide, light purplish pink, with a purplish blotch. Lvs elliptic. Shrub 1.2-1.9m. Midseason

(a) **'Mary Caroline'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: R.W. Pennington (pre 1987), N: R.W. Pennington Fls 75mm wide, purplish pink, with a pale pink centre. Loose growing shrub. Syn: 'CNC 3' (Said to be a Satsuki hybrid)

(r) **'Mary Chantry'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Britannia' H: L.E. Brandt (1966), G: M. Chantry (c 1972), N: L. Malland, I: Griswold Nursery (1973), REG: L. Malland (1986) Fls 12/truss, open funnel-campanulate, 65 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (55B), shading to pale purplish pink (55D) at centre of lobes and in throat, with deep purplish pink (55A) dorsal spotting; buds strong purplish pink (55B). Calyx very small. Lvs oblanceolate to narrowly elliptic, 115-175 × 40-50mm, moderate olive green (146A), with a medium amount of moderate orange-yellow (165C) indumentum below. Shrub 0.8 × 0.6-0.8m in 8-10 years. Late May

(a) **'Mary Claire'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Exbury, N: Exbury, I: E. de Rothschild (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light pink, with a yellow blotch. Knap Hill

(a) **'Mary Corcoran'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Bobbink & Atkins, N: Bobbink & Atkins, I: Bobbink & Atkins (1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls tubular, 50mm wide, rose (23/2), with a white throat and a darker blotch. Indian

(a) **'Mary Dalton'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* × 'Yaye-hiryu' R: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable (1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, deep yellowish pink (47C). Shrub c4.5m in 32 years. Midseason. Gable

(r) **'Mary Davis Cobey'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tom Everett' × 'Exbury Naomi' H: C.H. Phetteplace (1969), G: J.R. Todd, Jr (1983), N: J.R. Todd, Jr, I: J.R. Todd, Jr (1991), REG: J.R. Todd, Jr (1992) Fls 11-15/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 76 × 102mm, with 7 very wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (48C) in bud, opening deep pink (48B) at margins, shading to pale yellow (8D) at centre with a brilliant yellow (11A) throat; moderately scented. Lvs oblanceolate, 152 × 44mm, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.5m in 21 years. Early May

(r) **'Mary D. Black'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* (s) × 'Madame Fr. J. Chauvin' I: H.L. Larson (1956), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, with a red blotch

(a) **'Marydel'** cv. Deciduous azalea: wild selection from *atlanticum* × *periclymenoides* S: Pierson's Corner, Delaware, USA (1967), N: Mrs J.W. Hill, I: Mrs J.W. Hill, REG: Mrs J.W. Hill (1979) Fls (5-)8-11(-14)/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 45mm, 5-lobed, purplish pink (54A-D) in bud, opening white, with lobe margins and base of tube deeply flushed deep purplish pink (54B), outside strong purplish red; highly scented. Calyx 1mm long, pale. Lvs narowly obovate to obovate, 40 × 20mm, dull and moderate yellow-green (137C) above, bristly. Stoloniferous shrub, 1.0 × 1.0m in 9 years. Late May-early June

(r) **'Mary de Mezey'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *williamsianum* (Feng form) (s) × *wardii* H: A. de Mezey (1975), G: A. de Mezey (1980), N: A. de Mezey, REG: H. Vaartnou (1995) Fls 5/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 70 × 90mm, with 7 smooth-edged lobes, pink in bud, opening strong purplish pink (55B) to pale purplish pink (56C); stamens 12-14, straight, unequal; style greenish yellow. Calyx 1mm long, pinkish. Pedicels 38mm long, green. Lvs ovate, 57 × 44mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cordate at base, hairless; petioles 44mm long, green. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in 15 years. March-April. Syn: 'Mary's Favorite'

(r) **'Mary Drennen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Angelo Group (s) × *wardii* H: H.L. Larson (1955), G: H.L. Larson (1962), N: H.L. Larson, I: H.L. Larson (1982), REG: H.L. Larson (1983) Fls 11-12/truss, 75 × 125mm, 7-lobed, light yellow (12C). Calyx 25mm long, light yellow (12C). Lvs 200 × 80mm, hairless

(r) **'Mary-Ed'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Arthur Bedford' × 'Cotton Candy' H: M. Stockman (1969), G: M. & H. Stockman (1978), N: M. & H. Stockman, I: M. & H. Stockman (1982), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1992) Fls 11/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 57 × 89mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (73A) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (72D) and shading lighter towards centre of each lobe, with dark red (183A) spotting on two dorsal lobes (dense in throat, more sparse above); stamens 12; filaments white, curved, unequal; style white; slightly scented. Calyx 3-13mm long (irregular), light purplish green. Pedicels 25mm long, reddish above, green below. Lvs elliptic, 108 × 41mm, convex, cuspidate at apex, cuneate at base,

bullate and glossy mid green above, hairless; petioles 16mm long, light green. Shrub 1.7 × 1.7m in 24 years. Mid May

(a) **'Mary Elizabeth'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: G.A. Reid (1966), G: G.A. Reid, N: G.A. Reid, I: G.A. Reid (1977), REG: G.A. Reid (1979) Fls hose-in-hose, 2-3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65mm wide, with 5+5 wavy-edged lobes, phloxpink (625), with a small, slightly darker blotch on 3 dorsal lobes. Calyx 40mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs broadly elliptic, 40 × 25mm, glossy, hairless; petioles hairy below. Shrub 0.6 × 0.5m in 4 years. Late May. (Linwood azalea no: 0-24)

(a) **'Mary Ellen Hager'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Tharon Perkins' × 'Niagara' × 'Debonaire' R: D. Hager (pre 1984), N: D. Hager Fls single, 50mm wide, slightly tubular, salmony orange pink (carries as apricot). Lvs broadly ovate, dark, glossy and green above, dark bronze in autumn and winter. Shrub to 1.0m. Midseason

(a) **'Mary Ellen Thomsen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Mrs Nancy Dippel' (s) × 'Carrie Amanda' H: H.C. Weiskittel (c 1988), G: H.C. Weiskittel, N: G. Thomsen (c 1995), I: Marshy Point Nursery (1995), REG: H.C. Weiskittel (1998) Fls c6/multi-budded, domed truss, double (with no normal stamens), broadly funnel-shaped, 40-50 × 60-80mm, with 17-22 flat-edged lobes, near white in bud with a light purple (75A) apex, opening light purple (75A) at margins (c2-8mm wide) and paling to nearly white at centre, unmarked; outside similarly coloured. Calyx c4mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 40-45 × 20-25mm, margins slightly upcurved, apex acute with a small mucro, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, with discrete, appressed, pale yellow hairs above and below (as well as on margins). Shrub c0.75m in 5 years. Midseason. (First published in Marshy Point Wholesale cat., Fall, 1995)

(r) **'Mary Fleming'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *racemosum* × *keiskei* × *keiskei* R: G.G. Nearing, N: G.G. Nearing, I: G.G. Nearing (1959), REG: G.G. Nearing (1972) Fls 2-3/bud (with up to 24 in a group of buds), campanulate, 17 × 30mm, with wavy-edged margins, strong to light purplish pink (55B & C) flushed over cream, throat cream, with a darker blotch. Lvs narrow, 50-55 × 20mm, dark and dull green above, with good winter colour. Shrub 0.4m in 10 years (up to at least 1.0 × 1.1m eventually). *HC 1986

(r) **'Mary Forte'** (Syn. of 'Marie Fortie')

(r) **'Mary Frances'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ditto' (s) × 'Fawn' × 'Indian Penny' H: R.E. Burns (1982), G: R.E. Burns (1988), N: R.E. Burns, REG: R.E. Burns (1995) Fls 7/lax, ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 76 × 127mm, with 7 recurved and wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (48D) in bud, opening pale yellow (19C) blending to moderate pink (49B) and with speckled vivid red (52A) flares in dorsal throat; corolla fades to cream flushed pink; stamens 10, straight. Calyx 51mm long, coloured as corolla. Pedicels 38mm long, deep yellowish pink above. Lvs elliptic, 127 × 48mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, with a few colourless hairs when young; petioles 25mm long, strong red above. Shrub 0.9 × 1.0m in 10 years. Early May

(a) **'Mary Frances Hawkins'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, deep pink, with a yellowish or orange-tinted throat. Shrub c2.0m in 25 years. Gable (Has been listed in error as a rhododendron (ie. not as an azalea) and also seen as 'Mary Frances')

(a) **'Mary Frances Hohman'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: H.J. Hohman (c 1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rich amber to bright orange-red, with ruffled margins and partially petaloid stamens. Low shrub. Midseason

(r) **'Mary G'** (Syn. of 'Mary Grystar')

(r) **'Mary Garrison'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: cream *fortunei* × *vernicosum* aff. (Rock 18139) H: J.B. Gable (pre 1972) Fls a blend of salmon yellow and brown-red

(r) **'Mary Greig'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *neriiflorum* Euchaites Group × *souliei* N: E.J. & M. Greig (1959), I: E.J. & M. Greig, REG: E.J. & M. Greig (1961) Fls 10-12/truss, 50 × 65mm, rose madder (23). Calyx very large, irregular

(r) **'Mary Grystar'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ('Mars' × 'America') no.9 (s) × ('Mars' × 'America') no.12 H: A.W. Smith (1984), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 16/truss, open funnel-shaped, 39 × 60mm, 5-lobed, moderate and vivid violet (86A; 87A, B) in bud, opening light violet (88C, D) and light purple (84C), with light olive (152A) dorsal spots; filaments and style strong purplish red (63A); anthers very pale purple (75D); stigma dark red (59A). Lvs 76 × 32mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 0.9m in 8 years. Early June. Syn: 'Mary G'

(r) **'Mary Guthlein'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scintillation' × 'Inamorata' (s) × (*fortunei* subsp. *fortunei* × *wardii*) × *dichroanthum* H: R. Murcott (pre 1982), G: R. Murcott, N: R. Murcott, REG: A.R. Brooks (1997) Fls 7-9/flat truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45-50 × 75mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, buds deep pink (48A) shading to strong yellowish pink (35C) to moderate pink (35D) at tips, opening pale orange-yellow (23D) throughout, shading to strong yellowish pink (38A) at edges (but not at tips) of lobes, essentially unmarked; outside heavily suffused strong yellowish pink (37A); slightly scented. Calyx c1.5mm long, yellow-green. Lvs elliptic to oblong, 75-100 × 25-30mm, flat, broadly acute and mucronate at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate yellowish green (138A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 0.75m in 9 years. Mid May. (Published in *Greer's Guidebook* (1996))

(az) **'Mary Harmon'** cv. Azaleodendron: 'Mrs Donald Graham' × *occidentale* R: E. Ostbo, N: E. Ostbo, REG: E. Ostbo (1961) Fls c15/truss, funnel-shaped, 50mm wide, white, striped pink externally; scented. Lvs up to 100 × 40mm, sparingly hairy on both sides. Upright shrub, c1.5m in 10 years

(a) **'Mary Helen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* × 'Vittatum' × 'Kagetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 50mm wide, white, with a chartreuse blotch and conspicuous brown anthers. Spreading shrub to 1.4m tall. Mid May. *HC 1987. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Mary Hinckley'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid R: W.D. Smith (pre 1982), N: W.D. Smith Fls single, 100mm wide, strong red. (See *The Azalean* 4 (1):1-2 (1982) for notes on parentage)

(a) **'Mary Hoffman'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Eden Jane Alcott' × 'Pink Pearl' R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith Fls hose-in-hose, 65mm wide, between deep and strong pink (50B & C). Shrub 1.2m in 6 years

(a) **'Mary Hohman'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* (s) × *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* R: J.B. Gable, N: O.S. Pride (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright coral. (Previous listing as 'Mary Holman' was an error)

(a) **'Mary Holman'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: O.S. Pride (pre 1985), N: O.S. Pride Fls 50mm wide, red; slightly scented. Knap Hill (Spelling should probably be 'Mary Hohman'; Galle (1985) listed both an evergreen and a deciduous cultivar with this name)

(r) **'Mary Jane'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × Leo Group H: Mrs LeV Freimann (1960), G: Mrs LeV Freimann, N: Mrs LeV Freimann, I: Mrs LeV Freimann (1973), REG: Mrs LeV Freimann (1973) Fls up to 12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 50mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, carmine rose (621) in bud, opening carmine rose (621), fading to white, unmarked. Calyx minute. Lvs broadly elliptic, 55 × 40mm, mid green above, with a deep fawn indumentum below. New shoot indumentum is mouse-coloured. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 12 years. Mid May

(r) **'Mary Jane Means'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sham's Ruby' × 'Unknown Warrior' H: R.L. Means (1983), G: R.L. Means (1989), N: R.L. Means, REG: R.L. Means (1989) Fls 18-22/conical truss, funnel-shaped, 51 × 57mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, buds strong purplish red (64B), opening strong purplish red (64C) with vivid reddish purple (74A) dorsal spotting. Calyx very small. Lvs elliptic, 152 × 64mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.7m in 6 years. Early May

(r) **'Mary K.'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' (s) × *fortunei* H: J.B. Gable (1943), G: J.B. Gable (1955), N: J.B. Gable, REG: J.M. Goodrich (1998) Fls 12/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 80 × 80mm, with 6 flat-edged lobes, very pale purple (75D), opening inside very light purple (75C) and very pale purple (75D), with a v-shaped, medium green blotch (c15mm long) in the dorsal throat; outside very pale purple (75D). Lvs elliptic, 130 × 55mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and moderate yellowish green (138A) above, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 1.8m in 23 years. Midseason. (Published in Livingston & West, *Hybrids and Hybridizers* (1978))

(r) **'Maryke'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × Fabia Group H: T. Van Veen, G: T. Van Veen, N: T. Van Veen, I: T. Van Veen (1955), REG: T. Van Veen (1974) Fls 9-15/lax truss, 65 × 90mm, 7-lobed, moderate reddish brown (7.5R 3/6), edges strong purplish pink (5RP 7/9), blended to tones of yellow in throat. Calyx 7mm long, green and reddish brown. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 50mm, light matt green. Shrub c1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Mary Kinsley'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Holden' × 'Bob Peters Special' H: R. Carter (1976), G: R.K. Peters (1984), N: R.K. Peters, I: R. Carter, REG: R.K. Peters (1991) Fls 20/domed truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 51 × 64mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, buds more-or-less deep purplish pink (66C), opening pale purplish pink (between 55B & 56A), changing through light/pale purplish pink (between 65B & 65C) to more-or-less pale purplish pink (56D); elongated dark pink markings in sinuses of upper lobe; throat greenish yellow; slightly scented. Calyx 16mm long, light olive brown (199B). Lvs elliptic, 114 × 51mm, flat, acute at apex, rounded at base, glossy and hairless above, hairless below. Shrub 1.1 × 1.2m in 15 years. Early-mid May

(r) **'Mary Kittel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Noreaster' × 'Mrs P. den Ouden' H: E.V. Mezitt (1963), G: Weston Nurseries, N: E.V. Mezitt (1974), I: Weston Nurseries (1974), REG: R.W. Mezitt (1998) Fls 15/flat ball truss, open funnel-shaped, c45 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (66C). Calyx c1.5mm long, green. Lvs ovate, 100 × 50mm, decurved, cuneate at base, acute at apex, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 0.45x).6m in 7 years. Mid May. (Published in Weston Nurseries cat., 1998)

(a) **'Mary Koster'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) A blotched form of 'Anthony Koster'. Mollis

(a) **'Maryland'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt, I: E.A. Merritt (c 1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls jasper red. Kurume

(a) **'Maryland Forcing Red'** (Syn. of 'Princess Maryann')

(a) **'Maryland Orange'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vervaeneanum' × 'Pink Pearl' × 'Vervaeneanum' × 'Kirin' R: J. Shanks & C. Link (pre 1987), N: J. Shanks & C. Link Fls hose-in-hose, with numerous petaloid anthers, 75mm wide, deep reddish orange, throat vivid red. Large leaves. Compact shrub, 1.0m in 15 years

(a) **'Maryland Purple'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: The Tingle Nursery (pre 1965), N: The Tingle Nursery Fls purple. Kurume

(a) **'Mary Llewellyn'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Nadine' G: O.S. Pride, N: O.S. Pride, I: O.S. Pride (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep pink

(a) **'Mary Lou'** cv. Deciduous azalea: derived from a hybrid of two un-named Ilam azaleas H: H. Van de Ven, G: H. Van de Ven (1962), N: H. Van de Ven, I: H. Van de Ven, REG: H. Van de Ven (1965) Fls 16-20/truss, brilliant orange-yellow (17C), flushed pink on tips. Shrub 0.8m

(a) **'Mary Lou Kehr'** cv. Evergreen azalea: un-named *stenopetalum* hybrid (ex Gable) × 'Heiwa-no-hikari' H: A.E. Kehr (1963), G: A.E. Kehr (c 1966), N: A.E. Kehr, I: A.E. Kehr (1987), REG: A.E. Kehr (1987) Fls solitary, fully double, open funnel-shaped, 64 × 64mm, light purplish pink (55C); no stamens; highly scented. Calyx 9.5mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, acute at apex, cuneate at base, flat, 67 × 32mm, hairy above. Shrub 0.8 × 0.9m in 6 years. Mid May

(r) **'Marylou Ogdon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scintillation' (s) × 'Lem's Cameo' × 'Polynesian Sunset' H: M. Wildfong (1987), G: B.J. Ogdon (1994), N: B.J. Ogdon (1998), REG: B.J. Ogdon (1998) Fls 13/ball truss, campanulate, 55 × 85mm, with 7 slightly wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (54A) inside and out in bud, dorsal lobes with maroon markings; anthers brown; stigma green. Lvs elliptic, 170 × 78mm, margins flat, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.4m in 10 years; new growth amber/olive green. Early May

(r) **'Mary Lucille'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs A.T. de la Mare' × 'Earl of Donoughmore' H: Mr & Mrs J.F. Stephens (1960), G: Mr & Mrs J.F. Stephens (1966), N: Mr & Mrs J.F. Stephens, I: Mr & Mrs J.F. Stephens (c 1969), REG: Mr & Mrs J.F. Stephens (1975) Fls 9-15/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 115 × 115mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, rose opal (022/3), with a dark red throat and spots; slightly scented. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 150 × 50mm, deep green, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 8 years. Mid-late April

(a) **'Mary Lynn'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling of 'Sweet Briar' R: Carolina Floral Nursery (pre 1985), N: Carolina Floral Nursery Fls hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, clear pink, with blue undertones and darker dorsal spots. Compact shrub

(v) **'Mary-Lynn Cullinane'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *herzogii* × *laetum* (s) × *aurigeranum* H: M.D. Cullinane (1990), G: M.D. Cullinane (1994), N: M.D. Cullinane (1999), REG: M.D. Cullinane (1999) Fls 5-6/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped (zygomorphic), 65 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside pale yellow (18D) edged and flushed deep purplish pink (64D), the ventral lobes more strongly flushed than the dorsal lobes, central dorsal lobe a clear pale yellow (18D); outside pale yellow-green (4D); filaments pale yellow-green (4D), anthers strong orange (26A); style light yellow-green (145C), stigma light yellow-green (145B). Calyx 1mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 110 × 45mm, margins flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, matt green above, with light brown scales. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 7 years. Flowering 4-5 times a year

(a) **'Mary Margaret'** cv. Evergreen azalea: deep salmon form of *indicum* (s) × 'Hazel Dawson' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-2/truss, 75mm wide, with overlapping lobes, rose dorée (deep yellowish pink (43C)), with a very heavy dorsal blotch of small amaranth purple (deep purplish red (61A)) dots on a suffused dull purple ground (flower carries as glowing orange). Shrub 1.2m, of spreading habit. Mid-late May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Mary Mayo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi King George' × un-named seedling (Ostbo no. Y3) R: Bovees Nursery, N: Bovees Nursery (1960), I: Bovees Nursery, REG: Bovees Nursery (1961) Fls 9-12/truss, open campanulate, with wavy-edged lobes, up to 115mm wide, a blend of deep pink (2.5R 6/11), strong pink (2.5R 7/8) and moderate pink (2.5R 8/5), throat suffused brilliant yellow (2.5Y 9/9) and with strong red (2.5R 7/8) dorsal spotting. Lvs elliptic, 115-165 × 50-65mm. Shrub 0.9m. Mid May

(r) **'Mary McQuilkan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* × 'Souvenir of W.C. Slocock' N: Sir James Horlick (1940), I: Sir James Horlick, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a rather loose truss, white, with a port wine throat. Late May

(a) **'Mary Meredith'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Eira Group × *kaempferi* R: Hydon Nurseries, N: Hydon Nurseries, REG: Hydon Nurseries (1972) Fls 2/truss, open funnel-shaped, 25 × 40mm, between deep to strong purplish pink (73A & 73B), paler towards the base, spotted vivid reddish purple (74A) on the dorsal lobe. Lvs 35 × 15mm, fairly light, dull green. Shrub 1.0m. *AM 1979

(r) **'Mary of Anjou'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a dark blotch

(r) **'Mary Oleri'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × Tally Ho Group H: A.A. Raustein (1968), G: A.A. Raustein, I: A.A. Raustein (1981), REG: A.A. Raustein (1983) Fls 13/truss, 65 × 100mm, open funnel-shaped, 7-lobed, light yellowish pink (38C) in bud, opening yellowish white (158C) (with a pink tinge at first), outside with light yellowish pink (38D) veins; unmarked. Calyx 3mm long, moderate red (180A). Lvs elliptic, 100-125 × 45-55mm, moderate olive green (146A), hairless. Shrub c1.2m in 11 years

(r) **'Marypat'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *brachycarpum* × 'Crest' (s) × 'Monte Carlo' H: W.E. Delp (1982), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1996) Fls 8/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 40 × 65mm, 5-lobed, light yellow-green (2C), with a brilliant

yellow-green (154C) flare and moderate orange (167C) dorsal spots. Lvs 50 × 20mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base. Early June. (First published in Salley & Greer, *Rhododendron Hybrids*, second edn, (1992))

(a) **'Mary Poppins'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1974) Fls single, 12-16/rounded, compact truss, 45-70mm wide, bright orange-red, with an orange dorsal blotch; lobe margins wavy-edged. Lvs bronzed when young

(r) **'Mary Power'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: J.H. Mangles (pre 1884), N: J.H. Mangles, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c18/tight, hemispherical truss, 40 × 40-50mm, 5-lobed, campanulate, deep purplish pink (55A) outside, strong to light purplish pink (55B-C) inside, with darker red spotting on the dorsal lobes. Calyx lobes 2-3mm long, white, flushed pink at base. Lvs elliptic to oblanceolate, 115-130 × 40-45mm, dark, slightly shiny green above, with a thin, pale brown indumentum below

(a) **'Mary Pratt'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage uncertain, probably 'Zulu', open-pollinated G: J.C. Pratt (1978), N: J.C. Pratt, REG: J.C. Pratt (1990) Fls single, 2-3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 51 × 76-89mm, with 5-6 wavy to very wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish purple (70B), with vivid reddish purple (78A) spots covering a large area of the dorsal lobe; fls age to pink. Calyx 12mm long, light green. Spring lvs obovate, 51-70 × 25-32mm, flat, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, with very short hairs above and below, ciliate. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 15 years. Late April-early May

(a) **'Mary Queen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Blushing Bride × 'Rosebud' × unknown R: H. Kerrigan (pre 1987), N: H. Kerrigan Fls fully double, deep pink. Very late

(r) **'Mary Roxborough'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × 'Saint Keverne' I: E. de Rothschild (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) (Sir Frederick Moore Group)

(r) **'Mary Saint Clair'** cv. Parentage unknown L: B. Chandler & Son (1972) Fls deep cyclamen pink. Medium to large shrub (1.5-2.0m)

(r) **'Mary Scanlon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goldsworth Orange' (s) × *decorum* subsp. *diaprepes* H: P. Smith, G: P. Smith (1985), N: P. Smith, I: Enjoy Rhododendrons, REG: P. Smith (2002) Fls c10/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 55 × 75mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, moderate yellow (162B) in bud, opening inside pale greenish yellow (10D) shading to brilliant yellow (10A) in centre, outside pale greenish yellow (10D). Calyx minute, green. Lvs obovate, 150(or more)x65mm, margins flat, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate yellow-green (137C) above, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 2.4m in 12 years. Late June

(r) **'Mary's Favorite'** (Syn. of 'Mary de Mezey')

(r) **'Mary's Favorite'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Dido' (s) × *orbiculare* subsp. *cardiobasis* H: A. Meerkerk (1968), G: W.A. Stipe (1972), N: W.A. Stipe, REG: W.A. Stipe (1993) Fls 8/lax truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 57 × 64mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (50C) at outer edges, shading to light yellowish pink (19B) in the throat, unmarked; stamens 13, straight; slightly scented. Calyx 10mm long, light yellowish pink (19B). Pedicels 57mm long, green and red. Lvs oblanceolate, 102 × 32mm, concave, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, greyish yellow-green (149A) below, hairless; petioles 19mm long, green. Shrub 2.4 × 1.5m in 25 years. Early May

(a) **'Mary Stewart'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid R: W.D. Smith (pre 1982), N: W.D. Smith Fls with a rosette centre, 75mm wide, deep pink. Winter foliage red. Shrub 1.2m in 8 years. (See *The Azalean* 4 (1): 4 (1982) for notes on parentage)

(r) **'Mary Swaythling'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* × *fortunei* R: Lord Swaythling, N: Lord Swaythling, I: Lord Swaythling (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft yellow, unmarked. AM 1934 (Gladys Group)

(r) **'Mary Tasker'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Jalisco Group × 'Fawn' H: H.R. Tasker, G: H.R. Tasker, N: H.R. Tasker, I: H.R. Tasker, REG: H.R. Tasker (1979) Fls dawn pink (523/2) on exterior and at edges inside, shading inwards to naples yellow (403/1); lower part of throat currant red (821/1). Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Mary Todd'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tom Everett' × *wardii* × 'Fawn' H: J. Todd (1969), G: J. Todd, N: J. Todd, I: J. Todd (1983), REG: J. Todd (1986) Fls 9-12/slightly lax, ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 70 × 114-127mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, buds pale greenish yellow (2D) tipped deep yellowish pink (41D), opening pale yellow (11D), with a more-or-less continuous 6mm wide edging of strong yellowish pink (37B); throat brilliant greenish yellow (5B), with c12 vivid yellow-green (154D) rays, radiating 15-30mm from centre into dorsal lobes; outside pale greenish yellow (10D); highly scented. Lvs lanceolate, 152 × 57mm, glossy, moderate olive green (147A). Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in 10 years. Early May

(r) **'Mary Tranquillia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × 'Nereid' × Tally Ho Group - exact combination unknown (s) × 'Autumn Gold' H: Mrs B.I. Jordan (1963), G: Mrs B.I. Jordan (1972), N: Mrs B.I. Jordan, I: Mrs B.I. Jordan (1976), REG: Mrs B.I. Jordan (1977) Fls up to 11/flat truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 108mm wide, with 5-7 wavy-edged lobes, strong red to deep yellowish pink (47B-C), opening inside with a 13mm edge of purplish pink (55A-D), throat orange-yellow (16B-D) with the colour extending into centre of lobes, with fine peppering of vivid reddish orange (43B/44C) on dorsal lobe; outside purplish pink (55B-D), with streaks of deep purplish pink (55A) and tips shading to strong purplish pink (55B), outside of tube pale purplish pink (55D) over yellow-orange. Lvs nar-

rowly elliptic, 115 × 40mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base; new growth with a thin, light greyish olive (195A) tomentum at first. Shrub by 1.2 × 1.2m in 12 years. Early June. (The 'Nereid' parent may be 'Naomi Nereid')

(a) **'Mary Waterer'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1925), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls almost flat, white, suffused pale rose, with creamy markings (AM description). AM 1925. Knap Hill

(r) **'Mary Waterer'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rich pink with a paler centre and buff spots

(r) **'Mary Yates'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pink Twins' × 'Leah Yates' H: H.R. Yates (1959), G: H.R. Yates (1966), N: H.R. Yates, I: Mrs M. Yates (1969), REG: Mrs M. Yates (1976) Fls 10/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 47 × 65mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (68B), becoming lighter towards centre of lobes and in throat; throat with slight yellowish tint and a few small gold spots. Calyx minute, light yellow-green (145B). Lvs elliptic, 140 × 55mm, moderate olive green (137A), hairless; petioles and stems red in winter. Shrub 1.4 × 2.9m in 16 years. Mid May

(r) **'Marzipan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catawbiense Grandiflorum' × *wardii* hybrid (s) × 'Crest' R: W. Nagel (1971), N: W. Nagel (1982), I: W. Nagel (1982) Fls dark salmon at first, fading to yellow with red markings

(r) **'Marzo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ruby Bowman' (s) × *ririei* H: D.W. Goheen (1966), G: D.W. Goheen, N: D.W. Goheen, I: D.W. Goheen, REG: D.W. Goheen (1983) Fls 10-14/truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 100mm, 5-lobed, vivid purplish red (66A) in bud, opening strong purplish red (63B) (fading to moderate purplish pink (68C)), with a deep reddish purple (77A) blotch deep in the throat; outside with vivid reddish purple (78A) rays down centre of lobes. Calyx 3-7mm long, deep purplish pink (66C). Lvs narrowly elliptic to more-or-less oblanceolate, 175 × 50mm, between dark yellowish green (139A) and moderate olive green (147A) above, with a very light, patchy, plastered, white indumentum below. Shrub c2.5m in 15 years. Early March

(r) **'Masada'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' × 'Vistoso' H: D.W. Goheen (1978), G: D.W. Goheen (1986), N: D.W. Goheen, I: Arai Nursery, REG: D.W. Goheen (1991) Fls 12-14/domed truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 51 × 102mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (48C) in bud, opening white with lower portion of dorsal lobe spotted vivid reddish orange (43B). Calyx 1mm long, greenish rose. Pedicels 38-51mm long, greenish rose. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 152-178 × 51-64mm, convex, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, bullate and dull green above, with a felt-like, light tan indumentum below which ages to tawny; petioles 25mm long, light green. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 12 years. May

(a) **'Māsa Kerija'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Paul Schäme' × 'Palestrina' H: R. Kondratovičs (1963), G: R. Kondratovičs (1968), N: R. Kondratovičs, I: Botanical Gardens, University of Latvia (1985), REG: R. Kondratovičs Fls single, 1-3/truss, funnel-shaped, 75mm wide, 5-lobed, white, with numerous dots and stripes of pink. Calyx 3-6mm long, light green, silvery hairy. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 50 × 20mm, light green, with fawn-coloured hairs. Shrub very dense and compact, 0.46 × 0.34m. February-March (under cool glass)

(a) **'Mascot'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Alice' (s) × 'Vittatum' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, 50-65mm wide, 5-6-lobed, begonia rose (deep pink (50B)), with a conspicuous blotch of confluent dots of tyrian rose (vivid purplish red (57B)). Shrub to 2.56m. Mid April. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Maskarill'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'August' (s) × *dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* H: H. Hachmann (1985), G: H. Hachmann (1990), N: H. Hachmann (1991), I: H. Hachmann (1998), REG: G. Stück (1999) Fls 7-9(-12)/rather loose truss, campanulate to funnel-campanulate, 45 × 55-60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, multicoloured: inside vivid orange (28B), near throat light orange (28C), dorsal lobe vivid orange (28A), edges (inside and out) strong red (45D); outside strong red (45D), with strong red (53B/C) on midveins; three dorsal lobes with numerous, deep red (53A) spots on a vivid orange (28A/B) ground; stamens 10, filaments moderate/light purplish pink (68C/D), anthers moderate reddish brown/brownish orange (166B/C); style greenish red, stigma dark red (187B). Pedicels 35mm long, slightly drooping. Calyx 1-2mm long, greenish yellow. Lvs elliptic to ovate, 80-100 × 38-45mm, mucronate at apex, rounded at base, flat, matt mid green above. Shrub of dense, compact habit, 0.7 × 0.9m in 10 years. Early-late May. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1998-2000 (1998), with colour photograph)

(a) **'Masquerade'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ivory' (s) × 'Kagetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, 65mm wide, white, sanded, flaked and striped tyrian pink (strong purplish red (71D)). Low, spreading shrub to 1.0m. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Massasoit'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Walter Allan Nursery, N: Walter Allan Nursery, I: Walter Allan Nursery (c 1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 45-50mm wide, deep red. Kurume

(r) **'Mass with Class'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pink Cameo' (s) × 'Pink Cameo' H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 14/truss, open funnel-shaped, 60 × 75mm, 5-lobed, strong to moderate purplish red (67A, 70A) in bud, opening to a blend of vivid purplish red (67B) and strong

reddish purple (70B), with dark red (59A) to deep purplish red (59B) dorsal spots; filaments white; style vivid purplish red (57D); anthers and stigma moderate reddish orange (175D). Lvs 130 × 49mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 18 years. Early June. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer (1992))

(r) **'Master'** (See 'The Master')

(a) **'Master Bak'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Madame John Haerens' × 'Frits Sander' I: C.J. Wille & Co. (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rose. Indian

(r) **'Masterblend'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* × aff. *vernicosum* (Rock 18139) × *aureum* × *maximum* H: W.E. Delp (1983), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1996) Fls 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 65mm, 5-6-7-lobed, strong purplish red (60B) in bud, opening light purplish pink (63D), lightly tinted strong purplish red (63B), with deep purplish red (61A) dorsal spots and with brownish orange (171B) and dark red (187B) spots in the throat; anthers pale orange-yellow (159C). Lvs 115 × 50mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base. Early-Mid June. (First published in Salley & Greer, *Rhododendron Hybrids* (1992))

(r) **'Master Dick'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × The Don Group R: J.J. Crosfield, N: J.J. Crosfield, I: J.J. Crosfield (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12-13/spherical truss, funnel-shaped, up to 50 × 100mm, carmine scarlet with brownish speckling inside. Lvs lanceolate, up to 160mm long, dull green above. AM 1936

(r) **'Masterful'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Masterblend' (s) × 'Dusty Wiz' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls deep purplish red (61A, 71A) in bud, opening strong to pale purplish pink (62A, B, C, D), with deep red (60A) dorsal spots; outside vivid purplish red (61C); anthers pale yellowish pink (159D). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Master Mariner'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Day Dream Group (s) × 'Honey' H: A.F. George (1959), G: A.F. George (1967), N: A.F. George, I: Hydon Nurseries (1973), REG: Hydon Nurseries (2001) Fls c16/compact, rounded truss, creamy apricot. Lvs narrowly elliptic, bronzed when young. Shrub 2.5 × 1.9m in 30 years. May

(a) **'Master of Elphinstone'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: D. Stewart & Son, N: D. Stewart & Son, I: D. Stewart & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls claret rose

(a) **'Masterpiece'** (Syn. of 'Nuccio's Masterpiece')

(a) **'Masterpiece'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ivory' (s) × 'Kagetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, 75-90mm wide, amaranth pink (deep purplish pink (72D)), with a tyrian rose (vivid purplish red (57B)) blotch. Broad, spreading shrub to 1.2m. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Masterpiece'** cv. Parentage unknown L: T. Smith (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple. (Another plant of the same name may have been raised by W.E. Stokes)

(r) **'Master Spencer David'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lem's Early Yellow' (s) × 'Cheyenne' H: C. Weeks (1980), G: C. Lovett (1995), N: C. Weeks (2001), I: Westgate Garden Nursery (1999), REG: C. Weeks (2001) Fls 12/slightly lax, domed truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 65 × 75mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, light greenish yellow (1C) in bud and flower, both inside and out; unmarked. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 50mm, margins downcurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, with lightly plastered tan hairs below when young. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 21 years. Mid May

(r) **'Mastodon'** (Syn. of 'Gaul Mastodon')

(a) **'Masu-kagami'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c40mm wide, light persimmon orange, with red streaks. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Matador'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: W.C. Hage & Co. (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls brick red. Kurume

(r) **'Matador'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × *strigillosum* H: Lord Aberconway (1931), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1945), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 7-12/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 75mm, turkey red (721/1), with faint dorsal spotting. Lvs oblanceolate, 160mm long, with a thin, buff indumentum below. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. AM 1945, FCC 1946 (Matador Group)

(r) **Matador Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × *strigillosum* H: Lord Aberconway (1931), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1945), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Matanuska'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Festive' (s) × 'James Dunlop' R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls single, 3-4/truss, 90-95mm wide, with pointed lobes, dark red, with a darker blotch. Late April. (First published in Holly Springs cat., 1990)

(r) **'Matchless'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy crimson with dark spots. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Mathilda'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: T. Vuyk & Son, I: P.L. Binken (c 1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, deep pink and deep yellowish pink, shaded red. Midseason. Mollis (Sometimes seen in error as 'Mathilde')

(a) **'Mathilde'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958)

Fls in large trusses, blush pink, spotted bright yellow. Ghent (Original spelling may have been 'Mathilda')

(a) **'Mathilde'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: de Marcq (pre 1870), N: de Marcq, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Matilda'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls fine blush with a rich brown eye. Indian

(r) **'Matilda'** (Syn. of 'Grandma Matilda')

(a) **'Matins'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* × *mucronatum* (s) × *mucronatum* R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-2/truss, 50mm wide, pale lavender (very pale purple (84D)). Lvs fairly large, slightly pubescent. Spreading shrub to 1.5m. Mid April. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Matisse'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown G: E. de Rothschild (1970s), S: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: Exbury Enterprises (1997), REG: E. de Rothschild (1997) Fls single, 8/truss, tubular funnel-shaped (more-or-less flat-faced), 55 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong orange (30D), with tinges of vivid reddish orange (32A), dorsal flare vivid orange (28A); whole corolla ages to vivid reddish orange (33A); filaments and style similarly coloured. Calyx 4mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 40mm. May. Syn: 'Dusky Maid' (Solent Group)

(r) **'Matron'** (See 'The Matron')

(a) **'Matron Scott'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: D. Parmenter (pre 1969), N: D. Parmenter Fls hose-in-hose, like 'Splendens' but pinker

(a) **'Matso-gasumi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1991), N: Japan. Satsuki (Grown in the National Arboretum, USA)

(a) **'Matsuba-no-tsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Matsugi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *eriocarpum* × *kaempferi* I: K. Wada, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink

(a) **'Matsu-kagami'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Matsunami' × 'Yata-no-kagami' R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls with rounded lobes, 50-65mm wide, white, speckled, striped and sectored strong red; some selfs and some with light centres. Shrub of upright habit. Satsuki

(a) **'Matsukasa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kiusianum* × *indicum* R: Japan, I: K. Wada, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very pale pink, streaked with deep rose

(a) **'Matsukasa Pink'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1988) (Perhaps an error for 'Matsukasa')

(a) **'Matsunami'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, white, streaked and spotted red and light red; white, red and light red selfs also produced. Satsuki

(a) **'Matsunami'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with 3-13 lobes, white, with red spots and markings. Satsuki (Perhaps the same plant as listed by Ito)

(a) **'Matsu-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Seidai' × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65-70mm wide, with rounded, wavy-edged, overlapping lobes, white, with many variations of markings (stripes, sectors and selfs of deep pink, some light pink with a dark blotch and lighter margins). Satsuki

(a) **'Matsu-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Banka' × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 75mm wide, with wavy-edged, overlapping lobes, white, with variable deep yellowish pink markings. Satsuki

(a) **'Matsu-no-homare'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Matsunami' × 'Kozan' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 40-50mm wide, with narrow, well-spaced lobes, white, with stripes, sectors and selfs of light yellowish pink; variable. Early

(a) **'Matsu-no-mai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with 4-13 lobes, white, spotted red, sanded deep red (1958 Register); fls 65mm wide, with rounded, overlapping lobes, reddish orange (as 'Matsu-no-mei', in Galle, 1987). Satsuki

(a) **'Matsu-no-tomo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with 5-13 lobes, white, spotted and veined reddish purple. Syn: 'Utsu-murasaki'. Satsuki

(a) **'Matsu-no-tsukasa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Matsu-kagami' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, basal lobes drooping, white, with flecks, stripes, sectors and selfs of light to strong yellowish pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Matsurahime'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1963), N: Japan Fls c110mm wide, light purplish pink. (Raised on Hirado Island, Japan)

(a) **'Matsushima'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *indicum* L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 90-100mm wide, white, variously marked with crimson and lighter red. Variable, selfs can occur. Syn: 'Variegatum', 'Shiki-takane'. Indian (The name has also been used to cover a group of similar cultivars)

(a) **'Matsushima-koshimino'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, variously marked crimson and lighter red; white, red or light red selfs may also occur; strap-shaped segments between calyx and corolla. Satsuki

(a) **'Matsutekika'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: K. Wada (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blood crimson. Kurume

(a) **'Matsuyo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Gumpo selection derived from *indicum*, *kaempferi* and *eriocarpum* R: Japan, N: Mrs J.W. Hill, REG: Mrs J.W. Hill (1967) Fls single, 1-2/truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 80mm, with 5 sometimes wavy-edged lobes, white, with thread-like to wide streaks, sectors or dots in a line of deep yellowish pink (39D) from throat to edges; some fls deep yellowish pink selfs. Calyx 5mm long, green, hairy. Lvs elliptic, 40 × 13mm, glossy, dark green, hairy. Shrub 0.4 × 0.8m in 10 years. Early June

(a) **'Mattapan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *mucronatum* I: C.M. Hovey (1861), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls "fringed", white, with a yellowish blotch. Syn: 'America' (May be identical with 'Bulstrode')

(a) **'Matterhorn'** cv. Semi-evergreen azalea: *yedoense* × unknown H: H. Frei (c 1970), G: H. Frei (1975), N: Firma C. Esveld, I: Firma C. Esveld (1980), REG: Royal Boskoop Hort. Soc. (1990) Fls single, 4-5/truss, funnel-shaped, 20-30 × 20-30mm, 5-lobed, violet. Calyx green. Lvs narrowly ovate, 20-40 × 20-30mm, hairless. Shrub 2.0m in 15 years. May

(r) **'Matterhorn'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 2000) (Grown in Germany)

(a) **'Matthew's Memory'** cv. Parentage unknown L: USA (1994) (Appeared in a Datascape list (1994): had been reserved by Briggs Nursery who apparently never used it)

(r) **'Matthew Weldon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'America' × 'Ann Rutledge' (s) × 'Goldsworth Yellow' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls deep red and strong purplish red (60A, B) in bud, opening strong purplish red (63B) and light to pale purplish pink (63B, C, D, 65D); filaments and style vivid purplish red (57D); anthers pale purplish pink (62D). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(a) **'Mattie Barron'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Caroline Dorman' × 'Grace Freeman No.2' R: J.O. Harris (pre 1982), N: J.O. Harris Fls double, 75mm wide, white, striped dark purplish pink. Shrub 0.5 × 0.9m in 10 years

(a) **'Mattison'** cv. Parentage unknown L: USA (1982) Lvs red

(a) **'Maud'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown, probably derived from *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1925), N: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, rose. Mollis

(r) **'Maud'** cv. Parentage unknown L: V.J. Boulter & Sons (1970) Fls pale mauve. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Maud'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Croux, N: Croux, I: Croux (1984) Fls mauve, with a reddish brown blotch. Midseason

(r) **'Maud Corning'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' (s) × 'Skyglow' G: Holden Arboretum, N: Holden Arboretum, REG: Holden Arboretum (1983) Fls 8/truss, 50 × 80mm, 7-lobed (lobes rounded, overlapping), pale purplish pink (56C), shading to light purplish pink (62C) at margins, throat brilliant yellow-green (150C) with inconspicuous dorsal rays of strong greenish yellow (151C) spots; stamens absent or present in a largely aborted state. Calyx 2mm long, strong yellow-green (144C). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 130 × 45mm, hairless. Shrub c1.9m in 14 years. Mid June. (A seedling from C.O. Dexter, 1940)

(a) **'Maude Grimes'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: D. Pender, Jr (pre 1987), N: D. Pender, Jr Fls 65-75mm wide, moderate pink and described as "petaloid". Foliage semi-persisent. Midseason

(a) **'Maude Jacobs'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Waraigishi' × 'Kagetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1965) Fls double, with 15-20 overlapping lobes, 75-80mm wide, tyrian pink (strong purplish red (71D)), with a few dots of tyrian rose (vivid purplish red (57B)) in the blotch area; few if any stamens, pistil normal. Shrub of low, spreading habit, 0.5 × 0.6m in 15 years. Back Acres

(a) **'Maui Peach'** cv. Deciduous azalea: grown from imported Knap Hill Nursery seed, parentage unknown G: Bovees Nursery, N: Bovees Nursery, I: Bovees Nursery (c 1976) Fls 90mm wide, light pink in bud (39D), opening pink, with a strong yellowish pink (31C) blush and a yellowish white centre

(a) **'Maui Sunset'** cv. Deciduous azalea: grown from imported Knap Hill Nursery seed, parentage unknown G: Bovees Nursery, N: Bovees Nursery, I: Bovees Nursery (pre 1985) Fls 90mm wide, squarish in form, deep orange, without a blotch. Shrub 1.5m in 20 years

(r) **'Maulbronn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kluis Triumph' × *fortunei* R: W. Nagel (1966), N: W. Nagel (1995), REG: ICRA (1999) Fls in compact, rounded trusses, lobe margins wavy, white, with heavy purplish pink margins and a bright red basal blotch and faint red markings

(a) **'Mauna Loa'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1959), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1961) Fls red, with a suffused orange blotch. Mid-late. Knap Hill

(r) **'Maureen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *williamsianum* × 'Lem's Goal' H: H. Lem, G: E.J. Trayling, N: E.J. Trayling, REG: E.J. Trayling (1973) Fls pale purplish pink (56A-56C), with a yellow cast at the base; buds strong purplish red (58B)

(r) **'Maureen Ostler'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anna Rose Whitney' (s) × 'Burgundy' H: A.G. Ostler (1976), G: A.G. Ostler, N: A.G. Ostler, REG: A.G. Ostler (1984) Fls 20-21/truss, 55 × 90mm, funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, rose opal (022 to 022/1), with dark spotting on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 2mm long, pink. Lvs oblong, 150-180 × 40-55mm; young lvs with thin, tan indumentum. Medium-sized shrub

(a) **'Maurice'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J.B. Haerens & Sons (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, with very wavy-edged lobes, red. Indian

(r) **'Maurice Croux'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Croux, N: Croux, I: Croux (1923), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac rose, broadly bordered tyrian purple, with dark ochre yellow markings

(r) **'Maurice Daffarn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: J.H. Mangles (pre 1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c16/open-topped truss, funnel-campanulate, 5-lobed, 55 × 70-85mm, strong red (50A) outside and on edges of lobes inside, paling in centre of lobes and in throat to strong to light pink (50C-D); dorsal lobes with dense spotting of moderate red (47A); nectaries moderate red (47A). Calyx 10mm long, with regular acute lobes, very pale brownish white. Lvs broadly oblanceolate, 120 × 60mm, dark green and glossy above, with sparse, minute brown hairs below

(a) **'Maurice Haerens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, of purple tint. Indian

(r) **'Maurice Skipworth'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *edgeworthii* × *burmanicum* R: M. Skipworth (1954), N: Dunedin Botanic Garden, I: Dunedin Botanic Garden (1960), REG: Dunedin Rhododendron Group (1977) Fls white (155C), with yellow speckling at the base

(a) **'Mauve'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* (s) × *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* R: J.B. Gable, N: O.S. Pride (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright orchid. Gable

(a) **'Mauve Beauty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan, N: H.A. Dreer (pre 1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 30mm wide, cyclamen purple (30/2). Kurume (Original name lost, re-named in USA)

(a) **'Mauve Beauty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Camellia Lodge Nursery (1967). Indian

(r) **'Mauve Bouquet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: V.J. Boulter (1972), G: V.J. Boulter (1977), N: F. Boulter (1991), REG: Boulters Olinda Nursery (1992) Fls 10-12/compact truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 80mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, light purple (75A), fading with age. Lvs elliptic, 110 × 40mm, flat, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 2.0m. Spring

(a) **'Mauve Gumpo'** (Syn. of 'Gumpo Mauve')

(a) **'Mauve Perfection'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Rosa Belton' × *oldhamii* (s) × 'Rosa Belton' × *oldhamii* H: E.W. Jordan (1993), G: E.W. Jordan (1996), N: E.W. Jordan (1997), REG: E.W. Jordan (1997) Fls 3/loose, flat truss, hose-in-hose, funnel-shaped, 30 × 50mm, with 5+5 flat-edged lobes, light purple (80D) in bud, opening light purple (80D) throughout, with spotting on the dorsal lobe. Lvs broadly elliptic, 54 × 19mm, flat, acute and mucronate at apex, attenuate at base, matt green above, ciliate. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 3 years. Spring

(a) **'Mauve Pink'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) ?, N: Waterer (Knap Hill) ?, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, purplish pink. Knap Hill

(r) **'Mauve Plush'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Caltwins' (s) × 'Caltwins' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls deep reddish purple (61A) and strong purplish red (61B) in bud, opening strong reddish purple (72B, C) and deep purplish pink (72D) with moderate orange (167C) dorsal spots. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Mauve Queen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 55mm wide, mallow purple (630/2). Kaempferi

(r) **'Mauve Queen'** cv. Parentage unknown R: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c8/truss, 55 × 100-110mm, pale mauve lilac, with a conspicuous ray of maroon markings

(r) **'Mauve Satchel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marion' × 'Joseph Whitworth' H: G. Langdon, G: G. Langdon (1965), N: G. Langdon, I: G. Langdon (1975), REG: G. Langdon (1976) Fls 20/truss, open campanulate, light purple (75B), with a paler centre, spotted olive green. Lvs elliptic. Shrub 1.1m

(a) **'Mauve Schryderi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Schryderi' L: Camellia Grove Nursery (1954) Fls single, pale mauve, throat darker lilac, spotted; scented. Syn: 'Schryderi Mauve'. Indian

(r) **'Maverick'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hachmann's Charmant' (s) × 'Recital' H: J. Barlup (1996), G: J. Barlup (1999), N: J. Barlup (2002), REG: J. Barlup (2002) Fls 21/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45 × 75mm, with 5-7 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (64D) in bud, opening inside and out white (155D), the dorsal lobes with touches of pale yellow (11D); two prominent, strong red (53B), dorsal flares extending 20mm from the base, with peripheral, closely spaced, discrete spots extending another 25mm and with similar marking on other lobes extending c15mm. Calyx 20mm long, white (155D), with sparse, strong red (53B) spotting. Lvs oblong, 100 × 40mm, margins wavy, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 6 years. Late May

(a) **'Maves'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: E. Kirk (pre 1948), N: E. Kirk, I: Hazlewood Bros Fls single, vivid red. Indian

(a) **'Mavis'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ivory' (s) × 'Keisetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, 50mm wide, tyrian pink (strong purplish red (71D), with tyrian rose (vivid purplish red (57B)) dots on the blotch, tube yellowish. Low, spreading shrub to 1.0m. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Mavis'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Carlson's Gardens (1977) Fls in tight, round trusses, dusty pink

(r) **'Mavis Davis'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Orange Marmalade' × 'Lem's Cameo' H: J.A. Davis (1981), G: J.A. Davis (1985), N: J.A. Davis, I: J.A. Davis (1987), REG: J.A. Davis (1987) Fls 10-12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 89mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, moderate reddish orange (35B) in bud, opening pale yellow (19C) inside, edged 35B, outside 35B. Calyx 25-38mm long, pale yellow (19C). Lvs elliptic to obovate, 90-110 × 40-50mm, flat, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 0.7 × 0.7m in 6 years. Early-mid May

(r) **'Mavis Fairfield'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Jan Dekens' (s) × seedling of 'Doctor Arnold W. Endtz' H: N. Sullivan (1976), G: N. Sullivan (1984), N: N. Sullivan (1998), REG: N. Sullivan (1998) Fls 22/domed truss, campanulate, 35 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (64C) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (66C) inside, outside strong purplish red (64C) with a 2mm wide white edge to all lobes when fully open; very faint, vivid purplish red (66A) spotting on dorsal lobe; stamens and pistil red. Calyx minute, green. Lvs oblong, 110 × 55mm, margins upcurved, apiculate at apex, attenuate at base, matt green, hairless. Shrub 1.75 × 1.25m in 22 years. Late October (Tasmania)

(r) **'Ma Vlast'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cunningham's White' × *forrestii* Repens Group R: B. Kavka (c 1965), N: B. Kavka Fls 5-7/flat truss, c50mm wide, pink in bud (0023-0023/1 and 23/1), opening with a dark pink rim (0023-0023/1 and 23/1), a lighter centre (24/2-24/3) and a faint blotch of dull red (0027/1-0027). Lvs elliptic to ovate, dark to blackish green (0001060/3 and 0960). Shrub 0.35m in 12 years

(a) **'Mavourneen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' × 'Omurasaki' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, 50-65mm wide, clear pale rose pink (light purplish pink (73C)). Shrub 1.5m. Mid April. Glenn Dale (Pollen parent may be 'Marta')

(r) **'Maxdis'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* I: G.G. Nearing & J.B. Gable, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white

(r) **'Maxecat'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* (s) × *catawbiense* H: J.B. Gable (pre 1945), G: J.B. Gable (c 1945), N: J.B. Gable (c 1945), REG: L. Mellichamp (1999) Fls 15-20/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink in bud, opening inside light pink with a distinct yellow blotch, spotted darker pink; outside light pink with dark pink edges; not or slightly scented. Calyx c5mm long, green to white. Lvs lanceolate, 100-150 × 25-40mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate to rounded at base, flat, semi-glossy and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 2.4 × 1.8m in 10 years, the young stems normally deep red. Mid May. (Reported to be strongly resistent to heat, dieback and to *Phytophthora* root rot. Published in *Hybrids and Hybridizers*, Livingston & West (1978))

(r) **'Max Fetterhoff'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* (white-flowered) × 'Mrs Furnivall' H: W.M. Fetterhoff (1964), G: W.M. Fetterhoff (1971), N: W.M. Fetterhoff, REG: W.M. Fetterhoff (1989) Fls 16/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 30 × 75mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (55C) shading to white at centre, with a white dorsal blotch with strong orange-yellow (163B) spotting which shades to vivid yellow-green (154A) towards base of lobe; outside strong purplish pink (55B). Calyx very small, cream. Lvs oblanceolate to narrowly elliptic, 60-150 × 30-65mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate to slightly oblique at base, dull green and hairless above, with sparse, closely appressed brownish hairs (mainly about the veins) below. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 25 years. Late May-early June

(r) **'Maxfield Parrish'** cv. Parentage unknown H: C.S. Seabrook (pre 1980)

(r) **'Maxhaem No.7'** (Syn. of ' Maxhaem Salmon')

(r) **'Maxhaem No.10'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* × *haematodes* H: J.B. Gable (1935), G: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable Fls of good size, deep red. Lvs rugose. (Has been equated with 'Maxhaem Yellow', but Gable's notes list them separately)

(r) **'Maxhaem Red'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* × *haematodes* H: J.B. Gable (1935), N: J.B. Gable, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark pinkish red

(r) **'Maxhaem Salmon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* × *haematodes* H: J.B. Gable (1935), G: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable, REG: Gable Study Group (1991) Fls in well-filled trusses, open funnel-shaped, c57 × 57mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, salmon pink, fading lighter towards centre. Lvs 114 × 44mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, with a sparse tan indumentum when young, ageing to rust-coloured. Shrub 1.0 × 1.2m in c11 years, 2.4m tall when mature. Midseason. Syn: 'Maxhaem No.7' (Published in *Hybrids and Hybridizers*, Livingston & West, 1978)

(r) **'Maxhaem Yellow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* × *haematodes* H: J.B. Gable (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, pale yellow, with pink stripes. Lvs dark green; young growth strikingly bronzed. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Midseason. (See note under 'Maxhaem No. 10')

(r) **'Maxie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* (s) × *macrophyllum* H: G. Fraser, G: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, with heavy spotting. (Some doubt exists regarding parentage)

(a) **'Maximilianum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange. Indian

(a) **'Maximillano I'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (pre 1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rose, bordered white, with carmine spots and blotches. Indian (Perhaps the 'Maximilian I' listed in Schneider cat., pre 1863. Apparently not the same as 'Maximilianum')

(a) **'Maximum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: listed under *viscosum* L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Maximum Album'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1867), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with strong green-yellow spots

(r) **'Maximum Coccineum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: G. Morlet (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) (Published in *Horticulture Français*, 1854:107-111)

(r) **'Maximum Decorum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: R. Veitch & Son (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose

(r) **'Maximum Purpureum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* form or hybrid L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Maximum Roseum'** (Syn. of 'Ponticum Roseum')

(r) **'Maximum Rubrum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose

(r) **'Maximum Superbum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* hybrid ? I: S.B. Parsons, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Maximum Triumphans'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Highclere (pre 1844), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c14/hemispherical truss, campanulate, 50 × 55mm, crimson, sprinkled with dark brown spots in tube; nectaries blood red. Calyx lobes 3-4mm long, pinkish, gland-fringed

(r) **'Maximum Wellesleyanum'** (Syn. of 'Wellesleyanum')

(r) **'Maxine Childers'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *strigillosum* × Elizabeth Group H: Mrs M. Childers (1958), G: C.H. Phetteplace (1965), N: C.H. Phetteplace, I: C.H. Phetteplace, REG: C.H. Phetteplace (1976) Fls 8-10/flat truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 55 × 60mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, near cardinal red (822/3). Calyx 1-1.5mm long, dark red. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 80-100 × 20-25mm, slightly bullate, moderate olive green (2.5GY 4/3) above, with an orange-brown indumentum below. New growth reddish brown. Shrub 1.2 × 1.4m in 18 years. Early April

(r) **'Maxine Margaret'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *strigillosum* × Elizabeth Group H: Mrs M. Childers (1958), G: A.A. & Mrs M. Childers (1962), N: A.A. & Mrs M. Childers, I: A.A. & Mrs M. Childers, REG: A.A. & Mrs M. Childers (1976) Fls 8-11/flat truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 50 × 50mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, between strong and moderate red (46A-47A), with black nectaries. Calyx 3mm long, red. Lvs oblanceolate, 90 × 25-28mm, veins deeply impressed, dark yellowish green (139A) above, with a scurfy tan indumentum below. Shrub 0.8 × 1.2m in 18 years. Early April

(a) **'Maxine West'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Louise Gable' × 'Tama-giku' (s) × 'Kaigetsu' × 'Carol' (Gable hybrid) H: R.D. Gartrell (1960), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell (1971), REG: R.D. Gartrell (1985) Fls irregularly double, hose-in-hose, 2/bud, open funnel-shaped, 44 × 64mm, 5-lobed, pale tints of pale purplish pink (65D) to very pale purple (69A-73D), slight striping of deep purplish pink (66C), throat light yellow-green (154D), spotted deep pink (185D). Calyx as corolla. Spring lvs elliptic, 34 × 17mm. Shrub up to 1.0m. (Robin Hill no. U8-10)

(r) **'Max Marshland'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Midnight' × 'Coronation Day' H: K. Van de Ven, G: K. Van de Ven, N: K. Van de Ven, I: K. Van de Ven, REG: K. Van de Ven (1981) Fls 19/truss, strong purplish red (64C), with a strong red (53B) blotch

(a) **'Max Petit'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Moser & Son (pre 1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright vermilion, with an orange blotch and a white line down centre of each lobe. Ghent

(a) **'Max Planck'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Gibraltar' × 'Cecile' R: C. Fleischmann, N: C. Fleischmann, I: C. Fleischmann (1970) Fls vivid orange, with a strong yellow blotch on the dorsal lobe. Mid-late

(r) **'Max Resnick'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' (s) × Idealist Group H: unknown (1975), G: E.J. Brown (1981), N: E.J. Brown, REG: E.J. & P. Brown (1995) Fls 13/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 85mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (60D) in bud, opening inside light reddish purple (74C) at edges, shading through moderate purplish pink (74D) to light purplish pink (65B) at centre; outside light reddish purple (74C) at edges fading to moderate purplish pink (74D) at base; stamens 12, curved; style white; slightly scented. Calyx very short. Pedicels 40mm long, green and brownish red. Lvs oblong, 121 × 51mm, convex, with wavy margins, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (148B) below; petioles 25mm long, reddish brown. Shrub 1.7 × 2.4m in 20 years. Mid-late May

(a) **'Max Schäme'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Eri' I: M. Schäme 1935, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls strong pink (48C-52D), with a strongly waved, white edge, as in 'Eri'. Indian

(r) **'Max Sye'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Chevalier Félix de Sauvage' × unknown R: C. Frets & Sons (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark red, with a black blotch. Shrub 1.4m in 10 years. Early

(r) **'Max Tietjens'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Dexter's Champagne' (s) × 'Dexter's Honeydew' H: E.E. Walbrecht (1972), G: M. Tietjens (1983), N: M. Tietjens (1997), REG: M. Tietjens (1997) Fls 12/domed truss,

open funnel-shaped, 55 × 90mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (55C) in bud, opening yellowish white (155B) with pale purplish pink (56B) margins and a strong yellow-green (145A) centre; outside pale purplish pink (56B). Calyx very short, brilliant yellow-green (149A). Lvs elliptic, 125 × 55mm, flat, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless . Shrub 1.6 × 2.3m in 24 years. Early-mid May

(a) **'Max von Forckenbeck'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: O. Schulz (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, scarlet red, with a strong black blotch. Indian

(a) **'Max von Schenkendorf'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Schulz (pre 1867), N: Schulz, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, violet red. Indian

(r) **'Maxwaldmädchen'** cv. Parentage unknown R: A. Lamken (c 1920), N: A. Lamken, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark carmine, with dark brown spots

(a) **'Maxwell'** (Syn. of 'Maxwellii')

(r) **'Maxwell'** (Syn. of 'Midnight Mystique')

(a) **'Maxwellii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown, but allied to 'Phoeniceum' R: Japan (pre 1912), N: Europe, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 3/truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 65-75mm, vivid purplish red (57C), with dark brown dorsal spotting. Calyx lobes awl-shaped, spreading, 17mm long, acute. Lvs rather thin, up to 50mm long, hairy. Low- growing shrub. Late May. Syn: 'Aka-yodogawa', 'Maxwell'

(a) **'Maxwellii Album'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown, but allied to *mucronatum* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 65mm wide, white, with a faint greenish throat. Midseason. (Perhaps identical to 'Mattapan')

(r) **'Maxwell T. Masters'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1900), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy crimson. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Maxwell White'** (Probably a synonym of 'Maxwellii Album')

(a) **'Max Wolf'** cv. Evergreen azalea: derived from 'Album Magnificum' (Schulz) I: Wolf (1892), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark salmon rose with a black blotch and white edges. Indian

(a) **'Maya'** (Syn. of 'Maja')

(a) **'Maya'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Coelestine White' (s) × 'Bertina' R: K. Müssig (pre 1991), N: K. Müssig Fls single, c5-6/truss, funnel-shaped, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (52D) throughout, with a conspicuous strong red (53B) blotch; anthers violet. Calyx normal. Lvs slightly obovate, dark green. Midseason-late. (Similar to 'Bertina' which is strong pink (48D) inside)

(r) **'Maya'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *sutchuenense* (s) × *ririei* R: E.J.P. Magor (1919), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very pale mauve inside, spotted deep purple and blotched an intense shade of purple at the base; outside flushed mauve (633/3). AM 1940 (Sutchrir Group)

(a) **'Maya-fujin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1978), N: Japan Fls single, 35mm wide, with deep purplish red (7.5RP 3/9 - 5RP 3/9) edges and a dark blotch. Kurume

(r) **'Maya Gold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Gertrud Schäle' × *wardii* (s) × 'Kupferberg' H: U. Genzel (1987), G: U. Genzel, N: U. Genzel, I: U. Genzel (1998), REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1998) Fls 9-15/loose truss, pendulous, 35-48 × 42-65mm, margins flat, buds orange-red, opening inside yellow, with tips of lobes orange-yellow, a red basal blotch and faint red markings; outside orange-yellow. Lvs dark and shiny green above, light green below. Shrub 1.1 × 1.0m in 11 years. Late May-early June

(r) **'May Barr'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × unknown H: T. Lelliott (c 1975), G: T. Lelliott (1987), N: Mrs H. Crouch, I: Mrs H. Crouch (1990), REG: Mrs H. Crouch (1991) Fls 10-12/truss, campanulate, 50 × 70mm, 7-lobed, white, with a yellow-green flush on dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 110 × 50mm. Shrub 1.0m

(r) **'Maybe'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marion' × Radium Group H: G. Langdon, G: G. Langdon, N: G. Langdon, I: G. Langdon, REG: G. Langdon (1980) Fls 14/truss, strong purplish pink (55B), with a darker centre

(r) **'Maybell'** cv. Parentage unknown H: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (pre 1980)

(a) **'May Belle'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Helen Curtis' × 'Hino-red' H: A.M. Shammarello (1965), G: A.M. Shammarello (1970), N: A.M. Shammarello, I: A.M. Shammarello (1975), REG: A.M. Shammarello (1976) Fls semi-double, 3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55-65mm broad, with 5+5+5 wavy-edged lobes (and 5-6 stamens), deep pink (10RP 6/12) to strong purplish red (10RP 5/12). Calyx coloured as corolla. Lvs broadly elliptic, 40 × 20mm, moderate olive green (5GY 4/3), yellowish brown in winter, hairless. Shrub 0.4 × 1.0m in 12 years. Mid-late May

(a) **'May Blaine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Waraigishi' × 'Kagetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1965) Fls double, 65-75mm wide, with imbricate lobes (opening like a formal camellia), light mallow purple, with a few dots on dorsal lobes of tyrian rose; few if any stamens; pistil usually normal. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m in 10 years. Late. Back Acres

(r) **'Maycross'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vanessa Pastel' × *aberconwayi* H: J. May (1968), G: J. May, N: J. May, I: J. May (1988), REG: J. May (1988) Fls 9/truss, funnel-shaped, 30 × 60mm, 5-lobed, white, with moderate purplish red (58A) markings at base of throat, marked strong purplish pink (62A) on outside. Lvs ovate, 85 × 35mm. Shrub 1.5 × 1.3m. May

(a) **'May Day'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt, I: E.A. Merritt (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light salmon pink. Kurume

(r) **'May Day'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *haematodes* (s) × *griersonianum* R: A.M. Williams, N: A.M. Williams, I: A.M. Williams (1932), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c8/truss, drooping, campanulate, 60 × 70mm, signal red (719/1) in tube, shading to 719/2 on lobes and with faint brown spots. Calyx large and irregular, coloured as corolla, tomentose. Lvs elliptic, up to 100 × 35mm, dark matt green above, with a thick, pale brown indumentum below. Straggly bush to 1.0m. AM 1932 (May Day Group)

(r) **May Day Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *haematodes* (s) × *griersonianum* R: A.M. Williams, N: A.M. Williams, I: A.M. Williams (1932), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Mayfair'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: Blue Tit Group × *impeditum* R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1968) Fls light lavender blue. Attractive young foliage. Dense shrub to 1.0-1.1 × 1.0-1.2m. Later than 'Sapphire'

(r) **'Mayfield'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: B.N. Starling (1971), G: D. Sampson (1975), N: D. Sampson, I: D. Sampson (1984), REG: D. Sampson (1991) Fls 5-7/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 25 × 30mm, 5-lobed, pale yellow. Calyx 4mm long, pale yellow-green. Lvs oblong-lanceolate, 40 × 15mm, hairless. Compact shrub, 0.45 × 0.6m in 18 years. April-May

(a) **'May Firelight'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Kurume azalea (s) × *kaempferi* R: R.P. Mayo, N: R.P. Mayo, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 45mm wide, orange-red. Upright, tall shrub. Late. Kaempferi

(r) **'May Firth'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from *caucasicum* R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1960), I: Waterer (Knap Hill), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1961) Fls 5-11/loose truss (though fls are erect), 45-70mm wide, light yellowish pink (36B-C), ribs strong purplish red (67A) and with brownish orange/moderate red (171B/179B) markings on the dorsal lobe. Dense shrub, probably to at least 2.56 × 2.56m. March-April. (Perhaps crossed with a *griffithianum* hybrid; Schmalscheidt (1986) says it was found on the nursery in 1945)

(a) **'Mayflower'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Willy' (s) × 'Momozono' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 1-3/truss, 40-50mm wide, a little darker than la france pink (moderate purplish pink (54D)), but not as dark as geranium pink (strong pink (48C)), with a few, fine dots of tyrian rose (vivid purplish red (57B)) in blotch area. Shrub to 1.5m. Mid April-early May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Mayflower'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: (*racemosum* × *minus* Carolinianum Group), selfed H: J.B. Gable, G: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink

(r) **'Mayflower Compact'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan' (s) × *R.* × *nikomontanum* H: B. & M. Shapiro (1965), G: B. & M. Shapiro, N: B. & M. Shapiro, REG: B. & M. Shapiro (1994) Fls up to 15/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 60mm, with (4-)5 wavy or very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63A) in bud, opening nearly white with a 3mm wide edging of strong purplish red (63A, B); outside strong purplish red (63B); stamens 10, curved, unequal. Calyx 3-4mm long, light green. Pedicels 30mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly obovate, 140 × 64mm, flat to slightly concave, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (137A) above; new growth close to strong yellow-green (144A), deeply veined, with a fuzzy, dark greenish yellow (152C) indumentum, concentrated on veins of upper surface; petioles 30mm long, light green. Shrub 1.5 × 1.7m in 25 years. Mid May

(a) **'May Glory'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hinomayo' (s) × Sander Hybrid I: Rhodo-Lake Nurseries (c 1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, red. Kurume

(r) **'Mayglow'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1975)

(r) **'Maygold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Reginald Farrer' × 'Crest' H: J. May (1968), G: J. May, N: J. May, I: J. May (1988), REG: J. May (1988) Fls 10/truss, funnel-shaped, 30 × 95mm, with 5-6 lobes, light yellow-green to pale greenish yellow (2C-D). Lvs oblong, 155 × 50mm, bullate, recurved from midrib. Shrub 1.75m tall. Late May

(r) **'May Jeffery'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1967) Fls deep purplish pink, dorsal lobe heavily spotted maroon, other lobes lightly spotted. Late May-early June

(v) **'May Kathleen Henderson'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Cameo Spice' (s) × *hellwigii* H: M.D. Cullinane (1989), G: M.D. Cullinane (1991), N: M.D. Cullinane (1999), REG: M.D. Cullinane (1999) Fls 6/flat truss, tubular-campanulate, 70 × 75mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, dark brown in bud, opening vivid red (45C), darkening to vivid red (45A) in the throat, outside vivid red (45C), unspotted; scented. Calyx 2mm long, reddish brown. Lvs elliptic, 105 × 45mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, matt green above, scaly (scales warm brown at first, ageing to dark brown). Shrub 1.75 × 1.0m in 4 years, less leggy than parents. Repeat flowering

(r) **'Mayking'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Kilimanjaro Group × Francis Hanger Group H: J. May (1970), G: J. May, N: J. May, I: J. May (1988), REG: J. May (1988) Fls 15/truss, funnel-shaped, 75 × 120mm, 5-lobed, deep pink (52B) inside, vivid red (52A) outside, heavily spotted black on dorsal lobes. Lvs ovate, 170 × 70mm. Shrub 2.0m tall. May

(r) **'May Moonlight'** cv. Parentage unknown G: Scott Arboretum & J.C. Wister, N: J.C. Wister, I: Scott Arboretum (c 1965), REG: Scott Arboretum (1984) Fls 8-9/truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 95mm, 7-lobed, moderate pink (2.5R 8/5) in bud, opening pale green in throat, shading to paler than light yellowish pink (2.5YR 9/3), unmarked, outside flushed pale pink (2.5R 9/3). Calyx 7mm long, light yellow-green. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 115-175 × 45-75mm, flat, acute at apex, rounded at base, moderate yellow-green (2.5GY 5/5), hairless. Shrub c1.9m in 35 years. Early-mid May. (Seed collected on the Everitt Estate (New York), 1945 and first grown by G. Gillies)

(r) **'May Morn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: May Day Group (s) × pink form of *beanianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1935), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 8-10/truss, funnel-shaped, 50mm wide, azalea pink (618/3) to begonia (619/3), flushed on lobe margins porcelain rose (620/1). Lvs elliptic, 75-100 long, rugose, with a cinnamon brown indumentum below. AM 1946 (May Morn Group)

(r) **May Morn Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: May Day Group (s) × pink form of *beanianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1935), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Mayor Johnstone'** (Syn. of 'Oberbürgermeister Janssen')

(a) **'Mayo's Magic Lily'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: R.P. Mayo, N: R.P. Mayo, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, with partially petaloid calyx, 55mm wide, with divided lobes, flushed moderate purplish pink (65A), with a darker blotch. Midseason. Kurume

(a) **'Mayo's Perfection'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Kurume azalea (s) × *kaempferi* R: R.P. Mayo, N: R.P. Mayo, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, orange red. Midseason. Kurume (Has been described as an improved 'Hinodegiri')

(a) **'Mayo's Pride'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: R.P. Mayo, N: R.P. Mayo, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, rose opal (022/1), with a darker blotch. Tall shrub. Midseason. Kurume

(r) **'May Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Cornish Loderi Group × 'Loderi Sir Edmund' R: Sir Giles Loder, N: Sir Giles Loder, I: Sir Giles Loder (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c18/tall, dense truss, 100 × 120mm, 7-lobed, fuchsine pink (627/2), shaded light solferino purple (26/2). Lvs oblanceolate-elliptic, 175 × 65mm, glossy. AM 1946

(a) **'May Queen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls single, pink. Kurume (Perhaps the old European cultivar called 'Royal Pink')

(r) **May Queen Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* hybrid R: Sir Edmund Loder (pre 1920), I: Lady Loder (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c15/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65-70 × 95-105mm, 7-lobed, blush pink, with a basal ray of greenish brown markings; style and anthers pink. Calyx pale green. Lvs elliptic to oblanceolate, up to 130 × 47mm, glossy dark green above. Syn: Leonardslee May Queen Group

(r) **Mayros Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Eros Group (s) × May Day Group H: Lord Aberconway (1938), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(r) **'May Schwarz'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Candi' × *tephropeplum* H: R.W. Scott (1967), G: R.W. Scott (1973), N: R.W. Scott, I: R.W. Scott (1976), REG: R.W. Scott (1977) Fls up to 6/truss, open funnel-shaped, 30mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, fuchsine pink (627/3), with no blotch or spots inside, outside with tube and streaks on lobes of 627/1. Calyx 3mm long, green and spiraea red. Lvs narowly elliptic, 40 × 13mm, acute and apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy dark green above, with revolute margins, densely brown scaly below. Shrub 22 × 40cm in 8 years. Late March-early April

(r) **'May's Delight'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'America' (s) × *yakushimanum* H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, I: W.E. Delp (1965), REG: ICRA (1999) Fls in compact, rounded trusses, deep purplish pink (67C) and strong purplish pink (67D). Lvs with a thin, plastered indumentum. Shrub 1.2m tall. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'May's Lemon'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *mekongense* var. *melinanthum* × FCC form of *lutescens* H: J. May (1969), G: J. May, N: J. May, I: J. May (1988), REG: J. May (1988) Fls 7/truss, funnel-shaped, 27mm wide, 5-lobed, light yellow-green (2C), slightly edged pink. Lvs lanceolate, 45 × 15mm. Shrub 0.5 × 0.5m, with bronze new growth. April

(r) **'May Song'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Bow Bells Group × Day Dream Group H: G.D. Grace, G: Bovees Nursery, N: Bovees Nursery, I: Bovees Nursery, REG: Bovees Nursery (1972) Fls 9-11/truss, open campanulate, 90mm wide, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, inside pale pink (2.5R 9/3), outside lined and flushed strong purplish pink (5RP 7/9). Lvs 65mm long. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Mayspark'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × Gipsy King Group H: R.J.R. Daryson (1979), G: Harkwood Acres (1987), N: Mrs A.J.A. Drayson, REG: Mr & Mrs Drayson (1987) Fls 11-13/truss, tubular-campanulate, 54 × 78mm, 5-lobed, deep red (53A) in bud, opening strong red (53C & D), paling to 53D, throat light purplish pink (55C), spotting on dorsal lobe deep red (60A). Calyx 23mm long, strong pink (52D), striped strong red (53D). Lvs lanceolate, 105 × 44mm, moderate olive green (146A & 147A), with moderate orange-yellow (164C) indumentum on young leaves which becomes moderate orange-yellow (165C) with age. Compact shrub, 0.46 × 0.72m in 8 years. Late April

(r) **'May Templar'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Queen Wilhelmina' (s) × 'Stanley Davies' R: C.B. van Nes & Sons (c 1898), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 16/truss, campanulate, 50 × 60mm, blood red, with few inconspicuous markings. Calyx small, crimson. Lvs ovate, 80-100 × 35-45mm, dull and dark green above

(r) **'May Time'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (white flowered) (s) × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: D.G. Leach (1952), G: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1968), REG: D.G. Leach (1973) Fls 12-14/domed truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 40 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep to strong purplish pink (5RP 6.5/9), opening inside white with very faint, ochre dorsal spots, outside faintly flushed deep to strong purplish pink (5RP 6.5/9) on midveins. Calyx minute, yellowish tan. Lvs elliptic, 108 × 45mm, dark green, hairy below in first year (with a tan indumentum), reduced to brown areas near midrib subsequently; winter buds tan orange. Shrub 0.5 × 0.7m in 4 years. Midseason. Syn: 'Evensong'

(r) **'May Trumpets'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.L. Tolstead (1965), G: W.L. Tolstead, N: W.L. Tolstead, REG: W.L. Tolstead (1995) Fls in a domed truss, 40 × 52mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish purple, with a deep yellow blotch; pistil red; stamens 10, red; slightly scented. Lvs oblong, 100×45mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy above, hairless. Shrub 3.0 × 2.8m in 20 years. Mid May. (Derived from *catawbiense*/*fortunei* crosses, perhaps with admixture of other species)

(a) **'Mayuzumi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c40mm wide, a bit more red than cherry blossom pink, with a yellowish cast. Tsutsuji

(r) **'May White'** cv. Parentage unknown R: D.L. Hardgrove (pre 1964) Fls white

(r) **'May Wine'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *sperabile* × *elliottii* H: W.E. Whitney, G: L.W. Bulgin, N: L.W. Bulgin, I: L.W. Bulgin (1980), REG: L.W. Bulgin (1986) Fls 15/domed truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 38 × 57mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (46A) in bud, opening vivid red (45C). Calyx 6-13mm long, vivid red (45C). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 90 × 32mm, dull and moderate yellow-green (147B) above, with a light, easily rubbed off indumentum below (light yellow (160B) when young, pale yellow (162D) when mature). Shrub 0.8×0.9m in 7 years. Early May. (Obtained as a seedling from Clarke Nurseries, Washington, USA in c1974)

(r) **'Maywood'** cv. Parentage unknown H: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (pre 1980)

(a) **'Mazais Jefiņš'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *R.* × *kosterianum* (s) × *roseum* H: R. Kondratovičs (1974), G: R. Kondratovičs (1981), N: R. Kondratovičs, I: Rhododendron Nursery "Babīte" of University of Latvia (1999), REG: R. Kondratovičs (2002) Fls single, 9/strongly domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 55 × 55mm, with 5 flat-edged, rather narrow lobes, vermilion (18/3), with a pale yellow dorsal blotch; filaments pale grey, anthers cream; style pale pink, stigma green. Calyx 3-6mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 95 × 35mm, wavy-edged, broadly acute at apex, pointed at base, glossy green above, with white hairs persisting on upper surface when mature. Shrub 1.6 × 1.6m in 15 years. Late May-early June. (Published in *Latvijas selekcionaru Ziedi* (1999))

(a) **'Mazama'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Graciosum' (Occidentale) × a Ghent hybrid R: B.F. Lancaster, N: B.F. Lancaster, I: B.F. Lancaster (c 1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls creamy white

(a) **'Mazeppa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1841), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Mazurka'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light yellowish pink; scented. Knap Hill

(r) **'Mazurka'** (Syn. of 'Hachmann's Mazurka')

(a) **'McClosky's Pink'** (Syn. of 'Cherado')

(a) **'M. Chaguerand'** (See 'Monsieur Charguerаud')

(a) **'M. Charles van Wambeke'** (See 'Monsieur Charles van Wambeke')

(r) **'McHattianum'** cv. Parentage unknown I: T. Leslie (1906), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'McKee Pride'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C.S. McKee (pre 1961), N: C.S. McKee Fls c10/rather loose truss, open funnel-shaped

(r) **'McKenzie'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *mucronulatum* G: A.E. Kehr (1978), N: A.E. Kehr (2000), REG: A.E. Kehr (2000) Fls 3/flat truss, broadly funnel-shaped, c40 × 50mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, pinkish salmon in bud, opening inside pale purplish pink (56C) with greenish yellow spotting at the base, changing to deep rose closer to margin; outside darker purplish pink. Calyx rim-like, green. Lvs elliptic, 50 × 20mm, acuminate at apex, cuneate at base, with flat margins, semi-glossy and deep green above, hairless; semi-persistent in mild winters. Shrub 2.4×0.75m in 22 years. Early. (Obtained as a seedling from J.F. Caperci in 1974)

(r) **'McKenzie Calypso'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* (s) × 'Susan' H: M. Childers (1967), G: R.E. Burns (1974), N: R.E. Burns, REG: R.E. & F. Burns (1995) Fls 15-21/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 76 × 102mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (72A) in bud, opening very light purple (75C), with deep purplish pink (72D) margins and vivid reddish purple (74A) speckles on the dorsal lobes; stamens 13, straight, unequal; style white; moderately scented. Pedicels 41mm long, brilliant yellow-green (150C). Lvs narrowly oblong, 191 × 64mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (137B)

above, hairless; petioles 32mm long, moderate red (47A). Shrub 1.8 × 1.2m in 27 years. Mid April

(r) **'McNabii'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *ciliatum* × *edgeworthii* I: L. van Houtte (pre 1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush white, shallowly campanulate, rather crumpled. Lvs elliptic. Dwarfish. C 1862

(r) **'Meadowbrook'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Charles S. Sargent' (s) × 'Everestianum' R: P. Vossberg (1928), N: P.D. Vossberg, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 22/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, with wavy-edged lobes (variously described as 'crenate' or 'fimbriated'), 55mm wide, deep red (60A) in bud, opening strong to light purplish pink (57B-C), with a white blotch and green spots. Lvs elliptic, 125-140 × 50-70mm, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 10 years. Late May. (The 'Everestianum' used was the so-called pink form with a pubescent ovary)

(r) **'Meadowgold'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *burmanicum* × 'Lemon Mist' H: R.W. Scott (1967), G: R.W. Scott (1972), N: R.W. Scott, I: R.W. Scott (1975), REG: R.W. Scott (1975) Fls 4-6/truss (1-3 trusses together), tubular funnel-shaped, 30 × 40mm, with 4-5 wavy-edged lobes, brilliant greenish yellow (6C), with vivid yellow (12A) spots on the dorsal lobe. Calyx c6mm long, pale greenish yellow, with brown scales. Lvs elliptic, 40 × 20mm, glossy and medium dark green above, with greyish green scales below. Shrub 0.8 × 1.0m in 7 years. Mid-late March

(a) **'Meadowlark'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: H. Motzkau, N: Yoder Bros, I: Yoder Bros (1973) Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, 65-75mm wide, warm rose pink. Lvs dark green. Midseason. (Published in Yoder Bros cat., 1973)

(r) **'Meadow Pond'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling of *wardii* from L & S 15764 R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1963), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1963) Fls 10/rounded truss, 40 × 65mm, with wavy-edged lobes, light greenish yellow (8C), with a deep crimson blotch in the throat. Pedicels 30mm long. Calyx irregular, red-stained. Lvs 90 × 65mm. AM 1963

(r) **'Means Beauty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Mars' H: R.L. Means (1983), G: D. Brim (1988), REG: D. Brim (1998) Fls 15/ball truss, funnel-campanulate, 45 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (61C) in bud, opening light purplish pink (62C) throughout, unmarked. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 50mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairy below (hairs near white at first, ageing to pale brown). Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 13 years. Midseason

(r) **'Meath'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Boule de Neige' × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: W.A. Reese (1969), G: W.A. Reese, N: W.A. Reese, I: W.A. Reese, REG: W.A. Reese (1980) Fls up to 9/truss, open funnel-shaped, 95mm wide, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (55C) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (56C), shading to strong purplish pink (56B) at lobe edges and with a strong yellow (153D) dorsal blotch and spotting. Lvs elliptic108 × 55mm, nearly obtuse at apex, rounded at base, moderate olive green (146A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.45 × 0.3m in 7 years. Mid May

(r) **'Mecca'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *falconeri* × *niveum* R: Lady Adam Gordon, N: Lady Adam Gordon, I: Lady Adam Gordon (1965), REG: Lady Adam Gordon (1965) Fls 42/rounded, tightly packed truss, oblique-campanulate, 65 × 50mm, white, with a light flush of cyclamen purple (60/3), with a small deeper stain in the throat. Lvs elliptic, 225 × 100mm, with a pale mat-like indumentum below. AM 1965

(a) **'Mécène'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Smet, I: C. Vuylsteke (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, creamy white, edged rosy lilac, with a yellow blotch and pale yellow in the tube; sweetly scented. AM 1891. Rustica

(a) **'Mechtilde'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Schulz (pre 1886), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Meda Mardner'** (An error for 'Meta Mardner')

(a) **'Medea'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (1892), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with cinnabar red stripes and dots. Indian

(a) **'Medea'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × un-named seedling, HEA no.34 H: B.Y. Morrison (1929), S: B.Y. Morrison (1940), N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, 40-50mm wide, dull red-purple. Erect shrub to 1.5m. Mid April. Glenn Dale

(r) **Medea Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Red Admiral Group (s) × *sutchuenense* H: E.J.P. Magor (1920), G: E.J.P. Magor, N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson rather than red

(a) **'Medicine Man'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nancy of Robinhill' × un-named seedling (042-8) R: R.D. Gartrell (pre 1981), N: Cripple Creek Nursery (c 1983) Fls 90mm wide, with broad, wavy-edged lobes and some petaloids, deep pink (51B) with a darker red blotch. Low, spreading shrub, to 1.0m tall. Late. (Gartrell no. X77-9)

(r) **'Mediopictum Citrinum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1842), INC: ICRA (1958) Lvs very dark green, centre with large lemon yellow marks

(a) **'Medley'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Edna Bee' × unidentified seedling H: L. Yavorsky (c 1978), G: L. Yavorsky (1981), N: L. Yavorsky, I: L. Yavorsky, REG: L. Yavorsky (1988) Fls semi- to fully double, 2/shoot, broadly funnel-shaped, 30 × 50mm, with 5 normal, outer corolla lobes, strong red (39A). Calyx 2mm long,

green. Lvs elliptic, 25 × 13mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairy above. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Medora'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1847), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish rose, spotted all over with black. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **Medusa Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* (s) × *griersonianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1928), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 8/truss, funnel-shaped, 35 × 45mm, strong orange (26A), shading to deep yellowish pink/strong reddish orange (41D/40C) on lobes, profusely speckled brown within. Lvs elliptic-oblanceolate, 65-110 × 22-37mm, matt green above, with a fawn indumentum below

(a) **'Medway'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: F.E.W. Hanger, G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, REG: Royal Horticultural Society (1961) Fls 10-13/compact, domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 70 × 90-100mm, with very wavy margins, pale purplish pink (56A), deepening towards margins and with a golden yellow blotch at throat. Lvs 115 × 40mm, mid green. Shrub at least 1.5m tall. *AM 1959

(r) **'Meerkerk Magic'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *bureavii* × Fabia Group × *elliottii* H: A. Meerkerk (pre 1977), G: Meerkerk Rhododendron Gardens, N: W.A. Stipe, I: Meerkerk Rhododendron Gardens, REG: Meerkerk Rhododendron Gardens (1990) Fls 12/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 38 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (55A) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (55D) with strong purplish pink (55B) stripes on midrib of each lobe inside and outside; deep red (53A) spots on dorsal lobe and half of adjacent lobes; filaments pale, anthers dark. Calyx 3mm long, pink. Lvs oblanceolate, 203 × 57mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy dark green above, with a felted indumentum below, ageing from tan to cinnamon. Shrub 2.4 × 2.4m in c13 years. Mid April

(a) **'Meg'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) (Listed as a parent of 'Kerrigan's Super Red')

(r) **'Mega Hit'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vinecrest' × 'Serendipity' (s) × 'Vinecrest' × 'Serendipity' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, pale greenish yellow (1D) and moderate orange (173C) in bud, opening pale yellow-green (4D) with a light greenish yellow (4C) flare and dorsal spots of moderate reddish orange (173B) and moderate orange (173D); filaments pale yellow-green (4D); style pale greenish yellow (1D); anthers pale orange-yellow (159B); stigma strong yellow (153D). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(a) **'Megami'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1976), N: Japan Fls pale purple. (Raised on Hirado Island, Japan)

(a) **'Megan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: deep salmon form of *indicum* (s) × 'Hazel Dawson' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 70-75mm wide, amaranth pink (deep purplish pink (72D)), with a showy blotch of tyrian rose (vivid purplish red (57B)) dots. Spreading shrub to 1.5m tall. Mid-late May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Megan'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Megan')

(r) **'Megan Dixon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ('Catharine van Tol' × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor*) × *dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* (s) × 'Golden Pheasant' H: G. Dixon (1992), G: G. Dixon (2001), N: G. Dixon (2002), I: G. Dixon (2002), REG: G. Dixon (2002) Fls 14/full, rounded truss, funnel-shaped, 60 × 80mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, green in bud, opening inside strong purplish pink (55B), with lobe margins deep purplish pink (55A), outside deep purplish pink (55A); vivid red (45B) spots on dorsal lobe continuing down into central blotch. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 140 × 50mm, margins decurved, acuminate at apex, slightly cordate at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.4m in 10 years. Flowering from early June

(r) **'Megansett'** cv. Parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), N: Swarthmore College/Heritage Plantation (pre 1978) Fls mauve

(r) **'Meggie Meg'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' (s) × 'Morna Belle' H: M. Stockman (1989), G: M. & H. Stockman (1997), N: M. & H. Stockman (1998), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1998) Fls 13-15/domed truss, open campanulate, 50 × 75mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink (47C) in bud, opening very pale pink, mottled inside and flushed outside with deep pink (51C), centre pale greenish yellow (2D), prominent dorsal flares of strong red (50A) spots; corolla fades to nearly white, with a pale greenish yellow (2D) centre and strong red (50A) flares. Calyx 5-c15mm long (dorsal lobe longest), pale yellow, with c1-2mm green, starry marking at base. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 60mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, glossy and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 0.75m in 9 years. Early May

(a) **'Meggy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: un-named seedling × un-named seedling H: K. Glaser (c 1988), G: K. Glaser, S: K. Glaser (1991), N: K. Glaser, I: K. Glaser (1997) Fls double, broadly funnel-shaped, c75mm wide, with very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (67A) to strong purplish pink (68B) at margins, centre deep to strong purplish pink (68A-B), with slight vivid purplish red (57B) spotting in the throat. Normal calyx present. Lvs slightly obovate, c62 × 28mm, apex mucronate, dark green. Very early

(r) **'Meg Merrilees'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* (s) × a Hardy Hybrid R: W.C. Slocock (c 1924), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls creamy white, shading to yellow, with a red blotch, outside apricot

(a) **'Meicho'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Soko' R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls

75-100mm wide, with round, overlapping lobes, white, variably marked light to strong pink. Early. Satsuki

(a) **'Meigetsu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red, darker than 'Oriire', dappled with red, with 5-13 lobes. Foliage small and dense. Satsuki

(a) **'Meigetsu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kozan' × 'Tamaorihime' R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, with broad lobes, white, variously speckled, or striped, or selfs of deep to strong pink, some with paler centres. Erect shrub. Satsuki

(a) **'Meiho'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, with rounded, wavy-edged lobes, white with a pale purplish pink blotch. Satsuki

(a) **'Meijobotan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Meijo-no-haru'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Meijo-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(r) **'Meika King'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × unknown H: S.M. King (1970), G: S.M. King, N: S.M. King, I: S.M. King, REG: S.M. King (1984) Fls in compact trusses, cream, with frilled pink edges. Habit as in seed parent

(a) **'Meiko'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 100-125mm wide, pale to light pink, occasionally with white margins, red dots in the blotch. Satsuki

(a) **'Meiko'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls white, with pale green dots in the blotch, sometimes with light to deep pink sectors, or selfs, with red dots in the blotch. Satsuki

(a) **'Meikyo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Yatano-kagami' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65mm wide, with rounded, divided lobes, white, variably striped, sectored or with selfs of strong red, also offwhites edged with pink. Spreading shrub. Satsuki

(a) **'Meiro'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Berna Park Nurseries (1984) Fls 125mm wide, white, dotted pink and marked salmon; sometimes salmon selfs. Satsuki

(a) **'Meisei'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Izayoi' × 'Gobi-nishiki' R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65-75mm wide, somewhat funnel-shaped, with wavy-edged, overlapping lobes, white, heavily striped, flaked, dotted or selfs, varying from deep pink to vivid red. Satsuki

(a) **'Meisho'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 75-100mm wide, with 6 overlapping lobes, white, with dark pink stripes, flecks and blotch; sometimes pink with a white edge and red blotch. Upright shrub. Satsuki

(a) **'Meistag'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls semi-double, pale pink, with white markings. Midseason

(a) **'Meister's Double Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls double, pink. Kaempferi

(a) **'Meizan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 75mm wide, with rounded lobes, white, with strong yellowish pink dots and stripes, very variable. Lvs spotted and flaked with yellow. Low, compact shrub. Satsuki

(a) **'Me-kirishima'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c60mm wide, red. Lvs ovate. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Mélanie'** (Syn. of 'Dame Mélanie')

(a) **'Melanie'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1875), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy white, edged pink, spotted yellow. Midseason. Ghent

(a) **'Melanie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: orange-flowered form of *indicum* (s) × 'Azumi-shibori' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 2/truss, lobes somewhat reflexed giving a starry appearance, strong pink (49A/50C), with strong red (50A) spots on dorsal lobes: at a distance appears mid salmon pink. Shrub to 1.5m. Early May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Melanie Prynne'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Choyou' × 'Heiwa' H: J. May (1969), G: J. May, N: J. May, I: Knoll Gardens (1988), REG: J. May (1987) Fls 2/truss, funnel-shaped, 60mm wide, 5-lobed (the stamens petaloid to varying degrees), moderate purplish pink (68C). Lvs elliptic, 30 × 14mm. Shrub 0.4m. Late June

(a) **'Mélanie Rubra'** (Syn. of 'Roi Léopold')

(a) **'Mélanie Saumonea'** (Syn. of 'Dame Mélanie Saumonea')

(r) **'Melanie Shaw'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' × 'Dorothy Amateis' H: J. Shaw (c 1973), G: J. Leonard (1978), N: J. Leonard, I: Briarwood Gardens (1987), REG: Briarwood Gardens (1988) Fls 14-18/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 54 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purple (80B), shading to deep red (60C) in centre and with a prominent black flare on dorsal lobes. Calyx less than 2mm long, moderate purplish red (70A). Lvs elliptic, 102 × 44mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.8m in 12 years. Early-mid June. (Published in Briarwood Gardens cat., 1987)

(r) **'Melanthuma'** cv. Parentage unknown L: T. Methven & Son (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish crimson

(a) **'Melba'** (Syn. of 'Melba's Dream')

(a) **'Melba'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre1987) Fls 40mm wide, hose-in-hose, pale pink. (Possibly a Pericat Hybrid, grown in California, USA)

(r) **'Melba'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marion' × 'Van Nes Sensation' H: V.J. Boulter, G: V.J. Boulter (1969), N: V.J. Boulter, I: V.J. Boulter (1971), REG: V.J. Boulter (1971) Fls 13/truss, funnel-campanulate, with very wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (65A), fading to pale purplish pink (65C/D) in centre. Lvs 140 × 50mm. Shrub c1.1m

(r) **'Melba Elizabeth'** cv. Parentage unknown H: G.W. Clarke (pre 1980)

(a) **'Melba's Dream'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Lois' × ? yellow deciduous Exbury azalea H: A. Rudko (pre 1980), G: A. Rudko (c 1980), N: H.C. Weiskittel, I: A. Rudko, REG: H.C. Weiskittel (1996) Fls 2 from each of 2-6 buds/'truss', funnel-shaped, c22xc25mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes (tube 4-5mm long, lobes oblong, 16-18 × 8-9mm, rounded at apex), strong to light yellow-green (145A-B) in bud, opening light yellow-green (145C-D) and remaining that colour for up to one month; stigma bright green; anthers tan; style and the 5 stamens exserted; sparse, short, colourless to white, fine hairs on outside of corolla and more numerous at lobe margins. Calyx c7mm long, 5-lobed, green, with numerous white hairs ageing to tan. Spring lvs elliptic, 25 × 12mm, flat, cuneate at base, acute at apex, moderate olive green (146A) above, with white hairs above and below ageing to golden tan. Shrub 0.25 × 0.28m in c3 years. Mid April-late May. Syn: 'Melba' (Originally named `Melba' by A. Rudko, renamed by H.C. Weiskittel)

(v) **'Melbourne Cup'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* × 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' × *aurigeranum* × 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' H: J.L. Rouse, G: G.L.S. Snell (1990), N: R. Macdonald, I: Foothills Nursery (1990), REG: Foothills Nursery (1991) Fls 9/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 60 × 70mm, 5-lobed, brilliant yellow (21C), the two lower lobes tinged pink. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 40mm. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m. Spring-autumn

(a) **'Melbournii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, I: unknown (1863), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Melbournii'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Mélété'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* hybrid L: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, with amaranth red markings

(a) **'Melford'** (See also under 'Ilam Melford...' etc.)

(a) **'Melford Beauty'** (Syn. of 'Ilam Melford Beauty')

(a) **'Melford Chief'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1985)

(a) **'Melford Flame'** (Syn. of Ilam Melford Flame')

(a) **'Melford Glory'** cv. Deciduous azalea: hybrid between two un-named Ilam azaleas, "Brick × C4" H: J.S. Yeates, G: L.F. Frisbie, N: L.F. Frisbie, I: L.F. Frisbie, REG: L.F. Frisbie (1961) Fls 8/truss, 75-100mm wide, 5-6-lobed, strong orange (9/1), lateral lobes tipped reddish orange (715/1)

(a) **'Melford Gold'** (Syn. of 'Ilam Melford Gold')

(a) **'Melford Lemon'** (Syn. of 'Ilam Melford Lemon')

(a) **'Melford Orange'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1985) Fls orange

(a) **'Melford Red'** (Syn. of 'Ilam Melford Red')

(a) **'Melford Red Ball'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1985) (Probably the same plant registered as 'Ilam Red Ball')

(a) **'Melford Red Giant'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1985) (Probably the same plant registered as 'Ilam Red Giant')

(a) **'Melford Red Letter'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: J.S. Yeates, N: J.S. Wells, I: J.S. Wells (pre 1978) Fls brilliant red. Syn: 'Red Letter'

(a) **'Melford Rose'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.S. Yeates (pre 1985), N: J.S. Yeates

(a) **'Melford Salmon'** (Syn. of 'Ilam Melford Salmon')

(a) **'Melford Yellow'** (Syn. of 'Ilam Melford Yellow')

(a) **'Melford Yellow Beauty'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1985) (Probably the same plant registered as 'Ilam Yellow Beauty')

(a) **'Melford Yellow Giant'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1985) (Probably the same plant registered as 'Ilam Yellow Giant')

(r) **'Melidioso'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Herme' × hybrid of *dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* H: H. Hachmann (1977), G: H. Hachmann (1982), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1988), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 15/truss, funnel-shaped, 45 × 65-70mm, with 6(-7) wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (70D), the edges and outside deep purplish pink (70C), three dorsal lobes marked strong orange-yellow to vivid yellow (17A-B) on a ground of pale greenish yellow (10D). Calyx 2mm long, strong yellow-green (144C). Lvs elliptic, 100-120 × 45-60mm, slightly convex, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, mid green and glossy above, with a thin, brownish indumentum below. Shrub 1.1 × 1.2m in 10 years. Late May-early June

(a) **'Melina'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Rubinstern' × 'Rubinetta' × 'Johanna' H: H. Hachmann (1976), G: H. Hachmann (1979), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1991), REG: G. Stück (1991) Fls double (all stamens petaloid), 2-4/bud, 30-35 × 45-55mm, with 12-15 wavy-edged lobes in all, deep purplish pink

(67C) throughout, dorsal lobe marked strong to vivid purplish red (67A/B). Calyx 4mm long, light green, silvery hairy. Lvs elliptic-ovate, 23-35 × 11-18mm, dark greyish green and glossy above, hairless. Shrub 0.4 × 0.7m in 10 years, of dense, compact, cushion-like habit. Late May-mid June

(r) **'Melinda Hiatt'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Glenna' (s) × 'Dexter's Champagne' H: J. Barlup (1991), G: J. Barlup (1996), N: B. Hiatt (2001), I: Nelson's Nursery (2001), REG: J. Barlup (2001) Fls 9/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 95mm, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (51B) in bud, opening inside white (155D) shading to pale purplish pink (62D) at margins, the dorsal lobe with two light greenish yellow (4B) flares (20mm long), and with faint spotting of light greenish yellow (4C); outside white (155D) between the midribs of moderate purplish pink (62B) at base, paling to pale purplish pink (62D) at tips. Lvs oblong, 105 × 45mm, margins flat, broadly acute to obtuse at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in 10 years. Early May

(r) **'Melinda Munson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nancy Evans' (s) × compact form of *brachycarpum* H: C. Jacobson (1994), G: C. Jacobson (2000), N: C. Jacobson, REG: C. Jacobson (2001) Fls 18/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (52D) in bud, opening inside pale yellow (11C) with a strong pink (49A) edging c6mm wide and a deep yellowish pink (46D) blotch on the 3 dorsal lobes; outside striped pale yellow (11D) and light yellowish pink (38C), with a strong pink (49A) edge c6mm wide. Calyx 3mm long, light yellow-green (145C). Lvs elliptic, 100 × 40mm, margins downcurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and dark green (135A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.7 × 0.9m in 7 years. Midseason

(a) **'Melineta'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Linden (1873), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **Melissa Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ascot Brilliant' (s) × *arboreum* H: E.J.P. Magor (1921), G: E.J.P. Magor, N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1932), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red, with spotting of darker red

(a) **'Melitta'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white, grained, striped and dotted with purple, less marked than in 'Antigone'. Indian (The spelling 'Melita' may be correct (cf Vuylsteke cat., 1899)

(r) **'Meliz'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *myrtifolium* hybrid H: J.F. Caperci (1962), G: J.F. Caperci (1968), N: J.F. Caperci, I: J.F. Caperci (1974), REG: J.F. Caperci (1976) Fls 5-8 in each of 1-4 trusses in a ball-shaped, terminal inflorescence, open campanulate, 17 × 22mm, 5-lobed, moderate pink (49B), slightly spotted strong red (47B) on two lobes, the reverse with a line of 47B spots from base to each lobe sinus. Calyx 3mm long, base green, lobes red. Lvs elliptic, 30 × 17mm, moderate yellow-green (147B) and hairless above, with dense, dark brown scales below. Shrub 0.4 × 0.8m in 14 years. Late May

(r) **'Mella'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *burmanicum* × *edgeworthii* R: C. Williams (pre 1952), N: C. Williams, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Mellisa Ray'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: M.E. Greentree (pre 1984), N: M.E. Greentree Fls large, double, purple

(a) **'Mello-glo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J.T. Dawson (1915), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 25mm wide, solferino purple (26/2). Midseason. Amoena

(r) **'Mellow Gold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* (s) × *campylocarpum* H: B.F. Lancaster (1948), G: B.F. Lancaster, N: B.F. Lancaster, I: B.F. Lancaster (1957), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 8/truss, rotate (flattish bell-shaped), 75mm wide, yellow, the dorsal lobe with maroon rays. Lvs slightly obovate, 75 × 40mm. Shrub 0.45m in 8 years, rounded, with thick stems. Midseason

(r) **'Mellow Yellow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cisa' (s) × 'Robert Weldon' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls brilliant greenish yellow (1B), strong yellowish pink (35C) and moderate pink (35D) in bud, opening pale yellow-green (4D) with a light yellow-green (2C) flare and vivid reddish orange (42A) dorsal spots. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Melodie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Paul Schäme' R: M. Srpková (c 1968), N: M. Srpková Fls semi-double to single, 60-70mm wide, dark salmon pink, with a dark carmine blotch. Lvs narrowly lanceolate, deep green

(a) **'Melodie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: mutation from 'US' R: K. Glaser (pre 1992), N: K. Glaser, I: K. Glaser (1993) Fls hose-in-hose, broadly funnel-shaped, margins somewhat undulate, margins white (155D) with fine, strong pink (48C) lines streaking into the broad margin, middle of dorsal lobes strong pink (48C), middle of ventral lobes light and pale purplish pink (55C/56A); strong spotting of strong red (53D) - spots touching each other - in the paler throat. Lvs elliptic, dark green above, mid green below, mucronate

(a) **'Melody'** (Syn. of 'Oino-mezame')

(a) **'Melody'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Pericat, N: Le Mac Nurseries, I: Le Mac Nurseries (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 30 × 50-55mm, strong red (50A) with a darker blotch. Spreading shrub. Midseason. Pericat

(r) **Melody Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi Venus' (s) × General Sir John du Cane Group H: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1950), INC: ICRA

(1958) Fls in tight, well-shaped trusses, pale pink or creamy pink. May-June

(a) **'Melody Lane'** (Syn. of 'Nuccio's Melody Lane')

(a) **'Melody of Love'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, bright pink, with an inconspicuous gold flare; scented. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Early June

(a) **'Melony'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *calendulaceum* R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls large, melon orange. Early June

(r) **'Melpomene'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* hybrid R: Seidel ? (pre 1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark rose in bud, opening pale rose with strong cherry red spots

(r) **'Melpomeul'** cv. Parentage unknown L: W.C. Slocock (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a conical truss, pink, with a dark blotch

(r) **Melrose Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* (s) × Avocet Group H: L. de Rothschild (1930), I: E. de Rothschild (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink

(r) **'Melrose'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *impeditum* R: unknown (pre 1994)

(r) **'Melrose Flash'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scintillation' (s) × ('Mrs A.T. de la Mare' × 'King of Shrubs') × 'Holy Moses H: M. Sanders (1988), G: Sanders Nursery (1995), N: M. Sanders, I: Sanders Nursery, REG: M. Sanders (1998) Fls 15/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 70mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, pale yellow-green (157B), with moderate purplish pink (65A) margins (c10mm wide), with sparse, pale greenish yellow (160C) spotting on the dorsal lobe; no stamens. Lvs narrowly obovate, 115 × 55mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, glossy and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 9 years. Early June

(r) **'Melrose Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* hybrid R: J.E. Eichelser ? (pre 1972), N: J.E. Eichelser Fls in large trusses, pink; scented. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Melrose Queen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scintillation' (s) × *calophytum* H: J. Ayers (1984), G: M. Sanders (1994), N: M. Sanders, I: Sanders Nursery (1997), REG: M. Sanders (1998) Fls 15/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 105mm, with 7 flat-edged lobes, very pale purple (69A) at edges, shading to very pale purple (69D) at centre, with dense, dorsal spotting of vivid purplish red (57B). Lvs elliptic, 165 × 70mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, glossy, dark green above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 2.7m in 12 years. Early May

(r) **'Melton'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1897), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in dense, rounded trusses, strong reddish purple (3RP 5/10), with a darker centre and marked maroon; stigma black; stamens and style whitish. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Meltzer's Feuer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: H. Meltzer (1986), G: H. Meltzer (1994), N: H. Meltzer (1997), I: H. Meltzer (1998), REG: H. Meltzer (1998) Fls 8-12/flat truss, funnel-campanulate, 50 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, orange-red in bud, opening orange inside and out, with slight yellow spotting on three dorsal lobes. Calyx 40mm long, orange. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 35mm, margins wavy and decurved, acuminate at apex, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m in 8 years. Mid May-early June

(a) **'Meltzer's Gelbgold'** cv. Deciduous azalea: unnamed yellow seedling (s) × pale-coloured, double-flowered Exbury-type hybrid H: H. Meltzer, G: H. Meltzer, N: H. Meltzer, REG: H. Meltzer (1998) Fls single, 15/rounded truss, funnel-shaped, 70mm wide, with 5 smooth-edged or slightly waved lobes, yellow with a little orange and green in bud, opening yellow inside and out, with a green tube externally; yellow blotch. Lvs long elliptic, 80 × 30mm, margins upcurved, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 8 years. Mid May-June

(r) **'Meltzer's Glut'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: H. Meltzer (1986), G: H. Meltzer, N: H. Meltzer, REG: H. Meltzer (1998) Fls 8-12/flat truss, funnel-campanulate, 60 × 75mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, orange-red in bud, opening orange, unmarked. Calyx 25mm long, yellow, with red stripes. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 50mm, acute at apex, auriculate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m in 8 years. Mid May-early June

(r) **'Meltzer's Purpurviolett'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group × *smirnowii* (s) × 'Purple Splendour' H: H.L. Meltzer (1984), G: H.L. Meltzer (1989), N: H.L. Meltzer, REG: H.L. Meltzer (1995) Fls 14-16/truss, funnel-campanulate, 50 × 60mm, 5-lobed, deep purplish red (71A), becoming moderate purplish red (70A) in the centre of the flower and with a black dorsal blotch. Lvs 100-150 × 30-55mm, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 8 years. May

(a) **'Melusine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Schulz (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls variable: white with rose stripes or rose spots. Indian

(r) **'Melusine'** cv. Parentage unknown R: L.L. Liebig (pre 1881), N: L.L. Liebig, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with a white centre

(r) **'Melusine la Fée'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ice Cube' × 'Scarlet Wonder' H: J.B. Brueckner (1975), G: J.B. Brueckner (1980), N: J.B. Brueckner, REG: J.B. Brueckner (1988) Fls 14-20/tall, conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 38 × 89mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (74D-78D), with prominent, heavily spotted, deep red (60A) markings on the dorsal lobes.

Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs oblong, 140-165 × 64-76mm, flat, acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.6m in 12 years. Late May

(r) **'Melville'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Countess of Derby' × 'Loderi Venus' × Fabia Group H: P. Wiseman, G: Waterer (Bagshot) (1959), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1969), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1986) Fls 8-12/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 60mm, 5-lobed, strong red (46A) in bud, opening vivid red (46C). Calyx 5mm long, vivid red (46B). Lvs elliptic, 140 × 55mm, with a very slight fawn indumentum. Shrub up to 2.5-3.0m. Mid-late June

(a) **'Memento'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' × 'Willy' (s) × 'Mrs Carmichael' × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, 50mm wide, white, heavily sanded, flaked and striped liseran purple (light purple (78C)). Shrub of dwarf, spreading habit, to 60cm. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Memoir'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1905), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac white, spotted yellowish green

(a) **'Mémoire de Charles Rogier'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. de Kneef (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, double, garnet red, with a black-purple blotch. Indian

(a) **'Mémoire de Charles Vuylsteke'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Frits Sander' × 'Vervaeneanum Rubrum' I: A. de Reuse (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, deep red. Indian

(r) **'Mémoire de Dominique Vervaene'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Vervaene (pre 1930), N: Vervaene, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, with a red blotch

(a) **'Mémoire de Louis van Houtte'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, 100mm wide, rose, with a bluish sheen, dorsal lobes with a dark carmine red blotch. Syn: 'Louis van Houtte'. Indian

(a) **'Mémoire de Madame Gustave Knockaert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Ernst Thiers' I: G. Knockaert (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, deeper colour than that of 'Ernst Thiers'. Indian

(a) **'Mémoire d'Emile Vercauteren'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: E. Vercauteren (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, strongly striped. Indian

(a) **'Mémoire du Comte de Flandre'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Vervaene-Vervaert & Co. (1905), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (One of the varieties (?=sports) of 'Paradise')

(a) **'Mémoire Evariste de Reuse'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: E. de Reuse (1927), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, dark red. Indian

(a) **'Mémoire John Haerens'** (Syn. of 'John Haerens Sport')

(a) **'Mémoire Reine Astrid'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Eri' I: O. Franck & Son (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vivid reddish orange (44C); slower growing than other 'Paul Schäme' series cultivars. Indian

(a) **'Memoria Karl Glaser'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Gustav Hacker' R: K. Glaser, N: K. Glaser, I: K. Glaser (1974) Fls deep purplish pink (61D), edged white; otherwise similar to parent. Indian

(r) **'Memoria Kate Bagg'** (See note under 'Memorial Kate Bagg')

(a) **'Memorial Day'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Hershey's Azalea Farm (pre 1987), N: Hershey's Azalea Farm Fls hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, deep reddish orange. Late

(r) **'Memorial Kate Bagg'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* (s) × Idealist Group R: R. Strauss, N: R. Strauss, I: R. Strauss (1964), REG: R. Strauss (1964) Fls 12-18/truss, campanulate, clear yellow at first, ageing to primrose, without blotch or spots. Foliage similar to Idealist Group. AM 1964 (Has been listed, apparently incorrectly, as 'Memoria Kate Bagg')

(a) **'Memoria Lowi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: unknown (1900), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, lively violet purple. Indian

(a) **'Memoria Sander'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Sander & Sons (1923), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, vivid purplish red (57C). Calyx normal green. Early. Syn: 'Madame Memoria Sander'. Indian

(a) **'Memoria Theo Simon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Elsa Kärger' × 'Schnee' H: H. Manten (1976), G: H. Manten, N: H. Manten, REG: H. Manten (1989) Fls double (with no stamens), broadly funnel-shaped, large, deep pink (52C) inside and out, throat paler; with moderate purplish red (58A) spotting in dorsal throat. Calyx present, not petaloid. Lvs broadly ovate, dark green above, flat

(r) **'Memories'** cv. Parentage unknown H: R. Henny (pre 1980)

(a) **'Memories of You'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, light apricot, tinged peach pink at edges of lobes and with a soft golden yellow flare covering the entire dorsal lobe. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Early June

(r) **'Memory Lane'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tony's Gift' (s) × 'Cunningham's Sulphur' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls deep to light purplish pink (73A, B, C) in bud, opening very pale purple (73D) edged light purple (78C) and with vivid yellow-green (154A) dorsal spots; filaments white. (Published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(a) **'Memory of Fred Galle'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *arborescens* (s) × *prunifolium* G: A.E. Kehr (1983), S: A.E. Kehr (1997), N: A.E. Kehr (1999), REG: A.E. Kehr

(1999) Fls single, 8-12/lax truss, tubular at first, becoming broadly funnel-shaped, 50-60 × 40mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, yellowish pink in bud, opening apricot with a yellow dorsal flare and yellow throat, unmarked; filaments and style red. Calyx 3mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 80-100mm long, acuminate at apex, cuneate at base, flat, dull and deep green above, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 1.2m in 18 years. Mid August. (Grown from seed of a natural hybrid in Callaway Gardens (Georgia, USA) sent to Kehr by Fred Galle)

(a) **'Mendel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: developed from 'Hexe' I: A. Steyaert (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, 6-9/truss, with wavy-edged lobes, rose. Indian

(r) **'Mendosina'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kokardia' (s) × 'Ignatius Sargent' H: H. Hachmann (1986), G: H. Hachmann (1991), N: H. Hachmann (1992), I: H. Hachmann (1998), REG: G. Stück (1999) Fls 17/dense, rounded truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40-45 × 60-75mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (61C) inside and out, strong purplish red (61B) on lobes; a conspicuous, dorsal blotch and markings of dark red (187A/B) extending into throat; stamens 10, filaments vivid purplish red (61C), anthers pale yellow (160D); style vivid purplish red (61C), stigma dark red (187A). Calyx 1-2mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 130 × 50mm, acuminate at apex, rounded at base, slightly convex, matt green above. Shrub 1.3 × 1.5m in 10 years. Late May-early June. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1998-2000 (1998), with colour photograph)

(r) **Menippe Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Erebus Group (s) × Loderi Group H: Lord Aberconway (1932), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink

(r) **'Menziesii'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1853), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy pink, with a yellow blotch

(a) **'Meoto-kagami'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Nuccio's Nurseries (1996) Fls single, with broad lobes, colour variable: white heavily marked with red specks and stripes, some with a white centre washed pink, some bordered white. Compact shrub. Midseason. Satsuki

(a) **'Meoto-nishiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls hose-in-hose, petaloid, 'trumpet-like', 50mm wide, white, with flecks, sectors and some selfs of vivid purplish pink, sometimes pink with stripes and sectors. Satsuki

(a) **'Mephistopheles'** (Syn. of 'Cuckoo')

(a) **'Mephistopheles'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Sander (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, with wavy-edged lobes, orange. Resembles 'Apollo'. Indian

(a) **'Mephistopheles'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1940), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 9-12/compact, hemispherical truss, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, 50-60mm wide, light orange- red, with an orange dorsal blotch; scented. Shrub to 1.8 × 2.2m. Knap Hill

(r) **Mera Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: F.C. Puddle Group × Ouida Group H: Lord Aberconway (1935), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink

(a) **'Mercator'** cv. Evergreen azalea: developed from 'Hexe' I: A. Steyaert (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, deep rose. Indian

(a) **'Mercator'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Blue Danube' × 'Amoenum' R: A. van Hecke (pre 1987), N: A. van Hecke Fls reddish purple. Late. Kaempferi

(r) **'Mercator'** (Syn. of 'Hachmann's Mercator')

(r) **'Mercator'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Byls (pre 1868), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine red

(a) **'Merci'** (Syn. of 'Arctic Flame')

(r) **'Mercure'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as a *ponticum* form or hybrid L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Mercury'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Nuccio's Nurseries (pre 1985) Fls large, off white to blush pink. Indian

(r) **'Meredith Collier'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lemon Lodge' × 'Crest' H: G. Collier (1972), G: G. Collier (1980), N: G. Collier, REG: G. Collier (1988) Fls 9/truss, funnel-shaped, 110-130mm wide, strong reddish orange to strong yellowish pink (31B-C) in bud, opening light to pale greenish yellow (1C-D). Calyx 1mm long, green. Lvs ovate, 130 × 50mm, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 2.0m in 16 years. Late October-November (New Zealand)

(r) **'Merganser'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *campylogynum* (white form) × *luteiflorum* H: P.A. Cox (1969), G: P.A. Cox, N: P.A. Cox, I: P.A. Cox (c 1978), REG: P.A. Cox (1982) Fls 3/conical, compact truss, 20 × 30mm, funnel-shaped, slightly paler than light greenish yellow (4B). Lvs 35 × 17mm, dark, dull green. Shrub 0.2m. Late April

(r) **'Meridian'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (c 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark crimson, with a black blotch. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Meritorium'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light rose, with yellow spots. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Merkur'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C. Schulz ? (pre 1863), N: C. Schulz, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rich purple. Indian

(a) **'Merkur'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L.L. Liebig, N: L.L. Liebig, I: L.L. Liebig (1876), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Merkur'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Louis Pasteur' (s) × *williamsianum* R: D.G. Hobbie (c 1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large, loose umbels, delicate rose, deeper at the edges

(a) **'Merle Finimore'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hinodegiri' × 'Tancho' H: K.M. Marsh, G: K.M. Marsh (1970), N: K.M. Marsh, I: K.M. Marsh, REG: K.M. Marsh (1973) Fls 4-7/truss, hose-in-hose, moderate red (47A). Lvs 40 × 20mm, glossy. Shrub 1.1m

(r) **'Merle Lee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Azor Group, selfed R: B. Esch (pre 1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 8-10/truss, funnel-shaped, 50-65 × 90-100mm, pink. Lvs lanceolate, 150 × 45mm. Spreading shrub

(r) **'Merle Wilson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Fawn' × 'Crest' R: E. Wilson (c 1964), N: E. Wilson Very similar to 'Honey Glow'

(r) **'Merley Cream'** cv. Parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), I: Wells Nursery (1961), REG: Briarwood Gardens (1994) Fls 12-13/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 70mm, with 6-7 smooth-edged lobes, white (155C), with a prominent, vivid yellow (12A) flare. Calyx minute, strong yellow-green (145A). Pedicels 22mm long, strong yellow-green (145A). Lvs elliptic, 76-140 × 32-70mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, dull and moderate yellow-green (146B) above, moderate yellow-green (147D) below, hairless; petioles 10-32mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Shrub 0.5 × 0.5m in 3 years; ultimate height c1.5m. Late May.

(a) **'Merlin'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls strong yellowish pink, with an orange blotch, wrinkled. Late. Knap Hill

(a) **'Merlin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* (s) × 'Modèle' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-2/truss, 65-75mm wide, rosy lavender (near very pale purple (84D)). Broadly spreading shrub to 1.5m. Almost deciduous. Early-mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Merlin'** (Syn. of 'Hawk Merlin')

(r) **Merlin Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* (s) × Eupheno Group H: Lord Aberconway (1935), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(a) **'Mermaid'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: W. Kern (pre 1985), N: W. Kern Fls white, with a yellow throat. Early. (Described as an Exbury seedling)

(r) **'Mermaid'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* × 'Mrs W.T. Thistleton-Dyer' R: W.C. Slocock, N: W.C. Slocock, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 8/loose, domed to conical truss, campanulate, with wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (56A), tinged light purplish pink (55C) at margins. Lvs 140-160 × 55mm, dark, dull green. Shrub c3.6m. *AM 1962

(a) **'Mernda Yellow'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls deep golden yellow

(r) **Merops Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cunningham's Sulphur' (s) × *lacteum* R: E.J.P. Magor (pre 1930), I: C. Ingram (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls sulphur yellow

(r) **'Merrie Bells'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Jingle Bells' × *lacteum* H: B.M. Smith (1973), G: B.M. Smith (1979), N: B.M. Smith, REG: B.M. Smith (1980) Fls 10/lax truss, tubular-campanulate, 50 × 55mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, strong red (46A) in bud, opening vivid red (45B) with vivid red (46B) spotting in dorsal throat; outside vivid red (46B). Lvs oblong to elliptic, 75 × 30-40mm, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, dull and dark green above, with a sparse, tan indumentum below (easily rubbed off). Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 5 years. Mid May

(v) **'Merry Christmas'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Tetramum' × *pauciflorum* H: O.S. Blumhardt (1984), G: O.S. Blumhardt (1987), N: O.S. Blumhardt, I: Lyndale Nurseries, REG: Lyndale Nurseries (1990) Fls 4-6/truss, 27 × 28mm, 5-lobed, strong reddish orange (42C). Calyx 2mm long, red. Pedicels 30mm long, deep red. Lvs obovate, 60 × 35mm, scaly. Shrub to 1.0m. November-December (New Zealand)

(r) **'Merry Lass'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marion' × Rodeo' H: G. Langdon, G: G. Langdon, N: G. Langdon, I: G. Langdon, REG: G. Langdon (1980) Fls 16/truss, light purplish pink (55C), spotted red and with a creamy yellow centre

(r) **'Merry Maidens'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mist Maiden' × 'Mary Belle' H: H.M. Harrington (1975), G: H.M. Harrington (1981), N: H.M. Harrington, REG: H.M. Harrington (1987) Fls 20-24/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 86mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, strong purplish red (7.5RP 5/12) in bud, opening strong purplish pink (7.5RP 7/10), with a light orange (5YR 8/7) blotch which is spotted dark reddish orange (7.5R 4/11); slightly scented. Calyx 1.5mm long, brilliant yellow-green (2.5GY 8/9). Lvs elliptic, 152 × 60mm, flat, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 11 years. Mid-late May

(a) **'Merrymaker'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Warai-gishi' × 'Kagetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1965) Fls double, 55-60mm wide, of rosette form (with 10-15 lobes), between scarlet and peach red. Late. Back Acres

(r) **'Merry Mary'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Aunt Martha' (s) × 'Fred Puppe' H: H.S. Baker (1989), G: H.S. Baker, N: H.S. Baker (2000), REG: H.S. Baker (2000) Fls 14-16/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 45mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purple

(82A) in bud, opening vivid purple (81A) throughout; spotting of vivid purple (82A) on the dorsal lobe, extending upwards about 15mm and onto adjacent lobes. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 50mm, acute at apex, rounded at base, margins flat, dull and moderate green (131C) above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.5m in 11 years. Late May

(r) **'Merry May White'** cv. Parentage unknown H: D.L. Hardgrove (c 1960), G: Mrs D. Royce, N: Mrs D. Royce, I: Mrs D. Royce (1972), REG: Mrs D. Royce (1979) Fls up to 11/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 75mm wide, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (55C) in bud, opening white with 2 small, dorsal rays of deep purplish red (187D). Lvs elliptic, 115 × 50mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dark green above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 2.5m in c18 years. Mid May

(a) **'Mersey'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: F.E.W. Hanger, G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, REG: Royal Horticultural Society (1963) Fls 12/compact, globular truss, funnel-shaped, 65 × 100mm, with wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (48B), with a vivid yellow (16A) blotch. Lvs 100 × 40mm. Shrub at least 1.9 × 1.9m. *HC 1962, *AM 1963. Knap Hill

(a) **'Merveille'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: E. van der Cruyssen, N: E. van der Cruyssen, I: E. van der Cruyssen (1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with light spots and purple stripes. Indian

(a) **'Merveille'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, 100-120mm wide, deep rose. Indian

(a) **'Merveille'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Perle de Noisy' I: J. Vercauteren (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls similar to parent, but with a narrower white edge. Indian

(a) **'Merveille'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Delicatesse' × unnamed seedling I: R. de Meyer (1957), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, pure white. Calyx normal, green. Midseason. Indian

(r) **'Merveille de Boskoop'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Charles S. Sargent' × 'Britannia' ? R: Felix & Dijkhuis, N: Felix & Dijkhuis, REG: Felix & Dijkhuis (1965) Fls 18/compact truss, 75mm wide, persian rose (628/1), with dark brown spotting on the dorsal lobe

(a) **'Merveille de Ledeberg'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1898), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, carmine rose, with a broad, black blotch on a blue background. Indian

(r) **'Mervyn Settle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Purple Splendour' H: F. Peste (1976), G: F. & L. Peste (1983), N: L. Peste, REG: S.P. Johnston (1986) Fls 19/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 44 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (61B) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (67C), with deep red (60A) dorsal spotting. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 120 × 44mm, moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (146D) below, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.7m in 9 years. Early May

(r) **'Mery'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Byls (pre 1868), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958)

(v) **'Mesilau'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *brookeanum* N: E.F. Allen (pre 1979)

(r) **'Mesquite'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hill's Low Red' (s) × 'Marie Starks' H: J. Barlup (1985), G: J. Barlup (1990), N: J. Barlup (1996), REG: J. Barlup (2000) Fls 15/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (47B) in bud, opening pale yellow (8D) throughout, the dorsal lobe flushed light greenish yellow (8C) and lightly spotted brownish orange (172C); nectar pouches strong red (53B). Lvs elliptic, 120 × 45mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, flat, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 1.2m in 14 years. Early May

(r) **'Message of Peace'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1922), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 20/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 60 × 90mm, bright pink in bud, opening white flushed pink near edges, with a narrow ray of olive green markings. Calyx lobes, very uneven, 2-14mm long

(r) **'Messenger'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish crimson, spotted. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Meta'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: F. Schneider (1863), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Meta'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: Lady Berry Group × 'Ivy' H: C.G. Heller (1967), G: C.G. Heller (1979), N: C.G. Heller, I: C.G. Heller, REG: C.G. Heller (1980) Fls up to 4/lax truss, funnel-shaped, 75 × 75mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, mostly moderate reddish orange (179C) with some moderate orange (170B) shading. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 90 × 30mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, with a spicy scent, glossy and moderate olive green (146A) above, with small to medium-sized scales below, yellow to golden brown, quite closely spaced; new leaves glaucous above. Shrub 2.1 × 1.2m in 11 years. Early May

(r) **'Meta Bartels'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: derivative of 'Prince Camille de Rohan' R: Gebr Mardner (1872), N: Gebr Mardner, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, rose white, dorsal lobes strongly red spotted

(a) **'Metake'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1939), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, bright red. Late. Kurume

(r) **'Metallicum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Veitch & Sons, N: J. Veitch & Sons, I: J. Veitch & Sons (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dull, rosy crimson

(a) **'Meta Mardner'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Gebr Mardner (1858), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Métaphone'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: E. van der Cruyssen (pre 1870), N: E. van der Cruyssen, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Metaphor'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Meteor'** (Syn. of 'Blue Danube')

(a) **'Meteor'** (Syn. of 'Roshomon')

(a) **'Meteor'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1851), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson or orange scarlet, spotted. Indian

(a) **'Meteor'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: S. & J. Rinz, N: S. & J. Rinz (pre 1855), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls brilliant red, with a deep yellow blotch. Syn: 'Météore'. Ghent

(a) **'Meteor'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × 'Kagetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, between phlox purple (strong reddish purple (78B)) and mallow purple (strong reddish purple (72C)), with a scarlet (vivid reddish orange (33A)) tube. Broad, spreading shrub to 1.2m. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Meteor'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (s) × Altaclerense Group R: Standish & Noble, N: Standish & Noble, I: Standish & Noble (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls fine rosy crimson

(r) **'Meteor'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1881), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls fiery crimson. (Perhaps the Standish & Noble plant)

(r) **'Meteor'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *barbatum* hybrid R: R. Gill (pre 1912), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls fiery red

(a) **'Météore'** (Syn. of 'Meteor' (Rinz))

(a) **'Météore'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rose. Indian (Some sources attribute it to H. Demay)

(a) **'Météore'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, 100-120mm wide, deep red. Indian

(r) **'Météore'** (Listed as a parent of 'Marcel Moser'; perhaps a translation of 'Meteor'. J. Vervaene cat., 1864 attributes a 'Météore' to Byls)

(r) **'Meteorit'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hachmann's Diadem' × 'Holger' H: H. Hachmann (1979), G: H. Hachmann, N: H. Hachmann (Listed as a parent of 'Campanile')

(r) **'Methven's Scarlet'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T. Methven & Son, N: T. Methven & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c10/compact truss, campanulate, 45 × 50mm, blood red, with a few black spots, waxy. Calyx pale green

(r) **'Meticar'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Nairn & Sons (1910), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark purple

(r) **Metis Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* × *dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* Herpesticum Group H: Lord Aberconway (1927), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red

(r) **'Metropolitanum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Whitley & Osborn (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls brilliant carmine rose

(r) **'Metternianum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *degronianum* subsp. *heptamerum* I: K. Wada, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink

(r) **'Metz'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Backès (1861), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish lilac, marked reddish brown. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Mevrouw Andre Heugens'** (See note under 'Mevrouw Andre Heungens')

(a) **'Mevrouw Andre Heungens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Madame Roggeman' × 'Madame de Meulemeester' R: J. Heursel (pre 1996), N: J. Heursel Fls double, 92mm wide, strong pink (48D), with yellow markings. Calyx green. Early. (Sometimes seen in error as 'Mevrouw Andre Heugens')

(a) **'Mevrouw Edmond Troch'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Inga' I: E. Troch (1978) Fls pure white; otherwise similar to parent. Indian

(a) **'Mevrouw Frans Heylbroeck'** cv. Evergreen azalea: un-named seedling × 'Kees Bier' I: R. de Meyer (1972) Fls double, pink. Calyx normal, green. Midseason. Indian

(a) **'Mevrouw Gerard Kint'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Manni Lachs' R: M. & J. Kint Brothers (c 1968), N: M. & J. Kint Brothers, I: M. & J. Kint Brothers (1981) Fls single (or with slightly petaloid stamens), deep pink (52C), edged white; otherwise similar to parent. Syn: 'Madame Gerard Kint', 'Mrs Gerda Kint'. Indian

(a) **'Mevrouw Gerard Kint White'** (Syn. of 'Mevrouw Gerard Kint Wit')

(a) **'Mevrouw Gerard Kint Wit'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Mevrouw Gerard Kint' R: M. & J. Kint Brothers, N: M. & J. Kint Brothers, I: M. & J. Kint Brothers (1981) Fls single, white, with a green blotch; otherwise similar to 'Manni Lachs'. Syn: 'Mrs Gerda Kint Album'; 'Mevrouw Gerard Kint White'. Indian

(a) **'Mevrouw G. van Noordt'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: P. van Noordt & Sons, N: P. van Noordt & Sons, I: P. van Noordt & Sons (1919) Fls single, strong yellowish pink, with darker ribs, throat orange-yellow. Midseason. Syn: 'Jeanne Oosthoek', 'Mrs G. van Noordt', 'Mrs G.A. van Noordt'. Mollis

(a) **'Mevrouw Helene de Groot'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: G. van Noordt (pre 1896), N: G. van Noordt, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light yellow. (Sometimes seen as 'Hélène de Groot')

(a) **'Mevrouw Hugo J. Hooftman'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: H.J. Hooftman, N: H.J. Hooftman, I: H.J. Hooftman (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose. Kaempferi

(a) **'Mevrouw Jozef Heursel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Violaceum' × 'Hexe' H: M. van Lancker (1963), G: J. Heursel (1966), I: J. Heursel (1974), REG: IOPG, Belgium (1975) Fls semi-double, 2-3/truss, 35 × 69mm, 5-lobed, vivid reddish purple (74B), with a blotch of dark red (59A). Calyx 7.5mm long, strong yellow-green (144C). Lvs obovate, 53 × 17mm, hairless. Midseason. Indian

(a) **'Mevrouw Marcel Vanbelle'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hellmut Vogel' × 'Mistral' R: J. Heursel, N: J. Heursel, I: J. Heursel (1997) Fls semi-double, 95mm wide, with 4 stamens, vivid purplish red (57B/C). Calyx green. Early

(r) **'Mevrouw P.A. Colijn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs E.C. Stirling' (s) × 'Madame de Bruin' R: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1910), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 8-20/compact, hemispherical truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 45-70mm, deep rose pink with few dorsal, brown spots; nectaries blood red. Lvs oblong-ovate, c80 × 32mm, dark matt green above. Mid May-early June. Syn: 'Madame P.A. Colijn', 'Madame Colijn'

(a) **'Mevrouw Roger de Loose'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'De Waele's Favorite' R: R. de Loose (1970), N: R. de Loose, I: R. de Loose (1974), REG: IOPB, Belgium (1975) Fls double, 7-8/truss, 52 × 68mm, 5-lobed, deep pink (52C) with white edges and a strong red (53B) blotch. Calyx 6mm long, moderate yellow-green (143D). Lvs obovate, 57 × 19mm, hairless. March. Indian (A sport induced by irradiation)

(a) **'Mevrouw van Krugten'** (Syn. of 'Doctor M. Oosthoek')

(a) **'Mevrouw Wery'** (Syn. of 'Addy Wery')

(a) **'Mexicali Rose'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, red in bud, opening vivid bright rose pink, with an orange flare. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Mid-late June

(a) **'Mexico'** (Syn. of 'Nuccio's Mexico')

(r) **'Mexiko'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls ruby red, with dark brown spots

(r) **'Mia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tortoiseshell Wonder' (s) × 'Loder's White' H: D.J. Dosser (1990), G: D.J. Dosser (1998), N: D.J. Dosser (1999), REG: D.J. Dosser (1999) Fls 18/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 65 × 110mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, light yellow (11B) in bud, opening inside light yellow (11B), fading to pure white; outside light yellow (11B), fading to pure white; moderate red (47A) spots on three dorsal lobes. Calyx unevenly lobed, up to 5mm long, red. Lvs elliptic, 175 × 63mm, obtuse at apex and base, margins decurved, glossy above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 9 years. October-November (Tasmania)

(a) **'Miagino'** (Mis-spelling of 'Miyagino')

(a) **'Miami'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: Exbury Gardens Ltd (pre 1965), G: Exbury Gardens Ltd (pre 1980), N: E. de Rothschild (pre 1980), REG: Exbury Gardens Ltd (1996) Fls 12/rounded truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 80mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, buds deep yellowish pink (47C), with brilliant greenish yellow (7C) veins, opening inside light yellow (15D) near centre, shading to strong reddish orange (34C) on lobes; outside light yellow (15D), darkening to strong orange-yellow (22A), heavily flushed moderate reddish orange (41C); dorsal lobe with a strong orange-yellow (22A) blotch; filaments yellow; style white. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 95 × 45mm, margins flat, matt green above, pointed at base and apex, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 2.0m in 30 years. May

(r) **'Mi Amor'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lindleyi* × *nuttallii* R: M.H. & Mrs F. Sumner, N: M.H. & Mrs F. Sumner, I: M.H. & Mrs F. Sumner (1961), REG: M.H. & Mrs F. Sumner (1962) Fls up to c6/truss, campanulate, 125 × 125-150mm, with 5 reflexed lobes, white, flushed yellow in the throat; strongly scented. Calyx regular, up to 25mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, up to 130 × 70mm, bright green above, glaucous and scaly below, with impressed veins. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. Summer (as late as August). AM 1975

(a) **'Micans'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1835), INC: ICRA (1958) Shrub 1.0-1.5m. Ghent

(a) **'Michael'** (Syn. of 'Michael Hill')

(r) **'Michael'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Gudrun' × 'Humboldt' R: O. Domschke (pre 1979), N: O. Domschke Fls soft rose with slight red-brown markings. Winter flower shoot buds purplish red

(r) **'Michael Beekman'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *macabeanum* × unknown H: J. Beekman, G: J. Beekman, N: J. Beekman, I: J. Beekman, REG: J. Beekman (1980) Fls 20/truss, light purplish pink (55C) becoming yellow with age

(r) **'Michael Behring'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: (*wardii* × *brachycarpum* (as subsp. *tigerstedtii*)) open-pollinated R: R. Behring (1981), N: R. Behring, I: R. Behring, REG: R. Behring (1990) Fls 13/tall conical truss, open campanulate, 52 × 52mm, with 7 smooth-edged lobes, buds deep pink (51B), opening off white, with pale purplish pink (65D) veined margins, and short rays of moderate pink (51D) in throat; anthers tan-coloured; stigma green; pronounced lemon-like scent. Lvs elliptic, 114 × 57mm, flat, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.5m in 15 years. Early June. (Raised from seed collected in 1975)

(r) **'Michael Chapman'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *hookeri* hybrid R: J.H. Mangles (pre 1884), N: J.H. Mangles, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c10/loose truss, 40-45 × 50-60mm, funnel-campanulate, 5-lobed, vivid red (45A-B) outside, more-or-less vivid red/deep pink (52A-B) inside, with dorsal spotting of a darker brownish red. Calyx lobes mostly long (18mm), only basal one short, hyaline, suffused red. Lvs oblong to oblanceolate, (70-) 90-130x(30-)35-40mm, dark, dull green above, with a thin white indumentum below

(a) **'Michael Fiery'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid R: W.D. Smith (pre 1982), N: W.D. Smith Fls petaloid, 100mm wide, orange-red, with a strong blotch. (See *The Azalean* 4 (1):3-4 (1982) for notes on parentage)

(r) **'Michael Graf'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Captain Jack' × Leo Group H: P. Holden (1970), G: Mrs A.J. Holden (1977), N: P. Holden, I: P. Holden, REG: P. Holden (1986) Fls 15/flat truss, open campanulate, 32 × 45mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (45A), with a 6mm wide edging of strong red (46A) and some very faint dorsal spotting. Calyx 8-25mm long, vivid red (45A). Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 127 × 44mm, dull, moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (147D) below, with a light, easily rubbed off indumentum below (moderate orange (167B) when young, dark reddish orange (175B) when mature). Shrub 1.5 × 0.9m in 15 years. Early May

(r) **'Michael Hayes'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mochica Moon' × *aberconwayi* H: I.A. Hayes (1979), G: I.A. Hayes (1989), N: Mrs B. Hayes, REG: Mrs B. Hayes (1992) Fls 5/truss, saucer-shaped, 30 × 75mm, all white. Calyx 4mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 65 × 30mm, hairless. Shrub 0.7 × 0.6m

(a) **'Michael Hill'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Chinyeyi' × *nakaharae* H: T. Rokujo (1961), G: Mrs J.W. Hill, N: Mrs J.W. Hill, I: Mrs J.W. Hill, REG: Mrs J.W. Hill (1975) Fls single, 1-2/truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (2.5R 7/8), with a blotch and spots on the dorsal lobes of deep purplish red (7.5RP 3/9). Calyx 5mm long, silvery green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 35 × 12mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, moderate green (7.5GY 4/4), glossy, hairy. Shrub 0.4 × 1.1m in 13 years. Late June-early July. Syn: 'Michael'

(a) **'Michael McLaren'** cv. Deciduous azalea: seedling from *albrechtii* R: Lord Aberconway & The National Trust, N: Lord Aberconway & The National Trust (1962), I: Lord Aberconway & The National Trust, REG: Lord Aberconway & The National Trust (1962) Fls c3/truss, 5-lobed, solferino purple (26/2), the dorsal lobe with limited yellowish green spotting. Shrub up to 3.0m. FCC 1962

(r) **'Michael Rice'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: complex hybrid including *catawbiense*, *maximum* and possibly some unknown hybrids H: W.D. Smith (1970), G: W.D. Smith, N: W.D. Smith, I: W.D. Smith, REG: W.D. Smith (1979) Fls up to 15/ball truss, 75mm wide, deep purplish red (7.5RP 3/9) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (2.5RP 6/10) with strong reddish purple (2.5RP 5/10) edging and deep purplish red (7.5RP 3/9) spotting. Lvs 108 × 45mm. Shrub to over 2.0m

(r) **'Michael's Pride'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *burmanicum* × *dalhousiae* R: C. Michael, N: C. Michael, REG: C. Michael (1963) Fls 3-4/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 100-125mm long, creamy yellow, rather waxy, unspotted. Bronze new growth

(r) **'Michael Stenning'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Charles S. Sargent' × 'America' × 'Princess Elizabeth' H: D.L. Hinerman (1981), G: D.L. Hinerman (1985), N: D.L. Hinerman, REG: D.L. Hinerman (1988) Fls 12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 75 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (66C), edged vivid purplish red (66B) and with a white central streak; blotch strong purplish red (60B) with some radiating 60B spots. Calyx 13mm long, green. Lvs oblong, 100 × 60mm, convex, acute at apex, rounded at base, glossy above, hairless. Shrub 0.5 × 0.3m in 5 years. Late May-early June

(r) **'Michael Waterer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *ponticum* hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot) (c 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c15/truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 50-60mm, crimson scarlet, fading to rosy crimson, with a wide ray of black markings. Calyx inconspicuous. Lvs oblanceolate, up to 125 × 45mm, deep, matt green above. Shrub to 2.0m in 10 years

(r) **Michele Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × 'Afghan' R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. April-May

(r) **'Michele Smith'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scintillation' × *hyperythrum* R: unknown (pre 1994) Fls light pink, with dark markings. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Early April

(r) **'Michelle Ilena'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *strigillosum* × *yakushimanum* H: unknown, G: J. Rosenthal (1978), S: J. Rosenthal, REG: J. Rosenthal (1989) Fls 10/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 38 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, opening red, finally ageing to deep yellowish pink (46D). Lvs elliptic to oblong, 127 × 38mm, flat, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, hairless

and dull green above, with a medium brown felted indumentum below. Shrub 1.1 × 1.2m in 15 years. Early-mid April

(a) **'Michelle-Marie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Rosalie' × un-named seedling R: K. Rannacher (pre 1996), N: K. Rannacher, REG: ICRA (1996) Fls double, open funnel-shaped, with 5 outer, slightly wavy-edged lobes, whitish at first becoming purplish pink to strong purplish red (63B), with some deep red (53A) dorsal spotting. Lvs elliptic, glossy, dark green

(a) **'Michel Steyaert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1932), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pink, with a big rose blotch on dorsal lobes and a broad white edge. Indian

(a) **'Michiko'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from Aronense Group R: W. Arends (pre 1960) Fls dark salmon red, with a darker centre. Syn: 'Geisha Dunkellachsrot' (Aronense Group)

(a) **'Mickey Chisolm'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J.J. Chisolm (pre 1940), N: E.A. Merritt, I: E.A. Merritt (c 1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 45mm wide, orange-red, with a darker blotch. Kurume

(r) **'Microflare'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tony's Gift' × *maximum* × *vernicosum* aff. (Rock 18139) R: ? W.E. Delp (pre 1986) (Raiser may have been A.W. Smith)

(r) **'Microphyllum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed under *ponticum* L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1851), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Microsplash'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Weldy' (s) × 'Serendipity' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls greenish white (157D), with a pale greenish yellow (1D) flare and pale greenish yellow dorsal spots. (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Microtones'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Achiever' × 'Gable's Pioneer' H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 5/head (from several buds), open funnel-shaped, 25 × 40mm, 5-lobed, deep and moderate purplish pink (72D, 70D) in bud, opening to a blend of light, very light and very pale purple (75B, C, D) and deep purplish pink (72D); filaments pale purplish pink (65D); anthers light yellowish pink (159A); style vivid purplish red (57D); stigma deep red (60A). Lvs 51 × 25mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, scaly. Shrub 1.8 × 1.75m in 18 years. Mid May. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer (1992))

(a) **'Midari-shojo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red, with strap-shaped lobes. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Midas Touch'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown S: D. Hughes (pre 1998), N: D. Hughes Fls large, in large trusses, golden yellow. (Selected from Grant Collection in New Zealand; probably from seed or plants from Mollie Coker)

(r) **'Midas Touch'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Percy Wiseman' × 'Tomeka' × 'Apricot Ice' H: N. Sullivan (1990), G: N. Sullivan (1996), N: N. Sullivan (1998), REG: N. Sullivan (1998) Fls 14/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 30 × 70mm, with 6 flat-edged lobes, strong yellowish pink (34D) in bud, opening inside light yellow (162C), outside light yellowish pink (37D); star-shaped, moderate red (180A) basal blotch. Calyx 15mm long, frilled and reflexed, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 40mm, margins flat, acute at apex, cordate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.5m in 8 years. Early October (Australia)

(a) **'Middle East'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Exbury, I: E. de Rothschild (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep orange. Knap Hill

(r) **'Middlemarch'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *lacteum* × *sinogrande* R: R.N. Stephenson Clarke, N: R.N. Stephenson Clarke, I: R.N. Stephenson Clarke, REG: R.N. Stephenson Clarke (1980) Fls 18-20/rounded truss, campanulate, up to 60 × 80mm, 8-lobed, creamy white in bud, opening to white flushed cream in the throat, with a red dorsal blotch and some light spotting in dorsal throat. Calyx rudimentary. Nectaries prominent. Lvs narrowly obovate to obovate, up to 210 × 80mm, mid green, hairless. AM 1980 (Probably a selection from the Lacsino Group obtained from Lamellen)

(r) **'Midget'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *leucaspis* R: Bovees Nursery, N: Bovees Nursery, I: Bovees Nursery (c 1962), REG: Bovees Nursery (1972) Fls white, 40mm wide, with 10 black anthers. Shrub 150 × 300mm in 8 years. An unusally compact form

(a) **'Midinette'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: W.C. Hage & Co., I: W.C. Hage & Co. (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale salmon rose. Kurume

(r) **'Midnight'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cup Day' × 'Purple Splendour' H: K. Van de Ven, G: K. Van de Ven, N: K. Van de Ven, I: K. Van de Ven, REG: K. Van de Ven (1978) Fls 16/truss, strong purplish red (71D), heavily spotted with dark red on the dorsal lobe. Lvs lanceolate, 150 × 40mm, glossy green. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Midnight Dream'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Stokes (1969), N: W.E. Stokes

(a) **'Midnight Flare'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Red Red' × 'Red Slippers' R: J. Harris (pre 1989), N: J. Harris Fls single, 75mm wide, very dark red, waxy. Lvs large, bullate, turning red in winter

(r) **'Midnight Mystique'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Midnight' (s) × 'One Thousand Butterflies' H: F. Fujioka (1986), G: F. Fujioka (1990), N: F. Fujioka, REG: F. Fujioka (1995) Fls 30/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, dark red (59A) in bud, opening with a prominent 6mm wide

margin of deep purplish red (59B), with bronze yellow dorsal spotting on a very pale purple (76D) ground; stamens 10, curved, unequal. Calyx 6mm long, strong purplish red (60D). Pedicels 31mm long, dark reddish orange (178B). Lvs oblong, 152 × 64mm, flat, acute at apex, rounded at base, bullate, hairless; petioles 13mm long, light reddish brown (177B). Shrub 0.9 × 0.6m in 8 years. Midseason. Syn: 'Maxwell'

(r) **'Midnight Ruby'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Olga Mezitt' × deep purple seedling from PJM Group H: E.V. Mezitt (1973), G: E.V. Mezitt (1978), N: Weston Nurseries, I: Weston Nurseries, REG: Weston Nurseries (1988) Fls 10-15/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 25 × 38mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish purple (72C) with a yellowish brown eye and a pink style. Calyx 3mm long, light brown. Lvs elliptic, 32-51 × 19-25mm, convex, with wavy margins, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, bullate and glossy above; scales light green on young foliage, rusty brown when mature; foliage turns almost black in autumn and remains so through the flowering period. Shrub 0.5 × 0.5m in 8 years. Early-mid May

(r) **'Midnight Sun'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid × *catawbiense* hybrid H: W.E. Stokes (c 1930), G: W.E. Stokes (c 1935), N: W.E. Stokes, I: W.E. Stokes, REG: O. Prycl (1990) Fls 14/ball truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 60mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, vivid purple (81B), with a yellowish white (155D) blotch and strong yellow (153D) spots. Calyx 5mm long, strong yellow-green (144C). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 150 × 50mm, glossy green, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 10 years. Mid May

(a) **'Midori'** cv. Evergreen azalea: derived from *kaempferi, eriocarpum* and 'Lateritium' R: Japan, N: Mrs J.W. Hill, REG: Mrs J.W. Hill (1966) Fls large, white, with a chartreuse throat. Low, spreading shrub c40 × 50cm

(r) **'Midsummer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1938), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c13/compact truss, broadly funnel-shaped, c45 × 60-70mm, bright rose pink, with a v-shaped, yellow ochre blotch. Calyx small. Lvs lanceolate, c90 × 35mm, dull, dark green above, puberulous below. Late

(a) **'Midsummer Beauty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kokinshita' × 'Macranthum' R: M. Haworth-Booth, N: M. Haworth-Booth, I: M. Haworth-Booth (c 1960), REG: M. Haworth-Booth (1962) Fls 2-4/compact truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, lobes slightly waved, deep pink (50B), with a slight flush of strong red (53C) and slight speckling of dark red. Lvs 25-45 × 7-13mm, medium to dark glossy green. Shrub 0.8m. *AM 1973

(r) **'Midsummer Night's Dream'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.G.T. Hyde (pre 1970), G: W.G.T. Hyde, N: Mrs R.G. Legrand (1994), I: Linwood Plants (1994), REG: Mrs R.G. Legrand (1995) Fls 7-8/slightly pendulous truss, open funnel-shaped, 78 × 38mm, with 7 very wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish red (186A) in bud, opening pale yellow-green (4D) inside and shaded strong pink (54C), with 2 stripes of brownish orange (164A) and dark reddish orange (178B) speckles which fade to strong greenish yellow (153C); outside pale greenish yellow (2C), shaded strong purplish pink (55B); scented. Lvs elliptic, 113 × 49mm, flat, matt green above, obtuse at base and apex, hairless. Shrub 1.42 × 1.49m in c18 years. May

(r) **'Midsummer Snow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Isabella Group × *decorum* subsp. *diaprepes* R: Hilliers, N: Hilliers, REG: Hilliers (1967) Fls 8-10/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 80 × 120mm, with 7 slightly wavy-edged lobes which are broadly ovate, white, with a faint tinge of green in the throat. Calyx an irregular rim up to 2mm long, with an occasional lobe to 5mm. Lvs oblanceolate to oblong-oblanceolate, 120-180 × 45-60mm, shortly truncate or rounded at base, bright green when young; petioles bright yellowish green

(r) **'Midway'** cv. Parentage unknown H: G.W. Clarke (pre 1980)

(r) **'Midway'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably derived from 'Coronation Day' and 'Purple Splendour' R: Van de Ven (pre 1982) Fls large, deep reddish purple, with a darker flare. Lvs elliptic, dull green. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years, of tight, mounded habit

(a) **'Midwinter'** (Syn. of 'Wintertime')

(r) **'Mid-winter'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: seedling from *dauricum* R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1963) Fls in terminal clusters of 2-6, rotate, with 5 spreading lobes, phlox purple (632/1-632/2). Usually semi-deciduous, sometimes retaining leaves during winter. Sparsely branched shrub. AM 1963, FCC 1969

(r) **'Mighty Mite'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Mighty Mite')

(r) **'Mighty Mite'** H: G.W. Clarke (pre 1980)

(a) **'Mignon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Schulz, N: Schulz, I: Schulz (1865), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Mignon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L.L. Liebig (1886), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, bright rose. Indian

(a) **'Mignon'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *japonicum* (s) × a Ghent azalea I: C. Vuylsteke (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose pink, with dorsal lobes pale magenta and with yellow spots. Mollis

(a) **'Mignon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hexe' × 'Charles Encke' I: A. Haerens (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, 'Hexe' type. Indian (Perhaps the same plant list-

ed earlier (1909) as 'Miss White' (though with a different parentage))

(a) **'Mignon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Bohemia' × 'Alfa' R: J. Šesták (c 1967), N: J. Šesták Fls double, with very wavy-edged lobes, red. Lvs elliptic, dark green

(a) **'Mihata'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls greenish white, with a white throat and deep red stripes. Satsuki

(a) **'Mihata-nishiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls well-shaped, with a vivid pink edge to the blush-coloured lobes. Kurume

(r) **'Mihkel Noor'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *rubiginosum* × unknown G: H. Vaartnou (1969), S: H. Vaartnou, N: H. Vaartnou, REG: H. Vaartnou (1991) Fls 5-7/lax truss, funnel-shaped, 32 × 38mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, light purplish pink (62C); stamens 10, straight, unequal; slightly scented. Calyx minute, greenish. Pedicels 13mm long, orange-green. Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 64 × 25mm, flat, acuminate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, scaly; petioles 19mm long, scaly, greenish. Shrub 3.7 × 2.4m in 25 years. April-May

(a) **'Miidera'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c50mm wide, white, variously marked with purple and light purple; purple and white selfs also produced. Satsuki

(a) **'Mikado'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kaempferi* R: Japan (pre 1905), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light salmon orange. Very late. Has been equated with 'Daimio'. Syn: 'The Mikado'

(a) **'Mikado'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Holly Heath Nursery (1978) Fls deep rose. Kaempferi (Apparently not the Japanese plant but a plant grown in The Netherlands and Germany under this name. It is uncertain which plant was awarded an AM in 1988)

(r) **'Mikado'** (Syn. of 'Hachmann's Mikado')

(r) **'Mikado'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls sulphur yellow, paler in the throat, with a few spots

(r) **Mikado Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* (s) × Cornish Cross Group H: Lord Aberconway (1926), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose

(a) **'Mikaera-zakura'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white (1958 Register); light scarlet with white centre (Yokohama Nursery, 1939). Kurume

(a) **'Mikawa-murasaki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c50mm wide, deep purple. Satsuki (A Kurume azalea with this name was imported to the USA in 1929 from Japan: fls single, 45mm wide, mallow purple)

(a) **'Mikawana'** cv. Evergreen azalea: perhaps a hybrid with *stenopetalum* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, orchid pink (31/1), with a brown blotch

(a) **'Mike Bullard'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Festive' R: R.W. Pennington (pre 1987), N: R.W. Pennington Fls vivid red. Early

(r) **'Mike Davis'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: unnamed *yakushimanum* hybrid × 'Lem's Cameo' H: J.A. Davis (1981), G: J.A. Davis (1985), N: J.A. Davis, REG: J.A. Davis (1990) Fls 10-12/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 64 × 76mm, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (62C), shading lighter towards the centre, small specks of vivid reddish orange (33A) on the dorsal lobe from centre to top edge. Lvs elliptic, 89-102 × 38mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.1m in 9 years. Early May

(a) **'Mike Perry'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hershey's Red' × 'Okina-nishiki' R: R.W. Pennington (pre 1976), N: R.W. Pennington Fls 70mm wide, light reddish orange, with a darker blotch. Low, compact shurb. Late

(v) **'Mike Thomas'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Triumphans' × *javanicum* × *leucogigas* H: P. Sullivan (1972), G: M. Thomas (pre 1983)

(r) **'Mikey'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Blue Peter' (s) × 'Ice Cube' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls vivid purple (81A) in bud, opening very pale purple (76D), strong purple (80B) and light purple (80C), with a deep purplish red (71A) flare and deep purplish red (71A) dorsal spots; filaments and style pale yellow-green (167C); anthers and stigma dark purplish pink (186C). Medium-sized shrub. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Mikkeli'** (Syn. of 'Saint Michel' (St. Michel'))

(r) **'Mikuni'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *degronianum* subsp. *heptamerum* var. *hondoense* G: K. Yamamoto (1984), N: K. Yamamoto (1996), REG: K. Yamamoto (1996) Fls 10-15/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 80mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (55A) in bud, opening inside almost white in the centre with a coloured margin and greenish yellow dorsal spotting; outside changing from deep purplish pink (55A) to pale purplish pink (56B). Calyx 3-4mm long, yellowish green. Lvs oblanceolate, 80 × 40mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, indumentum below silver white when young, ageing to brown. Shrub 0.5 × 1.0m in 18 years. (From seed sown by K. Yamamoto in 1978)

(r) **Milady Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Rosefinch Group (s) × Loderi Group G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rose pink. (It is

not clear from the records whether this was raised from a cross made at Exbury or repeated at Bodnant)

(r) **'Milan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Violetta' × 'Farnese' R: J. Kyndl (c 1969), N: J. Kyndl Fls 15-20/globose truss, 76mm wide, dark purple violet in bud (730-730/2), opening light violet purple (630-630/3), with a conspicuous blotch of dark purple (827/2-827/3 + 0027); slightly scented. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 47mm, dull green (0960/1-0960/2). Shrub 1.0m in 9 years

(a) **'Milda Glaser'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: K. Glaser, N: K. Glaser, I: K. Glaser (pre 1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double (average 1 stamen/fl.), deep purplish pink (66C). Calyx hose-in-hose, coloured as corolla. Late. Indian

(a) **'Mildred Alfarata'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: P.E. Girard (c 1965), G: R.K. Peters, I: R. Carter, REG: R.K. Peters (1983) Fls 6-10/truss (usually several trusses together), tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, 5-lobed, strong reddish orange (10R 5/11) in bud, opening brilliant yellow (2.5Y 9/9), dorsal blotch of vivid yellow (2.5Y 8/12), outside stained and ribbed 10R 5/11. Calyx 5mm long, moderate yellow-green (5GY 5/6). Lvs oblanceolate, 115-125 × 40-45mm, moderate olive green (7.5GY 4/4), hairy. Shrub 1.5 × 2.2m in 17 years. Knap Hill

(r) **'Mildred Amateis'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group (s) × *edgeworthii* R: E. Amateis, N: E. Amateis (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 4-5/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, to 90mm wide, 5-lobed, pink in bud, opening white inside and out, with midribs outside flushed pink. Calyx 8mm long, scaly and woolly. Lvs ovate to elliptic-ovate, 75-90 × 40-45mm, slightly bullate, scaly above and below. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Mildred Cross'** (Syn. of 'Aunt Mildred')

(r) **'Mildred Fawcett'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Faggetter's Favourite' × 'Mrs Donald Graham' R: T.B. Fawcett, N: T.B. Fawcett (1960), I: T.B. Fawcett, REG: T.B. Fawcett (1961) Fls 18/truss, 75mm wide, blush pink, with an orange pink blotch. Lvs c160 × 50mm. Large shrub

(a) **'Mildred Mae'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* × *mucronatum* R: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable (1932), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, orchid purple (31/3). Shrub 1.5 × 9.2m in 50 years. Similar to 'Big Joe' and 'Charlotte'. Gable

(a) **'Milenberg Joys'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *atlanticum* S: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1987) Fls pale pink, with an orange-yellow blotch

(r) **'Milestone'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Andorra Pink' (s) × 'Lady Eleanor Cathcart' × *decorum* H: Scott Arboretum (1958), G: Scott Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister

(r) **'Milestone'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: a compact form of *minus* × *dauricum* Sempervirens Group H: E.V. Mezitt (1969), G: E.V. Mezitt (1973), N: E.V. Mezitt, I: E.V. Mezitt (1977), REG: Weston Nurseries (1987) Fls 3-10/flat ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 13-19 × 51mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (67B). Calyx 27mm long, yellow-green. Lvs oblong, 25-38 × 10-16mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy above; young lvs with light green scales which mature to rusty green; autumn colour orange-red. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 7 years. Late April. Syn: 'Marathoner'

(v) **'Militaire'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Duchess of Edinburgh' × *javanicum* R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1885), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large globose trusses, orange scarlet, tinted crimson. FCC 1885

(r) **'Milkmaid'** cv. Parentage unknown R: G.H. White (pre 1955), N: G.H. White, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Milk Shake'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Repose Group × Elizabeth de Rothschild Group (s) × 'Stanway' H: E. de Rothschild (1985), G: E. de Rothschild (1992), N: E. de Rothschild (1998), REG: E. de Rothschild (1999) Fls c11/truss, funnel-campanulate, 70 × 110mm, 7-lobed, moderate red (181C) in bud, opening to pale yellow-green (4D), deepening to brilliant greenish yellow (5A) in the throat, with faint, greenish spotting at the base of dorsal lobes; stamens 15, filaments yellow-white, anthers brown; style pale green, glandular throughout, stigma green; scented. Calyx insignificant, to c3mm long. Pedicels slightly glandular, flushed red above. Lvs oblong, to 180 × 65mm, matt green above, paler below, hairless; petioles to 25mm long. AM 1998 (Standard: herbarium specimen provided by registrant (WSY 0019224))

(r) **'Milky Way'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *tomentosum* subsp. *tomentosum* (syn. *Ledum palustre*) G: Rhododendron Species Foundation, S: Rhododendron Species Foundation (1996), N: Rhododendron Species Foundation (1997), I: Rhododendron Species Foundation (2000), REG: Rhododendron Species Foundation (1999) Fls c100/compound domed to ball truss (truss of 6-7 buds, each with up to 20 fls, forming a dense ball of small flowers), saucer-shaped, 10 × 20mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, white in bud, opening yellowish white (155D) throughout, unmarked but with a prominent bright green ovary. Calyx minute, green. Lvs narrowly lanceolate-elliptic, 50 × 13mm, margins decurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and deep green above, with a reddish brown indumentum below and on young petioles. Shrub 0.9 × 1.5m in 12 years. Early-mid April. (Note that this will still be treated by some as a *Ledum* cultivar)

(r) **'Millais Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × *griffithianum* R: Sir Edmund Loder? (pre 1920), INC: ICRA (1958) (Loderi Group)

(r) **'Millard Kepner'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Decatros Group × *yakushimanum* H: F.W. Schumacher

(1968), G: M.E. Byrkit (1973), N: M.E. Byrkit, I: M.E. Byrkit (1974), REG: M.E. Byrkit (1975) Fls 13-15/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, outside deep purplish pink (58D), fading to white on inner surface and with an inconspicuous yellow-green blotch; scented. Lvs oblong to narrowly obovate, 140 × 25-70mm, dark green, hairless; new growth tinted orange. Shrub 1.0 × 0.8m in 5 years. Mid April

(a) **'Millennium'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Weston's Sparkler' (s) × 'Weston's Parade' H: E.V. Mezitt (1973), G: Weston Nurseries (pre 1980), N: R.W. Mezitt (1997), I: Weston Nurseries (1998), REG: R.W. Mezitt (1998) Fls 6/domed truss, funnel-shaped, with a long tube and broadly spreading lobes, 40×45mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong red (46A) in bud, opening inside strong red (53C), maturing to strong red (51A), with a pale orange dorsal flare; outside vivid red (46B); scented. Calyx c1.5mm long, yellow-green. Lvs obovate, 50 × 25mm, margins upcurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and dark bluish green above, glaucous below. Foliage mildew resistant. Shrub 0.9 × 0.75m in 7 years. Early-mid July. (Published in Weston Nurseries cat., 1998)

(r) **'Millennium Gold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goldkrone' (s) × *yakushimanum* H: Research Station for Nursery Stock, Boskoop (1983), G: Research Station for Nursery Stock, Boskoop (c 1986), N: Research Station for Nursery Stock, Boskoop (1987), I: Research Station for Nursery Stock, Boskoop, REG: M.H.A. Hoffman (1998) Fls 14-17/rounded truss, funnel-shaped, 60 × 40mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds yellow, tinged pink, opening light greenish yellow (3D) inside and out, with purple-red spots in the throat and on the dorsal lobe. Calyx small. Lvs elliptic, 40-90 × 20-50mm, margins decurved, acuminate at apex, glossy green above, with an orange brown indumentum below which ages more brown. Shrub 0.5 × 0.7m in 10 years. Early June. (Published in *Dendroflora* 34: 99 (1997))

(r) **'Millet'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unkown (pre 1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark red, with brown markings

(a) **'Millevoye'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (c 1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright red, with a reddish purple blotch and broad, wavy lobes. Indian

(a) **'Millicent'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisolm (pre 1940), N: E.A. Merritt, I: E.A. Merritt (c 1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, light coppery pink. Kurume

(r) **'Millicent Scott'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: (*racemosum* × 'Saffron Queen') F2 H: R.W. Scott (1963), G: R.W. Scott (1968), N: R.W. Scott, I: R.W. Scott (1974), REG: R.W. Scott (1977) Fls 3/bud (with 5-7 buds at or below shoot tips), open funnel-shaped, 10 × 25mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, egyptian buff (407/2-407/3) with light spotting of spiraea red (025) and with 025 marking on lobes. Calyx 1.5mm long, pale green, tipped pink. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 40 × 13mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, with moderately dense, golden brown scales below, glaucous dark green above; new growth bronze green. Shrub 0.4 × 1.0m in 12 years. Mid March

(r) **'Millie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' × Vanessa Group R: Bovees Nursery (pre 1976), N: Bovees Nursery Fls 9-10/truss, white inside, very light greenish white outside. Lvs 100-125mm long, dark green. Shrub 0.8m in 20 years

(a) **'Millie Mac'** cv. Deciduous azalea: mutation discovered (c1966) on wild-collected (1950) *austrinum* G: F.T. McConnell, N: F.T. McConnell, I: F.T. McConnell, REG: F.T. McConnell (1977) Fls 17-20/ball truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 36-41 × 28-34mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes recurved at tips, vivid reddish orange (34B) in bud, opening with tube 34B, centre of dorsal lobe strong orange-yellow (17A), other lobes vivid yellow (17B), all with a 2-3mm wide white border. Calyx 1-1.8mm long, brilliant yellow-green (142B), densely glandular hairy. Lvs narrowlyobovate, 55×25mm (some much smaller), moderate yellow-green (137C), hairy. Shrub 1.9-2.3 × 1.5-1.8m in 11 years. Mid March

(a) **'Million Dollar Baby'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, bright orange rose, with a large orange flare covering the dorsal lobe. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Late June

(r) **'Mill Reef'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *insigne* × *griersonianum* R: Hydon Nurseries, N: Hydon Nurseries, I: Hydon Nurseries (1972), REG: Hydon Nurseries (1972) Fls deep purplish pink (61D), with darker red dorsal spotting. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Early June. PC 1972

(r) **'Millstream Maiden'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Foxfire' F2 H: H.L. Foster (pre 1978)

(r) **'Millstream Red'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × red *catawbiense* H: H.L. Foster (pre 1978)

(r) **'Milnei'** (See note under 'Milneri')

(r) **'Milneri'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a form or hybrid of *caucasicum* L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958) (Perhaps the plant claimed (as 'Milnei') by Waterer (Knap Hill), 1867 and described as having rosy crimson fls)

(r) **'Milo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *brachycarpum* × *decorum* H: J.B. Gable (1940), G: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable, REG: Gable Study Group (1991) Fls a blend of pale pink and cream. Mature shrub 1.8m tall. Early May. (Published in *Hybrids and Hybridizers*, Livingston & West (1978))

(a) **'Milton'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Smet, I: C. Vuylsteke (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, 50mm wide, buds greeny yellow, opening creamywhite (slightly tinged pink), fading to white, with an orange-yellow blotch. Shrub up to c2.0 × 1.5m. Rustica

(r) **'Milton'** cv. Parentage unknown R: I. Davies (pre 1896), N: I. Davies, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lacquer red, with a reddish brown blotch

(r) **'Milton Hollard'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *macabeanum* (s) × unknown H: B. Hollard, G: B. Hollard, N: B. Hollard, I: B. Hollard, REG: B. Hollard (1979) Fls 22/truss, moderate purplish pink (62B) in bud, opening pale yellow-green (4D), flushed pink and with a few red flecks on dorsal lobe. Lvs dark green, with a silver indumentum below

(a) **'Miltonia'** (See note under 'Miltonii')

(a) **'Miltonii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably a selection from *indicum* L: Verschaffelt (1861), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 65mm wide, magenta (27/1), with a tyrian rose (24) blotch. Low, spreading shrub. Late. Indian (Listed by Verschaffelt as 'new' in 1861. Perhaps the 'Miltonia' listed by F. Schneider, 1863)

(r) **'Milton's North Star'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ruffles and Frills' (s) × 'Hansel' H: M. Wildfong (1982), G: M.L. Trembath (1998), N: M.L. Trembath, REG: M.L. Trembath (2002) Fls 10/flat-topped truss, funnel-shaped, 60 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish orange (43A) in bud, opening vivid reddish orange (43A) and fading to strongyellowish pink (43D) with darker stripes; outside vivid reddish orange (43A); unmarked. Calyx 30mm long, irregular, vivid reddish orange (43A). Lvs lanceolate, 150 × 60mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, matt green above, with golden hairs below when young, ageing to pale bronze; young growth reddish tan. Shrub 1.0 × 1.5m in 10 years. Mid May. (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0035248))

(r) **'Milton Wild'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Snugbug' (s) × 'Hydon Glow' H: M. Wildfong, G: M. Wildfong (1992), N: A.R. Cook (1994), I: A.R. Cook, REG: A.R. Cook (1996) Fls 6-7/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 40 × 50mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (55A) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (56A) throughout, with deep purplish pink (54B) speckles on dorsal lobe; stamens 10, unequal, white. Calyx minute, green. Pedicels 15mm long. Lvs elliptic, 55 × 25mm, twisted, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and dark green to bronze above, with a felted indumentum below (silver at first, ageing to reddish bronze); petioles 10mm long. Shrub 0.75 × 0.75m in 9 years. Late April. Selected primarily as a foliage plant

(a) **'Milt Silvert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Sweetheart Supreme' R: D.J. Cole (pre 1987), N: D.J. Cole Fls 65mm wide, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, white, slightly blushed with a light shade of purplish pink, with a very prominent purplish blotch. Mid May

(a) **'Mimi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown, selected seedling R: B. Bunschoten (1959), N: B. Bunschoten, I: B. Bunschoten, REG: B. Bunschoten (1962) Fls 2/truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 75mm, with wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (62A), flushed strong purplish red (63B), spotted strong purplish red (60C). Lvs 30-50 × 13-25mm, mid dull green. Shrub to 0.6m or more. AM 1975. Kaempferi (Named for the daughter of the raiser)

(a) **'Mimi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Madonna' × 'White Grandeur' R: S. Barber (pre 1975), N: S. Barber Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, white, tinged green in the throat. Compact shrub 1.0m

(a) **'Mimi Ball'** cv. Evergreen azalea: possibly a seedling from 'Dayspring' R: I.L. Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L. Amann Fls hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, vivid red (46B), with a darker blotch. Shrub 0.6-1.0m

(r) **'Mims'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (s) × 'Diadema' R: T.J.R. Seidel (1910), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale carmine rose, with yellow-green spots

(r) **Mimulus Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anita' (s) × Rapture Group H: Lord Aberconway (1939), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(a) **'Mina den Ouden'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: H. den Ouden & Sons (1924), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, deep pink. Midseason. Mollis

(a) **'Minagara'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c40mm wide, deep purple, resembling *Platycodon*. Syn: 'Yoichi'. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Minami-no-hoshi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: Higashi Nursery (1988), G: Higashi Nursery, N: Higashi Nursery (1996), I: Higashi Nursery (1996), REG: Higashi Nursery (1996) Fls 2/truss, funnel-shaped, 44 × 44mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, dark orange in bud, opening red-orange, with a red blotch. Calyx 6mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 40 × 18mm, flat, cuneate at base, broadly acute at apex, dull light green above, with white hairs (which age to light yellow). Shrub 0.6 × 0.75m in 7 years. Late April

(r) **'Minaret'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: W.E. Stokes (pre 1969), N: W.E. Stokes

(a) **'Mina Riva'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Mademoiselle Estelle Cuvelier' I: L. van Houtte (1891), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls incarnate rose, with white edges and a big, heavy, blood red blotch. Indian

(r) **'Minas'** (Syn. of 'Minas Grand Pré')

(a) **'Minas Flame'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Gibraltar' (s) × 'Balzac' H: D.L. Craig (c 1972), G: D.L. Craig, N: D.L. Craig (c 1982), I: Agriculture Research Station, Kentville (1983), REG: D.L. Craig (1998) Fls tubular funnel-shaped, 70 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish orange (33A). Lvs elliptic, 65 × 25mm. Compact shrub, 1.6 × 1.2m in 10 years. Early June. Resistant to powdery mildew

(a) **'Minas Gold'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Golden Dream' (s) × *luteum* H: D.L. Craig (c 1972), G: D.L. Craig,

N: D.L. Craig (c 1982), I: Agriculture Research Station, Kentville (1983), REG: D.L. Craig (1998) Fls tubular funnel-shaped, 55 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, brilliant yellow (10A), with a vivid yellow (14B) dorsal lobe; scented. Lvs elliptic, 50 × 25mm. Compact shrub, 1.2 × 1.4m in 10 years. Early June

(r) **'Minas Grand Pré'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (as var. *compactum*) (s) × *williamsianum* H: G.S. Swain (1961), G: Kentville Research Station, S: D.L. Craig, N: D.L. Craig, I: Kentville Research Station (1973), REG: D.L. Craig (1996) Fls 10/lax truss, campanulate, 40 × 50mm, 5-lobed, pale purplish pink (62D) throughout, including filaments and style. Lvs elliptic, 80 × 40mm, base oblique to cordate, apex obtuse, dark green; new foliage copper-coloured. Shrub 0.65 × 1.0m in 11 years. Late May-early June. Syn: 'Grand Pré', 'Minas' (Also seen listed in error as 'Minias')

(r) **'Minas Maid'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nova Zembla' × *yakushimanum* H: G.S. Swain (1966), G: G.S. Swain & D.L. Craig, I: D.L. Craig, REG: D.L. Craig (1979) Fls up to 15/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (62B) with strong purplish red (61B) dorsal marking. Lvs elliptic, 95 × 45mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, slightly revolute, glossy, moderate olive green (137A) and hairless above, with a moderate amount of light olive brown (199B) indumentum below. Shrub 0.9 × 1.0m in 11 years. Early June

(r) **'Minas Peace'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' × *degronianum* × *yakushimanum* H: D.L. Craig (pre 1970), G: D.L. Craig, N: D.L. Craig (c 1978), I: Agriculture Research Station, Kentville (1983), REG: D.L. Craig (1998) Fls in a compact truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (55B) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (56A) inside and out, with a strong purplish pink (55B) stripe on outside of each lobe; anthers strong orange-yellow (22A), filaments white; stigma light yellow (20B). Lvs elliptic, 110 × 45mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (137A) above, with a brownish orange (165B), woolly indumentum below. Shrub 0.8 × 1.25m in c15 years. Late May. (Published in *Can. Hort. Council Report*, 1982, p.148)

(a) **'Minas Princess'** cv. Deciduous azalea: Ghent hybrid, open-pollinated H: D.L. Craig (c 1972), G: D.L. Craig, N: D.L. Craig (1982), I: Agriculture Research Station, Kentville (1983), REG: D.L. Craig (1998) Fls tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, 5-lobed, light purplish pink (55C) in bud, opening with the same colouration; scented. Lvs elliptic, 50 × 20mm. Shrub 1.9 × 2.2m in c20 years. Early June

(r) **'Minas Rose Dawn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nova Zembla' × *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Catalgla' × Elizabeth Group H: D.L. Craig (pre 1979), N: D.L. Craig (1997), REG: A.R. Brooks (1997) Fls 14/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 45-50 × 65mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (67A) in bud, opening inside vivid purplish red (67B) at very edge of lobes, shading quickly through moderate purplish pink (65A) to pale purplish pink (65D) at centre, with light speckling of moderate red (180A-C) on dorsal lobe; outside deep purplish pink (67C) at edge, shading to light purplish pink (65B) at base. Calyx negligible. Lvs elliptic, 105-125 × 35-45mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (137B) above, with very fine hairs along midrib below. Shrub 0.75 × 0.6m in 5 years. Late May. (Originally known as 'Minas Rose'

(r) **'Minas Snow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cunningham's White' (s) × *yakushimanum* H: G.S. Swain (1966), G: G.S. Swain, N: D.L. Craig, I: Agriculture Research Station, Kentville (1981), REG: D.L. Craig (1998) Fls 14/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pure white, tinged pink in bud, opening pure white with cream-coloured anthers and a light yellow (10C) stigma. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 120 × 30mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (147A) above, with a light covering of tan hairs below. Shrub 1.2 × 1.1m in 14 years. Midseason. (Published in *Can. J. Plant Sci.* 61: 1023-1024 (1981); pollen parent subsequently reported to be almost certainly the Exbury form)

(a) **'Minato'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls single to semi-double, 50-65mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, white, with strong purplish pink margins, some without the light centre. Shrub 0.5m, of compact habit. Satsuki

(a) **'Mina van Houtte'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. Hellebuyck, I: L. van Houtte (c 1873), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rose, tinged salmon, the centre of outer lobes marked with white. The illustration in *Flore des Serres* 19: 151, (illus. opp. 155), (1873) does not show the white marking, but indicates narrowly wavy-edged lobes and a prominent deep rose style. Syn: 'Madame Mina van Houtte'. Ghent

(r) **Mincar Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* × *minus* Carolinianum Group H: J.B. Gable (pre 1972) Fls lavender pink, white or apricot

(r) **'Mind Power'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tony's Gift' × 'Catalgla' × (*fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × Fabia Group) H: W.E. Delp (1976), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 16/truss, open funnel-shaped, 48 × 75mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (72A) and strong reddish purple (72B) in bud, opening to a blend of strong and light purple (77B, C, D) with a very pale purple (69A) spotted, dorsal flare; filaments very pale purple (76D); anthers light purple (77D); style vivid purplish red (57D); stigma strong purplish red (67A). Lvs 101 × 47mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 16 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer (1992))

(r) **'Mindy's Love'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nancy Evans' (s) × 'Lionel's Triumph' H: J. Barlup (1981), G: J. Barlup (1987), N: J. Barlup (1988), REG: J. Barlup (1996) Fls 21/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 70 × 90mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (48C) in bud, opening pale greenish yellow (13D) with pale orange-yellow (16D) throat and three dorsal lobes, throat with two, faint, strong red streaks (c15mm long); outside pale greenish yellow (13D). Calyx irregular, to 30mm long, pale greenish yellow (13D) with faint, strong red (53B) streaking. Lvs obovate, 140 × 65mm, flat, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (146B) below, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m in 6 years. Late April-early May

(a) **'Mine Alone'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, deep rose, with an orange flare. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Mid-late June

(a) **'Mine-kohyoh'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1996) Fls single, small to medium-sized, a white centre, with an orange-red border. Spreading shrub. Satsuki

(a) **'Mine-no-hana'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Naniwa-nishiki' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50mm wide, with long lobes (some irregularly scallop-edged), pale pink, with stripes and sectors of deep pink, occasionally with paler edges. Satsuki

(a) **'Mine-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kozan' × 'Matsunami' R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, with well-spaced, pointed lobes, white, with stripes, sectors and selfs of strong red; some light to deep pink with a darker blotch. Low, spreading shrub. Satsuki

(a) **'Mine-no-hoshi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 75-90mm wide, with well-spaced, long-pointed lobes, pale to light pink to vivid yellowish pink, with a reddish purple blotch; occasionally with narrow, white margins and a dark pink blotch. Satsuki

(a) **'Mine-no-matsukaze'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c60mm wide, white, striped and patterned purple. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Mine-no-yuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, with a pale pink centre and bright white edges; occasionally with red streaks. Satsuki

(r) **'Miner's Gold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' (s) × 'Autumn Gold' × *wardii* H: Mrs F.B. Lawson (1978), G: H.R. Malone, N: H.R. Malone, I: H.R. Malone, REG: H. Ronken (2002) Fls 11/lax truss, funnel-campanulate, 60 × 70mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, buds strong reddish orange (31B) at base, strong red (47B) at apex, opening inside brilliant yellow (13C) in the throat and light yellow (15D) at edges, outside similarly coloured; unmarked; filaments light yellow (15D), anthers brownish orange (166C); style light yellow (15D), stigma light yellow-green (145B). Calyx 15-25mm long, brilliant yellow (13C), edged strong reddish orange (31B). Pedicels red. Lvs elliptic, 105 × 45mm, margins decurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, matt green, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 24 years. November (Tasmania). (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0032316))

(a) **'Minerva'** (Syn. of 'Minerve' (Ghent))

(a) **'Minerva'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Knight & Perry (pre 1849), INC: ICRA (1958) 'Lively, distinct colour'. Indian

(a) **'Minerva'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (1883), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pure white, of perfect shape. Indian

(a) **'Minerva'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Matouš (c 1979), N: J. Matouš Fls hose-in-hose, 55-65mm wide, pure white with a yellow-green blotch (63/2). Lvs obovate, dark glossy green (0960-0960/1)

(r) **'Minerva'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1881), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with a yellow eye

(r) **Minerva Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Sir Frederick Moore Group (s) × *elliottii* H: L. de Rothschild (1939), I: E. de Rothschild (1945), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large trusses, pink. Tall shrub. June

(v) **'Minerva'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *javanicum* × 'Princess Alexandra' R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1865), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large globose trusses, soft nankeen yellow, with rose pink filaments. Lvs dark green. FCC 1885

(a) **'Minerve'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Verschaffelt (1846), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 55mm wide, salmon pink, flushed yellow on dorsal lobe. Late. Syn: 'Minerva'. Ghent

(a) **'Minerve'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Vervaene (1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark rose mixed with a pale lilac tint, with a blue tint on the 3 dorsal lobes and a dark red blotch. Indian

(a) **'Minette'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: K. Müssig (pre 1996), N: K. Müssig, REG: ICRA (1996) Fls single, 2-5/truss, with 5 rounded, broadly overlapping lobes, pink, with a much darker dorsal blotch. Lvs glossy, dark green

(a) **'Ming'** (Syn. of 'Ilam Ming')

(r) **'Ming'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Albatross Group × *wardii* R: R. Henny (c 1945), N: R. Henny (1960), I: R. Henny, REG: R. Henny (1961) Fls 12/upright truss, funnel-campanulate, 90-100mm wide, uranium green (63/3), with an indian lake blotch on the dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 75mm. Shrub 1.5m. Mid May

(a) **'Ming Chuen'** (See note under 'Ming Chu Wen')

(a) **'Ming Chu Wen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.O. Harris, G: J.O. Harris, N: J.O. Harris (pre 1989) Fls 65mm wide, white, variously striped, flaked and sectored light purplish pink. Low, compact shrub, 0.6 × 0.9m. Satsuki (Has been listed in error as 'Ming Chuen')

(r) **'Ming Toy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Medusa Group × 'Crest' H: A.A. & M. Childers (1962), G: A.A. & M. Childers (1968), N: A.A. & M. Childers, I: A.A. & M. Childers, REG: A.A. & M. Childers (1977) Fls up to 9/lax truss, 50 × 65mm, open funnel-campanulate, with 5 flat-edged lobes, brilliant to light greenish yellow (6C-D), with occasional slight orange shading at lobe overlap; buds strong orange (170A). Lvs oblanceolate, 100 × 40mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (146A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m in 14 years. Early May

(r) **'Minias'** (An error for 'Minas Grand Pré')

(a) **'Miniatum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1836), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(r) **'Miniatum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as a *caucasicum* cultivar)

(a) **'Miniatum Floribundum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A Verschaffelt (1855), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, light purplish pink, dorsal lobes spotted orange. Ghent

(a) **'Miniatum Odoratum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J.-B. de Saegher (1846), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Miniatum Superbum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange. Ghent

(r) **'Mini Bell'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *tephropeplum* × unknown H: S.G. Irvine, G: Mr & Mrs H. McCuaig, N: Mr & Mrs H. McCuaig, I: Mr & Mrs H. McCuaig, REG: Mr & Mrs H. McCuaig (1974) Fls up to 35/truss, moderate reddish orange to strong yellowish pink (35B-C), dorsal lobe spotted

(r) **'Mini Brite'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *racemosum*, apricot (s) × *keiskei* H: W.E. Delp (1990), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls a blend of light yellow (11B), pale greenish yellow (10D) and strong pink (52D), with deep pink (52B) dorsal spots. Shrub 0.75m in 10 years. Early. (First published in *Greer's Guidebook to Available Rhododendrons,* third edn (1996))

(a) **'Mini Carnations'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ripples' (s) × 'Evening Glow' H: S. McDonald (1976), G: S. McDonald (1979), N: S. McDonald, I: Le-Mac Azaleas, REG: S. McDonald (1999) Fls double, 2-3/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, c20 × 30mm, lobes flat-edged, deep purplish pink (68A) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (68A) throughout, unmarked. Calyx 3mm long, light green. Lvs obovate, 25 × 10mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, flat, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (137C) above, with sparse hairs on the edge and lower surface of the leaves (hairs white at first, ageing to tan). Shrub 1.0 × 0.9m in 22 years. Mid April. ('Evening Glow' is hose-in-hose, yellowish pink, low-growing with a floppy habit (?= the Kurume listed by Carlson's Gardens))

(r) **'Mini Gold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' (s) × *aureum* H: B.G. Potter (1971), G: B.G. Potter (1975), N: B.G. Potter, I: B.G. Potter, REG: B.G. Potter (1981) Fls 7-8/domed to ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 60mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, buds brilliant yellow (11A), opening pale yellow (8D) with an inconspicuous brilliant yellow (11A) blotch. Calyx 3mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 70 × 22mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins decurved, dull and slightly bullate above, with a slight, floccose, tan indumentum below. Shrub 20 × 60cm in 8 years. Late April

(a) **'Mini Gumpo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J.E. Cross (pre 1987), N: J.E. Cross Fls 30mm wide, white and pink. Lvs very small. Very compact habit. Not stable. Satsuki

(a) **'Mini-hakata'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Hakata-shiro' L: Holly Heath Nursery (1978) Fls white with a faint flush of pale yellow-green in the blotch. Foliage and stature smaller than parent: sometimes reverts. Satsuki

(a) **'Minikin'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1973), N: Waterer (Knap Hill) Fls double, very small, lilac pink fading to white. Midseason. Knap Hill

(r) **'Minikin'** (Syn. of 'Hachmann's Minikin')

(r) **'Mini Mite'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *dauricum* × 'Vinestar' (s) × 'Cliff Garland' H: W.E. Delp (1987), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 3/truss, open funnel-shaped, 20 × 25mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes and no stamens, strong purplish red (67A) in bud, opening to a blend of deep, strong, moderate and light purplish pink (68A-D). Lvs 38 × 25mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, scaly. Shrub 0.8 × 0.6m in 5 years. Mid May. (Seed parent is Vineland Station no.V-7703-1)

(r) **'Mini Mode'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Achiever' × 'Gable's Pioneer' (s) × *minus* Carolinianum Group, tetraploid × *fastigiatum* H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp (pre 1992)

(r) **'Mini Pearl'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: (*minus* Carolinianum Group, tetraploid form × 'Watchung') F2 H: W.E. Delp (pre 1985)

(a) **'Mini-pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *nakaharae* R: unknown (pre 1996) Fls large, clear pink. Slow-growing, bun-shaped shrub

(a) **'Miniskirt'** cv. Deciduous azalea: wild origin selection from *occidentale* S: B.M. Smith & F.D. Mossman (c 1967), N: B.M. Smith & F.D. Moosman Fls 7-10mm wide (ie very small), white; normal red pistil, very short filaments and small anthers. Lvs small

(r) **'Mini-Sol'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *keiskei* 'Yaku Fairy' × dwarf form of *valentinianum* H: A.A. Childers (1975), G: A.A. Childers (1983), N: A.A. Childers, I: Bovees Nursery, REG: A.A. & M. Childers (1988) Fls 4/lax truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 32 × 48mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light yellow-green (154D) with a brilliant yellow (12B) throat; buds slightly more greenish than open corolla. Calyx 10mm long, green, shaded mahogany. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 25 × 13mm, convex, with revolute margins, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base; dull, scaly and moderate yellowish green (138A) above, golden scaly below; edged with white hairs. Shrub 0.25 × 0.38m in 9 years. Early April

(a) **'Minister Thorbecke'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, deep orange. Early. Mollis

(a) **'Ministre L. de Bruyn'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. de Kneef (1893), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, lively orange rose with a black blotch. Indian

(r) **'Mini White'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* × *aureum* R: B.C. Potter, N: B.C. Potter, I: B.C. Potter (1971), REG: B.C. Potter (1971) Fls 15/truss, funnel-campanulate, 50 × 45mm, white. Lvs ovate-lanceolate, 160 × 40mm, dark green. Dwarf shrub

(r) **'Min Langdon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marion' × 'Rodeo' H: G. Langdon, G: G. Langdon, N: G. Langdon, I: G. Langdon, REG: G. Langdon (1980) Fls 17/truss, pale purplish pink (56B) with a creamy yellow centre

(r) **'Minna'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars Novus' × 'Kohinur' R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1894), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, fiery carmine scarlet

(r) **'Minna's Purple'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: unrecorded *catawbiense* -type (s) × unknown H: E.V. Mezitt (pre 1974), G: Weston Nurseries, N: R.W. Mezitt, I: Weston Nurseries (1995), REG: R.W. Mezitt (1998) Fls 12/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, c50 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish red (71A) with darker margins and a darker red dorsal flare. Calyx c1.5mm long, pink. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 65mm, downcurved, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.75m in 7 years. Late May. (Published in Weston Nurseries cat., 1995)

(r) **Minnehaha Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Corona' (s) × *souliei* R: Exbury, I: E. de Rothschild (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a small, loose truss, bright pink or white shaded pink or creamy white. Low, spreading shrub. April-May

(r) **'Minnetonka'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: chance seedling, probably from *ponticum* G: H.W. Motzkau (c 1965), N: H.W. Motzkau, I: Van Veen Nursery (1980), REG: Van Veen Nursery (1990) Fls 15/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 64 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep reddish purple (77A) in bud, opening strong purple (82B) at margins, shading to light purple (84C) at centre, with vivid yellow-green (154A) spots on dorsal lobe; outside strong purple (82B). Lvs elliptic, 89 × 38mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, with wavy margins, glossy green and hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 0.9m in 10 years, of dense, compact habit. Mid May

(r) **'Minnie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Album Elegans' × 'Pictum' R: J. Standish (pre 1858), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10-15/rounded to conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped to almost flat-opening, 60-85mm wide, pale lilac in bud, opening blush white, with a conspicuous yellow-brown blotch. Calyx lobes 6-7mm long. Lvs oblanceolate, c130 × 45mm, glossy green above. Late May-mid June. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Minnie Hatta'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith Fls 75mm wide, deep purplish pink (73A), with a strong, vivid reddish purple (74B) blotch on 3 dorsal lobes. Shrub 1.0m in 7 years

(v) **'Minnie Mouse'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *christianae* × *dielsianum* H: M.D. Cullinane (1982), G: M.D. Cullinane, N: M.D. Cullinane, REG: M.D. Cullinane (1987) Fls 5-7/truss, tubular-campanulate, slightly curved, 30-40 × 30mm, light rose pink. Lvs broadly ovate, 80-90 × 50mm, glossy green, with light brown scales; new growth reddish brown scaly. Repeat-flowering

(r) **'Minnie Waterer'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1910), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white with crimson edges

(a) **'Minobu-murasaki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c40mm wide, light purple. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Minogera'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1984), N: Japan Fls hose-in-hose, wisteria purple. Kurume

(a) **'Minoru'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1980) Fls pale rosy pink, with a yellow centre. Mollis

(a) **'Min's Choice'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Agnes Gault' × *mucronatum* H: G. Langdon, G: G. Langdon, N: G. Langdon, I: G. Langdon, REG: G. Langdon (1980) Fls moderate purplish pink (70D), spotted red on dorsal lobe

(a) **'Minstrel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3-5/truss, 75mm wide, nopal red (vivid red (45A)) with a contrasting blotch of tyrian rose (vivid purplish red (57B)). Shrub to 1.9m. Mid April. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Minstrel'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy crimson, spotted. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **Minstrel Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *forrestii* Repens Group (s) × Neriihaem Group H: Lord Aberconway (1930), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red

(r) **'Minterne Apricot'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* (s) × *griersonianum* I: Lord Digby (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) (Fabia Group)

(r) **'Minterne Berryrose'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Doncaster' (s) × *dichroanthum* I: Lord Digby (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) (Berryrose Group)

(r) **'Minterne Cinnkeys'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* (s) × *keysii* H: Lord Digby (1931), G: Lord Digby, N: Lord Digby, I: Lord Digby (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 30/truss, pendulous, tubular, 40 × 20mm, nasturtium red (14/2) inside, scarlet (19) outside and gradually paling towards the apex. Lvs elliptic, sparsely scaly below. AM 1951, FCC 1952 (Cinnkeys Group)

(r) **'Mint Julep'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Caroline' (Gable) × 'Catalgla' × 'Sappho' H: W.E. Delp (1980), G: W.E. Delp (1983), N: W.E. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1990) Fls 14-16/rounded truss, 50 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid yellow-green (154A) and moderate to light purplish pink (68C/D) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (65D) and slowly fading to almost white, with a moderate yellow-green (146B-D) flare and moderate olive brown (199A) dorsal spotting; filaments light yellow-green; style pale yellow (164D); anthers greyish reddish orange (176C); stigma moderate reddish orange (178D); scented. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 65mm, hairless. Midseason

(a) **'Minton'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown N: R.D. Gartrell (pre 1995) (Name given to an unidentified Belgian Indian florist azalea used by Gartrell in his breeding programme. Sometimes referred to as "Indian hybrid no. 2" or "Belgian hybrid no. 2". The plant was a gift from a neighbour called Minton)

(r) **'Mint Pattie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *brachycarpum* × 'Crest' (s) × 'Cisa' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, deep to light pink (50B, C, D) and pale yellowish-green (4D) in bud, opening pale yellow-green (155B) with a strong yellow-green (145A) throat, a pale greenish yellow (2D) flare and deep red (53A) dorsal spots; filaments white. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Minuet'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Amoenum' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 2-4/truss, 65-75mm wide, tyrian rose, flushed rose from centre. Shrub 1.5m. Mid April. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Minuet'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, white and yellow. Knap Hill

(r) **'Minuet'** cv. Parentage unknown H: W. Baldsiefen (pre 1980)

(a) **'Mira'** cv. Evergreen azalea: irradiation induced sport from 'Euratom' R: ISRIA, Belgium, N: ISRIA, Belgium, I: ISRIA, Belgium (1976) Fls strong red (53D); otherwise similar to parent. Indian

(r) **'Mira'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (pre 1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark purple, with black red markings. (Probably raised by C. Vuylsteke)

(r) **Mira Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *beanianum* (s) × *meddianum* H: J.B. Stevenson (1939), G: J.B. Stevenson, N: J.B. Stevenson, I: J.B. Stevenson (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls reddish purple or deep red

(r) **'Mirabella'** (Syn. of 'Hachmann's Mirabella')

(r) **'Mirabella'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel (c 1902), N: T.J.R. Seidel (1910), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vivid red, with a darker margin and olive green spots

(r) **'Mirabellum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* form or hybrid L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Mirabile'** cv. Deciduous azalea: listed as "Nudiflora Mirabilis" L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1823), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish yellow on rose

(a) **'Mirabile'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Smith (pre 1845), N: Smith, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Mirabile'** cv. Deciduous azalea: listed as "Pontica Mirabilis" L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1851), INC: ICRA (1958) (Perhaps the plant listed by Paillet (1854) with fls vinous rose (Ghent))

(a) **'Mirabile'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange. Mollis

(r) **'Mirabile'** (Syn. of 'Cynthia')

(a) **'Mirabile Grandiflorum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1877), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink. Ghent

(a) **'Mirabile Roseum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: R. Veitch & Son (1867), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Mirabile Superbum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Smith (pre 1849), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Mirage'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group × Margaret Dunn Group H: R. Henny (1947), G: R.

Henny, N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny (pre 1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls flat-opening, throat yellow, shaded orange on lobes

(r) **'Mirakel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' (s) × *haematodes* R: W. Nagel (1968), I: W. Nagel (1985) Fls almost hose-in-hose (the calyx much enlarged), 50-60mm wide, dark red

(r) **'Mira-Mi Linda'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Bow Bells Group × Hawk Group R: A.R. Heineman (1951), N: A.R. Heineman, I: A.R. Heineman, REG: A.R. Heineman (1965) Fls 9/upright truss, funnel-campanulate, 65mm wide, 5-lobed, apricot (609/3) to chinese coral (614/3). Lvs elliptic, 55 × 30mm, rounded at base. Shrub to 1.5m in 13 years. Early May

(a) **'Miranda'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: G.H. White (pre 1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange. Ghent

(a) **'Miranda Fair'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Bell (1984), N: A. Bell Fls semi-double, pink to pale pink. Indian

(r) **'Mirandum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1851), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light rose, spotted

(a) **'Mireille'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, red. Indian

(r) **'Mirelle Vernimb'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *hemitrichotum* R: B. Vernimb (1961), N: B. Vernimb, REG: B. Vernimb (1969) Fls 24/compact truss (composed of several axillary buds with 2-3 fls/bud), broadly funnel-shaped, 20mm wide, 5-lobed, pink. Lvs oblanceolate to narrowly elliptic, 25 × 7mm, dark green above, glaucous and densely scaly below, with revolute margins. Shrub 30 × 40cm. Late April

(a) **'Miriam'** cv. Evergreen azalea: (*yedoense* var. *poukhanense* × *kaempferi*)F2 R: J.B. Gable (c 1937), N: J.B. Gable, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 45mm wide, rose bengal (25/1), with a darker blotch. Shrub c2.5m high in 32 years. Midseason. Gable

(r) **'Miriam'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Fisher, Son & Sibray (1898), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink

(r) **'Mirka'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lampion' (s) × 'Rosevallon' H: H. Hachmann (1983), G: H. Hachmann (1988), N: H. Hachmann (1989), I: H. Hachmann (1994), REG: G. Stück (1995) Fls 5-9/flat to globose truss, funnel-campanulate, 48-52mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light but bright red inside; outside a little darker, unmarked. Pedicels also red. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 50-80(-88)x25(-38mm), flat, with slightly recurved margins, cuneate at base, apiculate at apex, matt green above, strikingly purplish red below with a light red midrib. Shrub 0.5 × 0.9m in 10 years, of compact habit. Mid April-early May. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1995/96)

(a) **'Misaka'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, striped and sanded vermilion. Satsuki

(a) **'Miscella'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, I: unknown (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet red, with violet dorsal lobes. Indian

(r) **'Mischief'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × Gipsy King Group H: R.J.R. Drayson (1979), G: Harkwood Acres (1985), N: Mrs A.J.A. Drayson, REG: R.J.R. & Mrs A.J.A. Drayson (1987) Fls 14-16/truss, open campanulate, 44 × 49mm, 5-lobed, strong red (53C) in bud, opening strong red (53D) and deep pink (52B), with dorsal spotting of moderate red (185B) on pale yellow (161D); pales to pale yellow (158A) overlaid strong pink (54C), with dorsal spotting of dark red (187C). Lvs lanceolate, 57 × 15-22mm, with recurved margins, moderate olive green (147A) above, with a moderate orange-yellow (164B) and brownish orange (165B) indumentum on young lvs, which matures to moderate orange-yellow (168D). Shrub 0.18 × 0.48m in 8 years. Late April-early June

(a) **'Mishew Edgerton'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: D. Pender, Jr (pre 1987), N: D. Pender, Jr Fls 75mm wide, deep pink with purplish undertones. Shrub 1.2-1.9m. Midseason

(r) **Mishmiense Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. mishmiense*

(a) **'Mishima'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Misima Tuluji'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan (Listed as a parent of 'Mrs Bertha Crawford')

(a) **'Misome-giri'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: M. Koster & Sons (1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon

(a) **'Misome-guruma'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c30mm wide, light red, with long stamens; fls turn greenish in June. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Misome-kirishima'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1984). Tsutsuji

(r) **Miss Adelaide Clow Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* (s) × 'Halopeanum' R: T.H. Lowinsky, N: T.H. Lowinsky, I: T.H. Lowinsky (1919), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, flushed pink, with a few chocolate spots. AM 1919

(r) **'Miss Agnes Loudon'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls delicate rose

(a) **'Miss Australia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: M.E. Greentree (1970), N: M.E. Greentree Fls single, pale pink. Indian

(r) **'Miss Betty Stewart'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vermilion red

(a) **'Miss Blanche'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Niobe' (s) × 'Anna Gunkel' I: P.B. van Acker (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pure white. Indian

(r) **'Miss B.L. Jones'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Samantha Sawers' (s) × 'Ross Maud' H: D.J. Dosser (1990), G: D.J. Dosser (1996), N: D.J. Dosser (1997), REG: D.J. Dosser (1997) Fls 17/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 63 × 90mm, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (52A) in bud, opening pale yellow-green (4D) inside, outside light purplish pink (62C); a few spots on the dorsal lobe. Lvs ovate, 144 × 53mm, margins decurved, acute at apex, obtuse to truncate at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 0.8m in 7 years

(a) **'Miss Buist'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: W. Bull (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Described as a white variety of 'Amoenum'. Indian

(r) **'Miss Buller'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1867), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls shaded pink and deep rose. Hardy Hybrid (Perhaps an error for 'Miss Butler' (or *vice versa*))

(r) **'Miss Burdett Coutts'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls french white, marked with brown. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Miss Butler'** cv. Parentage unknown I: J. Veitch & Sons (1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dull purplish rose, paler at centre, slightly spotted

(a) **'Miss Charlotte'** cv. Parentage unknown R: USA (pre 1997)

(r) **'Miss Charlotte Buller'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R.T. Pince (pre 1868), N: R.T. Pince, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls creamy blush. (Published in Lucombe, Pince & Co. cat., c 1868)

(a) **'Miss Christine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Willy' × 'Momozono' N: T.F. Wheeldon (pre 1987) Fls hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, white, flecked deep pink, to deep pink (52C) selfs. Midseason

(r) **Miss Clutton Group** gp Parentage unknown R: C. Ingram (1936), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Miss Coryton'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose. SCC 1869 (Exhibited by Edwards (Saltash, UK))

(a) **'Miss Cottage Garden'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Cottage Gardens (pre 1965) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, red. Indian

(a) **'Miss Cynthia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown N: T.F. Wheeldon (pre 1987) Fls grey purplish pink. Midseason

(r) **'Miss Davies'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Multiflorum' × *edgeworthii* R: I. Davies (pre 1879), N: I. Davies, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white with pink, scented

(r) **Miss E.A. Boulton Group** (Syn. of Edith A. Boulton Group)

(a) **'Miss E. Cavell'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Gebr Kersbergen, I: Gebr Kersbergen (1918), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls primrose, flushed pink

(r) **'Miss Edith Boscawen'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1910), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a black blotch

(a) **'Miss E. Jarrett'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1883), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, very regular in shape, with wavy-edged lobes, pure white; anthers brown. Indian (Listed in 1958 Register as 'Miss E. Jarett' but the spelling adopted above was used by L. van Houtte, 1894)

(a) **'Miss Elza Rölker'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Rudolph Seidel' (Vervaene) I: A. Haerens (1911), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls similar to parent but a softer rose. Indian (Apparently identical to 'Blushing Bride'. The spelling 'Miss Elza Kölker' used in the 1958 Register is considered to be an error)

(r) **'Miss Erika Holmes'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marg Sawers' (s) × unknown H: D.J. Dosser (1990), G: D.J. Dosser (1997), N: D.J. Dosser (1999), REG: D.J. Dosser (1999) Fls 12/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 98 × 65mm, with 7 very wavy-edged lobes, opening inside light purple (75B) fading to white; outside light purple (75B) fading to white, but retaining light purple (75B) streaks on lobe midveins; vivid purplish red (61C) spotting in the throat on all lobes. Calyx unevenly lobed, up to 4mm long. Lvs elliptic, 195 × 55mm, acute at apex, obtuse at base, flat, semi-glossy above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 9 years. October-November (Tasmania)

(r) **'Miss Fanny Inglis'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Veitch (pre 1867), N: Veitch, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink picotee, spotted

(a) **'Miss Gertrude'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown N: T.F. Wheeldon (pre 1987) Fls 70mm wide, strong purplish red (59D). Upright shrub

(r) **'Miss Glyn'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1853), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose

(r) **'Miss Grogan'** (Syn. of 'Miss Mercy Grogan')

(r) **'Miss Hilda de Trafford'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1858), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, with a yellow blotch. (Sometimes seen as 'Miss H. de Trafford')

(a) **'Miss Holly Springs'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Robin Hill Frosty' (s) × 'Easter Parade' R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls hose-in-hose, 2-3/truss, 90mm wide, soft pink, flushed green. Lvs glossy. Early May. (First published in Holly Springs cat., 1990)

(a) **'Mission Bells'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: R. Yosimura (1967) Fls semi-double to

double, 75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, brilliant red. Indian

(r) **'Mission Bells'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *williamsianum* (s) × *orbiculare* R: B.F. Lancaster (c 1940), N: B.F. Lancaster, I: B.F. Lancaster (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 6-8/lax truss, campanulate, up to 90mm wide, 5-lobed, white, flushed pink, scented. Lvs oblong to elliptic, 75-100 × 40mm, cordate at base, shiny. Shrub 1.5 × 1.6m in c15 years. Midseason

(r) **'Miss Jack'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ole Olson' × *lacteum* × 'Mary Swaythling' R: D.W. James (c 1947), N: D.W. James, I: D.W. James, REG: D.W. James (1963) Fls 10-12/fairly compact truss, broadly campanulate, up to 50 × 100mm, ivory, with a small blotch of red spots on the dorsal lobe. Lvs 115 × 65mm. Compact shrub. Early May

(a) **'Miss Jane'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Warai-gishi' × 'Kagetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1965) Fls double, 50-55mm wide, with many petaloid stamens, some normal stamens and a loose arrangement of the 10-18 rounded lobes, centre white (sometimes tinted), borders between rose pink and pale amaranth pink. Shrub c0.6 × 0.6m in 10 years. Back Acres

(r) **'Miss Jane'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W. Martin (pre 1880), N: W. Martin, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with crimson spots

(r) **'Miss Jekyll'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1905), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cream white or blush, with a chocolate blotch

(a) **'Miss Josephine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown N: T.F. Wheeldon (pre 1987) Fls 50mm wide, strong reddish purple (72B)

(r) **'Miss Kitty'** (Syn. of 'Oh! Kitty')

(a) **'Miss Louisa Hunnewell'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *japonicum* × *molle* subsp. *molle* R: T.D. Hatfield (1913), N: T.D. Hatfield (1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 75mm wide, vivid orange-yellow (21A). Midseason. Mollis (Sometimes listed incorrectly as 'Louisa Hunnewell'; the original clone may be lost, seedlings have frequently been substituted)

(a) **'Miss Lucy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown N: T.F. Wheeldon (pre 1987) Fls yellowish pink, with a distinct blotch. Midseason

(r) **'Miss Mabel Parson'** (See note under 'Mabel Parsons')

(a) **'Miss Magda Roehrs'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1911), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, soft rose lilac. Indian

(r) **'Miss Margaret'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W. Martin (pre 1880), N: W. Martin, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Miss Martha'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown N: T.F. Wheeldon (pre 1987) Fls hose-in-hose, 45mm wide, with rounded lobes, pink. Midseason

(r) **'Miss Mary Ames'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1942), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson

(a) **'Miss Maud'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Madame Petrick' × 'Madame van der Cruyssen' I: P.B. van Acker (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rounded in form, darkred. Indian

(r) **'Miss Mercy Grogan'** cv. Parentage unknown I: J. Standish (pre 1875), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, shaded pink and much spotted. Syn: 'Miss Grogan'; also seen in error as 'Miss Percy Grogan'

(r) **'Miss Montague'** (Syn. of 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague')

(a) **'Miss Muffet'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: D. Parmenter, N: D. Parmenter (pre 1969) Fls double, small, mauve, of Kurume type. (Sometimes listed in error as 'Miss Muppet')

(a) **'Miss Muffet'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C. Ingram (pre 1981), N: C. Ingram Late flowering

(a) **'Miss Muppet'** (An error for 'Miss Muffet')

(a) **'Miss Nancy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown N: T.F. Wheeldon (pre 1987) Fls 45mm wide, strong purplish pink (68D). Midseason

(r) **'Miss Noreen Beamish'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1931), N: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 17/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50-60 × 75mm, rich satiny pink, shaded scarlet outside on tube and with two inconspicuous lines of crimson spots. Calyx very variable. Syn: 'Noreen Beamish', 'Mrs Noreen Beamish' (Raiser variously attributed to Van Nes or Koster)

(r) **'Miss Olympia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi King George' × *williamsianum* H: E. Ostbo, G: R.W. Clark, N: R.W. Clark (1960), I: R.W. Clark, REG: R.W. Clark (1961) Fls 6/lax truss, up to 100 mm wide, with 5-6 recurved lobes, blush pink, with a darker pink throat. Lvs 125mm long. Shrub under 1.4m. (Olympic Lady Group)

(r) **'Miss Owen'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1881), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush, with red spots

(a) **'Miss Patricia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown N: T.F. Wheeldon (pre 1987) Dwarf, spreading shrub

(r) **'Miss Percy Grogan'** (An error for 'Miss Mercy Grogan')

(r) **'Miss Pierce'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with large yellowish brown spots. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **Miss Pink Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Azma Group (s) × *griersonianum* I: Sir Edward Bolitho (1943), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Miss Prim'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Edna Bee' R: L. Yavorsky (pre 1982), N: L. Yavorsky Fls semi-double, medium pink. Shrub c0.6 × 0.6m in 10 years

(r) **'Miss Prim'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* × *irroratum* R: Bovees Nursery, N: Bovees Nursery (1960), I: Bovees Nursery, REG: Bovees Nursery (1961) Fls up to 15/truss, funnel-campanulate, 90-100mm wide, white, with a brilliant yellow-green (2.5GY 8/9) blotch and dorsal lobe also heavily spotted with strong yellow-green (2.5GY 7/10). Lvs 140 × 65mm, dark green. Shrub 1.2m. Late March-early April

(a) **'Miss Rosa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, light rose. Indian

(r) **'Miss Sausalito'** (Syn. of 'Sausalito')

(r) **'Miss Street'** (Syn. of 'Alice Street')

(a) **'Miss Susie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: reputedly *simsii* × *mucronatum* H: Weaver, N: T.F. Wheeldon (pre 1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65mm wide, ruffled, deep purplish pink (55A), fading slightly to deep purplish pink (58D), with an insignificant brown blotch. Rounded shrub. Midseason

(a) **'Miss Suzie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hershey's Orange' × 'Hershey's Red' R: J.O. Harris, N: J.O. Harris, I: J.O. Harris (pre 1981) Fls hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, strong red (53D). Shrub 0.6m in 10 years

(a) **'Miss Teenager'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Silver Frills' R: G. Taylor (c 1975), N: G. Taylor Fls double, pale pink. Shrub 0.6-0.9m

(r) **'Miss Watson'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R. Gill & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush, heavily spotted pink

(a) **'Miss White'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hexe' × 'Marie-Louise' I: A. Haerens (1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Resembles 'Hexe' but with white flowers. Indian. (See note under 'Mignon' (Haerens))

(a) **'Missy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* hybrid S: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls white, flushed pink; slightly more colouring in the blotch than in 'Maiden's Blush' (Carlson)

(r) **'Mist'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *hodgsonii* (s) × 'Muriel' R: Sir Giles Loder (pre 1954), N: Sir Giles Loder, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark pink mauve. (Evening Group)

(r) **'Mist'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Stokes (pre 1969), N: W.E. Stokes

(r) **'Mistake'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × 'Pink Pearl' I: J.M.J. Evans (1956), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 55 × 100mm, pale pink, suffused rose madder (23/3), with dorsal, olive green spots. AM 1956

(r) **'Mist Maiden'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *yakushimanum* G: D.G. Leach (1958), N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1962), REG: D.G. Leach (1983) Fls 14-17/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish pink (68B) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (65C), fading to white, dorsal spotting of moderate yellow (160A) and dorsal lobes with single deep purplish pink (68A) stripes. Calyx c1.5mm long, greenish yellow. Lvs oblanceolate, 145 × 50mm, moderate olive green (147A), with chamois-like, moderate orange-yellow (164C) indumentum below. New shoots greyish tan tomentose. Shrub c1.5m in 31 years. (Raised from seed obtained from Royal Horticultural Society, Wisley, 1951)

(a) **'Mist of the Rising Sun'** (Syn. of 'Hinodegiri')

(a) **'Mistral'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Osaka' (s) × 'Heiwa-no-hikari' G: R. Uytterhaegen (1975), S: J. Heursel (1975), N: J. Heursel (1984), I: Research Station for Ornamental Plant Growing, Belgium (1984), REG: Research Station for Ornamental Plant Growing, Belgium (1998) Fls semi-double, 3/truss, funnel-shaped, 72 × 66mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, deep to moderate purplish pink (66C-D) in bud and on opening throughout, darker spotting on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 10mm long, light yellow-green (145B) above. Lvs elliptic, 47 × 26mm, flat, matt green. Very fast growing pot azalea, which is unusual in being scented. Midseason. (Published in *Deutscher Gartenbau*, 39: 762-763 (1985))

(r) **'Mistress Dargan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid R: A. Henderson & Co. (pre 1864), N: A. Henderson & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon rose, strongly spotted on all lobes

(r) **'Mistress Mary'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* × *catawbiense* hybrid R: W.C. Slocock (pre 1950), N: W.C. Slocock, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls long trumpet-shaped, white

(r) **'Mistress of Harkwood'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × Fred Wynniatt Group H: R.J.R. Drayson (1979), G: Harkwood Acres (1986), N: Mrs A.J.A. Drayson, REG: R.J.R. & Mrs A.J.A. Drayson (1987) Fls 14-16/truss, open campanulate, 53 × 78mm, with 7 very wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (54B) in bud, opening pale yellow (18C) flushed moderate purplish pink (66D), edges of lobes 66D; dorsal flare strong greenish yellow (151C) at edges, strong greenish yellow (151A) in centre; slightly sweet-scented. Calyx 37mm long, pale yellow (20D), flushed strong purplish pink (63C). Lvs lanceolate 128 × 49mm, moderate yellow-green (146B) and moderate olive green (147A), with sparse moderate orange-yellow (164B) indumentum on young foliage; mature lvs moderate yellow-green (146D) below. Shrub 0.47 × 0.68m in 8 years. Late April-early June

(v) **'Mistress Sue'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *leucogigas* 'Hunstein's Secret' × *lochiae* H: J.L. Rouse (1983), G: R. Macdonald (1989), N: R. Macdonald (1992), I:

Foothills Nursery (1992), REG: Foothills Nursery (1992) Fls 5-9/flat, lax truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 70 × 80mm, with 6 smooth-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (58D). Lvs elliptic, 130 × 70mm, margins decurved, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m. Spring-autumn

(a) **'Misty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (pre 1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, purplish pink

(a) **'Misty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Linda Jean' × 'Hahn's Red' R: Greenwood Gardens (pre 1985), N: Greenwood Gardens Fls hose-in-hose, 70mm wide, white at base, shading gradually to purplish pink at edges (55B, C, D). Shrub 0.6 × 0.5m. Late April

(r) **'Misty Glow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Faggetter's Favourite' (s) × 'Peach Surprise' H: M. Sanders (1984), G: Sanders Nursery (1989), N: M. Sanders, I: Sanders Nursery, REG: M. Sanders (1998) Fls 12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 80 × 110mm, with 6 flat-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (62B) at margins, shading to light purplish pink (62C) at centre, with sparse, strong brown (172A) freckles in the throat. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 190 × 65mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 2.3 × 3.1m in 13 years. Early April

(r) **'Misty Lilac'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' × 'Mrs T.H. Lowinsky' H: R. Behring (1977), G: R. Behring (1989), N: R. Behring, I: R. Behring, REG: R. Behring (1990) Fls 17/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 52 × 57mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, very pale purple (76D) or lighter, edged with very pale purple (76C); large, prominent, spotted blotch of moderate yellow (160A) on opening, changing to deep orange-yellow (163A) as flower ages; prominent, deep lilac anthers; slightly scented. Lvs elliptic, 121 × 57mm, flat, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 13 years. Early June

(r) **'Misty Moonlight'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kimberly', selfed R: H.E. Greer (c 1982), N: H.E. Greer Fls orchid purple, scented. Lvs glossy green. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years, with dark stems

(r) **'Misty Morn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: unknown × 'Purple Splendour' H: Mrs H.A. Frederick, Jr (1969), G: Mrs H.A. Frederick, Jr (1975), N: Mrs H.A. Frederick, Jr, I: Mrs H.A. Frederick, Jr (1975), REG: Mrs H.A. Frederick, Jr (1975) Fls 12-14/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 90mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong purple (80B), with strong greenish yellow (153B) rays (brushed effect), outside and buds darker; slightly scented. Calyx 7mm long, straw green. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 65mm, cuspidate at apex, cuneate at base, moderate yellow-green (147B), hairless; new growth bluish green. Shrub 1.0 × 1.1m in 6 years. Early-mid May

(a) **'Misty Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably a seedling from 'Dayspring' R: I.L. Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L. Amann Fls single, 50mm wide, throat and midribs white, shading to strong purplish pink at margins, with a darker blotch. Shrub to 1.9m. Midseason

(a) **'Misty Plum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kagetsu' × *indicum* × 'Hazel Dawson' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1965) Fls single, somewhat funnel-shaped, 65-70mm wide, centre white, with the smallest amount of white on the dorsal lobe, margins mallow purple, dots in the blotch aster purple with a faint greenish wash over the blotch as well. Back Acres

(a) **'Misu-no-uchi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Mitch'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Delp's Cindy Lou' (s) × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' × 'Henrietta Sargent' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls vivid red (57A) and vivid purplish red (57B, C) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (62D) tinged vivid purplish red (57B) with strong yellow-green spots on three dorsal lobes; outside with vivid purplish red (57B) veining. Lvs with an indumentum. Medium-sized shrub. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Mitey White'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kathy Ann' × Clara Marie' H: P.E. Girard (1970), G: P.E. Girard (1974), I: Girard Nurseries (1980), REG: P.E. Girard (1981) Fls hose-in-hose, 3/truss, flat saucer-shaped, 65-75mm wide, with 5+5 wavy-edged lobes, white, with faint dorsal spotting of light yellow-green (154D). Lvs broadly elliptic, 40-50 × 25-30mm, obtuse at apex, apiculate, cuneate to rounded at base, glossy and moderate olive green (137B) above, sparsely hairy above and below. Shrub 0.6 × 0.45m in 4 years. Mid May.

(a) **'Mithra'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hexe' × 'Snow' R: USDA, N: USDA, Beltsville, I: USDA, Beltsville (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 2-3/truss, 45mm wide, white, with a light yellow throat. Compact shrub. (Derived from the work of R.L. Pryor & G.E. Yerkes)

(a) **'Mitsuba'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls medium-sized, purple. Lvs in whorls of three, turning purple from mid autumn. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Mitsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: a Satsuki azalea, open-pollinated G: Higashi Nursery (1988), N: Higashi Nursery (1996), REG: Higashi Nursery (1996) Fls 2-3/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 65mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, white, with numerous irregular streaks of light purple (78C). Calyx 6mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 30 × 15mm, margins upcurved, cuneate at base, broadly acute at apex, dull green, with light green hairs ageing to darker green. Shrub 0.35 × 0.35m in 5 years. Mid April. (Grown from seed obtained by Higashi from Hiroshima, Japan (1985))

(a) **'Mitsu-no-yamabuki'** (Syn. of 'Mizu-no-yamabuki')

(r) **'Mitty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lamplighter' × 'Redwax' H: M. Stockman (1980), G: M. & H. Stockman (1990), N: M. Stockman, I: M. & H. Stockman (1992), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1992) Fls 10/lax truss, open funnel-campanulate, 57 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (54A), with numerous vivid red (45C) freckles on all lobes; stamens 10, curved. Calyx 3mm long, dark red. Pedicels 32mm long, green, tinged red. Lvs narrowly obovate, 102 × 44mm, convex, mucronate at apex, rounded at base, bullate and matt, medium green above, with a felted, dark tan indumentum below; petioles 32mm long, light green. Shrub 0.5 × 0.8m in 12 years. Late May

(r) **'Mitzie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* × Fabia Group H: R. Henny (1946), G: R. Henny, N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny (pre 1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson to orange, with a darker throat and blotch. Dwarf, slow-growing shrub

(a) **'Mixtum Odoratum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1835), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Mixtum Triumphans'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: T. Rivers (1835), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls striped orange, pink and yellow. Ghent

(a) **'Miyagino'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1920), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 25mm wide, deep rose pink to tyrian pink. Kurume (Sometimes mis-spelt 'Myagino', 'Miagino' or 'Miyagimo')

(a) **'Miyako'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls with rounded lobes, white, with occasional stripes and flecks of purplish pink; some white, edged purplish pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Miyako-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, white, blushed very pale yellowish pink, with a pale yellowish blotch and flecks, dots and sectors of vivid reddish orange; filaments white, pistil yellowish pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Miyako-no-homare'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Miyako-no-tsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, with rounded lobes, white, heavily striped deep pink, with occasional pink sectors; sometimes with a dark pink blotch or pale green centre at base. Early. Satsuki

(a) **'Miyako-shibori'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with red stripes. Kurume

(a) **'Miyama-kikoshi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* L: Kyoma Yokata Nursery (1976) Fls moderate purplish red

(a) **'Miyama-komachi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* R: Japan (pre 1985), N: Japan Fls pink

(a) **'Miyama-murasaki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* L: Kyoma Yokata Nursery (1976) Fls 20mm wide, strong reddish purple, with a red style

(a) **'Miyama-no-kasumi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* L: Kyoma Yokata Nursery (1976) Fls 20-27mm wide, light purple (78C), with a lighter throat

(a) **'Miyama-no-katsura'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* L: Miyami-en Nursery (1976) Fls 25mm wide, vivid reddish purple (78A)

(a) **'Miyama-no-yuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1984), N: Japan Fls single, light red, with darker streaks and a very wide white margin. Satsuki

(a) **'Miyama-shikibu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* L: Miyami-en Nursery (1976) Fls 20mm wide, purplish pink

(a) **'Miyama-susogo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* L: Miyami-en Nursery (1976) Fls 25-27mm wide, deep purplish red, with a pale red style

(a) **'Miyo-chiyo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 80-100mm wide, white, with a yellowish green tinge at base of dorsal lobe, and with many dots and flakes of strong red, together with some stippling. Satsuki

(a) **'Miyo-no-sakae'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hatsu-yuki' × 'Albert-Elisabeth' S: Akashi Kohrakuen Nursery (pre 1986), N: Akashi Kohrakuen Nursery Fls 2-3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 100mm wide, salmon pink, with a paler throat and yellowish green spots on the dorsal lobes. Lvs elliptic, up to 70 × 25mm. Shrub up to 1.5m. Late April-early May

(a) **'Miyo-no-tsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kozan' × 'Soho' R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, with broad, rounded lobes, white, striped and marked pink to deep yellowish pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Miyoshino'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c40mm wide, white ground, with various crimson and lighter red streaks, stripes and spots. Syn: 'Koshin'. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Miyo-tiyo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 80-100mm wide, white, with a faint, green blotch and many small dots and flakes of light red. Satsuki

(a) **'Miyuki-nishiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan. Satsuki (Listed as a parent of 'Hakusen-no-mai')

(a) **'Miyuno-no-kagami'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan. Satsuki (Perhaps an error for 'Mizuho-no-kagami' (or *vice versa*))

(a) **'Miyuno-no-tsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, dotted light yellow-green in the throat, striped and sectored strong red; stamens 10, short, red. (Uncertainly placed as a Satsuki)

(a) **'Mizi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kiusianum* hybrid R: Mittendorf (pre 1981), N: Mittendorf Fls bright rose

(a) **'Mizuho-no-kagami'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Shinkyo R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, with 5-6 broad, overlapping, notched lobes, white, dotted and striped deep pink; some pink selfs; some with pale pink centres and deep pink margins. Shrub with a spreading, cascading habit. Satsuki

(a) **'Mizu-no-uchi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958). Kurume

(a) **'Mizu-no-yamabuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 25mm wide, pale yellow in bud, opening white, with a partially petaloid calyx. Syn: 'Mitsu-no-yamabuki'. Kurume (Closely resembles 'Shin-sekai', but with smaller, less yellow fls)

(a) **'M.J. Freeman'** (Syn. of 'Monsieur J. Freeman')

(a) **'M.J. Gatelean'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1885), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, with wavy-edged lobes, carmine orange, with a big, bright carmine red blotch. Indian

(a) **'M.J. Rose'** (Syn. of 'Madame Joseph Vervaene Rosea')

(a) **'M.J. White'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls double, white, with a pink blotch. Indian

(a) **'M. Koster'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *japonicum* hybrid R: M. Koster & Sons, N: M. Koster & Sons, I: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light orange (1958 Register); red, tinged orange (Boskoop list, 1896); carmine (Koster, 1925). Mollis (See note under 'Madame Anthony Koster')

(r) **'M.L. Webb'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: (Gable's compact white *minus* Carolinianum Group) F2 H: J. Becales (pre 1980) Fls peach pink. Lvs with wavy margins, bright green, becoming rosy red in autumn (retaining colour throughout the winter); petioles and stems red

(r) **'Mnémé'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed under *caucasicum grandiflorum* (sic) L: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose carmine, with a large marking

(r) **'Mnémosyne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* hybrid L: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, with wavy-edged lobes, carmine rose, all lobes spotted cherry red, fading to almost white. (A white-flowered plant with orange-red markings was in cultivation in the UK under this name in the 1930s and is probably an imposter)

(a) **'Moard'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: H.W. Motzkau, I: Yoder Bros. (c 1987)

(a) **'Mobol'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: H.W. Motzkau, I: Yoder Bros. (pre 1987)

(r) **'Mobur'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Burgundy' × 'Moser's Maroon' H: H. Lem (pre 1950), G: P.J. Bowman (1950), N: P.J. Bowman, I: P.J. Bowman (1956), REG: P.J. Bowman (1962) Fls 15/truss, 75mm wide, dahlia purple (931/3), dorsal lobes spotted maroon (1030). Lvs 100-125 × 45mm. Shrub 1.5m. Late May

(a) **'Moby Dick'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Mildred Mae' × 'Avalanche' (Kurume) H: H.R. Schroeder (1973), G: S. Schroeder (1978), N: D. Schroeder, I: S. Schroeder (1986), REG: S Schroeder (1986) Fls single, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, ivory white, with yellow-green spotting on lower part of dorsal lobe. Calyx 13mm long, light green. Lvs mostly narrowly elliptic (to elliptic), 57 × 19mm, dull, dark green above, light green below, hairy. Shrub 0.46 × 0.76m in 10 years. Mid April

(r) **'Mochica Bell'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *williamsianum* × unknown H: I.A. Hayes (1969), G: I.A. Hayes, N: I.A. Hayes, I: I.A. Hayes, REG: I.A. Hayes (1980) Fls dog rose pink outside, silvery pink inside

(r) **'Mochica Moon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Humming Bird Group × unknown H: I.A. Hayes (1969), G: I.A. Hayes, N: I.A. Hayes, I: I.A. Hayes, REG: I.A. Hayes (1980) Fls cream, flushed pale pink

(r) **'Model'** cv. Parentage unknown R: I. Davies (pre 1896), N: I. Davies, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple-red, flamed lilac

(a) **'Modèle'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: de Marcq, N: de Marq, I: de Marcq (1857), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose red. Syn: 'Modèle de Marcq'. Indian

(a) **'Modèle de Marcq'** (Syn. of 'Modèle')

(r) **'Moderator'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kalamaika' (s) × 'Perlina' H: H. Hachmann (1987), G: H. Hachmann (1993), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 11/dense truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45-50 × 60-70mm, with 5 slightly to - in places - strongly but narrowly wavy-edged lobes, inside pale purplish pink (56D) with tinges of pale purplish pink (56A/B); outside pale purplish pink (56D), midveins suffused deep to strong purplish pink (55A/B); a conspicuous dorsal blotch of dark red (187A/B), c25 × 10mm, with spots around the solid blotch; stamens 10, filaments white, anthers brownish orange (165B); style 40mm long, strong purplish red (58C), stigma dark red (187B/C); ovary reddish green, with short white hairs. Calyx 2-4mm long, moderate purplish red (186B). Pedicels moderate red (185B). Lvs

oblanceolate, 80-100 × 35-40mm, slightly irregular, slightly concave, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, light green and matt above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.4m in 10 years. Early-late May. (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030652). First published in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(a) **'Modestum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Smith (pre 1845), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, peach blossom pink. Indian

(a) **'Modestum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Rinz (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet orange. Indian (Some sources attribute this to A. Henderson & Co)

(a) **'Modesty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *simsii* × *mucronatum* R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, 2-3/truss, 65-75mm wide, tyrian rose (vivid purplish red (57B)), flushed rose (strong purplish red (63B)) from centre. Lvs dark green, somewhat hairy. Shrub to 1.5m. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Modesty'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale blush pink, fading almost to white

(a) **'Moederdag'** (Syn. of 'Mother's Day')

(a) **'Moederkensdag'** (Syn. of 'Mother's Day')

(r) **'Moerheim'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *impeditum* hybrid I: J.D. Ruys, REG: J.D. Ruys (1965) Fls funnel-shped, 30mm wide, aster violet (38/3). Lvs rounded, 10-15mm long, glossy. Shrub to 0.3m. Syn: 'Moerheim Blue'

(r) **'Moerheim Beauty'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1988)

(r) **'Moerheim Blue'** (Syn. of 'Moerheim')

(r) **'Moerheim's Jubilee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Essex Scarlet' × *forrestii* Repens Group R: D.G. Hobbie (pre 1966), S: J.D. Ruys, N: J.D. Ruys, I: J.D. Ruys, REG: J.D. Ruys (1968) Fls scarlet red. (Elisabeth Hobbie Group)

(r) **'Moerheim's Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *williamsianum* × 'Genoveva' R: D.G. Hobbie (pre 1945), I: J.D. Ruys (1964), REG: J.D. Ruys (1973) Fls 8/globular, more-or-less compact truss, broadly open funnel-shaped, 45-50 × 75-90mm, with wavy-edged margins, deep purplish pink (66C) with darker veins, opening very pale pink, deepening to light purplish pink (62C) at edges, with spotting of moderate red (47A) on a white ground on the basal part of dorsal lobe. Lvs 50-70 × 30-45mm, dull green. Shrub 0.8m. *AM 1972 Syn: 'Spring Pearl', 'Spring Bank'

(r) **'Moerheim's Scarlet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Earl of Athlone' × *forrestii* Repens Group R: D.G. Hobbie (pre 1965), N: J.D. Ruys Fls blood red

(a) **'Moerm'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: H.W. Motzkau, I: Yoder Bros. (c 1987)

(a) **'Moguntia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1866), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Mohamet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* (s) × Tally Ho Group R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1945), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 5-6/truss, 50 × 65mm, deep yellowish pink (19/1), centre of each lobe yellower. Calyx coloured as corolla. AM 1945 (Mohamet Group. Sometimes seen in error as 'Mahomet')

(r) **Mohamet Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* (s) × Tally Ho Group R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1945), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Mohammed'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine red

(a) **'Möhne'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* × *kaempferi* R: G. Arends (pre 1914), N: G. Arends, I: G. Arends (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink

(a) **'Mohrenweiser'** (Syn. of 'Otto Mohrenweiser')

(r) **'Mohur'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Day Dream Group (s) × Margaret Dunn Group H: L.E. Brandt, G: L.E. Brandt, N: L.E. Brandt, I: L.E. Brandt (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow, spotted green. (Dream Girl Group)

(r) **'Moi'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × 'Everestianum' R: A. Lamken (pre 1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12-20/very compact ball truss, 45-80mm wide, with strongly wavy-edged lobes, lilac pink, with olive spots in the throat. Late May-early June

(a) **'Moidart'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *viscosum* × 'Rosella' or 'Sylphides' R: Millais Nurseries, N: Millais Nurseries, REG: Millais Nurseries (1993) Fls 20-30/ball truss, 50mm wide, deep to strong pink (48B-D), with a brilliant orange (25C) flare. Shrub to c2.2m. Late May

(a) **Moira Group** gp Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* (s) × *simsii* H: J.B. Stevenson (1935), G: J.B. Stevenson, N: J.B. Stevenson, I: J.B. Stevenson (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep salmon and deep pink

(a) **'Moira'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' × 'Willy' (s) × 'Mrs Carmichael' × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 50mm wide, white, heavily sanded, striped and sectored eugenia red (moderate red (180B)). Dense, compact shrub to 1.5m. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Moira Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Holly Heath Nursery (1978) Fls pink. Satsuki (Galle (1987) suggests this is a Wada hybrid, introduced to England (? and named there))

(a) **'Moira Salmon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Holly Heath Nursery (1978) Fls salmon pink. Satsuki (Galle (1987) suggests this is a Wada hybrid, introduced to England (? and named there))

(r) **Moiza Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Avis' (s) × *meddianum* H: J.B. Stevenson (1937), G: J.B. Stevenson, N: J.B. Stevenson, I: J.B. Stevenson (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(r) **'Moku'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lamplighter' × 'Orrie Dille' H: M. Stockman (1980), G: M. & H. Stockman (1989), N: M. & H. Stockman, I: M. & H. Stockman (1992), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1992) Fls 12/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 44 × 79mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, light purple (78C) in bud, opening white with light purple (75A) margins (c7-10mm wide), and strong red (46A) spotting on lower third of dorsal lobe and parts of adjacent lobes; outside light purple (75A), shading to a lighter base; stamens 14; filaments white, slightly curved, unequal; style white; stigma red. Calyx 6mm long, pale green. Pedicels 38mm long, light green, tinged red. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 216 × 73mm, convex, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, bullate and glossy dark green above, hairless; petioles 25mm long, light green. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in 12 years. Mid May

(a) **'Moku-shibori'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c60mm wide, cherry blossom pink, tinged yellowish and streaked red. Satsuki

(a) **'Molalla Red'** cv. Deciduous azalea: ('Gibraltar' × 'Favor Major') × ('Gibraltar' × 'Favor Major') (s) × 'Wallowa Red' H: I. & R. Arneson (1974), G: I. & R. Arneson (1981), N: I. & R. Arneson, I: I. & R. Arneson, REG: I. & R. Arneson (1989) Fls single, 8/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 57 × 76mm, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes, strong red (46A). Calyx 6mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 64-89 × 25-38mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, slightly hairy. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 13 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Molière'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1931), N: M Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12-15/conical, flat-topped truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, near rose red (724), spotted black at base of dorsal lobe. Lvs dull, mid green. Shrub c2.2 × 2.9m. *AM 1953

(a) **'Mollala'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Graciosum' (Occidentale) × a Ghent hybrid R: B.F. Lancaster, N: B.F. Lancaster, I: B.F. Lancaster (c 1950), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Molle Album'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Lee (1958) Fls single, pale cream. Mollis

(a) **'Mollie'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1964), N: D. Hughes (pre 1998) Fls deep red. Lvs bronze-green at first, then deep green, finally deep red in autumn

(r) **'Mollie Coker'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Loderi Group seedling H: Mrs R.J. Coker (c 1957), G: Mrs R.J. Coker, N: Mrs R.J. Coker, I: Mrs R.J. Coker, REG: Mrs R.J. Coker (1979) Fls strong to moderate purplish pink (68B-C), with wavy-edged lobes and a purplish red blotch. (Sometimes listed in error as 'Molly Coker')

(r) **'Molly Ann'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Elizabeth Group × unknown seedling H: Mrs LeV. Freimann (1961), G: Mrs LeV. Freimann (1963), N: Mrs LeV. Freimann, I: Mrs LeV. Freimann, REG: Mrs LeV. Freimann (1973) Fls up to 7/lax truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (52A), with small, red spots on the dorsal lobe. Lvs broadly elliptic, 70 × 45mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, glossy and dark green above, hairless; new shoots bronzy green. Shrub 0.6-1.0m in 11 years. Mid April

(r) **'Molly Buckley'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Aurora Group × *fortunei* G: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1980), REG: E. de Rothschild (1980) Fls pale purplish pink (62D), speckled greyish reddish orange (174C) in centre

(r) **'Molly Coker'** (An error for 'Mollie Coker')

(r) **'Molly Fordham'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Balta' (s) × white fld *minus* Carolinianum Group H: E.V. Mezitt (1966), G: Weston Nurseries (c 1970), N: E.V. Mezitt, I: Weston Nurseries, REG: Willamette Chapter Study Group (Am.Rh.Soc.) (1997) Fls 7/flat truss, saucer-shaped, 25 × 35mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (62D) in bud, opening white inside, with brilliant greenish yellow (1B) spots on dorsal lobe; outside white with slight pale purplish pink (62D) streaking. Calyx less than1mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 20-25 × 6mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate to rounded at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above (winter leaves moderate olive green (146A)), dark brown scales below (slightly more than their own width apart). Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 10 years. Early May. (Published in Weston Nurseries cat. (1989))

(r) **'Molly Miller'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Fabia Tangerine' R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1971) Fls yellow, tinged rose. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Molly S'** (Syn. of 'Molly Smith')

(r) **'Molly Smith'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' (s) × 'Mrs Furnivall' H: C.C. Smith (c 1966), G: C.C. Smith (1975), N: C.C. Smith, I: C.C. Smith, REG: C.C. Smith (1984) Fls up to 12/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 25 × 65mm, 5-lobed, buds pink, opening yellowish white (155B), with a prominent blotch of vivid orange (28B) spotting in brushstrokes on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 3mm long, light pink. Lvs oblanceolate, 75 × 25mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, briefly farinose at first, then dark yellowish green (139A) above, with a dark greyish yellow (199D) indumentum below. Shrub 1.4m in 12-14 years. Early May. Syn: 'Molly S'

(a) **'Molly's Red'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: D.J. Dosser, G: D.J. Dosser (1977), N: D.J. Dosser, I: D.J. Dosser, REG: D.J. Dosser (1984) Fls 6-8/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, vivid red (45C). Lvs as in *molle*. Shrub c1.5 × 0.8m

(a) **'Mom'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Eucharis' × 'Mrs G.G. Gerbing' R: D. Hager (pre 1984), N: D. Hager Fls single, to 125mm wide, pure white. Lvs ovate, medium green. Shrub to 1.5m. Midseason

(a) **'Momiji-gasane'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, deep pink. Kurume

(a) **'Momiji-kasane'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, red. Satsuki

(a) **'Momiji-no-take'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls single, white, with a purple throat. Kurume

(a) **'Momi-kurenai'** (Syn. of 'Koshoku')

(a) **'Momma Cee'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Moonbeam' (s) × unknown (no. CB-1A) H: W.L. Clagett (1989), G: W.L. Clagett (1992), N: W.L. Clagett, I: White's Nursery (1995), REG: W.L. Clagett (1995) Fls semi-double, broadly funnel-shaped, 42 × 78mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes and up to 7 petaloid stamens, strong purplish red (64B-C), with the petaloid stamens marked with varying amounts of near white to very pale pink; stamens 1-5. Calyx 3mm long, light green. Pedicels 11mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 32 × 20mm, flat, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (146C) and with discrete, colourless hairs below; petioles 5mm long, light green. Shrub 0.2 × 0.35m in 3 years. Late May

(a) **'Momo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Mitsuki' G: Higashi Nursery, S: Higashi Nursery (c 1990), N: Higashi Nursery, I: Higashi Nursery, REG: Higashi Nursery (1996) Fls 2-3/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 65mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, purplish pink, unmarked. Calyx 6mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 30 × 15mm, with upcurved margins, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, hairy (hairs light green, ageing to darker green). Shrub 0.35 × 0.35m in 5 years. Mid April

(a) **'Momo-chidori'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Momo-kirishima'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c40mm wide, peach pink. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Momoko'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from Aronense Group R: W. Arends (pre 1960) Fls rose pink. Syn: 'Geisha Rosa'

(a) **'Momo-no-haru'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 25-40mm wide, the lobes not overlapping, pointed, vivid purplish red. Satsuki

(a) **'Momoyama'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1956), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink. Indian (Raised on Hirado Island, Japan)

(a) **'Momozono'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, rosolane pink to cameo pink, with darker spots. Kurume

(a) **'Momozono'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Kurume azalea × *indicum* I: K. Wada (pre 1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon rose. Wada (Kurumanthum Group)

(a) **'Momyi-gasani'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, geranium pink. Kurume (Probably the same plant listed as 'Momiji-gasane')

(r) **'Monaca Lad'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' × 'Sappho' H: M.W. Michener (1965), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 57 × 80mm, 5-lobed, light and very pale purple (77C, D, 75D) in bud, opening to a blend of light and very pale purple (77D, 75D) and white, with strong yellow-green (144A) dorsal spots; style and filaments white; anthers moderate purplish pink (186D); stigma strong purplish red (67A). Lvs 127 × 44mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.6 × 1.5m in 27 years. Early June. (Calsap No.7). (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer (1992))

(r) **'Monaco'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (white fl'd) (s) × *dichroanthum* × (*griffithianum* × *auriculatum*) H: D.G. Leach (1952), G: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1984) Fls 19/truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 80mm, 5-lobed, light greenish yellow (5D) shading to light purplish pink (63D) edging; dorsal blotch and spotting of strong greenish yellow (153B); outside light purplish pink (63D) to pale yellow (8D) at base. Calyx c1.5mm long, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, c135 × 50mm, hairless. Shrub c2.7m in 31 years

(a) **'Mona Lisa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Louise Gable' × 'Helen Close' R: W.L. Guttormsen (c 1970), N: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1970) Fls double, 1-2/truss, to 75mm wide, with 12-14 lobes, moderate purplish pink (2.5RP 7/8). Lvs 40 × 20mm. Shrub to 0.8m. May

(r) **'Mona Lisa'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goldsworth Orange' (s) × 'Kluis Triumph' R: J. Bruns Nursery (1961), N: J. Bruns Nursery Fls 12-21/compact truss, 60-80mm wide, purple-red, with black-brown markings. Shrub to c2.0m tall

(r) **'Monarch'** cv. Parentage unknown R: I. Davies (pre 1896), N: I. Davies, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet red. (Perhaps the 'Monarck' (sic), listed under 'Jacksonii', of an A. Leroy cat., 1868: fls rose)

(r) **'Monarch'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Stokes (pre 1969), N: W.E. Stokes

(v) **'Monarch'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Duchess of Edinburgh' × 'Princess Alexandra' R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1882), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls buff yellow, shaded orange; filaments deep rose; tube very short. FCC 1882

(a) **'Monarque'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, pink on a paler ground. Ghent

(r) **'Mondschein'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *ambiguum* × *cinnabarinum* subsp. *xanthocodon* Concatenens Group H: Boskoop (1969), G: Boskoop (1975), N: Boskoop, I: Boskoop (1991), REG: Royal Boskoop Hort. Soc. (1991) Fls 6-8/truss, trumpet-shaped, 30-50 × 30-40mm, dark yellow. Calyx green. Lvs broadly ovate, 40-60mm long. Shrub c1.5m. April-May

(a) **'Monet'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown G: E. de Rothschild (1970s), S: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: Exbury Exterprises (1997), REG: E. de Rothschild (1997) Fls single, 5-6/truss, tubular funnel-shaped (opening flat-faced), 65 × 100mm, deep red (53A) in bud, opening deep pink (50B & 51B), dorsal flare vivid orange (28A) - sometimes extending onto adjacent lobes; outside of tube strong red (46A); filaments and style similarly coloured, stigma greenish. Calyx 5mm long, green. Lvs obovate, 90 × 37mm. May. Syn: 'Valiant' (Solent Group)

(r) **'Monica'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *forrestii* Repens Group × unknown (probably 'Doctor H.C.Dresselhuys') H: D.G. Hobbie (pre 1960), G: D.G. Hobbie, N: W. de Jong, I: W. de Jong (1973), REG: Royal Boskoop Hort. Soc. (1988) Fls 4-7/truss, funnel-shaped, 40-50 × 30-40mm, 5-lobed, vivid red (46C), with weak, brown-red spotting. Calyx green. Lvs elliptic to broadly ovate, 40-75 × 25-35mm, dull green, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m. April-May. (Published in *Dendroflora* 18: 76 (1981))

(r) **'Monica Chapman'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'President Roosevelt' (s) × Bow Bells Group H: H.R. Malone (1974), G: N. Sullivan (1986), N: N. Sullivan (1998), REG: N. Sullivan (1998) Fls 18/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 35 × 100mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (52A) in bud, opening inside with a narrow, deep pink (52B) edge, remainder white flushed with deep pink (52B) from the outside; unspotted. Calyx small, green. Lvs lanceolate, 100 × 60mm, margins decurved (and leaf also sharply decurved along its long axis), acute at apex, obtuse at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 1.0m in 20 years. August (Tasmania)

(r) **'Monica Rose'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* × unknown H: A. Clark (1985), G: A. Clark (1990), N: Mrs M.R. Thorpe, REG: Mrs M.R. Thorpe (1990) Fls 6-12/truss, funnel-campanulate, 60 × 60mm, deep rose pink. Calyx 10mm long, green. Lvs ovate to elliptic, 80 × 50mm, rounded at base, convex, hairless. Shrub 0.62 × 0.66m in 5 years. May

(r) **'Monica Wellington'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* × unknown H: Mrs R.M. Stevenson, G: Hydon Nurseries, I: Hydon Nurseries (1980), REG: Hydon Nurseries (1981) Fls 4-5/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, up to 42 × 50mm, inner surface light purple (75A), outer surface with rays of vivid purplish red (66A). Calyx rudimentary, green, scaly. Lvs elliptic to broadly elliptic, up to 84 × 38mm, glossy green above, glaucous and scaly below. AM 1980

(r) **'Monika'** (Syn. of 'Selektion Monika')

(r) **'Monique'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' × 'Purple Splendour' R: M.R. Nelson, N: M.R. Nelson, I: M.R. Nelson (1970), REG: M.R. Nelson (1971) Fls light purple. Lvs narrow. Shrub 0.3m in 3 years. Early May

(r) **'Monique Behring'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Rocket' (Shammarello) (s) × *yakushimanum* 'Pink Parasol' H: R. Behring (1974), G: R. Behring (1980), N: R. Behring, I: R. Behring (1982), REG: R. Behring (1983) Fls 13-15/truss, 35 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (56A), with dorsal spotting of strong purplish pink (73B), outside 73B with darker ribs. Calyx 2mm long, light greenish yellow (1C). Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 110 × 40-45mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, strong yellow-green (144A) and hairless above, with a light yellow (162C) indumentum below. Shrub 0.25m in 9 years. Late May

(r) **'Monitor'** (Syn. of 'The Monitor')

(r) **'Monk'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* × *arboreum* subsp. *delavayi* I: Sir James Horlick (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark red

(a) **'Monseigneur Doctor L.N. Deckers'** (Syn. of 'Lemonora')

(a) **'Monseigneur Doctor W.H. Deckers'** (Syn. of 'Lemonora')

(a) **'Monseigneur Doctor W.H. Nolens'** (Syn. of 'Koningin Emma')

(r) **'Monseigneur du Parc'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour', open-pollinated G: C. de la Sablière, S: C. de la Sablière (1987), REG: Société Bretonne du Rhododendron (1997) Fls 25-32/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 80 × 50-55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, violet/purple (87) in bud, opening inside light purple (87C) with a conspicuous blotch of dark purple on the three dorsal lobes, outside vivid purple (87B). Lvs elliptic, 160 × 43mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 2.0m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Monseigneur E. Duportal'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Etabl. Linden (pre 1874), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls flesh white, marked purple

(r) **'Monsieur A. de la Devansaye'** cv. Parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (pre 1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson, slightly shaded lilac, with a mahogany brown blotch on the dorsal lobe and spots of the same colour on the other lobes. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Monsieur A. George-Massonnais'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (pre 1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, edged light salmon, with a carmine blotch. Indian

(r) **'Monsieur Alfred Chauchard'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Moser & Son, N: Moser & Son, I: Moser & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls magenta, with a dark blotch

(a) **'Monsieur Arthur de Warelles'** FCC 1879 (Syn. of 'Madame Arthur de Warelles')

(a) **'Monsieur Barillet'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Verschaffelt (1873), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red, with a lilac blotch. Indian

(r) **'Monsieur Barré'** cv. Parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1894), INC: ICRA (1958). Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Monsieur Charguerauď'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Moser & Son (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon red, with a white star (Moser, 1909); dark red with a yellow blotch (Moser, 1894). Ghent (Sometimes seen as 'M. Chaguerand'; spelling used here follows Moser)

(a) **'Monsieur Charles van Wambeke'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1871), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange, shaded rose, with citron spots. Syn: 'Charles van Wambeke'. Mollis (Sometimes seen as 'M. Charles van Wambeke')

(r) **'Monsieur Chesneau'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as an *arboreum* hybrid L: A. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls amaranth red

(a) **'Monsieur Claude Goyet'** (Syn. of 'Gloire de Claude Goyet')

(a) **'Monsieur Cuvelier'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red, dorsal lobes spotted and with black tips. Indian (J. de Cock (1871) listed a Vervaene rhododendron (not azalea) as 'Mr Curvelier, which may be an error for this plant)

(a) **'Monsieur Desbois'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *japonicum* (s) × Gandavense Group I: C. Vuylsteke (1892), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, 10-15/truss, salmon orange, tinged scarlet, with a blotch of bright orange spots. AM 1896. Mollis

(r) **'Monsieur Doffry'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy crimson. Hardy Hybrid (Correct spelling may be 'Monsieur d'Offoy')

(r) **'Monsieur Emile Solacroup'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Croux (pre 1928), N: Croux, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Monsieur Félix Guyon'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Moser & Son, N: Moser & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with a yellow blotch

(a) **'Monsieur G.J. Bier'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Docteur Bergmann' I: Bier & Ankersmit (1926), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, salmon, with a small white edge, and a sharply outlined blotch. Syn: 'Mr G.J. Bier'. Indian

(a) **'Monsieur Glaziou'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1887), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, white, strongly dotted golden yellow on one lobe. Ghent

(a) **'Monsieur G. Marteau d'Autry'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1891), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, white, tinged flesh pink. Ghent

(r) **'Monsieur Grigner'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Backès (1861), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Monsieur Guillemot'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Moser & Son (pre 1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in tight, rounded trusses, dark rose. Lvs dark glossy green, recurved. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. Syn: 'Madame Guillemot' (Noted for its heat tolerance; spelling should almost certainly be 'Monsieur Guilmot')

(a) **'Monsieur Houlet'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Paillet (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon flesh pink, edged carmine. Ghent

(a) **'Monsieur Jacquet'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, lilac purple

(a) **'Monsieur J. de Fortanier'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1892), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, cherry red, with a dark red blotch. Indian

(a) **'Monsieur J. Freeman'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1887), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls usually single (sometimes double), large, with wavy-edged lobes, ochre red, with a coppery sheen and a blood red blotch. Syn: 'M. J. Freeman'. Indian

(a) **'Monsieur Joseph Rizzardi'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1887), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, pale yellow, blotched golden yellow. Ghent

(a) **'Monsieur Jules Putzeys'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *japonicum* hybrid I: L. van Houtte (1871), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls saturn red, shaded magenta, dorsal lobes with dark orange spots. Mollis

(a) **'Monsieur Keteleer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Vervaene (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark brick red, with black spots almost all round the inside of the flower. Indian

(a) **'Monsieur Labrousse'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1891), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, rich rosy crimson. AM 1891. Indian

(a) **'Monsieur Lamartine'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Paillet (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange rose, edged yellow. Ghent

(a) **'Monsieur L. de Koudekoff'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1880), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls big, double, with wavy-edged lobes,

bright purple rose, with a deep carmine red blotch. Indian

(a) **'Monsieur Lebandy'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: Croux (pre 1905), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red-orange, with a yellow blotch. Mollis

(r) **'Monsieur Legallais'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Backès (1861), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Monsieur Lepaute'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Paillet (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright orange, tinged yellow. Ghent

(a) **'Monsieur Leroy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Verschaffelt (1866), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with bright violet dorsal lobes. Indian

(a) **'Monsieur Luigi Peralto'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, white, blotched golden yellow. Ghent

(r) **'Monsieur Marcel Ménard'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Croux, N: Croux, I: Croux (1924) Fls 9-15/rounded, rather loose truss, open funnel-shaped, 50-70mm broad, 5-lobed, deep violet, with yellow-green markings and contrasting white anthers. Late May-mid June. Syn: 'Marcel Ménard'

(r) **'Monsieur Marcus'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Backès (1861), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Monsieur Max Singer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte (pre 1888), N: L. van Houtte, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine purple. Amoena

(a) **'Monsieur Milaut'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, lively cherry red with a purplish blotch. Indian (Perhaps the same plant as 'Monsieur Millaut', also listed in 1958 Register (Fls single or semi-double, 80mm wide, rose red, with a pomegranate purple blotch). 'Mr Millaut' probably belongs here too)

(a) **'Monsieur Oswald de Kerchove'** (Syn. of 'Oswald de Kerchove')

(a) **'Monsieur Paul de Schryver'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Rose (1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, well-shaped, bright carmine red. Indian

(a) **'Monsieur Thibaut'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Vervaene (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red, with a black blotch on a strawberry ground. Indian

(r) **'Monsieur Thiers'** cv. Parentage unknown R: L. Jacob-Makoy (pre 1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c10/compact truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 40mm, crimson, shaded scarlet externally, with a few darker dorsal spots. Calyx lobes up to 5mm long, crimson. Lvs broadly elliptic, c100 × 40mm, dull green above. (Moser is sometimes credited as raiser. Perhaps the same plant mentioned in *Gardeners' Chronicle*, 1884 (? raised by I. Davies))

(r) **'Monsieur Tisserand'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Moser & Son, N: Moser & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(a) **'Monsieur Victor Savant'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1894), INC: ICRA (1958) AM 1894

(a) **'Monsieur Warocqué'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Etabl. Linden (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, with a red centre. Syn: 'Arthur Warocque'. Indian

(a) **'Monstrosum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1851), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Monstrosum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kaempferi* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, white, with aborted stamens and an abnormal pistil. Calyx petaloid. Kaempferi

(r) **'Monstrosum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy purple. Hardy Hybrid (Probably the plant listed under *ponticum* by L. Jacob-Makoy, 1851)

(a) **'Monstrosum Fasciculare'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1851), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellowish orange

(a) **'Monstrosum Sulphureum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Monstrosum Variabile'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1851), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Monstrous'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs E.C. Stirling' (s) × *smirnowii* hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1860), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in very large trusses, rose or lavender pink, paling in the centre. AM 1925 Syn: 'Ajax'

(a) **'Monstruosum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: developed from 'Souvenir de l'Exposition Universelle' I: D. Vervaene (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose salmon, with rose and red bands, a carmine red blotch and white edges. Indian

(r) **'Montafon'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown, said to be similar to *ferrugineum* N: J.B. Brueckner (pre 1982) Fls vivid purplish red (57B-D)

(a) **'Montanum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1818), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls flesh pink. (Listed under "Azalea nudiflora")

(a) **'Montanum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep purplish red. Early. Kurume

(r) **'Montanum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *brachycarpum* L: D.G. Hobbie (1961) Fls rose. Low-growing shrub

(a) **'Mont Blanc'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1871), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white. Indian

(r) **'Mont Blanc'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1851), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pinkish in bud, opening white, with yellowish spots. Lvs broadly elliptic, 60-100mm long, dark green. Shrub to 2.0m

(r) **'Montchanin'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *pubescens* (s) × *keiskei* H: G.G. Nearing, G: G.G. Nearing (1945), N: G.G. Nearing, I: G.G. Nearing (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, profusely borne, pure white. Lvs lanceolate to oblanceolate, up to 75 × 25mm, acute at apex, rounded at base, margins decurved, dull and moderate olive green (137A) and hairy above, with tiny, tan scales above and below. Shrub 0.9m in 10 years. Mid-late April

(r) **'Monte Carlo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (white form) × 'Crest' × *aureum* × *campylocarpum* aff. H: D.G. Leach (1966), G: D.G. Leach (1972), N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1981) Fls 16/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 70mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish red/deep pink (185C/D) in bud, opening pale yellow (11D) flushed light purplish pink (62C), ages to pale yellow (11D), with a faint, dorsal blotch of pale yellow (11C). Lvs elliptic, 100 × 45mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (147A) and glossy above, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 0.9m in 14 years. Early May

(r) **'Montéclat'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as a *ponticum* form or hybrid L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) (Also seen as 'Mont Eclat')

(r) **'Montego'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sefton' (s) × 'Purple Splendour' H: D.G. Leach (1957), G: D.G. Leach (1963), N: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1983) Fls 18/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 80mm, 5-lobed, strong purple (77B), suffused deep reddish purple (77A) at edges, with a dorsal blotch of strong yellow-green (144C) on a pale pink ground which ages to deep purplish red (59B). Calyx up to 7mm long, greenish white. Lvs elliptic, 145 × 65mm, black-green (more-or-less dark bluish green (131A)), hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 2.5m in 26 years. Late May

(r) **'Monterey'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: white-flowered *catawbiense* (s) × red-flowered *catawbiense* H: D.G. Leach (1952), G: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1995) Fls 13/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (73A), with white highlights on dorsal lobe and at base of throat; dark red (59A) blotch in throat with spots radiating towards edge of dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 89-140 × 38-51mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 2.7 × 3.0m in 42 years. Early June. (First published in Briggs Nursery liner list, 1990-1991)

(r) **'Monterosa'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *degronianum* (s) × *dichroanthum* aff. R: W. Nagel (1970), N: W. Wüstemeyer, I: W. Wüstemeyer (1984) Fls salmon pink, with a strongly enlarged calyx

(r) **'Monteverdi'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ann Lindsay' (s) × *calophytum* H: H. Hachmann (1983), G: H. Hachmann (1989), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 17-19/compact truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45-55 × 62-70mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, inside pale purplish pink (55D), fading to pale purplish pink (55C/D); outside pale purplish pink (55D), midveins strong to light purplish pink (55B/C), fading to pale purplish pink (56C/D); a conspicuous dark red (187A/B) blotch and associated spots at the base of dorsal lobe; stamens 14, filaments white, anthers pale yellow (164D); style pale yellow-green (149D); ovary hairless. Calyx 1-5mm long, reddish. Pedicels moderate red (180B/C) on upper side. Lvs elliptic, 190-220 × 70-80mm, slightly concave, apiculate at apex, cuneate to oblique at base, matt green above, the lower side with vestiges of juvenile felted indumentum on midrib. Shrub 2.2 × 2.6m in 10 years. Late April-early May. (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030653). First published in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(a) **'Montezuma'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Helen Close' × 'Purple Splendor' R: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1967) Fls hose-in-hose, 2-3/truss, 75mm wide, strong reddish purple (10P 5/10) with a large, white centre. Lvs 45 × 25mm. Shrub 1.0 × 0.6m. Late May

(a) **'Monticello'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Amagasa' (s) × 'Sekai-no-hikari' R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls single, 2/truss, 90-115mm wide, 5-7-lobed, white with a light green blotch and with coral and pink dashes and sectors; occasionally light pink with a white picotee margin; also white selfs. Early June. (First published in Holly Springs cat., 1990)

(r) **'Montjoy'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Montreal'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × *campylocarpum* Elatum Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Differs from 'Lady Bessborough' in being pink in bud, turning to stone cream on opening. (Lady Bessborough Group)

(a) **'Montrose'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Lovett Nursery (pre 1985) Fls deep pink

(r) **'Mood Indigo'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: probably an *augustinii* hybrid R: Brandt (pre 1960) Fls in a loose truss, deep indigo blue. Lvs dark green, turning bronze in winter; aromatic. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(a) **'Moonbeam'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' × 'Willy' (s) × 'Mrs Carmichael' × 'Willy' R: B.Y.

Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 1-3/truss, 100-125mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, white. Broad, spreading shrub to 1.5m. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Moonbeam'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *austrinum* L: Rhododendron Species Foundation (1974) Fls yellow. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. (Perhaps raised by A.C. Varnadoe)

(r) **'Moonbeam'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **Moonbeam Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Naomi Group (s) × *griffithianum* R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white to light primrose. May

(r) **'Moon Blush'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *maddenii* (s) × unknown G: L. Eaton (1972), N: L. Eaton (1995), REG: L. Eaton (1995) Fls 4-6/open, rounded truss, funnel-shaped, 52 × 62mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light greenish yellow (1C), flushed strong purplish red (63B) in bud, opening pale yellow (11D), flushed strong purplish red (54A) on some lobe edges, both inside and out, with light yellow (11B) spotting on dorsal lobe; stigma green. Lvs obovate, 80 × 30mm, flat, matt green above, cuneate at base, obtuse at apex, scaly. Shrub 1.5 × 1.0m in 26 years. Early-mid spring

(r) **'Moondancer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' × 'Lem's Cameo' H: J.G. Lofthouse (c 1976), G: C. Wellmeier (1983), N: C. Wellmeier, I: C. Wellmeier (1987), REG: C. Wellmeier (1987) Fls 14/truss, campanulate, 45 × 65mm, with 6-7 strongly wavy-edged lobes, strong to moderate pink (49A-B) outside, inside light and pale yellow (14D & 18D), with deep pink (48A) spots. Calyx 13-30mm long, irregular, brilliant to light yellow (14C & D). Lvs elliptic, 115 × 50mm, moderate olive green (137A), hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 1.2m in 10 years. Late May

(a) **'Moon Dreams'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, large, creamy yellow, with a large, deeper yellow flare. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Late June

(r) **'Moondrop'** cv. Parentage unknown H: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (pre 1980)

(r) **'Moonfleet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.G.T. Hyde (1960s), G: W.G.T. Hyde (1970s), N: Mrs R. Legrand (1998), I: Mrs R. Legrand (1998), REG: Mrs R. Legrand (1998) Fls 10-14/compact, almost ball-shaped truss, open funnel-shaped, 35 × 20mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, buds brilliant yellow-green (154C) tipped deep pink (51B), opening pale greenish yellow (1D) inside and light greenish yellow (1C) outside, unmarked. Lvs broadly oblanceolate, 70 × 30mm, margins decurved, narrowly acute at apex, narrowly obtuse at base, glossy green above. Shrub 1.42 × 1.14m in 30 years. May

(r) **'Moonflower'** cv. Parentage unknown H: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (pre 1980)

(a) **'Moon Glow'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Berna Park Nurseries (1984) Fls semi-double, pale pink. Indian

(r) **'Moonglow'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Moonglow')

(r) **Moonglow Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi Venus' (s) × Lady Bessborough Group H: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink. May

(a) **'Moonlight'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: I.L. Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L. Amann Fls 65mm wide, light purple (77D), shading to a white throat and with a darker blotch. Shrub 1.2-1.5m

(r) **Moonlight Group** gp Parentage unknown I: T. McMeekin (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush, with dark spots

(r) **'Moonlight'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* hybrid L: Wallace (1930), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Moonlight Bay'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1987), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls pale yellow, with a deeper yellow blotch; spicily scented. Late June-early July

(r) **'Moonlight Bay'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown G: G. Gillies, N: J.C. Wister, I: Scott Arboretum (c 1965), REG: Scott Arboretum (1980) Fls 7-9/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 100mm wide, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, pale pink (2.5R 9/3), with a faint yellow suffusion in the throat (general effect is pale apricot); unmarked; scented. Lvs narrowly obovate, 115-125 × 55-60mm, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, flat, moderate olive green (5GY 4/3) above, hairless. Shrub 2.7 × 3.6m in 35 years. Early May. (Raised from seed collected from a Dexter hybrid on the Everitt estate, USA c1945)

(a) **'Moonlight Becomes You'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, pale apricot cream, with a golden dorsal lobe, lightly striped pink down centre of each lobe; scented. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Late June-early July

(a) **'Moonlight Cocktail'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, buff yellow with peach undertones, with a large, soft golden yellow flare. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Late June

(a) **'Moonlight Rose'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Homebush' × 'Strawberry Ice' H: P.E. Girard (1972), G: P.E. Girard, N: P.E. Girard, I: P.E. Girard, REG: P.E. Girard (1983) Fls 5-9/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (49A) in

bud, opening strong pink (50C), throat vivid yellow (15A); dorsal blotch, 25 × 25mm, vivid to brilliant yellow (15A-C). Calyx 3mm long, strong yellow-green (143C). Lvs elliptic, 65 × 25mm, strong yellow-green (144A), slightly setose and hairy. Shrub 0.8 × 0.4m in 5 years. Mid-late May

(a) **'Moonlight Serenade'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1987), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls pale pink, tinged pale yellow, with a light yellow blotch. Mid June

(r) **'Moonlight Serenade'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Devonshire Cream' hybrid H: W.E. Whitney, N: G. & Mrs A. Sather (pre 1975), I: G. & Mrs A. Sather Fls variegated pink

(r) **'Moonlight Sonata'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *macabeanum* × 'Pamela' R: New Zealand Rhododendron Association, I: Mrs J.M. Kerr, REG: Mrs J.M. Kerr (1979) Fls pale yellow-green (4D), edges stained strong purplish pink (62A), with a blotch at the base of dark red (59A)

(r) **'Moonlight Tango'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' (s) × 'Diva' R: R. Henny, I: L. Henny, REG: L. Henny (1964) Fls in tall trusses, 65mm wide, 5-lobed, strong red (53B). Lvs 125mm long. Shrub 3.0m. Late June-early July

(a) **'Moon Maiden'** cv. Evergreen azalea: hardy form of *simsii* × *mucronatum* R: M. Haworth-Booth, N: M. Haworth-Booth, REG: M. Haworth-Booth (1967) Fls nearly 100mm wide, white, with an occasional purple streak, flushed yellow on dorsal lobe. Compact shrub

(a) **'Moon Melons'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Colossus' × *luteum* R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls large, soft yellow, with red stamens. Mid June

(r) **'Moon Mist'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lackamas Cream' (s) × *fortunei* H: B.F. Lancaster (1949), G: B.F. Lancaster, N: B.F. Lancaster, I: B.F. Lancaster (1963), REG: B.F. Lancaster (1964) Fls 10-12/upright truss, broadly campanulate, 40 × 90mm, 7-lobed, dresden yellow, deeper coloured in the throat and with mahogany rays. Lvs elliptic, to 100 × 40mm. Shrub 1.0 × 1.1m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Moon Mist'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense*, white-fld × (*neriiflorum* × *dichroanthum*) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* H: D.G. Leach, G: D.G. Leach (1952), N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1965) Fls pale orange

(r) **'Moon of Israel'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Rogers, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet rose, spotted

(r) **'Moon Orchid'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *maddenii* Polyandrum Group × 'Sirius' R: F.M. Jury (pre 1997), N: F.M. Jury Fls with wavy-edged lobes, rose pink in bud, opening inside light yellow with a blotch which is green at first turning to orange at back of throat; outside suffused rose pink; scented. Lvs dark green. Shrub 2.5m. Midseason-late

(r) **'Moon Puff'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: A.W. Smith (pre 1989), G: D. Irish-Hosler (1999), N: D. Irish-Hosler (2000), REG: D. Irish-Hosler (2000) Fls 13/domed truss, funnel to saucer-shaped, 65 × 95mm, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes (some of which are reflexed), moderate purplish pink (68C) in bud, opening the same colour and changing to yellowish white (155B) with a light yellow-green (2C) centre and some yellow dorsal spotting; outside yellowish white (155B). Lvs elliptic, 125 × 45mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, margins flat, moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in c12 years. Midseason

(r) **'Moonrise'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Souvenir of W.C. Slocock' (s) × 'Loderi King George' H: A.A. Wright (c 1947), G: A.A. Wright, N: A.A. Wright, I: A.A. Wright (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale yellow

(r) **'Moonrise'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *augustinii* subsp. *chasmanthum* (s) × Lady Chamberlain Group H: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1949), G: E.G.W.W. Harison (1955), N: E.G.W.W. Harrison, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 6/truss, c45 × 45mm, cream, suffused pale lilac pink

(r) **'Moon Shadow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* (s) × unknown H: Mrs R.J. Coker, G: Mrs R.J. Coker, N: Mrs R.J. Coker, I: Mrs R.J. Coker, REG: Mrs R.J. Coker (1982) Fls 7-lobed, pale greenish yellow (2D), deepening to light yellow-green (2C) in centre. Lvs obovate, 70mm long, hairless

(r) **'Moonshine'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Adriaan Koster' (s) × *wardii* Litiense Group H: F.E.W. Hanger (1947), G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, I: Royal Horticultural Society (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c16/domed truss, shallow rotate, 40 × 65mm, light greenish yellow to pale yellow-green (4C-D), darker on the dorsal lobe and with a dark crimson blotch in the throat. Lvs elliptic-ovate, 108 × 55mm, dark green above. AM 1952 (Moonshine Group)

(r) **Moonshine Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Adriaan Koster' (s) × *wardii* Litiense Group H: F.E.W. Hanger (1947), G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, I: Royal Horticultural Society (1952), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Moonshine Bright'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Adriaan Koster' (s) × *wardii* Litiense Group H: F.E.W. Hanger (1947), G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, INC: ICRA (1958) (Moonshine Group)

(r) **'Moonshine Crescent'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Adriaan Koster' (s) × *wardii* Litiense Group H: F.E.W. Hanger (1947), G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society (1960), I: Royal Horticultural Society (1960), REG: Royal Horticultural Society (1961) Fls 14-16/compact, globular to domed truss, funnel-shaped, c60 × 40mm, light greenish yellow to

pale yellow-green (4C-D). Lvs 115-125 × 42mm, dark dull green above. Shrub to at least 1.4 × 1.6m. *AM 1960 (Moonshine Group)

(r) **'Moonshine Glow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Adriaan Koster' (s) × *wardii* Litiense Group H: F.E.W. Hanger (1947), G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 9/flattened dome truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 65mm, tinged pink in bud, opening yellow (near uranium green, 63/3). Lvs 108 × 55mm, mid dull green above. Shrub 1.2m. *HC 1957 (Moonshine Group)

(r) **'Moonshine Supreme'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Adriaan Koster' (s) × *wardii* Litiense Group H: F.E.W. Hanger (1947), G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, I: Royal Horticultural Society (1953), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c15/truss, broadly campanulate, 45 × 65mm, light greenish yellow (4B-C), with darker staining on the dorsal lobe with indistinct spotting. AM 1953 (Moonshine Group)

(r) **'Moon Shot'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' × *wardii* H: J.B. Gable (1948), G: J.B. Gable, N: C. Gable, I: J.B. Gable, REG: Gable Study Group, USA (1991) Fls creamy white. Lvs elliptic, 114 × 51mm, flat to convex, mucronate at apex, rounded at base, very glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 0.7 × 0.7m in *c*4 years, 1.5m tall when mature. Midseason. (Published in *Hybrids and Hybridizers*, Livingston & West (1978))

(a) **'Moonstone'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × 'Fukuju' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls2-3/truss, 65-75mm, white with a chartreuse throat. Broad, spreading shrub to 1.5m. Mid-late May. Glenn Dale

(r) **Moonstone Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* (s) × *williamsianum* R: J.C. Williams, N: J.C. Williams, I: J.C. Williams (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3-5/lax truss, campanulate, dark red or yellow in bud, opening cream, ivory and pink. Lvs ovate, 65 × 45mm, mid green. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years

(r) **'Moonstone Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* (s) × *williamsianum* R: J.C. Williams (pre 1933) A pink-flowered selection from this Group. (Moonstone Group)

(r) **'Moonstone Yellow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* (s) × *williamsianum* R: J.C. Williams (pre 1933) A yellow-flowered selection from this Group. (Moonstone Group)

(r) **'Moonstruck'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Keystone' (s) × 'Clark Adams' H: W.E. Delp (1978), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 14/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 57 × 70mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (60B-D) in bud, opening yellowish white (155D), edged strong purplish red (60C) and fading to white, strong yellow-green (144A) dorsal spots and a strong yellow-green (144A) throat; filaments and style greenish white (155C); anthers moderate purplish pink (186D); stigma deep red (60A). Lvs 127 × 51mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 0.9m in 14 years. Early June

(r) **'Moontide'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* (s) × 'Loder's White' R: R. Henny (1944), N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 16/truss (rhachis 65mm long), funnel-shaped, 90mm wide, white. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 50mm, obtuse at base, mid green. Shrub to c1.2m

(r) **'Moonwalk'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Harvest Moon' (s) × *yakushimanum*, Exbury form H: Comerford's Nursery (pre 1973), S: T.L. Ring (1973), N: C. Trautmann, I: Mowbray Gardens Fls cream

(r) **'Moonwax'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Holy Moses' × Albatross Group H: H. Lem (1963), G: L.L. Newcomb (1974), N: L.L. Newcomb, I: L.L. Newcomb, REG: L.L. Newcomb (1981) Fls 12/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 100mm wide, with 7 flat-edged lobes, deep pink (48A) in bud, opening pale yellow (11C) with a 10mm edging of pale purplish pink (62D); outside deep pink (48B); scented. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 165 × 65mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 2.5 × 3.0m in 16 years. Mid May

(v) **'Moonwood'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *konori* × 'Nancy Miller Adler' H: P. Sullivan (1971), G: W.A. Moynier (1978), N: W.A. Moynier, I: W.A. Moynier (1978), REG: W.A. Moynier (1980) Fls 10-12/rounded truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 45 × 45mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, yellowish white (158C), with a pale yellow (158A) throat; strongly scented. Lvs elliptic, 80 × 40mm, margins decurved, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (137A) above, with tiny, golden brown to brown scales, sparse above, closely spaced below. Compact shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 8 years. Main flush of flower in November-January

(r) **'Moor'** (See 'The Moor')

(r) **'Moorei'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid L: T. Methven & Son (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy crimson, maroon spotted. (Probably the 'Moorianum' listed by Fraser (1875))

(a) **'Moorgold'** cv. Deciduous azalea: sport from 'Daviesii' N: W. Schmalscheidt (1985) Fls single, bright yellow, with a slight yellow marking on the dorsal lobe, edges partially tinted pale rose; otherwise similar to parent. (Found c1960 on Baumschuler Louis Bruns at Wiesmoor, Germany)

(r) **'Moorianum'** (See note under 'Moorei')

(a) **'Morava'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Amoenum' × *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* R: J. Dvořák (c 1970), N: J. Dvořák Fls 2-4/flat globose truss, 33mm wide, dark pink in bud (024 + 25/1), opening light pink, with an inconspicuous, dark pink blotch (25/1 -25). Lvs elongate ovate, 22 × 7mm, dull dark green (000861) above. Shrub 0.4 × 0.5m

(r) **'Moravanka'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* × 'Don Juan' R: J. Dvo˘ák (c 1978), N: J. Dvo˘ák Fls 14-25/elongate globose truss, salmon pink in bud (23/1), blotch relatively conspicuous (light brown-yellow with a greenish shade (09/1-09/2 + 061/2) on an ochre yellow ground (605/2 + 6/2)). Lvs elongate elliptic, 92 × 33mm, dull light green (0960/2 - 0960/3) above. Shrub 0.9m in 9 years

(r) **'Morawen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Isabella Group (s) × Shepherd's Delight Group R: A.W. Heneage-Vivian, N: A.W. Heneage-Vivian, I: A.W. Heneage-Vivian (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 14/truss, funnel-campanulate, rosy carmine or phlox pink (625/1), the 3 dorsal lobes slightly marked with dark pink spots. Lvs up to 200 × 75mm, light green. AM 1950 (Morawen Group)

(r) **Morawen Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Isabella Group (s) × Shepherd's Delight Group R: A.W. Heneage-Vivian, N: A.W. Heneage-Vivian, I: A.W. Heneage-Vivian (1950), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Moresca'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' × 'Waraigishi' × 'Pluto' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1965) Fls double (with 15-20 lobes), 30-40mm wide, amaranth pink, dorsal lobes shaded light phlox purple, with tyrian rose dots in the blotch. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 10 years. Early, with a tendency to autumn flowering as well. Sometimes only semi-evergreen. Back Acres

(a) **'Moreton'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: M.C. Pratt (1986), G: Ness Botanic Gardens (1996), N: Ness Botanic Gardens, REG: Ness Botanic Gardens (1999) Fls single, 15/tight truss, broadly tubular funnel-shaped, 45 × 60mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, light yellow (14D) in bud, opening white inside and out, with a brilliant yellow (20A) dorsal blotch; stamens white; slightly scented. Calyx 3mm long, strong yellow-green (145A). Lvs elliptic, 45-85 × 15-30mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, slightly wavy-edged, glossy green above. Shrub 2.0 × 1.5m in 13 years. June-July. (Standard: colour slide provided by registrant (WSY 0015387))

(r) **'More Twirl'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Weldy' × 'Serendipity' (s) × 'Catalgla' × Lady Bessborough Group H: W.E. Delp (1984), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 20/truss, open funnel-shaped, 59 × 85mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, a blend of strong purplish red and strong to light purplish pink (63B-D) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (56D), with sparse, moderate red (47A) dorsal spots; filaments pale purplish pink (56D); style light purplish pink (55C); anthers pale yellow (164D); stigma dark red (187A). Lvs 89 × 32mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m in 8 years. Early June

(r) **Morfar Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *morii* (s) × *oreodoxa* var. *fargesii* R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, I: C. Ingram (1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pinkish white, with crimson spots

(a) **'Morgana'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Fielder's White' (s) × *kaempferi* R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-2/truss, 50-70mm wide, paler than rose pink (light purplish pink (73C)). Lvs almost deciduous, with some autumn colouration. Broad, spreading shrub to 1.9m. Early May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Morgan Anne'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nancy of Robinhill' (s) × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls double ("camellia-like"), 2-3/truss, 65-75mm wide, with c15 lobes, begonia rose to light reddish orange (fls burn in the open). Shrub 0.6 × 0.9m. Late May. (First published in Holly Springs cat., 1990)

(a) **'Morgenrot'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R. Eisoldt (pre 1996), N: R. Eisoldt

(r) **'Morgenrot'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' (s) × 'Spitfire' H: H. Hachmann (1963), G: H. Hachmann (1969), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1978), REG: G. Stück (1983) Fls 16-18/truss, funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, 35-40 × 45-60mm, strong purplish red (to deep purplish pink) (54A(-B)) shading inwards to pale purplish pink (56B-C); outside strong purplish red (54A) tinged strong red (51A), marked dark red (187B-C). Calyx 3mm long, greenish. Lvs oblanceolate/obovate, 100-120 × 45-50mm, hairy. Compact shrub up to 1.0m

(a) **'Mori-no-miyako'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 75mm wide, with broad, rounded, slightly overlapping lobes, deep purplish pink, with a reddish purple blotch; very slender stamens and a prominent white pistil. Satsuki

(r) **'Morio'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi King George' × 'Cup Day' H: K. Van de Ven, G: K. Van de Ven (1969), N: K. Van de Ven, REG: K. Van de Ven (1971) Fls 14-18/truss, campanulate, light yellowish pink (38D) in bud, opening greenish white (157D), with a flush of bud colour on outside. Shrub 1.4m

(a) **'Morioka-koyuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: white-flowered *kiusianum* (s) × white-flowered *kaempferi* f. *latisepalum* × *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* H: T. Saitou (1994), G: T. Saitou (1999), N: T. Saitou (2000), REG: T. Saitou (2002) Fls hose-in-hose, 3-5/semi-circular truss, funnel-shaped, 20 × 38mm, with 5+5 smooth-edged lobes, white (155C) in bud, opening white (155C) inside and out, with a light yellow-green blotch. No normal calyx present. Lvs 23 × 12mm, flat, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, with white hairs. Shrub 20 × 25cm in 7 years. (Standard: colour slide provided by registrant (WSY 0031885). Etymology: named for the district where it originated (Morioka) and for its colour, koyuki meaning light snow)

(a) **'Morlin B. Bell'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Crimson Glory' × 'Mr Charles Vuylsteke' R: C.O. Phillips (pre 1965), N: C.O. Phillips Fls double, 65-75mm wide, moderate red

(r) **'Morna Belle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lamplighter' × 'Purple Splendour' H: M. Stockman (1980), G: M. Stockman (1988), N: H. Stockman, REG: M. Stockman (1991) Fls 16/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 64 × 89mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (60C), shading to strong purplish pink (68A, B) at edges. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs ovate, 114 × 48mm, with wavy margins, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, dull, dark green above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 11 years. Late May

(r) **'Morna Stockman'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Blimey Limey' (s) × 'O'Harold' H: M. Stockman (1993), G: M. & H. Stockman (1999), N: H. Stockman (1999), REG: M. & H. Stockman (2000) Fls 10-13/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes and some petaloid stamens, strong red (51A) in bud, shading lighter towards apex, opening inside white, flushed moderate purplish pink (54D) at margins and moderate purplish pink (54D) and pale yellow (158A) in the dorsal throat, with deep red (53A) dorsal spotting; outside close to deep pink (51C); slightly scented. Calyx 30mm long, coloured as corolla, with a strong red blotch on two dorsal lobes. Lvs oblong, 115 × 50mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, margins downcurved, dull dark green above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.75m in 7 years. Late April

(a) **'Morning Air'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, pink in bud, opening pale blush pink with no flare, aging to nearly white; pistil red; stamens pink; scented. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Early-mid June

(r) **'Morning Cloud'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Springbok' R: Hydon Nurseries, N: Hydon Nurseries, REG: Hydon Nurseries (1971) Fls 16-18/rounded truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 55mm, 5-lobed, white, outside marked with darker shades of pale purplish pink (65D), with a slight greenish yellow dorsal blotch. Calyx lobes up to 2mm long, densely hairy. Lvs narrowly elliptic, dark green, brown woolly below. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years. AM 1971

(a) **'Morning Fire'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ward's Ruby' × 'Hahn's Red' H: R. Mauritsen (1975), G: Kent Nursery (1985), N: S. Mauritsen, I: KentNursery, REG: S. Mauritsen (1986) Fls single, 1-3/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 25 × 32mm, 5-lobed, strong red (46A). Calyx 1.5mm long, light green. Lvs mostly elliptic (to broadly elliptic), 32 × 13mm, dull, moderate olive green (137A) above, light green below. Shrub 0.38 × 0.45m in 3 years. Early May

(r) **'Morning Frost'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group × un-named hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1971) Fls white, tinged red-purple with greenish yellow spots on the dorsal lobe. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Morning Glory'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: derived from hybrids involving mainly *fortunei* and *catawbiense* H: W.L. Tolstead (1985), G: W.L. Tolstead (1992), N: W.L. Tolstead, REG: W.L. Tolstead (1992) Fls 20/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 42 × 62mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, strong reddish purple (2.5RP 4/10), with a dark red blotch; stamens 10, curved. Pedicels 15mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 105 × 45mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless; petioles 10mm long, green. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 7 years. May

(a) **'Morning Glow'** (Syn. of 'Morning Star')

(a) **'Morning Glow'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 25mm wide, bright rose pink, striped and blotched darker towards centre of flower. Kurume (Imported to USA by Domoto Bros; original name lost, re-named by H.A. Dreer)

(a) **'Morning Glow'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Pericat, N: Perkins-deWilde Nurseries, I: Perkins-deWilde Nurseries (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose (sometimes with a third whorl), 70mm wide, purplish pink, with a dark blotch and a white centre. Midseason. Pericat (Perhaps identical to 'Madame Pericat')

(v) **'Morning Light'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *macgregoriae* (s) × *christianae* H: M.D. Cullinane (1979), G: M.D. Cullinane (1983), N: M.D. Cullinane (1993), I: M.D. Cullinane (1993), REG: M.D. Cullinane (1993) Fls 12/domed truss, very broadly funnel-shaped, 15 × 36mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, light orange-yellow (19A) in bud, opening inside and out with a brilliant yellow tube (21C) and light orange to light yellowish pink (29B-C) lobes; unspotted; filaments vivid reddish orange (33B) near the anthers. Calyx 1mm long. Lvs ovate, 70 × 40mm, flat, acute at apex, obtuse at base, glossy green above with prominent anastomosing veins; indumentum of light fawn scales. Shrub 0.75 × 0.75m in 6 years. Repeat-flowering. Syn: 'Amber Light'

(r) **'Morning Magic'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Springbok' H: A.F. George, G: A.F. George, N: A.F. George, I: Hydon Nurseries (1971), REG: Hydon Nurseries (1971) Fls 16/compact, globular truss, campanulate to slightly funnel-shaped, c50 × 50-65mm, margins notched and slightly wavy-edged, white, spotted light orange-yellow (22C) on dorsal lobe. Lvs 90 × 35mm, mid dull green. Shrub 0.5m. *HC 1977, *AM 1982, AM 1976 (Has been listed in error as 'Hydon Magic')

(a) **Morning Mist Group** gp Evergreen azalea: *rubropilosum* (s) × *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, I: C. Ingram (1945) Fls pink to magenta. (Extinct: all material discarded by raiser)

(a) **'Morning Star'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Hinodegiri' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, 50mm wide, rose (strong purplish red (63B)), with a slight yellow undertone. Shrub 1.9m. Mid April. Syn: 'Morning Glow'. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Morning Star'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet, tinged white

(r) **Morning Star Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Sunrise Group (s) × *williamsianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1934), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink

(r) **'Morning Star'** cv. Parentage unknown R: D.L. Hardgrove (c 1956), N: D.L. Hardgrove, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Morning Sunshine'** cv. Parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney (1967), G: G. & Mrs A. Sather, N: G. & Mrs A. Sather, REG: G. & Mrs A. Sather (1977) Fls up to 14/ball truss, 100mm wide, 7-lobed, strong orange-yellow (22A) in bud, opening light greenish yellow (4B), without blotch or spots. Lvs oblong, 115 × 50mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate to rounded at base, moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.4m in 10 years. Mid April

(r) **'Morocco'** (Syn. of 'Luxor')

(r) **'Morocco'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *coriaceum* R: Crown Estate Commissioners (pre 1953), N: Crown Estate Commissioners, REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1962) Fls 16-20/truss, funnel-campanulate, 40 × 65mm, white, with a deep crimson blotch and a little spotting on the dorsal lobe. Lvs oblanceolate, 225 × 90mm, with a pale fawn indumentum below. AM 1953

(a) **'Morozuno'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: K. Wada (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright red. Kurume

(a) **'Morris Gold'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *japonicum* × *luteum* H: H.T. Skinner (1936), G: Morris Arboretum (1941), N: Morris Arboretum, I: Morris Arboretum, REG: Morris Arboretum (1980) Fls 15/flat truss, narrow tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid yellow (13A) in bud, opening brilliant yellow (13C), with an orange blotch; scented. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 64 × 31mm, hairy. Shrub 2.5 × 1.9m in 43 years, strongly stoloniferous. Early May

(r) **'Morris No. 3'** (Syn. of 'Wissahickon')

(a) **Mortieri Group** gp Deciduous azalea: *calendulaceum* (s) × *periclymenoides* R: P. Mortier (pre 1820), INC: ICRA (1958) Syn: Mortierianum Group. Ghent (Early use of the epithet in British lists implied only one cultivar was involved, but the name covers all the plants of this parentage raised by Mortier. Frequently seen quoted as 'Morteri' or 'Mortirii')

(a) **Mortierianum Group** (Syn. of Mortieri Group)

(a) **'Mortierianum Genio'** (Syn. of 'Mortieri Genio')

(a) **'Mortieri Carneus'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *calendulaceum* (s) × *periclymenoides* R: P. Mortier (pre 1830), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink. Ghent (Mortieri Group)

(a) **'Mortieri Elegans'** (Presumably the plant listed here as 'Elegans Mortieri')

(a) **'Mortieri Genio'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1839), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose pink, with deeper stripes and an orange blotch (C. van Geert, 1843-1906); fls orange and scarlet (Fraser, 1875) . Syn: 'Mortieri Genius', 'Mortieri Ingenio', 'Mortierianum Genio', 'Genus Mortieri', 'Genio Mortieri'. Ghent

(a) **'Mortieri Genius'** (Syn. of 'Mortieri Genio')

(a) **'Mortieri Ingenio'** (Syn. of 'Mortieri Genio')

(a) **'Mortii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Camellia Grove Nursery (1954) Fls single, white. Shrub of spreading habit. Indian

(r) **'Mortimer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Gladys Group × 'Yvonne Pearl' R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1964) Fls 12/truss, open campanulate, 75 × 140mm, white, suffused yellow and with a distinct crimson blotch in the throat; some pink staining on outside. Calyx rim-like. Pedicels 40mm long, stained red. Lvs 140 × 70mm. AM 1964

(r) **'Morvah'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *elliottii* × *wattii* R: Sir Edward Bolitho (pre 1956), N: Sir Edward Bolitho, REG: Sir Edward Bolitho (1962) Fls 20/tightly packed, globular truss, campanulate, turkey red (721/3), with limited, indistinct dorsal spotting. Lvs leathery, with a sparse tomentum below. Large shrub. AM 1956, FCC 1959

(r) **'Mosaique'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *ambiguum* (s) × Cinnkeys Group R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1945), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c12/truss, tubular, 25 × 20mm, with 5 narrow, pale yellow (12D) lobes, deep yellowish pink (47C) at base. May-June. AM 1945 (Mosaique Group)

(r) **Mosaique Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *ambiguum* (s) × Cinnkeys Group R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1945), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'M.O. Schlicková'** (Syn. of 'Marie Oliva Schlicková')

(a) **'Moscou'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Richard Obst' × unnamed seedling I: de Meyer (1961) Fls strong red (53C). Late

(r) **'Moscow'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, I: C. Ingram, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet

(r) **'Moser's Maroon'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Moser & Son, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (pre 1922), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 15-16/truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 60mm, chrysanthemum crimson (824-824/1), with a ray of black marks. Calyx very small, dark crimson. Lvs obovate-lanceolate, up to 140 × 50mm, dark, more-or-less glossy green above, with vestiges of

indumentum below. Young foliage coppery red. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. *AM 1932

(r) **'Moser's Strawberry'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Moser's Maroon' × unknown H: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1950), N: G. Pilkington & G.D. Waterer, I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (c 1965) Fls soft strawberry pink. Young lvs bright maroon red

(r) **'Moses'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel, I: H.A. Hesse (1922), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet, with reddish brown to yellowish spots

(a) **'Mossieanum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J.T. Dawson (c 1910), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls fuchsine pink (627/1). Amoena

(r) **'Mossman's Freckles'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cavalcade' × *yakushimanum* H: A.K. Harris (c 1965), G: F.D. Mossman (1975), N: F.D. Mossman, I: F.D. Mossman (1980), REG: E. Metcalfe (1990) Fls 18-20/flattened dome truss, funnel-shaped, 44 × 57mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53C) in bud, opening deep red (53A) and fading through shell pink to white inside, remaining shell pink outside; heavy carmine spotting on all lobes, inside and out, heaviest on dorsal lobe; soon after opening most stamens develop white petaloid growths c20mm long; style white; stigma red. Calyx 3mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 114 × 38mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull, dark green (136A) and hairy above, with a felted grey indumentum below. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in 10 years. Mid April

(a) **'Moss Point Late Salmon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep salmon. Indian

(a) **'Moss Point Red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red. Indian (Said to be a synonym of 'Triomphe de Ledeberg')

(a) **'Motet'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1973) Fls double, white; scented. Knap Hill

(r) **'Moth'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *megeratum* (s) × *boothii* Mishmiense Group H: Lord Aberconway, G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c6/loose truss, flat campanulate, lemon yellow (4/3-4/2), the dorsal lobes heavily spotted brown; filaments yellow, anthers dark brown. Lvs broadly lanceolate, 75 × 40mm, scaly below, ciliate. AM 1955 (Silver Ray Group)

(r) **'Mother Bear'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × *bureavii* × Fabia Group: exact combination not known R: unknown (pre 1996) Fls vermilion in bud, opening deep salmon. Lvs glossy, dark green. Shrub 0.9m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Mother Elena'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *thomsonii* subsp. *thomsonii* G: H. Vaartnou (1983), S: H. Vaartnou (1978), N: H. Vaartnou, REG: H. Vaartnou (1989) Fls 8-12/flat truss, open campanulate, 51 × 70mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, strong red (53B). Calyx 13mm long, light green. Lvs oblong, 89 × 70mm, flat, cuspidate at apex, cordate at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 2.4 × 1.8m in 10 years. April

(r) **'Mother Greer'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *hippophaeoides* × member of subsect. *Triflora* H: Mrs E. Greer, N: H.E. Greer, I: Greer Gardens (1978) Fls funnel-shaped, lilac. Shrub 0.5-0.6m

(r) **'Mother Juula'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *vernicosum* G: H. Vaartnou (1976), S: H. Vaartnou (1966), N: H. Vartnou, REG: H. Vaartnou (1989) Fls 10-15/ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 51 × 89mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, light purplish pink (55C), with a darker stripe down centre of lobes externally. Calyx 1mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 102 × 38mm, flat, acute at apex, cordate at base, hairless. Shrub 2.4 × 1.8m in 20 years. April

(r) **'Motherly Love'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *keiskei* 'Yaku Fairy' × 'Else Frye' H: P. Halligan (1983), G: P. Halligan (1986), N: C. Smith, I: Benjamins Nursery, REG: P. Halligan (1991) Fls 4-7/flat truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 41-64mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, buds moderate reddish orange (173B) to moderate orange (173C), opening light greenish yellow (3D) on dorsal lobe, shading to pale yellow-green (4D) on lower lobes, two small spots of brilliant greenish yellow (1B) in dorsal lobe sinuses; outside pale greenish yellow (1D); upper lateral lobes streaked strong purplish red (63A, B) and blotched with strong to light purplish pink (63C, D); other lobes occasionally streaked or blotched; pink markings persist as fls fade to nearly white; moderately scented. Calyx 6mm long, strong orange-yellow (163B). Lvs elliptic, 51 × 32mm, flat, slightly revolute at edges, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless and moderate olive green (146A) above, strong yellow-green (143C) and with transparent scales below. Shrub of creeping habit, 0.2 × 0.6m in 7 years. Mid April. Syn: 'Scented Springtime'

(a) **'Mother of Pearl'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Bobbink & Atkins, N: Bobbink & Atkins, I: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, pale pink, with a darker blotch. Indian

(a) **'Mother of Pearl'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Fielder's White' (s) × 'Exquisite' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, many/truss, 40-45mm wide, white, suffused pale amaranth pink (deep purplish pink (72D)) from the margins (often with a white area in the centre of each lobe), very few tyrian pink (strong purplish red (71D)) dots in dorsal blotch area. Calyx partially petaloid. Shrub to 1.9m. Mid April. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Mother of Pearl'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: sport from 'Pink Pearl' R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1925), N:

Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 11-17/rounded, slightly loose to loose truss, 80-100mm wide, pale pink in bud, opening pure white with some pink tinges around margins and intense purplish pink ribs on outside; dark red markings on the dorsal lobe. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. Late May-early June. AM 1930 (Similar to parent except in flower colour)

(a) **'Mother's Day'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Professeur Wolters' × 'Hinodegiri' R: A. van Hecke (1932), N: A. van Hecke, I: A. van Hecke, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose to semi-double, 2-3/truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 50-55mm, strong red (53C), with a light flush of strong red (53B) and faint dorsal spotting of deep red (53A). Lvs 25-30 × 7mm, bright green, tinged red. Small shrub. *HC 1956, *AM 1959, *FCC 1970 Syn: 'Moederkensdag', 'Muttertag', 'Moederdag', 'Moederday'. Kurume ('Moederday' may be the original form of this epithet)

(r) **'Mother Theresa'** cv. Elepidoterhododendron: China Group (s) × Letty Edwards Group H: W.C. Slocock Ltd (1960s), G: W.C. Slocock Ltd, N: M.O. Slocock, REG: M.O. Slocock (1993) Fls 10/truss, 76 × 102mm, 6-lobed, white, with an overtone of golden yellow and some dark spotting in the throat. Calyx 6mm long, white. Lvs elliptic, 178 × 57mm. Tall shrub. Late May

(a) **'Motitz V. Bethmann'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J. & S. Rinz (pre 1849), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Motley'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* × 'Vittatum' × 'Kagetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, 50mm wide, white, sanded and striped tyrian pink (strong purplish red (71D)) with a chartreuse blotch. Shrub 1.0m. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Mottled Aucklandii'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from *griffithianum* R: R. Gill & Sons (pre 1942), N: R. Gill & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls shell pink

(r) **'Motýl'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* × 'Caractacus' R: B. Kavka (c 1958), N: B. Kavka, REG: ICRA (1997) Fls 11-16/globose truss, 90mm wide, slightly purple pink in bud (633/1-633/3), opening whitish with a purple shade along the margins (533/1-533/2), and with a pronounced green-yellow blotch (763/1-763); scented. Lvs broadly elliptic, 117 × 66mm, slightly glossy green (0960/1-0960). Shrub c1.1m in 9 years

(r) **'Moukoense'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *moupinense* × *pemakoense* R: Brandt (1947), N: Brandt, I: Brandt (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3-4/truss, salver-shaped, c50mm wide, with a short tube, pink in bud opening very pale pink. Lvs 30 × 20mm, shiny and dark green above. Shrub 0.3 × 0.3m. Early April

(a) **'Moulin Rouge'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: M.E. Greentree (pre 1977), N: M.E. Greentree Fls semi-double, bright orange-red. Indian

(a) **'Moulin Rouge'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Issho-no-haru' × unknown R: J. & D. Garrett (pre 1987), N: J. & D. Garrett Fls 70-75mm wide, strong purplish red, with a darker blotch. Spreading shrub. Late

(r) **'Moulin Rouge'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Bambi' × *arboreum* H: R. Cutten, G: R. Cutten, N: R. Cutten, I: R. Cutten, REG: R. Cutten (1981) Fls 16/truss, deep yellowish pink (43C)

(a) **'Mound of Gold'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Stokes (pre 1969), N: W.E. Stokes

(a) **'Mount Adams'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Linda Jean' × 'Springtime' (Kurume) R: W.L. Guttormsen (pre 1982), N: W.L. Guttormsen Fls double, hose-in-hose, 55mm wide, white. Shrub 0.8m in 10 years. Late May

(r) **'Mountain Aura'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Dorothea' × un-named red hybrid R: G.G. Nearing, N: G.G. Nearing, REG: G.G. Nearing (1969) Fls up to 100mm wide, flax blue (642/2), with a white centre. Lvs up to 150 × 75mm. Shrub 1.0m in 10 year. Late May

(r) **'Mountain Dew'** cv. Un-named hybrid × un-named hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1971) Fls yellowish green, with a brown blotch in the throat

(a) **'Mountaineer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Girard's Hot Shot' (s) × 'Gloria Kessel' R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls hose-in-hose, 3/truss, 65mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (60D). Autumn leaf colour crimson. Shrub 0.4 × 0.7m in 8 years. (First published in Holly Springs cat., 1990)

(r) **'Mountain Flare'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Boule de Neige' × 'Loderi King George' H: G.G. Nearing (pre 1950), G: G.G. Nearing (1950), N: G.G. Nearing, I: G.G. Nearing (1972), REG: G.G. Nearing (1973) Fls c15/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 115mm wide, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, light pink (50D), with faint, greenish to purplish speckling; scented. Calyx 3mm long, vivid yellowish pink (30C). Lvs oblanceolate, 175 × 50mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 17 years. Mid May

(a) **'Mountain Gem'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1981), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1981) Fls 2-3/truss, funnel-shaped, 15 × 28mm, deep purplish pink (68A). Lvs broadly elliptic to obovate, up to 20 × 10mm, sparsely hairy. AM 1981

(r) **'Mountain Glow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Dorothea' × un-named red hybrid R: G.G. Nearing, N: G.G. Nearing, REG: G.G. Nearing (1969) Fls 100mm wide, reddish purple. Lvs ovate, up to 150 × 75mm. Shrub to 1.0m in 10 years. Late May

(a) **'Mountain Jewel'** (Syn. of 'Hozan')

(r) **'Mountain King'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Kilimanjaro Group (s) × *rex* H: W.B. Wilkes (1983), G: W.B. Wilkes (1993), N: W.B. Wilkes, REG: W.B. Wilkes (1995) Fls 15-18/domed truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 70 × 85mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish red (58A) in bud, opening strong purplish red (63A-B) to strong purplish pink (63C), all lobes heavily speckled dark red (187A, 187C) and deep, strong and vivid purplish red (61A-C); nectaries deep red (53A); a small, solid flare of dark greyish reddish brown (200A) in the throat of dorsal lobe; lower lobe pale purplish pink (65D) in centre and edged light purplish pink (62C); outside strong purplish red (63A); stamens 10, curved, unequal. Pedicels 20mm long, moderate red (180B) above, pale yellow (161C) below. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 95-203 × 32-64mm, flat, acuminate at apex, rounded at base, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) and hairless above, with a thin, felted indumentum below (greyish yellow-green (148D) when young, moderate yellow-green (148B) with age); petioles 20-25mm long, close to moderate yellow-green (146B). Shrub 1.1 × 0.9m in 10 years. Mid April-early May

(a) **'Mountain Laurel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1920), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 25mm wide, pale pink shading to moderate pink (49B), with dark spots. Kurume (Introduced to USA by Domoto Bros; original name lost, re-named by H.A. Dreer)

(r) **'Mountain Marriage'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* (s) × *yakushimanum* H: A.E. Kehr (1964), G: A.E. Kehr (1972), N: A.E. Kehr, I: A.E. Kehr (c 1990), REG: A.E. Kehr (1994) Fls 20 or more/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 60 × 40mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light yellowish pink (37D). Calyx 13mm long, green. Pedicels 13mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 152 × 51mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, felted beneath (white at first, tan with age); petioles 19mm long, green. Shrub 1.8 × 1.2m in 25 years. June

(a) **'Mountain Mist'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1964), N: D. Hughes (pre 1998), I: Blue Mountain Nurseries Fls large, soft pink. Lvs large; new foliage pale grey-green, with bronze overtones

(a) **'Mountain Mist'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: D. Parmenter (pre 1969), N: D. Parmenter Fls semi-double, large, white, streaked red. (Name suggested by F. Lovegrove)

(r) **'Mountain Queen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Dorothea' × un-named red hybrid R: G.G. Nearing, N: G.G. Nearing, REG: G.G. Nearing (1969) Fls up to 100mm wide, rose, with a pale centre; slightly scented. Lvs ovate, up to 175 × 75mm. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. May

(r) **'Mountain Queen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Boule de Neige' × 'Loderi King George' R: unknown (pre 1985)

(r) **'Mountain Star'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Stanley Davies' × *yakushimanum* R: F. Street, N: F. Street (1959), I: F. Street, REG: F. Street (1961) Fls 16-30/more-or-less globular truss, funnel-shaped, 47 × 65mm, with wavy-edged margins, pale purplish pink (56A), centre of lobes and throat white, lower half of dorsal lobe spotted dark red (59A). Foliage typical of *yakushimanum*, 120 × 40mm, dull, mid green. Shrub to at least 0.7 × 1.1m. Late May. PC 1959, *HC 1986, *AM 1989

(r) **'Mount Blanc'** (Asumed to be an error for 'Mont Blanc')

(r) **'Mount Clearview'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Van Nes Sensation' × 'Purple Splendour' H: L.L. Newcomb (1962), G: L.L. Newcomb (1972), N: L.L. Newcomb, I: L.L. Newcomb, REG: L.L. Newcomb (1981) Fls 14/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 100mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purple (80A) in bud, opening light purple (78C) with a deep purplish red (71A) throat and dark red (187A) spotting on dorsal lobe; outside strong reddish purple (72B). Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 140 × 45-50mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 17 years. Early-mid May

(r) **'Mount Constance'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Whitney, I: G. & Mrs A. Sather (pre 1980)

(a) **'Mountebank'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum* (s) × 'Tama-sugata' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 1-2/truss, 75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, deep rose pink (deep purplish pink (64D)), with a showy blotch of rose red (vivid red (52A)) dots. Shrub 1.0m. Late May-early June. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Mount Everest'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campanulatum* × *griffithianum* H: W.C. Slocock, S: W.C. Slocock (1930), N: W.C. Slocock, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10-12/conical truss, funnel-campanulate, 50 × 70mm, pure white, speckled brown on dorsal lobe (at throat); buds white. Lvs 125-140 × 55mm, dull, dark green. Shrub to over 3.0m. April-May. *AM 1953, *FCC 1958

(r) **'Mount Everest'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *cinnabarinum* R: unknown (pre 1988) Fls tubular, red, edged yellow. Lvs small, rounded. A tall, free-flowering form

(a) **'Mount Fuji'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *eriocarpum* (s) × *kaempferi* I: K. Wada (pre 1937), REG: ICRA (958) Fls pure white. Dwarf, compact shrub. Wada

(v) **'Mount Giluwe'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *saxifragoides* (s) × *aurigeranum* H: M.D. Cullinane (1989), G: M.D. Cullinane (c 1994), N: M.D. Cullinane (1994), REG: M.D. Cullinane (1994) Fls 3-4/open, upright truss, tubular-campanulate, 40 × 40mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink (43C) in bud,

opening inside deep yellowish pink (43C) on lobe margins, shading to deep yellowish pink (44D) inside the tube; outside similarly coloured; stamens white at base, vivid red (45B) at tips. Calyx 1mm long, red. Pedicels 75-80mm long, vivid red (45B), holding the fls more or less erect. Lvs oblanceolate, 50 × 15mm, flat, matt green, attenuate at base, acute at apex, with fawn scales when young which age to burnt sienna. Shrub 0.5 × 0.3m in 5 years. Repeat-flowering. Hardy to -12C

(r) **'Mount Hood'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Fawn' × 'Crest' H: C.H. Phetteplace (1965), G: C.H. Phetteplace, N: C.H. Phetteplace, I: C.H. Phetteplace, REG: C.H. Phetteplace (1975) Fls 11-13/conical truss, open campanulate, 50 × 90mm, 6-lobed, white, with chartreuse shading deep in the throat; scented. Calyx yellowish green, edged with red glands. Pedicels with red glands. Lvs broadly elliptic, 120-140 × 50mm, acute at apex, rounded at base, greyish green, hairless. Shrub 2.2 × 1.5m in 9 years. Early-mid May

(r) **'Mount Joy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pink Twins' × *forrestii* Repens Group hybrid H: C. Herbert (pre 1978)

(v) **'Mount Kaindi'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *aurigeranum* × 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' (s) × 'Triumphans' × *javanicum* H: unknown (pre 1980), G: unknown, N: L. Sorensen-Smith (1997), I: Bovees Nursery (1997), REG: L. Sorensen-Smith (1999) Fls 6/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 70 × 75mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, inside opening with pale orange-yellow (19D) lobes, tipped with yellowish pink at apex, tube pale orange-yellow (24D); outside with light yellowish pink (27B) to pale orange-yellow (19D) on lobes, the tube striped with moderate yellowish pink (33D). Calyx 2mm long, dark red. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 50mm, margins decurved, acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, scaly. Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in 10 years. Flowering throughout the year. (Unnamed plant found in A. Jensen's collection when acquired by Bovees in late 1980s. First published in Bovees 1997 Vireya cat.)

(a) **'Mount Kirishima'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Caledonia Nursery (1960) Fls mauve. Dwarf

(r) **'Mount Mazama'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' × Loderi Group H: G.D. Grace (c 1955), G: G.D. Grace, N: G.D. Grace, I: G.D. Grace (c 1967), REG: L. & Mrs M. Grothaus (1980) Fls up to 15/ball truss, 115mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (57A), with slight vivid red (52A) spotting on the dorsal lobe and 5 dark red nectaries; outside with darker stripes. Calyx 3-10mm long, glandular, minutely ciliate, moderate red (179A) with a green base. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 65mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.8m in 10 years. Late April-early May

(r) **'Mount Misery'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *racemosum* × *keiskei* H: C. Herbert (pre 1975)

(r) **'Mount Mitchell'** (Leach's plant. This plant has now been renamed as 'Leach's Mount Mitchell' to avoid confusion with the earlier use of the epithet 'Mount Mitchell' by J.B. Gable. The latter plant is also considered to be a dervative of *maximum* and was unknown to the Register at the time Leach's plant was registered)

(r) **'Mount Mitchell'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a variant of *maximum* S: J.B. Gable (1930), N: J.B. Gable, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson red, white, white with red markings, pale pink or pink: all may appear on one shrub at the same or different times. Stems with red buds, red fls and red pedicels have red sap; petioles and leaf veins also red, leaves blotched red. (Original plant collected as a layer in the Smokies (Hendersonville, North Carolina, USA); at one time throught to be a hybrid with *catawbiense*)

(r) **Mount Omei Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *oreodoxa* × *forrestii* Repens Group R: D.G. Hobbie, N: D.G. Hobbie (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls strong pure rose, without markings

(v) **'Mount Ophir'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' (s) × 'Pink Delight' × *jasminiflorum* H: P. Sullivan (1971), G: W.A. Moynier (pre 1980), N: L. Sorensen-Smith (1997), I: Bovees Nursery (1997), REG: L. Sorensen-Smith (1999) Fls 6-10/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside strong pink (48D), outside light pink (50D) with a yellowish white (155B) tube. Calyx minute, yellow-green. Lvs elliptic, 90 × 45mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and dark yellowish-green (139A) above, scaly. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 10 years. Flowering intermittently. (First published in Bovees Nursery cat., 1997)

(v) **'Mount Pire'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* × *javanicum* H: D.B. Stanton (1971), G: E.C. Brockenbrough & W.A. Moynier, N: W.A. Moynier, I: W.A. Moynier (1980), REG: W.A. Moynier (1981) Fls 7-8/conical, lax truss, tubular funnel-shaped, with 5 flat-edged lobes, 50mm wide, tube strong orange (25B), lobes vivid yellowish pink (30C) with a 7mm wide edging of vivid reddish orange (32A); buds maroon. Lvs elliptic, 100-125 × 50-65mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (137A) above, with tiny, tan to brown scales below. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m in 8 years. August-September

(a) **'Mount Rainier'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Basilisk' × unknown × 'Ballerina' H: I. & R. Arneson (1975), G: I. & R. Arneson (1982), N: I. & R. Arneson, I: I. & R. Arneson, REG: I. & R. Arneson (1989) Fls single, 8-12/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 70 × 114mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light yellow (12C) in bud, opening yellowish white (155B) with a vivid yellow (15A) blotch; slightly scented. Calyx 6mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 89-114 × 38mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 12 years. Mid-late May

(a) **'Mount Saint Helens'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Cecile' × un-named Knap Hill azalea H: P.E. Girard (1971), G:

P.E. Girard, N: P.E. Girard, I: P.E. Girard (1978), REG: P.E. Girard (1981) Fls 12-15/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 75 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale pink (49D) in bud, opening a blend of light to strong yellowish pink (38D-38A); a blotch of vivid reddish orange (32A) covers the dorsal lobe; scented. Calyx 10mm long, light yellow-green (144D). Lvs oblanceolate to narrowly obovate, 75-100 × 30-40mm, moderate yellow-green (139C), hairy and sparsely setose; deep yellow, splashed orange, in autumn. Shrub 1.0 × 0.6m in 4 years. Late May

(a) **'Mount Seven Star'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *nakaharae* G: Mrs J.W. Hill (1972), N: Mrs J.W. Hill, I: Mrs J.W. Hill (c 1973), REG: Mrs J.W. Hill (1976) Fls 1-2/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish orange (44C) with inconspicuous purplish spots on 1-3 lobes. Calyx 5mm long, light green, white hairy. Lvs elliptic, 14 × 7mm, glossy, light green, reddish hairy above and below. Shrub 0.1 × 0.6m in 5 years. Late June-early July. (Raised from seed collected by C.S. Kuo on Mt. Seven Star (Taiwan) in 1969)

(a) **'Mount Shasta'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Blushing Bride' × 'Snowdrift' R: H. Kerrigan (pre 1987), N: H. Kerrigan Fls double to semi-double, white. Late

(r) **'Mount Siga'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: natural hybrid derived from Rock 18139 (aff. *vernicosum*) R: J.B. Gable (c 1953), N: Gable Study Group, I: C. Gable (c 1958), REG: C. Gable (1979) Fls 7-12/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 90-100mm wide, with 7-8 wavy-edged lobes, pale yellowish pink (36D), blending to light yellowish pink (36B) in the throat, with an indistinct dorsal blotch and spotting of moderate reddish orange (179C) in the throat; outside strong pink (48C-D); buds strong pink (48C). Lvs elliptic, 90-115 × 45mm, moderate olive green (146A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Early May. (Gable's selection no.1)

(r) **'Mount Vernon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Van Nes Sensation' (s) × 'Vicki Reine' H: M. Stockman (1989), G: M. & H. Stockman (1996), N: M. & H. Stockman (1998), REG: M. & H. Stockman (2000) Fls 14/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63A-B) in bud, opening inside deep to strong purplish pink (73A-B), with prominent dorsal spotting darker than dark red (59A); outside close to strong purplish red (63A); slightly scented. Calyx c1.5mm long, red. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 55mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins flat and slightly downcurved, semi-glossy and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.5m in 11 years. Early May

(r) **'Mount Washington'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: white-flowered *catawbiense* (s) × white-flowered *catawbiense* hybrid H: G.A.L. Mehlquist (1964), G: G.A.L. Mehlquist (1970), N: G.A.L. Mehlquist, REG: G.A.L. Mehlquist (1994) Fls c12/tall, lax, conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 95mm, with 5-6 smooth-edged lobes, white; stamens 12, straight, unequal; style white; strongly scented. Calyx very short, green. Pedicels 35mm long, reddish green. Lvs oblanceolate, 150-170 × 50-60mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless; petioles 35mm long, brownish green. Shrub 3.6 × 1.8m in 29 years. Mid May

(r) **'Mount Wilson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × *yakushimanum* H: P.G. Valder, G: P.G. Valder (1957), N: P.G. Valder, REG: P.G. Valder (1971) Fls 8-14/truss, shallowly campanulate, cerise in bud, opening pale pink with a darker midvein on outside, fading to white, with yellow spotting on the dorsal lobe. Lvs 50-150 × 7-40mm, with recurved margins and a grey indumentum ageing to fawn. Shrub 1.1m

(r) **'Mouton Rothschild'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Beau Brummel Group (s) × *elliottii* R: L. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1958), REG: E. de Rothschild (1961) Fls in tightly packed, globular trusses, campanulate, 50 × 50m, strong red (45D), with brown spotting over inside of flower. AM 1958, FCC 1991 (Gay Gordon Group)

(a) **'Möwe'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: D.G. Hobbie, N: D.G. Hobbie, I: D.G. Hobbie (1978) Fls 10-14/truss, 50-60mm wide, soft rose at first, becoming pure white tinged rose outside; inside with a strong orange-yellow blotch. Knap Hill (Raised from seed imported from USA (c1972/73))

(r) **Mozari Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* subsp. *xanthocodon* Concatenens Group (s) × *ambiguum* H: J.B. Stevenson (1941), G: J.B. Stevenson, N: J.B. Stevenson, I: J.B. Stevenson (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pastel shades of yellow, pink, etc

(a) **'Mozart'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Lüdicke (1864), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white, with red stripes. Indian

(a) **'Mozart'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *japonicum* × *molle* subsp. *molle* R: H. Knepper & Sons (pre 1896), N: H. Knepper & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange, with a red blotch. Mollis

(a) **'Mozart'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Kaempferi azalea (s) × 'J.C. van Tol' R: Vuyk van Nes, N: Vuyk van Nes, I: Vuyk van Nes (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 65mm wide, fuchsine pink (627/2). Vuykiana

(a) **'Mozart'** cv. Evergreen azalea: developed from 'Hexe' I: A. Steyaert (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, translucent red. Indian

(r) **'Mozart'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1858), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls intense crimson, finely spotted

(r) **'Mr Alfred Haley'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Clibrans Nursery (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, cream white, edged bright rosy crimson

(a) **'Mr Alfred Mame'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1886), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, well-shaped, large, amaranth rose with a broad, dark amaranth blotch. Indian

(a) **'Mr Alfred Zestermann'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Reini' I: A. Zestermann (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, red. Indian

(a) **'Mr Arthur de Warelles'** (Syn. of 'Madame Arthur de Warelles')

(r) **'Mr Barron'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958). Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Mr B.S. Williams'** cv. Parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte (pre 1884), N: L. van Houtte, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, rich magenta, slightly shaded on edges, slightly spotted on dorsal lobe. FCC 1884

(r) **'Mr Charles Leaf'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Nairn & Sons (1910), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose, with darker edges. (Clearly the same plant also listed as 'Mrs Charles Leaf'. The original form requires confirmation. Perhaps raised by Waterer (Bagshot))

(a) **'Mr Charles Vuylsteke'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, 90mm wide, orange-red. Indian

(r) **'Mr Curvelier'** (See note under 'Monsieur Cuvelier')

(r) **'Mr Dee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marinus Koster' (s) × probably 'Marinus Koster' H: P. Newberry, G: P. Newberry (1960-1965), N: P. Newberry (1960-1965), I: Trillium Lane Nursery (1973), REG: E. Philp (2000) Fls 16/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (57B) in bud, opening inside yellowish white (155D), with a narrow border of deep purplish pink (67C) and discrete dorsal spotting of moderate purplish red (59C); outside yellowish white (155D) shading to vivid purplish red (67D). Calyx 10mm long, light yellow-green (145C) to strong purplish red (58C). Lvs elliptic, 130 × 65mm, acuminate at apex, rounded at base, margins upcurved, dull and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 2.4m in 15 years. Midseason

(r) **'Mr Doctor L.N. Deckers'** (Syn. of 'Lemonora')

(a) **'Mr D. Webster'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: H. den Ouden & Son (1924), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, light yellow, tinted pink. Midseason. Mollis

(r) **'Mr Ferdinand'** (Syn. of 'Ferdinand Massange de Louvrex')

(r) **'Mr Ferdinand Massange de Louvre'** (Syn. of 'Ferdinand Massange de Louvrex')

(r) **'Mr Frank Taylor'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Clibrans Nursery (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush pink, with a picotee edge of bright cerise

(r) **'Mr George Brown'** cv. Parentage unknown R: M. Young (pre 1877), N: M. Young, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls whitish at centre with brilliant pink margins and a chocolate brown blotch

(a) **'Mr Georges Royer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls brick red. Indian (Similar in character to 'Madame Petrick')

(a) **'Mr G.J. Bier'** (Syn. of 'Monsieur G.J. Bier')

(a) **'Mr Gust. van Oost'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Paul Schäme' × 'Eclaireur' I: A. van Oost (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure dark deep red. Indian

(a) **'Mr Harry Veitch'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange, spotted. Mollis

(a) **'Mr Henri Beernaert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rose, with a white edge. Indian

(a) **'Mr H. Rolin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. de Kneef (1891), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, lilac, with purple lilac stripes and marks and a carmine red blotch. Indian

(a) **'Mr Jan Bier'** cv. Evergreen azalea: derived from 'Paul Schäme' I: G.J. Bier & Sons (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, a deeper orange than 'Paul Schäme'. Indian

(r) **'Mr J.C. Stevens'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep bright crimson, with jet black spots. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Mr Jean Peeters'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, carmine rose, with a dark blotch. Indian

(a) **'Mr J.M. Keller'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Simon Mardner' (s) × 'Madame van der Cruyssen' I: Gebr Haerens (1904), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pale rose. Indian

(r) **'Mr John Kelk'** (Syn. of 'Mrs John Kelk')

(a) **'Mr Julien Anthierens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, 80-100mm wide, pure red. Indian

(a) **'Mr Louis Chabot'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. D'Haene (1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose. Indian

(a) **'Mr Lucien de Cock'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rose, on long pedicels. Indian

(r) **'Mr Marnock'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright lake, with a white throat and a few brown spots. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Mr Millaut'** (See note under 'Monsieur Milaut')

(a) **'Mr Millet'** (Listed as a parent of 'Abondance'; perhaps an error for 'Monsieur Milaut'/'Monsieur Millaut')

(a) **'Mr Moreux'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1898), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, wine red, with a black blotch. Indian

(a) **'M.R. Mulford'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Pericat ?, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, cerise red. Indian (Perhaps should be 'Monsieur R. Mulford')

(r) **'Mr Otto Forster'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a large blotch of reddish brown spots. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Mr Pierre Dutrie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: E. van der Cruyssen (1897), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Mr Robert Beyer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1889), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, large, soft flesh rose, with a broad white edge and a bright crimson blotch. Indian

(a) **'Mr Roger Haerens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'William Edgard' × 'Winfried Rölker' I: A. Haerens (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, carmine red. Indian

(r) **'Mr Rosenthal'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Schiller' (s) × unknown H: D. Whibley (1920s), G: D. Whibley, N: D. Whibley, REG: Australian Rhododendron Society, South Australian Branch (2002) Fls 22/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55mm wide, with 5 flat-edged lobes, strong purple (84A) in bud, opening inside strong purple (84A), outside strong purple (83D); dorsal lobe with a heavy black blotch; filaments white. Calyx 20mm long, white. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 40mm, margins flat, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 2.5 × 2.0m in 10 years. Early-mid November (Tasmania). (Standard: colour slide provided by registrant (WSY 0035246))

(a) **'Mr R.P. Ker'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls coral red, very dark, with dark blood red spots on 2 dorsal lobes. Indian (Perhaps correctly 'Monsieur R.P. Ker')

(a) **'Mr R. Verlinden'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, bright carmine rose, with a large chestnut blotch. Indian

(r) **'Mrs A.C. Kenrick'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rose pink, with deeper coloured spots on the dorsal lobes. AM 1925 (Sources differ as to originator; both M. Koster & Waterer (Bagshot) have been suggested. Possibly a *griffithianum* hybrid)

(a) **'Mrs Addy Wery'** (Syn. of 'Addy Wery')

(a) **'Mrs A.E. Endtz'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: L.J. Endtz & Co. (pre 1900), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, buds orange, opening pale yellow with deep lines at centre, flushed deep yellow and orange, some lobes flushed orange-red. Midseason. AM 1900. Mollis

(r) **'Mrs A.F. McEwan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from Loderi Group I: University of Washington Arboretum (c 1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 5-8/compact, pyramidal truss, very broadly funnel-shaped, 100-125mm wide, tube c25mm long, with 7-8 wavy-edged lobes, fuchsine pink (627/3) to persian rose (628/3), with a white throat; strongly scented. Calyx small, glandular. Lvs oblong-lanceolate, 125-175 × 50-65mm, acute at apex, rounded to subcordate at base, glaucous below, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m, compact

(r) **'Mrs Agnew'** (Syn. of 'Mrs Tom Agnew')

(a) **'Mrs A.G. Pennington'** (Syn. of 'Mrs Anne G. Pennington')

(r) **'Mrs A.J. Holden'** cv. Elepidoterhododendron: Polar Bear Group × 'Evening Glow' H: A.J. Holden (1967), G: A.J. Holden (c 1975), N: A.J. Holden, I: A.J. Holden, REG: A.J. Holden (1979) Fls 8-10/rather lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 130mm wide, with 7 wavy-edged and recurved lobes, light greenish yellow (8C), with light yellowish pink (37D) mottling at lobe edges and light yellow-green (145B) spotting on the dorsal lobe; outside light yellow (10B) near base; buds light yellow-green (154D). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 190 × 50mm, acute at apex, rounded at base, moderate olive green (146A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 10 years. Mid June

(r) **'Mrs Alfred Taubman'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Aurora Group (s) × *campylocarpum* H: E. de Rothschild (1965), G: E. de Rothschild (1975), N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1984), REG: E. de Rothschild (1984) Fls 12/truss, 40 × 50mm, 5-lobed, opening moderate purplish red (186A), becoming pale yellowish pink (36D) with strong pink (48D) shading and veining, and finally fading to pale orange-yellow (19D) with similar shading and veining. Calyx minute. Lvs ovate/elliptic, 200 × 75mm, hairless

(r) **'Mrs Alice Blyskal'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Naomi Nautilus' (s) × 'Catanea' H: W.J. Blyskal (1967), G: W.J. Blyskal (1977), N: W.J. Blyskal, I: W.J. Blyskal (1979), REG: W.J. Blyskal (1983) Fls 12-17/truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 100mm, 6-7-lobed, strong purplish pink (68B) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (65D), throat creamywhite deepening to very pale purple (69B), lobe edges 69B; two dorsal rays of brilliant yellow-green (149C) in throat (moderate orange (173C) in upper fls). Calyx 1-2mm long, green, rimmed red. Lvs narrowly oblong to narrowly elliptic or oblanceolate, 160 × 60mm, moderate yellow-green (137C), hairless. Shrub 2.5m in 14 years. Mid May

(a) **'Mrs Alice W. Mueller'** (Syn. of 'Mrs A.W. Mueller')

(r) **'Mrs Alistair Macintosh'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft rose mauve, fading to white

(r) **'Mrs A.M. Williams'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid H: O. Schulz (1892), I: J.H. van Nes (c 1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c9/compact,

domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 70mm, with wavy-edged lobes, deep red in bud, opening cardinal red (822/2), with dark brown spots. Lvs 150 × 45mm. Shrub 2.0m. AM 1926, *AM 1933, *FCC 1954

(a) **'Mrs Anne G. Pennington'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Satsuki azalea hybrid R: R.W. Pennington (pre 1976), N: R.W. Pennington Fls 90-100mm wide, rose red to white, blotched. Late. Syn: 'Mrs A.G. Pennington'

(r) **'Mrs Anthony Seys'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × unknown H: L. de Rothschild, G: L. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild, REG: E. de Rothschild (1986) Fls 9-10/loose truss, campanulate, up to 70 × 120mm, 7-lobed, creamy white, suffused and overlaid moderate purplish pink (74D) on inside, outside flushed light reddish purple (74C); a small blotch of dark red (59A) deep in the throat. Calyx rudimentary. Lvs elliptic-ovate, up to 175 × 85mm, dark green above, pale below, hairless. Shrub 3.5 × 3.0m in 20 years. May. AM 1986

(a) **'Mrs Anthony Waterer'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1886), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls creamy white, suffused moderate pink (50D), with a vivid yellow (13B) blotch; scented. Tall shrub. Late. (Formerly listed as a Knap Hill, but perhaps correctly an Occidentale)

(r) **'Mrs Anthony Waterer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1906), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a yellow blotch. Shrub to c3.0m

(r) **'Mrs A.R. Bede'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Doncaster' hybrid R: M. Koster & Sons, N: M. Koster & Sons, I: M. Koster & Sons (1923), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 20/rounded truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 70 × 90-100mm, rich deep pink, shaded scarlet externally (later mottled white) and with a ray of brownish crimson. Calyx lobes 5-8mm long. Lvs elliptic to obovate-lanceolate, 165 × 60mm, glossy dark green above, hairless below. Shrub to over c2m. (Listed as 'Mrs A.R. Bide' in Koster cat., 1931)

(r) **'Mrs Arderne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* hybrid R: W. Paul & Son, N: W. Paul & Son, I: W. Paul & Son (1908), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, salmon pink; sweetly scented. (Paul cat., 1908, described as 'new for 1908')

(r) **'Mrs Armitage'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white, with a yellow eye

(a) **'Mrs Arthur de Warelles'** (Syn. of 'Madame Arthur de Warelles')

(r) **Mrs Arthur Evans Group** (Syn. of Mrs Arthur Fawcus Group)

(r) **Mrs Arthur Fawcus Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* (s) × Kewense Group R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1939), N: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1946), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 9-12/round to pyramidal, rather loose truss, 60-85mm wide, with 6-7 lobes, creamy white, with pale green markings in the throat; slightly scented. Late April-early May. Syn: Mrs Arthur Evans Group

(r) **'Mrs Arthur Hunnewell'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1905), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, with a primrose centre

(r) **Mrs Arthur James Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Essex Scarlet' (s) × *griffithianum* H: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink

(a) **'Mrs Arthur Rogers'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Elsie Lee' × 'Chanson' H: H.R. Schroeder (1973), G: S. Schroeder (1978), N: S. Schroeder, I: S. Schroeder (1986), REG: S. Schroeder (1986) Fls double, broadly funnel-shaped, 38 × 70mm, with 14 wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (73C), with brown spotting in the throat; no normal stamens. Calyx 6mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 32 × 16mm, dull, dark green above, light green below, hairy. Shrub 0.46 × 0.46m in 10 years. Late April. Syn: 'Helen Rogers'

(r) **'Mrs Arthur Walter'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a rose edge

(r) **'Mrs Ashley Slocock'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* (s) × a Hardy Hybrid R: W.C. Slocock, S: W.C. Slocock (1933), N: W.C. Slocock, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cream, suffused apricot

(r) **'Mrs A.T. de la Mare'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sir Charles Butler' (s) × 'Halopeanum' I: C.B. van Nes & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12-14/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, with wavy-edged lobes, tinged pink in bud, opening white, with green spotting on dorsal lobe; scented. Lvs 140 × 50mm, dull, mid green above. Tall shrub. *AM 1958

(a) **'Mrs A. Wery'** (Syn. of 'Addy Wery')

(a) **'Mrs A.W. Mueller'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Bobbink & Atkins (pre 1930), N: Bobbink & Atkins, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 65mm wide, moderate purplish red (70A), with a red blotch. Syn: 'Mrs Alice W. Mueller'. Rutherford

(r) **'Mrs Babington'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* (blood red form) × *griffithianum* R: J. Tremayne (pre 1926), N: J. Tremayne, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Mrs Baxter'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Carter's (1962) Fls double, white, with streaks of red. Indian

(r) **'Mrs Beecher Stowe'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale blush

(r) **'Mrs Beresford Melville'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1905), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, faintly tingedpink. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Mrs Bernice Baker'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Dawn's Delight' × *fortunei* H: H.L. Larson, G: H.L. Larson, N: H.L. Larson, I: H.L. Larson, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a tall truss, deep pink fading to white. Lvs 150 × 50mm. Shrub over 1.5m in 10 years

(a) **'Mrs Bertha Crawford'** cv. Evergreen azalea: (*stenopetalum* 'Rhodoroides' × 'Misima Tuluji') open-pollinated H: M. Oyama (pre 1987), G: J. & D. Garrett, N: J. & D. Garrett Fls 90mm wide, dark purplish red, with a darker blotch; scented. Spreading habit. Mid-late April

(r) **'Mrs Betty Hager'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × 'Madame de Bruin' H: A.A. Raustein, G: A.A. Raustein, N: A.A. Raustein, I: A.A. Raustein (1972), REG: A.A. Raustein (1973) Fls up to 15/ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 50 × 75mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63B) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (66C) with blotch and spotting of strong red (53B) on the dorsal lobe. Calyx minute, strong yellow-green (145A). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 140 × 55mm, moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub c1.2 × 1.1m in 10 years. Early May

(a) **'Mrs Betty Oliver'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *occidentale* × unknown H: C. Edwards (1965), G: H.W. Oliver (1968), N: H.W. Oliver, I: H.W. Oliver (1976), REG: H.W. Oliver (1986) Fls single, 14/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep orange-pink in bud, opening pastel pink, with deeper pink veining and a prominent, dorsal orange blotch; outside of 'neck' deeper pink to almost red; highly scented. Calyx 3mm long, pale green. Lvs oblanceolate, 102 × 38mm, glossy, bright green above, dull green below, hairless; autumn colour red. Shrub 4.0 × 2.7m in 21 years. Late April-early May

(r) **'Mrs Betty Robertson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Lindsay Smith' (s) × *campylocarpum* hybrid R: M. Koster & Sons (1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 6-8/round, loose truss, 60-85mm wide, pale yellow, margins inside and out tinged pink but ageing to pure pale yellow; strong dark red markings on 3 dorsal lobes. Early-mid May. Syn: 'Betty Robertson'

(r) **'Mrs Blaney'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep crimson

(r) **'Mrs Bosville Durant'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R.T. Pince (pre 1868), N: R.T. Pince, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, delicate pearly lilac, with a well-marked eye. Glossy foliage. (Published in Lucombe, Pince & Co. cat., c1868)

(r) **'Mrs Bryon Scott'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *souliei* hybrid R: H.L. Larson, N: H.L. Larson, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls straw yellow. (Raised from seed originally sent from England)

(a) **'Mrs B.S. Williams'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte (pre 1884), N: L. van Houtte, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, white, with slight rose flakes. Indian

(r) **'Mrs Butler'** (Syn. of 'Sir Charles Butler')

(r) **'Mrs Byrne'** cv. Parentage unknown R: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1930), N: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cerise or rich salmon, heavily spotted

(r) **'Mrs Cameron'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Veitch & Sons, N: J. Veitch & Sons, I: J. Veitch & Sons (1881), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light satin pink in centre, gradually darkening towards edges, dorsal lobe with orange spots. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Mrs Carmichael'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: Carmichael (1879), I: B.S. Williams, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, magenta red, with scarlet red shadows. FCC 1877. Amoena

(r) **'Mrs Carter Glass'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* (s) × 'Catalgla' H: J.B. Gable, G: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. Syn: 'Anne Glass'

(r) **'Mr Scarth'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rosy lake, with brown spots all over. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Mrs C.B. van Nes'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Princess Juliana' (s) × 'Florence Sarah Smith' R: C.B. van Nes & Sons (pre 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c12/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 80-90mm, glowing crimson in bud, opening dark satiny pink, with a few inconspicuous markings. Calyx small. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(a) **'Mrs C.C. Miller'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J.B. Gable (pre 1958), N: W.J. Billerbeck (pre 1983) Fls double, 65mm wide, reddish orange in bud, opening deep yellowish orange, fading to pink. Very late. Gable (Said to be similar to 'Beni-kirishima')

(a) **'Mrs C.C. Page'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: K. Wezelenburg & Son, N: K. Wezelenburg & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, deep pink, lobes different shades of the same colour, with some slight brown spotting. Poor constitution. Midseason. Mollis

(a) **'Mrs C.E. Brown'** (Syn. of 'Mrs Charles Brown')

(a) **'Mrs Charles Brown'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum* hybrid R: D. Stewart & Son (pre 1939), N: D. Stewart & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy red. AM 1939 Syn: 'Mrs C.E. Brown'. Indian

(r) **'Mrs Charles Butler'** (Syn. of 'Sir Charles Butler')

(r) **'Mrs Charles E. Pearson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Coombe Royal Group (s) × 'Catawbiense Grandiflorum' R: M. Koster & Sons (c 1909), N: M.

Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c12/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 70 × 110mm, with wavy-edged lobes, pale pinky mauve passing to nearly white at base, dorsal ray of burnt sienna. Calyx lobes 2-5mm long. Lvs elliptic-obovate, up to 150 × 60mm, deep, matt green above. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. *AM 1933, *FCC 1955 Syn: 'Mrs C. Pearson'

(r) **'Mrs Charles Leaf'** (Seenote under 'Mr Charles Leaf')

(a) **'Mrs Charles O. Phillips'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C.O. Phillips (pre 1965), N: C.O. Phillips Fls double, 75mm wide, dark red. Indian

(r) **'Mrs Charles S. Sargent'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 20/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 60-70mm, rich rose, with a ray of brown (passing to green) markings on a white ground. Calyx very small. Lvs and habit similar to *catawbiense*. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. Syn: 'Mrs C.S. Sargent'

(r) **'Mrs Charles Thorold'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1881), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 7-13/small, round truss, 40-60mm wide, pale lilac pink, with a paler centre, inside margin strong purplish pink (68B), outside strong purplish pink (67D); strong greenish yellow (153C) markings. June

(r) **'Mrs Chitton'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1929), INC: ICRA (1958) (Perhaps an error for 'Mrs Tritton')

(r) **'Mrs C.I. Evans'** cv. Parentage unknown L: New Zealand (1979)

(r) **'Mrs C. Pearson'** (Syn. of 'Mrs Charles E. Pearson')

(a) **'Mrs Cribbs'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: O.S. Pride (pre 1987), N: O.S. Pride Fls pink

(r) **'Mrs C.S. Macdonald'** cv. Parentage unknown L: T. Waugh (1910), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson, tinged mauve

(r) **'Mrs C.S. Sargent'** (Syn. of 'Mrs Charles S. Sargent')

(r) **'Mrs Cuthbert Heath'** cv. Parentage unknown I: C.E. Heath (1935), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Mrs C. Whitner'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Snow Queen Group (s) × 'Loderi Sir Edmund' R: Loder (pre 1935), N: Loder, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 15/pyramidal truss, inside white, suffused magenta (27/3), outside tinged a shade deeper; with a darker blotch in the throat. Large shrub. AM 1963

(r) **Mrs C. Whitner Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Snow Queen Group × 'Loderi Sir Edmund' R: Loder (pre 1935), N: Loder, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Mrs Damfus'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls single, pink. Indian

(r) **'Mrs Davies Evans'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1915), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c19/compact, globular truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish purple (78B), with a white blotch on the dorsal lobe and yellow spotting. Lvs 115 × 45mm, dull, dark green. Shrub to at least 1.6m. *HC 1957, *AM 1958

(r) **'Mrs D.G. Graham'** (Syn. of 'Mrs Donald Graham')

(r) **'Mrs Dick Thompson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown G: R. Thompson, S: R. Thompson (1989), N: R. Thompson (1994), I: G. Reuthe Ltd, REG: E.W. Reuthe (1994) Fls 12/flat truss, funnel-shaped, 30-35 × 50-65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds dark red (187A at tip, 187C at base), opening strong purplish red (72A) inside and out, markings and spots of strong greenish yellow on a greenish white (158C) background over the 3 dorsal lobes; filaments and style strong purplish pink (63C); anthers deep reddish purple (77A); stigma deep purplish red (71A). Calyx 9-10mm long, greenish white (155C). Lvs ovate-oblong to ovate-lanceolate, 90-135 × 29-48mm, flat, matt green, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.4m in 14 years. Late May-late June. General foliage and habit resembles *R. ponticum*. (Raised from seed from a garden at Dallington, E.Sussex, England)

(r) **'Mrs Donald G. Graham'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Corona' × *griersonianum* (s) × Loderi Group H: F.J. Rose, G: E. Ostbo, N: E. Ostbo (pre 1945), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 8-10/flat truss, widely expanded, 115-125mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, spinel red (0023/1), with tyrian red (24/2) lobes, which have a spinel red midrib on the outside; stamens 12-13, rose-tinged; anthers chocolate brown; style spinel red near apex. Calyx small, slightly lobed. Lvs lanceolate, 115-175 × 30-50mm, acute at apex, truncate to almost rounded at base, matt green above. Shrub up to 2.0m in 10 years. Syn: 'Mrs D.G. Graham', 'Mrs Donald Graham'

(r) **'Mrs Donald Graham'** (Syn. of 'Mrs Donald G. Graham')

(a) **'Mrs Doorenbos'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: H. den Ouden & Son (1930), N: H. den Ouden & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls delft rose, with a vermilion glow. Shrub to 1.0m. Syn: 'Spring Beauty'. Kaempferi

(r) **'Mrs Dora Kreiss'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *souliei*, open-pollinated G: H. Vaartnou (1972), N: H. Vaartnou, REG: H. Vaartnou (1995) Fls 15-18/ball truss, flat saucer-shaped, 55 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds pale yellow, flushed pink, opening pale yellow (158B); stamens 10, straight, unequal; moderately scented. Calyx 6mm long, green. Pedicels 25mm long, green. Lvs ovate, 89 × 64mm, flat but with twisted margins, broadly acute at apex, cordate at base, glossy and hairless above, glaucous below; petioles 65mm long, red-

dish green. Shrub 3.6 × 2.4m in 30 years. April. (Raised from seed collected 1964)

(r) **'Mrs Dr. Blamey'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R. Gill & Sons (pre 1942), N: R. Gill & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blood red. Lvs deep green

(r) **'Mrs E.C. Stirling'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1906), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 17/conical truss, very wide open, 80-95mm wide, mauve pink with a paler centre, unmarked. Calyx very small. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. AM 1906

(r) **'Mrs Eddy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Jibuti Group × 'Gladys Rillstone' H: E. de Rothschild (c 1952), G: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1980), REG: E. de Rothschild (1982) Fls strong purplish pink (63C), heavily speckled strong purplish red (60B), with a dark red (187A) eye

(r) **'Mrs Edward Denny'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson, with a bold black blotch

(r) **'Mrs Edwin Hillier'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Monsieur Thiers' × *griffithianum* hybrid R: C.B. van Nes & Sons (post 1898), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c15/truss, funnel-shaped to campanulate, 50 × 55mm, uniform dark rose pink, unmarked; nectaries white. Calyx inconspicuous. Lvs narrowly obovate, c120 × 45mm, matt green above, with a thin indumentum below

(v) **'Mrs Elizabeth Miller'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: (*konori* var. *phaeopeplum* × *lochiae*) × *leucogigas* × *laetum* H: J.L. Rouse, G: G.L.S. Snell (1989), N: R. Macdonald, I: Foothills Nursery (1990), REG: Foothills Nursery (1991) Fls 6-10/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 80 × 90mm, 7-lobed, tube light yellowish pink (27A), lobes strong pink (52D). Lvs elliptic, 130 × 70mm. Shrub 1.2m. Spring-autumn

(r) **'Mrs Elizabeth Titcomb'** (Syn. of 'Elizabeth Titcomb')

(r) **'Mrs Ellice'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: J.H. Mangles, (pre 1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c10/loose, conical truss, open campanulate, 60 × 95mm, 5-lobed, deep pink (50B) in bud, opening strong purplish pink (55B) externally and on margins inside, throat and central part of lobes white, with very few reddish or brown spots in two lines below dorsal lobes. Calyx up to 11mm long, irregular, white, tinged pale red. Lvs elliptic, up to 160 × 65mm, pale green and shiny above, hairless below

(a) **'Mrs Emil Hager'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Louise Gable' × 'Tama-giku' × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' H: R.D. Gartrell (1960), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell (1972), REG: R.D. Gartrell (1977) Fls hose-in-hose, semi-double to double, 46 × 68-70mm broadly funnel-shaped, lobes flat-edged (5+5+petaloid stamens forming a central pompom), deep to strong purplish pink (66C, 64C), with faint red spotting. Calyx 4mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Lvs elliptic to narrowly obovate, 29 × 16mm, hairless, very glossy. Shrub of rounded habit, 0.3 × 0.6m in 15 years. Late May

(a) **'Mrs Emma Greentree'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hexe' × 'Vervaeneaum' R: M.E. Greentree (pre 1968), N: M.E. Greentree Fls large, hose-in-hose, deep pink. Indian

(a) **'Mrs Emma Jones'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* × 'Vittatum' R: J. & D. Garrett (pre 1987), N: J. & D. Garrett Fls funnel-shaped, 65mm wide, two lower lobes widely spaced, white, flaked, streaked and dotted moderate purplish pink (74D) and with a deep purplish pink (54B) blotch; stamens and pistil pinkish. Spreading shrub. Very early

(r) **'Mrs Ena Agius'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Aurora Group × Idealist Group H: E. de Rothschild (1955), G: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1982), REG: E. de Rothschild (1982) Fls light yellow-green (150D)

(r) **'Mrs Ensor'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' hybrid H: J.B. Gable (pre 1972) Fls lavender

(r) **'Mrs Erna Heyderhoff'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Furnivall' × 'Catalgla' H: J.P. Beury (1965), G: H. Heyderhoff (1972), N: H. Heyderhoff, I: H. Heyderhoff (1973), REG: H. Heyderhoff (1975) Fls 21/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, white, shading to very pale pink at lobe edges, with a prominent dorsal blotch of strong red (53C), outside with light purplish pink (55C) ribs. Calyx minute. Lvs lanceolate to elliptic, 165 × 65mm, dark green, glossy. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 9 years. Late May

(r) **'Mrs E. Straver'** (Syn. of 'Elsie Straver')

(r) **'Mrs F. Hankey'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1881), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon, with rich spots. Syn: 'Mrs Frederick Hankey'

(a) **'Mrs Fisher'** (Listed as a Pericat azalea by Galle, 1987 (fls hose-in-hose, light pink). Perhaps an error for 'Mrs L.C. Fischer')

(r) **'Mrs Fitzgerald'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1867), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rosy scarlet, with a brown blotch on a white ground. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Mrs Fitzroy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *hookeri* hybrid R: J.H. Mangles (pre 1884), N: J.H. Mangles, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Mrs F.J. Kirchner'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1905), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c14/compact truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 35 × 50mm, pink, shading to white in centre, with a small ray of green and reddish brown markings. Calyx lobes 1.5-5mm long, glandular hairy. Lvs elliptic, rather small, shiny green above

(a) **'Mrs F.L. Atkins'** (See note under 'Mrs F.N. Atkins')

(a) **'Mrs F.N. Atkins'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Bobbink & Atkins, N: Bobbink & Atkins, I: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, salmon orange. Indian (Galle (1987) has 'Mrs F.L. Atkins' and describes it as hose-in-hose)

(r) **'Mrs Frank Mangles'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* × *catawbiense* R: J.H. Mangles (pre 1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c15/loose, flat-topped truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 55-65 × 55-65mm, 5-lobed, deep red (53A), paler on ventral lobes and towards base of tube (more-or-less strong red (51A)), with dull black spots on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 6mm long, regular, white, suffused pale red. Lvs elliptic, up to 140 × 55mm, dark green and shiny above, with very sparse, minute, pale brown hairs below

(r) **'Mrs Frank S. Baker'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* (s) × 'Dawn's Delight' R: unknown (1942), I: H.L. Larson, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink

(r) **'Mrs Frederick Hankey'** (Syn. of 'Mrs F. Hankey')

(a) **'Mrs Frederick Sanders'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, salmon pink. Syn: 'Fred Sanders'. Indian

(r) **'Mrs Fred Paul'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* hybrid R: W. Paul & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light pink

(a) **'Mrs Fry'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Henderson & Co. (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright reddish purple. Indian

(r) **'Mrs Furnivall'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid (s) × *caucasicum* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1930), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10-14/domed, compact truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 70-80mm, light rose pink, with a conspicuous ray of sienna and crimson markings. Calyx lobes 5-12mm long, pink. Lvs elliptic to oblong-obovate, c100 × 45mm, dull or somewhat glossy green above, hairless below. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. *AM 1933, *FCC 1948

(a) **'Mrs G.A. van Noordt'** (Syn. of 'Mevrouw G. van Noordt')

(a) **'Mrs G.C. White'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Bobbink & Atkins, N: Bobbink & Atkins, I: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white. Indian

(r) **'Mrs George Hardy'** (Syn. of 'George Hardy')

(r) **'Mrs George Huthnance'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *macabeanum* × unknown R: G. Huthnance, N: G. Huthnance, I: G. Huthnance, REG: G. Huthnance (1981) Fls primrose yellow (601/3) with red flecking inside dorsal lobe; buds open azalea pink (618/2)

(a) **'Mrs George Meritt'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Bernard Andreae' I: Establ. Linden (1874), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, resembling parent. Indian

(r) **'Mrs George O. Clark'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group (s) × *moupinense* I: G.O. Clark, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink

(r) **'Mrs George Paul'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1908), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush, changing to white. (Listed by W. Paul & Son, 1908)

(a) **'Mrs Gerda Kint'** (Syn. of 'Mevrouw Gerard Kint')

(a) **'Mrs Gerda Kint Album'** (Syn. of 'Mevrouw Gerard Kint Wit')

(a) **'Mrs G.G. Gerbing'** cv. Evergreen azalea: said to be a sport from 'George Lindley Taber' R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 90mm wide, white. Indian

(r) **'Mrs G.H.W. Heneage'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1867), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, reddish purple, with a white centre. Syn: 'Mrs Heneage', Mrs G.W. Heneage'. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Mrs Gladstone'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. de Kneef (1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, mother-of-pearl white, striped, dotted and grained with cherry red, with a bright yellow blotch. Indian

(r) **'Mrs Glass'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), I: T.F. Wheeldon (1969) Fls 75mm wide, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, apricot pink (slightly pinker than moderate reddish orange (35B)), with an orange gold blotch; stamens and pistil cream; scented. Lvs glossy green

(r) **'Mrs Glass Dexter'** (Syn. of 'Gladsgay Gardens')

(a) **'Mrs Gomer Waterer'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, 16-17/compact, domed truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, buds yellow, tinged red, opening white, tinged light purplish pink (55C), spotted vivid yellow (14A). Lvs 75-100 × 40mm, mid glossy green. Shrub to at least 2.0m. Early May. *HC 1960. Knap Hill

(r) **'Mrs Gomer Waterer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: believed to be 'Corona' × 'Strategist' R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (c 1934), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls funnel-shaped, vivid rose pink, with a white centre and a small double ray of orange markings

(r) **'Mrs Greet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* (blood red) × *griffithianum* R: P.D. Williams (pre 1926), N: P.D. Williams, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Mrs G. Reuthe'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *edgeworthii* × 'Fragrantissimum' I: G. Reuthe Ltd (1935), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Mrs Guilter'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. de Cock (1875), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Mrs G. van Noordt'** (Syn. of 'Mevrouw G. van Noordt')

(a) **'Mrs G.V. Blois'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish carmine. Amoena

(r) **'Mrs Gwendoline Broderick'** (Syn. of 'Lady Gwendoline Broderick')

(r) **'Mrs G.W. Heneage'** (Syn. of 'Mrs G.H.W. Heneage')

(r) **'Mrs G.W. Leak'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Coombe Royal Group (s) × 'Chevalier Félix de Sauvage' R: M. Koster & Sons (1916), N: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c12/lax, conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 85mm, mottled rosy pink, darker in the tube, with a ray of blackish brown and crimson markings; nectaries blood red. Calyx lobes 2-3mm long, dull crimson. Lvs oblanceolate to narrowly elliptic, 100-150 × 30-55mm, deep, matt green above. Shrub 1.5-2.0m in 10 years. *FCC 1934

(a) **'Mrs H'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1986) Fls pink

(r) **'Mrs Hamilton'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R. Gill & Sons (1922), N: R. Gill & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls heliotrope

(r) **'Mrs Harold Terry'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Princess Juliana' (s) × 'Florence Sarah Smith' I: C.B. van Nes & Sons (pre 1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 11-15/round truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, with wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (61D), veined a deeper shade. Lvs elliptic, rather small. *AM 1948

(r) **'Mrs Harry Ingersoll'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1877), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 9-20/compact, rounded truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 50-70mm, deep rosy lilac, with a ray of bright green or greenish yellow markings on a light ground. Calyx inconspicuous. Lvs oblong-elliptic, c100 × 40mm, deep green above, hairless below. Late May-early June

(a) **'Mrs Harry Van de Ven'** (Syn. of 'Mrs Van de Ven')

(a) **'Mrs Harry White'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Standishii' (s) × a late Ghent hybrid R: G.H. White (pre 1938), I: Sunningdale Nurseries, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 15/compact truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, white, lower lobes broadly edged light purplish pink (62C), blotch vivid yellow. Ls 55-65 × 30mm, dark glossy green, lightly tinged purplish red. Shrub c1.5m. Late. *HC 1967 Syn: 'Mrs H. White'. Ghent

(r) **'Mrs H.B. Gardner'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* hybrid H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish red. Syn: 'Mrs Henry B. Gardner'

(a) **'Mrs H. den Ouden'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: H. den Ouden & Son (1924), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, deep orange. Midseason. Mollis

(v) **'Mrs Heal'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *multicolor* (s) × 'Princess Beatrice' R: J. Veitch & Sons, N: J. Veitch & Sons, I: J. Veitch & Sons (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls funnel-shaped, more-or-less 50mm wide, white, with a delicate shade of pink. FCC 1894

(a) **'Mrs Hearns'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1978) (Listed as a parent of 'Mrs L.J. Comer')

(a) **'Mrs Heaver'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Todman (1884), INC: ICRA (1958) FCC 1884

(r) **'Mrs Helen Dunker'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × 'Crest' H: A.A. Raustein (1970), G: A.A. Raustein, N: A.A. Raustein, I: A.A. Raustein, REG: A.A. Raustein (1983) Fls 9/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, white; slightly scented. Calyx minute, yellowish green. Lvs oblanceolate, 140 × 50mm, moderate olive green (146A), hairless. Shrub c0.9m in 12 years. Mid May

(r) **'Mrs Helen Jackson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' × 'Chlorops' H: F. Bump (1966), G: G.H. Kesterson (1972), REG: G.H. Kesterson (1986) Fls 13-14/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 30 × 90mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, pale yellowish pink (36D) in bud, opening yellowish white (155D), with strong greenish yellow (151C) dorsal spotting. Calyx c1.5mm long, strong greenish yellow (151B). Lvs between oblanceolate and narrowly obovate, c90-115 × 40-50mm, moderate olive green (137A) above, with very light, patchy, tan indumentum below. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 19 years. Late April

(a) **'Mrs Helen Koster'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, large, flame red, with an orange flare. Midseason. Syn: 'Helen Koster'. Mollis

(r) **'Mrs Helen Koster'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs J.J. Crosfield' (s) × 'Catawbiense Grandiflorum' I: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale lilac, with a large purplish red blotch

(r) **'Mrs Helen Weyerhauser'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fusilier Group (s) × Jean Group R: H.L. Larson (pre 1952), N: H.L. Larson, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink

(r) **'Mrs Hemans'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1850), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pinkish white, with yellow spots. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Mrs Heneage'** (Syn. of 'Mrs G.H.W. Heneage')

(r) **'Mrs Henry Agnew'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *grande* (s) × *arboreum* subsp. *cinnamoneum* var. *album* R: J.H. Mangles, N: J.H. Mangles, I: J.H. Mangles (1915), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, edged pink

(r) **'Mrs Henry B. Gardner'** (Syn. of 'Mrs H.B. Gardner')

(a) **'Mrs Henry Hohman'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls reddish orange

(a) **'Mrs Henry Schroeder'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Elsie Lee' × 'Robin Hill Frosty' H: H.R. Schroeder (1973), G: S. Schroeder (1978), N: S. Schroeder, I: S. Schroeder (1986), REG: S. Schroeder (1986) Fls double, broadly funnel-shaped, 25 × 51mm, with 14 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (55B); 3-4 abnormal stamens. Calyx 6mm long, light green. Lvs broadly elliptic, 22 × 13mm, dull, dark green above, light green below, hairy. Shrub 0.46 × 0.61m in 10 years. Late April. Syn: 'Mrs H.R. Schroeder'

(r) **'Mrs Henry Shilson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection or hybrid of *arboreum* I: R. Gill & Sons (c 1910), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 15-18/truss, funnel- or tubular-campanulate, 55-65×60-75mm, moderate purplish pink (68C) with deeper veins of deep purplish pink (68A) and shading to white in throat with a few crimson spots in irregular bands radiating from maroon nectaries. Calyx rudimentary, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic to oblanceolate, up to 155×55mm, dark, dull green above, with a silvery indumentum below. AM 1973 Syn: 'Rosenoble' (May have been raised by S. Smith)

(r) **'Mrs Henry S. Hunnewell'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: unknown (pre 1980)

(a) **'Mrs Hill's Flaming Mame'** (Syn. of 'Flaming Mamie'.)

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(r) **'Mrs Holford'** (Syn. of 'Mrs R.S. Holford')

(r) **'Mrs Horace Fogg'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × 'Loderi Venus' R: H.L. Larson, N: H.L. Larson, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a domed truss, 115mm wide, medium pink, with a frosted effect, throat nearly red. Lvs 150 × 50mm. Shrub under 2.0m

(r) **'Mrs Howard Phipps'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: un-named hybrid (Phipps no. 45) (s) × Naomi Group H: H. Phipps (c 1958), G: H. Phipps, N: H. Phipps, REG: H. Phipps (1971) Fls 12-14/compact truss, funnel-shaped, 6-7-lobed, moderate purplish red (5RP 5/10), with no eye. Lvs elliptic, 175×65mm, matt green. Shrub 1.5 × 1.0m. Mid May

(r) **'Mrs Howe'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Standish (pre 1870), N: J. Standish, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, heavily blotched chocolate and red

(a) **'Mrs H.R. Schroeder'** (Syn. of 'Mrs Henry Schroeder')

(r) **'Mrs H.R. Yates'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from 'Caroline' (Gable) H: J.B. Gable (pre 1972) Fls pale mauve, fading to cream. Syn: 'Caroline Cream'

(a) **'Mrs H. Stewart Paton'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Clibrans Nursery (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rosy red. Syn: 'Mrs Stewart Paton'. Mollis

(r) **'Mrs H. Stocker'** cv. Parentage unknown R: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1922), N: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 16/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 100mm wide, 5-lobed, rich rosy crimson, with a maroon blotch. Lvs broadly elliptic, dark green. *AM 1948

(r) **'Mrs H.T. Krug'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei*, open-pollinated G: H. Krug, N: H. Krug, I: H. Krug, REG: H. Krug (1980) Fls up to 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 100mm wide, with 7 flat-edged lobes, deep pink in bud, opening strong purplish pink (68B) at edges, shading to light yellow-green (150D) in centre; with strong to vivid red (46A-B) deep in throat, the colour extended into rays above; scented. Lvs narrowly elliptic to oblanceolate, 190 × 65mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (147A) and glaucous above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 6 years. Mid-late April. (Raised from seed collected in 1971 by H. Krug)

(a) **'Mrs H. White'** (Syn. of 'Mrs Harry White')

(r) **'Mrs Hymans'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as a parent of 'Madame Bertin' (Moser). Perhaps the same as 'Mrs Hemans')

(r) **'Mrs Innes Hamilton'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Champagne' (Tortoiseshell Group) × Albatross Group H: I. Hamilton (1983), G: I. Hamilton (1989), N: I. Hamilton, REG: I. Hamilton (1989) Fls 12-14/lax truss, between tubular funnel-shaped and open funnel-shaped, 55 × 90mm, 7-lobed, pure flesh pink without any marking or staining. Calyx 11mm long, pink. Filaments pink, anthers brown; style green, stigma maroon. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 60mm, hairless. Shrub c3.0 × 2.5m. May. PC 1989

(r) **'Mrs Isaac Davies'** cv. Parentage unknown R: I. Davies (pre 1897), N: I. Davies, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c14/dome-shaped truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45×60-70mm, pink in bud, opening white, with an intense maroon blotch (overlaid black) on the dorsal lobe, with scattered rays of maroon markings on the other lobes. Lvs oblong-elliptic

(r) **'Mrs James Horlick'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* (s) × 'Doctor Stocker' H: Sir James Horlick (1931), G: Sir James Horlick (1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls like Cornish Cross Group, but paler

(r) **'Mrs James Penn'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Fisher, Son & Sibray (1898), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon pink and bright lake

(r) **'Mrs James Shawe'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Multiflorum' × *edgeworthii* R: I. Davies (pre 1879), N: I. Davies, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, cup-shaped, resembling 'Fragrantissimum'; sweetly scented

(r) **'Mrs Jamie Fraser'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* subsp. *arboreum* × *macrophyllum* × *arboreum* subsp. *arboreum* H: G. Fraser (pre 1930), G: G. Fraser, N: G. Fraser, I: G. Fraser, REG: W.A. Dale (1991) Fls 10/truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, dark red (59A) inside and out, with heavy black spotting on the dorsal lobe from base to within c15mm of edge. Pedicels 25mm long, strong yellowish pink (34D). Lvs lanceolate, 127 × 44mm, convex, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, dull moderate olive green (137B) above, moderate yellow-green (147C) below, hairless; petioles 32mm long, light yellow-green (145B). Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 10 years. Early May. (Published in *J. Am.Rh.Soc.* 44(3): 129 (1990))

(r) **'Mrs J.A. Withington III'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Laurie' (s) × (PJM Group × white fld *minus* Carolinianum Group) × white-fld *dauricum* H: E.V. Mezitt (pre 1977), G: Weston Nurseries (c 1977), N: R. Carlson (1990), I: Weston Nurseries, REG: A.R. Brooks (1997) Fls double (petaloid stamens forming an inner circle), 2-4/bud in multi-budded, domed trusses, saucer-shaped, 25 × 45-50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes in outer whorl, light purple (75A-B) in bud, opening inside very light purple (75C) at margins, shading to paler than very pale purple (75D) in centre, ageing to very pale purple (75D) at margins and white in centre, unmarked; outside very light purple (75C); petaloid stamens almost as large as the corolla lobes. Calyx very small. Lvs elliptic, 40-65 × 20-25mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate to rounded at the base, semi-glossy and strong yellow-green (144A) above, scaly below (scales moderate yellow-green (146C) at first, ageing to light olive (152B)); foliage mahogany-coloured in winter. Shrub 0.75 × 0.6m in 4 years. Early May. (Published in Weston Nurseries cat. (1991))

(r) **'Mrs J. Comber'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* subsp. *diaprepes* (s) × *decorum* subsp. *decorum* R: L.C.R. Messel, N: L.C.R. Messel, I: L.C.R. Messel (1932), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a suggestion of yellow at the base. AM 1932

(r) **'Mrs J.C. Williams'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1938), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 16-19/compact, globular truss, funnel-shaped, c45 × 50-65mm, with wavy-edged lobes, white, with reddish brown spotting on the dorsal lobe. Lvs oblanceolate, 115-140 × 40-45mm, dull, mid green. Shrub c2.2m. *AM 1960

(a) **'Mrs J.D. Eisele'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Bobbink & Atkins, N: Bobbink & Atkins, I: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, deep rose pink. Indian

(a) **'Mrs J. Dijkhuis'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: Felix & Dijkhuis, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, strong orange. Late. Mollis

(r) **'Mrs Jean Stafford'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943) Fls rose red, with a white centre

(r) **'Mrs J.G. Millais'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1917), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, tinged pink, with a conspicuous yellow blotch. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. Syn: 'Mrs John Millais'

(r) **'Mrs J.H. van Nes'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Carl Mette' (s) × 'Princess Juliana' R: C.B. van Nes & Sons (pre 1931), N: C.B. van Nes & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c13/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 60 × 70mm, bright satiny pink, with a ray of scattered, dark crimson markings on the dorsal lobes and scattered, paler spots on the ventral lobes. Calyx lobes 5-12mm long, petaloid. Lvs oblong-elliptic, c110 × 40mm, dull green

(r) **'Mrs J.J. Crosfield'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* hybrid R: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1931), N: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose, changing to almost white, with a crimson blotch

(r) **'Mrs Joan Zink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *macabeanum* × sport of *macabeanum* G: H. Vaartnou (1980), N: H. Vaartnou, REG: H. Vaartnou (1988) Fls 20/ball truss, open campanulate, 64 × 76mm, with 8 evenly rounded lobes, pink in bud, opening pale yellow (8A) with four groups of purplish red, spotted rays on three dorsal lobes; moderately scented. Calyx 3mm long, orange. Lvs elliptic, 152 × 76mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 2.4 × 2.4m in 20 years. March-April. (Raised from seed obtained from M. Walker, 1964)

(r) **'Mrs John Barron'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Barron (pre 1885), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, tinted lilac, with a bronze blotch. (Perhaps the same as 'Mr Barron')

(r) **'Mrs John Brown'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red, with a white centre

(r) **'Mrs John Clutton'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 15-18/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 60-70mm, rosy mauve in bud, opening to pure white, with a small blotch of greenish yellow to reddish brown markings. Calyx lobes 4-7mm long, dull white, edged with rose tinted glands. Lvs oblanceolate, c110 × 40mm, glossy green above. Large shrub. FCC 1865

(r) **'Mrs John Crawford'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* R: Sir James Horlick, N: Sir James Horlick, REG: Sir James Horlick (1962) Fls 14/truss, 90mm wide, rose madder (32/2) with a crimson (22) throat and darker spots on the dorsal lobe. Spreading, strong-growing shrub

(r) **'Mrs John Kelk'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1877), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 9-16/hemispherical truss, funnel-shaped, 35-40 × 40-55mm, vivid rose pink, paler in the centre, dorsal lobe with a small, neat pattern of brown and crimson dots. Calyx lobes small, whitish. Lvs oblong-obovate, deep matt green above, with a thin rust-coloured indumentum below, lined with longitudinal ridges. Shrub up to 1.5m. June. Syn: 'Mr John Kelk'

(r) **'Mrs John Millais'** (Syn. of 'Mrs J.G. Millais')

(r) **'Mrs John Penn'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1863), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1871), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10-15/compact, rounded to conical truss, broadly expanded (sometimes almost flat), 40 × 50-75mm, dull rose crimson, paler centre, with a broad ray of greenish brown markings on a whitish ground; darker on outside. Calyx small. Lvs elliptic to oblong-lanceolate, c110 × 35mm, deep green. Late May-early June. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Mrs John Russell'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, pink, with a yellow blotch. Midseason. Mollis

(r) **'Mrs John Walter'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (c 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson, with a more-or-less white centre. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Mrs John Ward'** (Syn. of 'Orange Delight')

(r) **'Mrs John Waterer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot) (c 1857), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 18/truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 50-60mm, deep rose, with a ray of blackish crimson markings. Calyx very small. Lvs oblong-elliptic, c120 × 40mm, deep green above. Large shrub or small tree

(a) **'Mrs John Wilson'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: O.S. Pride (pre 1987), N: O.S. Pride Fls light pink

(r) **'Mrs Joicey'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Sunningdale Nurseries (1929), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush, with an intense dark eye. (Perhaps the same as 'Major Joicey'. Descriptions vary so more than one plant may be involved)

(r) **'Mrs Jo Pavlick'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* (pink-flowered) × 'Kettledrum' H: W. Fetterhoff (1963), G: W. Fetterhoff (1969), N: W. Fetterhoff, REG: W. Fetterhoff (1989) Fls 14-17/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 35 × 70mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, buds strong purplish red (63A), opening 63A shading to strong purplish red (63B) towards centre with a thin white stripe down the ribs and a white dorsal blotch; lower half of dorsal lobe covered with dark red (183A) spotting; outside 63A. Calyx minute. Lvs elliptic to narrowly oblong, 90-130 × 40-60mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green and hairless above, with very sparse, closely appressed brownish hairs (mainly around veins) below. Shrub 1.7 × 1.4m in 26 years. Late May-early June

(r) **'Mrs Joseph Shuttleworth'** (Syn. of 'Mrs Shuttleworth')

(a) **'Mrs J. Patterson'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: L.J. Endtz & Co., N: L.J. Endtz & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light pink, spotted with yellow and with a darker margin. Midseason. Mollis

(r) **'Mrs J.P. Lade'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1900), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls campanulate, french grey, with a darker centre. Shrub 2.0m. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Mrs June Rink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Avalon Gardens' × 'Beth Bullard' H: H.R. Schroeder (1976), G: S. Schroeder (1980), N: S. Schroeder, I: S. Schroeder (1987), REG: S. Schroeder (1988) Fls single, 3/flattruss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (49A), with red spotting on the three dorsal lobes. Calyx 6mm long, strong yellow-green (145A). Lvs obovate, 25 × 13mm, flat, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy above, hairy. Shrub 0.5 × 0.6m in 10 years. Early-mid June

(a) **'Mrs J. Ward'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Nuccio's Nurseries (pre 1996), N: Nuccio's Nurseries Fls single, large, salmon orange-red. Semi-cascading shrub. April. Satsuki

(r) **'Mrs Karen Morrison'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *decorum* G: H. Vaartnou (1972), N: H. Vaartnou, REG: H. Vaartnou (1995) Fls 10/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 100mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, white, with a greenish throat; stamens 14, straight, equal; style pinkish greenish at base; moderately scented. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs narrowly oblong, 127 × 44mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base. Shrub 3.6 × 2.4m in 30 years. April-May. (Grown from seed obtained in 1964)

(r) **'Mrs Kenneth Wilson'** cv. Parentage unknown R: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1930), N: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c13/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 60 × 80-90mm, with wavy-edged lobes, satiny rose pink, shaded scarlet externally at the base of the tube, with two lines of faint spots. Calyx very small

(r) **'Mrs Kingsmill'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* (s) × *campylocarpum* R: J.H. Mangles (pre 1911), I: Miss C. Mangles, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 5-7/lax truss, drooping, campanulate, 60 × 80mm, milk white when when fully open, with a tinge of cream in the tube, unmarked. Calyx shallowly lobed, bright red at edge, shading to green, ciliolate. Shrub 2.56m or more. AM 1911 (Mrs Randall Davidson Group)

(r) **'Mrs L.A. Dunnett'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'George Hardy' hybrid R: M. Koster & Sons (c 1909), N: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c14/pyramidal truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 60 × 90mm, soft rose

pink, with a lighter centre and a few crimson spots on the dorsal lobe. Calyx lobes up to 6mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs oblong-ovate, c100 × 40mm, deep dull green above

(r) **'Mrs Lammot Copeland'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* × 'Virginia Scott' R: H.L. Larson (1962), N: H.L. Larson, REG: H.L. Larson (1971) Fls 12-15/truss, campanulate, 65 × 90mm, brilliant greenish yellow (5B). Lvs 150 × 50mm. Shrub 1.5-2.0m in 10 years. June

(a) **'Mrs L.A. Walker'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink. Indian

(r) **'Mrs Layard'** (Syn. of 'Austin Layard')

(a) **'Mrs LBJ'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Seattle White' hybrid H: A. Close, N: J.L. Creech, I: USDA (1968) Fls hose-in-hose (occasionally also semi-double), 2-3/ truss, funnel-shaped, 50-75mm wide, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, white. Lvs medium green, glossy. Shrub 1.0m. Late May

(a) **'Mrs L.C. Fischer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 45mm wide, strong purplish pink (55B), with a darker blotch. Midseason. Bobbink & Atkins

(a) **'Mrs Lee Woodworth'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Carlson's Gardens (1985) Fls pink. Dwarf

(r) **'Mrs Leopold de Rothschild'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'B. de Bruin' (s) × *griersonianum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light red, with fawn spots. April-May. AM 1933 (Mrs Leopold de Rothschild Group)

(r) **Mrs Leopold de Rothschild Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'B. de Bruin' (s) × *griersonianum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1933), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Mrs Lindsay Smith'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'George Hardy' (s) × 'Duchess of Edinburgh' R: M. Koster & Sons (c 1910), N: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c10/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 60-80 × 90-120mm, 5-6-lobed, rosy mauve in bud, opening white, with a tinge of mauve and a ray of brown crimson markings changing to green and fawn. Lvs elliptic, 110 × 40mm, dark glossy green and bullate above. Large shrub to 4.0m or more. May-June. *AM 1933

(r) **'Mrs Linley Messel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *orbiculare* hybrid R: L.C.R. Messel, N: L.C.R. Messel, I: L.C.R. Messel (1934), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Mrs Lionel de Rothschild'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c16/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, c55 × 75-80mm, white, edged appleblossom pink, with a conspicuous ray of dark crimson spots on the dorsal lobe. Lvs lanceolate, c150 × 50mm, glossy dark green above, with scattered white glands. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. AM 1931, FCC 2001 (Some sources give this as a *griffithianum* hybrid produced by van Nes)

(a) **'Mrs L.J. Comer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Mrs Hearns' × *kaempferi* H: S.C. Early (pre 1978) Fls 75mm wide, moderate red. Tall shrub

(a) **'Mrs L.J. Endtz'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: L.J. Endtz & Co. (1900), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 75mm wide, orange-yellow, with a yellowish orange blotch. Midseason. Mollis

(r) **'Mrs L.M. Hayes Palmer'** cv. Parentage unknown R: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red, heavily blotched

(r) **'Mrs Loudon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* × *ponticum* (s) × Altaclerense Group R: Standish & Noble, N: Standish & Noble, I: Standish & Noble (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine or pale bright rose, all lobes spotted

(r) **'Mrs Mangles'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J.H. Mangles ? (pre 1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet white, finely spotted with black

(r) **'Mrs Margaret Buffam'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *macabeanum*, open-pollinated G: H. Vaartnou (1985), N: H. Vaartnou, REG: H. Vaartnou (1995) Fls up to 25/ball truss, oblique-campanulate, 75 × 85mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, opening light pink at first, fading to white; stamens 16, straight, unequal; style orange. Calyx rim-like, reddish. Pedicels 25mm long, reddish green. Lvs elliptic, 165 × 76mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cordate at base, dull green above, hairless; petioles 38mm long, green. Shrub 3.6 × 4.5m in 20 years. March. (Raised from seed collected in 1975)

(r) **'Mrs Marks'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs G.W. Leak' (s) × 'Stanway' H: E. de Rothschild (1986), G: E. de Rothschild (1992), N: E. de Rothschild (1998), REG: E. de Rothschild (1999) Fls c12/loose, well-formed truss, funnel-campanulate, 60 × 90mm, 5-6-lobed, lobes widely flaring and wavy-edged, strong red (53D) in bud, opening deep to strong purplish pink (55A-B), dorsal lobe with a prominent flare of dark red (59A) markings extending from base to within 20mm of lobe apex; stamens c13, filaments white, anthers brown; style yellowish white, glandular at base, stigma red, ovary with glandular white hairs. Calyx 1-2mm long. Pedicels with short glandular hairs, green, flushed red. Lvs elliptic, up to 170 × 75mm, hairless; petioles to 30mm long. Late April. AM 1998

(r) **'Mrs Marnock'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958). Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Mrs Mary'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W. Martin (pre 1880), N: W. Martin, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls creamy

(r) **'Mrs Mary Ashley'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* × a Hardy Hybrid R: W.C. Slocock, N: W.C. Slocock, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls funnel-shaped, salmon pink, shaded cream. Shrub 1.2-1.5m . May

(a) **'Mrs Mary Schroeder'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Elsie Lee' × 'Robin Hill Frosty' H: H.R. Schroeder (1973), G: S. Schroeder (1978), N: S. Schroeder, I: S. Schroeder (1986), REG: S. Schroeder (1986) Fls single, open funnel-shaped, 38 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (62C), with dark rose dorsal spotting. Calyx 6mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly obovate, 38 × 16mm, dull, dark green above, light green below, hairy. Shrub 0.46 × 0.61m in 10 years. Mid April

(r) **'Mrs Matthew Rose'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* hybrid R: W. Paul & Son, N: W. Paul & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink

(r) **'Mrs Mendel'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1871), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 20/compact truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 80-85mm, rosy lilac, with a pale stripe along middle of each lobe, blotch of yellowish green markings bordered with splashes of purplish brown at base of dorsal lobe. Calyx lobes 4-8mm long, pale reddish brown, glandular hairy. Lvs elliptic, light glossy green above

(r) **'Mrs Mendel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* hybrid R: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1939), N: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 9-14/rounded, rather loose truss, 45-55mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, creamy yellow to pale yellow, with faint marking of dark red spots. New shoots a striking yellow. Shrub eventually to 2.0m tall. Mid April-early May

(r) **'Mrs Menzies'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Standish (pre 1870), N: J. Standish, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a large blotch of reddish maroon spots

(r) **'Mrs Messel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *decorum* R: L.C.R. Messel, N: L.C.R. Messel, I: L.C.R. Messel (1923), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white. AM 1923

(a) **'Mrs M.F. Blaauw'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Blaauw & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark rose. Early. Kaempferi

(a) **'Mrs Mildred Kinder'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Elsie Lee' × 'Robin Hill Frosty' H: H.R. Schroeder (1973), G: S. Schroeder (1978), N: S. Schroeder, I: S. Schroeder (1986), REG: S. Schroeder (1986) Fls double, broadly funnel-shaped, 38 × 64mm, with 14 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (73A), with dark rose spotting in centre of dorsal lobe; no stamens. Calyx 6mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 32 × 19mm, glossy, dark green above, light green below, hairy. Shrub 0.61 × 0.46m in 10 years. Early May

(a) **'Mrs Mildred Pepper'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1930), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Mrs Milner'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1867), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson

(a) **'Mrs Morland'** (Syn. of 'Laura Morland')

(a) **'Mrs Mossman'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: D. Parmenter (pre 1969), N: D. Parmenter Fls single, pink (larger than 'Donna' & 'Rosemary')

(r) **'Mrs Mudd'** cv. Parentage unknown H: unknown (pre 1911), INC: ICRA (1958) Late-flowering and said to have tested successfully for hardiness in Germany by Seidel. Hardy Hybrid (Listed in *Rhododendrons & Azaleas* by W. Watson, 1911)

(r) **'Mrs Muriel Carfrae'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × unknown H: W.E. Berg (1967), G: J.F. Caperci (1971), I: K. Trainor (1974), REG: K. Trainor (1975) Fls 12-15/conical truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 50 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds pink, opening light purplish pink (62C), blending to pale orange-yellow (19D) in throat. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 100 × 40mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dark green, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 1.0m in 10 years. Early May

(r) **'Mrs Murples Purple'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' (s) × 'Whitney Purple' H: M. Sanders (1986), G: Sanders Nursery (1991), N: M. Sanders, I: Sanders Nursery (1995), REG: M. Sanders (1998) Fls 16/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purple (81B) with a conspicuous, spotted strong yellow-green (145A) dorsal blotch, becoming reddish in the sun. Lvs ovate, 115 × 50mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, glossy and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 11 years. Mid May

(a) **'Mrs Nancy Dippel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Elsie Lee' × 'Robin Hill Frosty' H: H.R. Schroeder (1973), G: S. Schroeder (1978), N: S. Schroeder, I: S. Schroeder (1986), REG: S. Schroeder (1986) Fls double, broadly funnel-shaped, 38 × 51mm, with 15-17 wavy-edged lobes, basic colour pale purplish pink (56C); variegated white to lavender, with distinctive pink marking; no stamens. Calyx 5mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 38 × 16mm, glossy, dark green above, light green below, hairy. Shrub 0.61 × 0.61m in 10 years. Late April

(r) **'Mrs Noreen Beamish'** (Syn. of 'Miss Noreen Beamish')

(a) **'Mrs Norman Luff'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, orange, with a salmon pink tinge and dark yellow-orange marking. Midseason. Mollis

(r) **'Mrs O.B. Watson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown, but may include *ponticum* R: unknown (pre 1965) Fls delicate lavender, with a purple blotch. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Midseason

(a) **'Mrs Oliver Slocock'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: W.C. Slocock Ltd (pre 1933), N: W.C. Slocock Ltd, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, orange-yellow, flushed orange-red. Midseason. AM 1933. Mollis

(r) **'Mrs Onslow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *hookeri* hybrid R: J.H. Mangles (pre 1884), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Mrs Oosthoek'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: P.J.C. Oosthoek & Co., N: P.J.C. Oosthoek & Co., I: P.J.C. Oosthoek & Co. (1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red. Mollis

(a) **'Mr Soukop'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Madame Petrick' × 'Mr Millaud' (=? 'Monsieur Milaut'/'Monsieur Millaut' I: P.B. van Acker (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, red. Indian

(r) **'Mrs Parker'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R.T. Pince (pre 1868), N: R.T. Pince, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large, compact trusses, delicate rose, finely spotted. (Published in Lucombe, Pince & Co. cat., c1868)

(a) **'Mrs Paul Brandt'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Nadine' R: O.S. Pride (pre 1987), N: O.S. Pride Fls vivid red

(r) **'Mrs Paul B. Smith'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Albatross Group (s) × 'Pygmalion' R: H.L. Larson, N: H.L. Larson, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls opalescent pink, with a red throat

(r) **'Mrs P. den Ouden'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Atrosanguineum' × 'Doncaster' R: H. den Ouden & Son (1912), N: H. den Ouden & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 20/compact truss, obliquely funnel-shaped, 45-50 × 55-65mm, strong purplish red (8.5RP 4.4/12) with a ray of olive green markings. Lvs ovate, dark green. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Mrs P.D. Williams'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 15-17/compact truss, very open, ivory white, with a large brown blotch on the dorsal lobes. Calyx lobes 5-6mm long. Lvs oblanceolate, 120-140 × 40-45mm, dark green above. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. AM 1936

(r) **'Mrs Percy McLaren'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Loderi Group × pink seedling H: R.W. Medlicott, G: R.W. Medlicott, N: R.W. Medlicott, I: R.W. Medlicott, REG: R.W. Medlicott (1979) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, pale shell pink, with a delicate scent. Lvs glossy

(a) **'Mrs Peter Koster'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1953), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 12-16/flat domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 90mm, deep reddish orange (43B), with a strong reddish orange (31B) blotch. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m. *AM 1953. Mollis

(r) **'Mrs Peter Koster'** cv. Parentage unknown R: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very pale pink inside, rose pink outside

(a) **'Mrs P.F. Smith'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Walter Allan Nursery (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, flushed pale lavender. Indian

(r) **'Mrs Philip Martineau'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1931), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c14/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 60 × 100mm, soft rose pink, delicately marked with a ray of light green on a white ground. Calyx lobes 3-5mm long. Lvs oblong-obovate, 110 × 40mm, dark, glossy green above. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. *AM 1933, *FCC 1936

(r) **'Mrs Powell Glass'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' (s) × *decorum* H: J.B. Gable, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a lax truss, pure white. Lvs dark green. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Syn: 'Anne Glass', 'Ann Glass'

(r) **Mrs Prain Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* × garden hybrid R: Kew, N: Kew, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Mrs Priestly'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. de Cock (1875), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Mrs Ralph Pennington'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Miyuno-no-tsuki' × 'Greeting' R: R.W. Pennington (pre 1987), N: R.W. Pennington Fls 90mm wide, light pink, with darker margins. (Probably the same plant listed as 'Mrs R.W. Pennington')

(r) **'Mrs Randall Davidson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* (s) × *campylocarpum* R: J.H. Mangles (pre 1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c13/small, open-topped truss, funnel-shaped, 40-45 × 45-50mm, 5-lobed, cream tinged strong pink (more-or-less 49A) in bud, opening pale yellow-green (4D), with traces of pink externally along midveins and margins, faint yellow-green spotting on dorsal lobe. Calyx 2mm long, regular, pale greeny white, covered and conspicuously edged with pink glands. Lvs oblong-elliptic, up to 100 × 43mm, mid green and glossy above, with scattered, minute, dark brown hairs below. (Mrs Randall Davidson Group)

(r) **Mrs Randall Davidson Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* (s) × *campylocarpum* R: J.H. Mangles (pre 1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls range from white, creamy yellow to pink

(r) **'Mrs Reuthe'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* (blood red form) × *griffithianum* R: G. Reuthe Ltd, N: G. Reuthe Ltd, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, in a slightly lax truss, cup-shaped, scarlet in bud, opening vivid orange scarlet

(r) **'Mrs R.G. Shaw'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1905), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light blush, with a maroon blotch

(r) **'Mrs Richard Gill'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* × *campanulatum* R: R. Gill & Sons, N: R. Gill & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright salmon rose, with blood red splashing in the throat. May

(r) **'Mrs Robert W. Wallace'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Doncaster' hybrid × 'George Hardy' R: M. Koster & Sons (c 1909), N: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c12/truss, funnel-shaped, 60 × 80-90mm, shell pink, fading to white, with a conspicuous brownish crimson ray. Calyx lobes 5-12mm long. Lvs oblong-elliptic to oblanceolate, c130 × 40mm, dull, deep green above

(a) **'Mrs Roosevelt'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Rudolph Seidel' I: A. Haerens (1911), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft rose, resembling 'Rudolph Seidel'. Syn: 'Day Break'. Indian

(r) **'Mrs Ross Davis'** cv. Parentage unknown L: USA (1985) (Perhaps an error for 'Ruth Davis')

(r) **'Mrs R.S. Holford'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (c 1866), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10-20/rounded, tight truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50-80mm wide, 5-lobed, salmon rose, with a small, dorsal pattern of dark crimson spots. Calyx lobes 2-7mm long. Lvs oblong-obovate, c110 × 40mm, dull green above. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Late May-mid June. Syn: 'Mrs Holford'

(r) **'Mrs Russell Sturgis'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1877), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c24/flattish truss, narrowly funnel-shaped, 50-55 × 55mm, rosy mauve in bud, opening white, marked maroon on dorsal lobes; nectaries light crimson. Calyx very small, green, unlobed. Lvs oblanceolate, up to 140 × 40mm, deep, dull green above, with a thin brown tomentum below. (The spelling requires confirmation; both 'Mrs Russell Sturgess' and 'Mrs Russell Sturges' have been recorded)

(a) **'Mrs R.W. Pennington'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: R.W. Pennington (pre 1976), N: R.W. Pennington Fls red. (Probably the same plant listed as 'Mrs Ralph Pennington')

(r) **'Mrs Samuel Wallrock'** cv. Parentage unknown R: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, heavily spotted red

(r) **'Mrs Sassoon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Essex Scarlet' (s) × *griersonianum* R: Exbury, N: Exbury, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls brilliant scarlet. Late May. (See note under 'Cavalcade')

(r) **'Mrs Shuttleworth'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1875), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet, light centre finely spotted. Syn: 'Mrs Joseph Shuttleworth'

(r) **'Mrs Siddons'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with a white throat

(r) **'Mrs S.J. Beale'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *ponticum* hybrid I: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac

(r) **'Mrs S. Simpson'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1900), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, finely spotted

(r) **'Mrs Standish'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1857), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white, with brownish yellow spots

(a) **'Mrs Stewart Paton'** (Sy. of 'Mrs H. Stewart Paton')

(r) **'Mrs Sutton'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Fisher, Son & Sibray (1898), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white, with dark spots

(r) **'Mrs Thistleton-Dyer'** (Syn. of 'Mrs W.T. Thistleton-Dyer')

(r) **'Mrs T.H. Lowinsky'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: considered to derive from *ponticum*, *maximum* and *catawbiense* R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1917), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c14/dense truss, funnel-shaped, 75mm wide, dorsal lobes broadly overlapping, mauve in bud, tinged mauve at first on opening but fading to white (occasionally retaining a mauve flush to maturity), dorsal lobe with a very large and conspicuous orange-brown blotch. Lvs broadly elliptic to slightly obovate, to 115 × 50mm, dark green. Hardy shrub, 1.5m tall in 10 years. Late June. Syn: 'Mrs Tom H. Lowinsky' (Another 'Mrs T.H. Lowinsky', raised by Wallace & Co. (pre 1939), may also have been named. It is recorded as having mauve fls with dark spots)

(r) **'Mrs Thomas Brassey'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with a white centre and rosy purple markings around the edge. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Mrs Thomas Longman'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large trusses, rosy crimson. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Mrs Thomas Wain'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1875), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose, with brown spots. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Mrs Tom Agnew'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c16/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45 × 60-70mm, pure white, with a ray of lemon yellow markings. Calyx lobes 6-9mm long. Syn: 'Mrs Agnew'. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Mrs Tom H. Lowinsky'** (Syn. of 'Mrs T.H. Lowinsky')

(r) **'Mrs Tom Lowinsky'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* × 'Halopeanum' R: T.H. Lowinsky, N: T.H. Lowinsky, I: T.H. Lowinsky (1919), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c8/truss, 115mm wide, flattish, white,

flushed pink on outside. (Apparently a tender plant, no longer in cultivation)

(r) **'Mrs Tritton'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1912), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson, with a light centre

(r) **'Mr Stuart Low'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Verschaffelt (pre 1867), N: Verschaffelt, I: Verschaffelt, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright, pure white, tinted rose, with a blotch of deep carmine rose or dull crimson

(a) **'Mrs Turner'** (Syn. of 'Dame Mélanie')

(a) **'Mrs T. Wezelenburg'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark orange-red, blotched blood red. Mollis

(r) **'Mrs T. Wezelenburg'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Doncaster' hybrid R: K. Wezelenburg & Son, N: K. Wezelenburg & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson or pure scarlet

(a) **'Mrs Updike'** (Syn. of 'Eunice Updike')

(a) **'Mrs Van de Ven'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* × 'Blaauw's Pink' H: H. Van de Ven, G: H. Van de Ven (1966), N: H. Van de Ven, I: H. Van de Ven (1971), REG: H. Van de Ven (1971) Fls hose-in-hose, moderate to pale purplish pink (65A-D), with a green throat. Shrub c0.6m. Syn: 'Mrs Harry Van de Ven'

(a) **'Mrs van Krugten'** (Syn. of 'Doctor M. Oosthoek')

(a) **'Mrs Villars'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Oakland' (s) × 'Heiwa' H: R.D. Gartrell (1962), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell (1969), REG: R.D. Gartrell (1985) Fls single, 1-2/bud, 45-56 × 85-95mm, broadly funnel-shaped, with (5-)6 wavy-edged lobes, white, or sometimes tinted or marked deep yellowish pink (43C-44D) to strong yellowish pink (43D), occasionally almost selfed; throat yellowish white; spots greyish red (182B) to strong purplish red (61B) over strong colour. Calyx 6mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Spring lvs elliptic to narrowly obovate, 44 × 20mm. Shrub up to 1.0-1.5m. (Robin Hill no. T23-10)

(a) **'Mrs Vuyk van Nes'** (Syn. of 'Chopin')

(a) **'Mrs Walker'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls pink. Indian

(a) **'Mrs Walter'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1965) Fls single, orange-pink. Mollis

(r) **'Mrs Walter'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1881), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with a light centre, edged pink

(r) **'Mrs Walter Burns'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Standishii' (s) × *griffithianum* R: T.H. Lowinsky (pre 1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep pink around edges, with a crimson basal blotch. Lvs dark green. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. May. AM 1931

(r) **'Mrs Wayne W. Keyes'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Earl of Athlone' (s) × *fortunei* I: H.L. Larson (1956), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red

(r) **'Mrs W.C. Slocock'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* hybrid R: W.C. Slocock, N: W.C. Slocock, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls apricot pink, shaded to yellow. May. AM 1929

(r) **'Mrs Webley'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* hybrid R: W. Paul & Son, N: W. Paul & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light rose, spotted

(a) **'Mrs Webster'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Purple Splendor' × 'Vuyk's Scarlet' H: H.R. Schroeder (1973), G: S. Schroeder (1978), N: S. Schroeder, I: S. Schroeder (1986), REG: S. Schroeder (1986) Fls single, broadly funnel-shaped, 38 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (58C), with dark red dorsal spotting. Calyx 8mm long, light green. Lvs oblanceolate, 35 × 14mm, dull, dark green above, light green below, hairy. Shrub 0.38 × 0.61m in 10 years. Late April

(a) **'Mrs Wery'** (Syn. of 'Addy Wery')

(r) **'Mrs W.H. Gaze'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Monsieur Thiers' × 'Queen Wilhelmina' R: C.B. van Nes & Sons (pre 1922), N: C.B. van Nes & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish red

(a) **'Mrs White'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white. Indian

(a) **'Mrs Whitelegg'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: L.J. Endtz & Co., N: L.J. Endtz & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light rose, yellow spotted. Mollis

(r) **'Mrs William Agnew'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose, brighter at the edges, with a yellow centre. Large shrub

(r) **'Mrs William Bovill'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1867), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy scarlet or salmon rose

(a) **'Mrs William Bull'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1871), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, circular in form. Indian

(r) **'Mrs Williams'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1869), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light rose, edged purplish lilac

(a) **'Mrs William Urie'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: L.J. Endtz & Co., N: L.J. Endtz & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light rose, yellow spotted. Mollis

(r) **'Mrs William Watson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1911), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 8-18/rather loose, round to hemi-

spherical truss, very wide open, 60-95mm wide, blush fading to white, with strong reddish markings on the dorsal lobes. Late May-early June. AM 1925

(a) **'Mrs Will Paterson'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1965) Fls single, yellow, edged pink. Mollis

(a) **'Mrs Wilson Saunders'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1871), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, white to flesh-coloured, with red stripes and dots. Resembles 'Sigismund Rücker'. Syn: 'Wilson Saunders', 'W. Wilson Saunders'. Indian

(r) **'Mrs Wood'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R.T. Pince (pre 1868), N: R.T. Pince, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in full, globular, compact trusses, finely wavy-edged, silvery lilac, spotted. (Published in Lucombe, Pince & Co. cat., c1868)

(a) **'Mrs W.R. Coe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Bobbink & Atkins, N: W.R. Coe, I: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, deep rose pink, overlaid salmon. Indian

(r) **'Mrs W.R. Coe'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: hybrid of subsect. *Fortunea* R: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), N: W.R. Coe, I: Westbury Rose Co. (1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large trusses, 100mm wide, deep pink, with a crimson throat. Lvs large. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Mrs W.R. Dykes'** (Syn. of 'Mr W.R. Dykes')

(a) **'Mrs Wright'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1872), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white, with a green blotch (1958 Register). J. Veitch cat., 1878, indicates a pink stripe. Syn: 'Roi des Panachées'. Indian ('Roi des Panachées' is reputedly the earlier name)

(r) **'Mrs W.T. Thistleton-Dyer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* hybrid R: Lucombe, Pince & Co. (c 1880), N: Kew, I: Kew, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in compact trusses, up to 100mm wide, rose pink, with a rich maroon blotch at base of corolla (Paul & Sons cat., 1908). Syn: 'Mrs Thistleton-Dyer', 'Frances Thistleton-Dyer' (Identical plants introduced by Kew (ex Lucombe) and by Paul & Sons (own raising). The Paul plant originally introduced under another name which they later withdrew. 'Lady Thistleton-Dyer' (G. Paul cat., 1901) is probably another synonym)

(r) **'Mr Theophile Lacroix'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine rose

(r) **'Mr Thomas Langman'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Holland (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine rose

(a) **'Mr Wilson'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Verschaffelt (1871), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls coppery rose, with a yellow band on each lobe and a golden yellow blotch on the two dorsal lobes. Ghent

(r) **'Mr W.R. Coe'** (Syn. of 'William R. Coe')

(r) **'Mr W.R. Dykes'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Princess Juliana' (s) × 'Carl Mette' R: C.B. van Nes & Sons (pre 1929), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10-12/conical truss, broadly campanulate, 50 × 70-80mm, rich dark rose, shaded glowing scarlet externally, un-marked. Syn: 'Mrs W.R. Dykes', 'R.W. Dykes'

(r) **'Mr W. Shilson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection or hybrid of *arboreum* L: Caledonia Nursery (1905), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink. Early. (Probably the plant listed by Veitch as 'William Shilson')

(r) **'Muchamp'** cv. Parentage unknown H: J.B. Gable (pre 1972) Fls mauve pink. (May be more correctly treated as a Group)

(r) **'Mucram'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *mucronulatum* (s) × *ambiguum* H: J.B. Gable, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lavender pink

(a) **'Mucronatum'** (Here treated as *R. mucronatum*)

(a) **'Mucronatum Pastel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from *mucronatum* I: B.F. Lancaster (c 1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls burgundy

(a) **'Mucronatum Roseum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: derived from *mucronatum* R: B.F. Lancaster (pre 1965), N: B.F. Lancaster Fls reddish purple

(r) **'Mucronulatum Pink'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: natural hybrid, parentage unknown I: J.B. Gable (1955), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Muezzin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (pre 1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, salmon pink. Coolidge

(a) **'Muffett'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum* (s) × 'Glory of Numazu' R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, I: C. Ingram (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, bright red. PC 1955. Indian (Muffett Group)

(a) **Muffett Group** gp Evergreen azalea: *indicum* (s) × 'Glory of Numazu' R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, I: C. Ingram (1955), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Muffineer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum* (s) × 'Glory of Numazu' R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, I: C. Ingram (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, bright red. (Muffett Group)

(r) **'Mugby Junction'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* hybrid G: R.N.S. Clarke, N: R.N.S. Clarke, REG: R.N.S. Clarke (1984) Fls 5-8/truss, funnel-shaped, up to 23 × 30mm, 5-lobed, purplish pink (near 62), with brown spots in the throat. Calyx rudimentary, greenish. Lvs ovate-elliptic, up to 55 × 25mm, matt green above, with dense red-brown scales below. AM 1984 (Plant obtained originally from Hydon Nurseries, 1977)

(r) **'Muhammed'** cv. Parentage unknown R: L.L. Liebig (pre 1867), N: L.L. Liebig, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson, with a dark blue tinge

(a) **'Muji-shiro'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c50mm wide, white. Satsuki

(a) **'Mukashi-hatsuyuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c40mm wide, pure white. Tsutsuji

(r) **'Mulroy Vanguard'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* × Vanguard Group H: Earl of Leitrim (pre 1952), G: Earl of Leitrim, N: Miss M. Forrest, REG: Miss M. Forrest (1985) Fls 7-10/truss, funnel-campanulate, 5-lobed, 50 × 60mm, vivid red (46B), spotted on dorsal lobes and with dark nectar pouches. Calyx irregular, 2-5mm long, dark red. Lvs elliptic, 130-140 × 50-60mm, hairless. Shrub up to 3.0m

(a) **'Multatuli'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: Gebr Kersbergen (1918), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 80mm wide, strong yellowish pink (31C), with a strong orange-yellow blotch (24B). Midseason. Mollis

(a) **Multicolor Group** gp Evergreen azalea: probably natural hybrids of *kaempferi* and *kiusianum* N: E.H. Wilson (1921), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls varying from pale pink, salmon or mauve to purple and magenta

(a) **'Multicolore'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white. Indian

(a) **'Multiflorum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1835), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Multiflorum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Mackoy (c 1844), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale orange, heavily spotted. Indian

(a) **'Multiflorum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: M. Koster & Sons (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange rose. Mollis

(a) **'Multiflorum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: chance discovery, parentage unknown N: G. Arends (1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 20-25mm wide, deep purplish pink (72D), with pale reddish markings. Shrub 0.2-0.3m

(r) **'Multiflorum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *ciliatum* × *virgatum* R: I. Davies (pre 1868), N: I. Davies, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c2-3/truss, funnel-shaped, 38 × 40mm, delicate pink, unmarked. Calyx lobes 3-4mm long, pale green, ciliate. Lvs obovate, up to 65 × 25mm, glossy dark green above, with unequal, golden brown scales below. Shrub c0.8m. FCC 1870

(r) **'Multiflorum Compactum'** (Syn. of 'Compactum Multiflorum')

(a) **'Multiflorum Pallidum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale sulphur yellow. Ghent

(a) **'Multiflorum Perfectum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: unknown (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose red. Indian

(a) **'Multiflorum Rubescens'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1877), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Multiflorum Violaceum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Harrison's Nursery (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, violet purple. Indian

(r) **'Multimaculatum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a *ponticum* selection or hybrid L: Standish & Noble (1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 7-16/rather loose, hemispherical truss, 40-65mm wide, with 5 rather narrow, deep lobes, white or pinkish white, with yellowish red spots on a yellow ground on the dorsal lobe. Late May-mid June. Syn: 'Tondelayo', 'Multummaculatum' (Said to have been raised by Waterer (Bagshot) pre 1850, a plant with this name was exhibited in Paris by Guérin in 1842)

(a) **'Multnomah'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Graciosum' (Occidentale) × a Ghent hybrid R: B.F. Lancaster, N: B.F. Lancaster, I: B.F. Lancaster (c 1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls reddish orange

(r) **'Multummaculatum'** (Syn. of 'Multimaculatum')

(r) **'Mum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1897), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a lemon eye. Compact shrub

(a) **'Mumegae'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose or double (on the same shrub), c30mm wide, red. Satsuki

(r) **'Mumtaz-i-Mahal'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Day Dream Group × Margaret Dunn Group R: L.E. Brandt, N: L.E. Brandt, REG: L.E. Brandt (1965) Fls 9-10/full, compact truss, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, light yellow (18A) shading to pale yellow (18C) at the edges, and with rays of burnt orange in the throat. Lvs 175 × 65mm. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m

(r) **'Muncaster Bells'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* subsp. *cinnabarinum* × *cinnabarinum* subsp. *xanthocodon* Concatenans Group R: Sir John Ramsden, I: Sir William Pennington-Ramsden, REG: Sir William Pennington-Ramsden (1964) Fls in loose trusses, tubular-campanulate, 50-75mm long, apricot. Lvs glaucous

(r) **'Muncaster Icicle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Lodauric Group × *griffithianum* R: Sir John Ramsden, I: Sir William Pennington-Ramsden, REG: Sir William Pennington-Ramsden (1964) Fls in large, loose trusses, funnel-shaped, up to 100mm wide, white, with a red throat; scented

(r) **'Muncaster Mist'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campanulatum* × *floribundum* R: Sir John Ramsden, I: Sir William Pennington-Ramsden, REG: Sir William

Pennington-Ramsden (1964) Fls in a conical truss, campanulate, blue, with darker markings. Compact shrub, 1.2m in 10 years

(r) **'Muncaster Ruby'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *orbiculare* × *thomsonii* R: Sir John Ramsden, I: Sir William Pennington-Ramsden, REG: Sir William Pennington-Ramsden (1964) Fls in a loose truss, campanulate, rose pink

(r) **'Muncaster Trumpet'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* × *maddenii* Polyandrum Group R: Sir John Ramsden, I: Sir William Pennington-Ramsden, REG: Sir William Pennington-Ramsden (1964) Fls in a loose truss, tubular-campanulate, 65-90mm long, white, with an apricot throat

(r) **'München'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: unknown × *williamsianum* R: D.G. Hobbie, S: D.G. Hobbie, N: J. Bruns, I: J. Bruns (1969) Fls 6-10/rounded, loose but full truss, 70-90mm wide, with very wavy-edged lobes, intense pink outside, inside whitish pink with a darker margin. Early-mid May

(a) **'Munchkin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* S: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls light purple. Very dwarf selection, 0.2m tall in 14 years

(r) **'Munchkin'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Munchkin')

(r) **'Mundai'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Nobleanum Group (s) × 'Unique' H: V.J. Boulter, G: V.J. Boulter (1957), N: V.J. Boulter, REG: V.J. Boulter (1964) Fls 20/truss, funnel-shaped, 65mm wide, magenta (27/1-27/2), with deeper spotting on the dorsal lobe. Lvs deep green, slightly twisted. Shrub 1.2-1.5m. August (Australia)

(a) **'Mundulum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1849), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Mundulum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: T. Methven & Son (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush, with pink spots

(a) **'Murakumo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c50mm wide, light purple. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Murasaki-botan'** (Syn. of 'Fuji-manyo')

(a) **'Murasaki-choji'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple, clove-shaped (cf 'Choji'). Syn: 'Nankin-choji'. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Murasaki-dan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, c40mm wide, purple. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Murasaki-fuji'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Shira-Fuji' R: Japan (pre 1982), N: Japan Fls 40-50mm wide, with irregular lobes (some curled), white, with a soft purplish pink border or some purplish pink selfs. Lvs with a narrow, yellowish margin. Satsuki

(a) **'Murasaki-kazaguruma'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, purple, with long, narrow lobes. Satsuki

(a) **'Murasaki-kirishima'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c30mm wide, very deep purple; flower and leaf shape similar to 'Kirishima'. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Murasaki-komachi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Murasaki-koshimino'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c60mm wide, purple, with strap-like segments between calyx and corolla. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Murasaki-mane'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double (anemone-centred), c40mm wide, purple. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Murasaki-no-hoshi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50mm wide, funnel-shaped, deep purplish pink, with a faint white centre. Low, spreading shrub. Satsuki

(a) **'Murasaki-ryukyu'** (Syn. of 'Usu-iro')

(a) **'Murasaki-ryukyu'** (Syn. of 'Nankin-murasaki')

(a) **'Murasaki-ryukyu Roseum'** (Syn. of 'Sekidera')

(a) **'Murasaki-seigai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c60mm wide, deep purple. Lvs long. Spring and autumn flowering. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Murasaki-shibori'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c60mm wide, white ground, streaked purple. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Murasaki-shikibu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* R: Japan (pre 1976), N: Japan Fls hose-in-hose, reddish purple

(a) **'Murasaki-tanabata'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light purple, with strap-like petaloid stamens. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Murasame'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, white, variously marked with red and light red; red and light red selfs also produced. Satsuki

(a) **'Murasame'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with purple stripes. Kurume

(r) **Mureum Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *barbatum* (s) × F.C. Puddle Group H: Lord Aberconway (1933), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red

(a) **'Murianum'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Margottin (1849), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft rose

(a) **'Muriel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Sander (c 1885), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose red. Sander

(r) **'Muriel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *falconeri* (s) × *grande* R: Sir Edmund Loder, I: Lady Loder (1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, creamy white, with a dark crimson blotch at the base. Lvs with a slight rufous indumentum below. AM 1925 (Mansellii Group)

(r) **'Muriel Giauque'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* Roylei Group × *maddenii* subsp. *crassum* H: J.P. Evans (1962), G: M. Giauque (c 1967), N: J.P. Evans, REG: Mrs J.P. Evans (1988) Fls 4-6/lax truss, open funnel-campanulate, 89 × 102mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep to strong pink (50B, C) edged light pink (50D), with strong red (50A) spotting on dorsal lobe, outside light pink (50D). Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic to narrowly lanceolate or lanceolate, 162 × 48mm, flat, with wavy margins, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless and glossy above, with tiny, moderately spaced, rust brown scales on lower surface of mature leaves. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 10 years. Late May

(r) **Muriel Holman Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: Griercalyx Group (s) × *maddenii* I: J. Tremayne (1941), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Muriel Mackintosh'** cv. Deciduous azalea: unnamed Ghent hybrid × un-named Ghent hybrid H: R.E. Mason (1988), G: R.E. Mason (1991), N: R.E. Mason, REG: R.E. Mason (1991) Fls single, 15-16/truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strongly flushed pink in bud, opening white, flushed pink especially at edges, and with a conspicuous blotch of orange spots on the dorsal lobe and part of adjacent lobes; stigma deep pink, the colour suffusing down top part of style. Calyx 5mm long, pale green. Lvs lanceolate, 60 × 20mm. Shrub 0.96m. May

(r) **'Muriel Messel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Loderi Group (s) × 'Loder's White' R: L.C.R. Messel, N: L.C.R. Messel, I: L.C.R. Messel (1929), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls broadly funnel-shaped, bright pink in bud, opening a very delicate pink, with carmine spots on the dorsal lobe. Lvs oblong. AM 1929

(r) **'Muriel Pearce'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anna' × Fusilier Group H: H. Lem (1959), G: O. Pearce (1968), N: O. Pearce, I: O. Pearce (1970), REG: O. Pearce (1973) Fls up to 15/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds chrysanthemum crimson (824), opening inside rose madder (23/3), edged 23/2; outside fading from rose madder (23/1) to 23/3; chrysanthemum crimson (824) spots on three dorsal lobes. Calyx 7mm long, red. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 100 × 40mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dark green above, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 1.4m in 14 years. Late April-early May

(a) **'Muriel Watson Jones'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rich pink. Knap Hill

(a) **'Murillo'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Smet, I: C. Vuylsteke (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, a mixture of pale rose, purplish rose and flesh rose pink. Shrub up to c2.0 × 1.5m. Rustica

(r) **'Murillo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid L: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1851), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright crimson. (Variously claimed as raised by Koster or Waterer (Knap Hill))

(r) **'Murraba'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marion' × 'Purple Splendour' H: V.J. Boulter, G: V.J. Boulter (1964), N: V.J. Boulter, I: V.J. Boulter (1971), REG: V.J. Boulter (1971) Fls 18/truss, funnel-shaped, 70mm wide, with very wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish purple (72B) to deep purplish pink (72D), with a yellow-brown blotch on the dorsal lobe. Lvs 125 × 45mm, dark green. Shrub 1.5m

(a) **'Murrayanum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Murray (pre 1845), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose red, tinged with salmon red. Indian

(r) **'Murray's Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* (s) × Wilbar Group H: E. Murray (c 1969), G: E. Murray, N: M. Stockman, REG: H. & M. Stockman (1994) Fls 6-8/lax truss, open campanulate, 44 × 64mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63B) in bud, opening moderate purplish pink (65A), with dark red (187A) markings deep in the throat; stamens 13, curved, unequal. Calyx 3mm long, light green. Pedicels 30mm long, light green, tinged red below. Lvs elliptic, 57 × 32mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull mid green above, hairless; petioles 13mm long, light green below, brownish red above. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 25 years. Late April

(a) **'Musashino'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red, with 5-7 or 11-12 lobes. Satsuki

(a) **'Musashino'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1939), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 75mm wide, with wavy-edged, overlapping, rounded lobes, white, with a few small flakes of strong purplish red, throat flushed pale yellow-green. Satsuki

(a) **'Musashi-no-homare'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls with broad, overlapping, rounded lobes, white, with light reddish purple stripes or dark selfs. Satsuki

(a) **'Muscadine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* (s) × 'Modèle' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, flat-faced, 90-95mm wide, with overlapping lobes, rose purple (light purple (80C)) or paler, blotch narrow, horse shoe-shaped, consisting of very sharp and distinct spots of a shade a little brighter than magenta

(strong purplish red (72A)); anthers dark. Spreading shrub to 1.9m tall. Late April-early May. Glenn Dale (Often almost deciduous)

(a) **'Musette'** cv. Deciduous azalea: described as an Exbury seedling R: W. Kern (pre 1985), N: W. Kern Fls in large, round trusses, dark reddish orange. Tall shrub. Late

(a) **'Musical'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hinodegiri' × 'Amoenum Purple' × 'Camelot' R: D. Hager (pre 1984), N: D. Hager Fls slightly tubular, 50mm wide, medium pink with a slight blue tint and a dark pink blotch. Lvs dark glossy green, dark bronze in autumn. Shrub to 1.2m

(a) **'Musow'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy crimson and blush on white. Indian

(r) **'Mustafa'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nova Zembla' × 'Mars' × 'Mars' × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: H. Hachmann (1969), G: H. Hachmann (1974), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1987), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 13-15/truss, 35-45 × 55-60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (57D), vivid purplish red (57B-C) on edge inside and on outside, shading internally to white; slight dorsal markings of strong greenish yellow (153B); filaments with two, flattened, white lobes at their base. Calyx 1-1.5mm long, yellowish green. Lvs elliptic-ovate, 90-120 × 45-55mm, acute at apex, rounded at base, margins usually recurved, with an irregular scurfy brown indumentum below. Shrub 0.75 × 0.9m in 10 years. Late May-mid June

(a) **'Mustard'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: W.C. Slocock Ltd, S: W.C. Slocock Ltd (1945), N: W.C. Slocock Ltd, I: W.C. Slocock Ltd, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 9-10/flat domed truss, wide open, 75mm wide, vivid to light yellow (17C-D), with a large blotch of vivid yellow (17B). Lvs light, glossy green. *AM 1950. Knap Hill

(a) **'Mutabile'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1840), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls whitish, shaded pink. Ghent (Paillet (1854) listed one with orange-yellow fls which was perhaps distinct)

(a) **'Mutabile'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: France (1854), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Mutabile'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: derived from *caucasicum* L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Mutter Emma'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* hybrid H: D.G. Hobbie (1960), G: D.G. Hobbie (1968), N: B. Leendertz, I: B. Leendertz (1975), REG: B. Leendertz (1976) Fls 12/truss, 50 × 70mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (63A) to deep purplish pink (66C), heavily spotted dark red (183A). Calyx 3-6mm long, light pink (49C). Lvs elliptic, 150-170 × 50-60mm, hairless

(a) **'Muttertag'** (Syn. of 'Mother's Day')

(r) **'Muy Lindo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Isabella Group × *decorum* × *souliei* R: C. Ingram (c 1952), N: C. Ingram (1962), I: C. Ingram, REG: C. Ingram (1962) Fls 10-14/elongated truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 7-8-lobed, 90 × 130-150mm, flushed pink in bud, opening white (155D). Calyx lobes up to 10mm long, green. Lvs *decorum*-like, narrowly elliptic, 275 × 75mm, dark green above

(a) **'M. Victor Savant'** (Syn. of 'Monsieur Victor Savant')

(a) **'Myagino'** (Syn. of 'Miyagino')

(r) **'My Best'** cv. Parentage unknown L: USA (1985)

(r) **'My Choice'** cv. Parentage unknown H: R. Henny (pre 1980)

(a) **'Mycrophyllum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: von Siebold & Co. (1861), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'My Delight'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *macabeanum* (s) × *macabeanum* G: H. Vaartnou (1976), N: H. Vaartnou, REG: H. Vaartnou (1988) Fls 25-35/ball truss, ventricose-campanulate, 76 × 64mm, with 7 evenly rounded lobes, light greenish yellow (4C) to pale yellow-green (4D), with reddish purple spotted rays on the three dorsal lobes. Calyx minute, green. Lvs elliptic, 203-305 × 102-152mm, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy above; new growth with a silvery indumentum which ages to moderate orange-yellow (165C). Shrub 3.0 × 3.0m in 22 years. March. (Raised from seed from Brodick Castle, Scotland (1963), seedling raised by M. Walker (1964))

(a) **'Myeena'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Graciosum' (Occidentale) × a Ghent hybrid R: B.F. Lancaster, N: B.F. Lancaster, I: B.F. Lancaster (c 1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12-15/truss, up to 75mm wide, tyrian rose (24/2), with a cadmium orange eye

(a) **'My Fair Lady'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Haerens Saumoneus' N: Glenorie Nursery (pre 1979) Fls double, salmon pink, broadly edged white. Syn: 'California Beauty'. Indian

(a) **'My Fair Lady'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: UK (pre 1996)

(v) **'My Friend'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* (s) × 'Gardenia Odyssey' H: G.L.S. Snell (1987), G: B. Clancy (1992), N: G. Roelink (2000), I: G. Roelink (2000), REG: G. Roelink (2000) Fls 8-14/open truss, tubular-campanulate, 45 × 90mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, brilliant yellow (13C) in bud and opening the same colour inside and out, unmarked. Lvs elliptic to broadly elliptic, 105 × 57mm, acute to obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, margins upcurved, matt green above, with brownish orange (164A) scales when young which age to moderate olive green (146A). Shrub 1.2 × 0.6m in 10 years. Autumn-spring

(r) **'My Guy'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Owen Pearce' (s) × 'Mi Amor' H: Mrs F. & M.H. Sumner (1971), G: Mrs F. & M.H. Sumner (1976), N: Mrs F. & M.H. Sumner, REG: Mrs F. & M.H. Sumner (1985) Fls 7-13/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 125 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, white, un-marked. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 45mm, with sparse, tiny, colourless scales above and with medium-sized, well-spaced, golden brown scales below. Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in 13 years. Early April

(v) **'My Guy David'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' (s) × *superbum* H: B. Clancy (1988), G: B. Clancy (1994), N: B. Clancy (1998), I: Vireya Valley Nursery (1998), REG: G. Roelink (1998) Fls 8-10/open, flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 45 × 115mm, with 7 flat-edged lobes, light pink (50D) in bud, opening inside deep purplish pink (55A), with a light yellow (10C) throat, outside deep purplish pink (55A), with a brilliant yellow (13C) tube; strongly scented. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 70mm, flat, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, matt green, with very minute, tan scales. Shrub 1.2 × 0.8m in 8 years

(a) **'My Heart'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, bright orange-red, with a soft orange flare. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Late June

(r) **'My Jane'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Arctic Gold' (s) × 'Hardgrove's Deepest Yellow' × 'Phipps Yellow' H: A.T. & S.A. Anderson (c 1990), G: E. Jasionowski (1998), N: E. Jasionowski (1998), REG: E. Jasionowski (1998) Fls 16/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 80 × 125mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, light yellow (10C) throughout, with 7 strong red (53B) speckled flares (c5-15mm long) in the throat. Calyx very small, dark green, edged red. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 65mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (146A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 1.0m in c8 years. Late April

(r) **'My Joy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.L. Tolstead (1965), G: W.L. Tolstead, N: W.L. Tolstead, REG: W.L. Tolstead (1995) Fls 12/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 50mm, 5-lobed, strong red, sparsely spotted black on the dorsal lobe. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 130 × 45mm, hairless. Shrub 3.0 × 2.2m in 20 years. Late May. (Derived from *catawbiense*/*fortunei* crosses, perhaps with admixture of other species)

(r) **'My Lady'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Forsterianum', selfed R: Mrs F. & M.H. Sumner (c 1967), N: Mrs F. & M.H. Sumner, REG: Mrs F. & M.H. Sumner (1971) Fls in an open truss, very flat opening, 75 × 65mm, white, flushed light pink, with a yellow throat. Lvs 75 × 40mm, glossy, dark green, bullate. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 14 years. March

(r) **'My Lady Greenleaves'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *R.* × *nikomontanum* (s) × unidentified Hardgrove hybrid H: B. & M. Shapiro (1966), G: B. & M. Shapiro, N: B. & M. Shapiro, REG: B. & M. Shapiro (1994) Fls up to 15/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (67B) in bud, opening very pale purple (69D) with dark red (183B) spots covering most of dorsal lobe and portions of adjacent lobes; outside strong purplish pink (62A); stamens 10, curved, unequal; very lightly scented. Calyx 2mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic to obovate, 133 × 57mm, flat to slightly convex, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull moderate olive green (146A) above; new growth more yellow than strong yellow-green (144A), deeply veined, with sparse, very short, nearly colourless hairs on upper surface. Shrub 1.7 × 1.8m in 25 years. Mid May

(a) **'My Mary'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Nacoochee' × *austrinum* H: W.G. Beasley (1977), G: W.G. Beasley (c 1981), N: W.G. Beasley, I: Wayside Gardens (1983), REG: Mrs M.S. Beasley (1984) Fls c25/truss, 25 × 65mm, with a narrow tube, 5-lobed, brilliant yellow (11A); scented. Calyx very small, light green. Lvs obovate to elliptic, 30 × 20mm. Stoloniferous shrub, c1.2 × 1.3m. Late April

(a) **'My Mother's Day'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Comtesse de Kerchove' (Indian) × unknown H: I.C. Nichols, G: I.C. Nichols (1976), N: I.C. Nichols, I: I.C. Nichols, REG: I.C. Nichols (1986) Fls double, 1-2/truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 65mm, white, with a strong yellow-green (144B) flush at base. Lvs elliptic, 25 × 15mm. Shrub 1.0m. Indian

(a) **'My-O'** (Syn. of 'Irresistible')

(a) **'Myocho'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 75-90mm wide, often 6-lobed, white, with a few flakes and sectors of deep pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Myogi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Chugai Nursery Co. (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65-75mm wide, with irregular wavy-edged lobes, white, with ragged purple spotting. Very compact shrub. Satsuki

(a) **'Myojo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Chiyo-no-hikari' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls white, with purplish pink dots in the blotch and occasional sectors and selfs of purplish pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Myoken'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1956), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink. (Raised on Hirado Island, Japan)

(a) **'My Old Flame'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls large, salmon orange-red, with an orange flare. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Late June

(a) **'Myosotis'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: O.F. Wuyts (pre 1969), I: ? van Hecke, REG: ? van Hecke (1968) Fls single, 35mm wide, violet (632). Early

(r) **'My Patti'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' (s) × 'Phipps Yellow' H: R.J. Bondira (c 1984), G: E. Jasionowski (2000), N: E. Jasionowski (2000), REG: E. Jasionowski (2000) Fls 18/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 60-65 × 90-115mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged and slightly crinkled lobes, inside paler than pale yellowish pink (36D), shading to light cream at centre of lobes, throat pale yellow (11D) with 2-3 moderate yellow dorsal streaks at the centre; outside similarly coloured, but without the streaks; anthers moderate orange-yellow (164B); ovary green, with viscous white hairs. Calyx 1.5-2.5mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 165 × 75mm, broadly acute at apex with a small apiculus, rounded at base, margins flat, veins and midrib moderately impressed, dull and between moderate olive green (147A) and moderate yellow-green (147B) above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in c6 years. Early-mid May

(r) **'My Pet'** cv. Parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney (c 1965), G: W.E. Whitney, N: G. & Mrs A. Sather, I: G. & Mrs A. Sather (1972), REG: G. & Mrs A. Sather (1976) Fls 8-10/conical truss, open-campanulate, 50 × 50mm, with 5 even to wavy-edged lobes, buds light orange-yellow (22C), opening pale yellow (11C), with a small, strong red (47B) blotch in the throat. Calyx minute. Lvs elliptic, 65 × 30mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless, glaucous. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 10 years. Early April

(r) **'My Pretty One'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *moupinense* (s) × *carneum* H: D.W. James, G: A.A. Childers, N: A.A. Childers, I: A.A. Childers, REG: A.A. Childers (1964) Fls 3/truss, shallow funnel-shaped, up to 65 × 90mm, appleblossom pink, fading to almost white, with a lightly flecked blotch. Lvs rounded, 65 × 25mm. Rambling shrub with mahogany-coloured, peeling bark. Shrub 0.6m in 15 years. Early March-April

(r) **'Myra Monte'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *burmanicum* (s) × Bodnant form of *edgeworthii* H: J.W. Gerdemann (1986), G: J.W. Gerdemann (1990), N: J.W. Gerdemann, REG: J.W. Gerdemann (1994) Fls up to 8/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 76 × 114mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (51B) in bud, opening strong purplish pink (68B) outside; inside white, edged strong purplish pink (68B); prominent flare of deep pink (48B) and brilliant yellow (12B) on dorsal lobes; stamens 10, straight, unequal; moderately scented. Calyx 13mm long, moderate red (181B). Pedicels 25mm long, deep pink (51B). Lvs elliptic, 127 × 51mm, concave, acute at apex, cuneate at base, bullate and glossy, moderate olive green (137A-B) above, moderate yellow-green (147B) below, scaly; petioles 19mm long, moderate red (181B). Shrub 0.8 × 1.0m in 2 years after being cut to ground by cold. Mid April

(a) **'Myriam de Meyer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Paul Schäme' × 'Vevaeneanum Roseum' I: R. de Meyer (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white. Calyx normal, green. Early. Indian

(r) **'Myrte'** cv. 'Nigrescens' (s) × 'Mira' R: T.J.R. Seidel (1910), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish violet, with red-brown spots. Syn: 'Myrthe'

(r) **'Myrthe'** (Syn. of 'Myrte')

(r) **'Myrtifolium'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *hirsutum* × *minus* R: C. Loddiges & Sons (pre 1828), N: C. Loddiges & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c3/truss (in clusters of c12), 25 × 25mm, delicate purplish pink, spotted crimson. Calyx lobes 2-3mm long, reddish brown ciliate. Lvs up to 50 × 19mm, lanceolate, whitish and ciliate when young, bronzy red in winter, scaly. Low-growing shrub. Very heat, sun and wind tolerant

(r) **Myrtilloides Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. camplyogynum* var. *myrtilloides*

(r) **'Myrtle Bells'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *campylogynum* Myrtilloides Group × *glaucophyllum* H: H.E. Hawden, G: H.E. Hawden, I: R. Strauss, REG: R. Strauss (1969) Fls 5-8/truss, campanulate, 25 × 25mm, 5-lobed, deep reddish purple (77A) outside, inside slightly paler, with some reddish purple spotting in the dorsal throat. Calyx up to 3mm long, deeply 5-lobed. Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 65 × 25mm. PC 1969

(a) **'Myrtle de Friel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *nakaharae* × 'Rosebud' (Gable) H: W.O. Griswold (1972), G: W.O. Griswold (1979), N: W.O. Griswold, I: W.O. Griswold (1982), REG: W.O. Griswold (1986) Fls hose-in-hose and double, 2-3/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 30 × 70mm, with 5+5+5 or less, wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (55B), with slight, deep purplish pink (55A) dorsal spotting, outside 55A; centre of flower quite open with up to two normal stamens present. Calyx as corolla. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 40 × 13mm, moderate olive green (146A) above, strigose hairy on veins below. Shrub 0.1 × 0.25m in 3 years. Early June

(a) **'Myrtle Leaf'** cv. Evergreen azalea: (*yedoense* var. *poukhanense* × *kaempferi*)F2 R: E.N. Stanton (pre 1987), N: E.N. Stanton Fls semi-double, yellowish pink. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 10 years. Late

(r) **'Myrtle Manson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Rubicon' (s) × Kilimanjaro Group R: R.C. Gordon, N: R.C. Gordon, I: R.C. Gordon (1983), REG: R.C. Gordon (1984) Fls 25/truss, 70mm wide, deep blood red, with some dark spotting. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 200 × 20mm, hairless, drooping

(r) **'My Seedling'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls fine rose, much spotted. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Mysik'** (Syn. of 'Boubin')

(r) **'My Snow White'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nestucca' (s) × unknown H: S. Begg (1985), G: L. Begg (1989), N: L. Begg (1998), REG: L. Begg (1998) Fls 8/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 80 × 115mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, moderate pink (51D) in bud, opening pale

yellow-green (4D), fading to pure white, with strong greenish yellow (151A) markings deep in the throat, outside pale yellow-green (4D); stamens 14, uneven, anthers moderate orange-yellow (164C), filaments light yellow-green (150D); ovary greyish yellow-green (191A), style light yellow-green (144D), stigma strong yellow-green (144B). Calyx 2-5mm long, strong yellow-green (144A). Lvs narrowly ovate, 165 × 50mm, wavy-edged, acute at apex, obtuse to cuneate at base, semi-glossy above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 10 years. September (Australia)

(a) **'Mystery'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: I.L. Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L. Amann Fls 65mm wide, the narrow lobes 13mm wide, strong purplish pink (63C), shading to white to vivid yellow throat and with a reddish blotch. Shrub 1.0-1.2m

(v) **'Mystery'** cv. Lepidoterhododendron: *laetum* × *konori* × *loranthiflorum* H: M.D. Cullinane (1989), G: M.D. Cullinane (1992), N: M.D. Cullinane (1993), REG: M.D. Cullinane (1994) Fls 8-10/flat truss, tubular with lobes reflexing to 45 degrees and with incurved margins, 40 × 60mm, 7-lobed, pale pink in bud, opening inside very pale purple (76D) with the base of the lobes strong purplish pink (68B); outside very pale purple (76D), with strong purplish pink (68B) along ridges of corolla tube; style exserted for 20mm, deep pink (48B); stigma brilliant greenish yellow (2B); very strong *konori*-like scent. Calyx 4mm long, deep pink (48B). Lvs obovate, 80 × 50mm, flat, cuspidate at apex, cuneate at base, matt green, scaly, the scales fawn when young, ageing to rust-coloured. Shrub 0.5 × 0.5m in 4 years. Repeat-flowering

(r) **'Mystic'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Barclayi Group (s) × *williamsianum* H: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1950), G: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1957), N: E.G.W.W. Harrison, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 5/loose truss, 55 × 70mm, clear pink

(r) **'Mystical'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Abe Arnott' (s) × 'Calsap' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls light purple (77C, D) and very pale purple (64D) in bud, opening yellowish white (158D) edged light purple (84C) and very pale purple (84D), with dark red (187A) and deep red (60A) spots on three dorsal lobes; filaments and style pale yellow-green (157A); anthers pale yellow (164D); stigma dark red (187A). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Mystique'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Mystique')

(r) **'Mystique'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mai Tai' (s) × 'Nancy Evans' H: B. Sligh (1991), G: B. Sligh (1995), N: B. Sligh (1995), REG: B. Sligh (1996) Fls 15/full truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, with 5-6 very wavy-edged lobes, porcelain rose (620) in bud, opening inside naples yellow (403/1-2) edged porcelain rose (620/2-3); outside porcelain rose (620/1-2) flushed over naples yellow (403/1); throat flare ruby red (827/2). Calyx 20-25mm long, naples yellow (403/1) edged porcelain rose (620/2-3) with a ruby red (827/2) flare. Lvs ovate, 100 × 45mm, flat, matt green, more-or-less pointed at apex, pointed at base, hairless. Compact shrub 0.5 × 0.5m in 5 years. Late September-early October

(a) **'Myu-no-tsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown (Listed as a parent of 'Lynn Stieglitz')

(a) **'My Valentine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L.L. Brooks (pre 1965), N: L.L. Brooks Fls double, deep pink. Indian

(a) **'Nabucco'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Betty Kelly' × 'Feuerwerk' H: H. Hachmann (1972), G: H. Hachmann (1977), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1987), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls single, 8-9/truss, funnel-shaped, 50-60 × 60-75mm, with 5-6(-7) slightly wavy-edged lobes, vivid to strong reddish orange (42A-B), shaded vivid red to vivid reddish orange (44A(-B)), edges strong red (46A) inside and out, dorsal lobe with a flare of vivid reddish orange (33A) but no spots; colour does not fade in sun. Calyx 2-3mm long, light green, silvery hairy. Lvs elliptic, 55-70 × 25-30mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, light green, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.6m in 10 years. Early-late June

(a) **'Nachi-no-tsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Shiko-no-tsuki' × 'Chiyo-no-tsuki' R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls campanulate, with narrowly-spaced lobes, 40-50mm wide, white, speckled and striped strong purplish red; variable, some purplish red selfs also produced. Compact shrub. Satsuki

(r) **'Nachtglut I'** (Listed as a parent of 'Papageno')

(r) **'Nachtigall'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Impi Group × *smirnowii* R: W. Nagel (1982), N: W. Nagel, I: W. Nagel (1995), REG: ICRA (2000) Fls blood red. Growth broad and compact

(a) **'Nacoochee'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *atlanticum* × *periclymenoides* (s) × *atlanticum* × *periclymenoides* H: W.G. Beasley (1975), G: W.G. Beasley (c 1979), N: W.G. Beasley, I: Wayside Gardens (1982), REG: Mrs M.S. Beasley (1984) Fls c15/ball truss, 65mm wide, with a narrow tube c25mm long, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, white, washed pale purplish pink (65C); highly scented. Calyx 3mm long, pale green. Lvs elliptic to obovate, 30 × 20mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate to rounded at base, ciliate above, pubescent below. Stoloniferous shrub, 1.8 × 0.9m in 8 years. Mid May

(r) **'Nadia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' × 'Virginia Richards' × Hawk Group seedling R: J. Barlup (pre 1985), N: J. Barlup (Parent of 'Heidi's Love')

(a) **'Nadine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* × *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* R: J.B. Gable, N: O.S. Pride (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear pink. Gable

(r) **'Nagano'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Souvenir of Anthony Waterer' × 'Direktor E. Hjelm' × 'Marrakesch' H: H.J.A. Guyens (1994), G: H.J.A. Guyens (2000), N: H.J.A. Guyens (2001), I: H.J.A. Guyens, REG: H.J.A. Guyens (2001) Fls 20-23/tight, globular truss, funnel-

shaped, 70 × 80mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, buds green, opening inside soft rose at first, ageing to a mixture of cream, rose and white, outside old rose; basal blotch red-brown; dorsal lobes with red-brown spots; pistil rose pink. Lvs oblong, 100-150 × 35-70mm, margins flat to wavy, more-or-less rounded at apex and base, matt green above, with silvery hairs at first, with a conspicuous herring-bone-like leaf venation. Shrub 0.5 × 0.6m in 7 years. Late April-early May

(a) **'Nagasaki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1984), N: Japan Fls single, red. Dwarf. Satsuki

(a) **'Nagel's Lore'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Winston Churchill' (s) × 'Golden Sunset' R: W. Nagel (1977), N: W. Nagel, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls in rather loose, rounded trusses, light orange with yellow markings on the dorsal lobe. Shrub 1.3 × 0.7m in 20 years

(r) **'Nagel's Odaliske'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Tortoiseshell Wonder' R: W. Nagel (1970), N: W. Wustemeyer, I: W. Wustemeyer, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls cream. Syn: 'Odaliske'

(a) **'Nagel's Petra'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Winston Churchill' (s) × 'Golden Sunset' R: W. Nagel (1977), N: W. Nagel, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls in rather loose, rounded trusses, light orange, with yellow markings on the dorsal lobe. Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in 20 years

(r) **'Nahanni'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *racemosum* × *lapponicum* H: J.B. Brueckner (1973), S: J.B. Brueckner (1982), N: J.B. Brueckner, REG: J.B. Brueckner (1989) Fls 12-20/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 16 × 22-25mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, light reddish purple (74C) shading towards strong reddish purple (78B). Lvs elliptic, 25-32 × 13-16mm, convex, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, scaly. Shrub 1.1 × 0.8m in 16 years. Early May

(r) **'Nakai'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *yakushimanum* S: unknown (pre 1966) (Selected form used in breeding programme at Kentville Research Station, Nova Scotia, Canada in the 1960s; Nakai is the botanical authority for the name *R. yakushimanum* so the apparent use of his name as an epithet may have arisen through a misunderstanding)

(a) **'Nakami'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *nakaharae*, open-pollinated G: Mrs J.W. Hill, S: Mrs J.W. Hill, N: Mrs J.W. Hill, REG: Mrs J.W. Hill (1991) Fls single, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 45-50mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, strong red (41B) to moderate reddish orange (41C), with a strong red (51A) dorsal blotch on three dorsal lobes; stamens 10, moderate reddish orange (41C). Calyx 2mm long, pale green, very hairy. Lvs elliptic, 10-15 × 7mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green and with red hairs on edges and scattered on blade above, with red hairs mainly on veins below when mature; young hairs white; petioles reddish, hairy. Shrub 0.15 × 0.6m in 30 years. Late June. (Grown from seed sent in 1961 by T. Rokujo)

(a) **'Nakano-nishiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Nakatsu-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65mm wide, with rounded, well-spaced lobes, white, with reddish purple stripes, flecks and sectors. Early. Satsuki

(v) **'Namaste'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *leucogigas* 'Hunstein's Secret' × *konori* 'White Giant' H: J.L. Rouse, G: R.A. Mitchell (1999), N: R.A. Mitchell, REG: R.A. Mitchell (2001) Fls 8/flat, lax truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 115 × 120mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale yellowish pink (159D) in bud, opening inside pale orange-yellow (159C) with a pink basal blotch; outside pale yellowish pink (159D) at margins, becoming pink about half way along the corolla and ending pale yellow (19C) at the calyx. Calyx c6mm long, pale yellowish pink (159D). Lvs obovate, 90 × 50mm, margins decurved, obtuse to slightly acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and moderate yellowish green (139B) above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.45m in 6 years. Mid January

(a) **'Nambucca Princess'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Elsa Kärger' (s) × 'Silver Anniversary' H: M. Mackay, G: M. Mackay (1980), N: M. Mackay, REG: M. Mackay (1985) Fls 1-3/truss, with a bunch of petaloids in centre, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 70mm, 5-lobed, vivid red (45B). Lvs elliptic, 60 × 25mm. Shrub 0.5m

(r) **'Nameless Beauty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Exbury Naomi' (s) × 'Canary' (Koster) H: M.L. Trembath (1978), G: M.L. Trembath (1989), N: M.L. Trembath (2001), REG: M.L. Trembath (2001) Fls 10/rounded truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 60 × 100mm, with 7 wavy-edged and reflexed lobes, buds moderate yellowish pink (38B), opening inside light greenish yellow (1C) (edged moderate yellowish pink (38B) at first), outside light greenish yellow (1C) when mature; unmarked; stigma green; scented. Calyx 5mm long, green, edged light yellowish pink (38D). Lvs oblong, 170 × 65mm, margins flat, shortly pointed at apex, rounded at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 2.2 × 1.2m in 20 years. Early May. (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0030323))

(a) **'Nami'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65mm wide, white, with yellowish pink flecks, stripes and dots (Galle, 1987); flower marking colour also seen as strong red (Marshy Point cat., 1995-96). Satsuki

(a) **'Namishibuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Nam Khan'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Exbury, N: E. de Rothschild (1958), REG: E. de Rothschild (1961) Fls deep pink. Knap Hill

(r) **'Namu'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × 'Mrs Horace Fogg' H: H.L. Larson (1966), G: H.L. Larson (1977), I: H.L. Larson (1983), REG: H.L. Larson (1983) Fls 13-14/truss, 100 × 180mm, 6-

7-lobed, deep purplish pink (68A). Calyx minute. Lvs 200 × 75mm, hairless

(r) **'Nan'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: Lady Berry Group × *maddenii* subsp. *crassum* H: J.P. Evans (pre 1970), G: J.P. Evans (pre 1980), N: Mrs J.P. Evans, REG: Mrs J.P. Evans (1988) Fls 4/lax truss, broadly flared funnel-campanulate, 64 × 89mm, with 5 evenly rounded lobes, pink and white, with a faint yellow throat and a prominent strong to pale purplish pink (55B, C, D) ray on each lobe. Calyx minute, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, flat, mucronate at apex, hairless and glossy above, mature leaves with brown scales below. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 10 years. April-May

(a) **'Nanatsuboshi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Nanba-nishiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 40-50mm wide, with narrowly-spaced, rather ragged and slightly spathulate lobes, white, heavily striped with vivid red; very variable, some red selfs produced. Satsuki

(r) **'Nance Garbutt'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* (s) × 'Lem's Cameo' H: T.A. Garbutt (1991), G: T.A. Garbutt (1996), N: T.A. Garbutt (1999), REG: T.A. Garbutt (1999) Fls 14/flattened ball truss, open funnel-campanulate, 65 × 100mm, with 7 very wavy-edged lobes, deep pink in bud, opening deep cream flushed pink inside, cream flushed deep pink outside, with faint spotting on the dorsal lobe, a small yellow flare in the throat and red staining at the base of the tube; style very long, darkening with age; stigma greenish. Calyx 5mm long, red, reflexed. Lvs elliptic, 190 × 60mm, acute at apex, obtuse at base, margins decurved, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 6 years. Mid November (New Zealand). (Standard: colour slide supplied by registrant (WSY 0021633))

(r) **Nanceglos Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *elliottii* (s) × *fortunei* R: Sir Edward Bolitho, N: Sir Edward Bolitho, I: Sir Edward Bolitho (1945), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Nancor'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1988)

(v) **'Nan Cutten'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *auriger-anum* × 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' H: T. Lelliott, G: T. Lelliott (1978), I: R. Cutten, REG: R. Cutten (1982) Fls 9/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 60 × 80mm, light orange-yellow (16C), lobes vivid yellow (15B). Lvs elliptic, 80 × 30mm. Shrub 1.0 × 1.5

(a) **'Nancy'** cv. Parentage unknown I: J. Vermeulen (1955), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Nancy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Maria Elena' × 'Linda Jean' R: Greenwood Gardens (pre 1985), N: Greenwood Gardens Fls double, 55mm wide, deep purplish pink (58D). Rounded shrub. Late

(r) **Nancy Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Prometheus' (s) × *neriiflorum* R: L. de Rothschild (1927), N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10/compact truss, campanulate, 40 × 40mm, clear rose, with a few darker markings. Calyx lobes up to 30mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs lanceolate, c95 × 30mm, matt green above, with a thin, grey, plastered indumentum below

(v) **'Nancy Adler Miller'** (An error for 'Nancy Miller Adler')

(r) **'Nancy Behring'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* × *fortunei* (s) × *yakushimanum* 'Mist Maiden' H: R. Behring (1972), G: R. Behring (1979), I: R. Behring, REG: R. Behring (1983) Fls 14/conical truss, 40 × 60mm, open funnel-shaped, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (56D), lobe tips pale purplish pink (56A), with 56A lines down centre of lobes on exterior, dorsal spotting of brilliant yellow-green (149B). Calyx 3mm long, brilliant yellow-green (149C). Lvs elliptic, 100-120 × 45mm, margins decurved, acute at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (146A) above, with a sparse yellowish indumentum below. Shrub 1.0 × 0.7m in 9 years. Mid May

(a) **'Nancy Buchanan'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Exbury, N: Exbury, I: E. de Rothschild (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a yellow blotch. Knap Hill

(a) **'Nancy Bullard'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Gumpo Pink' × 'Okina-nishiki' R: R.W. Pennington (pre 1976), N: R.W. Pennington Fls 75mm wide, deep pink. Good winter foliage. Compact, low shrub. Late

(r) **'Nancy Carol'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Holden' × 'Bob Peters Special' H: R. Carter (1976), G: R.K. Peters (1982), N: R.K. Peters, I: R. Carter, REG: R.K. Peters (1986) Fls 15/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 38 × 51mm, 7-lobed, deep pink in bud, opening paler with a darker double flare on dorsal lobe; moderately scented. Calyx vestigial. Lvs elliptic, 127 × 44mm, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m in 10 years. Mid May

(a) **'Nancy Clay'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown N: R.P. Mayo Nurseries, I: A. Pericat, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 45mm wide, rose, with rounded lobes. Spreading shrub. Midseason. Pericat

(r) **'Nancy Evans'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' (s) × 'Lem's Cameo' H: E.C. Brockenbrough (1970), G: E.C. Brockenbrough (1975), N: E.C. Brockenbrough, I: E.C. Brockenbrough, REG: E.C. Brockenbrough (1983) Fls hose-in-hose, 19/ball truss, 50 × 65mm, open funnel-shaped, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, buds orange-red, opening light yellow (18A), shaded orange on lobes and reverse at first; nectaries red. Calyx up to 65mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 100 × 40mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, medium green, hairless; new lvs brownish. Shrub c0.6 × 0.6m in 6 years. Early May

(r) **'Nancy Fortescue'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* subsp. *xanthocodon* Concatenans Group × 'Lady Alice Fitzwilliam' H: L.S. Fortescue (1960), G:

L.S. Fortescue, I: Fortescue Garden Trust (1979), REG: K. Wiley (1980) Fls brilliant yellow (15C)

(r) **'Nancy Hardy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Loderi Group × unknown I: A.E. Hardy (1954), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Nancy Jane'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ditto' × 'Fawn' (James) × 'Indian Penny' H: R.E. Burns (1984), G: R.E. Burns, N: R.E. Burns (1997), REG: R.E. & F. Burns (1997) Fls 8/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, light yellowish pink (36A) in bud, opening inside pale yellowish pink (36D) with four moderate yellowish pink (37C) rays on each lobe and two prominent, strong yellowish pink (37B) rays in the centre of two dorsal lobes; outside light yellowish pink (36C), strong pink (49A) at margins and on middle of lobes. Calyx 40mm long, pale yellowish pink (36D), flushed heavily on outside with deep, strong and light pink (50B-D). Lvs elliptic, 165 × 65mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy, moderate olive green (137A) above, moderate yellow-green (138B) below, hairless; young lvs strong yellow-green (143B), edged moderate red (182A) with 182A midveins. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 13 years. Late April-early May

(r) **'Nancy Lee Lund'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney (1968), G: F. Watters (1975), N: F. Watters, REG: F. Watters (1989) Fls 12-13/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 57 × 89mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, light greenish yellow (3C), with two red spots on the dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 127-140 × 70mm, flat, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 1.6 × 2.0m in 21 years. Late April-early May

(a) **'Nancy Marie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Dogwood' Fls single, small, white, with a star-shaped red centre. Dense shrub, 1.5m. Late

(v) **'Nancy Miller Adler'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Pink Delight' × *jasminiflorum* H: Strybing Arboretum (pre 1970), G: Strybing Arboretum, I: Strybing Arboretum Fls 25mm wide, white. Shrub to 1.5m, of open, upright habit. (Has been listed incorrectly as 'Nancy Adler Miller')

(a) **'Nancy of Robinhill'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vervaeneanum' × 'Louise Gable' × 'Tama-giku' H: R.D. Gartrell (1960), G: R.D. Gartrell (1963), N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell (1969), REG: R.D. Gartrell (1977) Fls double to semi-double, hose-in-hose, 3/bud, broadly funnel-shaped, 52 × 90mm, with 5+5 very wavy-edged and overlapping lobes and some petaloid stamens, light purplish pink (62C), with an inconspicuous, small red blotch accompanied by peripheral spotting on some dorsal lobes. Lvs broadly elliptic, 35 × 22mm, glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Dense shrub 0.5 × 0.9m in 17 years. Mid-late May. (Robin Hill no. 046-3)

(a) **'Nancy Plent'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: L. Yavorsky (c 1965), G: L. Yavorsky, N: L. Yavorsky, I: L. Yavorsky, REG: L. Yavorsky (1988) Fls single, 2-4/flat truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 51 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (55A) with slightly darker spotting on dorsal and two adjacent lobes (fls have a frosted appearance resulting from very slight variation from the basic colour); stamens 6. Calyx 7mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 25 × 10mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, slightly hairy above. Shrub 0.7 × 0.9m in 9 years. Mid May

(r) **'Nancy Read'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *pemakoense* (s) × Racil Group H: H.L. Larson (pre 1953), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light pink. Dwarf

(r) **'Nancy's Bouquet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catawbiense Grandiflorum' × *yakushimanum* 'Pink Parasol' H: R. Behring (1974), G: R. Behring (1984), N: R. Behring, REG: R. Behring (1989) Fls 13/domed truss, open funnel-campanulate, 51 × 51mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, very light purple (75C), with light yellow (160B) spots on dorsal lobe. Calyx 32mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 76 × 38mm, convex, acute at apex, rounded at base. Shrub 0.9 × 0.5m in 15 years. Late May

(a) **'Nancy Stipa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Robin Hill Frosty' (s) × 'Easter Parade' R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls single, 2/truss, 65-80mm wide, light pink with a heavy green blotch, white throat and occasional white tips. Lvs glossy. (First published in Holly Springs cat., 1990.

(r) **'Nancy Sue'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Mr & Mrs J.F. Stephens, N: Mr & Mrs J.F. Stephens, I: Mr & Mrs J.F. Stephens (c 1958), REG: Mr & Mrs J.F. Stephens (1975) Fls up to 17/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 90 × 100mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (64C), with dark gold spots. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 140 × 50mm, dark green above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years. Early May

(a) **'Nancy Waterer'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1869), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, large, vivid yellow, spotted dark orange; stamens prominent; scented. Midseason. Syn: 'Lady Pigott', 'Lady Pygot'. Ghent

(a) **'Nanette'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C. Schulz (pre 1863), N: C. Schulz, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Nanette'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* × *catawbiense* hybrid R: W.C. Slocock (pre 1933), N: W.C. Slocock, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush pink, with a dark blotch. *AM 1933

(r) **'Nanie Garrett'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Elizabeth Group × *arboreum* H: D.J. Dosser, G: D.J. Dosser, N: D.J. Dosser, I: D.J. Dosser, REG: D.J. Dosser (1980) Fls 18/truss, deep pink (50B)

(a) **'Nani-wagata'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1918), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 30mm wide, opalescent mauve, paling in the throat, with a faint chestnut eye. Syn: 'Painted Lady'; Wilson no. 5. Kurume

(a) **'Naniwa-nishiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, variously marked deep reddish orange. Lvs narrowly elliptic. Satsuki

(a) **'Naniwa-shibori'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c50mm wide, white, with a few purple streaks. Satsuki

(a) **'Nanizo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c40mm wide, white, faintly tinted pink. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Nankin'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. van Geert (1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright nankeen yellow. Ghent (Paillet (1854) also listed a 'Nankin', said to be tinged rose: perhaps another plant)

(a) **'Nankin-choji'** (Syn. of 'Murasaki-choji')

(a) **'Nankin-murasaki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c60mm wide, purple. Syn: 'Murasaki-ryukyu'. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Nankin-shibori'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, light red, with fine white stripes. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Nanki-Poo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kirishima' (s) × 'Malvaticum' H: J.B. Stevenson (1938), I: Hydon Nurseries (1966), REG: Hydon Nurseries (1966) Fls bright crimson, with crimson stamens

(a) **'Nannie Angell'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown G: S.J. Switzer, S: S.J. Switzer (1965), N: S.J. Switzer, I: Cavalier Nursery, REG: S.J. Switzer (1992) Fls single, 50-60 × 70-75mm, with 5 separate, strap-like lobes, 10-12mm wide, with rounded tips (occasionally adjacent lobes being fused for a short distance), pure white; slightly scented. Calyx 15mm long, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 40-50 × 15mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairy above and below. Shrub 1.8-2.4 × 1.2-1.8m in 25 years. Late April-early May

(a) **'Nanny'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: W. Streck (pre 1989), N: W. Streck

(r) **'Nansen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* hybrid I: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale lilac rose

(a) **'Nanticoke'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Cora Brandt' × 'Gumpo White' R: N. Nelson (pre 1984), N: N. Nelson Fls double, 50-55mm wide, white, flaked, speckled and shaded as in 'Nassau'. Lvs as in 'Nassau'. Shrub 0.35m tall in 10 years (and 1.2m wide), cascades with age

(r) **'Nantucket'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid (s) × unknown H: E.V. Mezitt (pre 1970), G: Weston Nurseries (pre 1980), N: R.W. Mezitt, I: Weston Nurseries (1980), REG: R.W. Mezitt (1999) Fls 15/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, c50 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (71D), with a copper-coloured, spotted, dorsal flare. Calyx c1.5m long, green. Lvs elliptic, margins decurved, apex acute, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.75m in 7 years. Late May-early June. (First published in Weston Nurseries cat., 1980)

(r) **Nanum Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. hanceanum* var. *nanum*

(a) **'Nanum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: un-named hybrid (no. HS-79-10) × 'Janet Rhea' H: R.C. Vines, G: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, I: R.C. Vines (1990) Fls hose-in-hose, 75-100mm wide, with very wavy-edged lobes, white, with a yellowish green blotch. Early May

(r) **'Nanum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *dauricum* L: UK (1988)

(a) **'Naomi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* (s) × *oldhamii* R: L. de Rothschild (c 1933), N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 5/compact, globular truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 50-65mm, dawn pink (523-523/1), overlaid empire rose (0621) at edges and with a light carmine (21/1) flush on dorsal lobes combined with slight, dull orange-red spotting. Lvs 65 × 22mm, light green. Shrub 0.4m. *HC 1964 (Some sources give parentage as 'Malvaticum' × ? *kaempferi*)

(r) **'Naomi'** (Syn. of 'Exbury Naomi')

(r) **Naomi Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Aurora Group (s) × *fortunei* R: L. de Rothschild (1926), N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1933), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Naomi Astarte'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Aurora Group (s) × *fortunei* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c7/loose truss, funnel-campanulate, 70 × 70mm, with 7 slightly retuse lobes, strong purplish red (64C) in bud, opening light greenish yellow (8C) to pale yellow (8D) in the throat, deepening to pale purplish pink (65C) on lobes and on outside; stamens 14-15, filaments white, anthers brown; style and stigma green. Calyx 2-5mm long, green. Lvs oblong to oblanceolate, 120 × 50mm, dull green above, pale green below, hairless; petioles reddish brown. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. AM 1997 Syn: 'Astarte' (Naomi Group)

(r) **'Naomi Carissima'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Aurora Group (s) × *fortunei* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink, flushed creamy white. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. Syn: 'Carissima' (Naomi Group)

(r) **'Naomi Early Dawn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Aurora Group (s) × *fortunei* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. Syn: 'Early Dawn' (Naomi Group)

(r) **'Naomi Glow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Aurora Group (s) × *fortunei* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright pink, deepening in the throat. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. Syn: 'Glow' (Naomi Group)

(r) **'Naomi Hope'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Aurora Group (s) × *fortunei* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de

Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, tinged mauve. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. Syn: 'Hope' (Naomi Group)

(r) **'Naomi Nautilus'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Aurora Group (s) × *fortunei* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c11/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 100mm, with wavy-edged lobes, rose, flushed pale orange-yellow on tube both inside and out. Lvs obovate, up to 140 × 65mm, hairless. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Syn: 'Nautilus' (Naomi Group)

(r) **'Naomi Nereid'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Aurora Group (s) × *fortunei* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lavender and yellow (1958 Register); deep crimson and lavender (*Rothschild Rhododendrons*, 1967). Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. Syn: 'Nereid' (Naomi Group)

(r) **'Naomi Orpha'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Aurora Group (s) × *fortunei* R: Exbury (pre 1992) (Naomi Group)

(r) **'Naomi Pink Beauty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Aurora Group (s) × *fortunei* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rhodamine pink (527/1), shading to a creamy pink in centre of lobes, rayed crimson in tube. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. Syn: 'Pink Beauty' (Naomi Group)

(r) **'Naomi Pixie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Aurora Group (s) × *fortunei* R: Exbury (pre 1982), N: Exbury Fls pink, with a crimson blotch in the throat. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. (Naomi Group)

(r) **'Naomi Stella Maris'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Aurora Group (s) × *fortunei* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large trusses, larger than in other selections of the Naomi Group, buff cream, delicately shaded lilac pink. Lvs longer than in other selections. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. FCC 1939 Syn: 'Stella Maris' (Naomi Group)

(r) **'Napeequa'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague' × 'Lem's Fortyniner' H: H. Lem (pre 1960), G: M. Weiss, N: M. Weiss, REG: M. Weiss (1993) Fls 18/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 76 × 127mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (51A) in bud, opening strong red (53C) with a few deep red (53A) spots on the dorsal lobe; stamens 13, curved, unequal. Pedicels 19mm long, vivid yellow-green (154A). Lvs elliptic, 178 × 57mm, wavy-edged, acute at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (147A) and glossy above, moderate yellow-green (146C) below, hairless; petioles 32mm long, moderate red (187B). Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in 10 years. Mid April

(a) **'Napieri'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1855), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red, marked white. Ghent (Seen as 'Napierrii' or 'Napierre' in some lists. Perhaps originating with J. Baumann)

(a) **'Napierre'** (See note under 'Napieri')

(a) **'Napoléon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L.L. Liebig (pre 1852), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Napoleon II'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet

(a) **'Napoleon III'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: F. Gaines (pre 1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red-purple. Indian

(a) **'Napoleon III'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Vervaene (1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark rose

(a) **'Napoleon III'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(r) **'Napoléon III'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as a *ponticum* form or hybrid L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy pink (Nairn & Sons cat., 1910)

(r) **'Napoleon Baumann'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alstroemerioides' hybrid R: J.B. Müller (pre 1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very pale pink, shaded purple, thickly spotted with chocolate (J. Veitch, 1867)

(a) **'Narahira'** (See note under 'Narihira')

(r) **'Naranja'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Margaret Dunn Group (s) × Tally Ho Group R: L.E. Brandt, N: L.E. Brandt (1961), I: L.E. Brandt, REG: L.E. Brandt (1962) Fls vivid orange-red (41A) to strong red (39A)

(a) **'Narcissiflorum'** (Syn. of 'Shiro-manyo')

(a) **'Narcissiflorum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Rinz (pre 1855), N: J. Rinz, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very double, 10/more-or-less compact, globular truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 30 × 30mm, light yellow (15D), deepening at centre, with faint pink tinge at margins; sweetly scented. Lvs 75 × 30mm, mid green. Shrub 1.0-1.2 × 1.5m. Late. *AM 1954, FCC 1879, *FCC 1963 Syn: 'Narcissiflorum Plenum'. Ghent (Generally credited to L. van Houtte, but his 1894 catalogue gives it as Rinz's)

(a) **'Narcissiflorum Plenum'** (Syn. of 'Narcissiflorum')

(r) **'Narcissus'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy red, with dark spots. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Naretty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1866), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Narihira'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65mm wide, semi-double, with rounded, well-spaced lobes, centre white, edged vivid purplish pink. Lvs small. Dense shrub. Satsuki (See note under the other 'Narihira' entry)

(a) **'Narihira'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Chinzan' × 'Maisugata' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, semi-double, with rounded lobes, yellowish pink to light yellowish pink at centre. Satsuki (Probably the plant grown in the UK as 'Narahira')

(v) **'Narnia'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *aurigeranum* × *zoelleri* H: T. Lelliott (1968), G: W.A. Moynier (1974), N: W.A. Moynier, I: W.A. Moynier (1975), REG: W.A. Moynier (1978) Fls (5-)8-9 (-10)/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 65 × 75mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, inside opening buttercup yellow (5/1) in tube, orange (12/1) on lobes, tips nasturtium red (14), maturing to saffron yellow (7) on tube and lobes with orange (12/1) tips; outside includes all interior yellow shades. Calyx negligible. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 65mm, glossy green and bullate above, acute at apex, cuneate at base, with small tan scales below (rather closely spaced). Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 8 years. Main flushes in spring and autumn

(r) **'Narragansett'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Wharton No. 1' × 'Nova Zembla' H: Scott Arboretum (1962), G: Scott Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister

(a) **'Narumi-shibori'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan, N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958). Kurume

(a) **'Narumi-shibori'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan. Satsuki

(r) **'Nasca Blossom'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Blue Diamond', open-pollinated H: I.A. Hayes (1972), G: I.A. Hayes, N: I.A. Hayes, I: I.A. Hayes, REG: I.A. Hayes (1982) Fls very pale purple (69C-75D), with orange-brown spots on the dorsal lobe

(r) **'Naselle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Big Sam' × 'Lem's Cameo' H: J.A. Elliott (1974), G: J.A. Elliott (1979), N: J.A. Elliott, I: J.A. Elliott (1983), REG: J.A. Elliott (1987) Fls up to 15/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 102mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, china rose (024/0), shading to maize yellow (607/2) at base of dorsal lobes, with burnt orange (014/1) spotting in the throat below dorsal lobes, outside china rose (024/1). Calyx minute. Lvs elliptic, 114 × 51mm, flat apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, parsley green (00912) above, pod green (061/2) below, hairless. New growth very pale maroon. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 10 years. Late April

(a) **'Nash Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright pink. Late. Indian

(r) **'Nashville'** cv. Parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson (1877), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy purple, with greenish brown spots. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Nassau'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Cora Brandt' × 'Gumpo White' R: N. Nelson (pre 1984), N: N. Nelson Fls double, 65mm wide, white, with small, irregular flakes of light purple, specks of pink and some shading of pink and light purple; faint green tone in centre. Lvs oblanceolate, dark, glossy green. Shrub 0.4m tall in 10 years (but 1.5m wide). Very late

(r) **'Nassau Red'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* hybrid H: P.D. Vossberg (pre 1975) Fls bright rose pink. Late June-early July

(r) **'Nasturtium'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × Loderi Group R: Sir James Horlick, N: Sir James Horlick, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls nasturtium red. (East Knoyle Group)

(a) **'Nasu-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Natalie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: F. Schneider (1863), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Natalie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Sander (c 1885), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon. Sander

(a) **'Natalie Coe Vitetti'** (Syn. of 'Crimson Glory')

(a) **'Natalie Mai Coe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Bobbink & Atkins, N: W.R. Coe, I: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, light apricot. Indian

(r) **'Natalie Murray'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marion' × 'Christmas Cheer' H: V.J. Boulter, G: V.J. Boulter (1975), I: F. Boulter, REG: F. Boulter (1986) Fls 15-20/truss, funnel-shaped, 70 × 40mm, light pink (39D), fading to centre, with yellow-green spotting on dorsal lobe. Lvs oblanceolate, 70 × 30mm. Shrub 1.0m

(a) **'Nataline'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W. Streck (pre 1985), N: W. Streck

(v) **'Natasha Joy'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *konori* × *zoelleri* × *javanicum* H: B. Clancy (1986), G: B. Clancy (1990), N: G. Roelink (2000), I: G. Roelink (2000), REG: G. Roelink (2000) Fls 10-14/domed truss, tubular-campanulate, 35 × 58mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, strong reddish orange (42C) in bud, opening inside strong reddish orange (42C) on lobe edges, tube light orange (29B), outside strong reddish orange (42C); unmarked; anthers dark purple. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 35mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins upcurved, glossy green above, scales not visible to the naked eye. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 10 years. Flowering throughout the year

(r) **'Natchez Bride'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Elizabeth de Rothschild Group (s) × 'Karen Triplett' H: M. Tanggard (1986), G: B.J. Ogdon (1998), N: B.J. Ogdon (1999), REG: B.J. Ogdon (1999) Fls up to 11/truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, with 6 slightly wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (51B) in bud, opening deep pink (51C) at edges, shading to light yellowish pink (36B) in the throat, outside deep pink; red to brown spotting on the dorsal lobe; stigma green. Calyx 18mm long, light yellowish pink (36B) outside, strong reddish orange (34C) inside. Lvs elliptic, 165 × 85mm, matt green, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 1.8m in 10 years. Mid May

(a) **'Nathalie'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. van Geert (1877), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink and yellow, striped cerise. Ghent

(r) **'Nathalie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Elizabeth Group (s) × *smirnowii* R: W. Nagel (1967), N: W. Nagel,

I: W. Nagel (1982) Fls 5-10/lax truss, 45-60mm wide, bright purplish red

(r) **'Nathan Hale'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), N: Mrs H.C. Schlaikjer, I: Mrs H.C. Schlaikjer (1971), REG: Mrs H.C. Schlaikjer (1973) Fls in a ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 90mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, deep red (53A) in bud, opening strong purplish red (63B), with a moderate purplish pink (62B) centre and a deep red (60A) blotch; scented. Calyx c1.5mm long. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 65mm, moderate olive green/moderate yellow-green (147A/B). Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 10 years. Late May

(r) **'Nathaniel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Humming Bird Group × Elizabeth Group H: R.C. Rhodes, G: R.C. Rhodes, N: R.C. Rhodes, I: R.C. Rhodes (1978), REG: R.C. Rhodes (1979) Fls vivid red (45C)

(a) **'Nathaniel de Rothschild'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1884), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Said to have been superceded by 'Théodore Reimers')

(a) **'Native Dancer'** cv. Deciduous azalea: wild origin *occidentale* selection from California S: F.D. Mossman (1975), N: F.D. Mossman Fls white, with twisted lobes

(a) **'Nativity'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Illusion' (s) × unknown R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50-65mm wide, white, with a very pale chartreuse blotch. Spreading shrub, to 1.5m. Early-mid May. Glenn Dale (Pollen parent has been listed as 'Osakazuki' × 'Flame' but this is uncertain)

(a) **'Natsu-kirishima'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c50mm wide, deep crimson. Foliage dense. Satsuki

(a) **'Natsu-no-ogi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c40mm wide, white, with laciniate lobes. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Natsu-tsubaki'** (Syn. of 'Kazanjima-tsutsuji')

(a) **'Natsuyama'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c50mm wide, light persimmon orange, with red streaks and stripes; red and light persimmon orange selfs also produced. Satsuki

(a) **'Naughty Lady'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Achievement' (s) × 'Winedrop' R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls 2/truss, 75-90mm wide, with pointed lobes, white with purple sectors and stripes; some purple selfs. Shrub 0.75 × 0.9m. Mid May. (First published in Holly Springs cat., 1990)

(r) **'Naughty Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan's Flame' (s) × 'Kimberly' H: M.J. Whitman (1990), G: M.J. & B. Whitman (1997), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (1998), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (1998) Fls 7-9/lax truss, funnel-shaped, 70 × 65mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63A) in bud, opening inside strong purplish red (63B), deepening to strong purplish red (63A) in the throat; outside 63B with 63A midveins; unmarked. Lvs elliptic, 95 × 40mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, darker than dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.3 × 0.5m in 8 years. Mid April

(r) **Nausicaa Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *calophytum* (s) × 'Gill's Triumph' N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Nautilus'** (Syn. of 'Naomi Nautilus')

(a) **'Naxos'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Waraigishi' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 50-70mm wide, clear rose pink (light purplish pink (73C)). Shrub to 1.5m tall, broader than high. Late April-early May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Nazarena'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: W. Streck (pre 1983), N: W. Streck

(r) **'Nazarethii'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *ponticum* R: unknown (pre 1864), INC: ICRA (1958) Lvs narrower than normal *ponticum*, marked white, toothed. Syn: 'Nazarethinum' (Probably the plant seen listed as 'Nazarethii Foliis Argenteis' (L. Leroy, 1868) and 'Nazarethinum Foliis Albovariegatis' (L. van Houtte, 1870); perhaps also the 'Nazaretinum Elegans' listed by Burdin (1845))

(r) **'Nazarethii Foliis Argenteis'** (See note under 'Nazarethii')

(r) **'Nazarethii Foliis Aureis'** (Probably the plant listed earlier as 'Foliis Aureis' (*q.v.*))

(r) **'Nazarethinum'** (Syn. of 'Nazarethii')

(r) **'Nazarethinum Foliis Albovariegatis'** (See note under 'Nazarethii')

(r) **'Nazaretinum'** (See note under 'Nazarethii')

(r) **'Nazaretinum Elegans'** (See note under 'Nazarethii')

(a) **'N. Beets'** (Syn. of 'Nicolaas Beets')

(r) **'Neala'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *aureum* (s) × 'Dead Ringer' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls light yellow (18B) and moderate reddish orange (35A, B) in bud, opening light yellow (10B, C) with vivid yellow-green (154A) dorsal spotting. Low-growing shrub. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Neallii'** cv. Parentage unknown L: A. Henderson & Sons (1852), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Neapolitan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* (s) × Fabia Group R: Sunningdale Nurseries (pre 1955), N: Sunningdale Nurseries, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon pink outside, orange-pink at base

(r) **'Nearing Hardy White'** cv. Parentage unknown H: G.G. Nearing (pre 1985)

(r) **'Nearing Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* × *griffithianum* (s) × *williamsianum* × *griffithianum* H: G.G. Nearing, N: J.B. Gable (pre 1956), I: J.B. Gable, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink

(a) **'Near You'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, the lobes with reflexed tips, bright red in bud, opening to peppermint pink, with almost no flare and a red stripe down the centre of each lobe on reverse. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Early-mid June

(r) **'Neat Feat'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group (tetraploid form) (s) × 'Watchung' H: W.E. Delp (1987), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 6/truss (from multiple buds), open funnel-shaped, 25 × 35mm, 5-lobed, deep reddish purple (77A) in bud, opening vivid purple (82A); filaments light purple (77C); style light reddish purple (74C); anthers moderate red (181A); stigma deep red (60A). Lvs 51 × 25mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, scaly. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 5 years. Mid May

(r) **'Neato'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Neato')

(r) **'Neat-O'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campanulatum* (s) × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: D.W. Goheen (1964), G: D.W. Goheen, N: D.W. Goheen, I: D.W. Goheen (1979), REG: D.W. Goheen (1983) Fls 20-25/truss, campanulate, 30 × 30mm, 5-lobed, deep purplish pink (55A) in bud, opening with light purplish pink (55C) edges shading through pale purplish pink (55D) to an almost white throat, dorsal spotting of deep purplish pink (55A). Calyx minute, yellow-green. Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 125 × 50mm, near moderate olive green (147A) and somewhat glaucous above, with a heavy dark/moderate reddish orange (175B-D) indumentum below. New shoots with a greyed-white tomentum. Shrub c0.6m in 7 years. Late April

(r) **'Nebula'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: F5 selection from 'Newport' H: W.E. Delp (1954), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 20/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 51 × 64mm, 5-lobed, deep to strong purplish red (71A, B, C) in bud, opening vivid purplish red (67B) with a white flare and vivid yellow-green (154A) dorsal spots. Lvs 127 × 54mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 1.8m in 38 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Nec Plus Ultra'** (Syn. of 'Tricolor' (Verschaffelt))

(a) **'Nec Plus Ultra'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: P. Mortier (pre 1826), N: P. Mortier, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls brick red, with an orange blotch. Shrub 1.0-1.5m. Syn: 'Ne Plus Ultra', 'Non Plus Ultra'. Ghent

(a) **'Nectar'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Osakazuki' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, 65-70mm wide, rose dorée (deep yellowish pink (43C)), slightly paler at edges, with an inconspicuous blotch. Shrub to 1.5m. Late April. Glenn Dale

(r) **Nectarine Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Coronis Group × *griersonianum* (s) × Margaret Dunn Group R: L.E. Brandt (1945), I: L.E. Brandt (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 14/truss, flat-faced, corolla 115mm wide, tube 45mm long, with very wavy-edged lobes, nectarine orange. Lvs lanceolate, to 200 × 50mm, light green. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in c10 years. (Description covers one clone)

(r) **Neda Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* (s) × 'Cunningham's Sulphur' H: Lord Aberconway (1926), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange, flushed pink

(a) **'Nederianum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1849), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Ned Schrope'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* H: J.B. Gable (pre 1972) Fls white

(a) **'Negligee'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Maihime' × 'Pink Gumpo' H: D. Wagner (1979), G: S. McDonald (1983), N: S. McDonald, I: Le-Mac Nurseries (1988), REG: S. McDonald (1993) Fls 38 × 64-70mm, broadly funnel-shaped, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (56D) in bud, opening 56D with occasional stripes or sectors of light purplish pink (55C) and faint 55C dots on dorsal lobe, throat pale green; stamens 5, straight, equal; style white. Calyx less than 1.5mm long, light yellow-green (144D). Pedicels 6mm long, light yellow-green (144D). Spring lvs elliptic, 25 × 13mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy, strong yellow-green (143A) above, moderate yellow-green (138B) below, with discrete white hairs; summer lvs obovate; petioles 3mm long, strong yellow-green (143C), hairy. Shrub 0.4 × 0.6m in 12 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Negrito'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Oratorium' × 'Feuerschein' H: H. Hachmann (1976), G: H. Hachmann (1981), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1987), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 13-17/compact truss, 45-50 × 65-70mm, with 5 lobes, strong red (53B) throughout (colour not fading), with dorsal lobe spotted dark red (187A); the yellow anthers contrasting well with flower colour. Pedicels reddish green. Calyx 1-1.5mm long, deep red (53A). Lvs broadly elliptic, 115-130 × 45-65mm, acute at apex, rounded at base, mid green and hardly glossy above, hairless; petioles brownish red above. Shrub 1.4 × 1.6m in 15 years. Late May-mid June

(r) **'Negro'** cv. Parentage unknown R: L.L. Liebig (pre 1863), N: L.L. Liebig, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, almost black at first, later brownish purple

(a) **'Négus'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. de Kneef (1893), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark salmon red, with a copper sheen and a big, blood red blotch. Indian

(r) **Nehru Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × Huntsman Group R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet. Tall, erect shrub of loose habit. April-May

(a) **'Neige'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte (pre 1869), N: L. van Houtte, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Neige et Cerise'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1885), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, snow white, with cherry red dots and lines. Indian

(r) **'Neige et Cerise'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* × *catawbiense* R: L. van Houtte (pre 1860), N: L. van Houtte, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in hemispherical trusses, lobes conspicuously emarginate, snow white, narrowly edged carmine; buds blood red

(r) **'Neil'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' × 'Kammer's Ruffles' H: M. Stockman (1983), G: M. & H. Stockman (1990), N: M. & H. Stockman, I: M. & H. Stockman (1992), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1992) Fls 14/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 51 × 83mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light reddish purple (74C) to moderate purplish pink (74D), with strong purplish red (71B) to dark red (187A) spotting on dorsal lobe; stamens 10, curved, unequal, white. Calyx 6mm long, light magenta. Pedicels 25mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 102 × 38mm, flat, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, bullate and dark, glossy green above, hairless; petioles 19mm long, light green. Shrub 0.5 × 0.8m in 9 years. Early May

(a) **'Neil Armstrong'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Goyet' R: unknown (pre 1994) Fls large, double, red. Shrub 1.25m. Midseason, with some autumn flowering. Indian

(r) **'Neilsonii'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright cherry red, with black spots. Syn: 'Nelsonii'. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Nelda Peach'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: unnamed peach-coloured hybrid × 'Lem's Cameo' H: W. Robertson (1975), G: J.A. Davis (1983), N: J.A. Davis, I: J.A. Davis (1987), REG: J.A. Davis (1987) Fls 12-15/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 64 × 102mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong yellowish pink (38A) in bud, opening light yellowish pink (19B), margins and outside irregularly flushed moderate yellowish pink (38B) and with a small, vivid reddish orange (42A) spot in the throat. Calyx 13-19mm long, light yellowish pink (27A). Lvs elliptic, 90-100 × 40mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dull green, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.8m in 8 years. Mid May

(r) **'Nelle S. Barefield'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × *lacteum* × Loderi Group H: G.E. Barefield (1959), G: G.E. Barefield, N: G.E. Barefield, I: G.E. Barefield (1973), REG: G.E. Barefield (1983) Fls 10-12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 115 × 125mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (54B) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (56C), throat light greenish yellow (8B), dorsal spotting of dark reddish orange (172B); outside light to pale purplish pink (55C to 56C); scented. Calyx 3mm long, strong yellow-green (145B). Lvs lanceolate to narrowly elliptic, 215 × 50mm, moderate yellowish green (138A), hairless. Shrub c3.2 × 2.5m in 14 years. Mid June

(r) **'Nell Gwynne'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1853), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cerise pink, fading to pale pink, with a reddish brown eye

(a) **'Nell Hooper'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (pre 1984) Fls double, purple. Indian

(a) **'Nellie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Prince George' (?) × 'M.R. Mulford' H: G.A. Reid (1953), G: G.A. Reid, N: G.A. Reid Fls hose-in-hose, semi-double, 2-3/bud, open funnel-shaped, 20 × 50mm, 5+5+3-5 wavy-edged lobes, purplish red (10RP 5/12), un-marked. Calyx coloured as corolla. Lvs broadly elliptic, 30 × 20mm, olive green, hairy. Shrub 0.3m in 3 years. Syn: 'Sweet Nellie' (Linwood Hybrid no. C-4)

(az) **'Nellie'** cv. Azaleodendron: *occidentale* × 'The Monitor' L: R. Veitch & Son (1927), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c13/hemispherical truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, pure white, with a conspicuous deep yellow blotch. Calyx lobes 5-6mm long, pale green, ciliate. Lvs narrowly elliptic to oblanceolate, 105 × 33mm, dull green above, hairy below when young. Azalea-like habit

(a) **'Nellie Gatehouse'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Comtesse de Kerchove' (Indian) × 'Madame Auguste Haerens' H: I.C. Nichols, G: I.C. Nichols (1965), N: I.C. Nichols, I: I.C. Nichols, REG: I.C. Nichols (1986) Fls double, 2-3/truss, funnel-shaped, 70 × 50mm, deep pink (52C). Lvs elliptic, 45 × 15mm. Shrub 1.5m. Midseason. Indian

(r) **'Nellie Moser'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Moser & Son, N: Moser & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls a blending of lilac, pink, yellow and white

(r) **'Nellie Timmerman'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Siouxon' (s) × 'Mrs Horace Fogg' H: H.L. Larson (1968), G: E. Weesjes (c 1978), N: N. Weesjes, REG: E. Weesjes (1994) Fls 12/ball truss, open campanulate, 64 × 95mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (58C) in bud, opening light purplish pink (62C) inside, with greenish yellow spotting in the throat fading to near white; outside a deeper shade of pink than light purplish pink (62C); stamens 10, straight. Calyx 3mm long, yellowish. Pedicels 64mm long, yellowish. Lvs oblanceolate, 152 × 44mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base; very dark green, glossy and hairless above, with discrete light reddish brown hairs below;

petioles 32mm long, greenish yellow, hairy. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 15years. Early May

(r) **'Nelly de Bruin'** cv. Parentage unknown R: M. Koster & Son (pre 1925), N: M. Koster & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush, spotted chocolate

(a) **'Nelly Felix'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hinodegiri' (s) × 'Pink Pearl' (azalea) R: Felix & Dijkhuis, N: Felix & Dijkhuis, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, clear light red

(a) **'Nelly Hardijzer'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: W. Hardijzer & Co., N: W. Hardijzer & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red, spotted yellow. Mollis

(a) **'Nelly van Noordt'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: P. van Noordt & Sons (1890), INC: ICRA (1958). Mollis

(r) **'Nelsonii'** (Syn. of 'Neilsonii')

(r) **'Nelson's Choice'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Naomi Group × China Group H: B. Nelson (pre 1971)

(a) **'Nemesis'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon pink, finely spotted. Indian

(a) **'Nene'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: F.E.W. Hanger, G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, REG: Royal Horticultural Society (1963) Fls 15/compact, globular truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, light pink (49C), with a deep yellowish pink overlay and a light yellow (18A) blotch. Lvs 90 × 30mm, mid glossy green. Shrub at least 1.5m. *HC 1963. Knap Hill

(a) **'Neolani'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Obtusum Group × Obtusum Group H: W.L. Tolstead (c 1970), G: W.L. Tolstead (c 1976), N: W.L. Tolstead, I: Rhody Run Nursery, REG: W.L. Tolstead (1993) Fls 2-3/bud, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 45mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink (5R 6/11) with a moderate red (2.5R 4/10) blotch; stamens 5, curved. Calyx 6-7mm long, green. Pedicels 8-9mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 45 × 20mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dark green and with sparse, pale hairs above, light green and with sparse pale hairs below; petioles 3mm long, green, hairy. Shrub 1.25 × 1.0m in c20 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Neon Light'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1973) (Listed as a parent of 'Callight')

(r) **'Nepal'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (white-fld) × *wightii* × *fortunei* subsp. *fortunei* R: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1972) Fls c15/round truss, rose pink in bud, opening white, flushed pink and ageing to near white. Lvs 140-200 × 70-90mm, glossy. Compact, rounded shrub

(r) **'Nepal'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *cinnabarinum*, grown from LS & H 21283 R: J.B. Stevenson, I: Hydon Nurseries, REG: Hydon Nurseries (1977) Fls 4-8/lax truss, tubular, 45 × 32mm, light yellow (12C), lighter towards tips and deepening towards base to near strong red (51A). Lvs broadly oblanceolate, up to 58 × 33mm, glaucous, scaly below. AM 1977

(a) **'Ne Plus Ultra'** (Syn. of 'Nec Plus Ultra')

(r) **'Ne Plus Ultra'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy purple, spotted. Syn: 'Londinense', 'Londonense'. Hardy Hybrid

(v) **'Ne Plus Ultra'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *javanicum* × 'Duchess of Edinburgh' R: J. Veitch & Sons, N: J. Veitch & Sons, I: J. Veitch & Sons (1892), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 8-15/truss, funnel-shaped, crimson scarlet. October-November

(r) **'Neptun'** (Syn. of 'Stadt Delmenhorst')

(a) **'Neptune'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: E. van der Cruyssen, N: E. van der Cruyssen, I: E. van der Cruyssen (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure orange, with violet shadows on the dorsal lobes. Indian

(a) **'Neptune'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kobold', selfed R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines (pre 1990) Fls single, 3-4/truss, 65-75mm wide, with very wavy-edged lobes, very dark purple, flushed fuchsia, with a conspicuous purplish red blotch. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m. Mid May

(r) **Neptune Group** (Syn. of Eulo Group)

(v) **'Neptune'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Minerva' (s) × *multicolor* (as var. *curtisii*) R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1891), N: J. Veitch & Sons, I: J. Veitch & Sons (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 5-9/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, scarlet

(r) **'Nereid'** (Syn. of 'Naomi Nereid')

(r) **Nereid Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *neriiflorum* (s) × *dichroanthum* I: E.H. Wilding (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 4-5/truss, pendulous, campanulate, 45 × 50mm, salmon pink, faintly spotted orange within and with conspicuous nectar pouches. Dorsal calyx lobe almost 20mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs roundish-oblong, dark green. Shrub 0.6m in 10 years. (These are natural hybrids raised in several gardens from a Forrest collection of c1920, the flower colour varying from salmon to almost orange)

(a) **'Nereide'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. van Geert (1877), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls flesh pink, edged rose pink, with an orange-yellow blotch. Ghent

(r) **'Nereus'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple, spotted black. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **Neriiapo Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* subsp. *apodectum* (s) × *neriiflorum* R: E.J.P. Magor (1921), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red

(r) **Neriiarb Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *neriiflorum* (s) × *arboreum* (blood red form) R: E.J.P. Magor (1920), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear red, with inconspicuous spots of a darker shade

(r) **'Neriifolium'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as a *ponticum* form or hybrid L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet. Lvs *Nerium*-like

(r) **'Neriifolium Aureum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: A. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet. Lvs variegated yellow. (Also listed by L. Jacob-Makoy (1851) as a *ponticum* selection, without description)

(r) **'Neriifolium Variegatum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as a *ponticum* form or hybrid L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **Neriihaem Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *neriiflorum* (s) × *haematodes* R: E.J.P. Magor (1920), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1927), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a flat truss, blood red to brilliant deep scarlet, unspotted, of waxy texture

(a) **'Neri-kinu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c50mm wide, white, blushed cherry blossom pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Nerissa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: orange-flowered form of *indicum* (s) × 'Momozono' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 40-45mm wide, deep rose pink (deep purplish pink (64D)), lighter at edges, with rose (strong purplish red (63B)) dots in the blotch; faint yellow tones extend from base along midribs making the pink very brilliant. Shrub to 1.2m. Late April-early May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Nerissa'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **Nerissa Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Choremia Group (s) × Neriihaem Group H: Lord Aberconway, G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blood red

(a) **'Nerissonii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Nero'** (Syn. of 'Neron')

(r) **'Nero'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1851), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark rosy purple, richly spotted

(a) **'Neron'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1855), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine red, with a pale yellow dorsal blotch. Late. Syn: 'Nero'. Ghent

(a) **'Ness'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: M.C. Pratt (1986), G: Ness Botanic Gardens (1996), N: Ness Botanic Gardens, REG: Ness Botanic Gardens (2000) Fls 8-12/loose truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 53 × 60mm, with 5 strongly wavy-edged lobes, brilliant greenish yellow (4A) flushed light yellow (21D) in bud, opening pale orange-yellow (23D), flushed moderate yellowish pink (37C), outside pale greenish yellow (13D), flushed moderate yellowish pink (31D); vivid orange-yellow (23A) spots on dorsal lobes; filaments long, curved, pale pink. Calyx 3mm long, strong yellow-green (144C). Lvs elliptic, 40-86 × 18-35mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, flat, glossy above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.5m in 14 years. June. (Standard: colour slide provided by registrant (WSY 0025875))

(a) **'Neston'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: M.C. Pratt (1986), G: Ness Botanic Gardens (1996), N: Ness Botanic Gardens, REG: Ness Botanic Gardens (1999) Fls single, 8-10/loose truss, narrowly tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 40mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (52B) in bud, opening white flushed light purplish pink (55C) inside, outside strong purplish pink (55B); a blotch of light yellow (12C) suffused over the dorsal lobe; stamens deep pink. Calyx 5mm long, brilliant yellow-green (149C). Lvs elliptic, 20-55 × 7-18mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, margins decurved, slightly glossy green, flushed bronze; good autumn colour. Shrub 2.0 × 1.0m in 13 years. June-July. (Standard: colour slide provided by registrant (WSY 0015390))

(r) **'Nestor'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *barbatum* × *thomsonii* R: Sir Edmund Loder, I: Hon. H.E. Boscawen, REG: Hon. H.E. Boscawen (1969) Fls up to 13/truss, campanulate, 50 × 65mm, 5-lobed, strong red (53B) with a few, small, darker markings in the dorsal throat. Calyx unevenly 5-lobed, up to 8mm long, strong red (51A), hairless. Lvs elliptic, mucronate at apex, rounded and auriculate at base, dark green and hairless above, paler below. AM 1969

(v) **'Nestor'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *multicolor* hybrid R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1899), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light buff, interior tinted rose

(r) **'Nestucca'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × *yakushimanum* G: C.C. Smith (pre 1950), N: C.C. Smith (1960), REG: C.C. Smith (1961) Fls 12-15/truss, up to 125mm wide, white, green-brown in throat. Lvs 100 × 40mm; with a tendency to the production of abnormally narrow foliage. Compact shrub, 0.6 × 1.0m. Mid May. (Raised from seed from F.E.W. Hanger (UK) sent to J. Henny; young seedling passed to Smith)

(r) **'Netta'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Medusa Group (s) × 'Purple Splendour' H: E.B. Perrott, G: E.B. Perrott, N: G Church, I: Woodleigh Nursery (1992), REG: G. Church (1993) Fls 15/truss, 40 × 60mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (63A), with a vivid reddish orange (42A) throat. Calyx 40mm long, green. Lvs 90 × 25mm. Shrub 1.0-1.5 × 1.5-2.0m

(a) **'Nettie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C.E. Brown, I: D. Stewart & Son (1951), INC: ICRA

(1958) Fls deep purplish pink (58D), with a slightstrong red (50A) blotch

(r) **'Netty Koster'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs L.A. Dunnett' (s) × un-named hybrid of *griersonianum* R: M. Koster & Sons, N: M. Koster & Sons, I: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c10/loose, rounded truss, open funnel-shaped, 65-75mm wide, crimson (22/1) with darker spots on dorsal lobes. Lvs lanceolate, 90-115mm long, dark green above. *AM 1945

(a) **'Neumannii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1849), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Nevada'** cv. Deciduous azalea: grown from imported Knap Hill Nursery seed, parentage unknown G: Bovees Nursery, N: Bovees Nursery, I: Bovees Nursery, REG: Bovees Nursery (1969) Fls 90mm wide, squarish in form, white, flushed moderate pink (49B), with an orange-yellow blotch. Lvs up to 150mm long. Shrub 1.9m in 20 years

(r) **Nevada Group** gp Parentage unknown R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, I: C. Ingram (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white

(r) **'Newa'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* × 'Catawbiense Grandiflorum' R: W. Nagel (1967), N: W. Nagel (1985) Fls bluish lilac

(a) **'New Baby'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: I.L. Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L. Amann Fls 50mm wide, strong purplish pink (68B), shading to pale purplish pink midveins and throat, with a dark, spotted blotch. Shrub to 1.0m. Midseason

(r) **'New Beginning'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Janet Blair' × 'Dorothy Amateis' H: R. Behring (1981), G: R. Behring (1988), N: R. Behring, REG: R. Behring (1989) Fls 15/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 44 × 76mm, with 5-7 wavy or very wavy-edged lobes, light purple (75A), with moderate yellow (160A) and deep orange-yellow (163A) spots. Calyx very small, light green. Lvs elliptic, 95 × 38mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 0.5 × 0.3m in 8 years. Late May

(r) **'Newburyport Beauty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: open-pollinated Dexter hybrid H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: Fowle Nursery, N: J.C. Wister (pre 1978) Fls pink. Syn: 'Fowle18'

(r) **'Newburyport Belle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown - possibly a subsect. *Fortunea* hybrid G: Fowle Nursery (pre 1961), N: J.C. Wister (pre 1978), REG: Scott Arboretum (1985) Fls 16/truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (2.5RP 8/5), dorsal lobe almost covered with flecks of brilliant yellow-green (2.5GY 8/9) on a ground of brilliant greenish yellow paler than 7.5Y 9/8. Calyx very small, light yellow-green. Lvs elliptic, 100-160 × 50-80mm, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 2.1m in 23 years. Mid May. Syn: 'Fowle 19' (An open-pollinated Dexter hybrid)

(r) **'Newburyport Charm'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: open-pollinated Dexter hybrid G: Fowle Nursery (pre 1961), N: J.C. Wister (pre 1978) Fls white. Syn: 'Fowle 20'

(r) **'New Century'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid (pale yellow flowers) (s) × un-named, pale yellow hybrid × 'Bristol Cream' H: R.W. Mezitt, G: Weston Nurseries, N: R.W. Mezitt, I: Weston Nurseries (1998), REG: R.W. Mezitt (1998) Fls 15-18/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-to very wavy-edged lobes, pale yellow-green (4D), with darker yellow margins and a blotch of darker yellow with two solid green streaks. Calyx c1mm long, yellow-green. Lvs elliptic, 75 × 40mm, downcurved, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 7 years. Mid May

(a) **'New Cerise'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Davidson's Nurseries (1979) Fls double, bright cerise. Indian

(r) **'Newcomb's Sweetheart'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pink Walloper' × *decorum* H: L.L. Newcomb (1968), G: L.L. Newcomb, N: L.L. Newcomb, I: L.L. Newcomb, REG: L.L. Newcomb (1981) Fls 11/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 100mm wide, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (57B) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (65D) and darkening with age to light purplish pink (62C), with a 13mm wide edge of light purplish pink (65B) and two 7 × 20mm, strong red (50A) blotches at base of dorsal lobes; outside strong purplish pink (68B); scented. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 140 × 50mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (146A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 2.5m in 12 years. Mid May. AM 1990

(r) **'New Comet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Idealist Group × 'Exbury Naomi' H: F.E.W. Hanger (1948), G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, I: Royal Horticultural Society (c 1957), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12/globular truss, shallowly funnel-shaped, 65 × 115mm, light greenish yellow (8B), flushed pale pink. AM 1957 (Emerald Isle Group)

(a) **'New Dawn'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Pericat, N: A. Pericat, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, strong yellowish pink. Pericat

(a) **'New Easter Parade'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Davidson's Nurseries (1979) Fls hose-in-hose, white, with dark salmon pink markings

(r) **'New Elegance'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lodestar' × 'Rona Pink' H: D.L. Hinerman (1975), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 21/truss, open funnel-shaped, 66 × 85mm, 5-lobed, strong and light purple (77B, C, D) in bud, opening to a blend of light, very light and very pale purple (75B, C, D), with strong greenish yellow (153B) dorsal spots; outside strong purple (77B); filaments white; anthers moderate purplish pink (186D); style deep purplish pink (58D); stigma deep purplish red (61A). Lvs 152 ×

67mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.5m in 17 years. Early June. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'New Generation Red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Girard's Hot Shot' (s) × 'Hershey's Red Tetra' H: S. McDonald (1977), G: S. McDonald (1980), N: S. McDonald (1999), I: Le-Mac Azaleas, REG: S. McDonald (1999) Fls hose-in-hose, 3/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, with 5+5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (50A) in bud, opening strong red (51A) throughout, with faint dorsal spotting. Calyx 40mm long, strong red (51A). Lvs elliptic, 55 × 40mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, flat, semi-glossy and strong yellow-green (144A) above, sparsely hairy (hairs white, ageing to tan). Shrub 0.75 × 0.75m in 22 years. Mid April. (First published in *Azaleas*, Galle (1987))

(v) **'New Guinea Gold'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *aurigeranum* H: unknown, G: unknown, I: Kew, REG: Kew (1982) Fls 8-10/truss, funnel-shaped, waxy, 65-70mm long, brilliant orange-yellow (21B). Lvs more-or-less in 5-merous whorls, elliptic, 75-125 × 30-50mm, sparsely scaly to without scales above, rufescent scaly below. AM 1981

(r) **'New Hope'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × Kiev Group H: Bovee & Mayo Rare Seed Co. (pre 1963), G: C. Herbert (1971), N: C. Herbert, I: C. Herbert (1972), REG: C. Herbert (1975) Fls 10/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 75 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds vivid red (52A), opening deep purplish pink (55A) at edges, shading to light purplish pink in throat, spotted deep purplish pink (55A) on dorsal lobe, outside 55A. Calyx 7mm long, light green. Lvs oblanceolate, 125 × 45mm, yellow-green, with a felted fawn indumentum below. New growth with silvery tomentum. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 12 years. Early May. (Original seedling raised by J. Buery and passed to C. Herbert)

(r) **'New Hope'** cv. Parentage unknown H: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (pre 1980)

(a) **'New Loring'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Violaceum' (s) × 'Teena Marie' H: D.J. Dosser, G: D.J. Dosser (1981), N: D.J. Dosser, I: D.J. Dosser, REG: D.J. Dosser (1984) Fls vivid purplish red (57C)

(r) **'New Moon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs W.C. Slocock' (s) × *fortunei* R: W.C. Slocock (pre 1953), N: W.C. Slocock, I: W.C. Slocock, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12-14/flat domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, buds cream, tinged mauve pink, opening white, flushed light greenish yellow (4C) in throat and on dorsal lobe. Lvs dull, dark green. *AM 1953

(r) **'New Orleans'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: unnamed hybrid (no.67-LL-6) × 'Casanova' H: D.G. Leach (1976), G: D.G. Leach (1982), N: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1985) Fls 16/truss, 45 × 50mm, 5-lobed, buds flushed moderate yellowish pink (39C), opening pale yellow (11C), deepening to light yellow (11B) in centre, with fine spotting of reddish brown on the dorsal lobe. Calyx minute, green. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 56mm, hairless

(r) **'New Patriot'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: (PJM Group × *mucronulatum*, pink form), selfed (s) × unknown H: Weston Nurseries (1979), G: Weston Nurseries (1982), N: Weston Nurseries, I: Weston Nurseries, REG: Weston Nurseries (1988) Fls 8/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 19 × 25mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep red (60A) to strong purplish red (60B) in bud, opening vivid purplish red (57B), with white anthers. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs oblong, 32 × 16mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and scaly above; scales light green at first, later becoming rusty brown; half the leaves retained for one year, the flowers extending down the stem for at least 50mm. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 10 years. Late April

(r) **'New Plymouth City'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* × *grande* H: L.E. Jury, G: Huthnance Nurseries, N: S.J. & E.R. Rowe, I: Huthnance Nurseries, REG: S.J. & E.R. Rowe (1988) Fls 20/truss, tubular-campanulate, 60 × 70mm, 5-lobed, rose madder (23/1) in bud, opening 23/2 and gradually lightening to blush pink in throat and on tube outside; nectaries deep pink. Calyx 3mm long, green/white. Bracts and pedicels pink, the latter covered with white hairs. Lvs oblong-elliptic, 180-200 × 70-80mm, with a light brown indumentum that ages to greyish brown when leaves mature. Shrub of dense, compact habit, 2.0 × 2.0m in c15 years. October (New Zealand)

(r) **'Newport'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: W.E. Stokes, N: W.E. Stokes, I: W.E. Stokes, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls plum purple, brighter than 'Old Port', with a white eye

(r) **'New Prince Albert'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as a *catawbiense* form or hybrid L: A. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'New Red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1958) Fls single, carmine red. (Probably a *kaempferi* hybrid. Galle (1987) lists a double red Indian azalea under this name, grown in Australia)

(r) **'New Romance'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lady Bligh' × 'Loderi Venus' R: R. Henny (1955), I: L. Henny (1964), REG: L. Henny (1965) Fls 65mm wide, rose pink in bud, opening white. Lvs to 125 × 30mm. Shrub at least 1.5m. Late

(a) **'Newton'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Linden (1873), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Said to be from Schulz. Perhaps the same entity listed as a purplish pink rhododendron in the 1958 Register without further data)

(a) **'New White'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 55mm

wide, white; similar to 'Fielder's White' but with smaller flowers and "better" foliage. Indian

(r) **'New Wine'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' × 'Arthur Bedford' H: D.A. Horsley (1976), G: D.A. Horsley (1982), N: D.A. Horsley, I: D.A. Horsley (1984), REG: D.A. Horsley (1987) Fls 17/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 32 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (72A) in bud, opening strong purple (80B), with a dark red (187A) speckled blotch on dorsal lobe. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 152 × 51mm, convex, acuminate at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.5m in 12 years. Mid May

(a) **'New York's Favorite'** (Syn. of 'Charles Pynaert')

(a) **'New York's Pearl'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1907), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double. Indian

(a) **'Neye'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Noordtianum' × *kaempferi* and several different Kurume azaleas R: G. Arends (1914), N: G. Arends (1950), I: G. Arends, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine

(a) **'Neyron'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls fire red. Ghent (Perhaps an error for 'Neron')

(r) **'Nez Perce Chief'** (Syn. of 'The Chief')

(r) **'Ngaere'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Impi Group × *yakushimanum* H: N. Adams, G: K. Adams, N: K. Adams, REG: K. Adams (1991) Fls 12-14/truss, open funnel-campanulate, 50 × 60mm, 5-lobed, vivid purplish red (57B) in bud, opening white in centre, the lobes and back of corolla vivid purplish red (57C), fading to white with lobes edged light purplish pink (62C); greenish brown spots in upper throat; stigma red; stamens cream to brown. Calyx 2-5mm long (irregular), greenish pink. Pedicels 30mm long, green, viscid. Lvs lanceolate, 100-110 × 30-40mm, with a whitish tan indumentum above and below at first, soon lost above, becoming tan below. Shrub of compact habit, 1.5 × 1.0m. Late October-mid November (New Zealand)

(a) **'Niagara'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' × 'Willy' (s) × 'Mrs Carmichael' × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 65-70mm, with wavy-edged lobes, white, with a chartreuse blotch. Lvs 30-50 × 20-25mm, light dull green. Shrub to 1.0m. Midseason. *HC 1975. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Niantic'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alandale' × 'Mrs Charles S. Sargent' H: Scott Arboretum (1962), G: Scott Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister

(r) **'Nicandra Newman'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anna' × 'Cotton Candy' H: L.L. Newcomb (1970), G: L.L. & E.F. Newcomb (1980), N: L.L. & E.F. Newcomb, I: L.L. & E.F. Newcomb (1991), REG: L.L. & E.F. Newcomb (1992) Fls 12-14/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 64 × 114mm, with 5-7 slightly wavy-edged lobes, very pale purple (69A), edged deep purplish pink (73A), with a prominent dark red (187A) throat and some deep purplish red (187D) speckling above the area of solid colour; outside light purplish pink (73C), with deep purplish pink (73A) rays on each lobe; stamens 13-14, straight, unequal; strongly scented. Calyx 2mm long, greyish brown (166A). Pedicels 38mm long, moderate red (185B) above, moderate yellow (160A) below. Lvs elliptic, 127-171 × 51-64mm, convex, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy, and moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (146C) below, hairless; petioles 25mm long, hairy, yellowish green and reddish brown. Shrub 1.5 × 1.8m in 10 years. Mid May-early June. Syn: 'Nicki Newman'

(a) **'Nichirin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 90mm wide, with rounded lobes, white, with a large green blotch and occasional yellowish pink flecks and sectors. Lvs broad, rounded. Low, spreading shrub. Satsuki

(r) **'Nicholas'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *ponticum* hybrid R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1965), REG: E. de Rothschild (1965) Fls c19/tight truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, 5-lobed, petunia purple (32/1), paling towards the centre, throat and part of dorsal lobe white and spotted with green. Lvs oblanceolate to narrowly elliptic, 150 × 50mm, pale green below. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(a) **'Nicholas Schaure'** (An error for 'Nicolaus Schaurer')

(r) **'Nicholas Vaartnou'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *rex* subsp. *rex* G: H. Vaartnou (1985), S: H. Vaartnou (1966), N: H. Vaartnou, REG: H. Vaartnou (1990) Fls 20 or more/ball truss, open campanulate, 44 × 64mm, with 8 wavy-edged lobes, very pale purple (69C) to nearly white. Calyx 1mm long, cream. Lvs elliptic, 305 × 102mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy above, with a felted, fawn indumentum below. Shrub 3.0 × 1.6m in 20 years. April

(r) **'Nick Anastos'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anna Delp' (s) × 'Little Gem' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls strong red (53B). Medium-sized shrub. (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Nicki Newman'** (Syn. of 'Nicandra Newman')

(a) **'Nick of Time'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, bright pink, with a yellow flare covering most of dorsal lobe; strongly scented. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Late June

(r) **'Nick's Choice'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Van Nes Sensation' (s) × 'Mrs Horace Fogg' H: Mrs E. Weesjes (1963), G: Mrs E. Weesjes (1967), N: Mrs E. Weesjes, REG: Mrs E. Weesjes (1995) Fls 12/conical

truss, open funnel-shaped, 85 × 95mm, with 6-7 very wavy-edged lobes, inside very pale purple (69A) on lobes, very pale purple (69C) in tube and a pale yellow (11C) throat; outside with strong purplish pink (68B) stripes on the lobes; stamens 14, straight. Calyx 3mm long, greenish, edged red. Pedicels 45mm long, red. Lvs oblong, 165 × 57mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull mid green above, hairless; petioles 30mm long, greenish yellow. Shrub 2.4 × 1.8m in 16 years. Early May

(r) **'Nick's Favorite'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *edgeworthii* G: H. Vaartnou (1975), N: H. Vaartnou, REG: H. Vaartnou (1991) Fls 2-3/flat truss, flat saucer-shaped, 64 × 114mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, pink in bud, opening white with pinkish stripes on outside of each lobe (deeper pink towards the base); anthers deep brown; stamens 10, straight, of equal length; highly scented. Calyx 13mm long, greenish. Pedicels 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 89 × 32mm, wrinkled and glossy above, with a felted, greyish white indumentum below, ageing to fawn; petioles 25mm long, greenish, hairy. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in 10 years. April-May. (Raised from seed from Mrs E. Weesjes, 1970)

(a) **'Nico'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Vuyk van Nes (pre 1986) Fls soft cherry red. Foliage reddish

(a) **'Nicola'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Fidelio' × 'Gumpo Red' R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1964) Fls rose bengal (25/2)

(a) **'Nicolaas Beets'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: M. Koster & Sons (1892), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 55mm wide, strong yellow to strong orange-yellow. Midseason. Syn: 'Dagonet', 'N. Beets'. Mollis

(r) **'Nicola Newman'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Cornubia Group × *sutchuenense* H: E.J.P. Magor (pre 1930), G: S.R. Clarke, N: A. Stephenson Clarke, REG: A. Stephenson Clarke (1989) Fls 12-15/somewhat flattened truss, campanulate, up to 50 × 60mm, 5-lobed, reddish purple, darker at mouth and with some darker spotting in the dorsal throat; filaments white; anthers dark brown. Calyx rudimentary. Lvs elliptic-oblanceolate, 140-200 × 40-78mm, dull, dark green above, paler and hairless below. Shrub 3.0 × 3.0m (1989). January-March. AM 1989

(a) **'Nicolas II'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: E. Pynaert (c 1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, orange-yellow, with reddish dorsal spots. Mollis

(a) **'Nicolas Schaurow'** (An error for 'Nicolaus Schaurer')

(a) **'Nicolaus Schaurer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Schulz (pre 1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, single to semi-double, deep pink, with darker markings. Indian (Sometimes listed in error as 'Nicholas Schaure' or 'Nicolas Schaurow')

(a) **'Nicole'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Adventglöckchen' R: Lee's Nursery (pre 1984), N: Lee's Nursery Fls semi-double, bright orange-red. Indian

(a) **'Nicole Joy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Kurume seedling × unknown H: G. Langdon, G: G. Langdon, N: G. Langdon, I: G. Langdon, REG: G. Langdon (1980) Fls hose-in-hose, light purplish pink (55C), spotted deep red

(r) **'Nicoletta'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Fantastica' × 'Hachmann's Ornament' × 'Furnivall's Daughter' H: H. Hachmann (1977), G: H. Hachmann (1982), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1990), REG: G. Stück (1991) Fls 16-19/flat-topped truss, very broadly funnel-shaped, 40-45 × 55-65(-80)mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, at first deep purplish pink (62D), dorsal lobe slightly darker (68B), strongly tinged strong to moderate purplish pink (68B/C) mainly on the veins, with a conspicuous dorsal blotch of dark red (187B/C); ground colour fades to white with age; stamens 10, filaments white, anthers brownish orange/moderate orange-yellow (164A/B); style strong to light purplish pink (73B/C), stigma dark red (187A/B). Calyx 2mm long, reddish green. Lvs ovate, 80-100 × 45-60mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dark green above, with light brown hairs mainly on veins below. Shrub of flat, compact habit, 0.45 × 0.9m in 10 years. Mid May-early June. (Published in *Deutsche Rhododendron-Gesellschaft, Jahrbuch*, 1990, p.68 (1991))

(a) **'Nicolette'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1996) (Grown in Australia, said to be of European origin)

(a) **'Nicolette Keessen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Hellmut Vogel' I: W. Keessen, Jr & Sons (1978) Fls strong purplish red/pink (63B-C), with darker flakes and stripes of strong purplish red (63A-B) and with a moderate to pale purplish pink (62B-D) edge; otherwise similar to parent. Indian

(r) **'Nicoline'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nova Zembla' (s) × 'Mars' H: H. Hachmann (1960), G: H. Hachmann (1965), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1977), REG: G. Stück (1984) Fls 16-18/truss, 55-62 × 70-80mm, 5-lobed, deep red (60A), with inconspicuous markings of moderate red (182A). Calyx 2-4mm long, greenish red. Lvs elliptic, 107-123 × 36-44mm, hairless

(a) **'Nieuwjaardag'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1929), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, red; colour, resembles that of 'Julius Roehrs'. Indian

(a) **'Nifty Fifty'** cv. Deciduous azalea: unknown (s) × 'Knap Hill Yellow' × 'Klondyke' H: I. & R. Arneson (1977), G: I. & R. Arneson (1984), N: Portland Chapter, Am.Rh.Soc., I: Arneson Nursery (1994), REG: I. & R.

Arneson (1994) Fls 13/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 76 × 114mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, vivid yellow (16A), with a vivid orange-yellow (21A) throat; stamens 5, curved, unequal. Calyx 6mm long, light green. Pedicels 22mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 64-89 × 25-38mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, slightly bullate above, slightly hairy below; petioles 3mm long, green. Shrub 1.4 × 1.4m in 17 years. May

(a) **'Nigel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Indian azalea ("no.1") × 'La Lumière' × sibling of seed parent H: R.D. Gartrell (c 1956), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell (1970), REG: R.D. Gartrell (1985) Fls single, (2-)3/bud, 40 × 60mm, broadly funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, deep yellowish pink (43C) to vivid red (44A), spotted strong red (46A) to deep red (53A). Calyx 5mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Spring lvs elliptic, 40 × 18mm. Spreading shrub up to 1.0m. Early May. (Robin Hill no. N33-2)

(a) **'Nigella'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *scabrum* 'Kanabo' × 'Louise' R: L. de Rothschild (pre 1943), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, hose-in-hose, cerise

(r) **'Nigel Marshall'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from open-pollinated *wardii* H: Royal Horticultural Society, G: The National Trust, Mount Stewart, I: The National Trust, Mount Stewart, REG: The National Trust, Mount Stewart (1983) Fls c11/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 60-70 × 100-110mm, 5-lobed, pale pink in bud, opening light yellow, with small, faint reddish brown spotting in the throat. Calyx 1-2mm long, reddish. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 50-60mm, hairless. May

(r) **'Night Editor'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: believed to be a seedling from *russatum* R: unknown, N: B. Sheedy, I: B. Sheedy (1971), REG: B. Sheedy (1981) Fls 6-7/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 30 × 40mm, with 5 'crinkly'-edged lobes, strong purple (82B), throat light purple (78C), narrowly edged deep purple (83B), faint spotting of deep purple in two lines below the dorsal sinuses and faint rays of light purple (78C) down centre of each lobe. Calyx c6mm long, light yellow-green (145C), with pinkish to reddish hairs. Lvs narrowlyelliptic, 50 × 13mm, margins strongly recurved, entire leaf often twisted, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (146A) above, with reddish brown scales above and below; petioles scaly. Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in 10 years. Early April. Syn: 'Betty's Purple Russatum'

(r) **'Nightingale'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* × 'Purple Splendour' G: W.S. Reuthe (1962), S: E.W. Reuthe (1962), N: E.W. Reuthe, I: G. Reuthe Ltd (1967), REG: G. Reuthe Ltd (1985) Fls 8/truss, 70 × 90mm, 5-lobed, very light purple (76B) to strong purple (77B), with a dark red (187A) blotch. Calyx 2mm long, light yellow-green (145C). Lvs elliptic, 120 × 45-50mm, hairless. Large shrub

(a) **'Night Light'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Exbury, N: Exbury, I: E. de Rothschild (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. Knap Hill

(r) **'Night Sky'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *fastigiatum* 'Blue Steel' (s) × Russautinii Group H: J.P.C. Russell (1967), G: J.P.C. Russell (1970), N: J.P.C. Russell, REG: J.P.C. Russell (1983) Fls 5/truss, 30mm wide, strong violet (93B), paler in the throat. Calyx 3.0mm long, green. Lvs lanceolate, 25 × 10mm, sparsely scaly

(r) **'Nightwatch'** cv. 'Cup Day' × 'Purple Splendour' R: Van de Ven (pre 1978) Fls 13/rounded truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 75mm wide, red-purple, with a black dorsal flare. Lvs 125 × 45mm, pointed, dull green

(a) **'Nigrescens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Le Flambeau' I: J. Vervaene (1889), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lacquer black with a dark blotch. Indian

(r) **'Nigrescens'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1867), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, with wavy-edged lobes, dark plum, with darker spots on the dorsal lobe

(a) **'Nigricans'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent ?

(a) **'Nihon-no-hana'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1981), N: Japan Fls 100-125mm wide, with broad, wavy-edged lobes, white, with occasional stripes and selfs of deep pink to strong red. Satsuki

(a) **'Nihon-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65mm wide, white, spotted and marked dark purple, and with a yellow-green blotch. Satsuki (Galle (1987) describes the markings as light pink)

(a) **'Niigata Kirin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50mm wide, white, with a pale green throat, blushed and sectored purplish pink. Low, spreading shrub. Midseason. Satsuki

(r) **'Niihau'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' (s) × 'Van Nes Sensation' H: M. Stockman (1990), G: H. & M. Stockman (1998), N: H. & M. Stockman (1998), REG: H. & M. Stockman (2000) Fls 10-12/domed truss, saucer-shaped, 95 × 70mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, pale yellow (20D) in bud, opening inside white, flushed pale greenish yellow (10D) in the centre, with moderate purplish red dorsal spotting; outside yellowish white (158D), flushed very pale pink at edges and with three very narrow pink lines extending from base to tip of each lobe; slightly scented. Calyx c3mm long, with a red rim and yellow lobes. Lvs elliptic, 105 × 40mm, acuminate at apex, rounded at base, margins downcurved, semi-glossy and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m in 10 years. Mid May

(a) **'Niisetsu-no-koma'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: K. Wada (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white. Kurume

(a) **'Niji'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 40mm wide, with long, ovate lobes, light pink, flecked, striped and sectored reddish orange. Satsuki

(a) **'Nijubenten'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Nijun-kirishima'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, wisteria purple; outer corolla shorter and paler. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Nikaino Tsuaka'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Siskyou Rare Plant Nursery (2000) Fls 40mm wide, orange, with a white base. Lvs rounded. Spreading shrub, 15 × 60cm

(a) **'Nike'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose pink. Kurume

(a) **'Nikko'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Kozan' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 40-50mm wide, with widely spaced lobes, strong pink, with occasional white stripes, to light pink; occasional deep pink selfs; pistil prominent. Satsuki

(r) **'Nikko'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (white fld) × 'Crest' (s) × 'Ivory Tower' × (*catawbiense* (white fld) × (*wardii* × *decorum*)) H: D.G. Leach (1968), G: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1983) Fls 14/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 35 × 80mm, (5-)6-lobed, strong yellowish pink (35C) in bud, opening pale yellow-green (4D), shading to light greenish yellow (4B) in the throat. Calyx 5mm long, green, edged reddish. Lvs very narrowly elliptic, 120 × 30mm, semi-glossy, moderate olive green (147A) and hairless above, with colourless vestigial hairs below. Shrub 1.7 × 1.8m in 13 years. Early May

(a) **'Nikko-no-hana'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Nikwasi'** cv. Deciduous azalea: un-named seedling × *viscosum* R: O. Holmsomback (pre 1985), N: O. Holmsomback Fls 40mm wide, strong red (47B), with a faint blotch. Late

(r) **'Nile'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (white fld) (s) × *wardii* (LS & T 5679) H: D.G. Leach (1954), G: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach (1973), I: D.G. Leach (1973), Reg: D.G. Leach (1983) Fls 13-14/truss, 40 × 75mm, broadly funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, pale yellow-green (4D), with a dorsal blotch of strong red (46A). Calyx 3mm long, yellow, edged red. Lvs elliptic, 95 × 50mm, rounded to slightly auriculate at base, glossy above, moderate olive green (146A), hairless. Shrub c3.5m in 28 years. Mid May. Syn: 'Sahara'

(a) **'Nils Hansen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: B.Y. Morrison (pre 1965) Fls semi-double, in large trusses, 65mm wide, white, with purplish red stripes. BackAcres (Perhaps named by S. Armstrong)

(r) **'Nimbus'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Snow Queen Group (s) × unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1935), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 8/compact, globular truss, funnel-shaped, 70 × 100mm, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, buds cream, flushed dawn pink (523/3), opening pure white (or slightly flushed pink at first). Lvs 185 × 75mm, dull, mid green. Shrub c1.4m or more. *AM 1965, *FCC 1967 (The pollen parent is variously recorded as 'Loderi Venus' or Cornish Loderi Group)

(a) **'Nimphe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C. Schulz (pre 1863), N: C. Schulz, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Nimrod'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *scabrum* 'Kanabo' × 'Louise' R: L. de Rothschild (pre 1943), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light orange-pink

(r) **'Nimrod'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *irroratum* 'Polka Dot' × *calophytum* R: E. de Rothschild (pre 1963), N: E. de Rothschild, REG: E. de Rothschild (1963) Fls c22/domed truss, funnel-campanulate, 50 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (63C) in bud, opening white, heavily flecked with moderate purplish red (64A) on dorsal lobes which grades to strong purplish red (64C) on lower lobes; basal blotch strong purplish red (64B); stamens 12-13, filaments white, anthers brown. Calyx rudimentary. Pedicels pale green, flushed strong purplish red (58B), with short, red, glandular hairs. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 180 × 55mm, acute at apex, rounded at base, mid and slightly glossy green above, paler below, hairless; petioles 15-20mm long, hairless (FCC description). AM 1987, FCC 1998 (Nimrod Group)

(r) **Nimrod Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *irroratum* 'Polka Dot' × *calophytum* R: E. de Rothschild (1963), N: E. de Rothschild, REG: E. de Rothschild (1963)

(a) **'Nina'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: H.-P. Holz (pre 1994)

(r) **'Nina'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a subsect. *Fortunea* hybrid G: E.T. Wytovich (1957), N: E.T. Wytovich, I: E.T. Wytovich, REG: E.T. Wytovich (1979) Fls up to 10/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, 90mm wide, strong purplish red (63B) in bud, opening light purplish pink (63D), fading to very pale purple (69A), somewhat mottled, with a heavy blotch of moderate purplish red (64A) deep in (and encircling) the throat and broken up into spots towards the outer edges; scented. Lvs elliptic, to 125 × 55mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded to oblique at base, glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 2.6m in 26 years. Mid May-early June

(r) **'Nina Belle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Evening Glow' × 'Kammer's Ruffles' H: M. Stockman (1968), G: M. & H. Stockman (1977), N: M. & H. Stockman (1982), I: M. & H. Stockman (1982), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1992) Fls 16/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 54 × 76mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, very pale purple (69B), edged 69A and with a vivid yellow (16A) centre, inconspicuous dark greenish yellow (152C, D) spots on lower half of dorsal lobe; outside moderate pur-

plish pink (65A), shading lighter towards base; stamens 11, straight, unequal; style pale yellow; stigma bright red. Calyx 13mm long, pale yellow (19C) and light purple (75B). Pedicels 22mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 108 × 44mm, with wavy margins, mucronate at apex, oblique at base, matt green above, hairless; petioles 16mm long, light green. Shrub 1.1 × 1.5m in 24 years. Mid May

(r) **'Nina Ruge'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mutter Emma' (s) × *irroratum* 'Polka Dot' H: J. Wieting (1984), G: J. Wieting (1991), N: J. Wieting, REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1996) Fls 12-18/conical, compact truss, funnel-shaped, 35-42 × 40-70mm, with 5-6 strongly wavy-edged lobes, buds dark pink, inside opening pink, tinged lilac (outside similar but darker); all lobes speckled dark red and black-red. Calyx 1-2mm long, brown-red. Lvs obovate and elliptic, 65-106 × 34-50mm, flat, matt green above, rounded and mucronate at apex, hairless. Shrub 0.65 × 0.75m in 10 years. Late April-mid May

(a) **'Ninett'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: H.-P. Holz (pre 1996)

(r) **Ninette Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × *makinoi* H: J.B. Stevenson (1930), G: J.B. Stevenson, N: J.B. Stevenson, I: J.B. Stevenson (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear pale pink

(a) **'Ning Po'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (pre 1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, rose pink. Coolidge

(r) **'Ninon de l'Enclos'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Byls (pre 1854), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon rose, spotted. Hardy Hybrid (The 1958 Register also listed an Indian azalea of the same name, but this was probably an error for the rhododendron listed here)

(r) **'Ninotschka'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: H. Hachmann (1970), G: H. Hachmann (1975), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1987), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 15-20/truss, funnel-campanulate, 40-45 × 65-70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63A) in bud, opening strong purplish red (63B) on outside; inside strong purplish pink (63C), unmarked. Calyx 1-2mm long, light reddish green, silvery hairy. Lvs elliptic, 130-145 × 42-50mm, convex, acute at apex, rounded-oblique at base, mid green and glossy above, with a thin, light brownish indumentum below; petioles yellowish green. Shrub 0.6 × 1.0m in 10 years. Late May-early June

(a) **'Niobe'** (Syn. of 'Red Fountain')

(a) **'Niobe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Schulz (1879), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, 70mm wide, white, with a light green blotch. Late. Indian

(r) **'Niobe'** (Syn. of 'Kate Greenaway')

(a) **'Niobe Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, carmine pink. Indian (Probably the same plant also seen listed as 'Pink Niobe')

(r) **'Nip'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cunningham's White' × *caucasicum* R: T.J.R. Seidel (c 1903), N: T.J.R. Seidel (1911), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with yellow spots, three times as large as 'Cunningham's White'

(a) **'Niphetos'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* × 'Fukuju' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, 65-75mm wide, white, with a neva green (strong yellow-green (142A)) blotch and a few phlox purple (strong reddish purple (78B)) stripes. Broad, spreading shrub to 1.5m. Mid-late May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Nippon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* hybrid × unknown (Seidel no. 100) R: D.G. Hobbie (1960) Fls yellow, with a red basal blotch. (Nippon Group)

(r) **Nippon Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* hybrid × unknown (Seidel no. 100) R: D.G. Hobbie (1960)

(r) **'Nippon Compact'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* × un-named seedling (Seidel no. 100) R: D.G. Hobbie (c 1975), N: H. Robenek

(r) **'Nippon-no-haru'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' × *aureum* H: K. Ono (1987), G: K. Ono (1993), N: K. Ono (1994), REG: K. Ono (1994) Fls 8-12/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 30 × 60-70mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, light greenish yellow (3C-D) in bud, opening light greenish yellow (3C-D) inside and out, with a dorsal blotch of green spots. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs 45 × 25mm, margins decurved, rounded at apex, matt green above, with a greenish indumentum below. Shrub 80 × 140mm in 6 years

(r) **'Nirens'** cv. Parentage unknown L: H.A. Hesse (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish rose

(r) **'Nirita'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Midnight' (s) × Carita Group H: K. Van de Ven, G: K. Van de Ven (1983), N: K. Van de Ven, I: K. Van de Ven, REG: K. Van de Ven (1984) Fls 15/truss, campanulate, 50 × 65mm, white, spotted vivid reddish orange (43B). Lvs obovate, 100 × 65mm. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m

(a) **'Niroku-no-iwai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 40-75mm wide, purplish pink. Lvs with white variegated margins. Satsuki

(a) **'Nisei'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Nishiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, deep crimson. Blooms early and late. Foliage dense. Satsuki

(a) **'Nishiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 90-100mm wide, white, with some small, purplish pink flecks and 6, broadly rounded, wavy-edged, overlapping lobes. Early. Satsuki

(a) **'Nishiki-boshi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Nishiki-dan'** (Syn. of 'Kin-dai')

(a) **'Nishiki-den'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan, N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, blotched and spotted crimson. Indian

(a) **'Nishiki-gasane'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan, N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958). Kurume

(a) **'Nishiki-gawa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (1984), N: Japan Fls single, white, striped and streaked red and crimson. Satsuki

(a) **'Nishiki-gi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c50mm wide, white, with light persimmon orange streaks and red stripes; white, red and light red selfs also produced. Satsuki

(a) **'Nishiki-ito'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Nishiki-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white ground with red spots and mottling, or light red ground with darker red spotting. Satsuki

(a) **'Nishiki-no-mori'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan, N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958). Kurume

(a) **'Nishiki-no-yama'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, suffused pale yellowish pink to the white margin, blotch reddish purple and sectored vivid yellowish pink; stamens white; pistil coloured. Satsuki

(r) **'Nissequoque'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* (s) × 'Pygmalion' H: A.A. Raustein (1971), G: A.A. Raustein (1979), N: A.A. Raustein, REG: A.A. Raustein (1983) Fls 10/ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 50 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63B), with prominent dorsal spotting of light yellowish brown (199C) in the throat. Calyx minute, strong yellow-green (144B). Lvs elliptic, 90-140 × 45-75mm, rounded at apex and base, glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 11 years. Mid May

(a) **'Nissho'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Nissho-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls single, 5-lobed, salmon pink, paling in throat, unmarked; filaments and style pink. Lvs lanceolate, hairy

(a) **'Nitens'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1851), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Nitens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1866), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Nitidum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Knight & Perry (pre 1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls delicate pink. Indian (Probably the same plant exhibited by Margottin in 1849 (cf *Revue Horticole* 3: 152 (1849))

(v) **'Niugini Firebird'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* (s) × *javanicum* R: D.B. Stanton, I: G.L.S. Snell, REG: G.L.S. Snell (1985) Fls 8-10/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 30mm, vivid reddish orange (32A), lobes vivid reddish orange (40A). Lvs elliptic, 75 × 45mm. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m

(a) **'Nivale Striatum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. van Geert (1877), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep pink and white, with a yellow blotch. Ghent

(r) **Nivarg Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *niveum* × *grande* L: G. Reuthe Ltd (1929), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls resemble *grande*, but with a pale mauve tinge. (Assumed to represent a Group; see note under 'Queen Alexandra')

(r) **'Nivaticum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a form or hybrid of *ponticum* L: Standish & Noble (1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with yellow spots. Hardy Hybrid (Perhaps raised by Waterer (Bagshot))

(r) **'Nivaticum Superbum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: A. Henderson & Co. (1852), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Niveum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. van Geert (1846), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls snow white. Ghent

(a) **'Niveum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958). Hardy azalea (Perhaps the same plant as the van Geert Ghent azalea of 1846.)

(r) **'Niveum Album'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably an *arboreum* form or hybrid L: A. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. Lvs silky below

(a) **'Niveum Flore Pleno'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Gebr Mardner (pre 1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. Indian

(r) **'Nivosa'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C. Vuylsteke (pre 1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark lake red, with some markings. (If the name is the Latin word meaning 'snowy', the correct form is 'Nivosum'; however the flower colour seems to make this inappropriate)

(r) **'N.N. Sherwood'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Fisher, Son & Sibray (pre 1927), N: Fisher, Son & Sibray, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, with a gold centre

(a) **'Nobile'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1840), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a large truss, milk white, shaded with rose, spotted orange. Ghent (Perhaps the same plant listed by J. van Geert (1835) & J. Verleeuwen (1835))

(a) **'Nobile'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep salmon red, with an orange dorsal lobe. Ghent

(a) **'Nobile'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: France (1871), INC: ICRA (1958) (Cultivated by Keteleer, cf. *Revue Horticole* 1871, p.472)

(r) **'Nobile'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark shaded crimson, spotted (Veitch); fls rose, lvs silky below (A. Leroy, 1868). (May be a variant of *arboreum*)

(a) **'Nobile Novum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1866), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Nobilissimum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1886), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, large, white with a blotch that is at first yellowish and ages to pale green. Indian (Probably the same plant listed by Rovelli (1874))

(r) **'Nobilissimum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: A. Henderson & Co. (1852), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Nobility'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' × 'Willy' (s) × 'Mrs Carmichael' × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 1-3/truss, 55-65mm wide, pale rose purple (moderate purplish pink (186D)), with irregular white margins, a heavy blotch of rosolane purple (moderate purplish red (78A)) dots and an occasional stripe of liseran purple (light purple (78C)). Broad, spreading shrub to 1.2m tall. Mid-late May. Glenn Dale

(v) **'Nobilius'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *javanicum* var. *javanicum* × *javanicum* var. *teysmannii* I: J. Veitch & Sons (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, deep golden yellow. AM 1896

(r) **Nobleanum Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* (s) × *arboreum* N: Waterer (Knap Hill) (c 1835), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12-20/compact truss, funnel-shaped to funnel-campanulate, 50mm or more wide, deep crimson to light pink, bicoloured or white; some speckling present. Lvs elliptic, oblong or oblanceolate, 125-175mm long, dull, mid to dark green above, with a thin, brown or burnished silver indumentum below. Variable in habit. Winter-early spring. This description covers the Group in general. (The original 'Nobleanum' was a particular seedling (see Bean, 8th edn., pp 881-882 (1976)) but the name soon became used in a collective sense and this is accepted here. Botanically *R.* × *pulcherrimum* Lindley is the earliest name for this cross, but the better known and widely used Nobleanum Group is accepted here)

(r) **Nobleanum Album Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* (s) × *arboreum* INC: ICRA (1958) White flowered selections from the Nobleanum Group, which have arisen many times. Bean (8th edn, 1976) describes the commonest form as having rather small fls with greenish yellow spotting, and with narrow leaves

(r) **'Nobleanum Bicolor'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (s) × Altaclerense Group R: Standish & Noble, N: Standish & Noble, I: Standish & Noble (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rose, with a white throat

(r) **'Nobleanum Coccineum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* (s) × *arboreum* L: Standish & Noble (1853), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c12/truss, campanulate, 40 × 35-45mm, bright scarlet, with a few dark crimson spots. Calyx very small. Lvs obovate-lanceolate, 70-120 × 20-40mm, dull, dark green above, with a thin golden brown felt below. Large shrub. Syn: 'Coccineum' (Nobleanum Group)

(r) **'Nobleanum Lamellen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* 'Stramineum' (s) × *arboreum* (blood red form) R: E.J.P. Magor (1921), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1932), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rose pink. Syn: 'Lamellen' (Nobleanum Group)

(r) **'Nobleanum Rubrum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Nobleanum Silberaad's Early'** (Syn. of 'Silberaad's Early Pink')

(r) **'Nobleanum Superbum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet. Very dwarf shrub. Very early

(r) **'Nobleanum Venustum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* × *arboreum* H: W. Smith (c 1829), G: W. Smith (1835), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 20/compact truss, funnel-shaped, 45 × 60-70mm, glistening pink, shading to a white centre, with a small pattern of dark crimson markings at the base of the dorsal lobe; nectaries crimson. Calyx very small. Lvs oblanceolate, up to 160 × 25-35mm, dull green above, with a thin, brown undumentum below. Large shrub, flowering from December or later. Syn: 'Venustum' (Nobleanum Group. This description covers the commonly grown plant under this name, but this does not represent the original selection, which may no longer be in cultivation and has become confused (see Bean, 8th edn, pp 881-882 (1976)). This application is accepted here)

(a) **'Noble Belgique'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Bijou de Paris' I: J. Vervaene (pre 1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, edged white, with rose dots and with lines and stripes of red. Indian

(r) **'Noble Fountain'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1994)

(r) **'Nobleman'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alandale' × 'Nova Zembla' H: Scott Arboretum (1962), G: Scott Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister

(r) **'Noble Mountain'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Rodeo' H: F. Peste (1979), G: F. & L. Peste (1984), N: L. Peste, REG: S.P. Johnston (1986) Fls 15/domed truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 52 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63B) in bud, opening moderate purplish pink (62B), dorsal lobe with a blotch, 38 × 25mm, of dark red (59A), outside with some strong purplish red (63B) striping.

Calyx very small, coloured as corolla. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 114 × 32mm, dull, moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (146C) below, hairless. Shrub 0.38 × 0.51m in 6 years. Early May

(r) **'Noblesse'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marquis of Waterford' (s) × un-named seedling (brownish red fls) H: B. & M. Shapiro (1968), G: B. & M. Shapiro, N: B. & M. Shapiro, REG: B. & M. Shapiro (1993) Fls 12-16/tall, domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 57 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish red (61A) in bud, opening strong purplish red (64C) at margins and shading to pale purplish pink (65D) in centre, with strong orange-yellow (163B) spotting on dorsal lobe. Calyx 1-2mm long, very light green. Lvs elliptic, 127 × 51mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.8m in 25 years. Late May-early June. Syn: 'Largesse'

(a) **'Nobotan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(r) **'Nobue'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* × *catawbiense* (s) × *yakushimanum* × 'Gold Mohur' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls shades of pink. Medium-sized shrub. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Noces d'Argent'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: E. Pynaert (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, silvery white, with very broad, wavy-edged lobes and occasional, narrow, carmine stripes. Lvs large, dark green. Indian

(a) **'Nocturnal Bliss'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Aishifu' (s) × 'Debonaire' R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls single, 2/truss, 65mm wide, light orchid pink, with a white centre and occasional purple stripes; some white selfs or an occasional purple/white bicolor. Mid May. (First published in Holly Springs cat., 1990)

(a) **'Nocturne'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 75mm wide, between rhodamine purple (vivid reddish purple (74A)) and aster purple (deep purplish red (71A)), with a tyrian rose (vivid purplish red (57B)) blotch and scarlet (vivid reddish orange (33A)) tube. Broad, spreading shrub to 1.5m tall. Early-mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **Nocturne Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Laura Aberconway Group × Loderi Group H: Lord Aberconway (1937), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(r) **'Nodding Bells'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: red-flowered *catawbiense* hybrid (s) × *forrestii* Repens Group × *griersonianum* H: E. Amateis (pre 1978) Fls campanulate, cherry red. Spreading shrub with outer branches arching downwards, 0.6m in 10 years. Late April

(a) **'Noël'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Sander (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, orange. Indian

(a) **'Noël'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, salmon red. Flowering at Christmas. Indian. (Perhaps the same plant listed earlie by Sanders, *q.v.*)

(a) **'Noel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: H. Kerrigan (pre 1987), N: H. Kerrigan Fls double, white. Early

(r) **'Noel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'El Alamein' × *makinoi* R: H. Nosbüsch, N: H. Nosbüsch (1983) Fls white, pale red in the throat and with red markings. Lvs very long and narrow

(a) **'Noel Archer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Goyet' (s) × 'Splendens' H: E.W. Jordan (1989), G: E.W. Jordan (1993), N: E.W. Jordan (1993), REG: E.W. Jordan (1997) Fls 3/truss, similar to 'Splendens', tubular funnel-shaped, 90mm wide, with 5 flat-edged lobes, vivid reddish orange (43B) in bud, opening vivid reddish orange (43B) throughout, unspotted. Lvs elliptic, 57 × 15mm, flat, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, ciliate. Upright shrub, 0.75 × 0.3m in 7 years. February (Australia)

(r) **'Noele Boulter'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor Stocker' (s) × Cornubia Group H: V.J. Boulter, G: V.J. Boulter (1958), N: V.J. Boulter (1962), I: V.J. Boulter, REG: V.J. Boulter (1962) Fls 10-14/truss, funnel-campanulate, neyron rose (623-623/3) in bud, stained ruby red (827) in the throat. Lvs 140 × 44mm. Shrub 0.9m tall

(r) **'Noel's Glow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alpine Glow' × *irroratum* 'Polka Dot' H: N. Sullivan (1985), G: A. & E. Weeks (1991), N: A. & E. Weeks (1992), REG: N. Sullivan (1992) Fls 13/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 30 × 70mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, buds pale purplish pink (56B), opening white inside and out, with a narrow line of red dots along each lobe (extending from base of corolla tube to lobe apex). Lvs ovate, 130 × 40mm, margins wavy, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 6 years. September (Tasmania)

(r) **'Nofretete'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'El Alamein' (s) × *insigne* R: W. Bruns, N: W. Bruns, I: J. Bruns Nursery (1961) Fls in a compact truss, bright red, white in centre, with dark red spotting on the dorsal lobe and solid red markings at base of throat. Lvs elliptic, dark green. Very compact shrub 1.2 × 2.0m

(a) **'No Greater Thrill'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, soft pink with a small, golden orange flare; stamens red; scented. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Mid-late June

(r) **'Noh-hime'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *makinoi* G: I. Takahashi (1992), S: I. Takahashi (1985), N: S. Saito (1992), REG: S. Saito (1999) Fls

double, 10-15/flat truss, 30-50mm wide, broadly campanulate to almost saucer-shaped, with 5 slightly waved lobes in outer whorl (with numerous petaloid stamens), moderate purplish red (58A) in bud, opening vivid red (57A) with dark, dorsal spotting. Lvs very narrowly elliptic, 100 × 10-20mm, flat, acute at apex, with a greenish white (192D) indumentum below which ages to vivid yellowish green. Shrub 40 × 30cm in 10 years. Mid May. (Published under the unacceptable name 'Hi-ho' in *Bull. Jap. Rhodo. Soc.*, 1995. Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 00210703))

(r) **'Noila'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marion' (Cheal) (s) × 'Lilac Time' H: V.J. Boulter, G: V.J. Boulter (1960), N: V.J. Boulter, REG: V.J. Boulter (1964) Fls 20/truss, funnel-shaped, 75mm wide, fuchsine pink (627/3), heavily spotted with yellow on dorsal lobes. Shrub 1.2m

(a) **'Nola'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Linda Jean' × 'Springtime' R: Greenwood Gardens (pre 1985), N: Greenwood Gardens Fls double, 40mm wide, light purplish pink (62C). Erect habit. Midseason

(a) **'Nolan's Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling of unknown parentage R: Dodd (1983), N: Dodd Fls 50mm wide, deep pink. Lvs 65mm long, light green

(a) **'Nola Robbins'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: M.E. Greentree (pre 1977), N: M.E. Greentree Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, rich pink. Kurume

(a) **'Nome'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hinomayo' (s) × 'Kirin' H: Deerfield Nurseries (pre 1941), G: Deerfield Nurseries, N: Deerfield Nurseries, I: Deerfield Nurseries (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, pink. Midseason. Kurume

(a) **'Nomiya'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum* × Kurume azalea L: K. Wada, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale red. Kurume

(r) **'Nonesuch'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* Roylei Group (s) × *maddenii* R: G.M. Adams-Acton, N: G.M. Adams-Acton, I: G.M. Adams-Acton, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale apricot, fading to cream

(r) **'Noni C'** cv. Parentage unknown H: R.W. Clark (pre 1980)

(a) **'Non Pareil'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: E. van der Cruyssen, N: E. van der Cruyssen, I: E. van der Cruyssen (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale orange, edged white, dorsal lobes with a chocolate brown blotch (1958 Register); white, ribboned with rose, spotted crimson (L. van Houtte cat., 1870). Indian (Two different plants may be involved)

(a) **'Non Plus Ultra'** (Syn. of 'Nec Plus Ultra')

(a) **'Noorderlicht'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, red. Indian

(a) **'Noordtianum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown, but closely related to *mucronatum* R: P. van Noordt & Sons (c 1904), N: P. van Noordt & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, white, often sporting to mauve or pink, or striped purplish red. Calyx lobes 20mm long, narrow, acute. Syn: 'Ledifolium Noordtianum'

(a) **'Noordtianum Roseum'** (A cultivar of this name is listed by Galle (1987), but its relationship to 'Noordtianum' is unclear. It may be synonymous)

(r) **'Noorook'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marion' × *neriiflorum* H: V.J. Boulter, G: V.J. Boulter (1965), N: V.J. Boulter, I: V.J. Boulter (1971), REG: V.J. Boulter (1971) Fls 15-20/truss, funnel-campanulate, deep yellowish pink (46D) with overall light spotting. Lvs 125 × 37mm, dull green. Shrub 0.6m

(a) **'Nora'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C.B. van Nes & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red. Kaempferi

(r) **'Norah'** cv. Parentage unknown R: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1931), N: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush, margined pale cerise

(a) **'Nora Lee'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear salmon. Low shrub. Indian

(a) **'Norbert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* × *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* R: J.B. Gable, N: O.S. Pride (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon red. (Mis-spelt as 'Narbert' in 1958 Register)

(a) **'Norbert Cornelissen'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1871), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large trusses, bright nankeen yellow, spotted with deep orange. Ghent

(az) **Norbiton Group** gp Azaleodendron: some at least were *ponticum* × *maximum* × *molle* subsp. *molle* Yellowed-flowered, evergreen shrubs raised in the 1830s. Many were subsequently considered of poor constitution and of to have sparse foliage. 'Broughtonii Aureum' and 'Smithii Aureum' are still grown

(az) **'Norbitonense'** (Syn. of 'Smithii Aureum')

(az) **'Norbitonense Aureum'** (Syn. of 'Smithii Aureum')

(az) **'Norbitonense Broughtonianum'** (Syn. of 'Broughtonii Aureum')

(r) **'Norcliffe Scarlet'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R.H. Greg (c 1850), N: R.H. Greg, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **Norderney Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Essex Scarlet' (s) × *williamsianum* R: D.G. Hobbie (pre 1945), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rose

(a) **'Nordia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Rubinstern' (s) × 'Red Pimpernel' × 'Kermesinum' (Used as a parent by Hachmann (eg 'Tornella'), 1970s)

(a) **'Nordlicht'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vuyk's Scarlet' (s) × 'Aladdin' H: H. Hachmann (1963), G: H. Hachmann (1966), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1977),

REG: G. Stück (1983) Fls 2-4/truss, 35-38 × 50mm, 5-lobed, moderate red (47A), sometimes with darker marks. Calyx 3-4mm long, green, silvery hairy. Lvs 32-35 × 17-24mm. Shrub 0.5-0.6m

(a) **'Nordlicht'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Hellmut Vogel' I: W. Bormann & H. Schoemann (1981) Fls strong red (53C); otherwise similar to parent. Indian

(a) **'Nordri'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Rubinstern' (s) × 'Rubinetta' H: H. Hachmann (1968), G: H. Hachmann (1971), N: H. Hachmann (1991), I: H. Hachmann (1992), REG: G. Stück (1994) Fls more-or-less hose-in-hose, 4-5/truss, funnel-shaped, 20-25 × 35mm, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (61D) throughout, slightly tinged with vivid purplish red (61C), not fading, un-marked; filaments 6. Calyx 16-20mm long, deep purplish pink (61D). Lvs elliptic-ovate, 10-15 × 4-9mm, flat, glossy and mid green above, with silvery hairs. Shrub 0.5 × 0.8m in 10 years. Late May-mid June. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1993/94)

(r) **'Noreaster'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* seedling × unknown H: E.V. Mezitt (1950), G: Weston Nurseries (1954), N: Weston Nurseries, I: Weston Nurseries, REG: Weston Nurseries (1987) Fls 13-18/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 38 × 38mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, yellowish white (155D). Calyx 1.6mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 102-127 × 51mm, flat/convex, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 8 years. Mid-late May

(a) **'Noreen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: orange-flowered form of *indicum* (s) × 'Azuma-shibori' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 2-5/truss, 45-50mm wide, deeper than rose pink (light purplish pink (73C)), with a mallow purple (strong reddish purple (72C)) blotch; anthers almost black. Spreading shrub to 1.5m tall. Late April. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Noreen Beamish'** (Syn. of 'Miss Noreen Beamish')

(r) **'Norfolk Candy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Milkmaid' × 'Marmora' R: J.P.C. Russell, N: J.P.C. Russell, REG: J.P.C. Russell (1971) Fls pale yellow (20D), with a brown-orange blotch

(r) **'Norfolk Johnny'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Malabar' (s) × 'Spanish Galleon' H: J.P.C. Russell (1966), G: J.P.C. Russell (1976), N: J.P.C. Russell, I: J.P.C. Russell (1983), REG: J.P.C. Russell (1983) Fls 9-10/truss, 50 × 87mm, 6-lobed, vivid yellow (9B), deepening on dorsal lobe to vivid yellow (9A); dorsal spotting of rich crimson, deepening in throat. Calyx 3mm long, greenish yellow, edged red. Lvs 160 × 55mm, hairless. Shrub c1.5m in 27 years

(a) **'Noriko'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from Aronense Group R: W. Arends (pre 1960) Fls semi-double, carmine. Bronze autumn foliage. Syn: 'Geisha Karmin' (Aronense Group)

(r) **'Norlen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × *yakushimanum* H: M.E. Hall (1968), G: M.E. Hall (1972), N: M.E. Hall, I: M.E. Hall, REG: M.E. Hall (1980) Fls 20/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 50mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, opening moderate yellowish pink (38B) with peppermint stripes down centre of lobes, fading to white; anthers conspicuously coloured. Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 150 × 50mm, acute at apex, cuneate to rounded at base, slightly glossy green above, with a moderate amount of a light yellow (160B) indumentum below, ageing to moderate orange-yellow (164B). Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years. Mid May

(a) **'Norma'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. Smet, I: C. Vuylsteke (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, flesh pink, shaded rose (many early descriptions), or more distinctly salmon pink (ie more orange). Descriptions differ, more than one plant may have been involved. *AM 1959, AM 1891. Rustica (The AM 1959 plant was described as reddish orange (618/2), suffused deep pink (621/1) at edges, the AM 1891 plant (exhibited as '*mollis* fl.pl.') as having rich orange, double flowers)

(a) **'Norma'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark red, with a strong blotch. Indian

(a) **'Norma'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: P.M. Koster, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 65mm wide, violet red, with a lighter throat and a darker blotch. Kaempferi

(a) **'Norma'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Sunningdale Nurseries (pre 1997) Described as a rather small-flowered plant, with soft, deep salmon pink fls, the orange-yellow flare with a darker line; stamens more vividly coloured. Ghent (Said "not to be confused with the Rustica..." bearing this name)

(r) **'Norma'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, shaded pink (1958 Register); a plant cultivated since 1892 in the Arnold Arboretum (USA) has fls in a dense, rounded truss, strong reddish purple (3.5RP 4/15), marked greenish (reported in 1970)

(r) **'Norma Cleary'** cv. Parentage unknown H: P. Newberry (pre 1980)

(r) **'Norma Hodge'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: unknown hybrid × Fabia Group H: E. Langton, G: R.C. Rhodes, N: R.C. Rhodes, I: R.C. Rhodes (1978), REG: R.C. Rhodes (1979) Fls 8/truss, 70 × 80-100mm, 7-lobed, deep to strong pink (48A-D), with a basal blotch of moderate red/strong red (181A/46A), radiating in a spotted flare of moderate red (47A) on four dorsal lobes; stigma light yellow-green (145B). Calyx 10-20mm long, irregular, strong pink (48C). Lvs 90 × 85mm. Low, spreading shrub, 1.0 × 1.5m in 10 years

(a) **'Normale'** (Syn. of 'Hatsu-giri')

(r) **'Norman Behring'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nova Zembla' × 'Pink Parasol' H: R. Behring (1974), G: R. Behring (1982), N: R. Behring, REG: R. Behring (1986) Fls 18/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (73C) with 1mm wide strong purplish pink (73B) edging, brilliant greenish yellow (1B) dorsal spotting and with 74B ribs externally. Calyx 1mm long, light yellow-green (145C). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 80 × 30mm, flat, acute to obtuse at apex, cuneate to rounded at base, dull, moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (147D) below, with a brownish orange (165B) indumentum on mature leaves. Shrub 0.5 × 0.3m in 10 years. Early June

(r) **'Norman Colville'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *calophytum* × *rex* subsp. *arizelum* H: N.R. Colville (1954), G: N.R. Colville, I: Mrs N.R. Colville, REG: Mrs N.R. Colville (1979) Fls 16-18/rounded truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, up to 50 × 50mm, 5-lobed, white, with a dark red (187A) blotch in the dorsal throat. Calyx rudimentary, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, up to 200 × 70mm, dark green above, brown felted below. AM 1979

(a) **'Normandie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown G: Germany (c 1970)

(r) **'Normandy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Newburyport Beauty' (s) × 'Newburyport Belle' H: D.G. Leach (1968), G: D.G. Leach (1975), N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1983), REG: D.G. Leach (1983) Fls 17/truss, open funnel-shaped, c45 × 70mm, 5-6-lobed, light purplish pink (73C), flushed deep purplish pink (73A) at edges, with dorsal spotting of strong orange-yellow (24B). Calyx lobes up to 1.5mm long, pink. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 55mm, moderate olive green (146A), bullate. Shrub 1.5m in 15 years

(r) **'Norman Gill'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Beauty of Tremough Group (s) × *griffithianum* R: R. Gill & Sons (pre 1922), N: R. Gill & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 9-11/compact truss, saucer-shaped, lobes 50-60mm long, white, flushed pink, with a dark blotch. Calyx 4-5mm long, red. Lvs oblong-lanceolate, 100-140 × 50-60mm, dark green above. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. AM 1922, *AM 1936

(r) **'Norman Shaw'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × 'B. de Bruin' R: L. de Rothschild (1919), N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1926), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rich pink. Tall shrub. Late June-early July. AM 1926 (Norman Shaw Group)

(r) **Norman Shaw Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × 'B. de Bruin' R: L. de Rothschild (1919), N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1926), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Norman Todd'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *macabeanum*, open-pollinated G: H. Vaartnou (1975), S: H. Vaartnou (1975), N: H. Vaartnou, REG: H. Vaartnou (1993) Fls 15-20/ball truss, open campanulate, 76 × 89mm, with 5-7 smooth-edged lobes, red in bud, opening strong purplish pink (63C) shading to very pale purple (69C); stamens 15, straight, unequal. Calyx 3mm long, red. Pedicels 13mm long, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 229 × 76mm, flat, acute at apex, rounded at base, dull green and hairless above, with a felted indumentum below (fawn when young, ageing to grey); petioles 38mm long, light green. Shrub 3.0 × 2.4m in c20 years. March

(r) **'Norrie King'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs G.W. Leak' (s) × pink form of *decorum*, known in New Zealand as "Decorum Pink" H: Mrs L.M. King (1952), G: H.W. King, N: H.W. King, I: H.W. King (c 1954), REG: S.M. King (1984) Fls 12-15/truss, 55 × 80mm, 5-lobed, fuchsine pink (627/2), a maroon flare and spots fill half the dorsal lobe. Lvs ovate-elliptic, 140 × 50mm, hairless. Shrub to 3.0m in 20 years

(r) **'Norseman'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: H. Lem, G: H. Lem (1964), N: J.A. Elliott, I: J.A. Elliott (1972), REG: J.A. Elliott (1974) Fls 12-15/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, 5-lobed, deep pink (52B), vivid reddish orange (43B) in the throat. Calyx reduced to a rim, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 130 × 40mm, dark green above, hairless. New growth flushed maroon. Shrub 0.8 × 0.6m in 7 years. Early June

(a) **'North Carolina Red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* hybrid R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls deep pink

(a) **'North Carolina White'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* hybrid R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls 50mm wide, white. Similar to 'Delaware Valley White'

(r) **'North Cliff'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague' H: F. Peste (1979), G: F. & L. Peste, N: L. Peste, REG: S.P. Johnston (1986) Fls 12/domed truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 44 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (55A) in bud, opening light purplish pink (55C), with a 6mm edging of strong purplish pink (55B) tinged 55A, light spotting of strong red (53B) on dorsal lobe, and vein-like striping of strong purplish red (54A) on outside of each lobe. Lvs broadly elliptic, 108 × 35mm, moderate olive green (147A) above, with a moderate yellow (161A), woolly indumentum on young leaves. Shrub 0.38 × 0.51m in 6 years. Mid May

(r) **'Northern Belle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tortoiseshell Wonder' (s) × 'Mrs Betty Robertson' H: D.J. Dosser (1990), G: D.J. Dosser, N: D.J. Dosser (2002), REG: D.J. Dosser (2002) Fls 13/loosely domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 95 × 50mm, with 7 very wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (52B) in bud, opening inside light orange (29B), outside strong pink (54C); 3 dorsal lobes with slight spotting. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 50mm, wavy-edged, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base. Shrub 2.0 × 2.0m in 12 years. November (Tasmania). (Standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0038783))

(r) **'Northern Comfort'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *R.* × *nikomontanum* (s) × 'Purple Splendour' H: B. & M. Shapiro (1967), G: B. & M. Shapiro, N: B. & M. Shapiro, REG: B. & M. Shapiro (1995) Fls 17-19/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 60mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (73A) in bud, opening inside nearly white, with two flares of sparse, strong reddish purple (72C), dorsal spotting; outside midribs and base light purplish pink (73C) to very pale purple (73D); moderately scented. Calyx c1mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 121 × 51mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded to slightly oblique at base, moderate olive green (147A) above, with very sparse, short, white hairs on upper surface when young. Shrub 1.9 × 2.3m in 28 years. Late May

(a) **'Northern Hi-Lights'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *atlanticum* hybrid × unidentified Exbury (ie Knap Hill) hybrid H: Minnesota Landscape Arboretum (1978), G: Minnesota Landscape Arboretum (1981), N: Minnesota Landscape Arboretum, I: Minnesota Landscape Arboretum, REG: Minnesota Landscape Arboretum (1991) Fls 7-10/ball truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 35 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale yellow (11D). ageing to yellowish white (155D) and with a vivid yellow (17B) blotch on the dorsal lobe; moderately scented. Lvs obovate, 64 × 25mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, moderately hairy above. Shrub 1.1 × 1.2m in 12 years. Late May

(a) **Northern Lights Group** gp Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: H. Pellett (pre 1988)

(r) **'Northern Lights'** (Syn. of 'Arctic Glow')

(r) **'Northern Rover'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *venator* (s) × 'Doncaster' I: T.C. Thacker (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blood red

(r) **'Northern Star'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × 'Lodauric Iceberg' R: Hydon Nurseries, N: Hydon Nurseries, REG: Hydon Nurseries (1966) Fls 15/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 7-lobed, white, with a greenish throat and cinnamon-coloured anthers. Large, compact shrub

(r) **'Northern Starburst'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: compact selection from PJM Group, treated (1987) with colchicine G: Briggs Nursery (1992), N: Briggs Nursery (1996), REG: Briggs Nursery (1996) Fls 4-5/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purple (77B) inside and out, fading to light purple (77C) in centre; stamens 10, curved, unequal. Pedicels c15mm long, light yellow-green (144D). Lvs elliptic, 50-65 × 25-30mm, margins slightly decurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, with brown scales, dark greyish reddish brown (200A) in winter; petioles c5mm long, scaly, strong yellow-green (144A). Shrub 0.45 × 0.4m in 2 years. Mid March. Tetraploid (confirmed), with heavier flower and leaf texture, thicker stems, slightly deeper colour and larger flowers than untreated plants

(a) **'Northland'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* hybrid × 'Snow' R: USDA, N: USDA, Beltsville (1960), I: USDA, Beltsville (1960), REG: USDA, Beltsville (1961) Fls 2/truss, 45mm wide, lobes crenate, white. (Derived from the work of G.E. Yerkes & R.L. Pryor)

(a) **'North Pole'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Linda Jean' × 'Springtime' (Kurume) H: W.L. Guttormsen (1975), G: W.L. Guttormsen (1979), N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen (c 1983), REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1985) Fls 2-3/truss, semi-double and hose-in-hose (5+5-lobed, plus some petaloid stamens), tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, white. Calyx 45mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 25-30 × 10-17mm, more-or-less moderate olive green (146A), glossy, hairy. Shrub 0.45 × 0.8m in 6 years. Late May

(a) **'North Star'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Sander (c 1885), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep scarlet. Sander

(a) **'North Tisbury Orange'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: T. Rokujo, G: Mrs J.W. Hill (pre 1987) Fls reddish orange. Very dwarf, compact shrub

(a) **'Nosegay'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1847), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lavender pink. Ghent

(r) **'Nosegay'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, rose scarlet. Shrub c3.0m

(a) **'Notabile'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1835), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(r) **'Notabile'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose. Hardy Hybrid

(az) **'Notabile'** cv. Azaleodendron: unknown rhododendron × *molle* subsp. *molle* R: W. Smith (pre 1851), N: W. Smith, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow. (Norbiton Group)

(r) **'Notaire'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy pink, with a dark dorsal blotch. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Notaire Beaucarne'** cv. Parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1877), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls delicate lilac rose, deeply spotted. Hardy Hybrid (Sometimes listed incorrectly as 'Notaire Beaucarse')

(a) **'Notaire Carmiaux'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1900), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, salmon. Indian

(a) **'Notaire Moens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1876), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark carmine rose. Indian

(r) **'Notaire Moens'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C. Vuylsteke (pre 1894), N: C. Vuylsteke, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine red, with a few markings

(a) **'Notaris Wille'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rose. Indian

(r) **'Nottcutbrachy'** cv. Parentage unknown L: USA (1985) (Probably the plant also listed as 'Brachynottcutt')

(r) **'Not Too Bee'** (Syn. of 'Wee Bee')

(az) **'Nou-beni-gane'** cv. Azaleodendron: *campylogynum* Myrtilloides Group (s) × 'Tai-yoh' H: M. Hatori (1988), G: M. Hatori (1992), N: M. Hatori (1992), I: M. Hatori, REG: M. Hatori (1997) Fls 2-6/lax truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 25 × 30mm, with 5 smooth-edged, or only very slightly wavy-edged lobes, moderate to strong purplish red (64A-B) throughout, with a slightly darker blotch on dorsal side. Calyx 6-9mm long, green. Lvs 20-40 × 8-15mm, flat, glossy above, moderate yellow-green (137C) above when mature, hairy above, and with minute scales above and below. Shrub 45 × 40cm in 8 years

(r) **'Nova Zembla'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Parsons' Grandiflorum' (s) × an unknown, hardy, red hybrid H: M. Koster & Sons (1902), G: M. Koster & Sons, N: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright red, with black markings. Lvs elliptic, glossy, dark green. Shrub to over 2.5m

(a) **'Novelty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Ivery (1858), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red, with violet shadows. Indian

(a) **'Novelty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × 'Kagetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 50mm wide, white, with a chartreuse blotch, lightly shaded and with a few stripes of phlox purple (strong reddish purple (78B)). Shrub to 1.2m. Early-mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Novelty'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R. Veitch & Son (pre 1867), N: R. Veitch & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls shaded deep lilac

(r) **'Novelty'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, edged white

(a) **'November Beauty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1913), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rose; colouring like 'Madame van der Cruyssen'. Indian

(a) **'Novita Antilescens'** (Syn. of 'Novita Antecellens')

(a) **'Novitas Antecellens'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: T.J. Seidel (1846), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls shaded deep pink (Veitch, 1867). Ghent (Alternative versions are legion and the following are believed to represent this cultivar: 'Novita Antilescens' (J. Verleeuwen, 1835), 'Novitata Anticella' (R. Veitch, 1867), 'Novitasante Excellens' (Waterer (Bagshot), 1865), 'Novitata' (L. Leroy, 1868))

(a) **'Novitasante Excellens'** (Syn. of 'Novitas Antecellens')

(a) **'Novitata'** (Syn. of 'Novitas Antecellens')

(a) **'Novitata Anticella'** (Syn. of 'Novitas Antecellens')

(a) **'Novum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: presumably a selection from *calendulaceum* L: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as "Calendulaceum Novum")

(r) **'No Way'** cv. Elepidote/Lepidote cross: 'Boule de Neige', selfed (s) × *flavidum* × Lady Rosebery Group H: D.L. Hinerman, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls pale yellow (18C), with a strong red (53C) flare and strong red (53C) dorsal spots. Medium-sized shrub. (A rare lepidote/elepidote hybrid. First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'No Wonder'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: (*maximum* × *yakushimanum* × 'Adele's Yellow' (s) × 'Stokes Bronze Wings' × 'Adele's Yellow' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls deep pink (51B, C) and moderate pink (51D) in bud, opening yellowish white (158D) with strong yellow-green (143B) dorsal spots; filaments yellowish white (155D); style pale yellow-green (155A); anthers moderate yellowish pink (39C); stigma moderate reddish orange (42D). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Noyo Brave'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Noyo Chief' × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: C.C. Smith (1963), G: C.C. Smith, N: C.C. Smith, I: C.C. Smith (1976), REG: C.C. Smith (1977) Fls up to 22/ball truss, open campanulate, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, 65mm wide, inside vivid reddish orange (40B), outside vivid reddish orange (40A), fading with age, with a 7mm, dorsal blotch of a radiant red. Calyx c1.5mm long, pale green. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 50mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and darker than dark yellowish green (189A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 1.4m in 12 years. Early May

(r) **'Noyo Chief'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* subsp. *nilagiricum* hybrid N: P.J. Bowman, REG: P.J. Bowman (1965) Fls up to 16/compact truss, broadly campanulate, 50 × 65mm, rose red (724). Lvs elliptic, up to 175 × 55mm, with a plastered, fawn indumentum below, parsley green, very glossy and slightly bullate above. Shrub to 3.0 × 3.0m in 10 years. Mid March. (Plant bought by Bowman in 1952 from L.E. Brandt, who had it from Reuthe in 1945)

(r) **'Noyo Dream'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × *arboreum* H: E.W. Moyles (1977), G: P. Schick/D. Spini (1984), N: D. Spini, I: W.E. Fee, REG: E. Philp (1999) Fls 19/ball truss, open campanulate, 40 × 50mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (57B) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (55A). Calyx c3mm long. Lvs obovate, 100 × 50mm, flat, dull green above, with a felted, dark greyish yellow (199D) indumentum below. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in 14 years. January-February

(a) **'Noyo Lilac'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Fedora', selfed R: P.B. Cornell, N: P.B. Cornell, I: P.B. Cornell (c 1960) Fls single, 40mm wide, deep purplish pink (64D). Upright habit. Midseason. Indian

(r) **'Noyo Maiden'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' (s) × 'Noyo Chief' H: C.C. Smith (1962), G: C.C. Smith, N: C.C. Smith, I: C.C. Smith, REG: C.C. Smith (1983) Fls 15-19/truss, open campanulate, 50 × 65mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, clear pink in bud, opening white (155C), unmarked. Calyx minute, cream. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 100 × 40mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins downcurved, glossy above, dark green (135A), with a heavy, felt-like, moderate orange-yellow (165C) indumentum below. Young growth silvery tomentose. Shrub 1.2 × 1.8m in 18 years. Mid-late April

(a) **'Noyo Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Alaska' × 'Twenty Grand' R: P.B. Cornell (1952), N: P.B. Cornell, I: P.B. Cornell, REG: P.B. Cornell (1964) Fls single, 2/truss, hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, rose opal (022/3). Lvs 40 × 13mm. Erect shrub, 1.5m tall in 11 years. Midseason. Indian

(a) **'Noyo Rose'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Miss Cottage Garden' × 'Fedora' R: P.B. Cornell, N: P.B. Cornell, I: P.B. Cornell (c 1960) Fls single, 75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, cherry red (722/3). Spreading habit. Early. Indian

(r) **'Noyo Snow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × *arboreum* H: E.W. Moyles, G: C.W. Richards, N: E. Philp, I: C.W. Richards, REG: E. Philp (2000) Fls 10-17/ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 55 × 75mm, with mostly 7 wavy-edged lobes, buds shading from strong purplish pink (55B) at apex to pale purplish pink (56C) at base, opening inside pale purplish pink (65D) at the edge and fading to yellowish white (155D) at the centre, with a light yellow-green (150D) dorsal blotch; outside yellowish white (155D) when fully mature. Calyx 3-6mm long, pale yellow-green (149D). Lvs oblong, 100 × 35mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, margins downcurved, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, sparsely hairy above and below when young, but only below when mature (hairs yellowish white (196D) at first, ageing to pale yellow (161C)). Shrub 0.6 × 0.7m in 7 years. Midseason

(r) **'Nuance'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (white-flowered) (s) × (*neriiflorum* × *dichroanthum*) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* H: D.G. Leach (1952), G: D.G. Leach (1959), N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1968), REG: D.G. Leach (1973) Fls up to 14/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 70mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, pale orange-yellow (7.5YR 10/4), broadly suffused around edge with strong purplish pink (5RP 7/9), with bold dorsal and some lateral spotting of greenish yellow (7.5Y 7/9). Calyx minute, yellow. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 50mm, apiculate at apex, subcordate at base, mid green, hairless. Shrub 0.5 × 0.6m in 4 years. Late

(r) **'Nubar'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Aurora Group × *campylocarpum* I: E. de Rothschild (1981), REG: E. de Rothschild (1981) Fls 40 × 80mm, deep pink (51C) in bud, opening light yellow-green (150D), deepening to brilliant yellow-green (154C), with strong red (50A) speckles on dorsal part. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic-ovate, acute at apex, cordate at base, hairless

(r) **'Nubelle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: F5 derivative of 'Newport' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls deep to strong purplish red (71A, B, C, D) in bud, opening strong purplish red (71C) with a white flare on three dorsal lobes and with vivid yellow-green (154A) dorsal spots. Tall shrub. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Nubian'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' × 'Willy' (s) × 'Mrs Carmichael' × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, 40mm wide, pomegranate purple (strong red (53B)), with a bordeaux (dark red (187B)) blotch (the effect being dark brownish red with purple shadings); colour fades with age. Low-growing shrub to 1.0m. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Nuccio's All Aglow'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1994) Fls large, single, with wavy-edged lobes, orange-red, shading to a buff to white centre. Spreading shrub

(a) **'Nuccio's Allegro'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Avenir' × 'Hexe' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1970) Fls semi-double, 65mm wide, rich red. Syn: 'Allegro'

(a) **'Nuccio's All Glory'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hino-crimson' × 'Laughing Water' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1975) Fls single, 40mm wide, vivid pink. Syn: 'All Glory'

(a) **'Nuccio's Bit O'Sunshine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hino-crimson' × 'Laughing Water' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1975) Fls single to hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, light red. Syn: 'Bit O'Sunshine'

(a) **'Nuccio's Blaze'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Pride of Dorking' × deciduous azalea (Knap Hill/Exbury) R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1985) Fls 50mm wide, deep reddish orange

(a) **'Nuccio's Blue Diamond'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hino-crimson' × 'Laughing Water' R: Nuccio's Nurseries (pre 1987), N: Nuccio's Nurseries Fls 40mm wide, light purple. Midseason

(a) **'Nuccio's Blue Jay'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hino-crimson' × 'Laughing Water' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1977) Fls single, 50-65mm wide, deep lavender blue. Syn: 'Blue Jay'

(a) **'Nuccio's Blue Moon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Valo' × 'Valo' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1979) Fls 50mm wide, brilliant violet, occasionally with a white centre. Compact shrub. Late

(a) **'Nuccio's Blue Sky'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hinocrimson; × 'Laughing Water' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1980) Fls 40mm wide, very light violet

(a) **'Nuccio's Break of Day'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Nuccio's California Dawn' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1981) Fls 75mm wide, yellowish pink, with dark pink spots

(a) **'Nuccio's Brightside'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nuccio's Friendship' × 'Nuccio's Garden Party' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1990) Fls hose-in-hose, 75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish orange. Lvs very dark green. Erect habit. Midseason

(a) **'Nuccio's Butter Ball'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1994) Fls single, creamy white, with rounded lobes

(a) **'Nuccio's Butterfly'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hinocrimson', open-pollinated R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1978) Fls hose-in-hose, 40-50mm wide, yellowish white

(a) **'Nuccio's California Dawn'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Snowbird' (Coolidge) × 'Rhodelin' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1981) Fls 75mm wide, moderate yellowish pink

(a) **'Nuccio's Carnival'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Red Poppy' (Kerrigan), open-pollinated R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1979) Fls single to semi-double, 75-100mm wide, rose red. Syn: 'Carnival'

(a) **'Nuccio's Carnival Candy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Red Poppy' (Kerrigan), open-pollinated R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1979) Fls single, 75-100mm wide, scarlet red. Syn: 'Carnival Candy'

(a) **'Nuccio's Carnival Clown'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Red Poppy' (Kerrigan), open-pollinated R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1979) Fls single, 75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, bright purple. Low shrub. Syn: 'Carnival Clown'

(a) **'Nuccio's Carnival Fanfare'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Red Poppy' (Kerrigan), open-pollinated R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1979) Fls single, 90mm wide, orchid rose. Low shrub. Syn: 'Carnival Fanfare'

(a) **'Nuccio's Carnival Firecracker'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Red Poppy' (Kerrigan), open-pollinated R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1979) Fls single, 65mm wide, vivid orange-red. Tall shrub. Syn: 'Carnival Firecracker'

(a) **'Nuccio's Carnival Jackpot'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Red Poppy' (Kerrigan), open-pollinated R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1979) Fls single, 50mm wide, orange-red. Syn: 'Carnival Jackpot'

(a) **'Nuccio's Carnival Magic'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Red Poppy' (Kerrigan), open-pollinated R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1979) Fls single, 75mm wide, with rounded lobes, rose red. Syn: 'Carnival Magic'

(a) **'Nuccio's Carnival Music'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Starlight' × 'Nuccio's Masterpiece' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1979) Fls single, ruffled, light purple. Syn: 'Carnival Music'

(a) **'Nuccio's Carnival Parade'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Red Poppy' (Kerrigan), open-pollinated R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1979) Fls single, 65mm wide, purple. Tall shrub. Syn: 'Carnival Parade'

(a) **'Nuccio's Carnival Queen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Red Poppy' (Kerrigan), open-pollinated R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1979) Fls semi-double, 65mm wide, bright pink. Syn: 'Carnival Queen'

(a) **'Nuccio's Carnival Rocket'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Red Poppy' (Kerrigan), open-pollinated R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1979) Fls single, 65mm wide, bright orange-red. Low shrub. Syn: 'Carnival Rocket'

(a) **'Nuccio's Carnival Time'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Red Poppy' (Kerrigan), open-pollinated R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1979) Fls single, 75mm wide, bright purple. Tall shrub. Syn: 'Carnival Time'

(a) **'Nuccio's Coral Seas'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Madame Alfred Sander' × 'Gumpo' R: Nuccio's Nurseries (pre 1987), N: Nuccio's Nurseries Fls 50mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, light yellowish pink. Compact habit. Midseason-late

(a) **'Nuccio's Cream Puff'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hinocrimson', open-pollinated R: Nuccio's Nurseries (pre 1987), N: Nuccio's Nurseries Fls 40mm wide, pale yellowish white. Midseason

(a) **'Nuccio's Crown Jewel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nuccio's California Dawn' × 'Nuccio's Pink Champagne' R: Nuccio's Nurseries (pre 1987), N: Nuccio's Nurseries Fls semi-double, rather tubular, 65-75mm wide, white, with moderate yellowish pink stripes

(a) **'Nuccio's Dancing Doll'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hinocrimson', open-pollinated R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N:

Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1975) Fls double, 25-50mm wide, salmon pink. Syn: 'Dancing Doll'

(a) **'Nuccio's Daydream'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Starlight' × 'Nuccio's Masterpiece' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1984) Fls double, 65-75mm wide, light pink, with deep pink edges. Compact shrub. Early-midseason

(a) **'Nuccio's Delightful'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Starlight' × 'Nuccio's Masterpiece' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1988) Fls fully double, 75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, mid to pale pink. Lvs large, dark green. Early-midseason

(a) **'Nuccio's Desert Dawn'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Nuccio's Nurseries (pre 1996), N: Nuccio's Nurseries Fls single, mid to light coral pink. Compact, spreading shrub. Midseason

(a) **'Nuccio's Dew Drop'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Duc de Rohan' × 'Laughing Water' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1971) Fls single to semi-double, 40-50mm wide, blush pink to white, throat spotted rose pink. Compact shrub. Syn: 'Dew Drop'

(a) **'Nuccio's Dream Clouds'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Purity' (Rutherford) × 'L.J. Bobbink' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1970) Fls double, hose-in-hose, 65-75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, white, with a green throat. Syn: 'Dreamclouds'

(a) **'Nuccio's Dreamland'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1992) Fls double, white. Spreading shrub. Long season

(a) **'Nuccio's Easter Delight'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nuccio's Friendship' × 'Lambertus C. Bobbink' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1983) Fls 65mm wide, with well-spaced, pointed lobes, shaded clear orchid purple. Midseason-late

(a) **'Nuccio's Fashion'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hino-crimson' × 'Laughing Water' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1976) Fls hose-in-hose, 40-50mm wide, pale lavender. Compact shrub. Syn: 'Fashion'

(a) **'Nuccio's Fashion Show'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nuccio's California Dawn' × 'Nuccio's Garden Party' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1988) Fls hose-in-hose, 90mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink. Open habit. Midseason-late

(a) **'Nuccio's Feathery Touch'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nuccio's California Dawn' × 'Nuccio's Garden Party' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1986) Fls hose-in-hose, 75mm wide, "base petals spidery type", white. Upright habit. Midseason

(a) **'Nuccio's Fiesta'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Madame Alfred Sander' × 'Nuccio's Masterpiece' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1985) Fls hose-in-hose, 90-100mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, deep orchid rose. Upright compact habit. Early-midseason and again in autumn

(a) **'Nuccio's First Call'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hino-crimson', open-pollinated R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1981) Fls hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, light yellowish pink

(a) **'Nuccio's Friendship'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Snowbird' (Coolidge) × 'Rhodelin' R: Nuccio's Nurseries (pre 1987), N: Nuccio's Nurseries Fls single to semi-double, 75mm wide, deep pink

(a) **'Nuccio's Garden Magic'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nuccio's California Dawn' × 'Nuccio's Garden Party' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1984) Fls hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, with wavy-edged, pointed lobes, light rose pink. Midseason

(a) **'Nuccio's Garden Mist'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1990) Fls hose-in-hose, white. Spreading shrub

(a) **'Nuccio's Garden Party'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Purity' (Rutherford) × 'L.J. Bobbink' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1970) Fls semi-double, 65-75mm wide, deep rose pink. Spring (and sporadically in autumn and winter). Syn: 'Garden Party'

(a) **'Nuccio's Grand Waltz'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nuccio's Orchid Robe' × 'Mercury' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1990) Fls single, 100mm wide, white, tinted pale purple, with a lime green throat; stamens pink. Compact shrub. Midseason

(a) **'Nuccio's Happy Days'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Purity' (Rutherford) × 'L.J. Bobbink' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1968) Fls double, hose-in-hose, 65mm wide, light purple. Flowers for 10 months. Syn: 'Happy Days'

(a) **'Nuccio's Harvest Moon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Geisha Girl' × 'Summer Sun' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1978) Fls 50-65mm wide, yellowish pink, some with white centres. Late

(a) **'Nuccio's High Noon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1994) Fls single, very large, salmon orange-red. Lvs dark green

(a) **'Nuccio's High Sierra'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Shinutena' × 'Laughing Water' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1978) Fls hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, white. Compact shrub

(a) **'Nuccio's High Society'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Starlight' × 'Nuccio's Masterpiece' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1986) Fls semi-double, 90mm wide, with fluted central petals, strong yellowish pink. Midseason-late

(a) **'Nuccio's High Spirits'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1990) Fls hose-in-hose to single, orchid pink. Upright shrub

(a) **'Nuccio's Honey Bunch'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'L.J. Bobbink' × 'Duc de Rohan' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1982) Fls double, hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, white to off white, blending to deep salmon pink on edges. Compact, erect shrub. Syn: 'Honey Bunch'

(a) **'Nuccio's Ice Follies'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Starlight' × 'Nuccio's Masterpiece' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1988) Fls double, 65mm wide, white, shaded pale purple. Erect shrub. Midseason

(a) **'Nuccio's Icicle'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1990) Fls large, hose-in-hose, white

(a) **'Nuccio's Ivory Palace'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1993) Fls semi-double to double, white. Spreading shrub

(a) **'Nuccio's Ivory Tower'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Duc de Rohan' × 'Laughing Water' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1981) Fls 40-50mm wide, white. Tall shrub

(a) **'Nuccio's Jewel Box'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hino-crimson' × 'Laughing Water' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1974) Fls hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, strong pink. Compact shrub

(a) **'Nuccio's Lady Finger'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hino-crimson', open-pollinated R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1985) Fls 25mm wide, with well-spaced, "spidery" lobes, white. Midseason

(a) **'Nuccio's Lavender Ice'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1992) Fls single, with star-shaped lobes, lavender. Compact shrub. Midseason

(a) **'Nuccio's Lavender Silk'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'White Lace' × *occidentale* R: Nuccio's Nurseries (pre 1997), N: Nuccio's Nurseries Fls single, soft lavender toned deeper, with purple rose spots in the throat

(a) **'Nuccio's Lilac Lady'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hino-crimson' × 'Laughing Water' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1977) Fls single, 40-50mm wide, light lavender. Syn: 'Lilac Lady'

(a) **'Nuccio's Limelight'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hino-crimson', open-pollinated R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1978) Fls single, 40-50mm wide, pale yellowish white

(a) **'Nuccio's Little Gem'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hino-crimson', open-pollinated R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1974) Fls single, 40mm wide, light pink. Compact shrub. Syn: 'Little Gem'

(a) **'Nuccio's Little Red Riding Hood'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hino-crimson', open-pollinated R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1973) Fls single, 40mm wide, strong red (41B). Compact shrub. Syn: 'Little Red Riding Hood'

(a) **'Nuccio's Lucky Charm'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1994) Fls single, pink. Spreading shrub. Midseason to late

(a) **'Nuccio's Magnificence'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nuccio's California Dawn' × 'Nuccio's Pink Champagne' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1975) Fls double, 90-100mm wide, white

(a) **'Nuccio's Mamma Mia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nuccio's California Dawn' × 'Mercury' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1985) Fls single to semi-double, 75mm wide, white, with a green throat. Compact shrub. Midseason-late

(a) **'Nuccio's Masterpiece'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nuccio's California Dawn' × 'Nuccio's Pink Champagne' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1974) Fls double, 90-100mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, white. Lvs large. Unusually vigorous. Syn: 'Masterpiece'

(a) **'Nuccio's May Queen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Nuccio's Nurseries (pre 1996), N: Nuccio's Nurseries Fls single, pinkish lavender at border with a white centre. Early

(a) **'Nuccio's May Showers'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1995) Fls single, light lavender at border, with a white centre. Spreading shrub. Midseason to late

(a) **'Nuccio's Melody Lane'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Duc de Rohan' × 'Laughing Water' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1972) Fls single, 65-75mm wide, blush pink, throat heavily spotted rose red. Erect shrub. Syn: 'Melody Lane'

(a) **'Nuccio's Mexicali Rose'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Madame Alfred Sander' × 'Nuccio's Garden Party' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1984) Fls semi-double, 75mm

wide, with wavy-edged lobes, bright pink. Erect shrub. Early-midseason

(a) **'Nuccio's Mexico'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Purity' (Rutherford) × 'L.J. Bobbink' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1974) Fls single, 40-50mm wide, rather tubular, hot pink. Long flowering period. Syn: 'Mexico'

(a) **'Nuccio's Misty Moon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Geisha Girl' × 'Summer Sun' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1979) Fls single, 65mm wide, with rounded lobes, very pale purple, with darker edges. Compact shrub. Late

(a) **'Nuccio's Mountain Smoke'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hino-crimson', open-pollinated R: Nuccio's Nurseries (pre 1987), N: Nuccio's Nurseries Fls 40mm wide, pale reddish purple. Very compact shrub. Midseason

(a) **'Nuccio's Mount Baldy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Tsuki-no-shimo' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1981) Fls single, tubular, 40-50mm wide, with rounded lobes, white, some with throat occasionally spotted rose red. Lvs narrow, incurved. Compact, spreading shrub. Midseason to late

(a) **'Nuccio's Orchid Mist'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1990) Fls single, orchid lavender

(a) **'Nuccio's Orchid Queen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Kurume azalea seedling R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1979) Fls single, light to mid lavender, resembling 'L. J. Bobbink', but flowering over a longer period

(a) **'Nuccio's Orchid Robe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Snowbird' (Coolidge) × 'Rhodelin' R: Nuccio's Nurseries (pre 1987), N: Nuccio's Nurseries Fls 90-100mm wide, light purple

(a) **'Nuccio's Orchid Ruffles'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Orchid Gem' × 'Nuccio's Blue Moon' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1988) Fls 65mm wide, with very wavy-edged lobes, light purple, edged deep purple. Compact, erect shrub. Midseason-late

(a) **'Nuccio's Pink Bubbles'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nuccio's California Dawn' × 'Nuccio's Pink Champagne' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1974) Fls double, 75mm wide, light pink. Lvs large. Syn: 'Pink Bubbles'

(a) **'Nuccio's Pink Champagne'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Triumph' × 'L.J. Bobbink' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1968) Fls double, hose-in-hose, 75mm wide, light pink. Syn: 'Pink Champagne'

(a) **'Nuccio's Pink Clouds'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hino-crimson', open-pollinated R: Nuccio's Nurseries (pre 1984), N: Nuccio's Nurseries Fls hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, light pink. Syn: 'Pink Clouds'

(a) **'Nuccio's Pink Lemonade'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Nuccio's Nurseries (pre 1997), N: Nuccio's Nurseries Fls single to hose-in-hose, small, warm orchid pink

(a) **'Nuccio's Pink Smoke'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hino-crimson', open-pollinated R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1977) Fls single, 40mm wide, orchid pink. Syn: 'Pink Smoke'

(a) **'Nuccio's Pink Snow'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Duc de Rohan' × 'Laughing Water' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1973) Fls single to semi-double, 40mm wide, flesh pink. Low, compact shrub. Syn: 'Pink Snow'

(a) **'Nuccio's Pink Tiger'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nuccio's California Dawn' × 'Nuccio's Pink Champagne' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1981) Fls 65mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink, with purplish red spotting in the throat

(a) **'Nuccio's Plum Purty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hino-crimson' × 'Laughing Water' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1975) Fls hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, purple. Compact shrub. Syn: 'Plum Purty'

(a) **'Nuccio's Polka'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Madame Alfred Sander' × 'Gumpo' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1979) Fls single, 65mm wide, with broad, slightly wavy-edged lobes, orange-red. Compact shrub. Midseason (over a long period). Syn: 'Polka'

(a) **'Nuccio's Polka Variegated'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Nuccio's Nurseries (pre 1996), N: Nuccio's Nurseries Fls salmon pink, with a white border and orange-red spots in the throat. Compact shrub. Midseason

(a) **'Nuccio's Popcorn'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hino-crimson', open-pollinated R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1980) Fls double, 40mm wide, yellowish white

(a) **'Nuccio's Primavera'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Purity' (Rutherford) × 'L.J. Bobbink' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1970) Fls single to semi-double, 65-75mm wide, white, with a green throat. Syn: 'Primavera'

(a) **'Nuccio's Punkin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nuccio's California Dawn' × 'Nuccio's Garden Party' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1985) Fls hose-in-hose, 75mm wide, deep yellowish pink, with a red-spotted throat. Lvs large. Erect shrub. Early-midseason

(a) **'Nuccio's Purple Dragon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Nuccio's Nurseries (pre 1999), N: Nuccio's Nurseries Fls large, in clusters, with long, narrow, well-spaced lobes (like a spider chrysanthemum), purple

(a) **'Nuccio's Purple Glitters'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1976) Fls single, purple. Syn: 'Purple Glitters'

(a) **'Nuccio's Purple Robe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Snowbird' (Coolidge) × 'Rhodelin' R: Nuccio's Nurseries (pre 1987), N: Nuccio's Nurseries Fls 90-100mm wide, purple

(a) **'Nuccio's Ragtime'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Nuccio's Nurseries (pre 1999), N: Nuccio's Nurseries Fls single, salmon red

(a) **'Nuccio's Rain Drops'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Duc de Rohan' × 'Laughing Water' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1977) Fls single, 50mm wide, white. Compact shrub. Syn: 'Rain Drops'

(a) **'Nuccio's Razzle Dazzle'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nuccio's Warm Heart' × 'Nuccio's California Dawn' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1987) Fls single, 95mm wide, rather tubular, with wavy-edged lobes, white, with occasional rose pink stripes and occasional solid colours. Early-midseason

(a) **'Nuccio's Red Glitters'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hino-crimson' × 'Laughing Water' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1975) Fls single, 50mm wide, brilliant red. Long season. Syn: 'Red Glitters'

(a) **'Nuccio's Rise 'n' Shine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Madame Alfred Sander' × 'Nuccio's Masterpiece' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1984) Fls semi-double to hose-in-hose, 75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink, throat heavily spotted with rose red. Lvs dark green. Compact shrub. Early-midseason

(a) **'Nuccio's Rose Glitters'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hino-crimson' × 'Laughing Water' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1976) Fls single, 50mm wide, rose red. Long season. Syn: 'Rose Glitters'

(a) **'Nuccio's Royal Carpet'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1990) Fls single, with wavy-edged lobes, hot orchid pink

(a) **'Nuccio's Royal Highness'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1990) Fls single, with wavy-edged lobes, light salmon

(a) **'Nuccio's Royal Princess'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1990) Fls single, white

(a) **'Nuccio's Showgirl'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hino-crimson', open-pollinated R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1981) Fls hose-in-hose, 25-40mm wide, light orange

(a) **'Nuccio's Silver Crest'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1990) Fls single to hose-on-hose, very large, white, described as somewhat iris-like. Upright shrub

(a) **'Nuccio's Skyrocket'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nuccio's Ivory Tower' × 'Nuccio's Carnival Firecracker' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1990) Fls single, 50mm wide, with 5-6 lobes, vivid reddish orange. Erect shrub. Midseason

(a) **'Nuccio's Snowbound'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Spellbound' R: Nuccio's Nurseries (pre 1987), N: Nuccio's Nurseries Fls semi-double, 75mm wide, white. Erect shrub. Midseason

(a) **'Nuccio's Snow Storm'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nuccio's Friendship' × 'L.J. Bobbink' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1984) Fls single to hose-in-hose, 65mm wide, white, with a green throat. Lvs dark green. Erect shrub. Midseason

(a) **'Nuccio's Soft Touch'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1992) Fls single, orchid pink, with a rose throat. Compact shrub

(a) **'Nuccio's South Pacific'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Starlight' × 'Nuccio's Masterpiece' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1990) Fls double, 75mm wide, lavender pink, frosted. Erect shrub. Midseason

(a) **'Nuccio's Spring Charm'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nuccio's California Dawn' × 'Nuccio's Pink Champagne' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1978) Fls single, 65-75mm wide, light yellowish pink, deeper at edges. Syn: 'Spring Charm'

(a) **'Nuccio's Spring Delight'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nuccio's California Dawn' × 'Nuccio's Pink Champagne' R: Nuccio's Nurseries (pre 1987), N: Nuccio's Nurseries Fls 65-75mm wide, light purplish pink, with deep pink spotting on the dorsal lobe

(a) **'Nuccio's Spring Echo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1990) Fls single to hose-in-hose, soft pink. Erect shrub

(a) **'Nuccio's Spring Festival'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nuccio's California Dawn' × 'Nuccio's Garden Party'

R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1988) Fls double, 90mm wide, with fluted lobes, strong yellowish pink. Erect shrub. Midseason

(a) **'Nuccio's Spring Fling'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nuccio's California Dawn' × 'Nuccio' Garden Party' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1985) Fls hose-in-hose, rich pink. Upright shrub

(a) **'Nuccio's Spring Glory'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nuccio's California Dawn' × 'Nuccio's Pink Champagne' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1987) Fls 65mm wide, with pointed lobes, light purplish pink, heavily spotted in the throat. Spreading habit. Midseason

(a) **'Nuccio's Spring Triumph'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Duc de Rohan' × 'Nuccio's Pink Champagne' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1987) Fls single to semi-double, 65mm wide, pale pink, shaded deeper pink. Spreading habit. Early-midseason

(a) **'Nuccio's Sunburst'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Avenir' × 'Hexe' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1970) Fls semi-double, 50mm wide, brilliant orange-red. Lvs small, dark green. Compact shrub. Syn: 'Sunburst'

(a) **'Nuccio's Sunrise'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Snowbird' (Coolidge) × 'Rhodelin' R: Nuccio's Nurseries (pre 1987), N: Nuccio's Nurseries Fls 75mm wide, strong yellowish pink

(a) **'Nuccio's Treasure Chest'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Starlight' × 'Nuccio's Garden Party' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1988) Fls semi-double to double, 90mm wide, light yellowish pink, with many stripes, speckles and tones of deep yellowish pink. Compact habit. Early-midseason

(a) **'Nuccio's Variegated Red Ruffles'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Ruffled Giant' R: Nuccio's Nurseries (pre 1987), N: Nuccio's Nurseries Fls deep pink. Lvs with a whitish margin

(a) **'Nuccio's Vintage Champagne'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Nuccio's Pink Champagne' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1981) Fls double, hose-in-hose, 75mm wide, moderate reddish orange

(a) **'Nuccio's Voodoo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'White Lace' × 'Valo' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1988) Fls single, off white centre, shading to a light purple border. Compact shrub. Early

(a) **'Nuccio's Warm Heart'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Madame Alfred Sander' × 'Gumpo' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1979) Fls single to semi-double, 50mm wide, bright, deep pink. Compact shrub. Midseason

(a) **'Nuccio's Warm Heart Variegated'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Nuccio's Warm Heart' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1992) Fls semi-double, light pink, with warm pink stripes and a fine white edge. Compact shrub. Midseason

(a) **'Nuccio's White Bubbles'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Nuccio's Pink Bubbles' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1988) Fls double, 75mm wide, white. Lvs large. Erect, compact habit. Midseason

(a) **'Nuccio's White Champagne'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Nuccio's Pink Champagne' N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1976) Fls double, hose-in-hose, 75mm wide, white, with a red throat. Syn: 'White Champagne' (Developed by T. Domoto)

(a) **'Nuccio's Wild Cherry'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Madame Alfred Sander' × 'Summer Sun' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1981) Fls 65-75mm wide, with rounded lobes, vivid red. Lvs narow, dark. Compact shrub

(a) **'Nuccio's Wild Moon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1994) Fls single, white, with a broad, bright purple border. Spreading shrub. Late

(a) **'Nuccio's Wishing Well'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Starlight' × 'Nuccio's Masterpiece' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1984) Fls single to semi-double, light to pale pink, frosted. Compact habit

(a) **'Nuccio's Wonderland'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Starlight' × 'Nuccio's Masterpiece' R: Nuccio's Nurseries, N: Nuccio's Nurseries, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (1984) Fls double to hose-in-hose, light to mid pink, with deep spots in the throat. Compact shrub. Early-midseason

(az) **'Nudiflorum Eximium'** cv. Azaleodendron: "*nudiflorum coccineum majus*" (s) × *arboreum* R: unknown (c 1829), INC: ICRA (1958) Resembles seed parent, but has evergreen leaves and decandrous flowers

(a) **'Nudiflorum Pink'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: O.S. Pride (pre 1985), N: O.S. Pride Fls pink

(a) **'Nugget'** cv. Deciduous azalea: yellow *calendulaceum* × pink *calendulaceum* H: W.G. & Mrs M.S. Beasley (pre 1985), G: W.G. & Mrs M.S. Beasley, N: W.G. & Mrs M.S. Beasley Fls double, hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, brilliant yellow (11A), with a light orange-yellow (22B) blotch. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Nugget'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *chamaethomsonii* var. *chamaethauma* (s) × Cowslip Group H: L.E. Brandt, G: L.E. Brandt (1958), N: L.E. Brandt (1960), REG: L.E. Brandt (1961) Fls 8/truss, 40 × 55mm, erect, empire yellow (603/1), flushed peach (512). Lvs 65 × 40mm. Shrub 20 × 45cm. April

(r) **'Nugget'** cv. Parentage unknown H: G.W. Clarke (pre 1980)

(r) **'Nuits de Young'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *ponticum* hybrid R: L. van Houtte (pre 1855), N: L. van Houtte, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bluish carmine, with black spots

(a) **'Nulla Nulla'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: M.E. Greentree (pre 1984), N: M.E. Greentree Fls single, dark red. Kurume (Some sources say hose-in-hose)

(az) **'Numa'** cv. Azaleodendron: *multicolor* (as var. *curtisii*) × 'Stella' (Veitch's evergreen azalea) × 'Lord Wolseley' R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1891), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in compact, globose trusses, 50mm wide, orange-red, throat flushed crimson. Lvs narrowly elliptic-oblong, bright shiny green above. AM 1895

(a) **'Numoto'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* L: USA (1984) Fls mauve pink. Very low-growing

(r) **'Nunawading Pride'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Apricot Gold' × 'Lem's Cameo' H: K. Van de Ven, G: K. Van de Ven (1990), N: Australian Rhododendron Society (Victoria Branch), REG: Australian Rhododendron Society (Victoria Branch) (1991) Fls 16/truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 70mm, 5-lobed, strong yellowish pink (37B), with red spotting on all lobes. Calyx small, coloured as corolla. Lvs lanceolate, 130 × 50mm. Shrub 1.0m

(r) **'Nuneham Park'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid (s) × 'Martin Hope Sutton' R: C.B. van Nes & Sons (pre 1922), N: C.B. van Nes & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark red/crimson scarlet

(r) **'Nurme'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *oreotrephes* G: H. Vaartnou (1969), S: H. Vaartnou, N: H. Vaartnou, REG: H. Vaartnou (1991) Fls 10-12/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 32 × 51mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, dark purplish pink (186C); stamens 10, straight, equal; pistil straight, reddish brown; slightly scented. Calyx 1mm long, greenish. Pedicels 13mm long, green. Lvs oblong, 51 × 25mm, flat, acute at apex, cordate at base, hairless above, scaly below; petioles 25mm long, pink-green, scaly. Shrub 2.4 × 1.2m in 20 years. April-May

(r) **'Nutberger'** (Syn. of 'Bill Massey')

(r) **'Nutcracker'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *nuttallii* (s) × *maddenii* subsp. *maddenii* (as a pink form of *polyandrum*) H: G.A. Hardy (1976), G: G.A. Hardy (1982), N: G.A. Hardy, I: G.A. Hardy, REG: G.A. Hardy (1984) Fls 7/truss, 80 × 110mm, tubular-campanulate, 5-lobed, creamy white, tinged moderate purplish red (186B), deep yellow in the throat; strongly scented. Calyx up to 22mm long. Lvs elliptic, up to 190 × 110mm, dark green above, densely scaly below. AM 1984

(r) **'Nuthatch'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R. Henny (1949), I: L. Henny (1963), REG: L. Henny (1964) Fls 6-7/open truss, funnel-campanulate, just over 50mm wide, carmine rose (621/3) to azalea pink (618/3). Lvs up to 150 × 50mm. Shrub c2.5m in 14 years. Late May

(r) **'Nutmeg'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *sanguineum* subsp. *didymum* × *griersonianum* R: M. Haworth-Booth, N: M. Haworth-Booth, REG: M. Haworth-Booth (1968) Fls more numerous and smaller than in 'Arthur Osborn'; hardier and a sturdier grower

(a) **'Nyacino'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: UK (1950) Fls vivid pink. (Probably originating in Japan; exhibited by A.W. Heneage-Vivian in 1950)

(a) **'Nymph'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nancy of Robinhill' × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines (pre 1990) Fls single, 90-100mm wide, flat-faced, with rounded lobes and very conspicuous stamens, soft pink, with slightly lighter margins, a white throat and a rosy red blotch. Shrub 0.4 × 0.9m in 8 years. Mid May

(r) **Nymph Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *forrestii* Repens Group (s) × Largo Group H: Lord Aberconway (1936), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red. Lvs dark green. Shrub 0.3m in 10 years

(a) **'Nymphaea'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L.L. Liebig (pre 1852), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (L. Jacob-Makoy (1851 cat.) listed a 'Nympaea' (sic) as a deciduous azalea)

(a) **'Nymphe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: F. Schneider (1863), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Nymphenburg'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × *decorum* R: D.G. Hobbie (c 1949), N: D.G. Hobbie (1983) Fls c9/truss, very large, with wavy-edged lobes, white, with a yellow throat

(r) **'Nyohoh-no-utage'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *R.* × *nikomontanum* (double-flowered form) (s) × 'Carmen' H: T. Takashima (1979), G: K. Ono (1986), N: K. Ono (1986), REG: K. Ono (1993) Fls double, 8-10/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 35 × 50mm, with c15 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (55B) in bud, opening light greenish yellow (4C) inside and out, with a blotch of green spots on upper three lobes. Calyx 5mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 70 × 32mm, margins strongly decurved, glossy green above, obtuse and apiculate at apex, with pale light brown indumentum below when young which ages to brown. Shrub 10 × 30cm in 14 years. April

(a) **'Nyohozan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Kozan' R: Japan (pre 1983), N: Japan Fls 40-50mm wide, with spaced lobes, pale pink, with deeper pink to red spots in centre. Lvs small, hairy. Very slow-grower. Satsuki

(v) **'Nysa'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *multicolor* hybrid R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1899), N: J. Veitch & Sons,

INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-yellow, tinted rose, tube light yellow

(a) **'Nyusuta'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1995), N: Japan

(a) **'Oakland'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably a *kaempferi* hybrid N: R.D. Gartrell, REG: D.H. Voss (1992) Fls single, (2-)3/truss, open funnel-shaped, 44 × 58mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (57D), with deep purplish red (59B) spotting on dorsal lobes; stamens 5(-6), curved; pistil curved; style strong red (53D). Calyx 6mm long, strong yellow-green (143C). Pedicels 16mm long, strong yellow-green (145A). Spring lvs elliptic to ovate, 58 × 28mm; summer lvs somewhat obovate, 27 × 12mm; all lvs flat, slightly glossy and moderate olive green above, moderate yellow-green below, acute at tip, cuneate at base, with whitish to slightly yellowish hairs above and below, especially on midrib below; petioles 4-5mm long, light yellow-green, hairy. Shrub 2.5 × 1.5m in 20 years. Early May. Very hardy. (Purchased by N.R. Gartrell from a roadside stand in Oakland, New Jersey, USA, in c1935)

(a) **'Oakton'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: G.W. Ring, N: D. Hager, I: Hager Nurseries (1982) Fls 65-75mm wide, deep pink, with a red blotch. Spreading shrub to 1.2m tall. Midseason

(r) **'Oakton'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'America' (s) × *yakushimanum* H: F.W. Schumacher (1967), G: G.W. Ring, I: G.W. Ring (1980), REG: G.W. Ring (1983) Fls 13/truss, 45 × 65mm, open funnel-shaped, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (66B) in bud, opening moderate purplish pink (62B), ranging from strong to pale purplish pink (62A to 62D), centre of lobes 62D. Calyx very small, pale green. Lvs elliptic, 108-120 × 45-65mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, margins slightly decurved, very dark green, with a slight tan indumentum below. New shoots white tomentose. Shrub c1.5m in 12 years. Mid May

(r) **'Oasis'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Fawn' (James) (s) × Dido Group H: D.W. James (1953), G: D.W. James, N: D.W. James, I: D.W. James (1959), REG: Mrs R. James (1972) Fls 8-10/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 100mm, light yellow, overlaid pink. Lvs oblong, 125 × 55mm

(r) **'Obal's Snow'** (Syn. of 'Wynterset White')

(r) **'Oban'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Grouse' (s) × *keiskei* 'Yaku Fairy' H: P.A. Cox (1976), G: P.A. Cox (1979), N: P.A. Cox (1994), I: P.A. Cox (1996), REG: Glendoick Gardens (1995) Fls 2-4/loose truss, funnel-shaped, 28 × 30mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (54A) in bud, opening deep to strong purplish pink (55A-B) throughout, with faint, strong red (53C) spots on the edge of the dorsallobe; anthers white; style coloured as corolla. Calyx 2mm long, strong red (53B). Lvs elliptic, 10-20 × up to 10 mm, flat, matt green above, cuneate at apex and base, scaly. Very compact shrub, 0.3 × 0.7m in c20 years. Early-mid May

(r) **'Oberbürgermeister Janssen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: May Day Group (s) × 'Goldsworth Orange' R: J. Bruns Nursery (1952), N: J. Bruns Nursery, I: J. Bruns Nursery (1975) Fls bright, pure red, with a dark brown blotch. Lvs broadly ovate, 60-100mm long, matt green. Compact shrub to 1.0 × 1.5m. Syn: 'Maientag', 'Mayor Johnstone'

(a) **'Obergärtner Carl Marticke'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Weight (pre 1868), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Also listed as 'Obergärtner C. Marticke')

(r) **'Obergärtner Karl Baumann'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Genoveva' (s) × 'Hassan' R: T.J.H. Seidel (c 1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac rose, with strong red spotting

(a) **'Obergärtner Nietner'** (Syn. of 'Oberhofgärtner E. Nietner')

(r) **'Obergärtner Robenek'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *hirtipes* × *oreodoxa* R: D.G. Hobbie (1949), N: D.G. Hobbie, I: D.G. Hobbie (1984) Fls 6-12/loose truss, 45-60mm wide, outside pale rose, inside almost white, with very small, dark red spots. April

(a) **'Oberhofgärtner E. Nietner'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *japonicum* × *molle* subsp. *molle* R: G. van Noordt (pre 1896), N: G. van Noordt, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine, spotted reddish purple. Syn: 'Obergärtner Nietner'. Mollis

(a) **'Oberon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: F. Schneider (1863), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Oberon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Koster & Co. (pre 1920), N: Koster & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3/truss, funnel-shaped, 45 × 55mm, fuchsine pink (627/1), with fine, reddish brown spotting on the dorsal lobe. *HC 1957. Kaempferi

(r) **'Oberon'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear pale purple. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **Oberon Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Barclayi Group (s) × Thomwilliams Group H: Lord Aberconway (1932), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rose

(r) **'Oberpfälzer Sonnenschein'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group × *smirnowii* (s) × 'Spätlese' H: H.L. Meltzer (1984), G: H.L. Meltzer (1989), N: H.L. Meltzer, REG: H.L. Meltzer (1995) Fls 6-10/truss, funnel-campanulate, 50 × 50-60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, throat more-or-less vivid yellow (9B); margins strong pink to light purplish pink (54C-55C), with olive green spots all around the throat and on the basal part of each lobe. Calyx 40-50mm long, red, fading to yellow. Lvs elliptic, 100-130 × 30-40mm, hairless. Shrub 0.7 × 0.9m in 8 years. Late May-late June

(r) **'Oberschlesien'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *insigne* × *yakushimanum* H: G. Lüttge (c 1966), G: D.G. Hobbie, N: D.G. Hobbie Fls 16-21/compact, broadly rounded truss, 45-52mm wide, white, with slight reddish brown markings; fls tinged rose at first. Compact shrub, 0.45 × 0.8m in 10 years

(a) **'Oberst von Kutzinsky'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (1880), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, of rounded form, fiery scarlet red. Indian

(a) **'Oborozuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki (Probably the plant also listed as 'Oboro-tsuki')

(a) **'Obscurum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1866), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Obsession'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vespers' (s) × 'Copperman' R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls single, 2/truss, 70mm wide, with pointed lobes, strong purple, with a slight purplish red blotch. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Early May. (First published in Holly Springs cat., 1990)

(a) **Obtusum Group** gp Evergreen azalea: selections of *kiusianum* and hybrids of it with *kaempferi* N: J. Lindley (1846), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Obtusum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *ponticum* L: C. Loddiges (1818), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Obtusum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: raised from seeds obtained as *jenkinsii* (=*maddenii* subsp. *maddenii*) from Bhutan R: unknown (pre 1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls funnel-shaped, pure white, mouth of tube yellow; highly scented. April-May. (Described by E.A. Carrière in *Revue Horticole*, 1869, p.300)

(a) **'Obtusum Album'** (Syn. of 'Ramentaceum')

(r) **'O'Canada'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lem's Cameo' × Jalisco Group × ('Crest' × 'King of Shrubs') H: J.G. Lofthouse (pre 1990), G: J.G. Lofthouse, N: J.G. Lofthouse Fls brilliantyellow, with a deep red blotch (in the shape of a maple leaf) in the throat. (Has been listed in error as 'Oh Canada')

(a) **'Ocean Gold'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *occidentale* S: L.F. Frisbie (pre 1965), N: L.F. Frisbie Fls 65mm wide, yellowish white, with deep pink markings and an orange blotch

(r) **'Oceanlake'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Sapphire' (s) × 'Blue Diamond' R: A.O. Wright, N: A.O. Wright, REG: A.O. Wright (1965) Fls 4-6/truss, 25mm wide, flat-opening, deep violet blue. Lvs 25 × 10mm. Dense, compact shrub, 0.4 × 0.8m. April

(a) **'Ocean Mist'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *occidentale* S: L.F. Frisbie (pre 1965), N: L.F. Frisbie Fls 65mm wide, white, with pink stripes and a yellow blotch

(r) **'Ocelot'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *parmulatum*, raised from wild-collected seed from F. Kingdon-Ward R: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1977), REG: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1977) Fls 3-6/loose truss, tubular-campanulate, 50 × 55mm wide, light yellow-green (150D), each lobe with a deeper central band; dorsal throat heavily spotted dark red (187B). Calyx lobes reflexed, irregular, up to 2mm long. Lvs ovate, up to 75 × 30mm, dark green above, glaucous below. AM 1977

(a) **'Ochoco'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Hugh Wormald' × 'Marion Merriman' R: H.J. Slonecker, N: H.J. Slonecker, REG: H.J. Slonecker (1964) Fls pale pink, with a deep yellow blotch. Midseason

(a) **'Ochroleucum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.R. Gowen (1829), N: J.R. Gowen, INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Published in *Botanical Register*, 1830, under t.1366 where two possible parental combinations are discussed)

(a) **'Ochroleucum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: F.R. Kinghorn (1864), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, white. Indian

(a) **'Ochroleucum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1871), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls creamy white, with a golden spot. Ghent

(r) **'Ochroleucum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* hybrid R: R. Veitch & Son (pre 1862), N: R. Veitch & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale yellow in centre, shaded off to straw, with brown spots. Very dwarf. SCC 1862

(az) **'Ochroleucum'** cv. Azaleodendron: *ponticum* × *molle* R: W. Smith (c 1840), N: W. Smith, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls sulphur yellow. (Norbiton Group)

(a) **'Oconee Arrow'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *calendulaceum*, collected in Oconee Co., South Carolina, USA S: L.C. Towe (pre 1987), N: L.C. Towe Fls with a corolla tube 20-25mm long, but no lobes, orange; filaments and pistil present

(r) **'Octave de Schryver'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Vervaene (pre 1875), N: J. Vervaene, I: J. Vervaene, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls velvety blood red, spotted with black; snow white stamens

(r) **Octavia Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Akbar Group (s) × *griersonianum* R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in tight trusses, red. May-June

(a) **'October'** (Syn. of 'Indian Summer')

(a) **'October Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls hose-in-hose, purplish pink. Kurume

(r) **Octopus Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* (s) × *kyawii* R: L. de Rothschild (1938), I: E. de Rothschild (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in loose trusses, orange. Shrub of low, wide-spreading habit. June

(r) **'Oculatum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, with dark spots. Hardy Hybrid (Probably the plant listed under *ponticum* by Whitley & Osborn in 1850)

(r) **'Oculatum Nigrum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale lilac, with a large, dark eye. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Oculissimum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with dark blotches. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Odalisk'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Essex Scarlet' (s) × *fortunei* (Nearing's hardy selection) H: B. & M. Shapiro (1959), G: B. & M. Shapiro, N: B. & M. Shapiro, REG: B. & M. Shapiro (1993) Fls 10-12/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, with (6-)7 smooth to slightly wavy-edged and recurved lobes, vivid purplish red (57B) in bud, opening strong reddish purple (72C) at margins and shading to nearly white at midribs, with two greenish yellow (5A), spotted flares on the dorsal lobe and strong reddish purple (72C) freckles on all lobes; outside deep purplish pink (67C); stamens 10, vestigial; moderately scented. Calyx 1mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 102 × 38mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.5m in 30 years. Late May

(r) **'Odaliske'** (Syn. of 'Nagel's Odaliske')

(a) **'Odd Ball'** (Syn. of 'Joy of Paradise')

(r) **'Odd Ball'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: China Group (s) × 'Goldbug' H: W. Elliott (1967), G: W. Elliott, N: W. Elliott, I: W. Elliott, REG: W. Elliott (1980) Fls 12/lax, domed truss, tubular-campanulate, 50 × 75mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53B) in bud, opening moderate pink (35D), with 7 red nectaries and 13mm edging of deep yellowish pink (39B); spotted inside and out over the whole corolla (save for a 13mm border) with vivid red (45A); colours change slowly until corolla is pale yellow (164D) and both spots and nectaries dark reddish orange (173A). Calyx 25-50mm long, strong red (45D). Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 100-140 × 50-53mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, convex with slightly revolute margins, with a minute, tan indumentum. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years. Mid April

(r) **'Odee Wright'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Idealist Group × 'Mrs Betty Robertson' R: A.O. Wright (1957), N: A.O. Wright, I: A.O. Wright, REG: A.O. Wright (1964) Fls up to 15/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 115mm, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, peach (512/2) in bud, opening chartreuse (663/1), with carmine spotting in the throat. Lvs 90 × 40mm. Compact shrub to 1.0m in 10 years. Early May. AM 1990

(r) **'Odessa'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group (s) × *smirnowii* R: W. Nagel (1967), N: W. Nagel, I: W. Nagel (1984) Fls hose-in-hose, 7-11/truss, 55-75mm wide, rose pink to salmon pink with brownish red marking

(a) **'Odette'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Croux (pre 1984), N: Croux Fls small, salmon pink. Dense, rounded shrub

(a) **'Odilia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport on an irradiated plant of 'Silvester' R: Boskoop (c 1977), G: Boskoop (c 1980), N: Boskoop, I: Boskoop (1986), REG: D.M. van Gelderen (1987) Fls single, 2-3/truss, funnel-shaped, 20-25 × 28mm, 5-lobed, strong red (53D). Calyx green. Lvs ovate, 25 × 15mm, green, with greyish hairs below. Shrub c1.0 × 1.0m. Late April-mid May. Kurume

(a) **'Odin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1907), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls strong rose, with a deeper coloured blotch. Indian

(a) **'Odin'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: K. Wezelenburg & Son, N: K. Wezelenburg & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls apricot yellow, rose-tinted. Mollis

(a) **'Odoratum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1804), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Listed under *Azalea viscosa*)

(a) **'Odoratum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1804), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Listed under *Azalea nudiflora*)

(az) **'Odoratum'** cv. Azaleodendron: *ponticum* (s) × *periclymenoides* R: Thompson Nursery (pre 1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c12/truss, funnel-shaped, 30 × 30mm, lilac purple, lobes slightly paler along centre inside, crimson along centre outside, dorsal lobe marked greenish brown at base; scented. Calyx lobes 4-6mm long, gland-fringed. Lvs elliptic, c50 × 15-18mm, dark green and glossy above, silky hairy and glandular when young

(a) **'Odoratum Albicans'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white; very sweetly scented

(a) **'Odoratum Pallidum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Fraser (1875), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush white

(r) **Oedipus Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Eros Group (s) × Jacquetta Group H: Lord Aberconway (1934), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet

(a) **'Oeillet Parfait'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (pre 1889), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, lobes fimbriated, white, spotted and striped rose. Indian

(r) **'Oekonomierat Stoll'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *edgeworthii* × 'Gibsonii' R: Zahradnik (pre 1880), N: Zahradnik, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a yellow blotch. Syn: 'Zahradnik'

(a) **'Oester'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Noordtianum' × *kaempferi* and various Kurume azaleas R: G. Arends (pre

1914), N: G. Arends (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, pale lilac rose, with reddish markings. Shrub 0.6-0.8m. Arendsii

(r) **'Off-shoot'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Holden' (s) × 'Mary Garrison' H: W.L. Rhein (1977), G: W.L. Rhein (1982), N: W.L. Rhein, REG: Am.Rh.Soc., Susquehanna Valley Chapter (1995) Fls 17-19/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 38 × 51mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (51A) in bud, opening pale orange-yellow (19D) with strong pink (52D) highlights inside all lobes and moderate red (185B) spotting on dorsal lobe; outside midribs deep pink (52B), more pronounced on dorsal lobe; stigma dark greyish purple (202A). Calyx 3mm long, strong yellowish green (141C). Pedicels 25-38mm long, strong yellow-green (145A), tinted greyish reddish orange (174B). Lvs elliptic, 102-127 × 44-51mm, convex, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy, moderate olive green (137B) above, moderate yellow-green (147C) below, hairless; petioles 16-22mm long, strong yellow-green (144C), hairy. Shrub 1.5 × 2.1m in 17 years. Early May

(a) **'Offwell'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *eriocarpum* 'Gumpo' × *stenopetalum* H: H.E. Bawden (c 1975), G: H.E. Bawden, N: M. Hickson, I: M. Hickson, REG: M. Hickson (1989) Fls single, 3/truss, open funnel-campanulate, 45 × 60mm, with very slightly wavy-edged lobes, nearest to but slightly brighter and pinker than strong yellowish pink (38A); dorsal throat spotted strong red (39A). Lvs lanceolate, 35 × 10mm, glossy mid green. Shrub at least 0.2 × 0.48m. May-June. *HC 1989

(a) **'O-fuji'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c60mm wide, crimson. Satsuki

(r) **'Ogaretta'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Grierosplendour Group × white-flowered *fortunei* H: R.L. Means (1986), G: R.L. Means (1991), N: R.L. Means, REG: R.L. Means (1991) Fls 14/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 70 × 102mm, with 7 smooth-edged lobes, buds tyrian rose (24/3), opening peach (512) with dense garnet lake (828) at base of each lobe and a slightly larger, more dense flare on the dorsal lobe; stamens 13, rudimentary, 3mm long; moderately scented. Calyx very short, dark green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 140 × 38mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.4m in 5 years. Late April

(a) **'Ogi-kasane'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, rose pink (1958 Register); Galle (1987) gives colour as white flushed purplish and fls 30mm wide. Kurume

(a) **'Ogi-nagashi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red, very variable in shape (with petaloids, etc). Tsutsuji

(a) **'Ogi-no-odorikarki'** (Syn. of 'Kojo-no-odorikaraka')

(a) **'Ogon-no-mai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 40mm wide, pale pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Ogon-no-taki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Ogon-no-tsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Tamaori-hime' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 40-50mm wide, with rounded well-spaced lobes, white, heavily speckled and striped deep pink to strong red; variable, some red selfs, some white in centre with coloured edges. Satsuki

(a) **'Ogurayama'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, c40mm wide, red. Tsutsuji

(a) **'O-guruma'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, red, with long, narrow, twisted lobes. Syn: 'Itoguruma', 'Kin-yori', 'Yori-kurenai'. Tsutsuji

(r) **'O'Harold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kammer's Ruffles' × 'Van Nes Sensation' H: M. Stockman (1982), G: M. & H. Stockman (1989), N: M. & H. Stockman, I: M. & H. Stockman (1992), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1992) Fls 8/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 51 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purple (77B) in bud, opening strong reddish purple (78B) at edges, shading to nearly white in centre, moderate red (47A) spotting on dorsal lobe; outside strong reddish purple (78B); stamens 10, curved, unequal; strongly scented. Calyx 6mm long, cream. Pedicels 25mm long, green, tinged cream. Lvs ovate, 95 × 41mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, bullate and matt dark green above, hairless; petioles 13mm long, light green. Shrub 0.5 × 0.8m in 10 years. Early May

(r) **'Oh Canada'** (An error for 'O'Canada')

(r) **'Oheimb-Woislowitz'** (Syn. of 'Von Oheimb-Woislowitz')

(a) **'Oh Heavens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kagetsu' × Silver Cup' × 'Masterpiece' R: D. Hager (pre 1984), N: D. Hager Fls single, 65-75mm wide, white flushed lavender pink, striped and heavily sectored magenta. Lvs ovate, medium green. Shrub to 1.2m. Midseason

(a) **'Ohio'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt, I: E.A. Merritt (c 1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, with wavy-edged lobes, deep pink. Kurume

(r) **'Ohio Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from open-pollinated *yakushimanum* G: J.E. Ford (1973), N: Plant Name Committee, Ohio State University, REG: J.E. Ford (1984) Fls 12-13/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 40 × 60mm, 5-lobed, deep purplish pink (7.5RP 6/12), with a minor, dorsal, pale purplish pink blotch and light olive brown spotting in the throat, outside strong purplish red. Calyx 1mm long, brownish-orange. Lvs more-or-less narrowly elliptic, 90-125 × 35-45mm, with patchy, golden brown indumen-

tum below. Young foliage with light brown indumentum. Shrub 0.9m in 12 years. (Grown from seed collected by J.E. Ford (1970))

(r) **'Ohio Pink Blush'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from open-pollinated *yakushimanum* G: J.E. Ford (1974), N: Plant Name Committee, Ohio State University, REG: J.E. Ford (1984) Fls 7-13/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 60mm, 5-lobed, pale purplish pink (2.5RP 9/12), irregular light purple edging and strong yellow dorsal spotting in throat. Calyx 4mm long, dark orange-yellow. Lvs more-or-less elliptic, 100-120 × 45-55mm, with patchy, tan indumentum below. Young foliage with grey indumentum. Shrub c0.8m in 12 years. (Grown from seed collected by J.E. Ford (1970))

(r) **'Ohio Pink Glo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from open-pollinated *yakushimanum* G: J.E. Ford (1973), N: Plant Name Committee, Ohio State University, REG: J.E. Ford (1984) Fls 15-18/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 40 × 52mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish pink (7.5RP 7/10), with a light purplish pink blotch (7.5RP 8/5) and strong red spotting in the throat, outside strong purplish red. Calyx 2mm long, greenish pink. Lvs more-or-less elliptic, 100-125 × 45-55mm, with patchy yellow-brown indumentum below. Young foliage with light brown indumentum. Shrub 1.25m in 12 years. (Grown from seed collected by J.E. Ford (1970))

(r) **'Ohio White'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from open-pollinated *yakushimanum* G: J.E. Ford (1974), N: Plant Name Committee, Ohio State University, REG: J.E. Ford (1984) Fls 8-10/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 45 × 50mm, 5-lobed, white, with a vivid yellow dorsal blotch in the throat. Calyx 3mm long, dark yellow (5Y 6/7). Lvs elliptic to narrowly obovate, 90-100 × 44-50mm, with patchy yellowish indumentum below. Young foliage with brown indumentum. Shrub 0.9m in 12 years. (Grown from seed collected by J.E. Ford (1970))

(r) **'Oh! Johnny'** cv. Parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney, N: G. & Mrs A. Sather, I: G. & Mrs A. Sather (pre 1977) Fls bright yellow. Low shrub

(r) **'Oh Joy'** cv. Parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943)

(r) **'Oh Joyce'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* × *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Joyce Lyn' H: W.E. Delp (pre 1989), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls vivid purplish red (66A, B) and deep to moderate purplish pink (66C, D) in bud, opening vivid purplish red (67B), deep to light purplish pink (73A, B, C), very pale purple (73D) and white, with dark red (59A) dorsal spots

(a) **'Ohkan'** (Syn. of 'Albert-Elisabeth')

(r) **'Oh! Kitty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: F. Minch (c 1973), G: F. & J. Minch (1982), N: F. & J. Minch, REG: F. & J. Minch (1988) Fls 17/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 100-125 × 125-180mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (46A) in bud, opening strong pink (49A) with a strong red (46A) throat; highly scented. Calyx 13mm long, pinkish green. Lvs elliptic, 250 × 100mm, concave, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in c14 years. May. Syn: 'Miss Kitty' (Published in Briggs Nursery catalogue, 1987)

(a) **'Oh My'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1928), N: G. Harding, I: R.K. Beattie (1929), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 65-75mm wide, light purplish pink, with a white margin and a darker blotch. Dwarf shrub. Late. Satsuki

(r) **'Oh My!'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* (s) × *yakushimanum* H: W.E. Delp (1968), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1996) Fls 11/truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 80mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish pink (68B) in bud, opening light purplish pink (68D) and fading to white. Lvs 75 × 30mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, with an indumentum. Early June. (First published in Salley & Greer, *Rhododendron Hybrids*, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Oh Nuts'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Harbinger' × 'Hatsushimo' R: D. Hager (pre 1984), N: D. Hager Fls single, 75mm wide, some white edging, shading to salmon, and to dark red at centre. Lvs ovate. Shrub to 1.5m. Midseason

(r) **'Oh-too'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: China Group × 'Goldbug' H: W. Elliott (1964), G: W.E. Whitney, N: G. & Mrs A. Sather, I: G. & Mrs A. Sather (1975), REG: G. & Mrs A. Sather (1976) Fls 14/ball to lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep red (60A) in bud, opening strong red (51A) maturing to light yellow (18A), throat moderate yellowish pink (38B) with heavy, strong red (46A) dorsal spotting, edges 51A in mature flower. Calyx 7mm long, red. Lvs narrowly obovate, 75-125 × 35-55mm, glossy, moderate olive green (146A), hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years. Early May

(r) **'Oh Woa!'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Masterblend' (s) × 'Jennypoo' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls 6-lobed, deep red (53A, 60A), strong red (46A) and strong purplish red (60B) in bud, opening strong purplish red (67A), vivid purplish red (67B) and deep purplish pink (67C), with deep reddish purple (61A) dorsal spots; anthers white. (First published in error as 'Oh Whoa' in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Oie-murasaki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c40mm wide, deep purple. Satsuki

(a) **'Oimatsu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (c 1920), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red. Kurume

(a) **'Oino-mezane'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1918), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small (c25mm wide), bright rose mauve, with reddish spotting. Syn: 'Melody'; Wilsonno.25. Kurume

(a) **'Oji-kasane'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 30mm wide, white, flushed cameo pink. Kurume

(a) **'O'Kell's Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Carter's (1976) Fls single, bright rose pink, slightly blushed mauve. Shrub up to 2.0m. Indian

(a) **'Oki Island'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *molle* subsp. *japonicum* collected on Oki Island L: Greer Gardens (1983) Lvs curved at edges

(a) **'Okina-nishiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *indicum* R: Japan, N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, orange-red. Dwarf shrub. Indian

(a) **'Okina-nishiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls hose-in-hose, 65-75mm wide, deep reddish orange. Compact shrub. Satsuki. (Perhaps the same plant as the Indian cv (*q.v.*))

(a) **'O-kiri-murasaki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c60mm, deep purple. Lvs large, oblanceolate. Tsutsuji

(a) **'O-kirishima'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c60mm wide, red, with thick lobes. Leaves gardenia-shaped (ie elliptic). Tsutsuji (Said to be a selection from *scabrum*)

(r) **'Oklahoma'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Bellerophon Group (s) × Tally Ho Group R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 20-22/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 85mm, 5-lobed, strong red (47B), with slight, darker spotting on the dorsal lobe. Calyx lobes reflexed, up to 30mm long, red, hairy. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 175 × 57mm, with a loose, light brown indumentum below. AM 1975 (Oklahoma Group)

(r) **Oklahoma Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Bellerophon Group (s) × Tally Ho Group R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1948), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'O-koshimino'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c60mm wide, red, with strap-shaped segments between calyx and corolla. Satsuki

(r) **'Oktavia'** (Syn. of 'Hachmann's Oktavia')

(v) **'Ok Tedi Gold'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Tropic Glow' (s) × *laetum* H: M.D. Cullinane (1980), G: M.D. Cullinane (1987), N: M.D. Cullinane (1996), REG: M.D. Cullinane (1996) Fls 7-9/flat truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 75-80mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, greenish cream in bud, opening vivid yellow (17B) inside and out; unspotted; stamens and style green; spread of stigma lobes 40-45mm at widest point. Calyx 1.5mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 40mm, flat, attenuate at base, aristate at apex, with light brown scales when young. Shrub 1.5 × 1.0m in 5 years. Repeat-flowering

(a) **'Oku-murasaki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c60mm wide, deep purple. Lvs dark. Satsuki

(r) **'Olan Ragan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.A. Ragan (1969), G: W.A. Ragan (1980), N: W.A. Ragan, REG: W.A. Ragan (1988) Fls 12/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 38 × 102mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale yellow-green (4D), with a dark red (59A) ray - c19mm long - on dorsal lobe. Lvs narrowly oblong, 165 × 64mm, flat, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 18 years. Mid May

(r) **'Old Cardinal'** cv. Parentage unknown I: J.J. Crosfield (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep blood red

(r) **'Old Copper'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan' (s) × Fabia Group R: T. Van Veen (1948), I: T. Van Veen (1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 5/loose truss, 65mm wide, old copper colour. Lvs 100 × 40mm. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **Oldenburg Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × *williamsianum* R: D.G. Hobbie (c 1943), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 7-lobed, pale pink, with slight, brownish markings; slightly scented

(r) **'Oldenburgia'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C.J.H. Walther (pre 1870), INC: ICRA (1958). Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Oldewig'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel (c 1904), N: T.J.R. Seidel (1912), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls ruby red, with a paler centre and red-brown spots on a paler ground

(a) **'Old Faithful'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* × *kaempferi* R: J.B. Gable, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 55mm wide, rhodamine purple (29/2), with a darker blotch. Shrub to 1.0m. Midseason. Gable (Not named by Gable)

(r) **'Old Faithful'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Unknown × 'Mars' R: C.R. & V. Haag, I: Cardinal Nursery (1991) Fls deep red

(a) **'Old Gold'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Exbury, N: Exbury, I: E. de Rothschild (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light orange-yellow, flushed pink, with an orange blotch. Knap Hill

(a) **'Old Ivory'** (Syn. of 'Shin-seikai')

(r) **'Old Lace'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Chionoides' × unknown R: L. Fretz (pre 1998) Fls in a conical truss, pale lilac, with very wavy-edged lobes. Upright shrub

(a) **'Old Ming'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c 1930), N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep violet. Coolidge

(r) **'Old Olson'** (Syn. of 'Ole Olson')

(r) **'Old Port'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c15/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45-50 × 60-70mm, vinous crimson, with blackish crimson marks. Calyx very small. Lvs very glossy, *catawbiense*-type. Shrub to c2.0m

(r) **'Old Spice'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* (s) × Azor Group H: B.F. Lancaster (1948), G: B.F. Lancaster, N: B.F. Lancaster (1961), REG: B.F. Lancaster (1962) Fls 12/truss, open campanulate, up to 90mm wide, phlox pink (625/1), blending to apricot (609/3); scented. Lvs 175 × 50mm. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Midseason

(a) **'OldWine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (pre 1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, rose salmon. Coolidge

(r) **'Oleanda'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* × 'Doncaster' R: M. Haworth-Booth, N: M. Haworth-Booth, REG: M. Haworth-Booth (1967) Fls 8-10/compact truss, 75mm wide, deep pink (52B). Mid June

(r) **'Ole Olson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* Elatum Group (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* H: J.B. Gable, N: H. Lem, I: H. Lem, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a loose truss, 90mm wide, pale yellow. Lvs 100 × 50mm, mid green. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Syn: 'Ollie Olson', 'Old Olson'

(a) **'Olga'** (Syn. of 'Elektra')

(r) **'Olga'** (Syn. of 'Olga Mezitt')

(r) **'Olga'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Lindsay Smith' (s) × Dido Group H: Slocock Nurseries (c 1962), G: Slocock Nurseries, N: Slocock Nurseries, I: Slocock Nurseries, REG: Slocock Nurseries (1982) Fls 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 60mm, pale yellow (20D), flushed light pink (39D) especially towards the margins; dorsal lobes flecked more-or-less vivid reddish orange (34B) below, greener than moderate yellow (162A) in centre. Calyx pale yellow (20D), flecked strong reddish orange (34C). Lvs 100 × 40mm. *HC 1982, *AM 1986

(r) **'Olga Mezitt'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus*, compact selection × pink-flowered *dauricum* hybrid H: E.V. Mezitt (1958), G: Weston Nurseries, I: Weston Nurseries (1975), REG: Weston Nurseries (1983) Fls c12/truss, 20 × 40mm, open to tubular funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, moderate purplish pink (62B), dorsal blotch inconspicuous, gold green, ageing to reddish brown. Calyx 3mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs lanceolate, 50 × 25mm, moderate olive green (147A), with bronze scales below; mahogany in winter. Shrub c1.2m in 15 years. Late March. Syn: 'Olga' (Parentage listed on registration was supplied in error)

(a) **'Olga Niblett'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Oakland' (s) × 'Kaigetsu' × 'Carol' (Gable) H: R.D. Gartrell (1963), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, I: Transplant Nursery, REG: R.D. Gartrell (1985) Fls hose-in-hose, 2/bud, open funnel-shaped, 35 × 60mm, 5-lobed, white, overlaid faint greenish yellow at first, spotted brilliant yellow-green (149C). Calyx as corolla. Spring lvs elliptic to broadly elliptic, 38 × 22mm. Shrub up to 1.5m. Mid May. (Robin Hill no. T50-8)

(a) **'Olinda'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: M.E. Greentree (pre 1984), N: M.E. Greentree Fls semi-double, light pink, shaded mauve, paling to white in centre. Indian

(r) **'Olinda Bells'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown G: Olinda Nurseries (1988), N: Olinda Nurseries (1993), I: Olinda Nurseries (1994), REG: Olinda Nurseries (1994) Fls 4-6/lax truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 35 × 45mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, inside yellowish white (158C), lobes mid pink, the dorsal lobe flushed greenish yellow; outside yellowish white (158C). Calyx 5mm long, green. Lvs obovate, 40 × 20mm, flat, matt green above, acuminate at apex, narrowed at base, hairless. Shrub 0.5 × 0.5m

(a) **'Olinda Bushfire'** cv. Deciduous azalea: grown from open-pollinated Ilam seed from New Zealand G: Australian Rhododendron Society, Victorian Branch (pre 1981), I: Australian Rhododendron Society, Victorian Society, REG: Australian Rhododendron Society, Victorian Branch (1986) Fls single, 10-12/truss, funnel-shaped, 80 × 60mm, vivid reddish orange (43B). Lvs elliptic, 100 × 40mm. Shrub 2.0m

(a) **'Olinda Candy'** cv. Deciduous azalea: grown from open-pollinated Ilam seed from New Zealand G: Australian Rhododendron Society, Victorian Branch (pre 1981), I: Australian Rhododendron Society, Victorian Branch, REG: Australian Rhododendron Society, Victorian Branch (1986) Fls single, 13-16/truss, funnel-shaped, 60 × 40mm, with wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (52C), with a vivid reddish orange (30B) flare on the three dorsal lobes. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 40mm. Shrub 1.0m

(a) **'Olinda Cecile'** cv. Deciduous azalea: grown from open-pollinated Ilam seed from New Zealand G: Australian Rhododendron Society, Victorian Branch (pre 1981), I: Australian Rhododendron Society, Victorian Branch, REG: Australian Rhododendron Society, Victorian Branch (1986) Fls single, 10-15/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 60 × 50mm, strong pink (52D), with a brilliant yellow (14C) dorsal flare. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 60mm. Shrub 1.0m

(r) **'Olinda Early Surprise'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* subsp. *delavayi* × 'Marion' H: H. Van de Ven (1970), G: H. Van de Ven (1976), N: National Rhododendron Garden, Olinda (1991), REG: National Rhododendron Garden, Olinda (1992) Fls 20-22/con-

ical truss, campanulate, 40 × 50mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, strong purplish red (58B). Lvs elliptic, 120 × 40mm, margins decurved, matt green above, with a thin, brown indumentum below on mature leaves. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 15 years. Spring

(a) **'Olinda Fire Red'** cv. Deciduous azalea: grown from open-pollinated Ilam seed from New Zealand G: Australian Rhododendron Society, Victorian Branch (pre 1981), I: Australian Rhododendron Society, Victorian Branch, REG: Australian Rhododendron Society, Victorian Branch (1986) Fls single, 16/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 70 × 70mm, vivid reddish orange (43A). Lvs elliptic, 120 × 60mm. Shrub 2.0m

(a) **'Olinda Flame'** cv. Deciduous azalea: grown from open-pollinated Ilam seed from New Zealand G: Australian Rhododendron Society, Victorian Branch (pre 1981), I: Australian Rhododendron Society, Victorian Branch, REG: Australian Rhododendron Society, Victorian Branch (1986) Fls single, 15/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 70 × 40mm, vivid reddish orange (42A). Lvs elliptic, 120 × 40mm. Shrub 2.0m

(a) **'Olinda Glow'** cv. Deciduous azalea: grown from open-pollinated Ilam seed from New Zealand G: Australian Rhododendron Society, Victorian Branch (pre 1981), I: Australian Rhododendron Society, Victorian Branch, REG: Australian Rhododendron Society, Victorian Branch (1986) Fls single, 18/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 60 × 50mm, vivid reddish orange (43A). Lvs elliptic, 100 × 40mm. Shrub 2.0m

(a) **'Olinda Gold'** cv. Deciduous azalea: grown from open-pollinated Ilam seed from New Zealand G: Australian Rhododendron Society, Victorian Branch (pre 1981), I: Australian Rhododendron Society, Victorian Branch, REG: Australian Rhododendron Society, Victorian Branch (1986) Fls single, 18-20/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 70 × 40mm, vivid yellow (15A). Lvs elliptic, 80 × 40mm. Shrub 1.0m. (Published in error as 'Orange Gold' in *Rhododendrons, 1986/7*, p.103 (1986))

(a) **'Olinda Gypsy'** cv. Deciduous azalea: grown from open-pollinated Ilam seed from New Zealand G: Australian Rhododendron Society, Victorian Branch (pre 1981), I: Australian Rhododendron Society, Victorian Branch, REG: Australian Rhododendron Society, Victorian Branch (1986) Fls single, 13-15/truss, funnel-shaped, 70 × 50mm, with wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (52C), with an orange flare. Lvs elliptic, 110 × 50mm. Shrub 1.0m

(a) **'Olinda May'** cv. Deciduous azalea: grown from open-pollinated Ilam seed from New Zealand G: Australian Rhododendron Society, Victorian Branch (pre 1981), I: Australian Rhododendron Society, Victorian Branch, REG: Australian Rhododendron Society, Victorian Branch (1986) Fls single, 8-10/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 90 × 40mm, vivid reddish orange (43B), with an orange flare on the dorsal lobe and darker margins. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 40mm. Shrub 1.5m

(a) **'Olinda Orange'** cv. Deciduous azalea: grown from open-pollinated Ilam seed from New Zealand G: Australian Rhododendron Society, Victorian Branch (pre 1981), I: Australian Rhododendron Society, Victorian Branch, REG: Australian Rhododendron Society, Victorian Branch (1986) Fls single, 18-20/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 60 × 50mm, vivid reddish orange (32A). Lvs elliptic, 120 × 50mm. Shrub 2.0m

(r) **'Olinda Pride'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Freckle Pink' (s) × un-named apricot seedling H: K. Van de Ven, G: K. Van de Ven (1984), N: K. Van de Ven, REG: K. Van de Ven (1985) Fls 20/truss, funnel-shaped, 60 × 110mm, 7-lobed, pale yellowish pink (36D), fading, spotted strong greenish yellow (151B). Lvs elliptic, 140 × 50mm. Shrub 1.0m

(a) **'Olinda Rose'** cv. Deciduous azalea: grown from open-pollinated Ilam seed from New Zealand G: Australian Rhododendron Society, Victorian Branch (pre 1981), I: Australian Rhododendron Society, Victorian Branch, REG: Australian Rhododendron Society, Victorian Branch (1986) Fls single, 10-14/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, deep pink (52C), with a dorsal flare of strong orange (25A). Lvs elliptic, 110 × 40mm. Shrub 1.0m

(r) **'Olinda Ruby'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Nobleanum Group × Cornubia Group H: V.J. Boulter (1970), G: V.J. Boulter (1976), N: F. Boulter (1991), I: Boulters Olinda Nursery (1991), REG: Boulters Olinda Nursery (1992) Fls 15-20/conical, rounded truss, campanulate, 40 × 50mm, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53B). Lvs elliptic, 70 × 23mm, margins flat, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.2m. Spring

(r) **'Olinda Sunset'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Apricot Gold' × 'Lem's Cameo' H: K. Van de Ven, G: K. Van de Ven (1978), N: Australian Rhododendron Society, Victorian Branch, I: Australian Rhododendron Society, Victorian Branch (1987), REG: Australian Rhododendron Society, Victorian Branch (1988) Fls 20-23/truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 90mm, 7-lobed, vivid red (45A) inside with a blotch in the throat, deep pink (47D) outside, fading to light orange (28C). Calyx 15mm long. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 50mm, hairless. Shrub 1.6m tall. Spring

(r) **'Olin O. Dobbs'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × 'Purple Splendour' H: O.O. Dobbs (1955), G: O.O. Dobbs, I: H.E. Greer (c 1973), REG: H.E. Greer (1979) Fls 12-15/truss, open funnel-shaped, with 5 flat-edged lobes, 65mm wide, deep reddish purple (2.5RP 3/8), with slight, brown, dorsal spotting. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 50mm, acute at apex, oblique at base, between moderate and greyish olive green (5GY 4/3-32) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.1m in 10 years. Mid May

(a) **'Olive'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.B. Gable (pre 1972), N: G. Lee Fls orchid purple. Similar to 'Mildred Mae'. Gable

(r) **'Olive'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *moupinense* (s) × *dauricum* R: Sir John Stirling-Maxwell (1936), N: Sir John Stirling-Maxwell, I: Sir John Stirling-Maxwell (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-2/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, lobes 25 × 40mm, mallow purple (630/2), with darker spots at the base of the dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 25-30mm long, dark green above, with scattered scales below. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. AM 1942

(r) **'Olive Egan'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Gable's Pioneer' × 'Lady Alice Fitzwilliam' H: E.K. Egan (pre 1978)

(r) **'Olive Judson'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *oreotrephes* × Lady Chamberlain Group H: Judson (1953), G: Judson, N: Judson, I: G. Reuthe Ltd, REG: G. Reuthe Ltd (1973) Fls 4-6/truss, up to 50mm long, rosy carmine, striped red-purple, with darker markings in the throat

(r) **'Oliver'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Loderi Group hybrid R: L.C.R. Messel, N: L.C.R. Messel, I: L.C.R. Messel (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep pink outside, paler within. Similar to 'Linley Sambourne'. AM 1933

(r) **'Oliver Cromwell'** cv. Parentage unknown R: I. Davies (pre 1884), N: I. Davies, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark carmine, with a purple blotch. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Oliver Heywood'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson, with dark spots

(r) **'Oliver Twist'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Charles Dickens' × *yakushimanum* R: B.F. Lancaster, N: B.F. Lancaster, REG: B.F. Lancaster (1968) Fls up to 20/globe-shaped truss, campanulate, 65mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, clear fuchsine purple (627/2-627/3). Lvs elliptic, up to 115 × 50mm, with a matted tan indumentum below, dark green above. Shrub c40 × 40cm in 5 years, globe-shaped. Mid May

(r) **'Olive Smith'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ('Scandinavia' × 'La Bar's White')F2 × 'Calsap' H: A.W. Smith (1983), G: A.W. Smith (1988), N: A.W. Smith, REG: A.W. Smith (1989) Fls 16/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 44 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, very light purple (76B), with a prominent, heavily spotted, deep purplish red (71A) dorsal flare. Calyx 1mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 108 × 56mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.5m in 5 years. Late May

(r) **'Olivia Coker'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ivan D.Wood' × 'Coker's Pink' H: R.J. Coker (1982), G: R.J. Coker (1985), N: R.J. Coker (1993), REG: R.J. Coker (1993) Fls 15/conical truss, 65 × 110mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (54B) in bud, opening moderate purplish pink (62B) and fading to light purplish pink (62C) inside; outside strong purplish pink (62A); deep purplish pink (54B) spots on dorsal lobe; style lemon yellow; scented. Lvs oblanceolate, 230 × 75mm, decurved at margins, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 2.5 × 1.0m in 10 years. Mid-late season

(r) **'Ollie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense*, dwarf red (s) × *brachycarpum* H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls deep purplish pink (68A) in bud, opening deep to moderate purplish pink (68A, B, C), with a white flare and light greenish yellow (1C) dorsal spots. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Ollie Olson'** (Syn. of 'Ole Olson')

(r) **'Olwen's Dream'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pacific Queen' × *wardii* H: Mrs G. Grant, G: Mr & MrsC.A. Grant (1976), N: Mr & Mrs C.A. Grant, REG: Mr & Mrs C.A. Grant (1988) Fls 7/truss, funnel-shaped, 60 × 90mm, with 7 reflexed lobes, carmine (21/3) merging to scarlet (19/3). Lvs elliptic, 130 × 50mm, hairless. Early-mid November

(a) **'Olympia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Paul Schäme' × 'Frits Sander' I: R. Ambrosius (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, strong red (53D). Calyx normal, green. Indian

(r) **Olympia Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Day Dream Group (s) × *elliottii* H: L. de Rothschild (1938), I: E. de Rothschild (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a large truss, red. Lvs deep green. June

(r) **'Olympic Blondie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group hybrid R: R.W. Clark, N: R.W. Clark, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Olympic Brave'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group hybrid R: R.W. Clark, N: R.W. Clark, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Olympic Brownie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group hybrid R: R.W. Clark, N: R.W. Clark, I: R.W. Clark (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls biscuit brown

(r) **'Olympic Chimes'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group hybrid R: R.W. Clark, N: R.W. Clark, I: R.W. Clark (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. Calyx large

(r) **'Olympic Chinook'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group hybrid R: R.W. Clark, N: R.W. Clark, I: R.W. Clark (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon orange. Lvs pale green

(a) **'Olympic Flame'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: W.G.T. Hyde, G: W.G.T. Hyde (1970s), N: Mrs R. Legrand (1998), I: Mrs R. Legrand (1998), REG: Mrs R. Legrand (1998) Fls 8/ball truss, with 7 very wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (44A) in bud, opening vivid reddish orange (32A), outside vivid reddish orange (33A); with a vivid orange-yellow (21A) dorsal flash; scented. Calyx 5mm long, moderate yellow-green

(146D). Lvs elliptic, 65 × 35mm, margins decurved, acute at apex, cuneate at base, matt green above. Shrub 1.37 × 1.19m in 20 years. Late May-early June

(r) **'Olympic Gold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Apricot Gold' (s) × 'Lem's Cameo' H: K. Van de Ven (1987), G: K. Van de Ven (1993), N: Olinda Nursery (1993), I: Olinda Nursery (1994), REG: Olinda Nursery (1994) Fls 15-20/conical truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 80mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, pale yellow (11C) inside and out. Calyx 2-4mm long. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 40mm, flat, matt green above, acuminate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 2.0m

(r) **'Olympic Hose-in-hose'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group hybrid R: R.W. Clark, N: R.W. Clark, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Olympic Hunter'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group hybrid R: R.W. Clark, N: R.W. Clark, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Olympic Knight'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group hybrid R: R.W. Clark, N: R.W. Clark, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark red, with a prominent black-red blotch. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **Olympic Lady Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi King George' (s) × *williamsianum* H: E. Ostbo, G: R.W. Clark, I: R.W. Clark (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 4-8/truss, cup-shaped, 75 × 100mm wide, pink, turning to white. Lvs 75-55mm, mid green. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Olympic Maid'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group hybrid R: R.W. Clark, N: R.W. Clark, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Olympic Miss'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group hybrid R: R.W. Clark, N: R.W. Clark, I: R.W. Clark (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with well-developed calyx, pinkish orange. Lvs dark green

(r) **'Olympic Quinault'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* hybrid H: Layritz Nursery, N: R.W. Clark, I: R.W. Clark (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. Shrub of upright habit, 1.2m in 10 years. Midseason. (Obtained from Layritz Nursery as *griersonianum* hybrid no. 550)

(r) **'Olympic Sun'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Brandt's Best Yellow' (s) × 'Marcia' H: F. Minch (c 1984), G: R.W. Ward (1995), N: R.W. Ward (1997), REG: R.W. Ward (1997) Fls 12/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, buds strong purplish pink (55B), with a light yellow-green (2C) base, opening inside pale greenish yellow (2D) at margins and shading to pale yellow-green (4D); outside pale yellow-green (4D), with traces of strong pink (48D) only while opening, unmarked when fully open. Lvs narrowly oblong, 120 × 35mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, dull, moderate olive green (137B) above, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.5m in 13 years. Late April

(r) **'Olympic Sunset'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lemon Custard' × 'Crest' H: W. Elliott (1969), G: F. Peste (1976), N: W. Elliott, REG: W. Elliott (1989) Fls 7-9/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 83 × 102mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, moderate yellowish pink (37C), suffused with light yellow (18B) on upper 3/4 of each lobe; moderately scented. Calyx very small. Lvs elliptic, 127 × 51mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 3.0 × 2.4m in 15 years. May

(r) **'Olympic Sweetheart'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Romany Chai Group (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* R: R.W. Clark, N: R.W. Clark, I: R.W. Clark (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, flushed yellow and pink

(r) **'Olympic Triumph'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.A. Ragan (1969), G: W.A. Ragan, N: W.A. & J. Ragan, REG: W.A. & J. Ragan (1988) Fls 14/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 64 × 114mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink in bud, opening deep purplish pink (73A) in throat, to strong purplish pink (73B) at margins, some red spotting on dorsal lobe and red rays extending from throat up centre of most lobes, outside moderate purplish pink (65A). Lvs narrowly oblong, 102 × 38mm, flat but with wavy margins, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 18 years. Mid to late May-June

(r) **'Olympic Vicki Reine'** (Syn. of 'Vicki Reine')

(a) **'O-man'e'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double (anemone-centred), crimson. Syn: 'Satsuma-man'e'. Satsuki

(r) **Omar Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *catacosmum* (s) × *beanianum* H: J.B. Stevenson (1939), G: J.B. Stevenson, N: J.B. Stevenson, I: J.B. Stevenson (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red

(r) **'Omar Pasha'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1867), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple lake. Hardy Hybrid (Sometimes seen, incorrectly, as 'Omar Pacha')

(a) **'Omega'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Marian Lee' × 'Glacier' R: E. Deckert (pre 1980), N: E. Deckert Fls 90mm wide, deep pink, with a darker blotch and occasional white areas. Low, rounded shrub. Midseason. Syn: 'Antoine'

(r) **'Omega'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel (c 1904), N: T.J.R. Seidel (1912), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale ruby red, with red-brown or yellow-green spots on a pale ground

(a) **'Omen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Illusion' (s) × 'Osakazuki' × 'Suetsumu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, 50-65mm wide, white, with a chartreuse blotch on three dorsal lobes. Shrub 1.5m. Mid May. Glenn Dale (Pollen parent recorded as "No. 1" in Glenn Dale records: the version given here requires confirmation)

(a) **'Omi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c60mm wide, white, with a green blotch and a few red streaks. Satsuki

(a) **'Ominameshi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c40mm wide, white, with 8-9 (or sometimes up to 14-15) lobes. Satsuki

(r) **'Omniflorum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Multiflorum' × hardy white rhododendron R: I. Davies (pre 1898), N: I. Davies, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Omo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *hyperythrum* R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, REG: C. Ingram (1976) Fls 8-10/loose, rounded truss, funnel-campanulate, 5-lobed, white. Calyx lobes to 4mm long, yellow-green, sparsely glandular hairy. Lvs elliptic-lanceolate, 135 × 38mm, dark green and glossy, hairless. AM 1976

(a) **'Omodaka'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c60mm wide, light purple. Lvs large. Satsuki

(a) **'Omoine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1918), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale lavender or clear rosy lilac, paler in the throat. Syn: 'Dame Lavender'; Wilson no. 26. Kurume

(a) **'Omoi-no-maku'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65mm wide, with rounded, well-spaced lobes, white, flushed purplish pink; stamens and pistil pale pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Omokage'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single and double, c50mm wide, white. Lvs large. Tsutsuji

(r) **'Omphale'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Omsk'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale lilac rose, with yellow spots on a lighter ground

(a) **'Omu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c50mm wide, cherry blossom pink. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Omurasaki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1851), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, rose purple, with crimson spots, larger than 'Phoeniceum'. Calyx lobes larger, more acuminate, hairy. Plant more vigorous and hardier. Syn: 'O-omurasaki', 'Kumagai-yodogawa', 'Calycinum' (Introduced to the West from China (R. Fortune, 1851), but probably raised in Japan)

(r) **'O My'** cv. Parentage unknown H: R. Henny (pre 1980) Syn: 'Pink Jewel'

(a) **'O-my-o'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hino-crimson' × 'Salmon Elf' H: R.L. Pryor (pre 1978)

(r) **'Oncle Mein'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C.J.H. Walther (pre 1860?), N: C.J.H. Walther, INC: ICRA (1958). Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Ondine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Gunkel (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, fiery rose, with a beautiful blotch. Indian

(a) **'One-o-one'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Cecile', selfed H: A.A. & M. Childers (1955), G: A.A. & M. Childers, N: A.A. & M. Childers, I: A.A. & M. Childers, REG: A.A. & M. Childers (1977) Fls 11/ball truss, 100mm wide, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, brighter than strong red (53D), marbled or veined deep yellowish pink (43C), with a vivid orange-yellow blotch (23A); scented. Lvs elliptic, 75-90 × 40mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green and bullate above, with hairs at margins and on midrib below; petiole hairy. Shrub 1.2 × 2.5m in 21 years. Mid May. Knap Hill

(r) **'One Thousand Butterflies'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lem's Cameo' × 'Pink Petticoats' H: J.G. Lofthouse (1975), G: J.G. Lofthouse (1979), N: J.G. Lofthouse, I: J.G. Lofthouse (1980), REG: J.G. Lofthouse (1981) Fls up to 34/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53D) in bud, opening strong purplish pink (55B) at margins, shading to pale purplish pink (55D) inside; outside light purplish pink (55C) shading to strong pink (52D) near pedicel; butterfly-shaped dorsal blotch of strong red (53B) at base, shading to moderate reddish orange (42D) towards apex. Calyx 3mm long, pinkish white. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 125-150 × 55-65mm, rounded at base, glossy green, hairless. Shrub c0.9 × 0.8m in 5 years. Late May. Syn: 'Thousand Butterflies'

(a) **'Onjoji'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c60mm wide, light orangish, streaked red, striped light purple. Satsuki

(a) **'Only One Earth'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Gretel' × un-named Beltsville seedling R: G. Taylor, N: G. Taylor, I: G. Taylor (pre 1972) Fls double, hose-in-hose, cherry red. Shrub of dense habit, to 1.5m. Early

(a) **'On-no-sora'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with narrow lobes, clear lavender, with an occasional chestnut spot; anthers white. Kurume

(a) **'Onoe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, white, variously marked with red or light red. Satsuki

(a) **'Onshi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with a deep purple throat, with paler to pure white margins. Satsuki

(a) **'Onsho'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Katoi' × 'Kyokkunishiki' R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale wisteria purple, with deeper stripes and mottling and with a paler edge (1958 Register); fls with rounded, overlapping lobes, 50mm wide, white with a purplish pink blush towards edges and occasional purplish pink flecks and sectors (Galle, 1987). Satsuki

(r) **'Onsloweanum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1851), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls delicate waxy blush, changing to white, with a yellow eye. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Onycina'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. van Geert (1843), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls flesh pink, striped rose, with an orange blotch. Ghent

(a) **'Onyo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan Fls with rounded lobes, very pale pink but very variable: some stripes, blotches and selfs of deep yellowish pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Oogocho'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1978), N: Japan Fls variable, hose-in-hose to semi-double, up to 45mm wide, strong purplish red (7.5RP 4/11) with a darker blotch on the dorsal lobes. Kurume

(r) **'Ooh Gina'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Golden Belle' (s) × 'Lem's Cameo' H: C.R. Burlingame (1976), G: C.R. Burlingame (1983), N: C.R. Burlingame, REG: C.R. Burlingame (1983) Fls 15/truss, 65 × 90mm, 7-lobed, orient pink (416/1), shading to narrow camellia rose (622) margins, with a star-shaped cardinal red (822) dorsal blotch in the throat, outside camellia rose (622). Calyx minute, rose-coloured. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 125 × 50mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Young lvs bronzed. Shrub c0.7m in 7 years. Late May

(r) **'Ooh-la-la'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Pink Petticoats' H: J.G. Lofthouse (1966), G: J.G. Lofthouse (1970), N: J.G. Lofthouse, I: J.G. Lofthouse (1972), REG: J.G. Lofthouse (1981) Fls 22-26/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 75mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (55A) in bud, opening strong purplish pink (55B) to pale purplish pink (55D) and ageing to white, with a yellow dorsal flare and spotting; outside light purplish pink (55C), fading with age. Calyx negligible. Lvs narrowly elliptic, margins somewhat revolute, more-or-less acute at apex; young growth tomentose, indumentum below becoming pale yellow (161C). Shrub 0.6 × 1.2m in 14 years. Early-mid May. Syn: 'Hot Pants'

(a) **'O-omurasaki'** (Syn. of 'Omurasaki')

(a) **'Oouchiyama'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1978), N: Japan Fls hose-in-hose, up to 30mm wide, strong reddish purple, with a whitish throat and darker blotches on the dorsal lobes. Kurume

(a) **'Opal'** cv. Evergreen azalea: un-named seedling (A3) × 'Mrs L.C. Fischer' H: G.A. Reid (1959), G: G.A. Reid (1964), N: G.A. Reid, I: G.A. Reid (1974), REG: G.A. Reid (1976) Fls double, 2-4/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 30 × 65mm, with 5+5 wavy-edged lobes, fuchsia purple (28/2), heavily spotted magenta rose (027) on all dorsal lobes; no stamens. Calyx 3mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 30 × 17mm, glossy, parsley green (00962), hairless; almost deciduous in winter. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 4 years. October and May. (Linwood azalea no. L-1)

(r) **'Opal'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *hippophaeoides* × *racemosum* R: G. Arends (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light lilac. Lvs grey-green. Shrub 0.8-1.0m

(r) **'Opal'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Stokes Bronze Wings' × 'Goldsworth Yellow' H: W.E. Stokes (pre 1969) Fls pink. Large shrub

(r) **'Opal Dawn'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *davidsonianum* 'Exbury Pink' (s) × 'Countess of Haddington' R: R.C. Gordon, N: R.C. Gordon, I: R.C. Gordon, REG: R.C. Gordon (1984) Fls 4-5/truss, open funnel-shaped, 70 × 80mm, 5-lobed, rose opal in bud (022/1), flushed cream, opening camellia rose (622/3), fading to white with a pink flush on the dorsal part of the tube, dorsal flare of bright greenish yellow spots; scented. Calyx 6mm long, red. Lvs oblong, 75 × 40mm, with brown scales. (Published in error as 'Open Dawn' in *Rhododendrons 1984/5 with Magnolias and Camellias*, p.92 (1984))

(r) **'Opal Fawcett'** cv. Parentage unknown R: E. Ostbo (pre 1958), I: C.P. Fawcett, REG: C.P. Fawcett (1961) Fls c16/compact, rounded truss, funnel-shaped, 75-90mm wide, 5-lobed, very pale opalescent pink, fading to white, stained crimson at base inside; slightly scented. Calyx irregular, lobes up to 7mm long, glandular ciliate. Lvs 125-200 × 50-65mm. Shrub c1.2m

(r) **'Opaline'** (Syn. of 'Yvonne Opaline')

(r) **Opaline Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* hybrid R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1947), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Opal's Pride'** (Syn. of 'Pride of Prichard')

(r) **'Opal Thornton'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Antoon van Welie' × *hyperythrum* R: Pushepetappa Gardens (pre 1994) Fls silvery pink. Shrub 1.6m in 10 years. Mid April

(r) **'Open Dawn'** (An error for 'Opal Dawn')

(r) **'Openwood'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selected seedling from *yunnanense* N: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1959), I: Waterer (Knap Hill), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1961) Fls mauve lavender, speckled with red

(a) **'Opera'** cv. Evergreen azalea: orange-flowered form of *indicum* (s) × 'Momozono' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls irregularly hose-in-hose, 2-4/truss, 40mm wide, begonia rose (deep pink (50B)), with a small, relatively inconspicuous blotch of carmine (strong red (46A)) spots. Shrub to 1.5m. Late April-early May. Glenn Dale

(r) **Operetta Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Ambrose Group × *griersonianum* H: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson or bright red

(a) **'Ophelia'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1905), N: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep orange. Mollis

(a) **'Ophelia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ledikanense' × 'Madame van der Cruyssen' R: J. Matouš (c 1964), N: J. Matouš Fls single, 60-65mm wide, light violet (632/2), blotch carmine purple (31-31/1). Lvs obovate, glossy spinach green (0960). Late. Syn: 'Marie'

(a) **'Ophelia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls single, pink. Kurume

(a) **'Ophelia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hinomayo' × unknown I: A. van Hecke (pre 1987) Fls pink, resistant to sunburn. Kaempferi

(r) **'Ophelia'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white, spotted yellow

(r) **Ophelia Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *callimorphum* (s) × *auriculatum* R: L. de Rothschild (1939), I: E. de Rothschild (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white. April-May

(v) **'Ophelia'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *javanicum* × 'Princess Alexandra' R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1875), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft light rose at edges, toned with light orange-yellow in centre. AM 1889

(r) **'Ophir'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from Dream Girl Group H: L.E. Brandt (pre 1958) Fls 10-12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 75 × 90mm, inside bright yellow (606), outside yellow, flushed apricot. Lvs 150 × 50mm, light green. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m. Late

(a) **'Ophirie'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Rinz (pre 1853), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, nankeen yellow, edged salmon pink. Ghent (Sometimes seen, apparently incorrectly, as 'Opherie')

(r) **'Oporto'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* × *sanguineum* subsp. *sanguineum* var. *haemaleum* R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, I: C. Ingram (1953), REG: C. Ingram (1967) Fls 5-8/truss, open campanulate, 50 × 65mm, between cardinal red (822) and oxblood (00823). Calyx 6-8mm long, saucer-shaped, 5-lobed. Lvs narrowly ovate, 100 × 45mm, hairless. Shrub to 1.0m. PC 1966, AM 1967 (Thomaleum Group)

(r) **'O. Poscharsky'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Firma Seidel (1918), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine red

(a) **'Optabile'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Smith (pre 1852), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Optimum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Verschaffelt (1829), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, cream, edged salmon, blotched yellow. Ghent

(a) **'Optimum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Knight & Perry (1843), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet red, darkly spotted on dorsal lobes. Indian

(a) **'Optimum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Caledonia Nursery (1905), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, rose. Late. Amoena

(r) **'Optimum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy purple, spotted black. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Optimum Novum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange scarlet. Indian

(a) **'Opus One'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *prinophyllum* S: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1987), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls in large trusses, large, pale pink; scented

(a) **'Oracle'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: F. & A. Smith (1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy (more rosy than 'Kinghornii'). Indian

(a) **'Oracle'** cv. Evergreen azalea: orange-flowered *indicum* (s) × 'Mikawa-murasaki' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 65-75mm wide, deep rose pink (deep purplish pink (64D)), with a blotch of tyrian rose (vivid purplish red (57B)) spots. Wide-spreading shrub to 1.5m tall. Mid-late April. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Orage'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Marion Lee' × 'Glacier' R: E. Deckert (pre 1980), N: E. Deckert Fls 65-75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish red, with a white centre, flushed purplish red. Upright shrub. Mid May

(a) **'Oranea'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: Kromhout & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, deep reddish orange. Midseason. Mollis

(r) **'Orange'** (Syn. of 'Tortoiseshell Orange')

(r) **'Orange'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* S: D.G. Hobbie (pre 1983) Fls salmon orange

(a) **'Orangeade'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, pale orange, with wavy-edged lobes. Lvs glossy green. Knap Hill

(r) **'Orange Azor'** (Syn. of 'King of Shrubs')

(a) **'Orange Ball'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown N: Wells Nursery, I: Wells Nursery (pre 1977) Fls in compact ball trusses, vivid orange, with wavy-edged lobes

(a) **'Orange Baron'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Grenada' × un-named L.L. Brooks' seedling (no. 4356a) R: S. Barber (pre 1975) Fls large, double, reddish orange. Usually flowering twice each year

(a) **'Orange Beauty'** (Syn. of 'Tsuta-momiji')

(a) **'Orange Beauty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hinodegiri' (s) × 'Malvaticum' R: C.B. van Nes & Son (c 1920),

INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3-4/truss, funnel-shaped, 30 × 35mm, between deep and strong yellowish pink (19/1 & 19/2), with deeper coloured spots. Shrub 1.0m. Kaempferi

(a) **'Orange Beauty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *indicum* I: K. Wada (pre 1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 115mm wide, 5-lobed, orange scarlet, with a white base. Indian

(r) **'Orange Bells'** (Syn. of 'Orange Marmalade')

(r) **'Orange Bill'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *cinnabarinum* subsp. *xanthocodon* Concatenans Group, raised from KW 5874 R: L.C.R. Messell (1935), N: L.C.R. Messell, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 5-6/truss, tubular to funnel-shaped, c35 × 40-45mm, apricot faintly flushed rose, somewhat primrose externally; ovary glaucous and densely scaly. Lvs ovate to elliptic, 45-70 × 20-30mm, dark green above, glaucous and greyish purple below, covered with brownish scales. FCC 1935

(a) **'Orange Blossom'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958). Kurume

(a) **'Orange Blotched'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange, spotted red. Mollis

(a) **'Orange Boven'** (Syn. of 'Marquis of Lorne')

(a) **'Orange Boven'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Adventglöckchen' I: G.J. Bier & Sons (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls strong red (45D); otherwise similar to parent. Indian (May be the same plant listed here as 'Oranje Boven')

(a) **'Orange Brilliant'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Hazlewood Bros (1956), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, light scarlet red. Indian

(a) **'Orange C'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown, ? USA Fls semi-double, good orange-red, rather "clumsy". (Probably pre 1958)

(a) **'Orange Cape'** (Syn. of 'Orange Cloak')

(a) **'Orange Chimes'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Adventglöckchen' R: L. Marshall (pre 1985), N: L. Marshall Fls semi-double, campanulate, bright orange. Shrub of dense habit, 1.0m. Early. Indian

(a) **'Orange Cloak'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Gibraltar' × 'Klondyke' (s) × 'Gibraltar' H: P.E. Girard (1970), G: P.E. Girard, N: P.E. Girard, I: P.E. Girard, REG: P.E. Girard (1983) Fls semi-double, 18-20/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light orange (29B) in bud, opening strong reddish orange (32B); stamens 2-4; compact tuft of petaloid stamens in centre of flower; scented. Calyx 7mm long, light yellow-green (142C). Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 65 × 30mm, strong yellow-green (144A), setose and hairy below; strong greenish yellow (153C) in autumn. Shrub 0.6 × 0.4m in 4 years. Mid May. Syn: 'Orange Cape'

(a) **'Orange Coral Bells'** (Syn. of 'Gloria Mundi')

(r) **'Orange Cross'** (Syn. of 'Fred Hamilton')

(a) **'Orange Cup'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, salmon pink (619/1), with an indistinct reddish blotch. Kurume

(a) **'Orange Daiquiri'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ward's Ruby' × 'Hahn's Red' H: R. Mauritsen (1975), G: Kent Nursery (1980), N: P. Mauritsen, I: Kent Nursery, REG: S. Mauritsen (1986) Fls single, 1-3/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 25 × 38mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish orange (42A), with a darker red throat and some dark red spotting in the throat. Calyx 6mm long, light green. Lvs mostly elliptic (to broadly elliptic), 38 × 19mm, glossy, dark bluish green (133A) above, light green below, hairless. Shrub 0.38 × 0.46m in 3 years. Mid April-May

(a) **'Orange Delight'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid, see *The Azalean* 4 (1): 3-4 (1982) for details of parentage R: W.D. Smith (pre 1982), N: W.D. Smith Fls single, 75mm wide, with pointed lobes, vivid reddish orange (33A). Upright shrub, 0.9m in 7 years. Midseason

(a) **'Orange Delight'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls single, reddish orange. Syn: 'Mrs John Ward'

(r) **'Orange Delight'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: Lady Berry Group × *cinnabarinum* subsp. *xanthocodon* × Lady Berry Group H: Bodega Nursery (1957), G: C.G. Heller (1979), N: C.G. Heller, REG: C.G. Heller (1980) Fls up to 6/lax truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 50mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, brilliant orange (25C); spicily scented. Lvs elliptic, 60-85 × 30-38mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, with small to medium, closely spaced, orange-brown scales below. Shrub 2.4 × 1.2m in 11 years. Early May

(a) **'Orange d'Heemstede'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, pale orange. Indian

(a) **'Orange Essence'** cv. Deciduous azalea: Ghent azalea (s) × *arborescens* H: E.V. Mezitt (pre 1970), G: Weston Nurseries (pre 1970), I: Weston Nurseries (1992), REG: R.W. Mezitt (1998) Fls 8/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 45mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink (43C) with a strong reddish orange (31A) dorsal flare; scented. Calyx 6mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 75 × 40mm, margins upcurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairless. Foliage mildew resistant. Shrub 0.9 × 0.75m in 7 years. Early June. (Published in Weston Nurseries cat., 1992)

(a) **'Orange Favorite'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Favorite' R: Vuyk van Nes (pre 1953), N: Vuyk van Nes, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pinkish orange. Shrub to 1.0m. Early. Kaempferi

(r) **'Orange Favorite'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Professor F. Bettex' × Francis Hanger Group R: D.G. Hobbie (1949), N: D.G. Hobbie (1984), I: D.G. Hobbie (1984) Fls salmon pink, with deep red markings. (Orange Favorite Group)

(r) **Orange Favorite Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Professor F. Bettex' × Francis Hanger Group R: D.G. Hobbie (1949), N: D.G. Hobbie (1984), I: D.G. Hobbie (1984)

(r) **Orangefeuer Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Prometheus' × *dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* R: D.G. Hobbie (1949), N: D.G. Hobbie (1984) Fls 8-11/loose truss, 40-60mm wide, edges orange-red, throat yellowish orange, with brownish yellow markings. (Colour description is taken from the best clone)

(r) **'Orange Fizz'** cv. Parentage unknown H: unknown (c 1973), G: Mrs I. Henry, N: Mrs I. Henry, REG: Mrs I. Henry (1991) Fls 8-10/lax truss, 40 × 80mm, 6-7-lobed, moderate reddish orange (35B) in bud, opening light yellowish pink (29C) and paling to light greenish yellow (7D) in throat; back of lobes slightly darker, each with a central yellow stripe; scented. Calyx 15mm long, very prominent, lightly clasping corolla tube, greenish yellow. Pedicels 30mm long, green. Lvs oblong, 80 × 30mm, hairless. Early November (New Zealand). (Raised from American Rhododendron Society seed received c1974)

(a) **'Orange Flair'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls 65mm wide, reddish orange. Indian

(v) **'Orange Flambé'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown I: Vireya Venue (1997) Fls in full trusses, bright clear orange. Lvs long, slender. Shrub to 2.0m

(a) **'Orange Flare'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Waraigishi' × 'Kagetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1965) Fls double, 65-75mm wide, lobes narrow and corolla divided to the base, the base of each lobe inside between a hue paler than La France pink and hermosa pink, the tips between geranium pink and rose dorée, no blotch; no stamens and when pistil is present it is sometimes petaloid. Fls described as 'approaching a tassel-like form'. Shrub c45 × 45cm in 10 years. Back Acres

(a) **'Orange Flash'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Gibraltar' × un-named orange R: P.E. Girard (pre 1985), N: P.E. Girard Fls 8-12/truss, 50mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes (reflexed at tip), strong reddish orange (32B), splashed vivid yellow. Lvs orange-yellow in autumn

(a) **'Orange Fluff'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nancy of Robinhill' (s) × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls double, 2/truss, 70-80mm wide, with 15-20 wavy-edged lobes, strong begonia rose to red-orange, with a dark red blotch; occasional light pink lines. Shrub 0.75 × 0.9m. Early May. (First published in Holly Springs cat., 1990)

(a) **'Orange Giant'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* × 'Louise Gable' H: A. Vuyk (c 1960), G: A. Vuyk, N: A. Vuyk, I: Vuyk van Nes (1970), REG: Royal Boskoop Hort. Soc. (1988) Fls 4-5/truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 30-50mm, 5-lobed, vivid reddish orange (42A) to vivid red (44A). Lvs ovate, 30-40 × 20-30mm, partly deciduous. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m. May

(a) **'Orange Glow'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from 'J.C. van Tol' I: H.W. Verwey (pre 1956), REG: H.W. Verwey (1964) Fls single, 90mm wide, strong yellowish pink (40D) with darker midveins and a vivid yellowish pink blotch (30C). Mollis

(a) **'Orange Gold'** (Published in *Rhododendrons 1986/7*, p.103. An error for 'Olinda Gold')

(a) **'Orange Grandiflorum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(v) **'Orange Harmony'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Sweet Wendy' × *javanicum* H: F.R. Waghorn (1985), G: G.L.S. Snell (1989), N: R. Macdonald, I: Foothills Nursery (1990), REG: Foothills Nursery (1991) Fls 7/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 60 × 60mm, 5-lobed, tube strong orange (25B), lobes vivid yellowish-pink (30C). Lvs elliptic, 120 × 60mm. Shrub 1.0m. Spring-autumn

(r) **'Orange Hematody'** cv. Parentage unknown L: USA (1985)

(a) **'Orange Hit'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Betty Kelly' × 'Fanal' × 'Feuerwerk' H: H. Hachmann (1973), G: H. Hachmann (1978), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1991), REG: G. Stück (1991) Fls single, 7-11/truss, 80-85 × 65-80mm, with 5(-6) very strongly wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish orange (33B), the dorsal lobe slightly blotched vivid yellowish pink/vivid orange (25A/B); stamens 6-7, with very long filaments. Calyx 2-4mm long, light green. Lvs broadly elliptic, 85-100 × 35-40mm, hairless. Shrub of broadly erect habit, 1.6 × 1.5m in 10 years. Early-late June

(r) **'Orange Honey'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Blondie' (s) × 'Powell Glass' H: O.S. Pride (pre 1970), G: O.S. Pride, N: O.S. Pride, I: O.S. Pride (pre 1980), REG: R.H. Gustafson (2000) Fls 12/lax truss, funnel-shaped, 60 × 65mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, moderate pink (49B) throughout, with a few, brown, dorsal spots. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 40mm, moderate olive green (137A-B) above, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.7m in c15 years. Late May-June

(a) **'Orange Jolly'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Homebush' × 'Gibraltar' H: P.E. Girard (1971), G: P.E. Girard (1975), N: P.E. Girard, I: P.E. Girard (1979), REG: P.E. Girard (1983) Fls hose-in-hose, 18-28/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 75mm wide, with 5+5 wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish orange (32B) in bud, opening strong orange (25A), flushed light orange (29B); no stamens; scented. Calyx c5mm long, light pink (39D). Lvs narrowly elliptic

to elliptic, 80 × 30mm, moderate yellow-green (139C) above, hairy and sparsely setose below; strong greenish yellow (151A) marked strong yellow (153D) in autumn. Shrub 0.8 × 0.6m in 4 years. Mid May

(a) **'Orange Kap'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Paul Schäme' × 'Docteur Bergmann' I: C.J. Wille & Co. (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, orange. Indian

(a) **'Orange King'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Bobbink & Atkins, N: Bobbink & Atkins, I: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, orange-red. Indian

(a) **'Orange King'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hinodegiri' hybrid R: R.P. Mayo, N: R.P. Mayo, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 50mm wide, orange-red. Midseason. Kurume

(a) **'Orange King'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L.J. Endtz & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red. Late. Kaempferi

(r) **'Orange Lady'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × unknown H: unknown (pre 1980), N: Radder-van der Stam, I: Radder-van der Stam (1989), REG: Royal Boskoop Hort. Soc. (1990) Fls 4-8/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40-50 × 40mm, 5-lobed, salmon orange. Calyx green. Lvs ovate, 30-50 × 10-20mm, convex, dark green, twisted, the indumentum on young leaves brown. Shrub 0.5 × 1.0m in 20 years. May. (Imported, un-named, from USA. Published in *Dendroflora* 24 (1988))

(v) **'Orangemaid'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* × *macgregoriae* R: F.M. Jury (pre 1988), N: F.M. Jury Fls numerous/truss, orange, apricot and yellow. (As one word in M. Jury cat., 1998. Sometimes seen as 'Orange Maid')

(a) **'Orange Man'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls brilliant orange-yellow (21B), with a strong orange blotch. Ghent

(r) **'Orange Marmalade'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Mrs Lammot Copeland' H: H.L. Larson (1969), G: J.A. Davis (1975), N: J.A. Davis, I: J.A. Davis (1980), REG: J.A. Davis (1983) Fls 12/lax truss, campanulate, 50 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (46C) in bud, opening light orange-yellow (19A), flushed strong reddish orange and strong yellowish pink (34C & D) especially at lobe edges, throat brilliant yellow (20A). Calyx minute. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 50mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (137A-B) above, with a very slight indumentum below. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 10 years. Mid May. Syn: 'Orange Bells'

(a) **'Orangencocktail'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Klondyke' (s) × 'Gibraltar' H: W. Bruns (1968), G: J. Bruns Nursery (1974), N: W. Schmalscheidt, I: J. Bruns Nursery (1995), REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1998) Fls semi-double (with partially petaloid stamens), 7-18/rounded to broadly rounded truss, open funnel-shaped, 50-60 × 60-90mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, inside light orange-yellow, partly orange-red; outside light orange-yellow with an orange-red tube. Calyx 1-2mm long, bright green. Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 48-150 × 17-46mm, flat, dark green above, bluish grey below, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.3 × 0.8m in 10 years. Late May-early June. (Published by Schmalscheidt in *Rhododendron- und Azaleenzüchtung in Deutschland*, part 2 (1989), plus colour illustration)

(r) **'Orangengold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from a *dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* hybrid H: J. Wieting (c 1970), G: J. Wieting (1979), N: W. Schmalscheidt, I: J. Wieting (1984), REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1987) Fls 8-13/loose, flat-topped truss, funnel-shaped, 30-37 × 35-50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, yellowish orange with brown markings on all lobes, outside light orange, edges orange-pink. Calyx 3-5mm long, pale yellowish. Lvs elliptic, 65-95 × 23-45mm, sometimes slightly twisted; mature leaves with a silvery white indumentum below. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in c17 years. Mid-late May

(a) **'Orangensaft'** cv. Deciduous azalea: yellow-orange seedling (from Wüstemeier) (s) × yellow seedling (from Exbury) H: H. Meltzer (1987), G: H. Meltzer (1992), N: H. Meltzer (1998), REG: H. Meltzer (1998) Fls double (with partially petaloid stamens), 8-12/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 80mm wide, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, orange in bud, opening orange and yellow inside tinged reddish purple, orange with a red tube outside; yellow blotch; stigma green. Lvs elliptic, 80 × 35mm, margins decurved, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.0m in 8 years. Mid May-early June

(r) **'Orangeola'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anuschka' (s) × 'Kupferberg' H: U. Genzel (1987), G: U. Genzel, N: U. Genzel, I: U. Genzel (1998), REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1998) Fls 11-15/loose truss, 38-47 × 51-68mm, red in bud, opening inside salmon yellow, with large, red-brown markings (overall effect is orange salmon); outside salmon red, ageing to salmon yellowish. Lvs 61-113 × 19-54mm, mid green and matt above, with a thin, light brown indumentum below. Shrub 0.6 × 1.2m in 11 years. Mid May-early June

(a) **'Orange Peel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Madame Petrick' × 'Apollo' I: A. Haerens (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, brick red. Indian (Some Dutch sources list it as 'Orange Perel')

(a) **'Orange Peinte'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: L. Verschaffelt (1846), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow, edged purple (one lobe without edge). Ghent (Said to be the earliest name for a plant re-named by L. van Houtte as 'Guillaume II' (*q.v.*), but later descriptions do not all match. Perhaps L. van Houtte later substituted another plant)

(a) **'Orange Popsicle'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *flammeum* R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls orange. Mid May

(a) **'Orange Pride of Dorking'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Pride of Dorking' R: Nuccio's Nurseries (pre 1985), N: Nuccio's Nurseries Fls single, 65mm wide, orange. Midseason. Indian

(a) **'Orange Princess'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown S: L.F. Frisbie (pre 1958), N: L.F. Frisbie, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, orange. Shrub up to c2.0 × 1.5m. April-May. (A seedling originally from the Gregg McKinnon Garden)

(a) **'Orange Queen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Bobbink & Atkins, N: Bobbink & Atkins, I: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, rose opal (022/3) (1958 Register); fls semi-double, 40mm wide, deep red (53A) (Galle, 1987). Indian

(a) **'Orange Red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Kelmscott Azalea Gardens (1984) Fls single, orange-red. Kurume

(a) **'Orange Sander'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Madame Alfred Sander' L: Camellia Lodge Nursery (1980) Fls double, orange-red. Indian

(r) **'Orange Schnapps'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: F. Minch (1988), G: F. Minch (1990), N: F. & J. Minch (1992), REG: F. & J. Minch (1998) Fls 15/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish orange (32A) in bud, opening inside brilliant yellow (20A), with deep orange markings in the throat, outside vivid reddish orange (32A). Calyx 50mm long, vivid reddish orange (32A). Lvs broadly elliptic, 65 × 40mm, with wavy margins, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and dark yellowish green (136B) above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 6 years. Midseason

(r) **'Orange Scout'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1994)

(a) **'Orange Sherbet'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Linda Jean' × 'Hexe' H: W.L. Guttormsen (1975), G: W.L. Guttormsen (1979), N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen (c 1983), REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1985) Fls 1-2/truss, double (13-lobed, all stamens petaloid), open funnel-shaped, 30 × 45mm, vivid red (44A). Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs more-or-less elliptic, 20-30 × 10-17mm, more-or-less moderate olive green (146A), hairy. Shrub 0.2 × 0.4m in 6 years. Mid May

(r) **'Orange Sherbet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tahiti' × 'Catalgla' H: O.S. Pride, G: O.S. Pride, N: O.S. Pride (pre 1983) Fls in loose trusses, light pinkish orange. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. New growth orange-red. Midseason

(a) **'Orange Splendor'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Gibraltar' × 'Favor Major' × (unknown seedling × 'Seville') × 'Gibraltar' H: I. & R. Arneson (1972), G: I. & R. Arneson (1979), N: I. & R. Arneson, I: I. & R. Arneson, REG: I. & R. Arneson (1989) Fls single, 11/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 64 × 102mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish orange (33B, ageing to 34B). Calyx 6mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 76-102 × 32-44mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, slightly wrinkled, slightly hairy. Shrub 1.2 × 1.0m in 16 years. Mid-late May

(a) **'Orange Star'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose opal (022), with a brownish blotch. Indian

(a) **'Orange Sulphur'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Stokes (pre 1969), N: W.E. Stokes

(a) **'Orange Superbum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Orange Supreme'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown G: J.A. Marty (1957), N: J.A. Marty, I: J.A. Marty, REG: J.A. Marty (1973) Fls c28/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, with wavy-edged lobes, strong orange (30D), flushed vivid reddish orange (33A) and with a strong orange blotch (25A). Lvs bronzed, red in autumn. Shrub at least 1.9m. Knap Hill

(a) **'Orange Surprise'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: R.P. Mayo (pre 1987), N: R.P. Mayo Fls hose-in-hose, 65mm wide, deep yellowish pink (43C), with dark spots in the blotch

(a) **'Orange Truffles'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Hilliers, N: Hilliers, REG: Hilliers (1966) Fls double, in tight, rounded trusses, 40-50mm wide, with wavy-edged margins, strong orange-yellow (609/1), flushed brilliant yellow (605) inside and reddish orange (14/2) on tube and on back of lobes. Knap Hill

(v) **'Orange Wax'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: G.L.S. Snell (c 1976), G: G.L.S. Snell (1982), N: G.L.S. Snell, I: G.L.S. Snell (1986), REG: Shrublands Nursery (1987) Fls 5-7/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, 5-lobed, tube strong orange-yellow (24B) inside, light yellowish pink (25B) outside, lobes vivid reddish orange (32A) inside, vivid reddish orange (30B) outside. Lvs elliptic, 90 × 40mm. Shrub 1.0m tall

(a) **'Orange Wonder'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kaempferi* I: J. Vermeulen & Son (1957), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Orangina'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × 'John Walter' × *dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* R: D.G. Hobbie (c 1955), N: D.G. Hobbie, I: H Hachmann (1989) Fls up to 15/lax truss, campanulate, light salmon orange, with slight greenish yellow markings. Lvs bright green. Spreading, dense shrub, 0.9m in 10 years. Midseason

(v) **'Orania'** (Syn. of 'Os's Oriana')

(a) **'Oranje Boven'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens & Sons (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, deep orange. Indian (Described as bettered 'Apollo')

(r) **'Oratorium'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Feuerschein' × 'Thunderstorm' H: H. Hachmann (1967), G: H. Hachmann (1973), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1985), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 11-15(-18)/truss, open funnel-shaped, 40-50 × 55-70mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, dark red (187B-C), outside (especially on the midveins) deep red (53A), dorsal lobe markings of dark red (187A); filaments white, contrasting strongly with corolla colour. Pedicels reddish. Calyx 2-3mm long, red, with silvery hairs. Lvs elliptic, 120-140×50-60mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate-rounded at base, bright green and very glossy above, hairless. Shrub of dense, compact habit, 0.9 × 1.3m in 10 years. Late May-early June

(r) **'Orbhoulst'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* Houlstonii Group × *orbiculare* I: G.W.E. Loder (1932), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink. AM 1932 (Orbhoulst Group)

(r) **Orbhoulst Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* Houlstonii Group × *orbiculare* I: G.W.E. Loder (1932), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Orbianum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *orbiculare* × 'Metternianum' R: D.G. Hobbie (1952), N: D.G. Hobbie (1984) Fls 8-13/loose truss, 40-70mm wide, pure pale rose. Lvs rounded

(r) **Orbicarb Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* × *orbiculare* H: E.J.P. Magor (1919), G: E.J.P. Magor, N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls brilliant carmine, darker at base. (Perhaps identical to Rotundarb Group)

(a) **'Orbiculatum Plenum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rounded, dull white with fine bright red stripes. Indian

(r) **'Orbis'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *orbiculare* × *viscidifolium* H: D.G. Hobbie (c 1950), G: H. Robenek Fls dull orange-red

(a) **'Orbit'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Greenwood Gardens (pre 1985), N: Greenwood Gardens Fls double, purplish pink

(r) **Orbwill Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *orbiculare* × *williamsianum* R: J.B. Gable (pre 1972) Fls pale pink. (Raised from seed sent from UK by Magor)

(r) **'Orchard'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* × 'Ilam Alarm' R: E.F. Stead (1950), N: E.F. Stead Fls scarlet. (Scarlet King Group)

(r) **'Orchard Gold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Honey Glow' × 'Crest' H: Mrs G. Grant, G: Mr & Mrs C.A. Grant (1976), N: Mr & Mrs C.A. Grant, REG: Mr & Mrs C.A. Grant (1988) Fls 10/truss, funnel-shaped, 55 × 90mm, 7-lobed (the lobes deeply indented), uranium green (63/3) deepening towards centre. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 55mm. Late October-early November (New Zealand)

(r) **'Orchard Road'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pacific Queen' × *wardii* H: Mrs G. Grant, G: Mr & Mrs C.A. Grant (1976), N: Mr & Mrs C.A. Grant, REG: Mr & Mrs C.A. Grant (1988) Fls 9/truss, funnel-shaped, 65 × 110mm, 7-lobed, edges solferino purple (26/3) merging to pastel mauve (433/2). Lvs elliptic, 140 × 55mm, hairless. Late October-November (New Zealand)

(a) **'Orchid'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Pericat, N: Perkins-de Wilde Nurseries, I: Perkins-de Wilde Nurseries (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, with partially petaloid calyx, 40 × 45-50mm wide, vivid purplish red (57C), with a spotted, darker blotch; scented. Midseason. Pericat

(a) **'Orchid'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light orchid. Indian

(a) **'Orchid Beauty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Mrs L.C. Fischer' × 'Maryann' H: G.A. Reid (1955), G: G.A. Reid (1960), N: G.A. Reid, I: G.A. Reid (1965), REG: G.A. Reid (1977) Fls double, hose-in-hose, broadly funnel-shaped, 30 × 55mm, 5+5+5-lobed, tyrian rose (24/2), variable deep rose to light brown spotting: on dorsal lobe only or on all lobes and deep in centre. Calyx 30mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 30 × 17mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green, hairless. Shrub 0.5 × 0.45m in 4 years. Late May. (Linwood azalea no. E-52)

(a) **'Orchid Belle'** cv. Evergreen azalea: derived from a cross between two seedlings of *kaempferi* × 'Snow' × 'Firefly' parentage R: USDA, Beltsville, N: USDA, Beltsville (1957), I: USDA, Beltsville (1960), REG: USDA, Beltsville (1961) Fls single, 3/truss, 40mm wide, orchid. Very dwarf shrub

(r) **'Orchid Corsage'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: D.L. Hardgrove (pre 1960), N: R.H. Gustafson, REG: R.H. Gustafson (1998) Fls 15/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 75 × 110mm, with 8 very wavy-edged lobes, strong purple (77B) in bud, opening inside light purple (84B) at edge, shading to light purple (84C) in centre, with a dark purple blotch in the throat and two dark purple markings extending upwards (for c30mm) on dorsal lobe; outside light purple (84B); stigma moderate reddish brown (175A). Lvs oblong, 150 × 60mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, glossy and dark green (136A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.3m in 8 years. Mid May. Syn: 'Kordus Orchid' (Hybridizer requires confirmation)

(a) **'Orchidflorum'** (Syn. of 'Orchiphillum')

(a) **'Orchidflorum Album'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Orchiphillum' (syn. 'Orchidflorum') L: Camellia Grove Nursery (1980) Fls double, large, white. Shrub of dense habit, 1.25m. Indian

(a) **'Orchidflorum Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Orchiphillum' (syn.'Orchidflorum') L: Camellia Lodge Nursery (1972) Fls large, semi-double, pale pink, edged white. Shrub of dense habit, up to 1.25m. Indian

(a) **'Orchidflorum Salmon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Orchiphillum' (syn. 'Orchidflorum') R: unknown (pre 1994) Fls bright salmon pink, otherwise similar to 'Orchiphillum'

(a) **'Orchid Gem'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: F. Lovegrove (pre 1971), N: F. Lovegrove Fls single, with wavy-edged lobes, purple. Indian

(a) **'Orchidiflorum'** (Syn. of 'Orchiphillum')

(a) **'Orchid Lace'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Gable azalea × 'Palestrina' I: P.E. Girard (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lavender, fading to a white centre. Gable

(a) **'Orchid Lavender'** (Syn. of 'Orchiphillum')

(a) **'Orchid Lights'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *canadense* (s) × Mollis azaleahybrid H: H. Pellett (1962), G: H. Pellett (1966), N: H. Pellett, I: H. Pellett (1984), REG: H. Pellett (1985) Fls up to 9/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, noticeably zygomorphic, 35 × 45mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (68C), with moderate yellow (161A) spotting on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 1-2mm long, medium yellow-green. Lvs more-or-less narrowly elliptic, 60 × 17mm, strigose, ciliate. Shrub 0.6 × 0.8m in 5 years. Late May

(r) **'Orchid Mist'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum*, Exbury form (s) × 'Frank Galsworthy' H: J. Barlup (1989), G: J. Barlup (1994), N: J. Barlup (1996), REG: J. Barlup (1999) Fls 19/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish red (70A) in bud, opening inside with a very light purple (75C) picotee edge (c5mm wide), changing to very pale purple (76D) in centre and with a dark greenish yellow (152D), spotted, dorsal blotch (c20mm long); outside very light purple (75C) at margins, shading to very pale purple (76D) near base. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 50mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, margins decurved, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, slightly tomentose on new growth, later only slightly hairy (hairs pale orange-yellow (165D) at first, ageing to moderate orange-yellow (165C)). Shrub 0.75 × 0.9m in 9 years. Late May

(a) **'Orchido'** (Syn. of 'Ring's Orchido')

(a) **'Orchid Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Ballerina' L: Camellia Lodge Nursery (1967) Fls double, pale cyclamen pink, fading to silvery orchid pink. Indian (Probably synonymous with 'Pavlova'; it is not clear which has priority)

(a) **'Orchiphillum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1907), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, moderate pink. Shrub 0.5m. Syn: 'Orchidflorum', 'Orchidiflorum', 'Orchid Lavender'. Indian

(a) **'Orchis'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (pre 1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, lavender. Coolidge

(a) **'Ordre de Leopold'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *mucronatum* R: L. Jacob-Makoy (pre 1845), N: L. Jacob-Makoy, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark red, the three dorsal lobes spotted. Indian

(a) **'Ore-beni'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1920), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 45mm wide, white, flushed strong purplish pink (55B), with darker spots. Kurume

(r) **'Oregon Expressions'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' (s) × 'Exotic' H: T.L. Ring (1973), G: T.L. Ring (1978), N: T.L. Ring, I: Mowbray Gardens (1990), REG: T.L. Ring (1998) Fls 22/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, c40 × 70mm, with wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (49A) at margins, shading to moderate pink (49B), with a vivid yellow (17C) flare and pale yellow-green (4D) rays. Lvs narrowly oblong, 150 × 50mm, upcurved, broadly acute at apex, hairless. Shrub 3.1 × 3.1m in 22 years. Mid May

(r) **Oregonia Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Gladys Rillstone' (s) × *griersonianum* R: L. de Rothschild (1939), I: E. de Rothschild (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep, rich pink. June

(a) **'Oregon Pride'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon pink. Kaempferi

(az) **'Oregon Queen'** cv. Azaleodendron: *occidentale* (s) × (?)*macrophyllum* S: unknown, N: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light pink. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. (Said to be a natural hybrid found in Oregon, USA)

(r) **'Oregon Sunset'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: H. Lem (pre 1987), N: H. Lem Fls trumpet-shaped, deep orange. Early June

(a) **'Oregon Trail'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown G: E. de Rothschild (1970s), S: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: Exbury Enterprises (1988), REG: E. de Rothschild (1997) Fls single, 13-14/truss, tubular funnel-shaped (opening flat-faced), 60 × 90mm, 5-lobed, strong yellowish pink (33C) to vivid reddish orange (34B) at lobe tips, paling in centre to light orange-yellow (24C), dorsal flare strong orange (24A) and vivid orange-yellow (23A); outside of tube strong red (47B); filaments and style similarly coloured, stigma greenish. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs obovate, 130 × 54mm, slightly tinged red. May. (Solent Group)

(r) **Oreoaug Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *oreotrephes* (s) × *augustinii* H: E.J.P. Magor (1919), G: E.J.P. Magor, N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1932), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls palest light lilac, with greenish brown spots

(r) **Oreocinn Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *oreotrephes* (s) × *cinnabarinum* H: E.J.P. Magor (1916), G: E.J.P. Magor, N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1926), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink or violet rose with two lines of brownish pink inside

(r) **Oreonastes Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. roxieanum* var. *oreonastes*

(r) **Oreoroyle Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: (?)*oreotrephes* × (?)*cinnabarinum* Roylei Group R: unknown (pre 1934), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **Orestes Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × Shilsonii Group H: Lord Aberconway (1933), G: LordAberconway, N: LordAberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blood red

(r) **'Organdie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'A. Gilbert' (s) × *dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* Herpesticum Group H: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 8/flat-topped truss, 50 × 65mm, 5-lobed, biscuit to lemon yellow, with rose pink edges and a 7mm zone of pink at base of corolla. AM 1947 (Icarus Group)

(a) **'Organist'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, orange. Indian

(r) **Oriana Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Coreta Group (s) × F.C. Puddle Group H: Lord Aberconway (1934), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(v) **'Oriana'** (Syn. of 'Os's Oriana')

(a) **'Oriane'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Sunningdale Nurseries (1898), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange. Ghent

(a) **'Orient'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Exbury, N: Exbury, I: E. de Rothschild (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls strong reddish orange, with an orange blotch. Knap Hill

(a) **'Orientale'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: W. Kern (pre 1985), N: W. Kern Fls 75-100mm wide, with 5-7 lobes, orange-yellow, flushed pink. Late. Knap Hill

(v) **'Oriental Orange'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *aurigeranum* × unknown H: T. Lelliott, G: T. Lelliott, I: R. Cutten, REG: R. Cutten (1982) Fls 15/truss, strong orange (24A)

(a) **'Oriental Queen'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: New Zealand, N: H. van de Laar (1992), I: Jan Spek Rosen B.V. (1992) Fls 12-14(-22)/truss, 70-80mm wide, vivid to brilliant yellow (13A-B), with a strong orange (24A) blotch. Knap Hill (Published in *Dendroflora* no.29: 64 (1992))

(r) **'Orient Express'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Duchess of Cornwall' × *calophytum* R: R.N. Stephenson Clarke, N: R.N. Stephenson Clarke, I: R.N. Stephenson Clarke, REG: R.N. Stephenson Clarke (1979) Fls up to 20/firm, rounded truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 40 × 65mm, white, flushed deep purplish pink (64D), with a blotch of dark red (59A) in the throat. Calyx rudimentary, yellowish white. Lvs narrowly oblong, up to 250 × 70mm, dark green above, sparsely light brown woolly below. AM 1979

(a) **'Oriflamme'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. van Geert (1877), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale salmon, edged cerise, with a yellow blotch. Ghent

(a) **'Oriflamme'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' × 'Willy' (s) × 'Mrs Carmichael' × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 65-75mm wide, pale tyrian rose (vivid purplish red (57B)), with an irregular white margin and dorsal lobe blotch with dots of tyrian rose; occasional white or pale purple selfs. Spreading shrub, to 1.5m tall. Mid-late May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Oriflamme'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* Roylei Group (s) × orange form from Royal Flush Group R: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red. (Lady Chamberlain Group)

(r) **'Original'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Caucasicum Album', selfed R: Standish & Noble, N: Standish & Noble, I: Standish & Noble (1853), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pinkish white. Foliage much variegated

(r) **'Original Vagabond'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Janet Blair' (s) × 'Apritan' H: R.H. Gustafson (1986), G: R.H. Gustafson (1991), N: R.H. Gustafson, REG: R.H. Gustafson (1998) Fls 12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, moderate yellowish pink (31D) in bud, opening inside pale yellow (19C) and pale orange-yellow (19D), with a light orange-yellow (16B, C) flare on the dorsal lobes; outside pale yellow (19C). Lvs elliptic, 125 × 50mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, light greenish blue (117A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m in 12 years. Mid May

(a) **'Oriire'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with 5, 6, 7, 8 or up to 12 or 13 lobes, red. Foliage dense and dark. Satsuki

(a) **'Orine Holm'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vuyk's Rosyred' × 'Moonbeam' H: G. Griswold, G: Griswold Nursery, N: Griswold Nursery, I: Griswold Nursery (1982), REG: G. Griswold (1990) Fls 2-3/truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 51mm, with 6 smooth-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (55A) in bud, fading to white, opening with a white centre and c12mm wide, deep purplish pink (55A) margins, the dorsal lobe lightly spotted with 55A from coloured margin to base. Lvs elliptic, 32 × 13mm, convex, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairy above. Shrub 0.3 × 0.5m in c8 years. Midseason

(a) **'Orion'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1866), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Listed as from Schulz)

(a) **'Orion'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Felix & Dijkhuis, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark pink. Kurume

(r) **'Orion'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Byls (pre 1868), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls amaranth, striped red and brown

(r) **'Orion'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × 'H.M. Arderne' R: Waterer (Bagshot) (c 1920), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose pink, with a red eye; sweetly scented

(r) **Orion Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Phoebus Group (s) × Loderi Group H: Lord Aberconway (1936), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose pink, with a red eye

(r) **'Orion'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* × 'Mevrouw P.A. Colijn' I: G. Reuthe Ltd, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Orison'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × 'Fukuju' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 65mm wide, white, with flakes and a few stripes of magenta (strong purplish red (72A)). Spreading shrub to 1.5m tall. Mid-late May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Oritani'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group × *mucronulatum* H: E. Thuem (1953) Similar in fls and habit to 'Conewago', but flower colour is more pink. Late April. (Probably introduced by W. Baldsiefen, c1966)

(r) **'Orlando'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R.T. Pince (pre 1868), N: R.T. Pince, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large trusses, clear carmine, finely spotted. (Published in Lucombe, Pince & Co. cat., c1868)

(a) **'Orlice'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Amoenum' × *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* R: B. Kavka *et al.* (c 1977), N: B. Kavka *et al.* Fls 2-5/flat globose truss, 42mm wide, dark purple in bud (32-32/2), opening shining purple violet (32/1-32/2, with small, darker purple blotch (32 and 732/1). Lvs elongate-ovate, 32 × 9mm, glossy dark green (00962). Shrub 0.6 × 0.9m

(a) **'Ormsby'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Louise Gable' (s) × 'Yozakura' H: R.D. Gartrell (1962), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell (1970), REG: R.D. Gartrell (1985) Fls double (sometimes irregular), 2/bud, 30 × 63mm, broadly funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, deep yellowish pink (43C) to strong pink (48C) overlaid deep yellowish pink, spotted strong purplish red (61B). Calyx 3mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Spring lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 50 × 19mm. Shrub up to 1.5m. (Robin Hill no. T45-3)

(r) **'Ornament'** (Syn. of 'Hachmann's Ornament')

(r) **'Ornamentum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (c 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red or rosy scarlet. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Ornatissimum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Ornatissimum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: H. Laurentius (1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose white, edged violet rose, with a yellow dorsal blotch

(a) **Ornatum Group** gp Deciduous azalea: *viscosum* (s) × *luteum* R: J.R. Gowen (pre 1830), N: J.R. Gowen, INC: ICRA (1958) (Previously listed as a *viscosum* × *ponticum* hybrid (i.e. an azaleodendron) but this represented a confusion over the male parent which is the azalea formerly known as *A. pontica*)

(a) **'Ornatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L.L. Liebig (pre 1852), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Ornatum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1851), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark scarlet (Knap Hill cat., 1851, Fraser, 1875); later accounts say pale rose, with a yellow blotch. (Two plants are clearly involved)

(a) **'Ornatum Incarnatum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *viscosum* (s) × *luteum* R: J.R. Gowen (pre 1830), N: J.R. Gowen, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls tubular funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, tube blush with red lines, dorsal lobe yellow, tipped white, other lobes pale pink, tipped white. Lvs more-or-less elliptic. (Ornatum Group)

(a) **'Ornatum Luteum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *viscosum* (s) × *luteum* R: J.R. Gowen (pre 1830), N: J.R. Gowen, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls tubular funnel-shaped, tube tinged red, lobes pale yellow with slight blush, dorsal lobe deepest yellow. Lvs elliptic-obovate, pale green above. (Ornatum Group)

(a) **'Ornatum Roseum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *viscosum* (s) × *luteum* R: J.R. Gowen (pre 1830), N: J.R. Gowen, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls tubular funnel-shaped, pale rose, dorsal lobe edged darker rose. Lvs elliptic or lanceolate. (Ornatum Group)

(a) **'Ornatum Speciosum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *viscosum* (s) × *luteum* R: J.R. Gowen (pre 1830), N: J.R. Gowen, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls tubular funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, tube orangy red, dorsal lobe yellow, tipped white, other lobes pink tipped white. Lvs elliptic-obovate, shiny green above, hairy below. (Ornatum Group)

(r) **'Orodes'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (c 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red or rosy scarlet. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Oronte'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Croux (pre 1984), N: Croux Fls single, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, cherry red, with darker dorsal spotting. Late

(a) **'Orpheus'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, spotted. Indian

(a) **'Orpheus'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1929), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls

reddish orange, dorsal lobe deep orange. Good autumn colour. Erect habit. Ghent

(a) **'Orpheus'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Malvaticum' (s) × deep salmon-flowered *indicum* R: B.Y. Morrison (pre 1947), N: B.Y. Morrison, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-2/truss, 50mm wide, rose pink (light purplish pink (73C)). Spreading shrub to 1.5m tall. Late April-early May. Glenn Dale (Probably never distributed)

(r) **'Orrie Dille'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Evening Glow' × 'Cotton Candy' H: M. Stockman (1968), G: M. & H. Stockman (1978), N: M. & H. Stockman (1982), I: M. & H. Stockman (1982), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1992) Fls 14/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 51 × 89mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (73A) with a yellow base in bud, opening light purple (75A, outside, 75B inside) at margins, shading to nearly white on midribs and with a deep to strong orange-yellow (163A, B) blotch extending onto three dorsal lobes; stamens 11, straight, unequal; highly scented. Calyx 3mm long, light yellow. Pedicels 22mm long, light green, tinged pink. Lvs elliptic, 114 × 48mm, convex, mucronate at apex, oblique at base, bullate and glossy dark green above, hairless; petioles 19mm long, brown. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in 24 years. Mid May

(r) **Ortiga Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Euryalus Group (s) × Sunrise Group H: Lord Aberconway (1932), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose. (Spelling confirmed (C.E. Puddle, 1998); sometimes listed in error as Ortega Group)

(a) **'Ortolan'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1989). Knap Hill

(r) **'Orton Bradley'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *ciliicalyx* (s) × unknown H: Mrs E.D. Boswell, G: B. Morris, N: Canterbury Rhododendron Society Inc. (1998), REG: Canterbury Rhododendron Society Inc. (1998) Fls 3/open truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 125 × 100mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, rose in bud fading to white at tips, opening inside white, outside rose on lobe ribs, fading to light pink and then white; prominent orange/gold blotch on dorsal lobe; strongly scented. Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs oblanceolate, 110 × 50mm, margins flat, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, matt green above, scaly. Shrub 2.5 × 2.0m in 12 years, with cinnamon, peeling bark. Late October (New Zealand). (First published in *Handbook of New Zealand Raised Rhododendrons* (1998))

(r) **'Ortrud'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel (c 1904), N: T.J.R. Seidel (1912), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red in bud, opening lilac flushed, with darker edges and a few dark brown spots

(a) **'Orwell'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: F.E.W. Hanger, G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, REG: Royal Horticultural Society (1967) Fls c11/compact, globular truss, 50 × 65mm, funnel-shaped, deep pink (47D), slightly darker on dorsal lobes. Lvs 80 × 40mm, mid to dark glossy green, slightly tinged brown. Shrub at least 1.5m. *AM 1966 Syn: 'Arun'

(a) **'Oryuka-shibori'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan, N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958). Kurume (Perhaps the 'Oriukiu-shibori' listed by Yokohama Nursery, 1932 as white and pink variegated)

(a) **'Oryx'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *cumberlandense* × *occidentale* × 'Kilauea' H: G.D. Waterer (1959), S: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1967), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1974) Fls pale yellowish white in bud, opening white; scented. Early-mid June

(a) **'Osaka'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Madame Petrick' × 'Pink Dream' H: M. Van Lancker (1962), G: J. Heursel (1965), I: J. Heursel (1969), REG: IOPG, Belgium (1972) Fls double, 2-3/truss, 63 × 96mm, opening light purplish pink (73C), becoming strong purplish pink (67D), with a strong purplish red (58B) blotch. Calyx 8mm long, light yellow-green (145B). Lvs elliptic, 45 × 20mm. Early. Indian

(a) **'Osaka-hanaguruma'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 5-6-lobed, red. Syn: 'Rokken'. Satsuki

(a) **'Osaka-sokojiro'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, with crimson margins and white centres. Satsuki

(a) **'Osakazuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 50-65mm wide, with rounded, slightly overlapping lobes, rose pink with a darker blotch. Satsuki

(a) **'Osaraku'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1918), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, white, suffused and edged rosy lavender, deeper at centre. Syn: 'Penelope'; Wilson no. 17. Kurume

(a) **'Osaraku Seedling'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1918), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very pale lilac, with deeper edges and a chestnut blotch. Syn: 'Winsome'; Wilson no. 49. Kurume

(a) **'Osaya'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c60mm wide, deep crimson. Satsuki

(r) **'Osbornei'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Kew (1933), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Osbornii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, I: unknown (1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet. Indian

(r) **'Osbornii'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Whitley & Osborn (1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Oscar'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Rinz (pre 1853), N: J. Rinz, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright brick red, spotted. Indian

(a) **'Oscar I'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. Verschaffelt (pre 1847), N: L. Verschaffelt, I: L. Verschaffelt, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose purple, dorsal blotch of brilliant yellow edged deep purple. Syn: 'Oscar Premier'. Ghent

(a) **'Oscar I'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. van Geert (1877), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, with pointed lobes, salmon rose paling to centre, blotch orange, paling at edges. Ghent (Probably the plant listed by J. Veitch (1867) as rich creamy sulphur, shaded pink)

(a) **'Oscar Premier'** (Syn. of 'Oscar I')

(r) **'Osceola'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid H: S.B. Parsons, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'O-shibori'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, white, streaked and marked crimson. (May have been a Satsuki or a *kaempferi* selection)

(a) **'Oshio'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c50mm wide, light red, with red stripes of varying widths; red and light red selfs also produced. Satsuki

(a) **'Osiris'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls of good shape, very dark red. Indian

(a) **'Oskar'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, glossy rose, with a striking blotch. Indian

(a) **'Oslava'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Amoenum' × *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* R: J. Jelínek (c 1969), N: J. Jelínek Fls 2-4/flat globose truss, 34mm wide, pink to reddish in bud (628/1-628+21/1), opening purple pink (628/1-628/2), with a small purple red blotch (727/3-727/2+827/3). Lvs elongate-ovate, 27 × 11mm, dark grey green (000862). Shrub c0.6 × 1.0m

(r) **'Osmar'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *williamsianum* hybrid R: UK (pre 1965), N: van Gelderen & de Wilde, I: van Gelderen & de Wilde (1975), REG: Royal Boskoop Hort. Soc. (1988) Fls 4-8/truss, campanulate, 50-60 × 70-80mm, 5-lobed, light purple (75B), fading to strong reddish purple (72C). Calyx green. Lvs almost orbicular, 40-50 × 40-50mm, cordate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m. Late April. (Published in *Dendroflora* 18:77 (1981))

(a) **'Osoraku'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, white, with crimson and lighter crimson stripes. Satsuki

(a) **'Osoraku-koshimino'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, marked with red and light red stripes and with strap-like segments between calyx and corolla; white, red and orange selfs also produced. Satsuki

(a) **'Osprey'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1962), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1962) Fls large, with broad lobes, pure white. Knap Hill

(v) **'Os's Oriana'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *macgregoriae* × *laetum* H: O.S. Blumhardt, G: O.S. Blumhardt (1982), N: O.S. Blumhardt, I: Koromiko Nurseries (1986) Fls 16/truss, 40 × 60mm, 5-lobed, light orange-yellow (16B) in tube and throat, lobes strong orange (30D); anthers reddish brown; filaments yellow; stigma yellow. Pedicels 60mm long, bright red. Calyx 1mm long, green. Lvs obovate-elliptic, 90 × 55mm, scaly. Rounded shrub to 1.5m. Flowering mainly in summer. Syn: 'Oriana', 'Orania' (Originally introduced as 'Oriana')

(a) **'Osta'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Bertina' R: O. Stahnke & E. Dettmer (pre 1984), N: O. Stahnke & E. Dettmer Fls large, single, white, with a pink blotch. Shrub of dense habit, 1.5m. Midseason

(a) **'Ostalett'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: O. Stahnke & E. Dettmer (pre 1987), N: O. Stahnke & E. Dettmer Fls double, purple

(a) **'Ostali'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: O. Stahnke & E. Dettmer (pre 1991), N: O. Stahnke & E. Dettmer

(r) **'Ostara'** (Syn. of 'Boskoop Ostara')

(a) **'Osta Red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Osta' L: Australia (1994) Fls single, large, red. Shrub 1.5m. Midseason

(a) **'Ostaro'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: O. Stahnke & E. Dettmer (pre 1987), N: O. Stahnke & E. Dettmer

(r) **'Ostbo's Copper'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group (s) × 'Mrs W.C. Slocock' H: E. Ostbo, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls copper red

(r) **'Ostbo's Elizabeth'** (Syn. of 'Elizabeth Red Foliage')

(r) **'Ostbo's Low Yellow'** cv. Parentage unknown R: E. Ostbo, N: I.O. Ostbo, I: I.O. Ostbo (1960), REG: I.O. Ostbo (1961) Fls 115mm wide, 5-lobed, apricot pink in bud, opening creamy yellow, with an apricot pink centre. Lvs 100-115 × 45-50mm. Shrub to 2.0m

(r) **'Ostbo's Red Elizabeth'** (Syn. of 'Elizabeth Red Foliage')

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(r) **'Ostergold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Graf Lennart' (s) × *irroratum* 'Polka Dot' H: J. Wieting (1984), G: J. Wieting (1990), N: J. Wieting (1997), REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1997) Fls 12-16/rounded, fairly compact truss, open funnel-shaped, 35-45 × 45-60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds light yellow, margins partly tinged pink, opening inside light yellow and ageing to creamy yellow, sometimes with faint, very small, dark red spots on the dorsal lobes; outside opening light yellow, ageing to creamy yellow. Calyx 1-3mm long,

yellowish green, with dark red glands. Lvs ovate to elliptic, 58-90 × 20-40mm, sometimes slightly twisted, matt green above, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.9m in 6 years. Mid March-early April

(r) **'Osterküken'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Graf Lennart' (s) × *irroratum* 'Polka Dot' H: J. Wieting (1984), G: J. Wieting (1990), N: J. Wieting, I: J. Wieting, REG: W. Schmalscheidt (2000) Fls 7-14/round, compact truss, open funnel-shaped, 30-40 × 40-60mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, light yellow with a faint pink tinge in bud, opening light yellow to creamy yellow inside and out, the three dorsal lobes with faint brown-red spots or self-coloured. Calyx 1-2mm long, pale yellowish green. Lvs elliptic, 42-90 × 28-40mm, rounded at apex, rounded to cordate at base, margins decurved, slightly glossy above, hairless. Shrub 0.4 × 0.5m in 4 years. Late March-early April. Reported to be especially suitable for forcing

(r) **'Osterschnee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mardi Gras' (s) × *praevernum* H: H. Hachmann (1985), G: H. Hachmann (1990), N: H. Hachmann (1992), I: H. Hachmann (1997), REG: G. Stück (1999) Fls 12-14/flat truss, funnel-campanulate, 45-50 × 76mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, white inside and out, the dorsal lobe with cherry red spotting above a large blotch of dark red/deep purplish red (187C/D) near the throat; stamens 10, filaments white, anthers moderate brown (165A); style pale greenish yellow (2D), stigma brilliant yellow (11A). Calyx 1-2mm long, light reddish/green, hairless. Lvs elliptic to ovate, 120-140 × 45-50mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, flat, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.0m in 10 years. Mid-late April. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1998-2000 (1998), with colour photograph)

(r) **'Ostfriesland'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Madame de Bruin' (s) × *forrestii* Repens Group R: D.G. Hobbie (pre 1949), N: D.G. Hobbie, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 6-8/truss, bright scarlet red

(a) **'Oswald de Kerchove'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1871), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lacquer rose, with a fire red blotch. Syn: 'Monsieur Oswald de Kerchove'. Indian

(a) **'Oswald de Kerchove'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: C. Vuylsteke (c 1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright pink, dorsal lobe shaded pale yellow. Mollis

(a) **'Oswald Shreiber'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Rose (1886), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, very large, rounded, pure carmine rose. Indian

(a) **'Otakumi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *indicum* I: K. Wada, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright orange. Very dwarf shrub. Indian

(a) **'Otava'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Amoenum' × *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* R: J. Jelínek (c 1962), N: J Jelínek Fls 3-6/globose to flat globose truss, 38mm wide, purple violet in bud (632-632/2), opening violet (634/1-634/2), with a conspicuous dark purple-brown blotch (931/3-931/1). Lvs elongate-ovate, 22 × 8mm, dull green (0960/2-0960/3). Shrub c0.6 × 1.2m

(a) **'Othello'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy crimson. (Perhaps an error for the rhododendron listed the previous year)

(a) **'Othello'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1859), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls campanulate, rose with whitish yellow midveins (H. Hesse, 1899). Ghent (Perhaps the plant listed by Noble, 1855: fls rosy pink)

(a) **'Othello'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (1892), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, cinnabar red. Indian

(a) **'Othello'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Koster & Co. (c 1920), N: Koster & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 50mm wide, deep pink (50B). Midseason. Kaempferi

(r) **'Othello'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* hybrid L: Standish & Noble (1847), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a large, domed truss, 5-lobed, dark purple crimson, with darker dorsal spotting. Hardy Hybrid (Sources differ about originator (and may reflect there being more than one plant). E. André (1864) & Laurentius (1869) both say J. Rinz; others give Waterer (Knap Hill))

(r) **'Othello'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R.T. Pince (pre 1868), N: R.T. Pince, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large trusses, rich dark crimson purple, shaded with claret. Glossy foliage. (Published in Lucombe, Pince & Co. cat., c1868. Perhaps the same plant listed by Standish & Noble (1847), q.v)

(r) **'Othello'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Arthur Osborn' × *facetum* H: Lord Aberconway (1931), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cardinal red. (The Moor Group)

(r) **'Othello'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Carmen' (s) × 'Armistice Day' × *griersonianum* R: L.E. Brandt (1947), N: L.E. Brandt, I: L.E. Brandt (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 5-7/truss, open campanulate, 75mm wide, cardinal red (822). Lvs 60 × 30mm, deep green above. Low shrub, broader than tall. Midseason. (Othello Group)

(r) **Othello Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Carmen' (s) × 'Armistice Day' × *griersonianum* R: L.E. Brandt (1947), N: L.E. Brandt, I: L.E. Brandt (1955), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Otis Hyde'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group (s) × 'Exbury Albatross' R: H.L. Larson, N: H.L. Larson, I: H.L. Larson, REG: H.L. Larson (1964) Fls 9-12/truss, campanulate, 75 × 100mm, strong red (51A) with an orange overlay, streaked strong red (46A) and lightly spotted on dorsal lobe, throat strong red (46A). Lvs 150 × 55mm. Shrub 1.8m in 10 years. Late

(a) **'Otohime'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls variegated purple. Indian

(a) **'Oto-kirishima'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls wisteria purple, with strap-like appendages between calyx and corolla. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Otome'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1918), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush pink or rosy lilac on a paler ground, with a faint eye. Syn: 'Maiden's Blush'; Wilson no. 18. Kurume

(a) **'Otome'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Izayoi' × 'Kyokko-nishiki' R: Japan, N: Japan, I: Chugai Nursery Co. (pre 1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65-75mm wide, with slightly pointed lobes, off white, with many light pink and yellowish pink variations, to pink selfs (Galle, 1987); fls light pink, marked white and purple (1958 Register). Satsuki

(a) **'Otome-gokora'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* L: Kyoma Yokata Nursery (1976) Fls 20mm wide, deep purplish pink, with a pink style

(a) **'Otomeno'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kiusianum* × a Satsuki azalea L: Greer Gardens (1983) Fls 50mm wide, purplish pink. Low, rounded shrub. Early

(a) **'Otome-no-mai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Aikoku' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, with rounded lobes, a whitish to pale pink centre and irregular purplish pink margins. Satsuki

(a) **'Otome Zakura'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50mm wide, with rounded lobes, centre pale pink, margins deep pink; stamens pink; pistil red. Satsuki

(a) **'Otowa-takane'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c60mm wide, light red, with red streaks; red and light red selfs also produced. Satsuki

(a) **'Otowayama'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 5(-6)-lobed, white, marked with deep red; or light red with red streaks. Satsuki

(r) **'Ottawa'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × *campylocarpum* Elatum Group R: L. de Rothschild (pre 1942), N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Differs from 'Lady Bessborough' in its orange-pink buds, opening to white. (Lady Bessborough Group)

(a) **'Otterwood'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown G: E. de Rothschild (1970s), S: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: Exbury Enterprises Ltd (1989), REG: E. de Rothschild (1990) Fls single, 12-22/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 45-50 × 60-75mm, 5-6-lobed, strong orange (25B), outside flushed red, especially in bud. Calyx very short, green. Lvs elliptic, 65-85 × 28-35mm, hairless. Shrub 1.5-1.9 × 1.2-1.5m. May. PC 1988

(a) **'Ottilie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C. Schulz (pre 1863), N: C. Schulz, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Otto'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *simsii* derivative R: O. Stahnke & E. Dettmer (pre 1994), N: O. Stahnke & E. Dettmer

(r) **'Otto and Betty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.L. Tolstead (c 1970), G: W.L. Tolstead, N: W.L. Tolstead, I: Rhody Run Nursery (1993), REG: W.L. Tolstead (1993) Fls 18/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 38 × 51mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish red (10RP 3/10); stamens 10; slightly scented. Calyx very short, light green. Pedicels 25mm long, light green. Lvs oblong, 114 × 51mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless; petioles 19mm long, green. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 22 years. Mid May

(a) **'Otto Forster'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark bright red, with dark markings. Indian

(a) **'Otto Forster'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1891), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure snow white. Indian

(r) **'Otto Forster'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Firma Seidel (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet red, without spots

(r) **Otto Forster Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* subsp. *cinnamomeum* var. *album* × *griffithianum* R: unknown (pre 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c10/elongated truss, campanulate, 75 × 100mm, white, flushed mauve at edges, sparsely spotted crimson in tube at base of dorsal lobe. Calyx lobes 2-5mm long, pale green, flushed crimson. Lvs elliptic, c170 × 60mm, soft green above, with a thin buff indumentum below. Large shrub. May

(a) **'Otto Hahn'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Gibraltar' × 'Cecile' R: C. Fleischmann, N: C. Fleischmann, I: C. Fleischmann (1970) Fls single, vivid salmon orange, with an orange-yellow dorsal blotch. Lvs flushed bronze when young. Midseason-late

(r) **'Otto Homdahl'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Butterfly' × *ponticum* R: I.O. Ostbo, N: I.O. Ostbo, REG: I.O. Ostbo (1968) Fls 15-16/open, rounded truss, funnel-shaped, 30 × 75mm, pale yellow-green (4D) with crimson flecks on the dorsal lobes. Calyx lobes c18mm long, reddish. Lvs ovate to elliptic, 100 × 45mm, with dark maroon petioles. Shrub 1.2m tall in 10 years. Late May

(a) **'Otto Lilienthal'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Gebr Kersbergen, N: Gebr Kersbergen, I: Gebr Kersbergen (1918), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale yellow. Mollis

(r) **'Otto Löhnig'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars Novus' × 'Kohinur' L: Firma Seidel (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, dark carmine rose

(a) **'Otto Mohrenweiser'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Perle de Noisy' × 'Pink Dream' I: G. Boese (1969) Fls double, light purplish pink (55C). Calyx normal, green. Early. Syn: 'Mohrenweiser'. Indian

(a) **'Ottonis'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: van Geert (1852), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Presumably the 'Ottonii' listed by A. Verschaffelt, 1844)

(a) **'Otto Olberg'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Hartl (1891), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rose lilac. Indian

(a) **'Ouchi-jishi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1984), N: Japan Similar to 'Koshi-nami' which is described as a red variant. Satsuki

(a) **'Ouchi-shisti'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1939), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, white, yellowish at centre. Kurume

(a) **'Ouchiyama'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac crimson. Kurume

(r) **'Oudijk's Favorite'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: IntrifastGroup (s) × *augustinii* I: Le Feber & Co. (1958), REG: Le Feber & Co. (1965) Fls 45mm wide, campanula violet (37/1). Shrub 0.8m in 10 years

(r) **'Oudijk's Sensation'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Essex Scarlet' (s) × *williamsianum* H: D.G. Hobbie (c 1943), S: Le Feber & Co., N: Le Feber & Co., I: Le Feber & Co. (c 1961), REG: Le Feber & Co. (1964) Fls 5-9/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 75 × 60-70mm, with wavy-edged margins, dark pink (inside tyrian rose (24/2), with darker dorsal lobe spotting, outside tyrian rose (24/1)). Lvs broadly elliptic, cuspidate at apex, slightly cordate at base. Shrub to 2.0m. (Norderney Group)

(r) **'Ouida'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Astarte' (s) × *griersonianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1930), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 5-6/truss, funnel-shaped, up to 65 × 65mm, scarlet in bud, opening flushed rose pink, paler on lobes, deep towards base. Lvs narrowly oblanceolate, up to 150 × 30mm, bright green above, hairless below. AM 1936 (Ouida Group)

(r) **Ouida Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Astarte' (s) × *griersonianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1930), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1936), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Our Choice'** cv. Parentage unknown H: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (pre 1980)

(r) **'Our Friend'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scintillation' × unknown N: B. Schram (pre 1998) Fls large, in a ball truss, pink, with an orangy throat. Low to medium shrub. Midseason

(r) **'Our Gem'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* (s) × unknown G: L. Begg, N: L. Begg (1975), I: Olinda Nurseries (1996), REG: Olinda Nurseries (1996) Fls 14/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (71C) in bud, opening inside and out strong purplish red (71C), shading to deep purplish pink (70C) in the throat; spotted on dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic/oblanceolate, 90-143 × 30-40mm, slightly wavy-edged, matt green above, acute to obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 1.0m in 10 years. June-July (Australia). (Grown from open-pollinated seed of *arboreum* from USA)

(r) **'Our Kate'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *macabeanum* × *calophytum* R: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1963), REG: E. de Rothschild (1963) Fls 20/lax truss, ventricose campanulate, 90 × 90mm, white, faintly tinged pale yellow-green (4D), with a dark red (59A) throat. Lvs 275 × 100mm. Large shrub. April. AM 1963 (Our Kate Group. *Exbury Rhododendrons* (1979) describes the colour as very pale pink, flushed a deeper pink on margins and with a ruby throat. This may represent another clone of the same Group)

(r) **Our Kate Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *macabeanum* × *calophytum* R: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1963), REG: E. de Rothschild (1963)

(v) **'Our Marcia'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' × *herzogii* × *laetum* × *aurigeranum* H: J.L. Rouse, G: J.L. Rouse (1985), N: G.L.S. Snell, I: Shrublands Nursery (1987), REG: Shrublands Nursery (1988) Fls 10-12/truss, long tubular funnel-shaped, 60 × 60mm, 5-lobed, tube pale yellow (158B), lobes strong red (52C), fading to deep purplish pink (55A). Lvs elliptic, 70 × 40mm, hairless. Shrub 1.0m tall. Summer-autumn

(v) **'Our Margaret'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *christianae* × *lochiae* (s) × *zoelleri* H: B. Clancy (1988), G: B. Clancy (1991), N: B. Clancy (1999), I: Vireya Valley Nursery (1999), REG: G. Roelink (1999) Fls 8-14/open truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 34 × 63mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, vivid yellow (17C) in bud, opening inside vivid yellow (17C) in the throat, vivid reddish orange (32A) on the lobes, outside similarly coloured; black anthers. Lvs elliptic, 86 × 53mm, obtuse at apex, attenuate at base, flat, glossy. Shrub 0.8 × 0.6m in 10 years. Autumn-spring

(v) **'Our Mary'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *zoelleri* (Michael Black's form) (s) × 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' H: B. Clancy (1980), G: B. Clancy (1984), N: B. Clancy (1999), I: Vireya Valley Nursery (1999), REG: G. Roelink (1999) Fls 6-8/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 38 × 104mm, with 5-6 flat-edged lobes, light yellow (11B) in bud, inside opening light yellow (11B) in the throat, deep yellowish pink (46D) on the lobes; outside with a light yellow (11B) tube, the lobes tinged deep yellowish pink (46D); a distinct yellow star in the throat. Lvs broadly elliptic to oblong-elliptic, 100 × 45mm, obtuse at apex, attenuate at base, flat, glossy. Shrub 1.0 × 0.6m in 10 years. Autumn-spring

(r) **'Ouro Puro'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Francis Hanger Group, selfed R: L.E. Brandt, N: L.E. Brandt, REG: L.E. Brandt (1967) Fls up to 9/lax truss, out-facing, 50 × 115mm, 7-lobed, brilliant yellow (15C). Shrub to 1.2m

(v) **'Our Waltzing Matilda'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Arthur's Choice' (s) × 'Gardenia Odyssey' H: B. Clancy (1989), G: B. Clancy (1994), N: B. Clancy (1994), I: Vireya Valley Nursery (1998), REG: G. Roelink (1998) Fls 8-16/open, flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 38 × 75mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, inside strong red (47B) at edges, with a brilliant yellow (23B) throat, outside similarly coloured; delicately scented. Lvs ovate, 108 × 50mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, matt green, with tan-coloured scales. Shrub 0.75 × 0.75m in 8 years

(r) **'Outliner'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ('Midsummer' × 'Adele's Yellow') no. 3 × *maximum* 'Ruddy Red Max' H: W.E. Delp (1984), G: W.E. Delp (1987), N: Mrs V. Delp, I: Crystalaire Naturescapes (1999), REG: J.D. Harris (1999) Fls 27/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 65mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, a blend of vivid purplish red (57C) and strong, moderate and light purplish pink (62A-C) in bud, opening white, edged vivid purplish red (57D) and strong purplish pink (62A), with strong greenish yellow (151B) dorsal spots. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 45mm, flat, acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 15 years. Early July

(r) **'Outlook'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Westbury' × 'Mary Garrison' H: C.R. & V. Haag, G: C.R. & V. Haag, I: Cardinal Nursery (c 1991) Fls pink

(r) **'Ovation'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Ovation')

(r) **'Ovation'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' (s) × *haematodes* R: W. Nagel (1968), N: W. Wüstemeyer, I: W. Wüstemeyer (1983) Fls up to c20/truss, 55-65mm wide, bright red. Calyx strongly enlarged, coloured as corolla

(r) **'Ovatum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *ponticum* L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1818), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls funnel-shaped, rose. Shrub to 1.0m. (Esveld cat., 1984)

(v) **'Overflow'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: (*christianae* × *lochiae*) F2 H: B. Clancy (1967), G: B. Clancy (1971), N: B. Clancy (1992), REG: B. Clancy (1993) Fls 6-7/loose truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 70mm, with 5 flat-edged but decurved lobes, inside moderate reddish orange (41C) shading to orange in the throat; outside moderate reddish orange (41C). Lvs obovate, 70 × 49mm, matt green, flat, mucronate at apex. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 10 years. Spring/autumn. ('Overflow' was previously incorrectly listed as a synonyn of 'Arthur's Choice'; it is a sister seedling)

(r) **'Overstreet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *yakushimanum* R: R.B. Overstreet (pre 1984), N: Greer Gardens, I: Greer Gardens Fls funnel-shaped, white. Shrub up to 1.0m, with narrower leaves than usual

(a) **'Over the Rainbow'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown N: Carlson's Gardens, I: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1987) Fls multi-coloured yellowish pink and orange

(r) **'Overture'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan' × *pseudochrysanthum* H: J. Nicolella (1980), G: R.H. Gustafson (1987), N: R.H. Gustafson, REG: R.H. Gustafson (1991) Fls 12/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 64 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, shades of purplish pink (65A, B, C, D); outside strong purplish red (58B) on ribs, pale purplish pink (65C) at tips. Calyx vestigial. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 140 × 51mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy dark yellowish green (139A) above, moderate yellow-green (148A) below with a patchy, felted, tan indumentum on midrib. Shrub 1.2 × 1.7m in 10 years. Late April

(r) **'Ovid'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1851), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose

(r) **'Owen Pearce'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Saffron Queen' × *burmanicum* R: M.H. & Mrs F. Sumner (1957), N: M.H. & Mrs F. Sumner, I: M.H. & Mrs F. Sumner (1968), REG: M.H. & Mrs F Sumner (1971) Fls in open trusses, rotate, 50mm wide, brilliant greenish yellow (6B) in bud, opening brilliant greenish yellow (6C). Lvs oblanceolate, 75 × 25mm. Compact shrub, 1.2m in 10 years. April. (Published incorrectly as 'Owen Pierce' in *Rhododendrons 1972*, p.92 (1972))

(r) **'Owen Thomas'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1915), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson, spotted

(r) **'Oxenden'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *souliei* × *calophytum* H: G.A. Hardy (c 1973), G: G.A. Hardy, N: G.A. Hardy (1988), REG: G.A. Hardy (1988) Fls 10-11/truss, up to 70 × 105mm, 7-lobed, moderate purplish pink (65A) in bud, opening white flushed pale purplish pink (65D) and with a yellow-green blotch in the throat; scented. Calyx up to 3mm long, green-red. Lvs oblanceolate, up to 150 × 50mm, mid green above, paler below, hairless. Shrub 1.9 × 1.9m in c15 years. Early May. AM 1988

(r) **'Oxford'** (Syn. of 'Pematit Oxford')

(r) **Oxlip Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *williamsianum* (s) × *wardii* Litiense Group R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in loose trusses, campanulate, deep rose in bud, opening pale pink and ageing to pure white. Foliage resembling *williamsianum*. April

(a) **'Oxydol'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Exbury, N: Exbury, I: E. de Rothschild (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, white, with a few yellowish, dorsal spots, but these fade with age. Knap Hill

(a) **'Oyeyama'** (Syn. of 'Hana-guruma')

(r) **'Oz'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catawbiense Album' (s) × Fabia Group H: H. Lem, G: G.E. Barefield (1970), I: Mrs M.W. Barefield (1975), REG: Mrs M.W. Barefield (1980) Fls 11-15/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 65mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, deep to strong pink (52C/D) at lobe edges shading through brilliant yellow (14C) to pale yellow (11C) in centre of lobes and in throat, with strong orange-yellow to strong orange (24B/25B) spotting on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 7-20mm long, pale yellow (8D) to brilliant yellow (14C), with spotting as on corolla. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 100 × 30mm, acute and apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 18 years. Mid May

(a) **'Ozora'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1965) Fls 25mm wide, deep purplish pink (70C); fls 30mm wide, strong red (39A). Both descriptions given in Galle (1987). Kurume

(r) **'Pacesetter'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Pacesetter')

(r) **'Pacesetter'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alandale' × 'Lady of Belfield' H: Scott Arboretum (1962), G: Scott Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister

(r) **'Pachym'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Muriel' (Mansellii Group) × *pachytrichum* I: Sir Giles Loder (1954), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Pacific Glow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi Venus' × *strigillosum* H: H.L. Larson (1952), G: H.L. Larson (1961), N: M. Miles, REG: E. Jack (1979) Fls up to 17/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 80mm wide, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, deep rosy red in bud, opening strong pink (54C) on lobes, throat strong red (50A), unmarked. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 50mm, acute at apex, rounded at base, dull mid green and hairless above, with yellowish green hairs below on midrib and veins. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years. Mid April

(r) **'Pacific Gold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Lammot Copeland' × un-named, late, deep yellow H: H.L. Larson (1969), G: J.A. Davis (1975), N: J.A. Davis, I: J.A. Davis (1982), REG: J.A. Davis (1986) Fls 8-12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish orange (34B) in bud, opening brilliant yellow (12B) with a 7mm edging of pale yellow (12D). Lvs elliptic, 95-100 × 45-50mm, mahogany green when young, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 0.8m in 12 years. Mid May

(v) **'Pacific Moonrise'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *sessilifolium* × *laetum* H: J.L. Rouse, G: J.L. Rouse (1990), N: A.B. Raper, I: Rhodo Glen Nursery (1990), REG: Rhodo Glen Nursery (1990) Fls 8-10/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, 5-lobed, vivid yellow (12A), deepening to vivid yellow (14B), paler on edge of lobes. Lvs elliptic, 110 × 60mm. Shrub 0.6m. Spring-autumn

(r) **'Pacific Princess'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'King of Shrubs' (s) × 'Fawn' × Dido Group H: USA (1961), G: Mrs R.J. Coker, N: Mrs R.J. Coker, I: Mrs R.J. Coker, REG: Mrs R.J. Coker (1982) Fls light yellowish pink (36A), centre pale yellow (20C). Lvs 120 × 50mm, hairless

(r) **'Pacific Queen'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Mrs R.J. Coker, N: Mrs R.J. Coker, I: Mrs R.J. Coker, REG: Mrs R.J. Coker (1980) Fls strong red (39A) in bud, opening moderate yellowish pink (38B), with a yellow centre

(r) **'Pacific Rim'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi King George' (s) × *macabeanum* H: H.L. Larson (1950), G: H.L. Larson (1965), N: H.L. Larson, I: H.L. Larson (1981), REG: H.L. Larson (1982) Fl 16/truss, c60 × 90mm, 8-lobed, light purplish pink (62C) in bud, opening pale yellowish pink (27D); conspicuous brown anthers. Calyx minute. Lvs 175 × 90mm, hairless

(v) **'Pacific Shower'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lochiae* × *macgregoriae* × *christianae* H: D.B. Stanton, G: L. Searle (1983), N: S. Saperstein, I: S. Saperstein (1990), REG: J. & Mrs S. Saperstein (1991) Fls 10/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 30 × 35mm, 5-lobed, tube vivid yellow (15B), tinged vivid reddish orange (30B), lobes vivid reddish orange (33A). Lvs elliptic, 100 × 40mm. Shrub 1.0 × 2.0m. Spring-autumn

(v) **'Pacific Sundown'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Apricot Nectar' × *zoelleri* R: unknown, N: Mrs S. Saperstein, I: Mrs S. Saperstein (1990), REG: Mrs S. Saperstein (1991) Fls 8/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 60mm, 5-lobed, tube light yellow (10C), lobes vivid reddish orange (41A). Lvs elliptic, 95 × 40mm. Shrub 2.0m. Spring-autumn

(r) **'Pacific Sunset'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Peach Lady' × Tally Ho Group × 'Malemute' H: J.A. Elliott (1978), G: J.A. Elliott (1982), N: J.A. Elliott, I: J.A. Elliott (1985), REG: J.A. Elliott (1989) Fls 11/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 64 × 102mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, carmine (21/1), shading to yellow ochre (07/1) in throat, with brick red (016) spotting on dorsal lobe. Calyx very small, light green. Lvs narrowly oblong, 152 × 51mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 9 years. Mid May. Syn: 'Heart of Gold'

(a) **'Pacific Twilight'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Comtesse de Kerchove' (Indian) × 'Tempérance' H: I.C. Nichols, G: I.C. Nichols (1965), N: I.C. Nichols, REG: I.C. Nichols (1986) Fls double (without stamens), 1-2/truss, funnel-shaped, 75 × 50mm, vivid purplish red (74B), with a deep purplish red (61A) flush on the dorsal lobes. Lvs elliptic, 40 × 15mm. Shrub 1.0m. Indian

(r) **'Packet'** (Syn. of 'Surprise Packet')

(r) **'PAC-Rotstein'** (See 'Rotstein')

(r) **'PAC-Winterstein'** (See 'Winterstein')

(a) **'Paddy Nick'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: I.C. Nichols, G: I.C. Nichols (1976), N: I.C. Nichols, I: I.C. Nichols, REG: I.C. Nichols (1986) Fls double, 2-3/truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 65mm, light purplish pink (55C), with a green flush on one lobe. Lvs elliptic, 25 × 15mm. Shrub 0.6m. Indian

(a) **'Padre'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Mrs Carmichael' (s) × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, 50-55mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, between liseran purple (light purple (78C)) and pale rosalane purple (deep purplish pink (70C)). Erect shrub to 2.2m. Late April. Glenn Dale

(r) **Pageant Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Calrose Group (s) × Loderi Group H: Lord Aberconway (1935), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink

(r) **'Page Boy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* (s) × 'Mrs W.C. Slocock' R: E.G.W.W. Harrison, N: E.G.W.W. Harrison, REG: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1964) Fls 13/compact truss, 50 × 80mm, cream, touched with pink. Compact, rounded shrub

(a) **'Pagentry'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably a *mucronatum* hybrid R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c 1935), N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 45mm wide, liseran purple lightened to phlox purple, similar to but less red than 'Dark Spring' and 'Lantern Parade'. Kurume

(a) **'Pagoda'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (1930s), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, lilac pink. Coolidge

(r) **'Pagoda'** cv. Parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney (pre 1970), I: Mrs A. Sather (pre 1980) Fls creamy yellow. Leaf apex turned upwards. Shrub 0.9m in 10 years. Early April

(a) **'Paikuni'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1939), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, bright pink, star-shaped, with pink anthers. Kurume (Sometimes seen as 'Paikune')

(a) **'Painted Desert'** cv. Deciduous azalea: unknown Exbury (Knap Hill) azalea × 'Primrose' R: Garrett (pre 1985), N: Garrett Fls 40mm long, light yellowish pink (19B), variegated moderate yellowish pink (33D), with a pinkish tube and a vivid yellow (17B) blotch. Midseason. Knap Hill

(a) **'Painted Lady'** (Syn. of 'Nani-wagata')

(a) **'Painted Lady'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Painted Lady'** (See 'The Painted Lady')

(r) **'Painted Lady'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Dido Group × 'Lem's Goal' × 'Corry Koster' × 'Mrs G.W. Leak' H: H. Lem (pre 1960), I: E.F. Newcomb (pre 1996) Fls peach, with a yellow centre and an orange spotted dorsal flare. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Midseason

(a) **'Painted Lips'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kamino-yamakirin' (s) × 'Dorothy Clark' R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, I: Marshy Point Nursery (1995), REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls single, 2/truss, star-shaped, 65-75mm wide, hot pink, with a lighter pink centre; sometimes bicoloured when older when they are very light pink with strong red to hot pink margins and a small red blotch. Lvs ovate, dark green. Low shrub. Late May. (First published in Holly Springs cat., 1990)

(r) **'Painted Skies'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sunup-Sundown' × 'Lem's Cameo' H: J.G. Lofthouse (1979), G: J.G. Lofthouse (1983), N: J.G. Lofthouse, REG: J.G. Lofthouse (1986) Fls 11-12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 65mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, light yellowish pink (38D), darkening to strong pink (52D) towards lobe edges, flushed yellow-orange on dorsal lobes and with two orange rays; outside strong to deep pink (52C-D). Calyx 40mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 75-100 × 25-40mm, dark, glossy green, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.4m in 6 years. Late April

(v) **'Painted Snipe'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *suaveolens* R: E.F. Allen (pre 1970), N: E.F. Allen Fls 22-24/open, rounded truss, up to 60mm long, white (155D). Lvs broadly elliptic, up to 80 × 50mm, pale green, with a light covering of brown, pitted scales below. AM 1970

(r) **'Painted Star'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Meadowbrook' (s) × 'Anita' H: D.L. Hardgrove, G: D.L. Hardgrove, N: D.L. Hardgrove, I: D.L. Hardgrove (c 1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls opening pink and becoming cream, with a red throat and an orange-yellow dorsal flare. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(a) **'Painted Tips'** cv. Evergreen azalea: un-named seedling no. 38/45 × 'Cavendishii' × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1965) Fls single, 50-75mm wide, lobes hardly overlapping, ground colour off white, slightly flushed La France pink near the tips which are blotched with a spot of rose dorée; blotch distinct, but not showy, of pinkish vinaceous colour; stamens 5; pistil rose dorée. Low growing shrub of spreading habit, 0.5m tall in 10 years. Late May. Back Acres (Sometimes semi-evergreen)

(r) **'Paint Magic'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tony's Gift' (s) × 'Maxhaem Salmon' H: W.E. Delp (1975), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 16/truss, open funnel-shaped, 53 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong and vivid purplish red (61B, C) in bud, opening to a blend of strong purplish red, strong and light purplish pink (63A-D) and very pale purple (69D); filaments and style light purplish pink (63D); anthers deep reddish purple (77A); stigma dark red (187A). Lvs 102 × 44mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.6 × 1.4m in 17 years. Early June

(a) **'Paix'** (See 'La Paix')

(r) **'Paix de Villafranca'** cv. Parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958). Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Pa-Jo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a *fortunei* hybrid H: J.B. Gable (pre 1970), G: J.B. Gable, N: J.C. & P.H. Netherwood, Jr, REG: J.C. & P.H.

Netherwood, Jr (1995) Fls 10/somewhat lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 68 × 95mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red/strong purplish pink (63B/C) in bud, opening outside very pale purple (69A) at margins, shading to very pale purple (69C) and with deep purplish pink (70C) midribs; inside very pale purple (69B) at margins shading to nearly white at centre with a pale greenish yellow (2D) dorsal blotch which is spotted with moderate yellow-green (146C); stamens 10, curved, unequal; strongly scented. Calyx c1.5mm long, green. Pedicels 25mm long, gold/green. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 51mm, convex, acute at apex, rounded/oblique at base, moderate olive green (137A) above, moderate yellow-green (138B-C) below, sparsely hairy (hairs pale green/gold when young, ageing light tan); petioles c25mm long, pale green. Shrub 4.25 × 4.9m in c28 years. May

(a) **'Paladin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 65mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, mallow purple (strong reddish purple (72C)). Broad, spreading shrub to 1.5m. Mid-late May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Pale Face'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Stokes (pre 1969), N: W.E. Stokes

(a) **'Paleface'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Helen Close' × 'Madrigal' R: W.L. Guttormsen (pre 1966), N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1977) Fls single, 1-2/truss, open funnel-shaped, to 100mm wide, with 7 flat-edged lobes, white. Lvs 40 × 20mm, with upturned margins. Shrub 1.8 × 2.1m in 16 years. Late May

(a) **'Pale Lilac'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* × *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* R: J.B. Gable, N: O.S. Pride (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very light pink. Gable

(a) **'Pale Moonlight'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale lavender. Kurume

(r) **'Pale Perfection'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid H: R.M. Wyman (pre 1965), I: R.L. Ticknor, REG: R.L. Ticknor (1966) Fls 13/truss, funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, light purplish pink (2.5RP 8/5), with a dark greenish (10Y 6/7) blotch. Lvs 108 × 45mm. Shrub 0.6 × 1.2m in 9 years. Mid May

(r) **'Palermo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs P. den Ouden' (s) × 'Claudine' H: H. Hachmann (1983), G: H. Hachmann (1989), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 16-18/dense ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40-50 × 70-75mm, with 5 very strongly wavy-edged lobes, inside vivid purplish red (67B), shaded strong purplish red (67A) on the edges; outside similarly coloured, midveins vivid purplish red (66A/B); dorsal lobe with strong yellow-green (144A/B) markings on a paler ground; stamens 10, filaments deep purplish pink (67C), anthers pale yellow (161C); style strong purplish pink (67D), stigma dark red (187A); ovary reddish green, white hairy. Calyx c1mm long, light green. Lvs ovate, 90-140 × 55-60mm, convex, slightly mucronate at apex, rounded at base, slightly glossy dark green above, hairless. Shrub 1.6 × 1.8m in 10 years. Mid May-early June. (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030654). First published in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(a) **'Palestrina'** cv. Semi-evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* hybrid × 'J.C. van Tol' R: Vuyk van Nes (pre 1926), N: Vuyk van Nes, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 40 × 50mm, 5-lobed, white (155D), dorsal throat flecked with green. Calyx green, hairy. Lvs semi-evergreen, elliptic, 30 × 13mm, hairy. AM 1944, FCC 1967. Syn: 'Wilhelmina Vuyk'. Vuykiana

(r) **Palla Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Pallidum Group (s) × *griersonianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1936), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls neyron rose

(a) **'Palladium'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte (1843), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon-coloured. Indian

(a) **'Pallas'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, magenta rose, with a deep yellow blotch (C. Vuylsteke, 1875). Ghent (Some later sources describe it as geranium red, with an orange blotch and this may be another plant; Bean describes it as vermilion ageing to pink, with a yellow flare and a dark red tube)

(a) **'Pallidiflorum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cream, edged salmon red, with a bright nankeen yellow blotch. Ghent

(a) **'Pallidum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1804), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Listed under *Azalea nudiflora*)

(a) **'Pallidum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1826), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Listed under *Azalea pontica*)

(a) **'Pallidum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1840), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Said to be from Smith)

(r) **'Pallidum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection or hybrid of *ponticum* L: Whitley & Osborn (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Shrub 1.5-3.0m

(r) **'Pallidum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *virgatum* (s) × ? *hirsutum* R: Kew, N: W. Watson (1913), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls solitary in upper leaf axils, pinkish white, surrounded by large, brown, caducous bracts. Twiggy shrub. Syn: 'Edinense' (Dümmer, not Watson) (Published in *Gardeners' Chronicle* 53 (1): 230 (1913))

(r) **Pallidum Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* × *williamsianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1926), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, flushed pink

(r) **Pallidum Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. cinnabarinum* var. *pallidum*

(r) **'Pall Mall'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi King George' × Socrianum Group H: Mrs R.M. Stevenson, G: Mrs R.M. Stevenson (1967), I: Hydon Nurseries (1970), REG: Hydon Nurseries (1976) Fls 10-12/truss, 90mm wide, 7-lobed, deep pink, with strong purplish red (58B-C) rims. Lvs elliptic, hairless

(a) **'Palm'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1866), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Palma'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *parmulatum*, raised from KW5875 R: Lord Aberconway & The National Trust, N: Lord Aberconway & The National Trust, REG: Lord Aberconway & The National Trust (1983) Fls 3-7/truss, tubular-campanulate, up to 45 × 50mm, 5-lobed, greenish white (157D), with deeper central bands on each lobe and heavy spotting of deep purplish red (187D) in the dorsal throat. Calyx up to 2mm long, green. Lvs oblong-ovate to obovate, up to 65 × 23mm, hairless. AM 1983

(a) **'Palmyra'** (Syn. of 'Robin Hill Palmyra')

(a) **'Palmyre'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, red. Indian

(r) **'Palmyre de Trianon'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Palni Princess'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* subsp. *nilagiricum* (s) × (Hawk Group × Idealist Group) × 'Wheatley' H: M.S. Viraraghavan (1990), G: M.S. Viraraghavan (1999), N: M.S. Viraraghavan (1999), REG: M.S. Viraraghavan (1999) Fls 12/domed truss, open campanulate, 50 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, dark pink in bud, opening inside light pink with dark edges (creating a distinct picotee effect), outside dark pink, fading with age; brownish red dorsal blotch; slightly scented. Calyx 2mm long, light green. Lvs broadly ovate 130 × 55mm, flat-edged, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, matt green above, with a creamy brown indumentum when young, ageing to light brown. Shrub 0.75 × 0.65m in 8 years. Early March

(a) **'Paloma'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Inga' I: G. Harmsen (1972) Fls pale pink (49D) to pale purplish pink (62D); otherwise similar to 'Hellmut Vogel'. Indian

(a) **'Paloma'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Hellmut Vogel' R: unknown (pre 1994) Fls double, white. Shrub to 1.0m. (Probably the plant grown under this name in Germany, 1984)

(r) **'Paloma'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ruby Bowman' × *floccigerum* H: D.W. Goheen (1966), G: D.W. Goheen, N: D.W. Goheen, I: L.W. Bulgin, REG: D.W. Goheen (1986) Fls 14-16/domed truss, open campanulate, 25 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate pink (49B), with a 10mm edging of strong pink (49A), throat pale pink (49D); vivid red (45A) spotting in the middle of dorsal lobes and with vivid red (45A), 7mm wide nectaries; upper half of pistil bright red. Calyx very small. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 95-140 × 30-50mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, v-shaped, hairless, glossy, bullate, moderate olive green (137A). Shrub 3.0 × 1.9m in 17 years. Mid May

(r) **'Palomino'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter ? (pre 1943)

(r) **'Palouse'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' (s) × 'Lem's Cameo' H: J. Barlup (1981), G: J. Barlup (1985), N: J. Barlup, REG: J. Barlup (1995) Fls 24/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 75mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, inside pale greenish yellow (13D), dorsal lobe brilliant yellow (13C) and spotted with strong red (53B); nectaries strong red (46A); outside light pink (50D); stamens 12, curved, unequal; stigma brilliant yellow-green (149B). Pedicels 30mm long, strong yellow-green (145A). Lvs elliptic, 108 × 48mm, flat, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (147C) below, hairless; petioles 20mm long, moderate yellow-green (147B). Shrub 0.6 × 0.76m in 5 years. Early-mid May

(a) **'Paludosum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1818), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Listed under *Azalea nudiflora*)

(a) **'Paluna'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Helen Close' × 'Purple Splendor' R: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1969) Fls single, 2-3/truss, up to 65mm wide, deep purple-red (10RP 4/12). Lvs 40 × 22mm. Compact shrub to 0.6m tall. May

(a) **'Pam'** cv. Evergreen azalea: possibly a seedling from 'Glacier' R: I.L. Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L. Amann Fls 65mm wide, with narrow lobes, strong purplish red (58B), with a darker blotch. Spreading shrub to 1.2m. Midseason

(r) **'Pam'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *microgynum* Gymnocarpum Group (s) × *neriiflorum* subsp. *neriiflorum* Euchaites Group H: Mrs R. James (pre 1971), I: P.F. Saunders

(r) **'Pamela'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1853), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep blush

(r) **'Pamela Fielding'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid × un-named red hybrid R: C.B. van Nes & Sons (pre 1922), N: C.B. van Nes & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with a shining scarlet exterior and a pale carmine pink interior, fading to white blush

(r) **'Pamela-Louise'** cv. Parentage unknown G: Hydon Nurseries (1964), N: Hydon Nurseries, I: Hydon Nurseries (1974), REG: Hydon Nurseries (1975) Fls 14/truss, 58 × 75mm, 7-lobed, inside moderate purplish pink (65A), outside strong purplish pink (68B). Calyx 3mm long, pale green. Lvs elliptic, 130 × 56mm, hairless. Tall shrub. May

(r) **Pamela Love Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: un-named *thomsonii* hybrid × un-named Loderi Group seedling R: M.V. Love, N: M.V. Love, REG: M.V. Love

(1964) Fls in flat-topped trusses, up to 100mm long, broadly funnel-shaped; colour ranges from purplish red (rose bengal 25/2-25/3) to phlox pink. Lvs dark green, wavy-edged. Shrub 1.9m in 10 years. Pink-fld plants flower for 6-7 weeks beginning 25 March; red-fld plants flower from 10 April-end May

(a) **'Pamela Malland'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vuyk's Rosyred' × 'Moonbeam' H: G. Griswold (1972), G: G. Griswold (1979), N: G. Griswold, I: G. Griswold (1982), REG: G. Griswold (1986) Fls solitary, broadly funnel-shaped (very flat-faced), 25 × 75mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes (with deep sinuses, sometimes cut to base and often with a petaloid stamen), deep purplish pink (55A), pale purplish pink (56C) in the throat and with minor strong red (53C) spotting on the dorsal lobes. Calyx very small, light yellow-green (144D). Lvs narrowly obovate to nearly elliptic, 30-40 × 17-20mm, dark yellowish green (139A), ciliate, strigose below. Shrub 0.3 × 0.4m in 10 years. Mid May. Syn: 'Rosy Cheeks'

(a) **'Pamela Miles'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* × 'Tit-Willow' H: A.F. George (1963), G: A.F. George, N: A.F. George, I: Hydon Nurseries, REG: Hydon Nurseries (1978) Fls 3-4/compact, domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 38 × 25mm, slightly paler than moderate purplish pink (62B), flushed 62B, dorsal lobes spotted strong purplish red (33A); occasionally rimmed strong purplish red (63B). Lvs 20 × 18mm, light, slightly glaucous green. Shrub to 0.7m. *HC 1981, *AM 1985

(r) **'Pamela Neve'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush, margined pale cerise

(r) **'Pamela Reynolds'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *irroratum* × *grande* H: N. Sullivan, G: N. Sullivan (1987), N: N. Sullivan (1990), I: N Sullivan (1990), REG: N. Sullivan (1991) Fls 15/truss, funnel-shaped, 90 × 50mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, pale yellow (162D), with a strong orange (168B) basal blotch. Lvs 160 × 60mm. Shrub 1.5m

(r) **'Pamela Robinson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'New Comet' (s) × *fortunei* H: A.F. George (1974), G: Hydon Nurseries (1986), N: A.F. George (2001), I: Hydon Nurseries, REG: Hydon Nurseries (2001) Fls 9/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 7-lobed, strong purplish red (54A) and deep to strong purplish pink (68A-B) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (73A) inside, vivid reddish purple (74A) outside; throat green; scented. Lvs without indumentum. Shrub 3.5 × 3.5m in 20 years. May-June

(r) **'Pamir'** cv. 'Madame Linden' × ? 'Eggebrechtii' R: T.J.R. Seidel (c 1905), N: T.J.R. Seidel (1913), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with strong brown spotting

(r) **Pan Group** g Elepidote/Lepidote cross: *griersonianum* (s) × *maddenii* subsp. *crassum* R: Sir John Stirling-Maxwell, N: Sir John Stirling-Maxwell, I: Sir John Stirling-Maxwell (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) (A rare lepidote/elepidote hybrid)

(r) **'Pana'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Oh My!' × 'Red Brave' H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 20/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 46 × 60mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, deep red (53A, 60A) and strong purplish red (60B, C, D) in bud, opening to shades of strong purplish red with some white in the throat and sparse, deep greenish yellow (153A) dorsal spotting; filaments and style vivid purplish red (57D); anthers pale yellow (161D); stigma dark red (187A). Lvs 89 × 57mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, with a brown, woolly indumentum. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. in 18 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer (1992))

(a) **'Panache'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: UK (1988)

(r) **'Panache'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Champagne' × 'Crest' H: J. May (1970), G: J. May, N: J. May, I: Knoll Gardens (1988), REG: J. May (1987) Fls 12/truss, funnel/saucer-shaped, 90mm wide, 5-6-lobed, pale yellowish pink (159D) flushed through pale yellow (164D) to strong red (53B). Calyx up to 18mm long, creamy white (159D). Lvs ovate, 125 × 48mm, with recurved margins, hairless. Shrub 1.5m. May

(a) **'Panachée d'Hiver'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rose with white edges. Indian

(r) **'Panama'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Fanfare' × *catawbiense* (white fl'd) (s) × (*dichroanthum* × *griersonianum*) × (*fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × 'Corona') H: D.G. Leach (1962), G: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1976), REG: D.G. Leach (1983) Fls 10-13/truss, open funnel-shaped, 35 × 65mm, 5-lobed, strong red (53B), with dorsal spotting of deep red (53A). Calyx 10mm long, blotched pale purplish pink (62D). Lvs elliptic, 100 × 50mm, moderate olive green (147A); petioles dark red. Shrub c1.8m in 19 years. Early May

(a) **'Panda'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Everest' × a white-flowered form of *kiusianum* H: P.A. Cox (1973), G: P.A. Cox, N: P.A. Cox, I: P.A. Cox (1979), REG: P.A. Cox (1982) Fls 7-10/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 25 × 35mm, white, dorsal lobe very lightly tinged greenish yellow in throat. Lvs 15 × 10mm, mid glossy green. Shrub c0.3m. *HC 1984

(a) **'Pandora'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt (c 1947), I: E.A. Merritt (c 1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear pink. Kurume

(r) **'Pandora'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light rose, veined with white, with chocolate spots

(r) **Pandora Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group (s) × *facetum* H: Lord Aberconway (1934), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red

(r) **'Panenka'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* × 'Caractacus' R: B. Kavka (c 1958), N: B. Kavka Fls 12-15/elongate globose truss, 80mm wide, dark pink in bud (628-628/1), opening pink (628/1-628/2), with a conspicuous blotch of ruby red (827/3). Lvs broadly elliptic, 117 × 66mm, dull green (0960/1). Shrub 1.1m in 9 years

(r) **'Pania'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* hybrid I: New Zealand Rhododendron Association (pre 1982) Fls salmon. Compact, spreading shrub, 1.2m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Panoply'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'G.A. Sims' (s) × *facetum* R: S.R. Clarke, N: S.R. Clarke, I: S.R. Clarke (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 14-15/truss, funnel-shaped, 75mm wide, tube 45mm long, strong red (50A), with darker dorsal spotting. AM 1942 (Panoply Group)

(r) **Panoply Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'G.A. Sims' (s) × *facetum* R: S.R. Clarke, N: S.R. Clarke, I: S.R. Clarke (1942), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Pantagruel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *decorum* subsp. *diaprepes* R: G. Gorer, N: G. Gorer, REG: G. Gorer (1971) Fls white with a green flush at the base

(r) **Panteumorphum Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. panteumorphum*

(r) **'Panther'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Corona' × *wardii* I: C. Ingram (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) (Coronet Group)

(r) **'Pantherinum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (c 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with dark spots. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Pao-Pao'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lem's Cameo' (s) × 'Kimbeth' H: M. Stockman (1989), G: M. & H. Stockman (1996), N: M. & H. Stockman (1998), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1998) Fls 7-9/lax truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (44A) in bud, opening near strong reddish purple (72C) inside and out, somewhat lighter in centre of lobes and throat, with a very dark red, small, star-shaped marking in the base, and very sparse, dark red, dorsal spotting. Calyx with 5 reflexed lobes, shortest lobe 5mm long, the two longest 40mm long, red in throat, with a creamy white centre (with scattered red speckles) and a light pink edge. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 125 × 45mm, flat, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and mid green, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 0.75m in 9 years. Mid April. (The epithet is a registered name of an individual Shar-Pei (a breed of dog))

(r) **'Papageno'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nachtglut I' (s) × 'Mars' × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' R: H. Hachmann (1969), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1989) Fls outside and on edges strong to soft rose, centre white

(r) **'Papaya Punch'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' × 'Brandt's Tropicana' H: E.C. Brockenbrough (1971), G: G.H. Kesterson (1976), N: G.H. Kesterson, REG: G.H. Kesterson (1986) Fls 13-15/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink (47C) in bud, opening light yellowish pink (19B) with a 13mm edge of pale orange-yellow (19D) and broad, brilliant yellow rays on all lobes (darker on dorsal lobes), vivid red (44A) spotting on rays (dense in throat, sparse at edges); as corolla ages it changes to brilliant yellow (13C), the rays to a brighter yellow and the spotting diminishes. Calyx 30mm long, pale yellow (20D), with vivid reddish orange (32A) spots and rays. Lvs between narrowly oblong and oblong to between elliptic and narrowly elliptic, 95-125 × 40-50mm, moderate olive green (137B), hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 14 years. Late April

(a) **'Papeleu'** cv. Deciduous azalea: listed as a selection from "Azalea pontica" L: T.J. Seidel (1859), INC: ICRA (1958) (Sometimes listed in error as 'Papelieu')

(a) **'Papelieu'** (An error for 'Papeleu'. (Listed H. Lane & Son, 1851))

(a) **'Papilionaceum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1811), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Listed under *Azalea nudiflora*)

(a) **'Papilionaceum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1826), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Listed under *Azalea versicolor*)

(a) **'Papilionaceum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Vervaene (1857), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet rose, with a dark blotch. Indian

(r) **'Papilionaceum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1867), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls open pale lilac and fade to white with orange spots. Large shrub. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Papillon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* hybrid H: J.B. Gable (pre 1972) Fls large, with reflexed lobes, lavender

(r) **'Papillon'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *augustinii* subsp. *rubrum*, raised from Forrest 25914 R: S.R. Clarke, REG: R.N. Stephenson Clarke (1978) Fls 5-7/cluster, broadly funnel-shaped, up to 35 × 50mm, 5-lobed, inside strongly flushed deep purplish pink (73A), paler towards edges, outside with darker bars of light reddish purple (74C); dorsal part of corolla spotted with strong purplish red (60B). Calyx rudimentary, green, scaly. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, up to 65 × 30mm, sparsely scaly above and below. AM 1978

(a) **'Papillon Blanc'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte (pre 1869), N: L. van Houtte, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Papineau'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Glacier' × 'Swansong' H: R.D. Gartrell (1967), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell (1973), REG: R.D. Gartrell (1977) Fls single, 2-3/bud, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 95mm, with wavy-edged lobes, white (155C-155D) to pale yellow-green

(157A-B), spotted strong yellow-green (145A). Calyx 10mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 65-70 × 40mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, glossy moderate olive green (137A) above, slightly hairy below; petioles slightly hairy. Shrub 0.7 × 0.9m in 8 years. Mid May. (Robin Hill no. R8-5)

(a) **'Papoose'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1971), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1975) Fls pale pink. Knap Hill

(a) **'Paprika'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' × 'Willy' (s) × 'Mrs Carmichael' × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 50mm wide, white, with stripes and flakes of eugenia red (moderate red (180B)) and a green blotch; numerous solid red sports. Lvs glossy, dark green. Compact, dense shrub up to 1.5m. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Paprika Spiced'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' (s) × 'Brandt's Tropicana' H: E.C. Brockenbrough (1971), G: B.V. Nelson (1975), N: B.V. Nelson, I: B.V. Nelson (1982), REG: B.V. Nelson (1984) Fls 12-14/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 100mm, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes, white (158D) at edges, shading through pale yellow (11D) to light yellow (15D), heavily spotted strong reddish orange (32B) on dorsal lobes, more sparsely on ventral lobes. Calyx 25mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 90-100 × 40-45mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, margins flat, moderate yellow-green (145D-147D) above, hairless. Shrub c1.1 × 1.4m in 12 years. Early May

(a) **'Parade'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ivory' (s) × 'Keisetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, 75-90mm wide, with very wavy-edged lobes, rhodamine purple (vivid reddish purple (74A)), with a tyrian rose (vivid purplish red (57B)) blotch and a scarlet tube. Broad, spreading shrub to 1.2m. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Parade'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *cumberlandense* × *viscosum* R: E.V. Mezitt (pre 1985), N: E.V. Mezitt Fls 40mm wide, deep pink (50B); vanilla scented. Mid July

(a) **'Paradise'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Deutsche Perle' × 'Hexe' I: Vervaene-Vervaert & Co. (1905), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose or red. Indian

(a) **'Paradise'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum*, orange-flowered form (s) × 'Azumi-shibori' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 2-5/truss, 50mm wide, rose dorée (deep yellowish pink (43C)), with a broad blotch of tyrian rose (vivid purplish red (57B)) dots. Lvs small, glossy, dark green. Shrub to 1.5m. Late April-early May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Paradise Candy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Comte de Kerchove' × un-named seedling × 'Spring Beauty' H: R.J. Cherry (c 1971), G: R.J. Cherry (1974), N: R.J. Cherry, I: R.J. Cherry, REG: R.J. Cherry (1989) Fls hose-in-hose, 2-3/truss, 30 × 50mm, 5-lobed, light purplish pink (55C). Lvs ovate, 35 × 15mm. Shrub 0.5-0.75m tall

(a) **'Paradise Cascade'** cv. Evergreen azalea: un-named seedling × 'Spring Beauty' H: R.J. Cherry (c 1972), G: R.J. Cherry (1975), N: R.J. Cherry, I: R.J. Cherry, REG: R.J. Cherry (1989) Fls single, 2-3/truss, 50 × 80mm, 5-lobed, strong to light purplish pink (73B-C) with a white blotch on one lobe. Lvs ovate, 30 × 15mm. Shrub 0.5m tall, described as a 'natural weeper'

(a) **'Paradise Charity'** cv. Evergreen azalea: un-named seedling × 'Spring Beauty' H: R.J. Cherry (c 1967), G: R.J. Cherry (1972), N: R.J. Cherry, I: R.J. Cherry (1986), REG: Paradise Plants (1987) Fls hose-in-hose, 6-7/truss, funnel-shaped, 50mm wide, 5-lobed, pale purplish pink (55D) in centre, shading to pale purplish pink (56C) at edges; filaments pink. Lvs ovate, 50 × 30mm, dark green. Shrub 1.25m tall

(a) **'Paradise Coconut Ice'** cv. Evergreen azalea: un-named seedling × 'Spring Beauty' H: R.J. Cherry (c 1965), G: R.J. Cherry (1972), N: R.J. Cherry, I: R.J. Cherry (1986), REG: Paradise Plants (1987) Fls hose-in-hose, 4-5/truss, funnel-shaped, 80mm wide, 5-lobed, moderate purplish pink (68C) with a white blotch in centre. Lvs ovate, 50 × 30mm. Shrub 0.5-0.75m tall

(a) **'Paradise Elfin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Violetta' × 'Roseate' H: R.J. Cherry (c 1971), G: R.J. Cherry (1974), N: R.J. Cherry, I: R.J. Cherry, REG: R.J. Cherry (1989) Fls hose-in-hose, 4-5/truss, 20 × 30mm, vivid purplish red (57C). Lvs ovate, 20 × 10mm. Shrub 0.75-1.0m tall

(a) **'Paradise Fairy Bells'** cv. Evergreen azalea: un-named seedling × 'Azumi-kagami' H: R.J. Cherry (c 1968), G: R.J. Cherry (1973), N: R.J. Cherry, I: R.J. Cherry (1986), REG: Paradise Plants (1987) Fls hose-in-hose, 2-4/truss, funnel-shaped, 40mm wide, 5-lobed, pale yellowish pink (36D), with strong red (51A) dots and stripes radiating from centre and with green dots in the throat; filaments white. Lvs ovate, 30 × 20mm, matt green. Shrub 0.5-0.75m tall

(a) **'Paradise Fiesta'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: R.J. Cherry (pre 1994) Fls single to semi-double, white, with pink stripes. Shrub 1.0m

(a) **'Paradise Harlequin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Agnes Neale' × 'Cleopatra' H: R.J. Cherry (c 1972), G: R.J. Cherry (1975), N: R.J. Cherry, I: R.J. Cherry, REG: R.J. Cherry (1989) Fls single, 3-4/truss, 40 × 90mm, 5-lobed, white (155D) with deep purplish pink (68A) stripes and blotches and with darker spots in the throat. Lvs ovate, 50 × 25mm. Shrub 0.5-0.75m tall

(a) **'Paradise Honey'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lady Poltimore' × un-named seedling H: R.J. Cherry (c 1967), G: R.J. Cherry (1972), N: R.J. Cherry, I: R.J. Cherry (1986), REG: Paradise Plants (1987) Fls single,

2/truss, funnel-shaped, 80mm wide, 5-lobed, white (155D), fading to pale purplish pink (56D), with a yellow-pink blotch in the throat. Lvs ovate, 50 × 30mm, light green. Shrub 1.0-1.5m tall

(a) **'Paradise Honeymoon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Albert-Elisabeth' × 'Spring Beauty' H: R.J. Cherry (c 1972), G: R.J. Cherry (1975), N: R.J. Cherry, I: R.J. Cherry, REG: R.J. Cherry (1989) Fls semi-double, 2-3/truss, 40 × 90mm, 5-lobed, pale purplish pink (55D) with light yellow-green (154D) spots in the throat. Lvs ovate, 45 × 20mm. Shrub 0.75-1.0m tall

(a) **'Paradise Jennifer Ann'** cv. Evergreen azalea: unnamed seedling × 'Spring Beauty' H: R.J. Cherry (1965), G: R.J. Cherry (1971), N: R.J. Cherry, I: R.J. Cherry (1986), REG: Paradise Plants (1987) Fls single, 4-5/truss, funnel-shaped, 70mm wide, 5-lobed, white (155D), with green in the throat; filaments white. Lvs ovate, 50 × 30mm. Shrub 1.0-1.5m tall

(a) **'Paradise Little Flirt'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hexe' × 'Spring Beauty' H: R.J. Cherry (c 1972), G: R.J. Cherry (1975), N: R.J. Cherry, I: R.J. Cherry, REG: R.J. Cherry (1989) Fls hose-in-hose, 1-2/truss, 40 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (71C) with darker spots in the throat. Lvs ovate, 55 × 25mm. Shrub 0.75-1.0m tall

(a) **'Paradise Old Smokey'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Albert-Elisabeth' × 'Schryderi' H: R.J. Cherry (c 1972), G: R.J. Cherry (1975), N: R.J. Cherry, I: R.J. Cherry, REG: R.J. Cherry (1989) Fls semi-double, 1-2/truss, 30 × 80mm, 5-lobed, strong red (53D), with darker spots in the throat. Lvs ovate, 50 × 20mm. Shrub 0.75-1.0m tall

(a) **'Paradise Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Fidelio' × 'Gumpo Red' R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1964) Fls 65mm wide, rose madder (23/1). Compact, spreading shrub

(a) **'Paradise Pixie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Violetta' × 'Roseate' H: R.J. Cherry (c 1971), G: R.J. Cherry (1974), N: R.J. Cherry, I: R.J. Cherry, REG: R.J. Cherry (1989) Fls hose-in-hose, 4-5/truss, 20 × 25mm, 5-lobed, strong reddish purple (72C). Lvs ovate, 20 × 10mm. Shrub 0.5-1.0m tall

(a) **'Paradise Radiance'** cv. Evergreen azalea: un-named seedling × 'Spring Beauty' H: R.J. Cherry (c 1972), G: R.J. Cherry (1975), N: R.J. Cherry, I: R.J. Cherry, REG: R.J. Cherry (1989) Fls hose-in-hose, 4-5/truss, 40 × 80mm, 5-lobed, vivid purplish red (57C), with vivid red (57A) spots in the throat. Lvs ovate, 40 × 20mm. Shrub 1.0-1.5m tall

(a) **'Paradise Romance'** cv. Evergreen azalea: unknown × 'Spring Beauty' H: R.J. Cherry (c 1965), G: R.J. Cherry (1970), N: R.J. Cherry, I: R.J. Cherry (1986), REG: Paradise Plants (1987) Fls hose-in-hose, 5-7/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 70mm wide, 5-lobed, deep to strong purplish pink (55A-B). Lvs ovate, 50 × 30mm, dark green. Shrub 1.0-1.5m tall

(a) **'Paradise Rosa-Lea'** cv. Evergreen azalea: un-named seedling × 'Roseate' H: R.J. Cherry (c 1966), G: R.J. Cherry (1972), N: R.J. Cherry, I: R.J. Cherry (1986), REG: Paradise Plants (1987) Fls single, 3/truss, funnel-shaped, 30mm wide, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (58C); stamens pink. Calyx green. Lvs ovate, 30 × 20mm. Shrub 0.5-0.75m tall

(a) **'Paradise Sensuous'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Tempérance' × 'Spring Beauty' H: R.J. Cherry (c 1971), G: R.J. Cherry (1974), N: R.J. Cherry, I: R.J. Cherry, REG: R.J. Cherry (1989) Fls semi-double, 3-4/truss, 60 × 90mm, 5-lobed, strong reddish purple (78B) with strong purplish red (67A) spots in the throat. Lvs ovate, 40 × 20mm. Shrub 1.0-1.5m tall

(a) **'Paradise Susie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: un-named seedling × 'Spring Beauty' H: R.J. Cherry (c 1966), G: R.J. Cherry (1971), N: R.J. Cherry, I: R.J. Cherry (1986), REG: Paradise Plants (1987) Fls single, 3-4/truss, funnel-shaped, 70mm wide, 5-lobed, pale purplish pink (56C); stamens and stigma pink. Lvs ovate, 50 × 30mm. Shrub 1.25m tall

(a) **'Paradise Voodoo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Elsa Kärger' × 'Spring Beauty' H: R.J. Cherry (c 1972), G: R.J. Cherry (1975), N: R.J. Cherry, I: R.J. Cherry, REG: R.J. Cherry (1989) Fls hose-in-hose, 3/truss, 30 × 60mm, 5-lobed, vivid red (46B) with darker spots in the throat. Lvs ovate, 30 × 15mm. Shrub 1.0-1.5m tall

(a) **'Paradise Wee-Willy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: unnamed seedling × unknown H: R.J. Cherry (c 1966), G: R.J. Cherry (1971), N: R.J. Cherry, I: R.J. Cherry (1986), REG: Paradise Plants (1987) Fls single, 2-3/truss, funnel-shaped, 20mm wide, 5-lobed, white (155B); filaments white, anthers brown. Lvs ovate, 30 × 20mm, dark green. Shrub 0.5m tall

(a) **'Paradiso'** cv. Evergreen azalea: un-named seedling × un-named seedling H: K. Glaser (1983), G: K. Glaser, N: K. Glaser, I: K. Glaser (1994), REG: ICRA (1996) Fls double, large, broadly funnel-shaped, margins strongly undulate, strong purplish red (63B) on dorsal lobes, strong to moderate purplish pink (68B-C) on ventral lobes; throat markings absent or very weak, spots not touching, strong purplish red (61B) on a ground coloured as dorsal lobe; anthers brown; pistil longer than stamens. Calyx present. Lvs elliptic, dark green above, light green below, acuminate. Upright, bushy shrub

(a) **'Paragon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark rose pink. Indian

(a) **'Paragon'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls apricot with an old gold centre. Mollis

(r) **Paragon Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Loderi Group (s) × Red Ensign Group H: Lord Aberconway (1932), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose

(a) **'Paramount'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1959), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1961) Fls double, yellow. Late. Knap Hill

(r) **'Pardlestone'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably *yakushimanum* × *decorum* × 'Goldsworth Orange' H: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1972-1973), G: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: G.D. Waterer, REG: G.D. Waterer (1985) Fls very pale lemon

(r) **'Pardoloton'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid L: A. Henderson & Co. (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy lilac, with a large, black blotch shaded amaranth. (Perhaps raised by R.T. Pince)

(r) **'Pardoloton Versicolor'** cv. Parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte (pre 1869), N: L. van Houtte, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, shaded with lilac and broadly edged amaranth, blotch reddish orange. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Pareti'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1851), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Parfait'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Sherwoodii' × 'Fedora' R: J.D. Harris, N: J.D. Harris, I: J.D. Harris (pre 1981) Fls single, 50mm wide, white, with a pink margin and red dots; lightly scented. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m in 10 years. Early April

(a) **'Parfait'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: M.G. Schepens (pre 1987), N: M.G. Schepens Fls hose-in-hose, with wavy-edges, pink. Kaempferi

(r) **'Paricutin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' × 'Tally Ho' (ie the FCC plant) R: L.E. Brandt (pre 1963), N: L.E. Brandt, REG: L.E. Brandt (1967) Fls 22-23/tall, well-filled truss, 75 × 95mm, cardinal red (822/2). Shrub 2.2m

(r) **'Paris'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Aurora' × *fortunei* R: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, REG: E. de Rothschild (1968) Fls 10-12/loose truss, 75 × 75mm, very pale purple (73D). Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 150 × 65mm, hairless. PC 1968

(r) **'Parisienne'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *valentinianum* (s) × *burmanicum* R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in small, rather loose trusses, a good yellow; slightly scented. Shrub to 1.2m. April. (Parisienne Group)

(r) **Parisienne Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *valentinianum* (s) × *burmanicum* R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cream to pale yellow

(a) **'Parkeri'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1866), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, rose red. Indian

(r) **'Parker Smith'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *johnstoneanum* × *veitchianum* Cubittii Group (s) × *chrysodoron* H: R.W. Scott (c 1972), G: R.W. Scott (1976), N: R.W. Scott (1990), I: Enjoy Rhododendrons (1993), REG: P. Smith (2002) Fls 4-6/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, many flowers double, 45 × 50mm, single fls with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid yellow-green (154A) in bud, opening light greenish yellow (4B) throughout, with vivid yellow (14B) spotting in the throat. Calyx minute, green. Lvs obovate, 75 × 40mm, margins flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and mid yellow-green above, hairy at edges. Shrub 1.2 × 1.8m in 10 years. February-March. (First published in *J. Am.Rh.Soc.* 45 (1): 28 (1991))

(r) **'Parker's Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1930), G: C.O. Dexter (pre 1935), N: P.D. Vossberg, I: P.D. Vossberg (1959), REG: New York Chapter, American Rhododendron Society (1973) Fls up to 12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 90mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63B), fading to white in throat, with a deep red (60A) blotch - dense in the throat, thinning out to two rays of spots above; scented. Calyx very short, green. Lvs elliptic, 160 × 70mm, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, moderate olive green (147A), hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.4m in 10 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Parker's Triumph'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'C.I.S.' × 'Clara Raustein' H: E.K. Parker (1972), G: A.A. Raustein (1978), N: A.A. Raustein, I: A.A. Raustein (1981), REG: A.A. Raustein (1986) Fls 10/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 50 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish orange (42B) in bud, opening light orange-yellow (16C). Calyx 13mm long, light orange-yellow (16C). Lvs between narrowly elliptic and elliptic to between oblanceolate and narrowly obovate, 100-115 × 40-45mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, margins flat, glossy, moderate yellow-green (137C) above, with a light plastered greenish indumentum below. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m in 12 years. Mid May

(a) **'Parkfeuer'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Feuerwerk' (s) × 'Feuerwerk' H: H. Hachmann (1969), G: H. Hachmann (1974), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1983), REG: G. Stück (1984) Fls 9-11/truss, 45-50 × 55-60mm, 5-lobed, vivid reddish orange (34A) with vivid reddish orange (42A) and vivid red (44A), unmarked. Calyx 2-3mm long, strong yellow-green (144B-C). Lvs 68-74 × 26-33mm, hairy

(r) **'Parkfreude'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Genoveva' (s) × 'Hassan' R: T.J.H. Seidel (c 1938), N: T.J.H. Seidel (1988) Fls pure rose, with dark red markings

(a) **'Parkgate'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: M.C. Pratt (c 1986), G: Ness Botanic Gardens (1996), N: Ness Botanic Gardens, REG: Ness Botanic Gardens (1998) Fls single, 10-12/loose truss, broadly tubular funnel-shaped, 55 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light orange (29B) in bud, opening inside light yellowish pink (27A) with median stripes of brilliant orange (29A), outside light orange-yellow (24C) with median stripes of strong yellowish pink (37B); dorsal blotch of strong orange-yellow (17A); stamens pink;

scented. Calyx 2mm long, brilliant yellow-green (149C). Lvs elliptic, 72 × 32mm, wavy-edged, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy above, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 1.0m in 12 years. June-July. Good autumn foliage colour

(r) **'Parking Lot'** (Syn. of 'Frosted Opal')

(r) **'Parkjuwel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *forrestii* Repens Group hybrid H: D.G. Hobbie, S: J. Bruns Nursery (c 1969) Fls bright red, with slight brown markings

(r) **'Parkside'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *souliei* (s) × Hawk Group R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) (Peregrine Group. This plant was never distributed and is no longer extant. The re-use of the name was accepted in *Rhododendrons, 1979-80 with Magnolias and Camellias* (1980), p.101)

(r) **'Parkside'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *charitopes* R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners, REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1979) Fls 3-5/truss, campanulate, up to 40mm wide, 5-lobed, light purplish pink (62C), dorsal lobes suffused darker shades of strong purplish pink and strong purplish red (62A & 63B) and extensively spotted deep red (60A). Calyx up to 10mm long. Lvs obovate, up to 58 × 30mm, dark green above, glaucous and scaly below. AM 1979

(r) **Parryae Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. parryae*

(r) **'Parsifal'** (Syn. of 'Hachmann's Parsifal')

(r) **'Parsifal'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *haematodes* × *makinoi* H: Boskoop (1968), G: Boskoop (pre 1986), N: Boskoop, I: Boskoop (1991), REG: Royal Boskoop Hort. Soc. (1990) Fls 6-10/truss, campanulate, 40-50mm wide, 5-lobed, rosy red. Calyx green. Lvs narrowly ovate, 60-100mm long, with a greyish indumentum on young leaves. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m. April-May. (Published in *De Boomkwekerij* 13 (1990))

(r) **'Parsons' Gloriosum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: S.B. Parsons (c 1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 20-24/hemispherical truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 60mm, pale rosy mauve, with a ray of bright yellow markings. Calyx lobes 4-7mm long, pale green, glandular ciliate. Lvs *catawbiense*-like, 100-150mm long. Shrub 1.5m tall in 10 years (to at least 3.0m)

(r) **'Parsons' Grandiflorum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: S.B. Parsons (1875), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c20/truss, funnel-shaped to campanulate, 45 × 60-70mm, lilac rose, with a pattern of dull brown markings on a light ground. Calyx very small. Similar to *catawbiense* in habit and foliage

(r) **'Parsons' Rubrum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1943), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. (Grown at the Arnold Arboretum since 1943)

(a) **'Partitum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *periclymenoides* N: W. Aiton (1789), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Party Balloon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lem's Cameo' (s) × 'Springfield' H: M. Wildfong (1984), G: B.J. Ogdon (1995), N: B.J. Ogdon (1998), REG: B.J. Ogdon (1998) Fls 9/lax ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 66 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (49A) in bud, opening moderate pink (49B) inside; strong pink (49A) outside; red spots on dorsal lobes becoming solid red in the throat; anthers brown; stigma green. Calyx 8mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 138 × 61mm, margins flat, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.3m in 10 years. Early May

(a) **'Party Dress'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: M.E. Greentree, I: Camellia Lodge Nursery (1973) Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, with slightly ruffled lobes, white. Indian

(r) **'Party Dress'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × unknown H: G.W. Clarke, G: G.W. Clarke, N: G.W. Clarke (pre 1980), I: G.W. Clarke, REG: Mrs M. Clarke (1991) Fls 16/domed truss, open campanulate, 38 × 51mm, with 5-7 smooth-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63A) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (66C) with a few small spots on the dorsal lobe. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 165 × 57mm, dull green and bullate above, with a felted indumentum below which is light green at first, fading to fawn. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 8 years. May

(a) **'Party Girl'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *flammeum* hybrid R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1987), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls pale pink, with deeper pink margins and an orange-yellow flare; strongly scented

(r) **'Party Girl'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Whitney Late Red' (s) × 'Loderi King George' H: F. Peste (1970), G: F. Peste (1981), N: F. Peste, REG: F. Peste (1983) Fls 10-12/ball truss, 75 × 100mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (63D), shading to strong purplish pink (55B) at margins, shaded moderate orange (167B) in the throat, outside strong purplish pink (63C). Calyx 3mm long, yellowish green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 160 × 55mm, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, margins flat to slightly wavy, deep yellowish green (141A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 3.0m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Party Package'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lem's Cameo' × 'Ruby Bowman' H: J.G. Lofthouse (1976), G: J.G. Lofthouse (1981), N: J.G. Lofthouse, I: J.G. Lofthouse (1983), REG: J.G. Lofthouse (1986) Fls c15/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 25 × 75-100mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (52A) in bud, fading on opening through deep pink (52B, C) to strong pink (52D), with two 25mm long rays of vivid red (52A) spots on the dorsal lobe and a star-shaped 52A stain deep in the throat; outside slightly darker. Calyx irregular, 7-20mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 125-150 × 50-75mm, bronze when young, with maroon petioles, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.1m in 8 years. Early May

(r) **'Party Piece'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *veitchianum* (Cubittii Group) 'Ashcombe' (s) × 'Else Frye' H: C.R.W. Waddington (1992), G: C.R.W. Waddington (1997), N: C.R.W. Waddington (2000), REG: C.R.W. Waddington (2001) Fls 4-6/flat truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 80 × 110mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (52B) in bud, opening inside white, with a strong to light purplish pink (55B-C) flush over a third of corolla, outside pale purplish pink (55D), striped strong purplish red (54A) on midribs; blotch at base of dorsal lobe 40 × 30mm, strong red (47B) mixed with light orange-yellow (22B). Calyx 5mm long, pale green, tipped pink. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 40mm, margins decurved, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy above. Shrub 1.0 × 0.75m in 7 years. Mid-late April

(r) **'Party Pillow'** cv. Parentage unknown L: USA (1994)

(r) **'Party Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Furnivall' × white-flowered *catawbiense* H: D.G. Leach (1953), G: D.G. Leach (1960), N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1972), REG: D.G. Leach (1973) Fls up to 18/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 75mm, moderate purplish pink (2.5RP 7/8), shading to pale purplish pink (2.5RP 9/2) in the throat, with conspicuous strong yellow (2.5Y 7/10) spotting on the dorsal and parts of adjacent lobes. Calyx minute, green. Lvs broadly elliptic, 120 × 65mm, dark green, hairless. Shrub 0.5 × 0.8m in 4 years

(a) **'Party Popsicle'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *flammeum* hybrid R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1987), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls pink, with a yellow flare

(r) **Parvifolium Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. parvifolium*

(a) **'Parviflorum Perfectum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange, tinged rose. Ghent

(r) **'Parvum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *yakushimanum* L: USA (1982)

(a) **'Pasaciņa'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *R.* × *kosterianum* (s) × *roseum* H: R. Kondratovičs (1974), G: R. Kondratovičs (1982), N: R. Kondratovičs, I: Rhododendron Nursery "Babīte" of University of Latvia (1999), REG: R. Kondratovičs (2002) Fls single, 9-11/strongly domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40-50 × 40-50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside rose pink (427) with a yellow dorsal blotch; darker in bud; filaments pale pink, anthers light brown; style pale pink, stigma green. Calyx 4mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 40mm, margins flat, broadly acute at apex, pointed at base, glossy green above, with white hairs persistent above when mature. Shrub 3.0 × 2.3m in 20 years. Early June. (Published in *Praktiskais Latvietis*, no.17 (189): 12-13 (28 April, 2000))

(r) **'Pascal'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.L. Tolstead (1980), G: W.L. Tolstead, N: W.L. Tolstead, REG: W.L. Tolstead (1995) Fls 13/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 40mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, strong purple fading to lighter purple towards centre, and with a bronze blotch on the dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 130 × 50mm, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 15 years. Early May. (Derived from *catawbiense*/*fortunei* crosses, perhaps with admixture of other species)

(a) **'Paschal'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Eden Jane Alcott' × 'Pink Pearl' × 'Eden Frank Preston' × 'How-raku' R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith Fls 75mm wide, strong purplish pink (55B), with strong red (53B) spotting. Shrub 1.2m in 6 years

(v) **'Paschal Witness'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *konori* × 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' R: P. Sullivan (pre 1983), N: P. Sullivan Fls very large, pink; scented. Flowering at about Easter

(r) **'Pasithea'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer? (Knap Hill) (pre 1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy crimson, spotted chocolate. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Passing Fancy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid H: J.B. Gable (1954), G: B. & M. Shapiro, N: B. & M. Shapiro, REG: B. & M. Shapiro (1993) Fls 12-13/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 70mm, with (5-)6 smooth-edged lobes, white in bud, opening white with brilliant greenish yellow (1B) spotting on lower half of dorsal lobe; moderately scented. Calyx 1-2mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 127 × 51mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 2.4 × 2.4m in 35 years. Mid May

(r) **'Passion'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Caractacus' × 'Hugh Koster' H: H. Hachmann (1959), G: H. Hachmann (1965), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1988), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 14-16/truss, open funnel-shaped, 40-45 × 65-70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (67B); edges of lobes inside and overall outside strong purplish red (67A), inside the colour shades to almost white in the throat, the dorsal lobe marked with moderate reddish orange (35A-B). Calyx 5-8mm long, light green/reddish. Lvs elliptic to broadly elliptic, 95-110 × 40-50mm, concave, apiculate at apex, cuneate-rounded at base, mid green above with yellowish green midvein and edges, and with a thin, brownish indumentum below. Shrub 2.0 × 2.0m in 20 years. Late May-early June

(r) **'Passionate Purple'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *impeditum* hybrid R: W. & M. Thompson (pre 1983), N: W. & M. Thompson Fls purple. Lvs grey-blue. Shrub 0.6m in 10 years

(a) **'Pastel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Miyagino' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 2-4/truss, 40-50mm wide, white, with a few stripes of amaranth pink (deep purplish pink (72D)) and with a few dots of tyrian rose (vivid purplish red (57B)) on the dorsal lobe. Upright shrub to 1.9m. Early-mid April. Syn: 'Prince Georges'. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Pastel'** (Syn. of 'Vanessa Pastel')

(a) **'Pastel Princess'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Albert-Elisabeth' × 'Madame Butterfly' R: H. Kerrigan (pre 1987), N: H. Kerrigan Fls two-toned pink

(r) **'Pastel Star'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (reddish-flowered form) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × Azor Group H: D.L. Hardgrove, G: D.L. Hardgrove, N: D.L. Hardgrove, I: D.L. Hardgrove, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, with a red blotch

(v) **'Pastenello'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *konori* × *aurigeranum* R: G.L.S. Snell (pre 1997), N: G.L.S. Snell Fls in full trusses, large, creamy yellow; scented. Strong bushy shrub to c2.0m tall. (Similar to 'Buttermilk', but better flower form and growth habit)

(a) **'Pastiche'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1959), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1961) Fls large, yellow, splashed pink. Midseason. Knap Hill

(a) **'Pastorale'** cv. Evergreen azalea: irradiation induced sport from 'De Waele's Favorite' R: ISRIA, Belgium, N: ISRIA, Belgium, I: ISRIA, Belgium (1976) Fls moderate purplish pink (66D), with a narrow white edge; otherwise similar to 'Knut Erwen'. Indian

(r) **'Pastor Bonus'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C.J.H. Walther (?pre 1870), N: C.J.H. Walther, INC: ICRA (1958). Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Pastor Dunker'** cv. Elepidoterhododendron: (*decorum* × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor*) × (*fortunei* subsp. *fortunei* × (*wardii* × *dichroanthum*)) × 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague' H: A.A. Raustein (1969), G: A.A. Raustein, N: A.A. Raustein, I: A.A. Raustein, REG: A.A. Raustein (1979) Fls up to 15/conical truss, open funnel-campanulate, 75mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63A), with a faintly yellow throat; buds strong red (53C). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 125 × 50mm, apiculate at apex, oblique at base, glossy and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 0.9m in 8 years. Early May

(r) **'Pastor Schwanitz'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C.J.H. Walther (pre 1870?), N: C.J.H. Walther, INC: ICRA (1958). Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Pastor Schwarz'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C.J.H. Walther (pre 1863), N: C.J.H. Walther, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls reddish, spotted. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Pat'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Maria Elena' × 'Linda Jean' R: Greenwood Gardens (pre 1985), N: Greenwood Gardens Fls semi-double, 55mm wide, strong purplish pink (63C). Very late

(a) **'Patches'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Chichibu', selfed H: J.F. Caperci (1956), G: J.F. Caperci (1958), N: J.F. Caperci, I: J.F. Caperci, REG: J.F. Caperci (1976) Fls 2/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 50mm wide, with 5 smooth- to wavy-edged lobes, strong red (39A) or white, some selfs, others blotched, lined or half and half. Calyx 5mm long, green, densely white hairy. Lvs elliptic, 25 × 13mm, strong yellow-green (143A), hairy below on midrib. Shrub 0.3 × 0.9m in 20 years. Mid-late June. Satsuki

(a) **'Pat Erb'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Louise Gable' × 'Tama-giku' × 'Tama-sugata' H: R.D. Gartrell (1963), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, REG: D.H. Voss (1991) Fls an irregular double (hose-in-hose (but normal calyx present) plus petaloids), (1-)2/bud, open funnel-shaped, 50-58mm wide, outer corolla whorls with five wavy-edged lobes, white, flushed light pink (49C), with occasional flecks, stripes or sectors of deep pink (52C). Calyx 3mm long, strong yellow-green (145A). Lvs elliptic, 30 × 14mm. Dwarf, dense, spreading shrub. Late May-early June. (Robin Hill no. T36-3)

(r) **'Pat Glein'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' (s) × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' × 'Crest' H: R. Glein (1970), G: R. Glein (1976), N: R. Glein, REG: R. Glein (1996) Fls 18/domed truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 65 × 80mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53C) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (55A) at margins and shading to pale purplish pink (55D) in the throat, with sparse, deep red (55A) spotting on dorsal lobe; colour ages to a lighter pink; stamens 10, curved, unequal; stigma red, style white. Calyx 3mm long, pale greenish yellow (more-or-less 160C). Pedicels 30-45mm long, pink at apex, green at base. Lvs narrowly oblong, 100-150 × 30-45mm, margins decurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless; petioles 20mm long, pale green. Shrub 1.5 × 2.4m in 26 years. Early May

(r) **'Path Finder'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alumni Day' × 'Lady Decora' H: Scott Arboretum (1962), G: Scott Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister

(a) **'Pathfinder'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Rothschild Supreme' seedling (s) × *austrinum* H: E.J. Aromi (1971), G: J. Giordano (1975), N: E.J. Aromi, I: Magnolia Nursery (pre 1985), REG: Magnolia Nursery (1996) Fls 11-16/ball truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 62mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, brilliant orange-yellow (23B) flushed strong red (39A) and with a vivid orange-yellow (23A) blotch; strongly scented. Lvs narrowly obovate, 75 × 35mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (147B) and with discrete hairs below. Shrub 1.8 × 1.1m in 10 years. Late March. (First published in *Azaleas*, F.C. Galle (1985))

(a) **'Patience'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Bobbink & Atkins, N: Bobbink & Atkins, I: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, light crimson. Indian

(a) **'Pat Kraft'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Copperman' × 'Hakata-shiro' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1964) Fls single, 75-80mm wide, 5(-6)-lobed, scarlet red, with tyrian rose spots in blotch area. Shrub 0.6-0.8m tall in 10 years. Very late. Back Acres

(r) **'Patricia'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *campylogynum* Charopoeum Group R: Mr & Mrs J.F. Caperci (1959), N: Mr & Mrs J.F. Caperci (1959), REG: Mr & Mrs J.F. Caperci (1961) Fls funnel-shaped, 25-30mm wide, magnolia purple (030-030/1). Shrub to 30cm

(a) **'Patricia Anne Jordan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: E.W. Jordan (1991), G: E.W. Jordan (1994), N: E.W. Jordan (1997), REG: E.W. Jordan (1997) Fls 3/lax truss, hose-in-hose, broadly campanulate, 50 × 75mm, with 5+5+5 wavy-edged (fluted) lobes, white (155D) in bud, opening white (155D) inside and shading to green in the throat, outside white (155D). Calyx green. Lvs elliptic, 63 × 21mm, flat, mucronate at apex, attenuate at base, matt green above, ciliate. Shrub 0.6 × 0.9m in 5 years. August-September (Australia)

(a) **'Patricia Barmold'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kermesinum' × 'Blue Danbue' R: H. Meyer (1978), N: H. Meyer, I: H. Meyer (1985) Fls white

(r) **'Patricia Bosley'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid H: C.O. Dexter (c 1925), N: R. Bosley, I: Bosley Nursery Co. (1946), REG: R. Bosley & K. Freeland (1993) Fls 10-11/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 64 × 95mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, moderate to light purplish pink (62B, C), with a strong purplish red (63B) throat; densely spotted with streaks of dark reddish orange (175B) in the throat and with discrete spots of 175B shading to brilliant yellow-green (150B) on the dorsal lobe; outside with strong purplish red (63B) midribs; stamens 11-12. Calyx 2-4mm long, yellowish green. Pedicels 40-48mm long, light red. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 57mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull moderate olive green (147A) above; new growth strong yellow-green (144A) with white pubescence; petioles 25mm long, green. Shrub 1.8 × 2.0m in 12 years. Mid May. Syn: 'Bosley 1005' (Bought as a flowering-size plant by Mr & Mrs P.R. Bosley in early 1930's)

(r) **'Patricia Boyle Barnum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: un-named, pink-flowered Lem hybrid (s) × *falconeri* subsp. *eximium* H: C. Weeks (1986), G: C. Weeks (1996), N: C. Weeks, I: Westgate Garden Nursery (1997), REG: C. Weeks (2001) Fls 10/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 70 × 115mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (64B) in bud, opening strong purplish red (63B) and changing to light greenish yellow (4B-C) throughout; no stamens present. Lvs elliptic, 200 × 80mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 19 years. Early May

(a) **'Patricia Burton'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *prunifolium* × *viscosum* R: S.C. Early (pre 1985), N: S.C. Early Fls 50mm wide, light pink. Late

(r) **'Patricia Clark'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Champagne' (Tortoiseshell Group) (s) × Elizabeth Group H: A.J. Clark (1979), G: J.W. Clark, N: J.W. Clark, I: J.W. Clark (1984), REG: J.W. Clark (1984) Fls 7-10/truss, open campanulate, 70mm wide, 5-lobed, white, tinged pink, with mustard yellow spots on the dorsal lobes. Calyx 20mm long, cream, tinged pink. Lvs lanceolate, 114 × 35mm, hairless

(r) **'Patricia Harewood'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: General Sir John du Cane Group × 'Loderi King George' H: G. Hall (1959), G: G. Hall, I: Lord Harewood (1979), REG: Lord Harewood (1979) Fls strong purplish pink (68B), suffused deep purplish pink (68A) externally, unspotted

(r) **'Patricia Jacob'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nancy Evans' × 'Point Defiance' H: E.C. Brockenbrough (1981), G: E.C. Brockenbrough (1985), N: E.C. Brockenbrough, I: E.C. Brockenbrough, REG: E.C. Brockenbrough (1992) Fls 18-20/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 76 × 114mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light red in bud, opening pale greenish yellow (10D), shading to light yellow (10C) at margins and with a small, vivid reddish orange (43A) flare in the throat; stamens 12, curved, equal. Calyx 38mm long, coloured as corolla. Pedicels 51mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 152 × 70mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless; petioles 25mm long, green. Shrub 1.8 × 2.1m in 10 years. Late April

(r) **'Patricia Lee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *macabeanum* × 'Loderi King George' × 'Crest' H: C.H. Phetteplace (1965), G: R.C. Sparks (1971), I: R.C. Sparks (1976), REG: R.C. Sparks (1980) Fls 10/flat to lax truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 65 × 90mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, pale reddish yellow in bud, opening light yellow-green (2C), sometimes with a more greenish cast; scented. Calyx minute, yellow-green, tinged brown around edges. Lvs elliptic to narrowly obovate, 90 × 40mm, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, hairless; petioles yellow. Shrub 0.8 × 1.5m in 13 years. Mid April

(r) **'Patricia Marie'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *nuttallii* (s) × Lind-dal Group H: Mrs R. Granston (1971), G: H.J. Braafladt (1980), N: H.J. Braafladt (1990), I: Singing Trees Nursery (1992), REG: H.J. Braafladt (1997) Fls 5-6/flat truss, tubular-campanulate, 115 × 140mm, with 5 wavy to very wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (54B) in bud, opening light yellow (11B) and gradually becoming white with a pale yellow blotch inside and a strong purplish red (58B) line running externally from base of tube to tip of each lobe. Calyx 20-50mm long, brilliant yellow-green (154C). Lvs oblong, 140 × 60mm, margins decurved, more-or-less broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, prominently veined, semi-glossy and strong greenish yellow (151A) above, with minute, very dark brown scales below (and on petioles). Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in 7 years. Early May

(r) **'Patricia Mary Sawers'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'John Dosser' (s) × 'Mrs G.W. Leak' H: D.J. Dosser (1990), G: D.J. Dosser (2000), N: D.J. Dosser (2002), REG: D.J. Dosser (2002) Fls 14/conical truss, funnel-

shaped, 65 × 78mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish purple (74A) in bud, opening inside very light purple (76B) fading to moderate purplish red (70A), outside moderate purplish red (70A); a blotch of moderate red (180B) on dorsal lobe; slightly scented. Lvs oblanceolate, 145 × 50mm, margins flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, matt green, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 12 years. November-December (Tasmania). (Standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0038791))

(r) **'Patricia's Day'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × un-named dwarf yellow H: Waterer (Bagshot) (1963), G: Waterer (Bagshot) (1974), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975) Fls 8-10/truss, 70 × 70mm, 6-lobed, pale purplish pink (65D), veined light purplish pink (65B). Calyx small. Lvs 90-100 × 40mm. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years. May

(r) **'Patricia Wilson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: unknown (s) × 'Mrs Betty Robertson' H: D.J. Dosser (1990), G: D.J. Dosser (1998), N: D.J. Dosser, REG: D.J. Dosser (2002) Fls 12/loose ball truss, funnel-shaped, 45 × 90mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (64C) in bud, opening strong purplish pink (63C) inside and out; deep purplish red (59B) spots on 3 dorsal lobes. Lvs oblanceolate, 140 × 50mm, margins flat, acute at apex, rounded at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.0m in 10 years. November (Australia). (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0033494))

(r) **'Patrick'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* (from KW 21976) (s) × mixed pollen of KW 21976 and 'Red Majesty' H: P. Schick (1985), G: H.R. Malone (1994), N: A. & T. Lucadou-Wells (1995), I: H.R. Malone (1995), REG: A. & T. Lucadou-Wells (1995) Fls up to 12/truss, tubular-campanulate, 45 × 43mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53B) in bud, opening strong red (53B) throughout, with a few faint, slightly darker spots on dorsal lobes; crimson and white stamens; not scented. Calyx 3mm long, pink. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 35mm, margins decurved, matt green above, acute at apex, cuneate at base, with a cream or silvery indumentum which ages to very light orange-brown. Shrub 1.2 × 0.52m in 9 years. Mid September-early October (Tasmania)

(a) **'Patrick's Supreme'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: P.J. McGuinness (c 1965), N: P.J. McGuinness, REG: P.J. McGuinness (1983) Fls 15/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, 5-lobed, brilliant yellow (14C) in bud, opening vivid yellow (14A), unmarked. Calyx minute, yellow. Lvs narrowly elliptic to oblanceolate, 80 × 30mm, moderate olive green (137B), hairy on veins below. Shrub c1.4m in 14 years. Knap Hill

(a) **'Patrick William'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Pixie' (Glenn Dale) (s) × unknown H: W.L. Clagett (1989), G: W.L. Clagett (1994), N: W.L. Clagett, I: White's Nursery, REG: W.L. Clagett (1997) Fls 3/truss, hose-in-hose, broadly funnel-shaped, 45 × 65mm, lobes 5/whorl, wavy to very wavy-edged, white with a large yellow-green blotch on dorsal lobes creating a creamy white effect in the garden; stamens 9-10, curved, unequal; filaments white, anthers brown. No normal calyx present. Lvs broadly elliptic, 35 × 20mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, with discrete yellowish hairs below and on petioles. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 8 years. Mid May

(a) **'Patriot'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' × 'Willy' (s) × 'Mrs Carmichael' × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 70-75mm wide, white with a little green in the blotch and a few stripes of phlox pink (strong reddish purple (78B)). Broad, spreading shrub to 1.5m tall. Mid-late May. Glenn Dale

(v) **'Patrizia del Roma'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: (*konori* var. *phaeopeplum* × *lochiae*) × *leucogigas* × *laetum* H: J.L. Rouse, G: G.L.S. Snell (1989), N: R. Macdonald, I: Foothills Nursery (1990), REG: Foothills Nursery (1991) Fls 10-14/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 70 × 60mm, 5-lobed, tube light greenish yellow (4B) shading to strong orange (30D), lobes brilliant orange-yellow (23B). Lvs obovate, 100 × 50mm. Shrub 1.5m. Spring-autumn

(a) **'Pat's Choice'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: D. Hughes, G: D. Hughes, N: D. Hughes (pre 1998) Fls large, double, bright golden yellow; scented

(a) **'Patti'** cv. Deciduous azalea: described as an "Exbury seedling" R: W. Kern (pre 1985), N: W. Kern Fls vivid yellow, with wavy edges. Late. Knap Hill

(a) **'Patti Ann Hames'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' × *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* (Gable's) R: D. Hager (pre 1984), N: D. Hager Fls single, 100-125mm wide, of rather starry form, light purple, with a reddish brown blotch. Spreading shrub to 1.9m. Midseason

(r) **'Pattman's Pink'** cv. Parentage unknown L: T.C. Thacker (1962) Fls pink, pendulous

(r) **'Patty Ann'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lem's Tangerine' (s) × 'Lem's Fluorescent Pink' H: W.A. Stipe (1988), G: W.A. Stipe (1993), N: W.A. Stipe (1996), I: Glynneden Gardens (1997), REG: W.A. Stipe (2000) Fls 12/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, with 7 flat-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (66A) in bud, opening inside light purplish pink (68D) with deep purplish pink (66C) on the tips of the lobes, unmarked; outside deep purplish pink (66C). Lvs elliptic, 175 × 65mm, acute at apex, oblique at base, margins downcurved, semi-glossy and dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in 7 years. Mid May

(r) **'Patty Bee'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *keiskei* 'Yaku Fairy' × *fletcherianum* H: W.E. Berg (1970), G: W.E. Berg, N: W.E. Berg, I: W.E. Berg, REG: W.E. Berg (1977) Fls up to 6/loose, domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 50mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light yellow-green (2C), without blotch or spotting. Calyx 3mm

long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 30-45 × 13-20mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dark green above. Shrub to at least 0.22 × 0.5m. Mid April. *AM 1987

(r) **'Patty Corbin'** cv. Parentage unknown H: W.L. Corbin (pre 1980)

(r) **'Patulum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1856), INC: ICRA (1958) Described as a yellow rhododendron

(r) **Patulum Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. patulum*

(a) **'Paula'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably a seedling from 'Peter Pan' R: I.L. Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L. Amann Fls 50mm wide, strong purplish pink (68B), with a dark blotch. Shrub to 1.0m. Midseason

(r) **'Paula'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: E.V. Mezitt, G: Weston Nurseries, N: Weston Nurseries, I: Weston Nurseries, REG: Weston Nurseries (1987) Fls 16-20/ball truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 38 × 51-70mm, 5-lobed, pale yellow (11D), the buds light yellowish pink (37D). Calyx 1.6mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, convex, 76-102 × 38-51mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, upper surface dull, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m in 7 years. Mid-late May

(a) **'Paul Brandt'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Nadine' H: O.S. Pride, G: O.S. Pride, N: O.S. Pride, I: O.S. Pride (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright pink

(a) **'Paul Byrne'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Apricot Blush' (s) × 'Harry Van de Ven' H: D.J. Dosser (1987), G: D.J. Dosser (1990), N: D.J. Dosser (1992), REG: D.J. Dosser (1993) Fls hose-in-hose, 2-3/loose truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, pale yellow-green (149D) in bud, opening yellowish white (155D) throughout. No normal calyx present. Lvs elliptic, 40 × 20mm, flat, matt green above, rounded at apex, cuneate at base. Shrub 0.5m

(r) **'Paul Chapman'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *hookeri* hybrid R: J.H. Mangles (pre 1884), N: J.H. Mangles, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c10/loose truss, funnel-campanulate, at least 35-40 × 45-55mm, 5-lobed, strong red (47B) outside, vivid red (52A) inside, with sparse dorsal spotting of darker red or reddish brown. Calyx lobes mostly long (15-16mm), only basal one short, hyaline, tinged pink. Lvs elliptic to oblong, c90 × 35mm, mid to dark green above, with a thin white indumentum below

(r) **'Paul Clifford'** cv. Parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson (1877), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy pink, with greenish brown spots. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Paul Danik'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *dauricum* (dwarf form) (s) × 'Marge Danik' H: W.E. Delp (1986), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 6/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 25 × 40mm, 5-lobed, strong and light purple (80B-D) in bud, opening strong and light purple (77B-D) and white; filaments light purplish pink (68D); style strong purplish pink (67D); anthers pale yellow (161D); stigma moderate purplish red (64A). Lvs 51 × 25mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, scaly. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m in 6 years. Mid May

(a) **'Paul de Schryver'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Souvenir de Van Duyze' R: J. Vervaene (pre 1870), N: J. Vervaene, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Paul de Schryver'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark carmine red, with a purple blotch

(r) **'Paul Detlefsen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: May Day Group × *haematodes* R: C.S. Seabrook, N: C.S. Seabrook, I: C.S. Seabrook (1964), REG: C.S. Seabrook (1966) Fls numerous, in a loose truss, funnel-shaped, 65mm wide (almost as long), orient red (819). Lvs dark glossy green above, hairy below. Compact shrub, 0.6m in 10 years. Midseason

(a) **'Paul Ehrlich'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Cecile' (s) × 'Gibraltar' R: C. Fleischmann, N: C. Fleischmann, I: C. Fleischmann (1970) Fls 10-15/truss, 70-105mm wide, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, vivid salmon orange, with an orange-yellow dorsal blotch. Sometimes slightly doubled

(r) **Paulette Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Bellerophon Group (s) × *kyawii* R: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in well-filled trusses, bright crimson. Lvs deep green. June

(a) **'Paul Harris'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Mrs J. Dijkhuis' × dark red Mollis azalea seedling I: Felix & Dijkhuis (pre 1953), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, in large trusses, deep reddish orange. Mollis

(a) **'Pauline'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: M.E. Greentree (pre 1987), N: M.E. Greentree Fls hose-in-hose, vivid red. Tall shrub

(r) **'Pauline'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Byls (pre 1868), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Pauline'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.H. Lowinsky (pre 1933), I: L. de Rothschild (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c17/compact, domed truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, crimson, with a black eye. Lvs ovate-lanceolate, 150 × 50mm, dark green. Shrub 1.5m. *AM 1957, AM 1933

(r) **'Pauline Bralit'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* (s) × low-growing, white-fld *catawbiense* H: E.V. Mezitt (1958), G: Weston Nurseries (1961), N: Weston Nurseries, I: Weston Nurseries (1965), REG: Weston Nurseries (1983) Fls 9-12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 65mm, 7-lobed, deep pink (51C) in bud, opening white (155C), shading to pale purplish pink (55D) on dorsal margins and with three dorsal, brownish orange (164A) rays in the throat; tube pale purplish pink (55D) on outside. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 90 × 45mm, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, dark yellowish green (139A), hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 0.9m in 20 years

(a) **'Pauline Emelia'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: D.A. Reeder (1980), G: F. Raughley (1985), N: F. Raughley, REG: F. Raughley (1993) Fls 12-15/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 25 × 57mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, yellowish white (155D), tinged strong purplish pink (62A) at edges and with a vivid yellow (15A) solid blotch; stamens 5, curved, unequal; slightly scented. Calyx 5mm long, moderate yellow-green (138C). Pedicels and petioles moderate yellow-green (138C). Lvs elliptic, 133 × 54mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, bullate, moderate yellowish green (138A) above, moderate yellow-green (137C) below, with discrete, colourless hairs on both sides. Shrub 1.9 × 1.4m in 11 years. Mid May

(a) **'Pauline Mardner'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Gebr Mardner (1860), N: Gebr Mardner, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rose. Indian (E. André (1864) listed it as 'Pauline' (Mardner))

(r) **'Pauline Müller'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alstroemerioides' hybrid R: J.B. Müller (1860-1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose, flamed rose on margins, spotted dark violet

(a) **'Pauline Neeley'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *prunifolium* × *viscosum* R: S.C. Early (pre 1985), N: S.C. Early Fls 50mm wide, deep pink. Late

(a) **'Paul Kruger'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. Mollis

(r) **'Paul Lincke'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Glamour Group × *strigillosum* R: C.S. Seabrook (1961), N: C.S. Seabrook, REG: C.S. Seabrook (1964) Fls in tight, erect trusses, campanulate, 45 × 65mm, strong red (46A). Lvs similar to *strigillosum*, deep green. Shrub 40cm tall in 9 years. Early April

(r) **'Paul Mauney'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Belle Heller' × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: A. Angelini (1969), G: D.S. Kellam (1976), N: D.S. Kellam, REG: D.S. Kellam (1989) Fls 15/flattened ball truss, funnel-shaped, 44 × 57mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, white in bud, opening white with yellow to brownish orange (164A) dorsal spotting; slightly scented. Calyx 10mm long, white. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 44mm, convex, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 1.4m in c10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Paul Molinari'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *veitchianum* × 'Else Frye' H: J.P. Evans (1970-1980), G: P. Molinari, N: Mrs J.P. Evans, REG: Mrs J.P. Evans (1988) Fls 4/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 64 × 89-95mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, silvery in bud, opening white, with a 25mm light yellow (10B) blotch on the dorsal lobe; strongly scented. Calyx 3mm long, moderate reddish orange (42D). Lvs narrowly obovate to elliptic or broadly elliptic, 67-102 × 38-64mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, with persistent tan-coloured hairs above and brown scales on mature leaves below; young growth silvery green tomentose. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 4 years. March

(r) **'Paul R. Bosley'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Dexter Bosley no. 1085 × unknown H: P.R. Bosley (pre 1960), G: Bosley Nursery, I: Bosley Nursery (1960) Fls 15/rounded truss, 75mm wide, with very wavy-edged lobes, pink, with yellowish green to red dorsal spotting. Lvs 125 × 50mm, slightly recurved. Dense, compact shrub. Midseason. (Other parent may be *catawbiense*)

(a) **'Paul Schäme'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Wilhelm Scheurer' × 'Deutsche Perle' I: J. Schäme (c 1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, 93mm wide, deep pink (47D). Calyx normal, green. Early. Indian (Some sources say pale orange or coppery red; more than one plant may be circulating under this name. This account follows Heursel (1999))

(a) **'Paul Steyaert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: "acquired" from the cultivar 'Tempérance' I: A. Steyaert (1926), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple. Indian

(r) **'Paul Vossberg'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: thought to be *maximum* × *thomsonii* H: P.D. Vossberg (1960-1965), G: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg, N: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg, I: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (c 1975), REG: ICRA (1994) Fls 13-15/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53B), with a dark garnet red blotch on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 3mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs between elliptic and narrowly elliptic, 140 × 47mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, flat, with sparse, patchy, tan indumentum below. Shrub 1.9 × 1.9m in c20 years. June. (Listed as a registered plant in *J.Am.Rh.Soc.* (April, 1984, p.95) but apparently never received by International Registration Authority)

(r) **'Paul Vossberg's Whitestone'** (Syn. of 'Whitestone')

(a) **'Paul Weber'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Heinrich Haas' I: H. Haas (1893), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, fresh rose with a dark blotch and broad, pure white edges. Indian (Some sources give the parental cultivar as 'Anna Klein')

(r) **'Pause'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (c 1905), N: T.J.R. Seidel (1913), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine red, with purple spots

(a) **'Pavane'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls peach pink; scented. Young foliage tinted bronze. Knap Hill (Sometimes spelt, incorrectly, 'Pavanne')

(a) **'Pavlova'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Ballerina' R: Huntingdale Nursery (pre 1968), N: Huntingdale Nursery Fls double, soft mauve pink (or pale orchid) tipped white with a hint of green, with wavy-edged lobes. (Perhaps the same as 'Orchid Pink')

(a) **'Pavlova'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: D. Hughes, G: D. Hughes, N: D. Hughes (pre 1998) Fls double, white, scented. Lvs mildew-resistent, with good autumn colour. Upright shrub

(r) **'Pavonium'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W. Rollisson & Sons (pre 1868), N: W. Rollisson & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac, with dark yellow spots

(r) **'Pawhuska'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: (('Peter Koster' × Loderi Group) × *wardii*) × 'Loderi King George' × 'Madame Masson' R: T. & E. Bowhan (pre 1982), N: T. & E. Bowhan Fls 13/rounded truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 90mm wide, white with narrow green flares on the dorsal lobe. Lvs 130 × 45mm, dark green, glossy. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(a) **'Pawnee'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Helen Close' × 'Purple Splendor' R: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L.. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1969) Fls hose-in-hose, 2/truss, 55mm wide, strong purplish red (7.5RP 5/12). Lvs 45 × 20mm. Shrub to 0.8m. May-June

(a) **'Pax'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Président Oswald de Kerchove' × 'Madame Petrick' I: A. Steyaert (1923), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white, sometimes with light rose red stripes. Calyx normal, green. Indian

(r) **'Pax'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × 'Britannia' R: R. Veitch & Son (pre 1857), N: R. Veitch & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft pink

(a) **'Paxton Blue'** cv. Deciduous azalea: probably a *periclymenoides* hybrid S: B. Bower & J. Paxton, N: Transplant Nursery, I: Transplant Nursery (pre 1987) Fls almost a true blue. (A wild find from South Carolina, USA)

(r) **'Paxtonii'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rose, with chocolate dorsal spots. (Perhaps the *caucasicum* 'Paxtonii' listed by Knight & Perry c1850; credited to Noble as raiser by L. van Houtte, 1870)

(r) **'Paxtonii'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1856), INC: ICRA (1958) Described as a yellow rhododendron

(r) **'Pazzazz'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Viennese Waltz' (s) × 'Kubla Khan' H: B. Sligh (1991), G: B. Sligh (1995), N: B. Sligh (1995), REG: B. Sligh (1996) Fls 26/full, conical truss, broadly campanulate, 55 × 80mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, rose red (724/3) in bud, opening inside phlox pink (625/2), flushed rose red (724/3), base of throat flushed chartreuse green (663/2+3); outside phlox pink (625); 50% of dorsal lobe spotted chrysanthemum crimson (824); stamens hug petal edge; stigma bright green; slightly scented. Lvs 130 × 55mm, margins flat, matt green above, pointed to rounded at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 0.8m in 5 years. Late October-mid November (New Zealand)

(a) **'Peace'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from either 'Vervaeneanum' or 'Vervaeneanum Album' L: Camellia Lodge Nursery (1954) Fls double, pale pink, with a dark throat. Indian

(a) **'Peace'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Triumph' × 'Rosebud' R: H. Kerrigan (pre 1987), N: H. Kerrigan Fls formal double, white

(r) **'Peace'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *rigidum* 'Album' (s) × *cinnabarinum* subsp. *xanthocodon* Concatenans Group H: Lord Aberconway (1934), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 6/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 45mm, creamy white faintly flushed externally with palest rose. Lvs elliptic, glossy green above, brown scaly below. AM 1946 (Lemon Bill Group)

(a) **'Peace Maker'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lady Louise' × 'Eikan' R: R.D. Gartrell, N: Cripple Creek Nursery, I: Cripple Creek Nursery (c 1984) Fls 100mm wide, with broad, wavy-edged lobes which curl back, deep yellowish pink (41D). Spreading shrub to 0.6m. (Gartrell azalea no. T37-2)

(a) **'Peach'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* × *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* R: J.B. Gable, N: O.S. Pride (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light peach pink. Gable

(r) **'Peach'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* × Vanessa Group I: R.D. Trotter (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) (Radiance Group)

(a) **'Peach Abbott'** cv. Deciduous azalea: Mollis azalea (s) × *prinophyllum* H: E.V. Mezitt (pre 1970), G: Weston Nurseries (pre 1970), N: R.W. Mezitt (1990), I: Weston Nurseries (1988), REG: R.W. Mezitt (1998) Fls 9/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (47D); scented. Calyx c1.5mm long, green. Lvs obovate, 75 × 30mm, margins upcurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull green above; bud scales silvery hairy in winter; foliage mildew resistant. Shrub 0.9 × 0.75m in 7 years. Mid May. (Published in Weston Nurseries cat., 1991)

(r) **'Peach Blend'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *keiskei* × *mucronulatum* 'Cornell Pink' I: Weston Nurseries (pre 1996) Fls pink, with a yellow centre. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Early

(a) **'Peach Blossom'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls delicate peach. Mollis

(a) **'Peachblossom'** (Syn. of 'Saotome')

(a) **'Peach Blow'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 30mm wide, carmine (21/2), with a darker blotch. Midseason. Kurume

(a) **'Peach Blow'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Stokes (pre 1969), N: W.E. Stokes

(r) **'Peachblow'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J.A. Barto, N: A.A. Wright, I: A.A. Wright (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls peach

(a) **'Peach Blush'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: T.J. Hallam (pre 1985), N: T.J. Hallam

(r) **'Peach Brandy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scintillation' × *haematodes* H: Scott Arboretum (1958), G: The Tyler Arboretum, N: The Tyler Arboretum, I:

The Tyler Arboretum (c 1965), REG: The Tyler Arboretum (1981) Fls 13/ball truss, open funel-shaped, 75mm wide, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (2.5R 7/8), with inconspicuous dark red (5R 3/7) spotting on the dorsal lobe and slightly on adjacent lobes. Calyx tiny, light yellow-green. Lvs elliptic, 90-100 × 45-50mm, rounded at apex and base, margins flat to slightly wavy, moderate yellow-green (5GY 5/6) above, hairless. Shrub to at least 1.2 × 1.2m in 21 years. Early May

(r) **'Peach Charm'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nancy Evans' (s) × 'Whopper' × 'Lem's Cameo' H: E.C. Brockenbrough (1984), G: E.C. Brockenbrough (1989), N: J. Barlup (1999), REG: J. Barlup (1999) Fls 17/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 115mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (47B) in bud, opening inside with a moderate pink (51D) picotee edge (c6mm wide), shading rapidly to light orange-yellow (16C) on three dorsal lobes and to pale orange-yellow (16D) on others; nectaries strong red (46A) and two, strong red (46A) flares (c15mm long) on the dorsal lobe; outside deep pink (51C). Calyx 25mm long, pale orange-yellow (16D), with strong red (46A) basal flares (c6mm long). Lvs elliptic, 140 × 65mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, with wavy margins, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.7 × 1.7m in 10 years. Early May

(r) **'Peach Cloud'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mary Belle' (s) × 'Dexter's Honeydew' H: R.A. Furman (1973), G: R.A. Furman (1979), N: R.A. Furman (2002), REG: R.A. Furman (2002) Fls 14/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, c85 × 105mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, opening inside strong pink (49A) shading through light yellowish pink (27A) and pale yellowish pink (29D) to a brilliant yellow (9C) centre; outside light pink (49C) at margins shading to strong pink (49A) at base; a pronounced strong and vivid red (46A-B) blotch in throat; moderately scented. Lvs elliptic, 90-150 × 30-65mm, margins wavy and upcurved, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, semi-glossy and mid green above. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m in 10 years. Mid May

(a) **'Peach Coral'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls coral. Indian

(a) **'Peach Crumble'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Beau Bonnie' × 'Harry Van de Ven' H: D.J. Dosser (1982), G: D.J. Dosser (1986), N: D.J. Dosser, I: Lockington Nursery (1986), REG: Lockington Nursery (1987) Fls hose-in-hose, 1-2/truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 60mm, 5-lobed, strong pink (48C), fading to white at tips. Lvs elliptic, 20 × 10mm. Shrub 0.3m tall

(r) **'Peach Delight'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ronald Otto Delp' (s) × aff. *vernicosum* (Rock 18139) × (Nereid Group × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63B, C) and deep purplish pink (63D) in bud, opening yellowish white (158D) edged strong pink (54C), with a light yellow (10C) throat and a light yellow (10C) dorsal flare; filaments white. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Peaches'** cv. Parentage unknown H: J.B. Gable (pre 1972) Fls in a flat truss, peach-coloured

(a) **'Peaches and Cream'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *viscosum* (as var. *montanum*) × *cumberlandense* H: W.G. & M.S. Beasley (pre 1985), G: W.G. & M.S. Beasley, N: W.G. & M.S. Beasley Fls 45mm wide, with a yellowish white centre, strong purplish pink (55B) margins and a yellow blotch. Lvs leathery. Stoloniferous shrub, 1.0 × 1.2m. Mid June

(a) **'Peaches and Cream'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Burbank Nursery (pre 1987), N: Burbank Nursery Fls hose-in-hose, with wavy-edged lobes, strong yellowish pink, with paler edges and a slight yellowish blotch

(r) **'Peaches and Cream'** (Syn. of 'Peach Surprise')

(r) **'Peaches and Cream'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Nereid Group × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × 'Russell Harmon' H: D.G. Leach, G: O.S. Pride (pre 1980), N: O.S. Pride Fls very pale pink and yellow, the yellow portion spotted with deep red. Shrub 1.6m in 10 years

(r) **'Peaches and Cream'** cv. Parentage unknown H: H. Yates (pre 1980)

(r) **'Peach Freckles'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Apricot Fantasy' (s) × 'Janet Blair' H: J. Rosenthal (1990), G: W. Brack (1997), N: W. Brack (2001), I: Roslyn Nursery (2001), REG: W. Brack (2001) Fls 14/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 90mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (54C) in bud, opening inside pale purplish pink (56C) with the dorsal lobe and tube heavily speckled strong red (50A), outside pale purplish pink (56B). Calyx c3mm long, strong yellow-green (142A). Lvs elliptic, 150 × 70mm, margins flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (137B) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 2.0m in 10 years. Late May

(a) **'Peach Fuzz'** cv. Evergreen azalea: un-named seedling × 'Mrs L.C. Fischer' H: G.A. Reid (1959), G: G.A. Reid (1964), N: G.A. Reid, I: G.A. Reid (1972), REG: G.A. Reid (1977) Fls double to semi-double, 3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, to 40mm wide, with (8-)10 wavy-edged lobes and 0(-2) stamens), strong pink (48C), with very dark dorsal spotting. Lvs narrowly obovate, 40 × 20mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 0.5 × 0.75m in 5 years. Late May. (Linwood azalea no. L-34)

(v) **'Peach Glow'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *zoelleri* hybrid R: M. Jury, N: M. Jury, I: M. Jury (1998) Fls peach and apricot. Shrub of upright habit to 1.5m. (First published in Mark Jury Nursery cat., 1998)

(r) **'Peach Lady'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* × *neriiflorum* (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* H: F.J.

Rose, I: B.F. Lancaster, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 12/rounded truss, 100mm wide, peach pink, edged rose, with a yellow eye. Shrub under 1.2m

(r) **'Peach Loderi'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: unnamed seedling (apricot no.3) × 'Loderi King George' R: R.G. Wyrens, N: R.G. Wyrens, I: R.G. Wyrens, REG: R.G. Wyrens (1964) Fls 11/flat truss, trumpet-shaped, up to 115mm wide, 6-lobed, apricot pink, spotted with maroon in the throat. Lvs 150 × 65mm. Shrub 0.8m in 7 years. May

(a) **'Peach Luscious'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: F.L. Abbott, N: Carlson's Gardens, I: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1987) Fls light yellowish pink, with yellow overtones

(r) **'Peach Monarch'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mary Belle' (s) × 'Dexter's Honeydew' H: R.A. Furman (1973), G: R.A. Furman (1979), N: R.A. Furman (2002), REG: R.A. Furman (2002) Fls 12/tall truss, broadly funnel-shaped, c100 × 125mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, opening inside strong and light purplish pink (55B-C) at edges and shading through pale yellowish pink (27C) to vivid yellow (16A) in centre, with a vivid reddish orange (40A) dorsal flare, a strong red (46A) throat and deep pink (50B) spotting on all lobes; outside pale purplish pink (56C) at margins, shading to deep purplish pink (55A) at base. Lvs elliptic, 140-150 × 70mm, margins flat, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, glossy and dark green above. Shrub 0.8 × 1.1m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Peach Nugget'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan' × 'Sun Devil' I: L.W. Bulgin (pre 1996) Fls soft pastel peach. Lvs narrow. Shrub 0.9m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Peach Parasol'** cv. Parentage unknown H: R. Henny (pre 1980)

(r) **'Peach Parfait'** (Syn. of 'Peach Perfection')

(r) **'Peach Parfait'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (white-flowered) (s) × *dichroanthum* × (*griffithianum* × *auriculatum*) H: D.G. Leach (1952), G: D.G. Leach (1958), N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1983) Fls 13-15/domed truss, open funnel-campanulate, 55 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (68B) in bud, opening moderate purplish pink (68C), fading to pale purplish pink (65D), with pale yellow-green (4D) stripes down centre of lobes and dorsal spotting of vivid yellow (16A). Calyx minute, green. Lvs elliptic, 90-115 × 40-50mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate to rounded at base, margins flat to upcurved or downcurved, moderate olive green (147A) and hairless above, becoming hairless below. Shrub c1.2 × 1.4m in 9 years. Early June

(r) **'Peach Perfection'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Butter Brickle' × 'Sunup-Sundown' × un-named Whitney hybrid H: J.G. Lofthouse (1984), G: J.G. Lofthouse (1988), N: J.G. Lofthouse, I: J.G. Lofthouse (1989), REG: J.G. Lofthouse (1990) Fls 10-12/flat truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 64 × 76-102mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds strong red (41B), opening on inside light yellowish pink (19B) with a dense strong reddish orange (34C) flare on the dorsal lobe, changing to heavy spotting at the edge; outside strong red (41B). Calyx 38-51mm long, with reflexed lobes, colouring similar to corolla. Lvs elliptic, 127-152 × 51-64mm, dark glossy green above, hairless, leathery. Shrub 0.9 × 0.6m in 6 years. Mid May. Syn: 'Peach Parfait' (under which name it was first introduced)

(r) **'Peach Petticoat'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: J.C. Cowles (c 1960), G: Heritage Plantation (pre 1970), N: R.H. Gustafson, REG: Sandwich Club (1998) Fls 11/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 90mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep to strong purplish pink (67C-D) in bud, opening inside light yellow (11B), with light purplish pink (62C) margins and a red dorsal flare (10-20mm long); outside moderate, light and pale purplish pink (65A-C); stigma green. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 40mm, broadly acute to obtuse at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (137A-B), hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.5m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Peach Pleasure'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown I: Roslyn Nursery (1994) Fls pink in bud, opening light yellow with an orange flare. Lvs glossy, bright green. Compact shrub, 1.5m in 10 years. Midseason

(a) **'Peach Puff'** cv. Deciduous azalea: natural hybrid, considered to be *arborescens* × *cumberlandense* N: L.C. Towe (1996), I: The Cummins Garden (1992), REG: L.C. Towe (1996) Fls 6-8/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (55C), with a light yellow (18A) blotch and red pistils and filaments; moderately scented. The flowers appear as peach-coloured in the garden. Lvs elliptic, 65 × 22mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 10 years. June. Syn: 'Peachy' (Collected in the wild in Snowbird Mountains, North Carolina, USA (1988). Introduced under the name 'Peachy')

(r) **'Peach Queen'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* (s) × *maddenii* R: J.H. Mangles (pre 1884), N: J.H. Mangles, INC: ICRA (1958) (Rose Mangles Group)

(r) **'Peach Satin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Belvedere' × Jasper Group × 'Mary Drennen' H: H.L. Larson, I: C. Smith (1988) Fls apricot. Lvs heavily textured with deep veining. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Late

(a) **'Peach Sherbet'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: O.S. Pride (pre 1985), N: O.S. Pride Fls yellowish pink. Knap Hill

(a) **'Peach Sunset'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: USA (1978) Fls deep yellowish pink. Knap Hill (Perhaps raised by Wells Nursery)

(r) **'Peach Surprise'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: (Jalisco Group × Loderi Group) × *decorum* × 'Dot' × 'Fawn' R: Greer Gardens (pre 1984), N: Greer Gardens Fls cream, flushed peach. Lvs glossy, olive green, hairless. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Midseason. Syn: 'Peaches and Cream'

(r) **'Peach Tree'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Gosh Darn!' (s) × 'Si Si' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls brilliant orange (29A) in bud, opening light and pale yellowish pink (29C, D). Medium-sized shrub. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Peach Wonder'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Weldy' (s) × 'Oh-too' H: T.L. Ring, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls vivid to strong red (45B, C, D) and light yellowish pink (38D) in bud, opening pale orange-yellow (159B, C), pale yellowish pink (159D) and strong pink (48C), with a strong red (46A) throat and strong red (46A) dorsal spots. (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(a) **'Peachy'** (Syn. of 'Peach Puff')

(r) **'Peachy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scintillation' (s) × un-named yellow hybrid H: B. & M. Shapiro (1968), G: B. & M. Shapiro, N: B. & M. Shapiro, REG: B. & M. Shapiro (1995) Fls 12/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 60 × 75mm, (5-)6-lobed, moderate yellowish pink (37C) in bud, opening pale yellow (12D) in throat and on middle of lobes, shading to light or pale purplish pink (55C-D) at margins and with 10-15mm long streaks of brilliant yellow (7B) in the throat and sparse 7B spotting on the dorsal lobe; outside moderate to light yellowish pink (38B-C) on the tube, with light purplish pink (55C) veining, shading to pale purplish pink (55D) on margins; stamens 10, straight, unequal, very short. Calyx 2-5mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 127 × 64mm, flat to slightly wavy, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, glossy and moderate olive green (147B) above, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 2.1m in 25 years. Early May

(a) **'Peachy Keen'** (Syn. of 'Ilam Peachy Keen')

(a) **'Peacock'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (pre 1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, lavender. Coolidge

(r) **'Pearce's American Beauty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Charles S. Sargent' × 'Doctor H.C. Dresselhuys' H: R.A. Pearce (c 1930), G: R.A. Pearce, N: R.A. Pearce, I: R.A. Pearce (? 1935-1940), REG: Mrs E.M. Watson (1983) Fls 18/truss, open funnel-shaped, 90 × 75mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (71C-D), with dorsal spotting of strong greenish yellow (153B) and three white dorsal rays. Calyx minute, moderate yellow-green (146C). Lvs elliptic, 175 × 75mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins flat, moderate olive green (147A), hairless. Shrub c1.9m in 10 years. Mid June

(r) **'Pearce's Apricot'** (See note under 'Pierce's Apricot')

(r) **'Pearce's Golden Jubilee'** (Syn. of 'Golden Jubilee')

(r) **'Pearce's Treasure'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1994) Fls red. Lvs small, rounded. Shrub 0.3m in 10 years, of spreading habit

(r) **'Pearl'** (Syn. of 'Yvonne Pearl')

(r) **'Pearl'** (See 'The Pearl')

(v) **'Pearl'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Princess Royal' (s) × *griffithianum* R: J. Veitch & Sons, N: J. Veitch & Sons, I: J. Veitch & Sons (1885), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, white. FCC 1885 (Little if any evidence of *griffithianum* can be seen in contemporary illustrations)

(r) **'Pearl Betteridge'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Damaris Group (s) × *lacteum* H: E. de Rothschild (1970), G: E. de Rothschild (pre 1990), N: E. de Rothschild (1993), I: E. de Rothschild (1993), REG: E. de Rothschild (1993) Fls 22/upright, conical truss, campanulate, 60 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, brilliant greenish yellow (4A) in bud, opening light greenish yellow (4B) throughout, with a vivid red (45A) blotch in the throat. Lvs elliptic to lanceolate, 120 × 50mm, flat, glossy green above, pointed at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 2.5 × 2.5m in 20-25 years. April

(a) **'Pearl Bradford'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum* (s) × 'Johga' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 1-2/truss, 75mm wide, rounded, deep rose pink (light purplish pink (73C)), with very distinct, tyrian rose (vivid purplish red (57B)) spots in the blotch. Shrub to 1.2m. Late May-early June. Syn: 'Polaris'. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Pearl Bradford Sport'** cv. Evergreen azalea: witches broom on 'Pearl Bradford' R: E. Wood (pre 1987), N: E. Wood Fls deep pink. Lvs smaller. More compact habit

(r) **'Pearl Diver'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ice Cream' × 'Moser's Maroon' R: A.F. George, N: A.F. George, REG: A.F. George (1965) Fls 18-20/compact truss, pink, with a yellow eye

(a) **'Pearl Jarman'** cv. Evergreen azalea: "Eden A.L." × 'Eden Y1' R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith Fls double (with a rosette centre), 80mm wide, vivid reddish purple (74A). Shrub 1.2m in 6 years

(a) **'Pearly Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Venus' (Henson) × 'Girard's Hot Shot' × 'Girard's Hot Shot' H: S. McDonald (1985), G: S. McDonald (1988), N: S. McDonald (1997), REG: S. McDonald (1997) Fls 2/truss, hose-in-hose, open funnel-shaped, 30 × 50mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes/whorl, moderate purplish pink (62B) in bud, opening 62B with a light purplish pink (62C) throat; outside moderate purplish pink (62B). Calyx 30mm long, moderate purplish pink (62B). Lvs obovate, 25 × 12mm, margins decurved, obtuse and mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy

and light yellow-green (145B) above, with sparse, discrete hairs above and below and on petioles. Shrub 0.4 × 0.4m in 7 years. Early May

(r) **'Pearly Queen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Halopeanum' (s) × unknown G: Pukeiti Rhododendron Trust (1982), N: Pukeiti Rhododendron Trust, I: Pukeiti Rhododendron Trust (1984), REG: G.F. Smith (1984) Fls 14/truss, 60-70 × 90-100mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish pink (55B) in bud, opening blush with prominent rose veining especially near the lobes and a large crimson flare in the upper throat which pales with age; strongly scented. Calyx 8-9mm long, cream, with pink rim. Lvs narrowly oblong, 130-200 × 35-55mm, hairless. (Found as a self-sown seedling at Pukeiti)

(r) **'Pearson's Elizabeth'** cv. Parentage unknown L: T. Methven & Son (1868) Fls light blush, with claret spots

(r) **'Pêche Melba'** cv. Parentage unknown I: J.D. Lake (1941), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Pedlinge'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loder's White' × *decorum* (from Wilson 1782) R: A.E. Hardy, N: A.E. Hardy, I: A.E. Hardy (1967), REG: A.E. Hardy (1967) Fls 10-12/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, c160mm wide, 7-lobed, white (155B), becoming 155A at base and with a greenish yellow flush in the throat. Calyx 7-lobed, lobes up to 7mm long. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 190 × 75mm, hairless. AM 1967

(r) **'Peek-a-boo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Carmen' × Moonstone Group × *elliottii* H: W.E. Whitney (pre 1975) Fls c6/truss, campanulate, deep blood red. Lvs rounded, 50 × 25mm. Shrub c0.3m. (Also seen as 'Peekaboo')

(a) **'Peep-Bo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kirishima' (s) × 'Malvaticum' H: J.B. Stevenson (1938), I: Hydon Nurseries, REG: Hydon Nurseries (1966) Fls silvery pink, with white stamens

(r) **'Peeping Tom'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* × 'Mrs Furnivall' R: A.O. Wright, N: A.O. Wright, I: A.O. Wright, REG: A.O. Wright (1965) Fls 10-12/compact truss, shallowly campanulate, 65mm wide, white, with a plum purple eye. Lvs ovate, 75 × 40mm. Rounded shrub, 1.0m in 10 years. May

(a) **'Peer Gynt'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hexe' × 'Tempérance' I: C.J. Wille & Co. (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, rose. Indian

(a) **'Peerless'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum*, orange-fld form (s) × 'Momozono' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls irregularly hose-in-hose, 2-4/truss, 45mm wide, geranium pink (strong pink (48C)), darkening towards centre, with a brilliant almost nopal red (vivid red (45A)) blotch on the three dorsal lobes. Shrub 1.5m. Late April-early May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Peeter's Beauty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *decorum* G: H. Vaartnou (1970), S: H. Vaartnou, N: H. Vaartnou, REG: H. Vaartnou (1991) Fls 9/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 70 × 95mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, pink in bud, opening pale purplish pink (56A); stamens 14, curved, unequal; highly scented. Calyx 3mm long, green. Pedicels 38mm long, greenish. Lvs elliptic, 102 × 51mm, flat, mucronate at apex, cuneate to oblique at base, hairless; petioles 25mm long, pinkish. Shrub 3.0 × 1.8m in 25 years. April-May

(r) **'Peeter's Pride'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *montroseanum* G: H. Vaartnou (1978), S: H. Vaartnou (1964), N: H. Vaartnou, REG: H. Vaartnou (1989) Fls 25 or more/ball truss, ventricose-campanulate, 64 × 89mm, with 8 wavy-edged lobes, deep rose pink in bud, opening deep pink (52C) to light yellowish pink (27B); slightly scented. Calyx 1mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 457 × 203mm, flat, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green and bullate above, with a felt-like indumentum below, silvery grey when young, ageing to fawn. Shrub 3.0 × 2.7m in 25 years. March

(r) **'Peg Coe'** cv. Parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), N: Planting Fields Arboretum (pre 1978)

(r) **'Peggie Roberts'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Fancy' × *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Coronation Day' H: J. Barlup (1984), G: J. Barlup (1988), N: J. Barlup, REG: J. Barlup (1995) Fls 14/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 90mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63A) in bud, opening inside strong purplish pink (68B) at edges, fading to very pale purple (69B), with a central pattern of dark red (59A) spotted streaks radiating from the base, extending upward c30mm in dorsal throat; outside strong purplish pink (68B); stamens 14, curved, unequal. Pedicels 40mm long, strong yellow-green (144C). Lvs elliptic, 133 × 51mm, concave, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless; petioles 22mm long, moderate yellow-green (146C). Shrub 1.1 × 1.1 in 11 years. Early-mid May

(r) **'Peggy'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot) (1930), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 14-16/pyramidal truss, open bowl-shaped, 115mm wide, 5-lobed, phlox pink (625/1), dorsal lobe paler, with a few faint primrose spots. Lvs oblanceolate, 125-150mm long, dark green. *AM 1940

(r) **'Peggy Abkhazi'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Penjerrick Group × 'Aurora' H: A. de Mezey (1954), G: A. de Mezey (1960), N: A. de Mezey, REG: W.A. Dale (1989) Fls 5-8/lax truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 89 × 114mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, pale yellow-green (4D), shading to moderate purplish pink (62B) at margins and with a small reddish purple blotch in the throat; slightly scented. Calyx 2mm long, greenish. Lvs oblong, 140 × 89mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cordate at base, hairless. Shrub 3.7 × 2.4m in 25 years. April-May

(a) **'Peggy Ann'** (Syn. of 'Roehr's Peggy Ann')

(a) **'Peggy Ann Rodino'** (Syn. of 'Roehr's Peggy Ann')

(r) **'Peggy Bannier'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: unknown hybrid seedling × 'Antoon van Welie' R: A. van Nes (pre 1960), N: A. van Nes, REG: A. van Nes (1961) Fls 20-22/pyramidal truss, 90-100mm wide, wavy-edged, tyrian rose (24/1). Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Peggy Charlotte'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Coronation Day' (s) × Cornubia Group H: D.J. Dosser (1990), G: D.J. Dosser (2000), N: D.J. Dosser, REG: D.J. Dosser (2002) Fls 15/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 75mm long, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (58C) in bud, opening inside pale yellowish pink (27C), the centre with concentrated deep purplish red (59B) spots which spread out onto 3 dorsal lobes; outside strong purplish red (58C). Lvs oblanceolate, 170 × 55mm, margins flat, apiculate at apex, shortly attenuate at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years. October-November (Tasmania). (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0035242))

(a) **'Peggy O'Neil'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep orange pink. Mollis

(r) **'Peggy's Freckles'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: J.C. Cowles (1959-1967), G: Heritage Plantation, N: M. Stilwell, REG: Sandwich Club (1992) Fls 10-12/lax, ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 76 × 102mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, peach in bud, opening light yellowish pink (36B), with a fairly uniform moderate red (180A) flare deep in the throat and extending into the three dorsal lobes, with pronounced moderate red (180A) spotting on all lobes; stamens rudimentary; pistil curved, brown; slightly scented. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 178 × 51mm, concave, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull olive green above, light green below, hairless. Shrub 3.7 × 2.4m in 25-30 years. Late May-early June

(a) **'Peggy's Pink'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.S. Yeates (pre 1985), N: J.S. Yeates

(r) **'Peggy's Sister'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* (s) × 'Peggy' H: J.S. Yeates (1984), G: R.C. Gordon (1991), N: R.C. Gordon (1992), REG: R.C. Gordon (1992) Fls 9/upright truss, open funnel-shaped, 35 × 80mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, pale pink in bud, opening pale yellow-green (4D) inside and shading to light greenish yellow (4B) in centre, outside pale yellow-green (4D); unspotted; not scented. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs lanceolate, 110 × 45mm, flat, glossy green above, acute at apex, obtuse at base, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 6 years. Late flowering

(a) **'Peggy Vines'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nancy of Robinhill' (s) × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls double, 2/truss, flat-faced, 75-100mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, variegated light pink, with very dark red tips and marbling; occasional pink selfs and pink bicolors. Shrub 0.75 × 0.9m. Mid May. (First published in Holly Springs cat., 1990)

(r) **'Peggy Zabel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: J. Bohle & C. Cannon, G: J. Bohle (1980), N: A. Zabel, I: Briggs Nursery, REG: Briggs Nursery (1990) Fls 9/flattened ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 102 × 102mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, pale yellow (158B) in bud, opening yellowish white (155D); moderately scented (similar to wintergreen). Calyx very short, green. Lvs ovate, 178 × 64mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 2.4 × 2.4m in 15 years. Early May

(a) **'Peg Howard'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Nadine' I: O.S. Pride (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon red

(a) **'Peg Hugger'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Louise Gable' × 'Tama-giku' (s) × 'Kaigetsu' × 'Carol' (Gable) H: R.D. Gartrell (1960), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell (1971), REG: R.D. Gartrell (1985) Fls irregularly double, 2-3/bud, broadly funnel-shaped, 37 × 64mm, 5-lobed, strong pink (49A-52D), with occasional flecks and striping of deep yellowish pink (47C), throat pale yellow-green (157C), spotting strong purplish red (54A). Calyx 2mm long, strong yellow-green (143C). Spring lvs elliptic, 45 × 21mm. Shrub under 1.5m. Mid-late May. (Robin Hill azalea no. U1-8)

(r) **'Pehmoelleri'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid R: J. Booth (pre 1838), N: J. Booth, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red, spotted pale yellow

(a) **'Peiping'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orchid purple. Kurume

(r) **'Peking'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (white-flowered) × Hawk Group (s) × *catawbiense* 'La Bar's White' × 'Crest' H: D.G. Leach (1964), G: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1973) Fls 14-15/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 65mm, 6-lobed, brilliant greenish yellow (7.5Y 10/8), with a dorsal blotch and sparse spotting of dark red (2.5R 3/7), buds strong yellowish pink (10R 7/9). Calyx with the two dorsal lobes 3mm long, greenish yellow. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 45mm, acute to obtuse at apex, rounded at base, dark green, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 0.6m in 8 years. Midseason

(a) **'Pekoe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Malvaticum' × *kaempferi* R: L. de Rothschild (c 1933) Fls vivid pink. Spreading shrub. (Probably not named until post-1958)

(a) **'Pelargoniiflorum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Vervaene (1857), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon rose, with a rose-coloured base. Indian (Probably the 'Pelagoniiflorum' listed by J. Baumann, 1866)

(a) **'Pelargoniiflorum Novum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Péle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Glory of Keston' × Mandalay Group R: L.E. Brandt, N: L.E. Brandt,

REG: L.E. Brandt (1964) Fls 23-25/truss, 50 × 50mm, turkey red (721/1), with dark nectaries. Lvs and bark of *barbatum* type. Shrub 1.6 × 1.5m

(r) **'Pelican'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Coker's Pink' (s) × 'Lem's Cameo' H: B. Sligh (1983), G: B. Sligh (1990), N: B. Sligh (1994), REG: B. Sligh (1994) Fls 15/full truss, opening rather flat, 50 × 90mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (52C) in bud, opening inside strong red (56D) at base, flushed pale purplish pink (62D); outside strong red (56D) at base, ribs and lobe edges pale purplish pink (62D); double flare, 20mm long, of moderate orange (170B) and pale greenish yellow (160C); scented. Calyx 5mm long, "double", deep red (53A). Lvs 150 × 60mm, margins upcurved, matt green above, pointed at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.0m in 9 years. November (New Zealand)

(r) **'Pelopidas'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 24/truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 60-75mm, rosy crimson, with a ray of dark brown markings. Lvs elliptic up to 155 × 55mm, deep green above, with a thin brown indumentum below

(r) **'Pematit Cambridge'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *pemakoense* × Blue Tit Group H: G. Reuthe Ltd, G: G. Reuthe Ltd, N: G. Reuthe Ltd, I: G. Reuthe Ltd, REG: G. Reuthe Ltd (1981) Fls 3-4/globular truss, funnel-shaped, 30 × 40mm, very pale purple (84D), tinged slightly deeper around margins and in the throat. Lvs 25 × 15mm, dark dull green. Shrub 0.7m. Early. *HC 1981 Syn: 'Cambridge'

(r) **'Pematit Oxford'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *pemakoense* × Blue Tit Group R: G. Reuthe Ltd (c 1960), N: G. Reuthe Ltd Fls deep blue. Dwarf shrub, 0.45m in 10 years. Early. Syn: 'Oxford'

(r) **'Penalverne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Earl of Athlone' × *griersonianum* R: Sir Edward Bolitho, N: Sir Edward Bolitho, INC: ICRA (1958) (Radium Group)

(v) **'Pendance'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *jasminiflorum* (s) × *christianae* H: D.B. Stanton (pre 1977), I: J. Clyde Smith, REG: J. Clyde Smith (1983) Fls 9-13/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 45mm, 5-lobed, white, flushed pale purplish pink (56D), throat white. Calyx negligible. Lvs lanceolate, 90 × 30mm. Shrub 1.0m

(v) **'Pendragon'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lochiae* × *laetum* (s) × *macgregoriae* H: D.B. Stanton (pre 1977), I: J. Clyde Smith, REG: J. Clyde Smith (1983) Fls 4-9/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 35 × 50mm, 5-lobed, brilliant orange-yellow (21B), edged vivid yellowish orange (30C). Lvs elliptic, 100 × 50mm. Shrub 1.45m

(a) **'Penelope'** (Syn. of 'Osaraku')

(a) **'Penelope'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (1875), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, sprayed with carmine red, carmine red on edges and with a green blotch

(r) **Penelope Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × DragonflyGroup R: Waterer (Bagshot) (1935), I: E. de Rothschild (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red, with dark spots

(r) **Penelope Group** gp Parentage unknown R: R. Gill & Son (pre 1947), N: R. Gill & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy carmine. (Perhaps the plant listed by C. Noble, 1858: fls rosy pink, with yellow spots)

(r) **'Penelope Jack'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *veitchianum* Cubittii Group G: R.H.L. Jack, N: R.H.L. Jack (1999), REG: R.H.L. Jack (1999) Fls 4/loose truss, open funnel-campanulate, 60 × 100mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds faintly flushed shell pink, opening white inside and out, with a strong yellow dorsal flare; stamens 10; strongly scented. Calyx very short, green. Lvs elliptic, up to 110 × 40mm, acuminate at apex, cuneate at base, flat, ciliate when young; petioles hairy, golden scales scattered over leaf surface (also dense on ovary and at base of style). Shrub 1.2 × 1.3m in 7 years. February-March

(r) **'Penelope Vesuvius'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R. Gill & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright red. (Presumably a selection from the Penelope Group (Gill))

(r) **'Pengaer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* (s) × *griffithianum* R: Sir John T.D. Llewelyn (pre 1891), N: Sir John T.D. Llewelyn, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12/truss, 90mm wide, crimson red, with a rose sheen in the centre. Lvs 150 × 65mm. AM 1911 (Cornish Cross Group)

(v) **'Penglow'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* × *javanicum* R: J. Clyde Smith (pre 1983), N: J. Clyde Smith Fls large, orange. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. (Plant of poor habit, never distributed)

(a) **'Penguin'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very pale yellow, suffused pink, dorsal lobe shrimp red, with a speckled orange blotch. Knap Hill

(r) **Penhale Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* (s) × *facetum* R: Sir Edward Bolitho, N: Sir Edward Bolitho, I: Sir Edward Bolitho (1945), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Penheale Blue'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *concinnum* Pseudoyanthinum Group × *russatum* H: N.R. Colville, G: N.R. Colville, N: N.R. Colville, I: N.R. Colville (1968), REG: N.R. Colville (1975) Fls c5/compact, globular truss (with several trusses held close together), open funnel-shaped, 20-27 × 25-35mm, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, brilliant violet (92A), flushed very lightly with strong purple (84A). Lvs 25-40 × 10-25mm, dark glossy green. Shrub c0.9-1.1m tall. *AM 1974, *FCC 1981

(a) **'Penicillatum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1826), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red and white. Ghent (Listed under *Azalea viscosa*)

(a) **'Penicillatum Pictum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) (Hardy azalea)

(a) **'Penicillatum Stellatum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1867), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(r) **'Penjerrick'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* Elatum Group (s) × *griffithianum* R: S. Smith (pre 1923), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 9/truss, campanulate, large, pale pink. Large shrub/small tree. AM 1923 (Penjerrick Group)

(r) **Penjerrick Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* Elatum Group (s) × *griffithianum* R: S. Smith (pre 1923), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, campanulate, pale pink to cream or white

(r) **'Penjerrick Cream'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* Elatum Group (s) × *griffithianum* L: UK (1988)

(r) **'Penjerrick Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* Elatum Group (s) × *griffithianum* L: UK (1988)

(r) **Penllyn Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *orbiculare* (s) × *griffithianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1927), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls shell pink, with darker lines of the same colour. Lvs ovate, mid green

(a) **'Pennington Purple'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Kurume hybrid R: R.W. Pennington (pre 1987), N: R.W. Pennington Fls 50mm wide, purple; scented. Early. Kurume

(a) **'Pennington Red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: R.W. Pennington (pre 1987), N: R.W. Pennington Fls red throughout. Early

(a) **'Pennington White'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: R.W. Pennington (pre 1976), N: R.W. Pennington Fls 50mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, white; scented. Shrub 1.0-1.5m. Early-midseason

(a) **'Pennsylvania'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *prunifolium* × *viscosum* H: E.V. Mezitt (1963), G: Weston Nurseries, N: Weston Nurseries Fls light pink; slightly scented. Foliage coppery in autumn. Late July

(a) **'Penny'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. Horsborough (pre 1963), N: L. Horsborough Fls yellow, similar to 'George Reynolds'. (B. Chandler & Son listed a Mollis azalea with deep orange fls (1984); perhaps another plant)

(r) **'Penny'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Sarita Loder Group (s) × Idealist Group H: D.W. James, G: D.W. James, N: D.W. James, I: D.W. James, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Penny B'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *calendulaceum* × 'Klondyke' H: E.A. Hollowell (pre 1978)

(r) **'Penny Candy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vicki Reine' (s) × 'Crest' H: M. Stockman (1989), G: M. & H. Stockman (1997), N: M. & H. Stockman (2001), REG: M. & H. Stockman (2001) Fls 10/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 90mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (51A) in bud, opening inside white (155B), the throat light yellow (10C) and the lobes randomly flushed moderate purplish pink (62B), outside strong to moderate purplish pink (62A-B). Two calyx lobes at c6mm long, the others 4.5mm long, yellow. Lvs oblong, 90 × 45mm, margins downcurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m in 12 years. Mid May

(v) **'Pennywhistle'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *macgregoriae* × *bagobonum* H: J.L. Rouse, G: J.L. Rouse (1986), N: G.J.S. Snell, I: Vireya Venue (1990), REG: Vireya Venue (1991) Fls 3-5/truss, campanulate, 23 × 20mm, 5-lobed, vivid orange (28B). Lvs lanceolate, 40 × 12mm. Shrub 0.6m. Spring-autumn

(r) **'Pennywise'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: W.A. Reese (1968), G: W.A. Reese, N: W.A. Reese, I: W.A. Reese, REG: W.A. Reese (1977) Fls up to 17/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53B) in bud, opening deep pink (52C), fading to pale pink with age. Calyx c1.5mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 55mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (147A); new growth with a light tan pubescence. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Mid May

(v) **'Penrice'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: D.B. Stanton, G: D.B. Stanton, I: J. Clyde Smith, REG: J. Clyde Smith (1982) Fls 14/truss, tubular-campanulate, light yellowish pink (29C), lobes strong pink (48D). Lvs ovate, 90 × 40mm. Shrub 0.6m

(v) **'Penrose'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lochiae* (s) × *aurigeranum* H: D.B. Stanton (pre 1979), I: J. Clyde Smith, REG: J. Clyde Smith (1983) Fls 8-10/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 60 × 75mm, 5-lobed, vivid reddish orange (43B) slightly darker at edges. Lvs oblanceolate to elliptic, 140 × 60mm. Shrub 1.6m

(r) **'Penrose Atkinson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* hybrid R: W.C. Slocock (pre 1930), N: W.C. Slocock, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls almond pink, shaded orange

(a) **'Pensby'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: M.C. Pratt (1986), G: Ness Botanic Gardens (1996), N: Ness Botanic Gardens, REG: Ness Botanic Gardens (1999) Fls single, 5/loose truss (but trusses borne in close groups), broadly tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light orange-yellow (16B) flushed deep pink (47D) in bud, opening inside pale orange-yellow (16D) flushed pink; outside pale orange-yellow (16D), flushed deep pink (47D); slightly scented. Calyx 2mm long, light yellow-green (145B). Lvs elliptic, 20-60 × 10-20mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, slightly wavy-edged, glossy green above. Shrub 0.5

× 0.75m in 13 years. June-July. (Standard: colour slide supplied by registrant (WSY 0015389))

(r) **'Pensive'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *williamsianum* (s) × *irroratum* R: E.G.W.W. Harrison, N: E.G.W.W. Harrison, REG: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1964) Fls 11/truss, 50 × 65mm, pale pink, lightly spotted. Lvs cordate. Rounded shrub

(r) **'Pentesilea'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *strigillosum* (s) × *calophytum* R: unknown, G: Rhododendron-Park, Bremen, N: J. Westhoff (1999), REG: J. Westhoff (2001) Fls 14/compact, flat to rounded truss, campanulate to funnel-shaped, 55 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, greyish red (178A) in bud, opening strong purplish red (54A) inside, strong red (53C) outside; greyish reddish brown (200B) spots in the dorsal nectar pouches. Calyx 3mm long, red. Lvs lanceolate, 100-180 × 33-46mm, margins decurved, broadly acute at apex, tapered to base, matt green, with a brown indumentum only on the midrib below. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years. March. (Raiser unknown; the plant was found in the Rhododendron-Park, Bremen, Germany)

(r) **'Pentilly Scarlet'** cv. Parentage unknown L: R. Veitch & Son (1927), INC: ICRA (1958) Flsred. Syn: 'Colonel Coryton'

(r) **'Pentland'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *oreotrephes* N: P.A. Cox (1990), I: P.A. Cox (1990), REG: P.A. Cox (1990) Fls up to 21/rounded truss, funnel-campanulate, up to 30 × 50mm, 5-lobed, strong reddish purple (78A), paling in the throat, with sparse green and red-brown spotting in the dorsal throat; filaments white, flushed purple, anthers brown. Calyx rudimentary, green, scaly. Lvs ovate to oblong-elliptic, up to 52 × 30mm, dark matt green above, glaucous and densely scaly below. Shrub 3.0 × 1.5m in 20 years. April-May. AM 1990 (Plant obtained from Royal Botanic Garden, Edinburgh)

(r) **'Penvose'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1988)

(a) **'Peppermint'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Carlson's Gardens (1984) Fls deep peppermint pink, with paler shades of pink and white on midribs and a yellow blotch

(r) **'Peppermint Frills'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Skyglow' × 'Nova Zembla' H: E.A. Skonieczny (pre 1978)

(a) **'Peppermint Stick'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *occidentale* S: L.F. Frisbie (pre 1970)

(a) **'Peppermint Stick'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Sarabande' × 'Gorgeous' H: R.C. Vines (pre 1990), G: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines Fls single, 2-3/truss, 65-75mm wide, white, with heavy rose red markings (sanding, flakes, stripes and sectors); occasional red selfs. Upright shrub. Mid May

(r) **'Peppermint Stick'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Moser's Maroon' × *yakushimanum* H: B.F. Lancaster (1963), G: T.J. McGuire, N: T.J. McGuire, I: T.J. McGuire (1971), REG: T.J. McGuire (1973) Fls up to 21/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, red in bud, opening white, edged vivid purplish red (57D), lightly spotted yellow-brown on the dorsal lobe and with a star-shaped, white centre. Lvs narrowly oblong, 150 × 30mm, dark green above, with a rusty brown indumentum below. Shrub 0.8 × 1.1m in 10 years. Late May

(r) **'Peppermint Twist'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *hyperythrum* (s) × 'Princess Elizabeth' H: J.T. Thornton (1992), G: J.T. Thornton, N: L. Miller, I: Briggs Nursery, REG: L. Miller (1997) Fls c12/truss, funnel-shaped, 70mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, red in bud, opening pink, with a small area of red spotting on dorsal lobe and a white throat; with age the inside approaches white, shading to pale pink at the margins. Calyx very short, green. Lvs oblong, 115 × 35mm, margins decurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.4m in 5 years. April

(r) **'Pepperpot'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goldbug' × un-named, semi-dwarf orange hybrid (ex Lem) H: J.A. Elliott (1966), G: J.A. Elliott (1972), N: J.A. Elliott, I: J.A. Elliott (1973), REG: J.A. Elliott (1977) Fls up to 10/lax truss, campanulate, 40mm wide, with 5 flat-edged lobes, straw yellow (604/1), with heavy jasper red (018) spotting on the three dorsal lobes, lightly spotted on other lobes and in tube; some fainter spotting on outside (lobes and tube). Calyx 13mm long, straw yellow (604/1). Lvs eliptic, 75 × 40mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, mid green above, hairless; new growth garnet brown (00918/3). Shrub c1.0m in 10 years. Late April

(a) **'Peppina'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Königstein' (s) × 'Ledikanense' H: Holger Hachmann (1991), G: Hans Hachmann (1995), N: Hans Hachmann (2000), I: Hans Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls single, 2-3/bud, broadly open funnel-shaped, 35 × 50-55mm, with 5 very slightly and narrowly wavy-edged and recurved lobes, inside light purple (77D); outside light purple (77D), with midveins tinged strong purplish pink (73B); a deep purplish red (187D) blotch over 3 dorsal lobes and into throat; stamens 10, filaments strong purplish pink (73B), anthers dark purple (79A); style vivid purplish red (66B), stigma dark red (187B). Calyx 3-4mm long, strong yellow-green (144A/B) with silvery hairs. Lvs broadly ovate, 35-45 × 14-20mm, margins slightly recurved and with silvery hairs, acuminate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy mid green above. Shrub 0.25 × 0.6m in 10 years. Mid May-early June. (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030655). First published in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(r) **'Peppone'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Obergärtner Robenek' (s) × *anthosphaerum* H: H. Hachmann (1983), G: H. Hachmann (1988), N: H. Hachmann (1989), I: H. Hachmann (1994), REG: G. Stück (1995) Fls 9-11/truss, open campanulate, 72-80mm wide, with 6 slightly wavy-edged lobes, bright pink inside and out, spotted red at base. Lvs elliptic, 100-

106 × 40-45mm, glossy dark green above, slightly cordate at base, apiculate to more-or-less cuspidate at apex, hairless. Shrub 1.6 × 1.3m in 10 years, of erect, rather loose habit. Late March-mid May. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1995/96)

(r) **'Peppy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' (s) × 'Colonel Coen' H: L.A. Hutchison (1987), G: L.A. Hutchison (1992), N: L.A. Hutchison (1995), I: Elliott's Wholesale Nursery Ltd, REG: L.A. Hutchison (1996) Fls 8-10/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 60 × 90-100mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, buds deep purplish pink (70C), opening inside deep purplish pink (70C), with scattered shadings of strong reddish purple (70B) and central rib area of each lobe light yellowish pink (29C); outside deep purplish pink (70C), shaded strong purplish red (70B); flecks of deep purplish red (59B) on all lobes but strongest on three dorsal lobes, decreasing towards throat where there is a similarly coloured blotch. Lvs oblanceolate, 115 × 45mm, slightly wavy-edged, matt moderate olive green (137A) above, acuminate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years. Late October-early November (New Zealand)

(a) **'Pequeno'** cv. Evergreen azalea: hybrid between two un-named seedlings derived from a cross of *kaempferi*, 'Snow' and 'Hexe' R: USDA, Beltsville (1957), N: USDA, Beltsville, I: USDA, Beltsville (1960), REG: USDA, Beltsville (1961) Fls hose-in-hose, 3/truss (trusses clustered together in rhododendron-like heads), c20mm wide, deep yellowish pink (39B). Very dwarf shrub, c. twice as wide as high

(r) **'Pequot'** cv. Parentage unknown L: USA (1985)

(r) **Pera Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Ethel Group (s) × Penjerrick Group H: Lord Aberconway (1935), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose

(r) **Pera Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *pemakoense* (s) × *racemosum* H: H. Lem, G: H. Lem, N: H. Lem, I: H. Lem, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 6/truss, 40mm wide, lilac pink. Lvs small. Shrub 0.4m in 10 years

(r) **'Percyanum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: said to be *catawbiense* or white *ponticum* × white *arboreum* R: Iveson (pre 1849), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls delicate pink, with darker pink veins, unspotted

(a) **'Percy Bysshe Shelley'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Gebr Kersbergen, N: Gebr Kersbergen, I: Gebr Kersbergen (1918), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red. Mollis

(r) **'Percy Wiseman'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Fabia Tangerine', selfed R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1969), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1969) Fls 13-15/ globular, compact truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, cream getting darker towards base, very lightly flushed slightly paler than pale purplish pink (55D), spotted moderate orange (167B) on the dorsal lobe. Lvs 75 × 30mm, dark dull green. Compact shrub 0.5m. *HC 1977, *AM 1982, *FCC 1986

(r) **'Perdita'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *souliei* (s) × Lady Bessborough Group R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c8/lax, flat-topped truss, saucer-shaped, 5-lobed, 55 × 75mm, lobes pale pink, fading to white near margin, with a few claret spots at the base of the dorsal lobes. Lvs ovate, light green above, 125 × 65mm. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. AM 1948 (Halcyone Group)

(a) **'Père de Bonheur'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1875), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Peregrine'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright orange-red. Knap Hill

(r) **'Peregrine'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *souliei* (s) × Hawk Group R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) (Peregrine Group)

(r) **Peregrine Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *souliei* (s) × Hawk Group R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1951), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Peregrine Fledgeling'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *souliei* (s) × Hawk Group R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1953), INC: ICRA (1958) Syn: 'Fledgeling' (Peregrine Group)

(a) **'Perelegans'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. van Geert (1846), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson striped rose; strongly scented. Ghent

(a) **'Perfect'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1988)

(r) **'Perfecta'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Perfection')

(a) **'Perfection'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Frost (1861), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, three dorsal lobes entirely grained and spotted with carmine red. Syn: 'Fisher's Pink', 'Dodd's Pink'. Indian

(a) **'Perfection'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: W.C. Hage & Co. (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange rose. Kurume

(a) **'Perfection'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably *simsii* × *indicum* R: de Rentz, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 1-2/truss, 65mm wide, white with a faint chartreuse blotch; usually 6 stamens. Midseason. Syn: 'Perfection de Rentz'. Indian

(r) **'Perfection'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Standish (pre 1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush, changing to white. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Perfection de Gand'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1886), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, of good shape, purplish aniline rose, with a metallic sheen and a dark blotch. Indian

(a) **'Perfection de Rentz'** (Syn. of 'Perfection' (de Rentz))

(r) **'Perfect Lady'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × *dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* H: F.E.W. Hanger, G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, I: Harkwood Acres, REG: Royal Horticultural Society (1994) Fls 10/truss, campanulate, 45 × 55mm, 5-lobed, light greenish yellow (1C), lobe edges slightly suffused strong purplish red (58B) - darkest in the sinuses, and with a few, inconspicuous spots on the dorsal lobes. Lvs ovate, 70 × 25mm, with a moderate orange-yellow (164B), woolly indumentum on the young foliage. Shrub 0.75 × 1.3m in 10 years. May-June

(r) **'Perfectly Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Babylon' (s) × unknown R: H.E. Greer (c 1988), N: H.E. Greer Fls in very large trusses, with lobe margins reflexed, soft pink, with a ring of deep maroon red in centre. Lvs to 250mm long, glossy. Shrub 1.8m in 10 years. Early

(a) **'Perfect Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Pink Pearl' I: A. Haerens (1923), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Perfect Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Flower colour resembles that of 'Pink Pearl' but has a deeper and more salmon tint; no blotch. Vervaeneanum-type. Indian (Both the 1923 and 1928 introductions are included in the 1958 Register)

(a) **'Perfectum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1835), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon orange, with a darker blotch. Ghent

(a) **'Perfectum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Gebr Mardner (pre 1860), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Perfectum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, lively red (of round form similar to *Camellia* 'Alba Plena'). Lvs dark green. Indian

(r) **'Perfectum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: hybrid or selection from *ponticum* L: H. Laurentius (1869), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Perfectum Bellum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) (Hardy azalea)

(a) **'Perfectum Elegans'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Smith (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright copper red. Indian (The 1958 Register implies this is the same as 'Theresia'. Presumably the plant listed by A. Verschaffelt, 1851)

(r) **'Perfectum Nigricum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Desfossé-Thuillier Fils (1892), INC: ICRA (1958). Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Perfume'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × unknown R: W.E. Whitney (pre 1973), N: Mrs A. Sather, I: Mrs A. Sather (1985) Fls in a large, lax truss, medium pink, spotted with faint red on dorsal lobe; strong spicy scent. Rounded shrub, 1.5m in 10 years. Mid May

(a) **'Pericat Orchid'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Pericat (c 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, light fuchsia pink. Indian

(a) **'Pericat Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Pericat (c 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, light phlox pink; later and stronger coloured than 'Dawn'. Syn: 'Pink Pericat'. Indian

(a) **'Pericat Salmon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Pericat (c 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, salmon. Indian

(a) **'Pericat White'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Pericat (c 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, white. Indian

(r) **'Perides'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid R: J. Rinz (pre 1864), N: J. Rinz, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with a white centre

(r) **'Peridot'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' (s) × 'Dianta' H: M. Stockman (1989), G: M. & H. Stockman (1997), N: M. & H. Stockman (1997), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1998) Fls 16-18/ball truss, funnel-campanulate, 40 × 50mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, brilliant yellow (11A) in bud, opening brilliant yellow (7A) throughout, with a strong yellow-green (144A) throat. Calyx saucer-shaped, shortest lobe c10mm long, longest lobe 20mm long, coloured as corolla, but eventually fading paler. Pistil and calyx persistent. Lvs elliptic, 90 × 40mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and mid green above, hairless. Shrub 0.5 × 0.6m in 9 years. Early May

(r) **'Periwinkle'** cv. Parentage unknown H: W.E. Stokes (pre 1980)

(v) **'Periwinkle'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown N: Vireya Venue, I: Vireya Venue (pre 1996) Fls small, orange. Slow-growing, very bushy shrub to 0.3m

(a) **'Perkeo'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Harvest Moon' × 'Johann Sebastian Bach' R: C. Fleischmann, N: C. Fleischmann, I: C. Fleischmann (1970) Fls 50mm wide, orange. Late

(r) **'Perky'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Moser's Maroon' × *yakushimanum* H: J. May (1969), G: J. May, N: J. May, I: Knoll Gardens (1988), REG: J. May (1987) Fls 13/truss, funnel-shaped, 45 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, white, with strong purplish red/pink (63B/C) edges and reverse, blotch yellow. Lvs obovate, 125 × 45mm, with recurved margins and a slight brown indumentum when young. Shrub 0.75m. May

(a) **'Perla'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Hermes' R: M. Srpková (c 1977), N: M. Srpková Fls single, 79-90mm wide, carmine pink, with a dark red blotch. Lvs lanceolate to broadly lanceolate, dark green

(r) **'Perla Rosa'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *mucronulatum* × *ciliatum* R: Boskoop, N: Boskoop, I: Boskoop, REG: Boskoop (1982) Fls 2-3 in each of 1-5 clustered buds, (60-)70mm wide, outside mallow purple (630/2), inside mallow purple (630/3). Lvs elliptic, (30-)50-70x(15-)25-30mm, hairy

(a) **'Perle'** (See 'La Perle')

(a) **'Perle Blanche'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Sander & Sons (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white. Indian

(r) **'Perle Brillante'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' (s) × 'America' R: M. Koster & Sons, N: M. Koster & Sons, REG: M. Koster & Sons (1968) Fls 16-20/large truss, rose madder (23), the blotch composed of small, dark spots. Lvs dark green, slightly undulate

(a) **'Perle d'Automme'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1913), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, striped. Resembles 'Pharaïlde Mathilde'. Indian

(a) **'Perle de Gand'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1885), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, large, bright red, with a big, brown dotted, purplish blotch. Indian

(a) **'Perle de Gentbrugge'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pure white. Indian (Listed as 'Perle de Gendbrugge' by van Houtte in 1894)

(a) **'Perle de la Belgique'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Perle de Ledeberg' I: J. Vervaene (1898), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pure snow white. Syn: 'Innocence'

(a) **'Perle de Ledeberg'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vervaeneanum' × 'Président Comte Oswald de Kerchove' I: J. Vervaene (1892), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double or semi-double, 75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, snow white, striped and grained rose and cherry red, dotted pure rose, with a very light, pale yellow blotch (which soon fades). AM 1894. Indian

(a) **'Perle de Loochristi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Deutsche Perle' I: G. d' Hooghe (1904), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, large, of very rounded form, white. Indian

(a) **'Perle de Melle'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Adventglöckchen' I: G.J. Bier & Sons (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls strong red (53C) to strong purplish red (58C); otherwise similar to parent. Indian

(a) **'Perle de Noisy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Madame Auguste van Damme' I: Bullens & van Gele (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, strong purplish pink (55B), with a white edge; otherwise similar to 'Madame Petrick'. Indian

(a) **'Perle de Saffelaere'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Sakuntala' × unknown I: De Reuse Bros (1907), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pure white. Calyx normal, green. Midseason. Indian

(a) **'Perle de Snynaerde'** (See note under 'Perle de Swynaerde')

(a) **'Perle de Swynaerde'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Paelinck Bros (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pure white, with a green throat. Calyx normal, green. Midseason. Syn: 'Perle de Synaerde'. Indian (Also seen as 'Perle de Synaerde', 'Perle de Snynaerde'. The correct form requires confirmation)

(a) **'Perle de Synaerde'** (See note under 'Perle de Swynaerde')

(a) **'Perle d'Hiver'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white. Indian

(a) **'Perle du Printemps'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1849), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, rose (or violet-tinged rose), with a rusty yellow blotch over the three dorsal lobes which are edged rose. Ghent

(a) **'Perle Flamande'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. de Kneef (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, large, pure white. Indian

(r) **'Perle von Kleefeld'** cv. Parentage unknown R: A.W. Backhus (pre 1972), N: A.W. Backhus Fls lilac rose outside, inside margins lilac rose, centre white, with yellow markings. Late May-early June

(r) **'Perlina'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hachmann's Ornament' (s) × 'Furnivall's Daughter' H: H. Hachmann (1969), G: H. Hachmann (1974), N: H. Hachmann (1987), I: H. Hachmann (1992), REG: G. Stück (1994) Fls 11/rounded truss, open funnel-shaped, 50-55 × 75-90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, ground colour moderate to light purplish pink (68C/D), with strong (to deep) purplish pink (68B(-A)) on veins inside and out; conspicuous, deep purplish red (187D) blotch on 3 dorsal lobes (dark red (187A) in places); stamens 10; filaments white, anthers pale orange-yellow (165D); style white, stigma dark red (187A). Calyx 7mm long, reddish green. Lvs elliptic, 80-100 × 35-45mm, flat, glossy and dark green above, light green below, cuneate at base, apiculate at apex, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.4m in 10 years. Mid May-early June. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1993/94)

(r) **'Perri Cutten'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Bambi' × *arboreum* H: R.L. Cutten, G: R.L. Cutten (1974), N: R.L. Cutten, I: R.L. Cutten (1975), REG: R.L. Cutten (1976) Fls 20/truss, campanulate, strong red (50A), with an enlarged pink calyx. Compact shrub, 0.8m high

(r) **'Perrieanum'** (Syn. of 'Perryanum')

(a) **'Perryanum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Knight & Perry (pre 1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark orange scarlet. Indian (Sometimes listed in error as 'Peryana' or 'Perreyana')

(r) **'Perryanum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light rose, with a spotted blotch. Syn: 'Perrieanum'

(r) **'Perryanum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1856), INC: ICRA (1958) Described as a yellow rhododendron

(r) **'Perry Wood'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *prattii*, raised from Wilson 3958 R: A.E. Hardy, N: A.E. Hardy, REG: A.E. Hardy (1967) Fls 16-18/truss, oblique-campanulate, 50 × 50mm, white (155C), dorsal throat strongly flushed deep purplish red (59B) at base. Calyx 5-lobed, lobes up to 15mm long. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 200 × 80mm, with a plastered light brown indumentum. AM 1967

(r) **Persephone Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *floccigerum* (s) × *forrestii* Repens Group H: Lord Aberconway (1937), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red

(r) **Perseus Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Jacquetta Group (s) × Vanessa Group H: Lord Aberconway (1935), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy salmon pink

(r) **'Perseverance'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: Lady Chamberlain Group (s) × *cinnabarinum* Roylei Group R: G.M. Adams-Acton, N: G.M. Adams-Acton, I: G.M. Adams-Acton (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls apricot, fading to coral

(r) **'Persia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Furnivall' (s) × *catawbiense* (white flowered) H: D.G. Leach (1953), G: D.G. Leach (1959), N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1976), REG: D.G. Leach (1983) Fls 20/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 25 × 80mm, 5-lobed, deep purplish pink (73A) in bud, opening, very pale purple (69A), with bold, dorsal spotting of strong yellow (153D). Calyx minute, yellowish green. Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 145 × 55mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dark yellowish green (139A), hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 29 years. Late May

(r) **'Persian Lady'** (Syn. of 'Gordon Valley Supreme')

(a) **'Persian Melon'** (Syn. of 'Ilam Persian Melon')

(a) **'Persian Rose'** (Syn. of 'Ilam Persian Rose')

(a) **'Persil'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1926), N: W.C. Slocock Ltd, I: W.C. Slocock Ltd, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 20/globular truss, funnel-shaped, 55 × 55mm, white, with a pale yellow blotch. Lvs 75 × 50mm. Shrub over 1.2m. *HC 1966. Knap Hill

(r) **'Persimmon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* × *elliottii* R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light orange-red. AM 1945 (Golden Horn Group)

(r) **'Persimmon'** cv. Parentage unknown H: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (pre 1980)

(a) **'Persolutum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Persolutum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(v) **'Personality'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: (*konori* var. *phaeopeplum* × *lochiae*) × *zoelleri* × *konori* var. *konori* H: J.L. Rouse, G: G.L.S. Snell, N: R. Macdonald, I: Foothills Nursery (1990), REG: Foothills Nursery (1991) Fls 5/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 60mm, 5-lobed, vivid red (52A), fading on outside to deep pink (51B). Lvs elliptic, 110 × 60mm. Shrub 1.5m high. Spring-autumn

(a) **'Perspicuum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1877), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Listed as "Pontica Perspicua")

(r) **'Perspicuum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1850), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with greenish spots. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Perugino'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(r) **'Peste's Blue Ice'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Lace' × *yakushimanum* H: F. Peste (1976), G: F. & L. Peste (1983), N: L. Peste, REG: S.P. Johnston (1986) Fls 21/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 44 × 70mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (73A) in bud, opening very pale purple (75D), with a 6mm edging of light purple (75B), outside 75B; lightly spotted deep greenish yellow (153A) on dorsal lobe. Fls appear a transparent bluish colour when fully open. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 121 × 38mm, moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (147C) below, hairless. Shrub 0.76 × 0.97m in 9 years. Mid May

(r) **'Peste's Fire Light'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'C.I.S.' × Fabia Group H: F. Peste (1975), G: F. & L. Peste (1981), N: L. Peste, REG: S.P. Johnston (1986) Fls 13/lax truss, oblique campanulate, 51 × 57mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes which roll back towards the pedicel, strong red (39A) in bud, opening light yellowish pink (27B), throat pale yellow (20D), dorsal lobe spotted strong red (46A); outside streaked deep yellowish pink (39B). Calyx 20mm long, strong red and deep yellowish pink (39A & B). Lvs broadly elliptic, 102 × 44mm, glossy, moderate olive green (146A) above, greyish yellow-green (148C) below, hairless. Shrub 0.84 × 0.9m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Peste's Pink-yellow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: un-named Whitney hybrid × 'Crest' H: F. Peste (1972), G: F. & L. Peste (1978), N: L. Peste, REG: S.P. Johnston

(1986) Fls 16/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 57 × 100mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, opening pale yellow (18C) inside and out, streaked moderate yellowish pink (37C), then whole truss changes to pale greenish yellow (2D). Lvs elliptic, 146 × 76mm, glossy moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (146D) below, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 13 years. Mid May

(r) **'Peste's Pride'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Whitney Appleblossom' × Medusa Group H: F. Peste (1972), G: F. & L. Peste, N: L. Peste, REG: S.P. Johnston (1986) Fls 16/ball truss, campanulate, 51 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light yellowish pink (36C), with a 3mm edging of strong pink (48D), throat light yellowish pink (27B) and dorsal spotting of light yellow (20B). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 102 × 35mm, dull, moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (146D) below, hairless. Shrub 1.7 × 1.7m in 13 years. Early May

(v) **'Petal Pink'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1995) Fls tubular, 25mm wide, pale pink. Shrub 1.5m

(a) **'Pete Flatley'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Sweetheart Supreme' R: D.J. Cole (pre 1987), N: D.J. Cole Fls hose-in-hose, 45mm wide, deep pink. Mid April

(r) **'Pete Lo Truglio'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown G: P.L. Truglio, N: R. Murcott, REG: R. Murcott (1987) Fls 11/ball truss, open funnel-campanulate, 38 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (51C). Lvs elliptic, 89 × 51mm, scaly. Shrub 1.4 × 1.4m in 12 years. Mid-late April

(a) **'Peter'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C.E. Brown, I: D. Stewart & Son (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, funnel-shaped, 30 × 45mm, with wavy-edged lobes, more-or-less deep pink (52C), changing to deep pink (52B) at centre, with darker reddish brown spotting on dorsal lobes. Lvs 27 × 10mm, glossy green. Shrub 0.4m. *HC 1967. Kurume

(r) **'Peter'** (Syn. of 'Petr')

(r) **'Peter Alan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' hybrid R: Girard Nurseries, N: Girard Nurseries, I: Girard Nurseries (1986) Fls rich orchid, with reddish shading and a purplish black eye. Lvs rich green. Shrub 1.4m in 10 years, similar in habit to 'Purple Splendour'. Midseason

(a) **'Peter Ann'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Madame Auguste Haerens' I: R. Verhaege & Sons (1969) Fls deep to light pink (50B-D), with a narrow white edge; otherwise similar to 'Avenir'. Indian

(r) **'Peter Barber'** (Syn. of 'Jubilant' (Rothschild))

(r) **'Peter Bee'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *hanceanum* Nanum Group (Cox form) (s) × *keiskei* 'Yaku Fairy' H: W.E. Berg (1967), G: W.E. Berg (c 1970), N: W.E. Berg & P.A. Cox, I: Glendoick Gardens, REG: W.E. Berg (2001) Fls 5/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 45mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale greenish yellow (9D) in bud, opening light greenish yellow (8C) throughout; unmarked. Calyx c3mm long, light yellow-green (145D). Lvs elliptic, 40-55 × 15-20mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate yellow-green (137C) below, with widely spaced scales (clear when young, rust-coloured with age). Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 33 years. Early May

(r) **'Peter Behring'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nova Zembla' × 'Mist Maiden' H: R. Behring (1972), G: R. Behring (1979), N: R. Behring, REG: R. Behring (1986) Fls 14/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (57D), with deep greenish yellow (153A) dorsal spotting and strong purplish red (58B) ribs on the outside. Calyx 1mm long, strong yellow-green (145A). Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 95 × 35mm, dull, moderate olive green (137B) above, dark greenish yellow (152C) below, with a patchy, golden to greyish brown indumentum. Shrub 0.85 × 0.80m in 12 years. Early June

(a) **'Peter Benoit'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, glossy red. Indian

(a) **'Peter Berg'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown, possibly derived from 'Multiflorum' R: H. Meyer (1978), I: H. Meyer (1985) Fls rose

(r) **'Peter Faulk'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *strigillosum* × unknown H: P. Faulk (pre 1950), G: A. Hanson, I: A.P. Johnson (c 1964), REG: A.P. Johnson (1981) Fls 16/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 55 × 65mm, with 5(-6-7) wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (45C) with inconspicuous dark red spotting on all lobes. Calyx minute, red. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 115-150 × 40-45mm, acuminate at apex, rounded at base, convex, dark green above, with a patchy, tawny indumentum below; petioles with dense, long, gland-tipped hairs. Shrub 0.8 × 1.0m in 10 years. Late March-early April

(a) **'Peter Harrison'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Hazlewood (1958) Fls large, rose pink. Dwarf shrub. Indian

(r) **'Peter John Mezitt'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group × *dauricum* Sempervirens Group R: E.V. Mezitt (pre 1967), I: Crown Estate Commissioners, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 4(-9)/truss, open campanulate, 15 × 45mm, 5-lobed, light purple (75A), usually with very slightly deeper markings in the throat. Calyx rudimentary. Lvs elliptic to broadly elliptic, up to 65 × 35mm, aromatic, lightly scaly below. Late March. PC 1967, AM 1972 (PJM Group)

(a) **'Peter Kersbergen'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, moderate reddish orange, with an orange-yellow blotch. Mollis

(a) **'Peter Koster'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: M. Koster & Sons (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, orange, with a darker blotch. Mollis

(r) **'Peter Koster'** (Syn. of 'Koster's Choice')

(r) **'Peter Koster'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'George Hardy' (s) × 'Doncaster' hybrid R: M. Koster & Sons (1909), N: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c16/truss, broadly funnel- to trumpet-shaped, 45 × 65mm, often 6-lobed, rosy crimson, paler at edges, inconspicuously marked dark brown at base of dorsal lobe. Calyx lobe 2-4mm long, reddish brown. Lvs obovate, 90-100 × 40mm, deep green above, thinly brown-felted below. Large shrub. *AM 1946

(a) **'Peter Pan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum*, orange-fld form (s) × 'Momozono' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, of starry form, 40-45mm wide, deep rose pink (with old rose undertones), with a faint tyrian rose blotch. Shrub to 1.5m high. Late April-early May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Peter Pan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, white, with pink striations. Indian

(a) **'Peter Pooker'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Louise Gable' × 'Tama-giku' (s) × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' H: R.D. Gartrell (1963), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell (1970), REG: R.D. Gartrell (1985) Fls single, 1/bud, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 85mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, very pale purple (69A) to white tinted light purplish pink (73C), throat slightly greenish white, spotting moderate purplish pink (62B). Calyx 4mm long, light yellow-green (145B). Spring lvs elliptic, 42 × 20mm. Shrub under 1.0m. Late May. (Robin Hill no. U15-1)

(a) **'Peter Pratt'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage uncertain, probably 'Buccaneer', open-pollinated G: J.C. Pratt (1978), N: J.C. Pratt, REG: J.C. Pratt (1990) Fls single, 2-3/shoot, broadly funnel-shaped, 51 × 76mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged and somewhat pointed lobes, vivid red (46B), with a few, slightly darker spots on dorsal lobe. Calyx 12mm long, light green. Spring lvs elliptic, 32-44 × 13-19mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, somewhat glossy, very slightly hairy above, slightly hairy on midribs and margins below. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 15 years. Mid May

(r) **'Peter Seidel'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.H. Seidel (c 1920), N: T.J.H. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, lilac, white inside, with weak green-yellow spotting

(r) **'Petersfehn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *williamsianum* hybrid H: D.G. Hobbie (1950), G: Gerhard Borchers & Sohn (pre 1989), N: Gerhard Borchers & Sohn Flower shoot buds unusually elongated, intensely red-brown, opening lilac rose to almost white inside, lilac red outside

(r) **'Petersfeld'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* × 'Goldsworth Orange' H: D.G. Hobbie (1959), G: H. Robenek, N: H. Robenek (1984) Fls yellow-orange

(r) **'Peter Tigerstedt'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *brachycarpum* (as subsp. *tigerstedtii*) × 'Catalgla' I: M. Uosukainen (pre 1996) Fls white, with a violet spotted blotch on dorsal lobes. Lvs dark green. Shrub 1.8m in 10 years, of tree-like habit with a spreading canopy. Late. Exceptionally hardy

(v) **'Peter Valder One'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Cristo Rey' × *javanicum* (Valder form) H: P. Sullivan, G: P. Sullivan (pre 1993)

(v) **'Peter Valder Two'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Cristo Rey' × *javanicum* (Valder form) H: P. Sullivan, G: P. Sullivan (pre 1993)

(a) **'Peter van Noordt'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: P. van Noordt & Sons, N: P. van Noordt & Sons, I: P. van Noordt & Sons (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow. Mollis

(r) **'Peter van Noordt'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably derived from *ponticum* and/or *catawbiense* L: G.D. Böhlje (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light purplish violet or lilac, with a darker margin and red-brown markings

(r) **'Peter Vermeulen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scintillation' × 'America' H: J. Vermeulen & Son, G: J. Vermeulen & Son (pre 1993), N: J. Vermeulen & Son, I: J. Vermeulen & Son Fls in a ball-shaped truss, pink. Lvs glossy, deep green. Rounded shrub, 1.2m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Peter Winkworth'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* (s) × *pseudochrysanthum* H: A.F. George (1978), G: A.F. George (1985), N: A.F. George, REG: A.F. George (2002) Fls 8/flattish truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 93mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63B) in bud, inside light to pale purplish pink (65B-C) when half open, finally very pale purple (73D); outside strong to light purplish pink (73B-C) when half open, finally very pale purple (73D) flushed strong to light purplish pink (73B-C); a small blotch of deep pink (52B) spots in dorsal throat. Calyx very short, pale green. Lvs broadly oblanceolate, 90 × 42mm, margins decurved, pointed at apex, rounded at base, matt green above, hairless. Compact shrub 1.1 × 1.5m in 17 years, very free-flowering. April-May. (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0033629))

(a) **'Pete's Purple'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kikoshi' (s) × un-named seedling (HS 81-11) R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls single, 95-105mm wide, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, vivid dark purple, flushed magenta, with no blotch. Mid May. (First published in Holly Springs cat., 1990)

(r) **'Petia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Albatross Group (s) × Sarita Loder Group H: F.E.W. Hanger (1948), G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, I: Royal Horticultural Society (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12/truss, 100mm wide, white, flushed varying shades of amaranth rose (530) externally. AM 1962

(a) **'Petite'** cv. Evergreen azalea: un-named, double pink "Belgian" azalea × 'Treasure' H: USDA, Glenn Dale (1947), G: USDA, Glenn Dale, N: USDA, Glenn Dale (1958), I: USDA, Glenn Dale (1962), REG: USDA, Glenn Dale (1962) Fls 75mm wide, very pale purple (73D), the lobes rounded, wavy-edged and overlapping. Lvs narrowly elliptic, dark green, hairless. Broad, spreading shrub

(r) **'Petite Fleur'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cisa' (s) × 'Midsummer' × 'Adele's Yellow' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls moderate and strong purplish red (59C, D) in bud, opening white, edged strong purplish red (59D), with strong greenish yellow (151A) dorsal spots. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Petit Four'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ditto's Mom' (s) × *yakushimanum*, Exbury form H: R.E. Burns (1992), G: R.E. Burns (1999), N: R.E. Burns (2002), REG: F.E. Burns (2002) Fls 10/lax truss, campanulate, 50 × 50mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink (39B) in bud, opening inside pale orange-yellow (24D), with deep yellowish pink (39B) bands extending from lobe sinuses to the strong orange-yellow (24B) centre; outside deep yellowish pink (39B) with deep pink (50B) striations along centre of each lobe and along margins. Calyx variable, 3-6mm (lower lobes) to 15mm (dorsal lobe) long, pale yellow (20D). Pedicels brilliant greenish yellow (151D). Lvs oblanceolate/elliptic, 130 × 40mm, margins downcurved, acute at apex, oblique at base, dull and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairy patches below with thicker, short hairs on midvein (hairs pale yellow-green (193D) when young, ageing to moderate orange-yellow (164B). Shrub 0.4 × 0.8m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Petit Hasard'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C. de la Sablière (1987), G: C. de la Sablière (1992), N: C. de la Sablière (1995), REG: Société Bretonne du Rhododendron (1995) Fls 12/ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 55 × 60mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (51A) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (56C); not spotted. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 55mm, margins decurved, matt green above, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.65 × 1.3m in 8 years. Early May

(r) **'Petr'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Violetta' × 'Farnese' R: J. Kyndl (c 1969), N: J. Kyndl Fls 12-15/elongate globose truss, 66mm wide, whitish purple pink in bud (630/1-630/3), opening purple pink (630/1-630/2) with a whitish centre and an inconspicuous blotch of dark purple (30/1-30). Lvs elliptic, 120 × 52mm, dull green (0960/2). Shrub 1.1m in 9 years. Syn: 'Peter'

(v) **'Petra'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *christianae* × *jasminiflorum* H: T. Lelliott (c 1964), G: T. Lelliott, N: E.F. Allen, I: E.F. Allen, REG: E.F. Allen (1979) Fls c6-8/loose truss, salverform, tubes 37mm long, limb 31mm wide, 5-lobed, tubes blush white, limb very pale rose pink; stamens a contrasting deeper pink. Lvs obovate, retuse at apex, cuneate at base. Shrub under 1.2m. Flowering sporadically all winter

(r) **'Petraea'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Lady Martineau (1934), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Petra's Debut'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'John Dosser' (s) × 'Mrs Furnivall' H: D.J. Dosser, G: D.J. Dosser (1981), N: D.J. Dosser, REG: D.J. Dosser (1985) Fls 16/truss, funnel-shaped, 35 × 70mm, strong purple (82B), with a flare of strong greenish yellow (151B). Lvs elliptic, 170 × 50mm. Shrub 1.0m

(a) **'Petrick Alba'** (Syn. of 'Schepen's Kerstperel')

(a) **'Petrick Superba'** (Syn. of 'Madame Petrick Superba')

(a) **'Petrouchka'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1959), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1961) Fls large, strong orange-yellow and yellow. Midseason. Knap Hill

(a) **'Petticoat'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Elsie Lee' (s) × 'Purpurkissen' H: H. Hachmann (1988), G: H. Hachmann (1993), N: H. Hachmann (1995), I: H. Hachmann (1998), REG: G. Stück (1999) Fls double, 2-3/bud (2-3buds/shoot), broadly funnel-shaped, 35 × 58mm, with 15-22 lobes (most stamens petaloid, petaloids irregular in size), inside deep purplish pink (68A) on edges, otherwise strong purplish pink (68B); outside deep purplish pink (68A), with 3-4mm on midveins of strong purplish pink (68B); slight markings of strong purplish red (67A). Calyx 2-3mm long, greenish, with silvery hairs. Lvs ovate, 20-30 × 12-15mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, flat, glossy above, hairy; lasting well in winter. Shrub of broad, compact habit, 0.45 × 0.65m in 10 years. Mid May-early June. (First published in Hachmanncat., 1998-2000 (1998), plus colour photograph)

(r) **'Petticoat Lane'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Butter Brickle' (s) × 'Noyo Chief' H: B. Sligh (1984), G: B. Sligh (1990), N: B. Sligh (1992), REG: B. Sligh (1994) Fls 21/tight truss, 40 × 70mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, buds deep/strong pink (47D/48D) with a pale yellow (11C) base, opening inside with the throat pale yellow (11C-D), edged light yellowish pink (38C); outside pale yellow (11C-D), edged light yellowish pink (38C); flare of strong red (46A) spots on dorsal lobe. Lvs ovate, 100-110 × 55-60mm, margins wavy and decurved, acute at apex, rounded at base, dark green and heavily veined. Shrub 0.7 × 0.7m in 9 years, with red young stems. Mid October-mid November

(a) **'Pettychaps'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage and origin unknown N: E.W. Reuthe, I: G. Reuthe Ltd (1963), REG: G. Reuthe Ltd (1985) Fls hose-in-hose, 3-6/truss, 25-35 × 30-45mm, broadly funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, light to deep purplish pink (55A-B-C) with darker spots on the dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 30-40 ×

10-15mm, light green. Shrub c0.4m. *HC 1983. Kurume

(a) **'Petunia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Nuccio's Nurseries (pre 1996), N: Nuccio's Nurseries Fls single, with broad, rounded lobes, centre light orchid shading to a deep orchid rose border. Upright shrub of open habit. April. Satsuki

(a) **'Petuniiflorum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Vervaene (1855), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple rose. Indian

(r) **'Petzoldii'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid R: J. Rinz (pre 1864), N: J. Rinz, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, edged rose and spotted with violet

(a) **'Pezyanum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1853), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Pfauenauge'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hyperion' (s) × 'Hachmann's Diadem' H: H. Hachmann (1984), G: H. Hachmann (1989), N: H. Hachmann (1996), I: H. Hachmann (1997), REG: G. Stück (1999) Fls 12/dense, rounded truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 60 × 85-95mm, with strongly wavy-edged lobes, dark purple in bud, opening inside light purple (77D) with strong purple/(deep reddish purple) (77B(-A)) on edges, midveins vivid purplish red (66B); outside light purple (77C), midveins vivid purplish red/deep purplish pink (66B/C); a conspicuous blotch of dark red-deep purplish red (187A-D) on three dorsal lobes; stamens 10, long; filaments white, anthers brownish orange/moderate orange-yellow (164A/B); style light greenish yellow (4C), stigma brilliant greenish yellow (4A). Calyx 8-10mm long, reddish green. Lvs elliptic, 140-160 × 38-45mm, cuspidate at apex, rounded to cuneate at base, flat or slightly wavy-edged or v-shaped, slightly glossy above, hairless; petioles reddish on young bark. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 10 years. Late May-mid June (and sometimes again in autumn). (First published in Hachmann cat., 1998-200 (1998), with colour photograph)

(r) **'Pfitzer'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (c 1905), N: T.J.R. Seidel (1913), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet, with green spots

(r) **'Phaedra'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Lady Bessborough Group (s) × 'Tortoiseshell Wonder' H: W.C. Slocock Ltd (c 1948), G: W.C. Slocock Ltd, N: M.O. Slocock (1992), I: M.O. Slocock (1992), REG: M.O. Slocock(1993) Fls 10/truss, 38 × 51mm, 7-lobed, appleblossom pink in bud, opening white tinged pink and with a red throat. Lvs elliptic, 102 × 51mm, hairless. Early May

(r) **'Phalarope'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *pemakoense* × *davidsonianum* R: P.A. Cox, N: P.A. Cox, REG: P.A. Cox (1968) Fls 3-6/truss, open funnel-shaped, 30 × 50mm, 5-lobed, very pale purple (75D), with some diffused, darker colouring (light purple, 75B) on the outside and along lobe edges, slight dorsal throat spotting of light purple (75A). Calyx lobes 1-2mm long. Lvs narrowly obovate, 25 × 15mm, in compact clusters of 8-10 at branch tips, brown pitted above and below, slightly aromatic. Shrub c0.5-0.8m tall. PC 1968, *AM 1983

(r) **Phantasy Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Erebus Group (s) × Eudora Group H: Lord Aberconway (1933), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(r) **'Phantom'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* × unknown hybrid H: Mrs R.J. Coker, G: Mrs R.J. Coker, N: Mrs R.J. Coker, I: Mrs R.J. Coker, REG: Mrs R.J. Coker (1979) Fls shell pink in bud, opening white with a wine-coloured blotch at base and wavy edges shaded light purplish pink/very pale purple (73C/D) to very pale purple (69C)

(r) **'Phantom Rock'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *sanguineum* var. *haemaleum*, raised from Rock 11049 S: S.R. Clarke, I: R.N. Stephenson Clarke, REG: R.N. Stephenson Clarke (1981) Fls 4-6/truss, tubular-campanulate, up to 35 × 40mm, 5-lobed, dark red (59A). Calyx rudimentary, glandular hairy. Lvs oblanceolate to narrowly obovate, up to 70 × 27mm, dark glossy green above, grey felted below. FCC 1981

(a) **'Pharailde Mathilde'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Comte Charles de Kerchove de Denterghem' × 'Königin der Weissen' R: J. Vervaene, N: J. Vervaene, I: J. Vervaene (1887), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white, dotted, striped and grained cherry red, with a yellow, greenish or chestnut dorsal blotch. Early. AM 1891. Indian

(a) **'Pharailde Vervaene'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1874), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double. Indian

(a) **'Pheasant'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blotched lavender. Kurume

(r) **'Pheasant Tail'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *facetum* hybrid × Fabia Group × *yakushimanum* × 'Britannia' H: Waterer (Bagshot) (1958), G: Waterer (Bagshot) (1967), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975) Fl 10-12/truss, 50 × 40mm, 5-lobed, rose pink, paler in centre. Calyx small, red. Lvs ovate, 90-100 × 40mm, with silvery brown indumentum. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years. Early June

(a) **'Phébé'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Smet, I: C Vuylsteke (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, buds orange-yellow, opening creamy or sulphur yellow, shaded rose on outside. Shrub up to 2.0 × 1.5m. Midseason-late. Rustica (Sometimes listed in the translated form 'Phoebe')

(r) **Phico Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Phidias Group (s) × Cowslip Group H: Lord Aberconway (1937), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cream, flushed pink

(a) **'Phidias'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Smet, I: C. Vuylsteke (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, 40mm wide, reddish pink in bud, opening with outer lobes rosy white, with a canary yellow sheen, inner lobes shaded flesh pink on a more yellow ground, tube deep yellow with purplish shading. Shrub to c2.0 × 1.5m. Midseason-late. Rustica

(r) **'Phidias'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Astarte' (s) × F.C. Puddle Group H: Lord Aberconway (1934), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 17/truss, deeply funnel-shaped, c75 × 70mm, clear rich red. Calyx lobes c7mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs oblong-elliptic, c90 × 30mm. AM 1938 (Phidias Group)

(r) **PhidiasGroup** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Astarte' (s) × F.C. Puddle Group H: Lord Aberconway (1934), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1938), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Philip Crocker'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Sweetheart Supreme' R: D.J. Cole (pre 1987), N: D.J. Cole Fls hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, purplish pink. Mid April

(a) **'Philip Holmes'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *prinophyllum* G: Anne, Countess of Rosse and The National Trust (Nymans), N: Anne, Countess of Rosse and The National Trust (Nymans), I: Anne, Countess of Rosse and The National Trust (Nymans), REG: Anne, Countess of Rosse and The National Trust (Nymans) (1981) Fls 6-9/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, up to 26 × 22mm, white, flushed moderate purplish pink (62B), deepening to strong purplish red in throat (63B). Lvs elliptic, hairy. May. FCC 1981

(r) **'Philipp'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* 'Böhmen' hybrid R: W. Nagel (1983), N: W. Nagel, I: W. Nagel (1999), REG: ICRA (2000) Fls cream to light pink, with a black-brown blotch. Shrub of very compact, broadly rounded habit. (The second parent may have been *decorum*)

(r) **'Philippa'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *rex* subsp. *rex* × 'Sincerity' H: E.G.W.W. Harrison (c 1960), G: Mrs C.G. Hopwood (1989), N: Mrs C.G. Hopwood (1989), REG: Mrs C.G. Hopwood (1989) Fls c12/truss, tubular-campanulate, 69-72 × 70-75mm, 7-lobed, light purplish pink (62C) in bud, opening white with flush of 62C at first, dorsal blotch at base of throat dark red (187A), ventral markings strong red (53C). Calyx 2mm long, green, very slightly tinged pink, with sparse glands and branched hairs. Lvs oblong-lanceolate, 200-240 × 59-72mm, acute at apex, narrowly truncate to cuneate at base, with a very thin, white, cobwebby indumentum below (only visible with a lens). April

(r) **'Philippa de Pass'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × unknown H: E. de Rothschild (1970), G: E. de Rothschild (1979), N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1984), REG: E. de Rothschild (1984) Fls 11/truss, 45 × 45mm, 5-lobed, pale yellowish pink (27C), tinged strong pink (50C) when young, with moderate yellow (162A) markings in the throat. Lvs ovate, 75 × 30mm, with a woolly moderate orange-yellow (164C) indumentum when young. (Sometimes listed incorrectly as 'Phillipa de Pass')

(a) **'Philippe II'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. de Cock (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, striped white. Ghent

(r) **'Philippe de Vilmorin'** cv. Parentage unknown L: van Nes (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(a) **'Philippe-le-Beau'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. de Cock (1868), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Philippe-le-Bon'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. de Cock (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark red. Ghent

(a) **'Philippe-le-Hardi'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. de Cock (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose. Ghent

(a) **'Philippe van Artevelde'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. de Cock (1868), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Philippine Welser'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C. Schulz (pre 1863), N: C. Schulz, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, striped rose, marked carmine. Indian (Sometimes seen as 'Philippine Welzer')

(r) **'Philip Tripp'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Furnivall' × un-named seedling H: P. Holden (1970), G: Mrs A.J. Holden (1979), N: P. Holden, I: Harstine Island Nursery, REG: P. Holden (1988) Fls 12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 38 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (57B) in bud, opening moderate purplish pink (62B) with a 6-13mm wide edging of deep purplish pink (61D), moderate orange (167B) spotting on three dorsal lobes fading to brownish orange (165B); outside deep purplish pink (61D). Calyx 6mm long, light yellow-green (154D). Lvs elliptic, c90 × 40mm (extremely variable in size), recurved, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dull moderate olive green (137A) above, moderate yellow-green (139D) below, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in 15 years. Late April

(r) **'Philip Waterer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs E.C. Stirling' × *maximum* hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1924), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c12/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped or almost flat, c70 × 110-120mm, soft delicate rose, usually unmarked but with darker veins. Calyx very small. Lvs oblanceolate, 190 × 55mm, dark green above, hairless. AM 1924

(r) **Phillida Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: 'Forsterianum' (s) × *edgeworthii* I: Sir John Ramsden (1934), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Phillipa de Pass'** (An error for 'Philippa de Pass')

(r) **'Phillippa Howells'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lady Primrose' (s) × *griersonianum* R: A. Howells, N: A. Howells, REG: A. Howells (1967) Fls 12-13/truss, crimson (22/1) in bud, opening to orient pink (416/3) with Egyptian buff (407/3). Shrub 1.2m

(a) **'Phillippe de Meyer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Delicatesse' × 'Knut Erwen' I: R. de Meyer (1957), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, red, with wavy margins. Calyx normal, green. Midseason. Indian

(r) **'Phillip Shapiro'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' (s) × *R.* × *nikomontanum* H: B. & M. Shapiro (1966), G: B. & M. Shapiro, N: B. & M. Shapiro, REG: B. & M. Shapiro (1993) Fls 17-19/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 70mm, with 5 wavy- to very wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (67B) in bud, opening light purple (77D) at margins, shading to very pale purple in centre and with prominent, moderate purplish red (59C) dorsal spotting; outside very pale purple (76C) with light purple (75B) midribs. Calyx 1-2mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 152 × 51mm, convex, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dark glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.7m in 25 years. Late May

(r) **'Philomene'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group (s) × Bustard Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: Exbury (pre 1979) Fls straw-coloured, tinted pink, with green markings and a darker patch in the throat. (Iviza Group)

(r) **'Philotis'** (Syn. of 'Philotus')

(r) **'Philotus'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson. Syn: 'Philotis'. Hardy Hybrid (The spelling adopted here follows Waterer catalogues)

(a) **'Phil Sherringham'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'James Belton' N: Camellia Grove Nursery (pre 1976) Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, white, with a mauve pink centre. Shrub 1.25m, of dense habit. Midseason. (Found at Sherringham's Nursery)

(r) **'Phipps Yellow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Golden Star' (s) × unknown yellow seedling H: H. Phipps (1958), G: E. McKennon, N: Briggs Nursery, I: Briggs Nursery (1989), REG: W. Brack (2001) Fls 10/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 85mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, light yellow (11B) in bud, opening light yellow (11B) throughout; unmarked. Calyx c6mm long, strong yellowish green (141C). Lvs elliptic, 130 × 60mm, margins flat, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.5m in 11 years. Early May

(r) **Phisun Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Phidias Group (s) × Sunrise Group H: Lord Aberconway (1938), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose

(a) **'Phobus'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L.L. Liebig (1886), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, wavy-edged, deep carmine red. Indian

(a) **'Phoebe'** (See note under 'Phébé')

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(a) **'Phoebe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum*, deep salmon form (s) × 'Hazel Dawson' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 1-2/truss, 65-75mm wide, jasper pink (deep pink (180D)), flushed old rose (moderate red (180C)), with a distinct rose pink (light purplish pink (73C)) dorsal blotch. Shrub 1.2m. Late April-early May. Glenn Dale

(v) **'Phoebe Dunbar'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *stenophyllum* (s) × yellow form of *macgregoriae* H: unknown, N: M.D. Cullinane, REG: M.D. Cullinane (1993) Fls 8-12/domed truss, very widely funnel-shaped, 15 × 35mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, vivid yellowish pink (30C) in bud, opening strong reddish orange (31A) inside; outside with 31A lobes and a vivid reddish orange (33B) tube; unspotted. Calyx 1mm long. Lvs lanceolate, 75 × 12mm, acuminate at apex, attenuate at base, flat, glossy above, with an indumentum of light tan scales. Shrub of dense habit, 1.5 × 1.0m in 6 years. Repeat-flowering

(a) **'Phoebus'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Boelens (1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, dark red with a purple blotch. Indian

(r) **Phoebus Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: F.C. Puddle Group (s) × *haematodes* H: Lord Aberconway (1932), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 9/truss, nodding, campanulate, 50 × 60mm, scarlet (19/1), shaded blood red (820/1), spotted on dorsal lobe and with dark blood red nectaries. Calyx lobes up to 15mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs oblanceolate, 95-120 × 30-37mm, dark matt green above, with a fawn felted indumentum below. Large shrub

(a) **'Phoenica'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Verleeuwen (1835), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with a long tube, white, with a faint pink line down each lobe, a very faint yellow flare, the tube and lobe edges flushed pink; glandular on exterior (1958 Register); all over amaranth rose (C. van Geert cat., 1877). Ghent

(a) **'Phoeniceum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: perhaps a form of *scabrum* or *scabrum* × *mucronatum* N: G. Don (1834), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 2-3/truss, 70mm wide, vivid purplish red, with darker dorsal spotting; stamens 10, with short filaments. Shrub to 2.0m or more. Syn: 'Rawsonii' (Probably originating in Japan, introduced to England from Canton, China, in 1824)

(r) **'Phoeniceum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection or hybrid of *arboreum*? I: M. Guérin (1842), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Phoeniceum Album'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls waxy white. Indian (Perhaps the same plant as 'Knightii')

(a) **'Phoeniceum Coccineum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: T. Jackson & Sons (1851), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Phoeniceum Flore Pleno'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Phoeniceum Grandiflorum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: listed under *indicum* L: T. Jackson & Son (1851), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Phoeniceum Lavender'** (Syn. of 'Dwarf Formosum')

(a) **'Phoeniceum Splendens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Phoenix'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Research Station for Ornamental Plant Growing, Belgium (pre 1996), N: Research Station for Ornamental Plant Growing, Belgium, I: Research Station for Ornamental Plant Growing, Belgium (1999) Fls double, bluish pink. Early (November, under glass)

(r) **Phoenix Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Dawn's Delight' (s) × Tally Ho Group R: L. de Rothschild (1937), I: E. de Rothschild (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red, waxy. Loose-growing shrub. May

(a) **'Phryne'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Camellia Lodge Nursery (1964) Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, creamy white. Shrub 1.0m, of dense habit. Midseason. Indian

(r) **Phryne Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* (s) × Loderi Group H: Lord Aberconway (1925), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cream

(r) **'Phyle Donegan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* (s) × 'Loderi Superlative' R: R.L. Rowarth, N: R.L. Rowarth, REG: R.L. Rowarth (1969) Fls 8-10/truss, 100-115mm wide, 7-lobed, rose bengal (25/3), with spotting on the dorsal lobe. Shrub 1.2m

(r) **'Phylisann'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: uncertain, G: E. Berube (c 1980), N: R.W. Chaikin, REG: R.W. Chaikin (1992) Fls 20/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 44 × 76mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, strong red (46A), with a large, white, dorsal blotch which is spotted strong red (46A); outside deep red (53A); stamens 9, straight, unequal. Lvs elliptic, 89-127 × 44-51mm, flat, acute at apex, rounded at base, glossy green, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 8 years. Early June

(r) **'Phyllis'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* 'Powell Glass' (s) × *yakushimanum* H: R.G. Shanklin (1960), G: R.G. Shanklin (1978), N: R.G. Shanklin, I: R.G. Shanklin, REG: R.G. Shanklin (1983) Fls 13-16/truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, 5-lobed, moderate purplish red (5RP 4/10) in bud, opening white, edged strong reddish purple (2.5RP 5/10) at first. Calyx 3mm long, strong yellow-green (5GY 7/10). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 100-125 × 25-40mm, moderate olive green (7.5GY 4/4), with patchy light brown indumentum below. Shrub c1.0m in 20 years. Late May

(r) **'Phyllis Ballard'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *neriiflorum* × *dichroanthum* (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* R: E. Ostbo (pre 1956), N: E. Ostbo, I: E. Ostbo, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange. Leaf midveins yellow. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(a) **'Phyllis Elliot'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C. Elliot, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls apple-blossom pink. Kurume

(r) **'Phyllis Korn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Diane' × 'Gomer Waterer' H: R.G. Korn (1969), G: W.J. Shrauger (1974), N: R.G. Korn, I: W.J. Shrauger (1981), REG: W.J. Shrauger (1981) Fls 12/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 100mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, white, with a 25 × 40mm dorsal blotch of strong red (46A); blotch fades with age to light greenish yellow (4B). Lvs elliptic, 150 × 70mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, moderate olive green (137A) and glossy above, hairless. Shrub 1.7 × 1.7m in 11 years. Early-mid May. Syn: 'Karl Korn'

(a) **'Phyllis Marsh'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Phoeniceum' (s) × unknown R: K.M. Marsh, N: K.M. Marsh, REG: K.M. Marsh (1968) Fls 4-7/truss, lilac. Shrub 1.1m

(a) **'Phyllis Moore'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls hose-in-hose, 45mm wide, white. (Popular in Canada around Vinelands, Ontario, as a hardy evergreen cultivar)

(r) **'Phyllis Rees'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Thor' (s) × 'Loder's White' H: C. Mugridge (1989), G: C. Mugridge (1998), N: C. Mugridge, I: F. Morrey & Son (2002), REG: C. Mugridge (2002) Fls 16-21/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 43 × 85mm, with 6 slightly wavy-edged lobes, white and pink in bud, opening inside white with lateral margin of lobes pink - the colour extending from sinus towards centre; outside white with lateral margin of lobes pink; a small, pale yellow blotch in dorsal throat; anthers dark brown; stigma yellow; slightly scented. Calyx 23mm long, white. Lvs lanceolate, 153 × 35mm, margins wavy, broadly acute and minutely apiculate at apex, cuneate at base (almost truncate at extreme base), hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.6m in 10 years. Midseason. (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0035250))

(r) **'Phyllocarmine'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *brachyanthum* × unknown R: S. Hall (pre 1983), N: S. Hall Fls thimble-shaped, rose. Lvs small, red. Tiny shrub

(r) **'Pia Lehmann'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *spinuliferum* × *veitchianum* Cubittii Group H: A.F. George (1964), G: A.F. George (1971), N: A.F. George, I: Hydon Nurseries (1978), REG: Hydon Nurseries (1978) Fls 2-4/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 45 × 35mm, 5-lobed, pale yellow-green (4D) at base outside, shading through white to strong red (54B-D) at rims, with yellow and pink spotting in dorsal throat. Calyx pale green, hairy. Lvs elliptic, 68 × 28mm, dark green and slightly hairy above, scaly. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years

(a) **'Picador'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Osakazuki' (s) × 'Kagaribi' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 2/truss, 50 × 65mm wide, rose dorée (deep yellowish pink (43C)), almost entirely covered with scarlet (vivid reddish orange (33A)) and with a heavy dorsal blotch of carmine (strong red (46A)) dots. Shrub to 1.2m. Late April-early May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Pical No. 1'** (Syn. of 'Alice Swift')

(r) **'Piccadilly'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi King George' × Socrianum Group H: Mrs R.M. Stevenson, G: Mrs R.M. Stevenson (1965), I: Hydon Nurseries (1970), REG: Hydon Nurseries (1976) Fls 8-10/truss, 55 × 75mm, 5-lobed, deep to moderate purplish pink (66C-D). Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 160mm long, hairless. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. April-May

(r) **'Piccaninny'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' (s) × *dichroanthum* R: Earl of Limerick (pre 1956), N: Earl of Limerick, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c7/lax truss, tubular-campanulate, orange, tinged cherry (722/1) at the edges. Calyx petaloid, up to 40mm long. AM 1956 (Limerick Group)

(a) **'Piccolo'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), S: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1968), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1975) Fls double, small, very pale yellow, tinged pink. Knap Hill

(a) **'Piccolo'** cv. Parentage unknown I: R. Eisoldt (c 1996)

(a) **'Pickard's Golden'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: UK (1990)

(r) **'Pickering'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* 'Catalgla' × (*fortunei* × *campylocarpum*) × unknown H: C. Herbert (1953), G: C. Herbert (1960), N: C. Herbert, I: C. Herbert (1967), REG: C. Herbert (1977) Fls up to 10/somewhat open ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 60 × 70-75mm, with 5-7 wavy-edged lobes, pale pink (49D), with deeper edging, throat yellow, three dorsal lobes pale yellow (11D) with deeper yellow spotting. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 50mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.8m in 22 years. Mid May

(a) **'Picotee'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* × 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Kagetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 50mm wide, usually white at centre with a liseran purple (light purple (78C)) edge. Spreading shrub to 1.2m tall. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Picotee'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a pink picotee edge. Late

(r) **'Picotee Roseum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R. Veitch & Son (pre 1863), N: R. Veitch & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose, marked with intense black spots. FCC 1863

(r) **'Picton'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' hybrid L: R.E. Harrison (1966) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, deep crimson

(a) **'Pictum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Pictum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Whitley & Osborn (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Shrub 1.0-1.5m. Ghent

(r) **'Pictum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campanulatum* × (?)*maximum* R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1839), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, pale lilac at edges, with dark spots. Syn: 'Lowei', 'Lowii', 'Coelestinum Pictum'

(r) **'Pictum Album'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as a selection or hybrid of *arboreum* L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, slightly tinged pink

(r) **'Pictum Grandiflorum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, larger than 'Pictum'. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Pictum Incarnatum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as a *caucasicum* cultivar)

(a) **'Pictum Nobilissimum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1835), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(r) **'Pictum Superbum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, distinctly spotted. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Picturatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Knight & Perry (pre 1849), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Picturatum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958) (This may be the plant listed in the 1958 Register as blush white, with a chocolate blotch)

(r) **'Picturatum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* × *ponticum* (s) × Altaclerense Group R: Standish & Noble, N: Standish & Noble, I: Standish & Noble (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose, with copious crimson spots. Shrub 2.5-4.0m

(r) **'Picturatum Delicatum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R. Veitch & Son (pre 1867), N: R. Veitch & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls snow white, with dark spots

(a) **'Picturatum Elegans'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: B.S. Williams (1872), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, finely streaked and spotted rich rose. Indian

(r) **'Picturatum Roseum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose, with dark spots. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Picturatum Subtilissimum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) (Hardy azalea)

(r) **'Picturatum Superbum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Veitch & Sons, N: J. Veitch & Sons, I: J. Veitch & Sons (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush white, spotted nearly all over but especially dorsally, with dark spots

(a) **'Picture'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink. Kaempferi

(a) **'Picture'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-yellow. Mollis

(a) **'Picture'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.S. Yeates (pre 1985), N: J.S. Yeates Fls yellow, with a pink blush

(r) **'Picture Perfect'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Abe Arnott' (s) × 'White Blue Peter' H: W.E. Delp (1991), G: W.E. Delp (1993), N: Mrs V. Delp, I: Crystalaire Rhododendron Naturescapes, REG: J.D. Harris (1996) Fls 16/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, c55 × 95mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong purple (84A, 82B) and brilliant violet (86D) in bud, opening very pale purple (84D) edged strong and light purple (84A, 85A), with dark red (187B) spots on the three dorsal lobes; filaments very pale purple (85D); style pale yellow-green (157B); anthers pale yellow-green (155A); stigma dark reddish orange (173A). Lvs 100 × 45mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base. Shrub 0.75 × 0.75m in 5 years. Early June. (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Picturesque'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goody Goody' (s) × 'Goody Goody' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (67B) and deep purplish pink (67C) in bud, opening very pale purple (69B), edged deep, strong and moderate purplish pink (68A, B, C), with moderate yellow-green (146B) dorsal spots; filaments light purplish pink (68D); style strong purplish red (67A); anthers pale purplish pink (65D); stigma deep red (60A). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Pieces of Eight'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Virginia Richards' (s) × un-named hybrid H: Mrs H.A. Frederick, Jr (1967), G: Mrs H.A. Frederick, Jr (1975), N: Mrs H.A. Frederick, Jr, I: Mrs H.A. Frederick, Jr, REG: Mrs H.A. Frederick, Jr (1977) Fls up to 10/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 115mm, 7-lobed, pale yellow (11D), with light yellowish pink (26D) spotting on three dorsal lobes producing a blush effect; scented. Lvs broadly elliptic, 125 × 65mm, obtuse at apex, slightly cordate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 8 years. Early May

(r) **'Pieces of Gold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: Mrs H.A. Frederick, Jr (1968), G: Mrs H.A. Frederick, Jr (1977), N: Mrs H.A. Frederick, Jr, I: Mrs H.A. Frederick, Jr, REG: Mrs H.A. Frederick, Jr (1977) Fls 10/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 100mm, with 7 wavy- to very wavy-edged lobes, pale yellowish pink (27C), with a pink suffusion, throat chartreuse, basal half of dorsal lobe with light brownish spotting; scented. Calyx negligible. Lvs between elliptic and narrowly elliptic, 175 × 70mm, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 8 years. Early May

(a) **'Pied Piper'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Louise' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, usually 6-lobed, 70-75mm wide, white, flushed pale amaranth pink (light purple (75B)), with heavy stripes and flakes of amaranth pink (deep purplish pink (72D)), dots of blotch tyrian rose (vivid purplish red (57B)). Lvs narrow, dark green. Compact, densely twiggy shrub to 1.5m. Mid April. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Pied Piper'** (Syn. of 'Arnold Piper')

(r) **'Pie IX'** cv. Parentage unknown L: G. Morlet (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) (Published in *Horticulture Français* 1854: 107-111)

(a) **'Piens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Kelmscott Azalea Gardens (1984) Fls double, salmon, shaded and striped white. Indian

(r) **'Piepmatz'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Carmen' (s) × *ungernii* R: W. Nagel (1967), N: W. Nagel, I: W. Nagel (1982) Fls small but numerous, blood red. Shrub of broad, flat habit, c40cm high in c15 years

(r) **'Pierce's Apricot'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1992) (Listed as a parent of 'Hypnotist' and 'Reckless'. Perhaps correctly 'Pearce's Apricot': fls apricot, lvs dark green, strong grower)

(r) **'Pierre Bernard'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Croux, N: Croux, I: Croux (1979) Fls in rounded trusses, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, deep red. Early May

(a) **'Pierre Du Pont'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Longwood Gardens, REG: Longwood Gardens (1961) Fls pure white, with dense yellow-green spotting at the base of the dorsal lobe, spotting fading to an almost imperceptible greenish flush on ageing. Indian

(r) **'Pierre Laplace'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Madame Fr. J. Chauvin' (s) × *williamsianum* R: D.G.

Hobbie (1942-1944), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, 5-7-lobed, delicate rose

(r) **'Pierre Moser'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* hybrid R: Moser & Son, N: Moser & Son, I: Moser & Son (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls star-shaped, bright pink. Large shrub

(r) **'Pierrette Forestier'** (Syn. of 'Madame Pierrette Forestier')

(r) **'Pieter de Hoogh'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red, tinged magenta

(r) **'Piety'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* (s) × 'Mary Garrison' H: unknown (c 1972), G: M.E. Byrkit, N: M.E. Byrkit (2002), REG: M.E. Byrkit (2002) Fls c9/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 75mm, with 5 wavy or very wavy-edged lobes, pinkish white in bud, opening white (155C) throughout, the inside with a small, red, basal flare on a yellow ground. Calyx 4mm long, red. Lvs elliptic to lanceolate, 130 × 45mm, margins flat, acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 2.4 × 2.4m in 30 years. Late May

(a) **'Piewacket'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Comtesse de Kerchove' (Indian) × unknown H: I.C. Nichols, G: I.C. Nichols (1974), N: I.C. Nichols, I: I.C. Nichols, REG: I.C. Nichols (1986) Fls double, 2-3/truss, funnel-shaped, 30 × 90mm, moderate yellowish pink (39C), with a green flush on the dorsal lobe and tips fading to white. Lvs elliptic, 25 × 10mm. Shrub 1.0m. Indian

(r) **'Pikeland'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *keiskei* × *campylogynum* H: C. Herbert (1967), G: C. Herbert (1971), N: C. Herbert, I: C. Herbert (1971), REG: C. Herbert (1975) Fls 6-7/ball truss (with 5-6 trusses together), broadly funnel-shaped, 20 × 30mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (56B-C), edged and spotted deep purplish pink (58D). Calyx 5mm long, tan. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 65 × 20mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green, scaly below. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 7 years. Mid April

(a) **'Pilgrim'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × 'Maxwellii' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 50-65mm wide, slightly deeper than pale rose pink (light purplish pink (73C)), with an inconspicuous blotch of small rose (strong purplish red (63B)) dots. Lvs large, somewhat hairy. Spreading shrub to 1.2m. Late April. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Pilgrim'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* (s) × 'Gill's Triumph' R: J. Johnston, I: L. de Rothschild (1926), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 8-12/truss, c125mm wide, rich pink, with a few dark markings in the dorsal throat. Lvs dark green. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. AM 1926 (Pilgrim Group)

(r) **Pilgrim Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* (s) × 'Gill's Triumph' R: J. Johnston, I: L. de Rothschild (1926), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Pilkington Strawberry Parfait'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: E. Pilkington (1971), G: E. Pilkington (1985), N: E. Pilkington, REG: N. Beaudry (2000) Fls 11/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (64C) in bud, opening inside light purplish pink (62C) with a deep red (60A) throat and dorsal flare; outside strong purplish pink (63C). Lvs elliptic, 145 × 50mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, margins flat, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.3 × 2.1m in 29 years. Midseason

(r) **'Pillar'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: Weston Nurseries (pre 1996), N: Weston Nurseries, I: Weston Nurseries Fls purplish pink. Upright habit, otherwise like PJM Group. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Early

(r) **'Pillar Box'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Grosclaude' × Tally Ho Group H: J.F. McQuire, G: J.F. McQuire, N: J.F. McQuire, REG: J.F. McQuire (1989) Fls c12/truss, funnel-campanulate, 50 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (46B), not fading. Calyx up to 15mm long, petaloid, coloured as corolla. Lvs oblanceolate, 120 × 30mm, with a cinnamon indumentum below, which partially sloughs off. Shrub 1.2 × 1.0m. Early-mid June

(a) **'Pilling'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls semi-double, yellowish pink

(a) **'Pillnitz'** (Syn. of 'Schloss Pillnitz')

(r) **'Pillow Party'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group × *dauricum* I: Briggs Nursery (1988) Fls small, white with a light pink flush. Lvs jade green. Shrub 0.9m in 10 years. Early

(r) **'Pillow Talk'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs J.G. Millais' (s) × 'Si Si' H: A.W. Smith, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63B) and strong to light purplish pink (63C, D) in bud, opening yellowish white (155D) edged strong purplish red (63B), with strong purplish red (63A) dorsal spots; filaments white. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Pilosum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (A. van Geert (1849) attributed it to Knight & Perry)

(a) **'Pima'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1979) (Listed as a parent of 'Fern Bunnell')

(r) **'Pimento'** (Syn. of 'Jasper Pimento')

(r) **Pimpernel Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Eros Group (s) × *arboreum* H: Lord Aberconway (1936), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red

(r) **'Pinafore'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* Elatum Group × Loderi Group H: L. de Rothschild (1934), G: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, veined pink, flushed pink towards margins. April-May. (Barbara Group)

(r) **'Pince's Victoria'** cv. Parentage unknown L: T. Methven & Son (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish crimson

(a) **'Pincushion'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *periclymenoides* R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls pale pink in tight trusses and with exceptionally long stamens. Mid May

(r) **'Pindar'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish crimson

(r) **'Pindar'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel (c 1905), N: T.J.R. Seidel (1913), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish violet, with red-brown spots

(v) **'Pindi Peach'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* × *konori* var. *phaeopeplum* H: T. Lelliott, G: T. Lelliott, I: R.L. Cutten, REG: R.L. Cutten (1981) Fls 4/truss, light yellow (19B)

(v) **'Pindi Pearl'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* × *konori* var. *phaeopeplum* H: T. Lelliott, G: T. Lelliott, I: R.L. Cutten, REG: R.L. Cutten (1981) Fls 6/truss, funnel-shaped, brilliant yellow (20A), flushed light yellowish pink (38C); scented

(r) **'Pineapple'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1932), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as a parent of Geisha Group)

(r) **'Pineapple Delight'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' (s) × 'Brandt's Tropicana' H: E.C. Brockenbrough (1971), G: G.H. Kesterson, N: G.H. Kesterson, I: G.H. Kesterson, REG: G.H. Kesterson (1983) Fls 12-14/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 100mm, with 7 wavy to very wavy-edged lobes, light yellow (18A), shading to pale yellow (18C) at edges and strong yellowish pink (38A) between lobes, throat vivid yellow (13A); slight dorsal moderate yellow (162B) spotting; outside light orange-yellow (16C). Calyx 40mm long, pale yellow (18C) at apex, vivid yellow (9A) at base, spotted. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 65mm, moderate olive green (137A) above, with a sparse, patchy, light tan indumentum below. Shrub c0.8m in 10 years

(r) **'Pines'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ilam Alarm' (s) × *griersonianum* H: E.F. Stead (pre 1950), G: E.F. Stead, REG: G.F. Smith (1986) Fls 13-15/truss, tubular-campanulate, 50 × 40mm, 5-lobed, turkey red (721/2), with darker spotting in the throat and on the dorsal lobe; style and stigma prominent, red. Pedicels red, glandular. Calyx 2mm long, red. Lvs elliptic-lanceolate, 130 × 25mm, with a thin, silvery grey indumentum. September-October (New Zealand). (Scarlet King Group)

(a) **'Ping Pong'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Maxwellii' × 'Snow' × *kaempferi* × 'Snow' R: USDA, Beltsville, N: USDA, Beltsville, I: USDA, Beltsville (1960), REG: USDA, Beltsville (1962) Fls hose-in-hose, 3-5/truss, 30-40mm wide, white, with a cream throat. Lvs dark green. Very dwarf shrub, one-and-a-half times as wide as high

(a) **'Pinkabelle'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *simsii* × *kaempferi* 'Daimio' H: M. Haworth-Booth, G: M. Haworth-Booth, N: M. Haworth-Booth, I: M. Haworth-Booth (1966), REG: M. Haworth-Booth (1968) Fls 2-4/compact truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 65mm, with wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (67D), flushed and veined strong purplish red (58C), heavily spotted dark red. Lvs 40-45 × 13-20mm, more-or-less glossy green. Shrub 1.4m. *HC 1973

(a) **'Pinkadilly'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *prunifolium* R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls light pink, with a yellow flare. Late June

(r) **'Pinkadilly'** (Syn. of 'Smiley's Pinkadilly')

(a) **'Pink and Silver'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls silvery pink. Kurume

(a) **'Pink and Sweet'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *arborescens* (s) × *arborescens* hybrid H: E.V. Mezitt (c 1963), G: Weston Nurseries (pre 1970), N: E.V. & R.W. Mezitt (pre 1975), I: Weston Nurseries (1978), REG: R.W. Mezitt (1998) Fls 7/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 40mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (61D) maturing to strong purplish pink (63C) and paler; dorsal lobe with a dark pink central stripe which is edged on each side with a brilliant yellow (close to 13C) flare. Calyx c5mm long, light green. Lvs obovate, 65 × 25mm, margins decurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairless; mildew resistant. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 7 years. Mid-late June. (Published in Weston Nurseries cat., 1978)

(a) **'Pink Annette'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Rose Greeley' × 'Ward's Ruby' × 'Kirin' H: W.L. Guttormsen (1967), G: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen (1973), REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1979) Fls hose-in-hose and semi-double, funnel-shaped, 40mm wide, with 5+5 flat-edged lobes and some petaloid stamens, deep purplish pink (61D). Lvs narrowly obovate, 22 × 10mm, glossy, moderate olive green (137C) above, hairless. Shrub 0.4 × 0.5m in 10 years. Early April. Syn: 'Annette'

(a) **'Pink Ball'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Homebush' (s) × unknown H: K. Van de Ven, G: K. Van de Ven (1974), N: K. Van de Ven, REG: K. Van de Ven (1985) Fls 15/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 60mm, vivid purplish red (57D), dorsal lobe flushed vivid orange-yellow (23A). Lvs elliptic, 100 × 40mm. Shrub 1.0m

(a) **'Pink Balloon'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: White Flower Farm (pre 1985) Fls light pink

(a) **'Pink Banner'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* hybrid × 'Snow' R: USDA, N: USDA, Beltsville, I: USDA, Beltsville (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, carmine pink with a darker, spotted blotch; filaments and style a darker pink. Syn: 'White Mountain' (Derived from the work of R.L. Pryor & G.E. Yerkes)

(a) **'Pink Beauty'** (Syn. of 'Kirin')

(a) **'Pink Beauty'** (Syn. of 'Thérèse')

(a) **'Pink Beauty'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1860) Fls clear pink self. Ghent

(a) **'Pink Beauty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Bobbink & Atkins, N: Bobbink & Atkins, I: Bobbink & Atkins (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, clear pink. Bobbink & Atkins

(a) **'Pink Beauty'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: E. de Rothschild (1951), INC: ICRA (1958). Knap Hill

(a) **'Pink Beauty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *indicum* R: unknown (pre 1965) Fls double, pink. Indian

(a) **'Pink Beauty'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.S. Yeates (pre 1985), N: J.S. Yeates

(r) **'Pink Beauty'** (Syn. of 'Naomi Pink Beauty')

(r) **'Pink Beauty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid (s) × 'John Walter' R: C.B. van Nes & Sons (pre 1922), N: C.B. van Nes & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c18/truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 80mm, scarlet in bud, opening delicate pink, paler centre, unmarked; stamens abortive. Calyx pale red

(r) **'Pink Beauty'** cv. Parentage unknown H: C. Herbert (pre 1980)

(r) **'Pink Bee'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1990)

(r) **'Pink Bell'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as a parent of 'Queen o' the May')

(a) **'Pink Bergmann'** (Syn. of 'Madame Charles Gabert')

(r) **'Pink Bonnet'** cv. Parentage unknown H: O.S. Pride (pre 1980)

(a) **'Pink Boudoir'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1971) (Listed as a parent of 'Girard's Pink Dawn')

(r) **'Pink Bountiful'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Essex Scarlet' × *williamsianum* R: D.G. Hobbie (pre 1945), I: Le Feber & Co. (1967), REG: Slocock Nurseries (1975) Fls 7/lax, globular truss, campanulate, 40 × 40mm, lobes slightly wavy-edged strong red (53D), paling towards centre of lobes and into throat. Lvs broadly ovate, 40-50 × 20-40mm, mid dull green. Shrub 0.8-1.0m in 10 years. *HC 1974, *AM 1975

(a) **'Pink Bouquet'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls single, deep pink. Indian

(r) **'Pink Bride'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Halopeanum' (s) × *griffithianum* R: Sir Edmund Loder (pre 1921), I: Lady Loder (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in neat, compact, conical trusses, pale blush pink. Lvs small. AM 1931 Syn: 'Leonardslee Pink Bride'

(r) **'Pink Brightness'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Poot' (s) × *williamsianum* R: D.G. Hobbie (pre 1945), N: Le Feber & Co., I: Le Feber & Co. (1964), REG: Le Feber & Co. (1964) Fls 7-9/truss, open funnel-shaped, pale pink (outside phlox pink 625/2, inside phlox pink 625/3), with darker margins. Lvs broadly elliptic, mucronate at apex, cordate at base. Shrub c1.0m

(a) **'Pink Bubbles'** (Syn. of 'Nuccio's Pink Bubbles')

(r) **'Pink Butterflies'** cv. Parentage unknown N: J. Leonard, I: Briarwood Gardens (1988), REG: Briarwood Gardens (1991) Fls 22/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 44 × 57-64mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, light purple (77C) margins about 13mm wide, shading to a yellowish white (155D) centre and with prominent, vivid yellow (15A) speckling on the dorsal lobe; stamens 10, curved. Calyx less than 2mm long, strong yellow-green (144C). Pedicels 32-38mm, strong yellow-green (143C). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 140-216 × 38-64mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, hairless; petioles 22mm long, strong yellow-green (144A above, 144B below). Shrub 2.1 × 2.7m in 10 years. Early-late June. (May be an old Waterer hybrid brought to USA in the nineteenth century and name then lost; found near Heritage Plantation, Massachusetts. If the original name is ever identified 'Pink Butterflies' should be treated as a synonym. Published in Briarwood Gardens cat., 1988)

(r) **'Pink Cadillac'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pink Cameo' (s) × 'Pink Cameo' H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 22/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 48 × 75mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, purplish red and purplish pink (64A-D) in bud, opening to a blend of strong purplish red and deep purplish pink (64B-D), with light olive (152B) spots on a light yellow-green (154D) dorsal flare; filaments and style vivid purplish red (57D); anthers moderate orange-yellow (164B); stigma dark red (187A). Lvs 147 × 66mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.7 × 1.5m in 18 years. Early June

(a) **'Pink Camellia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Morning Glow' × 'Kathleen' R: N. Carolina/Louisiana State Univ., N: N. Carolina/Louisiana State Univ., I: N. Carolina/Louisiana State Univ. (1981) Fls double (rose type, opening wide), 65-90mm wide, pale purplish pink (65C); stamens and pistil seldom present. Lvs slightly glossy. Shrub to 1.35m. Midseason

(r) **'Pink Cameo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Boule de Neige' (s) × red *catawbiense* seedling R: A.M. Shammarello, N: A.M. Shammarello, I: A.M. Shammarello (c 1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in compact, conical trusses, funnel-shaped, 65mm wide, clear pink, with a pinkish yellow blotch. Lvs 115 × 40mm, mid green. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Mid May

(a) **'Pink Carousel'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Melford Red Letter' (s) × *austrinum* H: E.J. Aromi (1978), G: John Smith (1988), N: D. Ellis, I: Magnolia Nursery (1994), REG: Magnolia Nursery (1996) Fls 14-19/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, brilliant orange-yellow (21B), flushed moderate red (47A), with a vivid orange-yellow (23A) blotch; stamens 5, curved; moderately scented. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 90 × 30mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (147B) below, with sparse yellow-green hairs below. Shrub 1.8 × 1.1m in 10 years. Mid April. (First published in Fairweather Gardens cat., 1995)

(a) **'Pink Cascade'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *nakaharae* × 'Bunka' R: J.O. Harris, N: J.O. Harris, I: J.O. Harris (pre 1981) Fls single, 50mm wide, salmon pink, with a red blotch. Shrub cascades to 1.0m

(r) **'Pink Chablis'** (Syn. of 'Satin Memories')

(a) **'Pink Champagne'** (Syn. of 'Nuccio's Pink Champagne')

(a) **'Pink Champagne'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ruffled Giant' × 'Rosebud' H: J.G. Thompson (1973), G: J.G. Thompson, N: J.G. Thompson Fls double and hose-and-hose, 65mm wide, deep purplish pink (73A), blotch deep purplish red (71A). Late

(r) **'Pink Champagne'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Pink Champagne')

(a) **'Pink Charm'** cv. Evergreen azalea: derived from Indian azalea hybrids I: Monrovia Nursery (pre 1987) Fls semi-double, pink. Midseason

(a) **'Pink Cheer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Sweet Sixteen' × 'Macranthum' R: P.B. Cornell, N: P.B. Cornell, I: P.B. Cornell (c 1960) Fls single, 80mm wide, crimson (22/2). Low, spreading habit. Midseason. Indian

(r) **'Pink Cherub'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Doncaster' R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1968) Fls 15-20/compact, globular truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, white flushed strong purplish pink (67D) around margins, dorsal lobe spotting of greenish yellow; outside flushed vivid purplish red (57D) along midribs. Lvs 125 × 40mm, darkish dull green. Compact shrub to 2.0m. Late May. *AM 1968, *FCC 1988

(v) **'Pink Cherub'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: USA (pre 1990)

(r) **'Pink Chiffon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from a species in subsect. *Fortunea*, said to be from a Rock collection G: Mrs R.M. Hansen (1949), N: Mrs R.M. Hansen, I: Mrs R.M. Hansen (1963), REG: Mrs R.M. Hansen (1967) Fls 9-12/tall truss, funnel-campanulate, 115-125mm wide, 7-lobed, tyrian rose (24/2) in bud, opening tyrian rose (24/3) around edge, paler inside, with reddish orange markings deep in the throat; scented. Lvs oblong-elliptic, 190 × 65mm, acute at apex, rounded at base, dark green above with deeply impressed midveins, hairless. Shrub 2.5m in c20 years. Early-mid May

(a) **'Pink Cloud'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Helen Close' × 'Glamour' R: W.L. Guttormsen (pre 1966), N: W.L. Guttormsen Fls hose-in-hose, with partially petaloid stamens, 2-3/truss, 75-95mm wide, deep purplish pink (72D). Lvs 50 × 30mm. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years

(a) **'Pink Cloud'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Fa. Boot & Co. (1970) Fls rose. Occidentale

(a) **'Pink Cloud'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Morning Glow' × 'Kathleen' R: N. Carolina/Louisiana State Univ., N: N. Carolina/Louisiana State Univ., I: N. Carolina/Louisiana State Univ. (1976) Fls single, or with some petaloidy, 2-4/truss, 65-90mm wide, pale purplish pink (65C), with strong purplish red (59D) dorsal spotting. Lvs elliptic, green in winter. Shrub up to 1.2m

(a) **'Pink Cloud'** cv. Deciduous azalea: described as an Exbury seedling R: W. Kern (pre 1985), N: W. Kern Fls strong pink. Knap Hill

(r) **'Pink Cloud'** cv. Parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney (1957-1960), G: W.E. Whitney, N: G. & Mrs A. Sather, I: G. & Mrs A. Sather (1975), REG: G. & Mrs A. Sather (1976) Fls 16/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (67C) in bud, opening moderate purplish pink (62B) with a moderate yellow (162A) dorsal blotch; scented. Calyx 7mm long, pink. Lvs narrowly obovate to elliptic, 108-120 × 50mm, bullate, acute at apex, cuneate at base, moderate yellow-green (137C), hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years. Early May

(v) **'Pink Cloud'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1993)

(a) **'Pink Clouds'** (Syn. of 'Nuccio's Pink Clouds')

(a) **'Pink Cloud, Too'** cv. Evergreen azalea: perhaps a seedling from 'Dayspring' R: I.L. Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L. Amann Fls hose-in-hose to semi-double, 40mm wide, moderate pink to pale pink in the throat and with a darker blotch; fls darkening with age. Upright shrub to 1.5m. Early

(a) **'Pink Clusters'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kiusianum* hybrid, open-pollinated H: E.V. Mezitt (c 1964), G: Weston Nurseries (pre 1970), N: E.V. Mezitt (pre 1972), I: Weston Nurseries (1982), REG: R.W. Mezitt (1998) Fls 3/ball truss, funnel-shaped, c25 × 35mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (64C). Calyx

c5mm long, green. Lvs ovate, 45 × 30mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 0.3 × 0.45m in 7 years. Mid May. (Published in Weston Nurseries cat., 1982)

(v) **'Pink Creeper'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: USA (pre 1983) Fls small, in open trusses, campanulate, lobes pink, throat white

(r) **'Pink Crepe'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Fawn' × 'Lem's Goal' R: A.A. & M. Childers (1958), N: A.A. & M. Childers, I: A.A. & M. Childers (1970), REG: A.A. & M. Childers (1971) Fls 7-9/truss, shallow funnel-shaped, 125mm wide, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink, edge and outside strong purplish red. Lvs elliptic to slightly oblanceolate, 175 × 45mm, mid green. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Pink Crest'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *oreodoxa* (s) × *thomsonii* H: A.F. George, G: A.F. George (1964), I: P.J. Urlwin-Smith, REG: P.J. Urlwin-Smith (1982) Fls 6-8/truss, deep purplish pink (61D). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 110 × 50mm, hairless

(r) **'Pink Dalmatian'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: E. Murray (pre 1975), G: E. Murray, N: Mrs J.W. Murray, REG: H. & M. Stockman (1993) Fls 7/flat, lax truss, open campanulate, 48 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53D) flushed orange in bud, opening creamy white, lightly suffused deep pink (47D), heavier at margins, with strong red (47B) spotting on all lobes (most concentrated on dorsal lobes) and strong red (53B) brushmarks in throat at base of each lobe; ground colour ages to pale yellow (11D) shading to pale orange-yellow (19D) in the centre; pistil (53B); anthers greyish red (178A); stamens 10, slightly curved, unequal. Calyx 6mm long, blood red. Pedicels 32mm long, red. Lvs elliptic, 70 × 32mm, convex, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy, dark green and bullate above, with a felted, tan indumentum on young leaves (becoming very sparse with age); petioles 13mm long, light green. Shrub 0.8 × 0.6m in 5 years. Early May

(a) **'Pink Dawn'** (Syn. of 'Girard's Pink Dawn')

(r) **'Pink Dawn'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* Roylei Group (s) × pink selection from Royal Flush Group N: Lord Digby (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Syn: 'Lady Rosebery Pink Dawn' (Lady Rosebery Group)

(a) **'Pink Delight'** (Syn. of 'Girard's Pink Delight')

(a) **'Pink Delight'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1926), I: W.C. Slocock Ltd, INC: ICRA (1958). Knap Hill

(a) **'Pink Delight'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *eriocarpum* 'Rose Glory' × *eriocarpum* 'Queen Elizabeth' I: K. Wada (pre 1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 125mm wide, white, edged deep rose. Lvs glossy, intense purplish black in winter, eventually turning to scarlet (Wada cat., 1937). Very dwarf shrub. Wada

(a) **'Pink Delight'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep pink, with a yellow blotch. Knap Hill

(r) **'Pink Delight'** (Syn. of 'Pink Lady Rosebery')

(r) **'Pink Delight'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Dexter's Harlequin' × unknown R: John J. Tyler Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister (Grown from open-pollinated seed, 1953)

(r) **Pink Delight Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid R: R. Gill & Sons (pre 1926), N: R. Gill & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear, deep pink, or white edged deep rose pink. AM 1926

(v) **'Pink Delight'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1900), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10-14/truss, broadly tubular funnel-shaped, 50mm wide, clear pink. Lvs narrowly elliptic, glossy. Shrub to 1.5m

(r) **'Pink Dexter'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1960) (Listed as a parent of 'Margaret Knight')

(a) **'Pink Diamond'** (Syn. of 'Diamant Rosa')

(r) **'Pink Diamond'** cv. Parentage unknown I: USA (1994)

(a) **'Pink Discovery'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *yedoense* var. *poukhanense*, open-pollinated G: Weston Nurseries (pre 1960), S: E.V. Mezitt (pre 1960), N: E.V. Mezitt (pre 1980), I: Weston Nurseries (1986), REG: R.W. Mezitt (1998) Fls 4/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, c50 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (62B), with a dark pink, speckled dorsal blotch. Calyx c6mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 50 × 25mm, flat, obtuse at apex, cuneate to rounded at base, glossy green, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 0.6m in 7 years. Mid May. Syn: 'Ed's Silver Pink' (Published in Weston Nurseries cat., 1986)

(r) **'Pink Divinity'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Fawn' × 'Lem's Goal' R: A.A. & M. Childers (1958), N: A.A. & M. Childers, I: A.A. & M. Childers (1970), REG: A.A. & M. Childers (1971) Fls 9/truss, short funnel-shaped, with 7 recurved lobes, 125mm wide, pale pink, throat deep yellowish pink. Lvs elliptic, 175 × 70mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Pink Domino'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × a Hardy Hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, opening carmine pink, spotted yellow on the dorsal lobe. AM 1925

(r) **'Pink Dove'** cv. Parentage unknown H: R. Henny (pre 1980)

(a) **'Pink Dream'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1948), INC: ICRA (1958)

Fls single to semi-double (average 3 stamens/fl.), light purplish pink (65B), slightly blotched. Calyx normal, green. Lvs pale green. Midseason. Indian

(a) **'Pink Dream'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Camellia Grove Nursery (1972) Fls single, large, soft pink

(r) **'Pink Drift'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *calostrotum* × *polycladum* Scintillans Group R: G.H. White (pre 1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls funnel-shaped, magenta pink. Lvs cinnamon bronze. Dwarf shrub

(r) **'Pink Elegance'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *racemosum* 'Puyallup' (s) × *minus* var. *chapmanii* 'Biltmore' H: A.E. Kehr (1968), G: A.E. Kehr (1972), N: A.E. Kehr (1997), REG: A.E. Kehr (1997) Fls 40-50/multiple budded truss, funnel-shaped, 22 × 30mm, with 5 lobes, deep pink in bud, opening deep pink with deep pink speckles in the throat, outside pale purplish pink (55D); styles deep red at maturity. Lvs elliptic, 30 × 15mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and deep green above, scaly below (scales brown at first, ageing to light brown). Shrub 1.8 × 1.2m in 19 years. Late April

(a) **'Pink Elf'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Maxwellii' × 'Snow' × *kaempferi* × 'Snow' R: USDA, Beltsville, N: USDA, Beltsville (1960), I: USDA, Beltsville (1960), REG: USDA, Beltsville (1961) Fls hose-in-hose, 20-25mm wide, shell pink (strong yellowish pink (43D)). Lvs dark green. Very dwarf shrub, c. three times as wide as high

(a) **'Pink Enchantress'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Pericat, N: R.P. Mayo Nurseries, I: R.P. Mayo Nurseries, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, pink. Midseason. Pericat

(a) **'Pink Enchantress'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Sweet Sixteen' × 'Madame Pericat' R: D. Lewis (pre 1987), N: D. Lewis Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, 75mm wide, light purplish pink

(r) **'Pink Epoch'** (Syn. of 'Carl Shirey')

(a) **'Pinkerbell'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *vaseyi* R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls 40-50mm wide, deep pink. Good autumn colour. Shrub 1.9-2.5m

(r) **'Pinkerton'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *aberconwayi* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (c 1950), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1975), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1975) Fls pink

(a) **'Pinkest'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *occidentale* hybrid L: England (pre 1955), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Pinkette'** cv. Evergreen azalea: from a cross of two, un-named seedlings of mixed Indica, Kurume and 'Maxwellii' parentage R: USDA, Beltsville, N: USDA, Beltsville (1957), I: USDA, Beltsville (1960), REG: USDA, Beltsville (1961) Fls single, 3-9/truss, 25-40mm wide, strong purplish pink (55B). Very dwarf shrub, c. one-and-a-half times as wide as high

(a) **'Pink Exquisite'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Kelmscott Azalea Gardens (1984) Fls single, lilac pink. Indian

(r) **'Pink Fabia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: USA (?) (pre 1963), N: USA (?) Fls 60mm long, pink. Calyx 50mm long. Shrub 1.9m. Tends to produce hose-in-hose seedlings (eg 'Double Dutch')

(a) **'Pink Fancy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Helen Close' × 'Purple Splendor' R: W.L. Guttormsen (c 1966), N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1977) Fls hose-in-hose, 2-4/truss, up to 65mm wide, strong purplish pink (7.5RP 7/10). Lvs 45 × 25mm, variegated. Shrub 0.4m

(v) **'Pink Feathers'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' × *herzogii* H: J.L. Rouse (1972), G: J.L. Rouse (1980), N: G.L.S. Snell, I: Shrublands Nursery (1987), REG: Shrublands Nursery (1988) Fls 5-10/truss, long tubular funnel-shaped, 160 × 40mm, 5-lobed, pale yellow (158B), the lobe edges strong purplish pink (55B) fading to pale purplish pink (55D). Lvs elliptic, 60 × 35mm, hairless. Shrub 1.5m tall. Summer-autumn

(a) **'Pink Fire'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *cumberlandense* in Cumberland Mountains, USA S: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach (1961), I: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1962) Fls 5-6/truss, 53mm wide, pink, flushed vivid reddish orange (33A), with a reddish orange blotch. Lvs 75 × 20mm, wavy-edged. Shrub 1.2 × 0.75m. Late June

(r) **'Pink Flair'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: red *catawbiense* hybrid × 'Boule de Neige' R: A.M. Shammarello (1943), N: A.M. Shammarello, I: A.M. Shammarello (1961), REG: A.M. Shammarello (1972) Fls in a globular truss, funnel-shaped, 65mm wide, pastel pink, with a red blotch. Lvs 90 × 45mm, dark green. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Mid May

(a) **'Pink Flash'** cv. Deciduous azalea: wild-collected selection from *periclymenoides* G: L.C. Towe & N. Anastos (2001), S: L.C. Towe & N. Anastos (1985), I: E. Koone III (2001), REG: L.C. Towe & N. Anastos (2001) Fls single, 5-7/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 45mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (68A) in bud, opening inside strong purplish pink (68B), with a white dorsal blotch, outside moderate purplish pink (68C); moderately scented. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 65 × 25mm, margins flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate yellow-green (147B) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in 10 years. Late April-early May. (Wild-collected from near Lake Cherokee, Oconee County, South Carolina, USA)

(r) **'Pink Floss'** cv. Parentage unknown H: H.L. Larson (pre 1980) Fls light pink. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years. May

(r) **'Pink Flourish'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' (s) × (*decorum* × *griffithianum*) × red *catawbiense* hybrid H: D.G. Leach (1952), G: D.G. Leach,

N: D.G. Leach (1960), REG: D.G. Leach (1961) Fls up to 15/pyramidal truss, 75-90mm wide, 5-lobed, inside pale pink (2.5RP 9/3.5), edged mid bright pink (4RP 5/11), outside darker (6RP 5/10), with a small blotch of yellowish brown (10Y 5/6). Lvs 125 × 50mm. Shrub 1.0 × 1.2m. Midseason

(r) **'Pink Fluff'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *racemosum* × *davidsonianum* H: H.E. Greer (c 1961), G: H.E. Greer, N: H.E. Greer, I: H.E. Greer (1969), REG: H.E. Greer (1979) Fls 2-3/truss, with 2-6 trusses/terminal cluster, open funnel-shaped, 25 × 30mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, slightly darker than deep purplish pink (7.5RP 6/12). Terminal cluster 50-65 × 75-90mm. Lvs elliptic, 30 × 13mm, mid green above, with reddish brown scales below. Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in 15 years. Early April

(r) **'Pink Fondant'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × 'Catalgla' × *wardii* H: J.B. Gable (pre 1960), N: O.S. Pride, I: O.S. Pride (1970), REG: A.R. Brooks (1997) Fls 12/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 80mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, strong purplish red (71C) in bud, opening inside strong purplish red (63B) shading to pale purplish pink (62D) in centre, unmarked; outside strong purplish red (63A) at margins and midveins, shading lighter at base. Calyx insignificant. Lvs elliptic to oblanceolate, 165-195 × 50-65mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded to oblique at base, semi-glossy and dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 8 years. Late May. (Published by Pride in *Q.Bull.Am.Rh.Soc.*, 34 (3): 148 (1980))

(a) **'Pink Formosum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls pink. Tall shrub

(r) **Pink Fragrance Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Miss Noreen Beamish' (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* I: T.C. Thacker (1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls shell pink

(a) **'Pink Frills'** cv. Evergreen azalea: double pink florists' azalea × 'Treasure' H: USDA, Glenn Dale (1947), N: USDA, Glenn Dale (1958) Fls single, with occasional petaloid stamens, 80mm wide, solferino purple (26/1), with a solid blotch of ruby red (27), frilled

(a) **'Pink Frills'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown N: D. Hughes (pre 1998) Fls bright pink, with very wavy-edged lobes. (Cuttings obtained from Mollie Coker, 1964)

(r) **'Pink Frills'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *macabeanum* × unknown H: unknown, G: G. Huthnance, N: G. Huthnance, I: G. Huthnance, REG: G. Huthnance (1981) Fls rose bengal (25/3) in bud, opening cream with wavy-edged rose bengal lobes, dorsal lobes with a prominent rose bengal (25) blotch

(r) **'Pink Frost'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vineblanc' (s) × 'Mrs T.H. Lowinsky' H: A.W. Smith (pre 1989), G: D. Irish-Hosler (1997), N: D. Irish-Hosler (2000), REG: D. Irish-Hosler (2000) Fls 18/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 85mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (68D) in bud, opening inside very pale purple (69C), with a spotted, yellow, dorsal flare; outside very pale purple (69A). Lvs elliptic, 125 × 65mm, acute at apex, rounded at base, margins downcurved, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in c12 years. Late May

(a) **'Pink Frosting'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Brillanta Belgica' × 'Madame Pericat' R: D. Lewis (pre 1987), N: D. Lewis Fls semi-double, 65mm wide, moderate purplish pink, usually shading to a paler centre, appearing frosted

(r) **'Pink Frosting'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' × *yakushimanum* R: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1963) Fls 14/truss, rotate-campanulate, up to 50mm wide, inside pale pink (2.5RP 8.5/3), outside darker (7.5RP 6.5/11), with bright pink (7.5RP 5.5/12) buds. Lvs obovate, 100 × 50mm, hairy. Shrub 0.6 × 1.0m in 10 years

(a) **'Pink Gem'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Fedora' × 'Gable's Flame' R: A.M. Shammarello (c 1951), N: A.M. Shammarello, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 50mm wide, pink

(a) **'Pink Gem'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: C. Herbert (pre 1985), N: C. Herbert Fls in open trusses, 75mm wide, yellowish pink to pink. Lvs reddish in autumn. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Knap Hill

(r) **'Pink Gem'** (Syn. of 'Boulter's Pink Gem')

(r) **'Pink Ghost'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Pauline' H: F.E.W. Hanger (1951), G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, I: Royal Horticultural Society (1972), REG: Royal Horticultural Society (1973) Fls 15/compact, globular truss, campanulate to funnel-shaped, 45-50 × 50mm, white, flushed very pale pink and with spotting on the lower lobes of strong orange-yellow (163B); buds strong purplish pink (55B), paling towards base. Lvs 125 × 30mm, dull green. Shrub 1.3m. *HC 1972, *AM 1987

(r) **'Pink Gin'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *yunnanense* × Lady Rosebery Group H: E.G. Millais (1971), G: E.G. Millais, I: Millais Nurseries (1978), REG: Millais Nurseries (1981) Fls 4-5/truss, up to 40 × 40mm, 5-lobed, pale purplish pink (65C), shading to pale yellowish pink (29D) in centre. Calyx rudimentary, green. Lvs elliptic, up to 70 × 35mm, light green, scaly below. PC 1981

(a) **'Pink Glee'** cv. Evergreen azalea: perhaps a seedling from 'Peter Pan' R: I.L. Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L. Amann Fls 65mm wide, deep pink (52C), with a strong purplish red blotch. Shrub to 1.0m

(r) **'Pink Globe'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (Gable's red selection) (s) × *griersonianum* × *fortunei* H: G.G. Nearing (1964), G: G.G. Nearing, N: G.G. Nearing, I: G.G. Nearing (1972), REG: G.G. Nearing (1973) Fls up to 12/ball truss, open funnel-

campanulate, 50 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (55B), with a small, strong red (53C) blotch. Calyx vestigial. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 150 × 50mm, moderate olive green (147A), hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 8 years. Late May

(a) **'Pink Gloria'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1980) (Gave rise to 'Pink Gloria Tetra')

(a) **'Pink Gloria Tetra'** cv. Evergreen azalea: colchicine-induced tetraploid form of 'Pink Gloria' R: USDA (pre 1980)

(r) **Pink Glory Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Glory of Penjerrick' (s) × Loderi Group R: A.W. Heneage-Vivian, N: A.W. Heneage-Vivian, I: A.W. Heneage-Vivian (1938), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Pink Glory'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *irroratum* (s) × Loderi Group R: Lady Loder, I: Sir Giles Loder (1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 18/spherical truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, blush pink, stained rose madder (23/3). Lvs oblanceolate, up to 100 × 40mm, dark green, hairless. AM 1940 (White Glory Group)

(a) **'Pink Glow'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown, believed to be a native North American species R: Miss L. Dosser (c 1955), N: Miss L. Dosser, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, very soft pink, with a pale orange blotch

(r) **'Pink Goliath'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Antoon van Welie' × 'Professor J.H. Zaaijer' × 'Annie E. Endtz' R: P. van Nes, N: P. van Nes (1961), REG: P. van Nes (1961) Fls 15/truss, 100mm wide, strong purplish red (63B), blotch a little lighter with green-yellow stripes

(r) **'Pink Governor's Mansion'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943) Fls pink. Resembles 'Governor's Mansion' in all but flower colour

(a) **'Pink Gumpo'** (Syn. of 'Gumpo Pink')

(r) **'Pink Halcyon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *souliei* × Lady Bessborough Group H: A.E. Hardy (c 1967), G: A.E. Hardy, N: G.A. Hardy (1988), REG: G.A. Hardy (1988) Fls 6-7/truss, up to 45 × 100mm, 6-lobed, strong to moderate purplish pink (68B-C) in bud, opening white, but with a variable degree of flushing of light purplish pink (68D) on outside and with a moderate purplish red (186B) blotch in dorsal throat. Calyx rudimentary, green, fringed with red, glandular hairs. Lvs elliptic, up to 120 × 56mm, dark matt green above, pale green below, hairless. Shrub 3.8 × 2.5m in c20 years. Mid June. AM 1988

(r) **'Pink Highlight'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Genoveva' (s) × 'Champagne' (Tortoiseshell Group) H: U. Genzel (1987), G: U. Genzel, N: W. Schmalscheidt, I: U. Genzel (1998), REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1998) Fls 12-24/broadly rounded, compact truss, 38-48 × 50-80mm, pure pink, with brown-red markings on the dorsal lobe. Lvs 68-165 × 20-50mm, slightly waved, dark green above, with a felted, light brown indumentum below. Shrub 1.6 × 1.4m in 9 years. Late May-early June

(r) **'Pink Hill'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *brachycarpum* 'Montanum' hybrid R: D.G. Hobbie (1955), N: D.G. Hobbie (pre 1984) Fls in compact, globular trusses, pale rose, with very few pale orange-coloured spots. Rounded, compact shrub, 0.5 × 0.8m in 10 years

(a) **'Pink Hozan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Hozan' R: N. Hamilton-Smith, N: N. Hamilton-Smith, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink

(a) **'Pink Ice'** cv. Evergreen azalea: un-named, double pink, forcing "Belgium" azalea × 'Treasure' H: USDA, Glenn Dale (1947), G: USDA, Glenn Dale, N: USDA, Glenn Dale (1958), I: USDA, Glenn Dale (1962), REG: USDA, Glenn Dale (1962) Fls double, 75mm wide, with smooth-edged lobes, mallow purple (630/3) with occasional mallow purple (630/1) flakes. Lvs more-or-less obovate, dull green, hairless. Spreading shrub

(r) **'Pink Ice'** (Syn. of 'Pink Sherbet')

(a) **'Pink Ice No. 2'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Pink Ice' R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls larger and a deeper purple than parent

(r) **'Pink Icing'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (reddish-fld) × 'Catalode' H: O.S. Pride (pre 1970), G: O.S. Pride, N: O.S. Pride Fls clear light pink, fading almost yellow. Lvs similar to 'Catalode'

(a) **'Pinkie'** (Syn. of 'Aya-kanmuri')

(a) **'Pinkie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Osakazuki' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 70mm wide, deep rose pink (deep purplish pink (64D)), with a blotch of tyrian rose (vivid purplish red (57B)) dots and a faint yellow suffusion. Shrub to 1.9m. Midseason. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Pinkie'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown, believed to be a native N. American species R: Miss L. Dosser (c 1955), N: Miss L. Dosser, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, soft pink, with a light orange blotch

(a) **'Pinkie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L.L. Brooks (pre 1965), N: L.L. Brooks Fls single, hose-in-hose, pink. Indian

(r) **Pinkie Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × 'Lady Gwendoline Broderick' R: Sir John Ramsden, N: Sir John Ramsden, I: Sir John Ramsden (1938), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Pinkie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *aberconwayi* × 'Mars' R: R. Overstreet (pre 1971), N: R. Overstreet

(r) **'Pinkie Price'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Meadowbrook' × *fortunei* (s) × 'Meadowbrook' × *fortunei* R: H. Phipps (1951), N: H. Phipps, I: H. Phipps

(1971), REG: H. Phipps (1973) Fls up to 10/compact truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 95mm, 5-lobed, deep purplish pink (7.5RP 6/12) shading to almost white at edges, with two green dorsal blotches. Calyx minute. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 50mm. Shrub 2.5 × 1.5m in 21 years. Late May

(a) **'Pink Imperial'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Kurume azalea × *indicum* hybrid R: R.P. Mayo, N: R.P. Mayo, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 55mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, violet red (solferino purple, 26/1), with a darker blotch. Midseason. Kurume

(r) **'Pink, Inc.'** (Syn. of 'Pink Ink')

(r) **'Pink Ink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tony's Gift' (s) × 'Lady Bligh' H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 14/truss, open funnel-shaped, 53 × 70mm, 5-lobed, deep and strong purplish red (61A, B) in bud, opening white, heavily edged with a blend of purplish red (67A, B) and purplish pink (67C, D), with dark red (187A) dorsal spots; filaments and style pale yellow-green (155A); anthers yellowish white (158D); stigma vivid purplish red (57C). Lvs 96 × 45mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.6 × 1.5m in 18 years. Early June. Syn: 'Pink, Inc.'

(a) **'Pink in Pines'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *canescens* hybrid R: Transplant Nursery (pre 1987), N: Transplant Nursery Fls soft pink. Large shrub

(a) **'Pink Iris'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Hazlewood Bros (1971) Fls single or semi-double, rose pink. Indian

(r) **'Pink Jeans'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: sport from 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague' S: Briggs Nursery (1981), N: Briggs Nursery, I: Briggs Nursery (1989), REG: Briggs Nursery (1989) Fls 8-10/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 54 × 83mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds strong red (53B), opening to strong purplish red (58C) at margins shading to yellowish white (155D) in centre, with strong red (53B) spots on the dorsal half of the flower, lighter spotting on ventral half and with a rose red star in the throat. Calyx c10mm long, paleyellow-green (157A). Lvs elliptic, 133 × 44mm, concave, acute at apex, cuneate at base, with wavy margins, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 0.36 × 0.36m in 3 years. Early to mid May. Syn: 'Jean Marie Pink'

(a) **'Pink Jewel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Walter Allan Nursery (c 1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, strong purplish pink (55B). Lvs glossy. Kurume (Plant received from Fruitland Nursery)

(r) **'Pink Jewel'** (Syn. of 'O My')

(a) **'Pink Jolly'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Homebush' × un-named seedling R: P.E. Girard (pre 1982), N: P.E. Girard Fls 20-28/ball-shaped truss, 55mm wide, 8-lobed (some petaloid stamens), medium pink; scented. Lvs mid green, turning orange-yellow in autumn

(a) **'Pink Joy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: ? Japan (pre 1987) Fls double, hose-in-hose, large, edges deeply scalloped or fringed, light pink to salmon pink, with darker pink flecks. Indian (Introduced to USA (& ? named) by Nuccio's Nurseries)

(a) **'Pink Juno'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *occidentale* (s) × *cumberlandense* H: H. Meltzer (1988), G: H. Meltzer (1993), N: H. Meltzer (1998), REG: H. Meltzer (1998) Fls single, 15-18/rounded truss, 50mm wide, with 5 more-or-less flat-edged lobes, bright pink, with a broad, orange, dorsal flare; stamens and style long exserted; stigma green; scented. Lvs elliptic, 70 × 25mm, flat, matt green, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.6m in 9 years. June

(a) **'Pink Kiusianum'** (Syn. of 'Kermesinum')

(a) **'Pink Kow-koku'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Kow-koku' R: H. Kerrigan (pre 1965), N: H. Kerrigan Fls pink

(a) **'Pink Lace'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Helen Close' × 'Purple Splendor' R: W.L. Guttormsen (c 1966), N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1977) Fls 2-4/truss, hose-in-hose, up to 75mm wide, deep purplish pink (7.5RP 6/12). Lvs 40 × 20mm. Shrub to 0.6m

(a) **'Pink Lace'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Duc de Rohan' R: R.M. Milfeld (c 1966), N: R.M. Milfeld Fls 55-65mm wide, light pink, with moderate red blotch and variegated white edge

(a) **'Pink Lady'** (Syn. of 'Werner Muckel')

(a) **'Pink Lady'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt, I: E.A. Merritt (c 1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls not hose-in-hose, with wavy-edged lobes, shrimp pink, with a dark, speckled blotch. Kurume

(a) **'Pink Lady'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright salmon orange. Indian

(a) **'Pink Lady'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: W.C. Hage & Co., N: W.C. Hage & Co., I: W.C. Hage & Co. (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright pink, deeper in the centre. Early. Kurume

(a) **'Pink Lady'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: W.C. Slocock, N: W.C. Slocock, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, with a yellow eye

(a) **'Pink Lady'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Paul Schäme' R: H. Kerrigan (pre 1965), N: H. Kerrigan Fls double, light pink

(r) **'Pink Lady Rosebery'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* Roylei Group (s) × Royal Flush Group R: L. de Rothschild, L: Sunningdale Nurseries (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Syn: 'Lady Rosebery Pink Delight', 'Lady Rosebery Pink Beauty', 'Pink Delight' (Lady Rosebery Group)

(a) **'Pink Lady Schlipper'** cv. Deciduous azalea: sport from *schlippenbachii* R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1987), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls deep pink

(a) **'Pink Leach'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* R: unknown (1985) Fls pink

(r) **'Pink Leopard'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fred Wynniatt Group × Kilimanjaro Group H: R.J.R. Drayson (1979), G: Harkwood Acres (1985), N: Mrs A.J.A. Drayson, REG: Mr & Mrs Drayson (1987) Fls 10/truss, tubular-campanulate, 77 × 95mm, 5-lobed, strong red (50A & 51A) in bud, opening strong purplish red to strong pink (54A-C), with spotting on all lobes of dark red (187A), deep red (53A) and strong red (46A), spotting in the throat deep red (185A). Calyx 26mm long, folding back as it matures, deep to dark red (185A & 187A), spotted deep and strong red (53A & 46A). Lvs lanceolate, 90 × 33mm, hairless. Shrub 1.38 × 1.98m in 8 years. Mid May-early June

(v) **'Pink Lightning'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *javanicum* × *konori* H: unknown, G: G.L.S. Snell, N: R. Macdonald, I: Foothills Nursery (1990), REG: Foothills Nursery (1991) Fls 17/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 60 × 60mm, 5-lobed, vivid red (52A). Lvs elliptic, 130 × 55mm, twisted. Shrub 1.5m. Spring-autumn

(a) **'Pink Lights'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *R.* × *kosterianum* × *prinophyllum* H: H. Pellett (1957), G: H. Pellett, N: H. Pellett, I: H. Pellett, REG: H. Pellett (1983) Fls 9-10/truss, open funnel campanulate, 40 × 50mm, 5-lobed, moderate purplish pink (54D), with vivid yellowish pink (30C) dorsal spotting. Calyx 2.0mm long, moderate yellow-green (139C). Lvs oblanceolate to elliptic, 64 × 25mm, bullate, moderate yellow-green (138C), hairy. Shrub 1.9 × 1.5m in 24 years. Late May

(r) **'Pink Lights'** (Syn. of 'Boulter's Pink Lights')

(r) **'Pinklo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid (s) × unknown H: E.V. Mezitt (pre 1980), G: Weston Nurseries (pre 1985), N: E.V. Mezitt (pre 1985), I: Weston Nurseries (pre 1990), REG: R.W. Mezitt (1999) Fls 12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, c50 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (72D), with a large, copper-coloured, dorsal blotch. Calyx c1.5mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 50mm, margins decurved, broadly acute at apex, slightly rounded at base, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 0.5 × 0.6m in 7 years. Late May

(a) **'Pink Lustre'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Kurume azalea (s) × *kaempferi* R: R.P. Mayo, N: R.P. Mayo, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 40mm wide, violet red. Late. Kurume

(r) **'Pink Magic'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* var. *chapmanii* (s) × pink-flowered *ciliatum* H: A.E. Kehr (1971), G: A.E. Kehr (1977), N: A.E. Kehr, I: A.E. Kehr (1988), REG: A.E. Kehr (1994) Fls 15-16/ball truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 60 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (62C), speckled brown in the throat; stamens 5, curved. Calyx 6mm long, green. Pedicels 19mm long, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 76 × 25mm, flat, acute at apex, rounded at base, scaly below; petioles 10mm long, green, scaly. Shrub 1.1 × 0.6m in 10 years. April

(r) **'Pink Mango'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Nereid Group × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × 'Russell Harmon' H: D.G. Leach, G: O.S. Pride, N: O.S. Pride (pre 1978) Fls orange-red, with no trace of blue

(r) **'Pink Medley'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pygmalion' (s) × *brachycarpum* (as subsp. *tigerstedtii*) H: A.W. Smith (pre 1989), G: D. Irish-Hosler (1997), N: D. Irish-Hosler (2000), REG: D. Irish-Hosler (2000) Fls 19/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (55C), edged vivid purplish red (57D), with greenish yellow dorsal spotting; outside vivid purplish red (57D). Lvs elliptic, 125 × 50mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate to rounded at base, margins downcurved, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, with impressed veins, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in c12 years. Late May

(a) **'Pink Memories'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Rosa Belton' × *oldhamii* (s) × 'Rosa Belton' × *oldhamii* H: E.W. Jordan (1993), G: E.W. Jordan (1996), N: E.W. Jordan (1997), REG: E.W. Jordan (1998) Fls hose-in-hose, 7/flat truss, funnel-shaped, 35 × 50mm, with two whorls of 5, wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (63D) in bud, opening the same colour inside and out, with spots on the dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 40 × 13mm, flat, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, ciliate. Upright shrub, 0.6 × 0.45m in 3 years. Spring

(r) **'Pink Mermaid'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Azor Group, selfed H: B. Esch, G: B. Esch, N: B. Esch, I: B. Esch (c 1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 9/truss, 115mm wide, dawn pink, with darker edges and throat. Lvs 150 × 45mm

(a) **'Pink Mimosa'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *viscosum* × 'Koster's Brilliant Red' H: B.B.C. Felix (1938), I: Felix & Dijkhuis, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 6-8/truss, narrowly tubular funnel-shaped, 30 × 45mm, deep purplish pink; scented. Mollis

(r) **'Pink Mist'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *racemosum* × unknown L: Kellygreen Rhododendron Nursery (1993) Fls very small, pink and white. Lvs small. Shrub 0.45m in 10 years, with red stems. Midseason

(r) **'Pink Moonstone'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1980), I: Honsuchachac Rhododendron Garden (1980s), REG: Willamette Chapter Study Group (Am.Rh.Soc.) (1997) Fls 4-6/lax truss, open campanulate, 55 × 90mm, with 5-6 flat-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (62D) and fading to white, unmarked; opening outside light purplish pink (62C) and fading to white; stamens 12, with white filaments and tan anthers; stigma tan; style light yellow-green (154D). Calyx c1.5mm long, strong greenish yellow (151A). Pedicels greenish yellow (151). Lvs elliptic to orbicular, 55-65 × 40-45mm, margins decurved, apex

obtuse and mucronate, slightly cordate at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above in sun, moderate olive green (147A) in shade, hairless; petioles red. Shrub 1.1 × 1.8m in 18 years. Early April

(a) **'Pink Niobe'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Camellia Grove Nursery (1960) Fls soft silvery pink. (Probably the same plant also seen listed as 'Niobe Pink')

(r) **'Pink No. 3'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* H: J.B. Gable (pre 1972), G: J.B. Gable Fls rose pink. Midseason

(a) **'Pink Opal'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Agnes Neale' (s) × 'Splendens' H: E.W. Jordan (1993), G: E.W. Jordan (1996), N: E.W. Jordan (1998), REG: E.W. Jordan (1998) Fls 3/flat truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 70mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, very light purple (75C) in bud, opening the same colour inside and out, unspotted. Lvs elliptic, 40 × 15mm, flat, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, ciliate. Shrub 0.9 × 0.3m in 3 years. Spring

(a) **'Pink Pachyderm'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls in large trusses, large, light pink. Late May

(a) **'Pink Pancake'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Chinyeyi' × *nakaharae* H: T. Rokujo (1960), G: Mrs J.W. Hill (1970), N: Mrs J.W. Hill, I: Mrs J.W. Hill (1975-1976), REG: Mrs J.W. Hill (1976) Fls solitary, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (48C), with vivid red (57A) spots on the dorsal lobes. Calyx 4mm long, light green, silvery hairy. Lvs narrowly elliptic to oblanceolate, 30 × 10mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairy above and below. Shrub 0.25 × 1.0m in 14 years, with a dense, creeping habit. Early July. (Commercial introduction via Bovees Nursery, 1976)

(r) **'Pink Panther'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: pink form of *mucronulatum*, selfed H: E.K. Egan (1966), G: G.D. Lewis (1969), N: G.D. Lewis, I: G.D. Lewis (1975), REG: G.D. Lewis (1976) Fls 1/bud in an inflorescence of c5 buds, broadly funnel-shaped, 20 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63A) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (66C) with an insignificant blotch. Calyx very small. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 55 × 15mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (147A), with widely spaced, dark greenish scales above, amber scales below. Shrub 1.9 × 1.2m in 10 years. Late March-early April

(r) **'Pink Parasol'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *yakushimanum* R: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1968) Fls up to 13/truss, rotate-campanulate, to 75mm wide, 5-lobed, buds strong purplish red (8.5RP 5/11), opening to light purplish pink (5RP 7.5/5), darker outside; ageing to clear, pale pink (2.5R 9/3) with a darker band on exterior of each lobe; exterior and dorsal lobe lightly spotted strong orange-yellow. Lvs 115 × 40mm, with a heavy tan indumentum below. Shrub 0.6 × 1.4m in 17 years. Midseason

(a) **'Pink Parfait'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nancy of Robinhill' × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' H: R.C. Vines (pre 1990), N: R.C. Vines, I: R.C. Vines Fls double, 2/truss, 75-90mm wide, with up to 15 lobes, very light rosy pink, with a light rosy red blotch and a conspicuous green throat. Shrub 0.6 × 0.9m. Late May

(az) **'Pink Parfait'** cv. Azaleodendron: parentage unknown R: J. Senko, N: J. Senko (1961), REG: J. Senko (1962) Fls pink

(a) **'Pink Party Dress'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: M.E. Greentree, I: Camellia Lodge Nursery (1973) Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, pale pink, deep pink on lobe edges. Indian

(a) **'Pink Patootie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* hybrid S: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls star-shaped, pink with a deeper throat

(v) **'Pink Pazazz'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *konori* (West Irian form) × *zoelleri* H: A.W. Headlam (1977), G: A.W. Headlam (1983), N: G.L.S. Snell, I: Shrublands Nursery, REG: Shrublands Nursery (1988) Fls 5-6/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 60 × 100mm, 6-lobed, brilliant yellow (9C), with lobe edges strong pink (47D). Lvs ovate, 140 × 60mm, hairless. Shrub 1.2m tall. Autumn. (Sometimes seen as 'Pink Pizazz' (Vireya Venue cat., 1997), but registered as 'Pink Pazazz')

(a) **'Pink Pearce'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls light to strong purple. Midseason

(a) **'Pink Pearl'** (Syn. of 'Pink Pearl Foncé')

(a) **'Pink Pearl'** (Syn. of 'Haerewille Pink Pearl')

(a) **'Pink Pearl'** (Syn. of 'Azuma-kagami')

(a) **'Pink Pearl'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, soft pink. Kaempferi

(a) **'Pink Pearl'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum* form I: K. Wada (pre 1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 115mm wide, pale salmon pink, unmarked; rarely producing orange-scarlet selfs. Indian

(r) **'Pink Pearl'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'George Hardy' (s) × 'Broughtonii' R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1892), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 19/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 90-105mm, 5-lobed, rose in bud, opening mottled, soft mauvy pink fading to white at edges, with a ray of crimson brown markings. Calyx small. Shrub to over 2.0m. May-early June. AM 1897, AM 1952, FCC 1900 (The pollen parent may have been 'Cynthia')

(a) **'Pink Pearl Foncé'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport of the 'Vervaeneanum' series I: J.B. Haerens & Sons (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep to strong pink (52C-D), darker than the original 'Haereville Pink Pearl'. Syn: 'Pink Pearl'

(r) **'Pink Pebble'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *callimorphum* (s) × *williamsianum* H: E.G.W.W. Harrison, G: E.G.W.W. Harrison, N: E.G.W.W. Harrison, I: E.G.W.W. Harrison, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls funnel-shaped, clear pink. Shrub up to 1.0m. AM 1975

(a) **'Pink Peppermint'** cv. Deciduous azalea: wild-origin selection from *arborescens* S: O.S. Pride (pre 1985), N: O.S. Pride Fls light pink; scented

(a) **'Pink Perfection'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (1930-1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, pink. Coolidge

(a) **'Pink Perfection'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Eden Jane Alcott' × 'Pink Pearl' × 'Eden Frank Preston' × 'Howraku' R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith Fls 100mm wide, deep purplish pink, with a strong red (53B) blotch. Shrub 1.0m in 6 years

(r) **'Pink Perfection'** cv. Elepidoterhododendron: 'Pink Pearl' × 'Cynthia' R: R. Gill & Sons (pre 1928), N: R. Gill & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12-14/truss, deeper lilac pink than 'Pink Pearl'

(r) **'Pink Perfection'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1935), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink

(v) **'Pink Perfection'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Duchess of Edinburgh' × 'Princess Alexandra' R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1891), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink, tinged lilac

(a) **'Pink Pericat'** (Syn. of 'Pericat Pink')

(a) **'Pink Pericat'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Madame Pericat' R: Nuccio's Nurseries (pre 1985), N: Nuccio's Nurseries Fls hose-in-hose, mid to dark pink. Syn: 'Dark Pericat' (often seen as 'Dark Pericot')

(a) **'Pink Persuasion'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'George Lindley Taber' (s) × 'Red Red' R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls double ("rose-bud-like", with 15 or more lobes), 2/truss, 65mm wide, rosy pink. Late April. (First published in Holly Springs cat., 1990)

(a) **'Pink Petals'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Albert-Elisabeth' × 'Hino-crimson' R: Greenwood Gardens (c 1985), N: Greenwood Gardens Fls semi-double, 50mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (56D), with a white throat. Compact, low shrub

(r) **'Pink Petticoats'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from 'Jan Dekens' H: J.G. Lofthouse, G: J.G. Lofthouse (1963), N: J.G. Lofthouse, I: J.G. Lofthouse, REG: J.G. Lofthouse (1966) Fls up to 32/tall, compact truss, open funnel-shaped, 40×65mm, with wavy-edged lobes, china rose (024/1) at margin, china rose (024/2-3) at centre. Lvs narrowly elliptic, up to 200 × 70mm. Upright shrub, to 1.5 × 1.9m in 10 years. Mid May. (The raiser originally thought this was derived from self-ed seed but subsequently suggested that 'Britannia' could have been the pollen parent)

(a) **'Pink Phyrne'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Camellia Lodge Nursery (1977) Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, rose pink. Indian

(r) **'Pink Picotee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ponticum Roseum' × 'Lady of Wakefield' H: Scott Arboretum (1958), G: Scott Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister

(a) **'Pink Pincushion'** cv. Evergreen azalea: un-named seedling (no. A3) × 'Mrs L.C. Fischer' H: G.A. Reid (1959), G: G.A. Reid (1964), N: G.A. Reid, I: G.A. Reid (1972), REG: G.A. Reid (1976) Fls double, 3-4/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 45mm, with 5+7-9 wavy-edged lobes, spiraea red (025/2), with darker spots on the lower four to five lobes from the throat outwards. Calyx 3mm long, pod green (061/1). Lvs narrowly obovate, 30 × 13mm, parsley green (00962), glossy, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 4 years. Early May. (Linwood azalea no. L-8)

(r) **'Pink, Pink, Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Wheatley' (s) × 'Kimberly' H: M.J. Whitman (1989), G: M.J. & B. Whitman (1995), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (1998), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (1999) Fls 9/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (67B) in bud, opening inside with vivid purplish red (67B) margins, shading to pale purplish pink (65C) in centre, with two flares of deep purplish red (59B) in dorsal throat; outside deep purplish pink (67C). Lvs obovate, 125 × 65mm, flat, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 10 years. Early May

(r) **'Pink Pinwheels'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Flirt' (s) × 'Noyo Chief' H: F. Fujioka (1983), G: G.H. Kesterson (1987), N: G.H. Kesterson (2002), REG: G.H. Kesterson (2002) Fls 14/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (46B) to deep pink (52B) at base in bud, opening inside white (155D) with a vivid red (46C) picotee-like edging on all lobes; outside deep yellowish pink (46D) at margins, shading to a deep pink (52C) base. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 65mm, with downcurved margins, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, glossy and dark yellowish green (139A) above, the entire lower surface covered with moderate yellow (162B) hairs (which age to moderate orange-yellow (165C)); petioles similarly hairy. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 8 years. Early May

(a) **'Pink Plush'** cv. Deciduous azalea: derived from *cumberlandense* × *arborescens* G: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1963) Fls 6-8/truss, up to 55mm wide, deep pink (52C), tipped darker pink and with a faint orange blotch. Lvs 50 × 30mm, glaucous below. Shrub 1.0 × 0.8m. Late June. (Original seed received from a collector as "*furbishii*")

(r) **'Pink Polar Bear'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Polar Bear Group (s) × unknown H: J.D. Bottle (c 1983), G: J.D. Bottle (1996), N: J.D. Bottle (1997), REG: J.D. Bottle (1997) Fls 5-7/flat-topped truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 100mm wide, with 7 more-or-less flat-edged lobes, deep pink in bud, opening pale purplish pink (56B), throat carmine pink with a very few inconspicuous pink spots; style and stigma deeper pink; slightly scented. Calyx 4mm long, red, shortly glandular hairy. Lvs oblong-elliptic, c170-200 × 50-60mm, margins slightly decurved, acute at apex, truncate at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub c2.0 × 0.7m in 13 years

(r) **'Pink Pompon'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group × *racemosum* H: L. Hancock (pre 1978)

(v) **'Pink Poppet'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: Vireya Venue (pre 1996), N: Vireya Venue Fls small, rose pink. Compact shrub to 0.75m

(r) **'Pink Porcelain'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kew Pearl' × *yakushimanum* H: A.H. Burwell (1971), G: A.H. Burwell (1979), N: A.H. Burwell (1992), REG: A.H. Burwell (1992) Fls 15/truss, campanulate, 45 × 70mm, 5-lobed, openingrhodamine pink (527/1), gradually fading to blush white, the upper lobe with prominent fuchsine pink (627) spots inside throat; slightly scented. Calyx 8mm long, pink. Pedicels pink and stickily glandular. Lvs elliptic, 150-170 × 50-65mm acuminate at tip, hairless. Shrub 3.8m high. September (New Zealand)

(r) **'Pink Prelude'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Sarita Loder Group × *calophytum* × *macabeanum* H: Mrs E.M. Watson (1970), G: Mrs E.M. Watson, N: Mrs E.M. Watson, I: Mrs E.M. Watson (1982), REG: Mrs E.M. Watson (1986) Fls 21/ball to flat truss, oblique campanulate, 55 × 55mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (62A) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (65D), fading to pale purplish pink (62D), a blotch of dark red (187A) encircling base of corolla and a dorsal blotch with dark red (59A) spotting at edge. Calyx c1.5mm long, white tomentose. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 250 × 75mm, glossy, moderate olive green (137A) and with a prominent yellow-green (145) midvein above, lower surface with a light, yellowish grey (194C) indumentum (easily rubbed off); new growth with a thin, light yellowish pink (159A) tomentum. Shrub 2.5 × 2.5m in 14 years. Early March

(r) **'Pink Princess'** (Syn. of 'Gay Princess')

(a) **'Pink Profusion'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hexe' × 'Snow' R: USDA, N: USDA, Beltsville, I: USDA, Beltsville (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 40-50mm wide, pink, fading to light pink, with dark pink spots. Vigorous shrub, one-and-a-half times as tall as wide. (Derived from the work of G.E. Yerkes & R.L. Pryor)

(a) **'Pink Progress'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hinomayo' (s) × a Sander hybrid R: R deWilde, N: R. deWilde, I: Rhodo-Lake Nurseries (c 1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, pink. Kurume

(r) **'Pink Promise'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Dexter no.26 × *griersonianum* × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* H: The Scott Arboretum (pre 1958), G: The Scott Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister

(a) **'Pink Puff'** cv. Deciduous azalea: derived from naturally occuring *cumberlandense* × *arborescens* G: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach (1961), I: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1962) Fls 6-8/truss, 50-55mm wide, strong yellowish pink (2.5R 7/10), with a yellow (6.3YR 7.5/7) blotch. Lvs 90 × 27mm, glaucous below. Shrub 0.6 × 1.0m. Late June-early July. (Collected in the wild (1950) by D.G. Leach in Blue Ridge Mountains, North Carolina, USA)

(r) **'Pink Punch'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ('Catalgla' × *fortunei*) F2 H: H.R. Yates (1958), G: H.R. Yates, N: H.R. Yates, I: H.R. Yates (1970), REG: H.R. Yates (1971) Fls 15/pyramidal truss, funnel-campanulate, 70mm wide, 5-lobed, pink fading to pale pink edges, speckled with gold. Lvs oblong to elliptic, 125 × 50mm. Shrub 1.0 × 1.2m in 10 years

(r) **'Pink Queen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Mrs Randall Davidson Group × *campylogynum* R: Sir Edmund Loder (c 1930), I: Waterer (Knap Hill), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1972) Fls 10-12/compact, domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 65-75 × 100-125mm, with wavy-edged margins, white, with very pale pink veins, margins lightly flushed light purplish pink (73C), with slight, smudged spotting of reddish brown in throat on dorsal lobe. Buds very pale pink, heavily veined and flushed deep purplish pink (66C). Lvs 140-160 × 50-65mm, medium dark, dull green. Shrub c1.6m. *AM 1972

(r) **'Pink Queen'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group × *augustinii* R: C. Herbert (pre 1980), N: C. Herbert Fls 10-12 in a terminal inflorescence of 2-3 buds, flat campanulate, 45mm wide, light orchid pink. Lvs 55 × 20mm, mid green, bronze in winter. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 10 years. Mid April

(a) **'Pink Radiance'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Fedora' × unknown (probably 'Hinodegiri') H: L.A. Hindla (1958), G: L.A. Hindla, N: L.A. Hindla, I: L.A. Hindla, REG: L.A. Hindla (1977) Fls 2-4/truss, open funnel-shaped, 65mm wide, with 5 flat-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (55B) with slight deeper spotting on the dorsal lobe and a central, almost white, stripe on reverse of each lobe. Lvs broadly elliptic, 40 × 25mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, glossy, dark green and hairless above, minutely hairy below. Shrub 2.0 × 2.3m in 18 years. Mid May

(v) **'Pink Ray'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown L: Vireya Venue (1997) Fls tubular, soft pastel pink. Compact, very bushy shrub to c1.5m tall

(a) **'Pink Reward'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably a seedling from 'Reward' R: I.L. Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L. Amann Fls 65-75mm wide, strong purplish red (54A). Shrub 1.2m. Midseason

(a) **'Pink Ripples'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Little Beauty' × *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* R: Girard Nurseries, N: Girard Nurseries, I: Girard Nurseries (c 1962), REG: Girard Nurseries (1972) Fls hose-in-hose, to 40mm wide, with very wavy-edged lobes, magenta rose. Lvs 25 × 20mm, glossy. Shrub 0.4 × 0.37m

(a) **'Pink Rocket'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *viscosum* × pink *arborescens* R: Weston Nurseries (pre 1987), N: Weston Nurseries Fls 40mm wide, pink; scented. Lvs bluish green, light grey below, reddish in autumn. Early July

(r) **'Pink Rocket'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Rocket' × *yakushimanum* × 'Pink Parasol' H: R. Behring (1974), G: R. Behring (1982), N: R. Behring, REG: R. Behring (1986) Fls 13/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 30 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes and 0, 2 or 4 narrow, petaloid stamens, strong purplish pink (67D), throat light purplish pink (73C), outside with deep purplish pink (67C) ribs; dorsal lobe spotting vivid purplish red (67B). Calyx 2mm long, pale greenish yellow (2D). Lvs narrowly elliptic, wrinkled, initially dull, then glossy above, moderate olive green (146A), with a light, plastered, pale greenish yellow (160C) indumentum below which is easily rubbed off. Shrub 0.25 × 0.5m in 13 years. Mid May

(a) **'Pink Rosette'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.B. Gable (pre 1972), N: The Tingle Nursery Fls double, reddish pink. Gable

(r) **'Pink Rosette'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × 'Mrs E.C. Stirling' I: J.M.J. Evans (c 1956), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c14/globular truss, flat campanulate, with a cluster of petaloid stamens, pinkish white, suffused fuchsine pink (627/3), the lobes slightly darker. AM 1956

(a) **'Pink Ruffles'** (Syn. of 'Eri')

(a) **'Pink Ruffles'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Bobbink & Atkins, N: Bobbink & Atkins, I: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double and hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, strong purplish red (63B). Indian

(a) **'Pink Ruffles'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Exbury, N: Exbury, I: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, with an orange blotch. Knap Hill

(v) **'Pink Sally'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: (*konori* var. *phaeopeplum* × *lochiae*) × *leucogigas* × *laetum* H: J.L. Rouse (1981), G: G.L.S. Snell, N: R. Macdonald, I: Foothills Nursery (1990), REG: Foothills Nursery (1991) Fls 6/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 70 × 80mm, 5-lobed, tube light orange-yellow (16C), tinged pink, lobes deep pink (52C), fading. Lvs elliptic, 130 × 70mm. Shrub 1.5m. Spring-autumn

(r) **'Pink Satin'** (Syn. of 'Dexter's Pink Satin')

(r) **'Pink Satin'** (Syn. of 'Loderi Pink Satin')

(r) **'Pink Scallop'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Patricia Bosley' × 'Catalgla' R: unknown (pre 1998) Fls pink at margin, lighter pink in centre, with a striking blotch on the dorsal lobe. Medium to tall shrub. Early-mid June

(v) **'Pink Seedling'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: uncertain (pre 1962) Fls 14/truss, tubular, 30 × 25mm, tube white shading to pale pink, lobes light yellowish pink (36C) with darker edges. Lvs elliptic, 70-90 × 35mm. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. (Perhaps raised by J. Veitch & Sons)

(r) **'Pink Sensation'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1990)

(r) **'Pink Sheen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × *fortunei* H: L. Begg (1971), G: L. Begg (1976), N: L. Begg (1998), REG: L. Begg (1998) Fls 14/loose, domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 85 × 100mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (47B) in bud, opening pure white in throat and shading to pale purplish pink (65D) at lobe edges, outside with a strong purplish pink (62A) stripe down centre of lobes shading outwards to white; unmarked; stamens 14, uneven, anthers moderate reddish brown (174A), filaments greenish white (155C); ovary greyish yellow-green (194A), style light yellowish pink (159A), stigma moderate orange (167A). Calyx 5mm long, moderate yellowish green (146C). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 160 × 40mm, flat, acuminate at apex, attenuate at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 2.05 × 2.05m in 27 years. October (Australia)

(r) **'Pink Shell'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* (s) × 'H.M. Arderne' R: T.H. Lowinsky, N: T.H. Lowinsky, I: T.H. Lowinsky (1923), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink. AM 1923

(a) **'Pink Sherbet'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1985) Fls pink. Knap Hill

(r) **'Pink Sherbet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (Exbury form) (s) × unknown H: H.L. Larson (1969), G: J.A. Davis (1975), N: J.A. Davis, I: J.A. Davis (1979), REG: J.A. Davis (1983) Fls 8-12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 25 × 65mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (63B) in bud, opening light purplish pink (63D), throat slightly paler, edged strong purplish pink (63C), outside 63C; fades to near white. Calyx minute. Lvs between elliptic and narrowly elliptic, 125 × 50mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins downcurved, between moderate olive green (146A and 147A), with a heavy moderate orange-yellow and pale orange-yellow (165C-D) indumentum below; new shoots silvery tomentose. Shrub c0.6 × 0.6m in 7 years. Syn: 'Pink Ice'

(r) **'Pink Silk'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: (Cilpinense Group × Cilpinense Group), selfed and re-selfed H: A.J. Teese, G: A.J. Teese, N: A.J. Teese, I: A.J. Teese, REG: A.J. Teese (1981) Fls 3/truss, pale purplish pink (55D)

(a) **'Pink Single'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls pink. Kurume (Said to be cultivated in Australia and/or New Zealand)

(a) **'Pink Smoke'** (Syn. of 'Nuccio's Pink Smoke')

(a) **'Pink Smokey'** cv. Deciduous azalea: wild origin selection from *arborescens* S: O.S. Pride (c 1955), N: O.S. Pride Fls light to strong pink; scented. Shrub 0.6m in 10 years. Late

(a) **'Pink Snow'** (Syn. of 'Nuccio's Pink Snow')

(a) **'Pink Snow'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls light pink, with a yellow-green throat and red spotting

(r) **'Pink Snowflakes'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *racemosum* × *moupinense* R: R.W. Scott, N: R.W. Scott, REG: R.W. Scott (1968) Fls 2-3/truss, open funnel-shaped, up to 40mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, bright red in bud, opening white, flushed moderate purplish pink (62B), with darker spots. Lvs elliptic, 30 × 17mm, shiny; new foliage bronze red. Shrub c40 × 56cm. Very early

(r) **'Pink Solace'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Charles Dickens' × 'Atrosanguineum' × *yakushimanum* H: W.M. Fetterhoff (1966), G: W.M. Fetterhoff (1974), N: W.M. Fetterhoff, REG: W.M. Fetterhoff (1989) Fls 12/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 30 × 60mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (57C) in bud, opening vivid purplish red (57D), fading to light purplish pink (62C), with a pinkish white streak along midrib of each lobe; outside 57D. Calyx minute. Lvs elliptic, 50-75 × 20-30mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green and hairless above, with a moderate yellow (161A), felt-like indumentum below. Shrub 0.8 × 1.1m in 23 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Pink Sparkler'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C.O. Dexter, I: J. Vermeulen & Son (1972) Fls pink in bud, opening to shiny pink and white; scented. Shrub 1.2m. Midseason

(r) **'Pink Spectacle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pink Cameo' (s) × 'Pink Cameo' H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 10/truss, open funnel-shaped, 68 × 89mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, reddish purple and purplish pink (77A, 70B, C) in bud, opening to a blend of strong and light purple (77B-D), with deep greenish yellow (153A) and dark reddish orange (173A) dorsal spots; filaments and style vivid purplish red (57B); anthers very light purple (75C); stigma dark reddish orange (173A). Lvs 102 × 51mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 1.8m in 18 years. Early June

(r) **'Pink Splash'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Daniela' (s) × 'Souvenir of Anthony Waterer' × 'Direktor E. Hjelm' H: H.J.A. Guyens (1993), G: H.J.A. Guyens (2000), N: H.J.A. Guyens (2001), I: H.J.A. Guyens, REG: H.J.A. Guyens (2001) Fls 17-20/tight, globular truss, funnel-shaped, 60 × 70mm, with 5 rather wavy-edged lobes, green in bud, opening inside intense, bright pink, outside light red; dorsal lobes with a blackish red blotch and red-brown spots on a cream ground; stamens white. Lvs elliptic, 85-130 × 30-50mm, flat to slightly decurved at margins, acute at apex and base, with a partial covering of brown hairs (less so with age). Shrub 0.65 × 0.6m in 8 years. Late April-early May

(a) **'Pink Splendor'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L.L. Brooks (pre 1965), N: L.L. Brooks Fls semi-double, pink. Indian

(a) **'Pink Star'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum*, deep salmon form (s) × 'Hazel Dawson' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65mm wide, with narrow lobes, begonia rose (deep pink (50B)), with a tyrian rose (vivid purplish red (57B)) blotch on the dorsal lobe. Shrub 1.2m. Mid-late May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Pink Star Shell'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *pseudochrysanthum* (Ben Nelson form) (s) × 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague' H: M.J. Whitman (1993), G: M.J. & B. Whitman (1998), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (1998), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (1998) Fls 9/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (66A) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (66C) throughout, fading to pale purplish pink (62D) at centre and with light purplish pink (62C) edges; moderate purplish red (64A) spotting on three dorsal lobes. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 45mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.5 × 0.5m in 5 years. Mid April

(r) **'Pink Sunrise'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Holden' (s) × 'Apritan' H: M.J. Whitman (1997), G: M.J. & B. Whitman (2002), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (2002), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (2002) Fls 14/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 7 wavy to very wavy-edged, overlapping lobes, deep purplish pink (73A) in bud, opening inside cream with a narrow edge of deep purplish pink (73A) and a pale greenish yellow (1D) throat; outside similar to inside but with deep purplish pink (73A) midribs; inconspicuous pale green spotting in the throat; stigma vivid to brilliant yellowish green (140A-B). Lvs elliptic, 155 × 65mm, margins flat to wavy, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.5 × 0.5m in 5 years. Early May

(a) **'Pink Supreme'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Pericat (? c 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, medium pink. Indian

(v) **'Pink Swan'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown I: Vireya Venue (1997) Fls silvery pink; scented. Lvs strong green, fleshy. Spreading shrub to 1.0m tall

(r) **'Pink Symphony'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × Diva Group H: D.L. Hardgrove (?pre 1958) Fls pink

(a) **'Pink Tenino'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Tenino' R: Greenwood Gardens (pre 1985), N: Greenwood Gardens Fls hose-in-hose, 75mm wide,

deep purplish pink (61D). Rather dwarf. Late. (Published in Stubbs Shrubs cat., 1983-1984)

(a) **'Pink Tiger'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum* × unknown R: unknown (pre 1994) Fls single, with very wavy-edged lobes, lavender pink, with purplish red spots in the throat. Shrub 1.5m, of dense habit. Late

(r) **'Pink Tipp'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pink Icing' × red *catawbiense* × 'Caroline' (Gable): exact combination unknown H: O.S. Pride (pre 1970), G: O.S. Pride, N: O.S. Pride, I: O.S. Pride (pre 1980) Fls small, white, the lobes with pink tips. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years, very compact

(r) **'Pink Touch'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Charles S. Sargent' × 'Lodestar' × 'Great Lakes' H: O.S. Pride (pre 1963), G: O.S. Pride, N: O.S. Pride, I: O.S. Pride (pre 1980) Fls very pale pink. Very compact shrub

(a) **'Pink Treasure'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C.B. van Nes & Sons, N: C.B. van Nes & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose or clear pink. Kaempferi

(r) **'Pink Truffle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'La Bar's White' × *fortunei* H: W.E. Delp (1973), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 57 × 80mm, with 7 very wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish purple and deep purplish pink (72C, D) shading to light purplish pink and very pale purple (73C, D) in bud, opening very pale purple (73D) and deep purplish pink (72D), with sparse, moderate yellow (163C) and brilliant greenish yellow (1A) specks in the throat; filaments very pale purple (73D); style strong purplish pink (73B); anthers pale orange-yellow (159C); stigma dark red (59A). Lvs 152 × 70mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 19 years. Early June

(r) **'Pink Twins'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: red-flowered *catawbiense* × hybrid of *haematodes* H: J.B. Gable (1933), G: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable, REG: Gable Study Group, USA (1991) Fls hose-in-hose, 15 or more/ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, with 6 ruffled-edged lobes, c41 × 51mm or more, deep pink in bud, opening light pink. Calyx c25mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs ovate/elliptic, 76 × 38mm, mucronate at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 0.4 × 0.4m in 3 years, 1.2m tall when mature. Midseason. Syn: 'Cathaem No. 4' (Published in *Rhododendron in America*, Van Veen (1969))

(a) **'Pink Vervaene'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Madame Joseph Vervaene' R: Camellia Lodge Nursery (pre 1977), N: Camellia Lodge Nursery Fls double, bright pink, with a dark throat. Indian

(r) **'Pink Walloper'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anna' (s) × 'Marinus Koster' H: H. Lem (pre 1965), G: H. Lem, N: H. Lem, I: H. Lem (pre 1970), REG: G. Bell (1995) Fls 16/tall, domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 80 × 125mm, with 5 wavy-edged, overlapping lobes, the corolla puckered at calyx, vivid red (57A) in bud, opening white with a 5-10mm wide margin of vivid purplish red (57D) and with four narrow rays of vivid red (57A) spots on the dorsal lobe (showing through slightly on reverse); a very thin pink line down centre of each lobe inside and three pink lines on the reverse (the middle line brighter); stamens 12-13, curved, unequal; style pinkish red; pistil dark red. Pedicels 40-45mm long, dark red and green. Calyx 10mm long, light green and red. Lvs ovate, 178-216 × 70-83mm, flat, twisted at apex, broadly acute at apex and rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (146D) below; new growth glaucous; petioles 20-22mm long, whitish. Shrub 2.0 × 1.4m in 10 years. May

(a) **'Pink William'** (Syn. of 'Ilam Pink William')

(a) **'Pink Window'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 50mm wide, rose pink. Kurume

(r) **'Pink Wonder'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from open-pollinated *yakushimanum* G: J.E. Ford (1973), N: Plant Name Committee, Ohio State University, REG: J.E. Ford (1984) Fls 12-13/truss, open funnel-shaped, 30 × 40mm, 5-lobed, strong reddish purple (10P 5/10), shading to a large, irregular light purplish pink area in the throat, moderate yellow-green dorsal spotting in the throat, outside strong purplish red. Calyx 4mm long, strong greenish yellow. Lvs elliptic, 80-100 × 45-53mm, with patchy, grey-brown indumentum below. Young foliage indumentum light brown. Shrub c0.8m tall in 12 years. (Grown from seed collected by J.E. Ford in 1970)

(r) **'Pinky Dinky'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Bibiani Group (s) × 'Ruddy Red Max' H: A.W. Smith (pre 1989), G: D. Irish-Hosler (1999), N: D. Irish-Hosler (2000), REG: D. Irish-Hosler (2000) Fls 14/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light reddish purple (74C) at edges, fading slightly towards centre, with maroon spotting on the dorsal lobe; outside somewhat darker than light reddish purple (74C). Lvs elliptic, 150 × 65mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins downcurved, semi-glossy and dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in c12 years. Early

(a) **'Pinky Pearce'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Greer Gardens (1983) Fls light to mid pink

(r) **'Pinnacle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ignatius Sargent' × 'Mrs Charles S. Sargent' × pink *catawbiense* seedling H: A.M. Shammarello (1943), G: A.M. Shammarello, N: A.M. Shammarello, I: A.M. Shammarello (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a conical truss, funnel-shaped, 65mm wide, pure pink with a citron yellow blotch. Lvs 115 × 50mm, mid green. Shrub 2.1 × 1.5m in 30 years

(r) **'Pin Oak'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Catalode' H: H.A. Schannen (c 1972), G: R.R. Huber, I: R.R. Huber Fls white. Compact shrub

(a) **'Pinocchio'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Bridal Veil' (s) × 'Azuma-no-hana' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-2/truss, 50-65mm wide, white, with scarlet red (vivid reddish orange (42A)) stripes. Shrub to 1.5m, with a very dense habit. Early-mid May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Pinocchio'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Pericat, N: A. Pericat, I: A. Pericat, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, 30mm wide, dark rose. Indian

(a) **'Pinto'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' × 'Willy' (s) × 'Mrs Carmichael' × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 65mm wide, white, striped and flaked a little brighter than eugenia red (moderate red (180B)). Lvs deep green, glossy. Dense shrub to 1.5m. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Pinwheel'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R. Henny, I: L. Henny, REG: L. Henny (1963) Fls 7/truss, funnel-shaped, up to 95mm wide, 7-lobed, creamy yellow, with a gold centre and each lobe with a chinese rose stripe. Lvs elliptic, 135 × 50mm. Shrub to 2.2m. June

(r) **'Pioneer'** (Syn. of 'Gable's Pioneer')

(r) **Pioneer Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* (s) × 'Arthur Osborn' H: Lord Aberconway (1934), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(r) **'Pioneer Silvery Pink'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Gable's Pioneer' (s) × unknown R: Hoogendoorn Nurseries (pre 1980), N: Hoogendoorn Nurseries, I: Hoogendoorn Nurseries (pre 1989), REG: A.R. Brooks (1997) Fls 17/multi-budded, ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 30 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (65A) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (65C) inside, irregularly shaded deep purplish pink (70C) and lightly spotted moderate purplish red (186A) on dorsal lobe; outside moderate purplish pink (65A), slightly darker along midribs. Calyx c1.5mm long, yellow-green. Lvs elliptic, 55-70 × 20-30mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, scaly below (scales less than 0.1mm wide, dense but not touching, rust-coloured). Shrub 2.1 × 1.8m in 15 years. Early May. (Published in Weston Nurseries cat. (1989))

(r) **'Pipaluk'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor Stocker' (s) × *williamsianum* R: E.G.W.W. Harrison, N: E.G.W.W. Harrison, REG: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1968) Fls 8/truss, 50 × 75mm, tinged pink at first but turning completely white when fully open

(r) **'Pipit'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lowndesii* × *lepidotum* I: Glendoick Gardens Ltd, REG: Glendoick Gardens Ltd (1970) Fls very light purple (75C). Shrub 0.3m in 10 years. (Natural hybrid, raised from SSW seed, collected in Nepal in 1954)

(a) **'Pippa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* × *oldhamii* R: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, soft lilac pink. Semi-dwarf, spreading shrub

(a) **'Pippin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Osakazuki' (s) × 'Kagaribi' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, rather starry, 50-65mm wide, between geranium pink (strong pink (48C)) and rose dorée (deep yellowish pink (43C)), with an inconspicuous blotch of small rose (strong purplish red (63B)) dots, base of tube almost white; anthers brown. Lvs narrow. Shrub to 1.5m. Late April. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Pipsqueak'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Delp's Small Fry' × 'Hi Tech' H: W.E. Delp (1985), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 8/truss, open funnel-shaped, 38 × 44mm, 5-lobed, dark purplish pink (186C) in bud, opening shades of light, very light and very pale purple (75A, B, C, 76D), with light greenish yellow (1C) dorsal spots; anthers strong yellowish pink (37A). Lvs 57 × 25mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, scaly. Shrub 0.9 × 0.8m in 7 years. Mid May. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer (1992))

(r) **'Piquante'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *valentinianum* (s) × *leucaspis* R: E.G.W.W. Harrison, N: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1961), I: E.G.W.W. Harrison, REG: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1961) Fls 3/truss, 30 × 50mm, pale yellow, deeper in centre

(a) **'Pirate'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum*, orange form (s) × 'Momozono' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls irregularly hose-in-hose, 2-3/truss, 45-50mm wide, a little lighter than scarlet red (vivid reddish orange (42A)), with a very heavy blotch of nopal red (vivid red (45A)) on the dorsal lobe and spreading on to adjacent lobes. Lvs small, dark green. Shrub 1.9m. Late April-early May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Pirate'** (See 'The Pirate')

(r) **Pirate Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'B. de Bruin' (s) × *meddianum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red

(r) **'Pirianda Blush'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Coral Queen' × 'Hawk Crest' H: H. Ansell (1976), G: H. Ansell (1985), N: Mrs G. Ansell, REG: Mrs G. Ansell (1987) Fls 13-15/truss, funnel-shaped, 60 × 100mm, 7-lobed, yellowish white (158D), with a red-green flare on the dorsal lobe. Pedicels red. Lvs elliptic, 130 × 55mm. Shrub 2.0m tall

(r) **'Pirianda Chestnut Flare'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Jalisco Group × *yakushimanum* H: H. Ansell (1976), G: H. Ansell (1985), N: Mrs G. Ansell, REG: Mrs G. Ansell (1987) Fls 18-20/truss, funnel-shaped,

40 × 90mm, 5-lobed, strong pink (48D), with a moderate orange (171D) flare on the dorsal lobes. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 40mm. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m

(r) **'Pirianda Green Flare'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs P.D. Williams' × Margaret Dunn Group H: H. Ansell (1975), G: H. Ansell (1984), N: Mrs G. Ansell, REG: Mrs G. Ansell (1987) Fls c17/truss, funnel-shaped, 30 × 90mm, 7-lobed, light purplish pink (55C), shading to pale purplish pink (56D), with a strong greenish yellow (151A) flare on the dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 40mm. Shrub 1.2 × 1.0m in 10 years.

(r) **'Pirianda Harvey'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *johnstoneanum* × Chrysomanicum Group H: H. Ansell (c 1975), G: H. Ansell (1980), N: Mrs G. Ansell, I: Mrs G. Ansell (1986), REG: Mrs G. Ansell (1987) Fls 7-8/truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 60mm, 5-lobed, light greenish yellow (4B). Lvs elliptic, 80 × 35mm. Shrub 1.5m tall

(r) **'Pirianda Lilac'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × *yakushimanum* × Dainty Group H: H. Ansell (1973), G: H. Ansell (1985), N: Mrs G. Ansell, REG: Mrs G. Ansell (1987) Fls 20/truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 70mm, 5-lobed, very pale purple (69A) with a moderate purplish red (59C) flare on the dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 50mm, with a light brown indumentum on young leaves. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 13 years

(r) **'Pirianda Pink'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: Bric-à-Brac Group × seedling from Cilpinense Group H: H. Ansell (c 1975), G: H. Ansell (1981), N: Mrs G. Ansell, REG: Mrs G. Ansell (1987) Fls 2-3/truss, funnel-shaped, 45 × 40mm, 5-lobed, strong red (53D), fading to centre. Lvs oblanceolate, 45 × 20mm; petioles red. Shrub 1.0m tall, with red bark

(r) **'Pirol'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catawbiense Grandiflorum' × *wardii* hybrid (s) × 'Moonshine Crescent' R: W. Nagel (1971), N: W. Nagel, I: W. Nagel (1998), REG: ICRA (2000) Fls light yellow, with a red basal blotch

(r) **'Pirouette'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' × 'Pink Petticoats' H: J.G. Lofthouse, G: J.G. Lofthouse, N: J.G. Lofthouse, I: J.G. Lofthouse, REG: J.G. Lofthouse (1973) Fl light purplish pink (62C)

(a) **'Piscataqua Party Girl'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* (s) × 'Martha Hitchcock' H: J.B. Parks (1982), G: J.B. Parks, N: J.B. Parks, REG: J.B. Parks (2000) Fls 3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light purple (75A) in bud, opening inside with a very light purple (76B) border, paling abruptly below the border and gradually becoming white at base, with greyed brown (close to moderate brown (165A)) dorsal spotting; outside very light purple (76B) at edge, changing very gradually to very pale purple (76D) at base. Calyx c8mm long, strong to moderate yellow-green (143C-D). Lvs elliptic, 70 × 30mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins flat, dull and dark green (136A) above, with white hairs on the upper leaf surface; almost deciduous in harsher climates. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 18 years. Late May

(a) **'Piscataqua Red Ace'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* (s) × 'Girard's Hot Shot' H: J.B. Parks (1982), G: J.B. Parks, N: J.B. Parks, REG: J.B. Parks (2000) Fls 2-3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate red (180B) in bud, opening brick red (close to moderate red (180B)) inside and out, with a small, moderate red (180A), dorsal blotch. Calyx c8mm long, moderate yellow-green (139D). Lvs elliptic, 45 × 20mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins flat, dull and strong yellow-green (143B) above, with hairs on the upper leaf surface; almost deciduous in harsher climates. Shrub 0.45 × 1.2m in 18 years. Late May

(a) **'Pisgah Rose'** cv. Deciduous azalea: wild-origin selection from *vaseyi* on Mount Pisgah, North Carolina, USA S: L.C. Towe (pre 1987), N: L.C. Towe Fls 30mm wide, moderate pink. Lower growth habit than normal. Midseason

(a) **'Pissaro'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown G: E. de Rothschild (1970s), S: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: Exbury Enterprises (1997), REG: E. de Rothschild (1997) Fls single, "hibiscus-like", 7/truss, 65 × 90mm, with 5 narrow, pointed and well-spaced lobes, moderate red (47A) in bud, opening strong pink (48D) with darker flushes and veining of deep pink (48B), dorsal flare strong orange (24A); outside of tube moderate red (47A) with strong red (47B) flushes; filaments and style similarly coloured, stigma green. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 70 × 32mm. May. Syn: 'Chalice' (Solent Group)

(a) **'Pistil Packin Mama'** cv. Deciduous azalea: wild-origin selection from *occidentale* S: H.J. Slonecker (1974), N: H.J. Slonecker, I: H.J. Slonecker (1975), REG: H.J. Slonecker (1977) Fls 10-12/truss, 17 × 7-10mm, the lobes separate, 17 × 3.0mm, densely ciliate, light yellowish green (145C), tinged pink; pistil 65mm long, the style deep red (53B); stamens absent. Calyx 3mm long, light yellowish green (145C), tinged pink, densely ciliate. Lvs oblanceolate to narrowly elliptic, 65 × 22mm, broadly acute at apex, narrowly cuneate at base, ciliate, glossy and moderate yellow-green (137C) above, midrib hairy below; petiole hairy. Shrub 2.1 × 2.1m. Mid-late May

(a) **'Pistil Pete'** cv. Deciduous azalea: wild-origin selection from *occidentale* S: H.J. Slonecker (1974), N: H.J. Slonecker, I: H.J. Slonecker (1975), REG: H.J. Slonecker (1977) Fls 17-22/truss, lobes small and cut to base, 12.5-17.5 × 2.5mm, densely hairy externally, pale greenish yellow (150D); pistil 65-70mm long, style purplish red (54B); stamens absent. Calyx 2-3mm long, pale greenish yellow (150D), densely hairy. Lvs oblanceolate to narrowly elliptic, 55 × 15mm, acute at apex, narrowly cuneate at base, ciliate, glossy and moderate olive

green (137B) above, midrib hairy below; petiole hairy. Shrub 1.8 × 1.2m. Late May

(a) **'Pitti Sing'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 30mm wide, phlox pink, deeper at edges. Kurume

(a) **'Pixi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: M.E. Greentree, I: Camellia Lodge Nursery (1973) Fls single, white, with purple stripes. Indian

(a) **'Pixie'** (Syn. of 'Pyxie')

(a) **'Pixie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Kyumiyagino' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 1-3/truss, 45-55mm wide, white, with central rays of spinel pink (strong purplish red (59D)), with a spinel red (moderate purplish red (58A)) dorsal blotch and occasional stripes. Broad, spreading shrub, to 1.5m tall. Mid April. Glenn Dale

(r) **Pixie Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *forrestii* Repens Group × *dichroanthum* subsp. *apodectum* H: Lord Aberconway (1932), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red

(r) **'Pixie Belle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hydon Dawn' (s) × 'Kubla Khan' H: H. & M. Stockman (1990), G: H. & M. Stockman (1997), N: H. Stockman (2002), REG: H. & M. Stockman (2002) Fls (9-)12(-14)/domed truss, funnel-campanulate, 45×70mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, medium pink in bud, opening inside light pink with a few, red, dorsal speckles, outside mid pink. Calyx variable, ventral lobes c25mm long, dorsal lobes c40mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 40mm, margins downcurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and dark green above, with fine, tan-coloured hairs below. Shrub 0.9 × 1.5m in 12 years. Early April-May

(a) **'Pixie Petticoat'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls 30mm wide, hose-in-hose, with wavy-edged lobes, purple. Low habit. Kurume

(r) **'Pixie Queen'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Multiflorum' × hardy white rhododendron R: I. Davies (pre 1898), N: I. Davies, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in compact clusters, with wavy-edged lobes, pure white. Dwarf, greenhouse shrub c30cm. March (or earlier under glass)

(r) **'Pizarro'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls fine satiny rose

(r) **'Pizzazz'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Pizzazz')

(r) **PJM Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group × *dauricum* Sempervirens Group H: E.V. Mezitt (1939), G: E.V. Mezitt (1947), N: E.V. Mezitt, I: E.V. Mezitt (1975), REG: Weston Nurseries (1987) Fls 10-15/flat, ball truss, open funnel-shaped, typically c25xc40mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, lilac purple to light violet. Lvs elliptic, 32-51 × 19-25mm, flat or convex, obtuse at tip, cuneate at base, glossy green above, scaly; scales green at first, ageing rust-coloured. Winter foliage colour bronze mahogany. Shrub 1.2-1.8 × 1.2m in 10 years. Late April-early May

(r) **'PJM Checkmate'** (Syn. of 'Checkmate')

(r) **PJM compact** (A descriptive reference, not an epithet, referring to compact selections from the PJM Group. Used by many growers and covers a range of forms)

(r) **'PJM Elite'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group × *dauricum* Sempervirens Group H: E.V. Mezitt (1939), G: E.V. Mezitt (1947), N: E.V. Mezitt, I: E.V. Mezitt (1975), REG: Weston Nurseries (1987) Fls 10-15/flat, ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 25 × 38mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish purple (72C). Lvs elliptic, 32-51 × 19-25mm, convex, obtuse at tip, cuneate below, glossy green above, scaly; scales green at first, ageing rust-coloured. Winter foliage colour bronze mahogany. Shrub 1.8 × 1.2m in 10 years. Late April-early May. Syn: 'Elite' (PJM Group)

(r) **'P.J. Mezitt'** (Syn. of 'Peter John Mezitt')

(r) **'PJM-K'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group × *dauricum* Sempervirens Group H: E.V. Mezitt (pre 1994), G: Weston Nurseries, S: Knuttel Nursery (pre 1996)

(r) **'PJM Regal'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group × *dauricum* Sempervirens Group H: E.V. Mezitt (1939), G: E.V. Mezitt (1947), N: E.V. Mezitt, I: E.V. Mezitt (1975), REG: Weston Nurseries (1987) Fls 10-15/flat, ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 25 × 38mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (72A). Lvs elliptic, 32-51 × 19-25mm, convex, obtuse at tip, cuneate at base, glossy green above, scaly; scales green at first, ageing rust-coloured. Winter foliage colour bronze mahogany. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 10 years. Late April-early May. Syn: 'Regal' (PJM Group)

(r) **'PJM Resistant'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown, presumably a selection from PJM Group L: USA (1994)

(r) **'PJM Victor'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group × *dauricum* Sempervirens Group H: E.V. Mezitt (1939), G: E.V. Mezitt (1947), N: E.V. Mezitt, I: E.V. Mezitt (1970), REG: Weston Nurseries (1987) Fls 10-15/flat, ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 25 × 38mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish purple (72B). Lvselliptic, 32-51×19-25mm, flat to convex, obtuse at tip, cuneate at base, glossy green above, scaly; scales green at first, ageing to rust-coloured. Winter foliage colour bronze mahogany. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 10 years. Late April-early May. (PJM Group)

(r) **'PJM White No. 1'** (Syn. of 'Balta)

(a) **'Placid'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* hybrid (s) × 'Snow' R: USDA, N: USDA, I: USDA (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 45mm wide, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, white, tinted green when opening. Low, compact shrub. (Derived from the work of G.E. Yerkes & R.L. Pryor)

(a) **'Placida'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1839), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Has been listed in error as 'Plaida')

(r) **'Plaineye'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *augustinii* (s) × 'Saint Tudy' R: E.G.W.W. Harrison, N: E.G.W.W. Harrison, I: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1956), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 4-8/truss, 40 × 50-75mm, lavender blue, unspotted

(r) **'Plain Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Gable's Tom Thumb', selfed H: J.B. Gable (pre 1972) Fls clear pink, unmarked. Syn: 'Tommy No. 3' (Tommy Group)

(r) **'Plane View Appleblossom'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: sport from PJM Group G: M.J. Medeiros, S: M.J. Medeiros, N: M.J. Medeiros, I: M.J. Medeiros, REG: A.R. Brooks (1999) Fls 8-12/multibudded ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 30 × 50mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, buds moderate purplish pink (186D) at apex, shading to pale purplish pink (65D) at base, opening inside moderate purplish pink (186D) with very light speckling of moderate purplish red (186B) at base of dorsal lobe, outside moderate purplish pink (186D) shading to deep purplish pink (70C) at base of midribs. Calyx c1.5mm long, light yellow-green (145C). Lvs elliptic, 30-50 × 20-25mm, flat, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and dark green (136A) above, developing a mahogany tint in winter; very numerous, rust-coloured scales on lower surface. Shrub 0.9 × 0.6m in 6 years. Late April

(r) **'Planters Punch'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Frilled Cream', open-pollinated H: T.L. Ring (1977), G: T.L. Ring (1987), N: T.L. Ring, REG: T.L. Ring (1998) Fls 12/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 50mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (49A) in bud, opening pale yellow (11D), shading to pale greenish yellow (2D) in the throat and with strong pink (49A) rays in the centre. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 50mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.5m in 15 years

(a) **'Planting Fields'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Bobbink & Atkins, N: W.R. Coe, I: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft apricot. Indian

(r) **'Planum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *yakushimanum* L: USA (1982) (Perhaps an error for 'Plenum')

(r) **'Platinum'** cv. Parentage unknown H: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (pre 1980)

(v) **'Platinum Blonde'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* × 'Sweet Wendy' H: G.L.S. Snell (1978), G: R. Macdonald (1989), N: R. Macdonald (1992), I: Foothills Nursery (1992), REG: Foothills Nursery (1992) Fls 6-9/flat, lax truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 60 × 80mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, inside vivid yellow (13A), the lobes vivid yellow (15A) tinged red, outside vivid yellow (13A). Lvs obovate, 70 × 35mm, flat, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 1.0m. Spring to autumn

(r) **'Platinum Ice'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *augustinii* × *maddenii* R: M. Jury (pre 1998), N: M. Jury Fls 4-5/truss, large, ice blue, ageing to white; scented. Shrub to 1.8m. Late

(r) **'Platinum Pearl'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Trude Webster' × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* R: H.E. Greer (pre 1983), N: H.E. Greer Fls pearl pink, with a dark rose blotch. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years

(a) **'Plato'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. Indian

(r) **'Pleasant'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* (s) × *thomsonii* R: Sir James Horlick (pre 1955), N: Sir James Horlick, INC: ICRA (1958) (Exminster Group)

(a) **'Pleasant Blush'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: D.B. Stanton (pre 1973), N: Mrs R. Skott (c 1979) Fls double, pale purplish red (55D)

(v) **'Pleasant Companion'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lochiae* (s) × *konori* × 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' H: W.A. Moynier (1976), G: W.A. Moynier (1981), N: W.A. Moynier, REG: W.A. Moynier (1994) Fls 4-5/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped (with a cylindrical tube), 64 × 70mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, vivid red (52A) throughout; stamens 9-11, straight, unequal; strongly scented. Pedicels 22mm long, pinkish cream. Lvs broadly elliptic, 64 × 44mm, concave, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base; petioles 16mm long, tan, scaly. Shrub 0.7 × 1.1m in 18 years. Best flowering May-July, but some occurring all year

(r) **'Pleasant Dream'** cv. Parentage unknown: sister seedling of 'Blind Date' R: W.E. Whitney (c 1962), N: G. & Mrs A. Sather, I: G. & Mrs A. Sather (1974), REG: G. & Mrs A. Sather (1975) Fls 8-10/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 125mm wide, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (68A) in bud, opening strong purplish pink (68B) with yellow shadings and small, dorsal spotting of moderate reddish orange (35B); scented. Calyx 20mm long, 6-lobed, pale yellow (19C). Lvs obovate, 90-140 × 30-53mm, moderate olive green (137B), hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 1.9m in 12 years. Early June

(a) **'Pleasant Glow'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: D.B. Stanton (pre 1973), N: Mrs R. Skott (c 1979) Fls double, strong red (51A)

(a) **'Pleasant Prize'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: D.B. Stanton (pre 1973), N: Mrs R. Skott (c 1979) Fls semi-double, pink (similar to 'Pleasant Blush')

(a) **'Pleasant Royal'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: D.B. Standon (pre 1973), N: Mrs R. Skott (c 1979) Fls mauve in bud

(a) **'Pleasant Splash'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: D.B. Stanton (pre 1973), N: Mrs R. Skott (c 1979) Fls double, white, striped lavender

(a) **'Pleasant White'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kathy Ann' × 'Clara Marie' H: P.E. Girard (1966), G: P.E. Girard (1969), N: P.E. Girard (1975), I: P.E. Girard (1973), REG: P.E. Girard (1975) Fls single, 3/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 20 × 65-75mm, 5-lobed, white, flushed pale cream on dorsal lobe, unmarked. Calyx 7mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly obovate, 25-40 × 13-25mm, glossy, dark yellowish green (2.5G 4/6), hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.4m in 7 years. Mid May. Syn: 'Girard's Pleasant White', 'Girard Pleasant White'

(a) **'Pleasant White'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: D.B. Stanton (pre 1973), N: Mrs R. Skott (c 1979) Fls double, white

(a) **'Plectrum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1971), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1975) Fls light reddish orange. Knap Hill

(r) **Pleiades Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* subsp. *dichroanthum* (s) × *dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* R: G. Reuthe Ltd, N: G. Reuthe Ltd, I: G. Reuthe Ltd (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange with red

(r) **'Plenty Pink'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *johnstoneanum* (s) × unknown G: N. Sullivan (1980), N: N. Sullivan (1998), REG: N. Sullivan (1998) Fls 4-6/loose, flat truss, funnel-shaped, 60 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (62A) in bud, opening inside pale purplish pink (65D), with pale purplish pink (62D) blushes at lobe edges; outside pale purplish pink (65D), with strong purplish red (62A) along the midribs; unspotted. Lvs oblanceolate, 63-85 × 21-30mm, margins decurved, mucronate at apex, attenuate at base, matt green above, scaly. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 25 years. October (Tasmania). (Grown from seed imported from RHS Garden, Wisley by K. Van de Ven (as *maddenii*, but this appears to have been an error))

(a) **'Plenum'** (Syn. of 'Fuji-manyo')

(a) **'Plenum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1811), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed under *Azalea viscosa*)

(a) **'Plenum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kaempferi* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon red. Kaempferi (Presumably the *R. kaempferi* var. *plenum* Nakai)

(r) **'Plenum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *hirsutum* L: Firma C. Esveld (1984) Fls double. Dwarf shrub. (No doubt the same plant also listed as 'Flore Pleno' (eg Davidian, 1982). It is not certain which epithet has priority)

(r) **'Plicatum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed under *catawbiense* L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1851), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Plumb Beautiful'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *prunifolium* R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls vivid deep red. Late July

(r) **'Plum Beautiful'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' × 'Arthur Bedford' R: H.E. Greer (pre 1983), N: H.E. Greer Fls dark purple, with a black dorsal blotch. Lvs glossy green. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Plum Beauty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vivacious' (s) × 'Old Port' H: A.W. Smith, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls dark red (59A) in bud, opening deep, strong and vivid purplish red (61A, B, C) with dark red (59A) dorsal spots. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Plumb Perfect'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Julia Grothaus' × 'Purple Splendour' H: J.G. Vea, G: J.G. Vea (1977), N: J.G. Vea, I: Kraxberger Nursery, REG: J.G. Vea (1990) Fls 13-15/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 73 × 121mm, with 6-7 very wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (73C), with c6mm wide edging of very light purple (75C); a dark red (187A) blotch (c25 × 20mm) in the throat below dorsal lobes, with dark red (187B) spotting superimposed on and extending beyond the blotch, mainly on the central lobe. Upper calyx lobes 6mm long, green, with a rose base. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 210 × 70mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy, moderate olive green (137B) above, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 1.8m in 17 years. May-early June

(r) **'Plum Brandy'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *campylogynum* L: UK (1993)

(a) **'Plumconia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Carter's (1962) Fls double, magenta pink, with a darker blotch in the throat. Indian

(a) **'Plum Crazy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Monrovia Nursery (pre 1987) Fls 65mm wide, deep purplish pink, with white markings on the lobes. Midseason

(r) **'Plum Duff'** cv. Parentage unknown H: Coker, I: Riverwood Gardens (1994) Fls clear lavender pink; scented. Lvs dull greyish green. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years, of dense habit

(r) **'Plum High'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Fancy' × *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Frank Galsworthy' H: J. Barlup (1989), G: J. Barlup (1993), N: J. Barlup (1996), REG: J. Barlup (1998) Fls 18/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish red (59B) in bud, opening inside strong purple (77B) at edges, shading to very pale purple (69D) in the throat, with a moderate red (183C), spotted blotch on the dor-

sal lobe; outside strong purple (77B) at edges shading to very pale purple (69D) at base, with strong purplish red (72A) veining along midribs. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 50mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.5 × 0.9m in 9 years Late May

(a) **'Plumosum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1851), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Plum Purty'** (Syn. of 'Nuccio's Plum Purty')

(r) **'Plumpy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: A.W. Smith (pre 1989), G: D. Irish-Hosler (1999), N: D. Irish-Hosler (2000), REG: D. Irish-Hosler (2000) Fls 22/conical truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 65mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish red (64A) inside and out, with dark reddish purple spotting on the dorsal lobe. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 165 × 50mm, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, margins flat, dull and moderate olive green (146A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in c12 years

(r) **'Plüsch'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Milner' (s) × *catawbiense* R: T.J.R. Seidel (c 1905), N: T.J.R. Seidel (1913), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls ruby red, with weak red-brown spots on a paler ground

(a) **'Pluto'** (Syn. of 'President Claeys' ?)

(a) **'Pluto'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably an *indicum* derivative R: Schulz (pre 1852), N: Schulz, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 1-2/truss, 55mm wide, scarlet red, with a small carmine blotch. Late. Indian (Some sources attribute it to L.L. Liebig)

(a) **'Pluto'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Yoder (1973) Fls single, hose-in-hose, with wavy-edged lobes, pastel pink, the outer edge delicate warm pink; frosty white throat highlighted by deep pink spotting. Early-midseason

(r) **'Pluto'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rose red

(r) **'P.M.A. Tigerstedt'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *brachycarpum* (as subsp. *tigerstedtii*) (s) × *catawbiense* (as var. *album*) H: M. Uosukainen (1974), G: M. Uosukainen (1980), N: M. Uosukainen (1987), I: Kemira Agro Oy, REG: M. Uosukainen (1996) Fls 14-18/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 55-70mm wide, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, pure white inside and out, with blood red, triangular spots on dorsal half of the corolla. Lvs narrowly obovate to almost elliptic, 105-120 × 50-55mm, flat, glossy green, base asymmetrical or acute, apex rounded or acute, hairless; stems between empire yellow (603) and citron green (763). Shrub 1.6 × 1.5m in 10 years. June. Exceptionally hardy. (First published in *Landscape Plant News* 3 (4):11 (1992))

(a) **'Pocahontas'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Bobbink & Atkins, N: Bobbink & Atkins, I: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single to semi-double, hose-in-hose, 65mm wide, deep yellowish pink (47C), with a dark blotch. Indian

(r) **'Pocahontas'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid I: S.B. Parsons, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Pochi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Mitsuki' G: Higashi Nursery (1997), S: Higashi Nursery (1997), N: Higashi Nursery, I: Higashi Nursery (1998), REG: Higashi Nursery (1998) Fls 2/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 20mm, 5-lobed, light pink in bud, opening light pink throughout, with a dark pink dorsal blotch. Calyx 6mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 40 × 17mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull green above, hairy (hairs light green at first, ageing to green). Shrub c0.35xc0.35m in 5 years. Mid April

(a) **'Pocono Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown N: N. Swell, I: N. Swell (1982), REG: N. Swell (1989) Fls single, 2/bud, funnel-shaped, 40 × 52mm, light to pale purplish pink (55C/D), slightly tinged with a light tint of strong pink (52D), throat shading to white at base; blotch pale yellow (160D) with light yellow (160B) spotting and strong red (53D) spotting over pink ground. Calyx c5mm long, strong yellow-green (144C). Spring/summer lvs elliptic to broadly elliptic, 38 × 22mm, broadly acute and mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, dull and strong yellow-green (143A-144A) above, with appressed yellowish brown hairs on both surfaces. Shrub 1.5 × 0.9-1.2m in 10 or more years. Early-mid May. (Selected by N. Swell (1979) from a group of unlabelled plants at Pocono Nursery. Published in *The Azalean* 10 (3): 58-59 (1988))

(v) **'Poet Laureate'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' × *herzogii* × *laetum* × *aurigeranum* H: J.L. Rouse (1984), G: R. Macdonald (1989), N: R. Macdonald (1991), I: Foothills Nursery (1991), REG: Foothills Nursery (1992) Fls 16-18/flat truss, long tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 35mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, inside pale yellow (158B), the lobes moderate pink (49B), outside pale yellow (158B); scented. Lvs obovate, 90 × 50mm, flat, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m. Spring-autumn

(r) **'Poets Lawn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *hodgsonii* R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1964), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1964) Fls 25/rounded truss, ventricose-campanulate, 65 × 50mm, white, shaded in varying degrees with rhodamine purple (29/2). Calyx rim-like. Pedicels 50mm long, glandular, red-stained. Lvs 300 × 140mm, with a thin, brown tomentum below. AM 1964

(r) **'Pohjola's Daughter'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cunningham's White' × *smirnowii* R: M. Uosukainen, N: M. Uosukainen, I: M. Uosukainen (1992) Fls open funnel-shaped, deeply lobed, pinkish at first, ageing to pure white. Lvs dark green and shiny. Low, spreading bush. Exceptionally hardy. (First published in *Landscape Plant News* 3 (4): 12 (1992))

(a) **'Poignant'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nancy of Robinhill' (s) × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls single, 2/truss, 75-90mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, light reddish pink, with a white throat and a large purplish blotch. Shrub 0.3 × 0.75m in 8 years. Late May. (First published in Holly Springs cat., 1990)

(a) **'Poikela'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.R. Gowen (1829), N: J.R. Gowen, INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Published in *Botanical Register*, 1830, t.1366, where two possible parental combinations are discussed)

(a) **'Poincaré'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1913), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rose. Indian

(v) **'Point Arguello'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *javanicum* (s) × 'Red Prince' H: W.A. Moynier (1980), G: W.A. Moynier (c 1987), N: W.A. Moynier (2002), REG: W.A. Moynier (2002) Fls 12-15/domed truss, narrowly funnel-shaped, 55 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep blackish maroon in bud, opening inside moderate yellowish pink (33D), strong pink (48D) in the throat, outside moderate yellowish pink (33D): overall appearance of the flower is coral. Lvs elliptic, 105 × 40mm, margins flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and deep green above, with tan scales chiefly on the lower surface. Shrub 0.9 × 1.0m in 20 years. October-December

(r) **'Point Defiance'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anna' × 'Marinus Koster' H: H. Lem, I: Tacoma Metropolitan Park Department, REG: Tacoma Metropolitan Park Department (1970) Fls 15-17/tall, compact truss, 55 × 115mm, strong red (53D) in bud, opening to white in centre, edged strong purplish red (54A) and fading to nearly pure white; unmarked, thick and fleshy. Calyx 13mm long, pale green. Lvs elliptic, c180 × 75mm, dark matt green above, pale green below, midrib above impressed and pale yellow-green, tips mucronate, base rounded, margins recurved, very thick and leathery. Shrub 2.2 × 1.2m in 12 years. Mid May. AM 1992 (Walloper Group)

(v) **'Point Loma'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *macgregoriae* × *aurigeranum* (s) × 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' H: P. Sullivan (1971), G: P. Sullivan, N: W.A. Moynier (2002), REG: W.A. Moynier (2002) Fls 5/domed truss, narrowly funnel-shaped, 50 × 55mm, with 6 wavy to very wavy-edged lobes, maroon with a hint of pink in bud, opening inside pale yellow (158A), with a hint of blush pink at edges and moderate to pale yellow (162) deep in the throat, outside similarly coloured; moderately scented. Lvs elliptic, 70-75 × 40mm, margins upcurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and dark green above, with tan scales mainly on the lower surface. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m in 14 years. August-December. (Resembles a miniature *konori* with wavy-edged lobes)

(a) **'Polar'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Salmon Beauty' (Kurume) (s) × 'Othello' (Kaempferi) R: Deerfield Nurseries (pre 1941), G: Deerfield Nurseries, N: Deerfield Nurseries, I: Deerfield Nurseries (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, white. Kurume

(a) **'Polar Bear'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hexe' × 'Snow' R: USDA, N: USDA, Beltsville, I: USDA, Beltsville (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 45mm wide, lobes with slightly serrated margins, white, with a slight yellow-green blotch. Erect habit. (Derived from the work of G.E. Yerkes & R.L. Pryor)

(r) **'Polar Bear'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* subsp. *diaprepes* (s) × *auriculatum* H: J.B. Stevenson (1926), G: J.B. Stevenson, N: J.B. Stevenson, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 8-10/truss, trumpet-shaped, 90 × 100mm, 7-lobed, pure white, with a flush of green in the throat; scented. Lvs oblong-elliptic, 225 × 75mm, hairless. Late. FCC 1946 (Polar Bear Group)

(r) **Polar Bear Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* subsp. *diaprepes* (s) × *auriculatum* H: J.B. Stevenson (1926), G: J.B. Stevenson, N: J.B. Stevenson, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Polar Cap'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Red Cap Group × Polar Bear Group H: P.J. Urlwin-Smith (1962), G: P.J. Urlwin-Smith, N: P.J. Urlwin-Smith, I: P.J. Urlwin-Smith (1974), REG: P.J. Urlwin-Smith (1975) Fls 7/loose truss, up to 70 × 75mm, broadly funnel-campanulate, 5-lobed, more-or-less strong purplish red (54A), with some faint darker markings in the throat. Calyx irregular, up to 2mm long, greenish, glandular hairy. Lvs narrowly elliptic, up to 130 × 45mm, dark green, with a sparse, brown indumentum below. AM 1974

(r) **'Polar Cap'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Jock' H: W.F. Winkler (pre 1978)

(r) **'Polar Crest'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Red Cap Group × Polar Bear Group H: P.J. Urlwin-Smith (1962), G: P.J. Urlwin-Smith, N: P.J. Urlwin-Smith, I: P.J. Urlwin-Smith (1979), REG: P.J. Urlwin-Smith (1979) Fls light yellow (163D) inside, barred with vivid red (52A), rim flushed strong purplish pink (55B), dorsal lobes spotted strong reddish orange (42B); outside barred vivid red (52A), diffusing and mottling towards edges

(r) **'Polar Dawn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Red Cap Group × Polar Bear Group H: P.J. Urlwin-Smith (1962), G: P.J. Urlwin-Smith, N: P.J. Urlwin-Smith, I: P.J. Urlwin-Smith (1974), REG: P.J. Urlwin-Smith (1974) Fls deep pink (52B)

(r) **'Polarglanz'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Blurettia' (s) × *smirnowii* H: H. Hachmann (1982), G: H. Hachmann (1987), N: H. Hachmann (1991), I: H. Hachmann (1992), REG: G. Stück (1994) Fls 8-10/lax ball truss, funnel-shaped, 35-45 × 50-62mm, with 5

wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (73C), shading to very pale purple (73D) in throat, edges deep purplish pink (73A); outside strong to light purplish pink (73B/C), midveins and edges deep purplish pink (73A); slight markings of deep to strong purplish pink (73A/B), stamens 10, filaments very pale purple (73D), anthers moderate orange-yellow (164C); style light purplish pink to very pale purple (73C/D), stigma dark red (187C). Calyx 1-2mm long, reddish green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 70-100 × 30-40mm, margins decurved, strongly glossy green above, cuneate at base, acute at apex, with a thin, greyish white indumentum below. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 10 years. Mid May-early June. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1993/94)

(r) **'Polar Glow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Red Cap Group × Polar Bear Group H: P.J. Urlwin-Smith, G: P.J. Urlwin-Smith, N: P.J. Urlwin-Smith, I: P.J. Urlwin-Smith (1974), REG: P.J. Urlwin-Smith (1975) Fls 7/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 65 × 70mm, 5-lobed, pale purplish pink (55D), heavily stained deep purplish pink (55A) centrally along each lobe; with slightly darker spotting in dorsal throat towards lip of corolla. Calyx irregular, lobes up to 2mm long, greenish, glandular hairy. Lvs narrowly elliptic, up to 110 × 38mm, dark green above, with a sparse, brown, woolly indumentum below. PC 1974

(a) **'Polar Hawk'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls single, white

(r) **'Polar Heaven'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1988)

(a) **'Polaris'** (Syn. of 'Pearl Bradford')

(a) **'Polaris'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Springtime' (s) × 'Snow' (Kurume) R: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 55mm wide, white, with a faint chartreuse throat. Shrub 1.2m in 19 years. Gable

(r) **'Polaris'** (Syn. of 'Hachmann's Polaris')

(r) **'Polarnacht'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Turkana' × 'Purple Splendour' H: H. Hachmann (1976), G: H. Hachmann (1981), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1987), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 12-14/truss, funnel-shaped, 45-50 × 65-75mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish red (71A) throughout, dorsal lobe spotted dark red (187A). Calyx 2-3mm long, reddish green. Lvs elliptic, 110-135 × 35-45mm, acute at apex, cuneate-rounded at base, flat, dark green above, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 1.2m in 10 years, of dense, compact habit. Late May-mid June

(a) **'Polar Sea'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ivory' (s) × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 1-3/truss, 75mm wide, flat-faced, with wavy-edged lobes, white, with a chartreuse blotch. Broad spreading shrub to 1.0m tall. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Polar Star'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* (s) × 'Doncaster' R: M. Koster & Sons (1902), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(r) **'Polar Sun'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Polar Bear Group (s) × *facetum* H: Lord Digby (1939), G: Lord Digby (1951), N: Lord Digby (c 1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink

(a) **'Polārzvaigzne'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *R.* × *kosterianum* (s) × *roseum* H: R. Kondratovičs (1974), G: R. Kondratovičs (1981), N: R. Kondratovičs, I: Rhododendron Nursery "Babīte" of University of Latvia (1999), REG: R. Kondratovičs (2002) Fls single, 12-14/slightly domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 50mm, with 5 strongly but narrowly wavy-edged lobes, light pink in bud, opening white inside and out, with a yellow dorsal blotch; filaments white, anthers cream; style white, stigma green. Calyx 1-2mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 135 × 40mm, flat, pointed at apex and base, glossy green above, with white hairs persistent above when mature. Shrub 1.7 × 2.0m in 15 years. Early June. (Published in *Latvijas selekcionaru Ziedi* (1999), plus colour illustration)

(r) **'Polgrain'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1988)

(v) **'Poliahu'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' (s) × *zoelleri* × *leucogigas* H: R.A. Mitchell (1995), G: R.A. Mitchell (2002), N: R.A. Mitchell (2002), REG: R.A. Mitchell (2002) Fls 4/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 65 × 75mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, white, lightly flushed pale pink in bud, opening greenish white (155C) throughout, lightly flushed pale pink at edges and in the throat, merging into pale yellow at base. Lvs elliptic, 90 × 45mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, deep yellowish green (141A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.45m in 7 years. (Etymology: named for the Hawaiian snow goddess)

(r) **'Policy'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *polycladum* Scintillans Group G: L. de Rothschild, S: L. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, REG: E. de Rothschild (1994) Fls 5-6/small, rounded truss, funnel-shaped, 13 × 25mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, strong violet (90A), with very prominent stamens. Lvs lanceolate, 10 × 5mm, flat, glossy above, scaly, scales reddish brown when young ageing to yellowy brown. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 20-25 years. April. FCC 1934

(a) **'Polka'** (Syn. of 'Nuccio's Polka')

(r) **'Polka Dot'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *irroratum* R: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1957), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 15-20/globular truss, tubular-campanulate, 40 × 50mm, white, heavily spotted peony purple (729/1) all around the flower, suffused pink. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 40mm, light olive green above (and very slightly brown in grooves), hairless below. Shrub up to 7.0m. AM 1957

(r) **'Pollux'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Firma Seidel (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white

(a) **'Pollyanna'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Helen Close' × 'Purple Splendor' R: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1969) Fls sin-

gle, 2/truss, up to 65mm wide, deep purple pink (5RP 6/10) with a white throat and a red blotch. Lvs 40 × 17mm. Spreading shrub to 60cm tall. May

(a) **'Polly Claessens'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: M. Koster & Sons (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, orange. Mollis

(r) **'Polly Clarke'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Socrianum Group × Rima Group × 'Crest' H: A.F. George (1964), G: Hydon Nurseries, N: Hydon Nurseries, I: Hydon Nurseries (1978), REG: Hydon Nurseries (1978) Fls up to 10/truss, light greenish yellow (3D), deeper in bud. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(a) **'Polly Hill'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *schlippenbachii* G: H.J. Hohman (c 1964), S: H.J. Hohman, N: Winterthur Museum and Gardens, I: Winterthur Museum and Gardens (1991), REG: Winterthur Museum and Gardens (1991) Fls single, 4/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 38 × 64mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, white, with a few, small, yellow-green spots in the throat; stamens 10, unequal. Calyx 6mm long, green. Lvs obovate, 64-114 × 38-64mm, flat, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, dull green and hairy above, light green and with white hairs on midrib below. Shrub 3.0 × 1.5m in over 30 years. Late April

(r) **'Polly Peachum'** (Syn. of 'Emily Mangles')

(r) **'Polly Perfect'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'College Pink' (s) × 'Irene Stead' H: H. O'Rourke (1990), G: H. O'Rourke (2000), N: H. O'Rourke (2002), REG: H. O'Rourke (2002) Fls 16/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (66A), opening deep purplish pink (66C) inside and out, with a small ray of maroon in the centre. Lvs ovate, 190 × 60mm, flat, obtuse at apex, acute at base, matt green. Shrub 0.5 × 0.5m in 12 years. October (Tasmania). (Standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0038777))

(a) **'Polo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: USA (pre 1989), N: USA Fls 50mm wide, brilliant red, shading to white at centre; some solid red. Satsuki (Listed by Nuccio's Nurseries and said to be from Sonoma Horticultural Nursery)

(a) **'Polonaise'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × 'Kagetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 50mm wide, white, with a chartreuse blotch and very occasional magenta (strong purplish red (72A)) stripes. Lvs rather narrow, dark green. Broad, spreading shrub to 1.5m tall. Early-mid May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Polonaise'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1971) Fls 7-14/truss, 50-70mm wide, peach pink, with an orange dorsal blotch. Knap Hill

(r) **Polyandrum Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. polyandrum*

(r) **'Polyandrum Pink'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *maddenii* Polyandrum Group I: L.C.R. Messel (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose pink. AM 1938 (Awarded as *R. polyandrum*, pink var. The 1958 Register seems inadvertently to have treated this as 'Polyandrum Pink')

(a) **'Polyanthum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.R. Gowen (1829), N: J.R. Gowen, INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Published in *Botanical Register*, 1830, under t.1366, where two possible parental combinations are discussed)

(r) **'Polycinn'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1988)

(r) **'Polydore Vervaene'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid L: E.F. André (1864), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Polymnie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown, listed under "*caucasicum grandiflorum*" L: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Polynesia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron (white-flowered *catawbiense* × (*fortunei* ssp. *discolor* × Fabia Group)) × ('Russell Harmon' × 'Goldsworth Orange') (s) × 'Rio' H: D.G. Leach (1982), G: D.G. Leach (1987), N: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1995) Fls 16/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (73C) at margins with a light greenish yellow (5C) throat and a yellow streak extending upwards on each lobe; dorsal lobe with a greenish yellow blotch. Lvs narrowly obovate, 102-127 × 38mm, convex, glossy and very dark green above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.1m in 12 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Polynesian Sunset'** cv. Parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney (c 1963), G: W.E. Whitney, N: G. & Mrs A. Sather, I: G. & Mrs A. Sather (1969), REG: G. & Mrs A. Sather (1976) Fls 10-12/flat to lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 100 × 100mm, 7-lobed, moderate red in bud (47A), opening moderate reddish orange (35B), throat moderate reddish orange (35A), spotting strong red (46A), edging and outside deep pink (48A). Calyx 3mm long, red. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 125 × 40mm, twisted, acute at apex, rounded at base, moderate olive green (147A), hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 10 years. Late May

(a) **'Polypetalum'** (Syn. of 'Kin-no-sai')

(r) **'Pomo Beauty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *grande* (s) × probably *arboreum* G: C.W. Richards (c 1965), N: E. Richards, I: Trillium Lane Nursery (1988), REG: E. Philp (1999) Fls 18-20/ball truss, open campanulate, 55mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (62D), shading to deep purplish pink (68A) at margins, with dark purple dorsal spotting. Calyx 1-2mm long, light yellow-green (145D). Lvs ovate, 140 × 65mm, flat, dull green above, with a felted, dark reddish orange (172B) indumentum below. Tree-like habit, to 6.0 × 4.5m in 42 years. Mid January-March. (Grown from RHS Garden, Wisley seed of *grande* and grown initially by P.J. Bowman)

(r) **'Pomo Princess'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probable parentage *grande* × *arboreum* G: E.R. German, N: E.R. German, I: E.R. German, REG: E.R. German (1978) Fls up to 13/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 55mm wide, deep pink (52B) fading to strong pink (52D) at margins and to white (155D) in the throat; nectaries dark red (187B); some strong red (53D) spotting. Lvs lanceolate, 120-140 × 30-40mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, bullate above, with dark reddish orange (172B), felted indumentum below. Shrub 2.5 × 2.0m in 21 years. Late February-late April. (Grown from 1956 seed from RHS Garden, Wisley. Initially grown by J.S. Druecker)

(a) **'Pompadour'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1956), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls moderate pink, with an orange blotch; scented. Knap Hill

(a) **'Pom-pom'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Cecile', selfed R: A.A. & M. Childers, N: A.A. & M. Childers, REG: A.A. & M. Childers (1971) Fls 11-13/truss, 70mm wide, with 8 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink to moderate orange, with a strong red blotch. Lvs rugulose, colouring well. Shrub 1.9m in 11 years. Knap Hill

(r) **'Pom Pom'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Katrina' × 'Lem's Cameo' H: W. & M. Thompson (c 1985), G: Willard Thompson Nursery, I: Willard Thompson Nursery (1996) Fls in rounded trusses, rose pink, with light pink and yellow in the throat and some purple at the margins. Calyx light pink. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(a) **'Pomposa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: E.F. André (1864), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet rose

(a) **'Poniatowsky'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1859), INC: ICRA (1958) Described as a hardy azalea

(a) **'Ponticum Album'** (This and other *Azalea pontica* cultivars are listed under the second element in each epithet, i.e. 'Album')

(a) **'Ponticum Carven'** (So listed in the 1958 Register; assumed to be an error for 'Ponticum Carneum'; see under 'Carneum')

(r) **'Ponticum Elegans'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably derived from *ponticum* L: A. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 6-10/loose truss, pinky lilac in bud, opening pale pink, with a small lilac blotch on the dorsal lobe. Calyx lobes small. Lvs narrow, wavy-edged. Shrub 0.7 × 1.0m in 10 years (description of Polish stock, 1994)

(r) **'Ponticum Roseum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *ponticum* × *maximum* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pinkish lilac. Lvs long and narrow. Tall shrub. Syn: 'Maximum Roseum' (Said to have been propagated and distributed by O.S. Pride and others in USA)

(r) **'Ponticum Variegatum'** (See note under 'Variegatum' (*ponticum*))

(a) **'Ponticum Versicolor'** (Syn. of 'Versicolor')

(a) **'Pontiff'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* × 'Maxwellii' R: B.Y. Morrison (pre 1941), N: B.Y. Morrison, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, 50-65mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, close to rose dorée (deep yellowish pink (43C)), but darker and brighter, with dots of amaranth purple (deep purplish red (61A)) in the blotch. Shrub to 1.9m. Mid-late April. Glenn Dale (Probably never distributed)

(r) **'Pontiyak'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *ponticum* × *yakushimanum* I: Kellygreen Rhododendron Nursery (1994) Fls in small, flat trusses, pink. Lvs with a light indumentum. Compact, rounded shrub, 0.9m in 10 years. Midseason

(a) **'Pooh-Bah'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kirishima' (s) × 'Malvaticum' H: J.B. Stevenson (1938), I: Hydon Nurseries, REG: Hydon Nurseries (1966) Fls 3-4/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 25 × 40mm, strong reddish purple (72C), centre of dorsal lobe spotted deep red (185A); stamens crimson. Lvs 30 × 15mm, light glossy green. Shrub 0.7m. *HC 1982

(r) **'Pooh-Bah Khan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' (s) × 'Van Nes Sensation' H: M. Stockman (1990), G: M. & H. Stockman (1996), N: M. & H. Stockman (1998), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1998) Fls 10-14/domed truss, funnel-campanulate, with a cup-shaped calyx, 65 × 100mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, creamy white, flushed light yellow (10B-C) inside and out, with a light yellow (11B) centre. Calyx lobes c10-30mm long, light yellow (10B). Lvs oblong, 95 × 35mm, acuminate at apex, rounded at base, with slightly wavy margins, dull and mid green above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 0.9m in 8 years. Late April. (The epithet is the name of an individual Shar-Pei (a breed of dog))

(r) **'Pook'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1975) Fls campanulate, white. Lvs rounded. Shrub c1.0m

(r) **'Poot'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(r) **'Pootwilliams'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Poot' × *williamsianum* R: D.G. Hobbie (pre 1945) Fls large, strong rose outside, inside whitish rose, with darker margins and weak red markings

(r) **'Popacatepetl'** (See note under 'Popocatepetl')

(a) **'Popcorn'** (Syn. of 'Greenwood Popcorn')

(v) **'Popcorn'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *macgregoriae* (s) × *loranthiflorum* H: J.L. Rouse, G: J.L. Rouse (1979), I: Australian Rhododendron Society, REG: Australian Rhododendron Society (1984) Fls 10-14/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 25 × 30mm, pale yellow (158B), lobes white (155D). Lvs ovate, 75 × 35mm. Shrub 1.0m high

(r) **'Popcorn Puff'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *aureum* (s) × 'Catalgla', green-eyed form H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E.

Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls light and pale purplish pink (65B, C) in bud, opening white with brilliant yellow-green (150A) dorsal spots; anthers pale yellowish pink (27D); stigma light purplish pink (65B). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Pope's White'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: H. Lane & Son (1851), INC: ICRA (1958) (Deciduous nature requires confirmation)

(r) **'Popeye'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Lodauric Group × 'Purple Splendour' H: F.D. Mossman, I: H.E. Greer (pre 1988) Fls in a compact truss, white, with a prominent dark purple eye. Shrub 1.8m in 10 years. Late

(a) **'Pop Garrett'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: D.J. Dosser (1990), G: D.J. Dosser (1994), N: D.J. Dosser (2002), REG: D.J. Dosser (2002) Fls 19/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 80 × 65mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish orange (33B) inside and out. Lvs ovate, 75 × 30mm, margins flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 0.6m. December-January (Tasmania). (Standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0038786])

(r) **'Popocatepetl'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Elizabeth Group × 'Compactum Multiflorum' H: G. Reuthe Ltd (c 1950), G: W.S. Reuthe, I: G. Reuthe Ltd (1960), REG: G. Reuthe Ltd (1981) Fls 5-7/more-or-less compact, open-domed truss, deep funnel-shaped, 55 × 60mm, slightly brighter than vivid red (46C), dorsal throat spotted deep red (185A). Lvs 75 × 35mm, mid dull green. Shrub 0.7m. *HC 1981 (Originally registered as 'Popacatepetl' but the Mexican volcano after which it is named is Popocatepetl)

(r) **'Poppinjay'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* × *catawbiense* (s) × *dichroanthum* × (*fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × *campylocarpum*) R: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1972) Fls c17/globular truss, open campanulate, 6-lobed, 70mm wide, buds strong red (2.5R 5/12), opening brilliant greenish yellow (7.5Y 10/8), with a strong yellow (2.5Y 7/10) dorsal blotch and dorsal suffusion and spotting of a similar colour; exterior boldly striped and suffused strong red (2.5R 5/12). Calyx 3mm long, reddish. Lvs lanceolate, dull dark green, 125 × 50mm. Shrub 1.2 × 2.0m in 20 years

(r) **'Pop Pop's Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scintillation' (s) × unknown H: unknown (c 1988), G: J. Kiel, N: J. Kiel (2000), REG: J. Kiel (2000) Fls 8-12/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink in bud, opening light purplish pink, with the interior of the dorsal lobe paler, midribs on the exterior flushed darker; unmarked. Calyx c1.5mm long, green. Lvs obovate, 80 × 45mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, flat to slightly upcurved at margins, mid green and semi-glossy above, hairless. Shrub 0.55 × 0.75m in 12 years. Late May

(a) **'Poppy'** (Syn. of 'Fudesute-yama')

(a) **'Pop's'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Alexander' (s) × *indicum* hybrid H: W.L. Clagett (1984), G: W.L. Clagett (1987), N: W.L. Clagett, I: White's Nursery (1995), REG: W.L. Clagett (1994) Fls 2-3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 38 × 52mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, white to purple in bud, opening white, with vivid and light purple (81B, C) stripes and sectors, blotched ochre in purple areas and chartreuse in white areas, sparsely spotted; some fls vivid purple (81B) selfs; stamens 7-9, white to purple. Calyx 1mm long, light green. Pedicels 12mm long, light green. Lvs lanceolate, 25 × 9mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (146A) above, moderate yellow-green (146C) below, with discrete, white hairs; petioles 3mm long, green. Shrub 0.13 × 0.38m in 5 years. Late May

(a) **'Popsicle'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *viscosum* × *arborescens* H: E.V. Mezitt (1965), G: Weston Nurseries (1970), N: Weston Nurseries, I: Weston Nurseries (1974), REG: Weston Nurseries (1980) Fls single, 8-10/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, 5-lobed, deep pink (50B), with lines of tiny hairs and/or glandular setae on outside. Calyx 3mm long, bright green. Lvs oblanceolate to narrowly elliptic, 40-47 × 13-17mm, very sparsely hairy, moderate yellow-green; not brightly coloured in autumn. Shrub 1.0 × 0.6m in 10 years. Late June-early July

(a) **'Popzi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Noordtianum' (s) × seedling of *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* R: G. Mittendorf (1965), N: G. Mittendorf, I: G. Mittendorf (1975) Fls hose-in-hose, 1-3/truss, vivid reddish purple (74B), with slight red markings

(a) **'Porcelain'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, flesh pink. Kurume

(r) **'Porcelain Promise'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Peach Charm' (s) × 'Pirouette' H: J. Barlup (1992), G: J. Barlup (1996), N: J. Barlup (1999), REG: J. Barlup (1999) Fls 23/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (54B) in bud, opening yellowish white (155D) throughout, with a light greenish yellow (5C) dorsal flare (c13mm long) at the base. Calyx 10mm long, pale yellow-green (4D). Lvs elliptic, 130 × 55mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, margins upcurved, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 0.9m in 6 years. Mid May

(r) **Porpora Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group × *polylepis* R: unknown, I: Royal Horticultural Society (1951), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Portage Road'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Delp's Cindy Lou' (s) × 'Delp's Cindy Lou' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls dark red (59A) and deep purplish red in bud, opening deep and moderate purplish red (59B, C), with dark greenish yellow (152D) dorsal spots.

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(r) **'Porta Westfalica'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Madame de Bruin' (s) × *yakushimanum* H: J. Bruns Nursery (1964), G: J. Bruns Nursery (1969), N: J. Bruns Nursery (1988), I: J. Bruns Nursery (1990), REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1996) Fls 13-19/compact, rounded truss, funnel-shaped, 32-42 × 45-60mm, with 5-6 lobes, a brightlight red in bud, opening light pink inside, bright pink outside, with very few, very small, brown spots on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 1mm long, pale green. Lvs elliptic, 56-135 × 24-47mm, flat, matt green above, rounded at apex and base. Compact shrub 1.0 × 1.4m in 15 years. Late May-mid June. (Published in Schmalscheidt, *Rhododendron- und Azaleen züchtung in Deutschland*, part II (1930-1988), 1989)

(a) **'Portent'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × unnamed selection (HEA no.34) H: B.Y. Morrison (1929), S: B.Y. Morrison (1939), N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, 25-40mm wide, white, flaked magenta (strong purplish red (72A)). Erect shrub, 1.2-1.5m tall. Midseason

(r) **'Portent'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *mucronulatum* (s) × *ciliatum* I: D.G. Leach (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white

(a) **'Portia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt, I: E.A. Merritt (c 1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light pink. Kurume

(r) **'Portia'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls shaded blush

(r) **'Portia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *strigillosum* (s) × *neriiflorum* subsp. *neriiflorum* Euchaites Group H: Lord Aberconway (1928), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a compact, flat-topped truss, 45 × 50mm, dark crimson scarlet, fleshy, with dark nectaries and faint dorsal spotting. Calyx scarlet. Lvs oblanceolate, 150 × 50mm, dark green and rugulose above. AM 1935, FCC 1947. (Portia Group)

(r) **Portia Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *strigillosum* (s) × *neriiflorum* subsp. *neriiflorum* Euchaites Group H: Lord Aberconway (1928), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1935), INC: ICRA (1958)

(v) **'Portia'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Taylorii' × *javanicum* var. *teysmannii* R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1891), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls shades of primrose yellow

(a) **'Port Knap'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* N: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1958), I: Waterer (Knap Hill), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1961) Fls 3/truss, funnel-shaped, 17 × 22mm, phlox purple (632/1), with fine crimson spotting in dorsal throat. Shrub 1.0m. *AM 1958

(r) **'Portrait'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *augustinii* subsp. *chasmanthum* (s) × Lady Chamberlain Group R: E.G.W.W. Harrison, N: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1960), REG: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1961) Fls 6/truss, tubular, 45 × 50mm, pale oyster pink

(a) **'Port Wine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from *stenopetalum* R: W.C. Slocock Ltd, N: W.C. Slocock Ltd, REG: W.C. Slocock Ltd (1969) Fls beetroot purple (830/1). Compact shrub. May

(r) **'Porzellan'** (Syn. of 'Hachmann's Porzellan')

(a) **'Posaeman'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Bridesmaid' × 'Mother of Pearl' R: Carolina Floral Nursery (pre 1985), N: Carolina Floral Nursery Fls hose-in-hose, 75mm wide, white with a pink blush (strongest at edges), and with darker dorsal spots. Compact habit

(r) **'Posh Purple'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sefton' (s) × 'Olin O. Dobbs' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, dark red (187A, B, C) in bud, opening deep purplish red (71A) and deep reddish purple (77A), with a deep orange-yellow (163A) flare and brownish orange (164A) dorsal spots; filaments dark red (187C), anthers pale orange-yellow (159B); style deep purplish red (61A), stigma dark red (187A). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Postling'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* Roylei Group × *cinnabarinum* Blandfordiiflorum Group H: A.E. Hardy, G: A.E. Hardy, N: A.E. Hardy, I: A.E. Hardy (1975), REG: A.E. Hardy (1975) Fls pale orange-yellow, larger than either parent. AM 1975

(r) **'Posy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'College Pink' H: R.C. Gordon (1965), G: R.C. Gordon, N: R.C. Gordon, I: R.C. Gordon, REG: R.C. Gordon (1982) Fls rose pink, fading to rose madder (23/2) and then to neyron rose (623/3), with red dorsal spotting

(r) **'Potent Power'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: F4 derivative of 'Newport' H: W.E. Delp (1952), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 22/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 50 × 60mm, 5-lobed, deep and strong purplish red (71A-C) in bud, opening to a blend of strong purplish red and strong reddish purple (71B, C, 72B) and with a small, white, dorsal flare spotted with moderate red; filaments and style vivid purplish red (57C); anthers dark purplish pink (186C); stigma dark red (59A). Lvs 89 × 44mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 40 years. Early June

(r) **'Potlatch'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Thor' hybrid H: R.W. Clark (pre 1980) Fls bright scarlet, the colour of 'Thor', but in a larger truss. Lvs with a thick indumentum. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years

(a) **'Pot of Gold'** cv. Deciduous azalea: described as a Knap Hill seedling R: W. Kern (c 1958), N: W. Kern Fls 6-lobed, vivid yellow. Shrub 3.8 × 2.2m in 30 years. Knap Hill

(a) **'Potomac'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt, I: E.A. Merritt (c 1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, deep pink. Kurume

(r) **'Potpourri'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Potpourri')

(a) **'Potts Silver Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Potts (pre 1987), N: J. Potts Fls hose-in-hose, 'petaloid', 50mm wide, light pink

(a) **'Pouffe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* (s) × *indicum* R: M. Haworth-Booth, N: M. Haworth-Booth, REG: M. Haworth-Booth (1962) Fls 30mm wide, strong yellowish pink (38A). Low, compact, spreading shrub. Early June

(a) **'Poukhanense Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* R: unknown (pre 1965) Fls pink

(r) **'Poussin'** (Syn. of 'Barclayanum')

(r) **'Poverty Row'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tony's Gift' (s) × 'Moser's Maroon' × *yakushimanum* H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls very pale purple (69D) and vivid reddish purple (74A) in bud, opening very pale purple (69D) edged vivid reddish purple (74A). Tall shrub. (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Powder Mill Run'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Mars' H: L. Bagoly (pre 1968), G: C. Herbert (1972), N: C. Herbert, I: C. Herbert (1972), REG: C. Herbert (1975) Fls 24/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 65mm, with 5-7 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (61C) at edges, blending to light purplish pink (65B) then to silvery white in the throat, outside vivid purplish red (57C); buds darker; slightly scented. Calyx 7mm long, brownish green. Lvs lanceolate to narrowly elliptic, 140 × 45mm, moderate olive green (147A) and with a slight silvery indumentum above and a light fawn indumentum below. New shoots tomentose. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 7 years. Mid May

(r) **'Powder Puff'** cv. Parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), N: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (pre 1978), I: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (pre 1978) Fls lavender pink in bud, opening nearly white

(r) **'Powder Puff'** cv. Parentage unknown R: G.W. Clarke (pre 1980), N: G.W. Clarke

(r) **'Powder Snow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum*, Exbury form (s) × *macabeanum* H: J. Barlup (1981), G: J. Barlup (1989), N: J. Barlup (1998), REG: J. Barlup (1999) Fls 20/domed truss, funnel-campanulate, 55 × 65mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, light pink (49C) in bud, opening yellowish white (155D) throughout, with a deep purplish red (187D) dorsal flare (c15mm long) and sparse, discrete spots extending c10mm beyond the flare, with shorter flares on adjacent lobes. Lvs elliptic, 145 × 55mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, margins decurved, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above; new growth with a heavy tomentum, the mature leaves with a thick indumentum below and on petioles (hairs greenish white (157D) at first, ageing to brownish orange (165B)). Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in 17 years. Early April

(r) **'Powell Glass'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: third generation selection from seed from 'Catalgla' N: Mrs P. Glass (1959), I: E. Amateis, REG: E. Amateis (1961) Fls white. Lvs normal, green. Vigorous shrub, 1.5m in 10 years. (Original seed of 'Catalgla' from J.B. Gable, 1947)

(r) **'Powerhouse'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'America' × 'Doctor V.H. Rutgers' (s) × *maximum* H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 16/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 57 × 70mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, reddish purple (77A, 74A-C) in bud, opening to a blend of deep reddish purple (77A) and strong to light purple (77B-D), with a very pale purple (69D) flare and brilliant yellow-green (154B) dorsal spots; outside with vivid reddish purple (74A, B) veins on the reverse; filaments and style vivid purplish red (57C); anthers very pale purple (69C); stigma pale yellow-green (157A). Lvs 72 × 37mm, acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 18 years. Early June

(r) **'Pow Wow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Earl of Athlone' (s) × Fabia Group R: R. Henny (1944), N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny (pre 1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright, waxy red, with a large, convex calyx

(a) **'Praeclarum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Knight & Perry (pre 1845), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon red. Indian (Probably the same plant listed by A. Verschaffelt, 1844)

(r) **'Praeclarum'** cv. Parentge unknown L: Whitley & Osborn (1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Praecox'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1804), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed under *Azalea viscosa*)

(a) **'Praecox'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as "Calendulacea Praecox")

(r) **'Praecox'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *ciliatum* × *dauricum* R: I. Davies (c 1855), N: I. Davies, I: I. Davies (1861), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss (but several of these clustered at branch tips), broadly funnel-shaped, 25 × 40-45mm, purplish crimson in bud, opening rosy purple and without markings, darker on the outside. Calyx lobes 1-2mm long, ciliate. Lvs ovate, 25-60 × 15-27mm, evergreen or partially so, dark, shiny green above, scaly below. Shrub c1.2m. FCC 1978 (There were probably several similar seedlings from the original cross; a redder form has been described as var. *rubrum* Watson)

(r) **'Praecox Album'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Whitley & Osborn (1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Praecox du Grand Jardin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as an *arboreum* form or hybrid L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Praecox Roseomarginatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: K. Wada (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, white, margined warm rose. Very early. Indian

(a) **'Praecox Rubrum'** cv. Hardy azalea: Parentage unknown L: Whitley & Osborn (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Shrub 1.0-1.5m

(r) **'Praecox Splendens'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Praecox' (s) × *dauricum* or *mucronulatum* R: G. Arends, N: G. Arends, I: G. Arends (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose

(r) **'Praelucidum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson

(r) **'Praemorsum Foliis Variegatis'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed under *catawbiense* L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1851), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Praestans'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Praestans'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson. (Perhaps the same plant listed, without description, by Knight & Perry, c1850)

(a) **'Praestantissimum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Verleeuwen (1835), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red, dorsal lobe orange-yellow deepening to blood orange. Ghent (The 1958 Register entry for 'Prestantissimum' is assumed to be an error for this plant)

(a) **'Praestantissimum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably a 'Pulchrum' hybrid I: Knight & Perry (pre 1844), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red, with heavy dorsal spotting. Indian (The attribution to Knight & Perry and the description follow contemporary 19th century sources. The 1958 Register described a plant with violet red/spiraea red, single flowers with a darker blotch. More than one plant may be involved)

(a) **'Praevalens'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1851), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(r) **'Prairie Fire'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cornubia' × 'Red Olympia' I: A.C. Korth (pre 1985) Fls bright red. Lvs narrow, dusky green. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Midseason. Heat-tolerant

(r) **'Prairie Gold'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: Eldorado Group × *leucaspis* × 'Lemon Mist' H: R.W. Scott (1966), G: R.W. Scott (1971), N: R.W. Scott, I: R.W. Scott (1974), REG: R.W. Scott (1975) Fls 3-4 from each of 1-3 terminal buds, broadly funnel-campanulate, 40mm wide, 5-lobed, uranium green (63/2), unmarked. Calyx 6mm long, yellow-green, brown scaly. Lvs elliptic, 30 × 13mm, with minute white hairs above and brownish green scales below. Shrub 0.4 × 1.0m in 8 years. Early-mid March

(a) **'Präsident Benningsen'** (See note under 'Président Benningsen')

(a) **'Pratt's Hybrid'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1995)

(r) **'Prawn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Lady Bessborough Group × 'Tortoiseshell Wonder' R: W.C. Slocock Ltd, N: W.C. Slocock Ltd, REG: W.C. Slocock Ltd (1966) Fls salmon and shrimp pink. June

(a) **'Praxitèle'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Smet, I: C. Vuylsteke (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, creamy white, shaded yellow in centre, tinted rose on edges of dorsal lobes. Midseason. Rustica

(a) **'Preceptissimum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1852), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Precious'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Exbury (pre 1989)

(r) **'Précoce des Andelys'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1891), INC: ICRA (1958) Flowers '2-5 months' before other cultivars. (Published in *Revue Horticole*, 1891, p.463)

(r) **'Précoce des Jardins'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Nomblot-Bruneau (1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose. Early

(a) **'Precocious'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *luteum* R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls large, bright yellow; scented. Mid May

(a) **'Prelate'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* (s) × 'Maxwellii' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3/truss, 5(-6) lobed, 65mm wide, deep rose pink (deep purplish pink (64D)), with a few tyrian rose (vivid purplish red (57B)) dots. Shrub to 1.9m. Late April. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Prelude'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Paul Schäme' × 'Madame Pericat' R: H. Kerrigan (pre 1987), N: H. Kerrigan Fls hose-in-hose, deep yellowish pink. Midseason

(r) **'Prelude'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* (s) × *fortunei* H: L. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c10/globular, flat-topped truss, broadly funnel-shaped, pale yellow-green (601/3), which darkens towards the base and shows a little indistinct staining. Lvs oblong-lanceolate, cordate at base, leathery. (AM description). AM 1951 (Prelude Group)

(r) **Prelude Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* (s) × *fortunei* H: L. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1951), INC: ICRA

(1958) Fls 10/globular, flat-topped truss, wide-open saucers as in *wardii*, pale shrimp pink or coral in bud, opening to a bright magnolia white and shading to a pale primrose throat (which is sometimes marked with a tiny crimson flash). Lvs leathery, glossy deep green, like *wardii*. (*Rothschild Rhododendrons*, 1979, description)

(a) **'Première'** (See 'La Première')

(a) **'Premier Printemps'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, I: unknown (1883), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, rose. Indian

(r) **'Premier Printemps'** cv. Parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright carmine, dotted with reddish orange and scarlet. Early. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Prenitens'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1835), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Sometimes seen as 'Prenitans' , 'Praenitans' or 'Proenitens')

(r) **'Prentice'** cv. Parentage unknown, ? *yakushimanum* hybrid R: USA ? (pre 1998)

(a) **'Prenton'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: M.C. Pratt (c 1986), G: Ness Botanic Gardens (1996), N: Ness Botanic Gardens, REG: Ness Botanic Gardens (1998) Fls single, 10-15/loose truss, broadly tubular funnel-shaped, 60 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds strong purplish red (63B), opening inside deep purplish pink (58D), outside strong purplish pink (62A); strong orange (24A) blotch on three dorsal lobes. Calyx 1mm long, light yellow-green (142C). Lvs elliptic, 20-75 × 8-25mm, wavy-edged, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 0.75m in 17 years. June-July

(r) **'Preppy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vivacious' × 'Vinerouge' (s) × 'Vivacious' × 'Vinerouge' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, dark purple (79B) and vivid reddish purple (74B) in bud, opening vivid and strong reddish purple (78A, B), light purple (78C) and moderate purplish pink (78D), with a white throat and white flare; sparse, light orange-yellow (16B) dorsal spots; filaments very pale purple (69D); style yellowish white (158C); anthers pale orange-yellow (159C); stigma moderate red (180A). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(a) **'President'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: F.R. Kinghorn (1861), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon pink, with a dark salmon red throat. Indian

(v) **'President'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Crown Princess of Germany' × *javanicum* R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1884), N: J. Veitch & Sons, I: J. Veitch & Sons (1887), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls buff yellow, tinted rose on margins; anthers crimson black. FCC 1884

(a) **'Président Adolphe d'Heane'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1892), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, "fluid gum" colour, with a little carmine red at edges and an almost black blotch. Indian

(a) **'Président Alexis Callier'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Haerensianum' × 'Ernest Eeckhaute' I: A. Haerens (1912), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright red, with a purple tinge. Lvs brownish dark green. Syn: 'Winfried Rölker', 'Energique', 'W. Rölker'. Indian

(a) **'Président Ambroise Verschaffelt'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: E. van der Cruyssen, N: E. van der Cruyssen, I: E. van der Cruyssen (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls satin orange, with black spots on the blue-tinted dorsal lobes. Indian

(a) **'President Arthur de Smet'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: O. van der Cruyssen (1909), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'President Arthur de Smet'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose, resembling 'Pauline Mardner'. Indian

(a) **'President August van Geert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, of good shape, bright red, with a dark black and purple blotch. Indian

(a) **'Président Benningsen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Vuylsteke (1877), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, large, circular in form, coral red with dark red spots. Indian (Attributed in some sources to Schulz; sometimes seen as 'Präsident Benningsen')

(a) **'President Bottelberge'** (Syn. of 'President G. Bottelberge')

(a) **'Président Carnot'** (Syn. of 'Souvenir du Président Carnot')

(a) **'President Carnot'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. de Kneef (1893), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, dark salmon with a broad, black blotch. Indian

(a) **'Président Carnot'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: Ottolander & Hooftman (pre 1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls apricot orange with a purple blotch. Mollis

(a) **'President Claeys'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Variegatum' (? = 'Matsushima') R: E. van der Cruyssen, N: E. van der Cruyssen, I: E. van der Cruyssen (1858), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon, edged white, with rich rose crimson dorsal spotting (FCC description, 1863); other contemporary accounts (J. Veitch cat., 1867, L. van Houtte cat., 1870) all agree. FCC 1863 Syn: 'President Clay', 'Président de Claeys', 'Flame', 'Daphne Red'?, 'Pluto' (The 1958 Register description did not mention the white edge and indicated the presence of red stripes. It has been suggested that the plant later grown under this name was a sport from the original and

is described as :fls single, 2-3/truss, between begonia rose and spectrum red; 8-10 stamens present)

(a) **'President Clay'** (Syn. of 'President Claeys')

(a) **'President Cleveland'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: Ottolander & Hooftman (pre 1896), N: Ottolander & Hooftman, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-yellow, with a reddish glow (1958 Register); red, with a dark bronze blotch (Boskoop, 1896). Mollis

(a) **'Président Comte Oswald de Kerchove'** cv. Evergreen azalea: possibly a sport from 'Frau Hermann Seidel' I: J. de Kneef (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, soft rose, edged white, slightly spotted and with a wine red tint, sometimes with cherry red stripes. Syn: 'Emma'. Indian

(a) **'Président Coty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1955), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Président de Claeys"** (Syn. of 'President Claeys')

(r) **'Président Drouard'** cv. Parentage unknown L: F. Jamin (? 1900), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet rose, with a whitish centre

(a) **'President Ed. de Ghellinck de Walle'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, large, rose, with spotted lobes, with a lake red blotch spreading on to all lobes in centre of flower. FCC 1871. Indian

(a) **'President Edgard Wartel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Président Comte Oswald de Kerchove' I: Haerens & Wille (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, salmon with broad white edge. Indian

(a) **'President Emile Steyaert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1922), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'President F.D. Roosevelt'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Bobbink & Atkins, N: Bobbink & Atkins, I: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, with petaloid sepals, 40mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink (46D)

(a) **'President G. Bottelberge'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, purple rose, with a black blotch on a red background. Syn: 'President Bottelberge'. Indian

(a) **'President Grévy'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: Ottolander & Hooftman (pre 1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-yellow, with red tips. Midseason. Mollis

(a) **'President Humann'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Verschaffelt (1861), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark red (1958 Register), very large, rose tinted salmon, veined brighter rose and spotted carmine (*Revue Horticole*, 1868, p.292). Indian

(a) **'President Jefferson'** (Syn. of 'Thomas Jefferson')

(r) **'President Joseph Napoleon Baumann'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from 'Prince Camille de Rohan' R: Langerock, I: J. Baumann (1879), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 'tender salmon red', all lobes marked with black

(a) **'Président Jules Grévy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte (pre 1881), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, orange-red, spotted blood red. Indian

(r) **'Président Jules Hegg'** cv. Parentage unknown L: F. Jamin (? 1900), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac, with a brighter centre

(r) **'President Kennedy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* × 'Pink Pearl' R: R.A. Fenicchia, N: R.A. Fenicchia, I: R.A. Fenicchia, REG: R.A. Fenicchia (1964) Fls up to 20/full, but not crowded truss, white, with a pale greenish yellow blotch

(a) **'President Krüger'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Petrick (1900), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, lively rose, with a strong, dark carmine blotch. Indian

(r) **'President Lamarche de Rossius'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine rose, with a dark purple blotch

(r) **'President Lambinon'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, marked on all lobes

(r) **'President Lincoln'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: S.B. Parsons (pre 1871), N: S.B. Parsons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in tight, domed trusses, light purplish pink (5RP 8/4 - 2RP 8/16), with a bronze blotch. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. Syn: 'Bertie Parsons', 'Bertha Parsons', 'Betsy Parsons', 'Herbert Parsons'

(a) **'President M. Baumann'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Belgium, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson. Indian (See note under 'Joseph Napoleon Baumann')

(a) **'Président Oswald de Kerchove'** (Syn. of 'Président Comte Oswald de Kerchove')

(a) **'Président Oswald de Kerchove Rubrum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. de Smet-Duvivier (1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls brick red. Indian

(a) **'President Pfaff'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright scarlet red, with dark spots. Resembles 'Apollo'. Indian

(r) **'President Point'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Jalisco Group × *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Lackamas Spice' × *lacteum* H: C.C. Smith (1972), G: A.P. Smith, N: A.P.

Smith, I: A.P. Smith, REG: A.P. Smith (1983) Fls 14/truss, open funnel-campanulate, 65 × 75mm, 7-lobed, strong pink (54C) in bud, eventually pale yellow (158B) with a blotch of strong pink (54C) and deep red (53A), and with slight deep red (53A) spotting and rays in the throat; outside striped and shaded strong pink (54C). Calyx minute, dark red. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 48mm, moderate olive green (137A), apiculate at apex, rounded at base, margins downcurved, with minute, patchy, orange-brown indumentum below. Shrub 0.9 × 1.0m in 9 years

(a) **'President Pynaert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Madame Joseph Vervaene' I: J. Haerens (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, salmon without a white edge. Syn: 'Saumoneum Magnificum'. Indian

(a) **'President Roosevelt'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Soc.An. L. van Houtte, père (1912), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, bright crimson. Syn: 'Lady Roosevelt', 'Roosevelt'. Indian

(r) **'President Roosevelt'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid ? R: unknown (pre 1916), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls petunia violet, with a black blotch

(r) **'President Roosevelt'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: said to be a sport from 'Limbatum' L: C. Mesman (1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 17-24/truss, 5-lobed, strong red (53B/C) at margins, white to blush white in centre. Lvs deep green, with irregular, yellow-green variegation mostly alongside the midrib. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Inclined to revert

(a) **'Président van den Hecke'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white at base, with rose red stripes. Syn: 'Président Victor vanden Hecke'. Indian

(r) **'Président van den Hecke'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Vervaene (pre 1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rich red, with a broad, jet black blotch (D. Vervaene, 1870). Syn: 'Président Victor vanden Hecke'

(a) **'President van de Weghe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Paul Schäme' × 'Ernest Eeckhaute' I: E. de Meyer (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright, deep red. Indian

(a) **'President van Imschoot'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, lacquer red, with a heavy, dark blotch. Indian

(a) **'Président Victor vanden Hecke'** (Syn. of 'Président van den Hecke')

(r) **'Président Victor vanden Hecke'** (Syn. of 'Président van den Hecke')

(r) **'President Vigdís'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan' × Azor Group H: Mrs S. Laxdall (1961), G: Mrs S. Laxdall (1982), N: Mrs S. Laxdall, REG: Mrs S. Laxdall (1987) Fls 12/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 56mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (55A) in bud, opening light purplish pink (55C) with a narrow, longitudinal, deep purplish pink (55A) stripe down each lobe. Calyx 1.6mm long, pale green. Lvs elliptic, 250 × 80mm, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, with prominent ribs below, hairless. Shrub 2.6 × 6.1m in 26 years. Mid May

(a) **'Presleyanum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Presque Isle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Everestianum' (s) × 'Hindustan' H: D.G. Leach (c 1989), G: H.W. Johnson (1995), N: H.W. Johnson (2001), REG: H.W. Johnson (2001) Fls 16 or more/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped to saucer-shaped, 70 × 115mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (66C) in bud, opening inside moderate purplish pink (66D), with numerous, discrete, yellowish green spots on the dorsal lobe, outside deep purplish pink (73A). Calyx c3mm long, strong greenish yellow (153B). Lvs elliptic, 175 × 65mm, with wavy and downcurved margins, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and between dark yellowish green (139A) and moderate olive green (146A) above, moderate yellow-green (146D) below, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.8m in 10 years. Late May-early June

(a) **'Pressii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1841), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Prestantissimum'** (An error for 'Praestantissimum')

(a) **'Presto'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Bridal Veil' (s) × 'Azuma-no-hana' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, 65mm wide, heavily striped and sanded between acajou (moderate red (183D)) and eugenia red (moderate red (180B)). Shrub to 1.2m. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Pretender'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Standish (pre 1870), N: J. Standish, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls magenta red, with a large blotch of dark ochre spots. (Fisher, Son & Sibray (1898 cat.) list a plant with this name having pale blush fls)

(a) **'Pretiosum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.R. Gowen (1829), N: J.R. Gowen, INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Published in *Botanical Register*, 1830, under t.1366, where two possible parental combinations are discussed)

(v) **'Pretty Cotton Candy'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* × 'Pink Creeper' H: unknown (USA), G: G.L.S. Snell, N: G.L.S. Snell, I: Vireya Venue (1990), REG: Vireya Venue (1991) Fls 6-8/truss, campanulate, 45 × 60mm, 5-lobed, tube yellowish white (158D), lobes deep pink (47D). Lvs lanceolate, 100 × 60mm. Shrub 1.0m. Spring-autumn

(a) **'Pretty Girl'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: M.G. Schepens (pre 1987), N: M.G. Schepens Fls hose-in-hose, dark red. Kaempferi

(r) **'Pretty Girl'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Jalisco Group (s) × Fusilier Group H: W.C. Slocock Ltd (pre 1938), G: W.C. Slocock Ltd, N: O.C.A. Slocock (1968), I: O.C.A. Slockock, REG: M.O. Slocock (1993) Fls 16/truss, 64 × 51mm, 7-lobed, purplish red to purplish pink (58B-D) outside, fading to cream inside and with a dark orange blotch. Calyx 32mm long, deep pink. Lvs elliptic, 114 × 50mm. Tall shrub. Early May

(r) **'Pretty Jessica'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lem's Cameo' (s) × 'Coker's Pink' H: B. Sligh (1983), G: B. Sligh (1988), N: B. Sligh (1990), REG: B. Sligh (1994) Fls 12-13/full truss, 35 × 100mm, with 7 wavy to very wavy-edged lobes, buds vivid red/deep pink (52A/B), opening inside pale yellow (11C) in throat, flushed from base to dorsal lobes with pale yellowish pink (36D), edged strong pink (52D) frosted pale yellowish pink (36D); outside strong pink (52D), with deep pink (52C) ribs; strong red (46A) spotted flare extending from throat to over 80% of dorsal lobes. Calyx 35mm long, pale yellow (11C), splashed strong red (46A). Lvs elliptic, 150 × 55mm, margins upcurved, rounded to slightly acute at apex, rounded at base; new foliage deep bronze. Shrub 1.2 × 0.8m in 9 years

(r) **'Pretty Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ruddy Red Max' (s) × 'Midsummer' × (*maximum* × *wardii*) H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls vivid purplish red (67B) and deep and strong purplish pink (67C, D) in bud, opening very pale purple (69D) edged strong purplish pink (68B), with strong yellow-green (145A) dorsal spots; filaments and style white; anthers moderate purplish pink (186D); stigma pale yellow (158A). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Pretty Polly'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink

(r) **'Pretty Woman'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Orange Marmalade' × 'Pink Petticoats' H: J.A. Davis (1984), G: J.A. Davis (1990), N: J.A. Davis, I: J.A. Davis (1993), REG: J.A. Davis (1993) Fls 20-22/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 64 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (67C) in bud, opening moderate to pale purplish pink (62B, D) with two brush-marks radiating from centre; outside strong purplish pink (68B); stamens 13, straight, unequal; style red, stigma green. Pedicels 41mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 140-178 × 51-76mm, flat to convex, mucronate at apex, oblique at base, glossy, hairless; petioles 25mm long, green. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 8 years. May

(a) **'Prevalens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. van Geert (1849), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Priamus'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Firma Seidel (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, tinged rose at first

(r) **'Priceless'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Carita Group (s) × 'Comstock' H: H. O'Rourke (1990), G: H. O'Rourke (2000), N: H. O'Rourke (2002), REG: H. O'Rourke (2002) Fls 11/ball truss, saucer-shaped, 40 × 90mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong yellowish pink (35C) in bud, opening pale yellow (11D) turning to pale greenish yellow (10D), with strong yellowish pink (35C) spots which soon fade. Lvs ovate, 140 × 55mm, mucronate at apex, obtuse at base. Shrub 1.0 × 0.75m in 12 years. Early October (Tasmania). (Standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY 0038776))

(a) **'Price Strawberry'** (See note under 'Prize Strawberry')

(a) **'Pride'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Pericat, N: Perkins-DeWilde Nurseries, I: Perkins-DeWilde Nurseries (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 30 × 45-50mm, deep yellowish pink (47C), with darker spots. Pericat

(r) **'Pride'** (Syn. of 'Yvonne Pride')

(a) **'Pride-Linwood'** cv. Evergreen azalea: unknown Linwood cv. × 'Snowball' R: O.S. Pride (pre 1987), N: O.S. Pride Fls white. Very hardy. (Probably the same plant as 'Pride's White')

(r) **'Pridenjoy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lem's Cameo' × 'Kubla Khan' H: L.L. Newcomb (1979), G: L.L. Newcomb (1985), N: L.L. Newcomb, REG: L.L. Newcomb (1987) Fls 23-28/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 60 × 114mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, moderate red (47A) in bud, opening pale yellow (20D), flushed light yellowish pink (37D), changing to pale greenish yellow (10D); throat light yellow (11B); outside moderate yellowish pink (39C); spotting on dorsal lobe strong red (39A); moderately scented. Calyx 13-32mm long, light yellow (11B), edged strong red (39A). Lvs narrowly obovate, 152 × 73mm, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, flat, glossy, moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (146C) below, hairless; new growth moderate olive brown (199A); winter colour of dormant flower buds dark red (187B). Shrub 0.9 × 1.4m in 7 years. Mid April

(a) **'Pride of Brunswick'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls 100mm wide, red. Spreading habit. Late

(r) **'Pride of Cambridge'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12-21/very compact, conical or pyramidal truss, 40-65mm wide, white, with a purple margin and faint yellow to reddish markings on the dorsal lobe; outside purple. Shrub 1.5-2.0m tall, compact, much broader than high. Late May-early June

(r) **'Pride-of-Cape-Cod'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: A. Consolini, G: A. Consolini, N: A. Consolini, REG: H. & Mrs E. Pilkington (1991) Fls 20/ball truss, open campanulate, 51 × 89mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, deep red (53A), with dark red freckles on the dorsal lobe; stamens 8, curved, of equal length; pistil red, curved. Pedicels 38mm long, red. Lvs oblong to elliptic, 165 × 64mm, flat, acute at apex,

cuneate at base, dull green above, hairless; petioles 51mm long, red. Shrub 2.1 × 1.2m in 20 years. Midseason

(r) **'Pride of Dorchester'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* × Lady Bessborough Group × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: A.W. Smith (1982), G: A.W. Smith (1988), N: A.W. Smith, REG: A.W. Smith (1989) Fls 14/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 44 × 76mm, with 5 wavy- or very wavy-edged lobes, white with a red throat and a narrow, speckled, red flare extending up on to the dorsal lobe. Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 133 × 57mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green and hairless above, with a light fawn, felted indumentum below. Shrub 0.8 × 0.6m in 6 years. Late May

(a) **'Pride of Dorking'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 70mm wide, deep pink to cerise red. Late. Indian

(r) **'Pride of Glenrose'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Glennie, N: W.E. Glennie, I: W.E. Glennie, REG: W.E. Glennie (1980) Fls in large, compact trusses, red

(r) **'Pride of Kernick'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R. Gill & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c13/truss, pink, with bright scarlet marking at base

(r) **'Pride of Kings'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'A. Bedford' × 'Purple Splendour' H: Mrs H.A. Frederick, Jr (1967), G: Mrs H.A. Frederick, Jr (1976), N: Mrs H.A. Frederick, Jr, I: Mrs H.A. Frederick, Jr, REG: Mrs H.A. Frederick (1977) Fls up to 9/truss, open funnel-shaped, 95mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish purple (72B), with a dark greyish reddish brown (200A) blotch on the dorsal lobe and a satiny royal purple throat, edges and outside dark purple (79A). Lvs elliptic, 150 × 55mm, acute at apex, rounded at base, moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in 9 years. Early May

(a) **'Pride of Kingstreet'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Walter Allan Nursery (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink. Indian

(a) **'Pride of Kotara'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Australia ? (pre 1984) Fls single, pink. Indian

(a) **'Pride of Lawrenceville'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Bunka' × 'Hinodegiri' R: J.O. Harris, N: J.O. Harris, I: J.O. Harris (pre 1981) Fl single, 50mm wide, pink, edged red. Shrub 1.1 × 1.5m in 10 years. Early May

(r) **'Pride of Leonardslee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × *thomsonii* R: Sir Edmund Loder (pre 1920), N: Sir Edmund Loder, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a loose, open-topped truss, soft pink, shading to mauve in the throat. Lvs mid, glossy green. Early May. Syn: 'Leonardslee Luscombei', 'Luscombei' (USA) (Luscombei Group)

(a) **'Pride of Lindenhurst'** cv. Parentage unknown R: F.A. Arsen (pre 1989) Fls white, edged pink

(a) **'Pride of Mobile'** (Syn. of 'Elegans Superbum')

(a) **'Pride of Namazu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *eriocarpum* I: K. Wada, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cinnabar red, with a white throat

(a) **'Pride of Nambucca'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Rosa Belton' (s) × 'Sweet Nellie' H: M. Mackay, G: M. Mackay (1980), N: M. Mackay, REG: M. Mackay (1985) Fls with some petaloid stamens, 2-4/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 30 × 60mm, vivid purplish red (57C). Lvs elliptic, 60 × 50mm. Shrub 0.45m

(a) **'Pride of Orange'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, deep orange, with a purplish red blotch. Low shrub. Late

(a) **'Pride of Orangeburg'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: W. Allan, N: W. Allan, I: W. Allan (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 45mm wide, non-fading brick red with a lavender blotch. Indian

(a) **'Pride of Orlando'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: W.V. Meridith (pre 1987), N: W.V. Meridith Fls white

(a) **'Pride of Paradise'** (Syn. of 'Joy of Paradise')

(a) **'Pride-of-Planting-Fields'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kaempferi* or a *kaempferi* hybrid S: New York Chapter, American Rhododendron Society, N: New York Chapter, American Rhododendron Society, I: Planting Fields Arboretum (1992), REG: G.E. Jones (1991) Fls solitary, fully double, broadly funnel-shaped, 30-40 × 50-60mm, with wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (48C), with no stamens or pistil. Lvs dimorphic: spring lvs elliptic to orbicular, 10-60 × 10-30mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and sparsely hairy above. Shrub of upright habit, 3.0 × 2.0m in 15 years. Mid May. (Raised at Planting Fields (New York, USA) in 1920s)

(a) **'Pride of PoCo'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: S.E. Sorenson (pre 1985), G: S.E. Sorenson, N: City of Port Coquitlam (1999), REG: B. Herbst (2000) Fls semi-double, 10-12/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes and 1-4 petaloid stamens, orange to darkish salmon, with a bluish throat. Lvs elliptic, 65 × 50mm. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 15 years. Mid May. (Named for the city of Port Coquitlam, British Columbia, Canada. Derived from Knap Hill azalea hybrids)

(a) **'Pride of Prichard'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Elegans Superbum' (s) × 'Snow' I: Mrs F. Petry (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 70mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, deep rose pink. Syn: 'Opal's Pride'. Indian

(r) **'Pride of Roseburg'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Point Defiance' (s) × 'Trude Webster' H: D. Sanders (1986), G: M. Sanders (1992), N: M. Sanders (2001), I: Sanders Nursery (2002), REG: Sanders Nursery (2002) Fls 15/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 115mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red

(57B) in bud, opening inside deep purplish pink (67C) at margins, shading to moderate purplish pink (66D) in centre, the dorsal lobe moderate purplish pink (70D), with some strong purplish red (71B) spotting, outside deep purplish pink (68A). Lvs elliptic, 205 × 75mm, margins wavy, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 2.7 × 2.7m in 16 years. Mid May

(r) **'Pride of Split Rock'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection or hybrid of *racemosum* R: unknown (pre 1992) Fls in racemes, bright pink. Lvs small, dark mahogany red in winter. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Midseason

(a) **'Pride of Summerville'** (Syn. of 'Daphne Salmon')

(r) **'Pride of Tremough'** cv. Parentage unknown I: M. Longfield (1935), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Pride Red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Nadine' I: O.S. Pride (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark red. Late

(a) **'Pride's Old Faithful'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: O.S. Pride (pre 1987), N: O.S. Pride

(a) **'Pride's Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: O.S. Pride (pre 1987), N: O.S. Pride Fls pink. Late

(r) **'Pride's Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *maximum* R: O.S. Pride (pre 1983), N: O.S. Pride

(a) **'Pride's Pride'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: O.S. Pride (pre 1987), N: O.S. Pride Fls red. Late

(r) **'Pride's Sam'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1985) Fls pink orange

(a) **'Pride's Super Hino-red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: O.S. Pride (pre 1987), N: O.S. Pride Fls reddish orange

(r) **'Pride's Whipped Cream'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Powell Glass' × unknown H: D.G. Leach, G: O.S. Pride, N: O.S. Pride (pre 1980) Fls creamy white. Syn: 'Whipped Cream'

(a) **'Pride's White'** cv. Evergreen azalea: unknown Linwood cv. × 'Snowball' R: O.S. Pride (pre 1987), N: O.S. Pride Fls white. (Probably the same plant as 'Pride-Linwood')

(a) **'Prima Donna'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (A. van Geert, 1849, attributes this to Knight & Perry; some sources on European Continent list it as 'Prima Dona')

(a) **'Prima Donna'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Paul Schäme' × 'Charles Encke' R: H. Kerrigan (pre 1965), N: H. Kerrigan Fls double, pale pink, with darker variegation

(r) **'Prima Donna'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Idealist Group seedling × Jalisco Group R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1970) Fls chartreuse green (633/1), with a brown blotch in the throat. Compact shrub, 1.2m in 10 years

(r) **'Primary Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Yaku Sunrise' × ('C.I.S.' × 'Jingle Bells') (s) × 'Lem's Cameo' H: F. Fujioka (1981), G: F. Fujioka (1986), N: F. Fujioka, I: F. Fujioka (1995), REG: F. Fujioka (1996) Fls 24/domed truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 50 × 65mm, with 5 deeply incised, smooth-edged lobes, light purplish pink (55C), shading to pale purplish pink (56D) near the throat; stamens 10, straight, unequal, much shorter than pistil; stigma strong greenish yellow (151B). Calyx 6mm long, pale pink (49D). Pedicels 30mm long, brilliant yellow-green (142B). Lvs elliptic, 140 × 50mm, glossy dark green (135A) above, moderate yellow-green (147C) below, hairless; petioles 25mm long, strong yellow-green (144C). Shrub 0.6 × 0.9m in 12 years. Early May

(a) **'Primavera'** (Syn. of 'Nuccio's Primavera')

(a) **'Primavera'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, "of camellia form", with up to 100 lobes, 100-120mm wide, red. Indian

(a) **'Primavera'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose and cream. Tall shrub. Midseason. Occidentale

(a) **'Prime Minister'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink. Amoena

(r) **'Prime Time'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Linda' × (*yakushimanum* × 'Delp's Cindy Lou') (s) × 'Sumatra' H: A.W. Smith (1985), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 8/truss, open funnel-shaped, 41 × 55mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, deep red and strong purplish red (60A-D) in bud, opening strong purplish red (60C, D) and deep purplish pink (64D), fading slowly to 64D; filaments and style light purplish pink (63D); anthers light yellowish pink (159A); stigma dark red (183A). Lvs 79 × 32mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 0.9m in 7 years. Early June

(r) **'Primeur'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Rijneveld' × 'Scarlet Surprise' H: A. Vuyk (c 1960), G: A. Vuyk (c 1970), N: A. Vuyk, I: Vuyk van Nes (1974), REG: Royal Boskoop Hort.Soc. (1988) Fls 10-20/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40-60 × 50mm, 5-lobed, light red, with a red-purple blotch. Calyx green. Lvs lanceolate, 100-200 × 30-50mm, hairless. Shrub 3.0 × 3.0m. April-May. (Published in *Dendroflora* 18: 76 (1981))

(a) **'Primitive Beauty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: Tom Dodd Nursery (1970), G: F.C. Galle (1975), N: F.C. Galle, I: Tom Dodd Nursery (1982), REG: F.C. Galle (1986) Fls 3-5/truss, 50mm wide, 5-lobed, the lobes cut to base and 50 × 13mm, white. Calyx 20mm long, green. Lvs more-or-less narrowly elliptic,

c50-65 × 20-22mm, strong yellow-green (144A) above, ciliate and hairy. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years. Early April

(a) **'Primrose'** (Syn. of 'Ilam Primrose')

(a) **'Primrose'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1985) Fls pale yellow. (Probably an Exbury (ie Knap Hill) type azalea)

(r) **'Primrose'** (Syn. of 'Fine Feathers Primrose')

(v) **'Primrose'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Maiden's Blush' (s) × *javanicum* var. *teysmannii* R: J. Veitch & Sons, N: J. Veitch & Sons, I: J. Veitch & Sons (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls65mm wide, with a short tube and lobes slightly reflexed at apex, primrose yellow. FCC 1888

(v) **'Primrose Promise'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown N: Vireya Venue, I: Vireya Venue (pre 1997) Fls soft primrose. Compact, upright shrub to c0.75m

(r) **'Primrose Queen'** (Syn. of 'Hethersett')

(r) **'Primula'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1992)

(a) **'Primulinum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls delicate primrose yellow (E. S. Rand, 1871)

(r) **'Primulinum Elegans'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1856), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls slight primrose yellow, with pearl-coloured spots

(r) **'Primulinum Formosum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls primrose yellow, with orange spots

(r) **'Primulum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Prince Abkhazi'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *irroratum* × unknown (but probably *irroratum*) G: H. Vaartnou (1970), N: H. Vaartnou, REG: H. Vaartnou (1988) Fls 15-18/ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 64 × 89mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, dark pink in bud, opening very pale purple (69B), with pinkish red spots on dorsal lobes. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, acute to apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy above, hairless; new growth reddish green. Shrub 3.7 × 2.1m in 20 years. February-March. (Grown from seed from University of British Columbia, Vancouver Campus, 1963)

(a) **'Prince Albert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Knight (c 1843), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, bright red. SCC 1865. Indian

(a) **'Prince Albert'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: C. Vuylsteke (c 1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon pink, shaded cream. Mollis

(a) **'Prince Albert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Madame P.B. van Acker' I: Verschuren Bros (1943), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light purplish pink (55C). Indian

(r) **'Prince Albert'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W. Rollisson & Sons (1851), N: W. Rollisson & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark chocolate crimson, with black spots. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Prince Arthur'** cv. Parentage unknown R: I. Davies ? (pre 1860), N: I. Davies ?, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls plum-coloured

(a) **'Prince Baudewijn'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 100-120mm wide, deep red. Indian

(a) **'Prince Baudouin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (pre 1885), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, reddish, with bluish spots over dorsal lobes. Indian

(a) **'Prince Baudouin'** cv. Deciduous azalea: a Ghent azalea × a Mollis azalea I: C. Vuylsteke (1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lively rose, darker in centre and with a strong purplish blotch (C. Vuylsteke, 1890). (Has been listed both as a Ghent and as a Mollis azalea)

(a) **'Prince Bernhard'** (Syn. of 'Prins Bernhard')

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(a) **'Prince Camille de Rohan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: van Geersdaele (pre 1847), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white, with a fine green and carmine blotch. Syn: 'Fürst'. Indian

(r) **'Prince Camille de Rohan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably *maximum* × *caucasicum* or *arboreum* R: Waelbrouck (pre 1854), I: J. Verschaffelt (c 1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 20/dense, domed truss, funnel-shaped, 45 × 60mm, 5-lobed, clear rose in bud, opening pale rose pink, with a broad crimson ray on dorsal lobes. Corolla lobes very crisped at margins. Calyx very small. Lvs oblanceolate, 140 × 40mm, bright green above, with a very thin indumentum below. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(a) **'Prince Camille von Rohan'** (Syn. of 'Fürst Camille von Rohan')

(a) **'Prince Charming'** cv. Deciduous azalea: from self-ed seed of *schlippenbachii* R: Sir Giles Loder, N: Sir Giles Loder, I: Sir Giles Loder (1965), REG: Sir Giles Loder (1965) Fls 4-5/loose truss, 45 × 90mm, rhodamine purple (527/2), with darker tinges and with deep crimson dorsal spotting. Calyx c7mm long, ciliate. Pedicels c15mm long, hairy. FCC 1965

(r) **'Prince Charming'** cv. Parentage unknown H: W.E. Stokes (pre 1980)

(a) **'Prince Chichibu'** (Syn. of 'Chichibu')

(r) **'Prince Consort'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Todman (1861), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, bright rose, spotted

(a) **'Prince de Joinville'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1851), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Prince de Joinville'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1852), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Prince de Joinville'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958). Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Prince Delight'** (Syn. of 'Ukamuse')

(a) **'Prince des Pays-Bas'** (Syn. of Prince Henri des Pays-Bas')

(a) **'Prince d'Orange'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Vervaene (1857), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red and bright scarlet red, with carmine red spots. Indian. Syn: 'Prince of Orange'

(a) **'Prince d'Orange'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1885), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Prince Doria'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1852), INC: ICRA (1958) (Exhibited by C. Michel (France), 1852. cf. *Revue Horticole*, 2: 154 (1852))

(r) **'Prince Eugene'** (Syn. of 'Prinz Eugene')

(a) **'Prince Franz Joseph'** (Syn. of 'Prinz Franz Joseph')

(a) **'Prince Frederick'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1835), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange scarlet (Veitch, 1867). Ghent (The spelling 'Prince Frédéric' is sometimes seen)

(a) **'Prince George'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: USA ? (pre 1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark red. (Listed as a parent of 'Nellie')

(a) **'Prince Georges'** (Syn. of 'Pastel' (Morrison))

(a) **'Prince Guillaume'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange. Ghent

(a) **'Prince Henri des Pays-Bas'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown N: L. Verschaffelt (1846), INC: ICRA (1958) At least two plants may have been involved: fls fire orange, with one yellow lobe (L. van Houtte cat., 1849 & 1850), fls dark blood red, in large trusses (L. van Houtte cat., 1868 to 1898); other accounts refer to a flower with a more salmon pink ground, with an orange blotch. Syn: 'Prinz Hendrik des Pays-Bas', 'Prince des Pays-Bas'. Ghent

(a) **'Prince Henry'** (Syn. of 'Prins Hendrick')

(a) **'Prince Impérial'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Verschaffelt (pre 1860), N: J. Verschaffelt, I: J. Verschaffelt, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Prince Impérial'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(r) **'Prince Impérial'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Backès (1861), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson lake (Standish, 1870)

(a) **'Prince Jan van Luxemburg'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Byland Bros (1962) Fls double, carmine red. Indian

(a) **'Prince Jerome'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy scarlet. Indian

(a) **'Prince Léopold'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Sander & Sons (1903), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, violet carmine

(a) **'Prince Leopold'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Eclaireur' I: A. Haerens (1922), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with a broad, dark red crimson blotch. Similar to parent but darker in colour. Indian

(r) **'Prince Leopold'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *dalhousiae* × *formosum* R: I.A. Henry, N: I.A. Henry, I: I.A. Henry (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, long-tubed, white, suffused rose. Lvs elliptic, small, dull green above, paler and glaucous below, dotted with brown scales

(r) **'Prince Leopold'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dull dark red. (Probably the 'Prince Luitpold' (sic), with fls dark crimson purple, listed by E. André, 1864)

(v) **'Prince Leopold'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *brookeanum* subsp. *gracile* × 'Lobbii' R: J. Veitch & Sons, N: J. Veitch & Sons, I: J. Veitch & Sons (1876), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls fawn suffused rose, deeper towards the edge, centre deep rose; exterior of tube buff yellow, tinged rose. FCC 1876

(a) **'Prince Louis Bonaparte'** (See note under 'Louis Bonaparte')

(a) **'Prince Minister'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Mrs Carmichael' I: Carmichael (1879), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3-5/truss, small, rose, shaded dark rose towards the base. Indian

(r) **'Prince of McKenzie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Elizabeth Group (s) × 'Earl of Athlone' H: C.H. Phetteplace (1960), G: C.H. Phetteplace (1962), N: C.H. Phetteplace, I: C.H. Phetteplace (1975), REG: E. & C.H. Phetteplace (1983) Fls 4-6/truss, campanulate, 60 × 50mm, 5-lobed, vivid red (46B), unmarked. Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 60-70 × 30-35mm, dark green (132A), apiculate at apex, rounded at base, with sparse, light brown hairs below. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m in 10 years. Early April. Syn: 'Little Bit'

(a) **'Prince of Orange'** (Syn. of 'Prince d'Orange')

(a) **'Prince of Orange'** (Syn. of 'Prins van Oranje')

(a) **'Prince of Orange'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kaempferi* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958). Kaempferi

(a) **'Prince of Wales'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose

red. Indian (Exhibited by Wheeler, 1869 - fls bright rosy purple)

(r) **'Prince of Wales'** cv. Parentage unknown L: B.S. Williams (1872), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls reddish orange. Compact habit. (Listed as a greenhouse rhododendron by Williams - perhaps a vireya)

(r) **'Prince of Wales'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1872), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light purple, with a white centre. (In the 1920s Waterers offered what was said to be a new 'Prince of Wales': fls in very large trusses, rose pink, with a lighter centre)

(a) **'Prince Paul Galitzin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1871), INC: ICRA (1958) (Cultivated by Keteleer (Sceaux, France) cf. *Revue Horticole*, 1871, p.472)

(r) **'Prince Poniatowski'** cv. Parentage unknown L: L. de Cock (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Princeps'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Baron de Pronay (pre 1849), N: Baron de Pronay, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Princeps'** cv. Deciduous azalea: listed under "*Azalea pontica*" L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1851), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Probably the 'Princepts' (sic) listed by A. Verschaffelt, 1840)

(a) **'Princeps'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L.L. Liebig (pre 1852), REG: IRA 1958. Indian

(r) **'Princeps'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: possibly an *arboreum* form or hybrid I: M. Guérin (1842), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pinkish lilac (Methven, 1868); brilliant scarlet (Fraser, 1875)

(a) **'Princeps Aurantiacum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Also seen as 'Princeps Aurantia' (J. van Geert))

(a) **'Princeps Belgicum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1835), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Princeps Grandiflorum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep pink. Ghent

(a) **'Prince Rodolphe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1882), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, salmon scarlet. Indian (The earliest form may be 'Prinz Rudolph')

(az) **'Prince Rohan'** cv. Azaleodendron: listed as "*Azalea coccinea* × Rhododendron" L: T.J. Seidel (1846), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose (Seidel, 1846)

(r) **'Prince Roy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kammer's Ruffles' × 'Purple Splendour' H: M. Stockman (1983), G: M. & H. Stockman (1990), N: M. & H. Stockman, I: M. & H. Stockman (1992), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1992) Fls 16/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 38 × 64mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, light purple (78C) to moderate purplish pink (78D), with large well-defined spots of dark red (187A) to moderate purplish red (70A) on dorsal lobe; outside with ribs flushed deep purplish pink (67C); stamens 10, slightly curved, unequal; anthers creamy white; style pink. Calyx 6mm long, cream. Pedicels 25mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly obovate, 70 × 32mm, flat, cuspidate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy mid green above, hairless; petioles 16mm long, light green. Shrub 0.4 × 0.6m in 9 years. Late May

(a) **'Princess'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt, I: E.A. Merritt (c 1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, flushed red. Kurume

(a) **'Princess'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Cheal (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange. Ghent

(a) **'Princess'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown S: W.C. Slocock Ltd (1936), N: W.C. Slocock Ltd, I: W.C. Slocock Ltd, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 15-30/globular truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 55 × 55mm, deep pink (52C), with pale streaks along centre of lobes and with a yellow (21B) blotch. Lvs light green. Shrub over 2.0m. *AM 1953

(a) **'Princess'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L.L. Brooks (pre 1965), N: L.L. Brooks Fls single, hose-in-hose, nymph pink. Indian

(r) **'Princess'** (See 'The Princess')

(r) **'Princess Abkhazi'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *irroratum* × unknown (but probably *irroratum*) G: H. Vaartnou (1970), N: H. Vaartnou, REG: H. Vaartnou (1988) Fls 15-20/ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 44 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, dark pink in bud, opening very pale purple (69B), all lobes heavily and uniformly spotted red. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 152 × 64mm, acute to apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy above, hairless; new growth reddish green. Shrub 3.0 × 1.8m in 20 years. February-March. (Grown from seed from University of British Columbia, Vancouver Campus, 1963)

(a) **'Princess Adrienne'** (Syn. of 'Princesse Adrienne')

(a) **'Princess Aki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Twenty Grand' × seedling of 'Twenty Grand' R: H. Kerrigan (pre 1987), N: H. Kerrigan Fls hose-in-hose, vivid orange

(a) **'Princess Alexandra'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Verschaffelt (1868), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Attributed to Williams)

(v) **'Princess Alexandra'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *jasminiflorum* × 'Princess Royal' R: J. Veitch & Sons, N: J. Veitch & Sons, I: J. Veitch & Sons (1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls waxy, longer in the tube than *jasminiflorum*, white tinged blush; pink stamens. Dwarf, compact habit. FCC 1865

(a) **'Princess Alice'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Todman (1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls sometimes semi-double, pure white. Indian

(a) **'Princess Alice'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Berna Park Nurseries (1984) Fls cerise. Kurume

(r) **'Princess Alice'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *edgeworthii* (s) × *ciliatum* I: J. Veitch & Sons (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white flushed pink outside; scented. Dwarf habit. FCC 1862

(r) **'Princess Alice'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection or hybrid of *arboreum* L: E.F. André (1864), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls flesh pink, spotted brown. (Perhaps an error for the *edgeworthii* hybrid)

(a) **'Princess Allison'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid involving 'Vervaeneanum', 'Kirin', 'Azuma-kagami' and several other evergreen azaleas H: University of Maryland (1977), G: University of Maryland, N: A.N. Adams, Jr, I: A.N. Adams, Jr (1994), REG: A.N. Adams, Jr (1996) Fls 2-3/truss, double, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, white, with infrequent deep purplish pink (67C) flakes and stripes. Spring lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 40 × 15mm. Shrub 0.25 × 0.25 in 3 years. Early May. (First published in *The Azalean* 16 (1): 32-33 (1994))

(r) **'Princess Amelia'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark scarlet. Hardy Hybrid (French catalogues of the same period have a 'Princesse Amélie', which is probably the same plant)

(a) **'Princess Andrea'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid involving 'Vervaeneanum', 'Kirin', 'Azuma-kagami' and several other evergreen azaleas H: University of Maryland (1977), G: University of Maryland, N: A.N. Adams, Jr, I: A.N. Adams, Jr (1993), REG: A.N. Adams, Jr (1996) Fls hose-in-hose and double, 2/truss, open funnel-shaped, 35 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes/whorl, strong purplish red (58B). Spring lvs narrowly elliptic, 30 × 10mm. Shrub 0.25 × 0.25m in 3 years. Early May. (First published in *The Azalean* 15 (1): 9-11 (1993)

(r) **'Princess Anne'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *keiskei* × *hanceanum* R: G. Reuthe Ltd, N: G. Reuthe Ltd, I: G. Reuthe Ltd (1961), REG: G. Reuthe Ltd (1974) Fls 4-5/compact, domed truss, 50 × 25-30mm, funnel-shaped, paler than pale greenish yellow (2D), more-or-less translucent at margins, throat very lightly flushed paler than light greenish yellow (4C). Lvs 25 × 13mm, more-or-less dull, mid green; bronzy in winter. Shrub up to 0.6m tall (0.3m in 10 years). *AM 1978, *FCC 1983 Syn: 'Golden Fleece'

(a) **'Princess Augusta'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: A. Pericat, N: R.P. Mayo Nurseries, I: R.P. Mayo Nurseries, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 55mm wide, white, flushed strong purplish pink (623/1), with a darker blotch

(a) **'Princess Barbara'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid involving 'Vervaeneanum', 'Kirin', 'Azuma-kagami' and several other evergreen azaleas H: University of Maryland (1977), G: University of Maryland, N: A.N. Adams, Jr, I: A.N. Adams, Jr (1996), REG: A.N. Adams, Jr (1996) Fls double, 1-2/truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (61C). Spring lvs elliptic, 35 × 15mm. Early May. (First published in *The Azalean* 18 (1): 11-13 (1996))

(a) **'Princess Bathilde van Dessau'** cv. Parentage unknown I: A. Henderson & Son (1861), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep purple rose. (Perhaps an error for 'Prinzessin Mathilda von Anhalt-Dessau')

(a) **'Princess Beatrice'** (Syn. of 'Prinses Beatrix')

(a) **'Princess Beatrice'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls mauve. (Perhaps the plant listed as 'Princesse Béatrice')

(v) **'Princess Beatrice'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Duchess of Edinburgh' × 'Princess Alexandra' R: J. Veitch & Sons, N: J. Veitch & Sons, I: J. Veitch & Sons (1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large, globose trusses, light yellow, suffused pink, centre light pink; filaments bright rose carmine. FCC 1884

(a) **'Princess Beatrix'** (Syn. of 'Prinses Beatrix')

(a) **'Princess Caroline'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: O.R. Bristow?, I: Mossholder Nursery (pre 1987) Fls hose-in-hose, 75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, light salmon pink, with reddish brown spots and throat markings

(r) **'Princess Charlotte'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958). Hardy Hybrid (Perhaps the plant also listed as 'Princesse Charlotte')

(r) **'Princess Christian'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Nairn & Sons (1910), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a large blotch of orange and black spots

(v) **'Princess Christian'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *javanicum* × 'Princess Frederica' R: J. Veitch & Sons, N: J. Veitch & Sons, I: J. Veitch & Sons (1883), INC: ICRA (1958) Fl nankeen yellow (Veitch cat., 1893). FCC 1883

(a) **'Princess Clementine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Etabl. Linden (1873), N: Etabl. Linden, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, white with a yellow blotch. AM 1891. Indian (Perhaps the same as 'Princesse Clementine')

(a) **'Princess Connie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid involving 'Vervaeneanum', 'Kirin', 'Azuma-kagami' and several other evergreen azaleas H: University of Maryland (1973), G: University of Maryland, N: A.N. Adams, Jr, I: A.N. Adams, Jr (1994), REG: A.N. Adams, Jr (1996) Fls hose-in-hose and double, 1-2/truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes/whorl, moderate purplish pink (62B) with white

margins and deep purplish pink (68A) lines and stripes; dorsal lobes with strong purplish red (61B) spotting. Spring lvs narrowly oblong, 40 × 10mm. Shrub 0.22 × 0.28m in 3 years. Early May. (First published in *The Azalean* 16 (1): 32-33 (1994))

(a) **'Princess Debbie'** (Syn. of 'Princess Deborah')

(r) **'Princess Debi Ann'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cynthia' × 'Lord Roberts' H: M. Stockman (1980), G: M. & H. Stockman (1989), N: M. & H. Stockman, I: M. & H. Stockman (1992), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1992) Fls 11/rather lax ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 41 × 67mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, moderate to light purplish pink (65A, B), with a prominent, elongated dorsal blotch of strong reddish orange (42B) which is densely spotted vivid red (46C) to almost black in the throat; red spotting extends onto adjacent lobes; stamens 10, straight, unequal, white; style red. Calyx 3mm long, pink. Pedicels 25mm long, red. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 102 × 32mm, convex, cuspidate at apex, rounded at base, matt and mid green above, hairless; petioles 19mm long, light green. Shrub 0.6 × 0.8m in 12 years. Late May

(a) **'Princess Deborah'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid involving 'Vervaeneanum', 'Kirin', 'Azuma-kagami' and several other evergreen azaleas H: University of Maryland (1977), G: University of Maryland, N: A.N. Adams, Jr, I: A.N. Adams, Jr (1993), REG: A.N. Adams, Jr (1996) Fls hose-in-hose and semi-double, 2/truss, open funnel-shaped, with 5 wavy-edged lobes/whorl, strong pink (48C) with vivid red (46C) spotting on dorsal lobes. Spring lvs 45 × 13mm. Shrub 0.22 × 0.32m in 3 years. Early May. Syn: 'Princess Debbie' (First published in *The Azalean* 15 (1): 9-11 (1993))

(a) **'Princess Delight'** (Syn. of 'Ukamuse')

(r) **'Princess Diana'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Noyo Brave' (s) × *arboreum* subsp. *cinnamomeum* H: Y. Workman (1988), G: D. Kasch (1995), N: Y. Workman (1997), REG: Y. Workman (1997) Fls 18/ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 50 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside strong purplish pink (63C), with darker pink nectaries and red spotting on the dorsal lobe; outside moderate purplish pink (62B). Calyx very small, green. Lvs elliptic, 65-100 × 20-35mm, flat, acute at apex, oblique at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, with a thick, fawn indumentum below which ages to moderate orange-yellow (164B). Shrub 0.75 × 0.45m in 10 years. Midseason

(a) **'Princesse Adrienne'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1846), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark blood red, slightly spotted orange (L. van Houtte cat., 1882). Syn: 'Princess Adrienne'. Ghent

(r) **'Princesse Amélie'** (See note under 'Princess Amelia')

(a) **'Princesse Astrid'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, mauve. Indian

(a) **'Princesse Béatrice'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Mrs Carmichael' I: Carmichael (1879), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale mauve with a dark dorsal blotch. Indian (Perhaps the plant listed as 'Princess Beatrice')

(a) **'Princesse Béatrice'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, large, white, sometimes with very sparse, pale rose stripes. Indian

(a) **'Princesse Carola von Sachsen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Verschaffelt (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Syn: 'Princessin Carola von Sachsen'. Indian (Attributed to Weigt)

(a) **'Princesse Charlotte'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark red with a rusty purple-red blotch. Indian

(a) **'Princesse Charlotte'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. van Geert (1877), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, striped bright rose, with a yellow blotch; some later sources describe a salmon pink or orange-yellow flower. More than one plant may be involved. Ghent (Perhaps the same plant listed without description by T.J. Seidel, 1859 and by C. Noble, 1855)

(r) **'Princesse Charlotte'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Byls (pre 1868), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white. (Perhaps the same plant listed as 'Princess Charlotte')

(a) **'Princesse Clementine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1886), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, pure white, with a broad, yellowish blotch which disappears early. (Perhaps the same as 'Princess Clementine')

(r) **'Princesse de Wagram'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Barbier & Co. (1913), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, with copper spots

(a) **'Princesse d'Orange'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Verleeuwen (1835), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon pink (Veitch, 1867); most continental accounts refer to a bright orange flower, with a golden yellow blotch of spots (van Houtte, 1872, Verschaffelt, 1871); more than one plant was probably involved. Syn: 'Princess of Orange', 'Rayon du Matin', 'Le Rayon du Matin'. Ghent

(a) **'Princesse Elisabeth'** (Syn. of 'Vervaeneanum Album')

(a) **'Princesse Elisabeth'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1909), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Princesse Frédérique'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Ménoreau (1858), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Exhibited by Ménoreau (Nantes), 1858)

(r) **'Princesse Georges de Grèce'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Croux Fils (1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, white, suffused heliotrope violet, with a strong yellow blotch. Midseason

(r) **'Princesse Hortense'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls delicate rose, spotted brown and yellow. Syn: 'Princess Hortense'

(a) **'Princesse Josephine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rose. Indian

(a) **'Princesse Joséphine-Charlotte'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Prince Albert' I: F. Spae (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white; otherwise similar to 'Madame P. B. van Acker'. Syn: 'Princess Joséphine-Charlotte'. Indian (There may also be a later plant raised by de Block (1952) - see Galle, 1987)

(a) **'Princesse Juliana'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, soft rose; resembles 'Pink Pearl'. Indian

(r) **'Princesse Juliana'** (Syn. of 'Princess Juliana')

(a) **'Princess Elizabeth'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown Fls pink, shaded yellow. Mollis

(r) **'Princess Elizabeth'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Bagshot Ruby' hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot) (1928), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c20/compact truss, obliquely campanulate, 40 × 50-60mm, blood red, slightly paler in centre, marked blackish crimson on dorsal lobe. Calyx very small. Lvs oblong-elliptic to oblanceolate, c100-120 × 35-40mm, dark dull green above, with a thin, patchy, brown indumentum below. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. AM 1933

(a) **'Princesse Louise'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1872), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rose, with pure white striped edges and a carmine blotch of spots. Syn: 'Princess Louise'. Indian

(a) **'Princesse Louise'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Etabl. Linden (1873), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, red, marked brown. Indian

(r) **'Princesse Louise'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Etabl. Linden (pre 1872), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pure white, finely spotted with pale yellow on the dorsal lobe. Syn: 'Princess Louise'

(a) **'Princesse Marianne'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1840), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls flesh pink, edged rose, with an orange blotch (C. van Geert, 1843). Ghent (Presumably the plant presented at the Floralies in 1834)

(r) **'Princesse Marie'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Byls (pre 1854), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, spotted black-purple. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Princesse Marie-José'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1910), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white. Indian

(a) **'Princesse Marie-Jose'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: USA, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, dark red. Indian

(a) **'Princesse Mathilde'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Vervaene (1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, soft rose with purple lilac dots. Indian

(a) **'Princesse Maud'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Mrs Carmichael' I: Carmichael (1879), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls magenta red, with a rosy tint. Indian (Also seen as 'Princesse Maude'. Probably the same plant also listed as 'Princess Maude')

(r) **'Princess Ena'** cv. Parentage unknown L: R. Gill & Sons (1922), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft mauve

(a) **'Princesse Stephanie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Etabl. Linden (1873), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls almost double, white. Resembles 'Bernard Andreae Albus'. Indian

(a) **'Princesse Stéphanie-Clothilde'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: E. van der Cruyssen, N: E. van der Cruyssen, I: E. van der Cruyssen (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white with lilac rose stripes. Indian (Sometimes seen as 'Princesse Stéphanie-Clotilde' (eg. L.van Houtte cat.))

(r) **'Princess Eugénie'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white

(a) **'Princesse Victoria'** (Syn. of 'Princesse Viktoria')

(a) **'Princesse Victoria'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, very large, well-shaped, with wavy-edged lobes, flesh pink, with white edges, paling with age; young plants with foliage marbled white. FCC 1885. Indian

(a) **'Princesse Viktoria'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1855), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blood red. Syn: 'Princesse Victoria'. Ghent (The spelling Victoria may be the earliest form for this epithet)

(a) **'Princesse Wilhelmina'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Koster & Co. (pre 1896), N: Koster & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange, outside tinted red. Mollis

(v) **'Princess Frederica'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *brookeanum* subsp. *gracile* × 'Princess Royal' R: J. Veitch & Sons, N: J. Veitch & Sons, I: J. Veitch & Sons (1891), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light buff yellow, tinged light rose at edges; anthers crimson

(r) **'Princess Frederick William'** cv. Parentage unknown L: T. Methven & Son (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush, with pink spots

(a) **'Princess Ginnette Rene'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid involving 'Vervaeneanum', 'Kirin', 'Azuma-kagami' and several other evergreen azaleas H: University of Maryland (1977), G: University of Maryland, N: A.N. Adams, Jr, I: A.N. Adams, Jr (1996), REG: A.N. Adams, Jr (1996) Fls double, 1-2/truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes/whorl, strong purplish red (64C). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 35 × 10mm. Mid May. (First published in *The Azalean* 18 (1): 11-13 (1996))

(a) **'Princess Gwyneth'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid involving 'Vervaeneanum', 'Kirin', 'Azuma-kagami' and several other evergreen azaleas H: University of Maryland (1977), G: University of Maryland, N: A.N. Adams, Jr, I: A.N. Adams, Jr (1995), REG: A.N. Adams, Jr (1996) Fls double and hose-in-hose, 2-3/truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes/whorl, white. Spring lvs elliptic, 25 × 10mm. Mid May. (First published in *The Azalean* 17 (2): 39-40 (1995))

(a) **'Princess Helena'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Verschaffelt (1868), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Attributed to Williams)

(r) **Princess Helena Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *ciliatum* × *edgeworthii* R: I.A. Henry, N: I.A. Henry, I: I.A. Henry (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 4-5/truss, campanulate, white, tinged rose; scented. Lvs elliptic, bright green and rugose above, with a rusty, woolly indumentum below. Shrub c45cm tall

(v) **'Princess Helena'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Lobbii' × 'Princess Royal' R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1865), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink. FCC 1865

(r) **'Princess Hortense'** (Syn. of 'Princesse Hortense')

(a) **'Princess Ida'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kirishima' × 'Malvaticum' R: J.B. Stevenson, I: Mrs R.M. Harrison, REG: Mrs R.M. Harrison (1967) Fls rose mauve with crimson stamens

(a) **'Princessin Carola von Sachsen'** (Syn. of 'Princesse Carola von Sachsen')

(a) **'Princess Ingeborg'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, pale rose with a light greenish blotch. Indian

(a) **'Princessin Lamballe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Linden (1873), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Perhaps from Schulz)

(a) **'Princess Irene'** (Syn. of 'Prinses Irene')

(a) **'Princess Joséphine-Charlotte'** (Syn. of 'Princesse Joséphine-Charlotte')

(a) **'Princess Juliana'** (Syn. of 'Prinses Juliana' (Vuykiana))

(a) **'Princess Juliana'** (Syn. of 'Prinses Juliana' (Indian: Steyaert))

(a) **'Princess Juliana'** (Syn. of 'Prinses Juliana' (Mollis))

(a) **'Princess Juliana'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: M. Koster & Son (pre 1925), N: M. Koster & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls apple blossom pink. Mollis. (Perhaps the same plant introduced by Haw A.M. Spek in 1920)

(r) **'Princess Juliana'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* × a Hardy Hybrid R: O. Schulz (1892), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 8-10/conical truss, c100mm wide, delicate rose pink, paler in the centre. Calyx lobes 3-6mm long. Lvs oblong-elliptic to oblanceolate, c130 × 40mm, dull dark green above. Shrub c2.4m. May. AM 1910 Syn: 'Princesse Juliana', 'Prinses Juliana' (Purchased by J.H. van Nes in 1896)

(a) **'Princess Lindsay'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid involving 'Vervaeneanum', 'Kirin', 'Azuma-kagami' and several other evergreen azaleas H: University of Maryland (1977), G: University of Maryland, N: A.N. Adams, Jr, I: A.N. Adams, Jr (1995), REG: A.N. Adams, Jr (1996) Fls double, 2-3/truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes/whorl, deep purplish pink (66C) or moderate purplish pink (66D). Spring lvs 25 × 10mm. Spreading shrub, with a dense habit. Early May. (First published in *The Azalean* 17 (2): 39-40 (1995))

(a) **'Princess Louise'** (Syn. of 'Princesse Louise')

(r) **'Princess Louise'** (Syn. of 'Princesse Louise')

(r) **'Princess Louise'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Fisher, Son & Sibray (1898), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a broad pink edging and a spotted throat

(a) **'Princess Margaret'** (Syn. of 'Princess Margaret Toth')

(a) **'Princess Margaretha'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Avenir' I: Ets. Horticole, Belgium (1944), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep yellowish pink (43C); otherwise similar to 'Avenir'. Syn: 'Avenir Ruber', 'Haerens Feu', 'Haerens Ruber'. Indian

(r) **'Princess Margaret of Connaught'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose pink, with a dark blotch

(a) **'Princess Margaret of Windsor'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1981), REG: E. de Rothschild (1982) Fls brilliant yellow (21C), flushed vivid orange-yellow (21A). Knap Hill

(a) **'Princess Margaret Toth'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid involving 'Vervaeneanum', 'Kirin', 'Azuma-kagami' and several other evergreen azaleas H: University of Maryland (1972), G: University of Maryland, N: A.N. Adams, Jr, I: A.N. Adams, Jr (1995),

REG: A.N. Adams, Jr (1996) Fls semi-double, 1-2/truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes to outer corolla whorl, vivid red (45C), with strong purplish red (61B) spotting on dorsal lobe. Spring lvs 25 × 10mm. Shrub with a rounded, loose habit. Early May. Syn: 'Princess Margaret'

(a) **'Princess Maria Pia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Tempérance' × 'Ambrosius Superbus' I: C. & J. Wille (1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, strong purplish pink (62A). Calyx normal, green. Lvs yellow-green, hairy. Late. Syn: 'Maria Pia'. Indian

(a) **'Princess Marie Gortsehakow'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Croux (pre 1905), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, soft rose, with a white centre. Ghent

(a) **'Princess Maryann'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid involving 'Vervaeneanum', 'Kirin', 'Azuma-kagami' and several other evergreen azaleas H: University of Maryland (1964), G: University of Maryland, N: A.N. Adams, Jr, I: A.N. Adams, Jr (1996), REG: A.N. Adams, Jr (1996) Fls semi-double, 2-3/truss, open funnel-shaped, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes in outer corolla whorl, vivid purplish red (57B). Spring lvs elliptic, 40 × 20mm. Shrub of spreading, dense habit. Late April. Syn: 'Maryland Forcing Red' (First published in *The Azalean* 18 (1): 11-13 (1996))

(a) **'Princess Mary Lee'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid involving 'Vervaeneanum', 'Kirin', 'Amoenum' and others H: University of Maryland (1973), G: University of Maryland, N: A.N. Adams, Jr, I: A.N. Adams, Jr (1994), REG: A.N. Adams, Jr (1996) Fls hose-in-hose and double, 1-2/truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes/whorl, strong purplish pink (55B), occasionally sporting to produce a white edge. Spring lvs 40 × 15mm. Compact shrub. Mid May. Syn: 'Princess Mary Lee Banfield' (First published in *The Azalean* 16 (1): 32-33 (1994))

(a) **'Princess Mary Lee Banfield'** (Syn. of 'Princess Mary Lee')

(a) **'Princess Mary of Cambridge'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Princess Mary of Cambridge'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, edged rosy purple. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Princess Maude'** (See note under 'Princesse Maud')

(a) **'Princess Megan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid involving 'Vervaeneanum', 'Kirin', 'Azuma-kagami' and several other evergreen azaleas H: University of Maryland (1977), G: University of Maryland, N: A.N. Adams, Jr, I: A.N. Adams, Jr (1993), REG: A.N. Adams, Jr (1996) Fls hose-in-hose and double, 2-3/truss, open funnel-shaped, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes/whorl, strong purplish pink (67D). Spring lvs elliptic, 30 × 15mm. Shrub 0.22 × 0.28m in 3 years. Early May. (First published in *The Azalean* 15 (1): 9-11 (1993))

(a) **'Princess of Orange'** (Syn. of 'Princesse d'Orange' (Ghent))

(r) **'Princess of Orange'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* (s) × 'Prince Camille de Rohan' R: R. Veitch & Son (pre 1912), N: R. Veitch & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c10/loose truss, funnel-shaped, 55 × 65mm, mottled waxy pink to carmine (21/2 shading to 21/3 in tube), with a ray of crimson markings; crimson nectaries. Calyx pale green, flushed red, fleshy, hairless (as cultivated at Hilliers, 1948); fls yellowish pink (Veitch)

(a) **'Princess of Teck'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: B.S. Williams (1872), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Princess of Wales'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Todman (1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls magenta red, with a rose lilac tint. FCC 1884. Indian

(r) **'Princess of Wales'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Messrs M. Young (pre 1864), N: Messrs M. Young, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in compact trusses, creamy white, edged rich violet, with slight pale dorsal spotting; lobes rather pointed. SCC 1864. Hardy Hybrid (Perhaps the plant listed by Caledonia Nursery (1905) as a *campanulatum* hybrid with rosy lilac fls)

(a) **'Princess Paola'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Adventglöckchen' × 'Reinhold Ambrosius' I: J. de Meulemeester (1960) Fls double, deep purplish pink (55A) to strong yellowish pink (43D). Calyx normal, green. Midseason. Indian

(a) **'Princess Pat'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: USA (pre 1994), N: USA

(a) **'Princess Pauline de Nassau'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: E.F. André (1864), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with a darker blotch and strongly streaked

(a) **'Princess Royal'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: W. Rollisson & Sons (1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lacquer red, with a big vermilion red blotch (1958 Register); fls rosy purple (Veitch, 1867). Indian

(a) **'Princess Royal'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Exbury, N: Exbury, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, white, flushed pink, with a yellow blotch. Knap Hill

(r) **'Princess Royal'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection or hybrid of *arboreum* L: E.F. André (1864), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, centre paler and spotted

(v) **'Princess Royal'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *jasminiflorum* (s) × *javanicum* R: J. Veitch & Sons (1850),

N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, pale rose pink, with yellow shading on the interior and a darker centre

(a) **'Princess Ruth'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid involving 'Vervaeneanum', 'Amoenum', 'Kirin' and others H: University of Maryland (1971), G: University of Maryland, N: A.N. Adams, Jr, I: A.N. Adams, Jr (1993), REG: A.N. Adams, Jr (1996) Fls semi-double, 3/truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 65mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (65A), shading to dark pink margins, with a green throat and small white spots at base of tube inside. Spring lvs oblanceolate, 35 × 10mm. Shrub 0.23 × 0.28m in 3 years. Early May. (First published in *The Azalean* 15 (1): 9-11 (1993))

(a) **'Princess Sarah'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid involving 'Vervaeneanum', 'Amoenum', 'Kirin' and others H: University of Maryland (1977), G: University of Maryland, N: A.N. Adams, Jr, I: A.N. Adams, Jr (1996), REG: A.N. Adams, Jr (1996) Fls hose-in-hose and double, 2/truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes/whorl, white, with infrequent deep pink (50B) flakes and lines and rare pink selfs. Spring lvs 40 × 15mm. Mid May. (First published in *The Azalean* 18 (1): 11-13 (1996))

(a) **'Princess Sharon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid involving 'Adventglöckchen', 'Crimson Glory' and others H: University of Maryland (1968), G: University of Maryland, N: A.N. Adams, Jr, I: A.N. Adams, Jr (1993), REG: A.N. Adams, Jr (1996) Fls semi-double, 2-3/truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes in outer corolla whorl, clear white, with a light greenish throat. Spring lvs 35 × 15mm. Shrub 0.25 × 0.3m in 3 years. Early May. (First published in *The Azalean* 15 (1): 9-11 (1993))

(a) **'Princess Sonya'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Gretel' × unnamed Beltsville seedling R: G. Taylor (pre 1974), N: G. Taylor Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, very pale pink to white; narrow, candle-like buds. PC 1974. Indian

(r) **'Princess Susan'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Balta' × selected white seedling from PJM Group, selfed H: E.V. Mezitt (1972), G: Weston Nurseries (1976), N: Weston Nurseries, I: Weston Nurseries, REG: Weston Nurseries (1987) Fls 4-5/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 19 × 32-38mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep reddish purple (77A). Calyx less than 1mm long, light green. Lvs oblong, 38 × 13-19mm, convex, with twisted margins, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, with light green scales on young foliage; foliage is dark mahogany-coloured from November to end of flowering time. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 10 years. Early May

(a) **'Princess Tessa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid involving 'Vervaeneanum', 'Amoenum', *mucronatum* and others H: University of Maryland (1977), G: University of Maryland, N: A.N. Adams, Jr, I: A.N. Adams, Jr (1994), REG: A.N. Adams, Jr (1996) Fls hose-in-hose and double, 2/truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink (47C), with red spotting on dorsal lobe. Spring lvs elliptic, 40 × 15mm. Mid May. (First published in *The Azalean* 16 (1): 32-33 (1994))

(r) **'Princess William of Würtemberg'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 15-20/compact, globose truss, 50mm wide, milk white, the three lower lobes tinted light rose pink, all lobes heavily spotted crimson. FCC 1894 Syn: 'Prinzessin Wilhelm von Würtemberg'

(r) **'Prince Stoudza'** cv. Parentage unknown L: G. Morlet (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) (Published in *Horticulture Français*, 1854: 107-111)

(r) **'Prince Troubelzkoy'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1958?)

(a) **'Prins Albrecht'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with rounded lobes, carmine cherry red of changing tones and a heavy black-purple blotch. Indian

(a) **'Prins Alexander'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1903), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose. Mollis

(a) **'Prins Bernhard'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Vuyk, I: Vuyk van Nes (pre 1945), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 2/truss, 45 × 50mm, geranium lake (20-20/1), with slight brownish spotting in the throat. *HC 1959, *AM 1960 Syn: 'Prince Bernhard', 'Prince Bernhardt'. Vuykiana

(a) **'Prins Bernhardt'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Eclaireur' × 'Paul Schäme' I: R. van Oost (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, deep orange. Indian

(a) **'Prinses Beatrix'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Vuyk van Nes (pre 1943), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange. AM 1943 Syn: 'Princess Beatrix', 'Princess Beatrice'. Vuykiana

(a) **'Prinses Irene'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Vuyk van Nes, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale geranium lake. Syn: 'Princess Irene'. Vuykiana

(a) **'Prinses Juliana'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, light but bright orange. Syn: 'Princess Juliana'. Indian

(a) **'Prinses Juliana'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Madame Petrick' × 'Pax' I: R. van Oost (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, light rose. Indian

(a) **'Prinses Juliana'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Vuyk van Nes (pre 1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2/truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 55mm, strong red (39A), slightly deeper at base, with spotting of deep red (53A) on dorsal lobe. Lvs 40 × 15mm, medium, slightly glossy green. Shrub 0.4m. *HC 1979, AM 1941 Syn: 'Princess Juliana'. Vuykiana

(a) **'Prinses Juliana'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Frets & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, vivid yellow, edged yellowish pink. Midseason. Syn: 'Princess Juliana'. Mollis

(r) **'Prinses Juliana'** (Syn. of 'Princess Juliana' (Schulz))

(a) **'Prinses Margaret'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Byland Bros (1962) Fls double, white and red. Indian

(r) **'Prinses Marijke'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Charles Dickens' × 'Britannia' R: Felix & Dijkhuis, N: Felix & Dijkhuis, I: Felix & Dijkhuis (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls phlox pink (625/1-625/2) inside, rose madder (23/1) outside. Large shrub. (Felix & Dijkhuis cat., 1953, gives parentage as 'C.S. Sargent' × 'Britannia')

(a) **'Prinses van Oranje'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, 100-120mm wide, deep orange. Late. Indian

(a) **'Prins Frederick'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 70mm wide, vivid purplish pink (55A), with an orange-yellow blotch. Midseason. Mollis

(a) **'Prins Hendrick'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: unknown (pre 1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 30mm wide, tubular funnel-shaped, orange-yellow, with an orange blotch. Midseason. Syn: 'Prince Henry'. Mollis

(a) **'Prins Maurits'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: L.J. Endtz & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. Late for a Mollis azalea. Mollis

(a) **'Prins van Oranje'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: K. Wezelenburg & Son, N: K. Wezelenburg & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange, with a deep yellow blotch. Syn: 'Prince of Orange'. Mollis (Some sources give H. Knepper & Sons as raiser)

(a) **'Printemps'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Vervaene (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose lilac with whitish sheen and with red spots on the dorsal lobes. Indian (See note under 'Le Printemps')

(a) **'Printemps'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt, I: E.A. Merritt (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, with wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (48C), with a vivid red (52A) blotch. Kurume

(a) **'Printy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white. Indian

(a) **'Prinz Alexander von Hessen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: F. Schneider (1863), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Prinz Alexander von Hessen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid R: Gebr Mardner (1861), N: Gebr Mardner, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red, with dark spots

(a) **'Prinzessin Alice von Hessen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Gebr Mardner (1874), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Prinzessin Frederica von Anhalt-Dessau'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Gebr Mardner (1854), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Prinzessin Hilda von Anhalt-Dessau'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Gebr Mardner (1854), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Prinzessin Katharine von Würtemberg'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alstroemerioides' hybrid R: J.B. Müller (1860-1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, flamed rose, spotted black

(a) **'Prinzessin Lamballe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Schulz (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls appleblossom pink. Indian

(a) **'Prinzessin Ludwig von Bayern'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Velten (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls glossy white. Indian

(r) **'Prinzessin Marie von Würtemberg'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alstroemerioides' hybrid R: J.B. Müller (1860-1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls milk white, spotted dark violet

(a) **'Prinzessin Mathilda von Anhalt-Dessau'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Gebr Mardner (1854), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Prinzessin Wilhelm von Würtemberg'** (Syn. of 'Princess William of Würtemberg')

(r) **'Prinz Eugene'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *ponticum* hybrid R: L. Roth (pre 1855), N: L. Roth, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, centre paler, spotted black. Syn: 'Prince Eugene'

(a) **'Prinz Franz Joseph'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Gebr Mardner (pre 1863), N: Gebr Mardner, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon scarlet (J. Veitch, 1867); double, rose (E. André, 1864). Syn: 'Prince Franz Joseph'. Indian

(r) **'Prinz Fredrich von Würtemberg'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alstroemerioides' hybrid R: J.B. Müller (1860-1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, marked brown-red

(a) **'Prinz Fried. Karel von Preussen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vermilion, with a fine dark blotch. Indian

(a) **'Prinz Hendrik des Pays-Bas'** (Syn. of 'Prince Henri des Pays-Bas')

(r) **'Prinz Karneval'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Louis Pasteur' × 'Goldsworth Orange' H: H. Robenek (c 1974-1975), G: H. Robenek, N: W. Schmalscheidt, REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1992) Fls 13-18/truss, 5-lobed, 40-55 × 50-70mm, open funnel-shaped, strikingly bicoloured: margin light red, throat white with yellow and yellowish brown markings, outside light red. Calyx 10mm long, greenish. Lvs elliptic to oblong-elliptic, 70-140 × 29-55mm. Shrub 0.8 × 1.0m in c17 years. Late May-early June. Syn: 'Karneval' (Published by Schmalscheidt in *Rhododendron- und Azaleenzüchtung in Deutschland,* part II (1930-1988), 1989)

(a) **'Prinz Ludwig von Bayern'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Velten (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, carmine rose. Indian

(a) **'Prinz Ludwig von Hessen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Gebr Mardner (1874), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Prinz Rudolph'** (See note under 'Prince Rudolphe')

(a) **'Prinz von Nassau'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Gebr Mardner (1855), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Prinz von Nassau'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1866), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(r) **'Prinz Wilhelm von Würtemberg'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alstroemerioides' hybrid R: J.B. Müller (1860-1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine red, marked brown, with a dark throat

(a) **'Priscilla'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Berkeley Red' × lavender sport from 'Indicum Roseum' R: Q.R. Westfall, I: C.R. Brandt (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, red. Indian

(r) **'Priscilla'** (Syn. of 'Hachmann's Priscilla')

(r) **'Priska'** cv. Parentage unknown H: V. von Martin (1944), G: V. von Martin, N: unknown (1983), I: unknown (1984) Fls 13-23/truss, 70-85mm wide, soft lavender, with blackish red markings

(r) **'Prissy Missy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Oh My!' (s) × 'Indy Pink' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls strong purplish red (61B, 63A, B) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (65D) edged strong purplish pink (63C), with strong greenish yellow (151A) dorsal spots; outside with strong purplish red (63A) veining; filaments and style pale purplish pink (65D); anthers dark purplish pink (186C); stigma light greenish yellow (1C). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Private First Class'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown G: W.L. Tolstead (1966), S: W.L. Tolstead, N: W.L. Tolstead, REG: W.L. Tolstead (1992) Fls 13/ball truss, 70 × 110-120mm, 5-lobed, moderate purplish pink (78D). Calyx 1-2mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 170-200 × 70-80mm, scaly. Shrub 1.2-1.5 × 2.1m when mature. Mid May. (Original seed from F.W. Schumacher)

(r) **'Privot'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1994) Fls small, a blend of salmon, cream and white. Compact shrub, 0.9m in 10 years. Early. (Very similar to 'Mary Fleming')

(a) **'Prize'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: H.W. Motzkau (pre 1975), N: Yoder Bros, I: Yoder Bros Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, with wavy-edged lobes, deep pinkish red. Early-midseason

(r) **'Prize'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Boule de Neige' (s) × red *catawbiense* seedling H: A.M. Shammarello, G: A.M. Shammarello, N: A.M. Shammarello, I: A.M. Shammarello (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a globular truss, 50mm wide, shrimp pink, with a yellowish brown blotch. Lvs 100 × 45mm. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years

(a) **'Prize Strawberry'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1985) Fls white, striped red. Early. Indian (Listed by Galle (1985) and presumed to be the plant listed by Lee (1965) as 'Price Strawberry')

(r) **'Prizewinner'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* (s) × 'Brookville' × 'Mary Garrison' H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 19/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 51 × 57mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, deep and moderate pink (51B-D) in bud, opening light greenish yellow (4C) to pale yellow-green (4D) and edged deep pink (51C); light greenish yellow (4B) flare and sparse moderate orange (167B) spots on dorsal lobe shading to moderate red (179A) in the throat; filaments and style pale yellow-green (157A); anthers pale orange-yellow (159C); stigma moderate red (181A). Lvs 127 × 51mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.6 × 1.5m in 18 years. Early June

(a) **'Proctor'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon pink. Indian

(a) **'Prodigal'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' × 'Willy' (s) × 'Mrs Carmichael' × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 70-75mm wide, white, sanded and striped phlox purple (strong purplish red (78B)); occasional sports of pale amparo purple (light purple (80D)), edged white, with a crimson dorsal blotch. Low, spreading shrub to 1.0m high. Mid-late May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Prodigal's Return'** cv. Parentage unknown H: B. Nelson (pre 1978) Fls deep yellow. Lvs shining green. Shrub 1.2-1.5m in 10 years. Midseason

(a) **'Professeur Kock'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Gebr Mardner (1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, rose. Indian (See also the note under 'Professor Koch')

(a) **'Professeur L. de Nobelle'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose. Indian

(a) **'Professeur Lemaire'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Verschaffelt (1864), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Professeur P. Verhelle'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red. Indian

(a) **'Professeur Wittmarck'** (Syn. of 'Professor Wittmack')

(a) **'Professeur Wolters'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Baronne de Vrière' I: J. Lossy (1887), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single (average of 9 stamens/flower), deep yellowish pink (46D) to strong pink (48D) or deep to moderate pink (52C-D), with a white edge. Calyx normal, green. Late. Syn: 'Professor Wolters'. Indian

(a) **'Professeur Wolters Sport'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright red. (Listed as a Kurume in the 1958 Register, possibly in error)

(a) **'Professeur Wolters White'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Professeur Wolters' I: R. van Peteghem (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white; otherwise similar to parent. Syn: 'Professor Wolters White'. Indian

(r) **'Professeur Zaaijer'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Croux (1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark carmine purple. Beautiful foliage

(r) **'Professor Ahles'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alstroemerioides' hybrid R: J.B. Müller (1860-1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine red, striped white, dark spotted

(r) **'Professor Amateis'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Everestianum' × 'Van Nes Sensation' H: E. Amateis (1955), I: W. Baldsiefen (1971), REG: W. Baldsiefen (1971) Fls open campanulate, up to 90mm wide, dawn pink. Lvs ovate, 125 × 50mm. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 10 years. Syn: 'Professor Louis Amateis'

(a) **'Professor Amundsen'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: L.J. Endtz & Co. (pre 1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, light purplish pink, edged red, with a yellow blotch. Midseason. Mollis

(a) **'Professor Aug. Forel'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Gebr Kersbergen, N: Gebr Kersbergen, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange rose. Mollis

(a) **'Professor Collumbien'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, 100-120mm, with wavy-edged lobes, deep orange with a blotch. Indian

(r) **'Professor C.S. Sargent'** (Syn. of 'C.S. Sargent')

(r) **'Professor Dan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tortoiseshell Wonder' (s) × 'Evening Glow' H: M. Stockman (1980), G: M. & H. Stockman (1992), N: M. & H. Stockman, REG: M. & H. Stockman (1995) Fls 7/flat, lax truss, open funnel-campanulate, 65 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, close to moderate purplish pink (62B) ground colour, with strong red (51A) throat, spots and veins, the spots more numerous on two dorsal lobes; outside strong red to deep pink (51A-B); stamens 10, straight, unequal. Calyx variable, 10-20mm long, coloured as corolla. Pedicels 30mm long, red. Lvs narrowly oblong, 102 × 32mm, convex, with wavy-edged margins, cuspidate at apex, rounded at base, hairless; petioles 15mm long, reddish brown. Shrub 1.0 × 1.2m in 14 years. Early June

(r) **'Professor Doktor Drude'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Firma Seidel (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac white, paler in the throat, with a yellow blotch

(a) **'Professor Doktor Martius'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: F. Schneider (1863), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Professor Doktor Reichenbach'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Firma Seidel (1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellowish white, tinged rose at first, with strongly wavy-edged lobes. Syn: 'Professor Reichenbach'

(r) **'Professor Doktor Wittmack'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Firma Seidel (pre 1894), N: Firma Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright carmine rose, with radial white stripes and a darker eye in a paler throat. Syn: 'Geheimer Doktor Wittmack', 'Geh. Reg. Rath Professor Doktor Wittmack' ('Geh. Reg. Rath Professor Doktor Willmack' appears to have priority but this shortened form, which has been widely used, is accepted here)

(a) **'Professor Donders'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Gebr Kersbergen (pre 1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, light red. Midseason. Mollis

(r) **'Professor F. Bettex'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Doncaster' (s) × 'Atrosanguineum' R: H. den Ouden & Son (c 1912), N: H. den Ouden & Son, I: H. den Ouden & Son (c 1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls strong purplish red (10RP 3.5/12). Syn: 'F. Bettex'

(a) **'Professor H. Lorentz'** (Syn. of 'Robespierre')

(r) **'Professor Hugo de Vries'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pink Pearl' (s) × 'Doncaster' H: L.J. Endtz & Co. (pre 1914), G: L.J. Endtz & Co., N: L.J. Endtz & Co., I: L.J. Endtz & Co. (1921), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c17/pyramidal truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 100-110mm, rich rose in bud, opening lilac rose, with a ray of reddish brown markings on a light ground. Calyx lobes 1-3mm long. Lvs obovate, c140 × 60mm, mid green, matt to slightly glossy above. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. AM 1975, AM 1921 Syn: 'Hugo de Vries'

(r) **'Professor Jelínek'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* (s) × *smirnowii* R: B. Kavka (c 1966), N: B. Kavka Fls 14-18/sunken globose to globose truss, 66mm wide, brown-red in bud (824/2-824/3 + 724-724/1), opening pink-red (025/1-025), with a blotch of dark

brown-purple (827-827/1). Lvs elliptic, 163 × 60mm, green to dark green (0960/1-0960). Shrub 0.9m in 9 years

(a) **'Professor Jeršov'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* hybrid R: B. Kavka (c 1970), N: B. Kavka Fls 2-4/flat truss, 45mm wide, dark pink in bud, opening rich pink-red with an inconspicuous light brown blotch (821-821/1 + 00823/3). Lvs elongate-ovate, 46 × 19mm, dark, glossy green (00962-00962/1). Shrub 1.4 × 1.4m

(r) **'Professor J.H. Zaaijer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pink Pearl' (s) × red *catawbiense* hybrid R: L.J. Endtz & Co., N: L.J. Endtz & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink or light red. Young foliage rosy pink. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(a) **'Professor Koch'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: F. Schneider (1863), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Probably the same plant listed as 'Professeur Kock')

(r) **'Professor Louis Amateis'** (Syn. of 'Professor Amateis')

(a) **'Professor M. Koster'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: M. Koster & Sons (1876), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls magenta pink. Indian

(a) **'Professor M. Koster'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red. Mollis

(a) **'Professor Newins'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Nadine' R: O.S. Pride, N: O.S. Pride, I: O.S. Pride (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon red

(r) **'Professor Reichenbach'** (Syn. of 'Professor Doktor Reichenbach')

(a) **'Professor Roentgen'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft orange, with a purplish blotch. Mollis

(a) **'Professor Wittmack'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L.L. Liebig (pre 1884), N: L.L. Liebig, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright red. Syn: 'Professeur Wittmarck'. Indian

(a) **'Professor W. Koster'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. Mollis (Perhaps the same plant as 'Professor M. Koster' (Mollis).)

(r) **'Professor W. Koster'** cv. Parentage unknown R: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1925), N: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rich magenta pink, with wavy-edged lobes

(a) **'Professor Wolters'** (Syn. of 'Professeur Wolters')

(a) **'Professor Wolters White'** (Syn. of 'Professeur Wolters White')

(r) **'Professor Yonge'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Standish (pre 1870), N: J. Standish, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright lake, shaded white on upper lobes and with a large blotch of reddish brown spots. (Fisher, Son & Sibray, 1898 list a 'Professor Young' said to be blush rose)

(r) **'Profusion'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* hybrid R: G. Paul, I: G. Paul (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10-12/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 45 × 60-70mm, rich rose in bud, opening soft rose, with a v-shaped ray of mustard-coloured markings in the tube; sweetly scented. Calyx very small. AM 1896

(a) **'Progrès'** (Syn. of 'Le Progrès')

(r) **'Progrès'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* hybrid R: unknown, N: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls slightly deeper than 'Prince Camille de Rohan'. Lvs broadly elliptic, matt green. Shrub to 2.5m. Syn: 'Le Progrès'

(a) **'Progress'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × 'Keisetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 1-3/truss, 50mm wide, mallow purple (strong reddish purple (72C)) darkening to rhodamine purple (vivid reddish purple (74A)) with some variation towards white in centre; stamens long-exserted. Very dense shrub 1.2m. Early-mid May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Proliferum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Whitley & Osborn (1850), INC: ICRA (1958). Hardy azalea (Probably the *Azalea nudiflora prolifera* of Sweet (1826, 1830), fls blush)

(a) **'Proliferum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Thibault & Keteleer (c 1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, violet rose, with narrow, oblong, obtuse lobes and dark spotting; sometimes with a leafy centre. Early. Indian (Published in *Revue Horticole*, 1868, p.291-292 (illustration opp. p.290). Probably the plant listed by E. André, 1864, fls violet, proliferous)

(r) **'Proliferum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958) (Perhaps the plant listed by J. Baumann, 1856 as a yellow rhododendron)

(r) **'Prolific'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Newport' (s) × 'Lee's Dark Purple' H: W.E. Delp (1956), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 12/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 57 × 70mm, 5-lobed, strong and light purple (83C; 80B, C) in bud, opening very pale purple (84D) edged vivid and light purple (87A-C); filaments and style moderate purplish pink (74D); anthers brilliant violet (90D); stigma dark red (187A). Lvs 102 × 44mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 3.0 × 2.7m in 36 years. Early June

(a) **'Promenade Home'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Anna' (s) × 'Fran's Song' H: F.E. Burns (1990), G: F.E. Burns (1997), N: F.E. Burns (2000), REG: F.E. Burns (2002) Fls 14/ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 65 × 100mm, with 7 very wavy-edged lobes, buds very pale purple (73D), tipped strong purplish pink (73B), open-

ing inside white (155B) tinged moderate purplish pink (62B) at lobe tips, with a deep purplish red (59B) basal blotch of rays and freckles on the dorsal lobes and rays (c3mm long) at the base of other lobes; outside white (155D) with lobe tips and random tinges of moderate purplish pink (62B); stamens 14; stigma brilliant yellow-green (150B). Calyx variable, c3-15mm long, white (155B), with deep purplish red (59B) basal stripes. Pedicels moderate purplish red (58A). Lvs elliptic, 130 × 50mm, wavy and downcurved at margins, acute at apex, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (137B) above, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 1.5m in 12 years. Late May

(r) **'Prometheus'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'The Monitor' × 'Michael Waterer' R: C. Noble (pre 1885), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c18/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45-50 × 60mm, rosy crimson, shaded scarlet externally, spotted black at base of dorsal lobe. Calyx small, brown crimson. Lvs oblong-elliptic to oblanceolate, c140 × 45-50mm, deep green above

(a) **'Prominent'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Anthony Koster' × 'Alphonse Lavallée' I: Boskoop (c 1960), REG: Boskoop (1963) Fls single, 7-10/truss, open funnel-shaped, 80mm wide, strong yellowish pink (41C), with an inconspicuous yellow blotch. Mollis

(r) **'Promise'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kristin' (s) × 'Madras' H: A.W. Smith (1984), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 20/truss, open funnel-shaped, 46 × 51mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish red (71A) in bud, opening to a blend of strong purplish red (71B, C) and deep to moderate purplish pink (70C, D), with dark red (187A) dorsal spots; filaments and style very pale purple (69D); anthers greyish brown (166A); stigma reddish orange (171A). Lvs 89 × 44mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m in 8 years. Early June

(r) **'Promise of Spring'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *strigillosum* × unknown G: J.G. Lofthouse, N: J.G. Lofthouse, I: J.G. Lofthouse, REG: J.G. Lofthouse (1973) Fls strong purplish red (58C), spotted on dorsal lobe. (Original seed from RHS Garden, Wisley)

(a) **'Pronaya'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Proserpine'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose. Ghent (Sometimes seen listed as 'Proserpina' (*e.g.* Boskoop, 1896))

(r) **'Proserpine'** cv. Parentage unknown L: A. Henderson & Co. (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls finest crimson, spotted

(r) **'Proserpine'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *burmanicum* (s) × *tephropeplum* R: G.M. Adams-Acton, N: G.M. Adams-Acton, I: G.M. Adams-Acton (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson

(a) **'Prosper Bruggeman'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1885), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, rounded, livery red, with a dark red blotch. Indian

(a) **'Prosperina'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (1883), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, deep rose. Indian

(a) **'Prosperity'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* × 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Kagetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 165-75mm wide, liseran purple (light purple (78C)). Round-topped shrub, to 1.5m tall. Early May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Prospero'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.G.T. Hyde (1960s), G: W.G.T. Hyde (1970s), N: Mrs R. Legrand (1998), I: Mrs R. Legrand (1998), REG: Mrs R. Legrand (1998) Fls open funnel-shaped, 52 × 36mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds strong yellowish pink (35C) shaded to pale greenish yellow (9D), opening pale greenish yellow (2D) inside and light greenish yellow (1C) outside; strongly defined, dark red (183A) blotch and speckles. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 100 × 40mm, margins decurved, acute at apex, narrowly oblique at base, glossy green above, with a hint of a moderate orange-yellow (164C) indumentum. Shrub 1.55 × 1.5m in 30 years. May

(a) **'Prosper van Dael'** (Syn. of 'Prosper van den Dael')

(a) **'Prosper van den Dael'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Frits Sander' × 'Docteur Bergmann' R: A. Gijselinck (1932), I: J. Vercauteren, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double (average 3 stamens/fl.), strong purplish red (58B). Calyx normal, green. Late. Syn: 'Prosper van Dael'. Indian

(r) **'Prostigiatum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *saluenense* subsp. *chameunum* Prostratum Group (s) × *fastigiatum* R: E.J.P. Magor (1916), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1924), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c25mm wide, deep purple to violet purple. Lvs ovate to elliptic, up to 8 × 5mm, bright glossy green above, scaly above and below (scales pale grey at first, becoming cinnamon brown). Shrub c0.3m. AM 1924

(a) **'Prostratum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: F. Gaines (pre 1851), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Prostratum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *glaucophyllum* L: UK (1988)

(r) **Prostratum Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. prostratum*

(r) **Prostsal Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *saluenense* subsp. *chameunum* Prostratum Group (s) × *saluenense* subsp. *saluenense* R: E.J.P. Magor (1921), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1926), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink violet, slightly spotted with red

(a) **'Proteus'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy pink, with a yellow dorsal blotch. Ghent

(r) **'Protocol'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tony's Gift' (s) × 'Mrs T.H. Lowinsky' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls light purple (77C, D) and white in bud, opening white flushed light purple (77D), with a light greenish yellow (3C) flare and spots of deep greenish yellow (153A) and greyish red (182B) on the three dorsal lobes. Tall shrub. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Proud Cis'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Joan Langdon' × 'Rosabel' × *arboreum* H: G. Langdon, G: G. Langdon, N: G. Langdon, I: G. Langdon, REG: G. Langdon (1982) Fls 17/truss, deep purplish pink (55A)

(a) **'Provalens Extra'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Providence'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nancy of Robinhill' × 'Tracy White' R: L.M. Clark, N: L.M. Clark, I: L.M. Clark (1994) Fls double, (1-) 2-3/truss, funnel-shaped, 65-75mm wide, with 12-18 lobes (outer with slightly reflexed edges), white, with a greenish blotch (variable in colour). Calyx green. Lvs ovate, spring lvs up to c45 × 30mm, slightly glossy, stronger and deeper than moderate olive green (137A), with appressed, brownish hairs above. Shrub 0.45 × 1.0m in 10 years. Midseason. (Published in *The Azalean* 16 (4): 72-73 (1994))

(a) **'Prudence'** (Syn. of 'Hachika-tsugi')

(a) **'Prudence'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum*, orange-fld form (s) × 'Momozono' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, a little darker than rose (strong purplish red (63B)). Shrub 1.5m. late April-early May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Pruhonice'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *forrestii* Repens Group hybrid R: B. Kavka (pre 1975), N: Fa Boot & Co., I: Fa Boot & Co. (c 1975), REG: Royal Boskoop Hort.Soc. (1988) Fls 8-10/truss, funnel-shaped, 50-60 × 40-50mm, 5-lobed, scarlet. Calyx green. Lvs broadly lanceolate, 40-50 × 30-40mm, dark green, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 1.5m. May. (Colour given as registered, but other sources indicate this cultivar is rosy red. Published in *Dendroflora* 18: 77 (1981))

(a) **'Prunifolium Junior'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *prunifolium* × 'Ocean Mist' R: L.F. Frisbie (pre 1965), N: L.F. Frisbie Fls 65mm wide, orange and white. Very late

(a) **'Pryored'** cv. Evergreen azalea: derived from *prunifolium*, *indicum* and deciduous yellow-flowered Mollis hybrids R: United States National Arboretum, N: United States National Arboretum, I: United States National Arboretum (1984) Fls hose-in-hose, 2/truss, 40-50 × 50-60mm, tubular funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, with wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish orange (42A), with darker red spots. Lvs elliptic, 45 × 15mm, dark green above, slightly hairy on both surfaces. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Pseudoazalea'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **Pseudoyanthinum Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. concinnum* var. *pseudoyanthium*

(a) **'Psyche'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale cream, tinted rose. Mollis

(a) **'Psyche'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Felix & Dijkhuis, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink. Kurume

(r) **Psyche Group** (Syn. of Wega Group)

(r) **'Ptarmigan'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *leucaspis* × *orthocladum* var. *microleucum* R: P.A. Cox, N: P.A. Cox, REG: P.A. Cox (1965) Fls in a cluster of several 2-3 flowered trusses, broadly funnel-shaped, 13 × 25mm, 5-lobed, white; stamens 10, protruding. Lvs oblong, up to 25mm long, densely scaly below. Dwarf, spreading shrub, to 30cm. FCC 1965

(a) **'Pubescens'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Loddiges & Sons (1811), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed under *Azalea viscosa.* Rehder and Wilson (1921) suggest this is an error for *R. viscosum* var. *glaucum* f. *rubescens* (*Azalea viscosa rubescens* Sweet, 1826))

(r) **'Puccini'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Furnivall's Daughter' × 'Simona' (s) × 'King Tut' H: H. Hachmann (1979), G: H. Hachmann (1984), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1991), REG: G. Stück (1991) Fls 12-15/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, light purple (75B), veins darker (light purple (75A) especially outside) - and large part of the dorsal lobe and parts of the adjacent lobes covered by a conspicuous blotch of somewhat raised orange-yellow to red marks (163A/164A to 178A(-181A)-183A) on a moderate yellow (160A) ground; stamens 10, filaments light purplish pink (73C), white at base, anthers moderate purplish pink (186D); style strong purplish pink (67D), stigma dark red (187A). Calyx 3-4mm long, greenish pink. Lvs elliptic, 75-125 × 35-50mm, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, mid green and slightly glossy above, slightly convex, with brown hairs; petioles and midveins light green. Shrub 1.5 × 1.6m, of erect, compact habit. Early-mid June

(a) **'Pucella'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: T.J. Seidel (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, carmine pink, with a brownish yellow blotch at base of dosal lobe. Lvs colour well in autumn. Early. Syn: 'Fanny'. Ghent (Sometimes seen as 'Pucelle')

(a) **'Pucelle'** (See note under 'Pucella')

(a) **'Pucelle de Gand'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: E. van der Cruyssen (1874), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white with a yellow blotch. Indian

(a) **'Pucelle d'Orléans'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: J. van Geert (1835), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Puck'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Linden (1873), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Puck'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Bridal Veil' (s) × 'Azuma-no-hana' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, 65-75mm wide, white, sanded and striped acajou red (moderate red (183D)), with a heavy viridine yellow (brilliant yellow-green (149B)) blotch. Spreading shrub to 1.5m tall. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Puck'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *racemosum* (s) × *scabrifolium* var. *spiciferum* H: A.A. Wright, G: A.A. Wright (1947), I: A.A. Wright (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink. Shrub 0.6-0.9m

(a) **'Pucken'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Indian azalea ("no. 2") (s) × 'Carol' (Gable) H: R.D. Gartrell (1957), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell (1970), REG: R.D. Gartrell (1985) Fls single to slightly semi-double, hose-in-hose, 2(-3)/bud, broadly funnel-shaped, 62-64mm wide, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (58B) to vivid purplish red (57B-61C), spotted deep red (53A). Calyx as corolla. Spring lvs elliptic, 54 × 27mm. Shrub up to 1.0m. (Robin Hill no. T62-6; has been seen in error as 'Pulken')

(a) **'Pudding'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Orangeade' × *austrinum* H: G. & T. Elmer (1966), G: G. & T. Elmer (1977), N: G. & T. Elmer, REG: G. & T. Elmer (1984) Fls 15-16/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 65mm, 5-lobed, strong yellowish pink (38A), shading to deep yellowish pink (39B) at edges, with a prominent, vivid orange-yellow (23A) dorsal blotch; scented. Lvs narrowly elliptic, c90-95 × 30-40mm. Shrub c2.7m in 15 years

(a) **'Puddington'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: M.C. Pratt (1986), G: Ness Botanic Gardens (1996), N: Ness Botanic Gardens, REG: Ness Botanic Gardens (2000) Fls 5-11/loose truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 60 × 70mm, with 5 strongly wavy-edged lobes, light yellow-green (142C) flushed vivid purplish red (66B) in bud, opening white flushed light purplish pink (62C) inside, and white flushed strong purplish pink (62A) outside; light yellow (15D) spots on dorsal lobe. Calyx 3mm long, moderate yellow-green (143D). Lvs elliptic, 25-50 or more × 10-20mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, margins slightly wavy, hairless. Shrub 1.75 × 1.5m in 14 years. June. (Standard: colour slide provided by registrant (WSY 0025874))

(a) **'Puff'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Louise Gable' × 'Helen Close' R: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1969) Fls 2-3/truss, double, up to 75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, deep purple pink (7.5RP 6/12). Shrub to 60cm. May-June

(r) **'Puffy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Si Si' (s) × *smirnowii* × *catawbiense* H: A.W. Smith (pre 1989), G: D. Irish-Hosler (1997), N: D. Irish-Hosler (2000), REG: D. Irish-Hosler (2000) Fls 24/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with 6 flat-edged lobes, strong pink (49A) to light yellowish pink (38A) in bud, opening white throughout, with sparse yellow gold spotting on the dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 40mm, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, margins downcurved, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in c12 years. Late May

(r) **'Puget Sound'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Van Nes Sensation' × 'Loderi King George' R: R.W. Clark, N: R.W. Clark, I: R.W. Clark (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a large truss, 125mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, pink, slightly tinged lilac; scented. Lvs 150 × 65mm, glossy, dark green. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Pukeiti'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *protistum* var. *giganteum*, grown from KW 21498 G: Pukeiti Rhododendron Trust, N: Pukeiti Rhododendron Trust, I: G.F. Smith, REG: G.F. Smith (1979) Fls solferino purple (26/2) fading to fuchsia purple (28/1)

(r) **'Pukeiti Anniversary'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mai Tai' (s) × 'Nancy Evans' H: B. Sligh (1990), G: B. Sligh (1995), N: B. Sligh (1998), I: Taunton Gardens, REG: B. Sligh (2000) Fls 20/full truss, bowl-shaped, 30 × 80-90mm, with wavy to very wavy-edged lobes, jasper red (018/1) and shrimp red (161/2) in bud, opening sulphur yellow (1/3) inside and out, throat sulphur yellow (1/2) with a cardinal red (822/1) star at the base. Calyx 15mm long, sulphur yellow (1/2), with a double flare of cardinal red (822/1). Lvs lanceolate, 85 × 45mm, pointed at apex, rounded at base, margins decurved, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 5 years. Late September-late October

(v) **'Pukeiti Skyrocket'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: possibly a hybrid involving *herzogii*, collected on Mount Miap, Papua New Guinea (1986) G: G.F. Smith (1991), S: G.F. Smith (1986), N: G.F. Smith (1997), REG: G.F. Smith (1997) Fls 10-15/umbellate truss, salver-shaped, 75 × 20mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, deep pink (fuchsine pink 627) in bud, opening fuchsine pink (627/2) inside, deep pink and covered with light brown scales outside, unspotted; scented. Buds erect, open flowers patent. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 55mm, flat, matt green, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, scaly (scales tan when young, darkening with age). Shrub 1.0 × 0.85m in 10 years. Flowering twice a year

(r) **'Pulap'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *pumilum* (s) × *lapponicum* H: S.V. Askjaer (1982), G: S.V. Askjaer (1985), N: S.V. Askjaer, I: S.V. Askjaer (1990), REG: S.V. Askjaer (1996) Fls 3-4/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 12-18 × 18-20mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds vivid purple (80A), opening light purple (80C) inside and out; unmarked. Calyx 1-2mm long, brown. Lvs elliptic, 13-15 × 6-9mm, with decurved margins, acuminate at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy dark green above, with light grey scales which age to brownish (scales undulate, 150-170 microns wide, 1/2-1x diameter apart above, 1-2x below). Shrub 0.4 × 0.6m in 10 years. Late April-early May

(a) **'Pulchellum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Verleeuwen (1835), INC: ICRA (1958)

Fls orange-red. Shrub 1.0-1.5m. Ghent (Definitely listed earlier by J. van Geert, but of uncertain date)

(a) **'Pulchellum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958). Amoena

(r) **'Pulchellum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (s) × Altaclerense Group R: Standish & Noble, N: Standish & Noble, I: Standish & Noble (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy pink, with white throat

(r) **'Pulchellum Album'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, slightly spotted greenish yellow. Hardy Hybrid (See note under 'Catawbiense Pulchellum Album')

(a) **'Pulchellum Novum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Pulchellum Roseolum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pinkish mauve, with a yellow blotch. Ghent

(a) **'Pulcheria'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Linden (1873), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Pulcherrimum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1835), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Pulcherrimum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1836), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Pulcherrimum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* (s) × *caucasicum* R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1835), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. (The Arnold Arboretum, Massachusetts, USA (1970) have had a plant with strong reddish purple fls (3RP 5/4) in cultivation under this name since 1915)

(a) **'Pulchrum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, N: R. Sweet (1832), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Said by Wilson (in Rehder & Wilson, 1921) to be a synonym of 'Smithii')

(a) **'Pulchrum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: Ghent azalea × *molle* I: L. Verschaffelt (1839), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, in large trusses, nankeen yellow, shaded salmon, spotted darker nankeen yellow. (Probably raised by Waterer (Knap Hill) and the plant listed by J. Baumann, 1869)

(r) **'Pulchrum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as an *arboreum* form or hybrid R: unknown (pre 1842), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. (Exhibited in Paris by Modeste Guérin, 1842)

(a) **'Pulken'** (An error for 'Pucken')

(a) **'Pulverulentum Triumphans'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (pre 1877), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Perhaps the 'Pulvere Triumphans' listed by H. Lane & Son, 1851)

(a) **'Pumilum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Pumilum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: R. Veitch & Son (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as *Azalea nudiflora pumila*)

(r) **'Pumilum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *ponticum* L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1818), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Pumilum Album'** cv. Parentage unknown L: H. Laurentius (1869), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Pumpkin'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: M. Johnson (pre 1985), N: M. Johnson Fls deep orange-yellow

(a) **'Pumpkin'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Colossus' × *luteum* R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls large, light orange-yellow. Mid June

(r) **'Pumuckl'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ruth Otte' (s) × 'Feuerschein' H: H. Hachmann (1979), G: H. Hachmann (1984), N: H. Hachmann (1993), I: H. Hachmann (1993), REG: G. Stück (1994) Fls 6-9/lax, rounded truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40-45 × 55-60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53B) inside and out, margins deep red (53A), unspotted; stamens 10, filaments strong red (53C), anthers white. Calyx 2-3mm long, yellowish green. Lvs ovate, 70-90 × 30-40mm, wavy-edged, glossy and dark green above, moderate green below, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.9m in 10 years. Mid-late May. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1993/1994)

(a) **'Punchinello'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ivory' (s) × 'Kagetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 75-90mm wide, white, sanded rosolane purple (moderate purplish red (70A)), with a green blotch. Broad, spreading shrub to 1.2m tall. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Punchline'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ivory Palace' (s) × 'Ivory Palace' H: W.E. Delp (1985), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 19/truss, open funnel-shaped, 44 × 55mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, a blend of purplish red (71A, 70A), reddish purple (70B), purplish pink (70C, D) and yellow-green (144B) in bud, opening light yellow-green (145C), with a wide margin of strong reddish purple and deep to moderate purplish pink (70B-D) and with strong yellow-green (144A) dorsal spots; filaments and style light yellow-green (145D); anthers moderate reddish brown (176B); stigma dark red (187A). Lvs 127 × 57mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.8m in 7 years. Early June

(r) **'Puncta'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine rose. Shrub to c1.0m. Syn: 'Punctatum' (Very similar to 'Arbutifolium' and perhaps only a synonym of it)

(a) **'Punctatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Smith (pre 1845), N: Smith, I: Smith, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Punctatum'** (Syn. of 'Puncta')

(r) **'Punctatum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *ponticum* L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac, spotted

(r) **'Punctatum Floribundum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: R. Veitch & Son (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson purple, spotted

(r) **'Punctatum Majus'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Burdin (1845), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Punctatum Roseum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Knight (pre 1844), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose red. Indian

(r) **'Punctatum Roseum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *ponticum* hybrid ? R: unknown (pre 1842), INC: ICRA (1958) (Exhibited in Paris by Modeste Guérin, 1842)

(r) **'Punctatum Rubrum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls ruby red, with chocolate spots. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Punctatum Superbum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Knight & Perry (pre 1849), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Punctulatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: P. van Driessche, I: L. van Houtte (1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls creamy white, striped, spotted and grained cherry red; some solid colour. Indian

(a) **'Punctulatum Flore Pleno'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: P. de Schrijver (1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red; stamens partially petaloid at apex. Indian

(a) **'Punctulatum Omnicolor'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Punctulatum' R: P. van Driessche, I: L. van Houtte (pre 1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, reddish pink, with darker spots on dorsal lobes. Indian

(a) **'Punctulatum Variegatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Punctulatum' R: P. van Driessche, I: L. van Houtte (1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red-orange, with white stripes and white edges. Indian

(a) **'Punicaeflorum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: derived from 'Duchesse de Nassau' I: Boelens Bros (1886), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double (often with a pom-pom centre as in a double pomegranate (*Punica*) flower), very large, orange-red. Indian (No other record of this parent has been found and it seems likely to be an error for 'Duc de Nassau'. The plant listed (without description) by T. Jackson & Son, 1851 is probably the same)

(a) **'Puniceum'** (Probably a synonym of 'Phoeniceum')

(a) **'Puniceum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. van Geert (1843), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Presumed to be the same plant listed previously as 'Punicia')

(r) **'Puniceum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid R: J. Booth (pre 1838), N: J. Booth, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. (Perhaps the *R. puniceum* Roxb., which is treated as a synonym of *R. arboreum* subsp. *arboreum*)

(a) **'Puniceum Roseum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: presumably a selection from *calendulaceum* L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow and rose. (Listed as "Calendulaceum Puniceum Roseum")

(r) **'Puniceum Stellatum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1849), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls brilliant red. (Exhibited by Paillet (France), 1849)

(a) **'Punicia'** (See note under 'Puniceum' (Ghent))

(a) **'Puppa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Friedhelm Scherrer' R: W. Streck (1979), I: O. Stahnke (1983) Fls red; otherwise similar to parent. Indian

(a) **'Purdey'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Madame Auguste Verschueren' I: E. Verschueren (1981) Fls white, edged purplish red; otherwise similar to parent. Indian

(r) **'Pure Cream'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *hyperythrum* (s) × 'Crest' H: E. de Rothschild (1988), G: E. de Rothschild (1992), N: E. de Rothschild (1998), REG: E. de Rothschild (1999) Fls c13/loose truss, funnel-campanulate, 45 × 70mm, with 6-7 rounded lobes, pale greenish yellow (1D), with two faint green lines on the dorsal surface inside; stamens 12, filaments yellow-white, hairy at base, anthers brown; style pale green, with a few hairs at the base; ovary green and glandular. Calyx up to 5mm long, very irregular, green. Pedicels glandular, green. Lvs elliptic, up to 100 × 40mm, mid green above, yellowish green below, hairless; petioles up to 20mm long. Mid May. AM 1998 (Standard: herbarium specimen provided by registrant (WSY 0011551))

(a) **'Pure Gold'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Cecile', selfed R: A.A. & M. Childers, N: A.A. & M. Childers, REG: A.A. & M. Childers (1971) Fls 11-12/rounded truss, 100 × 100mm, 7-lobed, light orange, with a pink overlay and an orange blotch. Lvs colour well in in autumn. Shrub 1.2m in 13 years. Knap Hill

(a) **'Pure Perfection'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Gumpo White' (s) × 'Wakaebisu' H: S. McDonald (1974), G: S. McDonald (1977), N: S. McDonald, I: S. McDonald, REG: S. McDonald (1983) Fls hose-in-hose, 1-2/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 65mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, white with a very pale green throat. Calyx 40mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs narrowly obovate to more-or-less elliptic, 25 × 13mm, spinach green (0960), strigose. Shrub c0.5m in 6 years. Late May-early June

(r) **'Pure Pleasure'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selected form of *decorum*, grown from 1938 Hu expedition seed (s) × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: C.C. Smith

(1976), G: R. Furman (1979), N: R. Furman, REG: R. Furman (1994) Fls 12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 70 × 95mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (55A) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (56B) and ageing to yellowish white (155B), with brilliant yellow-green (150B) throat; outside light purplish pink (55C); strongly scented. Lvs narrowly obovate, 108 × 44mm, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 2.1m in 18 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Purest'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: E.V. Mezitt (pre 1980), I: Weston Nurseries Fls white. Shrub 0.6 in 10 years. Early

(a) **'Purissimum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Deutsche Perle' × 'Frau Hermann Seidel' I: A. Haerens (1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white. Indian

(r) **'Purissimum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R. Veitch & Son (pre 1867), N: R. Veitch & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls snow white

(a) **'Purity'** (Syn. of 'Yoro-zuyo')

(a) **'Purity'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: W. Barnes (pre 1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 'well-formed', white. Indian

(a) **'Purity'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Messrs Cuthbert (1899), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls delicate sulphur yellow, with dark spots on one lobe. AM 1899. Mollis

(a) **'Purity'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Bobbink & Atkins (pre 1930), N: Bobbink & Atkins, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 65mm wide, white. Rutherford

(r) **'Purity'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Purity')

(r) **'Purity'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1867), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a yellow eye. (Listed as a hardy plant)

(r) **'Purity'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: possibly *edgeworthii* × *formosum* R: unknown (pre 1908), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, pure white, with a yellow blotch. AM 1908 (Probably the same plant awarded an AM in 1894 when exhibited by B.S. Williams)

(v) **'Purity'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *javanicum* var. *teysmannii* (s) × 'Taylorii' R: J. Veitch & Sons, N: J. Veitch & Sons, I: J. Veitch & Sons (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls french white. FCC 1888

(a) **'Purper Bloemrijk'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1929), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, purple. Indian

(r) **'Purple Amethyst'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: (*yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' × 'Burgundy') × 'Purple Splendour' (s) × 'Smokey' H: F. Fujioka (1985), G: F. Fujioka (1991), N: F. Fujioka (2001), REG: F. Fujioka (2001) Fls 12/ball truss, saucer-shaped, 50 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish red (71A) in bud, opening inside deep purplish red (71A) at edges, paling gradually to very pale purple (73D) at centre, the dorsal lobe very pale purple (69D) slightly spotted with moderate yellow (163C), outside deep purplish red (71A); anthers white. Calyx c1.5mm long, moderate yellow-green (138C). Lvs elliptic, 140 × 50mm, margins decurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and dark bluish green (131A) above, with lightly scattered hairs below (tan when young, ageing to rust). Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Purple Anna'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anna' (s) × 'OleOlson' H: G.E. Barefield (1961), G: G.E. Barefield (1973), N: Mrs M.W. Barefield, I: Mrs M.W. Barefield (1976), REG: Mrs M.W. Barefield (1983) Fls 11-12/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 90 × 90mm, 5-lobed, strong reddish purple (70B), edged strong purple (80B), with a dorsal blotch of deep purplish red (59B) and peripheral spotting to dorsal lobe edging of strong purplish pink to deep purplish red (68B-59B); outside strong reddish purple (70B). Calyx minute, rose. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 140 × 40mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base (some slightly oblique), moderate yellow-green (137C), hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.2m in 20 years. Early June

(a) **'Purple Beauty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection or hybrid of *scabrum* L: K. Wada (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, purple

(a) **'Purple Boudoir'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J.B. Gable (pre 1983) Fls single, 65mm wide, purple. Spreading shrub, 0.6-0.75m tall. Midseason

(r) **'Purple Carpeter'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1988)

(a) **'Purple Cushion'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* × 'Snow' (s) × *kaempferi* × 'Snow' R: USDA, Beltsville, N: USDA, Beltsville (1960), I: USDA, Beltsville (1960), REG: USDA, Beltsville (1961) Fls single, c40mm wide, cyclamen purple. Lvs dark green. Very dwarf shrub, twice as wide as high

(a) **'Purple Diamond'** (Syn. of 'Diamant Purpur')

(r) **'Purple Elegance'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *ponticum* hybrid L: Greer Gardens (1978) Fls red-purple. Lvs shiny green. Shrub 1.5-2.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Purple Emperor'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Moser's Maroon' hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 17-20/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with wavy-edged lobes, near doge purple (732/3), paler towards throat, dorsal lobe speckled black at throat. Lvs dark, slightly glossy green. Shrub to over 2.0m. *AM 1953

(r) **'Purple Eye'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *augustinii* (s) × 'Saint Tudy' H: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1948), G: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1954), N: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls mauve blue with purple spots

(r) **'Purple Fake'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: sport from *concinnum* Pseudoyanthinum Group R: R. Henny, N: R. Henny (1959), I: R. Henny, REG: R. Henny (1962) Fls tubular-campanulate, 50mm wide, orchid purple (31), with crimson spots. Lvs 75 × 25mm. Upright shrub, 1.1 × 0.4m. Syn: 'Fake'

(r) **'Purple Fuchsia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × 'Princess Elizabeth' I: J.F. Stephens (pre 1990) Fls in a globular truss, fuchsia purple, with a darker eye. Lvs mid green. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Purple Gem'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group (s) × *fastigiatum* H: G.G. Nearing, G: D. Hardgrove, N: D. Hardgrove, I: D. Hardgrove, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a ball truss, small, light purplish violet. Lvs small, blue-green. Shrub under 40cm

(a) **'Purple George Taber'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'George Lindley Taber' R: unknown (pre 1965) Fls purple

(r) **'Purple Giant'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scintillation' × 'Melanie Shaw' H: J. Leonard (1983), G: J. Leonard (1987), N: J. Leonard, I: Briarwood Gardens (1991), REG: Briarwood Gardens (1991) Fls 13/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 64 × 95mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish purple (78B) with a conspicuous, dark purple (79A) flare and speckling on dorsal and on two adjacent lobes, and with a small, yellowish white (155D) area deep in the throat; stamens 10, equal in length. Calyx less than 2mm long, strong yellow-green (144A). Pedicels 38mm long, deep red (185A) above, strong yellow-green (145A) below. Lvs ovate, 83-114 × 38-48mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, with wavy margins, dull green above, hairless; petioles 13-22mm long, dark red (187A) above, strong yellow-green (144B) below. Shrub 1.4 × 1.5m in 8 years. Late May-early June. (Published in Briarwood Gardens cat., 1991)

(a) **'Purple Glitters'** (Syn. of 'Nuccio's Purple Glitters')

(a) **'Purple Glory'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* hybrid (s) × 'Snow' R: USDA, N: USDA, Beltsville (1952), I: USDA, Beltsville (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, clear purple lavender, fading to a clear lavender throat and faintly spotted with darker purple. Shrub of erect habit, with long shoots. (Derived from the work of G.E. Yerkes & R.L. Pryor)

(r) **'Purple Gown'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Midnight' × 'Coronation Day' H: K. Van de Ven, G: K. Van de Ven (1955), N: K. Van de Ven, I: K. Van de Ven, REG: K. Van de Ven (1986) Fls 15/truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 110mm, vivid purplish red (61C), with a dorsal blotch of deep purplish red (61A). Lvs elliptic, 150 × 50mm. Shrub 1.0m

(r) **'Purple Heart'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: unnamed hybrid × 'Purple Splendour' R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1971) Fls violet with a yellow-green blotch and markings. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Purple Hill'** (Syn. of 'Isar')

(r) **'Purple Imp'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *impeditum*, open-pollinated H: G.G. Nearing, G: G.G. Nearing, N: G.G. Nearing, I: G.G. Nearing (pre 1960) Fls violet. Lvs glossy. Dwarf shrub, of spreading habit, 0.6m in 10 years. Early

(r) **'Purple Jewel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nova Zembla' × unknown H: L.A. Hindla (1963), G: L.A. Hindla, N: L.A. Hindla, REG: L.A. Hindla (1987) Fls 12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 44 × 51mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (74D), shading to nearly white in throat, with a prominent, dark red (187D) spotted blotch at base of dorsal lobe. Calyx 1.5mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 40mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, margins wavy, dark yellowish green (139A) above, with a plastered, moderate yellow-green (147C) indumentum below. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 22 years. Late June

(a) **'Purple King'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 45mm wide, purple (phlox pink 625/2). Kaempferi

(r) **'Purple Knockout'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sefton' × 'Olin O. Dobbs' (s) × 'Sefton' × 'Olin O. Dobbs' H: J. Looye (1990), G: W.E. Delp (1995), N: Mrs V. Delp, I: Crystalaire Rhododendron Naturescapes, REG: J.D. Harris (1996) Fls 17/truss, open funnel-shaped, c50 × 80mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, dark purple (79A-B) and vivid reddish purple (78B) in bud, opening deep reddish purple (77A) with a dark red (59A) flare and dark red (187A) spotting on the three dorsal lobes; filaments and style dark red (59A); anthers pale greenish yellow (160C); stigma dark red (187A). Lvs 70 × 30mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base. Shrub 0.9 × 0.6m in 6 years. Early June

(r) **'Purple Lace'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls wavy-edged, deep purple red, with paler centres. Lvs glossy green. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. (An old cultivar grown in Boskoop (The Netherlands) but imported from England)

(r) **'Purple Legend'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Abe Arnott' (s) × 'White Blue Peter' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls strong purple (83D, 82B) and vivid purple (82A) in bud, opening vivid, strong and moderate purple (82A, B, C), with a yellowish white (158C) flare and dark red (187A, B) dorsal spots; filaments and style very pale purple (84D); anthers pale yellow (158B); stigma greyish red (176A). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Purple Leopard'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Moser's Maroon' H: A.W. Smith (pre 1989), G: D. Irish-Hosler (1997), N: D. Irish-

Hosler (2000), REG: D. Irish-Hosler (2000) Fls 19/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside strong reddish purple (78B), fading to deep purplish pink (70C), with dense purple speckling on the dorsal lobe and on portions of adjacent lobes; outside moderate purplish red (70A), fading to strong reddish purple (70B). Lvs elliptic, 125 × 50mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, with flat margins, dull and dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in c12 years. Early June

(a) **'Purple Magic'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Achievement' (s) × 'Winedrop' R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls single, 3-4/truss, 65mm wide, variegated purple and white with a greenish yellow blotch and large orchid purple sectors (sometimes covering a whole lobe); some purple selfs. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m. Early May. (First published in Holly Springs cat., 1990)

(r) **'Purple Opal'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' (s) × unknown H: V.J. Boulter, G: V.J. Boulter (1981), I: F. Boulter, REG: F. Boulter (1984) Fls 12-14/truss, campanulate, 40 × 60mm, vivid purple (80A). Lvs elliptic, 100 × 30mm. Shrub 1.0 × 0.75m

(r) **'Purple Pansy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Janet Blair' × 'Purple Splendour' H: H.R. Schroeder (1980), G: S. McDonald (1985), N: S. McDonald, I: S. McDonald (c 1989), REG: S. McDonald (1992) Fls 15/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, with occasional petaloid stamens, 50 × 80mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, moderate purple (82C) in bud, opening 82C and fading to light purple (84C) with a very pale (nearly white) throat, prominent dark purple (79A) blotch and spots on dorsal lobe and parts of adjacent lobes; stamens 10, curved, unequal; style white. Calyx 2mm long, strong yellow-green (143B). Pedicels 34mm long, moderate red (183C). Lvs narrowly obovate, 115 × 45mm, flat, acute to broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy, moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (147B) below; petioles 25mm long, moderate red (183C). Shrub 1.4 × 1.0m in 11 years. Mid May

(a) **'Purple Passion'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Magnificum' × 'Fashion' (Glenn Dale) H: R.C. Vines, G: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, I: Holly Springs Nursery (1990) Fls single, 3/truss, 65-75mm wide, dark purple. Shrub 0.75 × 0.9m in 8 years. Early May

(r) **'Purple Passion'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Purple Passion')

(r) **'Purple Passion'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour', open-pollinated G: R.L. & M.A. Blough (1982), N: A. Treadwell (1982), I: The Conard-Pyle Co. (1996), REG: The Conard-Pyle Co. (1996) Fls 12-16/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish purple (78A) and deep purple (79C) in bud, opening inside strong reddish purple (78B) with a white blotch and superimposed deep reddish purple (77A) spots, edged strong purplish red (72A); outside vivid purple (82A); stamens white. Calyx 2mm long, strong yellow-green (144B), flushed strong purplish red (72A). Lvs lanceolate, 110 × 45mm, edges decurved, acute at apex, obtuse at base, dark yellowish green (139A) and semi-glossy above. Vase-shaped shrub, 1.8 × 1.2m in 10 years. Mid-late May. Syn: 'C.L. Blough', 'Cresson' (Seed collected by R.L. & M.A. Blough, 1974)

(a) **'Purple Path'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: I.L. Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L. Amann Fls 55mm wide, with twisted lobes, deep purplish pink (72D) with a heavy midrib. Lvs twisted. Shrub c60cm. Midseason

(a) **'Purple Peony'** (Syn. of 'Fuji-manyo')

(a) **'Purple Perfection'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *scabrum* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple, like 'Red Emperor'

(r) **'Purple Pillow'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *russatum* I: Fa J. Streng, REG: Fa J. Streng (1964) Fls funnel-shaped, 30mm long, amethyst violet (35). Lvs 20mm long, glossy. Low, compact shrub, c0.3m tall

(a) **'Purple Pride'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Purple Splendor' × 'Vuyk's Scarlet' H: H.R. Schroeder (1973), G: S. Schroeder (1978), N: S. Schroeder, I: S. Schroeder (1986), REG: S. Schroeder (1986) Fls single, broadly funnel-shaped, 44 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish purple (74B), with a strong purplish red (67A) throat and spotting on lower part of dorsal lobe. Calyx 25mm long, vivid reddish purple (74B). Lvs elliptic, 38 × 19mm, dull, dark green above, light green below, hairy. Shrub 0.38 × 0.61m in 10 years. Mid April

(r) **'Purple Prince'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Sunningdale Nurseries (1956), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple, with a black eye

(a) **'Purple Queen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Formosum' × 'Snow' I: Mrs F. Petry (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 65mm wide, deep fuchsia purple. Indian

(a) **'Purple Robe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* × 'Purple Triumph' R: Girard Nurseries, N: Girard Nurseries, I: Girard Nurseries (c 1962), REG: Girard Nurseries (1972) Fls hose-in-hose, 3/truss, with wavy-edged lobes, deep, clear purple. Lvs 40 × 13mm. Shrub 0.4 × 0.6m

(r) **'Purple Sage'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Blue Peter' (s) × (Delp's red-flowered *catawbiense* × 'America') × 'Roslyn' H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 12/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 45 × 75mm, 5-lobed, strong and brilliant violet (86B-D) in bud, opening to a blend of light, very light and very pale purple (85A-D) and brilliant violet (86D); filaments and style very pale purple (76D); anthers pale yellowish pink (159D); stigma moderate orange (172D). Lvs 86 × 38mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 18 years. Early June

(a) **'Purple Splendor'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* (s) × 'Hexe' R: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, wavy-edged, orchid purple (31). Shrub c2.0m in 19 years. Gable (Similar to 'Herbert')

(r) **'Purple Splendour'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *ponticum* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1900), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c15/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 70-80mm, purplish blue, with a ray of black markings on a purplish brown ground. Calyx small. Lvs elliptic, 80-100 × 30-35mm, deep green above. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. AM 1931

(r) **'Purple Split'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1991)

(r) **'Purple Stars'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scintillation' × 'Melanie Shaw' H: J. Leonard (1983), G: J. Leonard (c 1987), N: J. Leonard, I: J. Leonard (c 1991) Fls dark purple in bud, opening reddish purple with a central, nearly white star. Shrub 0.9-1.2m in 10 years. Midseason. (Trusses and plant size smaller than its sister seedling 'Purple Giant')

(a) **'Purple Supreme'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Formosum' × 'Snow' I: Mrs F. Petry (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, fuchsia purple. Low and spreading habit. Indian

(r) **'Purple Susy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'America' × 'Blaze' × 'Red Brave' H: W.M. Fetterhoff (1973), G: T.L. Ring, N: T.L. Ring (pre 1992)

(a) **'Purple Taber'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: USA (1982) Fls light purple. Lvs with yellowish white margins. (Perhaps synonymous with 'Florida Beauty')

(a) **'Purple Triumph'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Beethoven' (s) × un-named seedling R: A. Vuyk, I: Vuyk van Nes (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 2/truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 55mm, with wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish purple (74B). Shrub to 1.0m. *HC 1959, *AM 1960. Vuykiana

(a) **'Purple Weeper'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Daikagura' R: T. Domoto (pre 1987), N: T. Domoto Fls 50mm wide, with rounded lobes, light purple. Pendulous habit

(r) **'Purplogic'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pinnacle' × 'Goldsworth Orange' (s) × 'Pinnacle' × 'Goldsworth Orange' H: D.L. Hinerman, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls vivid reddish purple (78A) in bud, opening white, edged strong reddish purple (70B) and deep to moderate purplish pink (70C, D) with vivid yellow-green (154A) dorsal spots. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992), with incorrect parentage)

(a) **'Purpurascens'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1823), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed under *Azalea nudiflora*)

(a) **'Purpurascens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Purpurascens Grandiflorum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls flesh pink. (Listed under *Azalea nudiflora*)

(r) **Purpurellum Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. cinnabarinum* var. *purpurellum*

(a) **'Purpurescens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Kelmscott Azalea Gardens (1984) Fls single, medium deep mauve. Indian

(a) **'Purpureum'** (Syn. of 'Lilacinum')

(a) **'Purpureum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1804), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed under *Azalea nudiflora*)

(r) **'Purpureum'** (Sometimes seen as *ponticum* var. *purpureum*: synonym of 'Foliis Purpureis')

(r) **'Purpureum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *maximum* L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Purpureum Crispum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: S.B. Parsons, N: S.B. Parsons, I: S.B. Parsons, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Purpureum Elegans'** (Syn. of 'Arboreum Purpureum')

(r) **'Purpureum Elegans'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection or hybrid of *catawbiense* I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 16-18/hemispherical truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, purple, with a ray of brown markings on a light ground. Calyx very small. Lvs elliptic to obovate-lanceolate, up to 130 × 50mm, deep green above, very thinly felted below. Large shrub (A. J. Ivens, c1940, UK); a plant in cultivation at Arnold Arboretum since 1892 has greenish yellow and brown dorsal markings

(a) **'Purpureum Flore Pleno'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Purpureum Grande'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple, with dark spots. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Purpureum Grandiflorum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1839), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vermilion red. Ghent (H. Hesse, 1899 listed one described as salmon rose, with purple stripes)

(a) **'Purpureum Grandiflorum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet. Indian

(r) **'Purpureum Grandiflorum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection or hybrid of *catawbiense* I: Waterer

(Knap Hill) (pre 1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a dense, rounded truss, light purple (7P 6/9), marked citron green (10Y 7/8)

(r) **'Purpureum Grandiflorum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R.T. Pince (pre 1868), N: R.T. Pince, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large trusses, deep purple. (Published in Lucombe, Pince & Co. cat., c1868)

(a) **'Purpureum Macrophyllum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Purpureum Maculatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Purpureum Magnificum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Purpureum Magnificum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: T. Methven & Son (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep purple

(a) **'Purpureum Major'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: T. Jackson & Son (1851), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Purpureum Nigrum Maculatum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: A. Verschaffelt (pre 1869), N: A. Verschaffelt, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark purple-red, flecked with black

(a) **'Purpureum Perfectum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Knight (pre 1849), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Presumably the same plant listed by A. van Geert, 1849)

(a) **'Purpureum Plenum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1826), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed under *Azalea nudiflora*)

(a) **'Purpureum Roseum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Smith (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple-red. Indian

(r) **'Purpureum Roseum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R. Veitch & Son (pre 1867), N: R. Veitch & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple crimson, spotted

(r) **'Purpureum Splendens'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep purple, much spotted

(a) **'Purpureum Superbum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L.L. Liebig (pre 1852), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Purpureum Superbum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1849), INC: ICRA (1958) (Exhibited by Mme Masson (France), 1849)

(r) **'Purpureum Superbum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: H. den Ouden & Sons (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c19/hemispherical truss, more-or-less flat, 45 × 70mm, light purple, with a greenish brown blotch on a white ground. Calyx lobes unusually small. (Bluer than 'Purpureum Elegans' and paler in centre with a greener blotch)

(a) **'Purpureum Tardivum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1851), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Purpur-Geisha'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group × *campylogynum* Myrtilloides Group H: W. Reich (1984), G: W. Reich (1988), N: W. Reich, I: W. Reich (1989), REG: W. Reich (1992) Fls 2-6/lax truss, broadly funnel-campanulate to campanulate, 22-24 × 24-27mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, vivid to strong reddish purple (78A, B); stamens 10, straight, unequal, hairy; style strong purplish red (63B). Calyx 5-6mm long, yellowish green. Pedicels 27-31mm long, greyish red (178A) to dark reddish orange (178B). Lvs elliptic, 9-38 × 5-18mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and hairless above, scaly below; petioles 3-8mm long, yellowish green, scaly. Shrub 0.3 × 0.4m in 7 years. Mid-late May

(a) **'Purpurkissen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Rubinstern' × 'Rubinetta' × 'Johanna' H: H. Hachmann (1976), G: H. Hachmann (1979), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1992), REG: G. Stück (1991) Fls single, 2-3 at shoot tips, 30-37 × 50-58mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (57C) throughout, tinged strong red (53B-D) on inside and on veins outside, dorsal lobe with sparse, strong purplish red (60C) markings; stamens 5, filaments vivid purplish red (57D), anthers greyish to moderate red (184A/B); style vivid purplish red (57C/D), stigma deep red (185A). Flower colour does not fade in sun. Pedicels reddish green. Calyx 2-3mm long, light green, silvery hairy. Lvs ovate, 16-21 × 6-10mm, dark green and slightly glossy above, bronze-coloured in winter. Shrub of dense, compact, cushion-like habit, 0.6 × 1.2m in 10 years. Early-late June

(a) **'Purpurtraum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Wemken (pre 1990), N: A. Wemken Fls single, 3-4 at shoot tips, funnel-shaped, 30-35mm wide, 5-lobed (lobes slightly waved), purple/violet red inside and out, with insignificant darker markings. Calyx pale green. Lvs dark green. Shrub 0.7 × 0.8m in 10 years. Late May-early June

(a) **'Purum Semi Duplex'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Smith (pre 1849), N: Smith, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Pushover'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pink Cameo' (s) × 'Pink Cameo' H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 16/conical truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 64 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep and strong purplish red (71A, B) in bud, opening strong purplish red (71C, D), with a white flare and sparse, dark greenish yellow (152D) dorsal spots; filaments and style vivid reddish purple (74A); anthers brownish orange (164A); stig-

ma dark red (59A). Lvs 127 × 51mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 18 years. Early June

(r) **'Pusstafeuer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Polar Star' R: F.W. Dürre (1968), N: F.W. Dürre (1987), I: F.W. Dürre (1987) Fls 11-15/lax truss, 40-50mm wide, white inside with a wavy, rose red border, with reddish brown to yellowish brown markings; outside rose red with paler areas. Lvs rather upright, showing the dark brown indumentum

(r) **'Pussyfoot'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group, dark pink form (s) × *racemosum*, dark pink form H: G.D. Lewis (1975), G: G.D. Lewis (1978), N: G.D. Lewis (1983), REG: G.D. Lewis (1997) Fls 5-7/bud (with 1-3 buds/domed truss), open funnel-shaped, 30 × 40mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds white, tinged deep purplish pink (73A) at tips, opening white inside and out, with vivid purplish red (66B) dorsal spotting, gradually ageing to light reddish purple (73C) throughout. Lvs elliptic, 45 × 20mm, with decurved margins, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and dark yellowish green (139A) above, moderate yellow-green (147C) and scaly below, scales brown. Shrub 1.2 × 1.1m in 20 years. Late April

(r) **'Puyallup'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *racemosum* R: unknown (pre 1968) (Listed as a parent of 'Pink Elegance')

(a) **'Puyallup Centennial'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: F. Minch, G: F. Minch, N: F. Minch (1989) Fls double (with no stamens), in large, tightly-packed, dome-shaped trusses, greenish yellow in bud, opening golden yellow with highlights of orange and various shades of yellow, finally becoming pink and dark yellow

(a) **'P. van Noordt'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Cheal (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls primrose yellow. Mollis

(a) **'P.W. Hardijzer'** (Syn. of 'Helena Vuyk')

(r) **'Pygmalion'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot) (1928), I: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c16/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 75mm, crimson scarlet, with a broad pattern of black markings on the dorsal lobes, dull crimson spots on ventral lobes. Calyx lobes 1-5mm long, crimson. Lvs obovate-lanceolate, 100 × 35mm, dull, dark green above. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. *AM 1933

(r) **'Pygmey'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Boule de Neige' × *yakushimanum* H: E.A. Skonieczny (pre 1978)

(r) **'Pygmy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Moonstone Group × 'Carmen' H: W.E. Whitney (pre 1975) Fls in a loose truss, campanulate, red. Shrub 0.3m in 10 years

(r) **'Pyramidale'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a pyramidal truss, white, with a yellow blotch. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Pyramidale Plenum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection or hybrid of *ponticum* L: T. Methven & Son (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, light purple. (Sometimes seen as 'Pyramidale Flore Pleno')

(r) **Pyramus Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Doncaster' (s) × Loderi Group H: Lord Aberconway (1924), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1933), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Pyrex'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *facetum* × *haematodes* R: G. Reuthe Ltd (pre 1945), N: G. Reuthe Ltd, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet

(r) **Pyrope Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Exminster Group (s) × Cornish Cross Group H: Lord Aberconway (1932), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(a) **'Pyxie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *tschonoskii* hybrid R: J.B. Gable (pre 1972), N: J.B. Gable Fls hose-in-hose, pink. Syn: 'Pixie'. Gable

(a) **'Quadricolor'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. Verschaffelt (pre 1846), N: L. Verschaffelt, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with a nankeen yellow ground, flamed red on isabelline yellow, one lobe orange (L. van Houtte, 1848); orange and salmon, spotted green (L. van Houtte, 1872). Ghent

(r) **'Quadrille'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Sulphur Yellow Group (s) × *griffithianum* R: L. de Rothschild (1937), I: E. de Rothschild (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a fairly loose truss, pale cream. Tall shrub

(r) **'Quadroona'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish red, with a bronze blotch. (Sometimes seen in error as 'Quadrona')

(r) **'Quail'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *keiskei* 'Yaku Fairy' (s) × *glaucophyllum* H: Glendoick Gardens Ltd (1993), G: Glendoick Gardens Ltd (1996), N: Glendoick Gardens Ltd (2000), I: Glendoick Gardens Ltd (2000), REG: Glendoick Gardens Ltd (2000) Fls 2-4/loose truss, funnel-campanulate, 28 × 35mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, strong red (46A) in bud, opening strong red (51A) inside and out; unspotted; stamens and style coloured as corolla. Calyx 2mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs ovate-lanceolate, 35 × 8mm, acute and mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, margins decurved, matt green above, scaly. Shrub 0.45 × 0.8m in 7 years. April-May

(a) **'Quakeress'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × 'Vittatum' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-7/truss, 50-70mm wide, white, with a few flakes of bishop's purple (moderate purple (79D)), (very unevenly expressed in different fls), with wavy-edged lobes. Shrub to 1.9m. Mid-late April. Glenn Dale

(r) **Quaker Girl Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *hyperythrum* (s) × Avalanche Group R: Exbury, I: E. de Rothschild (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, spotted with green. April-May

(a) **'Quaker Maid'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Exbury (pre 1958), I: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light pinkish white, edged pink and with an orange blotch. Knap Hill

(r) **'Quala-a-wa-loo'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Else Frye' × *johnstoneanum* H: R.L. Anderson (1967), G: H.J. Braafladt (c 1972), N: H.J. Braafladt, I: H.J. Braafladt, REG: H.J. Braafladt (1979) Fls up to 5/truss, open funnel-shaped, 80mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, brilliant yellow-green (149B) in bud, with a vivid red (52A) blush, opening pale yellow (11D) with a strong red (53D) dorsal blotch in the throat; strongly scented. Calyx 5mm long, strong pink (52D). Lvs elliptic, 70 × 30mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, margins densely hairy (hairs long, dark reddish orange (172B)), with closely spaced, small, tan scales below; petioles hairy. Shrub 0.8 × 1.4m in 10 years. Mid March-early April

(r) **'Qualicum's Pride'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anna' × 'Cotton Candy' H: L.L. Newcomb (1970), G: L.L. & E.F. Newcomb (1979), N: Mount Arrowsmith Chapter, Am.Rh.Soc., I: L.L. & E.F. Newcomb (1981), REG: L.L. & E.F. Newcomb (1992) Fls 13-15/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 89 × 127mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (65C) edged strong purplish pink (73B), with a prominent dark red throat (59A) and deep purplish red (59B) spotted streaks extending upwards; outside has 3 strong purplish red (67A) rays on each lobe; stamens 13-15, curved, equal; ovary strong purplish red (60B); style pale yellow (18D); strongly scented. Pedicels 32-38mm long, moderate purplish pink (70D). Lvs elliptic, 86-165 × 29-57mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (146C) below, hairless; petioles 13-25mm long, hairy, moderate red (182) above, strong yellow (153D) below. Shrub 2.0 × 2.4m in 10 years. Early-mid May

(r) **'Qualifier'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Oh My!' × 'Catalgla' (s) × (*fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × Fabia Group) × 'Mary Belle' H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 12/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 50 × 60mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (67B) to deep to pale purplish pink (67C, D, 65D) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (65D), with broad margins of deep to light purplish pink (67C, D, 65B), fading slowly to light and pale purplish pink (65B-D) and white; dorsal spots strong greenish yellow (151A); filaments and style pale purplish pink (65D); anthers greyish reddish orange (174D); stigma dark red (59A). Lvs 102 × 44mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.4m in 18 years. Early June

(r) **'Quapp'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Limbatum' (s) × 'Diadema' R: T.J.R. Seidel (c 1906), N: T.J.R. Seidel (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light purplish pink, with yellow spots

(r) **'Quarry Wood'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *trichostomum* Ledoides Group R: Mrs M. Simmons, N: Mrs M. Simmons, REG: Mrs M. Simmons (1971) Fls 18-20/tight, rounded truss, tubular, 12 × 12mm, 5-lobed, white, flushed shades of moderate to light purplish pink (68C-D). Calyx 2mm long, green, scaly and ciliate. Lvs linear-lanceolate, up to 27 × 7mm, dark green, with a loose, dark brown, scaly indumentum below. AM 1971

(r) **'Quartz'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *rex*, grown from Rock 18234 R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1955), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1962) Fls 75mm wide, tubular-campanulate, white, with a faint pinkish blue tinge and a deep crimson blotch at the base of the throat and with scattered crimson spots on the dorsal lobes. Lvs narrowly oblanceolate, 150 × 100mm, with a thick, hard, brown tomentum below. AM 1955

(r) **'Quasar'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii*, grown from LS & E 15764 × Idealist Group H: H.A. Short (1970), G: H.A. Short (1976), N: H.A. Short, REG: H.A. Short (1979) Fls up to 8/truss, open funnel-shaped, 70mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong yellowish pink (37B) in bud, opening pale greenish yellow (9D), with a prominent dark red (59A) blotch deep in the throat. Calyx 5mm long, light yellow-green (145C), edged moderate red (181C). Lvs elliptic, 108 × 55mm, apiculate at apex, cordate at base, moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 0.9m in 7 years. Late April

(r) **'Quaver'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *leucaspis* (s) × *sulfureum* R: Exbury, I: E. de Rothschild (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 4-6/loose truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 25 × 25mm, 5-lobed, light yellow-green (154D). Calyx lobes 8mm long, ciliate. Lvs c65 × 30mm, dark glossy green above, with pitted, dark brown scales below. Dwarf shrub. AM 1968 (Quaver Group)

(r) **Quaver Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *leucaspis* (s) × *sulfureum* R: Exbury, I: E. de Rothschild (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in small trusses varying from cream to primrose. Dwarf shrub

(v) **'Queen'** (See 'The Queen')

(a) **'Queen Alexandra'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1925), N: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac rose. Mollis

(r) **'Queen Alexandra'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *grande* × *niveum* R: unknown (pre 1912), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls of *grande* type, cream, tinged mauve at edges. (A selection from or equivalent to Nivarg Group)

(r) **'Queen Alice'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Alice' H: G.W. Clarke, G: F. Peste, N: Briggs Nursery, I: Briggs Nursery (1990), REG: Briggs Nursery (1993) Fls 18-22/domed truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 44 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (61C) in bud, opening moderate purplish pink (65A), fading to mottled 65A, with vivid purplish red (57B) margins and moderate yellow-green (147C) speckles in the throat; outside moderate purplish pink (68C), with vivid purplish red (57B) at midveins and margins; stamens 10, curved, unequal. Pedicels 32mm long, light yellow-green (145C). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 83-108 × 25-38mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull, moderate olive green (147A) above, with pale yellow-green (157C) tomentum on young growth, strong yellow-green (144B) below with a greenish white (157D) indumentum ageing to moderate orange (172D); petioles 19mm long, moderate yellow-green (146C) with pale yellow-green (196B) hairs. Shrub 1.4 × 1.4m in 6 years. Mid May. (Published in Briggs Nursery 1990-1991 liner list)

(r) **'Queen Anne's'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *brachycarpum* × *catawbiense* × un-named white *fortunei* hybrid H: H.T. Skinner (1959), G: H.T. Skinner, N: H.T. Skinner, I: H.T. Skinner (1977), REG: H.T. Skinner (1979) Fls double (with petaloid stamens up to 20mm long), up to 13/truss, open funnel-shaped, 65mm wide, with 5 (-6-7) wavy-edged lobes, light violet (2.5P 7/7) in bud, opening very pale violet (2.5P 8/4), quickly fading to pure white, unmarked; no normal stamens. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 50mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy olive green above, hairless. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Early May

(r) **'Queen Bee'** (Syn. of 'Berg's Queen Bee')

(r) **'Queen Bee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* hybrid R: W. Corbin, N: W. Corbin (1959), REG: W. Corbin (1961) Fls 6-7/lax truss, tubular-campanulate, 75 × 40mm, burnt orange-red. Lvs 100 × 25mm. Shrub compact, 0.6 × 0.8m. Late May

(a) **'Queen Elizabeth'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *eriocarpum* L: K. Wada (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white, edged scarlet. Wada

(r) **'Queen Elizabeth II'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Idealist Group × 'Crest' R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1969), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1968) Fls 10-12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 30 × 115mm, 7-lobed, pale greenish yellow (1D). Calyx very small, with short, red, glandular hairs. Lvs lanceolate to narrowly ovate, 140 × 55mm, hairless. AM 1967, FCC 1974

(a) **'Queen Elizabeth White'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *eriocarpum* R: K. Wada (pre 1987), N: K. Wada. Wada

(r) **'Queen Emerald'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Japan (1989)

(a) **'Queen Emma'** (Syn. of 'Koningin Emma')

(r) **'Queen Esta'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Holly Heath Nursery (1978) Fls pale pink. Dwarf shrub

(a) **'Queen Fabiola'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Leopold-Astrid' I: G. Harmsen (1980) Fls light pink (50D) to white, broadly edged vivid red (52A); otherwise similar to parent. Indian

(a) **'Queen Louise'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Exbury (pre 1979) Fls pale pink, with a yellow throat. Knap Hill

(r) **'Queen Mab'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *souliei* (s) × 'Corona' H: L.E. Brandt, G: L.E. Brandt (1958), N: L.E. Brandt (1960), REG: L.E. Brandt (1961) Fls 12/compact truss, 40 × 55mm, erect, tyrian rose (24/2-24/1), with blotches in the throat and dorsal lobe tyrian rose (24). Lvs 80 × 40mm. Shrub 1.0 × 1.2m. Late April

(r) **'Queen Mary'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marion' (s) × probably 'Mrs Charles S. Sargent' R: Felix & Dijkhuis, N: Felix & Dijkhuis, I: Felix & Dijkhuis (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Flsrose bengal (25/2) inside, rose bengal (25/1) outside. Lvs broadly ovate, 100-150mm long, dark, glossy green above. Large shrub

(r) **'Queen Mother'** (See 'The Queen Mother')

(a) **'Queen Mum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *cumberlandense* (s) × *arborescens* H: L. de Clercq (1994), G: L. de Clercq (1997), N: L. de Clercq (2002), I: L. de Clercq (2002), REG: L. de Clercq (2002) Fls single, 6-8/flat truss, funnel-shaped, 45mm wide, with 5 more-or-less flat-edged lobes, rose in bud, opening white tinted rose inside and out; unmarked; stamens and style red, long-exserted. Lvs elliptic, 70 × 30mm, flat, acute at apex and base, glossy green above. Shrub 1.2 × 0.8m in 8 years. Early July-early August. (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0034927). Etymology: named because it was flowering on the 100th birthday (3 August 2000) of the late Queen Elizabeth, the Queen Mother (UK))

(r) **'Queen Nefertiti'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi Venus' × 'Anna' H: Mrs H.P. Beck (1960), G: Flora Markeeta Nursery, I: A.C. Korth (1969), REG: A.C. Korth (1977) Fls up to 13/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 125mm wide, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (55C) with moderate purplish red (58A) spotting on dorsal lobe, edges and outside strong purplish red (58C). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 145 × 55mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dark bluish green (133A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Queen of All'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Countes of Athlone' (s) × 'Susan' H: H. O'Rourke (1989), G: H. O'Rourke (2001), N: H. O'Rourke (2002), REG: H. O'Rourke (2002) Fls 15/ball truss, broadly campanulate, 60 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purple (80A) in bud, opening inside very pale purple (76D), outside light purple (76A); strong purplish red (71B) spots on 3 dorsal lobes; slightly

scented. Lvs obovate, 165 × 55mm, wavy-edged, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy above, hairless. Shrub 0.5 × 0.75m in 13 years. Late September/October (Tasmania). (Standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0038775))

(a) **'Queen of Augusta'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: R.P. Mayo, N: R.P. Mayo, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, salmon rose. Kurume

(a) **'Queen of Beauties'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: B.S. Williams (1872), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon pink, margined with white, flaked carmine, spotted crimson. Indian

(r) **'Queen of Bhutan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *arboreum* subsp. *cinnamomeum* from seed collected in Bhutan G: D.W. Goheen (1985), S: D.W. Goheen (1994), N: D.W. Goheen (1994), I: C. Hoffman (1995), REG: D.W. Goheen (1999) Fls 12-15/domed truss, funnel-campanulate, 50 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (45B) in bud, opening inside deep purplish pink (55A), with deep purplish red (61A) spotting in the tube (all around the tube but more numerous dorsally), outside strong purplish pink (55B). Calyx minute, greenish, tinged with strong purplish pink (55B). Lvs elliptic, 75-125 × 25-40mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and dark green (136A) above, hairy below (less so on midrib and main veins), hairs greyish brown at first, ageing to moderate orange-yellow (165C). Shrub 3.7 × 2.5m in 25 years. March-April. (Seed collected in Bhutan by 'runners for the Queen of Bhutan')

(v) **'Queen of Diamonds'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lochiae* × *macgregoriae* R: M. Jury (pre 1988), N: M. Jury Fls small, in good trusses, pinkish red. Lvs glossy. Shrub with red stems. Similar to 'Rob's Favourite'

(a) **'Queen of Double Stripes'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Henderson & Sons (1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pure white, sometimes with rose stripes and dots. Indian

(a) **'Queen of Double Whites'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Henderson & Sons (1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white. Indian

(r) **'Queen of Dwarfs'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Multiflorum' × a hardy white rhododendron R: I. Davies (pre 1898), N: I. Davies, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Queen of England'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Sunningdale Nurseries (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rich salmon pink, with an orange salmon flare and long, graceful stamens. Late. (Sunningdale Nurseries); deep rose, with an orange blotch (other sources). Ghent (See also entries under 'Reine d'Angleterre')

(a) **'Queen of Great Britain'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1847), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Queen of Hearts'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *meddianum* (s) × 'Moser's Maroon' R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 16/domed trusses, 65 × 75mm, chrysanthemum crimson (824), with black dorsal spots; filaments white. Lvs elliptic-lanceolate, 115 × 55mm, dull green above, with a loose, brown indumentum below. Shrub to c2.0m. April-May. AM 1949, FCC 1986 (Queen of Hearts Group)

(r) **Queen of Hearts Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *meddianum* (s) × 'Moser's Maroon' R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1949), INC: ICRA (1958)

(v) **'Queen of Hearts'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *macgregoriae* × *lochiae* L: USA (1991) Fls coral red. Very floriferous, repeat-flowering shrub. (Perhaps raised in New Zealand)

(r) **'Queen of McKenzie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Idealist Group (s) × 'Crest' H: C.H. Phetteplace (1972), G: C.H. Phetteplace (1980), N: E. Phetteplace (1983), I: T.E. Bowhan Nursery, REG: C.H. & E. Phetteplace (1983) Fls 9-11/truss, flat saucer-shaped, 60-70 × 120-140mm, 6-lobed, canary yellow (2/3), with a sulphur yellow (1/2) throat and a similarly coloured vein down the centre of each lobe; dorsal blotch of garnet brown (00918/3) deep in throat; outside marigold orange (11/3). Calyx 10mm long, green. Lvs elliptic to broadly elliptic, 130 × 70mm, acute at apex, cordate at base, parsley green (00962), hairless; young petioles and stems garnet brown (00918/3), with white glandular hairs. Shrub 0.6 × 0.5m in 7 years. Mid May. (Said to be a tetraploid)

(a) **'Queen of Orange'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Camellia Lodge Nursery (1984) Fls orange

(r) **'Queen of Oude'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet, shaded white, with a large blotch of black spots. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Queen of Perfection'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Verschaffelt (pre 1844), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson (1958 Register); deep purple, finely spotted (J. Veitch cat., 1867). Indian

(a) **'Queen of Portugal'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white, with purple spots. Indian

(r) **'Queen of Portugal'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rosy pink, with a pale centre. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Queen of Roses'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Todman (1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose (as exhibited by Todman); rose, with red dots, 3 dorsal lobes with a carmine red tint; lobes rounded (Henderson & Sons, 1869). Indian

(v) **'Queen of Roses'** (See note under 'Queen of the Roses')

(a) **'Queen of Scarlets'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Henderson & Sons (1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet red, with carmine red spots on a violet tinted ground. Indian

(r) **'Queen of Sheba'** cv. Parentage unknown H: H. Lem (pre 1960) Fls white. Lvs dark glossy green. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Queen of the Fairies'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with pink spots. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Queen of the North'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Walton's Nurseries, N: Walton's Nurseries, I: Walton's Nurseries (1866), INC: ICRA (1958) Syn: 'Walton's Queen of the North'. Indian

(v) **'Queen of the Roses'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *javanicum* × 'Princess Alexandra' I: J. Veitch & Sons (1891), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pinky yellow/salmon. (May also have been listed as 'Queen of Roses')

(r) **'Queen of the West'** cv. Parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1877), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls shaded rose, with chocolate spots. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Queen of the Whites'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Ivery (1861), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white. Indian

(v) **'Queen of the Yellows'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *javanicum* × Princess Frederica' R: J. Veitch & Sons, N: J. Veitch & Sons, I: J. Veitch & Sons (1886), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow to yellow-orange. FCC 1886

(r) **'Queen o' the May'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid L: Caledonia Nursery (1905), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, white, marked with brown

(r) **Queen o' the May Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pink Bell' (s) × *griersonianum* I: W.F. Hamilton, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white

(r) **'Queen Pomare'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls chocolate, with a white throat

(a) **'Queen Sophia'** (Syn. of 'Koningin Sophia')

(r) **'Queen Souriya'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* (s) × *campylocarpum* hybrid R: W.C. Slocock (1937), N: W.C. Slocock, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10/compact, domed truss, funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, cream flushed fuchsine pink (627/3), with a pale amber yellow flush in the throat; buds near fuchsine pink (627/2). Lvs 160 × 55mm, mid, dull green above. Shrub 2.2m. *AM 1957

(a) **'Queen's Perfection'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. van Geert (1849), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Queens Ware'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.L. Tolstead (1980), G: W.L. Tolstead, N: W.L. Tolstead, REG: W.L. Tolstead (1995) Fls 10-12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 60 × 60mm, with 7 very wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink, with a deep red blotch; stamens 14, straight, short; strongly scented. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 60mm, hairless. Shrub 2.2 × 3.0m in 15 years. Early May. (Derived from *catawbiense*/*fortunei* crosses, perhaps with admixture of other species)

(r) **'Queens Wood'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *souliei* × *aberconwayi* R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1972), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1972) Fls up to 8/loose truss, saucer-shaped, 75mm wide, 5-lobed, white, suffused deep purplish pink (66C) with a blotch and spots of strong purplish red (60B). Lvs elliptic, up to 53 × 28mm, dark green above, with a sparse, dark brown indumentum below. AM 1972

(r) **'Queenswood Centenary'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* × *yakushimanum* H: Crown Estate Commissioners (1972), G: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Queenswood School (1994), REG: Queenswood School (1994) Fls 15-20/truss, tubular-campanulate, 40 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (55A) in bud, opening light purplish pink (55C), with a faint blotch in the throat and rose spots on the dorsal lobe. Lvs lanceolate 100-120 × 25-30mm, margins slightly decurved, acuminate at apex, tapered at base, matt green above, with a grey-brown indumentum below which ages to brown. Shrub 1.5 × 2.0m in 20 years. Mid March-mid April

(a) **'Queen Victoria'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Ivery (pre 1844), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white, with purple spots and stripes. Indian

(a) **'Queen Victoria'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, violet rose, shaded white, with a small, spotted orange blotch. Ghent

(a) **'Queen Victoria'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: Ottolander & Hooftman (pre 1896), N: Ottolander & Hooftman, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light yellow, tinted rose, and with a yellow blotch. Mollis

(a) **'Queen Victoria'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Phoeniceum' R: F. Spae, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple violet, each of the 5 lobes deeply cut so flower appears 10-lobed. Indian

(r) **'Queen Victoria'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* (s) × Altaclerense Group R: Standish & Noble, N: Standish & Noble, I: Standish & Noble (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 9-19/round to broadly rounded, compact truss, 35-55mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, deep claret purple, almost white at base, with small black markings. Early-mid May

(v) **'Queen Victoria'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *brookeanum* subsp. *gracile* × 'Lobbii' R: J. Veitch & Sons,

N: J. Veitch & Sons, I: J. Veitch & Sons (1882), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light buff yellow, suffused with rose especially at lobe margins; outside of tube pale yellow; anthers purple. FCC 1882

(a) **'Queen Wilhelmina'** (Syn. of 'Koningin Wilhelmina' (Mollis))

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(r) **'Queen Wilhelmina'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* × a Hardy Hybrid R: O. Schulz (1890), I: J.H. van Nes (post 1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c9/loose truss, broadly campanulate, 60 × 70-80mm, blood red in bud, opening deep rosy scarlet, fading to rose pink, unmarked. Calyx fleshy, silvery white, variously lobed. Lvs elliptic, glossy, mid green above. May. (Previously listed in error as 'Wilhelma')

(r) **'Quelle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* × ? 'Agnes' R: T.J.R. Seidel (c 1906), N: T.J.R. Seidel (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine rose on margins, throat paler, almost unspotted

(r) **'Quendel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* × 'Mrs Milner' R: T.J.R. Seidel (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple-red, with deep dark brown spots

(a) **'Quentin Durward'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: B. Boddaert (1858), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, tinted purple-red (1958 Register); orange-red, semi-double (J. Veitch cat., 1867, as 'Quinten Durwood')

(a) **'Quentin Metsys'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Vulysteke (1900), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, 40mm wide, white flushed strong yellowish pink, with a vivid yellow blotch. Midseason. Rustica (Variously listed as 'Quintin Metsys', 'Quintyn Metsys', 'Quentin Metzys')

(a) **'Quentin Metzys'** (Syn. of 'Quentin Metsys')

(r) **'Querele'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel (c 1906), N: T.J.R. Seidel (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark violet, almost without markings

(r) **'Querida'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Red Knight' (s) × *elliottii* R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to c16/globular truss, open campanulate, 75 × 80mm, carmine (between 21 & 21/1), with some light brown spots on the dorsal lobes. Lvs oblong-lanceolate, 150 × 95mm, pale olive green. April-May. AM 1952 (Querida Group)

(r) **Querida Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Red Knight' (s) × *elliottii* R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) (The spelling of the seed parent cultivar is uncertain. *The Rothschild Rhododendrons* (1979) give 'Red Night', the 1958 Register 'Red Knight'. These are the only references to either form)

(a) **'Quest'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ryukyu' (s) × 'Alice' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 65-75mm wide, lavender pink. Broad, spreading shrub, to 1.2m tall. Mid-late April. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Quest'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Quest')

(r) **'Quetzel'** (Syn. of 'Sarah Hardy')

(r) **'Quiet Quality'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a subsect. *Fortunea* hybrid H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: C.O. Dexter, N: J.C. Wister, I: W. Efinger (1959), REG: The Tyler Arboretum (1983) Fls 9/truss, open funnel-shaped, 5-6-lobed, 50 × 70mm, moderate purplish pink (10P 7/7) at edges, shading to white in centre of lobes and in throat, dorsal spotting of brilliant yellow-green (2.5GY 9/8) on a white ground. Calyx minute, light yellow-green. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 108-125 × 40-50mm, moderate olive green (2.5GY 4/3). Shrub c2.9m in 22 years. Early May

(a) **'Quiet Thoughts'** cv. Deciduous azalea: Ghent azalea (s) × *arborescens* H: E.V. Mezitt (pre 1980), G: Weston Nurseries (pre 1980), N: E.V. & R.W. Mezitt (pre 1980), I: Weston Nurseries (1991), REG: R.W. Mezitt (1998) Fls 9/flattened ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate yellowish pink (31D), with a vivid yellow (17B) dorsal blotch; scented. Calyx c3mm long, green. Lvs obovate, 50 × 22mm, margins decurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairy; mildew resistant. Shrub 0.9 × 0.75m in 7 years. Late May. (Published in Weston Nurseries cat., 1991)

(r) **'Quinella'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' (s) × May Day Group R: R. Henny, N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny (1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls almost hose-in-hose, geranium lake, tinged magenta. Calyx very large. Lvs narrow, matt green. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years. Midseason

(a) **'Quinqueflorum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1906), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Quinte I'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Quinte II'** (Syn. of 'Signalfeuer')

(r) **'Quinte II'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel (c 1906), N: T.J.R. Seidel (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink lilac, with a paler throat and greenish markings

(a) **'Quinten Durwood'** (See note under 'Quentin Durwood')

(a) **'Quintin Metsys'** (Syn. of 'Quentin Metsys')

(a) **'Quintyn Metsys'** (Syn. of 'Quentin Metsys')

(r) **'Quito'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel, N: T.J.R. Seidel (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright dark carmine red, with yellow markings. (Raised from a sowing made in 1906)

(r) **Quiver Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *ciliatum* (s) × *lutescens* R: L. de Rothschild (1937), I: E. de Rothschild (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in small trusses, cream. April-May

(r) **'Qumquat'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' (s) × 'Van Nes Sensation' H: M. Stockman (1990), G: H. & M. Stockman (1997), N: H. Stockman (2000), REG: H. & M. Stockman (2000) Fls 11-12/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 90mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, vivid yellow (12A) in bud, opening inside white with a vivid yellow (13A) throat paling to pale greenish yellow (13D) bands in the centre of dorsal lobes; outside brilliant yellow (13B) at the base, shading to pale greenish yellow (13D) at margins; anthers dark. Calyx 13mm long, tapering to 3mm, yellow. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 40mm, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, margins flat and upcurved, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 1.1m in 10 years. Early June. (Note the spelling of the epithet is deliberate)

(v) **'Ra'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* × *zoelleri* × 'Os's Oriana' R: O.S. Blumhardt (pre 1998), N: O.S. Blumhardt Fls wide open, vibrant reddish orange, with a yellow gold tube. Bushy shrub to 1.6m

(r) **'Rabatz'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Double Date' (s) × 'Erato' H: H. Hachmann (1984), G: H. Hachmann (1990), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 9-11/rounded truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 40-50 × 65-78mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, inside near vivid red (45D); outside vivid red (45D), with midveins and other veins vivid red (45B/C); dense spots on all lobes of dark red (187A/B), very dense on dorsal lobe; stamens 12, filaments white (apical half strong pink, 54C), anthers strong orange-yellow to moderate yellow (163B/C); style deep red (53A), stigma dark red (187A); ovary white-felted. Calyx c1mm long, reddish. Lvs lanceolate to elliptic, 80-110 × 25-38mm, margins flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, matt dark green above, brown hairs on midrib when mature. Shrub 1.6 × 1.8m in 10 years. Mid May-early June. (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030656). First published in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(a) **'Raby'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: M.C. Pratt (c 1986), G: Ness Botanic Gardens (1996), N: Ness Botanic Gardens, REG: Ness Botanic Gardens (1998) Fls single, 10-15/loose truss, broadly tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (57B) in bud, opening moderate purplish pink (62B) inside, deep purplish pink (64D) and white outside, with a brilliant orange-yellow (23B) blotch on the dorsal lobe; slightly scented. Calyx 4mm long, light yellow-green (142C). Lvs elliptic, 20-50 × 10-15mm, wavy-edged, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 0.75m in 12 years. June-July. Good autumn foliage colour

(r) **'Racearound'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *racemosum* × unknown R: J.E. Cross (pre 1985) Fls deep pink. Lvs red in autumn. Shrub of open habit, 1.5m in 10 years. Resembles 'Ria Hardijzer' but with slightly lighter pink fls. (May have an azalea as the other parent, ie may be an azaleodendron)

(r) **'Racer'** (See 'The Racer')

(a) **'Rachel'** (Syn. of 'Rachel Banda')

(a) **'Rachel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Vervaene (1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red-orange: an improved type of 'Roi Leopold' with a strong carmine red blotch. Indian

(a) **'Rachel'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: C. van Geert (1877), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, with an orange blotch. Ghent

(r) **'Rachel'** cv. Parentage unknown I: C. Noble (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, shaded pink, with yellow spots. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Rachel Banda'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: R. Mossholder, G: Hines Nurseries, N: Hines Nurseries, I: Hines Nurseries (1989), REG: Hines Nurseries (1990) Fls semi-double, 2-4/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55-60 × 100-114mm, 5-lobed and with 5-7 petaloid stamens, vivid purplish red (57B), with strong purplish red spots on standard and two upper lateral lobes; slightly scented. Calyx 10mm long, strong yellow-green (145A). Lvs elliptic, 78 × 32mm, flat, acute to obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green and hairy above, hairy below, the indumentum pale yellow (158A/164D) at first, ageing to brownish orange (164A) to moderate orange (166D). Shrub 1.2 × 1.6m in c10 years. Mid February-mid April. (Advertised initially with the unacceptable name 'Rachel'. Published in *Nursery Manager* magazine, November, 1989)

(az) **'Rachel Biggs'** cv. Azaleodendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group × *kaempferi* H: G.G. Nearing (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Intermediate between parents

(a) **'Rachel Cunningham'** cv. Semi-evergreen azalea: un-named seedling (no. 32619) × 'Pluto' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1964) Fls double, 70-75mm wide, with 17-20 lobes (making a pompom-shaped flower), rose dorée, deepening to scarlet red in centre of each lobe; stamens rare or vestigial; pistil normal. Lvs yellow-green. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Back Acres

(a) **'Rachel Dacre'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1982), REG: E. de Rothschild (1982) Fls 14/truss, brilliant yellow (14C), with a vivid orange-yellow (21A) blotch. Knap Hill

(a) **'Rachel von Varenhagen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Schulz, N: Schulz, I: Schulz (1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with a saffron blotch on 3 dorsal lobes. Indian (Sometimes seen as 'Rachel von Varnhagen')

(r) **Racil Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *racemosum* (s) × *ciliatum* I: N.S. The Netherlands (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in racemes, shell pink. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Racilina'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *racemosum* × unknown L: USA (1985) Fls blush pink. Lvs small. Shrub of open habit, 1.5m in 10 years. Early

(a) **'Racine'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Vuylsteke (pre 1900), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls regular double, 40mm wide, very pale pink, flushed darker pink especially at tips. Late. Rustica

(a) **'Racoon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Squirrel' (s) × 'Chippewa' H: P.A. Cox (1979), G: P.A. Cox, N: P.A. Cox, I: Glendoick Gardens (1993), REG: Glendoick Gardens (1993) Fls 1-2/truss, funnel-shaped, 40mm wide, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (46B) in bud and when open, with faint strong red (46A) spots. Calyx 4mm long, green, hairy. Lvs elliptic, up to 35 × 20mm, flat, hairy above and on midrib below. Shrub 0.3 × 0.45m in c10 years. Mid June

(r) **'Racy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pink Cameo' (s) × 'Pink Cameo' H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 12/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 58 × 76mm, 5-lobed, deep red (185A, 60A) and strong purplish red (60B) in bud, opening strong, vivid and deep purplish red (67A, B, C) with a white flare and strong yellow-green (144A) dorsal spots; filaments and style vivid purplish red (57D); anthers moderate purplish pink (186D); stigma dark red (187A). Lvs 121 × 51mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 1.8m in 18 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer (1992), second edn)

(r) **'Radhan Baby'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *calostrotum* subsp. *keleticum* Radicans Group × *hanceanum* Nanum Group H: W. Reich (1984), G: W. Reich (1988), N: W. Reich, REG: W. Reich (1991) Fls up to 5/lax truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 14-16 × 25-27mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, very light purple (76B) to very pale purple (76C), fading to very pale purple (69A, B); 9-10 straight stamens of unequal length; curved style, vivid purplish red (61C). Pedicels 22-24mm long. Lvs lanceolate to ovate, 16 × 8mm, flat, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, wrinkled and scaly; petioles 2mm long. Dense, creeping shrub, 0.1 × 0.25-0.3m in 7 years. Late May-early June

(a) **'Radiance'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ivory' (s) × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, deep rose pink (deep purplish pink (64D)), with a rose (strong purplish red (63B)) blotch. Broad, spreading shrub to 1.0m tall. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Radiance'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Exbury, N: Exbury, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light orange-yellow (21D) to yellowish pink, with an orange-yellow (17B) blotch. Knap Hill

(r) **Radiance Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* × Vanessa Group H: Lord Aberconway (1928), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rosepink

(a) **'Radiancy'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon pink, shaded yellow. Mollis

(a) **'Radiant'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: Kromhout & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 11-13/truss, 75mm wide, strong red (45D), with a large, strong orange (30D) blotch. Midseason. Mollis

(r) **'Radiant'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: S. Hall (pre 1983) Fls funnel-shaped, red. Lvs light green. Shrub of open habit, 1.2m in 10 years

(r) **'Radiant Heat'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Oh My!' (s) × 'Little Gem' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls strong and vivid red (46A, B) in bud, opening strong red (53B, C). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Radiant Knight'** cv. Deciduous azalea: Hotspur Group (s) × 'Brazil' I: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fl nasturtium red. Knap Hill

(r) **'Radiant Morn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group (s) × Sunrise Group H: Lord Aberconway (1938), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 7/truss, porcelain rose (620), suffused geranium pink (20/1). Calyx petaloid, 25-55mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs 150 × 50mm, dull green above, sparsely tomentose along midrib below. AM 1951 (Radiant Morn Group)

(r) **Radiant Morn Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group (s) × Sunrise Group H: Lord Aberconway (1938), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1951), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Radiant Star'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: C.P. Raffill Group × *fortunei* H: D.L. Hardgrove, G: D.L. Hardgrove, N: D.L. Hardgrove (1958) Fls in large trusses, deep, bright rose pink, suffused darker in the throat

(a) **'Radiatum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1851), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Radicans'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1835), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(r) **Radicans Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. radicans*

(r) **Radinum Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. trichostomum* var. *radinum*

(r) **'Radistrotum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *calostrotum* subsp. *keleticum* Radicans Group × *calostrotum* R: G. Arends, N: G. Arends, I: G Arends (1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish pink. Lvs grey-green. Dwarf habit (0.15-0.3m)

(r) **Radium Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × 'Earl of Athlone' I: J.J. Crosfield (1936),

INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright geranium scarlet. Lvs more-or-less glossy. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **Radmosum Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *calostrotum* subsp. *keleticum* Radicans Group (s) × *racemosum* I: T.C. Thacker (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy mauve

(r) **'Radnor'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Red Cloud' × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: W.A. Reese (pre 1978)

(r) **'Raeanum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* × *ponticum* (s) × Altaclerense Group R: Standish & Noble, N: Standish & Noble, I: Standish & Noble (1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy crimson, with black spots

(r) **'Rae Berry'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *trichostomum* R: Mrs A.C.U. Berry, I: Bovees Nursery (1962), REG: Bovees Nursery (1972) Fls strong pink (2.5R 7/8), otherwise typical of the species. Small shrub (under 0.4m)

(r) **'Raeburn'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *racemosum* (s) × *tephropeplum* R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram (1955), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Rae's Delight'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *degronianum*, grown from wild-collected seed; provenance lost R: Mrs A.C.U. Berry (pre 1950), I: American Rhododendron Society (1958), REG: Crystal Springs Garden Committee (1980) Fls 12/lax dome truss, open funnel-shaped, 50mm wide, with 5-7 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (60D) in bud, opening moderate purplish pink (68C) to very pale purple (69A) in throat, with deeper coloured veins and very few, small, faint dark red, dorsal spots; outside strong purplish pink (68B) with darker stripes down centre of lobes. Calyx minute, pink/tan. Lvs oblanceolate, 60-130 × 40-65mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, margins downcurved, glossy moderate olive green (146A) and hairless above, heavily indumented below - at first moderate orange-yellow (164B-C), maturing to light yellowish brown (199C). Shrub 0.6 × 1.5m in c35 years. March-April

(r) **'Ragan's Marrietta'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.A. Ragan (1969), G: W.A. Ragan (1978), N: W.A. Ragan, I: W.A. & J.E. Ragan (1988), REG: W.A. & J.E. Ragan (1988) Fls 6-7/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 44 × 102mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, buds red to pink, opening deep purplish pink (68A), shading to white in centre of lobes, outside strong purplish pink (68B), edged with 68A; moderately scented. Calyx minute, red. Lvs narrowly oblong, 140 × 44mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless above and below. Shrub 2.4 × 2.4m in 18 years. Mid April-May

(r) **'Ragan's Pride'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.A. Ragan (1969), G: W.A. Ragan, N: W.A. & J.E. Ragan (1988), REG: W.A. & J.E. Ragan (1988) Fls 13/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 114mm, with 7 very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (54A) in bud, opening white with pink blush edging and a pale yellow (8D) throat; dorsal side has deep pink rays in upper part of throat; scented. Calyx small. Lvs narrowly oblong, 178 × 64mm, flat, apiculate at apex, oblique at base, hairless. Shrub 3.0 × 2.8m in 18 years. Early-mid May

(r) **'Ragged Robin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1920s), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson cerise, passing to a lighter shade

(r) **'Raging Bull'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Fantastica' (s) × 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague' H: M.J. Whitman (1994), G: M.J. & B. Whitman (2000), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (2000), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (2000) Fls 15/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (46A) in bud, opening strong to vivid red (46A-B) inside and out, the dorsal lobe lightly spotted strong red (46A). Lvs elliptic, 80 × 40mm, acute to broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins flat to wavy, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.4 × 0.35m in 6 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Ragtime'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tony's Gift' (s) × 'Serenata' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls moderate red (181C) and light yellowish pink (38C, D) in bud, opening pale orange-yellow (159C) and pale yellowish pink (159D), with a light yellow-green (2C) throat and dark reddish orange (173A) dorsal spots; outside pale and light yellowish pink (29D, 38D); scented. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Raijin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1976), N: Japan Fls red. (Raised on Hirado Island, Japan)

(a) **'Raiko'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Hitomaru' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, with broad, wavy-edged, well-spaced lobes, white to very pale pink, with occasional stripes, edges or selfs of strong to deep pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Raimunde'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Betty Kelly' × 'Cecile' H: H. Hachmann (1967), G: H. Hachmann (1972), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1987), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls single to semi-double, 6-9/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65-70 × 85-90mm, with 6-9 wavy-edged lobes (lobes broad and overlapping with the occasional petaloid stamen), light to pale purplish pink (55C(-D)), deep to strong purplish pink (55A-B) on veins, strong red (53C-D) near base on outside; dorsal lobe with conspicuous flare of strong orange (25A-B) on a 55A-B ground; filaments very long. Calyx 3-4mm long, yellowish green. Lvs elliptic to broadly elliptic, 80-90 × 30-40mm, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base; bronze when young, later light green; hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years. Early-mid June

(a) **'Rainbow'** (Syn. of 'Garden Rainbow')

(r) **'Rainbow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* × a Hardy Hybrid R: W.C. Slocock Ltd (c 1928), N: W.C. Slocock Ltd, REG: IRA 1958 Fls deep pink, paling to the paler or white centre. Lvs glossy green. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. May

(r) **'Rainbow Bright'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* × aff. *vernicosum* (Rock18139) (s) × 'Dead Ringer' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls vivid red (57A) and vivid purplish red (57B, C, D) in bud, opening yellowish white (158D) edged vivid purplish red (57C, D) and strong red (53B), with a strong red (53B) throat, a light greenish yellow (4C) flare and light greenish yellow (3C) dorsal spots; outside strong red (53B). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Rainbow's End'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Butter Brickle' × Fabia Group, selfed × 'Lem's Early Orange' H: J.G. Lofthouse (1983), G: J.G. Lofthouse (1989), N: J.G. Lofthouse, REG: J.G. Lofthouse (1990) Fls 15/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds vivid red (46C), opening red-yellow and changing to light orange-yellow (16B) when corolla is fully open. Calyx 38-51mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs obovate to elliptic, 102 × 38mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 0.4 × 0.4m in 7 years. Late May

(a) **'Rain Dance'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nancy of Robinhill' (s) × 'Gartrell's Lower Rock' R: R.D. Gartrell, N: Cripple Creek Nursery, I: Cripple Creek Nursery (c 1984) Fls 75mm wide, with broad, overlapping lobes, strong purple (80B), with a red blotch. Broad, spreading shrub to 0.8m tall. Midseason

(a) **'Rain Drops'** (Syn. of 'Nuccio's Rain Drops')

(a) **'Rain Fire'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Moonbeam' × 'Lilacinum' R: J.O. Harris, N: J.O. Harris, I: J.O. Harris (pre 1981) Fls single, 75mm wide, blood red. Shrub 0.6m in 8 years. Mid May

(r) **'Rainier Pink'** cv. Parentage unknown H: Mrs B.I. Jordan (1963), G: Mrs B.I. Jordan (1974), N: Mrs B.I. Jordan, I: Mrs B.I. Jordan, REG: Mrs B.I. Jordan (1977) Fls 8-9/domed, but rather open-topped truss, open to tubular funnel-shaped, 70-80 × 108-120mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes (the dorsal reflexed), light yellow (10C) in dorsal sector, pale greenish yellow (10D) elsewhere, stained strong purplish pink (55B) at lobe edges (blending to light/pale purplish pink (55C/D)); some spotting in the throat; dorsal lobe with a slightly bronzed effect; outside pink, striped deep/strong purplish pink (55A/B). Variable in colour. Calyx 13mm long (occasionally with a longer petaloid lobe), very dark red. Lvs narrowly elliptic to narrowly oblanceolate, 150 × 45mm, acute and apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub c1.2 × 1.5m in 12 years. Early June

(a) **'Rainier Red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Exquisite' × 'Crimson Glory' H: B. Smith, G: B. Smith (1985), N: B. Smith, I: B. Smith, REG: B. Smith (1986) Fls 1-2/truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 60mm, deep yellowish pink (46D). Lvs elliptic, 30 × 20mm. Shrub 0.3m

(r) **'Rain of Gold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: R.J. Kersey (1960), G: Mrs H.A. Frederick, Jr (1968), N: Mrs H.A. Frederick, Jr, I: Mrs H.A. Frederick, Jr (1975), REG: Mrs H.A. Frederick, Jr (1977) Fls up to 9/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 90mm wide, with 8 wavy-edged lobes, yellowish white (158D), with a chartreuse blotch and medium green spots; no stamens; scented. Lvs narrowly oblong to narrowly elliptic, 140 × 55mm, obtuse at apex, oblique to rounded at base, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above. Shrub 2.1 × 1.8m in 16 years. Early May

(r) **'Raisa'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *hippophaeoides* × *polycladum* H: USA (c 1975), G: H.E. Greer (1982), N: Firma C. Esveld, I: Firma C. Esveld (1989), REG: Royal Boskoop Hort. Soc. (1990) Fls 5-7/truss, funnel-shaped, 10 × 10mm, 5-lobed, reddish violet. Calyx green. Lvs 10-15 × 5-10mm, very scaly. Shrub 0.6 × 1.0min 15-20years

(v) **'Raja'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *brookeanum* subsp. *gracile* S: Mr & Mrs E.F. Allen, N: Mr & Mrs E.F. Allen, I: Mr & Mrs E.F. Allen (1972) Fls 5-11/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 65 × 75mm, vivid yellow (13A). Calyx rudimentary, yellow. Lvs narrowly elliptic, up to 125 × 35mm, dark green. FCC 1972

(r) **'Rajah'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright lake. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Rajah'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *neriiflorum* Euchaites Group (s) × *thomsonii* R: E.G.W.W. Harrison, N: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1961), I: E.G.W.W. Harrison, REG: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1961) Fls 12/truss, 5-lobed, 50 × 70mm, dark bright red, with no blotch

(v) **'Rajah'** (Syn. of 'Balsaminiflorum Rajah')

(a) **'Rajomon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: K. Wada (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls fiery red. Kurume

(r) **'Rajpur'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Jalisco Group (s) × 'Trianon' H: E. de Rothschild (1986), G: E. de Rothschild (1992), N: E. de Rothschild (1998), REG: E. de Rothschild (1999) Fls c11/domed truss, funnel-campanulate, 40 × 70mm, with 7 widely flaring, wavy-edged lobes, deep to strong pink (48B-C) in bud, opening moderate to light yellowish pink (38B-C), fading to greenish yellow inside and with a few, faint, green spots at the base; stamens 15, filaments greenish white, hairy at base, anthers pale brown; style yellowish white, glandular hairy throughout, stigma olive green; ovary with glandular white hairs. Calyx irregular, up to 5mm long. Pedicels green, with sparse glandular hairs. Lvs oblong-elliptic, up to 140 × 60mm, somewhat glaucous below, hairless; petioles up to 30mm long. (Standard: herbarium specimen provided by registrant (WSY 0019220))

(a) **'Rakan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c50mm wide, deep purple. Lvs dark and dense. Satsuki

(r) **'Rakete'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Caractacus' (s) × 'Louis Pasteur' R: E. Herrmann (1964), N: E. Herrmann Fls with margins purple-red, centre white and with a yellow blotch

(a) **'Rakka-no-yuki'** (Syn. of 'Edo-shiro')

(a) **'Raku-how'** (Syn. of 'Rakuyo')

(a) **'Rakuyo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *indicum* I: K. Wada, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls terracotta pink, with a white base. Syn: 'Raku-how' (Galle (1987) lists a plant of this name raised on Hirado Island, Japan: fls c100mm wide, moderate pink. It is uncertain if it is the same plant listed by Wada)

(a) **'Rakuzan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 100-115mm wide, white, with occasional stripes, sectors, selfs and feathered margins of deep pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Ralph'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* × 'Blaauw's Pink' H: H. Van de Ven, G: H. Van de Ven (1966), N: H. Van de Ven, REG: H. Van de Ven (1971) Fls hose-in-hose, strong reddish purple (72B), fading to strong reddish purple (72C), lightly spotted on dorsal lobe. Shrub 0.6m

(a) **'Ralph Clarke'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *tosaense* R: S.R. Clarke, I: Anne, Countess of Rosse and NT (Nymans), REG: Anne, Countess of Rosse and NT (Nymans) (1978) Fls solitary or in pairs, funnel-shaped, up to 15×35mm, strong reddish purple (72C), with some deeper staining of strong reddish purple (72B); outside fading at base through vivid purplish red (57D) to white. Calyx green, grey pubescent. Lvs evergreen to semi-evergreen. AM 1978 (Collected in the wild by E.H. Wilson)

(r) **'Ralph Pape'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sunset Yates' × 'Pink Punch' H: H.R. Yates (1968), G: Mrs M. Yates (1978), N: Mrs M. Yates, I: Mrs M. Yates (1982), REG: Mrs M. Yates (1986) Fls 13-17/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 40×75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (60B), throat strong purplish red (63B) and with small, faint, dark greenish yellow (152C) spots on the dorsal lobe. Calyx minute, green. Lvs elliptic to more-or-less narrowly elliptic, 80-115×40-45mm, with a plastered, golden indumentum below. Shrub 1.2 × 1.9m in 16 years. Late May

(r) **'Ralph Purnell'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *cerasinum* (red form) × 'Doncaster' R: T.C. Thacker (1942), G: T.C. Thacker (1955), N: T.C. Thacker (1960), REG: T.C. Thacker (1961) Fls 20/compact truss, 40×50mm, 5-lobed, dark red

(r) **'Ralph Sanders'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1881), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish crimson, spotted

(r) **'Ramapo'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group (s) × *fastigiatum* H: G.G. Nearing (pre 1940), G: G.G. Nearing, N: G.G. Nearing, I: G.G. Nearing (1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright, light violet. Lvs less than 25mm long, more-or-less circular, dark purplish green; new growth pale green. Rounded shrub, 0.6m in 20 years

(r) **'Ramaya'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nancy Evans' (s) × 'Cream Glory' H: Y. Workman (1988), G: Y. Workman (1995), N: Y. Workman (1995), I: Hammond Nursery (1999), REG: E.F. Newcomb (2002) Fls 12/open-topped ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 70 × 95mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, moderate reddish orange (35B) in bud, dorsal lobes opening inside brilliant yellow (14C) and ageing to light yellow (14D), the remaining lobes opening light yellow (14D) edged brilliant orange (19A), the base strong red (46A) with streaks of 46A extending upwards for 5-20mm; outside pale yellow (20D), with brilliant orange (29A) midribs, ageing to light yellowish pink (29C) on ventral lobes; stigma strong yellow-green (145A). Calyx variable, 10-40mm long, coloured as corolla, without edging. Lvs elliptic, 90-150 × 35-65mm, margins flat, broadly acute at apex, cordate at base, dull and moderate yellow-green (137C) above, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.4m in 13 years. Late May

(a) **'Rambling Rose'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: H. Kerrigan (pre 1987), N: H. Kerrigan Fls fully double, deep pink. Trailing habit

(a) **'Ramentaceum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown, but allied to Obtusum Group INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 30 × 30mm, white. Spring lvs broadly elliptic to more-or-less roundish, up to 40mm long. Tall, erect habit. Late. Syn: 'Obtusum Album', 'Album'. Kurume (Introduced to UK from Hong Kong for the Horticultural Society, by R. Fortune, in 1846)

(r) **Ramillies Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Ethel Group (s) × Redwing Group H: Lord Aberconway (1934), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blood red

(r) **'Ramolet'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Ramapo' × unknown R: H.L. Foster (pre 1985), N: H.L. Foster Fls in clusters, light pink. Lvs long, slender. Upright shrub under 0.45m tall

(a) **'Ramona'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Messrs Cuthbert (1902), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double or semi-double, creamy white, suffused with blush pink. AM 1902. Rustica

(r) **'Ramona'** (Syn. of 'Dexter's Ramona')

(r) **'Ramona'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Huntsman Group × *neriiflorum* H: Sir John Ramsden, I: Sir William Pennington-Ramsden, REG: Sir William Pennington-Ramsden (1964) Fls in a flat truss, campanulate, 50mm long, deep red. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Ramsey Tinsel'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: chance seedling from 'Chesapeake' R: G.G. Nearing, N: G.G. Nearing, I: G.G. Nearing (c 1962), REG: G.G. Nearing (1972) Fls in clusters of 3-4, 25mm wide, with 8-10, separate, very narrow lobes, ochre yellow. Lvs up to 25mm long. Very dwarf shrub. Early May

(a) **'Ran-ayoku'** (See note under 'Rankyoken')

(r) **'Random Harvest'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* Houlstonii Group, raised from Wilson 648A R: R.N. Stephenson Clarke, N: R.N. Stephenson Clarke, I: R.N. Stephenson Clarke, REG: R.N. Stephenson Clarke (1981) Fls 10-12/truss, funnel-campanulate, 7-8-lobed, white, tinged pink, with some strong yellow-green (144C) in the dorsal throat. Calyx rudimentary, green, glandular. Lvs oblong-oblanceolate, up to 130 × 35mm, dark green, hairless. AM 1981

(a) **'Random Red'** cv. Deciduous azalea: wild-collected, natural hybrid of *calendulaceum* and *periclymenoides* G: L.C. Towe & N. Anastos, S: L.C. Towe & N. Anastos (1985), N: L.C. Towe & N. Anastos, I: E. Koone III (2001), REG: L.C. Towe & N. Anastos (2001) Fls single, 5-9/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, c45 × 45mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, vivid red (44A) in bud, opening inside vivid reddish orange (33A) and changing to vivid red (44A) in three days, outside vivid red (44A); unmarked. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs obovate, 50 × 20mm, margins flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (146A) above, hairless. Shrub 2.4 × 1.8m in 10 years. Late April-early May. (Wild-collected from near Lake Keowee, Oconee County, South Carolina, USA)

(a) **'Ranger'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Shishu' (s) × 'Hatsushimo' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, 1-3/truss, 50-60mm wide, white, with a suggestion of chartreuse. Erect shrub to 1.5m tall. Late April-early May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Rangoon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Fanfare' × Gertrud Schäle Group H: D.G. Leach (1956), G: D.G. Leach (1963), N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1972), REG: D.G. Leach (1973) Fls 7-8/domed truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 40 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate to dark red (2.5R 3/7). Calyx c1.5mm long, red. Lvs elliptic, 95 × 40mm, dark green, hairless. Shrub 0.7 × 1.1m in 16 years. Winter buds and petioles dark red. Early

(a) **'Rangyoku'** (See note under 'Rankyoken')

(a) **'Rankyoken'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1939), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, vivid orange-red; anthers red; stigma white. Kurume (Imported to UK by J.B.Stevenson, pre 1937. Probably the same as Kurume cvs listed as 'Ranayoku' and 'Rangyoku')

(a) **'Ranman'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Holly Heath Nursery (1978) Fls 100mm wide, deep pink

(a) **'Ranneliesae'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: ? USA (pre 1985), N: ? USA. Ghent (Probably an error for Anneliesiae Group or 'Annelies')

(r) **'Raoul Millais'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1922), N: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c14/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 60 × 90-100mm, mottled salmon pink, shading to white in centre, with dark crimson spots. Calyx lobes 3-12mm long, dull red. *AM 1935

(a) **'Raphael'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: E. van der Cruyssen (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white. Indian

(r) **'Raphael'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy crimson, with chocolate markings nearly covering the flower

(r) **'Raphael'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel (c 1907), N: T.J.R. Seidel (1915), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark lilac red, with dark brown spots

(a) **'Raphael de Smet'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Smet (pre 1873), N: L. de Smet, I: L. de Smet, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, 45mm wide, white, edged light pink (49C). Midseason. AM 1893. Ghent

(a) **'Raphael Sander'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Sander & Sons (1923), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose. Indian

(a) **'Rapture'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L.L. Brooks (pre 1965), N: L.L. Brooks Fls double, deep rose pink. Lvs dark green

(r) **Rapture Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × *arboreum* subsp. *zeylanicum* or Kingianum Group H: Lord Aberconway (1927), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls porcelain rose

(a) **'Rapunzel'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Golden Sunset' (s) × un-named, ruffled, yellow seedling H: S.E. Sorenson (1968), G: S.E. Sorenson (1970), N: S.E. Sorenson, I: Homestead Nurseries (1984), REG: S.E. Sorenson (1984) Fls 12/truss, open funnel-shaped to broadly funnel-shaped, with 6-9 wavy-edged lobes, buds fringed greenish yellow, opening light yellow (10B), shaded light yellow (11B), with inconstant dorsal rays of light orange spots; some stamens petaloid. Calyx 7mm long, light yellow-green. Lvs more-or-less elliptic to narrowly obovate, 80-100 × 40-45mm, glossy, hairy; autumn colour bright orange, red and purple. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 12 years. Mid May. Knap Hill

(a) **'Rare Treasure'** (Syn. of 'Chinyeyi')

(r) **'Ras'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *brachycarpum* × 'Calcutta' × 'Tahiti' H: W.E. Delp (1980), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 15/truss, open funnel-shaped, 43 × 50mm, 5-lobed, deep red (60A) and strong purplish red (60B, C, D) in bud, opening to a blend of moderate, light to pale purplish pink (62B, C, D) with pale greenish yellow (9D) throat and vivid yellow-green (154A) dorsal spots; filaments and

style greenish white (157D); anthers light yellowish pink (159A); stigma strong reddish orange (42C). Lvs 114 × 51mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m in 12 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer (1986))

(r) **'Rascal'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Apache' (s) × *neriiflorum* Euchaites Group H: E.G.W.W. Harrison (c 1947), G: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1957), N: E.G.W.W. Harrison, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10/compact truss, 50 × 55mm, deep red

(a) **'Rashomon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1918), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright salmon red. Syn: 'Meteor'; Wilson no. 37. Kurume (Galle (1987) lists a plant with this name raised on Hirado Island, Japan: fls c110mm wide, strong red. It is uncertain whether this is a different plant)

(r) **'Raspberry and Custard'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scintillation' (s) × Jalisco Group × *yakushimanum* H: C.C. Smith (1983), G: M. Sanders (1988), N: M. Sanders, I: Sanders Nursery (1993), REG: M. Sanders (1993) Fls 20/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 64mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, opening pale yellow-green (4D), the upper half of the corolla ageing to very pale purple (69A), lower half remaining 4D; a few, red-purple spots; stamens few, straight, unequal; slightly scented. Pedicels 38mm long, red. Lvs elliptic, , 108 × 51mm, flat, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, dull fir green above, light green below, hairless; petioles 16mm long, light green. Shrub 1.7 × 2.1m in 10 years. Mid-late April

(r) **'Raspberry Cream'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C. Cannon (c 1992), G: C. Cannon (1998), N: C. Cannon (1998), REG: L. Caton (1998) Fls 9-12/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 75 × 115mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, greenish yellow flushed moderate reddish orange (35B) in bud, opening inside light greenish yellow (4C), flushed strong yellowish pink (35C) at edges, with moderate red (179A) dorsal spotting; outside light greenish yellow (4C) with strong yellowish pink (35C) veining; slightly scented. Calyx 25-30mm long, brilliant yellow (7B), with moderate red (179A) blotches. Lvs obovate, 155 × 65mm, decurved, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in 5 years. Late June

(a) **'Raspberry Delight'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Gallipoli' × 'Cecile' × (unknown seedling × 'Seville') × 'Cecile' H: I. & R. Arneson (1973), G: I. & R. Arneson (1980), N: I. & R. Arneson, I: I. & R. Arneson, REG: I. & R. Arneson (1989) Fls semi-double (with 0-4 stamens), 12-24/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 64 × 89mm, with 7 very wavy-edged lobes, strong red (45D) in bud, opening between deep yellowish pink (43C) and strong yellowish pink (43D). Calyx 6mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 76-102 × 38-44mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, slightly wrinkled, slightly hairy. Shrub 1.8 × 1.4m in 15 years. Mid-late May

(a) **'Raspberry Parfait'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* hybrid S: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls star-shaped, raspberry pink

(r) **'Raspberry Punch'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Whitney's Orange' (s) × Fabia Group × *bureavii* H: K.T. Shea (1984), G: B.J. Ogdon (1992), N: B.J. Ogdon (1998), REG: B.J. Ogdon (1998) Fls to 11/lax ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 46 × 74mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (54A) inside and out (and in bud), paling in centre and towards base of lobes; small yellow flare in dorsal throat; anthers brown; stigma pink. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 50mm, margins flat, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.1m in 10 years. Mid April

(a) **'Raspberry Rapture'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kobold' (s) × 'Martha Hitchcock' R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, REG: ICRA (1997) Fls single, 2-3/truss, 75-90mm wide, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, deep bluish purple to strong purplish red, with a darker red blotch. Mid May. (Published in Holly Springs cat., 1990)

(r) **'Raspberry Ripple'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Pauline' H: F.E.W. Hanger (1951), G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, I: Royal Horticultural Society (1982), REG: Royal Horticultural Society (1981) Fls 16/globular, compact truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, white, lightly but broadly flushed strong purplish red (58B-C) at margins, centre of dorsal lobe finely flecked deep red (60A). Lvs 100 × 35mm, mid, more-or-less glossy green. Shrub c1.4m. *HC 1982

(r) **'Raspberry Sherbet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × *catawbiense* 'Catanea' H: W.J. Blyskal (1966), G: W.J. Blyskal, N: W.J. Blyskal, I: W.J. Blyskal (1977), REG: W.J. Blyskal (1980) Fls 16-18/conical truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 70 × 70mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63B), with a 20mm greyed white dorsal blotch. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 135 × 50mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins flat, dull green, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 1.5m in 12 years. Late May

(r) **'Raspberry Sundae'** cv. Parentage unknown H: H.R. Yates (pre 1980)

(r) **'Raspberry Swirl'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Diva Group × 'Whitney's Late Yellow' R: W. Thompson (pre 1983), N: W. Thompson Fls pink. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(v) **'Raspberry Truffle'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown L: Vireya Venue (1997) Fls pendulous, soft raspberry colour; scented. Strong, bushy shrub to 1.5m

(r) **'Rasputin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nova Zembla' × 'Purple Splendour' × 'Purple Splendour' H: H. Hachmann (1976), G: H. Hachmann (1981), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1986), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 11-14/truss, funnel-shaped, with 5 wavy-edged lobes; strong purple (77B), edges inside and over-

all on outside deep purplish red (77A); large dorsal blotch of dark red (187A). Calyx 1-3mm long, reddish green. Lvs elliptic, 105-130 × 38-50mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, mid green and slightly glossy above, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.3m. Late May-mid June

(r) **'Rasteder Perle'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Germany (pre 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in flattened trusses, 5-lobed, soft lilac rose, with a large, blackish red blotch on the dorsal lobe

(r) **'Rasteder Schlossperle'** cv. Parentage unknown S: Vorwerk-Baumschulen, Rastede (1970), N: Vorwerk-Baumschulen, Rastede (1988) Fls pure white, with conspicuous dark red spotting on the dorsal lobe. June

(v) **'Ratafia'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' × *konori* H: unknown, G: G.L.S. Snell (1990), N: R. Macdonald (1991), I: Foothills Nursery (1991), REG: Foothills Nursery (1992) Fls 3-6/flat truss, long tubular funnel-shaped, 70 × 60mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, brilliant yellow-green (154B), the lobes and apical half of tube strong pink (49A), similarly coloured inside and out. Lvs elliptic, 65 × 40mm, flat, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 0.5m. Spring-autumn

(r) **'Rateph'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *racemosum* × *tephropeplum* I: C. Ingram (1955), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Rauschenstein'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kiusianum* hybrid R: VEG Saatzucht Zierpflanzen (pre 1980), N: VEG Saatzucht Zierpflanzen Fls dark rose. Plant very compact

(a) **'Rava'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1849), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright orange-red. Ghent (L. Jacob-Makoy cat., 1851 equates this with 'Ardens')

(v) **'Ravalac'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *zoelleri* × *konori* H: P. Sullivan (1971), G: W.A. Moynier (1976), N: W.A. Moynier, I: W.A. Moynier (1977), REG: W.A. Moynier (1986) Fls 6-8/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 70 × 95mm, with 5-7 wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (49A), shading gradually to cream yellow throat. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 60mm, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (146B), with tiny, closely spaced, brown scales below. Shrub 1.4 × 1.2m in 14 years. November-March

(r) **'Ravels'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Leah Yates' × 'Pink Twins' H: H.R. Yates (1959), G: H.R. Yates (1965), N: H.R. Yates, I: Mrs M. Yates (1970), REG: Mrs M. Yates (1976) Fls 12/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (55B), veins deep purplish pink (55A) and with a large blotch of strong greenish yellow (151A) spots extending into the throat. Calyx minute, strong yellow-green (144C). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 140 × 45mm, moderate olive green (137B), hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.6m in 15 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Ravenna'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scarlet Blast' × (*catawbiense* (white form) × *yakushimanum*) × ('Fanfare' × 'Gertrud Schäle') H: D.G. Leach (1977), G: D.G. Leach (1983), N: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1991) Fls 16/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 72mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53C). Calyx 3mm long, reddish brown. Lvs elliptic, 116 × 47mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, moderately bullate, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.1m. Midseason

(r) **'Ravigo'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orchid pink, with a yellow eye

(az) **'Rawsonianum'** cv. Azaleodendron: parentage unknown R: Smith (pre 1900), N: Smith, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow. (Status as an azaleodendron requires confirmation)

(a) **'Rawsonii'** (Syn. of 'Phoeniceum')

(a) **'Ray'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Carter's (1976) Fls single, deep cerise. Shrub up to 1.5m. Indian

(r) **'Ray'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* (s) × Idealist Group R: D.W. James (1949), I: D.W. James (1956), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 12 or 14/lax truss, 100-125mm wide, light greenish yellow (5D). Lvs oblong, 140-150 × 50-75mm. Shrub under 2.0m

(r) **'Raydel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Unique' × 'Mrs W.C. Slocock' H: D.W. James (1950), G: E.V. Allen & A.A. Hitchcock, N: A.A. Hitchcock, I: A.A. Hitchcock, REG: A.A. Hitchcock (1980) Fls up to 14/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 65mm wide, with 5 flat-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (55B) in bud, opening pale yellow (8D), the throat tinged green, lobe edges shaded purplish pink. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 45mm, moderate olive green (147A) above, with inconspicuous hairs on margins and petioles. Shrub 2.0 × 2.0m in 27 years. Mid April

(r) **'Raymond Burfield'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *bureavii* × 'Sir Charles Lemon' H: R. Burfield (1980), G: R. Burfield (1988), N: A.D. Schilling, REG: A.D. Schilling (1991) Fls 10-15/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, 5-lobed, mature flowers rose pink (427/2), flushed persian rose (628/2), with magenta rose to erythrite red speckling in the throat (027-0027/1). Calyx 5mm long, pinkish. Lvs oblanceolate, 90-120 × 35-47mm, acute to slightly obtuse and mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, eventually almost hairless above, with a persistent, felted indumentum below, light fawn at first, becoming dark brown. Shrub 2.75 × 1.5m in c11 years. Mid April-mid May

(r) **'Raymond Weaver'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: hybrid of unknown parentage × *yakushimanum* H: W.M. Fetterhoff (1967), G: W.M. Fetterhoff (1973), N: W.M. Fetterhoff, I: W.M. Fetterhoff, REG: W.M. Fetterhoff (1988) Fls 13-15/tight, flattened dome truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 30 × 65mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (64D) in bud, opening white, with a pale mustard-coloured blotch (15

× 15mm). Calyx very small. Lvs elliptic, 90-120 × 30-50mm, slightly convex, acute at tip, cuneate at base, smooth and glossy moderate olive green (147A) above, with a thinly plastered light tan indumentum below when young which becomes orange-yellow (164B) with age. Shrub 1.1 × 1.7m in 20 years. Late May

(r) **'Ray of Sunshine'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Weldy' (s) × *brachycarpum* (as subsp. *tigerstedtii*) H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls strong red (53B, C, D) in bud, opening pale yellowish pink (159D), lightly tinted strong pink (54C), with a light greenish yellow (5D) flare and brilliant greenish yellow (1B) dorsal spots; filaments and style white; stigma strong orange-yellow (24B); anthers moderate purplish pink (186D). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Rayon du Matin'** (Syn. of 'Princesse d'Orange')

(a) **'Ray's Rubrum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Formosum' R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls deep purplish red (61A). (Listed in Galle (1987) - as 'Ray's Rubra' - but 'Ray's Ruby' is the form used in several statements of parentage (eg 'Little John'). Whether they are distinct requires confirmation)

(r) **'Razorbill'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *spinuliferum* seedling G: P.A. Cox (1975), N: P.A. Cox, REG: P.A. Cox (1976) Fls 6-14/conical truss, tubular, 20-22 × 7-15mm, 5-lobed, more-or-less erect, near pale purplish pink (55D), slightly touched pale purplish pink (55C). Calyx 2mm long, green, ciliate. Lvs ovate, 20-50 × 10-25mm, dull and dark green above, ciliate, scaly. Shrub 0.5 × 0.8m in c6 years. April-May. PC 1976, *AM 1981, AM 1978, *FCC 1983

(r) **'Razor's Edge'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Wizard' (s) × 'Delp's Fireking' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63A, B) and strong purplish pink (63C) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (65D) edged strong purplish red (63B) with light yellow (20B) dorsal spots; filaments and style moderate purplish pink (66D); anthers light yellow (20C); stigma deep red (185A). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Razzle Dazzle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs J.G. Millais' × 'Cheyenne' R: H.E. Greer (pre 1982), N: H.E. Greer Fls pink, with deep pink edges and a deep pinkish maroon blotch. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Reality Check'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kay Kay' × 'Dead Ringer' H: W.E. Delp (1987), G: C. Trautmann (1992), N: C. Trautmann (1992), I: Mowbray Gardens (1993), REG: C. Trautmann (1996) Fls 12/ball truss, funnel-campanulate, 50 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (45A) in bud, opening inside vivid reddish orange (44B), with a light greenish yellow (8B) throat; outside lighter than vivid reddish orange (44B). Calyx 15mm long, cream and red. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 40mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull dark green above, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 0.7m in 9 years. Mid May

(r) **'Real Pro'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Oh My!' (s) × 'Nova Zembla' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls deep, strong and vivid purplish red (61A, B, C) in bud, opening strong purplish red (53B) and strong and light purplish pink (53C, 63D); filaments and style strong purplish red (63A); anthers yellowish white (159D); stigma strong purplish red (63A). Lvs with an indumentum. (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Real Scoop'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sefton' (s) × 'Sefton' R: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, dark red (59A) and deep red (60A) in bud, opening light reddish purple (74C) and moderate purplish pink (74D), with a white flare and dark red spots on the dorsal lobes; filaments and style white; anthers very light purple (75C). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Reba'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Eden Rasputin' × 'Eden Sheba' R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith Fls hose-in-hose, 75mm wide, vivid purplish red (58A). Shrub 1.1m in 5 years

(r) **'Rebe'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (s) × *smirnowii* R: T.J.R. Seidel (c 1907), N: T.J.R. Seidel (1915), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale lilac rose, with olive green spots

(a) **'Rebecca'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1871), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large trusses, soft rose, with straw yellow dorsal spotting. Ghent (Sounds very like the plant listed by Noble; the treatment of the latter as a rhododendron (as it was listed) may be an error)

(r) **'Rebecca'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush, finely spotted with yellow and brown

(r) **'Rebecca Clarke'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Bambi' (s) × 'Tomeka' H: N. Sullivan (1982), G: N. Sullivan (1989), N: N. Sullivan (1998), REG: N. Sullivan (1998) Fls 12/flattened dome truss, campanulate, 40 × 60mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, strong red (47B) in bud, opening inside vivid reddish orange (34A), gradually changing to pale yellow (20C) from centre outwards, leaving a red rim, outside similarly coloured; unspotted. Calyx very small, green. Lvs elliptic, 130 × 50mm, margins flat, acute at apex, obtuse at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.2m in 13 years. Early November (Tasmania)

(a) **'Rebecca Lynn'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Robin Hill Frosty' (s) × 'Easter Parade' R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls semi-double, 3-4/truss, 65-75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, peach pink, with lighter margins, a yellow-green blotch and white marbling. Lvs glossy and dark green. Compact

shrub, 0.75 × 0.9m. Early May. (First published in Holly Springs cat., 1990)

(a) **'Recentissimum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1840), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon, marked with cerise and with a nankeen yellow blotch

(a) **'Recessional'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' × 'Willy' (s) × 'Mrs Carmichael' × 'Willy' R: USDA (pre 1948), N: USDA (Not officially distributed)

(r) **Rechter Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'America' (s) × *forrestii* Repens Group R: D.G. Hobbie (pre 1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep scarlet red

(r) **'Recital'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mindy's Love' (s) × 'Jessie's Song' H: J. Barlup (1991), G: J. Barlup (1994), N: J. Barlup (1999), REG: J. Barlup (1999) Fls 20/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 55 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (48D) in bud, opening inside pale yellow (8D), the dorsal and portions of adjacent lobes light greenish yellow (8C), with strong red (53B) basal flares (c25mm long on the dorsal lobe, c6mm long on other lobes). Calyx 25mm long, pale yellow (8D), with strong red (53B) flares. Lvs elliptic, 105 × 50mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, with wavy margins, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in 8 years. Mid May

(r) **'Reckless'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Stokes Bronze Wings' (s) × 'Pierce's Apricot' H: T.L. Ring, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (60B), deep red (53A) and strong red (53B) in bud, opening white edged strong purplish red (60C, D) with a brilliant greenish yellow (1D) flare and light greenish yellow (1C) dorsal spots; filaments white. (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Record'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Antoon van Welie' × Professor J.H. Zaaijer' × 'Annie E. Endtz': exact combination uncertain R: P. van Nes, N: P. van Nes, I: P. van Nes (c 1958), REG: P. van Nes (1961) Fls 13-14/large, pyramidal truss, 100mm wide, deep pink (spiraea red, 025/1), slightly darker veined and ageing to a lighter pink

(a) **'Recurvatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Verschaffelt (1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 90mm wide, rose and carmine red, with dark carmine red spots. Indian

(a) **'Recurvum Bicolor'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J.J. Linden (1875), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Recutissimum'** (Assumed to be an error for 'Recentissimum')

(r) **'Red Ace'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Delp's Fireking' (s) × 'Snapper' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls deep and strong red (53A, B) in bud, opening deep and strong red (53A, B, 46A) with deep red (53A) dorsal spots. (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **Red Admiral Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* (s) × *thomsonii* R: J.C. Williams (pre 1937), N: J.C. Williams, I: J.C. Williams, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10-15/truss, campanulate, 50 × 70mm, 5-lobed, strong red (53B). Calyx 10mm long, grey. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 40-50mm

(a) **'Red American Beauty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J.F. Link (c 1966), N: J.F. Link Fls hose-in-hose, vivid reddish orange. Indian

(r) **Red Argenteum Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *grande* (s) × *arboreum* N: unknown (pre 1926), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed in *Rhododendron Society Notes* 3 (2):118 (1926) and said to be at Caerhays (Cornwall, UK). Perhaps the same as 'Argenteum Rubrum')

(r) **'Red Arrow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Dopey' (s) × 'Royal Windsor' H: A.F. George (1984), G: Hydon Nurseries (1995), N: A.F. George, I: Hydon Nurseries, REG: Hydon Nurseries (1999) Fls 18 or more/large, compact truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, vivid red (45A) inside and out, with black spotting in the dorsal throat. Shrub 1.5m tall in 4 years. June

(a) **'Red Baron'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Grenada' × 'Red Poppy' R: S. Barber (1967), N: S. Barber, I: S. Barber (1971), REG: S. Barber (1972) Fls double, 3-4/truss, 50 × 90mm, vivid red (46B). Calyx 7mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 50 × 20mm, dark green. Shrub c0.4 × 0.6m in 4 years. Indian

(r) **'Red Beam'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.L. Tolstead (1970), G: W.L. Tolstead (1978), N: W.L. Tolstead, REG: W.L. Tolstead (1996) Fls 10-12/domed truss, open funnel-campanulate, 50 × 50mm, with 5-7 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink with a deep purplish red dorsal blotch; stamens 10, curved. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 120 × 40mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.3 × 1.0m in 25 years. Late May

(a) **'Red Beauty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Louise Gable' × 'Ward's Ruby' × 'James Gable' H: W.L. Guttormsen (1968), G: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1979) Fls hose-in-hose, 55mm wide, strongred (53C), with a darker blotch. Shrub 0.6m in 10 years

(a) **'Red Beauty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Adventglöckchen' × 'Triumph' R: D. Lewis (pre 1987), N: D. Lewis Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, 90-130mm wide, lobes slightly ruffled, purplish red. Syn: 'Better Times'

(r) **'Red Bells'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Essex Scarlet' (s) × *williamsianum* R: D.G. Hobbie (pre 1945), S: Le Feber & Co. (1966), N: Le Feber & Co. (1966), I: Le Feber & Co. (1966), REG: Le Feber & Co. (1968) Fls 6/truss, campanulate, strong purplish red (60B). Lvs broadly ovate, dark green above, pale green below; petioles reddish. Compact habit. Midseason

(r) **'Redberth'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: W.A. Reese (1963), G: W.A. Reese (1973), N: W.A. Reese, I: W.A. Reese, REG: W.A. Reese (1975) Fls 20/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (5R 4/12), with inconspicuous, deep reddish brown spotting on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 28mm long, yellowish green. Lvs elliptic to oblanceolate, 80-150 × 30-55mm, dark green, very variable in size and shape; new growth tomentose. Shrub 1.0 × 0.6m in 9 years. Late May

(a) **'Red Bird'** (Syn. of 'Redwings')

(a) **'Red Bird'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Mrs Carmichael' (s) × 'Alice' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, 50-65mm wide, scarlet red (vivid reddish orange (42A)), with a blotch of pomegranate purple (strong red (52B)) dots (looking like a deep shadow) on the dorsal lobe. Lvs often semi-evergreen. Shrub to 1.5m. Mid April. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Red Blaze'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Linda Jean' × 'Hexe' R: W.L. Guttormsen (pre 1982), N: W.L. Guttormsen Fls single, 50mm wide, strong red (53B). Shrub 0.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Red Blitz'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Fantastica' (s) × 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague' H: M.V. Whitman (1993), G: M.V. & B. Whitman (2002), N: M.V. & B. Whitman (2002), REG: M.V. & B. Whitman (2002) Fls 14/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45 × 75mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53B) in bud, opening throughout to a blend of numerous shades of red and pink. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 40mm, margins flat and upcurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 0.7m in 9 years. Mid May

(r) **'Red Brave'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'America' × 'Mars' H: S. Baldanza (c 1955), G: O.S. Pride, N: O.S. Pride Fls in a domed truss, dark red, with white stamens. Rounded shurb, 1.5m in 10 years. Early May

(a) **'Red Brazil'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: ? Exbury (pre 1965) Fls similar to 'Brazil', but a deeper red. Knap Hill ?

(r) **Red Brocade Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: F.C. Puddle Group (s) × *arboreum* H: Lord Aberconway (1932), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1943), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red

(a) **'Red Bud'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Firma C. Esveld (1984) Fls rose red. Shrub 0.5-0.6m

(r) **'Redbud'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Redbud')

(a) **'Red by the Tree'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith Fls 40mm wide, strong red (41B), with a purplish blotch. Shrub 1.0m,tall. Midseason

(a) **'Red Cap'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: O.R. Bristow, I: Mossholder Nursery (1950s) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 50-65mm wide, bright red

(r) **Red Cap Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *sanguineum* subsp. *didymum* (s) × *facetum* H: J.B. Stevenson (1932), G: J.B. Stevenson, N: J.B. Stevenson, I: J.B. Stevenson (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blood red or deep plum red

(r) **'Red Carpet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'America' (s) × *forrestii* Repens Group H: D.G. Hobbie (1945), G: D.G. Hobbie (c 1950), I: D.G. Hobbie (1967), REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1983) Fls 4/truss, campanulate, 40 × 55mm, vivid red (45A) tinged black around margins, changing to vivid red (45B) towards throat, veined a deeper colour. Lvs oblong to oblong-elliptic, 60-78 × 26-40mm, hairless. Shrub 0.3-0.4m in 16 years. *AM 1983, *FCC 1989

(r) **'Red Cat'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *catawbiense* I: J.B. Gable, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(r) **'Red Cent'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ben Nelson's Late Red' (s) × (*fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × *hemsleyanum*) × (*hemsleyanum* × 'Autumn Gold') H: D.W. Goheen (1993), G: D.W. Goheen (2000), N: D.W. Goheen (2000), I: A Sandy Rhododendron, REG: D.W. Goheen (2000) Fls 22-24/domed truss, open funnel-campanulate, 75 × 90mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (62B-C) in bud, opening vivid red (46C) at margins, shading to deep pink (52C) at base; nectaries vivid red (46C). Calyx minute, green, tinged pink. Lvs elliptic, 150-175 × 50-65mm, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, margins upcurved, dull and mid green above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 6 years. Late June

(r) **'Red Chief'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *facetum* × 'G.A. Sims' R: Sir Giles Loder, I: Sir Giles Loder (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. (Panoply Group)

(r) **'Red Cloud'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Tally Ho Group (s) × 'Corona' R: R. Henny (1944), N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny (1953), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 16-18/conical truss, 90mm wide, edges strong red (50A), throat overlaid deep yellowish pink (19/1). Lvs oblong-elliptic, 190 × 65mm, mid green. Shrub under 2.0m. Late May

(r) **'Red Collar'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *edgeworthii*, raised from KW 20840 R: Sir Giles Loder, N: Sir Giles Loder, REG: Sir Giles Loder (1981) Fls 3-5/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, white, suffused pink (usually on 3 dorsal lobes and most strongly as a diffuse central band outside); some light to faint yellow-orange spotting deep in dorsal throat. Calyx lobes irregular, up to 12mm long, deep pink (51B), ciliate, scaly at base. Lvs ovate-elliptic, glossy and dark green and rugose above, with a thick, tawny felt below. FCC 1981

(r) **'Red Cracker'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × 'America' × 'Fanfare' × 'Gertrud Schäle' H: S. Baldanza (1950s), N: O.S. Pride (pre 1980), I: O.S. Pride

(r) **'Red Crest'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' × *arboreum* subsp. *delavayi* H: K. Van de Ven, G: K. Van de Ven (1972), N: K. Van de Ven, I: K. Van de Ven (1972), REG: K. Van de Ven (1972) Fls 20/truss, campanulate, 45mm wide, with very wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53B), slightly spotted on dorsal lobe. Lvs lanceolate, 100 × 15mm, with a brown indumentum. Shrub 0.9m

(r) **'Red Cross'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Moser's Maroon' × Tally HoGroup R: W.C. Slocock (pre 1940), N: W.C. Slocock, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, dark scarlet. May-June

(r) **Red Crown Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Loderi Group × *thomsonii* I: M. Haworth-Booth (1948), INC: ICRA (1958)

(v) **'Red Dangles'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Tropic Glow' × *gracilentum* R: O.S. Blumhardt, N: O.S. Blumhardt (pre 1998) Fls hang straight down, red. Shrub to 0.5m, of dense, upright habit

(r) **'Red Dazzle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* × 'Ivery's Scarlet' H: J. Hansen ?, G: J. Hansen, N: G. Huthnance, I: Huthnance Nurseries, REG: S.J. & E.R. Rowe (1988) Fls 37/truss, 50 × 45mm, 5-6-lobed, vivid red (45A), slighter darker in bud, nectaries dark and with deeper spotting in dorsal throat. Calyx 1mm long, green-pink. Lvs elliptic-lanceolate, 140-160 × 35-40mm, with a silvery, plastered indumentum below. Shrub 2.0 × 1.0m in c12 years. September-October (New Zealand)

(r) **'Red Delicious'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague' × Leo Group R: H.E. Greer, N: H.E. Greer, I: Greer Gardens (1989) Fls true red. Lvs narrowly elliptic, dark green. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Midseason, and often again in late summer

(a) **'Redder Than'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: O.S. Pride (pre 1985), N: O.S. Pride Fls 50mm wide, red; slightly scented. Knap Hill

(r) **'Redder Yet'** cv. Parentage unknown H: D.G. Leach (1949), G: O.S. Pride (1960), N: O.S. Pride, I: O.S. Pride (1975), REG: O.S. Pride (1979) Fls up to 18/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 65mm wide, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (54A), with minor brown spotting. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 45mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dark green above, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 2.1m in c29 years. Late May-early June

(a) **'Red Devil'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls vivid red, with an occasional petaloid stamen. Indian

(r) **'Red Devil'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *sanguineum* subsp. *sanguineum* var. *haemaleum* × *sanguineum* subsp. *didymum* R: C.P. Fawcett (pre 1988) Fls almost black-red. Lvs c50mm long. Compact shrub, 0.6m in 10 years. Midseason

(a) **'Red Diamond'** (Syn. of 'Diamant Rot')

(r) **'Redding'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Redding')

(a) **'Reddingii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1847), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Red Dog'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Delp's Cindy Lou' × 'Captain Jack' H: W.E. Delp (1976), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 14/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 49 × 55mm, 5-lobed, strong to dark red (46A, 183A) in bud, opening to a blend of strong and deep red (46A, 53A), with dark red (187A) dorsal spots; filaments and style vivid red (57A); anthers yellowish white (158D); stigma dark red (187A). Lvs 130 × 52mm, acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in 16 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Red Dorothy Gish'** (Syn. of 'Red Gish')

(r) **'Red Dragon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* (s) × *griersonianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1931), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1943), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls brilliant scarlet. (Hecla Group)

(a) **'Red Dream'** (Syn. of 'Dirk Bosch')

(r) **'Red Eagle'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Rogers, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep scarlet. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Red Elf'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1994)

(r) **'Red Embers'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Earl of Athlone' (s) × unknown H: F. Boulter (1990), G: F. Boulter (1994), N: F. Boulter (1995), I: Boulters Olinda Nursery (1995), REG: Boulters Olinda Nursery (1995) Fls 6-8/open truss, tubular-campanulate, 62 × 45mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (46A) in bud, opening vivid red (46B) inside and vivid red (46C) outside; unspotted; stamens and style red. Calyx 30mm long, vivid red (46C). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 80 × 25mm, margins decurved, mucronate at apex, attenuate at base, matt green, hairless. Shrub 0.25 × 0.35m in 2 years. Early spring

(a) **'Red Emperor'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *scabrum* L: K. Wada (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 125mm wide, orange-red

(r) **'Red Emperor'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Godesburg' (s) × 'Meteor' R: C.B. van Nes & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(r) **Red Ensign Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Cardinal Group (s) × *griersonianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1936), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose red. Syn: 'Bellona'

(r) **'Red Eye'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anah Kruschke' × 'Purple Splendour' R: W. & G. Swenson, N: W. & G. Swenson, I: Greer Gardens (pre 1980) Fls deep red-purple, with a green gold blotch which ages to red. Lvs glossy green. Shrub to 2.0m

(a) **'Red-eyed Orchid'** (Syn. of 'Red-eyed Orchid Queen')

(a) **'Red-eyed Orchid Queen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Purple Splendor' × 'Vuyk's Scarlet' H: H.R. Schroeder (1973), G: S. Schroeder (1978), N: S. Schroeder, I: S. Schroeder (1986), REG: S. Schroeder (1986) Fls single, open funnel-shaped, 44 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light reddish purple (74C), with dark red dorsal spotting. Calyx 8mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly obovate, 38 × 16mm, dull and dark green above, light green below, hairy. Shrub 0.46 × 0.61m in 10 years. Mid April. Syn: 'Red-eyed Orchid'

(r) **'Red Falcon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: possibly a *rex* subsp. *arizelum* hybrid R: unknown (pre 1979), N: unknown (Listed as a parent of 'Eternity')

(a) **'Red Feather'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Louise Gable' × 'Ward's Ruby' R: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1969) Fls double, 2-4/truss, up to 50mm wide, deep yellowish pink (43C). Lvs 30 × 13mm, becoming maroon in winter. Shrub up to 1.0m. May

(a) **'Red Festive'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Festive' R: Spartanburg Nursery (pre 1987), N: Spartanburg Nursery Fls 50-65mm wide, strong purplish red. Early

(a?) **'Red Fire'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Ireland (1971)

(r) **'Red Flag'** cv. Parentage unknown H: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (pre 1980)

(r) **'Red Flair'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *keiskei*, found in the wild by H. Suzuki N: H. Suzuki (pre 1974) Fls pale yellow, with red midribs on outside of corolla, some short, irregular, red stripes on inside of one or two lobes. New stems reddish brown. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 10 years. Early April. (Also seen as 'Red Flare': the correct spelling requires confirmation)

(a) **'Red Flame'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. Indian

(a) **'Red Flame'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith Fls 50mm wide, moderate red (47A), with vivid red (45A) spotting. Winter foliage bronze. Shrub 1.2m in 8 years. (See *The Azalean* 4 (1): 1-5 (1982) for details of parentage under Hinckley Group)

(a) **'Red Formosum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Formosum' R: unknown (pre 1982) Fls 75mm wide, reddish purple. (Perhaps the same as 'Ray's Rubrum'/'Ray's Ruby')

(a) **'Red Fountain'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'W. Leith' × *nakaharae* H: T. Rokujo (1961), G: Mrs J.W. Hill (c 1965), N: Mrs J.W. Hill, I: Mrs J.W. Hill, REG: Mrs J.W. Hill (1976) Fls single, 2/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 45mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish orange (42B-C), with a strong red (46A) blotch and spots on the dorsal lobes. Calyx 5mm long, green, hairy. Lvs broadly elliptic, 22 × 16mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and strong yellow-green (144A) above, very silvery hairy, smoky purple in winter. Shrub 0.4 × 1.1-1.4m in 14 years. Late June-early July. Syn: 'Niobe'

(r) **Red Fox Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Tally Ho Group (s) × 'Britannia' R: Lord Digby, N: Lord Digby, I: Lord Digby (1947), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Red Fragrance'** (Syn. of 'Fragrant Red')

(r) **'Red Frilled'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: (selected red hybrid seedling derived from *catawbiense*) F2 H: E.V. Mezitt (pre 1960), G: Weston Nurseries, I: Weston Nurseries (1964), REG: Weston Nurseries (1983) Fls 12-15/truss, open funnel-shaped, 75 × 65mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (60B) in bud, opening strong purplish red (60D), with considerable darkred dorsal spotting, outside vivid red (57A). Calyx 7mm long, green. Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 115-135 × 50mm, acute at apex, rounded at base, dark green, glossy above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.6m in 8 years. Early June. Syn: 'Low Red Frilled'

(a) **'Red Frills'** (Syn. of 'Ilam Red Frills')

(r) **'Red Gate'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cup Day' × 'Coronation Day' H: D.J. Dosser, G: D.J. Dosser (1985), N: D.J. Dosser, I: D.J. Dosser, REG: D.J. Dosser (1986) Fls 10-13/truss, funnel-shaped, 60 × 90mm, vivid purplish red (57B). Lvs elliptic, 100 × 60mm. Shrub 0.7m

(v) **'Red Gauntlet'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *praetervisum* × *loranthiflorum* × *retusum* H: M.D. Cullinane (1976), G: M.D. Cullinane (1979), N: M.D. Cullinane (1993), REG: M.D. Cullinane (1994) Fls 4-6/lax truss, long tubular-campanulate, 60 × 30mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink (43C) in bud, opening vivid red (45B) throughout; unspotted but with distinct veining in tube and lobes. Calyx 1.5mm long. Lvs oblanceolate, 70 × 25mm, flat, acute at apex, attenuate at base, glossy green, scaly, the scales light brown when young. Shrub 0.6 × 0.5m in 7 years. Flowering 3-4 times each year

(a) **'Red Gem'** (Syn. of 'Ilam Red Gem')

(a) **'Red Giant'** (Syn. of 'Ilam Red Giant')

(a) **'Red Gish'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Dorothy Gish' R: Bobbink & Atkins (pre 1940), N: Bobbink & Atkins, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, strong red. Syn: 'Red Dorothy Gish'. Indian

(a) **'Red Glacier'** cv. Evergreen azalea: possibly a seedling from 'Glacier' R: I.L. Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L. Amann Fls 55mm wide, vivid purplish red (57C), with a darker blotch. Spreading shrub to 1.2m tall. Midseason

(a) **'Red Glitters'** (Syn. of 'Nuccio's Red Glitters')

(a) **'Red Glow'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Yoder Bros (1973) Fls single, hose-in-hose, with wavy-edged lobes, pink-red. Early-midseason

(r) **'Red Glow'** (Syn. of 'Ilam Red Glow')

(r) **'Red Glow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Halopeanum' (s) × *thomsonii* R: Sir Edmund Loder, I: Lady Loder (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c8/lax truss, campanulate, 70 × 70mm, 5-lobed, soft rosy red, with a few darker spots at base of dorsal lobe; nectaries black crimson. Calyx shallowly lobed, green, flushed red. Syn: 'Leonardslee Red Glow' (Gem Group)

(r) **'Red Goblin'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls similar to 'Goblin' but of a brilliant orange scarlet

(r) **'Red Gold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Bambi' (s) × *macabeanum* H: N. Sullivan (1983), G: N. Sullivan (1992), N: N. Sullivan (1998), REG: N. Sullivan (1998) Fls 15/flat truss, ventricose-campanulate, 50 × 50mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong orange (169B) in bud, opening inside moderate orange (168C) changing within a few days to light yellow (162C), outside similarly coloured; moderate red (179A) basal blotch. Calyx 20mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 50mm, margins slightly decurved, acute at apex, obtuse at base, matt green, with a very thin, buff indumentum below when young, paleing with age. Shrub 0.8 × 0.7m in 15 years. Early October (Tasmania)

(a) **'Red Gumpo'** (Syn. of 'Gumpo Red')

(r) **Red Hackle Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Chanticleer' (s) × Redwing Group H: Lord Aberconway (1932), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red

(a) **'Redhawk'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: H.W. Motzkau, N: Yoder Bros, I: Yoder Bros (1973) Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, 75mm wide, rose red. Early-midseason. (Published in Yoder Bros cat., 1973)

(r) **'Red Head'** (Syn. of 'Gable's Red Head')

(r) **'Red Head'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: R. Henny (1950), N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny (1961), REG: R. Henny (1964) Fls 40mm long, 5-lobed, orient red (819/2). Lvs 75 × 50mm, with a tan, felted indumentum below. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years

(a) **'Redhead'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* hybrid R: J. Martin (pre 1977), N: J. Martin Fls 40mm wide, brick red. Shrub c1.0m

(r) **'Red Heat'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: (('America' × 'Blaze') × 'Red Brave')no.2 × 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague' (s) × (('America' × 'Blaze') × 'Red Brave')no.2 × 'Delp's Cindy Lou' H: T.L. Ring (1984), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 17/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 38 × 55mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, dark and deep red (59A, 60A) in bud, opening deep red (53A, 60A) and strong red (53B); filaments and style deep red (60A); anthers light yellowish pink (159A); stigma dark red (187A). Lvs 100 × 50mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.1m in 8 years. Early June

(a) **'Red Hot'** (Syn. of 'Wallowa Red')

(r) **'Red Hot'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' (s) × Elizabeth Group R: R. Henny (1958), N: R. Henny, REG: R. Henny (1962) Fls 8-10/truss, funnel-campanulate, 40 × 65mm, orient red (819/3), shaded mandarin red (17/1) in the throat. Lvs oblong, 125 × 25-40mm. Spreading shrub, 0.6 × 1.2m

(r) **'Red Hot Mamma'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anne Hardgrove' (s) × (('America' × 'Blaze') × 'Red Brave')no.2 × 'Delp's Cindy Lou' H: T.L. Ring (1984), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 18/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 48 × 54mm, 5-lobed, dark red (183B) and vivid red (46B) in bud, opening vivid red (46B) edged deep red (185A); filaments and style vivid red (46B); anthers dark red (187A), with a touch of white on the tips; stigma dark red (183B). Lvs 89 × 38mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9 in 8 years. Early June

(r) **'Red House'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: R. Schwoebel (probably), REG: R.H. Gustafson (1999) Fls 16-17/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 90mm, 7-lobed, strong purplish red (60C) in bud, opening inside deep purplish pink (66C) and vivid purplish red (67B), with dark brown to black spotting on the dorsal lobe and faint, grey to brown spotting on the other lobes; outside vivid purplish red (67B) to deep purplish pink (67C). Lvs elliptic, 105-120 × 40-45mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (137A-B) above, hairless. Shrub 1.7 × 2.1m in 10 years. Late May. (Perhaps named by R. deWilde; published in Tom Burns cat., 1972)

(a) **'Red Hussar'** (Syn. of 'Hinodegiri')

(a) **'Red Hussar'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Mrs Carmichael' (s) × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, 30-40mm wide, rose (strong purplish red (63B)), with very few dots in the blotch area; filaments and base of tube salmon red. Shrub to 1.5m. Mid April. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Red Imp'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from *haematodes* R: Bovees Nursery (c 1955), N: Bovees Nursery (1960), I: Bovees Nursery, REG: Bovees Nursery (1961) Fls 6-7/truss, campanulate, 45mm wide, moderate red outside, paler within. Lvs small, ovate. Compact shrub, 30cm tall. Early May

(r) **'Red Impact'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pink Cameo' (s) × 'Pink Cameo' H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 18/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 48 × 65mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, dark red, deep, moderate and strong purplish red and deep red (59A-D, 60A) in bud, opening deep and strong purplish red (61A, B, 60C, D), with a small, white flare and sparse, light olive (152B)

dorsal spots; filaments and style light purple (84B); stigma vivid violet (87A). Lvs 130 × 59mm, acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.5m in 18 years. Early June

(r) **'Red Impulse'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vivacious' × 'Nova Zembla' (s) × 'Mars' × 'America' H: A.W. Smith, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls dark red (187A) in bud, opening deep and strong red (53A, B) with dark red (187A) dorsal spots. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Red Indian'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown, but thought to derive from *calendulaceum* R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls reddish orange, with a yellow blotch. Early-midseason. Knap Hill

(r) **'Red Jack'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Wilgen's Ruby' × May Day Group × *forrestii* hybrid H: Research Station for Nurseries, Boskoop (c 1975), G: Research Station for Nurseries, Boskoop (1982), N: Research Station for Nurseries, Boskoop, I: Research Station for Nurseries, Boskoop (1988), REG: Royal Boskoop Hort.Soc. (1990) Fls 15-18/truss, funnel-shaped, 80-100 × 40-60mm, 5-lobed, strong to vivid red (46A/B & 55B). Lvs ovate, 100-120 × 50-60mm, hairless. Shrub 3.0 × 2.5m in 10 years. May. (Published in *Dendroflora* 24: 67 (1988))

(a) **'Red King'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: A.M. Shammarello (c 1945), N: A.M. Shammarello, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. Mollis

(r) **'Red Knight'** (See note under 'Red Night')

(r) **'Red Lacquer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Phoebus Group × *forrestii* Repens Group R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, REG: C. Ingram (1967) Fls up to 5/truss, campanulate, 40-45 × 28mm, vivid red (45B), with three darker veins from base to tip of each lobe. Calyx lobes 3-6mm long, pale red, with short white hairs. Lvs elliptic, 50xc25mm, pale green below. Prostrate shrub. AM 1967

(r) **Red Lamp Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: The Don Group (s) × *facetum* R: J.J. Crosfield, N: J.J. Crosfield, I: J.J. Crosfield (1936), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Redland'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Linda Jean' × 'Hahn's Red' R: W.L. Guttormsen (pre 1982), N: W.L. Guttormsen Fls hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, strong purplish red (54A). Shrub 0.6m in 10 years

(r) **'Red Legend'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'China Boy' (s) × 'Charles Dickens' × 'Mars' H: J. Looye (1990), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, deep red (53A) in bud, opening deep and strong red (53A-D); filaments and style moderate purplish pink (54D); anthers moderate reddish brown (177A); stigma light olive (152B). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(a) **'Red Leopold Astrid'** (Syn. of 'Armand Haerens')

(a) **'Red Letter'** (Syn. of 'Melford Red Letter')

(a) **'Redlight'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1875), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blood red (C. van Geert, 1890). Ghent (Perhaps the plant raised by Gowen for which the epithet 'Sanguineum' takes precedence)

(a) **'Red Line'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Eri' R: R. Edwards (pre 1967), N: R. Edwards Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, white, with red flecks and striations. Indian

(a) **'Red Line Frilled'** (Syn. of 'Frilled Red Line')

(r) **'Red Lion'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Tally Ho Group (s) × Gable's red selection from *catawbiense* H: G.G. Nearing (1958), G: G.G. Nearing, N: G.G. Nearing, I: G.G. Nearing (1972), REG: G.G. Nearing (1973) Fls up to 10/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, vivid red (45A), with a few very faint spots. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 50mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate to rounded at base, moderate olive green (146A) above, with a thin, light greyish olive (195A) indumentum below. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 14 years. Early June

(r) **'Red Loderi'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi King George' × 'Earl of Athlone' H: F. Rose (pre 1956), G: H. Lem (pre 1973)

(r) **'Red Lory'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marion' × Ibex Group L: V.J. Boulter & Sons (1980) Fls in loose trusses, carmine red. Shrub up to 1.2m

(a) **'Red Lustre'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c 1935), N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 40mm wide, nopal red. Kurume

(r) **'Red Majesty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *elliottii* (s) × *strigillosum* R: H.L. Larson, N: H.L. Larson, I: H.L. Larson, REG: H.L. Larson (1964) Fls in rounded trusses, campanulate, up to 75 × 75mm, currant red (821/3), heavily spotted. Lvs up to 200 × 50mm. Shrub to 1.9m tall in 10 years, broader than tall. Midseason

(r) **'Redman'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: F. Boulter (1990), G: F. Boulter (1994), N: F. Boulter (1995), I: Boulters Olinda Nursery (1995), REG: Boulters Olinda Nursery (1995) Fls 15-18/rounded truss, campanulate, 70 × 70mm with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep red (53A) in bud, opening strong red (53B) inside and out, lightly spotted. Calyx 7mm long, deep yellowish pink (47C). Lvs ovate, 95 × 35mm, flat, matt green, attenuate at base, broadly acute and mucronate at apex, hairless. Shrub 0.3 × 0.3m in 2 years, of compact habit. Early spring

(a) **'Red Marie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Marie-Louise' I: F. Tollenaere (1981) Fls deep pink (52B); otherwise similar to parent. Indian

(r) **'Red Max'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Red Max')

(r) **'Red Mill'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fusilier Group × 'Ruddy' R: M.W. Lyons (1950), I: M.W. Lyons (1971), REG: M.W. Lyons (1971) Fls 16/ball truss, moderate red (47A). Lvs 150 × 40mm. Shrub to over 1.5m

(a) **'Redmond'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Louise Gable' × 'Tama-giku' × 'Heiwa' H: R.D. Gartrell (1960), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell (1969), REG: R.D. Gartrell (1977) Fls single, 1-3/bud, tubular below, broadly funnel-shaped above, more-or-less flat-faced, 58 × 75mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink (39B-44D), with conspicuous strong red (47B-39A) spotting on dorsal lobes. Calyx 10mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic to broadly elliptic, 29 × 16mm, strong yellow-green (143A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.5 × 0.8m in 15 years. Early June. (Robin Hill no. T21-1)

(v) **'Red Mountain'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: red form of *commonae* (s) × *lochiae* H: O.S. Blumhardt (1988), G: O.S. Blumhardt (1994), N: O.S. Blumhardt (1997), I: Koromiko Nurseries (1998), REG: O.S. Blumhardt (1999) Fls 6/flat truss, tubular-campanulate, 30-35 × 35mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes which are slightly reflexed, red in bud and opening red throughout, unmarked; stigma and anthers purple. Calyx 1-2mm long, brown. Lvs elliptic, 50 × 25mm, margins upcurved, obtuse at apex, tapered to base, glossy green above, scaly. Shrub of bushy habit, 0.6 × 0.6m in 6 years. Flowers continuously

(r) **'Red Night'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1952), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as a parent of Querida Group by Phillips and Barber (1979) in *The Rothschild Rhododendrons*. Given as 'Red Knight' in the 1958 Register)

(r) **'Red Olympia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anna' × Fusilier Group H: H. Lem, G: H. Lem (c 1962), N: H. Lem, I: H. Lem (pre 1970), REG: L.J. Pierce (1975) Fls 13-16/domed truss, cup-shaped, 70 × 110mm, with 5 wavy-edged, broadly spreading lobes, buds strong red (53B), opening strong red (51A) with heavy black spotting on the dorsal lobes, lighter spotting on the ventral lobes; outside strong red (53B), with darker red lines down centre of each lobe to the base. Calyx 2-5mm long, red. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 180 × 50mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and dark green, hairless. Shrub 1.9 × 1.0m in 8 years. Mid May

(a) **'Red Orange'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: S. Barber (pre 1975) Fls semi-double, orange

(r) **'Red Paint'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: (Fabia Group × *haematodes*) × 'Earl of Athlone' × 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague' H: D.W. Goheen (1965), G: C. McNew, N: C. McNew, I: C. McNew (1971), REG: C. McNew (1973) Fls 10-14/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, clear bright red (with no blue) and with a few, tiny spots on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 13mm long, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 125 × 40mm, dark green, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.0m in 8 years. Early April

(r) **'Red Paisley'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), REG: G.D. Lewis (1997) Fls 8-10/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 70 × 110mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish red (61A) in bud, opening inside light yellowish pink (27A) changing to deep purplish pink (64D) at margins, with a prominent, strong purplish red (63A) blotch in the throat and spotting extending upwards on three dorsal lobes; outside strong purplish red (64C). Calyx c1.5mm long, greenish red. Lvs elliptic, irregular in shape, 115 × 45mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless; petioles 25mm long. Shrub 1.8 × 1.5m in 10 years. Mid May. (Published in Salley & Greer, *Rhododendron Hybrids* (1992))

(r) **'Red Pantaloons'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Wilbar Group × *chamaethomsonii* var. *chamaethauma* H: C.G. Heller (1968), G: C.G. Heller (1976), N: C.G. Heller, I: C.G. Heller, REG: C.G. Heller (1976) Fls 4/lax truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 45 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (46A). Calyx 30mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 60 × 30mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (147A), hairless. Shrub 0.3 × 0.3m in 7 years. Mid April

(a) **'Red Party Dress'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: M.E. Greentree, I: Camellia Lodge Nursery (1973) Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, with slightly frilled lobes, deep red. Indian

(r) **'Red Peach'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown, N: unknown, I: Laurelwood Gardens, REG: R.H. Gustafson (1998) Fls 9-10/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 80-95mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (51A) in bud, opening inside light yellowish pink (19B) to strong orange (26B), with deep purplish pink (54B to 55A) margins; outside deep purplish pink (55A); style light yellow-green (145C); stigma strong yellow-green (145A). Lvs elliptic to slightly obovate, 130-165 × 50-65mm, dull and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.3 × 1.8m in c15 years. Late May

(a) **'Red Pennington'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: R.W. Pennington (pre 1976), N: R.W. Pennington Fls rose red

(a) **'Red Pepper'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Gallipoli' (s) × *austrinum* H: E.J. Aromi (1980), G: E.J. Aromi (1987), N: E.J. Aromi, I: Magnolia Nursery (1995), REG: Magnolia Nursery (1996) Fls 20-23/ball truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 35 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (46A) in bud, opening brilliant orange-yellow (23B), heavily flushed with vivid red (45A), shading to vivid red (45A) on tube and with a vivid orange-yellow (23A) blotch; slightly scented. Lvs elliptic, 45 × 20mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull above, strong

yellow-green (144A) above and below, with scattered, colourless hairs below. Shrub 1.8 × 0.9m in 10 years. Early-mid April

(a) **'Red Perfection'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *scabrum* × *indicum* L: K. Wada (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright scarlet

(a) **'Red Perfection'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: A.H.O.W. de Bats (pre 1981), N: W. de Jong, I: W. de Jong Fls in dense trusses, dark red. Mollis

(a) **'Red Peter'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.S. Yeates (pre 1985), N: J.S. Yeates Fls red

(a) **'Red Picotee'** (Syn. of 'Armand Haerens')

(a) **'Red Pimpernel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L.J. Endtz & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red. Kaempferi

(r) **'Redpoll'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *forrestii* Repens Group × 'Rocket' R: A.F. George, N: A.F. George, I: Hydon Nurseries (1974), REG: Hydon Nurseries (1974) Fls moderate purplish red (64A)

(a) **'Red Pom Pom'** (Syn. of 'Girard's Red Pom Pom')

(r) **'Red Pond'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'America' × 'Kettledrum' H: W.E. Stokes (c ? 1930), G: W.E. Stokes (? c 1935), N: W.E. Stokes, I: W.E. Stokes, REG: O. Prycl (1990) Fls 14/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 57 × 64mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (61B), with an inconspicuous area of reddish brown spotting (19 × 16mm). Lvs elliptic, 140 × 67mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.6m. Late May

(r) **'Red Pony'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Susy' (s) × 'Vinerouge' H: A.W. Smith (pre 1989), G: D. Irish-Hosler (1998), N: D. Irish-Hosler (2000), REG: D. Irish-Hosler (2000) Fls 22/ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 40 × 65mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, opening strong red (46A) throughout, unmarked. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 40mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins downcurved, dull and moderate olive green (146A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.45 × 0.6m in c12 years. Mid May

(a) **'Red Poppy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: H. Kerrigan (pre 1965), N: H. Kerrigan Fls semi-double, deep purplish red

(v) **'Red Poppy'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Clorinda' × *zoelleri* R: unknown (pre 1989) (Obtained at a plant sale in Monterey, California, USA by R.W. Chaikin & subsequently listed by him (1989))

(a) **'Red Poukhanense'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: O.S. Pride (pre 1987), N: O.S. Pride Fls red

(v) **'Red Prince'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: ? J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 7-10/rounded truss, very deep, pure pink. Lvs elliptic, 80 × 40mm. Shrub 0.8 × 1.4m in 8 years. September-December. (Said to be an old Veitch hybrid)

(v) **'Red Princess'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1986) Fls in a full truss, open campanulate, light red. (Perhaps raised in Australia)

(a) **'Red Progress'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hinomayo' (s) × a Sander Hybrid R: R. deWilde, N: R. deWilde, I: Rhodo-Lake Nurseries (1947-1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 50mm wide, red. Kurume

(r) **'Red Puff'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Golden Horn Group × 'Catanea' H: G.G. Nearing (1958), G: G.G. Nearing, N: G.G. Nearing, I: G.G. Nearing (1972), REG: G.G. Nearing (1973) Fls c16/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, strong red (53C), speckled moderate red (47A); filaments and style white; anthers dark pink (182C); stigma dark red (187A). Calyx c1.5mm long, moderate olive brown (199A). Lvs oblanceolate to narrowly obovate, in drooping rosettes, 100 × 40mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, margins and apex strongly decurved, bullate and moderate olive green (147A), hairless. Dwarf, creeping shrub, 0.6 × 0.8m in 10 years. Late May

(r) **Red Queen Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Gill's Crimson' (s) × Barclayi Group H: Lord Aberconway (1927), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1943), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10/rounded truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 5-lobed, up to 55mm wide, outside strong red (53B), inside strong red (53C); nectaries prominent. Calyx lobes up to 10mm long, flushed red. Lvs narrowly obovate, up to 150 × 73mm, dull and dark green above, hairless. AM 1980 (The description of the AM plant which is perhaps best treated as 'Red Queen')

(r) **'Red Quest'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Waltham' (s) × pink selection of *dauricum* Sempervirens Group H: E.V. Mezitt (1979), G: Weston Nurseries (c 1983), N: R.W. Mezitt, I: Weston Nurseries (1992), REG: R.W. Mezitt (1998) Fls 4/flat domed truss, open funnel-shaped, c30 × 40mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (61B) in bud, opening strong purplish red (71C). Lvs elliptic, 70 × 20mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, scaly below. Shrub 0.6 × 0.75m in 8 years. Late April. (Published in Weston Nurseries cat., 1992)

(a) **'Red Rag'** (See note under 'Red Tag')

(a) **'Red Red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hino-red × 'Ward's Ruby' H: A.M. Shammarello (1961), G: A.M. Shammarello (1966), I: A.M. Shammarello (1974), REG: A.M. Shammarello (1976) Fls 3-4/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 45mm, 5-lobed, strong red (47B). Calyx 7mm long, light green. Lvs broadly elliptic, 40 × 20mm, glossy and greyish olive green (5GY 3/2), reddish yellow in winter, hairless. Shrub 0.4 × 0.8m in 12 years. Mid-late May

(a) **'Red Ribbons'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ruffled Giant' × 'Pride of Prichard' R: E.J. Aromi (c 1985), N: E.J. Aromi Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, 75mm wide, strong purplish red (58B), with a deep red (53A) blotch. Shrub 1.3 × 1.2m in 10 years

(r) **'Red Riding Hood'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* × 'Atrosanguineum' R: W.C. Slocock Ltd, N: W.C. Slocock Ltd (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright red. May. (The plant listed in the USA as 'Little Red Riding Hood' (eg. Kellygreen Rhododendron cat., 1993) and used as a parent by C.S. Seabrook (cf. 'Rudolf Friml') is assumed to be the Slocock plant)

(a) **'Red Riot'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Monrovia Nursery (pre 1987) Fls vivid red

(r) **'Red River'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Leach's Mount Mitchell' (s) × 'Mars' × 'Fanfare' H: D.G. Leach (1967), G: D.G. Leach (1974), N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1985), REG: D.G. Leach (1984) Fls 15-19/truss, 30 × 70mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (61B), lighter in centre, and with a near white dorsal blotch with sparse, strong greenish yellow (153B) spotting. Calyx 3mm long, ivory, edged red. Lvs elliptic, 145 × 60, rugose, hairless, margins undulate. Shrub 1.8m in 17 years. Late flowering

(a) **'Red Robe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Koraini' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, 70mm wide, nopal red (vivid red (45A)), with a large blotch of small, tyrian rose (vivid purplish red (57B)) spots (producing a brownish tone to the nopal red). Shrub to 1.5m. Late April. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Red Robin'** (Syn. of 'Waka-kayede')

(r) **'Red Rock'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Bibiani Group × *elliottii* H: E. de Rothschild, G: A.E. Hardy, N: A.E. Hardy, I: A.E. Hardy (1970), REG: A.E. Hardy (1970) Fls up to 22-24/rounded truss, funnel-campanulate, 50 × 80mm, 5-lobed, close to deep red (53A) at outer edge, diffusing into the throat which is strong red (50A), the dorsal part of corolla lightly spotted with black, veins darkening in the throat. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, up to 200 × 90mm, dark green. AM 1970

(v) **'Red Rooster'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *zoelleri* × *lochiae* × *javanicum* H: J.L. Rouse, G: J.L. Rouse (1984), N: G.L.S. Snell, I: Shrublands Nursery (1987), REG: Shrublands Nursery (1988) Fls 6-8/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 35 × 30mm, 5-lobed, vivid red (46B). Lvs elliptic, 100 × 60mm, hairless. Shrub 0.5 × 1.0m. Spring

(a) **'Red Rosebud'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Triumph' × 'Diamond Dot' × 'Girard's Hot Shot' H: A.E. Kehr (1967), G: J.F. Wilson (1972), N: L. Begg, REG: L. Begg (1991) Fls hose-in-hose, 2-5/truss, funnel-shaped, 20 × 45mm, strong red (46A). Lvs ovate to lanceolate, 25 × 15mm. Shrub 0.75m

(r) **'Red Rosella'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Red Admiral Group × Cornubia Group H: J.F. Wilson (1962), G: J.F. Wilson (1977), N: J.F. Wilson, I: J.F. Wilson, REG: J.F. Wilson (1986) Fls 12-15/truss, campanulate, with frilled lobes, 40 × 80mm, strong red (53B), with black spots on the dorsal lobes, fading to a paler colour along the midrib. Calyx 10mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, slightly decurved, 110 × 50mm. Shrub 2.0m

(r) **Red Rover Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'J.G. Millais' (s) × *thomsonii* I: W.I. Whitaker (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, deep crimson red

(v) **'Red Rover'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lochiae* (?) × *javanicum* R: M. Jury (pre 1991), N: M. Jury Fls open light red, ageing to dark red. Lvs glossy green. Low, spreading, compact shrub

(a) **'Red Ruby'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, red. Kurume

(a) **'Red Ruffles'** (Syn. of 'Redwings')

(a) **'Red Ruffles'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Pink Ruffles' R: Nellie Kelly Nurseries (pre 1984), N: Nellie Kelly Nurseries Fls double, red, lobes heavily frilled. Shrub c0.75m. (Galle (1987) treats 'Red Ruffles' as a Bobbink & Atkins plant, with the same parentage (fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, strong red))

(a) **'Red Ruffles Variegated'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Red Ruffles' R: Nuccio's Nurseries (pre 1987), N: Nuccio's Nurseries Lvs with a pale white margin

(r) **'Red Rum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Barclayi Group × *forrestii* Repens Group H: Crown Estate Commissioners, G: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1974), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1974) Fls 4-5/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 45 × 50mm, 5-lobed, vivid red (46B). Calyx irregular, lobes up to 6mm long, red, sparsely hairy, glandular, ciliate at tips. Lvs narrowly oblong to oblong, 85 × 33mm, mid green, hairless. AM 1974

(a) **'Red Ryder'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ward's Ruby' × 'Hahn's Red' H: R. Mauritsen (1972), G: Kent Nursery (1978), N: S. Mauritsen (1986), I: Kent Nursery, REG: S. Mauritsen (1986) Fls somewhat double, 2-4/ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 32 × 38mm, 5-lobed, vivid red (45A). Calyx 1.5mm long, light green. Lvs mostly broadly elliptic (to elliptic), 32 × 19mm, glossy and dark green (135A) above, light green below. Shrub 0.46 × 0.46m in 3 years. Mid April-May

(a) **'Red Salmon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon. Kurume

(a) **'Red Salute'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *viscosum* hybrid, un-named × unknown H: E.V. Mezitt (pre 1980), G: Weston Nurseries (pre 1980), N: R.W. Mezitt, I: Weston Nurseries (pre 1990), REG: R.W. Mezitt (1999) Fls

8/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, with 5 wavy-edged, broad, star-shaped lobes, 40 × 45mm, inside deep pink (52B), outside strong red (51A). Calyx 3mm long, light green. Lvs oblanceolate, 75 × 25mm, with flat to wavy downcurved margins, acuminate to acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and dark green above, hairless; mildew resistant. Shrub 0.9 × 0.75m in 7 years. Early July. Syn: 'Salute'

(a) **'Red Satin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ernest Eeckhaute' × 'Julius Roehrs' R: D. Lewis (c 1967), N: D. Lewis Fls double, 75-90mm wide, strong red (53D) to strong purplish red (54A). Calyx hose-in-hose, coloured as corolla

(a) **'Red Satin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: O.S. Pride (pre 1987), N: O.S. Pride Fls moderate red

(r) **'Red Satin'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Red Satin')

(r) **'Red Sea'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Leach's Mount Mitchell' (s) × 'Mars' × 'Fanfare' H: D.G. Leach (1967), G: D.G. Leach (1974), N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1983), REG: D.G. Leach (1984) Fls 20/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 25 × 60mm, 5(-6)-lobed, strong purplish red (60C), shading through strong purplish red (58B) to more-or-less white in centre, with dorsal spotting of moderate yellow (162A) on a white ground; outside strong purplish red (60C) shading paler near calyx. Calyx 3-10mm long, pale green, tipped red. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 40mm, with a thin, fawn indumentum below. Young foliage indumentum colourless. Shrub 1.5m in 16 years

(a) **'Red Seal'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: W.C. Hage & Co., I: W.C. Hage & Co. (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lake red. Kurume

(a) **'Redshank'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1947), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 15-20(-30)/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 55-65mm, light orange-yellow (24C), flushed reddish orange (32B), with an orange-yellow (17C) blotch. Lvs mid, glossy green. Shrub over 1.1m. *AM 1953. Knap Hill

(a) **'Red Sizzler'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: O.S. Pride (pre 1985), N: O.S. Pride Fls 50mm wide, red; slightly scented

(r) **Redskin Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Dante Group (s) × Eudora Group H: Lord Aberconway (1939), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet

(r) **'Redskin Chief'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Lady Bessborough Group (s) × May Day Group R: Sunningdale Nurseries (pre 1955), N: Sunningdale Nurseries, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(a) **'Redskins'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Amagasa' × 'Martha Hitchcock' H: R.C. Vines, G: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines (pre 1990) Fls single, 2-3/truss, 90-105mm wide, with rounded lobes, strong purplish red (63A), with a darker red blotch. Shrub 0.45 × 0.9m. Mid May

(a) **'Red Slippers'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Andros' × 'Parade' × 'Keisetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1965) Fls single (with an occasional petaloid stamen), 2-4/truss, 65-75mm wide, rose red, with distinct dots of pomegranate purple in the blotch area (giving only the effect of a deeper colour at base of flower); stamens 5; pistil normal. Shrub at least 0.6 × 0.6m in 10 years. Tendency to produce autumn and winter flowers. Back Acres

(r) **'Red Snapper'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Azor Group (s) × *griersonianum* R: R. Henny (1946), N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny (pre 1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale geranium, with a darker margin. Shrub of viny, loose habit

(r) **'Red Sox'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × 'Conoco-cheague' H: J.B. Gable (pre 1972) Fls hose-in-hose, bright red. Low-growing shrub, of very open habit. Flower colour and foliage resemble 'Mars'

(a) **'Red Sparks'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Comtesse de Kerchove' × 'Pink Champagne' R: I.C. Nichols, N: I.C. Nichols, I: I.C. Nichols (1981) Fls double, 65mm wide, with narrow, pointed lobes, opening pale pink, ageing to white. Early

(a) **'Red Spider'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Linearifolium' × unknown L: Hager Nurseries (1983) Fls 50mm wide, with narrow, strap-like lobes, orange-red. Lvs long, narrow. Shrub to 0.75m. Midseason

(r) **'Red Splash'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Waltham' (s) × PJM Group, Von Wettberg selection H: E.V. Mezitt (1979), G: Weston Nurseries (c 1983), N: R.W. Mezitt, I: Weston Nurseries (1995), REG: R.W. Mezitt (1999) Fls 4/flat domed truss, open funnel-shaped, c30 × 40mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (63B) in bud, opening strong reddish purple (72C). Lvs elliptic, 45 × 20mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate to rounded at base, slightly scented when crushed, turning mahogany in autumn, with scales below. Shrub 0.6 × 0.75m in 8 years. Late April. Syn: 'Splash'

(r) **'Red Splendour'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × *yakushimanum* × 'Cadis' × 'Witch Doctor' H: C. & V. Haag, G: C. & V. Haag, I: Cardinal Nursery (1991) Fls red

(a) **'Red Star'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Frits Sander' × 'Ernst Thiers' I: C.J. Willie & Co. (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, deep red. Late. Indian

(a) **'Red Star'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Berkeley Red' (s) × lavender sport from 'Indicum Roseum' R: Q.R. Westfall, I: C.R. Brandt (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. Indian

(r) **Red Star Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ascot Brilliant' (s) × *thomsonii* R: Sir Edmund Loder (pre

1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c12/truss, campanulate, 50 × 70-80mm, blood red (820/3), with a few dark dorsal markings

(r) **'Red Star'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Molière' × 'Mrs Lindsay Smith' R: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10-14/compact, pyramidal truss, 75mm wide, 5-lobed, velvety crimson, with black dorsal spots. Lvs oblanceolate, 100-125mm long, dark green. *AM 1940

(a) **'Redstart'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep geranium lake with a dull orange blotch. Knap Hill

(r) **Redstart Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *aperantum* (s) × *neriiflorum* Euchaites Group R: Lord Headfort, N: Lord Headfort, I: Lord Headfort (1938), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Red Sunrise'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Hershey's Azalea Farm (pre 1987), N: Hershey's Azalea Farm Fls hose-in-hose, red

(a) **'Red Sunset'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Gibraltar' × 'Favor Major' × 'Royal Lodge' × 'Fireball' H: I. & R. Arneson (1968), G: I. & R. Arneson (1975), N: I. & R. Arneson, I: I. & R. Arneson, REG: I. & R. Arneson (1989) Fls single, 7-11/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 57 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (45A). Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 51-76 × 25-38mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, slightly hairy. Shrub 1.4 × 1.4m in 19 years. Mid-late May. Syn: 'Arneson Red'

(a) **'Red Sunset'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Hershey's Azalea Farm (pre 1987), N: Hershey's Azalea Farm Fls hose-in-hose, red

(a) **'Red Tag'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.S. Yeates (pre 1985), N: J.S. Yeates (Listed in error as 'Red Rag' by Galle (1987))

(r) **'Red Tape'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Earl of Athlone' (s) × Fabia Group H: R. Henny (1944), G: R. Henny, N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny (pre 1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 8-9/truss, 65mm wide, 6-lobed, waxy, currant red (821/1). Lvs 125 × 50mm. Dwarf shrub. (The previous listing of 'Britannia as the pollen parent seems to have been an error)

(r) **'Red Throat'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marion' (s) × 'Midnight' H: K. Van de Ven, G: K. Van de Ven (1978), I: K. Van de Ven, REG: K. Van de Ven (1984) Fls 15/truss, campanulate, 40 × 80mm, pale purplish pink (65D), with a blotch of strong purplish red (58B). Lvs elliptic, 130 × 40mm. Shrub 1.2m

(r) **'Red Thunder'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × 'America' (s) × Kilimanjaro Group H: A.W. Smith, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls strong red (46A) in bud, opening vivid red (57A) and vivid purplish red (57B, C), with a strong red (53B) throat and strong red (53B) dorsal spots. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Red Tip'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: R.D. Gartrell (c 1965), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell (1977), REG: R.D. Gartrell (1985) Fls single (occasionally with small petaloid stamens), 2/bud, 37 × 72mm, open funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, white, margined deep purplish pink (55A) to strong purplish red (58C), colour often concentrated at tips in mature specimens, spotted deep purplish pink (54B) to moderate reddish orange (179C). Calyx 7mm long, light yellow-green (145B). Spring lvs elliptic, 66 × 30mm. Shrub up to 1.5m. Late May

(r) **'Red Top'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lord Roberts' (s) × 'Skipper Hal' H: M. Stockman (1992), G: M. & H. Stockman (1998), N: M. & H. Stockman (2000), REG: M. & H. Stockman (2000) Fls 13-14/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (45B) in bud, opening inside strong red (45D) with sparse, darker red, dorsal spotting; outside vivid red (45B). Calyx with two lobes 30mm long, two lobes 13mm long and one lobe 6mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 130 × 50mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins flat, semi-glossy and mid green above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.75m in 8 years. Mid May

(r) **'Red Torch'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × unknown R: Research Station for Nurseries, Boskoop (pre 1978), N: Research Station for Nurseries, Boskoop, I: Research Station for Nurseries, Boskoop, REG: Research Station for Nurseries, Boskoop (1979) Fls 16-23/truss, 75-90mm wide, strong red (53B), with a small black blotch. Lvs elliptic, 110-150(-180)x40-50(-60)mm, dark green

(r) **'Red Vallon'** (An error for 'Rosevallon')

(r) **'Red Velour'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney, N: G. & Mrs A. Sather, I: G. & Mrs A. Sather (pre 1975) Fls in a lax truss, orange-red, dotted with red. Lvs very dark green. Low, compact shrub, 0.9 in 10 years

(a) **'Red Velvet'** (Syn. of 'Ilam Red Velvet')

(r) **'Red Velvet'** (Syn. of 'Dexter's Red Velvet')

(r) **'Red Velvet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fusilier Group × *williamsianum* R: H.L. Larson, N: H.L. Larson, I: H.L. Larson, REG: H.L. Larson (1964) Fls campanulate, red. Lvs 115 × 65mm. Shrub to 1.0m tall (broader than tall) in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Red Walloper'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anna' × 'Burgundy' H: H. Lem (pre 1980) Fls red. (Lem's own selection under this name is from this parentage. Various other selections, named by other people, are from Lem's crossing of 'Anna' × 'Marinus Koster')

(r) **'Redwax'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *haematodes* (s) × May Day Group R: R. Henny, N: R. Henny, I:

R. Henny (1957), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 15/loose truss, 75mm wide, 5-lobed, brilliant orient red, unspotted. Lvs 125 × 30mm, deep green above, with a heavy, cinnamon-coloured indumentum below. Shrub under 1.0m

(a) **'Red Wing'** (Syn. of 'Hexe de Saffelaere'. Sometimes seen as 'Redwing' or 'Red Wings')

(a) **'Redwing'** (Syn. of 'Redwings'; see also under 'Red Wing')

(r) **'Redwing'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Shilsonii Group (s) × Barclayi Group H: Lord Aberconway (1927), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10-11/compact, globular truss, funnel-shaped, up to 45 × 80mm, deep carmine scarlet. Lvs 115 × 50mm, dull green above. FCC 1937 (Redwing Group)

(r) **Redwing Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Shilsonii Group (s) × Barclayi Group H: Lord Aberconway (1927), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1937), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Redwing Chip'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Delp's Cindy Lou', selfed R: W.E. Delp (pre 1986)

(a) **'Redwings'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L.L. Brooks (pre 1965), N: L.L. Brooks Fls hose-in-hose, 100mm wide, deep blood red, with wavy-edged lobes. Syn: 'Redwing', 'Red Bird', 'Red Ruffles' (See also under 'Red Wing')

(r) **'Redwood'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × *insigne* R: D.G. Hobbie (pre 1970), N: W. Wüstemeyer (pre 1985), I: W. Wüstemeyer Fls in large trusses, 7-lobed, rosy lilac, with green markings. Lvs glossy green. New shoots intense red. Shrub 1.8m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Red Yard'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1940), G: R. Schwoebel, N: R. deWilde, I: R. deWilde (pre 1952), REG: B. & M. Shapiro (1993) Fls 11/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 57 × 89mm, with (6-)7 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (68B) at margins (for c10mm), then shading through very pale purple (69A) to a nearly white throat, with two brilliant greenish yellow (1B) spotted flares in dorsal throat; outside very pale purple (73D) with strong purplish pink (68B) midribs; stamens 11, straight, unequal. Calyx 1mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 127-152 × 64mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub at least 1.5 × 1.8m. Mid May

(r) **'Reedianum'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1851), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose pink, with carmine spots. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Reflection'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1940), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Reflection'** cv. Parentage unknown H: R. Henny (pre 1980)

(a) **'Refrain'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Miyagino' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, hose-in-hose, 45-50mm wide, margins pure white, ground white suffused rosolane pink (moderate purplish pink (186D)), with a few rose (strong purplish red (63B)) stripes and with conspicuous tyrian rose (vivid purplish red (57B)) spots in the blotch; petaloid calyx also spotted. Shrub to 2.2m tall. Early-mid April. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Refulgence'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Mrs Carmichael' (s) × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 1-2/truss, 40-45mm wide, rose (strong purplish red (63B)), with a touch of tyrian rose (vivid purplish red (57B)) in the blotch that appears like a deep shading; faint yellow tinge at base of corolla. Lvs narrow. Shrub to 1.0m. Mid-late April. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Refulgens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark scarlet. Indian

(r) **'Regal'** (Syn. of 'PJM Regal')

(r) **'Regal Crown'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ronald Otto Delp' (s) × 'Golden Star' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls light yellowish pink (37D) and deep pink (48A, B) in bud, opening pale yellowish pink (159D) lightly flushed moderate yellowish pink (39C) and light pink (39D), with a pale yellow (18C) throat and brilliant greenish yellow (1B) dorsal spots. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Regale'** (Syn. of 'Russellianum Regale')

(r) **'Regale'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet rose. (A plant of this name (without description) was listed by Knight & Perry, c1850)

(r) **'Regalia'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T. Methven & Sons, N: T. Methven & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson

(r) **'Regal Lace'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lem's Cameo' × 'Coker's Pink' H: B. Sligh (1983), G: B. Sligh (1988), N: B. Sligh (1994), I: Taunton Gardens (1995), REG: B. Sligh (1994) Fls 13-15/lax truss, wide open, 40 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds strong red (47B), opening inside at edges strong pink (48D) frosted light pink (49C), remainder light to pale pink (49C, D), flushed light yellowish pink (29C) on dorsal lobes, and with throat blotched greyish brown (166A) to moderate red (179A); outside deep to strong pink (47D, 48D), frosted light pink (49C); throat blotch is large and conspicuous. Calyx 15mm long, pale pink (49D) with a greyish brown (166A)/moderate red (179A) blotch. Lvs 115 × 40mm, flat, matt green, pointed at both ends, hairless; new foliage edged red.

Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 10 years. October-early November (Australia)

(r) **'Regan Jo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ho-Ho' (s) × 'Bloomin' Charlie' H: M. Stockman (1987), G: M. Stockman (1993), N: M. & H. Stockman, REG: M. & H. Stockman (1995) Fls 10-14/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged, deep lobes, inside close to white, with a 3-6mm wide edging of strong reddish purple (70B) to deep purplish pink (70C); outside 70B-C; stamens 9, curved, unequal; stigma red. Calyx 3mm long, mustard-coloured. Pedicels 25mm long, reddish brown. Lvs elliptic, 102 × 38mm, convex, acute at apex, oblique at base, dull mid green above, hairless; petioles 20mm long, light green. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 8 years. Late May

(a) **'Regent'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls delicate pink. Indian

(a) **'Regia'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.R. Gowen (1829), N: J.R. Gowen, INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Published in *Botanical Register*, 1830, under t.1366 where two possible parental combinations are discussed)

(a) **'Regierungsrath von Eschwege'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, heavy rose, with a black shining blotch. Indian

(r) **'Regificum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1851), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red or rosy scarlet. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Regina'** (Syn. of 'Tendresse')

(a) **'Regina'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange rose red. Indian

(a) **'Regina'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. de Cock (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose. Ghent

(a) **'Regina'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: H.J. Hooftman (pre 1935), N: H.J. Hooftman, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft pale salmon. Kaempferi

(a) **'Regina'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum* (s) × 'Hazel Dawson' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-2/truss, 70mm wide, with broad, rounded lobes, deep rose pink (deep purplish pink (64D), with a small blotch (like a stain of tyrian rose (vivid purplish red (57B))). Spreading shrub to 1.2m tall. Mid-late May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Regina'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Adventglöckchen' × 'Schnee' R: Z. Stiborek (c 1968), N: Z. Stiborek Fls single to semi-double, 62-67mm wide, light salmon pink. Lvs elliptic, dull and dark green above

(a) **'Regina Alba'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1859), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as a hardy azalea)

(a) **'Regina Belgica'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1836), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, flesh pink, bordered violet (H. Hesse, 1899); fls pink (H. White, n. d.). Shrub 1.0-1.5m. Ghent (The earliest listings are as 'Reginae Belgica', which is treated here as an error)

(r) **'Reginald Childs'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *uvariifolium* R: Wakehurst, N: Wakehurst, I: Wakehurst (1976), REG: Wakehurst (1976) Fls 20-22/loose truss, open campanulate, 45 × 55mm, white, suffused pale purplish pink (65C), with a large dorsal blotch of deep red (53A). Calyx rudimentary, pale green. Lvs oblanceolate, 260 × 70mm, glossy and dark green above with impressed veins, with ash grey, plastered indumentum below. AM 1976

(r) **'Reginald Farrer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* I: T.C. Thacker (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls apricot orange

(a) **'Regina Nova'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1851), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Reginum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep blush

(r) **'Regulator'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1847), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple crimson, with red spots. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Reich's Schneewittchen'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group × *keiskei* 'Yaku Fairy' H: W. Reich (1978), G: W. Reich (1983), N: W. Reich, I: W. Reich (1984), REG: W. Reich (1992) Fls 6-9/flattened ball truss, open to broadly funnel-shaped, 36 × 55-58mm, with 5 wavy to very wavy-edged lobes, light cream in bud, opening yellowish white (155D) with vivid yellow (9B) spots along midrib of dorsal lobe; stamens 10, curved, unequal. Calyx 3.5mm long, yellowish green. Pedicels 17-19mm long, moderate red (181C). Lvs elliptic, 24-65 × 12-34mm, flat (partially convex longitudinally), acute to obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, matt and moderate olive green (137A) to deep yellowish green (141A) above, dark greenish yellow (152C) to moderate yellow-green (146C) below, scaly; petioles 4-15mm long, yellowish green, light reddish brown at base, scaly. Winter lvs turn reddish. Shrub 0.5 × 0.55m in 6 years. Early-mid May

(r) **'Reid Ogdon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Whitney's Orange' (s) × Fabia Group × *bureavii* H: K.T. Shea (1984), G: B.J. Ogdon (1992), N: B.J. Ogdon (1998), REG: B.J. Ogdon (1998) Fls to 11/lax truss, open campanulate, 60 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (50B) in bud, opening inside strong pink (50C), outside deep pink (50B), with maroon to black spots on all lobes and on calyx. Calyx 40mm long, red, spotted. Lvs oblanceolate, fat, with decurved margins, matt green, hairless. Shrub 1.15 × 1.3m in 10 years. Mid May

(a) **'Reid Red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: G.A. Reid (1966), G: G.A. Reid (1971), N: G.A. Reid, I: G.A. Reid (1975), REG: G.A. Reid (1976) Fls hose-in-hose and semi-double, 3-5/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, 5+5+(1-5)-lobed, rose red (724/1), unspotted. Calyx 25mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs narrowly obovate, 40 × 17mm, glossy and parsley green (00962) above, hairless. Shrub 0.5 × 0.4m in 4 years. Early-mid May

(r) **'Reid's Red'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × unknown H: unknown (pre 1947), G: C. Reid Fls red

(r) **'Reifrock'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group × *smirnowii* (s) × 'Purple Splendour' H: H. Meltzer (1984), G: H. Meltzer (1989), N: H. Meltzer, REG: H. Meltzer (1996) Fls 12-15/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 30 × 40-50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish purple (72B), with faint markings. Calyx petaloid, streaked white and lilac. Lvs elliptic, 90 × 30-40mm, hairless. Shrub 0.7 × 0.7m in 8 years. Early May-early June

(a) **'Reigetsu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Shozui' × 'Yata-no-kagami' R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65-75mm wide, with rounded lobes, white, heavily flaked with red; some red with a pale centre. Satsuki

(r) **'Reigyoku'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *degronianum* R: Japan (pre 1997), N: Japan Lvs variegated

(a) **'Reiho'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Takasago' R: Japan (pre 1939), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65mm wide, with rounded lobes, white, with sectors (and some selfs) of deep purplish red. Satsuki (Sometimes spelt 'Reihow')

(a) **'Reiho'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Hakurei' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 40-50mm wide, with narrow, pointed lobes, very pale pink, with heavy dorsal spotting of dark pink. Satsuki

(r) **'Reihoe'** (Syn. of 'Reihou')

(r) **'Reihou'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *degronianum* R: Japan (pre 1997), N: Japan Lvs variegated. Syn: 'Reihoe'

(a) **'Reijin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Banka' × 'Kusudama' R: Japan (pre 1977), N: Japan Fls 75-100mm wide, with overlapping, slightly wavy-edged lobes, white to very pale pink, with stripes, sectors and selfs of deep pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Reiko'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hototogisu' × 'Ungetsu' R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50-65mm wide, with pointed lobes, white to pale pink, with stripes, sectors and margins of moderate purplish red; some with white centres and deep pink borders. Satsuki

(a) **'Reimei'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1964), N: Japan Fls 100mm wide, vivid purplish pink. (Raised on Hirado Island, Japan)

(r) **'Reine Amélie'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Byls (pre 1858), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark crimson, with an intense black blotch

(a) **'Reine d'Angleterre'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: L. Verschaffelt (1846), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with bands of isabelline yellow on the lobes. Ghent (See also entry under 'Queen of England')

(r) **'Reine d'Angleterre'** cv. Parentage unknown L: R. Veitch & Son (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy purple, spotted. (Definitely listed as a 'hardy rhododendron'. J. Veitch & Sons in the same year listed a plant described as 'orange-red, with yellow in dorsal lobe' (as 'Reine de l'Angleterre'))

(r) **'Reine de Français'** (An error for 'Reine des Français')

(a) **'Reine de Portugal'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Verschaffelt (1872), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, pure white, with pale green spots at edges, sometimes tinged yellow, sometimes with pale rose stripes. Indian (This or another plant was listed by both A. van Geert in 1852 and L. Jacob-Makoy in 1849)

(a) **'Reine de Prusse'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1875), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Reine des Amateurs'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Elise Lieber' I: J. Vervaene (1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, single, of good shape, pale lilac rose with carmine red dots and broad, pure white edges. Indian

(a) **'Reine des Beautés'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Verschaffelt, N: A. Verschaffelt, I: A. Verschaffelt (1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, salmon rose, white grained at edges, flaked with carmine, densely and richly spotted crimson. Indian

(a) **'Reine des Belges'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls flesh pink, striped carmine, with a yellow blotch (C. van Geert, 1890); light red and orange (H. White, n. d.). Ghent

(a) **'Reine des Belges'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Verschaffelt (pre 1844), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, lilac rose. Indian

(r) **'Reine des Belges'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Byls (pre 1868), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear, soft red

(a) **'Reine des Blanches'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Vervaene (1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white, with a yellow blotch on the three dorsal lobes. Syn: 'La Reine des Blanches'. Indian

(a) **'Reine des Blanches'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Bernard Andreae Albus' × 'Anna Gunkel' I: P.B. van Acker (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pure white. Indian

(a) **'Reine des Doubles'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Vervaene (pre 1863), N: J. Vervaene, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Reine des Fleurs'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1874), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, salmon rose with broad edges and markings of pure white and with an amaranth blotch. Indian

(r) **'Reine des Français'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958) (Also seen in error as 'Reine de Français')

(a) **'Reine des Panachées'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: de Witte (1859), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white with rose stripes. Indian

(a) **'Reine des Pays-Bas'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1859), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as a hardy azalea; perhaps the same plant listed by Burdin, 1845)

(a) **'Reine des Pays-Bas'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. Maenhout, N: L. Maenhout, I: L. Maenhout (1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls milk white with amaranth spots and lilac bands. Syn: 'La Reine des Pays-Bas'. Indian

(a) **'Reine des Roses'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: D. Vervaene, N: D. Vervaene, I: D. Vervaene (1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac rose, with a dark red blotch. Indian

(a) **'Reine des Rouges'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. van Geert (1877), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vivid red, with an orange flare, a long tube and very long stamens. Ghent

(r) **'Reine de Wurtemberg'** cv. Parentage unknown L: G. Morlet (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) (Published in *Horticulture Français*, 1854, p.107-111)

(a) **'Reine Elisabeth'** (See 'La Reine Elisabeth')

(a) **'Reine Elisabeth'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, purple. Indian

(r) **'Reine Long'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *dendricola* Taronense Group × 'Else Frye' H: P.J. Bowman, G: E.H. Long, REG: E.H. Long (1963) Fls 4-5/loose truss, rotate, 95mm wide, white, with a large indian yellow (6/1) blotch and lobes streaked rose madder (23/1); strongly scented. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(a) **'Reine Louise'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Firma Seidel (1859), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, carmine red, with a yellow blotch. Ghent

(a) **'Reine Louise'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Delmotte (1861), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white, with red stripes. Indian (Perhaps the same plant exhibited by van Acker at Orléans (France) in 1848: fls large, white, striped or ribboned bright rose)

(r) **'Reine Louise'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as a form or hybrid of *ponticum* L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Reine Marguerite'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Madame Louis van Houtte' × 'Madame Moreux' I: P.B. van Acker (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, rose with a white edge resembling 'Madame A. de Smet'. Indian

(a) **'Reine Marie Henriette'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, pure white with salmon in the centre, and with rose dots and stripes in a large dorsal blotch. Indian (Perhaps raised by J. Vervaene)

(r) **'Reine Marie Henriette'** cv. Parentage unknown R: B. Fortie (pre 1869), N: B. Fortie, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Reine Sophia'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine rose, with a yellow blotch. Ghent

(a) **'Reine Wilhelmina'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Petrick (1901), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, very intense velvet rose. Indian

(a) **'Reinhold Ambrosius'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown, perhaps an 'Hexe' hybrid R: R. Ambrosius (c 1930), N: Belgium, I: Belgium (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, strong purplish red (58B). Calyx normal, green. Midseason. Syn: 'Ambrosius'. Indian

(a) **'Reini'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Fritz Seidel' I: R. Ambrosius (1929), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, deep salmon, with narrow, pure white edges. Resembles 'Chicago'. Indian

(a) **'Rei Ro'** (Perhaps an error for 'Reiho; used as a parent of 'White Jade')

(a) **'Rejoice'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Waraigishi' × 'Kagetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1965) Fls double, 65-75mm wide, with 10-15 lobes, lobes rounded, well imbricated and opening widely (as in a semi-double rose), between rose pink and rose, with some dorsal spotting of tyrian rose; pistil and stamens often malformed. Shrub 1.2xc1.2m in 10 years. Back Acres

(r) **'Relaxation'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: May Day Group (s) × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: C.C. Smith (1966), G: C.C. Smith, N: C.C. Smith, I: C.C. Smith, REG: C.C. Smith (1983) Fls 15/truss, campanulate, 50 × 50mm, 5-6-lobed, strong red (53B), with dark red nectaries. Calyx minute, grey. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, or between oblanceolate and narrowly obovate, 90-100 × 40mm, dark yellowish green (139A), with a dense pale yellow (164D) indumentum below. New shoots creamy tomentose. Shrub c1.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Reliant'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *calostrotum* × *dauricum* 'Arctic Pearl' R: C.R. & V. Haag (pre 1991), I: Cardinal Nursery (c 1991) Fls pink. April

(r) **'Remarkable'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac, with rich puce spots and a very dark eye

(a) **'Remarquable'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. Verschaffelt (pre 1853), N: L. Verschaffelt, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange rose, spotted dark yellow. Ghent

(a) **'Rembrandt'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large trusses, but individually rather small, crimson, shaded with violet. Ghent

(a) **'Rembrandt'** cv. Evergreen azalea: developed from 'Hexe' I: A. Steyaert (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, rose, resembling 'Madame John Haerens'. Indian

(a) **'Rembrandt'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Gebr Kersbergen, N: Gebr Kersbergen, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon rose. Mollis

(r) **'Rembrandt'** cv. Parentage unknown L: A. Henderson & Co. (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet (Henderson); rosy crimson (B. S. Williams, 1872); delicate rose (W. Rollisson, 1877); finest purple (1958 Register). (It seems likely that more than one plant was involved)

(r) **Rembrandt Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Dante' (s) × 'Sunrise' H: Lord Aberconway (1936), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet

(r) **'Remember Me'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.L. Tolstead (1975), G: W.L. Tolstead, N: W.L. Tolstead, REG: W.L. Tolstead (1995) Fls 12/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 65mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, deep purplish pink, with a strong purplish red blotch. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 50mm, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 2.0m in 15 years. Early June. (Derived from *catawbiensel fortunei* crosses, perhaps with admixture of other species)

(a) **'Remembrance'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum*, deep salmon-fld form (s) × 'Hazel Dawson' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, violet rose, with a blotch of sharply contrasting, tiny vivid red (52A) dots. Lvs narrow, dark green. Shrub to 1.5m. Early May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Remembrance of Lady Florence Hastings'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, pure porcelain white; anthers black. Indian

(a) **'Remembrance of President Garfield'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1885), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very deep rose. Indian

(a) **'Remembrance of Stephenson Clarke'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1893), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, deep purple/carmine red, with a brown blotch. Indian

(r) **Remo Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *valentinianum* (s) × *lutescens* H: J.B. Stevenson (1937), G: J.B. Stevenson, N: J.B. Stevenson, I: J.B. Stevenson (1943), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls funnel-shaped, deep yellow. Shrub 0.5-0.6m

(r) **'Remus'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright crimson, with dark spots. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **Remus Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *forrestii* Repens Group (s) × *beanianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1935), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine

(a) **'Rena'** cv. Evergreen azalea: un-named seedling × un-named seedling H: K. Glaser (1990), G: K. Glaser, N: K. Glaser, I: K. Glaser (2000) Fls fully double, open funnel-shaped, c82mm wide, with very wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish purple (72B) inside and out, with deep to moderate red (185A-B) markings in the throat; anthers violet. Normal calyx present. Lvs elliptic to slightly obovate, dark green, apex rounded. Early

(r) **'Renaissance'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Countess of Haddington' × *maddenii* R: G.M. Adams-Acton (pre 1942), N: G.M. Adams-Acton, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Renaissance'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Peter Koster' (s) × 'Loderi King George' H: J.A. Barto, N: Mrs H. Fogg, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light red

(r) **'Renata'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Annedore' (s) × 'Mrs Milner' R: T.J.R. Seidel (c 1907), N: T.J.R. Seidel (1915), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark crimson red, with weak brown spotting on a paler ground

(a) **'Renate'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Leuchtfeuer' × 'Schnee' I: R. Mayer (1977) Fls double, vivid reddish orange (44C). Calyx normal, green. Midseason. Indian

(a) **'Renate Buchtmann'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Kermesinum' R: H.-G. Buchtmann, S: H.-G. Buchtmann (1982), N: H.-G. Buchtmann Fls carmine red. Lvs circular, 5-10mm wide, twisted, hairy above. Very dwarf, very slow-growing shrub

(a) **'Renato Rovelli'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Fratelli Rovelli (pre 1902), N: Fratelli Rovelli, I: Fratelli Rovelli, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, deep red

(r) **'Rendall's Scarlet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* (s) × *ponticum* R: Rendall (pre 1912), N: Rendall, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls intense red, with dark markings in the throat. (Smithii Group)

(r) **'Rendezvous'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marinus Koster' (s) × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada'

H: H. Hachmann (1968), G: H. Hachmann (1974), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1983), REG: G. Stück (1984) Fls 17-24/truss, 40-50 × 60-65 (-70)mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish red to deep purplish pink (54A-B), fading to nearly white in the throat, marked deep to strong red (53A-B). Calyx 2-2.5mm long, light greenish, edged strong purplish red (54A). Lvs elliptic, 120-135 × 46-49mm, dark green and fairly glossy above, with a silvery white, felt-like indumentum on the young foliage

(a) **'René'** (Syn. of 'Renée')

(a) **'René'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Professeur Wolters' × 'Hexe' I: A. de Reuse (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, pale rose. Indian

(a) **'Rene Cornell'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Perle de Swynaerde' × 'Sherwoodii' R: P.B. Cornell, N: P.B. Cornell, I: P.B. Cornell (c 1960) Fls single, 50mm wide, light purple (phlox purple 632/1. Upright habit. Early midseason. Indian

(a) **'Rene Damore'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Poland (1994)

(r) **'René d'Anjou'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as an *arboreum* form or hybrid L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Renée'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Vuylsteke (1875), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vermilion orange, spotted chrome yellow. Syn: 'René', 'Renei'. Ghent

(r) **'Renée'** (Syn. of 'Rosabel')

(a) **'Renée Michelle'** cv. Evergreen azalea: un-named seedling × 'Gumpo Pink' R: P.E. Girard (1962), N: P.E. Girard, I: P.E. Girard (1975), REG: P.E. Girard (1975) Fls single, 3-5/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 25 × 65mm, 5-lobed, deep pink (10RP 6/12), with light red spotting. Calyx 7mm long, light green. Lvs broadly elliptic, 40-45 × 17-25mm, glossy and light green above, slightly hairy. Shrub 0.5 × 0.45m in 6 years. Early June

(r) **'Renée Robeson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs G.W. Leak' × 'Stanway' H: E. de Rothschild (1982), G: E. de Rothschild (1989), N: E. de Rothschild (1992), REG: E. de Rothschild (1992) Fls 18/conical truss, funnel-shaped, 70 × 100mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (50B) in bud, opening light yellowish pink (19B) inside and out; blotch orange-yellow (22), overspotted with vivid reddish orange (44B) on three dorsal lobes. Lvs elliptic, 170 × 55mm, flat, tapered to apex and base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 1.0m in 10 years. May

(r) **'Renee Shirey'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Caltwins', selfed H: W.E. Delp (1985), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 14/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 43 × 70mm, 5-lobed, vivid purplish red (66A) to light purplish pink (68D) in bud, opening to a blend of purplish pinks (68A-D) and with vivid yellow-green (154A) dorsal spots; filaments greenish white (157D); anthers moderate red (185B); style pale yellow-green (157B); stigma dark red (187A). Lvs 102 × 44mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 0.9m in 7 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Renei'** (Syn. of 'Renée')

(r) **'René Moser'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Nomblot-Bruneau (1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark mauve, with a darker blotch

(a) **'Renge-tsutsuji'** cv. Deciduous azalea: typical form of *molle* subsp. *japonicum* L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c60mm wide, clay red

(r) **'Renhaven'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Umpqua Chief' (s) × *elliottii* I: D.W. James (c 1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a flat truss, funnel-campanulate, 75mm wide, dark red, with slight speckling. Calyx two thirds the length of the corolla. Lvs lanceolate, 100 × 40mm, deep green. Shrub 1.4m in 10 years

(r) **'Renidescens'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy crimson. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Rennie'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Exbury, N: Exbury, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vivid red, suffused yellow. Knap Hill (The erroneous spelling 'Renne' is sometimes listed)

(r) **'Rennie Moffat'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *valentinianum* (s) × *pachypodum* H: R. Moffat (1970s), G: R. Moffat (c 1985), N: R.J. Oldaker (2002), REG: J. Colville (2002) Fls 4-5/loose truss, broadly tubular funnel-shaped, 60 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, green-yellow in bud, opening inside and out pale yellow; unmarked; brown scales scattered along lobe midribs outside; anthers brown; stigma green; unscented. Calyx 2mm long, reddish brown, densely scaly, ciliate. Lvs elliptic, 55-70 × 17-24mm, margins flat, matt green and without hairs or scales above, with dense, small reddish brown scales below. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 10 years. March-April. (Standard: herbarium specimen provided by registrant (WSY 0033623))

(r) **'Renoir'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pauline' × *yakushimanum* H: F.E.W. Hanger (1951), G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, I: Royal Horticultural Society (1961), REG: Royal Horticultural Society (1962) Fls 11/rounded truss, deeply campanulate, deep purplish pink (55A), white in the throat, with some dark crimson, dorsal spotting. Dwarf shrub. AM 1961

(a) **'Renowned'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: Exbury Gardens Ltd (pre 1965), G: Exbury Gardens Ltd (pre 1980), N: E. de Rothschild, REG: Exbury Gardens Ltd (1996) Fls occasionally semi-double, 8-10/rounded truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds light yellow (20B) flushed moderate reddish orange (41C), opening light yellow (20B) flushed moderate yellowish pink (38B); out-

side pale yellow (20C) flushed deep yellowish pink (41D); dorsal lobe with a vivid yellow (17C) blotch; filaments apricot-coloured; style peach-coloured. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 110 × 40mm, margins flat, matt green above (with bronze tinges), pointed at apex and base, hairless. Shrub 2.5 × 2.5m in 30 years. May

(a) **'Rentschler's Rose'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: H.W. Motzkau, N: Yoder Bros, I: Yoder Bros (pre 1987) Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, purplish pink

(r) **Reparm Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *forrestii* Repens Group (s) × *parmulatum* H: Lord Aberconway (1937), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose

(r) **Repens Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. forrestii* var. *repens*

(a) **'Réplique'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *viscosum* × 'Koster's Brilliant Red' H: B.B.C. Felix (1938), I: Felix & Dijkhuis, REG: Felix & Dijkhuis (1963) Fls single, 8-11/truss, narrow tubular funnel-shaped, 45 × 55mm, white, suffused moderate purplish pink (62B), with yellow spots on the dorsal lobe; scented

(r) **'Repose'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *lacteum* (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* R: L. de Rothschild (1936), I: E. de Rothschild (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c18/open, flat-topped truss, deeply campanulate, whitish cream suffused faintly with green, throat spotted with limited greenish crimson markings. May. AM 1956 (Repose Group)

(r) **Repose Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *lacteum* (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* R: L. de Rothschild (1936), I: E. de Rothschild (1950), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Requiem'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × 'Kagetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 50mm wide, white, with a chartreuse blotch and rarely with magenta (strong purplish red (72A)) stripes. Shrub to 1.2m. Early-mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Resonanz'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Aprilleuchten Group (s) × 'Hachmann's Feuerschein' H: H. Hachmann (1979), G: H. Hachmann (1984), N: H. Hachmann (1991), I: H. Hachmann (1992), REG: G. Stück (1994) Fls 14/dense, ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, with 5(-6-7) wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (68B) inside and out, edges deep purplish pink (68A) inside and out, throat light purplish pink (68D); slight dorsal spotting of moderate to strong purplish red (64A/B); stamens 10, filaments light purplish pink (68D), anthers white; style near white, stigma moderate red (185B). Calyx 1-2mm long, reddish green. Pedicels red on upper side. Lvs elliptic-ovate, to 120 × 40-55mm, matt dark green above with yellowish midveins and edges, apiculate at apex, cordate at base, with brown hairs below. Shrub 1.6 × 1.8m in 15 years. Mid May-early June. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1993/1994)

(r) **'Resplendens'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as an *arboreum* form or hybrid L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Resplendens Fulgidum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Resplendens Superbum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Resplendent'** cv. Parentage unknown L: T. Methven & Son (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light pink, with red spots

(a) **'Reticulatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **Retreat Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *facetum* × un-named Lowinsky hybrid (no. TL 3630) R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large, rounded trusses, red, shading to pink. Tall, loose shrub. May

(a) **'Retrich'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *reticulatum* (s) × *weyrichii* R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, I: C. Ingram (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls magenta with a suggestion of salmon in the throat

(r) **'Retta's Pink Delight'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ogaretta' (s) × 'Nestucca' H: R.L. Means (1992), G: R.L. Means (1996), N: R.L. Means (1998), I: Yadkin Valley Nursery Co., REG: R.L. Means (1998) Fls 15/domed, very compact truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (68C) in bud, opening inside very pale purple (69C) with a prominent, strong red (46A) blotch in the throat; outside very light purple (75C). Calyx very short. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 140 × 45mm, margins decurved, acute at apex with a slight twist, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 6 years. Early May

(r) **'Return to Paradise'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sappho' × unknown H: Mrs H.A. Frederick, Jr (1966), G: Mrs H.A. Frederick, Jr (1976), N: Mrs H.A. Frederick, Jr, I: Mrs H.A. Frederick, Jr, REG: Mrs H.A. Frederick, Jr (1977) Fls up to 16/truss, open funnel-shaped, 90mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, white (155D), with golden tan spotting on the dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 45mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 0.9m in 9 years. Mid May

(r) **'Reuthe's Purple'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: seedling from *lepidotum*, considered by many to be a hybrid R: G. Reuthe Ltd, N: G. Reuthe Ltd, I: G. Reuthe Ltd, REG: G. Reuthe Ltd (1967) Fls 1-3/truss, rotate-campanulate, 13 × 40mm, vivid purple (80A), with dark

markings on three dorsal lobes. Calyx lobes 4-5mm long. Lvs elliptic, c20 × 10mm, densely aromatic scaly below, less so above. AM 1967

(r) **'Reuthe's Reward'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lindleyi* (s) × *nuttallii* R: G. Reuthe Ltd, REG: Hon. A. Elphinstone (1970) Fls large, cream white with an apricot blotch. Lvs characteristic of *lindleyi*

(a) **'Rêve d'Amour'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *viscosum* × 'Koster's Brilliant Red' H: B.B.C. Felix (1938), I: Felix & Dijkhuis, REG: Felix & Dijkhuis (1963) Fls single, 7-9/truss, 40 × 45mm, narrow tubular funnel-shaped, light purplish pink (62C), with darker median lines on the lobes and a pale orange blotch; scented

(a) **'Rêve de Bonheur'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1859), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Reveesii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Revell's Red'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1935), N: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1962), I: Waterer (Knap Hill), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1962) Fls deep red

(r) **'Reverend James Whitaker'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Award' (s) × 'Esther Wagner' H: E.T. Anderson (1983), G: H.S. Baker (1991), N: H.S. Baker, REG: H.S. Baker (1995) Fls 15-17/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 76 × 89-102mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (52C) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (54B) inside on margins, shading to strong purplish pink (55B); dorsal lobes and upper dorsal throat spotted strong greenish yellow (151A); outside deep purplish pink (54B); stamens 14, straight, unequal. Calyx minute, light green. Pedicels 13-19mm long, pink. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 178 × 38-51mm, convex, acute at apex, oblique at base, some twisted, bullate and moderate olive green (137A) above, moderate yellow-green (138C) below; petioles 25mm long, light green. Shrub 1.2-1.5 × 1.2m in 10 years. Mid April

(r) **'Reverend Paul'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Point Defiance' (s) × 'Countess of Derby' H: B. Vinson (1975), G: E. Anderson, N: E. Anderson, REG: E. Anderson (1993) Fls 13-14/tall, cone-shaped truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 70-76 × 102mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (67C) in bud, opening white (whiter than 155D) with a deep red (53A) blotch in dorsal throat and sparse speckling of 53A above the blotch; outside with moderate purplish pink (54D) stripes on midribs of lobes; stamens 11-12, unequal; stigma vivid reddish orange (42A); style light yellowish pink (159A). Calyx 10mm longstrongred (53B). Pedicels 32-44mm long, strong greenish yellow (151A). Lvs elliptic, 140-178 × 51-68mm, slightly convex, acute at apex, oblique at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, strong yellow-green (144B) below, hairless; petioles 19-25mm long, strong yellow-green (145A). Shrub 1.5 × 1.4m in 17 years. Late April-mid May

(r) **'Reverend R.W. Carew Hunt'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: O. Schulz (1890), I: J.H. van Nes (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls funnel-shaped, red

(a) **'Reverie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls deep pink. Shrub of upright habit. Midseason

(r) **Reverie Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *auriculatum* × 'Saint Keverne' H: L. de Rothschild (1936), I: E. de Rothschild (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, flushed pink. Large shrub. June

(r) **'Rêve Rose'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *forrestii* Repens Group (pink form) (s) × Bow Bells Group H: L.E. Brandt (1951), G: L.E. Brandt (1956), N: L.E. Brandt, I: L.E. Brandt, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3-5/loose truss, 40 × 45mm, salmon rose/neyron rose (021/1-623), with a weak red blotch. Lvs broadly elliptic to rounded, 30-50 × 20-35(-40)mm, dark green, slightly auricled at base. Compact shrub to 1.5m

(r) **'Reversi'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Lady Loder (1935), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Revery'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × *indicum*, orange-flowered form R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-2/truss, 50-65mm wide, light rose (strong purplish red (63B)). Shrub to 1.2m tall. Late April, with intermittent flowering in mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **Review Order Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *neriiflorum* Euchaites Group × *griersonianum* × *haematodes* R: Lord Stair, N: Lord Stair, I: Lord Stair (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c5/lax truss, campanulate, blood red (820/2), with faint brown spotting. Lvs with dense, thick tomentum below. AM 1954

(r) **'Revlon'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* Roylei Group (s) × Lady Chamberlain Group R: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1957), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 7/truss, pendulous, tubular-campanulate, deep pink (52B). Lvs elliptic, glossy green above, densely scaly below. May. AM 1957

(a) **'Reward'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* × 'Alice' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 65-75mm wide, lavender pink. Lvs narrow, mid green, slightly hairy. Broad, spreading shrub to 1.2m tall. Mid-late April. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Rex'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hinomayo' × 'Kirin' R: A. van Hecke (c 1945), N: A. van Hecke, I: A. van Hecke (c 1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, strong yellowish pink (43D). Early. Kurume

(a) **'Rex'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1984) Fls orange-red. Midseason. (Grown in Germany)

(r) **'Rexima'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Hanano-ego' (s) × *rex* R: H. Robenek (c 1977),

N: H. Robenek Fls campanulate, 7-lobed, pale lilac rose in bud, opening white with dark red basal blotch and weak dark red markings. Lvs large, dark green above, with a brownish indumentum below. Compact shrub

(a) **'Reyndersianum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Verschaffelt (c 1843), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'R.F.D.'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Stokes (pre 1969), N: W.E. Stokes

(a) **'R.G.N.'** (Syn. of 'Comtesse de Kerchove')

(a) **'Rhapsody'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Bobbink & Atkins, N: Bobbink & Atkins, I: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, clear apricot salmon. Indian

(a) **'Rhapsody'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × 'Kagetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, rose pink (light purplish pink (73C)), with a rose red (vivid red (52A)) blotch. Broad spreading shrub. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **Rhapsody Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Dorinthia Group (s) × Loderi Group H: Lord Aberconway (1940), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose

(a) **'Rhea'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white. Indian

(a) **'Rhea Pender'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: D. Pender, Jr (pre 1987), N: D. Pender, Jr Fls hose-in-hose, 65mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink. Shrub 1.2-1.9m

(a) **'Rheba'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid R: W.D. Smith (pre 1982), N: W.D. Smith Fls double, 75mm wide, Indian pink. (For details of parentage see *The Azalean* 4 (1): 4 (1982))

(r) **'Rheingold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Souvenir of Anthony Waterer' × 'Direktor E. Hjelm' (s) × 'Marrakesch' H: H.J.A. Guyens (1994), G: H.J.A. Guyens (2000), N: H.J.A. Guyens (2001), I: H.J.A. Guyens, REG: H.J.A. Guyens (2001) Fls 11-13/tight globular truss, funnel-shaped, 75 × 90mm, with 5-6 lobes, light green in bud, opening inside a mixture of salmon pink, cream and yellow, ageing to champagne or warm gold overall; outside a mixture of salmon pink, cream and yellow; dorsal lobes with olive green spots on a strong yellow ground. Calyx 15-20mm long, a mixture of pink, cream and yellow. Lvs oblong, 110-160 × 40-55mm, flat to rather undulate and upcurved, more-or-less rounded at apex and base, slightly glossy above, silvery hairy at first, later with only a slight, light brown indumentum. Shrub 0.65 × 0.75m in 7 years. Late April-early May. Flower heads very large, with up to 5 terminal buds

(a) **'Rheinhold Ambrosius'** (An error for 'Reinhold Ambrosius')

(r) **'Rhein's Legacy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mary Belle' (s) × *vernicosum* aff. (Rock 18139) H: W.L. Rhein (1977), G: W.L. Rhein (1982), N: W.L. Rhein, REG: Rhein Registration Committee (1996) Fls 13-15/open ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, pale yellow (11C) with a 10mm wide light purplish pink (73C) edging, throat spotted dark red to deep purplish red (187B-D), with spotted rays of 187D, changing to light purplish pink (73C), extending towards edges; stamens 13-14, straight, unequal; slightly scented. Calyx minute. Pedicels 40-50mm long, strong yellow-green (144A) flushed moderate red (180A) above. Lvs elliptic, 90-100 × 30-40mm, edges decurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (137A) and glossy above, moderate yellow-green (148B) below, hairless; petioles 15mm long, dark greenish yellow (152D). Shrub 1.1 × 1.8m in 17 years. Mid May

(r) **'Rhein's Luna'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: white-flowered *minus* Carolinianum Group (s) × Russautinii Group H: W.L. Rhein (1978), G: W.L. Rhein (1982), N: W.L. Rhein, REG: Am.Rh.Soc., Susquehanna Valley Chapter (1995) Fls 4-6/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 25 × 44mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, light purple (85A) at margins, shading to very light purple (85C) in the throat; stamens 8, straight; style strong purplish pink (73B). Calyx 3mm long, brilliant yellow-green (142B). Pedicels 10-16mm long. Lvs elliptic, 70-79 × 20-35mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, moderate yellow-green (148B) below and scaly: the scales moderate red (180A). Shrub 2.0 × 1.5m in 14 years. Early May

(r) **'Rhein's Picotee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sappho' (s) × 'Janet Blair' H: W.L. Rhein (1973), G: W.L. Rhein (1978), N: W.L. Rhein, REG: Am.Rh.Soc., Susquehanna Valley Chapter (1995) Fls 15-20/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 48 × 57mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, margins light purple (81C), star-shaped centre yellowish white (155D), with a large area of strong orange-yellow (163B) spotting on dorsal lobe; stamens 12, straight, unequal; stigma moderate red (181A). Calyx minute. Pedicels 25-32mm long, strong yellow-green (145A). Lvs elliptic, 102-127 × 38-51mm, concave, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (137B) above, moderate yellow-green (146D) below; petioles 13-19mm long, moderate red (183B), hairy. Shrub 1.8 × 2.4m in 19 years. Mid May

(r) **'Rheinzauber'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Volker Group × 'Viscy' (s) × 'Guyens's Mitternachtssone' H: H.J.A. Guyens (1993), G: H.J.A. Guyens (2000), N: H.J.A. Guyens (2001), I: H.J.A. Guyens, REG: H.J.A. Guyens (2001) Fls 16-19/rather loose, rounded truss, funnel-shaped, 60 × 70mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, green in bud, opening inside soft pink, with pink margins, ageing to cream white, outside pink; dorsal lobes

with brown spots on a cream yellow ground. Lvs lanceolate, 85-135 × 25-40mm, margins flat to slightly wavy, acute at apex and base, slightly glossy above, hairless. Shrub 0.65 × 1.0m in 8 years. Late April-mid May

(a) **'Rhenania'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Gebr Mardner, N: Gebr Mardner, I: Gebr Mardner (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls often semi-double, carmine rose, with a saffron blotch. Indian

(r) **'Rhoda'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* hybrid R: R. Veitch & Son (pre 1867), N: R. Veitch & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear pink

(a) **'Rhodalia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) (Listed as a parent of 'Geronimo')

(r) **'Rhodanthe'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R.T. Pince (pre 1868), N: R.T. Pince, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, in neat compact trusses, bright rose cerise. (Published in Lucombe, Pince & Co. cat., c1868)

(a) **'Rhodelin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling of *scabrum* R: unknown (pre 1987) (Used as a parent by Nuccio's Nurseries, pre 1987)

(r) **'Rhodelite'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: F6 selection from 'Newport' H: W.E. Delp (1960), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 17/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 50 × 64mm, 5-lobed, dark red (59A) and vivid red (57A) in bud, opening moderate to strong purplish red (64A, B) with a white flare and brilliant greenish yellow (1B) dorsal spots; anthers white. Lvs 108 × 51mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 2.4 × 2.4m in 32 years. Early June. Syn: 'Rhodo Elite' (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, (as 'Rhodo Elite'), second edn (1992))

(r) **'Rhodochrosite'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Van Nes Sensation' (s) × 'KublaKhan' H: H. & M. Stockman (1992), G: H. & M. Stockman (2000), N: H. Stockman (2002), REG: H. & M. Stockman (2002) Fls 6-8/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, dark bright pink in bud, opening inside a pale creamy yellowish pink, shading into pink margins, with a red throat and a dorsal blotch of discrete red spots, outside a bright dark pink. Calyx variable, ventral lobes c30mm long, dorsal lobes c35-40mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs lanceolate, c100 × 40mm, margins wavy and downcurved, acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and mid green above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.75m in 10 years. Early May

(a) **'Rhododendriforme'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1861), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Rhododendron Lavender'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lavender. Indian

(r) **'Rhodo Elite'** (Syn. of 'Rhodelite')

(r) **'Rhodoland's Silver Mist'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *yakushimanum* G: A.A. & M. Childers, N: A.A. & M. Childers, I: A.A. & M. Childers, REG: A.A. & M. Childers (1977) Fls up to 13/flattruss, 50mm wide, white, with green spots on the dorsal lobe. Lvs 100 × 30mm. Shrub under 1.0m. (Grown from seed collected by A.F. Serbin (1961))

(r) **'Rhodoleucops'** cv. Parentage unknown L: R. Veitch & Son (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rosy crimson

(a) **'Rhodoroides'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *stenopetalum* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, with very deeply divided corollas, greenish white, tinged rose. Syn: 'Kocho-zoroi', 'Seikan'

(r) **'Rhodsoc'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Delp's Fireking' (s) × *hyperythrum* H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls deep red (60A) and strong purplish red (60B) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (65D), white and strong purplish red (60D), with deep red (60A) dorsal spots; outside strong purplish red (60D); anthers white. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Rhodstar'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Java' (s) × 'Swen' H: C.A. Trautmann (1985), G: C.A. Trautmann (1988), N: C.A. Trautmann, I: Mowbray Gardens (1996), REG: C.A. Trautmann (1996) Fls 15/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, with (5-)6 flat-edged lobes, strong red (46A) in bud, opening white with strong red (53B) margins (c13mm wide); stamens 6, straight. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 114 × 38mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.75m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Rhodunter 10'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* ("best German form") × 'Cunningham's White' H: W. Preil & R. Ebbinghaus (1980), G: W. Preil & R. Ebbinghaus (1983), N: J. Wieting, REG: J. Wieting (1994) Fls white (155D), tinged green, with faint moderate orange-yellow (164B) and dark reddish orange (173A) markings; stamens 10, much longer than style, anthers brown; stigma green. Lvs elliptic, 60-90 × 15-35mm, dark green above, paler below. Shrub 1.0 × 1.2m in 13 years. Early-late May. Tolerates pH6.8-7.0 and thus valuable as a rootstock

(r) **'Rhodunter 37'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1997)

(r) **'Rhodunter 48'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* (s) × 'Cunningham's White' H: W. Preil & R. Ebbinghaus (1980), G: W. Preil & R. Ebbinghaus (1983), N: J. Wieting (2000), I: Inkarho-Pflanzenvertrieb, REG: W. Schmalscheidt (2000) Fls 9-13/round, fairly compact truss, funnel-shaped, 45-55 × 50-75mm, always with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong lilac in bud, opening inside creamy white, throat greenish, with green markings on the dorsal lobe; outside slightly tinged pink/lilac, especially at the margin; scented. Calyx

1-2mm long, strong green. Lvs elliptic, 70-166 × 27-70mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, margins flat to upcurved, matt green, hairless. Shrub 1.7 × 1.7m in 20 years. Early-mid May. Syn: 'Inkarho-Dufthecke', 'Dufthecke', 'Rhodunter No.48' (Originally registered as 'Inkarho-Dufthecke', but this epithet was supplied in error for 'Rhodunter 48')

(r) **'Rhodunter No.48'** (Syn. of 'Rhodunter 48')

(r) **'Rhodworks'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Delp's Fireking' (s) × *hyperythrum* H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls 20/truss, deep, strong and vivid red (53A, B, 57A) and vivid purplish red (57B) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (56C), edged vivid purplish red (57C); outside strong purplish red (60D). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Rhody Romance'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Si Si' × 'Goody Goody' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls large, with very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63B), strong and light purplish pink (63C, D) and white in bud, opening white with a pale greenish yellow (2D) throat and pale yellow (12D) dorsal spots; anthers pale orange-yellow (159C); stigma strong yellowish pink (43D). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Rhody Run'** (Syn. of 'Highland Flynn')

(a) **'Rhombicum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: M. Koster & Sons (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple. Kurume

(r) **'Rhonda'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marion' × 'Coronation Day' R: V.J. Boulter (pre 1984), N: V.J. Boulter, REG: F.R. Waghorn (1988) Fls 12-15/truss, funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, vivid purplish red (67B), fading to light purplish pink (68D) in centre, with a strong purplish red (60C) flare in the throat. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 30mm. Shrub 2.0m tall

(a) **'Rhonda Stiteler'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Delos' × 'Amagasa' R: J.O. Harris (pre 1981), N: J.O. Haris Fls double, 65mm wide, with 20 lobes, pink. Lvs variegated. Shrub 0.8m in 9 years

(a) **'Rhumba'** (Probably an error for 'Rumba')

(r) **'Rhys'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Apricot Ice' × 'Apricot Gold' H: K. Van de Ven (1983), G: K. Van de Ven (1988), N: K. Van de Ven (1992), I: Olinda Nursery (1993), REG: Olinda Nursery (1993) Fls 18-20/conical truss, funnel-shaped, 60 × 90mm, with 6 smooth-edged lobes, strong yellowish pink (37B) in bud, opening pale yellow-green (4D) throughout. Calyx 15mm long, pale yellow-green (4D). Lvs elliptic, 95 × 35mm, flat, matt green above, acuminate at apex, cuneate at base. Shrub 2.0 × 2.0m

(a) **'Rhythm'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Pericat, N: Le-Mac Nurseries, I: Le-Mac Nurseries (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls usually single, with a few small petaloid stamens, sometimes hose-in-hose (but calyx always normal), 55mm wide, rich deep salmon, with a darker blotch. Dense, spreading shrub. Midseason. Pericat

(r) **Rhythum Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *aperantum* (s) × *forrestii* Repens Group H: Lord Aberconway (1936), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red to pale rose

(az) **'Ria Hardijzer'** cv. Azaleodendron: *racemosum* × 'Hinodegiri' R: W.H. Hardijzer, I: P.W. Hardijzer (1958), REG: P.W. Hardijzer (1965) Fls 19-25/globular, compact truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 20 × 23mm, deep purplish pink (66C), tinged very lightly around margins and in throat with deep purplish pink (67C), and with light dorsal spotting of purplish red (61). Lvs 25 × 12mm, more-or-less dark and slightly glossy green above. Shrub c0.7m. *HC 1969, *AM 1974, *FCC 1980

(a) **'Ribble'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: F.E.W. Hanger, G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society (1960), REG: Royal Horticultural Society (1961) Fls 13/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 90 × 90mm, with wavy-edged lobes, between strong pink (52D) and strong purplish pink (55B) and with an orange blotch. Lvs 80-90 × 40mm, glossy green, tinged brown. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m. Late May. *HC 1960, *AM 1963

(a) **'Ribbon Candy'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *viscosum* × *arborescens* H: E.V. Mezitt (1965), G: Weston Nurseries (1970), N: Weston Nurseries, I: Weston Nurseries (1975), REG: Weston Nurseries (1980) Fls single, 18-20/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 25 × 40mm, with 5 reflexed lobes, strong purplish red (54A) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (55A) with a yellow blotch, white throat and white stripes up centre of each lobe; outside with lines of tiny red hairs down centre of each lobe; strongly scented. Calyx 3mm long, bright green, hairy. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 50 × 20mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins recurved, glossy and yellowish green above, white hairy along edges. Shrub 1.2 × 1.0m in 10 years. Late June-early July

(r) **'Ribbon Rose'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Japan (1987)

(a) **'Ribeira'** (See note under 'Ribera')

(a) **'Ribera'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Smet, I: C. Vuylsteke (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, 16-18/very flat-domed truss, tubular-campanulate, 25 × 40mm, pink (622/2+622/3), fading slightly towards tips; sweetly scented. Lvs light yellowish green. Shrub up to c2.0 × 1.5m. May. Rustica (Sometimes mis-spelt 'Ribeira', 'Ribiera' or 'Riviera')

(a) **'Ribiera'** (See note under 'Ribera')

(r) **'Riburgiense'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as an *arboreum* form or hybrid L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Ricarda'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hachmann's Diadem' (s) × 'Holger' H: H. Hachmann (1979), G: H. Hachmann (1984), N: H. Hachmann (1994), I: H. Hachmann (1994), REG: G. Stück (1995) Fls 12-14/fairly compact truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 80-90mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light purple (77D), very pale purple (76D) in throat, edges light purple (77C), dorsal lobe with a large, conspicuous, deep to strong greenish yellow (153A/B) blotch; outside light purple (77D), with light purple (77C) edges; stamens and style unusually long, white. Calyx 3-6mm long, light reddish green. Lvs elliptic, 80-110 × 35-45mm, flat, margins slightly recurved, slightly bullate above, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dark glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.6m in 10 years. Mid May-early June. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1995/1996)

(v) **'Rich Amber'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* × *zoelleri* × *zoelleri* × *leucogigas* H: G.L.S. Snell (c 1985), G: R. Macdonald (1990), N: R. Macdonald (1992), I: Foothills Nursery (1992), REG: Foothills Nursery (1992) Fls 5-6/flat, lax truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 70 × 70mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, inside strong orange (25A) with vivid orange-yellow (23A) lobes, outside strong orange (24A). Lvs elliptic, 90 × 45mm, flat, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.0m. Spring-autumn

(a) **'Richard Bielski'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *calendulaceum* seedling S: W.G. & M.S. Beasley (pre 1985), N: W.G. & M.S. Beasley Fls 90mm wide, brilliant yellow (11A), with a brilliant yellow blotch. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m. Early June

(r) **'Richard Bosley'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid H: C.O. Dexter (c 1930), N: R. Bosley, I: Bosley Nursery Co. (1946), REG: R. Bosley & K. Freeland (1993) Fls 16/domed truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 89 × 83mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (73A) in bud, opening 73A at tips of lobes, shading to very pale purple (73D) inside; outside strong purplish pink (73B) with deep purplish pink (73A) ribs; moderate yellow (160A) speckled flare on dorsal lobe. Lvs oblong/obovate, 146 × 57mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, dull and moderate olive green (146A) above, moderate yellow-green (147C) below, hairless. Shrub 2.3 × 2.7m in 20-25 years. Mid May. Syn: 'Bosley 1020' (Bought as a flowering-size plant by Mr & Mrs P.R. Bosley in early 1930s)

(r) **'Richard Gill'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × *thomsonii* R: R. Gill & Sons, N: R. Gill & Sons, I: R. Gill & Sons (1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c13/truss, funnel-shaped, 75 × 80-90mm, deep pink with crimson nectaries. Calyx pale green flushed rose, gland-fringed. Lvs oblong-obovate, 120 × 60mm, deep green above, hairless below. Shrub to at least 1.9m. May. AM 1920

(r) **'Richard Gregory'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *auriculatum* × *kyawii* H: R.M. Gregory (c 1955), N: A.M. Williams (1968), REG: A.M. Williams (1968) Fls 10/fairly loose truss, tubular-campanulate up to 65mm long, pink, with a deep crimson blotch at the base; slightly scented. Lvs oblong-elliptic, up to 150 × 65mm, slightly floccose below

(a) **'Richard Holman'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Nadine' I: O.S. Pride (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink. Early

(a) **'Richardii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1851), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Richardii'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls shaded pink, with a yellow dorsal lobe. Ghent

(a) **'Richardissimum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Sunningdale Nurseries (1898), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light pink, with a yellow-orange blotch. Ghent (Listed by Sunningdale as 'Richutissima')

(a) **'Richard Montgomery 1956'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Rosette' (Glenn Dale) (s) × 'Mania' H: W.L. Clagett (1991), G: W.L. Clagett (1996), N: W.L. Clagett (2002), I: White's Nursery, REG: W.L. Clagett (2002) Fls mostly double, sometimes semi-double, rarely hose-in-hose, 2-3/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 35 × 45mm, with c10 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (45C) in bud, opening inside strong red (45D), outside vivid red (45C); deep red (53A) spotting on dorsal lobes. Calyx 3mm long, pale green. Lvs elliptic, 15 × 5mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, with off white hairs above and below. Shrub with a dense habit, 0.15 × 0.35m in 10 years. Mid June

(a) **'Richard Obst'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ernest Eeckhaute' × 'Paul Schäme' I: R. de Mayer (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls nearly double (with an average of 0.13 stamens/flower), vivid purplish red (61C). Calyx normal, green. Late. Indian

(a) **'Richard Olberg'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Helena Thelemann' I: O. Olberg (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, salmon. Indian

(r) **'Richard Strauss'** cv. Parentage unknown I: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cherry red

(a) **'Richard Wagner'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright vermilion red, with a strong blotch. Indian

(a) **'Richelissimum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Cheal & Son (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon, shaded orange and peach. Ghent

(a) **'Richesse'** (Syn. of 'Marjorie Ann')

(a) **'Richie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' × 'Louise Gable' × 'Tama-giku' H: R.D. Gartrell (1962), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, REG: D.H. Voss (1991) Fls single, 2/bud, broadly funnel-shaped, 30 × 65mm, 5-lobed, deep yellowish pink (47C), with a haze of vivid reddish orange. Calyx 5mm long, strong yellow-green (144A/B). Lvs elliptic to slightly obovate, 38 × 19mm. Mid May. (Robin Hill no. V3-6)

(r) **'Rich Mine'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.L. Tolstead (1965), G: W.L. Tolstead, N: W.L. Tolstead, REG: W.L. Tolstead (1995) Fls 30/ball truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 30 × 25mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, light purplish pink, with sparse, light reddish orange spotting on the dorsal lobe; filaments white, anthers purple; style white, stigma red. Lvs broadly elliptic, 60 × 40mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull green above, scaly below. Shrub 3.5 × 3.5m in 30 years. Mid May

(v) **'Rich's Big One'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: USA ? (pre 1993)

(r) **'Rickshaw'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Golden Horn Group (s) × Lady Bessborough Group H: L. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls biscuit-coloured, suffused orange, deepening in the throat. Calyx coloured as corolla. June. PC 1958. (Rickshaw Group)

(r) **Rickshaw Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Golden Horn Group (s) × Lady Bessborough Group H: L. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1950), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Ridder Thim'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Dame Mélanie Saumonea' I: G.J. Bier & Sons (1945), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light to pale purplish pink (55C-D); otherwise similar to 'Roi Léopold'. Indian

(r) **'Ridgewood Salmon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* × *griffithianum* × a hardy red hybrid H: G.G. Nearing (c 1940), G: G.G. Nearing, REG: E.T. Connors (1995) Fls 10/domed truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 65 × 90mm, with 6 slightly wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63A) in bud, opening inside near white with 8mm wide margins and sparse dorsal spotting of strong purplish red (63A); outside strong purplish red (63A); stamens 12; scented. Calyx 2mm long, green, covered with white hairs. Pedicels covered with white hairs. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 55mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, with fine, white hairs on young growth. Shrub 0.8 × 1.2m in c9 years. Mid May

(r) **'Rienzi'** cv. Parentage unknown I: C. Noble (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson, finely spotted with black. (Sometimes seen as 'Rinzi' and probably also the plant listed as 'Rinzii' (Jackson & Son., 1862, fls deep rose))

(a) **'Rifleman'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Todman (1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright orange/scarlet red, with dark red spots on dorsal lobes. Indian

(r) **'Rifleman'** cv. Parentage unknown I: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright crimson

(a) **'Rigense'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: R. Kondratovičs (pre 1999), N: R. Kondratovičs Fls single, with 5 pointed lobes, white, tinged pink, with a yellow dorsal blotch; style conspicuous, bright pink

(r) **'Right Royal'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Luscombei Group × *thomsonii* I: Sir James Horlick, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark red

(a) **'Rigi'** cv. Semi-evergreen azalea: *yedoense* × unknown H: H. Frei (c 1970), G: H. Frei (1975), N: Firma C. Esveld, I: Firma C. Esveld (1980), REG: Royal Boskoop Hort.Soc. (1990) Fls single, 4-5/truss, funnel-shaped, 30 × 30-40mm, 5-lobed, rich purple. Calyx green. Lvs narrowly ovate, 30-40 × 10-30mm, hairless. Shrub 2.0m in 15 years. May

(a) **'Rigidum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Verschaffelt (1840), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Rigidum Incarnatum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: J. van Geert (1835), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Rigmor'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vason', selfed H: V. Søndergaard (c 1985), G: V. Søndergaard (c 1988), N: S.A. Askjaer, I: O. Søndergaard (1996), REG: S.A. Askjaer (1996) Fls 2-3/flat truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 25-30 × 40-45mm, with 5(-6), smooth-edged lobes, pure white (155D) in bud and when open (both inside and out), unmarked. Calyx 4-5mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 12-17 × 6-8mm, with flat margins, acuminate at apex, cuneate at base, dull and dark green above, slightly hairy, especially on the margins. Shrub 25 × 40cm in 10 years. June

(a) **'Rigoletto'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Baumann (1859), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Rigoletto'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3/truss, lively rose, spotted. Indian

(r) **'Rigoletto'** cv. Parentage unknown I: F. Wolf (c 1989)

(r) **'Rijneveld'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Metternianum' (s) × *griersonianum* hybrid R: D.G. Hobbie (1952), I: Vuyk van Nes (1966), REG: Vuyk van Nes (1968) Fls 6-10/truss, pendulous, deep purplish pink (61D). Midseason

(r) **'Rik'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *racemosum* × *keiskei* H: L. Yavorsky (c 1970), G: L. Yavorsky, N: L. Yavorsky, I: L. Yavorsky, REG: L. Yavorsky (1987) Fls 10-18/truss, 19 × 22mm, broadly funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, white (155D), with irregular edging of deep purplish pink (66C) which fades with age; some flowers flushed light pink; outside white (155D), with deep purplish pink (66C) stripes. Calyx under 1mm long, pale yellow-green. Lvs elliptic, 38 × 19mm, scaly. Shrub 0.6 × 1.1m in c15 years, forming a dense mound, the foliage and stems red in winter. Late April

(a) **'Rikyugonomi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1978), N: Japan Fls hose-in-hose, up to 25mm wide, moderate red (2.5R 4/10), with a very pale throat and dark blotches on the dorsal lobes. Kurume

(r) **Rima Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* (s) × *decorum* H: J.B. Stevenson (1933), G: J.B.

Stevenson, N: J.B. Stevenson, I: J.B. Stevenson (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cream yellow

(a) **'Rim Fire'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Louise Gable' × 'Ward's Ruby' × 'James Gable' H: W.L. Guttormsen (1968), G: W.L. Guttormsen (1971), N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen (1978), REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1979) Fls hose-in-hose, 3-9/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50mm wide, with 5+5 flat-edged lobes, strong purplish red (60C). Calyx 30mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs broadly elliptic, 30 × 20mm, glossy and moderate yellow-green (137C) above, hairless. Shrub 0.5 × 0.5m in 8 years. Late April

(r) **'Rimini'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* subsp. *apodectum* (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* H: L. de Rothschild (c 1930), G: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, REG: Exbury Gardens Ltd (1996) Fls 8-10/loose, rounded truss (fls out- and down-facing), funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds strong orange (25A) heavily suffused strong red (41B), opening inside brilliant orange-yellow (21B) heavily suffused strong red (41B); outside brilliant yellow (21C) and suffused deep yellowish pink (41D); stamens and style yellow-green; moderate orange (167A) spots in throat below dorsal lobe. Calyx conspicuous, 20mm long, yellow-orange. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 110 × 40mm, margins decurved, matt green above, with a pointed apex and an auriculate base, hairless. Shrub 2.5 × 4.0m in 45 years. June

(a) **'Rimpo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *indicum* I: K. Wada (pre 1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls tubular, bright brownish orange. Indian

(a) **'Rimpu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1939), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cinnabar red, with white base. Lvs variegated. Satsuki

(a) **'Rimpu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, wisteria-coloured with erratic speckling. Lvs variegated. Satsuki

(r) **'Rinaldo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Milner' (s) × *smirnowii* R: T.J.R. Seidel (c 1907), N: T.J.R. Seidel (1915), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls ruby red, with weak green spotting

(a) **'Ringetsu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987). Satsuki

(a) **'Ringgold'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *prunifolium* (s) × *arborescens* H: J.B. Gable, G: J.B. Gable, N: C. Gable, I: J.B. Gable (pre 1972), REG: G.W. Ring (1997) Fls funnel-shaped (with a narrow, elongated tube), 40 × 30-40mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, dorsal lobe brilliant orange-yellow (23B), remainder of flower moderate reddish orange (35B) to strong yellowish pink (35C); stamens 5, pink, curved, unequal; strongly and spicily scented. Lvs elliptic, 40-75 × 20-25mm, margins upcurved, acute to broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and dark green above. Shrub 1.5 × 0.9m in 10 years. Early-mid July

(a) **'Ring No. 1'** (Syn. of 'Ring One')

(r) **'Ring of Fire'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Darigold' × Idealist Group H: W. & M. Thompson (1970), G: W. & M. Thompson (1977), N: W. & M. Thompson, I: Willard Thompson Nursery (c 1981), REG: W. & M. Thompson (1990) Fls 10-12/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 64-68 × 76-89mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (51A) in bud, opening light yellow (18B) with c12mm wide edging of strong red (51A) and a tinge of 51A in the throat; outside is mostly 51A, with some lightyellow (18B) near the base. Calyx minute, strong red (51A). Lvs elliptic, 127 × 51mm, flat, edges rolled down, semi-glossy and dark yellowish green (139A) above, with prominent veins below, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m, in 12 years. Early May. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer (1986))

(a) **'Ring One'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: G.W. Ring (1977), G: G.W. Ring (1978), N: G.W. Ring, I: G.W. Ring (1985), REG: G.W. Ring (1991) Fls hose-in-hose, 2-3/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 51 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (55B), with strong red speckles (53D) on the dorsal lobe, outside of tube shades from 55B at corolla edge to pale purplish pink (55D) near pedicel; stamens 6; slightly scented. Calyx 51mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 51-70 × 22-35mm (summer lvs), 13-38 × 6-11mm (winter lvs), obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, hairless to slightly hairy above and below. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 15 years. Early May. Syn: 'Ring No. 1'

(r) **'Ring's Early Splendor'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *hyperythrum* × 'Catalgla' H: T.L. Ring (1979), G: T.L. Ring (1985), N: T.L. Ring, I: Cardinal Nursery (c 1990), REG: T.L. Ring (1993) Fls 20/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 70mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (62A) in bud, opening white lightly flushed 62A, then fading to white, dorsal lobe heavily spotted deep purplish red (71A); stamens 10, curved. Pedicels 25mm long, reddish above, green below. Lvs lanceolate, 152 × 38mm, convex, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless; petioles 25mm long, yellowish green. Shrub 1.4 × 0.9m in 10 years. Early May

(r) **'Ring's Monarch'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Graf Zeppelin' (s) × 'Newburyport Belle' H: T.L. Ring (pre 1985), G: T.L. Ring (pre 1990), N: T.L. Ring, I: Mowbray Gardens (1999), REG: T.L. Ring (1998) Fls 12/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (68B) at margins, fading towards centre, dorsal lobe heavily spotted strong greenish yellow (153B) on a light yellow-green (2C) ground. Lvs oblong, 175 × 70mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dark green, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.8m in 15 years. Mid-late May

(a) **'Ring's Orchido'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Polar Sea' × 'Debonaire' H: G.W. Ring (1977), G: G.W. Ring (1981), N: G.W. Ring, I: G.W. Ring (1985), REG: G.W. Ring (1991) Fls single, 1-2/truss, more-or-less open funnel-shaped, 38 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes,

between very light purple (75C) and very pale purple (69A), growing paler towards the centre, with a few light purple (75A) spots on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 5mm long, green. Summer lvs elliptic, 54 × 25mm (winter lvs 25 × 10mm), obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, slightly hairy above. Shrub 0.9 × 1.1m in 10 years. Mid-late May. Syn: 'Orchido'

(a) **'Rinpu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1939), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls tubular, 40-50mm wide, moderate purplish pink with a darker blotch. Lvs narrow, rolled axially and twisted and contorted. Slow-growing shrub. Satsuki

(r) **'Rinzii'** (See note under 'Rienzi')

(r) **'Rio'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Newburyport Beauty' (s) × 'Newburyport Belle' H: D.G. Leach (1968), G: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1983) Fls 16/truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 80mm, 5-6-lobed, pale purplish pink (65D), with a faint dorsal blotch and a few spots of pale yellow (8D). Calyx minute, yellowish green. Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 130 × 55mm, moderate olive green (147A). Shrub c1.1m in 13 years

(a) **'Rio d'Oro'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Carlson's Gardens (1977) Fls orange-yellow, striped orange. Knap Hill

(v) **'Rio Rita'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' (s) × *leucogigas* H: O. Blumhardt (1983), G: O. Blumhardt (1987), N: O. Blumhardt, I: Koromiko Nurseries (1994), REG: R. Watson (1996) Fls 8-9/large, loose truss, funnel-campanulate, 110 × 110mm, 7-lobed, inside with limb pale purplish pink (65C), throat suffused and stained pale to moderate purplish pink (65C/66D), tube yellowish white (158D); outside with a pale purplish pink (65C) limb, margins and junction of lobes and tube moderate purplish pink (66D), apical part of tube pale purplish pink (65D), basal part of tube strong purplish red (58B); unspotted; apex of filaments vivid purplish red (66B), anthers moderate purplish pink (74D); apex of style vivid purplish red (66B) and style puberulous; carnation-scented. Calyx disc-like, light yellow-green (145B) with moderate purplish pink (66D) margins, pubescent. Lvs ovate, 110-125 × 60-70mm, flat, glossy, rounded at apex, slightly attenuate at base, with rusty brown, stellate scales on young growth (absent when mature). Shrub 1.2 × 1.0m in 5 years. Repeat-flowering

(r) **'Ripe Corn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goldsworth Orange' × 'Exbury Naomi' R: W.C. Slocock Ltd, N: W.C. Slocock Ltd, REG: W.C. Slocock (1966) Fls corn-coloured, slightly tinged with pink

(r) **'Ripe Peach'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'C.O.D.' × 'Dexter's Honeydew' H: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (pre 1980)

(r) **Riplet Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *forrestii* Repens Group × Letty Edwards Group R: H. Lem (pre 1961), N: H. Lem, I: H. Lem, REG: H. Lem (1962) Fls 4-7/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 60 × 84-100mm, with wavy-edged lobes, crimson fading to salmon pink, throat cream. Lvs up to 70 × 35mm, rounded at apex and base, dark and dull green above. Shrub to at least 43 × 53cm. Late April-mid May. *HC 1986, *AM 1987

(a) **'Riponia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Violaceum' seedling × 'Topper' seedling R: W.A. Myers, N: W.A. Myers, REG: W.A. Myers (1967) Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, orchid or light purple. Lvs 25 × 13mm. Shrub to 45cm

(a) **'Ripple'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Exbury ? (pre 1989), N: Exbury ?

(a) **'Ripples'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lambertus C. Bobbink' × 'Rosebud' R: H. Kerrigan (pre 1977), N: H. Kerrigan Fls fully double, with wavy-edged lobes, light red

(a) **'Rise and Shine'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Vikes Red' (s) × ('Whitethroat' × 'Klondyke') × 'Golden Dream' H: B. Sligh (1980), G: B. Sligh (1989), N: B. Sligh (1991), REG: B. Sligh (1994) Fls hose-in-hose, 10-13/full truss, open star-shaped, 35 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish orange, deep yellowish pink and light orange-yellow (43B, C; 23C) in bud, inside opening at first brilliant yellow (14C), edged deep yellowish pink (43C), with dorsal lobe strong orange-yellow (22A) edged vivid yellow (17C), after two days inside changes to pale yellowish pink (36D), with 3 of lower lobes edged deep pink (52C) the other edged pale yellow (19C); outside vivid to brilliant yellow (14B/C) at first, with dorsal lobe striped deep yellowish pink (43C), after two days dorsal lobe is light orange-yellow (19A), striped deep yellowish pink (43C), the other lobes pale yellowish pink (36D), ribbed and edged strong pink (52D); unspotted; scented. Lvs elliptic, 90 × 40mm, with wavy margins, acute at apex and base, deeply ribbed, glossy and dark green above; autumn colour bright red/orange. Shrub 1.0 × 0.8m in 10 years. November (New Zealand)

(a) **'Rising Star'** cv. Deciduous azalea: Mollis azalea × Knap Hill ("Exbury") azalea R: H. Landauer (pre 1985), N: H. Landauer Fls 50-65mm wide, light yellowish pink, with a large reddish orange blotch

(a) **'Rising Sun'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Osakazuki' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, 75-90mm wide, slightly deeper than mallow pink (moderate purplish pink (78D)) and darker towards the margins, the inconspicuous blotch made up of many fine dots. Shrub to 1.9m tall. Mid-late April. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Risque'** cv. Evergreen azalea: double pink florists' azalea × 'Argosy' H: B.Y. Morrison & J.L. Creech (1947), N: B.Y. Morrison & J.L. Creech (1958) Fls semi-double, with petaloid stamens, 70mm wide, phlox pink (625), with a tyrian purple blotch

(r) **'Risque'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Risque')

(a) **'Rīta Zvaigzne'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *R.* × *kosterianum* (s) × *roseum* H: R. Kondratovičs (1974), G: R. Kondratovičs (1981), N: R. Kondratovičs, I: Rhododendron Nursery "Babīte" of University of Latvia (1999), REG: R. Kondratovičs (2002) Fls single, 10-12/strongly domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 50mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, yellowish in bud, opening white inside and out with a small, spotted blotch of yellow on dorsal lobe; filaments white, anthers light brown; style light green/white, stigma green. Calyx 1-2mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 85 × 30mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, tapered at base, glossy green above, with white hairs persistent above when mature. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 15 years. Early June. (Published in *Latvijas selekcionaru Ziedi* (1999))

(r) **'Ritchard's Red'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'America' × *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Frank Moniz' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls strong and vivid red (46A, B) in bud, opening strong and vivid red (46A, B), with dark red (187A) dorsal spots. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Ritchie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ('Catalgla' × 'Sappho') selfed H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 14/truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 75mm, 5-lobed, vivid purple (81A) in bud, opening very pale purple (76D), edged with vivid and strong purple (80A, B) and with a deep purplish red (71A) dorsal flare and spotting. Lvs 127 × 28mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.3 × 1.8m in 18 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Ritenītis'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Madame van der Cruyssen' × 'Hexe' H: R. Kondratovičs (1962), G: R. Kondratovičs (1968), N: R. Kondratovičs, I: Botanical Garden, University of Latvia (1984), REG: R. Kondratovičs (1989) Fls hose-in-hose, 1-3/truss, funnel-shaped, 50-60mm wide, 5+5-lobed, strong purplish red (63B). Lvs narrow to broadly elliptic, 25-50 × 10-25mm, light green with silvery hairs. Shrub 0.39 × 0.3m. February-March (under cool glass)

(r) **'Ritzy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vinemount' (s) × (('Hassan' × (*dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* × *kyawii*)) × 'Catalgla') × 'La Bar's White' H: A.L. Smith (1984), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 18/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, deep red (60A) and strong purplish red (60B-D) in bud, opening to blend of strong and vivid purplish red (67A, B) and deep, strong and pale purplish pink (67C, D; 65D) with sparse, dark red (59A), dorsal spots; filaments and style pale yellow-green (155A); anthers pale orange-yellow (159B); stigma dark red (59A). Lvs 114 × 44mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.8m in 7 years. Early June

(a) **'Rival'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Pericat, N: Perkins-DeWilde Nurseries, I: Perkins-DeWilde Nurseries (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, 30 × 55mm wide, light red. Pericat

(a) **'Rival'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L.L. Brooks (pre 1965), N: L.L. Brooks Fls single, hose-in-hose, orange-red. Indian

(a) **'River Belle'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1988) (Probably an error for 'Rogue River Belle')

(a) **'Rivermist'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Sherwoodii' × 'Fedora' R: J. Harris (pre 1981), N: J. Harris Fls up to 30/truss, 50mm wide, moderate purplish pink (78D). Lvs copper-coloured in winter. Shrub 1.2-1.5 × 1.2m in 9 years. Early April

(r) **'Riverwood Cream'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* × 'Crest' I: Riverwood Gardens (pre 1996) Fls in large trusses, cream-coloured; scented. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Late

(r) **'Riverwood Regency'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ivan D. Wood' × unknown I: Riverwood Gardens (1995) Fls in large trusses, ivory cream-coloured. Lvs ovate. Shrub of dense habit, 1.4m in 10 years. Late

(a) **'Riviera'** (See note under 'Ribera')

(r) **'Riviera Beauty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *arboreum* R: R. Gill & Sons (pre 1942), N: R. Gill & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine pink

(r) **'Rivulet'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1988)

(a) **'R.N. Pennington'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: R.W. Pennington (pre 1987), N: R.W. Pennington Fls 50mm wide, white, blushed pale pink, with a prominent green throat

(r) **'Road Red'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown, found on a roadside, Digby County, Nova Scotia, Canada N: R.M. Steele (pre 2001) (Thought to be an old, unidentified, 'ironclad' rhododendron. Parent of 'Barbara Hall')

(a) **'Roadrunner'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: H.W. Motzkau (pre 1973), N: Yoder Bros, I: Yoder Bros Fls single, hose-in-hose, deep pink to red. Mid-late season

(a) **'Roadrunner Tetra'** cv. Evergreen azalea: colchicine-induced tetraploid form of 'Roadrunner' R: USDA (pre 1980)

(r) **'Roan Mountain'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *catawbiense* G: H.E. Salley (1982), S: H.E. Salley (1988), N: H.E. Salley, REG: H.E. Salley (1988) Fls 16-20/truss, 40 × 55-60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish red (71A) in bud, opening light purple (75A-B) with darker edges and a white blotch flecked brilliant yellow-green (150C), outside light reddish purple (74C). Calyx 2mm long, yellow-

green. Lvs elliptic, 135-150 × 55-60mm, hairless. Early June. Unusually hardy. (Grown from seed collected on Roan Mountain, USA)

(r) **'Robbie Evans'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* Roylei Group × *yunnanense* H: J.P. Evans (1960-1970), G: J.P. Evans, N: Mrs J.P. Evans, REG: Mrs J.P. Evans (1988) Fls 8/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 44mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, opening inside white, ageing to very pale purple (69A, B), outside strong purplish pink (73B). Calyx minute, light green. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 83-108 × 29-38mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless above, with tiny, moderately spaced, rusty scales below. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 5 years. April-May

(r) **'Robbins'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *bureavii* selection or hybrid L: USA (pre 1984) (Intended by Greer merely as an indication of the plant's origin but used in effect as a cultivar epithet by him and others)

(a) **'Robbins Flame'** cv. Deciduous azalea: red *molle* seedling × red *molle* seedling H: I. & R. Arneson (1976), G: I. & R. Arneson (1983), N: I. & R. Arneson, REG: I. & R. Arneson (1990) Fls single, 7-8/ball truss, 57 × 89mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, vivid red (45B). Calyx minute, green. Lvs elliptic, 64-76 × 25-32mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, slightly wrinkled, slightly hairy. Shrub 1.2 × 1.1m in 12 years. Late April-early May

(a) **'Robbins' Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: E. Robbins (pre 1985), I: Carlson's Gardens Fls single, dark pink. Late

(r) **'Robbo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Evening Glow' × 'Lord Roberts' × 'Purple Splendour' H: M. Stockman (1972), G: M. & H. Stockman (1981), N: M. & H. Stockman, I: M. & H. Stockman (1992), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1992) Fls 12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 44 × 73mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53C, D) in bud, opening strong purplish pink (55B) with a central blotch shading from moderate red (180C) in the throat, to pale yellow (158B); spotted greyish red (178A) to almost black in throat and at base of dorsal lobe; outside deep purplish pink (54B), with lighter margins and strong purplish red (54A) midribs; stamens 10, straight, unequal. Calyx 13-32mm long (irregular), pale orange-yellow (19D) with a dark red centre. Pedicels 19mm long, mid green. Lvs narrowly obovate, 102 × 38mm, convex, mucronate at apex, oblique at base, bullate and glossy dark green above, hairless; petioles 13mm long, mid green. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m in 20 years. Early May

(r) **'Robby'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Achiever' × 'Mucram' H: W.E. Delp (1971), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 7/truss, open funnel-shaped, 36 × 51mm, 5-lobed, light purplish pink (73C) and very pale purple (73D) in bud, opening white and very pale purple (73D) with strong yellow-green (144B) dorsal spots; anthers moderate purplish pink (65A). Lvs 51 × 25mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, scaly. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 21 years. Mid May. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Robeneks Rosenkönigin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *souliei* hybrid × Soulkew Group H: H. Robenek (1974-1975), G: H. Robenek (1983), N: H. Robenek, REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1992) Fls 12-17/truss, campanulate, 40-43 × 55-70mm, 5-lobed, margin inside pale lilac pink, throat whitish, with a heavy, black-red, basal blotch, outside purplish pink. Calyx 3-5mm long, whitish, fleshy. Lvs obovate, 75-118 × 26-55mm, mucronate at apex, dark and shiny green above. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in c15 years. Late May-early June. Syn: 'Rosenkönigin' (Published by Schmalscheidt in *Rhododendron- und Azaleenzüchtung in Deutschland*, part 2 (1930-1988), 1989)

(a) **'Roberta'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* × unknown I: Ten Oaks Nursery, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright red. Kaempferi

(a) **'Roberta'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Elizabeth Gable' × 'Girard's Pink' R: P.E. Girard (pre 1982), N: P.E. Girard Fls double, 70 × 75mm, rose red, with very wavy-edged lobes. Lvs 40 × 20mm, deep and glossy green. Shrub to 0.6m in 4 years

(a) **'Roberta Ann'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: P.E. Girard (c 1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. Gable

(r) **'Roberta Gauvreau'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Arthur Bedford' × 'Mars' × 'Catawbiense Album' H: L. Yavorsky (c 1974), G: L. Yavorsky (c 1980), N: L. Yavorsky, I: L. Yavorsky, REG: L. Yavorsky (1987) Fls 12-16/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 44 × 67mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63B), fading to pale purplish pink (62D), with a moderate purplish red (64A) blotch. Calyx 1mm long, very light green. Lvs elliptic, 121-127 × 57-60mm, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in c12 years. Late May

(r) **'Robert Allison'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Caroline' × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* H: J.B. Gable (1938), G: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable, REG: Gable Study Group, USA (1991) Fls up to 90mm wide, in a flat-topped truss, pink, with a pale yellow throat; scented. Lvs narrowly oblong/obovate, 127 × 44mm, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, glaucous above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 2.1m in 12 years, 3.6m tall when mature. Late midseason. Syn: 'Gable's Pink No. 2' (Published in *Rhododendrons in America*, van Veen (1969))

(r) **'Roberta Rae'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' (s) × 'Morna Belle' H: M. Stockman (1989), G: H. & M Stockman (1998), N: H. & M. Stockman (1999), REG: H. & M. Stockman (2000) Fls 9-15/lax domed truss, funnel-campanulate, 50 × 65mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, strong pink (54C) in bud, opening inside light purplish pink (62C) at margins, shading paler at

centre of lobes, with strong red (51A) dorsal spotting; outside strong pink (54C), with three longitudinal, reddish lines on each lobe. Calyx c5mm long, light green. Lvs oblong, 95 × 40mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, margins downcurved, glossy and mid green above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.1m in 11 years. Early May

(r) **'Robert Balch'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* subsp. *zeylanicum* × *elliottii* (KW 19083) H: R.W. Balch (1960), G: Dunedin Botanic Garden, I: C.A. McLaughlin (1977), REG: Dunedin Rhododendron Group (1977) Fls 10-16/truss, campanulate, strong red (46A), with darker spotting in the throat. Calyx small, red. Lvs dark and glossy green, bullate

(v) **'Robert Bates'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *zoelleri* × *lochiae* × *konori* H: J.P. Evans (1969), G: J.P. Evans, N: J.P. Evans, REG: Mrs J.P. Evans (1988) Fls 4-5/flat truss, long tubular funnel-shaped, 76-89 × 83-89mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, green in bud, opening shades of pink to red (48-50A-B), with a greenish yellow throat; outside yellowish pink; moderately scented. Lvs elliptic, 76-102 × 38-51mm, glossy and hairless above, the mature leaves with tiny, yellow to brown scales below. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 10 years. Early March. Syn: 'R.W. Bates'

(r) **'Robert Burns'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson, with white stamens and dark spots

(a) **'Robert Byer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1907), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, bright scarlet pink, with a carmine blotch. Indian

(r) **'Robert Clarke'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *facetum* (Forrest no.27105) G: A. Clarke, S: J.F. McQuire (1993), N: J.F. McQuire (1993), REG: J.F. McQuire (1993) Fls 12/loose truss, funnel-campanulate, with prominent nectar pouches, 60mm wide, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, buds fawn, opening vivid red (45B) inside and out; unspotted. Calyx 4mm long, strong red (46A). Lvs oblong-elliptic, 130 × 40mm, margins decurved, acute at apex, narrowly cuneate at base, matt green above, with a white, stellate indumentum when young, ageing reddish but mostly lost with age. Shrub at least 2.5 × 3.0m. Late May-early June

(r) **'Robert Cobden'** cv. Parentage unknown R: I. Davies (pre 1896), N: I. Davies, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Robert Coe'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), N: Planting Fields Arboretum (pre 1978)

(r) **'Robert Crousse'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Coblands (1980) Fls pink

(r) **'Robert Croux'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Croux & Fils, N: Croux & Fils, I: Croux & Fils (1899), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark red

(r) **'Robert Danneil'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × *williamsianum* H: H.-J. Danneil (1982), G: H.-J. Danneil (1997), N: H.-J. Danneil, REG: H.-J. Danneil (2000) Fls 3-5/loose truss, bowl-shaped, 50 × 70mm, with 5-7 wavy-edged lobes, pink in bud, opening inside very light pink, outside light pink, without blotch or spots. Lvs ovate or broadly elliptic, 45 × 30mm, obtuse and apiculate at apex, truncate to narrowly rounded at base, margins slightly decurved, matt green above, hairless; foliage nearly copper-coloured when young, dark green when mature. Shrub 0.5 × 0.7m in 18 years, very dense and slow-growing. Late April-early May. (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0025510))

(a) **'Robert de Béthune'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. de Cock (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red, edged rose. Ghent

(a) **'Robert de Schrijver'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Alex de Somer' I: A. de Schrijver (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep pink (50B); otherwise similar to 'Mademoiselle Louise Cuvelier'. Syn: 'Haerensianum Rubrum'. Indian

(r) **'Roberte'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × *campylocarpum* Elatum Group R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose pink, speckled with red. FCC 1936 (Lady Bessborough Group)

(a) **'Robert Earl'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: M.E. Greentree (pre 1985), N: M.E. Greentree Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, white; scented. Indian

(r) **'Robert Forsythe'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (as var. *compactum*) × 'Mars' R: S. Baldanza (1958), N: S. Baldanza, REG: S. Baldanza (1971) Fls in a globular truss, rotate, deep rose in bud, opening rose red, with a brown blotch. Lvs 125mm long, dark green. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 12 years

(r) **Robert Fortune Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* × 'H.M. Arderne' I: P.D. Williams (1922), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls palest pink, with crimson markings at the base. AM 1922

(r) **'Robert Fox'** (Syn. of 'Barclayi Robert Fox')

(a) **'Robert Haerens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Président Alexis Callier' × 'Eclaireur' I: A. Haerens (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, glossy scarlet red. Indian

(r) **'Robert Huber'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Everchoice', open-pollinated R: C. Herbert (1969), N: C. Herbert, I: C. Herbert (1977), REG: C. Herbert (1979) Fls up to 14/truss, 70mm wide, 7-lobed, dark pink in bud, opening light purplish pink (62C) with moderate purplish pink (62B) margins; dorsal lobe spotted strong orange (26A); outside with a darker stripe; scented. Lvs 115 × 45mm. Shrub under 2.0m. (Raised from seed collected by Herbert in 1968 at the Tyler Arboretum)

(a) **'Robert Hyatt'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Purple Splendor' × 'Vuyk's Scarlet' H: H.R. Schroeder (1973), G: S. Schroeder (1978), N: S. Schroeder, I: S. Schroeder (1986), REG: S. Schroeder (1986) Fls single, broadly funnel-shaped, 44 × 57mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (52C), with dark rose spotting on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 8mm long, light green. Lvs oblanceolate, 64 × 22mm, glossy and dark green above, light green below, hairy. Shrub 0.38 × 0.46m in 10 years. Early May

(r) **'Robert Hyde Greg'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R.H. Greg (c 1850), N: R.H. Greg, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Robert Keir'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *lacteum* × Luscombei Group R: Mrs R.M. Stevenson, N: Mrs R.M. Stevenson, I: Mrs R.M. Stevenson (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 14/rounded truss, open campanulate, 70 × 75mm, pale yellow, flushed pale pink in the throat; outside dark pink. Lvs broadly elliptic, 175 × 100mm. AM 1957 (Lactcombei Group)

(a) **'Robert Koch'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Cecile' (s) × 'Gibraltar' R: C. Fleischmann, N: C. Fleischmann, I: C. Fleischmann (1970) Fls 12-16/compact, rounded truss, 65-80mm wide, vivid reddish orange, with a dark yellow blotch

(r) **'Robert Korn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Diane' × 'Gomer Waterer' H: R.G. Korn (1969), N: W.J. Shrauger Fls large, white. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Midseason

(a) **'Robert le Diable'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: V. Cuvelier (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, large, vermilion bright rose with a very big black purple blotch, which spreads over three dorsal lobes almost completely covering them (sometimes leaving a red edge). Indian

(a) **'Robert Lee'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J.B. Gable (pre1972) Fls white. Low shrub

(r) **'Robert Louis Stevenson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: May Day Group × 'Jester' R: C.S. Seabrook (1959), N: C.S. Seabrook, REG: C.S. Seabrook (1967) Fls small, in a loose truss, funnel-campanulate, blood red (820). Lvs small, dark and glossy green. Shrub 0.8m in 10 years. Early June

(r) **'Robert Marnock'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1898), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls brilliant crimson

(r) **'Robert Morrison'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (pre 1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cherry red

(a) **'Robert Radford'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: T.C. Thacker (1960) Fls flame-coloured

(a) **'Robert S. Angus'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably derived from 'Amoenum' L: L. van Houtte (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet purple

(r) **'Robert Schill'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Whitney's Orange' × 'Golden Star' H: J. Rosenthal (1981), G: J. Rosenthal (1985), N: J. Rosenthal, REG: J. Rosenthal (1993) Fls 20/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 76 × 76mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, moderate to light yellowish pink (38B, C), with the centre of each lobe lightly speckled red. Pedicels 38mm long, green. Lvs oblong, 127 × 51mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless; petioles 16mm long, green. Shrub 0.9 × 1.1m in 12 years. Mid May

(r) **'Robert Seleger'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: probably a *calostrotum* subsp. *keleticum* hybrid R: D.G. Hobbie (c 1960), I: D.G. Hobbie (1978) Fls funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, pale rose, with weak, dark red markings in a dorsal blotch. Shrub 0.3m in 10 years. Midseason

(a) **'Robertsonii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1841), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet. Indian

(a) **'Robert van Oost'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably 'Theodor Findeisen' × 'Paul Schäme' I: G. van Oost (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double (with an average of 2 stamens/flower), deep yellowish pink (44D). Calyx normal, green. Midseason. Indian

(r) **'Robert Verne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marinus Koster' × Pilgrim Group H: Mrs S. Laxdall (1963), G: Mrs S. Laxdall, N: Mrs S. Laxdall, I: Mrs S. Laxdall, REG: Mrs S. Laxdall (1979) Fls 11/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 75 × 115mm, with 5 wavy to very wavy-edged lobes, tyrian rose (24/1) in bud, opening tyrian rose (24/2), with prominent maroon spotting on the three dorsal lobes; outside tyrian rose (24/1). Calyx c10mm long, red. Lvs oblanceolate, 200 × 75mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 1.7 × 0.9m in 15 years. Early June

(r) **'Robert Weissbach'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Firma Seidel (1926), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson red

(r) **'Robert Weldon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Weldy' × 'Serendipity' R: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp (pre 1989) Fls yellow. Lvs with an indumentum. Low shrub. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(v) **'Robert Withers'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *christianae* × *aequabile* H: R.M. Withers, G: R.M. Withers (1976), I: G.L.S. Snell, REG: G.L.S. Snell (1982) Fls 5-7/truss, tubular-campanulate, 30 × 30mm, vivid yellowish pink (30C). Lvs elliptic, 80 × 40mm. Shrub 2.0m

(r) **'Robert W. Wallace'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: M. Koster & Son (pre 1915), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c13/pyramidal truss, funnel-shaped, 45 × 70mm, rosy pink, with brown markings. Calyx lobes 6-8mm long. Lvs oblong-elliptic, 130 × 50mm, glossy and dark green above, hairless below

(a) **'Robespierre'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Gebr Kersbergen (1918), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 65mm wide, deep yellowish

pink, edges paler. Midseason. Syn: 'Professor H. Lorentz'. Mollis

(a) **'Robin'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet, ageing to geranium lake. Late. Knap Hill

(a) **'Robin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: H. Kerrigan (pre 1984), N: H. Kerrigan Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, bright red

(r) **'Robin Adair'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine red, with a dark blotch

(a) **'Robin Cook'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Linda Jean' × 'Springtime' (Kurume) H: W.L. Guttormsen (1975), G: W.L. Guttormsen (1979), N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen (c 1983), REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1985) Fls double and hose-in-hose (5+5-lobed, plus most stamens petaloid), 1-3/truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, strong purplish red (63B). Calyx 40mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs obovate to more-or-less narrowly obovate, 25-40 × 14-20mm, more-or-less moderate olive green (146A), hairy. Shrub 0.2 × 0.5m in 6 years. Early May

(a) **'Robin Dale'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Oakland' × 'Heiwa' H: R.D. Gartrell (1962), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, REG: D.H. Voss (1991) Fls single, occasionally with some petaloids, 1/bud, funnel-shaped, 33 × 82mm, with 5 (-6) wavy-edged, overlapping lobes, white (sometimes with a pale greenish yellow cast), some with flecks, stripes and sectors of moderate to light purplish pink (68C-D) or self-coloured strong purplish pink (63C); throat pale greenish white; spotting light yellow-green (145B) on white or deep purplish red (61A) on a pink ground. Calyx 6mm long, strong yellow-green (143C). Lvs elliptic, 40 × 20mm. Mid May. (Robin Hill no. T24-8. Published in *Q. Bull. Am. Rh. Soc.* 34 (2): 80 (1980))

(r) **'Robinette'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: possibly *forrestii* Repens Group × *williamsianum* L: Aasland Nursery (c 1990) Fls rosy red. Lvs curving, dark green. Compact shrub, 0.9m in 10 years. Early May

(a) **'Robin Hill Congo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: R.D. Gartrell (c 1952), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell (1975), REG: R.D. Gartrell (1985) Fls single, 2(-3)/bud, broadly funnel-shaped, 32 × 72mm, 5-lobed, vivid reddish purple (74B) to strong reddish purple (78B), with prominent spotting of dark red (187A) to deep purplish red (61A). Calyx 10mm long, light yellow-green (145B). Spring lvs narrowly elliptic, 60 × 22mm. Shrub under 1.0m. Early May. Syn: 'Congo' (Robin Hill no. E2-2)

(a) **'Robin Hill Elsa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Treasure' × 'Mavis' (s) × 'Getsutoku' H: R.D. Gartrell (1962), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell (1970), REG: R.D. Gartrell (1985) Fls single, 1(-2)/bud, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 90mm, with 5(-6) wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (73B) to light purplish pink (65B-73C), often margined white or nearly white with a flush of colour spreading from axis of each lobe, spotted greyish reddish orange (174C) or vivid red (57A) over strong colour. Calyx 7mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Spring lvs elliptic, 44 × 22mm. Shrub under 1.5m. Syn: 'Elsa' (Robin Hill no. T20-7)

(a) **'Robin Hill Erik'** cv. Evergreen azalea: unknown Indian azalea × 'Margie' H: R.D. Gartrell (1957), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, REG: D.H. Voss (1991) Fls single, hose-in-hose (normal calyx absent), 3/bud, funnel-shaped, 35 × 58mm, with 5+5 lobes, deep yellowish pink (43C-47C) with darker spotting. Lvs elliptic, 49 × 23mm. Early-mid May. Syn: 'Eric' (Robin Hill no. P5-2)

(a) **'Robin Hill Frosty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Oakland' × (unknown Indian azalea × 'Carol' (Gable)) × 'Louise Gable' × 'Tama-giku' H: R.D. Gartrell (1960), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell (1969), REG: R.D. Gartrell (1977) Fls single, 2-3/bud, tubular(-open) funnel-shaped, 70mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (62A), very narrowly edged pale purplish pink (62D) and with a conspicuous deep purplish pink (55A) blotch. Calyx (4-)6mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 30 × 10mm. Dwarf to semi-dwarf shrub. Mid May. Syn: 'Frosty' (Robin Hill no. N31-9)

(a) **'Robin Hill Gillie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Oakland' × (unknown Indian azalea hybrid × 'Carol' (Gable)) × 'Getsu-toku' H: R.D. Gartrell (1960), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell (1969), REG: R.D. Gartrell (1977) Fls single, 1-3/bud, open funnel-shaped, 90mm wide, with 6 very broad, wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish orange (42C), with dark red dorsal spotting. Calyx 6(-8)mm long, pale green. Lvs elliptic, 44 × 19mm. Dwarf, broad, rounded shrub. Mid May. Syn: 'Gillie' (Robin Hill no. T13-6)

(a) **'Robin Hill Palmyra'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Oakland' (s) × 'Louise Gable' × 'Tama-giku' H: R.D. Gartrell (1962), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell (1970), REG: R.D. Gartrell (1985) Fls semi-double to double, (2-)3/bud, broadly funnel-shaped, 32 × 70mm, 5-lobed, deep purplish pink (67C) to strong purplish pink (62A-67D), spotted strong purplish red (61B). Calyx 4mm long, light yellow-green (145B). Spring lvs elliptic, 46 × 24mm. Shrub 1.5m or more. Mid May. Syn: 'Palmyra' (Robin Hill no. T49-3)

(a) **'Robin Hill Rosanne'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Glacier' (s) × 'Louise Gable' × 'Tama-giku' H: R.D. Gartrell (1961), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell (1970), REG: R.D. Gartrell (1985) Fls single (sometimes with small petaloids), (1-)2/bud, open funnel-shaped, 27 × 68mm, 5-lobed, white, margined strong purplish red (58C) to deep purplish pink (61D), occasionally nearly selfed, spotting faint. Calyx 3mm long, light yellow-green (145B). Spring lvs broadly elliptic, 40 × 24mm. Shrub under 1.5m. Late May. Syn: 'Rosanne' (Robin Hill no. V1-7)

(a) **'Robin Hill Wendy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Louise Gable' × 'Tama-giku' (s) × 'Heiwa' H: R.D. Gartrell (1960), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell (1970), REG: R.D. Gartrell (1985) Fls single, 1/bud, open funnel-shaped, 48 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light tints of strong pink (52D), throat slightly greenish white, variously flecked, striped or sectored deep pink (52C), spotted greyish reddish orange (174D) or vivid purplish red (57) over strong colour. Calyx 5mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Lvs elliptic, 46 × 21mm. Shrub under 1.0m. Early June. Syn: 'Wendy' (Robin Hill no. T21-3)

(a) **'Robin Hood'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Formosum' R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls 75mm wide, reddish purple. Lvs with reddish blotches and variegations

(r) **Robin Hood Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *calophytum* (s) × *sutchuenense* R: J.C. Williams, N: J.C. Williams, I: J.C. Williams (1933), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Robinhood'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'George Franc' (s) × 'Yaeshojo' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, 90-100mm wide, deep rose red (moderate purplish red (70A)), with a blotch of heavy dotting of small spots; filaments and pistil scarlet. Upright shrub to 1.5m tall. Mid April. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Redhead'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* hybrid R: J. Martin (pre 1977), N: J. Martin Fls 40mm wide, brick red. Shrub c1.0m

(r) **'Robin Leach'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' × 'Adriaan Koster' × *williamsianum* H: D.G. Leach (1958), G: D.G. Leach (1964), N: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1972) Fls 13-15/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 70mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes; buds white, tipped pale pink, opening white with a very faint dorsal area of greenish yellow which is sparsely spotted with minute, reddish markings; anthers dark brown. Lvs broadly elliptic, 75 × 50mm, obtuse at apex, subcordate at base, margins sharply downcurved, mid green above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in 14 years. Early

(a) **'Robin Redbreast'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon red. Kurume

(r) **Robin Redbreast Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* Houlstonii Group (s) × *orbiculare* R: J.C. Williams, N: J.C. Williams, I: J.C. Williams (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c10/truss, bowl-shaped, 50 × 80mm, 7-lobed, glistening pink, tube paler within, lightly marked dark rose above ovary. Calyx discoid, bright green, glandular ciliate

(r) **'Robin Shawn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Evening Glow' × 'Lamplighter' H: M. Stockman (1972), G: M. & H. Stockman (1980), N: M. & H. Stockman, I: M. & H. Stockman (1992), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1992) Fls 8/lax, domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (68A) in bud, opening white with a 5-10mm wide margin of deep purplish pink (72D, 73A) and a light greenish yellow (6D) blotch on three dorsal lobes, lightly spotted greenish yellow; stamens 10, straight, unequal. Calyx 10mm long, light green shading to yellow and pink. Pedicels 35mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 127 × 44mm, with wavy margins, mucronate at apex, oblique at base, matt, mid green above, hairless; petioles 25mm long, light green. Shrub 1.1 × 1.5m in 20 years. Early May

(r) **'Robin's Red'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'David' × *elliottii* R: R. Overstreet (pre 1971), N: R. Overstreet

(a) **'Robrecht de Meulemeester'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1898), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, lively rose, with rounded lobes and a dark carmine red blotch at the centre. Indian

(a) **'Rob Roy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1889), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright red, toned with orange, dorsal lobe with deep crimson spots. Indian

(r) **'Rob Roy'** cv. Parentage unknown R: I. Davies (pre 1896), N: I. Davies, INC: ICRA (1958)

(v) **'Rob's Favourite'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lochiae* (s) × *macgregoriae* H: O.S. Blumhardt (1965), G: R. Small, N: O.S. Blumhardt, I: O.S. Blumhardt, REG: O.S. Blumhardt (1984) Fls 10-12/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 25 × 45mm, 5-lobed, vermilion (18/2). Calyx red. Lvs elliptic, 80 × 45mm, with scattered, light brown scales. Shrub to 1.5m

(a) **'Robustum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1836), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep orange. Ghent

(a) **'Robustum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Robustum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a selection from *campanulatum* L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1851), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac, with dark spots. (Jacob-Makoy attribute it to Loddiges; André (1854) says it is like a more robust *campanulatum* with larger leaves)

(r) **'Robustum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *virgatum* L: France (1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls tubular funnel-shaped, rosy white. Lvs ovate-elliptic, evergreen, slightly ciliate. (Cultivated by Messrs Thibaut & Keteleer (cf. *Revue Horticole*, 1869, p.300))

(r) **'Robustum Catawbiense'** (Syn. of 'Catawbiense Robustum')

(r) **'Robustum Hybridum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: T. Methven & Sons (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, spotted

(r) **'Robyn'** (Syn. of 'Boulter's Robyn')

(r) **Roc Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *barbatum* (s) × *fulgens* H: J.B. Stevenson (1929), G: J.B. Stevenson, N: J.B. Stevenson, I: J.B. Stevenson (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(r) **'Rochelle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Dorothea' × 'Kettledrum' R: G.G. Nearing, N: G.G. Nearing, I: W. Baldsiefen, REG: W. Baldsiefen (1969) Fls up to 100mm wide, rose, with a strawberry blotch; somewhat scented. Lvs ovate, up to 175 × 75mm. Shrub 1.0m tall in 10 years. Late May

(a) **'Roche-no-mai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan. Satsuki

(r) **'Rochester Pink'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1989)

(r) **'Rockbridge'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Maxecat' (s) × *hyperythrum* H: Michael Stillwell (1989), G: G.W. LeFever (1991), N: Michael Stillwell, REG: Michael Stillwell (1999) Fls 15/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, pink in bud, opening white throughout, with two, narrow, red flares (solid colour in the throat, becoming spotted above). Lvs lanceolate, 120 × 35mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins decurved, dull and dark green above, with white, floccose hairs below. Shrub 1.8 × 1.2m in 8 years. Mid May

(a) **'Rocket'** cv. Deciduous azalea: Hotspur Group × an orange seedling R: Exbury (pre 1958), I: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls strong orange-yellow, with a yellow blotch. Knap Hill

(r) **'Rocket'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *meddianum* (s) × *strigillosum* H: J.B. Stevenson (1938), G: J.B. Stevenson, I: Mrs R.M. Stevenson (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 9/lax truss, campanulate, 65 × 75mm, blood red (820/2), faintly spotted with brown. Lvs oblanceolate, 150 × 50mm, hairy below at first. AM 1954 (Rocket Group)

(r) **Rocket Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *meddianum* (s) × *strigillosum* H: J.B. Stevenson (1938), G: J.B. Stevenson, I: Mrs R.M. Stevenson (1954), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Rocket'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cunningham's White' (s) × red *catawbiense* seedling R: A.M. Shammarello (1947), N: A.M. Shammarello, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a conical truss, funnel-shaped, 65mm wide, luminous vivid reddish pink, with a scarlet blotch. Lvs 115 × 50mm, dark green. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Rocketfire'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor Stocker' × Hawk Group R: R. Henny, I: L. Henny, REG: L. Henny (1964) Fls 7-8/truss, 70mm wide, brilliant greenish yellow (6C) with white margins. Lvs up to 140 × 65mm. Small shrub. Midseason

(r) **'Rocket's Red Flare'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum*, Exbury form (s) × 'Rocket' (Shammarello) H: M.J. Whitman (1991), G: M.J. & B. Whitman (1997), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (2000), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (2000) Fls 10/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 50mm, with 5 flat-edged and deeply cut lobes, strong red (53B-C) in bud, opening inside pale purplish pink (56D) edged with a band of strong red (53C-D); outside strong red (53D) at edges fading to pale purplish pink (56C) at the base. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 45mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, margins flat to wavy, dull and dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.4 × 0.4m in 9 years. Early May

(r) **'Rockhill Ivory Ruffles'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Crest' × 'Odee Wright' (s) × 'Skipper' H: J.C. Brotherton (1972), G: J.C. Brotherton (1979), N: J.C. Brotherton, I: J.C. Brotherton (1980), REG: J.C. Brotherton (1983) Fls 15/truss, 75 × 125mm, broadly funnel-shaped, 7-lobed, primrose yellow (601/1) shading to yellowish white at margins, with dorsal spotting of turkey red (721/3). Calyx 7mm long, pale green. Lvs narrowly obovate to elliptic, 100-110 × 45-50mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, ivy green (0001060/3), hairless. Shrub c1.4m in 8 years. Mid April

(r) **'Rockhill Parkay'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Crest' × 'Odee Wright' (s) × 'Skipper' H: J.C. Brotherton (1972), G: J.C. Brotherton (1979), N: J.C. Brotherton, I: J.C. Brotherton (1980), REG: J.C. Brotherton (1983) Fls 15-17/truss, 40 × 115mm, open funnel-shaped, 6-lobed, sulphur yellow (1/2 to 1/3) in throat, shading to creamy white at margins, with a turkey red eye (721/3) deep in the throat and with yellow stripes down the centre of each lobe. Calyx up to 7mm long, pink and green. Lvs elliptic, 90-115 × 40-50mm, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, parsley green (00962/2), hairless. Shrub c1.2m in 8 years. Early April

(r) **'Rockhill Sunday Sunrise'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Crest' × 'Odee Wright' (s) × 'Skipper' H: J.C. Brotherton (1972), G: J.C. Brotherton (1979), N: J.C. Brotherton, I: J.C. Brotherton (1980), REG: J.C. Brotherton (1983) Fls 13-15/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 125mm, 5-lobed, throat and dorsal lobes primrose yellow (601/2) shading to 601/3 at margins, ventral lobes 601/3; signal red (719/1) blotch deep in the throat. Calyx minute, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 125 × 50mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate to rounded at base, with flat margins, ivy green (0001060), hairless. Shrub c1.5 × 0.9m in 8 years

(r) **Rockii Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. mollicomum* var. *rockii*

(r) **'Rocklyn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: pink-flowered *maximum* × 'Lady of Wakefield' H: Scott Arboretum (1953), G: Scott Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister

(r) **'Rock of Ages'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Weldy' (s) × 'Stokes Bronze Wings' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish purple (72C), light purple (75A, B) and very light purple (75C) in bud, open-

ing light, very light and very pale purple (75B, C, D) and with a deep purplish red (71A) flare and deep purplish red (71A) dorsal spots, with some white in the throat; filaments white. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Rock Rose'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *racemosum*, grown from Rock 11265 R: J.B. Stevenson, N: Hydon Nurseries, I: Hydon Nurseries (1970), REG: Hydon Nurseries (1970) Fls axillary, forming a many-flowered 'raceme', funnel-shaped, up to 20 × 25mm, strong purplish pink (68B), fading to white in the throat, with some greenish red and scarlet spotting in the dorsal throat. Lvs c50 × 25mm, oblong-elliptic, glaucous and scaly below, aromatic. AM 1970

(r) **'Rock Solid'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Delp's Cindy Lou' × 'Captain Jack' H: W.E. Delp (1976), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 19/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 61 × 70mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (71C), strong reddish purple (72B, C) and deep purplish pink (72D) in bud, opening to a blend of light purple (75A, B), strong and light purplish pink (73B, C) and very pale purple (73D), with strong greenish yellow (153C) dorsal spots; filaments and style vivid purplish red (57D); anthers light yellowish pink and strong purple (159A, 83D); stigma moderate purple (79D). Lvs 92 × 46mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.3 × 1.35m in 16 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Rocky Point'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Glenna' (s) × 'Claire' H: J. Barlup (1991), G: J. Barlup (1994), N: J. Barlup (1997), REG: J. Barlup (1998) Fls 15/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 65mm, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish red (185C) in bud, opening inside off white (pale yellowish pink (159D)), with a greyish red (184A) blotch in the throat and moderate red (184B) spotting on all lobes (but much heavier on three dorsal lobes); outside off white (pale yellowish pink (159D)), with darker streaks of greyed yellow (pale yellow (162D)) along midribs. Calyx 40mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 50mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 1.1m in 7 years. Mid April

(r) **'Rocky Road'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ruddy Red Max' (s) × *yakushimanum* × *aureum* H: W.E. Delp (pre 1989), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls deep red in bud, opening pale purplish pink, edged strong purplish red, with yellow-green dorsal spots. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(v) **'Rocky's Mom'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Felinda' × (*aurigeranum* × 'Doctor Herman Sleumer') (s) × *javanicum* H: W.A. Moynier (1985), G: W.A. Moynier (1991), N: W.A. Moynier, REG: W.A. Moynier (1994) Fls 11-15/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped (with a straight tube), 76 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish orange (30A) throughout, turning creamy orange at base of tube outside; stamens 10, straight, equal. Pedicels 25mm long, pale green to creamy orange. Lvs elliptic, 127 × 57mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, scaly; petioles 10mm long, light green, scaly. Shrub 0.5 × 0.6m in 8 years. January-April

(r) **'Rocky White'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' × *fortunei* H: C. Herbert (pre 1948), G: C. Herbert, N: C. Herbert, I: C. Herbert (1967) Fls 12-14/loose, rounded truss, funnel-campanulate, 100mm wide, light purplish pink in bud, opening white, throat tinged green; scented. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 40mm, mid green; new growth tinted copper. Shrub of dense habit, 1.2m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Rococo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Boule de Neige' × *fortunei* H: J.B. Gable, I: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1964) Fls up to 12/globular truss, funnel-campanulate, 55mm wide, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (2.5RP 8.5/4), with greenish yellow (7.5Y 8.5) dorsal rays and light purplish pink (5RP 8/5) edges. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 40mm. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 18 years. Early

(r) **'Rod'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Big-O' (s) × 'Calsap' R: W.E. Delp (pre 1995), N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls light and very light purple (75B/C), opening white with a large, dark red (187A) flare and deep purplish red (71A) and dark red (187A) dorsal spots; filaments white. (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(a) **'Roddy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Treasure' × seedling from *mucronatum* (s) × 'Getsutoku' H: R.D. Gartrell (1962), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell (1970), REG: R.D. Gartrell (1985) Fls single, 1/bud, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 96mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, white, spotted strong greenish yellow (151B). Calyx 9mm long, light yellow-green (145B). Spring lvs elliptic, 64 × 32mm. Shrub under 1.5m. Late May. (Robin Hill no. T18-1)

(r) **'R.O. Delp'** (Syn. of 'Ronald Otto Delp')

(r) **'Rodeo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs L.A. Dunnett (s) × *griersonianum* R: M. Koster & Sons, N: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red with an orange flush

(r) **'Rödhätte'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *sanguineum* subsp. *didymum* × *williamsianum* R: D.G. Hobbie, N: D.G. Hobbie, I: D.G. Hobbie (1970) Fls 6-9/lax truss, campanulate, pendent on long, pale pedicels, blood red, with dark brown markings. Shrub up to 1.0m

(r) **'Rodrigo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scintillation' (s) × 'Karin' H: H. Hachmann (1980), G: H. Hachmann (1986), N: H. Hachmann (1991), I: H. Hachmann (1995), REG: G. Stück (1995) Fls 10-12/rather loose truss, funnel-shaped, 80-90mm wide, with very wavy-edged lobes, inside deep pink/ruby pink, paler in the throat, outside similarly coloured; dorsal lobe

with large, ruby markings; stamens long, pale rose. Lvs elliptic, 110-130 × 50-60mm, margins slightly recurved, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, matt and dark green above, with petioles reddish brown above, hairless. Shrub of broad, rounded habit, 1.1 × 1.5m in 10 years. Mid-late May. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1995/96)

(a) **'Roehr's Mother's Day'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Kurume hybrid × *kaempferi* H: N.J. Bauman, I: Roehrs Company (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 50-65mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, deep pink. Late

(a) **'Roehr's Peggy Ann'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: N.J. Bauman, I: Roehrs Company (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, white, with deep pink (50B) edges. Late. Syn: 'Peggy Ann Rodino', 'Peggy Ann'

(a) **'Roehr's Tradition'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Kurume hybrid × *kaempferi* H: N.J. Bauman, I: Roehrs Company (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 30mm wide, carmine pink. Low, broad shrub. Late

(a) **'Roem van Afsné'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Madame Petrick' (s) × 'Eclaireur' I: R. van Oost (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, deep red. Indian

(r) **'Roger Cash'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan' × Azor Group H: Mrs S. Laxdall (1961), G: Mrs S. Laxdall (1981), N: Mrs S. Laxdall, REG: Mrs S. Laxdall (1988) Fls 5-6/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (52B) in bud, opening strong red (51A), outside strong red (51A) shading to deep pink (52B) at base. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 127 × 38mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy above, hairless. Shrub 1.7 × 1.1m in 26 years. Late July

(a) **'Roger de Meyer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Reinhold Ambrosius' × 'Knut Erwen' I: R. de Meyer (1962) Fls double, purplish red. Calyx normal, green. Midseason. Indian

(a) **'Roger Kohn'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: D. Hager (pre 1984), N: D. Hager Fls a combination of pink and yellow

(r) **'Roger's Choice'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan's Flame' × 'Kimberly' H: M.J. Whitman (1991), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (1998), I: M.J. & B. Whitman (1998), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (1999) Fls 5/lax truss, funnel-shaped, 45 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds vivid red (57A), fading to strong purplish red (58B), opening strong purplish red (58B-C) inside, with deep purplish red (61A) spotting extending almost the entire length of the dorsal lobe; outside strong purplish red (58B). Lvs elliptic, 70 × 40mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cordate at base, dull and moderate olive green (137A) above; new growth dark red (183A) with light yellow-green (142C) midveins; hairless. Shrub 0.7 × 0.7m in 7 years. Mid April

(a) **'Rogetsu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1939), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65-75mm wide, centre white to light purplish pink, margins deep purplish pink; some selfs. More tender than most. Syn: 'Rowgetsu'. Satsuki

(a) **'Rogue'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × 'Kagetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 75mm wide, white, with a chartreuse blotch and a very few flakes of mallow purple (strong reddish purple (72C)). Spreading shrub to 1.5m tall. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Rogue Aureum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *aureum* × *yakushimanum* R: Hall's Nursery (pre 1991), N: Hall's Nursery Fls pinkish white. Lvs lightly indumented. Very dwarf, compact, slow-growing shrub. Early May

(v) **'Rogue Red'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: possibly a natural hybrid involving *saxifragoides* and *womersleyi* G: J.L. Rouse (1985), N: J.L. Rouse, I: J.L. Rouse (1986), REG: J.L. Rouse (1987) Fls 2/truss, tubular-campanulate, 5-lobed, strong red (39A). Lvs elliptic, 20 × 5mm. Shrub 0.5m tall. (Collected as a seedling in Papua New Guinea by P. Kores)

(a) **'Rogue River Belle'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *occidentale* S: L.F. Frisbie (pre 1965), N: L.F. Frisbie Fls 65mm wide, white, with pink markings and a yellow blotch. Lvs bronzed

(r) **'Roi d'Alger'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Backès (1861), INC: ICRA (1958) (Shown at Metz in 1861 by Backès)

(a) **'Roi de Hollande'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: D. Vervaene, N: D. Vervaene, I: D. Vervaene (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, dark blood red, with black spots (1958 Register); orange, with a conspicuous saffron blotch (L. van Houtte, 1870, 1894, perhaps another plant). FCC 1870. Indian

(a) **'Roi de Rose'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls semi-double, pink. Indian

(a) **'Roi des Azalees'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J.J. Linden (1873), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Attributed to Demay)

(a) **'Roi des Beautés'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Hermine' R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, rose, with broad, snow white edges and a blotch of crimson spots. Indian

(a) **'Roi des Belges'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 14-16/truss, deep peach rose, with a spotted yellow blotch. Late. Ghent (See comment under 'Madame Gustave Guillemot'; perhaps the 'Roi des Belges' listed by J. Baumann, 1859)

(a) **'Roi des Belles'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon pink

(a) **'Roi des Blancs'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Soc. An. L. van Houtte, père (1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, pure white. Indian (Perhaps the same plant listed by E. Pynaert-van Geert, 1877)

(a) **'Roi des Doubles'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: B. Boddaert (1858), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose red, resembling 'Duc de Malakoff'. Indian

(a) **'Roi des Feux'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 50mm wide, light purplish pink (55C). Late. (1958 Register); fire red, with a spotted orange blotch (van Houtte, 1868). Ghent

(a) **'Roi des Pays-Bas'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Vervaene (1865), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Roi Fouad'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, chocolate brown. Indian

(a) **'Roi Léopold'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: E. van der Cruyssen, N: E. van der Cruyssen, I: E. van der Cruyssen (1858), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single (with an average of 7 stamens/flower), deep pink (47D), with two dark blotches. Calyx normal, green. Late. Syn: 'Dame Mélanie Rubra', 'Mélanie Rubra'. Indian

(a) **'Roi Léopold Album'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Roi Léopold' L: J. Veitch & Sons (1881), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white, with an occasional rose stripe. Indian

(r) **'Rokeby'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with green spots

(a) **'Rokken'** (Syn. of 'Osaka-hanaguruma')

(a) **'Rokugo-nishiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, flushed crimson. Indian

(a) **'Rokusan'** (Syn. of 'Kazan')

(a) **'Roland'** (Syn. of 'Henry Roland')

(r) **'Roland'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nova Zembla' (s) × 'Purple Splendour' H: H. Hachmann (1967), G: H. Hachmann (1972), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1982), REG: G. Stück (1984) Fls 18-21/truss, 40-45 × 55-65mm, 5-lobed, moderate purplish red (64A), spotted dark red (187A). Calyx 1-2mm long, reddish purple. Lvs elliptic-ovate, 105-115 × 44-49mm, slightly undulate, dark green and fairly glossy above, hairless

(r) **'Roland Cooper'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *campanulatum* R: Royal Botanic Garden, Edinburgh, N: Royal Botanic Garden, Edinburgh, REG: Royal Botanic Garden, Edinburgh (1964) Fls 11/truss, campanulate, 40 × 65mm, white, shaded mauvette (537/1), with scattered crimson spotting on the dorsal lobe; scented. Lvs 150 × 80mm, with a sandy brown tomentum below. AM 1964 (Raised from seed collected in Bhutan by R.E. Cooper)

(r) **'Rollie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Arthur Bedford' × scented pink hybrid of unknown parentage H: R. Mulkey (1976), G: R. Mulkey (1983), N: R. Mulkey, I: Greer Gardens, REG: R. Mulkey (1990) Fls 8-10/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, c80xc100mm, 7-lobed, very pale purple (73D) at edges, blending to pale orange-yellow (19D) in centre, with a deep purplish red (71A) spotted flare extending from throat on to upper two lobes, outside has more 73D and less 19D, but follows same pattern; moderately scented. Calyx less than 1mm long, reddish. Lvs oblong, 140 × 51mm, convex, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 14 years. Early June

(a) **'Rollissonii'** (Syn. of 'Balsaminiflorum')

(r) **'Roly Barnsley'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × *rex* H: R. Behring (1976), G: R. Behring (1985), N: R. Behring, REG: R. Behring (1989) Fls 13/flat truss, funnel-shaped, 51 × 64mm, with 5-6 smooth-edges lobes, white, with a deep purplish red (59B) flare and dark red (59A) spotting on the dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 127 × 38mm, concave, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, dull green and hairless above, with a felt-like, white indumentum below when young (ageing to fawn). Shrub 0.3 × 0.9m in 13 years. Mid May

(r) **'Rom'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Moser's Maroon' (s) × *griersonianum* R: B.F. Lancaster (1947), I: B.F. Lancaster (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 7-8/truss, open campanulate, 90mm wide, 5-lobed, red. Lvs oblong to elliptic, 125-150 × 50mm, dark green above. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m. Midseason

(a) **Roma Group** gp Evergreen azalea: *scabrum* (s) × *kaempferi* H: J.B. Stevenson (1935), G: J.B. Stevenson, N: J.B. Stevenson, I: J.B. Stevenson (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon flame

(r) **'Romain de Smet'** cv. Parentage unknown R: L. de Smet (pre 1863), N: L. de Smet, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush pink, with dark brown spots over each lobe. C 1863 (Previously listed incorrectly as an azalea; exhibited as a cultivar suitable for forcing)

(r) **'Romala'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Glory of Penjerrick' × *thomsonii* R: R.B. Fox, N: R.B. Fox, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson. (Barclayi Group)

(r) **'Roman Candle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'America' × 'Mars' H: S. Baldanza (c 1955), G: O.S. Pride, N: O.S. Pride

(a) **'Romance'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum*, orange-flowered form (s) × 'Azuma-shibori' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 2-3/truss, 40mm wide, slightly dull rose pink (light purplish pink (73C)). Shrub to 1.5m. Late April. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Romance'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L.L. Brooks (pre 1965), N: L.L. Brooks Fls double, yellowish pink. Indian

(r) **'Romance'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *elliottii* (s) × Jacquetta Group H: Lord Aberconway (1934), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12-14/fairly tight truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 65 × 75mm, geranium lake (20/1), base of corolla oxblood red (00823/3), inner surface freely speckled with cardinal red (822). Calyx rudimentary. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 225 × 75mm, with a soft, loose, light brown, woolly indumentum below. AM 1966 (Romance Group)

(r) **Romance Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *elliottii* (s) × Jacquetta Group H: Lord Aberconway (1934), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon

(r) **'Roman Pottery'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* (s) × *griersonianum* I: J.J. Crosfield (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale orange, with coppery lobes. (Fabia Group)

(r) **'Romany Chai'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Moser's Maroon' (s) × *griersonianum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1932), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rich glowing reddish terracotta, spotted brown. AM 1932 (Romany Chai Group)

(r) **Romany Chai Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Moser's Maroon' (s) × *griersonianum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1932), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Romany Chal'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Moser's Maroon' (s) × *facetum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1932), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c12/lax truss, campanulate, 50 × 60mm, cardinal red (822 to 822/2) on lobes, with a ray of black spots on the dorsal lobes; nectaries almost black. Calyx lobes 2-3mm long, crimson, glandular ciliate. Lvs oblong-elliptic, up to 125 × 55mm, dull green above, thinly brown tomentose below. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. AM 1932, FCC 1937 (Romany Chal Group)

(r) **Romany Chal Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Moser's Maroon' (s) × *facetum* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1932), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Romany Rye'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × Souldis Group R: E.G.W.W. Harrison, N: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1960), REG: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1961) Fls 9/truss, 75 × 108mm, deep pink

(r) **'Romarez'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *kyawii* (s) × *griersonianum* H: J.B. Stevenson (1932), G: J.B. Stevenson, I: Mrs R.M. Stevenson (1953), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 8-12/truss, funnel-shaped, 90mm wide, geranium lake (620). Lvs elliptic, up to 200mm long, dark and matt green above, with a brown indumentum below. AM 1953

(r) **'Romari'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Coer' (s) × *meddianum* H: J.B. Stevenson (1939), G: J.B. Stevenson, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(r) **'Roma Sun'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi King George' × Ostbo seedling no. Y3 R: R.M. Bovee (c 1950), N: Bovees Nursery, I: Bovees Nursery (1974), REG: Bovees Nursery (1975) Fls 10/flat truss, open funnel-campanulate, 75 × 115mm, with 7-8 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (2.5R 6/11) in bud, opening moderate yellowish pink (10R 8/6) becoming light yellowish green, edged deep pink (2.5R 6/11) which fades; outside deep pink (2.5R 6/11) becoming strong yellowish pink (5R 7/9) then light yellow; scented. Calyx c4mm long, dark red. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 215 × 75mm, apiculate at apex, somewhat auriculate at base, somewhat bullate, medium green. Shrub 2.0 × 2.0m in 24 years. May

(r) **'Rombergpark'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *oreodoxa* × un-named red hybrid H: A. Arends (pre 1952), I: G.D. Böhlje Nursery (1968), REG: G.D. Böhlje Nursery (1968) Fls 10-15/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, 6-lobed, white, outside pinkish towards the base. Mid-late March

(a) **'Romeo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep plum. Indian

(r) **'Romeo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: red *catawbiense* hybrid × red *catawbiense* hybrid R: A.M. Shammarello (1943), N: A.M. Shammarello, I: A.M. Shammarello (1961), REG: A.M. Shammarello (1972) Fls in a globular truss, funnel-shaped, 65mm wide, blood red, with a large, dark red blotch. Lvs 100 × 50mm, dark green. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. Late May

(r) **'Romilda'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Astrid' (s) × 'Lem's Monarch' H: H. Hachmann (1990), G: H. Hachmann (1996), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 12-15/very compact truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55-60 × 90-110mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, inside vivid purplish red (57D), edged vivid purplish red (57B/C) with a tinge of red, paler on midveins, almost white in places near centre; outside uniformly near vivid purplish red (57B/C); relatively few wine red markings on dorsal lobe; stamens 10, filaments white, anthers pale orange-yellow (165D); style light yellow-green (150D), stigma brownish orange (172C). Calyx c1mm long, yellowish green. Lvs elliptic to ovate, 110-160 × 50-80mm, matt mid green above with yellowish midribs, acute at apex, rounded to cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.4m in 10 years. Mid May-early June. (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030657). First published in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(r) **'Romola'** cv. Parentage unknown R: I. Davies (pre 1896), N: I. Davies, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Romulus'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1847), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose, finely spotted. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Romy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Inamorata Group × 'Mrs J.G. Millais' R: E.G. Millais, N: E.G. Millais, I: E.G. Millais (1973), REG: E.G. Millais (1973) Fls 13/compact, globular truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, pale greenish yellow (2D) flushed light greenish yellow (3D), with speckling on ventral lobes of strong red (46A). Lvs 75 × 30mm, dark and dull green. Shrub c0.9m. *HC 1974

(r) **Rona Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Cornubia Group (s) × *barbatum* H: Lord Aberconway (1926), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red

(r) **'Ronald'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *hodgsonii* × *sinogrande* H: A.C. & J.F.A. Gibson (1933), G: A.C. & J.F.A. Gibson, N: A.C. & J.F.A. Gibson (1958), REG: A.C. & J.F.A. Gibson (1961) Fls c30/truss, white, extensively stained pink/rose purple, with some darker staining outside. Lvs c300 × 140mm, tomentose below at first. AM 1958

(r) **'Ronald Otto Delp'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lodestar' × 'Mary Belle' H: D.L. Hinerman (1975), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 16/truss, open funnel-shaped, 57 × 80mm, 6-lobed, strong purplish red (63B) and strong to light purplish pink (63C, D) in bud, opening pale and strong purplish pink (62D, 63C) with a paleyellow (8D) flare and throat, and deep purplish red (61A) dorsal spots; filaments and style pale yellow-green (155A); anthers pale orange-yellow (159C); stigma vivid red (45A). Lvs 110 × 60mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 17 years. Early June. Syn: 'R.O. Delp'

(r) **'Rona Martin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Cornubia Group × Shilsonii Group N: Sir James Horlick (1933), I: Sir James Horlick, REG: Sir James Horlick (1961) Fls dark red. Lvs very dark green. Tall shrub. March

(r) **'Rona Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), N: T.W. Koenig, I: T.W. Koenig (c 1970), REG: R.A. Murray (1993) Fls 12-14/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 54 × 70-76mm, with 5-7 very slightly wavy-edged lobes, inside strong purplish pink (68B) shading lighter on midribs and with sparse, strong yellow-green (145A) spotting on the dorsal lobe; outside strong purplish pink (68B); stamens 10-12, straight, unequal; moderately scented. Calyx minute, green. Lvs elliptic, 165 × 76mm, obtuse at apex, oblique at base, dull and moderate olive green (137B) above, moderate yellow-green (147C) below, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 3.0m in c20 years. Mid May. (Purchased in mid 1960s by T.W. Koenig in a box of unlabelled Dexter cuttings from Long Island)

(r) **'Ron Coker'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: open-pollinated Loderi Group G: Mrs R.J. Coker (1965), N: B. Sligh (1993), REG: B. Sligh (1994) Fls 14/lax truss, 60-70 × 130mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds strong to pale pink (48D/49D), opening white inside and out, with a strong blotch of moderate purplish red (64A) in the throat and a flare extending to the basal third of the dorsal lobe; scented. Calyx 5mm long, strong yellow (153D). Lvs elliptic, 210 × 70mm, margins upcurved, acute at apex, rounded at base, deep green. Shrub 1.0 × 2.0m in 10 years. October (New Zealand). (Raised from seed from Ilam Gardens, 1957)

(r) **'Ronda'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, I: C. Ingram (1944), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Ron Fleeger'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Abe Arnott' (s) × 'Calsap' R: W.E. Delp (pre 1995), N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, moderate purple (79D), vivid reddish purple (78A) and deep reddish purple (77A) in bud, opening strong purple (77B) and light purple (77C), with a deep purplish red (187D) flare and dark red (187A) spots on three dorsal lobes; filaments moderate purplish pink (70D); style pale yellow-green (157C); anthers pale orange-yellow (159B); stigma dark reddish orange (173C). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Rongoiti Ruby'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Kilimanjaro Group (s) × *elliottii* H: R.C. Gordon (1986), G: R.C. Gordon (1991), N: R.C. Gordon (1993), REG: R.C. Gordon (1993) Fls 17-18/slightly lax truss, tubular-campanulate, 55 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, very dark red in bud, opening strong red (46A) inside and out, with blackish spots all over the inside of the corolla (extending well out on to the lobes); stigma, style and stamens all very deep pink. Calyx 4mm long, deep scarlet. Lvs lanceolate, 150 × 45mm, margins decurved, pointed at apex, attenuate at base, matt dark green above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.0m in 6 years. Late

(a) **'Ronja'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Reinhold Ambrosius' × 'Mistral' R: Bernd JackstGbR (1985), N: Bernd Jackst GbR, I: Bernd Jackst GbR, REG: ICRA (1997) Fls single, dark pink, with dark spots in the centre

(r) **'Ronkonkoma'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Blue Peter' × 'Purple Splendour' H: A.A. Raustein (1967), G: A.A. Raustein (1975), N: A.A. Raustein, I: A.A. Raustein, REG: A.A. Raustein (1976) Fls 22/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds deep reddish purple (77A), opening light purple (81C), with a large, dark red (187A), dorsal flare; edges and outside vivid purple (81B). Calyx 3mm long, moderate yellow-green (138C). Lvs elliptic, 175 × 75mm, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.6m in 8 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Ron Langdon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marion' × *griersonianum* × *fortunei* H: G. Langdon, G: G. Langdon (1974), N: G. Langdon, I: G. Langdon (1975), REG: G. Langdon (1976) Fls 13/truss, open campanulate, 100mm wide, strong purplish pink (55B), slightly spotted. Lvs elliptic. Shrub 0.8m

(r) **'Ronsdorf'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* hybrid H: U. Schumacher (1938), G: U. Schumacher,

N: U. Schumacher (c 1980) Fls rosy red, with a dark red basal blotch and a little red marking

(r) **Ronsdorfer Frühblühende Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *oreodoxa* × 'Doncaster' and other red hybrids H: G. Arends (1915), G: G. Arends, N: G. Arends, I: G. Arends (1932), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white on rose to purple. Lvs dark and shiny green above. Shrub 2.0-3.0m

(a) **'Ron Vines Junior'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Saint James' (s) × 'Harukaze' R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls single, 65-75mm wide, light orange-red at edges, with a very light pink centre and a green throat. Mid May. (First published in Holly Springs cat., 1990)

(a) **'Roosevelt'** (Syn. of 'President Roosevelt' (Indian))

(a) **'Rosa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, rose. Kurume

(a) **'Rosa Amabilis'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1913), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rose. Indian

(r) **'Rosa Ballerina'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* × un-named red hybrid R: D.G. Hobbie (1974), N: D.G. Hobbie, I: W. Wüstemeyer Fls intense pure rose, with strong yellow-green markings. Lvs grey-green. Compact shrub

(r) **'Rosabel'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1865), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose (Leroy, 1889)

(r) **'Rosabel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pink Shell' (s) × *griersonianum* I: J.J. Crosfield (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c12/loose truss, 100 × 115mm, pale pink with darker veining, dorsal lobe sparsely spotted pale red. Lvs narrowly oblanceolate, up to 200 × 50mm, dark green above. AM 1936 Syn: 'Renée'

(a) **'Rosabella'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L.L. Liebig (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, fine rose, with a carmine rose blotch. Indian

(a) **'Rosabella'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Cangallo' × unknown R: W.C. Hage & Co. (pre 1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac rose, with a dark, solferino rose centre. Kurume

(a) **'Rosabella'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Perle de Noisy' × 'Pink Dream' I: G. Boese (1973) Fl semi-double (with an average of 6 stamens/flower), strong to moderate purplish pink (62A-B). Calyx normal, green. Late. Indian

(r) **'Rosabella'** (Syn. of 'Hachmann's Rosabella')

(r) **'Rosabella'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R.T. Pince (pre 1868), N: R.T. Pince, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, bright rose. (Published in Lucombe, Pince & Co. cat., c1868)

(r) **'Rosabelle'** cv. Parentage unknown I: J. Standish (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright carmine rose with black spots on the dorsal lobe. C 1860

(v) **'Rosabelle'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: Vireya Venue (pre 1996), N: Vireya Venue Fls rose pink. Similar to 'Blushing Belle' except for flower colour

(a) **'Rosa Belton'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'James Belton' R: E. Kirk, I: Hazlewood Bros (pre 1967) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 65-75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, white or pale lavender, edged deep mauve. Indian

(a) **'Rosa Bonheur'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Verschaffelt (1876), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very delicate rose, edged darker rose, with a canary yellow dorsal blotch. Ghent

(a) **'Rosa Bonheur'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: E. van der Cruyssen (1876), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, red, with rose stripes. Indian

(a) **'Rosa Bonheur'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Vervaene (pre 1879), N: Vervaene, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pure white, with greenish ground. Indian

(r) **Rosa Bonheur Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Loderi Group (s) × Cornish Cross Group R: Sir Edmund Loder (pre 1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep pink

(r) **'Rosa Bonheur Luna'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Loderi Group (s) × Cornish Cross Group R: Sir Edmund Loder (pre 1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c10/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 80 × 100mm, 5-6-lobed, rich rose pink, with an orange flush at the base of tube. Calyx lobes 4-10mm long, flushed plum, gland-fringed. Lvs narrowly elliptic, up to 200 × 75mm, deep green above. Syn: 'Luna' (Rosa Bonheur Group)

(a) **'Rosaceum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: R. Veitch & Son (1867), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Rosaceum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: R. Veitch & Son (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls shaded pink

(r) **'Rosado'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Paprika Spiced' (s) × 'Fawn' (James) H: D.W. Goheen (1989), G: D.W. Goheen (1997), N: D.W. Goheen, I: A Sandy Rhododendron (1997), REG: D.W. Goheen (1997) Fls 12-14/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 100mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, moderate red (47A) in bud, opening deep pink (52C) flushed light yellow (18A, B) in the centre and with a small, vivid reddish orange (41A) blotch and spotting in the throat; outside midribs darker than deep pink (52C); stamens 12-14, straight, unequal; scented. Calyx very short, light green. Pedicels 65mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 65mm, margins upcurved, broadly acute at apex, dull green above, hairless; petioles 20mm long, light green. Shrub 0.9 × 0.6m in 7-8 years. May

(a) **'Rosafolium'** (See note under 'Rosifolium')

(a) **'Rosa Haerens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1932), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, with wavy-edged lobes, deeper rose than 'Madame Petrick'. Resembles 'Madame John Haerens'. Indian

(a) **'Rosa Ivery'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Ivery (pre 1869), N: J. Ivery, I: J. Ivery, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose. Indian

(a) **'Rosalba'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1871), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose. Indian (Perhaps the 'Rosa Alba' (sic) listed by B.S. Williams, 1872: fls pure white, shaded and spotted with light rose)

(r) **'Rosalea'** (Syn. of 'Boulter's Rosalea')

(a) **'Rosa Lee'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1994) Fls small, hose-in-hose, bright cerise. Dense shrub to 1.0m. Midseason. Kurume

(a) **'Rosali'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Perle de Noisy' × 'Pink Dream' I: G. Boese (1975) Fls semi-double (with an average of 2 stamens/flower), moderate purplish pink (66D), a little paler inside. Calyx normal, green. Midseason. Indian

(a) **'Rosalie'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: L. Verschaffelt (1847), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft rose, with rose edges, washed with yellow. Ghent (L. de Cock (1868) listed one as lacquer red, which must either have been an error or a different plant)

(a) **'Rosalie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L.L. Liebig (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose red, with a copper red tinge and purple dots. Indian

(a) **'Rosalie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum*, deep salmon form (s) × 'Hazel Dawson' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-2/truss, 75mm wide, with broad lobes, liseran purple (light purple (78C)), washed with rose dorée (deep yellowish pink (43C)), with a horse-shoe-shaped blotch of tyrian rose (vivid purplish red (57B)) dots. Lvs dark green. Spreading shrub to 1.2m. Mid-late May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Rosalie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hatsu-giri' (s) × 'Esmeralda' R: Betrieb Kerkhoff, N: Betrieb Kerkhoff, I: Betrieb Kerkhoff (1970) Fls pure rose, with inconspicuous reddish markings. Compact shrub. Syn: 'Rosa Sämling'

(r) **'Rosalie'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep claret, spotted. SCC 1865

(r) **'Rosalie Hall'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Double Winner' H: E.F. Newcomb (1979), G: H. Hall (1986), N: H. Hall, REG: H. Hall (1987) Fls 19/ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 51 × 51mm, with 8 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (58B) fading to strong purplish red (58C); short, strong red (46A) rays in the throat and faint, strong red (46A) spots on the dorsal lobe; outside strong purplish red (58C). Lvs obovate, 130 × 40mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, with a heavy, felt-like, brownish orange (165B) indumentum below; new growth greyish yellow-green (197D). Shrub 0.5 × 0.5m in 8 years. April

(a) **'Rosalie Nachman'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'J.T. Lovett' × 'Pat Kraft' × 'Orange Beauty' R: D. Hager (pre 1984), N: D. Hager Fls single, 75-90mm wide, light pink with an orange tone, and a bright pink blotch. Lvs narrow, glossy and dark green. Shrub to 0.6-0.8m

(r) **'Rosalie Robert'** cv. Parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy carmine, with a faint yellow blotch. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Rosalie Seidel'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1900), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with faint pink spots. AM 1891. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Rosa Lilacina Plenissima'** (See 'Roseum Lilacinum Plenissimum')

(a) **'Rosalind'** (Syn. of 'Hachmann's Rosalind')

(r) **'Rosalind'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R.T. Pince (pre 1868), N: R.T. Pince, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, rosy pink. (Published in Lucombe, Pince & Co. cat., c 1868)

(r) **'Rosalind'** cv. Parentage unknown R: I. Davies (pre 1896), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Rosalind'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* (s) × *oreodoxa* var. *fargesii* H: Lord Aberconway (1926), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in loose trusses, broadly funnel-shaped, rose pink. Lvs ovate, dull green above, hairless. AM 1938 (Rosalind Group)

(r) **Rosalind Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* (s) × *oreodoxa* var. *fargesii* H: Lord Aberconway (1926), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose pink

(a) **'Rosalinda'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose pink. Indian

(a) **'Rosalinda'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Eri' × lavender sport of 'Indicum Roseum' R: Q.R. Westfall, I: C.R. Brandt (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, light pink. Indian

(r) **'Rosalinde'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: May Day Group (s) × 'Goldsworth Orange' R: W. Bruns (1952), N: W. Bruns, I: W. Bruns (1978) Fls orange, tinged rose. Shrub broader than tall

(r) **'Rosalind of Arden'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *neriiflorum* subsp. *neriiflorum* (s) × *williamsianum* I: T.C. Thacker (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rose red

(r) **'Rosamene'** cv. Parentage unknown L: W.H. Rogers (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls shell pink

(r) **'Rosamond'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R.T. Pince (pre 1868), N: R.T. Pince, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in compact, globular trusses, claret rose, with pearly purplish tint and a well-spotted eye. Dwarf habit. (Published in Lucombe, Pince & Co. cat., c1868)

(r) **Rosamond Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Cornubia Group (s) × Loderi Group R: Sir Edmund Loder (pre 1920), I: Lady Loder (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear pink

(a) **'Rosa Multiflora'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Madame Petrick' × 'Eggebrechtii' I: A. Haerens (1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, double (like 'Simon Mardner'). Lvs rounded, soft green. Indian

(r) **'Rosamunde'** cv. Parentage unknown R: L.L. Liebig (pre 1878), N: L.L. Liebig, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with wavy-edged lobes

(a) **'Rosa Mundi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Baron de Pronay (pre 1844), N: Baron de Pronay, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Rosa Mundi'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose, spotted (Noble)

(a) **'Rosa Mundi Novum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Rosamund Millais'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'George Hardy' (s) × 'Doncaster' R: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1922), N: M. Koster & Sons Fls 12-14/truss, funnel-shaped, 50-55 × 70-80mm, cerise red, with a small, dense pattern of more-or-less black marks on a light ground and with a crimson zone at base of tube; shaded scarlet outside. Calyx dark crimson. Lvs oblong-obovate, up to 130 × 50mm, deep green above. *AM 1933

(r) **'Rosanita'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Laura Aberconway Group (s) × *yakushimanum* H: J.F. McQuire (1975), G: J.F. McQuire (1982), I: J.F. McQuire, REG: J.F. McQuire (1983) Fls 12/truss, 50 × 60mm, 5-lobed, pale purplish pink (55D), striped deep purplish pink (54B) down centre of each lobe. Calyx 5mm long, very pale brown. Lvs linear-oblanceolate, 140 × 30mm, with a woolly indumentum

(a) **'Rosanna'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1981)

(a) **'Rosanne'** (Syn. of 'Robin Hill Rosanne')

(a) **'Rosa Nova'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1869), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (L. van Houtte said it originated with de Marcq)

(a) **'Rosa Perle'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Friedhelm Scherrer' × 'Kirin' or 'Rex' I: O. Stahnke (1977) Fls semi-double (with an average of 8 stamens/flower), strong purplish pink (67D). Calyx hose-in-hose, coloured as corolla. Midseason. Indian

(r) **'Rosa Perle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kluis Triumph' (s) × *makinoi* H: W. Bruns (1958), G: J. Bruns Nursery, N: J. Bruns Nursery, I: J. Bruns Nursery, REG: J. Bruns Nursery (1971) Fls 9-18/rounded, slightly loose truss, open funnel-shaped, 32-50 × 40-55mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, strong bright pink in bud, opening bright pink inside and out, with faint brownish markings on a white ground. Calyx 1mm long, light greenish to yellowish. Lvs lanceolate, 85-210 × 18-45mm, flat, acute and cuspidate at apex, matt green with a slight brownish indumentum ageing to light grey. Shrub of compact habit, 1.4 × 2.9m in 36 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Rosa Regan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* hybrid R: D.G. Hobbie (1970), N: D.G. Hobbie Fls 7-13/tight truss, 30-70mm wide, yellowish white, with slight yellow-brown marking and a brownish red basal blotch; outside tinted rose to rose purple. Lvs dark green

(r) **'Rosarka'** (Syn. of 'Hachmann's Rosarka')

(a) **'Rosa Sämling'** (Syn. of 'Rosalie')

(a) **'Rosa Sinensis'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1835), INC: ICRA (1958) Shrub 1.0-1.5m. Ghent (Presumably the 'Rosa Chinensis' listed by Knight & Perry, c1850)

(a) **'Rosata'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *viscosum* × 'Koster's Brilliant Red' H: B.B.C. Felix (1938), N: Boskoop, I: Boskoop, REG: Boskoop (1968) Fls single, 7-11/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, c48mm long, 5-lobed, deep to moderate purplish pink (66C-D), with deeper, redder midveins (especially on outside) and deeper buds, a few inconspicuous orange spots in dorsal throat; filaments pale pink, anthers orange; style long exserted, deep pink with a very dark stigma; strongly scented. Calyx 2mm long, with dense, short, eglandular hairs and numerous, long, red gland-tipped hairs. Pedicels c13mm long, reddish towards apex, green at base, hairy. Lvs (at anthesis) narrowly to broadly obovate, up to 50 × 23mm, ciliate and hairy on midribs (especially below), slightly glossy and pale green above, slightly grey-green below. Tall shrub. Late May. (Probably the plant also seen listed as 'Rosita')

(r) **'Rosa Traum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × 'Catharine van Tol' R: D.G. Hobbie (c 1938), N: D.G. Hobbie Fls in compact trusses, rose, with yellow markings; scented

(r) **'Rosa Wolke'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Doncaster' × 'Catharine van Tol' R: J. Bruns Nursery (1960), N: J. Bruns Nursery, I: J. Bruns Nursery (1983) Fls 8-16/compact, broadly rounded truss, 45-70mm wide, whitish rose, with yellow-green to yellowish brown markings. Lvs long ovate, grey felted below. Compact shrub, 1.2 × 2.0m

(r) **'Rosa Wunder'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: China Group (s) × 'Bremen' H: W. Bruns (1958), G: J Bruns Nursery, N: J. Bruns Nursery, I: J. Bruns Nursery (1976)

Fls 7-12/lax truss, 60-95mm wide, opening very wide, 5-7-lobed, pure rose, with very inconspicuous red markings. Broadly rounded, compact shrub, 1.3 × 1.5m in 10 years

(a) **'Rose'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 30mm wide, nopal red; stamens almost red. Kurume (Imported to USA from Japan, original name lost, re-named by H.A. Dreer)

(a) **'Rose'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose pink. Kaempferi

(a) **Rose Group** gp Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) (Listed as the origin of 'Freda' (W.D. Smith))

(r) **'Rosé'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pacific Queen' × *wardii* H: G.E. Grant, G: L.A. Grant (pre 1997), N: L.A. Grant Fls in a tight, domed truss, peach pink (512/2-512/3), with a red-brown blotch in the dorsal throat

(v) **'Rose'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *javanicum* × 'Princess Alexandra' I: J. Veitch & Sons (1891), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pinkish yellow to salmon

(r) **'Rosealind'** (Syn. of 'Rosealind Slinger')

(r) **'Rosealind Slinger'** cv. Parentage unknown H: Slieve Donard Nursery (c 1965), G: Slieve Donard Nursery, N: Slieve Donard Nursery, I: Slieve Donard Nursery, REG: E.C. Nelson (1987) Fls 3-6/truss, conical-campanulate, 45 × 60-70mm, with 5 spreading lobes (same length as tube), vivid purplish red (57D) in bud, opening strong purplish pink (62A) to light purplish pink (63D), darker outside; upper lobe with dark spots. Calyx 1.5mm long, green. Lvs ovate-elliptic, 80 × 40mm, mid green above, paler below, hairless; bronze green when young. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m, very compact. May-June. Syn: 'Rosealind'

(r) **'Roseann'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi Venus' (s) × 'Britannia' I: R. Henny, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 16-18/truss, funnel-campanulate, 115mm wide, fuchsine pink (627/1), spotted crimson on the dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 200mm long, acute at apex, cuneate at base, mid green with red petioles. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(a) **'Rose Ash'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Osakazuki' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, 65-75mm wide, geranium pink (strong pink (48C)), shading almost to rose dorée (deep yellowish pink (43C)), with numerous rose red (vivid red (52A)) dots making up an inconspicuous blotch; occasionally an extra lobe present. Lvs narrow, dark green. Shrub to 1.2m tall. Late May-early June. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Roseate'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Lang, G: Australia (pre 1984) Fls semi-double, salmon pink. Kurume

(a) **'Rose Avenir'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Avenir' L: Australia (1984) Fls double, pale pink. Indian

(a) **'Rose Banner'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* (or *kaempferi* hybrid) × 'Snow' R: USDA, N: USDA, Beltsville, I: USDA, Beltsville (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, rose, with a darker blotch. Shrub of open habit, as wide as tall. (Derived from the work of G.E. Yerkes & R.L. Pryor)

(r) **'Rose Barbara'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pygmalion' × *yakushimanum* H: W.M. Fetterhoff (1965), G: W.M. Fetterhoff (1972), N: W.M. Fetterhoff, I: W.M. Fetterhoff, REG: W.M. Fetterhoff (1988) Fls 14/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 30 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (52A) in bud, opening deep pink (52B), with a prominent dorsal blotch of moderate purplish red (59C) extending on to adjacent lobes. Calyx very small. Lvs elliptic, 60-120 × 20-40mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, smooth, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, with an off white, lightly plastered indumentum below, which becomes brownish white with age. Shrub 0.7 × 1.1m in 22 years. Late May

(r) **'Rose Beauty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* hybrid R: R. Gill & Sons (pre 1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy pink, with a few markings on the dorsal lobes

(v) **'Rosebelle'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown L: Equatorial Plant Co. (1996) Fls rose pink. Miniature shrub, resembling 'Blushing Belle' except for flower colour

(r) **'Rosebird'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *russatum* S: New Zealand, N: Dunedin Rhododendron Group (1985), REG: Dunedin Rhododendron Group (1985) Fls 15-25/truss, funnel-shaped, 15 × 25mm, 5-lobed, deep purplish pink (72D). Calyx 1mm long. Lvs elliptic, 40-45 × 12mm, scaly. Compact shrub, 0.75m tall. (Has circulated in New Zealand as *russatum roseum*)

(a) **'Rose Brocade'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Warai-gishi' × 'Kagetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1965) Fls double, 65-75mm wide, with 15-20 broad, overlapping lobes, rose with traces of tyrian rose dots in blotch area of dorsal lobes; no stamens; pistil apparently normal, if present. Shrub 1.2xc1.2m in 15 years. Back Acres

(a) **'Rosebud'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt, I: E.A. Merritt (c 1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, hose-in-hose, pink (paler than Gable's 'Rosebud'). Kurume

(a) **'Rosebud'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Louise Gable' × 'Caroline Gable' R: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable (c 1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, hose-in-hose, 2/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 25 × 30mm, strong purplish pink (62A), flushed and with slight veining of deep purplish pink (61D). Lvs 25-40 × 13mm,

mid and glossy green above. Shrub 1.2m in 25 years. *AM 1972, *FCC 1975. Gable

(r) **'Rosebud'** (Syn. of 'Jane Henny')

(a) **'Rose Chérie'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark red, with an orange blotch. Ghent

(r) **'Rose Chérie'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Byls (1854), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft, clear rose, spotted with brown

(a) **'Rose Choptank'** cv. Deciduous azalea: seedling from a selfed Choptank River Hybrid (no.C-1) L: Transplant Nursery (1986) Fls deep rose

(a) **'Rose Crystaline'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Simon Mardner' × 'Madame van der Cruyssen' I: E. de Meyer (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose. Indian (Sometimes seen as 'Rose Cristaline')

(a) **'Rose d'Amour'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, soft rose. Similar to 'Helen Theleman' but a brighter colour. Indian

(a) **'Rose d'Amour'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls flame pink on a paler ground, dorsal lobe suffused blood orange; becomes deeper rose with age (1958 Register); C. van Geert (1877) lists a plant with this name described as an almost unicolorous blood red. Ghent

(a) **'Rose d'Automne'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1913), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rose. Indian

(a) **'Rose Dawn'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Anytime' × 'Amagasa' R: N. Carolina/Louisiana State Univ. (pre 1981), N: N. Carolina/Louisiana State Univ. Fls double (stamens seldom present), with wavy-edged lobes, 65-75mm wide, light purplish pink. Shrub to 1.1m tall

(a) **'Rose de Flandre'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte (pre 1875), N: L. van Houtte, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose, lobe tips white, with an orange blotch. Ghent

(a) **'Rose de la Reine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1910), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rose. Indian

(a) **'Rose de Noël'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Eborinum Plenum' I: L. de Smet-Duvivier (1904), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft rose. Indian

(a) **'Rose de Noël'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 6-8/truss, bright lilac rose. Flowering at Christmas. Indian

(a) **'Rose d'Hiver'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, carmine rose. Indian

(a) **'Rose d'Hollande'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Rinz (pre 1872), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange pink (1958 Register); flesh rose with an orange blotch (C. van Geert, 1877). Ghent (Previously listed as 'Rose de Hollande')

(a) **'Rosedown'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Anytime' × 'Amagasa' R: F.D. Cochran & R.J. Stadtherr (pre 1981), N: F.D. Cochran & R.J. Stadtherr Fls semi-double/double, 75mm wide, medium purplish pink. Lvs ovate, more-or-less glossy and green in winter

(r) **Rose du Barri Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* (s) × 'Standishii' R: Sir Edmund Loder (pre 1920), I: Lady Loder (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c15/compact truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 100mm, usually 6-lobed, soft pink, with a ray of greenish brown marks at the base of the tube. Calyx lobes 3-5mm long, pale green. Lvs oblong-ovate, up to 160 × 55mm, dark and glossy green above. Syn: Leonardslee Rose du Barri Group

(r) **'Rosé Duft'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Seedling from 'Sir Charles Butler' R: F. Renken (1936), N: F. Renken (1974), I: F. Renken (1974) Fls pale rose outside, inside white edged rose, with numerous, inconspicuous yellow spots; strongly scented

(a) **'Rose Elf'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* × 'Snow' × 'Salmon Beauty' R: USDA, Beltsville, N: USDA, Beltsville, I: USDA, Beltsville (1960), REG: USDA, Beltsville (1961) Fls single, c25mm wide, light rose. Lvs dark green. Very dwarf shrub, about one-and-a-half times as wide as tall. (Derived from the work of G.E. Yerkes & R.L. Pryor)

(r) **'Rose Elf'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *racemosum* (s) × *pemakoense* R: B.F. Lancaster (1947), I: B.F. Lancaster (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls open campanulate, 25 × 30mm, imperial purple (33/2-33/3). Lvs broadly elliptic, 20-30 × 13-20mm, glossy and dark green. Shrub of dwarf, spreading habit, 0.4m in 10 years. Early

(a) **'Rose Ember'** cv. Deciduous azalea: natural hybrid, believed to be *arborescens* × *calendulaceum* or *cumberlandense* S: L.C. Towe (1982), N: L.C. Towe, I: The Cummins Garden (1988), REG: L.C. Towe (1991) Fls 5-7/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 38 × 51mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, deep pink (52C) with a brilliant yellow (13C) blotch; moderately scented. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 51 × 25mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in 6 years (2.1m tall in wild). June. Syn: 'Catawba' (First seen 1980 and collected on Appalachian Trail, North Carolina, USA)

(r) **'Rose Fantasy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goody Goody' × 'Si Si' (s) × 'Anne Hardgrove' × 'Delp's Cindy Lou' R: W.E. Delp (pre 1992), N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls moderate purplish red (58A) in bud, opening vivid red (57A) and vivid purplish red (57B, C, D). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Rosefinch'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Bella Group (s) × *griersonianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1926), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 10/loose, rather flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, deep rose, tinged bluish. Calyx c13mm long, red. Lvs lanceolate, up to 175 × 55mm. AM 1939 (Rosefinch Group)

(r) **Rosefinch Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Bella Group (s) × *griersonianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1926), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1939), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Rose Garden'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Greenwood Gardens (pre 1985), N: Greenwood Gardens

(a) **'Rose Glitters'** (Syn. of 'Nuccio's Rose Glitters')

(a) **'Rose Glory'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *eriocarpum* L: K. Wada (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls warm rose

(a) **'Rose Glory'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* (or *kaempferi* hybrid) (s) × 'Snow' R: USDA, N: USDA, Beltsville (1950), I: USDA, Beltsville (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 40-45mm wide, rose with a blotch of darker spots. (Derived from the work of G.E. Yerkes & R.L. Pryor)

(a) **'Rose Glow'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: USA (1994)

(a) **'Rose Greeley'** cv. Evergreen azalea: (*yedoense* var. *poukhanense* × *mucronatum*) F2 × (*yedoense* var. *poukhanense* × 'Hexe') × (*yedoense* var. *poukhanense* × *kaempferi*) R: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable (1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 65mm wide, white, with a chartreuse blotch; sweetly scented. Gable

(a) **'Rose Gumpo'** (Perhaps correctly 'Gumpo Fancy')

(r) **'Rose Haines'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* hybrid H: C. English (1957), G: C.R. Burlingame (1961), N: C.R. Burlingame, I: C.R. Burlingame (1967), REG: C.R. Burlingame (1976) Fls 9-11/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, cyclamen purple (30/3), throat flushed sap green (62/2), buds and outside cyclamen purple (30/2). Calyx minute, reddish brown. Lvs oblong, 115 × 55mm, obcordate at apex, rounded at base, dark green, hairless. Shrub 1.7 × 2.1m in 19 years. Early May

(r) **'Rose Hill'** (Syn. of 'Schloss Hollinghofen')

(r) **'Rose Imp'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' (s) × unknown G: Pukeiti Rhododendron Trust, N: G.F. Smith, I: Pukeiti Rhododendron Trust, REG: G.F. Smith (1984) Fls 12/truss, 40 × 45-50mm, 5-lobed, deep to light purplish pink (55A-C), with a prominent red flare in the dorsal throat. Calyx 5-8mm long, cream. Lvs elliptic, 65-80 × 25-35mm, strongly revolute to rolled at tips; light tan indumentum on young foliage. Shrub to 0.5m in 10 years. (Derived from open-pollinated seed from Pukeiti)

(a) **'Rose King'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Rose Queen' L: Nuccio's Nurseries (1981) Fls hose-in-hose, deep rose pink. Shrub of dense habit, 1.0m. Indian (Perhaps of Australian origin)

(r) **'Rose Lancaster'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Tally Ho Group × *yakushimanum* H: B.F. Lancaster (1962), G: R. Austin (1968), N: D.W. Goheen, I: R. Austin (1973), REG: D.W. Goheen (1977) Fls 18-30/balltruss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 65 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (52A) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (55A), without blotch or spots. Calyx 1-2mm long, rose white. Lvs oblanceolate, 125 × 45mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dark green above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years. Late May

(a) **'Rose Lee Clagett'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Moonbeam' (s) × unknown H: W.L. Clagett (1989), G: W.L. Clagett (1992), N: W.L. Clagett, I: White's Nursery (1995), REG: W.L. Clagett (1995) Fls 2-3/truss, hose-in-hose, broadly funnel-shaped, 45 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes/whorl, paler than light purple (77D), with a very narrow edging of strong purple (77B) and inconspicuous pale reddish purple spotting near the base of the dorsal lobe; stamens 5, straight, unequal. Calyx 45mm long, coloured as corolla. Pedicels 10mm long, light green. Lvs obovate, 35 × 15mm, concave, acute at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (146B) below; petioles 14mm long, light green. Shrub 0.2 × 0.3m in 3 years. Early May. (Distributed under no. 89-4-1)

(a) **'Roselight'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *simsii* (s) × *mucronatum* R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-2/truss, 50-70mm wide, clear pink. Lvs large, mid green, somewhat hairy. Shrub 1.5m tall. Mid April. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Rose-lilac'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from Obtusum Group R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Roselind Gable'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* × *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* R: J.B. Gable, INC: ICRA (1958). Gable

(a) **'Rosella'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown, perhaps an *occidentale* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 15/compact, globular truss, 55 × 55mm, funnel-shaped, carmine rose (621/3) deepening to camellia rose (622-622/1), with a lemon yellow (4) blotch. Lvs 125 × 45mm, dull green. Shrub at least 2.0m. (This is the award description). Galle (1985) lists it as 'white, with purplish red margins (55C) and an orange-yellowblotch'. *HC 1963. Knap Hill

(r) **'Rosella Beckwith'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lem's Cameo' (s) × 'Mrs G.W. Leak' H: unknown (1989), G: E.T. Anderson (1999), N: Mr & Mrs E.T. Anderson, REG: E.T. Anderson (2002) Fls 13/domed

truss, open funnel-campanulate, 55-65 × 65-100mm, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53B) in bud, opening inside strong purplish red (63A) and paling to strong purplish red (63B) and strong purplish pink (63C, 62A), outside strong purplish red (63A); a prominent, heavily speckled, dorsal blotch, dark red (187A) at base, shading to deep red (53A), covering much of dorsal lobe and portions of adjacent lobes, remaining lobes red at base. Calyx minute. Lvs elliptic, 75-130 × 40-50mm, margins slightly wavy, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.8-2.1 × 1.5m in 13 years. Mid April

(r) **'Roselyn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *insigne* (s) × 'Spitfire' R: H. Hachmann (1964), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1983) Fls 14-17/compact, rounded truss, 50-55mm wide, ruby rose, inside paler with greenish brown markings. Compact shrub, 0.8 × 1.3m in 10 years

(a) **'Rose Magnificum'** (Syn. of 'Magnificum Roseum')

(r) **Rose Mangles Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* (s) × *maddenii* R: J.H. Mangles (pre 1884), N: J.H. Mangles, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls trumpet-shaped, rose pink

(a) **'Rose Marie'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blood red. Ghent

(a) **'Rose-Marie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, of camellia-form, rose, with no markings. Indian

(r) **'Rose Marie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* × 'Pink Pearl' R: B. Kavka (c 1965), N: B. Kavka Fls 6-14/globose truss, 90mm wide, roseine purple in bud (629/2-629/1), opening whitish pink, shaded roseine purple (629/2-629/3), with a conspicuous blotch of uranium green (63) to ruby red (827/1). Lvs broadly elliptic to ovate, 103 × 50mm, spinach green (0960). Shrub c1.2m in 9 years

(r) **'Rosemarie'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown L: Holly Heath Nursery (1978) Fls large, lavender blue. Compact shrub, 0.9m in 10 years. Mid May

(a) **'Rose Marsh'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Leopold-Astrid' × 'Hinodegiri' H: K.M. Marsh, G: K.M. Marsh (1970), N: K.M. Marsh, REG: K.M. Marsh (1973) Fls single, 4-6/truss, 75mm wide, light purplish pink (65B). Lvs 45 × 12.5mm, semi-glossy. Shrub c1.0m

(a) **'Rosemary'** (Syn. of 'Rosemary Annette')

(a) **'Rosemary'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: D. Parmenter (pre 1969), N: D. Parmenter Fls single, pink

(a) **'Rosemary Annette'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Elsie Lee' × 'Robin Hill Frosty' H: H.R. Schroeder (1973), G: S. Schroeder (1978), N: S. Schroeder, I: S. Schroeder (1986), REG: S. Schroeder (1986) Fls double, open funnel-shaped, 38 × 51mm, with 11 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (62B), with dark rose dorsal spotting; only 5 (abnormal) stamens present. Calyx 6mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 32 × 13mm, dull and dark green above, light green below, hairy. Shrub 0.46 × 0.46m in 10 years. Mid April. Syn: 'Rosemary'

(r) **'Rosemary Chipp'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *orbiculare* (s) × Loderi Group R: Kew, N: Kew, I: Kew (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls broadly campanulate, 7-lobed, pale rose pink, darker in bud. Lvs elliptic, 125mm long, dark green above. AM 1928

(a) **'Rosemary Hyde'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Maxwellii' × 'Sir William Lawrence' H: W.G.T. Hyde (1962), G: W.G.T. Hyde, N: W.G.T. Hyde, I: W.G.T. Hyde (1972), REG: W.G.T. Hyde (1975) Fls 2/compact truss, broadly funnel-shaped, strong purplish pink (67D), flushed deep purplish pink (67C) and spotted deep red (60A). Lvs 25-50 × 13-25mm, dull green above. Shrub c0.7m. *AM 1974

(r) **Rosemary Seys Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Aries Group × 'Moser's Maroon' R: Exbury (pre 1951), N: Exbury, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright crimson

(a) **'Rosemary White'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably a seedling from 'Dayspring' R: I.L. Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L. Amann Fls 65mm wide, white, with a brilliant yellow-green (149B) blotch. Columnar growth habit, to 2.56m tall

(r) **'Rosenelfe'** (Syn. of 'Hachmann's Rosenelfe')

(r) **'Rose Newcome'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: J.H. Mangles (pre 1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c8-10/open-topped truss, funnel-campanulate, 60 × 80-85mm, 5-lobed, white, outside tinged vivid purplish red (57C-D) at tips and along midveins, inside unmarked. Calyx up to 10mm long, with unequal lobes, vivid red (46B). Lvs oblong-elliptic, up to 160 × 70mm, dark green and more-or-less glossy above, with a very thin, brown indumentum below. Shrub to 2.5-3.0m. *AM 1957 (Incorrectly spelt 'Rose Newcomb' in the 1958 Register)

(r) **'Rosenfee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Samtkrone I' (s) × 'Mars' × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' R: H. Hachmann (1969), N: H. Hachmann Fls soft rose, striped white, with inconspicuous, dark red markings

(r) **'Rosenkavalier'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *facetum* × Tally Ho Group I: Royal Horticultural Society (1959), REG: Royal Horticultural Society (1961) Fls c15/truss, 100mm wide, deep yellowish pink (43C), with scattered, red spotting on the dorsal lobes; nectaries deep-coloured. Lvs with an easily rubbed off fawn indumentum. AM 1959

(r) **'Rosenkönigin'** (Syn. of 'Robeneks Rosenkönigin')

(a) **'Rosenmärchen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Mother's Day' × 'Eddy' H: G. Mittendorf (1973), G: G. Mittendorf (1981), N: W. Schmalscheidt (1994), I: G. Mittendorf (1994), REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1995) Fls single, 1-4/loose truss, open funnel-shaped, 25-40 × 35-60mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, strong pink in bud, opening a bright, intense pink. Calyx 4-5mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 21-50 × 9-22mm, flat, obtuse or slightly acuminate at apex, narrowed at base, matt green. Shrub 0.8 × 0.6m in 20 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Rosenoble'** (Syn. of 'Mrs Henry Shilson')

(r) **'Rosenrot'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × 'James Marshall Brooks' R: D.G. Hobbie (c 1948), N: D.G. Hobbie (1984), I: D.G. Hobbie (1984) Fls large, rose, with a red eye. Lvs lanceolate

(r) **'Rose of Bagshot'** cv. Parentage unknown L: L. de Cock (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac rose. (Perhaps raised by J. Standish (Laurentius, 1869))

(r) **'Rose of China'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Tally Ho Group (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* H: H. Lem (1942), G: B.F. Lancaster, N: B.F. Lancaster, I: B.F. Lancaster, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 12/truss, open campanulate, 90-100mm wide, clear china rose (024/1), sparsely spotted red. Lvs lanceolate, 125-175 × 40-50mm. Shrub of open habit, under 1.4m. Midseason

(a) **'Rose of Heaven'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: T.J. Hallam (pre 1984), N: T.J. Hallam Fls semi-double, soft candy pink. Indian

(a) **'Roseoflavum'** (An error for 'Roseum Flavum')

(a) **'Rose of Washington Square'** cv. Deciduous azalea: derived from crosses involving *cumberlandense* and *arborescens* R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1987), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls deep pink, with an orange-yellow flare. Mid June

(r) **'Roseopurpureum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid R: J. Booth (pre 1838), N: J. Booth, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose purple, spotted orange

(r) **'Rose Pageant'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × 'Corona' R: R. Henny, N: L. Henny, I: L. Henny (1963), REG: L. Henny (1964) Fls 12/full truss, 90mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (55B) fading to light purplish pink (55C), throat white. Lvs up to 225mm long. Shrub 2.56m in 15 years. Late June-July

(r) **'Rose Pantaloons'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Wilbar Group × *chamaethomsonii* var. *chamaethauma* H: C.G. Heller (1968), G: C.G. Heller (1976), N: C.G. Heller, I: C.G. Heller, REG: C.G. Heller (1976) Fls hose-in-hose, 5/lax truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 35 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (54B). Calyx 40mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 50 × 25mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, glossy and moderate olive green (146A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.35 × 0.35m in 7 years, with decumbent branches. Mid April

(a) **'Rose Parade'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: O.R. Bristow, I: Mossholder Nursery (1950-1960) Fls double, 65-75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, rose pink

(a) **'Rose Parade'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Linda Jean' × 'Hahn's Red' H: W.L. Guttormsen (1975), G: W.L. Guttormsen (1979), N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen (c 1983), REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1985) Fls double and hose-in-hose (5+5-lobed, plus petaloid stamens), 2-4/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 65mm, deep purplish pink (55A). Lvs more-or-less narrowly obovate, more-or-less moderate olive green (146A) and glossy above, hairy. Shrub 0.5 × 0.5m in 6 years. Early May

(a) **'Rose Pearl'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls semi-double, deep pink. Indian

(a) **'Rose Perfecta'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Roberta' × 'Girard's Pink' R: P.E. Girard (pre 1987), N: P.E. Girard Fls hose-in-hose, 6-lobed, strong pink (52D). Low, compact shrub

(a) **'Rose Perfection'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection or hybrid of *scabrum* L: K. Wada (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 140mm wide, rose. Resembles 'Red Emperor'

(r) **'Rose Perfection'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R. Gill & Sons (pre 1917), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c14/loose truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 60-65 × 80-90mm, deep rose with darker veins in the lobes, shaded crimson externally; nectaries blood red. Calyx lobes 4-8mm long, fleshy, pale green, hairless. Lvs oblong-obovate, c100 × 55mm, dark green above

(v) **'Rose Perfection'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *javanicum* × 'Princess Alexandra' R: J. Veitch & Sons, N: J. Veitch & Sons, I: J. Veitch & Sons (1886), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light satiny rose, suffused white towards centre. FCC 1886

(a) **'Rose Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Kelmscott Azalea Gardens (1984) Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, rose pink. Kurume

(r) **'Rose Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × *catawbiense* H: N.W. Robinson (pre 1978)

(a) **'Rose Pink Party Dress'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: M.E. Greentree, I: Camellia Lodge Nursery (1973) Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, with wavy-edged lobes, rose pink. Indian

(r) **'Rose Point'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Dido Group × *williamsianum* H: H. Lem (c 1965), G: E. Fisher & L.J. Pierce (1970), S: L.J. Pierce, N: L.J. Pierce, REG: J.A. Elliott (1980) Fls 7/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 65-75mm, with 7 flat-edged to slightly wavy lobes, strong purplish red (63B) in bud, opening strong purplish pink (63C) at lobe edges and in stripes towards throat from lobe sinuses, shaded lighter between the stripes; outside strong purplish

pink (63C); unmarked (two dorsal stripes are slightly darker). Calyx c1.5mm long, very light yellowish green. Lvs broadly elliptic, obtuse and apiculate at apex, cordate to oblique at base, margins slightly decurved, dull and yellow-green above, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 1.2m in 10 years. Mid April

(a) **'Rose Quartz'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Similar to 'Kirin' (syn. 'Coral Bells') but lighter in colour. Kurume

(a) **'Rose Queen'** (Syn. of 'Greenwood Rose Queen')

(a) **'Rose Queen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Sander (c 1885), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rose. Sander

(a) **'Rose Queen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Bobbink & Atkins (1920-1930), N: Bobbink & Atkins, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single or semi-double, fuchsine pink (627/2), with a white throat and a darker blotch. Rutherford

(a) **'Rose Queen'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose. Mollis

(r) **'Rose Queen'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* × *maddenii* R: J.H. Mangles (pre 1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 7-8/truss, funnel-shaped, 75mm wide, rose pink, tinged orange at the base of the tube; scented. Lvs lanceolate. AM 1904

(a) **'Rose Queen Improved'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, soft lilac pink, larger than in their 'Rose Queen'. Indian

(a) **'Rose Queen Variegated'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Camellia Lodge Nursery (1977) Fls semi-double, bright pink. Lvs pale green, edged white

(r) **'Rose Red'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1971) (Listed as a parent of 'Jack Lyons')

(a) **'Rose Ruffles'** cv. Deciduous azalea: ('Gallipoli' × 'Cecile') × 'Pink Delight' × ('Gallipoli' × 'Cecile') × 'Pink Delight' H: I. & R. Arneson (1971), G: I. & R. Arneson (1978), N: I. & R. Arneson, I: I. & R. Arneson, REG: I. & R. Arneson (1989) Fls single, 11-13/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 51 × 76mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (48C) to deep yellowish pink (47C), shading to moderate red (47A) at margins, with strong orange-yellow (24B) dorsal spotting. Calyx 6mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 102 × 38-51mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, slightly hairy. Shrub 1.8 × 1.2m in 16 years. Late May

(r) **'Rose Scott'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Else Frye' × *johnstoneanum* × *veitchianum* Cubittii Group H: R.W. Scott (1968), G: R.W. Scott (1975), N: R.W. Scott, I: R.W. Scott (1976), REG: R.W. Scott (1977) Fls up to 7/ball to flat truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 108mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, white, with irregular patches of fuchsine pink (627/3-627/1), with a large flare of china rose (024/1) and orange buff (507/3); outside heavily flushed fuchsine pink, rib markings of spiraea red (025/1); buds cardinal red (822); strongly scented. Calyx irregular, green, flushed rose. Lvs elliptic, 90 × 40mm, acute to apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and bullate above, moderately gold scaly; young lvs long ciliate. Shrub 1.2m high in 10 years. Early-mid March

(r) **'Rose Splendour'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × 'Purple Splendour' H: B.F. Lancaster (1948), G: B.F. Lancaster, I: B.F. Lancaster, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12/upright truss, rotate, 100mm wide, with very wavy-edged lobes, magenta rose (027) with a geranium lake (20) eye and garnet brown dorsal spotting. Lvs oblong-elliptic, 100-125 × 40mm, deep green. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in 9 years. Late. (Sometimes seen as 'Rose Splendor')

(a) **'Rose Taffeta'** (Syn. of 'Shintoki-no-hagasane')

(r) **'Rose Trumpet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Atrier Group × unknown R: C. Herbert (1954), N: C. Herbert, I: C. Herbert Fls 12/lax truss, funnel-shaped, 50mm wide, deep pink. Lvs 150 × 40mm, acuminate at apex, pale green. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Mid May

(a) **'Rosetta'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (pre 1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose, with a yellow eye. Indian

(a) **'Rosetta'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Rinz (c 1853), N: J. Rinz, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, carmine rose, shaded white, with a bright carmine tube. Syn: 'Rosette'. Ghent (A. Verschaffelt listed a plant with this name in 1858 described as pure white, mixed with rose: this may be the same plant)

(a) **'Rosette'** (Syn. of 'Rosetta')

(a) **'Rosette'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Firts Sander' × 'Vervaeneanum Rubrum' I: A. de Reuse (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, deep red. Indian

(a) **'Rosette'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Waraigishi' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double to semi-double, 1-3/truss, 90-100mm wide, light rosolane purple (deep purplish pink (72D)) with an inconspicuous blotch of small, tyrian rose (vivid purplish red (57B)) dots. Upright shrub to 1.5m. Mid April-early May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Rosette'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose

(r) **'Rosette'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with ochre spots on paler ground; fades with age

(a) **'Roseum'** (Syn. of 'Gumpo Fancy')

(a) **'Roseum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1811), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed under *Azalea nudiflora*)

(a) **'Roseum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Koster & Co. (pre 1915), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure pink. Tall shrub. Midseason. Occidentale

(a) **'Roseum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, bright pink to violet red (magenta (27/3), rose bengal (25/1) and neyron rose (623/1)), usually with a darker red-brown blotch. Amoena (Description requires confirmation)

(a) **'Roseum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ruffled Giant' × 'Rosebud' H: J.G. Thompson (1973), G: J.G. Thompson, N: J.G. Thompson Fls double and hose-in-hose, dark pink

(r) **'Roseum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as a selection of *ponticum* L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1818), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy lilac

(r) **'Roseum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as a selection of *catawbiense* L: Whitley & Osborn (1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Roseum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *racemosum* × 'Praecox' R: G. Arends (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark pink, larger than both parents

(r) **'Roseum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *russatum* L: New Zealand (1976)

(r) **'Roseum Album'** cv. Parentage unknown, possibly derived from *catawbiense* L: USA (1994)

(a) **'Roseum Amabile'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Roseum Amaranthinum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose. Indian

(r) **'Roseum Argentinum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rose

(a) **'Roseum Aurantiacum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Roseum Bicolor'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Roseum Compactum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: A. Henderson & Co. (1852), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Roseum Crispum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection or hybrid of *arboreum* R: unknown (pre 1909), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Roseum Cupreum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. van Geert (1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon rose, with a coppery blotch. Ghent

(a) **'Roseum Delicatum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1852) Fls single, rose (van Houtte). Ghent

(r) **'Roseum Egregium'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J.J. Linden (1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with a brown blotch. (Attributed to Verschaffelt by Linden)

(a) **'Roseum Elegans'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Ivery (1846), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light pink. Indian

(r) **'Roseum Elegans'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1851), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c20/rounded truss, funnel-shaped, 45 × 60mm, rosy lilac, with slight brown markings; anthers purple, filaments rosy lilac; style rosy crimson, shading to pale rose at base; ovary purplish brown. Large shrub (Ivens description at Hilliers, 1931); light reddish purple (9P 6/8) marked brilliant yellow-green (2.3GY 8/8), with a white centre (Arnold Arboretum, 1970). (Now used as a Group name in the USA)

(a) **'Roseum Elegans Novum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet red. Indian

(a) **'Roseum Flavescens'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as a hardy azalea. Perhaps the same plant listed as 'Flavescens Roseum')

(a) **'Roseum Flavum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1840), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush, flushed lilac rose at edges, with a faint yellow flare (darkest at base). Ghent (Sometimes seen in error as 'Roseoflavum')

(a) **'Roseum Flore Albo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: F. Gaines (pre 1853), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with white dots. Indian

(a) **'Roseum Flore Pleno'** (Syn. of 'Bouquet de Roses')

(a) **'Roseum Flore Pleno'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1876), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls flesh pink. Ghent

(a) **'Roseum Flore Semipleno'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Roseum Floribundum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: R. Veitch & Son (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as a hardy azalea)

(a) **'Roseum Formosissimum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1852), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Roseum Formosissimum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Verschaffelt (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush pink (Veitch); rose with lighter and white stripes (H. Hesse, 1899). Ghent

(a) **'Roseum Grande'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. van Geert (1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose, with a slight yellow blotch. Ghent

(a) **'Roseum Grandiflorum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: R. Veitch & Son (1867), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Roseum Grandiflorum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1867), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rose. (Listed as a *ponticum* form or selection by A. Leroy, 1868; perhaps the same plant listed as a *ponticum* selection by Whitley & Osborn, 1850)

(r) **'Roseum Hortensiiflorum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as a form or hybrid of *ponticum* L: A. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose

(a) **'Roseum Illustratum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: E. van Coppenolle (1858), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls fine rose with white. Indian

(a) **'Roseum Lilacinum Plenissimum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Roseum Lineatum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with a spotted, chrome yellow blotch. Ghent

(a) **'Roseum Maculatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Roseum Maculatum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: H. Laurentius (1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with dark spots

(a) **'Roseum Magnificum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Roseum Magnificum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as a form or hybrid of *catawbiense* L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose

(a) **'Roseum Magnum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright carmine rose, well spotted. (cf. *Revue Horticole*, 1868, p.292)

(r) **'Roseum Magnum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as a form or hybrid of *catawbiense* L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Roseum Monstruosum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as a form or hybrid of *ponticum* L: A. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose

(a) **'Roseum Novum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Roseum Novum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1870), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 40-50mm wide, purplish pink, dorsal lobe very sparsely spotted greenish yellow on a white ground. Hardy Hybrid (Perhaps the plant exhibited at Ghent under this name in 1837)

(a) **'Roseum Odoratissimum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Vervaene (1861), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(az) **'Roseum Odoratum'** cv. Azaleodendron: white azalea × rhododendron R: I. Davies (pre 1896), N: I. Davies, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose red, with a white sheen. (The rhododendron parent may have been 'Hendersonii' or 'Brayanum')

(a) **'Roseum Pictum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 'slightly contracted', lobes folding backwards, white with rose lines and dots and with a yellowish blotch. Variable in colour: sometimes rose, with white borders, striped red and with a carmine purple blotch. Indian (cf. *Revue Horticole*, 1882, p.8)

(r) **'Roseum Pictum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ? selection from *catawbiense* I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1851), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with yellow spots

(a) **'Roseum Pictum Variegatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Roseum Pictum' R: unknown (pre 1887), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with a white margin. Indian

(r) **'Roseum Pink'** (Syn. of 'English Roseum')

(a) **'Roseum Plenum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Moser & Son (1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pale pink, with silvery tones. Ghent

(a) **'Roseum Punctatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson, spotted. Indian

(r) **'Roseum Punctatum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: R. Veitch & Son (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, spotted

(a) **'Roseum Purpureum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. van Geert (1849), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rosy purple. Indian (Attributed to Knight & Perry by van Geert)

(r) **'Roseum Purpureum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection or hybrid of *ponticum* L: H. Laurentius (1869), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Roseum Rotundiflorum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light rosy pink (Veitch, 1867). Ghent

(a) **'Roseum Rubrum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Haerensianum' × 'Simon Mardner' I: A. Haerens (1906), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, darkrose. Indian

(r) **'Roseum Rubrum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: R. Veitch & Son (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls ruby. (Veitch listed plants with this name as both a hardy rhododendron and a hardy azalea)

(a) **'Roseum Semiduplex'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Roseum Sinense'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Henderson & Co. (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rose. Indian

(a) **'Roseum Splendens'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1868), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Roseum Striatum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J.J. Linden (1875), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(r) **'Roseum Superbissimum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: G. Morlet (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) (Published in *Horticulture Français*, 1854: 107-111)

(a) **'Roseum Superbum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: W. Smith (1845), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light rose. Indian

(r) **'Roseum Superbum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a domed truss, soft rose/purplish rose

(a) **'Roseum Tardivum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose. (Listed under *Azalea nudiflora*)

(a) **'Roseum Triumphans'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1850), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Roseum Two'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from 'English Roseum' I: J.S. Wells (1980?) Fls light pink. Shrub 1.8m in 10 years, of very dense habit and selected for its growth habit: useful for screening. Midseason

(r) **'Roseum Umbellatum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: R. Veitch & Son (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy shaded

(a) **'Roseum van Driesschii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1851), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Roseum Versicolor Splendens'** cv. Parentage unknown L: R. Veitch & Son (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as a hardy azalea)

(r) **'Rosevallon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *neriiflorum* hybrid N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1975), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1975) Fls up to 5/truss, tubular-campanulate, up to 40 × 40mm, 5-lobed, strong red (53B). Calyx lobes reflexed, coloured as corolla. Lvs broadly elliptic, up to 48 × 22mm, dark green above, deep chocolate purple below. Plant habit and leaf shape resembling *neriiflorum*. AM 1975 (Received at Windsor, as a layer, from Caerhays, Cornwall; sometimes listed in error as 'Red Vallon')

(a) **'Rose von Kamienietz'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Zoldvadnik (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, lively rose. Indian

(r) **'Rose Walloper'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anna' × 'Marinus Koster' H: H. Lem (pre 1976) Fls rose red

(r) **'Rosey Ball'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *rubiginosum* G: C.H. Phetteplace, N: C.H. Phetteplace, I: C.H. Phetteplace (1969), REG: C.H. Phetteplace (1974) Fls 6-8/truss (several trusses in a ball of c30 fls), open funnel-shaped, 15 × 30mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (7.5RP 7/10), with strong red (2.5R 5/12) spotting on the dorsal lobe. Calyx a rim, white scaly. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 75 × 25mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (5GY 4/3) to dark yellowish green (2.5G 3/3) and glossy above, with brown scales below. Shrub 2.9 × 2.0m in 20 years. Mid April. (Raised from seed collected by Joseph Rock in 1948 (number not recorded))

(r) **'Rosi'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* hybrid R: J. Bruns Nursery (pre 1989), N: J. Bruns Nursery Fls lilac rose, with greenish yellow markings

(a) **'Rosie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: I.L. Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L. Amann Fls 65mm wide, with rounded lobes, deep yellowish pink shades, to moderate pink edged deep to moderate pink (50B-51D) and with a cherry red blotch. Shrub to 1.2m or more. Midseason

(r) **'Rosie'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* var. *chapmanii* hybrid H: J.B. Gable (pre 1972) Fls pale pink

(a) **'Rosie O'Dea'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (pre 1984) Fls double, purplish pink

(v) **'Rosie Posie'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: Vireya Venue (pre 1996), N: Vireya Venue Fls double (hose-in-hose), 50mm wide, tangerine, with lemon centres. Bushy shrub to 1.5m

(a) **'Rosiflorum'** (Syn. of 'Balsaminiflorum')

(a) **'Rosiflorum Album'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: F. Schneider (1863), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Rosiflorum Plenum'** (Syn. of 'Bouquet de Roses')

(a) **'Rosifolium'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Perle de Noisy' × 'Pink Dream' I: G. Boese (1973) Fls single (with an average of 6 stamens/flower), deep purplish pink (66C). Calyx normal, green. Early. Indian (Usually seen as 'Rosafolium', but 'Rosifolium' is the correct form)

(a) **'Rosina'** (Syn. of 'Ten's Rosina')

(r) **'Rosina'** (Syn. of 'Hachmann's Rosina')

(r) **'Rosina'** cv. Parentage unknown H: R. Clark (pre 1980)

(r) **'Rosina Lukach'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* (s) × Prelude Group × 'Crest' H: A.A. Raustein (1972), G: A.A. Raustein (1980), N: A.A. Raustein, I: A.A. Raustein, REG: A.A. Raustein (1983) Fls 8/truss, 40 × 50mm, open funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, light greenish yellow (4C). Calyx 10mm long, pale yellow-green. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, moderate olive green (147A), hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.8m in 10 years. Mid May

(a) **'Rosinetta'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Elsie Lee' (s) × 'Purpurkissen' H: H. Hachmann (1988), G: H. Hachmann (1993), N: H. Hachmann (1994), I: H. Hachmann (1998), REG: G. Stück (1999) Fls double, 1-4/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 25 × 45-56mm, with c23 lobes (most stamens petaloid), inside strong purplish pink (67D); outside strong purplish pink (67D), tinged deep purplish pink (67C); slight markings of strong/vivid purplish red (67A/B); filaments light purplish pink (68D), anthers light reddish brown (177B); style deep purplish pink (67C), stigma moderate red (185B). Calyx 3mm long, strong yellow-green (145A), with silvery hairs. Lvs elliptic-ovate, 27 × 12mm, acuminate at apex, cuneate at base, flat, glossy above, with silvery hairs. Shrub of rounded compact habit, 0.4 × 0.55m in 10 years, with flowers at first of almost rose-like form. Late May-mid June. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1998-2000 (1998), plus colour photograph)

(a) **'Rosita'** (Syn. of 'Kasane-kagaribi')

(a) **'Rosita'** (Probably an error for 'Rosata')

(r) **'Rosita'** (Syn. of 'Hachmann's Rosita')

(r) **'Roslyn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purpureum Elegans' × 'Everestianum' H: P.D. Vossberg, G: P.D. Vossberg, N: P.D. Vossberg, I: P.D. Vossberg, REG: P.D. Vossberg (1973) Fls 12/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light purple (82D), centre very pale purple (84D), with deep greenish yellow (153A) dorsal spotting; outside light purple (82D). Calyx c1.5mm long, light yellow-green (150D). Lvs elliptic, 125 × 70mm, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 10 years

(a) **'Rosmarinifolium'** (Syn. of *mucronatum*)

(r) **'Ross 9'** (Syn. of 'Gigi')

(r) **'Ross Bigler'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: complex hybrid including *catawbiense*, *maximum* and possibly some unknown hybrids H: W.D. Smith (1971), G: W.D. Smith (1977), N: W.D. Smith, I: W.D. Smith, REG: W.D. Smith (1979) Fls 19/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (7.5RP 6/12), with a deep reddish purple (2.5RP 3/8) blotch and a wide, strong purplish red (7.5RP 5/12) edging. Calyx c15mm long, light yellow-green. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 65mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (5GY 4/3) above, with a thin, inconspicuous, colourless indumentum below. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 6 years. Midseason

(r) **'Ross EEE'** (Syn. of 'Tripoli' (Dexter))

(r) **'Rossellini'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Omega' × 'Roseum Elegans' × 'Furnivall's Daughter' H: H. Hachmann (1973), G: H. Hachmann (1978), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1988), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 13-16/compact truss, open funnel-shaped, 45-55 × 60-75mm, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (64C), lobes inside shading to strong purplish red (67A), shading via strong purplish pink (68B) to white in the throat; outside 64C & 67A; dorsal lobe marked with strong yellow-green (144A-B). Calyx 1.2mm long, reddish-yellowish green. Lvs broadly elliptic to ovate, 100-120 × 45-60mm, recurved at edges, acute at apex, rounded at base, mid green and glossy above, hairless; petioles and midveins yellowish green. Shrub of compact habit, 1.4 × 1.5m in 15 years. Late May-mid June

(r) **'Ross GG'** (Syn. of 'Gigi')

(a) **'Rossini'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, rose. Late. Indian (Previously listed in error as 'Rossine')

(r) **'Ross Maud'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fusilier Group × 'Unique' R: A.C. Bramley, G: A.C. Bramley (1970), I: E. Bramley (1975), REG: E. Bramley (1975) Fls 16/ball truss, funnel-shaped, deep purplish pink (55A), with a vivid red (52A) centre, lightly spotted. Shrub 0.9m in 10 years

(r) **'Ross XX'** (Syn. of 'Xerox')

(r) **'Ross ZZ'** (Syn. of 'Zest')

(a) **'Rosy'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: Ottolander & Hooftman (pre 1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, light pink, with a light yellow blotch. Midseason. Mollis

(r) **'Rosy Bell'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *ciliatum* (s) × *glaucophyllum* R: I. Davies, N: I. Davies, I: I. Davies (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 5/racemose truss, campanulate, 35 × 40mm, appleblossom pink, without markings, shaded dark on exposed parts of tube. Calyx lobes 7-9mm long, laxly scaly, ciliate. Lvs elliptic, 50 × 20-25mm, glossy and scaly above, scaly below. Dwarf shrub. AM 1894

(r) **'Rosy Cheek'** cv. Parentage unknown I: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy pink, spotted

(a) **'Rosy Cheeks'** (Syn. of 'Pamela Mallard')

(a) **'Rosy Cheeks'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls flame coral. Kurume

(v) **'Rosy Chimes'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *macgregoriae* (orange form) (s) × *gracilentum* R: O.S. Blumhardt, N: O.S. Blumhardt, I: O.S. Blumhardt, REG: O.S. Blumhardt (1984) Fls 4-6/truss, pendulous, 30 × 25mm, bright salmon pink. Lvs elliptic, 20 × 10mm, dark shiny green above, scaly

(a) **'Rosy Circle'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Ivery (1858), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon rose with dark rose spots. Indian

(r) **'Rosy Cream'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1992)

(r) **'Rosy Dawn Group'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* hybrid (s) × *thomsonii* I: J.J. Crosfield (1939), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Rosy Dawn'** cv. Parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney (pre 1980)

(r) **'Rosy Dream'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Britannia' H: H.L. Larson, G: J.A. Davis (1975), N: J.A. Davis, I: J.A. Davis (1980), REG: J.A. Davis (1986) Fls 12-16/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53B) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (54B), throat moderate purplish pink (54D) with minor, red, dorsal spotting; colour fades with age. Calyx very small, light green. Lvs between narrowly elliptic and elliptic, 140 × 50mm, acute at apex, cuneate to slightly oblique at base, dull and moderate olive green (137A) above, with a silvery indumentum which ages to cinnamon. Shrub 0.6 × 1.1m in 12 years. Early-mid May

(r) **'Rosy Fido'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* × Loderi Group I: Sir James Horlick (1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large trusses, rose

(a) **'Rosy Frills'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Girard's Hot Shot' (s) × 'Hershey's Red Tetra' H: S. McDonald (1977), G: S. McDonald (1980), N: S. McDonald, I: Le-Mac Azaleas, REG: S. McDonald (1999) Fls hose-in-hose, usually 3/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 50mm, with 5+5 very wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (57D) in bud, opening vivid purplish red (57D) throughout, with a few, vivid red (57A) dorsal spots. Calyx 45mm long, vivid purplish red (57D). Lvs elliptic, 55 × 40mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, flat, glossy and moderate olive green above, sparsely hairy above and below (hairs white at first, ageing to tan). Shrub to at least 1.2 × 1.2m in 22 years. Mid April. (First published in *The Azalean* 20 (3): 50 (1998))

(r) **'Rosy Future'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Delp's Cindy Lou' H: W.E. Delp (1984), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 12/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 57 × 55mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (60B-D) in bud, opening to a blend of strong purplish red (63A, B) and strong purplish pink (63C), with a light purplish pink (63D) throat and sparse, pale yellow-green (4D) dorsal spots; filaments and style vivid purplish red (57D); anthers greyish reddish orange (176C); stigma dark red (187A). Lvs 102 × 38mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, with a tan, woolly indumentum below. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m in 8 years. Early June

(r) **'Rosy Glow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Midsummer' × 'Adele's Yellow' (s) × 'Ruddy Red Max' R: W.E. Delp (pre 1992), N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls deep red (60A) and strong purplish red (60B) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (62D), deep red (60A) and strong purplish red (60B, C, D); filaments and style white; anthers deep red (60A); stigma vivid red (46B). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Rosy Lea'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1991)

(a) **'Rosy Lights'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *prinophyllum* × *R.* × *kosterianum* H: H. Pellett (1957), G: H. Pellett, N: H. Pellett, I: H. Pellett Fls single, 8/domed truss, open funnel-campanulate, 50 × 60mm, 5-lobed, deep purplish pink (55A), with vivid reddish orange (33B) dorsal spotting. Calyx 2mm long, light green. Lvs oblanceolate to narrowly elliptic, 70 × 27mm, moderate yellowish green (138A), bullate, hairy; mottled dark red (187B) in autumn. Shrub 1.9 × 1.2m in 24 years. Late May

(r) **'Rosy Martian'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Wyandanch Pink' (s) × 'Mars' H: A.W. Smith (pre 1989), G: D. Irish-Hosler (1998), N: D. Irish-Hosler (2000), REG: D. Irish-Hosler (2000) Fls 16/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside strong purplish pink (68B), with some yellow-green dorsal spotting; outside deep purplish pink (66C) with vivid purplish red (66B) midribs. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 50mm, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, margins downcurved, dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in c12 years. Early June

(a) **'Rosy Morn'** (Syn. of 'Asa-gasumi')

(r) **'Rosy Morn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *souliei* (s) × Loderi Group R: White (pre 1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls campanulate, pink, lightly spotted a darker colour. Lvs dark green. AM 1931

(v) **'Rosy Morn'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *multicolor* hybrid R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1891), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft rose pink

(a) **'Rosy Queen'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1882), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(r) **'Rosy Queen'** cv. Parentage unknown L: B.S. Williams (1872), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright pink, spotted with orange

(r) **'Rosy Queen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor Stocker' (s) × *thomsonii* I: Sunningdale Nurseries (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) (Asteroid Group)

(r) **'Rotauge'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* × Souldis Group R: D.G. Hobbie, N: unknown (1988),

I: unknown (1988) Fls rose, tinged yellow at first, with blackish red spots

(r) **'Rotbäckchen'** cv. Elepidoterhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Britannia' R: G. Horstmann (c 1975), N: W. Wüstemeyer (1990), I: W. Wüstemeyer (1990) Fls light pink, almost white, with strong brown-red marking. Broad, compact shrub, 0.4 × 0.7-0.8m in 10 years

(r) **'Roter Prinz'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Dietrich' × *dichroanthum* R: W. Nagel (1969), N: W. Nagel, I: W. Nagel (1998), REG: ICRA (2000) Fls pure red. Lvs matt green. Compact, upright shrub

(a) **'Roter Sämling'** (Syn. of 'Sabina')

(a) **'Rotfuchs'** cv. Evergreen azalea: red *kaempferi* seedling (s) × 'Orange Beauty' R: G. Mittendorf (1970), N: G. Mittendorf, I: G. Mittendorf (1979) Fls 2-4/truss, 40-50mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, red, with slight red markings

(r) **'Rotgold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Koster's Cream' × *wardii* × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* hybrid × *dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* R: W. Nagel (1970), N: J. Wieting (1989), I: J. Wieting (1993) Fls 8-12/truss, 55-70mm wide, inside yellow, blushed rose at edges, with black red at base, outside orange with rose and yellow. Lvs very deep, glossy green. Shrub c1.0 × 1.0m in 15 years

(r) **'Rotha'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Arthur Bedford' × 'Cynthia' H: M. Stockman (1968), G: H. & M. Stockman (1978), N: H. & M. Stockman, I: H. & M. Stockman (1992), REG: H. & M. Stockman (1992) Fls 9/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 76mm, with (6-)7 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (71C) in bud, opening light purple (76A) with flare on three dorsal lobes densely spotted dark red (178A) to moderate purplish red (184D); dorsal lobe flushed strong purplish red on outside; stamens 13, slightly curved, unequal, light pink; style white; stigma pink. Calyx 3mm long, cream. Pedicels 16mm long, red at apex, green at base. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 165 × 51mm, convex, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, bullate and glossy dark green above, hairless; petioles 19mm long, light green. Shrub 1.0 × 1.5m in 24 years. Mid May

(r) **'Rothenburg'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Diane' × *williamsianum* H: V. von Martin (1944), I: Bruns Nursery (1968), REG: Bruns Nursery (1971) Fls 5-9/loose truss, open campanulate, 65-100mm wide, pale yellow-green (4D), with a little deep yellowish pink (46D) spotting in the dorsal throat. Lvs broadly elliptic, 60-80mm long, dark and glossy green above. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Flowering shoot buds red-brown in winter. Late April. *HC 1987, *AM 1989, AM 1987

(r) **'Rothesay'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: open-pollinated seedling G: B.W. Campbell (1972), N: B.W. Campbell, I: B.W. Campbell (1973), REG: B.W. Campbell (1977) Fls 6-10/truss, 65-75 × 65-100mm, light yellowish pink (38C), fading on opening to white flushed pink on the outside, with greenish spotting on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 5mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 40-75 × 17-35mm, scaly

(a) **'Rothkappchen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J.J. Linden (1873), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (No doubt correctly spelt 'Rotkäppchen'; attributed by Linden to Schulz)

(a) **'Rothschild Supreme'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1985) Fls double, yellow

(r) **'Rotkäppchen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ruth Otte' (s) × 'Hachmann's Feuerschein' H: H. Hachmann (1979), G: H. Hachmann (1984), N: H. Hachmann (1987), I: H. Hachmann (1992), REG: G. Stück (1994) Fls 5-7/flat, lax truss, funnel-campanulate, 35-40 × 45-55mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (46B/C) inside and out, edges deeper (strong red, 46A), unmarked; stamens 10, strong red (53D), style greenish red. Calyx 1-2mm long, red. Lvs ovate, 60-70 × 25-35mm, margins wavy, slightly twisted, glossy and mid green above, light green below, hairless; petioles reddish on upper side. Very low-growing shrub, 0.3 × 0.7m in 10 years. Mid-late May. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1993/1994)

(r) **'Rotraud'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *clementinae* (s) × 'Erato' H: H. Hachmann (1987), G: H. Hachmann (1993), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 14-16/dense, rounded truss, broadly open funnel-shaped, 55-60 × 65-82mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, inside vivid purplish red (57D), shaded vivid purplish red (57C) with a tinge of red at edges, base of throat almost white; outside vivid purplish red (57C), strongly shaded vivid red to vivid purplish red (57A/B) mixed with strong purplish red (63A) (or deep/strong purplish red, 61A/B) especially on midveins; conspicuous dark red spotting (187B) on dorsal lobes; stamens 12, filaments white, anthers pale orange-yellow (165D); style deep purplish pink (61D), stigma dark red (187B); ovary hairless. Calyx c1mm long, reddish green. Lvs ovate-lanceolate to ovate, slightly convex, 110-120 × 50-65mm, apiculate at apex, rounded to cordate at base, moderately glossy dark green above, with a thick fawn indumentum below especially on veins. Shrub 1.4 × 1.6m in 10 years. Mid-late May. (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030658). First published in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(a) **'Rotstein'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: VEG Saatzucht Zierpflanzen, N: VEG Saatzucht Zierpflanzen, I: VEG Saatzucht Zierpflanzen (1986) Fls brick/salmon-coloured, non-fading. (Also seen as 'PAC-Rotstein')

(a) **'Rotterdam'** cv. Evergreen azalea: developed from 'Hexe' I: A. Steyeart (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light rose. Indian

(a) **'Rotterdamii'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1852), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **Rotundarb Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *orbiculare* (s) × *arboreum*, blood red R: E.J.P. Magor (1919), N: E.J.P. Magor, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls brilliant carmine, darker at the base. (Perhaps identical to Orbicarb Group)

(a) **'Rotundifolium'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1840), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Rotundifolium'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *ponticum* L: Whitley & Osborn (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Shrub 1.2m

(a) **'Rotundum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Rouge'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Lowinsky seedling no. 1249 (s) × *elliottii* R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10/truss, broadly campanulate, 80 × 115mm, reddish carmine, with light brown spots in the throat. Lvs broadly lanceolate, c200mm long, pale and matt green above. AM 1950 (Rouge Group)

(r) **Rouge Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Lowinsky seedling no. 1249 (s) × *elliottii* R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1950), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Rouge Aureum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *aureum* hybrid R: J.F. Caperci (pre 1965), I: Greer Gardens (1973) Fls large, pink with a lighter centre. Dense, mounded shrub, 0.4m in 10 years. Midseason. Syn: 'Rouge Chrysanthum' (Pollen parent may be *yakushimanum*)

(a) **'Rouge Brique'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. van Geert (1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls brick red, with a nankeen yellow blotch. Ghent

(a) **'Rouge Caraile'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt, I: E.A. Merritt (c 1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light coppery red. Kurume (Sometimes seen as 'Rouge Coraile' or simply 'Rouge')

(r) **'Rouge Chrysanthum'** (Syn. of 'Rouge Aureum')

(r) **'Rouge de Mai'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Professor F. Bettex' (s) × 'Madame Jeanne Frets' R: D.J. Hendricksen (pre 1961), N: D.J. Hendricksen, REG: D.J. Hendricksen (1964) Fls 20-21/pyramidal truss, 70-80mm wide, china rose (024) with a dark brown blotch on the dorsal lobe

(a) **'Rouge de Noël'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1929), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, deep red. Indian

(r) **'Rouge et Noir'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *sperabile* var. *weihsiense* G: S.R. Clarke, N: R.N. Stephenson Clarke, REG: R.N. Stephenson Clarke (1985) Fls 11/loose truss, tubular-campanulate, up to 38mm long, 5-lobed, deep crimson (close to strong red (46A) with darker spotting in the throat. Calyx with irregular, deep crimson lobes up to 10mm long. Lvs lanceolate, up to 125 × 40mm, dark green above, with a thin, fawn, woolly indumentum below. Shrub c4.0m. AM 1985 (Raised from KW 7124 (collected in 1926))

(r) **'Rougemont'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Princess Elizabeth' × 'Delp's Cindy Lou' H: T.L. Ring (pre 1992), I: Mowbray Gardens Fls in a very large truss, rose red

(r) **'Roughy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Newport' (s) × 'Lee's Dark Purple' H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 12/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 57 × 70mm, 5-lobed, strong and light purple (83C, 80B/C) in bud, opening strong and light purple (83C, D; 77C, D), with a pale greenish yellow (2D) flare and light olive (152B) dorsal spots; filaments and style vivid purplish red (57D); anthers white; stigma moderate purplish red (70A). Lvs 152 × 70mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.75 × 1.6m in 18 years. Early June

(a) **'Roundelay'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × 'Fukuju' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, 70-75mm wide, pure white, with a few phlox purple (strong reddish purple (78B)) stripes. Low, spreading shrub, to 1.0m tall. Mid-late May. Glenn Dale (Differs from 'Antique' chiefly in habit)

(r) **'Round Wood'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *lanigerum*, grown from KW 6258 R: Crown Estate Commissioners (pre 1951), N: Crown Estate Commissioners (1961), I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1951), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1961) Fls 20-25/globular truss, vivid red (52A), Rounded shrub, 2.56 × 3.8m. AM 1951

(v) **'Rouseabout'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *auriger-anum* × *christianae* H: J.L. Rouse, G: G.L.S. Snell (1987), N: G.L.S. Snell, I: Vireya Venue (1990), REG: Vireya Venue (1991) Fls 5-8/truss, campanulate, 60 × 70mm, 6-lobed, tube vivid yellow (14A), lobes strong orange (25A). Lvs lanceolate, 140 × 60mm. Shrub 1.5m. Spring-autumn

(a) **'Rousseau'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown G: E. de Rothschild (1970s), S: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: Exbury Enterprises (1997), REG: E. de Rothschild (1997) Fls 9/truss, tubular funnel-shaped (opening flat-faced), 67 × 90mm, with 5-7 lobes, strong red (47B), striped pale greenish yellow (10D) in bud, opening deep and strong pink (52C&D), with a strong orange (24A) dorsal flare; outside also deep/strong pink with a strong red (46A) tube; blistered texture to corolla. Calyx 4mm long, green. Lvs obovate, 100 × 55mm. May. Syn: 'Imperial' (Solent Group)

(r) **Rovellianum Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *dauricum* (s) × *ferrugineum* R: Fratelli Rovelli (pre 1902), N: Fratelli Rovelli, I: Fratelli Rovelli, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose. Tall shrub. (Perhaps the same plant as 'Rovellii', with confusion over parentage)

(r) **'Rovellii'** cv. Elepidote/Lepidote cross: *dauricum* × *arboreum* R: Fratelli Rovelli (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in clusters and larger than in *dauricum*, 20mm wide, broadly campanulate, 5-lobed, brilliant rose, tinged amaranth, with some black spots. Lvs oblong-lanceolate, 60 × 20mm, matt green below, very dark green and glossy above, evergreen. Shrub up to at least 1.0m. Very early. (A rare lepidote/elepidote cross)

(a) **'Rover'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Delaware Valley White' × 'Shinkigen' R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith Fls 75mm wide, between strong and vivid purplish red (61B-C), spotted strong purplish red (60B). Lvs bronzed in winter. Shrub 1.1m in 7 years

(r) **Rover Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: Oreoroyle Group (s) × Royal Flush Group H: Lord Aberconway (1934), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose pink

(a) **'Roverlerii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: France (1851), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Rowallane Yellow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *eclecteum* or *stewartianum* R: Rowallane (pre 1960), L: Muncaster Castle (1994)

(r) **'Rowallane Yellow'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: probably a selection from *burmanicum* N: unknown (pre 1998) (Circulating in Ireland and probably propagated from a good form of *burmanicum* at Rowallane (no. 35565 in their catalogue))

(r) **'Rowallan Surprise'** cv. Parentage unknown H: D. Deans, G: D. Deans, N: D. Deans, I: D. Deans, REG: D. Deans (1982) Fls strong purplish pink (63C), shading to light purplish pink (63D). Lvs 150 × 60mm, hairless

(r) **'Rowena'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, spotted on all lobes

(r) **'Rowena'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hebe' × 'Red Dragon' H: Sir John Ramsden, I: Sir William Pennington-Ramsden, REG: Sir William Pennington-Ramsden (1964) Fls in a loose truss, funnel-shaped, 50-75mm wide, salmon red

(a) **'Rowgetsu'** (Syn. of 'Rogetsu')

(r) **'Rowland P. Cary'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *brachycarpum* × 'Van der Hoop' H: E.A. Cary (1953), G: E.A. Cary (c 1963), N: E.A. Cary, I: E.A. Cary (c 1968), REG: E.A. Cary (1973) Fls 17-20/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65mm wide, with 5 flat-edged lobes, dark pink in bud, opening blush pink with light tan, dorsal lobe spotting. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 100-115 × 40-50mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, margins decurved, dark green and hairless above, with a thin brown indumentum below (heaviest on the midrib); new shoots silver green, turning pea green. Shrub 2.2 × 2.0m in 20 years. Late May-early June

(a) **'Roxanne'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* hybrid × 'Snow' R: USDA, N: USDA, Beltsville (1951), I: USDA, Beltsville (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, deep yellowish pink (44D) on opening, fading to salmon pink, faintly spotted with darker dots in the throat. Erect shrub. (Derived from the work of G.E. Yerkes & R.L. Pryor)

(r) **'Roxanne Hardgrove'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: D.L. Hardgrove, G: D.L. Hardgrove, N: D.L. Hardgrove (pre 1964), REG: G.D. Lewis (1998) Fls 8/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (51A) in bud, opening inside pale yellow (11D) with strong red (51A) flares on dorsal and adjacent lobes; outside pale yellow (11D), tinged at first with strong red (51A). Calyx c1.5mm long, strong red (51A). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 90 × 30mm, flat, obtuse at apex, slightly cordate at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 20 years. Early May

(a) **'Roxelane'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J.J. Linden (1874), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Attributed to Demay by Linden)

(r) **'Royal Anne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Azor Group × Nereid Group × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* N: E.J. & M. Greig (1960), I: E.J. & M. Greig, REG: E.J. & M. Greig (1961) Fls 8-10/loose truss, 90mm wide, buttercup yellow (5/1), suffused vermilion (18/2) towards the lobes and with a streak of vermilion running down tube from lobe sinuses; spotted dull sap green (62)

(r) **Royal Beauty Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: Lady Rosebery Group (s) × *cinnabarinum* Roylei Group H: Lord Digby (1936), G: Lord Digby, N: Lord Digby, I: Lord Digby (1953), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls various shades of red

(a) **'Royal Blazer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown - a natural seedling G: C. Herbert, N: C. Herbert (1976), REG: C. Herbert (1977) Fls 5/truss, open funnel-shaped, 55mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish purple (78A), with moderate purple (79D) spotting. Lvs elliptic, 45 × 20mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, moderate yellow-green (139D) above, hairy above and below. Shrub 0.6 × 0.3m in 3 years. Late April. (Raised from seed collected by C. Herbert, 1973)

(r) **'Royal Blood'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *elliottii* (s) × 'Rubens' H: F.E.W. Hanger (1947), G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, I: Royal Horticultural Society (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 35-40/truss, deep campanulate, strong red (53B), with very dark blood red spotting and prominent nectaries. Lvs oblong-elliptic, dull green above, with a vestigial tomentum below. AM 1954

(r) **Royal Blush Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: Lady Rosebery Group (s) × *cinnabarinum* Blandfordiiflorum Group H: G.M. Adams-Acton, G: G.M. Adams-Acton, N: G.M. Adams-Acton (1935), I: G.M. Adams-Acton (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson and gold

(v) **'Royal Bouquet'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' (s) × *superbum* H: B. Clancy (1988), G: B. Clancy (1993), N: B. Clancy (1997), I: Vireya Valley Nursery (1997), REG: Vireya Valley Nursery (1997) Fls 5-7/open, flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 55 × 104mm, with 7 flat-edged lobes, buds yellowish white (155B) at lobe edges, pale yellow (8D) at base, opening inside and out yellowish white (155B) at edges, with a pale yellow (8D) throat and with vivid red (52A) at lobes both inside and out; strongly scented. Lvs elliptic, 105 × 50mm, flat, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, matt and dark greenish yellow (152D) above, with moderate orange-yellow (164B) scales when young. Shrub 0.6 × 0.5m in 8 years. Flowering throughout the year

(r) **'Royal Coachman'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Essex Scarlet' × *facetum* × Tally Ho Group × 'Sunshine' H: Waterer (Bagshot) (1964), G: Waterer (Bagshot) (1971), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975) Fls 10-12/truss, 50 × 40mm, 5-lobed, bright red, with darker spots on all the lobes. Calyx very small. Lvs 130 × 40mm. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Early June

(a) **'Royal Command'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Exbury, N: Exbury, I: Exbury, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vivid reddish orange. Tall shrub. Knap Hill

(r) **'Royal Coronation'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' (s) × 'Coronation Day' H: M. Sanders (1993), G: M. Sanders (1998), N: M. Sanders (2000), I: Sanders Nursery (2000), REG: Sanders Nursery (2000) Fls 10/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 75 × 112mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, dark purple in bud, opening vivid purplish red (57C) throughout, with spotting and streaks of strong greenish yellow (151A) on the dorsal lobe. Calyx c6mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 50mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, margins flat, semi-glossy and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.7m in 7 years. Mid-late April

(a) **'Royal Crown'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Violaceum' × 'Katie' H: W.L. Guttormsen (1967), G: W.L. Guttormsen (1970), N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen (c 1983), REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1985) Fls semi-double and hose-in-hose (5+5-lobed, plus some petaloid stamens), 2-3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, strong purplish red (72A), throat black, with considerable spotting on the dorsal lobes. Calyx 45mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 25-40 × 13-20mm, more-or-less moderate olive green, glossy, hairy. Shrub 0.25 × 0.5m in 12 years. Late May

(r) **'Royal Decree'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Helene Schiffner' × Elizabeth Group H: L.W. Bulgin (1979), G: L.W. Bulgin (1987), N: L.W. Bulgin, I: Ellanhurst Gardens, REG: L.W. Bulgin (1989) Fls 15-18/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 38 × 57mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, strong purplish red (64B) in bud, opening moderate purplish pink (186D) in centre, shading to strong purplish pink (71D) at lobe tips, dorsal lobe yellowish grey (156C) with outer edge of strong purplish red (71B) and with faint spotting of moderate brown (165A); outside strong purplish red (71B) with touches of yellowish grey (156C). Lvs elliptic, 127 × 51mm, concave, acute at apex, cuneate (or oblique) at base, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 0.1 × 0.8m in 10 years. Late April-early May

(r) **'Royal Dragoon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: (*facetum* × Fabia Group) × May Day Group × 'Fabia Tangerine' × 'Mars' H: Waterer (Bagshot) (1964), G: Waterer (Bagshot) (1971), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975) Fls 10-12/truss, 50 × 40mm, 5-lobed, vivid red (45C). Calyx minute. Lvs 80-90 × 30-40mm. May

(r) **'Royale'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *orbiculare* R: Lady Adam Gordon, N: Lady Adam Gordon, REG: Lady Adam Gordon (1983) Fls 8/truss, 50-60 × 65-70mm, 7-lobed, persian rose (628/2). Calyx 3.0mm long, green. Lvs orbicular, 115 × 85mm, hairless. Tall shrub

(r) **Royal Flush Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* (s) × *maddenii* R: J.C. Williams (pre 1926), N: J.C. Williams, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls tubular, very varied in colour, yellow bronze to bronze copper coloured. Lvs glossy green. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years

(v) **'Royal Gala'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *auriger-anum* (s) × 'Gardenia Odyssey' H: B. Clancy (1991), G: B. Clancy (1995), N: B. Clancy (1997), I: Vireya Valley Nursery (1997), REG: Vireya Valley Nursery (1997) Fls 10/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 38 × 70mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, pale yellow (11C) in bud, opening inside and out pale orange-yellow (19D) at base, shading to a deep yellowish pink (43C) picotee edging; unspotted. Lvs elliptic, 110 × 60mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, flat, glossy green above, no scales apparent to the naked eye. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 5 years. Spring-summer

(r) **'Royal George'** cv. Parentage unknown L: T. Lang & Co. (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rich crimson

(a) **'Royal Herald'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown G: E. de Rothschild (1970s), S: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: Exbury Enterprises (1997), REG: E. de Rothschild (1997) Fls single, tubular funnel-shaped (opening more-or-less flat-faced), 65 × 85mm, with 5 pointed lobes, light orange (29B) maturing to moderate yellowish pink (39C), dorsal flare of brilliant orange-yellow (23B), outside flushed deep pink (48B); filaments and style similarly coloured. Calyx

7mm long, green. Lvs elliptic/obovate, 80 × 45mm. May. (Solent Group)

(r) **'Royal Jelly'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Susy' (s) × 'Ritchie' R: W.E. Delp (pre 1992), N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls strong purplish red (72A, 71B) and deep purplish red (71A) in bud, opening vivid and strong reddish purple (78A, B, 72B), with a light greenish yellow (5D) flare and moderate yellow-green (148A) dorsal spots; anthers white. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Royal Lodge'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Exbury, N: Exbury, I: E. de Rothschild (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep vermilion red, becoming crimson red with age, with a slight vermilion blotch on the dorsal lobe; long protruding stamens. Knap Hill

(r) **'Royal Mail'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Romany Chai Group (s) × Tally Ho Group R: W.C. Slocock Ltd, N: W.C. Slocock Ltd, I: W.C. Slocock Ltd (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright scarlet

(r) **'Royal Mint'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catawbiense Boursault' × China Group H: B. Aunsbjorn (1976), G: T. Aunsbjorn (1988), N: B. Aunsbjorn, REG: T. Aunsbjorn (1989) Fls 25/domed truss, open campanulate, 60 × 70mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, white, suffused with lilac, fading to pure white, with two, clear red rays in the throat. Lvs oblong, 140 × 70mm, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in 12 years. Late May-early June

(a) **'Royal Pillow'** cv. Evergreen azalea: (*yedoense* var. *poukhanense* × 'Vuyk's Scarlet'), open-pollinated G: Weston Nurseries, S: E.V. Mezitt, I: Weston Nurseries (1987), REG: R.W. Mezitt (1999) Fls c3-4/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (71C). Calyx c5mm long, green. Lvs obovate, 50 × 22mm, flat, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairy. Shrub 0.6 × 0.75m in 8 years. Late May. (First published in Weston Nurseries cat., 1987)

(a) **'Royal Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hinomayo' hybrid R: O.F. Wuyts, I: A. van Hecke (1969) Fls single, 100mm wide, strong purplish pink (62A), with distinctive long stamens. Early. ('May Queen' may be a synonym)

(r) **'Royal Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Homer' (s) × *williamsianum* R: D.G. Hobbie (pre 1945), N: Le Feber & Co., I: Le Feber & Co., REG: Le Feber & Co. (1964) Fls 5-6/truss, open funnel-shaped, nearly 75mm long, fuchsine pink (627/2) inside, outside fuchsine pink (627/1). Lvs broadly elliptic, slightly cordate at base. (Seed parent may be 'Homer I' or 'Homer II')

(r) **'Royal Purple'** cv. Parentage unknown I: White (pre 1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep purple, with a yellowish blotch. Lvs deep and glossy green above. Shrub 1.2-1.5m in 10 years. (Perhaps raised very much earlier)

(a) **'Royal Red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red. Indian

(a) **'Royal Robe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Helen Close' × 'Purple Splendor' R: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1967) Fls hose-in-hose, 2-4/truss, up to 65mm wide, strong reddish purple (2.5RP 4/10). Lvs 50 × 20mm. Shrub to 0.8m. Mid-late May

(a) **'Royal Ruby'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vivid reddish orange (30A)

(r) **'Royal Ruffles'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs A.T. de la Mare' (s) × 'Purple Lace' H: D. Sanders (1985), G: M. Sanders (1989), N: M. Sanders, I: Sanders Nursery (1992), REG: M. Sanders (1995) Fls 14-16/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 70 × 95mm, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes, inside very pale purple (69D) with a c10mm wide edging of deep purplish pink (73A), dorsal lobe flushed brilliant greenish yellow (4A); stamens 12, straight, unequal. Calyx minute. Lvs oblong, 146 × 51mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, hairless; petioles 15mm long, green. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 9 years. Early May

(a) **'Royal Show'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: I.C. Nichols, G: I.C. Nichols (1975), N: I.C. Nichols, REG: I.C. Nichols (1986) Fls double, 1-2/truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 75mm, moderate yellowish pink (38B). Lvs elliptic, 30 × 15mm. Shrub 1.0m. Indian

(r) **'Royal Silk'** cv. Parentage unknown H: G. Clarke (pre 1980)

(r) **'Royal Star'** (Syn. of 'Starburst')

(r) **'Royal Star'** (Syn. of 'Hardgrove's Royal Star')

(a) **'Royalty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J.B. Gable, N: Cannon, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, with partially petaloid calyx, 40mm wide, orchid purple (31/2), with a red blotch. Low, spreading shrub. Late. Gable

(r) **'Royalty'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Youthful Sin' (s) × Royal Flush Group H: Lord Aberconway (1932), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 4-6/loose truss, funnel-shaped, 55 × 50mm, 5-lobed, outside vivid reddish orange (43A) at base, paling to strong purplish pink (55B), with a strong central band of deep purplish pink (55A); inside light purplish pink (55C) with some dark flushing on lobes, throat with a dorsal blotch of vivid reddish orange (34A). Calyx lobes 1mm long. Lvs elliptic, 55 × 25mm, glossy above, with a fine brown, pitted indumentum below. AM 1968. (Royalty Group)

(r) **Royalty Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: 'Youthful Sin' (s) × Royal Flush Group H: Lord Aberconway (1932), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway (1944), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Royalty'** cv. Parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney (pre 1980)

(r) **'Royal Windsor'** cv. Elepidoterhododendron: Jutland Group × 'Royal Blood' H: Crown Estate Commissioners, G: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1975), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1975) Fls 22-24/dense, rounded truss, 50 × 40mm, 5-lobed, deep red (60A) with much dorsal throat spotting. Calyx lobes up to 4mm long, irregular, glandular hairy. Lvs narrowly elliptic, up to 130 × 45mm, dark green, with a sparse indumentum on the midrib below. AM 1975

(a) **'Royce Sproull'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Flame' (?= 'Suetsumu) R: D.J. Cole (1987), N: D.J. Cole Fls 50mm wide, reddish orange. Mid May. (Also seen as 'Royce Sproull No. 2')

(a) **'Roy Hawking'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Beau Bonnie' × 'Harry Van de Ven' H: D.J. Dosser (1982), G: D.J. Dosser (1985), N: D.J. Dosser, I: Lockington Nursery, REG: Lockington Nursery (1987) Fls hose-in-hose, 4-5/truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 60mm, 5-lobed, deep pink (52B), with strong purplish red (58B) spots on the dorsal lobe; scented. Lvs oblanceolate, 40 × 20mm. Shrub 0.5m tall. (Originally published incorrectly as 'Roy Hawkin')

(r) **'Roy Hudson'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *burmanicum* × *nuttallii* H: H. Kerrigan, G: H. Kerrigan, N: H. Kerrigan, I: H. Kerrigan (1970), REG: H. Kerrigan (1977) Fls 6-8/flat truss (regularly produces multiple floral buds), 95 × 95mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, white, with a brilliant yellow (21C) throat; strongly scented. Calyx minute. Lvs elliptic to narrowly obovate, 75 × 40mm, acute at apex, rounded at base, bullate, olive green above with brown scales creating a "dusty" appearance; tan scales below, more concentrated on midrib. Shrub 1.2 × 0.6m in 6 years. Mid April

(r) **'Roylei'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* hybrid R: L.L. Liebig (pre 1860), N: L.L. Liebig, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **Roylei Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. cinnabarinum* var. *roylei*

(r) **Roylmadd Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *maddenii* × *cinnabarinum* (Roylei Group) 'Magnificum' R: E.J.P. Magor (1920), N: E.J.P. Magor, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine lake

(r) **'Roy Stockman'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lord Roberts' (s) × 'Dianta' H: M. Stockman (1986), G: M. & H. Stockman (1995), N: H. Stockman (1996), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1997) Fls 9-16/ball truss, saucer-shaped, 65 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, close to vivid red (46B) in bud, opening vivid purplish red (67B) with discrete, dark red, dorsal spots on a lighter ground. Calyx c3mm long, greenish white. Lvs elliptic, 105 × 50mm, slightly wavy and with decurved margins, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 0.9m in 11 years. Early June

(r) **'Royston Festival'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *auriculatum* × *kyawii* H: E.J. & M. Greig, G: E.J. & M. Greig, I: A.R. Cook (1980), REG: A.R. Cook (1981) Fls strong to light purplish pink (55B-C), with a deep yellowish pink (47C) centre

(r) **'Royston Frost'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *auriculatum* (s) × *hemsleyanum* H: E.J. & M. Greig (1950), G: Vancouver Parks Board, REG: G. Picher (1999) Fls 11-12/lax truss, funnel-shaped, 100 × 100mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, ivory in bud with a slight flush of pale pink on the lobes, opening pure white, with a tinge of green in the throat; strongly scented. Calyx minute, pale green. Lvs lanceolate, 265 × 50mm, broadly acute at apex, auriculate at base, with wavy, downcurved margins, dull green, hairless. Shrub 9.2 × 6.2m in 40 years. Late July-August

(r) **'Royston Opaline'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *auriculatum* (s) × 'Last Rose' H: E.J. & M. Greig (1950), G: Vancouver Parks Board, REG: G. Picher (1999) Fls 12/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 75 × 100mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, light pink with dark pink ribs in bud, opening inside light blush pink, with spotted, cinnamon-coloured flares in the dorsal throat, coalescing into a solid blotch at the base; outside slightly darker blush pink with pink ribs; slightly scented. Calyx minute, greenish. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 250 × 75mm, broadly acute at apex, oblique-auriculate at base, flat, dull and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 3.4 × 5.8m in 35 years. Late July. (Said to resemble the gemstone)

(r) **'Royston Radiance'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *hemsleyanum* (s) × *auriculatum* H: E.J. & M. Greig (1950s), G: Vancouver Parks Board, REG: G. Picher (1999) Fls 12/lax truss, funnel-shaped, 100 × 100mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, pink in bud, opening light pink inside and out, with dark rose spotting in the throat. Calyx c15mm long, dark pink. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 275 × 75mm, broadly acute at apex, oblique-auriculate at base, dull and dark green above. Shrub 3.7 × 5.8m in 30 years. Late July. (Said to resemble a late-flowering Loderi Group selection)

(r) **'Royston Red'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *forrestii* Repens Group × *thomsonii* H: E.J. & M. Greig, N: A.R. Cook (c 1970) Fls in a large, domed truss, funnel-shaped, blood red. Lvs rounded. Shrub up to 1.0m

(r) **'Royston Regency'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *auriculatum* (s) × Fabia Group H: E.J. & M. Greig (1950), G: Vancouver Parks Board, REG: G. Picher (1999) Fls 8-9/lax truss, narrowly funnel-shaped, 90 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale salmon pink in bud, opening creamy white throughout, edged pale pink inside and out, the throat and base pale yellow. Calyx lobes 25(ventral)-50 (dorsal)mmlong, coloured as corol-

la. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 250 × 75mm, broadly acute at apex, oblique to slightly auriculate at base, margins downcurved, dull and dark green above, with sparse hairs below (hairs white ageing to buff). Shrub 3.4 × 6.2m in 30 years. Late July

(r) **'Royston Reverie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *auriculatum* × Fabia Group H: E.J. & M. Greig, G: Vancouver Parks, I: A.R. Cook (1980), REG: A.R. Cook (1981) Fls 8/truss, light yellow (162C), edged moderate pink (35D)

(r) **'Royston Rose'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Last Rose' × *auriculatum* H: E.J. & M. Greig, G: Vancouver Parks, I: A.R. Cook (1980), REG: A.R. Cook (1981) Fls 15/truss, deep purplish pink (58D)

(r) **'Royston Summertime'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *auriculatum* × 'Last Rose' H: E.J. & M. Greig, G: Vancouver Parks, I: A.R. Cook (1980), REG: A.R. Cook (1981) Fls white, edged pale purplish pink (56D), with a moderate red (179D) flare

(r) **'Royyun'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown I: Hon. Mrs Sebag-Montefiore (1935) (Probably a Group epithet representing *cinnabarinum* Roylei Group × *yunnanense*)

(r) **'Roza'** (Syn. of 'Tessa Roza')

(a) **'Roza Bonheur'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: E. van der Cruyssen (1876), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, red, with rose stripes. Indian

(r) **'Roza Harrison'** (Syn. of 'Roza Stevenson')

(r) **Rozamarie Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* (s) × PenjerrickGroup H: J.B. Stevenson (1930), N: J.B. Stevenson (1951), I: J.B. Stevenson (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow

(a) **'Rozanne Waterer'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1959), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1961) Fls double, white, tinged carmine, with a deep pink tube. Midseason. Knap Hill

(r) **'Roza Stevenson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi Sir Edmund' × *wardii* R: Mr & Mrs J.B. Stevenson, N: Kew, I: Kew (1968), REG: Kew (1969) Fls 10-12/truss, saucer-shaped, 45 × 115mm, brilliant greenish yellow (1B), paling with age to pale greenish yellow (1D) with the inside remaining a slightly deeper colour. Calyx irregularly 7-lobed, up to 5mm long, fringed with gland-tipped hairs. Lvs narrowly ovate, 125 × 70mm, subcordate at base, hairless. FCC 1968 Syn: 'Roza Harrison'

(r) **Rozie Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Romala' (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* H: J.B. Stevenson (1919), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rose pink

(a) **'R. Pennington'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: R.W. Pennington, N: Transplant Nursery, I: Transplant Nursery (pre 1987) Fls tangerine orange

(a) **'R. Reniers'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, dark lacquer red, with a very inconspicuous blotch. Indian

(r) **'R.S. Field'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1871), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'R.S.W.'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: ? Australia (pre 1984) Fls large, double, purplish red. Indian

(r) **'Ruach'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' (s) × 'Unique' H: B.J. Ogdon (1986), G: B.J. Ogdon (1993), N: B.J. Ogdon (1998), REG: B.J. Ogdon (1998) Fls to 13/lax ball truss, campanulate, 53 × 53mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, strong yellowish pink (32D) in bud, opening pale yellow (19C) edged strong yellowish pink (32); anthers brown; stigma brown. Calyx 34mm long, yellow, with rose margins. Lvs elliptic, 99 × 39mm, margins flat, matt green, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.5m in 10 years. Early May

(r) **'Rubaiyat'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling of *arboreum* R: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1968), REG: E. de Rothschild (1968) Fls 20-21/compact truss, tubular-campanulate, 50 × 50mm, 5-lobed, vivid and strong red (45A/46A), with some darker spotting. Calyx rudimentary. Flower bud scales persistent. Lvs oblong-oblanceolate, 175 × 50mm, with a silver grey, plastered indumentum below. AM 1968

(r) **'Rubellens'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Rubens'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Verschaffelt (1846), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, bright purple, with one chrome-coloured lobe (van Houtte, 1849); later catalogues refer to large trusses of medium-sized fls, salmon rose heavily spotted with golden yellow. Ghent (Probably two plant involved)

(a) **'Rubens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Vervaene (1857), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet red. Indian

(a) **'Rubens'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: H. Knepper & Sons (pre 1896), N: H. Knepper & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange, tinted red

(a) **'Rubens'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Vuylsteke (1900), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, inner lobes yellowish white, outer lobes wavy-edged and variously described as mauve or a combination of pink and buff. Rustica

(a) **'Rubens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: developed from 'Hexe' I: A. Steyaert (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3-4/truss, with very wavy-edged lobes, deep red. Indian

(r) **'Rubens'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Byls (pre 1863), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bluish lilac

(r) **'Rubens'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rich deep red, spotted. Syn: 'Duke of Norfolk' (Knight & Perry (c1850) list a aucasicum hybrid with this name)

(r) **'Rubeotinctum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *johnstoneanum*, grown from KW 7732 I: Sir Edward Bolitho (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a deep pink (621/1) stripe on each corolla lobe and a pink or yellow blotch. AM 1941

(a) **'Ruberrimum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1811), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed under *Azalea nudiflora*)

(a) **'Ruberrimum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1847), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Rubescens'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *periclymenoides* R: unknown (pre 1830), N: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Late flowering

(a) **'Rubescens'** L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Rubescens'** cv. Parentage unknown L: R. Veitch & Son (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep metallic red. (Perhaps the same plant listed c1850 by Knight & Perry)

(r) **'Rubescens Flore Pleno'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *ponticum* hybrid I: M. Guérin (1842), INC: ICRA (1958) (cf. *Revue Horticole*, May, 1842, p.157-158)

(a) **'Rubescens Grandiflorum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Whitley & Osborn (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Shrub 1.0-1.5m tall

(a) **'Rubescens Major'** cv. Deciduous azalea: listed as a form of *viscosum* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Rubicon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Noyo Chief' × Kilimanjaro Group H: R.C. Gordon, G: R.C. Gordon, N: R.C. Gordon, I: R.C. Gordon, REG: R.C. Gordon (1979) Fls deep red (53A), with black spots on dorsal lobes

(a) **'Rubicundum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1826), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed under *Azalea nudiflora*)

(a) **'Rubicundum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Rubikonda'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nova Zembla' × 'Thunderstorm' H: H. Hachmann (1968), G: H. Hachmann (1974), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1987), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 12-17/truss, funnel-shaped, 35-40 × 45-55mm, with 5 lobes, strong purplish red (61B), tinged vivid red to vivid purplish red (57A-C) both inside and out, the three dorsal lobes marked with dark red (187A); the white filaments and anthers contrasting well with the corolla colour. Calyx 1-1.5mm long, reddish. Lvs oblong-oblanceolate, 105-130 × 40-46mm, slightly convex, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dark green and glossy and somewhat bullate above, hairless; petioles and midveins yellowish green. Shrub 1.1 × 1.3m in 10 years. Late May-mid June

(r) **Rubina Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *sanguineum* subsp. *didymum* (s) × Tally Ho Group H: J.J. Crosfield, G: J.J. Crosfield, N: J.J. Crosfield, I: J.J. Crosfield (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 5/truss, nodding, trumpet-shaped, 60 × 65mm, blood red (820/2), shaded 820 outside on tube which is dark maroon at base. Calyx densely floccose and glandular. Lvs oblanceolate, 65-115 × 17-30mm, dark green above, with a fawn, suede-like indumentum below. Late June

(v) **'Rubina'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Tropic Glow' (s) × *culminicolum* R: O.S. Blumhardt (pre 1998), N: O.S. Blumhardt Fls long trumpet-shaped, deep rosy red to maroon pink. Lvs glossy. Upright, narrow shrub to 1.2m. (Pollen ex Papua New Guinea, 1986)

(a) **'Rubinetta'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Mother's Day' (s) × 'Kermesinum' H: H. Hachmann (1961), G: H. Hachmann (1964), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1974), REG: G. Stück (1983) Fls solitary or in a truss of 2-4, 30 × 35-42mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (58B), with moderate red (184B) marks. Calyx 2-3mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Lvs ovate, 20-30 × 15-25mm. Shrub up to 1m

(r) **'Rubinfeuer'** cv. Parentage unknown R: A.W. Backhus (1988), N: A.W. Backhus Fls 13-21/domed, compact truss, 40-55mm wide, 5-lobed, strong purple-red, with blackish markings on the dorsal lobe. Late May-early June

(r) **'Rubiniflorum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Rubinpracht'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nova Zembla' (s) × 'Marinus Koster' R: H. Hachmann (1961), N: H. Hachmann Fls purplish red, with black markings

(a) **'Rubīns'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *R.* × *kosterianum* (s) × *roseum* H: R. Kondratovičs (1974), G: R. Kondratovičs (1981), N: R. Kondratovičs, I: Rhododendron Nursery "Babīte" of University of Latvia (1999), REG: R. Kondratovičs (2002) Fls single, 9/strongly domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 70-80 × 70-80mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, inside strong red (39A), with green spots on the dorsal lobe; filaments light red, anthers light brown; style red, stigma light brown. Calyx 3mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 30mm, margins wavy, broadly acute at apex, tapered at base, matt green above, with white hairs persistent above when mature. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 15 years. Late May-early June. (Published in *Praktiskais Latvietis* no. 17 (189): 12-13 (28 April, 2000))

(a) **'Rubinstern'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Mother's Day' (s) × 'Kermesinum' H: H. Hachmann (1959), G: H. Hachmann (1962), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1982), REG: G. Stück (1984) Fls 4/truss, 30-35 × 40-45mm, 5(-7)-lobed, strong purplish red (58B), sometimes marked moderate red/moderate purplish red (184B-C). Calyx 3-5mm long, strong yellow-green (144B-C), silvery hairy. Lvs 22-25 × 12-16mm. Shrub up to 1.0m. Indian

(a) **'Rubis'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, 80mm wide, red. Indian

(a) **'Rubis de Meirelbeke'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Vercauteren (1927), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, very regular, vivid purplish red (57C); scented. Calyx normal, green. Late. Indian

(a) **'Rubis Noëlli'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1923), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright red. Indian

(a) **'Rubrescens'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1804), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed under *Azalea viscosa*, the spelling appeared to be deliberate)

(r) **'Rubrescens'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *ponticum* L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1826), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Rubricatum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Whitley & Osborn (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Shrub 1.0-1.5m tall. Ghent

(a) **'Rubrocroceum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as a hardy azalea)

(a) **'Rubrofuscoflavescens'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1840), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Rubrum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1804), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed under *Azalea nudiflora*)

(a) **'Rubrum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown, but closely related to *mucronatum* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls similar to 'Lilacinum'

(r) **'Rubrum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection or hybrid of *caucasicum* L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Rubrum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection or hybrid of *catawbiense* L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls reddish rose. Syn: 'Catawbiense Rubrum'

(r) **'Rubrum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: seedling from 'Praecox' (Davies) or from the original cross that produced 'Praecox' R: I. Davies (?) (pre 1898), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Rubrum Amabile'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling of 'Eggebrechtii' I: A. Haerens (1932), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes resembling 'Eggebrechtii', but larger and with a deeper amaranth colour. Indian

(r) **'Rubrum Amaranthinum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. J. Linden (1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls amaranth red, spotted

(a) **'Rubrum Aurantiacum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. van Geert (1849), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Rubrum Elegans'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1850), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Rubrum Elegans'** cv. Parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as a hardy azalea)

(r) **'Rubrum Elegans'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as a form or hybrid of *arboreum* L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Rubrum Fricrolle'** (An error for 'Rubrum Tricorolle')

(a) **'Rubrum Fulgens'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1935), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Rubrum Grande'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1912), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. Indian

(a) **'Rubrum Haerensii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1932), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, with wavy-edged lobes, bright carmine crimson. Indian

(a) **'Rubrum Horizontale'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Etoile de Belgique' (s) × 'Eclaireur' I: A. Haerens (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls a good double, red, resembling 'Commercial'. Indian

(a) **'Rubrum Maculatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red with spots on four dorsal lobes. Indian

(r) **'Rubrum Marginatum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Rubrum Multiflorum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, carmine red. Lvs small, dark green. Indian

(r) **'Rubrum Picturatum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid L: E.F. André (1864), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red, with a white centre, spotted

(a) **'Rubrum Plenum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, red. Indian (Perhaps the 'Rubrum Flore Pleno' of *Floral Journal*, 1841)

(r) **'Rubrum Plenum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Burdin (1845), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Rubrum Speciocissimum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1850), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Rubrum Spectabile'** cv. Parentage unknown L: G. Morlet (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) (Published in *Horticulture Français*, 1854: 107-111)

(a) **'Rubrum Splendissimum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Verschaffelt (pre 1855), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange scarlet (Veitch, 1867); dark carmine red, with yellow spots (Hesse, 1899). Ghent (Several plants may be involved)

(a) **'Rubrum Superbum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Rubrum Tardivum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1851), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed under *Azalea viscosa*)

(a) **'Rubrum Tricorolle'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, deep rose. Indian (Previously listed in error as 'Rubrum Fricrolle')

(r) **'Rubrum Verplankii'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as a form or hybrid of *ponticum* L: A. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, red

(a) **'Ruby'** (Syn. of 'Hinode-no-taka')

(a) **'Ruby'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: R. Veitch & Son (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed under *Azalea nudiflora*)

(a) **'Ruby'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Sander (c 1885), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 45mm wide, deep yellowish pink (46D), with a darker blotch. Sander

(r) **'Ruby'** (Syn. of 'Sham's Ruby')

(r) **'Ruby'** (Syn. of 'Euphrosyne Ruby')

(r) **'Ruby'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Slieve Donard Nursery (1960s probably)

(v) **'Ruby'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Jasminiflorum Carminatum' × *multicolor* 'Curtisii' R: J. Veitch & Sons, N: J. Veitch & Sons, I: J. Veitch & Sons (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark coral red, toned crimson. FCC 1888

(v) **'Ruby Anne'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *anagalliflorum* (s) × *rubineiflorum* H: G.L.S. Snell (1984), G: G.L.S. Snell (1987), N: G.L.S. Snell (1987), REG: R.M. Withers (1997) Fls solitary, tubular funnel-shaped, 20 × 30mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, inside pale purplish pink (62D), moderate purplish pink (62B) at lobe edges, strong purplish red (63A) in the throat, outside pale purplish pink (62D); unspotted; stamens 10, uneven, anthers dark red (59A), filaments strong purplish pink(62A); stigma strong yellow-green (144A), style strong purplish red (63A), ovary moderate yellow-green (143D). Lvs elliptic, 9 × 3.5mm, flat, acute at apex, attenuate at base, scaly, glossy green above. Shrub 19 × 35cm. November-December (Australia)

(v) **'Ruby Bells'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *konori* × *laetum* × *commonae* H: J.L. Rouse (c 1980), G: J.L. Rouse (1985), N: J.L. Rouse (1986), REG: J.L. Rouse (1987) Fls 6/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 40mm, 5-lobed, vivid reddish orange (43A). Lvs elliptic, 50 × 25mm. Shrub 1.0m tall

(r) **'Ruby Bowman'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* (s) × 'Lady Bligh' H: R.F. Bowman (1940), G: J.S. Druecker (1950), N: J.S. Druecker, I: J.S. Druecker (1953), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 13-15/dome truss, open campanulate, to 115mm wide, with 6-7 wavy-edged, recurved lobes, tyrian rose, with a blood red base and a few spots. Calyx crimson, with 6-7 short, rounded lobes, glandular at edges. Lvs elliptic to oblanceolate, 100-200 × 40-65mm, acute at apex, cuneate to rounded at base, slightly glossy and mid green above; new growth puberulent, later hairless; petioes red. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years. Midseason

(a) **'Ruby Dust'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, large, dark crimson, overlaid carmine. Indian

(r) **'Ruby Flare'** cv. Parentage unknown L: USA (1985)

(r) **Ruby Gem Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Charm Group (s) × *haematodes* H: Lord Aberconway (1934), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1943), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(a) **'Ruby Glory'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Crimson Glory' R: Camellia Grove Nursery (pre 1978), N: Camellia Grove Nursery Fls semi-double, orange-red

(a) **'Ruby Glow'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Pink Dawn' (s) × 'Girard's Hot Shot' H: P.E. Girard (1969), G: P.E. Girard, I: P.E. Girard (1979), REG: P.E. Girard (1983) Fls hose-in-hose, 3-5/truss (but terminal truss often 1-fld), 25 × 65mm, broadly funnel-shaped, 5+5-lobed, vivid reddish orange (34A) in bud, opening vivid red (46C), with a strong red (46A) dorsal blotch and vivid reddish orange (34A) edging; stamens 6. Calyx 30mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 40 × 13mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, margins flat, moderate olive green (137A), sparsely setose above and below. Shrub 0.45 × 0.45m in 4 years. Mid May

(r) **'Ruby Hart'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Carmen Group × Elizabeth Group × *elliottii* H: W.E. Whitney (c 1956), G: W.E. Whitney, N: W.E. Whitney, I: W.E. Whitney (1964), REG: G. & Mrs A. Sather (1976) Fls 6-8/flat to lax truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 40 ×

40mm, 5-lobed, dark red (59A) in bud, opening deep red (53A). Calyx 7mm long, red. Lvs elliptic, 65 × 28mm, glossy and moderate olive green (137B) above, with dark greyish yellow (199D) indumentum below. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 10 years. Early May. AM 1988

(r) **'Ruby Ice'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Dopey' (s) × 'Doctor Tom Ring' R: W.E. Delp (pre 1992), N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls deep red (53A) in bud, opening vivid red (45A) with deep red (53A) dorsal spots; filaments and style strong red (45D); anthers greyish reddish orange (177D); stigma dark red (183A). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Ruby Lee'** cv. Evergreen azalea: possibly a seedling from 'Merlin' R: I.L.Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L. Amann Fls 55mm wide, strong purple (82B), with a reddish blotch. Shrub to 1.0m tall. Midseason

(r) **'Ruby Magee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Westbury' × *hyperythrum* R: Pushepetappa Gardens (pre 1994) Fls white. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Early April

(a) **'Ruby, My Dear'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, deep rose pink, with a bright orange flare over the whole dorsal lobe. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Early-mid July

(a) **'Ruby Nugget'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Ruby Glow' L: Nuccio's Nurseries (1989) Fls single, very small, blood red. Lvs small, maroon in winter

(a) **'Ruby Red'** (Listed as a parent of 'Wolfpack Red')

(a) **'Ruckii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Henderson & Son (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. Indian (Probably the 'Ruckeri' of Knight & Perry cat., c1850)

(r) **Ruddigore Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × *arboreum* subsp. *delavayi* H: Lord Aberconway (1934), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet

(r) **'Ruddy'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red

(a) **'Ruddy Duck'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls reddish orange, with an orange-yellow blotch. Late. Knap Hill

(r) **'Ruddy Red Max'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: F4 seedling of 'Mount Mitchell' G: C. Adams, S: C. Adams (1984) (The original parent plant collected wild on Mount Mitchell, North Carolina, USA)

(r) **'Rudens'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (c 1907), N: T.J.R. Seidel (1915), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale carmine red, with yellow spots

(r) **'Rüdiger'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cherry red

(r) **'Rudīte'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R. Kondratovičs (pre 1999), N: R. Kondratovičs Fls in rounded trusses, lobes strongly and narrowly wavy-edged, pale purplish, with a very few, orange-brown, dorsal spots

(r) **'Rudolf Abel'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Firma Seidel (1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, fiery red

(r) **'Rudolf Friml'** cv. 'Red Riding Hood' × unknown R: C.S. Seabrook (1953), N: C.S. Seabrook, REG: C.S. Seabrook (1964) Fls in tight, upright trusses, funnel-shaped, 40 × 90mm, solferino purple (26). Shrub 1.9m in 10 years. Mid May-mid June. (The original entry under parentage ('Little Red Riding Hood') is assumed to be an error)

(a) **'Rudolf Sander'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Sander & Sons (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, rose. Very early. Indian

(r) **'Rudolf Seidel'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Firma Seidel (1918), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bordered rose, with a paler throat

(a) **'Rudolph'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, rose. Indian

(r) **'Rudolph'** cv. Parentage unknown R: L.L. Liebig (pre 1867), N: L.L. Liebig, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls brownish crimson, with darker spots

(a) **'Rudolph Haerens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, with wavy-edged lobes, red. Indian

(a) **'Rudolph Seidel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. de Kneef (1892), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, deep yellowish pink, with a dark blotch. Indian

(r) **'Rudolph's Orange'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group × Temple Belle Group H: R. Henny, G: E. Fisher (1958), N: J.F. Caperci, I: J.F. Caperci (1965), REG: J.F. Caperci (1976) Fls 6/very lax truss, drooping, open funnel-campanulate, 50 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light orange (29B), with pink shaded edging inside and out. Calyx 7-25mm long, very uneven, orange shading to pink. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 70-95 × 25-30mm, moderate olive green (147A), hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.6m in 20 years. Mid May

(a) **'Rudyard Kipling'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, reddish orange, with a dark blotch. Midseason. Resembles 'Auguste Bultemann' but has a larger, rather more firmly shaped flower of deeper colour when opening. Mollis

(r) **'Rudy-Leona'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Quinella', selfed R: R. Henny (1962), I: L. Henny, REG: L. Henny (1969) Fls semi-double to double, 6-10/truss, rotate, to 75mm wide, dark currant red, with a small, spotted dorsal flare. Lvs 150 × 65mm. Shrub to 1.0m. May

(r) **'Rudy's Candy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Azor Group × 'Corona' R: R. Henny (1944), I: L. Henny, REG: L. Henny (1969) Fls up to 17/truss, up to 75mm wide, 6-7-lobed, two-toned, deep pink outside. Lvs up to 140 × 50mm. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. May-June

(r) **'Rudy's Fairytail'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Loderi Group × *arboreum* subsp. *cinnamomeum* var. *roseum* H: R. Henny (1945), G: R. Henny, N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny (1962), REG: L. Henny (1972) Fls 9-11/racemose truss, funnel-campanulate, 100-140mm wide, fuchsine pink (627/2). Lvs 175 × 65mm. Upright shrub to 2.2m. Midseason. Syn: 'Fairytail'

(r) **'Rudy's Witchery'** cv. Parentage unknown H: R. Henny (pre 1980)

(r) **'Rueanum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: G. Morlet (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) (Published in *Horticulture Français*, 1854: 107-111)

(a) **'Ruffled Beauty'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown, believed to be a selection from a native North American species R: Miss L. Dosser, N: Miss L. Dosser, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, white, flushed pink, with a yellow blotch. (Originally listed in the 1958 Register as a Mollis azalea)

(a) **'Ruffled Bergmann'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Docteur Bergmann' R: D. Lewis (pre 1987), N: D. Lewis Fls semi-double, 75mm wide, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes, light to moderate pink

(r) **'Ruffled Champagne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Apricot Nectar' (s) × 'Lem's Cameo' H: C. Weeks (1990), G: C. Weeks (1996), N: C. Weeks (2002), I: Westgate Gardens Nursery, REG: C. Weeks (2002) Fls 15/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink (39B) in bud, opening inside light yellowish pink (29C) paling to light orange-yellow (16C), the dorsal lobe speckled with brownish orange (171B) spotting which extends onto edges of adjacent lobes; outside marked with strong yellowish pink (38A) stripes, lighter at edges. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 45mm, downcurved at margins, broadly acute at apex, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.7 × 0.75m in 12 years. Early May

(a) **'Ruffled Giant'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Camellia Lodge Nursery (1980) Fls single, 75-100mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, deep pink, with a few darker, dorsal spots. Indian ('Giant Ruffles' may be the same plant)

(r) **'Ruffled Red'** (Syn. of 'Girard Ruffled Red')

(r) **'Ruffled Ridge'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Newport' (s) × 'Newport' H: W.E. Delp (pre 1992), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, moderate purple (79D) and deep and vivid reddish purple (77A/74A) in bud, opening vivid and strong reddish purple (78A/B), light purple (78C) and moderate purplish pink (78D), with a white flare and brilliant yellow-green (154B) dorsal spots; filaments and style vivid purplish red (67B); anthers dark purplish pink (186C). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Ruffled Rim'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ben Moseley' (s) × 'Old Port' H: B. Schram (pre 1992), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (72A/63A) and dark red (187B) in bud, opening strong and light purple (77B, C, D) with a vivid purplish red (67B) flare and dark red (187A) dorsal spots; anthers white. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Ruffles'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Maxwellii' × *mucronatum* I: B.F. Lancaster (c 1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep orchid, with wavy-edged lobes

(r) **'Ruffles'** (Syn. of 'Kammer's Ruffles')

(r) **'Ruffles and Frills'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hydon Glow' (s) × 'Lem's Cameo' H: M. Wildfong (1976), G: M. Wildfong (1982), N: M. Wildfong, I: M. Wildfong (1985), REG: M. Wildfong (1984) Fls 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 75mm, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes, with a 7-13mm edging of light yellowish pink (36C), shading through cream to light yellow (11B) in the throat, and with two deep yellowish pink (39B) dorsal rays with peripheral spotting; outside suffused strong yellowish pink (38A) (dappled effect). Calyx up to 50mm long, irregular, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 100-125 × 45-65mm, bronze when young, minutely yellowish hairy below. Shrub 1.2m in 6 years. Midseason

(a) **'Rufum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1814), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed under *Azalea nudiflora*)

(a) **'Rufus'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Wells Nursery (pre 1978), N: Wells Nursery Fls deep blood red. Lvs bronzed

(r) **Rufus Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *forrestii* Repens Group (s) × *sanguineum* H: Lord Aberconway (1936), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(a) **'Ruhrfeuer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kermesinum' × 'Mother's Day' R: U. Schumacher (c 1970), N: U. Schumacher Fls 20-28mm wide, strong red (53D), with dark brown markings. Dwarf, rounded habit. Late

(a) **'Rukizon'** (Syn. of 'Kazan')

(a) **'Rumba'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill (?)), N: Waterer (Knap Hill (?)), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vivid orange, with a red tube. Knap Hill

(r) **'Rumpelstilzchen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × *dichroanthum* R: W. Nagel (1970), N: W. Nagel (1982), I: W. Nagel (1982) Fls in a loose truss, red at edges, rose in centre, with greenish markings on a rosy yellow ground. Calyx much enlarged

(r) **'Runaway'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tony's Gift' (s) × 'Maxhaem Salmon' H: W.E. Delp (1975), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 14/truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (72A), strong reddish purple (72B) and moderate purplish pink (70D) in bud, opening very pale purple (76D), edged heavily with 72A, B and with strong yellow-green (144A) dorsal spots; filaments very pale purple (76D); style moderate yellow-green (147D); anthers strong purple (84A); stigma moderate purple (79D) and moderate reddish brown (176B). Lvs 102 × 51mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.3m in 17 years. Early June

(r) **'Rundle's Scarlet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Running Arborescens'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *arborescens* S: W.G. & Mrs M.S. Beasley (pre 1985), N: W.G. & Mrs M.S. Beasley Fls 40mm wide, white, with red stamens and pistil; scented. Low, stoloniferous shrub

(r) **'Running Deer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' × 'Mars' R: J.B. Gable & H.R. Yates (pre 1972) Fls bright pink, with a white throat

(r) **Rupfast Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *rupicola* × *fastigiatum* R: unknown (pre 1931), INC: ICRA (1958) (Reported from Bodnant, Wales)

(a) **'Ruriko'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1956), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple. (Raised on Hirado Island, Japan)

(r) **'Rushmoor'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: (((Fabia Group × (*fortunei* subsp. *discolor* hybrid × *griersonianum*)) × (*fortunei* subsp. *discolor* hybrid × *facetum*) × May Day Group H: Waterer (Bagshot) (1958), G: Waterer (Bagshot) (1968), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975) Fls 12-15/truss, 40mm wide, salmon pink in bud, opening pale purplish pink (62D) deepening to moderate purplish pink (62B), with a strong orange (168B) eye. Calyx very small. Lvs 90 × 20-30mm. Late May-early June

(r) **'Russautinii Group'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *russatum* (s) × *augustinii* H: Sir John Ramsden, G: Sir John Ramsden, N: Sir John Ramsden, I: Sir John Ramsden (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls funnel-shaped, lavender blue. Shrub up to 2.0m

(r) **'Russell Harmon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: natural hybrid between *catawbiense* and *maximum* S: R. Harmon (pre 1950), I: La Bar's Nursery Fls up to 25/truss, magenta pink. Shrub 1.8m in 10 years. Mid June. (Found by Harmon on land leased for collecting by La Bar's Nursery)

(r) **Russellianum Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (s) × *arboreum* R: Russell, I: Russell (1831), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale to rosy crimson. Lvs oblong, tomentose below. Large shrub or tree

(r) **'Russellianum Album'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (s) × *arboreum* subsp. *cinnamomeum* var. *album* I: Iveson 1849, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white

(r) **'Russellianum Regale'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* × *catawbiense* R: W.H. Rogers & Son (pre 1950), N: W.H. Rogers & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet. Syn: 'Regale'

(r) **'Russellianum Southamptonia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* × *catawbiense* R: W.H. Rogers & Son (pre 1932), N: W.H. Rogers & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 17/compact truss, campanulate, 40-45 × 50-60mm, tyrian rose with a lighter centre and a few blackish spots; nectaries blood red. Calyx very small. Lvs elliptic-oblanceolate, up to 115 × 43mm, matt green above, brown felted below. Shrub to 14m. Syn: 'Southamptonia' (Very similar to 'Stoneham Scarlet', but differently marked)

(r) **'Russellianum Superbum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep scarlet

(r) **'Russellianum Tigrinum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid L: T. Methven & Son (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red, spotted

(r) **'Russell's Blue'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *impeditum* L: UK (1988)

(r) **'Russian Castle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.L. Tolstead (1980), G: W.L. Tolstead, N: W.L. Tolstead, REG: W.L. Tolstead (1995) Fls 10-12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 60 × 70mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, white, with a light purplish pink border and a deep purplish red blotch. Lvs elliptic, 80-90 × 50mm, hairless. Shrub 5.0 × 4.0m in 15 years. Early May. (Derived from *catawbiense*/*fortunei* crosses, perhaps with admixture of other species)

(r) **Rustic Maid Group** g Lepidote rhododendron: *russatum* (s) × Blue Diamond Group R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram (1945), I: C. Ingram (1945), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls funnel-shaped, purple. Shrub up to 1.0m. PC 1972

(a) **'Rusticum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Rusty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *aganniphum* L: UK (1994)

(a) **'Rusty Keller'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Orangeade' × *austrinum* H: G. & T. Elmer (1966), G: G. & T. Elmer (1976), N: G. & T. Elmer, REG: G. & T. Elmer (1986) Fls 10-12/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, flat-faced, 70 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged, recurved lobes, strong reddish orange (32B), with a strong orange blotch (25A); scented. Calyx 7mm long, green. Lvs oblanceolate, 90-108 × 30-40mm, acute at apex, with apiculus, narrowly cuneate at base, rough-textured above, hairy. Shrub 1.9 × 1.0m in 15 years. Mid-late April

(a) **'Rusun'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c30mm wide, purple. Flowers spring and autumn. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Ruth'** (Syn. of 'Katsura-no-hana')

(a) **'Ruth'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Mark Bittinger' × 'Eden Y2' R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith Fls 75mm wide, light reddish purple to moderate purplish pink (74C-D), with a strong blotch of vivid reddish purple (74A) on the three dorsal lobes. Shrub 1.0m tall in 7 years

(r) **'Ruth'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush white, finely spotted

(r) **Ruth Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Ethel Group (s) × Barclayi Group H: Lord Aberconway (1933), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blood red

(r) **'Ruth Anne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague' (s) × *aberconwayi* H: W.A. Moynier (1972), G: W.A. Moynier (1978), N: W.A. Moynier, REG: W.A. Moynier (1994) Fls 16-18/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 51mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (55A) with a lighter throat ageing to pale purplish pink (55D) throughout, maroon flecks on the dorsal lobe; stamens 10, straight, unequal. Calyx 6mm long, greenish cream. Pedicels 25mm long, greenish maroon. Lvs elliptic, 127 × 44mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, hairless; petioles 13mm long, light green. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 18 years. Mid April-mid May

(r) **'Ruth A. Weber'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marchioness of Lansdowne' × 'Old Port' H: E.O. Weber (1957), G: E.O. Weber (1966), N: E.O. Weber, I: E.O. Weber (1973), REG: E.O. Weber (1974) Fls up to 17/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 95mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, bishop's violet (34/2), with light spotting of dahlia purple (931) on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 3mm long, bishop's violet (34/2). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 130-140 × 45mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dark green, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.0m in 12 years. Late May

(a) **'Ruth Davis'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red. Knap Hill

(r) **'Ruth Davis'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × *degronianum* subsp. *heptamerum* H: J.B. Gable (c 1965), G: R.B. Davis Jr (1970), N: R.B. Davis Jr, I: R.B. Davis Jr (1971), REG: R.B. Davis Jr (1978) Fls 17/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds cherry red, opening white (155D), with a small, chartreuse green blotch that fades as flower matures, outside pink until flower is fully open. Calyx very small. Lvs oblanceolate, 125 × 50mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy dark green (136A) above and slightly convex, with a thick felted indumentum below (pale orange-yellow (165D) on young leaves, fading to moderate orange-yellow (165C)). Shrub 0.8 × 1.1m in 10 years. Early May. (This inadvertent acceptance of a previously used epithet is accepted here)

(a) **'Ruth Dotson'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid, for notes on parentage see *The Azalean* 4 (1): 3 (1982) R: W.D. Smith (pre 1982), N: W.D. Smith Fls 75mm wide, mallow purple

(r) **Ruthelma Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi Pink Diamond' (s) × Cornish Cross Group R: Sir Edmund Loder, I: Lady Loder (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c10/conical truss, 75 × 100-120mm, 7-lobed, rich rose, shaded red outside at base of tube; nectaries black crimson. Calyx with an undulate rim. Lvs oblong-ovate, up to 160 × 75mm, dark and matt green above, hairless below. Syn: Leonardslee Ruthelma Group

(a) **'Rutherfordii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Ruth Gebert'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Award' (s) × 'Goldsworth Orange' H: E.T. Anderson (1987), G: E.T. Anderson (1993), N: Longview Community Church, REG: Mr & Mrs E.T. Anderson (1998) Fls 12/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 65 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (39A) and moderate reddish orange (42D) in bud, opening inside strong and moderate yellowish pink (38A-B), with a brilliant yellow (13C) centre, unmarked at first, but with small speckles of the outer colour showing through as flowers age; outside brilliant orange (29A), with strong red (50A) streaks on the midribs. Calyx minute. Lvs narrowly oblong, 175 × 60mm, margins slightly upcurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, new growth reddish and maturing to moderate olive green (146A) above, punctulate below; moderate brown (200C) glandular hairs on new leaves. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Ruth Hansen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Idealist Group × China Group R: C.H. Phetteplace (pre 1967), N: C.H. Phetteplace, REG: C.H. Phetteplace (1968) Fls up to 13/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 108mm, 6-lobed, primrose yellow in throat, shading paler at edge of lobes. Lvs 150 × 70mm, mid green, hairless. Shrub 0.8m in 7 years. Late May

(a) **'Ruth Houser'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid, for notes on parentage see *The Azalean* 4 (1): 4 (1982)

R: W.D. Smith (pre 1982), N: W.D. Smith Fls hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, dawn pink

(r) **'Ruthie B'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney (pre 1973), I: A. Sather (pre 1990) Fls double, in lax trusses, funnel-shaped, yellow. Shrub of dense, rounded habit, 0.9m in 10 years. Midseason

(a) **'Ruth Kirk'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Albert-Elisabeth' × 'Splendens' H: E. Kirk, G: E. Kirk (1952), N: E. Kirk, I: Hazlewood Bros, REG: Hazlewood Bros (1963) Fls single, rich vermilion pink, tipped white in bud, opening paler, marbled with white and with a white throat. Shrub 0.6m. Late September (Australia). Indian

(r) **'Ruth Lyons'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: derived from *davidsonianum*, possibly crossed with *triflorum* R: J.A. Barto, I: M.W. Lyons, REG: M.W. Lyons (1961) Fls 7-10/upright truss, 30mm wide, many 6-lobed, rhodamine pink (527/1-527/2). Lvs 65 × 20mm. Shrub 1.9m. April. AM 1993

(a) **'Ruth Marion'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Bell (pre 1977), N: A. Bell Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, cyclamen red, with a white throat; some red selfs

(r) **'Ruth Marthine'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Earl of Athlone' × Medusa Group H: E.T. Anderson (1983), G: E.T. Anderson (1994), N: E.T. Anderson, REG: E.T. Anderson (1998) Fls 16/domed truss, open campanulate, 50 × 70-80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, dark red (59A) in bud, opening deep purplish red (59B) throughout and fading slightly to moderate purplish red (59C), with a black, spotted blotch on the dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, up to 150 × 60mm, with flat to slightly wavy margins, decurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.7 × 1.2m in 15 years. Early May

(a) **'Ruth May'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably 'Azuma-kagami' × 'Sekidera' R: Oliver & Simson Nurseries, I: Oliver & Simson Nurseries & W. Baldsiefen, REG: W. Baldsiefen (1964) Fls campanulate, up to 65mm wide, peach pink (5RP 7/9), suffused white. Lvs 40 × 25mm. Similar size to 'Azuma-kagami'. Midseason

(a) **'Ruth McElvain'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Nadine' I: O.S. Pride (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls coral

(r) **'Ruth Mottley'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: unnamed peach-coloured hybrid × 'Lem's Cameo' H: W. Robertson (1975), G: J.A. Davis (1984), N: J.A. Davis, I: J.A. Davis, REG: J.A. Davis (1989) Fls 12-15/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 64 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (55B) at margins, shading to light purplish pink (55C) in centre; brilliant orange (29A) spotting the entire length of dorsal lobe, spreading to adjacent lobes. Calyx very small. Lvs elliptic, 114-140 × 38-51mm, flat, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.8m in 12 years. Early-mid May

(r) **'Ruth Otte'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Ammerlandense Group × *wardii* × *forrestii* Repens Group R: D.G. Hobbie (pre 1955) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, red, with an orange tinge, without markings

(r) **'Ruth Price'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vera Elliott' (s) × *oreodoxa* H: W. Elliott (1980), G: W. Elliott (1987), N: W. Elliott, REG: W. Elliott (1996) Fls 12/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 75 × 115mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, inside moderate pink (49B), lightly flushed strong pink (54C) in the throat, centre of throat strong purplish red (54A); outside strong purplish pink (55B); stamens 12, straight, unequal. Pedicels 30mm long, dark greenish yellow (152C). Lvs oblong, 125 × 65mm, flat, oblique at base, broadly acute at apex, glossy green, hairless; petioles 25mm long, light yellow-green (154D). Shrub 1.35 × 1.8m in 15 years. Mid April-early May

(a) **'Ruth Stilwell'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt (1947), I: E.A. Merritt (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls reddish salmon. Kurume

(a) **'Ruth Ticknor'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Linda Jean' × 'Springtime' (Kurume) H: W.L. Guttormsen (1975), G: W.L. Guttormsen (1979), N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen (c 1983), REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1985) Fls 1-2/truss, semi-double and hose-in-hose (5+5-lobed, plus mostly petaloid stamens), open funnel-shaped, 25 × 45mm, deep pink (52B), throat light red, some dorsal spotting. Calyx 30mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs more-or-less elliptic to more-or-less narrowly obovate, 28-45 × 13-25mm, moderate olive green (146A-147A) and glossy above, hairy. Shrub c0.4 × 0.6m in 6 years. Late April

(r) **'Ruth Tracy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *williamsianum* (s) × 'Vera Elliott' H: W. Elliott (1980), G: W. Elliott, N: A. Tracy, REG: A. Tracy (1995) Fls 8-10/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong yellowish pink (38A) in bud, opening strong pink (48D) with a moderate pink (35D) throat; stamens 10, straight, equal. Calyx 20mm long, moderate yellowish pink (38B). Pedicels 25mm long, strong yellowish pink (35C). Lvs ovate, 102 × 51mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless; petioles 20mm long, brilliant yellow-green (150B). Shrub 0.9 × 1.5m in 10 years. Mid-late April

(r) **'Ruth Wick'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' (s) × *yakushimanum* H: Mrs V. Manenica (1966), G: Mr & Mrs R.H. Wick, I: Mr & Mrs R.H. Wick, REG: Mr & Mrs R.H. Wick (1983) Fls 12-14/truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 45mm, 5-lobed, deep purplish pink (54B) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (55A) at edges and on central stripes, fading to light purplish pink (55C), paler in lobe centres and in throat; outside strong pur-

plish pink (55B); un-marked. Calyx 3mm long, light yellowish pink (38C). Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 80 × 40mm, moderate olive green (137B)with a slight tan indumentum below. New shoots slightly tomentose. Shrub c0.5m in 14 years

(a) **'Ruthy's Red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Christina' (s) × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' H: W.L. Clagett (1989), G: W.L. Clagett (1993), N: W.L. Clagett, I: White's Nursery (2000), REG: W.L. Clagett (1999) Fls hose-in-hose, with occasional petaloid stamens, 2-3/truss, open funnel-shaped, c40 × 75mm, mainly with 5+5 flat-edged lobes, strong red (41B) in bud, opening strong red (41B) throughout, the inside with random patches of very pale pink, the dorsal lobe slightly flushed deep rose purple. Calyx 4mm long, pale green. Lvs obovate, 25 × 15mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, with white hairs below. Shrub 0.5 × 0.4m in 5 years. The pink patches may not appear on flowers of young plants. Mid-late May

(a) **'Rutilans'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1804), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed under *Azalea nudiflora*)

(a) **'Rutilans Odorum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Whitley & Osborn (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Shrub 1.0-1.5m. (Listed as a hardy azalea)

(a) **'Rutilans Plenum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Burdin (1828), INC: ICRA (1958) Shrub 1.0-1.5m. (Listed as a hardy azalea)

(r) **'Rwain'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kerneostic' (s) × 'Lem's Monarch' H: M. Colombel (1993), G: M. Colombel (1998), N: M. Colombel, REG: M. Colombel (1999) Fls 14-16/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 80-90 × 100-110mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (45C-46C) in bud, opening inside light pink (49C) at margins fading to almost white, throat and centre of lobes pale yellow; outside strong red (53D); dorsal blotch vivid yellow (13A), with numerous inconspicuous spots, green at first, ageing to yellow. Calyx 5-10mm long, strong yellowish green (141C), with reddish margins. Lvs elliptic, 140-170 × 55-70mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 1.2m in 6 years. Early-mid May. (Standard: colour slide provided by the registrant (WSY 0014491))

(v) **'R.W. Bates'** (Syn. of 'Robert Bates')

(r) **'R.W. Dykes'** (Syn. of 'Mr W.R. Dykes')

(a) **'R.W. Pennington'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: R.W. Pennington (pre 1976), N: R.W. Pennington Fls white, with a chartreuse and pink blotch

(r) **'R.W. Rye'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *chrysodoron* (s) × *johnstoneanum* H: Lord Stair (1938), G: Lord Stair, N: Lord Stair, I: Lord Stair (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c4/truss, pendulous, light greenish yellow (4B), gradually darkening to throat. AM 1951 (R.W. Rye Group)

(r) **R.W. Rye Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *chrysodoron* (s) × *johnstoneanum* H: Lord Stair (1938), G: Lord Stair, N: Lord Stair, I: Lord Stair (1951), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Ryan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Van Nes Sensation' × 'Rotha' H: M. Stockman (1982), G: M. & H. Stockman (1990), N: M. & H. Stockman, I: M. & H. Stockman (1992), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1992) Fls 9/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 64 × 98mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (60C) in bud, opening white, edged strong purplish pink (67D) and with a prominent flare heavily spotted vivid reddish orange (43A) on a pale yellow (161C) ground; moderately scented (honeysuckle-like); stamens 11, curved, unequal; style shorter than stamens. Calyx 5mm long, green, edged pink. Pedicels 22mm long, light green, tinged red. Lvs elliptic, 127 × 51mm, with wavy margins, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy dark green above, hairless; petioles 22mm long, light green. Shrub 0.8 × 0.9m in 10 years. Early May

(a) **'Ryan Michael'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Pixie' (Glenn Dale) (s) × unknown H: W.L. Clagett (1989), G: W.L. Clagett (1993), N: W.L. Clagett, I: White's Nursery, REG: W.L. Clagett (1997) Fls hose-in-hose, 3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45 × 65mm, lobes 5/whorl, very wavy-edged, deep purplish pink (68A), with bright rose spotting on dorsal lobes; stamens 9, curved, unequal; filaments light pink, anthers very dark. No normal calyx present. Lvs elliptic, 30 × 16mm, margins upcurved, acuminate at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (146A) above, with discrete, yellowish hairs below and on petioles. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 8 years. Early-mid May

(a) **'Ryde Heron'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown, perhaps derived from 'Macranthum' N: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1958), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1958), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1961) Fls 1-2/truss, funnel-shaped, 45 × 55mm, rose bengal (25/2), spotted rose bengal (25) in the throat. Shrub 0.8 × 1.5m. Mid-late June. *AM 1958

(a) **'Ryo-jyo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan, N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, white, striped lilac. Indian

(a) **'Ryugu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan, N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson and white. Indian

(a) **'Ryukyu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: closely related to *mucronatum* L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c60mm wide, white. (Regarded by some as equivalent to *mucronatum*)

(a) **'Ryukyu-shibori'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown, but allied to *mucronatum* R: Japan, N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Similar to 'Sekidera', but with flowers striped

(a) **'Ryusei'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan Lvs curled and blotched. Satsuki

(r) **'Sába'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* × 'Caractacus' R: B. Kavka (c 1961), N: B. Kavka Fls 7-15/globose truss, 95mm wide, dark purple pink in bud (26-26/2+28/2), opening markedly purple pink (26/2-26/1), with a conspicuous blotch of dark purple-brown (824-824/3); scented. Lvs elliptic, 135 × 55mm, green to light green (0960/3+861). Shrub 1.3m in 9 years

(a) **'Sabina'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hino-crimson' (s) × 'Normandie' R: Betrieb Kerkhoff, N: Betrieb Kerkhoff, I: Betrieb Kerkhoff (1970) Fls small, bright red. Long season. Syn: 'Roter Sämling'

(r) **'Sabina'** cv. Parentage unknown L: A. Leroy (1889), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose

(r) **'Sabine'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goldsworth Orange' × May Day Group H: J. Bruns Nursery (1952), G: J. Bruns Nursery, N: J. Bruns Nursery, I: J. Bruns Nursery (1975), REG: J. Bruns Nursery (1971) Fls vivid purplish red (57C), with the throat spotted moderate pink (49B)

(a) **'Sabra'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kobold' (s) × 'Kobold' R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls 3-4/truss, 65-75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, lavender, with a purplish red blotch. Early May. (First published in Holly Springs cat., 1990)

(r) **'Sabrina'** (Syn. of 'Hachmann's Sabrina')

(r) **'Sabrina'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy lilac, spotted rose

(r) **'Sabrina Adler'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *ciliicalyx* × *moupinense* H: R.W. Scott (1969), G: R.W. Scott (1974), N: R.W. Scott, REG: R.W. Scott (1991) Fls 2-3/lax truss (1-5 trusses/shoot), broadly funnel-shaped, 51 × 83mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, white with light red spotting inside, outside white suffused pale pink and ageing to white; moderately scented. Calyx 6mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 64mm long, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dark green and hairless above, with yellow to brown scales below. Shrub 1.5 × 1.3m in 15 years. Late February-early March

(a) **'Sacajewa'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Graciosum' (Occidentale) × a Ghent hybrid R: B.F. Lancaster, N: B.F. Lancaster, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange, tinted pink

(a) **'Sachem'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt, I: E.A. Merritt (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c50mm wide, coppery red. Kurume

(r) **'Sachet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Dosido' (s) × *yakushimanum*, Exbury form H: J. Barlup (1984), G: J. Barlup (1989), N: J. Barlup (1995), REG: J. Barlup (1999) Fls 15/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, light purplish pink (55C) in bud, opening yellowish white (155D) throughout, unmarked. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 40mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, with wavy margins, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 0.75m in 14 years. Early May

(a) **'Sachi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Setchu-no-matsu' R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 40-50mm wide, moderate purplish pink, with broad lobes. Lvs very narrow and twisted. Satsuki

(a) **'Sachi-no-hana'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan Fls star-shaped, with narrow, pointed, widely separated lobes, 25-40mm wide, light pink with an occasional stripe or selfs of deep pink. Lvs small. Satsuki

(a) **'Sachsenstern'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: K. Rannacher (pre 1996), N: K. Rannacher, REG: ICRA (1996) Fls with partially petaloid stamens, open funnel-shaped, with 5 almost smooth-edged lobes, white (155C) with strong red (47B) margins; unmarked. Lvs narrowly ovate, mid green, slightly hairy

(r) **'Sacko'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *russatum* × 'Moerheim' H: A. van Vliet (c 1970), G: A. van Vliet, N: A. van Vliet, I: A. van Vliet (1975), REG: Royal Boskoop Hort. Soc. (1988) Fls 4-7/truss, almost rotate, 10 × 20-25(-30)mm, 5-lobed, campanula violet (37/1). Calyx green. Lvs elliptic, 20-25 × 8-11mm, glossy and dark green above, slightly brown scaly below. Shrub 0.3 × 0.8m. April. (Published in *Dendroflora* 18: 77 (1981))

(a) **'Sacuntala'** (Syn. of 'Sakuntala')

(r) **'Sady'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Cornubia Group × *arboreum* H: A.C. Bramley, G: A.C. Bramley (1956), N: A.C. Bramley, REG: A.C. Bramley (1963) Fls similar to Cornubia Group, 15-17/truss, campanulate, 90 × 50mm, cardinal red (822/3) to currant red (821/3). Lvs 165 × 57mm, slightly silver on reverse. Shrub eventually to over 6.0m

(r) **'Saffrano'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Vuyk van Nes (1987)

(a) **'Saffron'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon, shaded saffron. Mollis

(r) **'Saffron Meadow'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *burmanicum* × *chrysodoron* × *valentinianum* H: R.L. Scott, G: R.L. Scott (1970s), N: R.L. Scott Fls large, deep yellow, with a darker yellow throat. Lvs bronze hairy, similar to *chrysodoron*. Mounding shrub

(r) **'Saffron Prince'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Saffron Queen' (s) × *burmanicum* H: M.H. & Mrs F. Sumner (1962), G: M.H. & Mrs F. Sumner (1967), N: M.H. & Mrs F. Sumner, I: M.H. & Mrs F. Sumner (c 1981), REG: M.H. & Mrs F. Sumner (1985) Fls 8/truss,

open funnel-campanulate, 50 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light greenish yellow (1C) in bud, opening brilliant greenish yellow (6C), unmarked. Calyx very small. Lvs elliptic, 65 × 25mm, with tiny, colourless scales above and with numerous, closely spaced, golden brown scales below, as well as sparse, larger, darker scales. Shrub 1.0m in 5 years. Early April

(r) **'Saffron Queen'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *xanthostephanum* (s) × *burmanicum* R: J.C. Williams, N: J.C. Williams (1948), I: J.C. Williams (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 8-9/truss, funnel-shaped, sulphur yellow, with darker spotting on the dorsal lobes. Lvs lanceolate to oblanceolate, up to 90 × 30mm, glossy green above, with scattered brown scales below. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. AM 1948

(v) **'Saffron Star'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Star Posy' × unknown R: O.S. Blumhardt (pre 1998), N: O.S. Blumhardt Fls saffron yellow. Upright shrub, to 1.5m

(r) **'Saffron Supreme'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: Chrysomanicum Group (s) × *xanthostephanum* H: N. Sullivan (1987), G: N. Sullivan (1992), N: N. Sullivan (1998), REG: N. Sullivan (1998) Fls 7-9/flat truss, with up to 5 terminal buds, tubular-campanulate, 30 × 40mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, brilliant greenish yellow (5A) in bud, opening brilliant greenish yellow (5A) throughout and unspotted. Calyx very small, green. Lvs lanceolate, 70 × 25mm, acute at apex, attenuate at base, scaly. Shrub 0.5-0.6m in 10 years. Early October (Tasmania), after Chrysomanicum Group, but before 'Saffron Queen'

(a) **'Safrano'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* × 'Vittatum' × 'Keisetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 1-3/truss, 90mm wide, pure white, with a touch of chartreuse on the dorsal lobe. Shrub of broad, spreading habit, to 1.5m tall. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Saga'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ivory' (s) × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 1-3/truss, 75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, amaranth pink (deep purplish pink (72D)), with a showy tyrian rose (vivid purplish red (57B)) blotch. Broad, spreading shrub, to 1.0m tall. Mid May-early June. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Sagamore Bayside'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a subsect. *Fortunea* hybrid H: unknown (pre 1920), G: C.O. Dexter, N: J.C. Wister & H.A. Howard, I: Scott Arboretum (c 1955), REG: John J. Tyler Arboretum (1983) Fls 9/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 115mm, 7-lobed, light purplish pink (2.5RP 8/5), with a brilliant yellow-green stripe (2.5GY 8/9) down the centre of the dorsal lobe flanked by spots; outside moderate purplish pink (2.5RP 7/8). Calyx 7mm long, light yellowish green. Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 115-150 × 50-65mm, moderate olive green (7.5GY 4/4), hairless. Shrub c2.2m in 21 years

(r) **'Sagamore Bridge'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: hybrid of subsect. *Fortunea* H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: C.O. Dexter, N: J.C. Wister & H.A. Howard, I: Scott Arboretum (c 1950), REG: Scott Arboretum (1980) Fls 14/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 100 × 100mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (5RP 7/9), with a dull yellow flush at base of throat and with faint greenish yellow, diffused spots on the dorsal lobe (browning towards centre). Calyx 6mm long, greenish, edged pink. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 50mm, acute at apex, cuneate to rounded at base, moderate olive green (2.5GY 4/3) above, hairless. Shrub 2.4 × 1.6m in 16 years. Mid May. (Introduced originally under Dexter seedling no. 180)

(a) **'Sagittarius'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum* (s) × 'Johga' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-2/truss, 75mm wide, fine pink with a salmon undertone, with white at the base of the tube and very distinct tyrian rose (vivid purplish red (57B)) spots in the blotch area. Broad, spreading shrub to 1.0m tall. Late May-early June. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Sagono-akebono'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1995)

(a) **'Sahara'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1959), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1961) Fls yellow. Mid June. Knap Hill

(r) **'Sahara'** (Syn. of 'Nile')

(a) **'Sahohime'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1939), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, "more cactus than hose-in-hose", heavily flushed rose lilac over a white ground with deeper spotting. Kurume

(a) **'Saidee Kirk'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Albert-Elisabeth' × 'Sparkle' H: E. Kirk, G: E. Kirk (1952), N: E. Kirk, I: Hazlewood Bros, REG: Hazlewood Bros (1963) Fls double, very light pink paling with age, with yellowish green centres. Shrub 1.0-1.2m. Indian

(a) **'Saidjah'** cv. Evergreen azalea: irradiation induced sport from 'Euratom' R: ISRIA, Belgium, N: ISRIA, Belgium, I: ISRIA, Belgium (1976) Fls deep pink (50B); otherwise similar to parent. Indian

(a) **'Saigyo-zakura'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum* × a Kurume azalea I: K. Wada, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls shell pink, with a white base. Kurume

(a) **'Saikan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(r) **'Sailor's Warning'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lem's Cameo' (s) × 'Springfield' H: M. Wildfong (1984), G: B.J. Ogdon (1991), N: B.J. Ogdon (1998), REG: B.J. Ogdon (1998) Fls to 15/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 68 × 105mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (48A) in bud, opening inside moderate pink (49B), outside deep pink (48A); maroon markings on dorsal lobes; anthers brown; stigma green. Calyx 30mm long, deep pink (48A). Lvs oblong, 170 × 63mm, margins

flat, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.6 × 2.0m in 10 years. Early May

(r) **'Sail Wing'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Idealist Group (selfed) × Idealist Group (selfed) × 'Jalisco Orange' H: Waterer (Bagshot) (1964), G: Waterer (Bagshot) (1971), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975) Fls white, with a blush tinge and a yellow throat. Lvs 90-100 × 30-40mm. Early June

(v) **'Saint Agatha'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' × 'Pink Delight' × 'Nancy Miller Adler' H: P. Sullivan (1975), G: P. Sullivan, N: P. Sullivan Fls clear pink. Compact shrub, 0.9m in 20 years

(r) **'Saint Anthony'** cv. Parentage unknown R: P.D. Williams, I: P.D. Williams (1935), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Saint Breward'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *impeditum* (s) × *augustinii* R: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1962), REG: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1963) Fls in tightly packed, globular trusses of up to 26, 60mm wide, 5-lobed, very shallow campanulate, sea lavender violet (637/2), with darker shading towards the margins; stamens pale blue; stigma very pale pink. Shrub of compact, rounded habit, to c1.2m. FCC 1962

(v) **'Saint Cecilia'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *konori* var. *phaeopeplum* (s) × *leucogigas* H: P. Sullivan, G: P. Sullivan (pre 1980), N: P. Sullivan, I: Bovees Nursery (1996), REG: L. Sorensen-Smith (1999) Fls 4-5/domed truss, elongated tubular funnel-shaped, 100 × 105mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink in bud, opening white (155D), with purplish pink markings at sinuses; scented. Calyx minute, dark red. Lvs elliptic, 170 × 70mm, margins decurved, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, glossy and dark yellowish green (139A) above. Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in 10 years. Variable flowering period. Syn: 'Cecilia' (First published in Bovees Nursery cat., 1996)

(r) **'Saint George'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid × 'H.M. Arderne' R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1932), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c12/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 100 × 100mm, pale crimson (22/1) in bud; fading to pale crimson (22/3) and distinctly veined pale crimson (22/2). Lvs elliptic, 150mm long. *AM 1946

(v) **'Saint Gertrude'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* × *leucogigas* × *konori* H: P. Sullivan (1973), G: P. Sullivan, N: P. Sullivan Fls off-white, with a slight pink flush; scented. Well-branched, vigorous shrub, 1.4m in 20 years. Syn: 'Gertrude'

(a) **'Saint Helens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Linda Jean' × 'Satanta' R: W.L. Guttormsen (pre 1982), N: W.L. Guttormsen Fls double, hose-in-hose, 65mm wide, pure white, with a yellow throat. Shrub 0.8m in 10 years

(a) **'Saint James'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1964) Fls single, 70-75mm wide, rose dorée washed with peach red, spots inconspicuous making a tyrian rose tone in the blotch area; centre white, usually starry, but not consistent in appearance. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Late. Back Acres

(a) **'Saint Jee'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1985) Fls light purplish pink. Knap Hill

(r) **'Saint Keverne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Kingianum Group (s) × *griffithianum* R: P.D. Williams, N: P.D. Williams, I: P.D. Williams (1922), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright red, with a few dark brown dots. AM 1922

(r) **'Saint Kew'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *augustinii* × 'Saint Breward' R: E.G.W.W. Harrison, N: E.G.W.W. Harrison, I: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1970), REG: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1970) Fls 3-5/truss, in a rounded head of 11-13 fls, broadly funnel-shaped, 30 × 45mm, 5-lobed, light violet (92B), with traces of darker colour along edges, central part of each petal flushed light purple (84B); outside similarly coloured, paling to a silvery sheen below; dorsal throat with a few pale olive green markings. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 50 × 20mm, mucronate and acute at apex. PC 1970

(r) **'Saint Mabyn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from Souldis Group H: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1921), G: E.G.W.W. Harrison, N: E.G.W.W. Harrison, I: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1927), REG: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1966) Fls 10/truss, saucer-shaped, 65 × 100mm, with 7 lobes, white, tinged yellow inside, tinged faintest pink outside, dorsal lobe heavily spotted with red

(r) **'Saint Marko'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Stokes (pre 1969), N: W.E. Stokes

(r) **'Saint Mary's'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *brachycarpum* × *catawbiense* × un-named pale cream *fortunei* hybrid H: H.T. Skinner (1945), G: H.T. Skinner, N: H.T. Skinner, I: H.T. Skinner (1976), REG: H.T. Skinner (1979) Fls up to 13/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 75mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale lavender in bud, opening very pale violet (2.5P 8/4) and becoming strikingly pure white with age, with a short, basal, dorsal flare varying from 2 streaks of light grey-green to the same colour lightly overlaid maroon or purplish red; scented. Lvs 125 × 50mm, broadly apiculate at apex, cuneate to slightly cordate or oblique at base, glossy and dark olive green above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 9 years. Early to mid May

(r) **'Saint Merryn'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Saint Tudy' × *impeditum* R: E.G.W.W. Harrison, N: E.G.W.W. Harrison, I: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1970), REG: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1970) Fls 2-4/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 15 × 25mm, strong violet (86C). Lvs lanceolate, c12 × 7mm, apiculate and obtuse at apex, glossy and dark green above. Shrub to 0.4m. April. *AM 1983, *FCC 1986

(r) **'Saint Michel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *brachycarpum* (as subsp. *tigerstedtii*) (s) × *smirnowii* H: M. Uosukainen (1974), G: M. Uosukainen (1980), N: M. Uosukainen (1987), I: Kemira Agro Oy (1987), REG: Kemira Agro Oy (1994) Fls 10-18/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 72-80mm wide, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, rhodamine pink (527/1-3) inside and out, with greenish spots in dorsal sector in older fls. Lvs oblanceolate, 130-175 × 44-65mm, wavy-edged, glossy green above, mucronulate or acute at apex, rounded at base with a chinese yellow (6/3) indumentum when mature; young leaves and shoots have a white hairy indumentum, older stems are citron green (763) with an aureolin (3/3) indumentum. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years. June-July. Exceptionally hardy. Syn. 'Mikkeli' (Published in *Landscape Plant News* 3 (4): 11 (1992))

(r) **'Saint Minver'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *russatum* × 'Saint Breward' H: E.G.W.W. Harrison, G: E.G.W.W. Harrison, N: E.G.W.W. Harrison, I: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1972), REG: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1973) Fls 31/globular truss, very open funnel-shaped, 22 × 38mm, with wavy-edged lobes, brighter than light purple (85A); scented. Lvs 28 × 15mm, dark and slightly glossy green above. Shrub to 2.0m. May. *FCC 1986

(a) **'Saint Moritz'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nancy of Robinhill' (s) × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls hose-in-hose, double (with 15-20 lobes), 2-3/truss, 65-75mm wide, occasionally semi-double; white, with a strong green blotch. Shrub 0.45 × 0.9m. Late May. (First published in Holly Springs cat., 1990)

(r) **'Saint Probus'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls intense crimson

(a) **'Saint Ruan'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1959), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1961) Fls pure white, with a large yellow blotch. Midseason. Knap Hill

(r) **'Saint Simon'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1900), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy carmine, spotted. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Saint Stanislaus'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Orangeade' × *austrinum* H: G. & T. Elmer (1966), G: G. & T. Elmer (1977), N: G. & T. Elmer, REG: G. & T. Elmer (1984) Fls 15/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 50mm, 5-lobed, strong reddish orange (31A), with a dorsal blotch of vivid orange-yellow (23A); scented. Lvs elliptic, 75-80 × 30-40mm. Shrub c2.4m in 15 years

(r) **'Saint Tudy'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *impeditum* (s) × *augustinii* R: E.J.P. Magor (1936), I: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1961), REG: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1962) Fls up to 15/compact, domed truss, shallowly campanulate, 25-30 × 45-50mm, brilliant violet (90C), paling towards throat, some flowers flushed strong purple (77B). Lvs 25-40 × 7-13mm, dull and mid green above. Shrub up to 2.0m. AM 1960, *FCC 1973

(v) **'Saint Valentine'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lochiae* (s) × *gracilentum* H: T. Lelliott, G: P. Sullivan (1983), I: Australian Rhododendron Society, REG: Australian Rhododendron Society (1984) Fls 3-5/truss, tubular-campanulate, 40 × 30mm, vivid red (45B). Lvs elliptic, 40 × 20mm. Shrub c0.7 × 0.6m. Syn: 'Valentine'

(r) **'Saint Wenn'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Blue Diamond' × *polycladum* Scintillans Group H: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1952), G: E.G.W.W. Harrison, N: E.G.W.W. Harrison, I: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1972), REG: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1973) Fls mauve

(a) **'Sakata Blush'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: W.F. Koppeschaar (pre 1931), N: W.F. Koppeschaar, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, blush pink to more-or-less white. Kurume

(a) **'Sakata Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, rose pink. Kurume (Said to be the same plant as 'Esmeralda' (Koppeschaar))

(a) **'Sakata Red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: W.F. Koppeschaar (pre 1931), N: W.F. Koppeschaar, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, open funnel-shaped, geranium lake (20), margins of lobes reflexed. Lvs glossy and mid green above. Shrub to 0.3m tall. *AM 1952 Syn: 'Kurume Blood Red', 'Kurume Red'. Kurume

(a) **'Sakata Rose'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: W.F. Koppeschaar (pre 1965), N: W.F. Koppeschaar Fls deep pink. Kurume

(a) **'Sakata Rust'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Nuccio's Nurseries (1980) Fls single, rusty orange-red. Kurume

(a) **'Sakata White'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Clibrans Nursery (1931), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Saki'** cv. Parentage unknown R: V.J. Boulter, N: V.J. Boulter, REG: F.R. Waghorn (1988) Fls 16-18/truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, 7-lobed, vivid purplish red (57B), fading to white. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 40mm. Shrub 2.0m tall

(a) **'Sakiwake'** (Syn. of 'Tobiiri')

(a) **'Sakon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple on white, with white margins and throat, or orchid mauve with petaloids at centre. Indian

(a) **'Sakon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* L: Miyami-en Nursery (1976) Fls vivid red (52A)

(a) **'Sakuntala'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Schulz (1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, 75mm wide, alabaster white. Syn: 'Sacountala', 'Sacuntala'. Indian

(a) **'Sakura-gari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* R: Japan (pre 1997), N: Japan

(a) **'Sakura-gata'** cv. Evergreen azalea: derived from 'Tanima-no-yuki' R: Japan, N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50-65mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, violet red (627/1), with a white throat, but very variable. Syn: 'Aiden'. Indian

(a) **'Sakura-gawa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 50mm wide, cherry blossom pink, blotched light purple in the throat. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Sakura-giri'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls coral and white. Indian

(a) **'Sakura-kagami'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 40mm wide, white flushed rose at the tips, with brownish spots. Kurume

(a) **'Sakura-kagami'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Meikyo' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, strong pink, lighter towards centre, with many variations in markings as stripes or speckles; some pink selfs, occasional white selfs. Satsuki

(a) **'Sakura-kirishima'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, pale cherry blossom pink. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Sakura-maru'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *tashiroi* S: H. Ooshima (1980), N: H. Ooshima (1985), REG: H. Ooshima (1995) Fls 2-3/lax truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 20 × 25mm, with 5 smooth-edged, broadly overlapping, rounded lobes, white in bud, inside and out opening white and changing to pale purplish pink (56D), dorsal lobe with slight green spotting. Lvs 30 × 10mm, flat-edged, hairless. Shrub 0.3 × 0.3m in 15 years

(a) **'Sakura-shigure'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown, an F1 hybrid R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson blushed. Indian

(a) **'Sakura-tsukasa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1918), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, hose-in-hose, 20mm wide, rosy mauve or lavender pink (light purple (75A)) on a blush ground; anthers pale. Syn: 'All-a-glow'; Wilson no. 44. Kurume

(a) **'Sakura-yama'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Seiun' R: Japan (pre 1939), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cherry pink, with salmon scarlet (1958 Register); typically pale coral pink, heavily sanded and striped between old rose and eugenia red (B. Y. Morrison, 1956), quoted in *The Azalean* 7 (2): 33 (1985)). Satsuki

(r) **'Saladin'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Firma Seidel (c 1908), N: Firma Seidel (1916), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine rose, with brown spots

(a) **'Salicifolium'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Salicifolium'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *ponticum* L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1818), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet

(r) **'Salimba'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marina'-like selection × *wardii* R: H. Hachmann (1969), N: H. Hachmann Fls pale yellow, with a small, red, basal blotch

(r) **'Salinar Princess'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mochica Moon' × *aberconwayi* H: I.A. Hayes (1979), G: I.A. Hayes (1987), REG: I.A. Hayes (1987) Fls 7/truss, saucer-shaped, 6-lobed, 40 × 70mm, white, without spots. Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 70 × 35mm. Shrub stiff but compact, 0.35 × 0.28m. April

(a) **'Salishan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Rose Greeley' × 'Ward's Ruby' R: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1969) Fls hose-in-hose, 2/truss, up to 40mm wide, moderate purplish red (5RP 5/10). Lvs 20 × 10mm. Shrub to 1.0m tall. May

(a) **'Sally'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange salmon, spotted with dark nankeen yellow. Ghent

(v) **'Sally'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown L: Vireya Venue (1997) Fls open-faced, soft primrose yellow, sometimes with a blush of orange on edges. Slender foliage. Compact bushy shrub to c1.0m tall

(a) **'Sally Bush'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Nadine' I: O.S. Pride (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light orchid

(r) **'Sally Fuller'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Helen Everitt' × 'Dexter's Honeydew' H: H. & S. Fuller (1961), G: H. & S. Fuller, N: H. & S. Fuller, I: H. & S. Fuller (1977), REG: H. & S. Fuller (1977) Fls 6-7/ball truss, saucer-shaped, 70 × 100mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, (lobes crinkled, some recurved), light pink in bud, white, with a hint of rose, throat flushed golden yellow, with 3 red, dorsal rays c40mm long; stamens 15-16; strongly scented. Calyx minute, viscous. Lvs elliptic, 115-140 × 55-65mm, apiculate and broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, mid green above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 2.1m in 15 years. Mid May

(r) **'Sally Salley'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mary Belle' × un-named, white-flowered hybrid (ex T.L. Ring) R: W.E. Delp, N: H.E. Salley (pre 1995) (Published (without description) in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley, (1995); listed as a parent of 'Devoted')

(r) **Salm Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Duke of York' (s) × *venator* R: D.G. Hobbie (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright red

(a) **'Salmon'** (Syn. of 'Daphne Salmon')

(a) **'Salmon and Delilah'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, salmon pink, with a large yellow flare. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Late June

(r) **'Salmon Bamboo'** (Syn. of 'Bamboo')

(a) **'Salmon Beauty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 45mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, rose opal (022/2), with a darker throat (Register card); salmon pink (1958 Register). Kurume (Imported to USA, original name lost, re-named by H.A. Dreer)

(r) **'Salmon Beauty'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), N: D.L. Hardgrove (pre 1964)

(a) **'Salmon Bells'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Kirin' R: J. Legendre, I: J. Legendre (1956), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, salmon

(a) **'Salmon Chanted Evening'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, large, salmon peach pink, with a golden yellow flare and reddish stamens; scented. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Late June-July

(a) **'Salmon Day'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably a seedling of 'Dayspring' R: I.L. Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L. Amann Fls hose-in-hose to semi-double, 40mm wide, strong pink (49A), dorsal lobe strong purplish red (63B), no blotch. Erect and somewhat columnar shrub to 2.2m

(a) **'Salmon Delight'** (Syn. of 'Girard Salmon Delight')

(a) **'Salmon Diamond'** (Syn. of 'Diamant Lachs')

(a) **'Salmon Elf'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Snow' × 'Hexe' R: USDA, Beltsville, N: USDA, Beltsville (1951), I: USDA, Beltsville (1960), REG: USDA, Beltsville (1961) Fls hose-in-hose, 2-3/truss, c30mm wide, salmon pink, with a dark dorsal blotch. Summer leaves not persistent. Very dwarf, about as wide as high. (Some sources give parentage as a cross of two un-named seedlings of *kaempferi* × 'Snow' × 'Fire Fly' ('Fire Fly' = 'Hexe'))

(a) **'Salmoneum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1877), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Listed under *Azalea pontica*)

(a) **'Salmoneum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1898), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange rose, striped rose, blotched carmine rose, edged white; the 1958 Register adds that it is also described as a single red (camellia rose, 622/1), with a darker throat; this may represent either an occasional sport or a misidentification. Indian

(a) **'Salmoneum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown, but closely related to *mucronatum* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls similar to 'Lilacinum'

(r) **'Salmoneum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958) (Perhaps the same plant listed by J. Baumann (1856), described as having yellow fls and possibly an azaleodendron. Plants listed as 'Salmonianum' are probably the same)

(r) **'Salmoneum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Kewense Group × *campylocarpum* R: France (pre 1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 5-9/loose truss, campanulate, 60-70mm wide, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, pale pink, with darker dorsal markings, throat slightly tinged yellowish above markings; stamens 10, filaments white, anthers brown; style greenish white, stigma greenish. Calyx 5-lobed, becoming reddish at edges. Lvs broadly elliptic, 70-95 × 45-55mm, obtuse and apiculate at apex, slightly cordate at base. Shrub 1.0-1.3m. Late April. (Raised at Verrières (France))

(a) **'Salmoneum Albocinctum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon red. Indian

(a) **'Salmoneum Amarantinum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Salmoneum Punctatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1847), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Salmoneum Roseum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Belgium, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon pink. Indian

(r) **'Salmoneum Roseum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: T. Waugh (1917), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink

(a) **'Salmoneum Rubrum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (Boskoop) (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-pink. Syn: 'Salmonianum Rubrum'. Mollis

(a) **'Salmon Floret'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum* × 'Momozono' R: J. & D. Garrett (pre 1987), N: J. & D. Garrett Fls hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, deep yellowish pink, with a vivid purplish red blotch. Lvs dark green in autumn, reddish purple below. Dwarf, spreading shrub. Midseason

(r) **'Salmon Giant'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R. Gill & Sons, N: R. Gill & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear salmon pink

(a) **'Salmon Glow'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Bobbink & Atkins (1920-1930), N: Bobbink & Atkins, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, deep red (53A), with a darker blotch. Midseason. Rutherford

(a) **'Salmon Glow'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: H. den Ouden & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, strong orange. Midseason. Mollis

(r) **'Salmon Glow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: possibly 'C.O.D.' × *wardii* H: D.L. Hardgrove, G: D.L.

Hardgrove (1959), N: D.L. Hardgrove (1962) Fls almost pure salmon, with an orange glow in the throat

(r) **'Salmonianum'** (Probably the same plant also listed as 'Salmoneum')

(a) **'Salmonianum Rubrum'** (Syn. of 'Salmoneum Rubrum')

(a) **'Salmon Joy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, light salmon

(r) **'Salmon Jubilee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Jock Group × unknown H: Lady Marion Phillips (1965), G: Lady Marion Phillips (1972), N: Lady Marion Phillips, I: Lady Marion Phillips (1977), REG: Lady Marion Phillips (1977) Fls 5-9/truss, 50 × 60mm, 5-lobed, soft scarlet in bud, turning to salmon on opening. Lvs 100 × 40mm, bronze when young, with a very little brown indumentum below. Shrub probably to 1.9-2.5m tall. May-June. (Said to have originated in Scotland)

(a) **'Salmon King'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum* hybrid R: Bobbink & Atkins (pre 1950), N: Bobbink & Atkins, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls strong pink, similar to 'Mrs L. C. Fisher'

(a) **'Salmon King'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L.J. Endtz & Co., N: L.J. Endtz & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon orange. Kaempferi

(a) **'Salmon Monarch'** cv. Evergreen azalea: a Kurume azalea × *kaempferi* R: R.P. Mayo, N: R.P. Mayo, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 65mm wide, salmon, with a darker blotch. Midseason. Kurume

(a) **'Salmon Mound'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from open-pollinated 'Dainty Rose' G: S. McDonald, I: S. McDonald (1982), REG: S. McDonald (1983) Fls hose-in-hose, 2-3/truss, open funnel-shaped, 25 × 25mm, 5+5-lobed, deep pink (2.5R 6/11) to deep yellowish pink (5R 6/11). Calyx petaloid, same length and colour as corolla, with white streaks externally. Lvs elliptic to narrowly obovate, 20 × 10mm, moderate olive green (5GY 4/3), hairy above and below. Shrub c0.3m in 6 years. (Grown from seed collected in 1974 by S. McDonald)

(a) **'Salmon Orange'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Exbury, N: Exbury, I: E. de Rothschild (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls strong yellowish pink, with an orange blotch. Knap Hill

(r) **'Salmono-roseum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Linden (1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac or rose, suffused salmon, lightly edged white, with a maroon brown blotch. (Said to be from Verschaffelt)

(a) **'Salmon Perfection'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, deep pink (47D), with a darker blotch. Indian

(r) **'Salmon Perfection'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R. Gill & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep salmon

(a) **'Salmon Pincushion'** cv. Evergreen azalea: unnamed seedling (no. A3) × 'Mrs L.C. Fischer' H: G.A. Reid (1959), G: G.A. Reid (1964), N: G.A. Reid, I: G.A. Reid (1972), REG: G.A. Reid (1976) Fls double, 3-4/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 45mm, geranium lake (20/2), unspotted. Calyx 3mm long, pod green (061). No stamens. Lvs oblanceolate, 45 × 17mm, glossy and parsley green (00962) above, hairless. Shrub 0.5 × 0.55m in 4 years. Mid May. (Linwood azalea no. L-4)

(r) **'Salmon Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *brachycarpum* (s) × 'America' H: H.J.A. Guyens (1986), G: H.J.A. Guyens (1991), N: H.J.A. Guyens (1999), I: H.J.A. Guyens, REG: H.J.A. Guyens (2000) Fls 15-20/compact ball truss, funnel-shaped, 35-40 × 45-50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light green in bud, opening light salmon pink inside, salmon pink outside; dorsal lobe with orange spots; filaments white. Lvs oblong, 85-130 × 30-45mm, broadly acute at apex, narrowly rounded at base. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 7 years. Early-mid May

(a) **'Salmon Prince'** (Syn. of 'Kumo-no-uye')

(a) **'Salmon Princess'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: W.C. Hage & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon pink. Early. Kurume

(a) **'Salmon Purple Diamond'** (Syn. of 'Diamant Lachsviolett')

(a) **'Salmon Queen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Henderson & Sons (1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose with a salmon tint. Indian

(a) **'Salmon Queen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Camellia Grove Nursery (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, deep salmon. Kurume

(a) **'Salmon Queen'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: P. Vuyk, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, apricot yellow, edged pink, fading to salmon pink, with a vivid orange-yellow (23A) blotch. Midseason. Mollis

(a) **'Salmon Queen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Holly Heath Nursery (1978) Fls strong red (39A). Kaempferi

(r) **'Salmon Ripple'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Golden Salmon' (s) × 'Gary Herbert' H: Mrs M. Oleri (1981), G: N. Sullivan (1991), N: N. Sullivan (1998), REG: N. Sullivan (1998) Fls 12/flat truss, funnel-shaped, 30 × 60mm, with 7 very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (54A) in bud, opening inside deep purplish pink (54B) in centre, shading to moderate purplish pink (54D) and then to pale purplish pink (56D) at lobe edges; outside deep purplish pink (54B); unspotted; no stamens. Calyx rudimentary, green. Lvs elliptic, 110 × 50mm, margins flat, acute at apex, obtuse at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.0m in 16 years. November (Tasmania)

(a) **'Salmon Rosina'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Ten's Rosina' R: Camellia Lodge Nursery (pre 1977), N: Camellia Lodge Nursery Fls double, soft salmon pink. Indian

(a) **'Salmon Sander'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1965) Fls deep yellowish pink. Low shrub. Kurume

(a) **'Salmon's Leap'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: UK (1994) Fls salmon pink. Lvs variegated creamy white

(a) **'Salmon Solomon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Southern Charm' L: Laurel Lake (1962) Fls salmon pink. Indian

(a) **'Salmon Special'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1965) Fls hose-in-hose, with ruffled lobes, yellowish pink. Kurume

(a) **'Salmon Spectacle'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *arborescens* × orange *calendulaceum* R: O. Holmsomback (pre 1985), N: O. Holmsomback Fls deep yellowish pink

(a) **'Salmon Splendor'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* hybrid R: R.P. Mayo, N: R.P. Mayo, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 55mm wide, deep pink (50B). Midseason. Kaempferi

(a) **'Salmon Splendor'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Paul Schäme' × 'Madame Pericat' R: H. Kerrigan (pre 1987), N: H. Kerrigan Fls hose-in-hose, yellowish pink

(a) **'Salmon Spray'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon. Bobbink & Atkins

(a) **'Salmon Spray'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: W.C. Hage & Co., N: W.C. Hage & Co., I: W.C. Hage & Co. (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft salmon pink. Kurume

(a) **'Salmon Spray'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Camellia Lodge Nursery (1984) Fls single, salmon pink, with a white throat. Satsuki (Probably the same plant as 'Gumpo Salmon Spray')

(v) **'Salmon Star'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Star Posy' × unknown R: O.S. Blumhardt (pre 1998), N: O.S. Blumhardt Fls apricot salmon. Lvs glossy. Upright shrub to 1.2m. Flowering almost continuously

(a) **'Salmon Sunrise'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from open-pollinated 'Dainty Rose' G: S. McDonald (1977), N: S. McDonald, I: S. McDonald (1982), REG: S. McDonald (1983) Fls hose-in-hose, 3/truss, open funnel-shaped, 30 × 30mm, 5+5-lobed, deep pink (2.5R 6/11) to deep yellowish pink (5R 6/11), with dorsal spotting of strong red (2.5R 5/12). Calyx petaloid, same length and colour as the corolla. Lvs elliptic to narrowly obovate, 30 × 15mm, moderate olive green (5GY 4/3), hairy above and below; some leaves vivid yellow (2.5Y 8/12) in autumn. Shrub c0.4m in 6 years. Mid-late April. (Grown from seed collected by S. McDonald in 1974)

(a) **'Salmon Supreme'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: R.P. Mayo Nurseries ?, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon pink. Kurume

(a) **'Salmon Tints'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, rose red to eugenia red. Kurume

(r) **'Salmon Trout'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* Roylei Group (s) × orange form of Royal Flush Group R: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls the colour of freshly cooked salmon trout. (Lady Chamberlain Group)

(r) **'Salome'** (Syn. of 'Tortoiseshell Salome')

(r) **'Salomé'** (Syn. of 'Creminrose')

(r) **Salome Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Queen Wilhelmina' (s) × *griffithianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1926), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose red

(a) **'Salomon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Salopiense'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Saltarello'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'King Tut' (s) × hybrid of *dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* H: H. Hachmann (1979), G: H. Hachmann (1985), N: H. Hachmann (1990), I: H. Hachmann (1992), REG: G. Stück (1994) Fls 13-15/slightly loose truss, funnel-campanulate, 45-50(-60)x55-60(-65)mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63B) in bud, opening strong purplish pink (63C), tinged light purplish pink (63D) internally especially in centre of lobes, edges 63B/C, the dorsal lobe (basal part and throat below) with a ground colour of brilliant/light yellow (20A/B) with dark red (187B/C) spotting which shows through to outside; stamens 10; filaments pale purplish pink (56D), anthers white; style light yellowish pink (36B), stigma strong greenish yellow (151B). Calyx 5-8mm long, brilliant greenish yellow (151D). Lvs elliptic, 85-110 × 30-45mm, margins wavy-edged and decurved, slightly glossy and mid green above, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.6m in 10 years. Late May-early June. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1993/1994)

(a) **'Saltatoria'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Waterer (Knaphill) (1851), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls sulphur yellow, shaded red (Veitch, 1867). Ghent

(r) **'Saltwood'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* × 'Lady Clementine Mitford' R: A.E. Hardy, N: A.E. Hardy, I: A.E. Hardy (1965), REG: A.E. Hardy (1965) Fls 8-9/truss, open funnel-shaped, almost 75 ×

115mm, strong purplish pink (55B) inside, outside deep pink (52C). Calyx minute. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 150 × 40mm, pale green below. AM 1965

(r) **Salus Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Arthur Osborn' (s) × Coreta Group H: Lord Aberconway (1929), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red

(r) **Salutation Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* (s) × *lacteum* R: Exbury, N: Exbury, I: E. de Rothschild (1953), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a dense truss, large, cream. Tall shrub

(a) **'Salut d'Amour'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. Kurume

(a) **'Salute'** (Syn. of 'Red Salute')

(r) **'Salute'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Essex Scarlet' × *forrestii* Repens Group R: D.G. Hobbie, I: D.G. Hobbie (1961) Fls 5-8/truss, funnel-shaped, blood red. Lvs 45-80mm long, glossy. Shrub up to 1.0m

(a) **'Salut Printemps'** (Syn. of 'Easter Greetings')

(a) **'Salvia'** (Syn. of 'Etoile de Hollande')

(r) **'Salvini'** cv. Parentage unknown R: M. Young (pre 1881), N: M. Young, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish rose, blotched or shaded with chocolate

(a) **'Sam'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Nadine' R: O.S. Pride (pre 1987), N: O.S. Pride Fls 40mm wide, orange-red. Midseason

(a) **'Samantha Michelle'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Christina' (Vuykiana) (s) × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' H: W.L. Clagett (1989), G: W.L. Clagett (1994), N: W.L. Clagett, I: White's Nursery (1995), REG: W.L. Clagett (1997) Fls semi-double (with 8-9 petaloid stamens), 2-3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 38 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (73A) with very pale purple (73D) centres of varying size. Calyx 5mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 23 × 12mm, margins decurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, with discrete, yellow hairs below and on petioles. Shrub 0.4 × 0.45m in 8 years. Late May-early June. (Originally distributed as no.89-2-6)

(r) **'Samantha Sawers'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lockington Pride' × 'Cup Day' H: D.J. Dosser (1980), G: D.J. Dosser (1985), N: D.J. Dosser, REG: D.J. Dosser (1989) Fls 12-14/truss, funnel-shaped, 110 × 50mm, 5-lobed, inside moderate purplish pink (66D) fading to cream in centre of lobes and with purplish pink spotting on dorsal lobe, outside deep purplish pink (66C) fading to edge. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 55mm. Shrub 1.2m tall

(r) **'Sam Baldanza'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × 'America' × 'Flamenco' (exact combination unknown) H: S. Baldanza (pre 1970), G: O.S. Pride (pre 1980), N: O.S. Pride, I: O.S. Pride Fls red

(a) **'Sambo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' × 'Willy' (s) × 'Mrs Carmichael' × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, 50mm wide, pomegranate purple (strong red (53B)) to bordeaux (dark red (187B)). Shrub to 1.5m. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Sam Greer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Nadine' I: O.S. Pride (1956), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright red. Gable

(r) **'Samisen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selfed seed from *yakushimanum* (Exbury form) H: B. Nelson (1965), G: Mrs J.W. Hill (1972), N: Mrs J.W. Hill, I: Mrs J.W. Hill (1976), REG: Mrs J.W. Hill (1984) Fls (12-)17(-18)/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 40 × 45mm, 5-lobed, buds vivid purplish red (57C) to vivid purplish red (57D) at base, opening with more-or-less 7mm wide edge of light purplish pink (55C), shading to pale purplish pink (56C) towards and in the throat, with inconspicuous, tiny, rusty spotting in two areas on the dorsal side. Calyx c1.5mm long, colourless. Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic or narrowly oblong, 90-115 × 30-50mm, with plastered, brownish orange (165B) indumentum below. Shrub 1.5m in 18 years

(a) **'Samite'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Kyumiyagimo' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls irregularly hose-in-hose, 2-4/truss, 50mm wide, pure white. Early April. Shrub to 2.2m. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Sammamish'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: unknown (1991), G: R.E. George (1996), N: R.E. George (1999), REG: R.E. George (1999) Fls 24/domed truss, campanulate, 40 × 50mm, with 5 wavy to very wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (55A) in bud, opening inside pale purplish pink (56C); outside strong and pale purplish pink (55B, 56C) swirled together to produce a striped effect. Calyx 40mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 150 × 40mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins decurved, dull green above, with yellow petioles and sparse, cinnamon hairs below and on margins. Shrub 0.6 × 1.1m in 7 years. Early June. (Grown from seed obtained in New Zealand (1992))

(r) **'Sammetglut'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' (s) × 'Nova Zembla' H: H. Hachmann (1959), G: H. Hachmann (1964), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1977), REG: G. Stück (1983) Fls 16-21/truss, 45-50 × 50-60mm, 5-lobed, deep red (53A), without blotch or other markings. Calyx 2-3mm long, reddish. Lvs elliptic, 100-120 × 35-45mm, hairy below. Shrub 2.5-4.0m tall. The conspicuous pale yellowish pink (27C-D) anthers and erect habit are distinctive. Syn: 'Crimson Classic'

(a) **'Sam Moller'** (Syn. of 'Germanique')

(r) **'Samoa'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (white) × *yakushimanum* × 'Fanfare' × Gertrud Schäle Group H: D.G. Leach (1962), G: D.G. Leach (1968), N: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1985) Fls 14-15/truss, 50 × 53mm, 5-lobed, vivid red (46C, but redder and brighter), lighter in centre, with faint dorsal spotting of 46C. Calyx 1mm long, light greenish tan. Lvs elliptic, 88 × 40mm, rough above, with minute white hairs

(a) **'Sampler'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1985) Fls white, with pink tips and a yellow blotch. Knap Hill

(a) **'Samson'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum*, deep salmon-flowered form (s) × 'Hazel Dawson' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 75mm wide, rose (strong purplish red (63B)), with a stain of tyrian rose (vivid purplish red (57B)) in the blotch area; the whole flower with a yellow undertone. Spreading shrub to 1.2m tall. Mid-late May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Samtkrone I'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nova Zembla' × 'Mars' R: H. Hachmann (pre 1969), N: H. Hachmann

(r) **'Samuel B. Parsons'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: S.B. Parsons, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Samuel Morley'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1942), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy carmine with a light centre

(a) **'Samuel Taylor Coleridge'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: Gebr Kersbergen, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 70mm wide, light purplish pink, with a vivid orange blotch. Midseason. Syn: 'S.T. Coleridge'. Mollis

(r) **'Samuel Waymouth'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy purple, with white throat and large brown spots. (Spelling is as given by Standish)

(az) **'Samurai'** cv. Azaleodendron: *occidentale* × 'Fusilier' (ie the FCC form) H: L.E. Brandt (c 1950), G: L.E. Brandt (1963), N: L.E. Brandt, REG: L.E. Brandt (1968) Fls 28-30/truss, 65 × 65mm, strong purplish pink (55B), with a deep pink (47D) throat. Lvs 115 × 40mm, apple green

(r) **'Sam Vaccaro'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Roseum Elegans' × 'Roslyn' H: W.M. Fetterhoff (1964), G: W.M. Fetterhoff (1974), N: W.M. Fetterhoff, REG: W.M. Fetterhoff (1986) Fls 12-15/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 30 × 65mm, 5-lobed, bluish white (near very pale violet (91D) at edges) which quickly fades to white, with a moderate purplish red (64A) blotch (13-20mm long) on the dorsal lobe. Calyx very small, white. Lvs near elliptic to broadly elliptic, 55-130 × 35-60mm, moderate olive green (146A) above, with a short, patchy colourless indumentum below. Shrub 1.1 × 1.4m in 21 years. Late May

(a) **'Sanaye'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: Higashi Nursery (1993), G: Higashi Nursery (c 1995), N: Higashi Nursery, I: Higashi Nursery, REG: Higashi Nursery (1998) Fls hose-in-hose, 2/truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, with 5-6 lobes in each whorl, purple, with a dark purple blotch. Calyx 35mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 40 × 19mm, flat, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and green above, hairy (hairs light green at first ageing to green). Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 5 years. Mid April

(v) **'San Clemente'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Marshall Pierce Madison' (s) × *javanicum* H: W.A. Moynier (1989), G: W.A. Moynier (1995), N: W.A. Moynier (2001), REG: W.A. Moynier (2002) Fls 12-20/domed truss, narrowly funnel-shaped, 95 × 75mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, maroon in bud, opening vivid reddish orange (41A) inside and out; unmarked. Lvs elliptic, 175 × 70mm, margins upcurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy dark green above, with tan scales above and below. Shrub 1.1 × 1.0m in 12 years. December-February. (A more compact plant than its sister seedling 'Anacapa')

(a) **'Sand Dune'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Exbury, N: Exbury, I: E. de Rothschild (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light pink, suffused orange-yellow. Knap Hill

(a) **Sanderi Group** gp Evergreen azalea: 'Garnet' × Obtusum Group R: C. Sander (c 1885), N: C. Sander, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Sanders' Lemon Tart'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ightham Yellow' (s) × 'Mrs Lammot Copeland' × 'Whitney's Late Yellow' H: M. Wildfong (1988), G: M. Sanders (1995), N: M. Sanders (2000), I: Sanders Nursery (2000), REG: Sanders Nursery (2000) Fls 11/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 60 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, yellow in bud, opening light greenish yellow (7D) inside and out, with a slight, brilliant yellow-green (150A) flare (c13mm long) in the throat. Calyx irregular, up to 20mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 95 × 40mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, margins flat, glossy and mid green above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 12 years. Late May-mid June

(r) **'Sanders' Low Yellow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Karen Triplett' (s) × *yakushimanum* × 'Mrs Lammot Copeland' H: F. Minch (1988), G: M. Sanders (1993), N: M. Sanders, I: Sanders Nursery (2000), REG: Sanders Nursery (2000) Fls 11/domed truss, open campanulate, 50 × 70mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, yellow in bud, opening light greenish yellow (4B) throughout, with a slight dorsal flare, c15mm long, of brilliant yellow-green (149B). Lvs elliptic, 90 × 45mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins flat, semi-glossy and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.5m in 12 years. Late June

(a) **'Sander's Special'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. Indian

(r) **'Sandlefordianum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (c 1860), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, well marked. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Sandling'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Lady Bessborough Group × *souliei* R: A.E. Hardy, N: A.E. Hardy, I: A.E. Hardy (1965), REG: A.E. Hardy (1965) Fls c12/closely packed truss, open funnel-shaped, c50 × 90mm, with wavy-edged lobes, rhodamine pink (527/3), throat flushed amber and with darker spotting; outside rhodamine pink (527/2). Lvs oblanceolate, 175 × 50mm, pale green below. AM 1965

(a) **'Sandpiper'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 75mm wide, pale yellow, flushed pink, with an orange blotch. Midseason. Knap Hill

(r) **'Sandra'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Omega' × *wardii* (s) × *wardii* × 'Alice Street' H: H. Hachmann (1969), G: H. Hachmann (1974), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1982), REG: G. Stück (1983) Fls 9-11/truss, 45 × 70-75mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish pink (55B), shading inwards to light purplish pink (55C) and light yellowish pink (36C), tinted pale yellow (18C); marked strong yellow-green (144C) and strong to dark greenish yellow (151A(-152C)). Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs elliptic/ovate, 80-110 × 45-60mm, hairy

(a) **'Sandra Ann'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* × 'Boudoir' × 'Purple Triumph' H: P.E. Girard (1953), G: P.E. Girard (1956), I: Girard Nurseries (1958), REG: Girard Nurseries (1975) Fls single, 2/lax truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 50 × 65-75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds dark purple, opening purplish red (2.5RP 5/12), with dorsal dark crimson spotting. Calyx 7-10mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 30-50 × 17-25mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (5GY 4/3), hairy. Shrub 0.6 × 0.4m in 8 years. Late May

(r) **'Sandra Ann Stipe'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Crest' × 'Brandt's Tropicana' (s) × 'Sonata' H: W.A. Stipe (1990), G: W.A. Stipe (1995), N: W.A. Stipe (1996), I: Glynneden Gardens (1997), REG: W.A. Stipe (2000) Fls 16/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 40mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish orange (42C) in bud, opening inside moderate reddish orange (35B), tinged very pale purple at edges, unmarked; outside strong purplish red (58C). Calyx c25mm long, vivid reddish orange (33B). Lvs elliptic, 145 × 65mm, acuminate at apex, rounded at base, margins downcurved, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 6 years. Mid April

(r) **'Sandra Chudley'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *souliei* (s) × *wardii* × *viscidifolium* H: G. Dixon (1988), G: G. Dixon (1997), N: G. Dixon (2002), I: G. Dixon (2002), REG: G. Dixon (2002) Fls 4/open truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, red in bud, opening inside light orange-yellow (16B), flushed strong yellowish pink (35C), outside moderate reddish orange; strong red (46A) spots on dorsal lobes; nectar pouches present. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 50mm, margins flat, acuminate at apex, slightly cordate at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.4m in 16 years. Flowering from early June

(r) **'Sandra Hinton'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *brachycarpum* (as subsp. *tigerstedtii*) (s) × *smirnowii* × *yakushimanum* H: D.N. Hinton (1984), G: D.N. Hinton (1991), N: D.N. Hinton (1997), REG: D.N. Hinton (1997) Fls 20/conical truss, saucer-shaped, c50 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong pink in bud, opening inside very light pink, with discrete, light green spots mainly in the dorsal throat; outside light pink with strong pink midribs. Calyx very small, green. Lvs elliptic, 190 × 65mm, with slightly wavy-edged margins, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and dark green above, sparsely hairy above, more so below (hairs white at first, tan with age). Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 12 years. Mid June

(a) **'Sandra Marie'** cv. Deciduous azalea: grown from imported Knap Hill Nursery seed, parentage unknown G: Bovees Nursery, N: Bovees Nursery (1959), I: Bovees Nursery, REG: Bovees Nursery (1961) Fls 12-14/truss, 90-100mm wide, light yellowish pink (19B), flushed strong reddish orange (31B), with a light orange-yellow blotch (22B). Shrub 1.5m

(a) **'Sandra's Dwarf'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Gumpo' × 'Wakaebisu' R: S. McDonald (pre 1998), N: S. McDonald Very dwarf

(a) **'Sandra's Fancy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Corinne Murrah' × 'Gumpo' H: S. McDonald (1979), G: S. McDonald (1981), N: S. McDonald, I: Le-Mac Nurseries (1993), REG: S. McDonald (1993) Fls open funnel-shaped to flat, 57 × 83mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes and various flower colours:- some deep purplish pink (67C), some light purplish pink (68D), some dorsal lobes with a strong purplish red blotch (67A), some blotches pale yellow-green; most fls white, with stripes and/or sectors of moderate purplish pink (68C) or light purplish pink (68D); stamens 6-7, straight, unequal; style white or pink depending on fl. colour. Calyx 3mm long, light yellow-green (144D). Pedicels 13mm long, light yellow-green (144D). Spring lvs oblong, 38 × 16mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and strong yellow-green (143A) above, moderate yellow-green (146C) below, hairy (the hairs white ageing to light brown); petioles 3mm long, light yellow-green (144D), hairy; summer lvs obovate. Shrub 0.6 × 0.9m in 13 years. Late May

(a) **'Sandra's Green Ice'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Elsie Lee' (s) × 'Anna Kehr' H: D.W. Hyatt (1980), G: S. McDonald (1983), N: S. McDonald (1994), I: Le Mac Azaleas, REG: S. McDonald (1997) Fls hose-in-hose (rarely with a petaloid stamen), 2/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, c25 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes/whorl, pale yellow-green (149D) in bud, opening pale yellow-

green (149D) towards base (inside and out) and shading to white towards the margins; the greenish centre ages to white; ovary green and hairy in newly opened flower. Calyx c25mm long, petaloid, greenish white to white. Lvs elliptic, 25 × 15mm, margins upcurved, acuminate at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate yellow-green (139D) above, slightly hairy below. Shrub 1.35 × 1.2m in 16 years. Late April

(a) **'Sandra's Misty Morn'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Venus' (Henson) × 'Girard's Hot Shot' (s) × 'Girard's Hot Shot' H: S. McDonald (1985), G: S. McDonald (1988), N: S. McDonald (1997), REG: S. McDonald (1997) Fls (2-)3/truss, open funnel-shaped, 80 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (56D) in bud, opening inside with a white throat, a muted pale green, dorsal blotch and narrow longitudinal rays of pale purplish pink on each lobe extending from the throat to the margins; outside pale purplish pink (56D). Calyx 6mm long, light green. Lvs obovate, 45 × 20mm, with downcurved margins, obtuse but mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate yellow-green (139D) above, with discrete hairs above and below and on petioles. Shrub 0.5 × 0.5m in 7 years. Early May

(r) **'Sandra's Scarlet'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls in compact trusses, vivid scarlet. Shrub 1.5m

(a) **'Sandra's White Surprise'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Dainty Rose', open pollinated G: S. McDonald (1977), N: S. McDonald (1999), I: Le-Mac Nurseries, REG: S. McDonald (1999) Fls single, 2-3/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 33 × 40mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, brilliant yellow-green (149C) in bud, opening white throughout, with some brilliant yellow-green (149C) spotting on the dorsal and adjacent lobes. Calyx 3mm long, brilliant yellow-green (149A). Lvs obovate, 65 × 25mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, flat, glossy and moderate olive green (137B) above, sparsely hairy below (hairs pale at first, ageing to light tan). Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 24 years. Early April. Syn: 'White Surprise' (Published (as 'White Surprise') in *Azaleas*, Galle (1987), p.468)

(r) **'Sandwich Appleblossom'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter, G: C.O. Dexter, N: Heritage Plantation, REG: Heritage Plantation (1988) Fls 14/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 25 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (68A) at edges, fading quickly through strong purplish pink (68B) and moderate purplish pink (68C) to very pale purple (69A) at midline of lobes and in throat; strong greenish yellow (151C) dorsal spotting; slightly scented. Calyx less than 2mm long, brilliant yellow-green (150B). Lvs elliptic, 152 × 57mm, flat or concave, rounded at base, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 2.2 × 2.1m in 15 years. Mid May-early June. Syn: 'Appleblossom' (or 'Apple Blossom'); also known as Everitt no. 3 (Published in Briarwood Gardens cat., 1988)

(a) **'Sandy'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *arborescens* × probably *cumberlandense* H: E.V. Mezitt (1975), G: Weston Nurseries (pre 1985), N: E.V. & R.W. Mezitt (pre 1985), I: Weston Nurseries (1995), REG: R.W. Mezitt (1999) Fls 6-8/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside strong yellowish pink (38A), with a brilliant orange-yellow (23B) flare, blending to pink on the adjacent lobes which shade to lighter pink in the throat, lower lobes with lighter midribs. Calyx c3mm long, green. Lvs obovate, 75 × 30mm, margins upcurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green, hairless; mildew resistant. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 7 years. Mid June. (First published in Weston Nurseries cat., 1995)

(a) **'Sandy Hook'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Eden Jane Alcott' × 'Pink Pearl' R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith Fls 90mm wide, moderate purplish red (58A), with a dark red (59A) blotch. Shrub 1.2m in 8 years

(r) **'Sandy Mile'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: A.A. Childers, G: A.A. Childers (pre 1980), N: F.E. Burns (2002), REG: F.E. Burns (2002) Fls 8-9/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 70 × 100mm, with 7 very wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53C) in bud, opening inside strong purplish red (54A) at margin and shading through strong pink (49A) to deep red (53A), with 3 deep red (53A) stripes down centre of each lobe and a deep red (53A), freckled blotch on 3 dorsal lobes; outside strong pink (49A), with strong purplish red (54A) midribs and deep red (53A) spotting between the dorsal and adjacent lobes; stigma moderate purplish red (58A). Pedicels strong red (53C). Calyx 9-22mm long, strong purplish red (54A). Lvs elliptic, 120 × 45mm, margins flat, acute at apex, narrow and slightly oblique at base, dull and moderate olive green (137A) above, moderate yellow-green (147C) below, hairless; a strong yellowish pink (34D) streak blends into midvein down centre of leaf. Shrub 2.4 × 3.6m in 20 years. Late May

(v) **'Sandy Mitchell'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *zoelleri* × *leucogigas* (s) × *christi* H: R.A. Mitchell (1995), G: R.A. Mitchell (1999), N: R.A. Mitchell (2000), REG: R.A. Mitchell (2001) Fls 5/flat truss, elongated tubular funnel-shaped, 65 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside with vivid reddish orange (40B) lobes and a yellow tube; outside strong reddish orange (40C) on lobes and with a yellow tube; unmarked. Calyx c6mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 80 × 45mm, margins upcurved, acuminate at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and green above. Shrub 0.9 × 0.6m in 6 years. Early December

(r) **'Sandy Petruso'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'America' × 'Nova Zembla' × 'Red Brave' H: P.E. Girard (pre 1989), G: P.E. Girard, I: Girard Nurseries (1994) Fls in large, conical trusses, blackish red in bud, opening fiery red. Lvs large, deep green. Shrub 2.1m. (Sometimes seen incorrectly as 'Sandy Petuso')

(v) **'San Gabriel'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *macgregoriae* × *aurigeranum* (s) × 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' H: T. Lelliott (1971), G: P. Sullivan (1979), N: P. Sullivan, I: W.A. Moynier (1980), REG: W.A. Moynier (1985) Fls 8-9/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 30 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale yellow (11C) with a pink fleck at each sinus; scented. Calyx very small. Lvs elliptic, 65-100 × 30-50mm, with close to moderately spaced, tiny brown scales below. Shrub c0.6 × 0.8m in 13 years. May and December-January

(a) **'Sang de Gentbrugge'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte (pre 1873), N: L. van Houtte, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 8-10/truss, up to 45mm wide, blood red, shaded crimson, with a fiery red blotch (van Houtte). Late. Ghent (Listed without description by J. Baumann in 1869)

(a) **'Sangosai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1984), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Sangraal'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Marion Lee' × 'Glacier' R: E. Deckert (1970-1980), N: E. Deckert Fls 75mm wide, with widely separated, starry lobes, deep purplish pink, with a large, darker blotch. Late

(r) **Sangreal Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *sanguineum* (s) × *griersonianum* R: Lord Headfort, N: Lord Headfort, I: Lord Headfort (1937), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Sanguinaire'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Flame' × 'Elegans Superbum' R: USDA, N: USDA, I: USDA (1960), REG: USDA (1961) Fls single, 2-3/truss, c40mm wide, dark red, with darker spots in the throat. Shrub of erect habit, much branched from base. (Derived from the work of G.E. Yerkes & R.L. Pryor. The 'Flame' concerned was probably Wilson no. 34, i.e.'Suetsumu')

(a) **'Sanguineum'** (Syn. of 'Redlight')

(a) **'Sanguineum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.R. Gowen (1829), N: J.R. Gowen, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blood red. Ghent (Published in *Botanical Register*, 1830, under t.1366 where two possible parental combinations are discussed)

(a) **'Sanguineum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: T. Jackson & Son (1851), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Sanguineum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Moerloose (pre 1868), N: Moerloose, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Sanguineum Roseum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Sankatsu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65mm wide, with rounded, wavy-edged lobes, white, with occasional stripes, flakes and sectors of vivid purplish pink; blotch green. Satsuki

(a) **'Sanko'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 90-100mm wide, with broad, wavy-edged, overlapping lobes, yellowish pink to white edges, deeper sectors and a reddish purple blotch; stamens and pistil lightly coloured. Early. Satsuki

(a) **'Sanko-nishiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, white, striped and sanded red. Satsuki

(a) **'Sanko-no-kagayaki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50mm wide, with broad, rounded, overlapping lobes, white, with a pale yellow-green blotch. Satsuki

(a) **'Sanko-no-tsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Shyozui' × 'Fuku-musume' R: Japan (pre 1981), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, with broadly rounded lobes, white, with speckles, stripes and selfs of strong to deep purplish pink (some with white blotches in the centre) (Galle, 1987); fls c50mm wide, 5-7-lobed, pure white to pink, red and pink red bicolors (cf. *The Azalean* 3 (4): 14 (1981))

(a) **'Sankt Valentin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: O. Stahnke (pre 1983), N: O. Stahnke Fls large, semi-double, moderate purplish pink (68C) inside and out, with strong purplish pink (67B) midribs, a paler throat, and strong purplish red (60C) markings

(v) **'San Miguel'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *aurigeranum* × 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' (s) × *leucogigas* H: P. Sullivan (1972), G: W.A. Moynier (1978), N: W.A. Moynier, REG: W.A. Moynier (1994) Fls 10-13/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped (with a straight, narrow tube), opening deep yellowish pink (41D) with a creamy throat, ageing to deep pink (51C); stigma bright green; stamens 14, curved or straight, unequal; slightly scented. Pedicels 25mm long, pinkish maroon. Lvs elliptic, 152 × 57mm, concave, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, scaly; petioles 10mm long, maroon, scaly. Shrub 1.3 × 1.4m in 20 years. December-August

(a) **'Sannchen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, striped and spotted rose

(a) **'Sanno'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c40mm wide, light purple. Tsutsuji

(v) **'San Rafael'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *macgregoriae* × *aurigeranum* × 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls orange

(r) **'Santa Claus'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* hybrid R: E.G.W.W. Harrison, N: E.G.W.W. Harrison, REG: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1964) Fls 8/truss, 65 × 90mm, deep bright red

(r) **'Santa Fe'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Limelight' × ('King of Shrubs' × *smirnowii*) (s) × 'Limelight' H: D.G. Leach (1969), G: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1993), REG: D.G. Leach (1995) Fls 14/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 40mm, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (58C) with cream-coloured stripes extending down lobes to throat;

moderate red (184B) blotch at base of dorsal throat. Lvs elliptic, 76-89 × 25-38mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, with wavy margins, hairless. Shrub 2.4 × 3.3m in 26 years. Late May

(a) **'Santa Fe Red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1965) Fls red. Indian

(v) **'Santa Lucia'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Kurt Herbert Adler' × *leucogigas* H: P. Sullivan (1972), G: P. Sullivan, N: P. Sullivan Fls in tight, multi-flowered trusses, pink; strongly scented

(a) **'Santa Maria'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1983)

(r) **'Santana'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: H. Hachmann (1968), G: H. Hachmann (1973), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1987), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 11-14/truss, open funnel-shaped, 40-45 × 65-75mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish pink (55B), shading inwards to white, dorsal lobe spotted moderate orange (167A-B) on a white ground, outside deep to strong purplish pink (55A-B); buds strong purplish red (63A-B). Calyx 1-1.2mm long, light orange-yellow (22D), tinted reddish. Lvs elliptic, 120-140(-160)x35-45(-65)mm, margins recurved, mucronate at apex, rounded-cuneate at base, light green and dull above, with a thin, light brown indumentum below; petioles yellowish green. Shrub of dense habit, 0.8 × 1.2m in 10 years. Late May-mid June

(a) **'Santee'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Helen Close' × 'Purple Splendor' R: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1969) Fls hose-in-hose, 3-9/truss, deep purplish pink (5RP 6/10). Lvs 30 × 20mm. Compact shrub to 1.0m tall. May

(r) **'Santiago'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hachmann's Polaris' (s) × *rex* subsp. *fictolacteum* H: H. Hachmann (1982), G: H. Hachmann (1988), N: H. Hachmann (1992), I: H. Hachmann (1997), REG: G. Stück (1999) Fls 16/dense, flattened truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40-45 × 45-60mm, with 5(-6) slightly wavy-edged lobes, rose pink to rosy white in bud, opening inside pale purplish pink (55D), later fading to white in the centre, edges strong/light purplish pink (55B/C); outside pale purplish pink (55D), striped strong purplish pink (55B) on midveins, edges strong/light purplish pink (55B/C); the dorsal lobe with slight, deep/strong red (53A/B) markings; stamens 10-12, filaments white, anthers dark brownish; style pale yellow-green/greenish white (157C/D), stigma strong yellow (153D). Calyx 1-2mm long, light yellow-green (145C/D). Lvs elliptic, 110-160 × 35-50mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins decurved, slightly glossy above, with a thick, cinnamon brown indumentum below. Shrub 1.4 × 1.5m in 10 years (floweringwhen veryyoung). Late April-mid May. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1998-2000 (1998), plus colour photograph)

(a) **'Santiam'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Hugh Wormald' × 'Marion Merriman' R: H.J. Slonecker, N: H.J. Slonecker, REG: H.J. Slonecker (1963) Fls 90mm wide, 5(-6) lobed, vivid yellow (14A), with a vivid orange-yellow (23A) blotch. Midseason

(a) **'Santoi'** (Syn. of 'Shin-utena')

(a) **'Sanyo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling of 'Kyokko-nishiki' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65mm wide, with 5-6, non-overlapping lobes, white, with variable markings: spots, flakes, sectors and selfs of deep purplish pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Saotome'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1918), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 30mm wide, light purplish pink (55C). Syn: 'Peachblossom'; Wilson no. 21. Kurume

(a) **'Saotome'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1976), N: Japan Fls reddish purple. (Raised on Hirado Island, Japan)

(a) **'Saoyama'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c50mm wide, cherry blossom pink, dappled in the throat. Satsuki

(a) **'Saphira'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1855), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, in large trusses, soft rose, with a blotch of straw yellow spots (C. Vuylsteke, 1875). Ghent (Probably the plant listed previously as 'Sapphire')

(r) **'Saphirblau'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Lauretta' (s) × 'Crater Lake' H: H. Hachmann (1984), G: H. Hachmann (1988), N: H. Hachmann (1995), I: H. Hachmann (1995), REG: G. Stück (1995) Fls 7-9/open truss, broadly open funnel-shaped, 42-46mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light violet (88C/D) inside and out, unmarked; filaments long, azure, conspicuous. Lvs elliptic to more-or-less ovate, 32 × 14mm, flat, matt green above, scaly. Shrub of compact, rounded habit, 0.8 × 1.2m in 10 years. May. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1995/96)

(a) **'Sapho'** (see note under 'Sappho' (Glenn Dale))

(a) **'Sapho'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-pink. Indian

(r) **'Sapho'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1847), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls late, rosy lilac (Standish & Noble); with a white and yellow blotch (L. van Houtte, 1870). Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Sapho'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling of 'Adam' × 'Diadema' R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose, with pale yellow spots

(a) **'Sapphire'** (See note under 'Saphira')

(r) **'Sapphire'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: Blue Tit Group × *impeditum* R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1931), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 4-5/compact, globular truss, funnel-shaped, 20 × 30mm, light purple (85B), tinged light purple (85A), shading to light

violet (91B) on some flowers. Lvs 13-20 × 7-13mm, dark and glossy green above. Shrub 0.5-0.6m tall. *AM 1967

(a) **'Sappho'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1880), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, buff orange, deeper towards the centre, dashed red on outer surface. Knap Hill (Described (by T. Moore) and illustrated in *The Florist and Pomologist* 1880, p.89, t.516)

(a) **'Sappho'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Mrs Carmichael' (s) × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3-5/truss, 50-65mm wide, between rhodamine purple (vivid reddish purple (74A)) and tyrian rose (vivid purplish red (57B)), with a pansy purple (dark red (59A)) blotch. Shrub to 1.9m. Early. Glenn Dale (Sometimes seen as 'Sapho' but spelling adopted here follows *The Bell Book* (Miller & West, 1994))

(r) **'Sappho'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c14-15/compact, conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 70-85mm, with wavy-edged lobes, mauve in bud, opening white, with a conspicuous dorsal blotch of rich purple overlaid with black. Calyx lobes 1-3mm long. Lvs 125 × 40m, mid and dull green above. Shrub to over 4.0m. *AM 1974 (Dorsal lobe often duplicated)

(r) **'Sappholynn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (white-flowered) (s) × 'Naomi Nautilus' H: W.L. Tolstead (1967), G: W.L. Tolstead (1977), N: W.L. Tolstead, I: W.L. Tolstead (1994), REG: W.L. Tolstead (1994) Fls 12-15/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 30 × 30mm, 5-lobed, white, with a dark maroon blotch; stamens 10, curved. Calyx 3mm long, light green. Pedicels 40mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 130 × 40mm, flat, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, hairless; petioles 30mm long, light green. Shrub 2.7 × 2.4m in 27 years. Late May

(r) **'Sappho's Choice'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sappho' (s) × 'Catanea' H: E.V. Bohnel (1975), G: L.M. Player (1982), N: L.M. Player, I: L.M. Player, REG: L.M. Player (1984) Fls 17/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, 5-lobed, buds pale purplish pink (62D), opening white (155C), with a prominent, 25 × 40mm, deep purplish red (71A) blotch of coalesced spots in the centre of the dorsal lobe, and with peripheral spotting. Calyx minute, strong yellow-green (145A). Lvs between narrowly elliptic and elliptic, 100-125 × 40-50mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, with very sparse, minute hairs below. Shrub c0.7 × 0.7m in 8 years. Early May

(r) **'Sapporo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hachmann's Diadem' × 'Hyperion' H: H. Hachmann (1979), G: H. Hachmann (1984), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1992), REG: G. Stück (1991) Fls 8-10/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45-50 × 65-85mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, opening very pale purple (69B/C), tinged strong purplish pink (73B) on veins especially outside, fading to white, with a conspicuous dorsal blotch of deep red (187A-C); stamens 10, filaments white, anthers moderate reddish brown to greyish reddish orange (174 A/C); style slightly greenish white, stigma moderate yellow (160B). Calyx 2-6mm long, reddish. Lvs elliptic, 110-130 × 30-40mm, acuminate at apex, cuneate/rounded at base, dark and slightly glossy green above, margins undulate and slightly recurved, with brown hairs. Shrub of compact habit, 1.0 × 1.3m in 10 years. Late May-mid June. (Published in *Deutsche Rhododendron-Gesellschaft Jahrbuch, 1990*, p.74 (1991))

(a) **'Sara Ann'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Edna Bee' × unknown H: L. Yavorsky (c 1982), G: L. Yavorsky, N: R.A. Murray, I: L. Yavorsky, REG: L. Yavorsky (1989) Fls semi-double (with 0-5 stamens), 2-3/terminal truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 44 × 64mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (55B) with strong purplish red (54A) spotting on dorsal and two adjacent lobes and also on some of the petaloid stamens. Calyx 3mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic to slightly obovate, 25 × 11mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, slightly hairy above and below. Shrub 0.3 × 0.4m in 7 years. Mid May

(a) **'Sarabande'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' × 'Willy' (s) × 'Mrs Carmichael' × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 70-75mm wide, centre white, edges light phlox purple (light purple (81C)). Broad spreading shrub to 1.5m tall. Mid-late May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Saracen'** (See 'The Saracen')

(r) **'Saracen'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (c 1950), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red, with a black blotch. (Perhaps the plant listed by Noble in 1862 as 'The Saracen'. Said to have been raised by A. Waterer; perhaps date should be 1850)

(a) **'Sara Copeland'** cv. Deciduous azalea: wild selection from *canescens*, Terrell Co., Georgia, USA S: V. Copeland (1983), N: V. Copeland, REG: V. Copeland (1986) Fls 7-9/truss, narrowly tubular funnel-shaped, 30 × 30mm, 5-lobed, white, outside of tube pink; filaments united to form a white funnel-shaped tissue, to which up to 20 anthers are laterally attached, sometimes a few more-or-less normal stamens present. Calyx 3mm long, light green. Lvs between more-or-less narrowly elliptic and elliptic, 45-55 × 17-22mm, strong yellow-green (143A), ciliate, hairy. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 6 years. Late March-early April

(a) **'Sara Elizabeth'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *calendulaceum*, open-pollinated G: H. Vaartnou (1970), S: H. Vaartnou (1975), N: H. Vaartnou (1990), I: H. Vaartnou (1990), REG: H. Vaartnou (1992) Fls 10/lax truss, open funnel-campanulate, 44 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged

lobes, orange in bud, opening brilliant orange (25C), shading to strong yellowish pink (31C); stamens 5, equal, curved; highly scented. Calyx 6mm long, green. Pedicels 25mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 89 × 44mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 2.4m in 25 years. April-May

(a) **'Sarah'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Helenm' × 'Amoenum R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith Fls 55mm wide, deep purplish pink (55A), blotch strong purplish red (60C). Shrub to at least 1.2m

(r) **'Sarah Arblaster'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Furnivall' (s) × 'Coronation Day' H: G. Arblaster (1984), G: G. Arblaster (1988), N: Mrs J. Arblaster, REG: Mrs J. Arblaster (1998) Fls 11/fairly tight, domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped (recurved around rim), 50 × 100-120mm, with 6-7 smooth-edged lobes with broadly rounded apices, strong purplish red (67A) in bud, opening very pale purple (69B), fading to very pale purple (69C) and to white at centre inside; outside very pale purple (69A), darkening towards base; streaks of deep purplish pink (73A) mainly in throat of dorsal lobe. Calyx to 10mm long, moderate yellow-green (146B), fading to strong greenish yellow (151A). Lvs oblong, 180 × 64mm, slightly wavy-edged, acute at apex, cuneate at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 2.0-3.0m in 10 years. Late May-June

(r) **'Sarah Gillhoff'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Helene Schiffner' (s) × *arboreum* subsp. *delavayi* H: N. Sullivan (1984), G: N. Sullivan (1995), N: N. Sullivan (1998), REG: N. Sullivan (1998) Fls 28/tight ball truss, funnel-shaped, 35 × 50mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, strong red (50A) in bud, opening inside deep to strong pink (50B-C), shading to a lighter centre, which is almost white; outside deep pink (50B); unspotted. Calyx small, green. Lvs elliptic, 160 × 50mm, margins flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, matt green above, hairy (indumentum thin and pale yellow at first, ageing to gold). Shrub 2.5 × 1.2m in 13 years. August (Tasmania)

(r) **'Sarah Hardy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Zella' × 'Muy Lindo' H: C. Ingram, G: C. Ingram, N: G.A. Hardy, I: G.A. Hardy (1980), REG: G.A. Hardy (1982) Fls 11-12/rounded truss, open funnel-shaped, up to 65 × 90mm, 5-lobed, white, lightly flushed pale purplish pink (56D), with green dorsal markings. Calyx lobes up to 14mm long, reflexed, green, glandular hairy. Lvs narrowly elliptic, up to 260 × 80mm, dark and matt green above, paler below, hairless. AM 1980 (Inadvertently registered again as 'Quetzel'. 'Sarah Hardy' is the accepted name)

(a) **'Sara Hinckley'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid, see *The Azalean* 4 (1): 1-2 (1982) R: W.D. Smith (pre 1982), N: W.D. Smith Fls hose-in-hose, 90mm wide, indian lake

(a) **'Sarah Ivy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Eden Rasputin' × 'Eden Sheba' R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith Fls 75mm wide, vivid reddish purple (74B), with an orange throat and strong purplish red (63B) spotting. Shrub 1.0m in 5 years

(r) **'Sarah Jane'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' × *yakushimanum* × un-named hybrid H: Waterer (Bagshot) (1964), G: Waterer (Bagshot) (1974), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975) Fls 8-10/truss, 40 × 40mm, 5-lobed, pale purplish pink (62D), deepening at edge to strong purplish red (58C), centre spotted. Calyx very small. Lvs 90-100 × 20-30mm. May

(a) **'Sarah Jessica'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Desirée' × unnamed hybrid (no. CB-1) (s) × 'Midnight Flare' H: Robert Stewart (1994), G: Robert Stewart (1997), N: Robert Stewart (2001), REG: Robert Stewart (2001) Fls single, 3-4/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 45mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light purple (77D) in bud, opening inside light purple (77D), shading slightly paler in the throat, with faint, brownish dorsal spotting and some deep purplish pink (73A) sectors; outside light purple (77D); some deep purplish pink (73A) selfs. Calyx 10mm long, strong violet (89C). Lvs elliptic, 45 × 20mm, margins flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and moderate yellow-green (147B) above, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 0.6m in 7 years. Mid May

(v) **'Sarah Louise'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown, probably *lochiae* × *christianae* L: Orchid World/Vireya World (1995) Fls 50mm wide, salmon red. Spreading, bushy shrub to 0.75m. Similar to 'Arthur's Choice' but slightly pinker and with smaller fls and lvs

(v) **'Sarah Meejean'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Clipsie' (s) × 'Ne Plus Ultra' H: W.A. Moynier (1981), G: W.A. Moynier, N: W.A. Moynier, REG: W.A. Moynier (1999) Fls 12-15/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 50mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish orange (42B). Lvs elliptic, 90 × 40mm, margins upcurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and dark green above, with tan scales below and on petioles. Shrub 0.75 × 0.9m in 17 years. November-January

(a) **'Sara Holden'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Oakland' (s) × 'Heiwa' H: R.D. Gartrell (1962), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell (1969), REG: R.D. Gartrell (1985) Fls single, (1-)2/bud, 38 × 92mm, broadly funnel-shaped, (5-)6-lobed, white, variously flecked, striped or sectored, or with a flush of light pink (49C) to strong pink (48D-52D) spreading from the axis of each lobe, occasionally margined or selfed strong red (50A) to deep pink (50B), throat light yellow-green (154D); spotting brilliant yellow-green (154C) on a white ground, or deep red (53A) on a pink ground; lobes frilled; some pink selfs also occur. Calyx 6mm long, strong yellow-green (144A). Spring lvs narrowly elliptic to oblanceolate, 45 × 15mm. Shrub under 1.5m. (Robin Hill azalea no. T22-5)

(r) **'Sarah Swallow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague' (s) × 'Gillii' H: D.J. Dosser (1993), G: D.J. Dosser (1998), N: D.J. Dosser (2000), REG: D.J. Dosser (2001) Fls 12/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 90 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (58B) in bud, opening inside strong purplish red (58B) at edges, streaked very pale purple (69A), the centre very pale purple (69A); outside strong purplish red (58B); a slight blotch of strong purplish red (58B). Lvs broadly elliptic, 140 × 52mm, margins decurved, obtuse at apex and base, matt, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.0m in 10 years. September (Australia). (Standard: scanned colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0027985))

(a) **'Sarasa-shibori'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1925), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, marked with purple. (Equated with 'Fuji-sarasa' in Ito (1692) but the flower colour there is entirely different. The translation of 'Fuji-sarasa' as "Wisteria Purple Calico" suggests there may be some confusion)

(r) **'Sarasate'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nova Zembla' × 'Thunderstorm' × 'Hachmann'Ornament' × 'Furnivall's Daughter' H: H. Hachmann (1977), G: H. Hachmann (1983), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1991), REG: G. Stück (1991) Fls 16-18/truss, broadly open funnel-shaped, 55-65 × 75-95mm, 5-lobed, vivid purplish red (61C), shaded strong purplish red (61B/63A) both inside and out, and strong purplish red (61B) on the veins; a conspicuous blotch on three dorsal lobes of dark red (59A); stamens 10, filaments purplish pink (68A-D), anthers pale orange-yellow (165D); style vivid purplish red (61C), stigma dark red (187A). Calyx 1mm long, greenish red. Lvs elliptic, 60-110 × 25-45mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate/rounded at base, margins wavy, mid green above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.3m in 10 years, of upright habit, with dense foliage. Late May-mid June

(a) **'Sarashina'** (Syn. of 'Kisaragi')

(r) **'Sarastro'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kokardia' (s) × *calophytum* H: H. Hachmann (1979), G: H. Hachmann (1985), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 17-19/fairly compact, conical truss, broadly open funnel-shaped, 40-45 × 55-60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside pale purplish pink (65D), midveins and edges shaded moderate to light purplish pink (65A/B); outside pale purplish pink (65C), midveins moderate purplish pink (65A), shaded strong/vivid purplish red (67A/B); dorsal lobe with a conspicuous, solid blotch and markings of dark red (187B), (dark red (187A) in throat), showing through on outside; stamens 10, filaments greenish white (157D), anthers pale yellow (158A); style light yellow-green (150D), stigma reddish. Calyx 2-3mm long, reddish green. Pedicels 50-55mm long, reddish green. Lvs elliptic to ovate, 120-180 × 45-55mm, flat, apiculate to mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, matt mid green above. Shrub 1.8 × 1.7m in 10 years. Late April-mid May. (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030659). First published in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(a) **'Sara Wallace'** cv. Evergreen azalea: chance seedling R: R.W. Pennington (pre 1987), N: R.W. Pennington Fls 65mm wide, deep pink, with a white centre. Low, compact shrub

(r) **'Sardana'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ovation' (Wüstemeyer) (s) × 'Erato' H: H. Hachmann (1987), G: H. Hachmann (1993), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls hose-in-hose, 11-13/compact truss, broadly open funnel-shaped, 50-55 × 70-85mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, inside strong red (53D), suffused strong red (53C); outside strong red (53C), suffused strong red (53B); inconspicuous dark red spots on a paler ground on dorsal lobe; stamens 10, filaments strong red (53C/D), anthers greyish red (178A); style strong red (53C/D), stigma strong reddish orange (42C). Calyx 35-40 × 15-30mm, coloured as corolla with some areas and some veins white-striped. Lvs elliptic to ovate, 100-120 × 30-45mm, margins flat to slightly recurved, apiculate to mucronate at apex, cuneate to rounded at base, dark matt green above, the lower side, midribs and petioles with a patchy fawn to rust brown indumentum. Shrub 0.8 × 1.1m in 10 years. Mid May-early June. (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030660). First published in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(r) **'Sardinia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Weldy' (s) × 'Fiery Orange' H: T.L. Ring (1988), G: C. Trautmann (1993), N: C. Trautmann (1996), I: Mowbray Gardens (1996), REG: C. Trautmann (1996) Fls 12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, dark red in bud, opening vivid yellow (9B), edged and streaked with moderate reddish orange (35B); outside lighter than strong pink (48C). Calyx very small. Lvs oblong, 65-75 × 40-45mm, with wavy margins, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 9 years. Mid May

(r) **Sardis Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × 'C.S. Sargent' R: Kew, N: Kew, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Sargent'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Sander (c 1885), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright salmon red. Indian

(r) **'Sargent'** cv. Parentage unknown I: A. Leroy (1889), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright carmine

(a) **'Sarina'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Cecile' × 'Gibraltar' H: H. Hachmann (1963), G: H. Hachmann (1968), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1980), REG: G. Stück (1983) Fls 10-12/truss, 50-70 × 70-100mm, with 5-7 wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink to deep pink (47C-D), spotted vivid orange (28B); several stamens petaloid. Calyx 2-4mm long, strong yellow-green (144A). Lvs ovate, 90-110 × 30-55mm, hairy

(r) **'Sarita Coker'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Sarita Loder Group (s) × 'King of Shrubs' H: Mrs R.J. Coker, G: A.G. Holmes, N: Mrs R.J. Coker, I: A.G. Holmes, REG: Mrs R.J. Coker (1983) Fls 10/truss, 7-lobed, deep purplish pink (55A) in bud, opening strong purplish pink (55B), brighter red in the throat. Lvs 180 × 60mm, hairless

(r) **'Sarita Loder'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × Loderi Group R: G.H. Loder, N: G.H. Loder, I: G.H. Loder (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep crimson in bud, opening deep rose. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. AM 1934

(r) **Sarita Loder Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × Loderi Group R: G.H. Loder, N: G.H. Loder, I: G.H. Loder (1934), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Sarkangalvīte'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Elsa Kärger' × 'Hexe' H: R. Kondratovičs (1962), G: R. Kondratovičs (1967), N: R. Kondratovičs, I: Botanical Garden, University of Latvia (1979), REG: R. Kondratovičs (1989) Fls double, 2-3/truss, very broadly funnel-shaped, 70mm wide, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, blood red (820/1). Calyx 4-5mm long, light green, with silvery hairs. Lvs narrowly elliptic to ovate, 25-55 × 15-20mm, light green, hairy. Shrub 0.39 × 0.38m. February-March (under cool glass)

(r) **'Sarled'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *sargentianum* (s) × *trichostomum* Ledoides Group R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, I: C. Ingram (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls funnel-shaped, pink in bud, opening creamy white. Lvs bright green, aromatic. Shrub to 0.6m. AM 1974. (Sarled Group)

(r) **Sarled Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *sargentianum* (s) × *trichostomum* Ledoides Group R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, I: C. Ingram (1942), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Saroi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1939), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, flushed and edged clear rose madder; unspotted; anthers white. Kurume

(a) **'Sarrano'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Helen Close' × 'Purple Splendor' R: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1969) Fls hose-in-hose, 3-10/truss, up to 65mm wide, strong purplish pink (7.5RP 7/10). Lvs 40 × 13mm. Compact shrub to 0.8m tall. May

(a) **'Sarsen'** cv. Deciduous azalea: probably a hybrid of 'Whitethroat' R: G.D. Waterer (pre 1985), N: G.D. Waterer Fls double, cream; scented. Midseason. Knap Hill

(a) **'Sārtais Dzintars'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Max Schäme' S: R. Kondratovičs & K. Bauers (1965), N: R. Kondratovičs, I: Botanical Garden, University of Latvia (1977), REG: R. Kondratovičs (1989) Fls double, 1-2/truss, funnel-shaped, 70mm wide, with very strongly wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (47D). Calyx 2-5mm long, lettuce green, with white hairs. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 45 × 20mm, light green, hairy. Shrub 0.39 × 0.32m. February-March (under cool glass)

(a) **'Sārtā Niobe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Niobe' R: K. Bauers & N. Kurčevskis (pre 1987), N: K. Bauers & N. Kurčevskis Fls double

(r) **'Sascha'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* (s) × Elizabeth Group R: W. Nagel (1974), N: W. Nagel, I: W. Nagel (1990) Fls 4-10/loose truss, 45-60mm wide, purplish red, with dark red markings. Shrub c1.2 × 1.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Sasha'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Blue Peter' × *fortunei* × (*wardii* × *dichroanthum*) H: A.A. Raustein (1967), G: A.A. Raustein, N: A.A. Raustein, REG: A.A. Raustein (1980) Fls 14/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (68A) in bud, opening white, shaded to deep purplish pink (73A), irregular lobe edging, and with slight, brilliant yellow (7A) dorsal blotch and spotting; outside shaded deep purplish pink (73A). Lvs elliptic, 125 × 65mm, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, glossy and moderate olive green (137B) above, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Sashi'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Unknown Warrior' × 'Ole Olson' (s) × *strigillosum* H: Mrs E.M. Watson (1975), G: Mrs E.M. Watson (1980), N: Mrs E.M. Watson, REG: Mrs E.M. Watson (1998) Fls 20/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 95 × 95mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, red (46) in bud, opening inside strong purplish red (54A) at margins and fading inwards to strong pink (52D); outside deep pink (52B); nectaries strong red (46A). Calyx very small, deep red (60A). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 175 × 50mm, margins decurved to flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, moderate yellow-green (146B) and hairless above, with fine, more-or-less colourless hairs below when young; petioles hairy. Shrub 1.5 × 1.4m in 22 years. Early March

(a) **'Saskia'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1959), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1961) Fls large, pink. Lvs tinged pinkish bronze. Late. Knap Hill

(r) **'Sassy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anna' × *yakushimanum* H: J.A. Elliott (1985), G: J. LeJeune (1991), N: J. LeJeune (2002), REG: J. LeJeune (2002) Fls 10-14/tight domed truss, funnel-campanulate, 45 × 50mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (52A) in bud, opening inside strong pink (52D) at edges, shading to pale yellowish pink (36D) in centre, with a prominent moderate red (47A) flare at base of all lobes and moderate red (47A) speckles above flare on dorsal lobe, outside deep pink (52B). Lvs elliptic, 125 × 45mm, margins wavy and decurved, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, leathery, glossy and dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 0.9m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Sassy Orange'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sedona' (s) × 'Hill's Low Red' H: J. Barlup (1989), G: J. Barlup (1994), N: J. Barlup (1999), REG: J. Barlup (1999) Fls

14/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (46B) in bud, opening inside with strong red (39A) edges on dorsal lobes and moderate yellowish pink (39C) edges on ventral lobes, all shading to a light yellow (20C) centre, the dorsal lobes with a dark red (187B) flare and a large area of heavy dark red (187B) spotting; nectaries dark red (187B); outside light yellow (20B), shading to strong red-moderate yellowish pink (39A-C) at edges and strong red (39A) on midribs. Calyx 25mm long, light yellow (20B), with a dark red (187B) base. Lvs oblong, 140 × 55mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, margins decurved, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above; new growth with a light tomentum, mature leaves slightly hairy below (hairs moderate orange-yellow (165C) throughout). Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Sassy Style'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ginny's Delight' (s) × 'Stokes Bronze Wings' × 'Adele's Yellow' H: W.E. Delp (1984), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 14/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 44 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63A, B) and strong to light purplish pink (63C-D) in bud, opening light and pale purplish pink (63D, 65C, D) with strong yellow-green (144A, B) dorsal spotting and a brilliant yellow-green (154C) flare at base of dorsal lobe; outside strong purplish red (63B); filaments and style pale yellow-green (157A); anthers pale orange-yellow (159C); stigma light yellow-green (144D). Lvs 114 × 51mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 0.7 × 0.6m in 8 years. Early June

(r) **'Satallita'** cv. Parentage unknown L: T. Methven & Son (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson. (Also listed as 'Satellite')

(a) **'Satan'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1926), I: W.C. Slocock Ltd., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vivid red. Late. Knap Hill

(r) **'Satanella'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy red. (L. van Houtte (1870) attributed it to Noble)

(r) **Satan's Breath Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *tephropeplum* (s) × *sulfureum* R: C. Ingram (1941), N: C. Ingram, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Satan's Choice'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: S.E. Sorenson (1970), G: S.E. Sorenson (1972), N: S.E. Sorenson, I: Homestead Nurseries (1984), REG: S.E. Sorenson (1984) Fls semi-double, 12-18/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, 7-8(-10)-lobed, fire red (15/1), shaded to saturn red (13/2) and tinted apricot (609/1), with a dorsal flare of marigold orange (11/1); stamens absent; inner petals variously twisted, ruffled and/or reflexed. Calyx 7mm long, reddish. Lvs elliptic, 80-90 × 30-45mm, somewhat bullate and glossy above, hairy. Shrub 1.1 × 1.5m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Satan's Fury'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan' × 'Sun Devil' H: L.W. Bulgin (1980), G: L.W. Bulgin (1984), N: L.W. Bulgin, I: Ellanhurst Gardens, REG: L.W. Bulgin (1988) Fls 11 or more/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 38 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, dark red (183A) in bud, opening strong red (53C) with dark greyish reddish brown (200A) throat and 200A spotting on dorsal lobes, outside strong red (53C). Calyx 5-25mm long, strong red (46A) with greyish red (178A) spotting at base. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 102 × 29mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m in 7 years. Mid May

(v) **'Satan's Gift'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *konori* × *zoelleri* R: F.M. Jury (pre 1993), N: F.M. Jury Fls large, *konori*-type, brilliant orange-red, with a yellow throat; strongly scented. Dense shrub

(a) **'Satanta'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Rose Greeley' × 'Ward's Ruby' R: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1969) Fls hose-in-hose, 2-5/truss, to 45mm wide, strong purplish red (7.5RP 5/12). Lvs 30 × 13mm. Shrub to 1.2m tall. April

(a) **'Satellite'** cv. Evergreen azalea: double pink florist's azalea × 'Treasure' H: USDA, Glenn Dale (1947), N: USDA, Glenn Dale (1958) Fls single (with a tendency to produce petaloid stamens), funnel-shaped, 90mm wide, with smooth-edged lobes, white, with a yellow-green blotch

(a) **'Satellite'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Adventglöckchen' × 'Jean Haerens' R: J.H. Klupenger (c 1971), N: J.H. Klupenger Fls semi-double to double, 100mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, white, variegated deep pink. Midseason-late

(r) **'Satellite'** (See note under 'Satallita')

(r) **'Satin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Boule de Neige' (s) × red *catawbiense* seedling R: A.M Shammarello (1943), N: A.M. Shammarello, I: A.M. Shammarello, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a conical truss, funnel-shaped, 65mm wide, shrimp pink. Lvs 100 × 45mm, mid green. Compact shrub, 0.75m

(r) **'Satin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor V.H. Rutgers' × *forrestii* Repens Group R: D.G. Hobbie (1948), N: D.G. Hobbie, I: D.G. Hobbie (1974) Fls strong purplish red (58B) to strong red (53D). Very early

(r) **'Satin Bouquet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ray' × 'Dot' R: A.A. & M. Childers, N: A.A. & M. Childers, REG: A.A. & M. Childers (1971) Fls 10-12/ball truss, rotate, c95mm wide, with 8 strongly recurved, rounded lobes, off-white, with brilliant yellow-green (2.5GY 9/8) streaks radiating from centre. Lvs elliptic to slightly oblanceolate, 150 × 45mm, light green. Shrub 1.2m in 11 years. Midseason

(r) **'Satin Cloud'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' (s) × unknown G: Pukeiti Rhododendron Trust, N: G.F. Smith, I: Pukeiti Rhododendron Trust, REG: G.F. Smith (1984) Fls 12-13/truss, funnel-shaped, 5-7-lobed, light purplish pink (55C), fading to blush white, initially red spotted in the

dorsal throat. Calyx 2mm long, white. Lvs oblong, 110-130 × 35-40mm, with revolute margins; young leaves with a thick, tan indumentum. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years. (Grown from open-pollinated seed from Pukeiti)

(a) **'Satin Doll'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, large, peppermint pink, with a golden flare. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Early July

(r) **'Satin Glow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi King George' × 'Cup Day' H: K. Van de Ven (1965), G: K. Van de Ven (1971), N: K. Van de Ven, I: P. & C. Deen & Sons (1973), REG: P. & C. Deen & Sons (1988) Fls 16/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 30 × 110mm, 7-lobed, inside pale purplish pink (56C), flushed light purplish pink (55C), outside 55C. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 30mm, hairless. Shrub 2.0m tall in 10 years. Spring

(r) **'Satin Gold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Shah Jehan' × *yakushimanum* H: L.E. Brandt, G: L.E. Brandt (pre 1988) Fls soft yellow, with a small, bright red eye. Lvs like *yakushimanum.* Rounded shrub, 0.9m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Satin Memories'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Furnivall' (s) × (('Lem's Goal' × Loderi Group) × 'Lem's Cameo') × (('Lem's Goal' × Loderi Group) × 'Brandt's Tropicana') H: J. Barlup (1989), G: J. Barlup (1993), N: J. Barlup (1998), REG: J. Barlup (1999) Fls 16/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 100mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63B) in bud, opening inside very pale purple (69A) and fading to greenish white (155C), with a 3mm wide, red ring in the throat and two deep purplish red (59B) flares and discrete 59B spotting on the dorsal lobe; outside very pale purple (69C), with deeper pink streaks on centre of all lobes. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 55mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.1m in 9 years. Early May. Syn: 'Pink Chablis'

(a) **'Satin Robe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum*, orange-flowered form (s) × 'Momozono' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 2-4/truss, 65mm wide, between vivid pink (moderate purplish pink (54D)) and deep pink (strong pink (48C)), with a heavy blotch of vivid purplish red (57B); petaloid calyx similarly marked. Lvs narrow. Shrub to 1.5m tall. Late April-early May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Satin Sheen'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Achiever' (s) × 'Gable's Pioneer' H: W.E. Delp (1975), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 6/truss, open funnel-shaped, 25 × 38mm, 5-lobed, light reddish purple (74C) and moderate purplish pink (74D) in bud, opening to a blend of bud colours plus very pale purple (69C, D); anthers light yellowish pink (159A). Lvs 51 × 19mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, scaly. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 17 years. Mid May

(r) **Satire Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Radiance Group (s) × Coreta Group H: Lord Aberconway (1936), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright red

(a) **'Sato-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, with long, pointed lobes (the ventral two separate), white, with a yellow-green blotch and occasional yellowish pink flecks, stripes, sectors and selfs. Satsuki

(a) **'Satrap'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Louise' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls exactly like 'Cinderella', except that they are lightly striped (producing a peppermint-stick-like effect); sometimes sports to brilliant solid red. Shrub to 1.2m. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Satschiko'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from Aronense Group R: W. Arends, N: W. Arends, I: W. Arends (1971) Fls orange-red. Syn: 'Geisha Orangerot' (Aronense Group)

(r) **'Satsop Sunrise'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs J.G. Millais' (s) × 'Whitney's Late Orange' H: M. Deppiesse (1986), G: M. Deppiesse (1990), N: M. Deppiesse, REG: L. Caton (1998) Fls 13/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 90mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (54A) in bud, opening inside strong pink (48D) at edge, fading to pale yellow (19C) at centre, with a brownish orange (172C) dorsal blotch; outside strong pink (48D) at edge, fading to pale yellow (19C) at base; scented. Calyx c6mm long, moderate yellow (162A). Lvs narrowly oblong, 100 × 30mm, margins decurved, acuminate at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and dark yellowish green (139A) bove, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 10 years. Late June

(a) **'Satsuma-beni'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, deep red. Satsuki

(a) **'Satsuma-kurenai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c60mm wide, lobes thick and pointed, deep crimson. Satsuki

(a) **'Satsuma-man'e'** (Syn. of 'O-man'e')

(a) **'Satsuma-murasaki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c60mm wide, deep purple. Satsuki

(a) **'Satsuma-sen'e'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, crimson. Satsuki

(a) **'Satsuma-unzen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c40mm wide, peach-coloured. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Saturn'** (Syn. of 'Saturne')

(a) **'Saturn'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kotobuki-hime' × 'Crimson Queen' R: R.C. Vines (pre 1990), N: R.C.

Vines Fls single, 2-3 truss, 65-75mm wide, orange-red. Lvs purplish green in autumn. Shrub 0.4 × 0.6m in 6 years. Early May

(r) **'Saturn'** (Syn. of 'Saturne')

(a) **'Saturna'** (Syn. of 'Saturne')

(a) **'Saturnalia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Geisha' × 'Mitsu-no-yamabuki' R: E. Deckert (pre 1980), N: E. Deckert Fls 90mm wide, white, with pale purple stripes. Erect shrub. Very early

(a) **'Saturne'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1842), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls capucine orange (C. van Geert, 1890); dark carmine rose with yellow, small-flowered (H. Hesse, 1899). Syn: 'Saturn', 'Saturna', 'Saturnus'. Ghent

(r) **'Saturne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cerise outside, shading to pink, inside white. Syn: 'Saturn'

(a) **'Saturneorosea'** cv. Parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as a hardy azalea)

(a) **'Saturnus'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Winfried Rölker' I: A. Haerens & Sons (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double (with three rows of lobes), large, red. Indian

(a) **'Saturnus'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Boskoop Research Station (c 1962), N: Boskoop Research Station Fls orange. Shrub 3-4m. Mollis

(a) **'Satyr'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × 'Kagetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, 75mm wide, white, with mallow purple (strong reddish purple (72C)) flakes and an almost yellow blotch. Broadly spreading shrub to 1.5m tall. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **Satyr Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Choremia Group (s) × *strigillosum* H: Lord Aberconway (1934), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(a) **'Saule'** cv. Deciduous azalea: un-named seedling (no. Ex-5) (s) × *luteum* H: R. Kondratovičs (1978), G: R. Kondratovičs (1984), N: R. Kondratovičs (2002), I: Rhododendron Nursery "Babīte" of University of Latvia, REG: R. Kondratovičs (2002) Fls single, 10-15/strongly domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 70 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, brilliant orange-yellow (21B) inside and out, with an inconspicuous vivid orange-yellow (23A) dorsal blotch; filaments light yellow, anthers light yellow; style light yellow, stigma green. Calyx 3-4mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 135 × 40mm, wavy-edged, pointed at apex and base, matt green above, with sparse white hairs above when mature. Shrub 2.0m tall in 20 years. Late May-early June

(a) **'Saulriets'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Sayling' H: R. Kondratovičs (1965), G: R. Kondratovičs, N: R. Kondratovičs, I: Botanical Garden, University of Latvia (1979), REG: R. Kondratovičs (1989) Fls double, 1-3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 60-95mm wide, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (50B). Calyx 2-3mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 30-60 × 10-25mm, dark green and glossy above, hairy. Shrub 0.29 × 0.3m. March-April (under cool glass)

(a) **'Saumoneum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, salmon rose. Indian

(a) **'Saumoneum Magnificum'** (Syn. of 'President Pynaert')

(r) **'Sausalito'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *calophytum* (pink form) × 'Loderi Venus' H: J. Henny (c 1950), G: Bovees Nursery, N: Bovees Nursery, I: Bovees Nursery (1972), REG: Bovees Nursery (1974) Fls 11-14/truss, 75 × 100mm, light purplish pink (5RP 8/5) inside, with a red (2.5R 4/10) dorsal blotch, outside strong purplish pink (5RP 7/9). Lvs 150-200x 65mm. Shrub to over 2.0m. Syn: 'Miss Sausalito'

(r) **'Savanna'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Calcutta' × 'Catalgla' × 'Casanova' H: D.G. Leach (1976), G: D.G. Leach (1983), N: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1985) Fls 18-20/truss, 37 × 45mm, 5-lobed, buds moderate yellowish pink (38B), flushed light yellowish pink on dorsal exterior, opening pale yellow (8D), deepening to light greenish yellow (8B) in centre and on dorsal lobe, with brilliant greenish yellow (1B) dorsal spotting. Calyx minute, green. Lvs elliptic, 108 × 42mm; petioles and buds of current growth covered in reddish brown tomentum

(r) **'Saver'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sefton' × 'Purple Splendour' H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 12/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 48 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purple (80A, 82A) in bud, opening to a blend of vivid and strong purple (81A, 82A, 80B), strong reddish orange (42B) in the throat which extends part way up the dorsal lobe and with dark red (187A) dorsal spots; filaments strong purple (83C); style strong purplish pink (55B); anthers moderate orange-yellow (165C); stigma dark red (187A). Lvs 121 × 51mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.5m in 18 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **Saxa Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Azor Group (s) × *griersonianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1931), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale salmon rose

(r) **'Saxon'** (See 'The Saxon')

(v) **'Saxon Blush'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Hot Topic' × *saxifragoides* R: O.S. Blumhardt (pre 1997), N: O.S. Blumhardt Fls cream and pink. Lvs small. Compact shrub to 0.6m

(v) **'Saxon Bonnie Belle'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Hot Tropic' × *saxifragoides* R: unknown (pre 2002) Fls held above foliage, salmon. Dwarf, compact shrub

(v) **'Saxon Glow'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Hot Topic' × *saxifragoides* R: O.S. Blumhardt (pre 1997), N: O.S. Blumhardt Fls light red. Similar to 'Saxon Blush' except for flower colour

(r) **'Saxonia'** cv. Parentage unknown R: L.L. Liebig (pre 1863), N: L.L. Liebig, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple with white tinges and strong dark spots on the dorsal lobe

(a) **'Saybrook Glory'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Roberta Ann' (s) × 'Fedora' H: P.E. Girard (1972), G: P.E. Girard (1976), I: P.E. Girard, REG: P.E. Girard (1983) Fls 3/truss, 50 × 90mm, open funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (58C), dorsal blotch vivid purplish red (61C). Calyx 17mm long, vivid yellow-green (154A). Lvs elliptic, 40-50 × 20mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, moderate yellow-green (137C), slightly setose below. Shrub c0.4m in 4 years. Mid May

(a) **'Sayling'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1965) (Listed as a parent of 'Saulriets')

(a) **'Sayohime'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c50mm wide, purple. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Sayonara'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: H. Manten (pre 1996)

(a) **'Sayotsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50mm wide, white, blushed light purple; sometimes with a pale centre and vivid purplish pink margins. Satsuki

(a) **'Sazaku'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: T. Kuwana (pre 1987), N: T. Kuwana Fls 25mm wide, deep yellowish pink, with a white centre; pistil present, but no stamens. (Said to be derived from Satsuki × Kurume hybrids)

(a) **'Sazanami'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, white, variously marked with red; red and light red selfs also produced. Satsuki

(a) **'Sazanami-koshimino'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with strap-like segments between calyx and corolla, white, variously marked with red; red and light red selfs also produced. Satsuki

(a) **'Sázava'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Amoenum' × *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* R: B. Kavka *et al.* (c 1970), N: B. Kavka *et al.* Fls 2-4/flat globose to globose truss, 32mm wide, cyclamen purple (30/1-30/3) in bud), opening phlox purple (632/1), almost unblotched. Lvs oblong-ovate, 19 × 8mm, dull and dark parsley green (00962/3-00962/2) above. Shrub c0.5 × 1.1m

(r) **'S.B. Parsons'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: S.B. Parsons, N: S.B. Parsons, I: S.B. Parsons (pre 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls brilliant carmine red

(a) **'Scabrica Rose Perfection'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Rosabella' × *scabrum* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vermilion scarlet

(a) **Scabrume Group** gp Evergreen azalea: *scabrum* × Kurume azaleas I: K. Wada (pre 1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls larger than in Kurumes. Tall shrubs. Wada

(r) **'Scamp'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Taylor & Sangster (1905), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, with deep yellow spots

(r) **'Scampy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Midsummer' × ('Lanny Pride' × 'Viet Vet') (s) × 'Midsummer' × ('Lanny Pride' × 'Viet Vet') R: W.E. Delp (pre 1995), N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, moderate and strong purplish red (64A, B) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (62D) edged strong purplish red (65B, 64C) and deep purplish pink (64D), with dark red (59A) and deep red (60A) dorsal spots; filaments pale purplish pink (62D); style pale yellow-green (157A); anthers moderate orange-yellow (165C); stigma moderate red (181A). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Scandinavia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Betty Wormald' (s) × 'Hugh Koster' R: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1950), N: M. Koster & Sons, I: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 14-18/rounded or domed truss, open funnel-shaped, cardinal red (822) on a rose red (724) ground, with a black blotch. *AM 1950

(a) **'Scarlatti'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1972) Fls red. Knap Hill

(v) **'Scarlet Beauty'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* × 'Triumphans' H: D.B. Stanton, G: D.B. Stanton (1978), I: G. Langdon, REG: G. Langdon (1982) Fls 13/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 60mm, light orange- yellow (22B), lobes vivid reddish orange (33A). Lvs elliptic, 120 × 40mm. Shrub 1.0 × 1.5m

(r) **'Scarlet Blast'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × 'Mars' × *catawbiense* (as var. *rubrum*) R: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1972) Fls up to 17/tight, pyramidal truss, open campanulate, c67mm wide, 5-lobed, dark red (2.5R 3.5/8), shading to moderate red (2.5R 4/10), with a light yellowish pink (2.5YR 10/3) dorsal blotch, a few moderate orange-yellow spots and five light yellowish pink basal nectar pouches. Calyx minute, green, rimmed red. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 50mm, dark green. Shrub 1.0 × 1.2m in 13 years

(v) **'Scarlet Crown'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Duchess of Edinburgh' × *javanicum* R: J. Veitch & Sons, N: J. Veitch & Sons, I: J. Veitch & Sons (1883), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange scarlet. FCC 1883

(a) **'Scarlet Frost'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Purple Splendor' × 'Vuyk's Scarlet' H: H.R. Schroeder (1973), G: S.

Schroeder (1978), N: S. Schroeder, I: S. Schroeder (1986), REG: S. Schroeder (1986) Fls single, broadly funnel-shaped, 44 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (52C), with red dorsal spotting. Calyx 6mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly obovate, 38 × 16mm, glossy and dark green above, light green below, hairy. Shrub 0.38 × 0.46m in 10 years. Mid April

(a) **'Scarlet Gem'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Huntingdale Nursery (pre 1977), N: Huntingdale Nursery Fls hose-in-hose, orange scarlet. Kurume

(r) **'Scarlet Gem'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958). Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Scarlet Glory'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Aladdin' × unnamed red seedling R: Girard Nurseries, N: Girard Nurseries, I: Girard Nurseries, REG: Girard Nurseries (1963) Fls wide open, brilliant scarlet. Lvs 30 × 20mm, bright green. Shrub 0.6 × 0.4m

(r) **'Scarlet Glow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: a red *catawbiense* hybrid × a red *catawbiense* hybrid H: A.M. Shammarello (1962), G: A.M. Shammarello (1967), N: A.M. Shammarello, I: A.M. Shammarello (1970), REG: A.M. Shammarello (1975) Fls 15/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 75 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, dark red (2.5R 4/10) inside and out, with a slight blotch (2.5R3/7) on the dorsallobe. Calyx 3mm long, red (10R 4/9). Lvs elliptic, 115 × 65mm, bullate and dark green. Shrub 1.1 × 1.0m in 10 years. Late May

(r) **'Scarlet King'** (Syn. of 'Doncaster')

(r) **Scarlet King Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ilam Alarm' (s) × *griersonianum* R: E.F. Stead (pre 1947), N: E.F. Stead, I: E.F. Stead (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Scarlet Lady'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Luscombei Group (s) × *haematodes* R: Sir John Stirling-Maxwell, N: Sir John Stirling-Maxwell, I: Sir John Stirling-Maxwell (1936), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Scarlet la Grande'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: K.J. Kuyk (1893), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange scarlet. Mollis

(r) **'Scarlet Nymph'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *neriiflorum* × *strigillosum* R: H.L. Larson, N: H.L. Larson, I: H.L. Larson, REG: H.L. Larson (1964) Fls in a rounded truss, campanulate, 50 × 40mm, strong red (45D). Lvs up to 100 × 30mm, with a loose, brownish indumentum below. Shrub broader than tall, to 1.0m tall in 10 years. Midseason

(a) **'Scarlet O'Hara'** (See 'Scarlett O'Hara')

(a) **'Scarlet Picotee'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: USA (2000) Fls single, red at margins, white in centre. Midseason

(a) **'Scarlet Pimpernel'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Exbury, N: Exbury, I: E. de Rothschild (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. Knap Hill

(a) **'Scarlet Prince'** (Syn. of 'Yaye-hiryu')

(a) **'Scarlet Princess'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Girard's Hot Shot' (s) × 'Gloria Kessel' R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls single, 2-3/truss, 65-75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, scarlet red, with an inconspicuous, darker red blotch. Lvs rounded. Shrub 0.45 × 0.9m in 8 years

(a) **'Scarlet Robe'** (Syn. of 'Higoromo')

(r) **'Scarlet Romance'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan' (s) × 'Chocolate Soldier' H: G.A.L. Mehlquist (1961), G: G.A.L. Mehlquist (1966), N: G.A.L. Mehlquist, I: Wells Nursery (1990), REG: G.A.L. Mehlquist (1994) Fls 18-20/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 50-60 × 80-90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (61B) throughout; stamens 10-12, curved, unequal. Calyx very short, reddish. Pedicels 35-40mm long, reddish. Lvs elliptic, 110-150 × 40-60mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and dark green above, hairless; petioles 30-35mm long, green. Shrub 1.8 × 1.2m in 12 years. May-June

(a) **'Scarlet Salute'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection of *cumberlandense*, from the Cumberland Mountains, USA S: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach (1962), I: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1962) Fls 5-6/truss, 50mm wide, brilliant red (6.8R 4.5/13), with a bright reddish orange (10R 5.5/13) blotch, intensifying with age. Lvs 75 × 25mm. Shrub 1.1 × 0.6m. Late June

(r) **'Scarlet Sorcerer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: red-flowered *catawbiense* hybrid (s) × unknown red-flowered hybrid H: E.V. Mezitt (1979), G: Weston Nurseries (pre 1986), N: R.W. Mezitt, I: Weston Nurseries (1998), REG: R.W. Mezitt (1999) Fls 18/open but not lax ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50×55mm, with 5 wavy-edgedlobes, strong red (53C) with a distinct, white dorsal blotch which shades to pink at edges and has a yellowish centre. Calyx c1.5mm long, pink. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 50mm, margins decurved, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.75m in 7 years. Mid May

(a) **'Scarlet Supreme'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1985) Fls vivid red. Knap Hill

(r) **'Scarlet Surprise'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *forrestii* Repens Group × 'Essex Scarlet' H: D.G. Hobbie (c 1960), G: D.G. Hobbie (c 1965), N: A. Vuyk, I: Vuyk van Nes (1970), REG: Royal Boskoop Hort. Soc. (1988) Fls 4-5/truss, funnel-shaped, 40-50 × 30-40mm, 5-lobed, scarlet. Calyx green. Lvs ovate, 40-50 × 30-40mm, hairless, light shiny green. Shrub 0.6 × 1.25m. May. (Published in *Dendroflora* 18: 77 (1981))

(r) **'Scarletta'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Slieve Donard Nursery (c 1970), N: Slieve Donard Nursery Dwarf shrub

(r) **'Scarlet Tanager'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Elizabeth Group × *forrestii* Repens Group R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, REG: C. Ingram (1969) Fls intense scarlet. Small shrub

(a) **'Scarlett O'Hara'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Exbury, N: Exbury, I: E. de Rothschild (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. Knap Hill (Earlier spelt with only one 't', but that is treated here as an error)

(r) **Scarlett O'Hara Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* (s) × Langley Park R: Sir James Horlick (1932), N: Sir James Horlick, I: Sir James Horlick (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a big, open truss, lighter coloured red than *thomsonii*, but a waxy red and not the usual Hardy Hybrid red

(r) **'Scarlet Truss'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pygmalion' (s) × 'Gary Davis' R: W.E. Delp (pre 1992), N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, dark red (187A and B) and strong red (46A) in bud, opening deep red (53A) and strong red (53B, 46A), with a white throat and dark red (59A) dorsal spots; anthers pale greenish yellow (10D). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Scarlet Wonder'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Essex Scarlet' × *forrestii* Repens Group R: D.G. Hobbie, N: Le Feber & Co., I: Le Feber & Co. (1960), REG: Le Feber & Co. (1970) Fls 5-7/fairly compact, flattened globe truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45 × 55mm, near strong red (53B), with some very faint, brown spotting in the throat. Lvs c50 × 25mm, dull green above. Shrub 0.6xc1.3m. May. *HC 1970, *AM 1989

(r) **'Scented Springtime'** (Syn. of 'Motherly Love')

(r) **'Scent of Spring'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *formosum* var. *inaequale* (s) × *lindleyi* H: C.R.W. Waddington (1990), G: C.R.W. Waddington (1996), N: C.R.W. Waddington (1998), REG: C.R.W. Waddington (1998) Fls 6/flat truss, funnel-shaped, 95 × 120mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, white throughout, with a blotch (40 × 30mm) of brilliant yellow (13B) at base of dorsal lobe; scented. Calyx 15mm long, green. Lvs elliptic-lanceolate, 150 × 40mm, flat, acute at apex, narrowed at base, glossy above. Shrub of open habit, 2.0 × 1.0m in 8 years. Late April-early May

(r) **'Scentsation'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Coral Skies' × 'Babylon' H: J.G. Lofthouse, G: J.G. Lofthouse (pre 1977), N: J.G. Lofthouse Fls pale pink, with a deep red blotch in the dorsal throat; scented

(r) **'Scepter'** (Syn. of 'Golden Scepter')

(r) **'Scepter'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Golden Jubilee' × 'Loderi King George' R: M.V. Love (pre 1964), N: M.V. Love Fls in a compact, erect truss, up to 75 × 125mm, fuchsine pink (627/3-627/2), with an apricot blotch. Lvs up to 225 × 100mm. Shrub to 1.2m in 10 years. Early

(a) **'Sceptered Orb'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown G: E. de Rothschild (1970s), S: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: Exbury Enterprises (1997), REG: E. de Rothschild (1997) Fls single, tubular funnel-shaped (opening flat-faced), 70 × 100mm, 5-lobed, strong pink (48C & D), with deep pink (48A) veining; flare strong orange (25B), lightly dotted; filaments and style similarly coloured. Calyx minute, green. Lvs elliptic/obovate, 85 × 40mm, with a purplish tinge. May. (Solent Group)

(a) **'Sceptre'** cv. Deciduous azalea: un-named white Knap Hill seedling × 'Mrs Anthony Waterer' R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1962), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1962) Fls cream, tinged mauve. Knap Hill

(a) **'Schäme Albus'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Paul Schäme' I: E. Herrmann (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white with a pale purplish pink (56B) tinge on inner surface. Syn: 'Weisse Schäme', 'White Schäme'. Indian

(a) **'Schäme Frisé'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Paul Schäme' I: G. Knockaert (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep pink (47D) to strong pink (52D), with very wavy edges. Lvs narrower and more pointed than other Schäme cultivars; otherwise similar to parent. Indian

(r) **'Schamenek's Glow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × *smirnowii* H: J. Schamenek (1964), G: M. Tietjens (1975), N: M. Tietjens, I: M. Tietjens (1971), REG: M. Tietjens (1975) Fls 12/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, with 5 lobes, buds clear pink, opening faint pink to white, with a chartreuse blotch. Calyx 7mm long, grey-green. Lvs elliptic, 130 × 50mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, slightly revolute, glossy and moderate olive green (137A), with heavy, fawn indumentum below (164C). New growth light green, tomentose. Shrub 0.5 × 0.7m in 10 years. Mid-late May. (Introduced before first flowering)

(a) **'Schäme Saumoneus'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Paul Schäme' I: A. Kerckvoorde (1944), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep pink (more-or-less 47D), with a fading edge of strong pink (52D); otherwise similar to parent. Syn: 'Eri Saumoneus', 'Madame Dessaert'. Indian

(a) **'Scharlachrösche'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, of average size, cherry red. Indian

(a) **'Scharnhorst'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C. Schulz (pre 1863), N: C. Schulz, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Scharnhorst'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: T.J.R. Seidel (c 1908), N: T.J.R. Seidel (1916), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, dark ruby to purple-red, with dark brown spots

(a) **'Schaum Torte'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, cream, tinged lemon yellow, with a deeper yellow flare; strongly scented. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Late June

(r) **'Scheherezade'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *irroratum* 'Polka Dot' × *calophytum* R: E. de Rothschild (pre 1988), N: E. de Rothschild (Nimrod Group)

(a) **'Scheldebloem'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1871), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light salmon red, blotched dark nankeen yellow. (Sometimes seen mis-spelt 'Scheidebloem')

(a) **'Schelderoem'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Madame Petrick' × 'Eclaireur' I: R. van Oost (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, deep orange. Indian

(a) **'Schepens Kerstperel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Madame Auguste van Damme' R: P. Schepens (1915), N: Schepens-de Baets, I: Schepens-de Baets (1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white, with a light green blotch and sometimes some rose stripes. Syn: 'Petrick Alba'. Indian (The same sport appeared with a number of other growers)

(a) **'Scherzo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × 'Fukuju' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, 65-75mm wide, white, with hortense violet (strong purple (82B)) stripes; occasional sports with a pale violet centre and darker margin. Broad, spreading shrub to 1.5m tall. Mid-late May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Scheuermann'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1871), INC: ICRA (1958) (Cultivated by Keteleer (Sceaux, France): cf. *Revue Horticole*, 1871, p.472)

(a) **'Schiller'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with a yellow blotch. Ghent

(r) **'Schiller'** cv. Parentage unknown R: B. Richter (pre 1861), N: B. Richter, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, carmine rose, centre paler

(r) **'Schiller'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (c 1908), N: T.J.R. Seidel (1916), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark carmine red

(r) **'Schiller'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Doncaster' × 'George Hardy' R: M. Koster & Sons (c 1909), N: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, very pale lilac pink, with a soft red-purple blotch (Koster, 1931)

(a) **'Schlagsahne'** cv. Deciduous azalea: large, creamy white hybrid (s) × 'Persil' H: H. Meltzer (1985), G: H. Meltzer (1990), N: H. Meltzer (1998), REG: H. Meltzer (1998) Fls double (with petaloid stamens), 8-11/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 65mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, creamy yellow in bud, opening white with a creamy tube and a yellow dorsal blotch; stigma green. Lvs elliptic, 90 × 35mm, margins upcurved, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.0m in 10 years. Late May-mid June

(r) **'Schlaraffia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × *smirnowii* H: G. Horstmann (1973), S: W. Wüstemeyer, N: W. Wüstemeyer Fls in compact trusses, with wavy-edged lobes, pale rose at first, soon fading to white, with slight rose shading and small, yellow-green markings. Lvs intense dark green above, margins recurved, with a thick, white indumentum below. Winter flower buds conspicuously white hairy

(a) **'Schlesiën'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Paul Schäme' × 'Concinnum' I: R. Ambrosius (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple blue. Indian

(a) **'Schlippenbleachy'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *schlippenbachii* R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls 65-75mm wide, white, with brownish dots in the blotch; slightly scented

(a) **'Schlippink und Schlyedink'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *schlippenbachii* S: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1987), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls deep pink

(r) **'Schloss Höllinghofen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *brachycarpum* 'Montanum' hybrid R: D.G. Hobbie (1955), N: D.G. Hobbie Fls in a very compact, rounded truss, rose, with greenish brown markings. Shrub very compact, 0.4 × 0.8m. Syn: 'Rose Hill'

(a) **'Schloss Pillnitz'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: VEG Zierpflanzen (1976) Fls single, (with an average of 6 stamens/flower), strong purplish red (58B). Calyx normal, green. Syn: 'Pillnitz' (Has been listed with trademark "Enzett")

(a) **'Schnee'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Schulz (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single (with an average of 7 stamens/flower), pure white. Calyx normal, green. Late. Indian

(a) **'Schnee'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1984) Fls white. Late. (Grown in Germany, perhaps Schulz's plant, *q.v.*)

(r) **'Schnee'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Firma Seidel (1889), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a small purple blotch

(r) **'Schneeauge'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Holstein' × 'Progrès' H: H. Hachmann (1968), G: H. Hachmann (1974), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1991), REG: G. Stück (1991) Fls 11-14/dense truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 35-40 × 50-68mm, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, tinged pale pink in bud, opening to pure white throughout with a conspicuous blotch on the dorsal lobes of moderate purplish red (58A); stamens 10, filaments white, anthers light yellowish pink (159A); style pale yellow-green (155A above, 157A/B below), stigma moderate purplish red (186B). Calyx 1-2mm long, brilliant yellow-green (150A). Pedicels reddish above. Lvs ovate-elliptic, 90-110 × 40-50mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dark green above with slightly yellowish green margins, slightly wavy, with fawn-coloured hairs mainly on veins below. Shrub 1.8 × 1.6m in 10 years. Early-late May. (Published in *Deutsche Rhododendron-Gesellschaft, Jahrbuch 1990*, p.70 (1991))

(r) **'Schneebukett'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs J.G. Millais' (s) × 'Bismarck' H: H. Hachmann (1965), G: H. Hachmann (1970), N: H. Hachmann, I: H.

Hachmann (1979), REG: G. Stück (1983) Fls 18-26/truss, 40-50 × 75-80mm, 5(-6) lobed, white (155D), blotched dark red to deep purplish red (59A-B). Calyx 2-4mm long, greenish. Lvs elliptic, 120-160 × 50-70mm, hairless

(a) **'Schneeglanz'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kermesinum' (s) × 'Jeanette' H: H. Hachmann (1961), G: H. Hachmann (1964), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1978), REG: G. Stück (1983) Fls 2-4/truss, 30-34 × 45-50mm, 5-lobed, white (155D), marked brilliant yellow-green (150A-B). Calyx 5-6mm long, strong yellow-green (144A-B). Lvs 27-37 × 17-25mm. Shrub c1.0m

(a) **'Schneegold'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Saint Ruan' (s) × 'Cecile' H: H. Hachmann (1967), G: H. Hachmann (1972), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1983), REG: G. Stück (1984) Fls 9/truss (often several trusses clustered together), 60-75 × 70-95mm, 5-lobed, white (155D), blotched vivid to brilliant orange-yellow (23A-B). Calyx 2-3mmlong, strong yellow-green (144B) with silvery hairs. Lvs 90-130 × 35-42mm, hairy. Knap Hill

(r) **'Schneekissen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *yakushimanum* G: H. Hachmann (1989), S: H. Hachmann (1990), N: H. Hachmann (1992), I: H. Hachmann (1993), REG: G. Stück (1994) Fls 9-11/compact truss, tubular-campanulate, 37-42 × 35-48mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, rose in bud, opening pure white (155D) internally; outside tinged pale purplish pink (56D) on midveins; deep to strong greenish yellow (153A/B) spotting on dorsal lobe, especially near throat; stamens 10, filaments white (155B), anthers brownish orange/moderate orange-yellow (164A/B); style pale yellow-green/yellowish white (155A/B), stigma light greenish yellow (3C). Calyx 2-4mm long, pale orange-yellow (19D), with greenish/white hairs. Lvs oblong-elliptic, 50-70 × 18-25mm, margins usually recurved, acute at apex, cuneate at base, slightly glossy and dark green above, with a thin, greyish white indumentum below (which ages to moderate orange-yellow, 165C). Semi-prostrate shrub, 0.35 × 0.75m in 10 years. Late May-mid June. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1993/1994)

(r) **'Schneekönig'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Schneebukett' (s) × *decorum* H: U. Genzel (1988), G: U. Genzel, N: U. Genzel, REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1998) Fls 11-18/compact, rounded truss, 43-53 × 58-78mm, pure white, with a very few, very faint brown-red spots; slightly scented. Lvs 75-155 × 26-53mm. Shrub 1.8 × 1.4m in 10 years. Early-late June

(r) **Schneekoppe Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group (white form) × *ciliatum* R: D.G. Hobbie (1952) Fls single, 3-6/truss, 40-55mm wide, pure white, unmarked. (First listed in 1983 but in trade much earlier)

(r) **'Schneekrone'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Humboldt' (s) × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: H. Hachmann (1968), G: H. Hachmann (1973), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1982), REG: G. Stück (1983) Fls 12-14(-17)/truss, 45-50 × 50-65mm, 5-lobed, opening pale purplish pink (56B-D), fading to white (155D) with a soft pink tinge, spotted dark red to moderate purplish red (59A-C). Calyx 2mm long, greenish. Lvs elliptic, 80-120 × 35-50mm, hairy

(a) **'Schneeperle'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Elsie Lee' (s) × 'Purpurkissen' H: H. Hachmann (1988), G: H. Hachmann (1993), N: H. Hachmann (1994), I: H. Hachmann (1998), REG: G. Stück (1999) Fls double, with 2 buds at shoot tips, funnel-shaped, 35 × 45mm, with 17-20 slightly wavy-edged lobes, cream white in bud, opening pure white inside and out; dorsal lobe spotted strong/light yellow-green (145A/B); style light yellow-green (145D), stigma strong yellow-green (144C). Calyx 4-5mm long, vivid yellow-green (154A). Lvs ovate, 28 × 17mm, rounded to acute at apex, cuneate at base, flat, glossy above, dark green and reliably evergreen, with silvery hairs. Shrub of dense, compact, semi-prostrate habit, 0.35 × 0.55m, the flowers with a rose-like form. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1998-2000 (1998), plus colour photograph)

(r) **'Schneespiegel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Babette' × 'Hachmann's Ornament' × 'Furnivall's Daughter' H: H. Hachmann (1977), G: H. Hachmann (1982), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1988), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 8-13/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50-60 × 80-90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, white (155D) throughout, a basal spot in dorsal throat (c10mm long) of moderate purplish red to deep pink (185C-D). Pedicels strong yellow-green (144B-C). Calyx 5-10mm long, yellowish green, edged red. Lvs elliptic-ovate, 90-110 × 45-60mm, convex, apiculate at apex, rounded or oblique at base, dark green and glossy above, the veins light green, hairless. Shrub of compact habit, 0.8 × 1.1m in 12 years. Mid-late May

(a) **'Schneesturm'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Elsie Lee' (s) × 'Purpurkissen' H: H. Hachmann (1988), G: H. Hachmann (1992), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls single, 2-4/shoot, tubular funnel-shaped, 40-45 × 65-70mm, with 5 wavy-edged and recurved lobes, white inside and out, with subtle markings of brilliant to light yellow-green (150C/D) on the dorsal lobe; stamens 7, filaments white, anthers moderate to pale yellow (161B/C); style brilliant yellow-green (150C); ovary silvery hairy. Calyx 5-6mm long, light yellow-green (145C), silvery hairy. Lvs ovate, 25-35 × 15-18mm, flat, apiculate at apex, rounded to cuneate at base, mid green and glossy above, silvery hairy. Shrub 0.65 × 0.9m in 10 years. Late May-early June. (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030661). First published in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(r) **'Schneewitchen'** (Syn. of 'Bruns Schneewitchen')

(a) **'Schneewittchen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kermesinum' (s) × 'John Cairns' H: H. Hachmann

(1960), G: H. Hachmann (1963), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1980), REG: G. Stück (1983) Fls 3-6/truss, 26-32 × 32-40mm, 5-lobed, white (155D), without markings. Calyx 4-5mm long, strong yellow-green (144C). Lvs 19-42 × 11-22mm

(r) **'Schneewolke'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs J.G. Millais' (s) × *yakushimanum* 'Kochiro Wada' H: H. Hachmann (1968), G: H. Hachmann (1974), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1982), REG: G. Stück (1983) Fls 12-17/truss, 45-50 × 60-65mm, 5-lobed, white (155D), with slight markings of vivid to brilliant yellow-green (154A-B). Lvs 80-110 × 30-40mm, with revolute margins, hairy. Shrub 2.5-4.0m

(r) **'Schneverdingen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × *smirnowii* H: G. Horstmann (1973), S: J. Wieting, N: J. Wieting (1987) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, pale red at first, ageing to rose, with markings. Lvs with a brownish indumentum below. Very compact shrub, broader than tall

(a) **'Scholar'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' × 'Willy' × 'Mrs Carmichael' × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 65-75mm wide, white, with a conspicuous green blotch on the dorsal lobe and a very few lavender (very pale purple (84D)) stripes. Broad spreading shrub to 1.5m. Mid-late May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Schöne Mainzerin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Gebr Mardner (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with red stripes. Indian

(a) **'Schöne von Gressen'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *arborescens* × *molle* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep pink

(r) **'Schottische'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' (s) × 'Van Nes Sensation' H: M. Stockman (1990), G: M. & H. Stockman (1999), N: M. & H. Stockman (2001), REG: M. & H. Stockman (2001) Fls 10/ball truss, saucer-shaped, 50 × 90mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (63C) in bud, opening white inside and out, with random mottling of strong purplish pink (63C) at margins, fading with age; sparse, discrete, dark red spotting in the dorsal throat. Calyx 3mm long, greenish yellow. Lvs oblong, 125 × 55mm, margins downcurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, glossy and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.5m in 11 years. Mid May

(a) **'Schroeder's Lavender Mist'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Elsie Lee' × 'Robin Hill Frosty' H: H.R. Schroeder (1973), G: S. Schroeder (1978), N: S. Schroeder, I: S. Schroeder (1986), REG: S. Schroeder (1986) Fls single, broadly funnel-shaped, 32 × 44mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (65A), with dark rose spotting on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 6mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 22 × 9.5mm, dull and dark green above, light green below, hairy. Shrub 0.46 × 0.46m in 10 years. Mid April

(a) **'Schroeder's Lavender Rose'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Elsie Lee' × 'Robin Hill Frosty' H: H.R. Schroeder (1973), G: S. Schroeder (1978), N: S. Schroeder, I: S. Schroeder (1986), REG: S. Schroeder (1986) Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, broadly funnel-shaped, 38 × 57mm, with 12 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (73A), with rose red dorsal spotting; no normal stamens present. Calyx 13mm long, rose/light green. Lvs elliptic, 38 × 22mm, dull and dark green above, light green below, hairy. Shrub 0.61 × 0.61m in 10 years. Mid April

(a) **'Schroeder's Pink Perfection'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Betty' (Kaempferi) × 'Elsie Lee' H: H.R. Schroeder (1973), G: S. Schroeder (1978), N: S. Schroeder, I: S. Schroeder (1986), REG: S. Schroeder (1986) Fls double, tubular funnel-shaped, 38 × 51mm, 14-lobed, deep purplish pink (55A); no normal stamens present. Calyx 8mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 44 × 24mm, glossy and dark green above, light green below, hairy. Shrub 0.61 × 0.38m in 10 years. Late April

(a) **'Schroeder's Pink Splendor'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Purple Splendor' × 'Vuyk's Scarlet' H: H.R. Schroeder (1973), G: S. Schroeder (1978), N: S. Schroeder, I: S. Schroeder (1986), REG: S. Schroeder (1986) Fls single, broadly funnel-shaped, 44 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (55A), with rose red dorsal spotting. Calyx 6mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 38 × 19mm, dull and dark green above, light green below, hairy. Shrub 0.46 × 0.61m in 10 years. Late April

(a) **'Schroeder's Snowflake'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Mildred Mae' × 'Avalanche' (Kurume) H: H.R. Schroeder (1973), G: S. Schroeder (1978), N: S. Schroeder, I: S. Schroeder (1986), REG: S. Schroeder (1986) Fls hose-in-hose, broadly funnel-shaped, 32 × 38mm, with 10 wavy-edged lobes, yellowish white (155D), with yellow-green dorsal spotting; unusually pendulous. Lvs oblanceolate, 35 × 14mm, glossy and dark green above, light green below, hairy. Shrub 0.76 × 0.61m in 10 years. Late April

(a) **'Schroeder's Sunray'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Purple Splendor' × 'Vuyk's Scarlet' H: H.R. Schroeder (1973), G: S. Schroeder (1978), N: S. Schroeder, I: S. Schroeder (1986), REG: S. Schroeder (1986) Fls single, broadly funnel-shaped, 32 × 44mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (66C), with red-brown spotting on lower dorsal lobe. Calyx 6mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 32 × 13mm, dull and dark green above, light green below, hairy. Shrub 0.38 × 0.61m in 10 years. Mid April

(a) **'Schroeder's White Glory'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Elsie Lee' × 'Glory' (Kurume) H: H.R. Schroeder (1973), G: S. Schroeder (1978), N: S. Schroeder, I: S. Schroeder (1986), REG: S. Schroeder (1986) Fls hose-in-hose, broadly funnel-shaped, 25 × 38mm, with 10 wavy-edged lobes, white, with light purplish pink (73C) edging and rose spotting on lower part of dorsal lobe. Calyx 25mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs narrowly obovate, 38 × 19mm, dull and dark green above, light green below, hairy. Shrub 0.46 × 0.61m in 10 years. Mid April

(a) **'Schryderi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from *mucronatum* L: Camellia Lodge Nursery (1964) Fls single, white, spotted pale lilac pink in the throat; slightly scented Lvs large, hairy, sticky to touch. Dense shrub, to 1.5m. Midseason. Indian

(a) **'Schryderi Mauve'** (Syn. of 'Mauve Schryderi')

(a) **'Schubert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* hybrid (s) × 'J.C. van Tol' R: Vuyk van Nes, N: Vuyk van Nes, I: Vuyk van Nes (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 50mm wide, moderate purplish pink (62B). Vuykiana

(r) **'Schubert'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: M. Koster & Sons, N: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a large truss, with wavy-edged lobes, pale cattleya lilac

(a) **'Schumacher'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *flammeum* G: P. Schumacher, N: P. Schumacher, REG: F.C. Galle (1988) Fls hose-in-hose (with some twisted and curved internal lobes, but no stamens), 5-7/conical truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 25 × 38mm, with 5 smooth-edged outer lobes, vivid red (44A). Calyx 6mm long, light yellow-brown. Lvs elliptic, 44-51 × 19-25mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, blade hairless, but with a hairy petiole. Transplanted shrub now (1988) 1.5 × 1.1m. Mid April. (Selected (1980) by Schumacher as a wild plant in Upson County, Georgia, USA)

(a) **'Schuman'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Osaka' × 'Pink Dream' H: M. van Lancker (1977), G: J. Heursel (1980), N: J. Heursel, I: Research Station for Ornamental Plant Growing, Belgium (1993), REG: Research Station for Ornamental Plant Growing, Belgium (1992) Fls double (but not very fully so), broadly funnel-shaped, 68 × 76mm, outer whorl with 5 rounded lobes, deep purplish pink (68A), with a strong red (53B) blotch. Calyx 9mm long, strong yellow-green (145A). Lvs obovate, 60 × 25mm, moderate olive green (137A). Resistant to *Phytopthora citricola*. November-March (under glass). (Published in *Verbondsnieuws* 35: 1293 (1991))

(r) **'Schuylkill'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: chance seedling, probably *catawbiense* × *decorum* G: C. Herbert (1958), N: C. Herbert, I: C. Herbert (1967), REG: C. Herbert (1977) Fls up to 18/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, 80mm wide, moderate purplish pink (62B), fading to cream, with some deeper pink spotting and a pink stripe down the centre of each lobe; trace of yellow in the dorsal throat; scented. Lvs elliptic, 145 × 55mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 4.5 × 3.0m in 32 years. Mid May

(r) **'Schwanensee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs J.G. Millais' × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: H. Hachmann (1970), G: H. Hachmann (1975), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1987), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 10-12/truss, 45-50 × 50-65mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, white (155D), spotted strong greenish yellow (153B-C). Calyx 1-2mm long, reddish green. Lvs linear-elliptic, 118-145 × 32-42mm, margins recurved, acute at apex, cuneate at base, light green and dull above, with a mid-brown indumentum below; petioles yellowish green. Shrub of dense habit, 1.0 × 1.7m in 15 years. Late May-mid June

(r) **'Schwefelblume'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* hybrid × *dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* R: W. Nagel (1972), N: W. Nagel (1985) Fls sulphur yellow, with greenish yellow markings

(a) **'Scintillans'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Coccineum Major' (s) × *luteum* R: J.R. Gowen (1829), N: J.R. Gowen, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c8/truss, shortly tubular funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, pink, with a yellow dorsal lobe. Ghent (Published in *Botanical Register*, 1829, under t.1366)

(r) **Scintillans Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. scintillans*

(r) **'Scintillation'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1940), G: C.O. Dexter, N: P.D. Vossberg (1957), I: P.D. Vossberg (1958), REG: American Rhododendron Society, New York Chapter (1973) Fls 11-15/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (67D) shading paler towards centre (very pale purple, 69C), densely spotted strong to dark greenish yellow (151A-152D) on dorsal lobes; outside deep purplish pink (67C). Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs oblong, 150 × 50mm, glossy and moderate olive green/dark yellowish green (137A/139A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.6m in 10 years. Mid-late May. (This is the original clone; a number of other have also circulated under this epithet)

(r) **'Scintillation No. 1'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scintillation' × 'Ed's Red' R: H.E. Reiley (pre 1980) (Intended merely as a reference rather than an epithet by the originator but has been listed as a cv name)

(a) **'Scipio'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Verschaffelt (1860), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Scipio'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1871), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose with a dark blotch

(r) **'Scolio'** cv. Parentage unknown R: L. Standaert (pre 1985), N: L. Standaert Fls cream. Upright shrub

(r) **'Scorrier Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* (blood red) × *griffithianum* R: G. Williams (pre 1880), N: G. Williams, INC: ICRA (1958)

(v) **'Scotchburn White'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: probably a natural hybrid: grown from seed wild-collected in New Guinea by G.L.S. Snell as ANRS 136 G: G.L.S. Snell (1985), S: G.L.S. Snell (1981), N: G.L.S. Snell (1985), I: G.L.S. Snell (1993-1994), REG: G.L.S. Snell (1992) Fls 8-12/full truss, campanulate, 25 × 35mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, buds green, opening white (155A) with yellowish white (155D) lobes, unspotted; strongly scented. Lvs ovate, 85 × 55mm, mar-

gins upcurved, glossy green above, obtuse at apex, cordate at base, with a silvery, scaly indumentum on young foliage. Shrub 1.0 × 0.8m in 11 years. May flower at any time throughout the year

(r) **'Scott David'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *brachycarpum* (s) × *catawbiense* H: W.E. Delp (pre 1975), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls petaloid, strong purplish red (61B) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (73A) and very pale purple (73D), with a vivid red (57A) throat and vivid red (57A) dorsal spots. Tall shrub. (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(a) **'Scott Gartrell'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Oakland' × (Indian azalea ("no. 1") × 'Carol' (Gable)) (s) × 'Louise Gable' × 'Tama-giku' H: R.D. Gartrell (1956), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell (1970), REG: R.D. Gartrell (1985) Fls double (sometimes irregular), hose-in-hose (but normal calyx also present), 2/bud, 42 × 68mm, open funnel-shaped, with 5 strongly wavy-edged, broadly overlapping lobes, deep purplish pink (64D-66C) to strong purplish pink (68B), throat slightly greenish white, spotting deep red (60A). Calyx 3mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Spring lvs elliptic, 54 × 24mm. Shrub up to 1.5m. Late May. (Robin Hill no. N31-1)

(r) **'Scott Hall'** cv. Parentage unknown H: M.E. Hall (pre 1980)

(r) **'Scott Harris'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Blue Peter' × 'Ice Cube' H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 14/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 48 × 55mm, 5-lobed, strong and light purple (77B, C, D) in bud, opening very light to very pale purple (75C, D), with a moderate purplish red (64A) flare and dark red (187A) dorsal spots; filaments white; style deep purplish pink (61D); anthers strong purplish red (61B); stigma dark red (187A). Lvs 121 × 51mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.8m in 18 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Scottianum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Scott's Lavender'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vervaeneanum' × *mucronatum* R: J. Shanks & C. Link, N: L. Scott (pre 1987) Fls 75mm wide, light violet, clearly marked purplish red in the throat. Shrub 2.56m tall in 15 years

(r) **'Scott's Starbright'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Else Frye' × *dalhousiae* var. *rhabdotum* H: R.W. Scott (1968), G: R.W. Scott, N: R.W. Scott, I: R.W. Scott (1975), REG: R.W. Scott (1992) Fls in a flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 89 × 108mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds light greenish yellow (4C), striped strong red (46A), opening white with vivid yellow (15A) spotting and with five red stripes externally; moderately scented. Calyx 13mm long, green. Lvs oblong, 108 × 54mm, mucronate at tip, rounded at base, bullate and medium dark green above; petioles scaly. Shrub 1.8 × 1.5m in 15 years. Mid April. Syn: 'Starbright'

(r) **'Scott's Valentine'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *johnstoneanum* × *veitchianum* Cubittii Group × *moupinense* × 'Rose Scott' H: R.W. Scott, G: R.W. Scott (1976), N: R.W. Scott Fls large, bright pink; scented; flower buds with scales of red, silver, bronzy gold and green. Lvs glossy green. Spreading, semi-dwarf shrub, with bright red new growth

(a) **'Scott's White'** (Syn. of 'Chesapeake')

(a) **'Scotty'** cv. Deciduous azalea: grown from imported Knap Hill Nursery seed, parentage unknown G: Bovees Nursery, N: Bovees Nursery, I: Bovees Nursery (c 1961), REG: Bovees Nursery (1961) Fls 15-18/truss, 75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, deep to moderate yellowish pink (39B-38B), flushed pale to moderate orange-yellow, with a strong yellow blotch. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years

(r) **'Scotty D'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Rocket' (Shammarello) (s) × *yakushimanum* × *yakushimanum* (Exbury form) H: W.E. Delp (1981), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls light greenish yellow (1C) and light yellowish pink (38D) in bud, opening pale yellow-green (4D) with vivid yellow-green (154A) dorsal spots. (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Scotty Lad'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scott David' (s) × 'America' × 'Ann Rutledge' H: W.E. Delp (1977), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 17/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 45 × 50mm, 5-lobed, with petaloid stamens, deep red (60A) and vivid red (57A) in bud, opening to a blend of strong purplish red (63B), strong purplish pink (63C) and light purplish pink (63D), with a vivid red (57A) throat and dorsal spots. Lvs 114 × 41mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.5m in 15 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids* Salley & Greer, (1986))

(a) **'Scout'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Malvaticum' (s) × *indicum*, deep salmon-flowered form R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-2/truss, 50mm wide, paler than rose pink (light purplish pink (73C)). Shrub broader than tall, up to 1.5m high. Late April. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Scrumptious'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *calendulaceum* R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls multi-coloured, orange-yellow. Mid June

(r) **'Scylla'** cv. Parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1877), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls delicate rose, with chocolate spots. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **Scymaleum Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* (s) × *sanguineum* subsp. *sanguineum* var. *haemaleum* R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'S.D. Coleman'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *prunifolium* R: S.D. Coleman, N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1978) Fls single, 5-6/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 40mm, 5-lobed, vivid reddish orange (43B). Calyx 3mm long, spreading, light green. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 60 × 22mm, mid green, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.9m in c30 years. Late July-early August. (Originally introduced by Leach in 1967 as the species without a cultivar epithet; Leach previously had a Ghent registered under this name, but the stock was totally destroyed and the name was accepted for re-use as above)

(a) **'Seaboard'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *atlanticum* R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1964) Fls 6-7/truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 40mm, white, tube tinged pink, ciliate; style pink; sweetly scented. Pedicels 13mm long, glutinous, ciliate. Lvs 50 × 13mm, ciliate. AM 1964

(a) **'Seafoam'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' × 'Willy' (s) × 'Mrs Carmichael' × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, white, with chartreuse yellow (pale greenish yellow (160C)) in the throat. Shrub 1.0m. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Seafoam'** (Syn. of 'Fairweather')

(a) **'Seaford'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* × 'Eden Janea' R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith Fls 65mm wide, between vivid purplish red (66B) and deep purplish pink (66C), with light, vivid purplish red (66A) spotting. Winter foliage red. Shrub 1.2m tall in 8 years

(r) **'Sea Gold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Amanda Joan Young' (s) × 'GoldenStar' H: A.T. & S.A.Anderson (1982), G: A.T. & S.A. Anderson, N: A.T. & S.A. Anderson, REG: A.T. & S.A. Anderson (1995) Fls 10/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 60 × 70mm, with 6-7 smooth-edged lobes, light yellowish pink (19B) throughout; stamens 14, straight, unequal. Pedicels 20mm long. Lvs elliptic, 114 × 44mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and strong yellow-green (144C) above, hairless; petioles 13mm long. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 12 years. Mid May

(a) **'Seagull'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Australia (pre 1984) Fls hose-in-hose, white, spotted green; scented

(r) **'Seagull'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Loderi Group × *sutchuenense* R: Sir Edmund Loder (pre 1920), I: Lady Loder (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12-15/loose truss, funnel-shaped, up to 65 × 75mm, pure white, with crimson dorsal speckling. Lvs oblanceolate, up to 210 × 75mm, dull green above, with a light brown tomentum on the veins below. AM 1938, FCC 1976 (Seagull Group)

(r) **Seagull Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Loderi Group × *sutchuenense* R: Sir Edmund Loder (pre 1920), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Seagull'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R. Gill & Sons, N: R. Gill & Sons, I: R. Gill & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale lavender to almost blue

(a) **'Seakai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Camellia Lodge Nursery (1977) Fls single, white, striped salmon rose; some rose selfs. Satsuki (Apparently not an error for 'Seikai')

(a) **'Sea King'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *reticulatum* N: Hydon Nurseries (1982), I: Hydon Nurseries (1982), REG: Hydon Nurseries (1982) Fls 1-2/truss, rotate funnel-shaped, 60mm wide, 5-lobed, vivid reddish purple (74A), dorsal lobe slightly paler and sparsely spotted. Calyx lobes up to 8mm long, very unequal, covered with long, silky, white hairs. April-May. FCC 1982 (Grown by Hydon Nurseries from seed collected in Japan by T. Rokujo)

(r) **'Sealing Wax'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* (s) × May Day Group R: Sunningdale Nurseries (pre 1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vermilion

(r) **'Seamew'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Loderi Group × *sutchuenense* R: Sir Edmund Loder (pre 1920), I: Lady Loder (1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 15/spherical truss, funnel-shaped, up to 70 × 100mm, pure white or white tinged pale pink. Lvs oblanceolate, up to 175 × 65-75mm, dark green. AM 1940 (Seagull Group)

(a) **'Sea Mist'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: D. Parmenter (pre 1969), N: D. Parmenter Fls semi-double, pure white

(r) **'Sea Mist'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Loderi Group × *sutchuenense* R: Sir Edmund Loder (pre 1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark pink. (Seagull Group)

(r) **'Seamist'** cv. Parentage unknown H: R. Henny (pre 1980)

(r) **'Sea Nymph'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *haematodes* subsp. *chaetomallum* (s) × *dichroanthum* R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, I: C. Ingram (1939), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Searchlight'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: F. Lovegrove (pre 1968), N: F. Lovegrove Fls double, white, with occasional pink flecks and a greenish throat

(a) **'Seashell'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum*, deep salmon-flowered form (s) × 'Hazel Dawson' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-2/truss, 75mm wide, deep rose pink (deep purplish pink (64D)), almost white at base of tube, with an inconspicuous blotch. Shrub to 1.2m. Mid-late May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Seashell'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Greenwood Gardens (pre 1985), N: Greenwood Gardens

(r) **'Sea-shell'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* × a Hardy Hybrid R: W.C. Slocock Ltd (pre

1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls creamy yellow, with a chocolate blotch. *AM 1940

(r) **'Sea Shells'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1988) Fls coral pink, with a yellow centre. Lvs rounded. Shrub 0.9m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Sea Spray'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Lindsay Smith' × 'Jalisco Goshawk' H: C. Ingram, G: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, I: C. Ingram, REG: C. Ingram (1973) Fls white, with a distinctive flare of reddish brown spots

(r) **'Sea-Tac'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Moser's Maroon' × *williamsianum* H: H.L. Larson (1958), G: H.L. Larson (1968), N: H.L. Larson, I: H.L. Larson (1976), REG: H.L. Larson (1976) Fls 6-7/ball truss, open campanulate, 50 × 65mm, 5-6-lobed, deep red (53A), buds moderate red (181A). Calyx minute, light green, edged maroon. Lvs broadly elliptic to more-or-less orbicular, 60 × 45mm, rounded at apex, cordate at base, glossy, bullate and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 18 years. Early April

(r) **'Seattle Gold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Diva Group (s) × Lady Bessborough Group H: H. Lem, I: D.K. McClure, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light yellow. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Seattle Queen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *lacteum* × Lodauric Group (s) × *campylocarpum* H: H. Lem, I: D.K. McClure, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls ivory

(r) **'Seattle Springtime'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *leucaspis* (s) × *mucronulatum* H: B.O. Mulligan (1947), G: B.O. Mulligan (1951), N: B.O. Mulligan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 35-45mm wide, white flushed amaranth rose (530/3). Lvs 45 × 20mm, mid olive green. Shrub under 1.0m

(a) **'Seattle White'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown, but may include *mucronatum* R: unknown (pre 1950), REG: W.C. Miller (1996) Fls solitary, variable in form from single to irregularly double (petaloidy very variable), broadly funnel-shaped, outer corolla whorl 5-lobed, 59-65 × 86mm, white, with a pale greenish yellow (10D) blotch on dorsal lobes, sometimes also with brilliant yellow-green (150C) spotting; stamens 6-10 (in a single flower), straight, filaments greenish white; pistil c49mm long, style white, stigma slightly yellowish. Calyx 12mm long, strong yellow-green (143C, 144B) with broadly lanceolate, leafy lobes. Spring lvs narrowly elliptic/slightly obovate, flat, broadly acute to obtuse at apex, cuneate at base; larger spring lvs 45 × 14mm, moderate olive green to moderate yellow-green (147A-B) becoming moderate yellow-green (147B-C) with age, with discrete whitish hairs (ageing to rufous) and some much smaller stipitate glands. Shrub 0.4 × 0.8m in 6 years. (Obtained in Seattle in late 1940s by B.Y. Morrison and probably named by him)

(r) **'Seaview Sunset'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nancy Evans' (s) × 'Canadian Sunset' H: F. Fujioka (1988), G: F. Fujioka (1993), N: F. Fujioka (1997), REG: F. Fujioka (1997) Fls 16/domed truss, open campanulate, 40 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish orange (34A) in bud, opening inside light yellow (18A), edged with a broad band of reddish orange, outside deep yellowish pink (41D). Calyx 20mm long, light yellow (18A). Lvs elliptic, 100 × 40mm, flat, margins decurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and dark green (135A) above, with sparse, tan hairs below. Shrub 0.75 × 0.75m in 9 years. Early April

(r) **'Seb'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Popacatepetl' H: J.F. McQuire, G: J.F. McQuire (1987), N: J.F. McQuire, REG: J.F. McQuire (1989) Fls c12/truss, funnel-campanulate, 50 × 70mm, with 5 emarginate lobes, opening deep purplish pink (55A), fading to white at base, with lobe tips flushed strong to light purplish pink (55B-C) with median lines of 55C. Calyx 2mm long, red-brown. Lvs elliptic-obovate, 100 × 40mm, with fawn indumentum on young foliage. Shrub of very compact habit, 0.6 × 0.6m (1989). Early May

(a) **'Sebastian'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Kyu-miyagimo' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 2-3/truss, rose (strong purplish red (63B)), with an inconspicuous tyrian rose (vivid purplish red (57B)) blotch. Shrub to 2.2m. Early April. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Sebastian'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac, spotted. Hardy Hybrid

(v) **'Sebastian'** (Syn. of 'Cyprian')

(a) **'Sebastopol'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: de Marcq (1861), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange scarlet. Indian

(a) **'Sebastopol'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: M. Koster & Sons (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, vivid reddish orange. Mollis (The L. van Houtte cat. of 1899 describes it as "tender rose")

(r) **'Sebastopol'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Fisher, Son & Sibray (1898), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright crimson

(a) **'Secchu-no-matsu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan, N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bell-shaped, white. Lvs small. Indian

(r) **'Second Attempt'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *callimorphum* R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1980), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1981) Fls 4-5/loose truss, open campanulate, 33 × 30mm, 5-lobed inside white, with a large greyed purple (187) dorsal blotch, outside flushed and rayed shades of red-purple (67). Lvs oblong to broadly elliptic, up to 45 × 28mm, dark and glossy green above, glaucous below. AM 1980

(r) **'Second Honeymoon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* × 'Devonshire Cream' × *wardii* H: W.E. Whitney (pre 1980) Fls yellow, with a red blotch. Lvs dark green. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years

(a) **'Second Time Around'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, light pink with a bright yellow flare surrounded by creamy white and pink edges; pistil red; stamens lighter pink. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Early July

(r) **'Secrest Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from open-pollinated *yakushimanum* G: J.E. Ford (1973), N: Plant Name Committee, Ohio State University, REG: J.E. Ford (1984) Fls 11-17/truss, open funnel-shaped, 30 × 50mm, 5-lobed, light purplish pink (2.5RP 8/5), with a dorsal blotch of deep purplish red, outside strong purplish pink. Calyx 2mm long. Lvs elliptic, 93-100 × 40-50mm, with light, patchy golden to pale yellow indumentum below. Young foliage indumentum brown. Shrub c0.7m tall in 12 years. (Grown from seed collected in1970 by J.E. Ford)

(a) **'Secrétaire Claus'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Verschaffelt (1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white with a lilac tint, white edges and dark carmine red markings. Indian

(r) **'Secretary of State'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × Grosclaude Group H: M.A.C. Noble, G: Sir George Campbell, N: Sir George Campbell, REG: Sir George Campbell (1964) Fls in large trusses, strong red (45D)

(a) **'Secret Wish'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Roslyn Nursery (pre 1995), N: Roslyn Nursery Fls double, large, white. Shrub 1.5m

(r) **'Sedona'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Brinny' (s) × 'Whitney's Late Frilled Yellow' H: J. Barlup (1978), G: J. Barlup (1984), N: J. Barlup (1996), REG: J. Barlup (1997) Fls 12/flat truss, funnel-campanulate, 55 × 90mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (46A) in bud, opening inside and out pale yellow (19C) at edges and deepening to light yellow (20B) at base, prominent strong red (46A) throat and with a flare of strong red (46A) spots extending almost half way up the dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 145 × 50mm, margins decurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 2.0m in 18 years. Late May-early June

(a) **'Séduction'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: H. Demay (pre 1873), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls reddish white, strongly mixed with a lively carmine, and with a brown blotch. Indian

(r) **'Seemly'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* × rose-coloured *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* hybrid N: Sir James Horlick (1930), I: Sir James Horlick, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, rose. Strong-growing, straggly shrub. Mid June

(r) **'Seestadt Bremerhaven'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Graf Zeppelin' (s) × *insigne* H: H. Nosbüsch (1958), G: J. Bruns Nursery (1965), N: J. Bruns Nursery (1983), I: J. Bruns Nursery (1983), REG: J. Bruns Nursery (1985) Fls 15-23/compact, rounded truss, open funnel-shaped, 35-55 × 50-75mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, bright pink in bud, opening inside light pink, shading to almost white in centre, margins darker pink; outside pale pink/white, with strong purplish pink veins; yellowish brown markings on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 1-2mm long, pale greenish. Lvs elliptic to oblong-elliptic, 92-143 × 25-55mm, margins decurved, rounded at apex and base. Shrub 1.8 × 2.4m in 20 years. Mid May-early June. (Revised data to that published on registration)

(r) **'Sefton'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1881), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose (1881 Waterer cat.); fls dark maroon, shrub of low, spreading habit (1958 Register)

(a) **'Seibo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1976), N: Japan Fls reddish purple. (Raised on Hirado Island, Japan)

(a) **'Seidai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65-75mm wide, with wavy-edged, rounded lobes, centre white, with deep pink to strong red edges; occasional red selfs. Low, spreading habit. Satsuki

(r) **'Seidenglanz'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scintillation' × 'Furnivall's Daughter' (s) × 'Edelweiss' (Wieting) H: H. Hachmann (1986), G: H. Hachmann (1992), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 13-15/flattened, dense ball truss, open campanulate, 40 × 55-70mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, inside opening rose-coloured ageing to pure white; outside white, slightly tinged pale purplish pink (56C/D) on midveins; dorsal lobe sparsely spotted moderate purplish red to dark purplish pink (186B/C); stamens 10, filaments white, anthers pale yellow (162D); style light yellow-green (150D), stigma pale yellow (161D); ovary white-felted. Calyx 2-3mm long, light yellow-green (145D), edged reddish. Lvs elliptic, 80-120 × 30-55mm, margins characteristically recurved, glossy mid green and convex above, young lvs silvery white hairy above for several weeks, with a dense pale reddish brown indumentum below when mature. Shrub of semi-prostrate habit, 0.8 × 1.2m in 10 years. Early-late May. (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030662). First published in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(a) **'Seigai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown REG: Mrs J.W. Hill (1976) Fls 3/truss, 30 × 50mm, consisting of 5 separate lobes (30 × 5mm), deep purplish pink (68A), buds a deeper pink. Calyx 10mm long, lobes 1mm wide, green, pinkish glandular, hairy. Lvs linear, 65 × 6mm, bright green, with prominent yellowish midrib below which is heavily reddish hairy, few hairs on blade;

purplish and curled up in winter. Shrub 1.0 × 1.9m in 15 years. Late May. (A very old Japanese cultivar)

(a) **'Seigaiha'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson, deeply lobed, resembling *Lilium concolor* in shape. Lvs narrow and strap-shaped. Tsutsuji (Possibly the same plant as 'Seigai', although colour descriptions are not a good match and Ito's illustration does not show long, narrow calyx teeth)

(a) **'Seigai-satsuki'** (Syn. of 'Ko-kin')

(a) **'Seigetsu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kozan' × 'Onshi' R: Japan (pre 1939), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65-75mm wide, with overlapping lobes, very variable: very pale to pale reddish purple, with darker margins, occasional darker speckles and stripes. Tall, upright shrub. Satsuki (This entry, taken from Galle, 1987, replaces the two in the 1958 Register)

(a) **'Seihaku'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c40mm wide, white, with a greenish tint. Satsuki

(a) **'Seiho'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kozan' × 'Matsunami' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls "petaloid" (petaloid calyx ?), 50mm wide, white, with variable marking: heavy purplish margins, to purplish pink selfs, or white with dark pink sectors. Upright shrub, used for bonsai culture. Satsuki

(a) **'Seihow'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan, N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark purple on light purple, with a white throat. Indian

(a) **'Seiji'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c50mm wide, cherry blossom pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Seiju'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, white, striped and spotted red. Satsuki

(a) **'Seika'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Tanima-no-yuki' × 'Asahi-nishiki' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, with broad, rounded lobes, white to buff in centre, with strong red tips and margins, varying to off-white or pale pink. Compact habit. Satsuki

(a) **'Seika'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kusudama' × 'Banka' R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 65mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, white to pale pink, with red blotches and occasional stripes. Satsuki

(a) **'Seikai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1918), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 30mm wide, white. Syn: 'Madonna', 'Amoenum Duplex', 'Amoenum Album Duplex'; Wilson no. 1. Kurume

(a) **'Seikan'** (Syn. of 'Rhodoroides')

(a) **'Seiko-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Banrai' × 'Kaho' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 40-50mm wide, with rounded, wavy-edged lobes, white, with deep pink stripes; many variations with sectors or selfs of light to deep pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Seiko-no-tsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65-75mm wide, with 5-6 rounded lobes, white at centre, with deep purplish pink margins: many variations with dark stripes on the white ground. Satsuki

(r) **'Seinghku'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *forrestii* Repens Group, collected as seed under KW 6832 S: J.B. Stevenson (c 1935), N: P.A. Cox (1995), I: Glendoick Gardens, REG: P.A. Cox (1995) Fls 1-2/truss, tubular-campanulate, 40 × 35mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, deep scarlet crimson. Calyx 2-3mm long, red. Lvs broadly oblanceolate, 30 × 17mm, margins decurved, rounded at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub semi-prostrate, 12.5 × 60cm in 20 years. April. FCC 1935

(a) **'Sei-qua'** cv. Evergreen azalea: derived from 'Tanima-no-yuki' R: Japan, N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose opal (022/2) (1958 Register); fls 50mm wide, white to tinted at centre, with a narrow pink margin (Galle, 1987). Indian

(a) **'Seiraku'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan, N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple on white. Indian

(a) **'Seirin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Shyozui' × 'Kaho' R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan Fls campanulate, 50mm wide, with pointed, spaced lobes, strong purplish pink with a darker blotch. Satsuki

(a) **'Seisho-no-tsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 50mm wide, with overlapping lobes, white, with a light yellow-green blotch and deep pink tips. Satsuki

(a) **'Seito-no-hana'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nihon-no-hikari' × 'Taihei' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 100-115mm wide, with broad, rounded, wavy-edged lobes, white, with a green throat; occasionally blushed pink, with reddish stripes and sectors of purplish pink, reddish blotch. Satsuki

(a) **'Seiun'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Gohi-nishiki' R: Japan (pre 1939), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65-75mm wide, with 5-6 rounded lobes, white, variably marked with deep reddish orange flakes and sectors, greenish throat. Satsuki

(a) **'Seiyo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c60mm wide, cherry blossom pink, with strap-shaped segments between calyx and corolla. Satsuki

(a) **'Seizan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c40mm wide, pale persimmon orange, with red streaks. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Seizan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 75mm wide, with wavy-edged, overlapping lobes, white with deep pink stripes and sectors. Satsuki

(a) **'Sekai-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Tatsumi-no-hikari' R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 100-125mm wide, with often 6, rounded, overlapping lobes, white, with speckles, stripes and sectors to selfs of strong purplish pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Sekidera'** cv. Evergreen azalea: derived from *mucronatum* L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, funnel-shaped, 50mm wide, white, dorsal lobes spotted and splashed rose. Calyx lobes to 25mm long, acute, glandular; stamens 6-10. Low shrub. May. Syn: 'Murasaki-ryukyu Roseum' (Several very similar plants have sometimes been grouped under this name: 'Damask Rose', 'Indicum Roseum', 'Kanoka', 'Magnificum' and 'Ryukyu Shibori')

(a) **'Sekimori'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single or double, crimson. Satsuki

(a) **'Sekimori'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum* × a Kurume azalea I: K. Wada, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls variable, salmon pink

(az) **'Seki-syo'** cv. Azaleodendron: *campylogynum* Myrtilloides Group (s) × 'Tai-yoh' H: M. Hatori (1988), G: M. Hatori (1992), N: M. Hatori (1996), REG: M. Hatori (1996) Fls 2-6/lax truss, open campanulate, 40 × 80mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, deep red (60A) in bud, opening deep red (60A) inside and out, with a red blotch on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 6mm long, green, with spreading lobes. Lvs oblanceolate, 15-20 × 7-10mm, flat and dark glossy green above, scaly. Shrub 25 × 30cm in 6 years

(a) **'Sekiyo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1976), N: Japan Fls red. (Raisedon Hirado Island, Japan)

(a) **'Sekko'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Selectum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1877), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Selehurst Freak'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Dame Alice Godman (1941), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Selektion Monika'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *orbiculare* (s) × unknown H: W. Bruns (c 1968), G: J. Bruns Nursery (1975), N: J. Bruns Nursery, I: J. Bruns Nursery (1981), REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1998) Fls 8-14/rounded, loose, open-topped truss, open campanulate, 55-80mm wide, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, bright red in bud, opening pure bright, light pink inside, dark pink outside. Calyx 1mm long, light greenish. Lvs obovate, 58-130 × 30-75mm, flat, rounded at apex, cordate at base, matt green above. Shrub 2.1 × 3.3m in 20 years. Late April-early May. Syn: 'Monika' (An epithet established pre 1996. Published by Schmalscheidt in *Rhododendron- und Azaleenzüchtung in Deutschland*, part II (1930-1988), p.79 (1989))

(r) **'Selig'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *maddenii* subsp. *maddenii* (s) × *cinnabarinum* subsp. *cinnabarinum* R: Sir Edmund Loder (pre 1920), I: Lady Loder (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 6-7/loose truss, narrow-tubed, 75 × 50mm, pink, shading to salmon pink and orange on the tube. Lvs narrowly lanceolate, dark and shining green above, with red 'glandular dots' below. FCC 1937 (Blandfordiiflorum Group)

(a) **'Selina'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Stewart & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose opal

(r) **'Selma'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac rose, with deep dark red almost black spots on a paler ground

(a) **'Semi Duplex'** cv. Evergreen azalea: said to be related to or derived from 'Pulchrum' L: Oudin (1844), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, white

(a) **'Semi-duplex Coccineum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: T. Jackson & Son (1851), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Semi Duplex Maculatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Knight (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with a big red blotch. FCC 1865. Indian (Some sources give Smith as originator)

(a) **'Semi-duplex Purpurea'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (1848), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (In cultivation in UK according to Paxton (*Revue Horticole* (ser.3) 2: 285 (1848)))

(a) **'Semi-duplex Purum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: W. Smith (1845), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Semi-duplex Roseum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: W. Smith (pre 1846), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rosy crimson. Indian

(a) **'Semi-duplex Roseum Superbum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Henderson & Co. (1852), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Semi-duplex Violaceum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1846), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Seminole'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt, I: E.A. Merritt (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose pink. Kurume

(a) **'Semiramis'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Linden (1874), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls flesh pink, edged rose, with a golden yellow blotch. Ghent (Probably raised by Schulz)

(r) **'Semiramis'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Linden (1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose, spotted black. (There is perhaps some confusion with the azalea listed earlier)

(v) **'Semper Fidelis'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* × *leucogigas* × *konori* H: P. Sullivan (1974), G: P. Sullivan (1980), N: P. Sullivan, REG: P. Sullivan (1993) Fls 7-9/flat-crowned truss, open funnel-campanulate with a long, narrow tube, 89 × 89-114mm, with 7 wavy-edged and crenulate lobes, white, with the inner tube light yellow; stamens 14, straight, equal; pistil straight; strongly scented. Pedicels 19mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 64mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, with scales; petioles 16mm long, light green. Shrub of erect habit, 1.2 × 0.9m in 19 years. March-August

(a) **'Semperflorens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection or hybrid of *kaempferi* L: Yokohama Nursery (1932), INC: ICRA (1958) Flowering most of the year

(r) **Sempervirens Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. dauricum* var. *sempervirens*

(a) **'Senateur Vancamps'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1885), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, very large, deep carmine rose with dark carmine red dots towards centre of flower. Indian

(r) **'Senator'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose purple, light centre, with a blotch of cinnamon spots

(r) **'Senator Charles Sumner'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid I: Parsons & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Senator Henry Jackson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Siouxon' × 'Mrs Horace Fogg' H: H.L. Larson, N: E. Fisher (1985), I: E. Fisher (pre 1989) Fls in a rounded truss, pure white. Lvs deep shiny green above, with *yakushimanum*-like indumentum below. Shrub 0.9m. Syn: 'China Doll' (in USA), 'Senator Jackon', 'Senator Henry M. Jackson'

(r) **'Senator Henry M. Jackson'** (Syn. of 'Senator Henry Jackson')

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(a) **'Senator Kessler'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Verschaffelt (1864), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson, deeply spotted on dorsal lobes. Indian (Perhaps raised by Mardner)

(a) **'Sen'e'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, c40mm wide, crimson. Satsuki

(a) **'Seneca'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Alice' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 2-3/truss, open-faced, 75-90mm wide, mallow purple (strong reddish purple (72C)), with a showy blotch of clearly defined horseshoe-shaped marks between rose red (vivid red (52A)) and pomegranate purple (strong red (53B)), base of corolla white. Very erect shrub to 1.9m. Mid-late April. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Seneca'** cv. Parentage unknown R: I. Davies (pre 1896), N: I. Davies, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Senegal'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *keiskei* × *minus* Carolinianum Group (white) H: D.G. Leach (1974), G: D.G. Leach (1978), N: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1985) Fls 7-8/truss, 25 × 40mm, 5-lobed, pale greenish yellow (2D), faintly flushed pale orange on opening, soon ageing uniform yellow, finally ivory. Calyx 1mm long, pale green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 60 × 25mm, hairless. Semi-dwarf shrub

(a) **'Sen'e-omurasaki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: derived from 'Omurasaki' R: Japan (pre 1997), N: Japan

(a) **'Sen'e-shiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, c40mm wide, red. Long flowering in warm locations. Syn: 'Bungo-shiki'. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Senge-tauren-kana'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan, N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright pink. Kurume

(a) **'Senju'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose, flushed a slightly deeper shade, with crimson spotting; anthers pale. Kurume

(a) **'Senka'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls campanulate, deep flame pink, with darker spotting; anthers pale. Sprawling shrub. Kurume

(a) **'Senkaku-tsutsuji'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Nuccio's Nurseries (1996) Fls single, light lavender

(r) **'Senko Blue'** cv. Parentage unknown I: D. Hammond (pre 1996) Fls in dome-shaped trusses, lavender blue. Dense shrub, 1.8m in 10 years

(r) **'Sennocke'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown L: UK (1988) Fls red. Compact habit, 1.0-1.2m tall. (Has been listed in error as 'Sevenac')

(r) **'Señora Meldon'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Lackamas Blue' (s) × 'Blue Diamond' H: D.W. Goheen (1963), G: D.W. Goheen, N: D.W. Goheen, I: D.W. Goheen (1975), REG: D.W. Goheen (1983) Fls 2-5/truss (with 3-5 trusses together), broadly funnel-shaped, 25 × 50mm, 5-lobed, vivid violet (87A) in bud, opening strong violet (90A) at edges, shading to light violet (91B) in the throat, with a few green-brown, dorsal spots. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 65 × 20mm, moderate olive green (147A), with tiny, widely spaced, golden brown scales below. Shrub c1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Senorita'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi King George' × Ostbo seedling no. 43/2 R: Bovees Nursery, N: Bovees Nursery (1960), I: Bovees Nursery, REG: Bovees Nursery (1961) Fls up to 14/truss, funnel-campanulate, 100mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish purple (2.5RP 4/10), the throat light yellowish pink (7.5R 9/3), dorsal lobe spotted strong yellowish brown (7.5YR 5/7). Lvs 150 × 50mm. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Senorita Chere'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Mars' H: H.E. Greer, N: R. Boltman, I: R. Boltman (1988) Fls in a tight truss, red in bud, opening rose and ageing to light rose. Compact shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Midseason

(a) **'Sensation'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Pericat (pre 1949), N: Perkins-deWilde Nurseries, I: Perkins-deWilde Nurseries, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 45mm wide, strong purplish red (63B). Low shrub, spreading habit. Pericat

(a) **'Sensation'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale salmon, with darker spots. Mollis

(r) **'Sensation'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose

(r) **'Sensation'** cv. Parentage unknown L: A. Charlton (1957), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls glowing vermilion, with conspicuous anthers

(a) **'Sensuous'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kotobuki-hime' (s) × un-named cultivar R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls 70-75mm wide, with rounded lobes, rosy pink with a purplish red blotch. Mid May. (First published in Holly Springs cat., 1990)

(a) **'Sentinel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Fielder's White' (s) × *kaempferi* R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3-4/truss, 70-75mm wide, with overlapping lobes, amaranth pink (deep purplish pink (72D)) washed with tyrian rose (vivid purplish red (57B)), with an inconspicuous blotch of fine dots (slightly darker than ground colour). Shrub to 2.2m. Late April-early May. Glenn Dale

(r) **Sentinel Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Barclayi Group × Eupheno Group H: Lord Aberconway (1937), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blood red

(a) **'Seora'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Violaceum' (s) × 'Teena Marie' H: D.J. Dosser, G: D.J. Dosser (1980), N: D.J. Dosser, I: D.J. Dosser, REG: D.J. Dosser (1984) Fls strong red (46A), rosebud-shaped. Shrub c0.45 × 0.6m

(a) **'September Bells'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from un-named American seedling L: G. Taylor (1984) Fls hose-in-hose, campanulate, red. Shrub to c1.8m

(r) **'September-Flair'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hachmann's Marina' (s) × *dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* hybrid × *griersonianum* H: H. Hachmann (1985), G: H. Hachmann (1991), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 8-11/flattened dome truss, funnel-campanulate, 40 × 55-60mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, inside light yellow (10B), shading to brilliant yellow (10A) in the throat and with a 2-3mm wide rim of strong yellowish pink (37B); outside light yellow (10B), shaded strong yellowish pink (37B); slight moderate yellow-green (146C) spotting on dorsal lobe; stamens 10, filaments pale yellow (8D), anthers moderate reddish brown (166B); style light yellow-green (154D), stigma strong yellow (153D). Calyx 15-30mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs ovate, 70-95 × 30-42mm, flat to upcurved and slightly wavy, obtuse but with a short point at apex, rounded at base, slightly glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.9m in 10 years. Early September-early October. (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030663). First published in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(r) **'September Snow'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *leucaspis* × *edgeworthii* H: B.W. Campbell (1967), G: B.W. Campbell, N: B.W. Campbell, I: B.W. Campbell (1972), REG: B.W. Campbell (1981) Fls white (155B). Syn: 'Spring Snow'

(r) **'September Song'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Dido Group (s) × 'Fawn' (James) H: C.H. Phetteplace, G: H.E. Greer, N: H.E. Greer, I: Greer Gardens (1988), REG: ARS Willamette Chapter Study Group (1998) Fls 11/domed truss, between open campanulate and funnel-campanulate, 55-65 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-eded lobes, moderate red (47A) in bud, opening brilliant orange-yellow (23B) in centre and at base, with deep pink (51B) margins inside and out; light dorsal speckling of vivid reddish orange (40A). Lvs slightly obovate, 70-110 × 30-50mm, margins slightly downcurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and dark green (136A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.4m in 10 years. Mid May (and occasionally in autumn). (Published in Greer Gardens cat. (1989), plus colour illustration)

(r) **'September Sunset'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* subsp. *apodectum* (s) × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' × 'Harvest Moon' H: D.W. Goheen (1978), G: D.W. Goheen (1990), N: D.W. Goheen, I: C. Hoffman (1995), REG: D.W. Goheen (1995) Fls 8-10/lax truss, campanulate, 50 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish orange (43A) in bud, opening with variable colours even on same inflorescence: about half of flowers light greenish yellow (8B), tinged deep yellowish pink (39B); remaining flowers strong red (39A) or deep yellowish pink (39B) tinged light greenish yellow (8B); all flowers with a vivid reddish orange (43A) blotch; stamens 10, straight, unequal; style strong yellow-green (144C). Calyx irregular, the 3-4 longest lobes 25 × 6mm, brilliant yellow (8A) tinged orange-red, with a vivid reddish orange (43A) basal blotch. Pedicels c40mm long, green at base, deep yellowish pink at apex, glandular. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 102-127 × 25-38mm, flat to convex, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, deep yellowish green (141A), bullate and hairless above, with a light buff, felted indumentum below (ageing to moderate orange-yellow (164B); petioles c15mm long, light green. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 15 years. Mostly mid-September; a few flowers in spring

(r) **'Sequim Sunset'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Redwax' × 'Spanish Lady' H: M. Stockman (1980), G: M. & H. Stockman (1991), N: H. Stockman, REG: M. & H. Stockman (1992) Fls 13/lax truss, open funnel-campanulate, 57 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged

lobes, deep yellowish pink (46D, 47C); stamens 10, straight, unequal; style yellow; stigma lime green. Calyx 6mm long, yellowish coral. Pedicels 29mm long, light green below, brownish red above. Lvs oblanceolate, 83 × 25mm, convex, cuspidate at apex, cuneate at base, matt dark green and hairless above, with a light tan, woolly indumentum below at first but later hairless; petioles 13mm long, brown. Shrub 0.8 × 1.4m in 12 years. Late May

(r) **'Seranande'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *davidsonianum* L: H.E. Greer (1982) Fls pale pink

(a) **'Seraphim'** (Syn. of 'Tancho')

(a) **'Seraphine'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. van Geert (1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange, edged cerise, with a nankeen yellow blotch. Ghent

(r) **'Seraphine'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' (s) × 'Cynthia' R: D. Heinje (1964), N: D. Heinje (1987) Fls pale red, with darker red markings; margins with a narrow, wavy edge. Shrub compact, 0.9 × 1.6m in 24 years

(r) **'Serena'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Jalisco Group × Vanessa Group H: F.E.W. Hanger, G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, I: Royal Horticultural Society (1956), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c7/flat topped truss, campanulate, 70 × 100mm, bright carmine rose (621/2), with cherry (722) at base of corolla; outside pale pink, suffused cherry (722/3). Lvs 175 × 65mm, dark green above. AM 1956

(a) **'Serenade'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum*, orange-flowered form × 'Momozono' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls irregularly hose-in-hose, 2-3/truss, 45-50mm wide, old rose (moderate red (180C)) but appearing salmon pink, with a conspicuous blotch of tyrian rose (vivid purplish red (57B)) on dorsal lobes. Late April-early May. Glenn Dale (Earlier listings of parentage and description were incorrect)

(r) **'Serenata'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Russell Harmon' (s) × *dichroanthum* × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × *campylocarpum* R: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1964) Fls 17/truss, campanulate, 65mm wide, pale orange-yellow (7.5YR 10/4), with a conspicuous, spotted, dorsal blotch of strong orange (2.5YR 5.5/10.5). Calyx petaloid, spotted strong orange. Lvs 110 × 50mm, ovate-elliptic, dull green. Shrub 1.1 × 1.2m in 13 years. Late

(r) **'Serendipity'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × *aureum* R: B.C. Potter, N: B.C. Potter, REG: B.C. Potter (1971) Fls 9-10/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 40 × 65mm, pale yellow-green (4D). Lvs obovate-oblanceolate, 70 × 30mm, dark green. Dwarf, spreading shrub. Mid May

(a) **'Serenity'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *simsii* (s) × *mucronatum* R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-2/truss, 50-70mm wide, clear pink. Shrub to 1.5m tall. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Sericeum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Sericeum Amarantum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A Verschaffelt (1850), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Sericeum Elegans'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1850), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Sericeum Maculatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1850), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Sericeum Pallidum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1850), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Sericeum Superbum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1850), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Serin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* (s) × 'Loder's White' I: C. Ingram, INC: ICRA (1958) (Albino Group)

(r) **'Serious Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Delp's Cindy Lou' (s) × ('Catalgla' × 'Pink Twins') no.5 selection H: W.E. Delp (1981), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 19/truss, open funnel-shaped, 57 × 90mm, 5-lobed, strong, vivid and moderate purplish red (67A, B, 70A) in bud, opening to a blend of deep, strong and moderate purplish pink (68A, B, C), with a white flare and moderate orange (167A) dorsal spots; filaments and style vivid purplish red (57C); anthers moderate orange-yellow (164C); stigma dark red (187A). Lvs 127 × 48mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.4m in 11 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Serotinum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1811), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed under *Azalea nudiflora*)

(r) **'Sesame'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *pachytrichum* I: Lord Aberconway & The National Trust (1963), REG: Lord Aberconway & The National Trust (1963) Fls c8/lax truss, campanulate, white, some flowers tinged shades of light purplish pink (65B). Shrub to 3.0m or more. AM 1963

(a) **'Sesostris'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Standishii' × a Ghent hybrid R: G.H. White (pre 1936), N: G.H. White, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in good trusses, pale flesh pink, flushed and striped dull rose pink and pale yellow, blotch yellow deepening to orange at base. Lvs bronzed when young. Ghent (Originally mis-spelt "Sessostris')

(r) **'Sesterianum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *edgeworthii* (s) × *formosum* R: Firma S. Rinz (pre 1862), N:

Firma S. Rinz, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, dead white with greenish yellow ray above dorsal nectary, tinged rose on outside. Calyx lobes 3-4mm long, scaly below, fringed with silky hairs. Lvs lanceolate to oblanceolate, scaly above and below. FCC 1862

(r) **'Seta'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *spinuliferum* (s) × *moupinense* H: Lord Aberconway (1928), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls tubular-campanulate, 35 × 25mm, white at base, shading to crimson (22/2) on lobes, unmarked. Calyx small, puberulous to scaly. Lvs ovate or elliptic, 30-45 × 15-23mm, sparsely ciliate, dark and dull green above, puberulous and with golden brown scales below. Shrub to 1.2m. AM 1933, FCC 1960. (Seta Group)

(r) **Seta Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *spinuliferum* (s) × *moupinense* H: Lord Aberconway (1928), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1933), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Setchu-no-matsu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Setosum Barbatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Phoeniceum' × *mucronatum* R: Bailleul, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep purple, with white in centre. Indian

(r) **'Sevenac'** (An error for 'Sennocke')

(r) **'Seven Devils'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *macrophyllum* N: B.M. Smith, I: B.M. Smith, REG: B.M. Smith (1987) Fls 14/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 25 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish red (59B), with a deep purplish pink (70C) throat and greyish brown (166A) dorsal spotting extending from ovary to c8mm from margin and with small projections onto adjacent lobes; outside deep purplish red (61A). Calyx 3mm long, moderate purplish red (59C). Lvs narrowlyelliptic, 127 × 51mm, dull and moderate olive green (137A) above, moderate yellow-green (146C) below, hairless; new growth deep greenish yellow (153A) with a tan tomentum. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 8 years. Mid May. (Collected in the wild by B.M. Smith)

(a) **'Seven Dwarfs'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Okina-nishiki' × 'Grace Freeman No. 2' R: J.O. Harris (pre 1981), N: J.O. Harris Fls 65mm wide, of seven different colour combinations (white, variously marked light purplish pink). Lvs variegated with yellow blotches. Shrub 0.6m in 9 years. Late May

(r) **'Seven Seas'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* hybrid H: F. Minch (pre 1990) (Listed as a parent of 'Fred Minch')

(a) **'Seven Stars'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Firma C. Esveld (1984) Fls salmon orange. Shrub up to 0.3m. (Probably an error for 'Mount Seven Star')

(r) **'Seven Stars'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi Sir Joseph Hooker' × *yakushimanum* H: Crown Estate Commissioners, G: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1965), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1966) Fls 12-15/compact, domed truss, campanulate, 45 × 50mm, with wavy-edged lobes, buds strong purplish red (58B), opening very pale pink, almost white, inside lightly tinged strong purplish red (58B), outside more heavily flushed. Lvs 145 × 55mm, oblanceolate to narrowly obovate, dull and light to mid green above, lightly covered with a pale brown, powdery indumentum below at first. Shrub c1.0m in 10 years. AM 1967, *FCC 1974

(r) **'Seventh Heaven'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *sutchuenense*, raised from E.H. Wilson collection, probably W 1232 R: S.R. Clarke, N: R.N. Stephenson Clarke, I: R.N. Stephenson Clarke, REG: R.N. Stephenson Clarke (1978) Fls 14-16/truss, broadly campanulate, 80 × 80mm, white in throat, suffused very pale purple (69A) with numerous small spots of strong purplish red (61B) in dorsal throat; base of outside creamy white. Calyx lobes up to 4mm long, pale green, each lobe tip flushed red-purple. Lvs oblong-oblanceolate, up to 230 × 75mm, dark green above. AM 1978, FCC 1987

(r) **'Seventy-fifth Avenue'** cv. Parentage unknown H: R. Henny (pre 1980)

(r) **'Seven Up'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *aureum* (s) × *maximum* R: W.E. Delp (pre 1995), N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls pale greenish yellow (1D) in bud, opening pale yellow-green (155A) with a light greenish yellow (1C) throat and vivid yellow-green (154A) dorsal spots. (Pollen parent from Jackson Center, Pennsylvania, USA. First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(a) **'Severa'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1835), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Severa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1870), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Severn'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: F.E.W. Hanger, G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society (1956), I: Royal Horticultural Society, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12/domed, compact truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 80mm, strong pink, darkening on tips and on midribs, with an orange-yellow blotch. Lvs 160 × 115mm, glossy and mid green above. Shrub to at least 1.2m. Late May. *HC 1956. Knap Hill

(a) **'Seville'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1926), N: W.C. Slocock Ltd, I: W.C. SlocockLtd, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange. Shrub to at least 3.0m. Knap Hill

(r) **'Seville'** (Syn. of 'Madrid')

(r) **'Seville'** (Syn. of 'Lady Chamberlain Seville')

(r) **'Shaazam'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pink Twins' × 'Leah Yates' H: H.R. Yates (1959), G: H.R. Yates

(1966), N: H.R. Yates, I: Mrs M. Yates (1970), REG: Mrs M. Yates (1976) Fls 8-10/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 95mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, buds bright rose, opening with deep purplish pink (55A) edging, shading to light purplish pink (55C), with a vivid yellow (14B) dorsal flare and gold spotting, becoming greenish in the throat. Calyx minute, strong greenish yellow (153B). Lvs elliptic, 115 × 50mm, glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless; petioles and stems red in winter. Shrub 1.2 × 1.9m in 15 years. Mid-late May. (Sometimes seen in error as 'Shazaam')

(r) **'Shacko'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Little Gem' N: Summerhill Nursery (c 1998)

(r) **'Shadow Secretary'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *elliottii* × Sarita Loder Group H: M.A.C. Noble, G: Sir George Campbell, N: Sir George Campbell, REG: Sir George Campbell (1965) Fls 17-18/large racemose truss, broadly tubular-campanulate, nearly 75mm long, 5-lobed, signal red (719/3), with deeper spots and 5 nectar pouches. Lvs oblong-oblanceolate, up to 250mm long (including petioles), 50-75mm wide, hairless

(r) **'Shady Lady'** cv. Parentage unknown H: D.L. Hardgrove (pre 1964)

(a) **'Shaguma'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, red. Tsutsuji

(r) **'Shah Jehan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Day Dream Group × Margaret Dunn Group R: L.E. Brandt, N: L.E. Brandt, REG: L.E. Brandt (1965) Fls 10-12/truss, out-facing, 40 × 90mm, 7-lobed, brilliant yellow (15C), shaded light yellow (14D) at edges and with burnt orange rays of spots in the throat. Lvs rounded. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. (Sometimes listed in error as 'Shar Jehan')

(r) **'Shaker Sunrise'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: J.C. Cowles, probably (pre 1960), G: Heritage Plantation (c 1960), N: R.H. Gustafson & J. Leonard (1987), REG: Sandwich Club (1998) Fls 8/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 100mm, with 7 smooth-edged lobes, deep and strong pink (50B, 50C, 52D) in bud, opening light purplish pink (55C) and light yellowish pink (36C), with a brilliant yellow (10A) centre, unmarked; outside moderate purplish pink (54D); stigma green. Lvs oblong, 115 × 50mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, moderate olive green (146A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.3 × 0.9m in 10 years. Mid May-June

(a) **'Shakespeare'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: Gebr Kersbergen, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 55mm wide, orange-yellow (21B), tips tinged pink, with a vivid yellow blotch. Midseason. Mollis

(r) **'Shakespeare'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs E.C. Stirling' (s) × 'Essex Scarlet' R: M. Koster & Sons (c 1916), N: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy lilac or bright rose pink

(a) **'Shakunan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Nuccio's Nurseries (1986) Fls single, light orchid pink toning to deeper pink towards edge. (Listed as an Hirado Hybrid)

(r) **'Shalimar'** cv. Raised from open-pollinated seed of a Dexter hybrid G: Mrs H.C. Schlaikjer, N: Mrs H.C. Schlaikjer, I: Mrs H.C. Schlaikjer (1970), REG: Mrs H.C. Schlaikjer (1973) Fls up to 12/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 100 × 115mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, very pale purple (73D), shaded light purplish pink (68D). Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs 190 × 75mm, elliptic, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m in 7 years. Late May. (Original seed collected by P. Vossberg (1955))

(r) **'Shalom'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anna' × 'Antoon van Welie' H: H. Lem (1955), G: N.E. Hess, N: N.E. Hess, I: N.E. Hess (1972), REG: N.E. Hess (1973) Fls up to 16/flattened ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 90mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (58C) in bud, opening white, shaded deep purplish pink (58D), spotted deep purplish red (59B). Calyx c1.5mm long, pale green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 120 × 40mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (137A), hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.9m in 18 years. Mid May

(a) **'Shamrock'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Robin Hill Frosty' × 'Easter Parade' H: R.C. Vines (pre 1990), G: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines Fls single, to hose-in-hose or double, 2-3/truss, 65-75mm wide, with rounded, wavy-edged lobes, white, with a strong greenish yellow blotch. Shrub 0.75 × 0.75m. Early May

(r) **'Shamrock'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *keiskei* (dwarf form) × *hanceanum* Nanum Group H: R.L. Ticknor (1971), G: R.L. Ticknor, N: R.L. Ticknor, I: R.L. Ticknor (1978), REG: R.L. Ticknor (1978) Fls 7-9/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 23 × 30mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, brilliant yellow-green (150C), with slight strong yellow-green (144C) spotting. Lvs elliptic, 20-40(-50)x10-20(-25)mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (147A) above, with moderately spaced, tan scales below. Shrub 0.25 × 0.6m in 6 years. Mid March

(r) **'Sham's Candy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pinnacle' × 'Pink Cameo' R: A.M. Shammarello (1960), N: A.M. Shammarello, I: A.M. Shammarello (1968), REG: A.M. Shammarello (1975) Fls 12/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 75 × 70mm, 5-lobed, buds deep purplish pink (7.5RP 6/12), opening strong purplish pink (7.5RP 7/10), with a prominent, dark yellowish green blotch (10Y 6/7) on the dorsal lobe, outside deep purplish pink (7.5RP 6/12). Calyx 7mm long, strong yellowish green (7.5GY 6/8). Lvs elliptic, 115 × 45mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (7.5GY 4/4) above, hairless. New growth yellowish green. Shrub 1.1 × 1.0m in 10 years. Late May. Syn: 'Candy'

(a) **'Sham's Cascade"** (Syn. of 'Cascade')

(a) **'Sham's Flame'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Fireball' × 'Gable's Flame' R: A.M. Shammarello (c 1951), N: A.M. Shammarello, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 50mm wide, orange-red

(r) **'Sham's Juliet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: red *catawbiense* hybrid × 'Boule de Neige' H: A.M. Shammarello (1943), G: A.M. Shammarello, N: A.M. Shammarello, I: A.M. Shammarello (1961), REG: A.M. Shammarello (1972) Fls in a conical truss, funnel-shaped, 65mm wide, deep pink in bud, opening apple-blossom pink, with a brown blotch. Lvs 90 × 50mm. Compact shrub to 1.4m in 10 years. Late May

(r) **'Sham's Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: red *catawbiense* hybrid × 'Boule de Neige' H: A.M. Shammarello (1943), G: A.M. Shammarello, N: A.M Shammarello, I: A.M Shammarello (1961), REG: A.M. Shammarello (1972) Fls in a ball truss, funnel-shaped, 65mm wide, rose pink, darker at edges and with a light red blotch. Lvs 90 × 50mm. Compact shrub to 1.2m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Sham's Ruby'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kettledrum' × 'America' H: A.M. Shammarello (1943), G: A.M. Shammarello (1950), N: A.M. Shammarello, I: A.M. Shammarello (1955), REG: A.M. Shammarello (1975) Fls 16/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 55mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (10RP 4/12) with a slight blotch of deep purplish red (7.5RP 4/11). Calyx minute. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 55mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (7.5GY 4/4) above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 0.8m in 10 years. Late May. Syn: 'Ruby'

(a) **'Sham's Yellow'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: A.M. Shammarello (pre 1977), N: A.M. Shammarello Fls with wavy-edged lobes, golden in bud, opening lemon yellow; scented. Knap Hill

(a) **'Shamuro'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, white, with purple stripes, spots and lines and occasional purple selfs. Tsutsuji

(r) **'Shanghai'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Furnivall' × white-flowered *catawbiense* × un-named mauve seedling with a golden blotch H: D.G. Leach (1961), G: D.G. Leach (1967), N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1972), REG: D.G. Leach (1973) Fls 17-18/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 95mm, 5-lobed, pale purplish pink (2.5RP 9/2), edge suffused light purplish pink (2.5R 8/5), with strong orange-yellow (7.5YR 7/11) spotting on apical part of dorsal and adjacent lobes, spotting becoming dark greenish yellow (7.5Y 6/7) towards the base. Calyx minute, green. Lvs elliptic, 108 × 45mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, mid green. Shrub 2.0 × 2.5m in 11 years. Late

(a) **'Shanghai Suzie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Margaret Douglas' (s) × 'Sekai-no-hikari' R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls single, 90-100mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, white, with a greenish yellow blotch and red sanding, flecks and sectors. Early June. (First published in Holly Springs cat., 1990)

(r) **'Shangri La'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: General Sir John du Cane Group × *griffithianum* R: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1965), REG: E. de Rothschild (1965) Fls in large trusses, white, flushed pink, with green markings in the throat. May-June. PC 1965 (Shangri La Group)

(r) **Shangri La Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: General Sir John du Cane Group × *griffithianum* R: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1965), REG: E. de Rothschild (1965)

(a) **'Shanna Smart'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Advance' R: Mrs L.B. Orme (pre 1987), N: Mrs L.B. Orme Fls 75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, white at base, shading out to red and then to purple at edges

(r) **'Shanna's Song'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Furnivall' (s) × 'One Thousand Butterflies' H: J. Barlup (1989), G: J. Barlup (1993), N: J. Barlup (1996), REG: J. Barlup (1999) Fls 18/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (60C) in bud, opening inside with a moderate purplish pink (65A) border (c15mm wide), shading to very pale purple (76D) with a strong yellow (153D) dorsal blotch and deep purplish red (59B) nectaries; outside very pale purple (76D) with dorsal lobes and all midribs vivid purplish red (65A). Calyx c10mm long, very pale purple (76D), edged moderate purplish pink (65A). Lvs elliptic, 140 × 50mm, with upcurved margins, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.4m in 9 years. Early May

(a) **'Shannon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Maxwellii' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, 50-65mm wide, pale orange in garden effect (actually paler than begonia rose). Shrub to 1.5m. Early May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Shannon White'** cv. Parentage unknown H: H.L. Larson (pre 1980)

(v) **'Shantung Pink'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: (*konori* var. *phaeopeplum* × *lochiae*) × *leucogigas* × *laetum* H: J.L. Rouse, G: G.L.S. Snell (1988), N: G.L.S. Snell, I: Vireya Venue (1990), REG: Vireya Venue (1991) Fls 8-10/truss, campanulate, 80 × 110mm, 6-lobed, tube strong pink (49A), throat strong yellowish pink (32C); scented. Lvs oblong, 170 × 95mm. Shrub 2.0m. Spring-autumn

(v) **'Shantung Rose'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: (*konori* var. *phaeopeplum* × *lochiae*) × *leucogigas* × *laetum* H: J.L. Rouse (1980), G: J.L. Rouse (1987), N: G.L.S. Snell, I: Shrublands Nursery (1987), REG: Shrublands Nursery (1988) Fls 5/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 60 × 100mm, 6-lobed, deep pink (52C), fading with age. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 55mm, hairless. Shrub 1.0m tall. Spring

(a) **'Shanty'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1968), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1974) Fls double, pale yellowish pink; scented. Knap Hill

(r) **'Shapiro Starbright'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan' (s) × un-named selection from Rhodo Lakes Nurs., known as "Slocock 24" H: B. & M. Shapiro (1965), G: B. & M. Shapiro, N: B. & M. Shapiro, REG: B. & M. Shapiro (1993) Fls 13-15/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 51 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, clear, bright pure red in bud, opening with a 6-10mm wide edging of vivid red (more intense than 52A) and shading abruptly to nearly white; outside slightly lighter than bud colour. Calyx c1mm long, tan. Lvs elliptic, 127 × 51mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.5m in 25 years. Early June. Syn: 'Starbright'

(a) **'Sharaku'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Gyoko' × 'Shogetsu' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65mm wide, with wavy-edged, overlapping lobes, white, with a green throat and vivid yellowish pink flecks, dots and sectors; some with star-shaped white centres and wide margins of vivid yellowish pink. Early. Satsuki

(a) **'Share-moku'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c60mm wide, light persimmon orange, with a few red streaks. Satsuki

(r) **'Shari Laurel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Van New Sensation' × 'Cotton Candy' H: M. Stockman (1982), G: M. & H. Stockman (1991), N: M. & H. Stockman, I: M. & H. Stockman (1992), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1992) Fls 13/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 70 × 114mm, with (5-)6 wavy-edged lobes, dark pink in bud, opening white, flushed light purple (75B) at margins, flushed light purplish pink (65B) outside with deep purplish pink (67C) midribs; pale orange-yellow (23D) blotch in dorsal throat, spotted vivid reddish orange (34A); stamens 9-13, slightly curved, unequal; moderately scented. Calyx 29mm long, reflexed, light purplish pink (65B), with a red blotch. Pedicels 47mm long, light green, tinged red. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 51mm, with wavy margins, acute at apex, cuneate at base, bullate and glossy mid green above, hairless; petioles 13mm long, light green. Shrub 0.8 × 1.4m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Shar Jehan'** (An error for 'Shah Jehan')

(r) **'Sharon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *souliei* (s) × 'Loderi King George' R: D.W. James, N: D.W. James, I: D.W. James (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls saucer-shaped, 125mm wide, white, blotched crimson. Lvs 100-150 × 50-100mm

(a) **'Sharon Joy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (pre 1984) Fls double, white, blotched pink. Indian

(a) **'Sharon Kathleen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Kurume seedling × unknown H: G. Langdon, G: G. Langdon, N: G. Langdon, I: G. Langdon, REG: G. Langdon (1980) Fls hose-in-hose, 25mm wide, pale purplish pink (56A), spotted darker red

(r) **'Sharon Peste'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Purple Splendour' H: F. Peste (1976), G: F. & L. Peste (1982), N: L. Peste, REG: S.P. Johnston (1986) Fls 19/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 44 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (73B), with dorsal spotting of strong greenish yellow (151A). Lvs elliptic, 114 × 51mm, moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (146D) below, hairless. Shrub 0.7 × 0.9m in 9 years. Mid May

(r) **'Sharon Wall'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *souliei* (s) × *wardii* × *viscidifolium* H: G. Dixon (1988), G: G. Dixon (1998), N: G. Dixon (2002), I: G. Dixon (2002), REG: G. Dixon (2002) Fls 4/flat truss, campanulate, 40 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (45B) in bud, opening inside light orange-yellow (16B) flushed strong yellowish pink (35C) with a strong yellowish pink (35C) rim; outside moderate reddish orange (35B); spotting of strong red (46A) on 3 dorsal lobes; stamens strong yellowish pink (35C); style moderate reddish orange (35B); nectar pouches present. Calyx 5mm long, green. Lvs oblong, 90 × 45mm, margins flat, obtuse at apex, cordate at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 0.5 × 0.4m in 16 years. Flowering starting in mid May

(r) **'Sharper Image'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Oh My!' × 'Mary Belle' (s) × 'Oh My!' × 'Mary Belle' R: W.E. Delp (pre 1995), N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls strong red (53C, D) and strong purplish red (54A) in bud, opening vivid reddish orange (34A, B), strong reddish orange (34C) and pale purplish pink (56D), with dark greenish yellow (152D) dorsal spots; filaments pale yellow-green (157B); style light yellow-green (145D); anthers pale yellow (158B); stigma strong yellow-green (145A). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Sharpie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vivacious' (s) × 'Delp's Cindy Lou' R: W.E. Delp (pre 1992), N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls strong red (53B, C) and vivid red (46C) in bud, opening strong red (53D); outside with vivid red (46C) veining; filaments and style vivid red (46B). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Sharpshooter'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tols' (s) × 'Redwing Chip' R: W.E. Delp (pre 1992), N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls deep red (53A), strong red (46A), dark red (59A) and deep purplish red (59B) in bud, opening strong purplish red (70B), deep and moderate purplish pink (70C, D), strong purplish red (71C, D) and very pale purple (69B, C, D); filaments and style deep purplish pink (67C); anthers yellowish white (158D). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(v) **'Shasta'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *konori* × 'Nancy Miller Adler' H: P. Sullivan (1971), G: P. Sullivan (1975), N: W.A. Moynier, I: W.A. Moynier (1977), REG: W.A. Moynier (1980) Fls (6-)8-9(-10)/flattened domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped (with a long, narrow tube), 65 × 55mm, with 5-7 wavy-edged lobes, limb white, tube cream; anthers pinkish; strongly scented. Lvs elliptic, 75 × 45mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, margins upcurved, glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, with tiny, closely-spaced, golden brown scales below. Rounded shrub, 0.7 × 1.1m in 8 years. December-February

(r) **'Shawme Lake'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: on Dexter Estate, N: Heritate Plantation & Swarthmore College (post 1969), REG: E.T. Connors (1998) Fls open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, 6-lobed, moderate purplish pink (74D) inside, with a moderate purplish red (64A) basal blotch and 64A spotted dorsal rays; outside vivid reddish purple (74A). Lvs elliptic, 115 × 50mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 2.3m in c20 years. Mid May. (Published in *Q. Bull. Am. Rh. Soc.* 27(2): 99 (1973))

(a) **'Shawna'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Louise Gable' × 'Helen Close' R: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1969) Fls double, 2/truss, up to 70mm wide, light reddish purple (10P 6/9). Lvs 40 × 13mm. Shrub to 1.2m tall. May

(a) **'Shawnee'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from (*yedoense* var. *poukhanense* × *kaempferi*) F2 R: E.N. Stanton (pre 1987), N: E.N. Stanton Fls reddish orange. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 10 years. Late

(v) **'Shaya'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown I: Vireya Venue (1996) Fls deep rose pink. Strong-growing, bushy shrub to 1.5m tall

(r) **'Shazaam'** (An error for 'Shaazam')

(a) **'Shearer's Special'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably a selection or hybrid of *mucronatum* L: Carter's (1965) Fls single, white, sometimes flushed pale mauve, dorsal lobes speckled violet pink

(r) **'Sheer Delight'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Sheer Delight')

(r) **'Sheer Delight'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Dexter's Harlequin' × unknown H: Swarthmore College (1953), N: J.C. Wister

(a) **'Sheer Joy'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1987), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls in changing shades of yellowish pink

(r) **'Sheffield Park'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C.B. van Nes & Sons, N: C.B. van Nes & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink with brilliant scarlet crimson edges and crimson red exterior

(r) **'Sheffield Park Angelo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* R: Sheffield Park (pre 1950), N: Sheffield Park, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 9/truss, broadly campanulate, 90 × 140mm, pure white, with a faint, greenish yellow blotch deep in the throat. Lvs up to 200mm long. AM 1950 (Angelo Group)

(a) **'Sheila'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Fielder's White (s) × *kaempferi* R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 2-4/truss, 75-90mm wide, slightly deeper than la france pink (moderate purplish pink (54D)), especially on margins and in bud, paling with age. Upright shrub to 1.9m tall. Late April. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Sheila Ann'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Mrs J.F. Caperci, N: Mrs J.F. Caperci, REG: Mrs J.F. Caperci (1969) Fls 8-10/lax truss, 50mm wide, black crimson, spotted black on dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic to oblanceolate, 75 × 30mm, with a loose, fawn indumentum. Shrub 1.0 × 1.2m. Very late

(r) **'Sheila Moore'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *elliottii* (s) × *decorum* R: Lord Digby, N: Lord Digby, I: Lord Digby (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c12/domed truss, broadly campanulate, 75 × 125mm, 7-lobed, rose pink, with darker dorsal spotting. Lvs elliptic, 200 × 75mm, matt green. AM 1948 (Sheila Moore Group)

(r) **Sheila Moore Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *elliottii* (s) × *decorum* R: Lord Digby, N: Lord Digby, I: Lord Digby (1948), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Sheila Osborn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × 'Strategist' R: Kew, N: Kew, I: Kew (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose pink, slightly darker outside. AM 1928

(a) **'Shell'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* × *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* R: J.B. Gable, N: O.S. Pride (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light shell pink

(r) **'Shellaby'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *elliottii* × *fortunei* I: Royal Horticultural Society (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) (Nanceglos Group)

(a) **'Shelley'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: W.G.T. Hyde (1960-1970), G: W.G.T. Hyde, N: Mrs R.G. Legrand, I: Linwood Plants (1995), REG: Mrs R.G. Legrand (1995) Fls open funnel-shaped, 60 × 30mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (64C), opening deep purplish pink (66C) inside and out, strongly speckled strong purplish red (60B) on three dorsal lobes. Calyx 10mm long, strong yellow-green (144C). Lvs elliptic, 50 × 17mm, margins upcurved, matt green above, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 1.1m in 18 years. Late May

(a) **'Shell Pink'** (Syn. of 'Esmeralda')

(r) **'Shell Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* Houlstonii Group × *vernicosum* aff. Rock 18139 H: J.B. Gable (pre 1972) Fls light pink. Distorted foliage

(a) **'Shenandoah'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Girard's Hot Shot' × 'Gloria Kessel' H: R.C. Vines (pre 1990), G:

R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines Fls 2-3/truss, 65mm wide, with very wavy-edged lobes, deep red, with an inconspicuous blotch. Autumn lvs deep crimson. Shrub 0.9 × 0.6m. Late April

(r) **'Shenandoah'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ('America' × *sutchuenense*), open-pollinated G: D.G. Leach (1983), S: D.G. Leach (1982), N: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1986) Fls 16/truss, 45 × 63mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (63B), flushed strong purplish red (63A) on exterior, with a bold dorsal blotch and spotting of strong purplish red (60B). Calyx 3mm long, greenish tan. Lvs elliptic, 135 × 65mm, very thick, hairless. Early May. (Original seed collected by D.G. Leach in 1976)

(r) **'Shepherdii'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet. (Perhaps a synonym of 'Duchess of Cornwall')

(r) **Shepherd's Delight Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Loderi Group (s) × Luscombei Group R: A.W. Heneage-Vivian, N: A.W. Heneage-Vivian, I: A.W. Heneage-Vivian (1927), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, veined deep rose, with crimson brown markings on the dorsal lobe. Syn: Anthony Group

(r) **'Shepherd's Morning'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Norman Gill' × 'Naomi Stella Maris' H: F.E.W. Hanger (1948), G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, I: Royal Horticultural Society (1956), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink. PC 1956

(r) **'Shepway'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Grenadier Group × 'G.A. Sims' H: G.A. Hardy, G: G.A. Hardy, N: G.A. Hardy, I: G.A. Hardy (1976), REG: G.A. Hardy (1976) Fls 15-17/compact, rounded truss, open funnel-campanulate, 70 × 75mm, 5-lobed, deep red (53A) at rim, shading deep in throat to strong red (53D), with considerable darker spotting on the dorsal lobes. Calyx lobes to 30mm long, red, hairy. Lvs oblong-elliptic, up to 165 × 75mm, dark green, with traces of brownish, woolly indumentum below. AM 1976

(a) **'Sherbrooke'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vervaeneanum' × 'Lady Louise' (s) × unknown H: R.D. Gartrell (1967), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell, REG: R.D. Gartrell (1983) Fls 2-3/truss, open funnel-shaped, c30 × 45mm, 5-lobed, strong reddish purple (78B), with prominent vivid reddish purple (74A) dorsal spotting; some stamens petaloid. Calyx 10mm long, moderate yellow-green (139C). Lvs elliptic, 50 × 25mm, moderate yellowish green (138A), hairy. Shrub c0.7m in 14 years. (Originally published as 'Sherbrook', but named after a street in Montreal called 'Sherbrooke'; changed to latter spelling in 1994)

(a) **'Sherbrooke Red'** (Syn. of 'Flame Dance')

(r) **'Sherill'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Fawn' × Jalisco Group H: D.W. James (1959), G: D.W. James and Hendricks Park, I: Mrs R. James (1980), REG: Mrs R. James (1980) Fls 10-12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 150mm wide, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, light yellow (10C), with a 13mm long strong red (46A) blotch in the dorsal throat; strongly scented. Lvs oblanceolate, 230 × 75mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, flat, hairless. Shrub 3.0 × 2.5m in 20 years. Mid May

(a) **'Sherry'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Louise Gable' × 'Ward's Ruby' × 'James Gable' H: W.L. Guttormsen (1968), G: W.L. Guttormsen (1971), N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1979) Fls hose-in-hose, 2-4/truss, 55mm wide, with 5+5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53C). Calyx 40mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs oblanceolate, 45 × 15mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate yellow-green (137C) above, hairless. Shrub 0.4 × 0.6m in 10 years. Mid April

(a) **'Sherwood Cerise'** cv. Evergreen azalea: hybrid of 'Hinodegiri' R: Sherwood Nursery Co., N: Sherwood Nursery Co., I: Sherwood Nursery Co. (1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls40mm wide, deep purplishpink (54A). Kurume

(r) **'Sherwoodianum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* subsp. *cinnamomeum* var. *album* × *catawbiense* R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac rose, copiously spotted chocolate

(a) **'Sherwoodii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: hybrid of 'Hinodegiri' R: Sherwood Nursery Co., N: Sherwood Nursery Co., I: Sherwood Nursery Co. (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 65mm wide, orchid purple (31/1), with a darker blotch on the three dorsal lobes. Syn: 'Sherwood Orchid'

(a) **'Sherwood Orchid'** (Syn. of 'Sherwoodii')

(a) **'Sherwood Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Nuccio's Nurseries (1972) Fls single, deep rich pink. Kurume

(a) **'Sherwood Red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: hybrid of 'Hinodegiri' R: Sherwood Nursery Co., N: Sherwood Nursery Co., I: Sherwood Nursery Co. (1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 45mm wide, blood red (820). Early. Kurume

(a) **'Shibori-asagao'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c50mm wide, paler than wisteria purple, with darker purple tie-dyed markings. Late-flowering. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Shibori-asagao'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, off white, striped wisteria purple. Satsuki (Sometimes seen as 'Shibori-no-asagao')

(a) **'Shichi-fukuju'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Izayoi' × 'Kinkazan' R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50-65mm wide, with rounded lobes, white, heavily striped deep pink, with many variations including deep pink selfs. Satsuki

(a) **'Shichi-henge'** (Syn. of 'Choei')

(a) **'Shide-satsuki'** (Syn. of 'Laciniatum')

(a) **'Shien-no-tsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 75-90mm wide, with well-spaced, rounded lobes, white, with a reddish purple blotch heavily flecked yellowish pink; sometimes suffused pink or with feathered white margins. Satsuki

(a) **'Shifuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 75-90mm wide, with rounded lobes, pale pink at centre, shading to broad, vivid pink margins. Satsuki

(a) **'Shigi'** (Syn. of 'Tsuneshige Rokujo')

(a) **'Shiho'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Taihei' R: Japan (pre 1939), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 75-100mm wide, with broad, rounded, wavy-edged lobes, white, with purplish pink speckles and stripes; occasional selfs of pale to light purplish pink, with a white edge. Satsuki (Previously listed as 'Shi-how')

(a) **'Shiho-kau'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *indicum* I: K. Wada, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls multilobed, purple. Indian

(a) **'Shiki-magaki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, medium-sized, off white, with red hair-line stripes and sanding. Long flowering period. Satsuki (Possibly the same as 'Magaki')

(a) **'Shiki-murasaki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c60mm wide, deep purple. Long flowering period. Syn: 'Chosen-shiki'

(a) **'Shikinkan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Shiki-no-haru'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Shiki-no-magaki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki (Probably the same as 'Shiki-magaki')

(a) **'Shiki-saki-kirishima'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1984), N: Japan (Said to be similar to 'Aka-shiki')

(a) **'Shikishima'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1939), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 2-3/truss, lilac pink on a paler ground; anthers white. Kurume

(a) **'Shiki-takane'** (Syn. of 'Matsushima')

(a) **'Shikizaki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958). Kurume

(a) **'Shikizaki-tsutsugi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1949), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, white, spotted reddish purple. Satsuki

(a) **'Shiko'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Shiho' R: Japan (pre 1977), N: Japan Fls 75-100mm wide, with 5-6, broad, rounded lobes, light purplish pink, with occasional darker stripes. Satsuki

(a) **'Shikokan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, trumpet-shaped, vivid purplish pink with white deep in the centre; stamens and pistil purplish. Early. Satsuki

(a) **'Shiko-no-kagami'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Kami-no-yama' R: Japan (pre 1984), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, very light purplish pink at centre, tipped darker at ends of rounded but pointed lobes. Satsuki (Parent is probably the plant listed here as 'Kami-no-yama-kirin')

(a) **'Shiko-no-tsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, with rounded lobes, purplish pink, with a white throat and a reddish purple blotch. Low spreading habit. Satsuki

(a) **'Shiko White'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Shiko' L: Camellia Lodge Nursery (1984) Fls single, white, with varying degrees of mauve striping. Satsuki

(a) **'Shikuno'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1939), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls doubled at centre, 100mm wide, vivid purplish red. Satsuki (Sometimes listed as 'Shikun-ow'/'Shikun Ow')

(a) **'Shiloh'** cv. Evergreen azalea: un-named purple seedling × 'Hahn's Red' H: L. Yavorsky (c 1978), G: L. Yavorsky, N: L. Yavorsky, I: L. Yavorsky, REG: L. Yavorsky (1989) Fls semi-double (2-6 normal stamens present), 2/terminal truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 44 × 76mm, with 6 smooth-edged lobes, moderate reddish orange (42D) which does not fade. Calyx 3mm long, light green. Lvs obovate, 38 × 19mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, sparsly hairy above and below. Shrub 0.9 × 1.0m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Shilsoneri'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Sir John Ramsden, N: Sir John Ramsden, I: Sir John Ramdsen (1935), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **Shilsonii Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* (s) × *barbatum* R: R. Gill & Sons (c 1890), N: R. Gill & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Shilsonii'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* (s) × *barbatum* R: R. Gill & Sons, N: R. Gill & Sons, I: R. Gill & Sons (1900), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12-15/loose truss, campanulate, 45 × 50mm, blood red with darker veins and inconspicuous, dark brown markings. Calyx pale green, flushed crimson, hairless. AM 1900 (Shilsonii Group)

(a) **'Shimmer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, rose pink. Kurume

(a) **'Shimmer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ivory' (s) × 'Kagetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 50mm wide, white, sanded, flaked and striped rose (strong purplish red (63B)). Broad, spreading shrub to 1.5m tall. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Shimofuri-dan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red, with a short, almost white, corolla-like whorl between corolla and calyx. Lvs very small. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Shimo-murasaki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c60mm wide, light purple. Satsuki

(a) **'Shinano'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Chelsea Reach' (s) × 'Honeysuckle' H: I. Kunio (1980), G: I. Kunio (1988), N: I. Kunio, REG: I. Kunio (1996) Fls hose-in-hose, 10-15/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 55mm, 5+5 lobed (lobes smooth-edged), pale red in bud, inside opening cream changing to white, outside changing from cream to white, with a pale greenish yellow (9D) blotch on dorsal lobe. Calyx 5mm long, pale green. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 50mm, margins decurved, hairy at first. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 15 years

(a) **'Shinimiagagino'** (See note under 'Shin-miyagino')

(a) **'Shining So Bright'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, bright salmon pink, with a soft golden flare covering most of the dorsal lobe and a pink line down the centre of each lobe. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Early June

(r) **'Shinju-hime'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs A.T. de la Mare' (s) × *hyperythrum* H: Y. Kurabayashi (1981), G: Y. Kurabayashi (1987), N: Y. Kurabayashi (1999), I: Akatsuka Nursery (1999), REG: Y. Kurabayashi (2000) Fls 12-15/ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 60 × 60mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, white slightly suffused pink in bud, opening almost pure white inside and out and with a blotch of greenish markings in the dorsal throat. Lvs oblanceolate, 110 × 35mm, margins slightly recurved, glossy green. (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0027703))

(a) **'Shinju-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65mm wide, trumpet-shaped, with rounded, well-spaced lobes, white, blushed pale purplish pink, with a light green blotch. Satsuki

(a) **'Shin-kigen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Bangaku' × 'Sumida' R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 75-100mm wide, with often 6, rounded, overlapping lobes, white, very variable - with sectors, markings and selfs of red to white, with a light yellow-green blotch. Satsuki

(a) **'Shin-kotobuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Kotobuki' R: Japan (pre 1984), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, with 5-6 rounded lobes, white to light pink, with occasional stripes of deep pink and a darker blotch. Low, bushy habit. Satsuki

(a) **'Shinku-no-niji'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Shin-kurenai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c40mm wide, crimson. Satsuki

(a) **'Shinkyo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Yata-no-kagami' R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50-65mm wide, with rounded, spaced lobes, light to strong pink, to white, or light pink with a pale centre (Galle, 1987); white, spotted and speckled red (1958 Register, ex Japanese Satsuki Society, 1955). Satsuki

(a) **'Shinmatsu-kagami'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Matsu-kagami' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, with rounded, spaced lobes, slightly irregular, white with flecks, stripes, dots and blushes from very light yellowish pink to vivid and dark yellowish pink; sometimes selfs with a yellow star centre. Satsuki

(a) **'Shin-miyagino'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: K. Wada (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish red. Kurume (Probably the same as 'Shino-miyagino' and 'Shinimiagagino'; earlier descriptions of the latter listed it as having small, hose-in-hose fls, rose magenta, with white anthers)

(a) **'Shinnan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Holly Heath Nursery (1978) Fls 100mm wide, purplish pink. (Said to be a hybrid from Hirado Island, Japan)

(a) **'Shinnen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 90-100mm wide, with 6 broad, rounded, overlapping lobes, white, with vivid pink flecks and sectors, and a pale green blotch. Early. Satsuki

(a) **'Shinnyo-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65-75mm wide, with broad, rounded, overlapping lobes, white, with flakes, stripes, margins and sectors of vivid purplish pink; occasional pink selfs. Lvs variegated with yellow blotches and dots. Satsuki

(a) **'Shinnyo-no-kagayaki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Shinnyo-no-tsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Sakuragata' × 'Zetsurin' R: Japan (pre 1939), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 75-90mm wide, with broad, overlapping lobes, white at centre, edged vivid purplish red and with occasional reddish selfs. Satsuki

(a) **'Shi-no-ito'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1939), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cream, flushed lilac to lobe tips, blotched chestnut. Kurume

(a) **'Shino-miyagino'** (See note under 'Shin-miyagino')

(a) **'Shi-no-noe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1939), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls greeny cream, with pink edges. Kurume (Galle (1987) treats 'Shi-no-nome' as the correct spelling)

(a) **'Shinonome'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c50mm wide, pale red at first, deeper red as they mature. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Shino-no-ue'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: K. Wada (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls shell pink. (Likely to be the Kurume previously listed as 'Shi-no-ye'/'Shi-no-uye'; Galle (1987) lists a different description under 'Shi-no-uye', so a confusion of plants may also be involved)

(a) **'Shinpow'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1998), N: Japan. Satsuki (Grown in the National Arboretum, USA)

(a) **'Shinsagino-kagasane'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1939), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, soft rose madder, paling in the throat and with crimson spotting; anthers pale. Kurume

(a) **'Shinsei'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Chitose-nishiki' R: Japan (pre 1939), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65-75mm wide, with broad, rounded, slightly overlapping lobes, pale to deep pink, some with white stripes and sectors, variable. Late. Satsuki

(a) **'Shin-sekai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1918), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 2-3/truss, 25 × 25-35mm, creamy white. AM 1921, *AM 1952 Syn: 'Old Ivory'; Wilson no. 3. Kurume

(a) **'Shinsen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Gyoko' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, slightly campanulate, with folded lobes, white, with deep pink and red speckles and stripes; variable, some red selfs. Satsuki

(a) **'Shinsho'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1963), N: Japan Fls c125mm wide, deep purplish pink. (Raised on Hirado Island, Japan)

(a) **'Shinsho-no-hana'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1986) Fls single, medium large, with wavy-edged lobes; white with many variations of pale pink to deep coral red, or white centre edged coral red. Upright shrub. May. Satsuki

(a) **'Shin-sumi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Camellia Lodge Nursery (1980) Fls single, pale pink, edged white. Satsuki

(a) **'Shintaiyo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Banka' × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 90-100mm wide, with broad, wavy-edged, overlapping lobes, white, with stripes and sectors of vivid yellowish pink and a prominent yellowish pink blotch, occasionally suffused with light yellowish pink to white margins. Early. Satsuki

(a) **'Shintoki-no-hagasane'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1918), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, rose, shading to pink, deeper in the centre; stamens deep rose red. Syn: 'Rose Taffeta'; Wilson no. 20. Kurume

(a) **'Shintsune'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1939), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, with very wavy-edged lobes, white; no spotting; anthers greenish. Kurume

(a) **'Shin-utena'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1918), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, tips of lobes strong purplish red (63B) and with a darker blotch (1958 Register); a salmon-coloured plant is also in cultivation under this name (eg. Lee (1965) & Australian catalogues). Syn: 'Santoi'; Wilson no. 28. Kurume

(a) **'Shinyomo-no-haru'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls with large, wavy-edged lobes, pale pink, with an occasional deeper pink blotch. Satsuki

(a) **'Shinyo-no-ko'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, with 5-6, rounded, wavy-edged, overlapping lobes, centre white, with reddish orange borders. Lvs mottled with yellow spots. Satsuki

(a) **'Shi-o'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, deep purple. Satsuki

(a) **'Shiogama'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c50mm wide, white with various light red markings; red and persimmon orange flowers also produced. Lvs marked with white in winter. Satsuki

(a) **'Shio Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* L: C. Esveld (1984) Fls lilac rose. Shrub up to 0.3m

(a) **'Shipley'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Haerens Saumoneus' × 'Gloria' (Sawada) R: E.J. Aromi (pre 1985), N: E.J. Aromi Fls hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, clear pink

(r) **'Shipwash Light'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Mrs R.A. Harrison (1955), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Shira-fuji'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c40mm wide, very white, long lasting but falling before fading. Satsuki

(a) **'Shira-fuji'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Aikoku' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 40-50mm wide, with

slightly irregular, curled lobes, white, with stripes of purplish pink and a blush of light purplish pink; occasional white centre with a margin of strong purplish red, to purplish red selfs. Lvs with a fine, yellowish white margin. Satsuki

(a) **'Shiragiri'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Yokohama Nursery (1932), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, white, with a greenish centre. Kurume

(a) **'Shirahige'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c30mm wide, purple, with white stamens. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Shiraito-no-taki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Reiho' R: Japan (pre 1984), N: Japan Fls 40-50mm wide, irregular, the lobes ragged and split to base (or absent, with only white stamens and pistil present), white, with occasional purplish stripes. Satsuki

(a) **'Shiraito-no-tsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls with white, spaced lobes (or with only stamens and pistil present). Very low, spreading habit. Satsuki

(r) **'Shiralee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Judith Ellen' (s) × 'Cup Day' H: D.J. Dosser (1994), G: D.J. Dosser (1999), N: D.J. Dosser (2000), REG: D.J. Dosser (2001) Fls 17/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 75 × 126mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (57A) in bud, opening inside and out vivid purplish red (57C); moderate purplish red (58A) spots on dorsal lobes. Lvs broadly elliptic, 185 × 65mm, margins decurved, obtuse at apex and base, matt, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 0.8m in 6 years. October-November (Tasmania). (Standard: scanned colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0027981))

(a) **'Shiranami'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c50mm wide, white, lightly tinted cherry blossom pink and with a few red streaks. Satsuki

(a) **'Shirasagi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c40mm wide, white. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Shirasumi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, white, with wavy-edged, rounded lobes; prominent white stamens and pistil. A favourite subject for bonsai. Satsuki

(a) **'Shirataki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls broadly funnel-shaped, at least 40mm wide, white, with very small pink blotches; anthers orange; stigma green. Lvs 25-30mm long, dark green, hairy above and on margins. Kurume

(r) **'Shirlandy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *brachycarpum* × 'Crest' (s) × 'Scotty D' H: W.E. Delp (1987), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 14/truss, open funnel-shaped, 44 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes and some petaloid stamens, vivid and strong reddish orange (42A-C) in bud, opening to a blend of strong yellowish pink (43D), moderate reddish orange (42D), light yellowish pink (19B) and pale yellow (19C), with sparse, deep red (53A) marking in the throat; outside strong yellowish pink (43D) and moderate reddish orange (42D); colour fades gradually to light greenish yellow (3C, D); filaments pale yellow-green (155A); style moderate yellow-green (146C); anthers light yellowish pink (159A); stigma moderate red (181A). Lvs 102 × 44mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.76m in 5 years. Early June

(r) **'Shirley'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (Exbury form) × Thomaleum Group H: A.P. Johnson (1972), G: A.P. Johnson (1977), N: A.P. Johnson, REG: A.P. Johnson (1986) Fls 19/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 57 × 54mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, dark to moderate purplish pink (186C-D) in bud, opening pink and then fading rapidly to yellowish white (155D), with a spotted green blotch at the base of the dorsal lobe. Pink and white trusses present at same time. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 76 × 32mm, dull and moderate olive green (137B) above, with a felt-like, yellowish white (196D) indumentum below. Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m. Early May

(r) **'Shirley Creelman'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'C.I.S.' (s) × 'Apricot Nectar' H: C.C. Barrett (1972), G: A.P. Smith (1980), N: A.P. Smith, I: A.P. Smith (1980), REG: A.P. Smith (1983) Fls 7-14/truss, open funnel-campanulate, 90 × 80mm, 7-lobed, vivid red (46C) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (54B) (fading to strong pink (54C)), shading towards prominent vivid red (46C) lower throat. Calyx 3mm long, light greyish olive (197C). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 125 × 40mm, acute at apex, rounded at base, moderate olive green (137A) above, with a slight, moderate orange (172D) indumentum below. Shrub 1.0m in 8 years. Mid May

(r) **'Shirley-Jean'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group (s) × 'Otis Hyde' H: H.L. Larson (1964), G: H.L. Larson (1973), N: H.L. Larson, I: H.L. Larson (1980), REG: H.L. Larson (1982) Fls 6-7/truss, 90 × 50mm, 5-lobed, strong yellowish pink (38A), heavily spotted strong orange-yellow (22A). Calyx 45mm long, strong yellowish pink (38A). Lvs c125 × 90mm, hairless

(r) **'Shirley Peste'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Lace' × *yakushimanum* H: F. Peste (1976), G: F. & L. Peste (1982), N: L. Peste, REG: S.P. Johnston (1986) Fls 17/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 83mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63A) in bud, opening strong purplish pink (63C), spotted dark red (59A) on dorsal lobe and with strong purplish red (63B) rays down each lobe outside. Lvs elliptic, 127 × 44mm, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, with a very slight indumentum on young foliage. Shrub 0.91 × 0.91m in 9 years. Mid May

(r) **'Shirley Rose Lent'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *strigillosum* × *praevernum* H: B. Nelson (1966), G:

C.G. Heller (1976), N: C.G. Heller, I: C.G. Heller, REG: C.G. Heller (1976) Fls 13/ball truss, tubular-campanulate, 55 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (58B), with some dark red dorsal spotting. Calyx very small. Lvs narrowly elliptic to oblanceolate, 150 × 35mm, acuminate at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (146A) above, with beige indumentum along midrib below; new growth reddish. Shrub 1.1 × 1.0m in 9 years. Late February-early March

(r) **'Shirley Scott'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Nobleanum Group (s) × 'Unique' H: V.J. Boulter, G: V.J. Boulter (1960), N: V.J. Boulter (1962), I: V.J. Boulter, REG: V.J. Boulter (1962) Fls c16/truss, funnel-shaped, 63mm wide, saturn red (13/2-13/3) in bud, opening barium yellow (503). Lvs 100 × 25mm. Shrub 0.75m

(a) **'Shiroamegashita'** cv. Evergreen azalea: ? derived from *stenopetalum* R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan Fls white, with deeply divided corollas

(a) **'Shirobana-miyamakirishima'** (This is not a cultivar epithet, merely the Japanese for a white (shirobana) form of *kiusianum* (miyamakirishima))

(a) **'Shirogane'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1976), N: Japan Fls white. (Raised on Hirado Island, Japan)

(a) **'Shirohanaguruma'** cv. Evergreen azalea: ? derived from *stenopetalum* R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan Fls white, with deeply divided corollas

(a) **'Shiro-kirishima'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c40mm wide, white, of thick texture. Lvs rounded. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Shiro-koshimino'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a few red streaks and strap-like segments between calyx and corolla. Satsuki

(a) **'Shirokujaku'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1976), N: Japan (Raised on Hirado Island, Japan)

(a) **'Shiro-man'e'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double (anemone-centred), white. Syn: 'Haku-botan'. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Shiro-manyo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown, but allied to *mucronatum* R: Japan (pre 1850), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pure white. Syn: 'Narcissiflorum'

(a) **'Shirorizuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, white, with a greenish tint. Syn: 'Gekkyuden'. Satsuki

(a) **'Shiro-ryukyu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown, but allied to *mucronatum* R: Japan (1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white

(a) **'Shiro-satsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. Kurume

(a) **'Shiro-sen'e'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Shiro-shiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c40mm wide, white. Blooms twice. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Shiro-tae'** (Syn. of 'Hatsu-yuki')

(a) **'Shiro-unzen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c20mm wide, white. Lvs small. Syn: 'Kogome-tsutsuji' (Probably *tschonoskii*)

(a) **'Shiryo-no-mai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 5-6-lobed, butterfly-shaped, deep purple (1958 Register, ex Japanese Satsuki Society, 1955); fls 65-75mm wide, single to semi-double, purplish red (Galle, 1987). Satsuki

(a) **'Shiryu-no-homare'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1984), N: Japan Fls single, with narrow, pointed 'spider' lobes, purple. Lvs slender, twisted. Satsuki

(a) **'Shisei'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, spotted purple. Satsuki

(a) **'Shishi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c40mm wide, white ground, with a wide variety of red markings. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Shishinden'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1976), N: Japan (Raised on Hirado Island, Japan)

(a) **'Shishin-nishiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50mm wide, vivid purplish pink, with a slightly darker blotch; stamens and pistil reddish purple. Low, spreading habit. Satsuki

(a) **'Shishoren'** (Syn. of 'Suishoren')

(a) **'Shishu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown, but closely related to *mucronatum* R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double to double, deep purplish pink (68A)

(a) **'Shisui'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kara-ito' × 'Ishiyama' R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 40-50mm wide, lobes ragged, spathulate, divided (often lacking, with only stamens and pistil present). Satsuki

(a) **'Shita-kurenai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c60mm wide, red. Satsuki

(a) **'Shiun'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c40mm wide, deep purple. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Shiun'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Kurume hybrid × *scabrum* I: K. Wada (pre 1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple, with white margins. Kurume (Scabrume Group)

(a) **'Shizuka-no-mai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan, N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple, with white margins and throat. Indian

(a) **'Shizu-no-mai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1978), N: Japan Fls hose-in-hose, up to 30mm wide, pale red (10RP 5/12), with darker stripes; stamens only 2mm long. Kurume

(a) **'Shjuchuke'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1939), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958). Kurume (Probably a garbled name (cf. Galle, 1987))

(r) **'Shocker'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Wizard' (s) × 'Ronald Otto Delp' R: W.E. Delp (pre 1995), N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (60C, D) in bud, opening light and pale purplish pink (62C, D) with deep red (60A) dorsal spots; filaments pale yellow-green (155A); style pale yellow-green (157A); anthers pale yellow (161D); stigma moderate red (179A). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(a) **'Shocking Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Holmes Nurseries (pre 1960) Fls purplish pink

(a) **'Shocking Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: hybrid between two un-named seedlings involving 'Maxwellii', *indicum*, *kaempferi* and Kurume parentage R: USDA, N: USDA (1960), I: USDA (1960), REG: USDA (1961) Fls single, 2-5/truss, c75mm wide, bright clear pink. Lvs semi-persistent. (Derived from the work of G.E. Yerkes & R.L. Pryor)

(az) **'Shocking Pink'** cv. Azaleodendron: 'Chelsea Reach' × 'Ididit No. 1' H: W.E. Delp, G: W.E. Delp (pre 2000) Fls pink

(a) **'Shogetsu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* L: Kyoma Yokata Nursery (1976) Fls white

(a) **'Shogetsu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 75mm wide, with overlapping, sinuate lobes, white, with moderate red flakes and a light green blotch; occasionally with a broad red margin. Satsuki

(r) **'Shogun'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Coronation Day' H: A. Korth (c 1970), G: A. Korth (c 1980), N: M.D. Mossman, I: Mossman's Nursery, REG: F.D. Mossman (1994) Fls 10-11/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 72 × 95mm, with 7 smooth-edged lobes, white, with a red throat consisting of tightly packed, deep red (53A) rays on a strong red (53B) ground; stamens 10-14, straight, unequal; stigma cherry red; sweetly scented. Calyx very short, pale green. Pedicels c50mm long, pale green. Lvs oblong to narrowly obovate, 108-171 × 38-51mm, glossy & moderate yellow-green (148B) above, light yellow-green (145D) below, with sparse, plastered, tawny indumentum. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 10 years. Mid May

(a) **'Shoi Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* S: Greer Gardens (pre 1976), N: Greer Gardens Fls purplish pink

(a) **'Shoji-kuruma'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Shojo-no-mai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: possibly a Satsuki × form of *scabrum* R: Japan (pre 1974), N: Japan Fls brilliant red

(a) **'Shojyo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1930), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright red. Kurume

(a) **'Shoka'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 50mm wide, irregular (the 3 dorsal lobes distinct from 2 ventral ones), pale pink, with yellowish pink margins. Satsuki

(a) **'Shokko'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, white, with very variable red markings; white, red and light red flowers also produced. Satsuki

(a) **'Shokko-nishiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50-65mm wide, with rounded lobes, white, variably striped, flecked and sectored vivid yellowish pink; some selfs, some with dark to light pink at centre, with white margins. Satsuki (Said to be one of the oldest cultivars)

(r) **'Shokkou-nishiki'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *degronianum* R: Japan (pre 1997), N: Japan Lvs variegated

(a) **'Shomei'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958). Satsuki (Listed as a parent of 'Bangaku')

(a) **'Shonoshin-kerama'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *scabrum* R: Japan (pre 1982), N: Japan (Listed as a parent of 'Beni-fusha')

(r) **'Shooting Star'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group × un-named white × 'Golden Star' R: D.L. Hardgrove (pre 1964)

(r) **'Shooting Star'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *hippophaeoides* × *racemosum* H: H.E. Greer (1965), G: H.E. Greer (1967), N: H.E. Greer, I: Greer Gardens, REG: H.E. Greer (1989) Fls 4-5/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 13 × 19mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light purple (77D). Calyx minute, reddish. Lvs elliptic, 13-19 × 6mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, scaly above and below. Shrub c0.9m in 10 years. Early April. (Published in *Greer's Guide to Available Rhododendrons*, 1982)

(a) **'Sho-qua'** cv. Evergreen azalea: derived from 'Tanima-no-yuki' R: Japan, N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon pink. Indian

(a) **'Shoqua'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 50mm wide, starry and tubular, the 3 dorsal lobes distinct from 2 ventral ones, pale pink, with deep pink margins. Satsuki

(r) **'Short Circuit'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Besse Howells' (s) × 'Doctor Tom Ring' R: W.E. Delp (pre 1992), N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, deep and strong red (53A, B) in bud, opening strong red (53B) with dark red (59A) dorsal spots; filaments white. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Shortoff'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: dwarf selection from *maximum* I: L.C. Towe, REG: L.C. Towe (1986) Fls 18-20/more-or-less conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 25 × 30mm, 5-lobed, white, with slight, dorsal, yellow-green spotting. Calyx 3mm long, white. Lvs elliptic, 65-100 × 35-50mm, acute at apex, apiculate, rounded at base, margins downcurved, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, with a light, plastered, more-or-less moderate orange (167C) indumentum below (easily rubbed off); new growth tan tomentose. Shrub 1.0 × 0.6m in 10 years (c2.5 × 1.9m in 44 years). Late July. (Selected on Shortoff Mountain, North Carolina, USA by H. Wright)

(r) **'Shorty'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Delp's Small Fry' (s) × 'Hi Tech' H: W.E. Delp (1985), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 6/truss (from multiple buds), open funnel-shaped, 41 × 51mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, dark and moderate purplish pink (186C, D) in bud, opening light purple (77C, D) with moderate reddish orange (178D) spots on the dorsal lobes and a strong reddish purple (72C) throat. Lvs 51 × 25mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, with tan scales. Shrub 0.9 × 0.8m in 7 years. Mid May

(a) **'Shoshi-no-hana'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50mm wide, lobes pointed, strong pink, with dorsal lobes tinged with deep pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Shoshobeni'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, alizarine pink. Kurume

(r) **Shot Silk Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* (s) × *dichroanthum* R: Sir John Ramsden, N: Sir John Ramsden, I: Sir John Ramsden (1933), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Showa-no-homare'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 90-100mm wide, with rounded, overlapping, wavy-edged lobes, white, with a greenish yellow blotch and with stripes and sectors of pale yellowish pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Showa-no-kagayaki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50mm wide, with rounded lobes, white, with red stripes and sectors; occasional red selfs. Satsuki

(r) **'Show Boat'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (Exbury clone) × 'Tumalo' H: C.H. Phetteplace (1962), G: C.H. Phetteplace, N: C.H. Phetteplace, I: C.H. Phetteplace (1975), REG: C.H. Phetteplace (1975) Fls 11-13/ball truss, open funnel-campanulate, 50 × 70mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, pink in bud, opening white with a small yellowish green blotch in the throat. Calyx 2-3mm long, yellowish green. Lvs elliptic to broadly elliptic, 100 × 40mm, rounded at apex and base, hairless above and moderate olive green (5GY 4/3), with a light buff indumentum below. Shrub 1.4 × 1.5m in 12 years. Early-mid May

(a) **'Showboat'** (Syn. of 'Greenwood Showboat')

(r) **'Showdown'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Epoch' × 'Hi Tech' H: W.E. Delp (1985), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 8/truss (from multiple buds), open funnel-shaped, 36 × 44mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, vivid and strong reddish purple (78A, B) and light purple (78C) in bud, opening to moderate purplish pink (78D) and very pale purple (76D) and with strong greenish yellow (151A) dorsal spots. Lvs 44 × 19mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, scaly. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m in 7 years. Mid May. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids* Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Showerer'** (See 'The Showerer')

(a) **'Show Glory'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Berna Park Nurseries (1984) Fls double, lipstick pink. Indian

(r) **'Showoff'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Showoff')

(r) **'Show-off'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Moonstone Group × 'Carolyn Grace' R: A.O. Wright, N: A.O. Wright, I: A.O. Wright, REG: A.O. Wright (1963) Fls in a lax truss, cup-shaped, up to 65mm wide, pale yellow. Lvs 65 × 40mm, dark green. Shrub to 1.0m in 10 years. Early April

(a) **'Show Stopper'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1995) Fls 50mm wide, bright red. Spreading, bushy shrub to c1.0m tall or more. (Sometimes seen as 'Showstopper')

(a) **'Show Time'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Louise Gable' × 'Ward's Ruby' × 'James Gable' H: W.L. Guttormsen (1968), G: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1979) Fls hose-in-hose, 40 × 55mm, funnel-shaped, with 5 flat-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63A). Calyx 35mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs narrowly obovate, 30 × 13mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate yellow-green (137C) above, hairless. Shrub 0.7 × 0.5m in 8 years. Mid May

(r) **'Show Time'** cv. Parentage unknown H: G.W. Clarke (pre 1980)

(a) **'Shozui'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kyokko-nishiki' × 'Izayoi' R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, white, with wavy, reddish purple stripes (1958 Register); fls 50-65mm wide, with broad, pointed lobes, yellowish pink with dots, flecks and sectors of dark yellowish pink and a slight red blotch (Galle, 1987). Satsuki

(r) **'Shrimp'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Atrier Group × Dechaem Group H: J.B. Gable (c 1948), G: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable (Sibling of 'Mary Belle' and 'Gable's Flamingo')

(r) **'Shrimpfield'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Shrimp Girl' × 'Winkfield' H: J.F. McQuire (1979), G: J.F. McQuire (1985), N: J.F. McQuire, REG: J.F. McQuire (1987) Fls 18/truss, funnel-campanulate, 50 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (46C) at base outside, shading in lines to deep yellowish pink (46D), with cream lobes, inside cream, flushed deep yellowish pink (46D), with heavy crimson flecking and two small crimson blotches. Calyx petaloid, up to 30mm long, vivid red (46C). Lvs obovate, 100 × 40mm, with a thin, scurfy, fawn indumentum. Shrub 0.7 × 0.6m. Mid-late May

(r) **'Shrimp Girl'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Fabia Tangerine' R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1970) Fls deep to strong purplish pink (55A-B). Compact shrub, 1.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Shrimp Pink No.1'** (Syn. of 'Caronella')

(r) **'Shrimp Pink No. 2'** (Syn. of 'Vallya')

(r) **'Shrimp Pink No. 3'** (Syn. of 'Llenroc')

(a) **'Shuchu-ka'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cinnabar red, with a white throat (1958 Register); fls 75mm wide, variable: light purple to white in centre with deep pink margins and red dots in the blotch (Galle, 1987). Satsuki

(a) **'Shugetsu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Aikoku' R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, with rounded lobes, white to blush at centre, with a vivid purplish red border; occasional purplish red selfs, or white with sectors of light to dark purple. Satsuki

(a) **'Shuho-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Kozan-no-hikari' R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan Fls 40-50mm wide, star-shaped (with narrow, well-spaced, pointed lobes), strong pink, often with a white edge or tips to the lobes and a red blotch. Satsuki

(a) **'Shuko-no-tsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Kozan-no-hikari' R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, with rounded but spaced lobes, white to blush pink in centre, with a strong reddish orange border. Satsuki

(a) **'Shukubai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, with rounded but spaced lobes, yellowish pink with occasional white selfs, or white with sectors of vivid yellowish pink; stamens white, pistil coloured. Upright habit. Satsuki

(a) **'Shukufuku'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1984), N: Japan Fls 75-100mm wide, with broad, rounded lobes, variable, white to deep pink, with variable markings of strong red. Satsuki

(a) **'Shum-pow'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1939), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 90mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, white, with a purple splash. Satsuki (Also seen as 'Shunpo')

(a) **'Shungaku'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls wisteria purple, with deep pinkish purple and white stripes. Satsuki

(a) **'Shungetsu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Setchu-no-matsu' × 'Hokutose' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 40-50mm wide, with slightly separated lobes, very pale purplish pink, blushed and tipped with light purplish pink. Lvs narrow and twisted. Satsuki

(a) **'Shunpo'** (See note under 'Shum-pow')

(a) **'Shunraku'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls with 3 large, dorsal lobes, white, with light purplish pink margins, some pink with a white margin; very variable. Syn: 'Syunraku'. Satsuki

(a) **'Shun-rei'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1939), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very flat-faced, 75mm wide, 5-8-lobed, white, marked scarlet (few stripes and a little "sanding"). Satsuki

(a) **'Shun-un'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1956), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls often 6-lobed, white, striped and sanded nopal red (slightly brown-red) . Satsuki

(a) **'Shy Girl'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'George Reynolds' × *austrinum* H: G. & T. Elmer (1966), G: G. & T. Elmer (1976), N: G. & T. Elmer, I: G. & T. Elmer (1982), REG: G. & T. Elmer (1984) Fls 14-16/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65mm wide, 5-lobed, light yellow (18A), with a dorsal blotch of vivid orange-yellow (23A); scented. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 80-108 × 25-40mm. Shrub c2.2m in 15 years

(a) **'Shyozui'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Shyozuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Shyughetsu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Camellia Lodge Nursery (1977) Fls single, throat white, edges lavender purple; some purple selfs. Satsuki

(r) **'Siam'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (white fld) (s) × *yakushimanum* H: D.G. Leach (1952), G: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1975), REG: D.G. Leach (1983) Fls 19-20/truss, 40 × 50mm, broadly funnel-campanulate, 5-lobed, deep purplish pink (68A) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (62D), ageing to white, with sparse, brilliant yellow-green (150B) spots. Calyx minute, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 100 × 40mm, margins downcurved, moderate olive green (146A), with an orange-brown indumentum below. New shoots with a tan tomentum. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Late May-early June

(r) **'Si Barnes'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ('Mrs J.G. Millais' × 'La Bar's White')no.1 selection × ('Mrs J.G. Millais' × 'La Bar's White')no.11 selection H: W.M. Fetterhoff (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 18/truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong and vivid purplish red (67A, B) and deep, strong and pale purplish pink (67C, D, 65D) in bud, opening white, with strong greenish yellow (151A) and brilliant and light yellow (10A, B) dorsal spots; filaments and style pale yellow-green (155A); anthers pale orange-yellow (159B); stigma strong yellow-green (145A). Lvs 152 × 64mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.6 × 1.5m in 18 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids* Salley & Greer (1986))

(a) **'Sibelius'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Maxwellii' (s) × 'J.C.van Tol' R: Vuyk van Tol (pre 1931), N: Vuyk van Tol, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 50mm wide, deep yellowish pink (39B), with a chocolate purple blotch. Vuykiana

(a) **'Sibelius Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Sibelius' L: Camperknowne (1968) Fls bright pink

(r) **'Sibilla'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls french white, with a brown eye

(r) **'Sibylle Garrett'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' × *fortunei* × (*wardii* × *dichroanthum*) H: A.A. Raustein (1968), G: A.A. Raustein (1974), N: A.A. Raustein, I: A.A. Raustein, REG: A.A. Raustein (1986) Fls 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (72A) in bud, opening light purple (80C), with a prominent, dark purple (79A) dorsal bloch (30 × 25mm); outside strong purple (80B). Calyx 3mm long, light yellow-green (145D). Lvs near elliptic, 125 × 55mm, with undulate margins, glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, and with some hairs below. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m in 16 years. Mid May

(r) **'Sidekick'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Achiever' (s) × selection from PJM Group H: W.E. Delp (1979), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 7/truss (from multiple buds), broadly funnel-campanulate, 30 × 32mm, 5-lobed, strong and light purple (77B-D) in bud, opening light purple (77C, D); outside strong purple (77B); anthers moderate orange (170C). Lvs 51 × 19mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, scaly. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 13 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Sidestep'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selected 'Waltham' hybrid, open-pollinated G: Weston Nurseries, S: E.V. Mezitt (c 1983), N: R.W. Mezitt, I: Weston Nurseries (1989), REG: R.W. Mezitt (1998) Fls 10/flat, ball truss, open funnel-shaped, c25 × 30mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale greenish yellow (1D) in bud, opening yellowish white (155D), flushed with very pale yellow at first, then with pale purplish pink (62D). Calyx c1.5mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 50 × 20mm, margins flat, decurved, acute at apex, cuneate at base, scaly above and below and on petioles; turning bronze in winter. Shrub 0.6 × 0.75m in 7 years. Early May. (Published in Weston Nurseries cat., 1989, plus illustration)

(r) **'Sidlaw'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *vernicosum* R: E.J.P. Magor, I: Glendoick Gardens (1969), REG: Glendoick Gardens (1969) Fls 9-12/truss, funnel-campanulate, up to 50mm wide, white, flushed purplish pink, with darker veining and a large, deep purplish red (59B) dorsal blotch. Calyx irregular, 5-lobed. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 45mm, dark green above, paler below. PC 1969

(r) **'Sidney Herbert'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (c 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine, with dark spots. Hardy Hybrid (Sometimes listed as 'Sydney Herbert' (A. Leroy, 1889))

(a) **'Sidonia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: van Geert (1852), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **Sidonia Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Rose Perfection' (s) × *fortunei* H: Lord Aberconway (1926), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose pink

(a) **'Sid's Royal Pink'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *schlippenbachii* G: J.B. Gable (1965), S: S.V. Burns (1986), N: Mrs C. Burns, I: J.E. Cross, REG: Mrs C. Burns (1988) Fls single, 5/lax truss, flat saucer-shaped, 19 × 76mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (56A). Calyx 3mm long, brilliant yellowish green (140C). Lvs obovate, 51 × 38mm, upper surface wrinkled, hairless. Shrub 3.4 × 3.4m in 30 years. Early May

(r) **'Sieger'** (See 'Der Sieger')

(a) **'Siegetsu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1998), N: Japan. Satsuki (Grown in the National Arboretum, USA)

(a) **'Siegfried'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (1883), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, vermilion red, shaded with carmine red. Indian

(r) **'Sierra Beauty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Horace Fogg' (s) × 'Point Defiance' H: J.G. Lofthouse (1966), G: J.G. Lofthouse (1971), N: J.G. Lofthouse, I: J.G. Lofthouse (pre 1978), REG: J.G. Lofthouse (1983) Fls c18/truss, 50 × 125mm, 5-lobed, red in bud, open-

ing pale purplish pink (62D), darkening to strong purplish red (58C) at margins, with two dorsal rays of strong purplish red (58B) in the throat. Calyx minute. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 150-225 × 50-75mm, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 17 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Sierra del Oro'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Crest' (s) × *lacteum* H: J.G. Lofthouse (1967), G: J.G. Lofthouse, N: J.G. Lofthouse, I: J.G. Lofthouse (1975), REG: J.G. Lofthouse (1983) Fls 15/truss, 40 × 90mm, open campanulate, 5-lobed, light greenish yellow (3D), with a moderate red (179A) dorsal flare deep in the throat. Calyx minute. Lvs broadly elliptic to elliptic, 75-150 × 50-75mm, obtuse at apex, rounded to slightly auriculate at base, margins downcurved, moderate olive green (147A), with scattered, minute, almost colourless hairs below. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 14 years. Early April

(a) **'Sierra Glow'** cv. Evergreen azalea: purple seedling of unknown parentage × 'Hahn's Red' H: L. Yavorsky (c 1978), G: L. Yavorsky (c 1982), N: L. Yavorsky, I: L. Yavorsky, REG: L. Yavorsky (1987) Fls semi-double (with a few petaloid stamens), 3-12/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 25 × 57mm, 5-lobed, vivid purplish red (61C), with some dorsal spotting of vivid red (57A). Calyx 5mm long, light green. Lvs obovate, 32 × 19mm. Shrub 0.4 × 0.4m in 8 years. Early May

(a) **'Sierra Nevada'** cv. Evergreen azalea: irradiation-induced sport from 'De Waele's Favorite' R: ISRIA, Belgium, N: ISRIA, Belgium, I: ISRIA, Belgium (1976) Fls strong pink (48C), with a narrow white edge and deep pink above the blotch. Lvs smaller and growth more compact then 'Knut Erwen'. Indian

(a) **'Sierra Snow'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Roehrs, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, large, with wavy-edged lobes, white. Indian

(r) **'Sierra Stars'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sunup-Sundown' × 'One Thousand Butterflies' H: J.G. Lofthouse (1979), G: J.G. Lofthouse (1984), N: J.G. Lofthouse, REG: J.G. Lofthouse (1986) Fls 11-13/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 65-90mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (46C) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (56D), with a 7mm wide edging of vivid red (46C), a light gold area of spotting (40 × 20mm) on the dorsal lobe and with vivid red (46C) lines down the centre of each lobe into the base of the throat which is deep pink (52C); outside vivid red (46C). Calyx more-or-less the same length as corolla, vivid red (46C). Lvs between oblanceolate and narrowly obovate, 100-145 × 45-55mm, dark and glossy green above, with a light, patchy, light orange-brown indumentum below. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 6 years. Late April

(r) **'Sierra Sunrise'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Horace Fogg' × 'Point Defiance' H: J.G. Lofthouse, G: J.G. Lofthouse, N: J.G. Lofthouse, I: J.G. Lofthouse (1975), REG: J.G. Lofthouse (1975) Fls in a conical truss, with wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (56D) to white, 'knife-edged' in strong purplish pink (55B), and with a small, reddish blotch. Lvs dark green. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Sierra Sunset'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sunup-Sundown' × 'Lem's Cameo' H: J.G. Lofthouse (1979), G: J.G. Lofthouse (1983), N: J.G. Lofthouse, REG: J.G. Lofthouse (1986) Fls 10-12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 65-75mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, strong salmon in bud, opening deep pink (52B) at edges, shading to light yellowish pink (37D) in lobe centres and in the throat, with two light rays on the dorsal lobe of light orange-yellow (24C); outside edged and striped vivid red (52A), external stripes shaded through 52B-C-D toward base, areas between stripes moderate yellowish pink (38B), light yellowish pink at base (37D). Calyx 20-30mm long, leafy, somewhat reflexed, coloured as corolla. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 75-100 × 25-40mm, with a very light, tan indumentum below. Shrub 0.6 × 0.4m in 5 years. Mid April

(r) **'Sierra Treasure'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Crest' × *lacteum* H: J.G. Lofthouse (1967), G: R.C. Rhodes, N: J.G. Lofthouse & R.C. Rhodes, I: J.G. Lofthouse & R.C. Rhodes, REG: J.G. Lofthouse (1986) Fls c13/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 100-115mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged, reflexed lobes, light greenish yellow (3D), with three maroon blotches in the throat and peripheral spotting on the dorsal lobe. Calyx very small. Lvs between narrowly elliptic and elliptic to between oblong and narrowly oblong, 125 × 75mm, dark green, with a slight tan indumentum below. Shrub 1.9 × 1.9m in 17 years. Mid April

(r) **'Siesta'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' × *yakushimanum* R: J.A. Elliott (pre 1988) Fls pink in bud, opening soft pink, changing to white. Lvs with a light indumentum below. Shrub 0.9m in 10 years. Midseason

(a) **'Sigismond Rucker'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Rachel von Varenhagen' R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1872), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, purplish pink with white edges and a contrasting saffron blotch. FCC 1872 Syn: 'Souvenir de S. Rucker'. Indian (This is the spelling used consistently by L. van Houtte, *e.g.* in *Flore des Serres* 19: 135 (1973), where the blotch of spots is illustrated as red but described as saffron; it is frequently seen listed as 'Sigismund Rucker', sometimes as 'Sigismunde Rucker')

(r) **'Sigismund Rucker'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1890), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls magenta, with a black centre

(r) **'Sigmund Romberg'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: May Day Group (s) × Jasper Group R: C.S. Seabrook (1959), N: C.S. Seabrook, REG: C.S. Seabrook (1964) Fls 12-18/circular, flat truss, campanulate, up to 65 × 75mm, lemon yellow. Shrub 1.0m in 9 years, with an open habit. June

(a) **'Signal'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum*, orange-flowered form (s) × 'Mikawa-murasaki' R: B.Y. Morrison,

N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls starry, 50-55mm wide, rose (strong purplish red (63B)), with a conspicuous tyrian rose (vivid purplish red (57B)) blotch. Shrub to 1.5m tall. Mid-late April. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Signal'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Moser's Maroon' (s) × Tally Ho Group R: B.F. Lancaster (1946), N: B.F. Lancaster, I: B.F. Lancaster (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10-12/truss, open campanulate, 90mm wide, 5-lobed, strong red (53B). Lvs 125-175 × 40-50mm, dull green above, with a slight indumentum below. Shrub of rounded habit, 1.2-1.5m tall. Midseason

(r) **'Signalfeuer'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Deus (c 1940) Fls in a compact, rounded truss, with strongly wavy-edged lobes, centre white, margin pale red, with dark red markings. Syn: 'Quinte II' (Introduced originally as 'Quinte II' .Re-named in 1984 to prevent confusion with Seidel's earlier 'Quinte II')

(a) **'Signalglühen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vuyk's Scarlet' (s) × 'John Cairns' × 'Mother's Day' H: H. Hachmann (1964), G: H. Hachmann (1967), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1979), REG: G. Stück (1983) Fls 2-4/truss, 32-35 × 45-47mm, 5-6-lobed, strong red to deep yellowish pink (39A-B), with slight markings of moderate red (47A); several stamens petaloid. Calyx 3-6mm long, strong yellow-green (144B-C). Lvs 25-30 × 13-17mm. Shrub up to 1.0m

(r) **'Signal Horn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Atrosanguineum' × 'Goldsworth Yellow' H: G.G. Nearing (1962), G: G.G. Nearing, N: G.G. Nearing, I: G.G. Nearing (1972), REG: G.G. Nearing (1973) Fls 8/lax truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 50mm, deep yellowish pink (47C) in bud, opening strong pink (54C) to deep pink (51B) at edges, with a conspicuously spotted blotch of strong red to strong pink (46A-54C). Calyx minute, strong pink (54C). Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 175 × 50mm, cuspidate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and greyish yellow-green (191A) above. Shrub to 1.2m in 10 years. Mid May

(a) **'Signal Light'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown S: L.F. Frisbie, N: L.F. Frisbie, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, deep reddish orange. Shrub up to c2.0 × 1.5m. April-May. (Seedling originally from Gregg McKinnon Garden)

(r) **'Signet'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1847), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy purple. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Signorina'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kalamaika' (s) × 'Perlina' H: H. Hachmann (1987), G: H. Hachmann (1993), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2000), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 15-17/dense ball truss, broadly open funnel-shaped, 45-50 × 70-90mm, with 5-6 strongly wavy-edged lobes, inside white, tinged at first with light to pale purplish pink (65B/C) on midveins, outside similarly coloured; dorsal lobe with an extensive blotch and spotting of dark red (187B/C); stamens 10, filaments white, anthers brownish orange (165B); style light yellow-green (150D), stigma strong greenish yellow (153C); ovary greenish red, silvery hairy. Calyx 1-3mm long, light yellow-green (145B-C). Lvs ovate, 110-130 × 50-55mm, margins usually flat, apiculate to mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, dark glossy green above and with scattered white hairs, with some brown hairs below on the midrib when mature. Shrub 1.6 × 1.7m in 10 years. Early-late May. (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030664). First published in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(r) **'Signor Lablanche'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rosy purple, with yellow spots

(r) **'Sigrid'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marinus Koster' × Pilgrim Group H: Mrs S. Laxdall (1963), G: Mrs S. Laxdall (1967), N: Mrs S. Laxdall, I: Mrs S. Laxdall, REG: Mrs S. Laxdall (1977) Fls up to 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 75mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, phlox pink (625/1), edge and outside darker, with small red spots in the throat. Calyx 10mm long, red. Lvs oblanceolate, 115 × 40mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dark green above, hairless; new growth with red stems. Shrub 1.2 × 0.7m in 15 years. Early June

(r) **'Sigrid Aunsbjorn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: China Group × 'Crest' H: T. Aunsbjorn (1978), G: T. Aunsbjorn (1985), N: T. Aunsbjorn, REG: T. Aunsbjorn (1989) Fls 18/ball truss, saucer-shaped, 60 × 90mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, pale yellow (18C), fading to almost pure white; strongly scented. Lvs oblong, 200 × 110mm, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 0.8m in 10 years. Mid-late May

(a) **'Siho'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 90mm wide, with 6 imbricated lobes, white, with a faint yellow-green blotch and tiny light purple flakes. Satsuki

(a) **'Sikorsky'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, REG: unknown (1968) Fls large, orange-red. Late. (Said to be an old variety grown in Boskoop (The Netherlands) but imported from England)

(r) **'Silberaad's Early'** (Syn. of 'Silberaad's Early Pink')

(r) **'Silberaad's Early Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a selection from the Nobleanum Group R: ? The Netherlands (pre 1900), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12-15/compact truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 25-30 × 45mm, strong pink (52D), fading to white, flushed pink along centre of lobes and with faint, green, dorsal spots. Calyx lobes up to 1.5mm long. Lvs ovate or obovate-lanceolate, c105 × 35mm, dark and glossy green above, thinly brown felted below. Shrub 1.5-2.0m. Very early. Syn: 'Silberaad's Early', 'Nobleanum Silberaad's Early' (May be identical with one of the clones in cultivation as 'Christmas Cheer')

(r) **'Silberfee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Lindsay Smith' (s) × 'Hanano-ego' R: H. Robenek (c 1975-1977) Fls in large, rounded trusses, bright pure white, with a few inconspicuous yellow spots. Lvs very dark green. Shrub 0.8 × 0.7m in c13 years

(r) **'Silberglanz'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Humboldt' × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: H. Hachmann (1968), G: H. Hachmann (1973), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1985), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 11-13/truss, funnel-campanulate, 35-45 × 55-65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, white (155D), dorsal lobe inconspicuously spotted light yellow-green (145B-C). Calyx 2-3mm long, reddish green. Lvs oblong-elliptic, 105-120 × 40-48mm, convex, mucronate at apex, rounded at base, dark green and glossy above, with a thin brown indumentum below. Shrub of rather loose habit, 0.9 × 1.5m in 10 years (1.3 × 2.0m in 18 years). Mid May-early June

(r) **'Silberreif'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: sport from 'Catawbiense Grandiflorum' N: H. Renken (1984) Fls similar to parent, but leaves irregularly edged cream to silvery white. (First found by H. Renken in 1977)

(a) **'Silberrosa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1960) (Listed as a parent of 'Luzi')

(a) **'Silbersee'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Arendsii azalea × 'Amoenum' R: U. Schumacher (pre 1987), N: U. Schumacher Fls 20-28mm wide, white, with yellow markings. Dwarf shrub. Late. Kaempferi

(r) **'Silbervelours'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' (s) × *pachysanthum* H: H. Hachmann (1988), G: H. Hachmann (1994), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 14-16/full truss, ventricose-campanulate, 35-40 × 45-50mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, inside pale purplish pink (65C/D), changing to white, outside also changes to white; a blotch of brilliant yellow-green (149A/B) near throat and spots of the same colour above; stamens 10, filaments white, anthers brownish orange (165B); style light yellow-green (145B/C), stigma brilliant yellow-green (149A). Calyx c1mm long, greenish. Lvs elliptic to rarely obovate, 105-110 × 40mm, margins flat to rarely recurved, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dark green above when mature; young foliage with a white felted indumentum on upper surface persisting for several months (June-October), lower surface with a thick, woolly, moderate orange-yellow to pale yellow (165C/D) indumentum when mature. Shrub 0.7 × 1.1m in 10 years. Late April-early May. (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030665). First published in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(r) **'Silberwolke'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' (s) × 'Album Novum' H: H. Hachmann (1963), G: H. Hachmann (1968), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1978), REG: G. Stück (1983) Fls 12-16/truss, 45-50 × 50-60mm, 5-lobed, pale purplish pink (65D) with some moderate purplish pink (65A) on the limb and on the outside, midvein slightly tinged moderate to light purplish pink (65A-B), spotted strong to brilliant greenish yellow (151A-D). Calyx 2-3mm long, greenish. Lvs elliptic/ovate, 80-100 × 35-50mm, hairy. Shrub of compact, rounded habit, up to 1.0m

(r) **'Silent Shadows'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Countess of Haddington' × *lindleyi* R: C. Spicer (pre 1998), N: C. Spicer Fls trumpet-shaped, plum pink in bud, opening white, suffused pink and yellow in the throat; sweetly scented. Shrub to 2.0m. Midseason

(r) **'Silent Surprise'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *degronianum* (s) × *aureum* H: B.C. Potter (1969), G: B.C. Potter (1974), N: B.C. Potter, I: B.C. Potter, REG: B.C. Potter (1983) Fls 7-9/truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 55mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, pink in bud, opening pale yellow-green (4D), unmarked. Calyx 3mm long, strong red (53C). Lvs oblanceolate, 55-75 × 20-25mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (137A), with a light brown, floccose indumentum below. New shoots silvery tomentose. Shrub 0.25 × 0.65m in 11 years. Late April

(a) **'Siletz'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Hugh Wormald' × 'Klondyke' R: H.J. Slonecker, N: H.J. Slonecker, I: A. Wright (1965), REG: H.J. Slonecker (1963) Fls 90mm wide, (5-)6-lobed, vivid yellow (17B), suffused pink, the blotch vivid orange-yellow (23A). New foliage bronzed. Midseason

(a) **'Si-lin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Louise Gable' × 'Ward's Ruby' × 'James Gable' R: W.L. Guttormsen (pre 1987), N: W.L. Guttormsen Fls hose-in-hose, 65mm wide, strong red (53B). Upright shrub, c85 × 40cm. Early May

(r) **'Silja'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor V.H. Rutgers' × *viscidifolium* H: D.G. Hobbie (1960), G: B. Leendertz (1967), N: B. Leendertz, I: B. Leendertz (1975), REG: B. Leendertz (1976) Fls 6-8/truss, 40 × 60mm, 5-lobed, deep to strong red (53A-C), lightly spotted dark red (187A). Lvs elliptic, 70-80 × 30-40mm

(r) **'Silk'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *orbiculare* × *souliei* I: Evans (1956), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Silkcap'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *leucaspis* (s) × Cilpinense Group R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white

(v) **'Silken Shimmer'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *konori* (s) × 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' G: F.M. Jury (pre 1988), N: F.M. Jury Fls large, lilac pink, with a greenish throat; carnation-scented. Lvs large, dark green, with a thick indumentum below. Shrub of open, erect habit, to 1.2m. (From seed originating in USA)

(r) **'Silk Ribbon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anita Dunstan' (s) × 'One Thousand Butterflies' H: J. Barlup (1985), G: J. Barlup (1989), N: J. Barlup, REG: J. Barlup (1995) Fls 24/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 ×

65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside edges deep purplish pink (55A) with the interior fading to pale orange-yellow (159B) and with a dark red (59A) star in the throat and moderate purplish red (59C) spotting on the dorsal lobe; outside deep purplish pink (55A); stamens 10, curved. Calyx 30mm long, coloured as corolla. Pedicels 25mm long, moderate red (180B). Lvs elliptic, 102 × 38mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (147C) below, hairless; petioles 20mm long, moderate yellow-green (147C). Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 10 years. Mid April-early May

(r) **'Silky'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1988)

(r) **'Silky Gold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Seattle Gold' × 'Autumn Gold' × 'Bonito' H: H.L. Larson (pre 1983), I: C.C. Smith Fls shades of light yellow. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Late

(a) **'Silver Anniversary'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Gretel' × un-named Beltsville seedling H: G. Taylor, G: G. Taylor (1965), N: G. Taylor, I: G. Taylor (1972) Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, with wavy-edged lobes, pale pink, with white tips

(r) **'Silver Bells'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* × *williamsianum* H: B.F. Lancaster (1957), G: B.F. Lancaster, N: B.F. Lancaster, I: B.F. Lancaster (1965), REG: B.F. Lancaster (1966) Fls 6-7/truss, campanulate, up to 40 × 65mm, with wavy-edged lobes, silvery white, dorsal lobe slightly spotted. Lvs ovate, up to 65 × 40mm, glossy and dark green above. Shrub 40 × 80cm in 8 years. Mid April

(r) **'Silverburn'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *myrtifolium* (s) × *telmateium* H: J.N.J. Hartley (1951), G: J.N.J. Hartley, N: J.N.J. Hartley (1961), REG: J.N.J. Hartley (1961) Fls 3-4/fairly compact, erect truss, 17 × 20-23mm, orchid purple (31/1); scent reminiscent of *myrtifolium*. Moderately compact, dwarf shrub. AM 1958

(a) **'Silver Challis'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Anne Perks' (s) × unknown H: E.W. Jordan (1991), G: E.W. Jordan (1993), N: A.B. Raper (1993), REG: E.W. Jordan (1997) Fls 2/open, flat truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 30mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, white (155C) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (56D) inside and white (155C) outside; scented. Lvs broadly elliptic, 45 × 20mm, flat, mucronate at apex, attenuate at base, matt green above, ciliate. Shrub 0.75 × 0.6m in 4 years. Autumn-spring

(a) **'Silver Cup'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × 'Fukuju' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 1-3/truss, 70-80mm wide, white, with a few flakes of violet red. Broad, spreading shrub to 1.5m tall. Mid-late May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Silver Doctor'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* hybrid × un-named yellow hybrid H: Waterer (Bagshot) (1963), G: Waterer (Bagshot) (1970), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975) Fls 12-14/truss, 50 × 30mm, 5-lobed, apricot in bud, opening pale yellow-green (155A), tinged pale purplish pink (55D). Calyx small. Lvs 60-70 × 20mm. May

(r) **'Silver Edge'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *ponticum* L: UK (1994) Lvs with an irregular silver margin. (Probably a new name for *ponticum* 'Variegatum')

(a) **'Silver Fountain'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Palestrina' × *mucronatum* R: W.G.T. Hyde (1961), N: W.G.T. Hyde, I: W.G.T. Hyde (1971) Fls white, with a chartreuse blotch

(a) **'Silver Frills'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Gretel' × 'Baron de Rothschild' R: G. Taylor (pre 1984), N: G. Taylor Fls semi-double, silvery white, tinged very pale pink in centre and with slight yellowish spotting. Shrub c0.9m

(a) **'Silver Gem'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Scarlet Gem' G: Camellia Lodge Nursery (1979), N: Camellia Lodge Nursery, I: Camellia Lodge Nursery (1983), REG: Camellia Lodge Nursery (1988) Fls hose-in-hose, 2/truss, tubular-campanulate, 20 × 15mm, vivid red (45B). Lvs elliptic, 20 × 5mm, silver variegated. Shrub 0.5m tall. Spring

(a) **'Silver Glow'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Jean Haerens' R: D.W. & V.A. Walker Nursery, N: D.W. & V.A. Walker Nursery, REG: D.W. & V.A. Walker Nursery (1971) Fls hose-in-hose, 38mm wide, strong purplish red (63A). Foliage variegated, tricoloured in the spring, lvs 50 × 15mm. Shrub 0.5m. Indian

(a) **'Silver Jubilee'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Camellia Lodge Nursery (1967) Fls double, cerise. Foliage variegated. Dwarf. Indian

(r) **'Silver Jubilee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs W.C. Slocock' × 'Coronation Day' H: A.F. George (1967), G: Hydon Nurseries, N: Hydon Nurseries, I: Hydon Nurseries (1978), REG: Hydon Nurseries (1978) Fls pale greenish yellow (2D) fading to pale yellow-green (157B-C), with crimson markings in the dorsal throat

(a) **'Silver King'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (pre 1984) Fls pink. Lvs variegated. Indian

(r) **'Silver King'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *yakushimanum* S: G.A.L. Mehlquist (pre 2000)

(a) **'Silver Knight'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Australia (pre 1984) Fls dark pink. Lvs variegated

(a) **'Silver Lace'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' × 'Willy' (s) × 'Mrs Carmichael' × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls1-3/truss, 70-75mm wide, white, with a green blotch and very few purple (vivid reddish purple (78A)) stripes. Broad, spreading shrub to 1.5m. Mid-late May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Silver Lady'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × *smirnowii* H: G. Horstmann (1973), S: J. Wieting (pre 1989) Fls in rounded trusses, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pure rose in bud, opening white with rose tones (especially on the ribs) and with very small green-yellow markings. Lvs with strongly recurved margins

(a) **'Silver Light'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Firelight' G: Camellia Lodge Nursery (1977), N: Camellia Lodge Nursery, I: Camellia Lodge Nursery (1980), REG: Camellia Lodge Nursery (1988) Fls 2/truss, campanulate, 20 × 15mm, vivid red (57A). Lvs elliptic, 20 × 5mm, silver variegated. Shrub 0.5m tall. Spring

(r) **'Silver Lining'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Crest' (s) × 'Naomi Nautilus' H: C. Weeks (1983), G: C. Weeks (1991), N: C. Weeks (2000), I: Westgate Gardens Nursery (2000), REG: C. Weeks (2000) Fls 14/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 75x up to 145mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (51A) in bud, opening pale yellow (11D) inside and out, with a small blotch of moderate red (47A), fading rapidly to cream; 13 stamens; moderately scented. Calyx very short. Lvs ovate, 170 × 90mm, obtuse at apex, oblique at base, margins flat, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 2.0m in 17 years. Early-mid May

(a) **'Silver Mist'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* × 'Kagetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 50mm wide, white, lightly sanded and flaked and with a few stripes of pure magenta (strong purplish red (72A)). Low, spreading shrub to 1.2m tall. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Silver Mist'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1988) Fls lobelia blue. Lvs glaucous. April

(r) **'Silver Mist'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *yakushimanum* L: Bovees Nursery (pre 2000) (Said to have been obtained from A.A. Childers)

(a) **'Silver Moon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' × 'Willy' (s) × 'Mrs Carmichael' × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3/compact, globular truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 65-75mm, with wavy-edged lobes, white, with faint, greenish yellow dorsal spots. Lvs 50 × 25-30mm, light to mid dull green. Broad, spreading shrub to 1.5m. *HC 1968, *AM 1974. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Silver Pink'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J.J. Crosfield, N: J.J. Crosfield, I: J.J. Crosfield (1935), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Silver Prince'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Rose Queen' R: CamelliaLodge Nursery (1973), N: Camellia Lodge Nursery Fls hose-in-hose, pink

(r) **Silver Ray Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *megeratum* (s) × *boothii* Mishmiense Group H: Lord Aberconway (1947), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Silver Ray'** cv. Parentage unknown H: D.L. Hardgrove (pre 1980)

(r) **'Silver Rose'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Oh Joyce' (s) × *aureum* R: W.E. Delp (pre 1995), N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls moderate and strong purplish red (64A, B) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (62D), edged strong purplish red (64C); with dark red (59A) dorsal spots; outside strong purplish red (64C). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995); name established prior to 1st January, 1996

(r) **'Silver Sheen'** cv. Parentage unknown H: H.L. Larson (pre 1980)

(r) **'Silverside'** cv. Parentage unknown H: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (pre 1980)

(r) **'Silver Sixpence'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ((Fabia Group × (*fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × *facetum*)) × (*fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × *griersonianum*) × *wardii* × *yakushimanum* H: Waterer (Bagshot) (1958), G: Waterer (Bagshot) (1967), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975) Fls 8-10/truss, 55-60 × 60-70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, greenish white (155C), spotted moderate yellow (162B), marked/flushed light pink (50D). Calyx very small. Lvs 90-107 × 20-40mm, dark and dull green above. Shrub to at least 1.4 × 2.0m. Early May. *AM 1986

(r) **'Silver Skies'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' × Medusa Group H: F. Fujioka (1976), G: F. Fujioka (1982), N: F. Fujioka, REG: F. Fujioka (1990) Fls 15-16/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 38 × 51mm, with 6 smooth-edged lobes, strong red (51A) in bud, opening pale pink (49D), with deep purplish pink (55A) edging c6mm wide. Calyx 3mm long, strong yellow-green (144A). Lvs oblanceolate, 102 × 32mm, revolute, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green (with heavy white tomentum on new growth), becoming dark bluish green (131A), indumentum below fawn at first, becoming brownish orange (165B). Rounded shrub, 0.8 × 1.0m in 14 years. Late April

(a) **'Silver Slipper'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Exbury (pre 1948), I: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c15/compact, domed truss, funnel-shaped, 100 × 80mm, white, tinged light pink (39D), with a vivid yellow (15B) blotch; margins finely dentate at tips. Lvs 90 × 40mm. Shrub at least 1.2 × 2.2m. Late May. *AM 1962, *FCC 1963. Knap Hill

(a) **'Silver Star'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Louise Gable' × 'Helen Close' R: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1969) Fls double, 2/truss, up to 75mm wide, strong reddish purple (2.5RP 5/10), with a white throat. Lvs 40 × 17mm. Shrub to 1.2m tall. Late May

(v) **'Silver Star'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Star Posy', open-pollinated R: O.S. Blumhardt (pre 1998), N: O.S.

Blumhardt Fls campanulate, white, lightly blushed pink. Shrub of upright habit, to 1.2m

(a) **'Silver Streak'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Deep Purple' N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen (1976), REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1979) Fls hose-in-hose, broadly funnel-shaped, with 5+5 wavy-edged lobes, 55mm wide, strong reddish purple (72B). Calyx lobes 45mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs oblanceolate, 40 × 40mm, hairless, glossy and moderate olive green (137B), with a pale yellow (158B) margin varying in width from 10mm to a very fine line; variably mottled the same colour. Shrub 0.5m in 10 years. (Selected and first propagated by Guttormsen in c1973)

(r) **'Silver-striped'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: hybrid or selection from *ponticum* L: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1867), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Silver Sword'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Girard's Rose' N: W. Hicks, I: Cottage Gardens, REG: D. Gideon (1980) Fls single, 2-8/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50mm wide, with 5-7 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53C) in bud, opening strong red (53D). Calyx 3 mm long, light yellowish pink (36C), hairy. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 40-50 × 13-19mm, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, with an irregular border of white to light yellow (160B); lvs turn dark greyish reddish brown (200A) in winter, with irregular white borders. Shrub 0.3-0.4 × 0.3-0.4m in 3 years. Mid May. (Sport discovered at Cottage Gardens by S.P. Meivogel, 1975)

(a) **'Silver Tears'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (1930-1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, rose lavender. Coolidge

(v) **'Silver Thimbles'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Os's Orania' × *anagalliflorum* H: O.S. Blumhardt (1983), N: O.S. Blumhardt (1985), I: Lyndale Nurseries, REG: O.S. Blumhardt (1990) Fls 3/truss, 30 × 38mm, 5-lobed, white flushed deep purplish pink (55A) at base of throat and tube; lobes cut to half length of corolla; filaments deep purplish pink (55A). Calyx 1mm long, red. Lvs elliptic, 25 × 10mm, deep glossy green above, scaly. Bushy plant to 0.6m. Flowering at any time throughout the year

(r) **'Silver Trumpets'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sunup-Sundown' × un-named Whitney hybrid H: J.G. Lofthouse (1979), G: J.G. Lofthouse (1983), N: J.G. Lofthouse, REG: J.G. Lofthouse (1986) Fls 7-10/truss, trumpet-shaped, 75 × 65mm, 5-lobed, plum red in bud, opening plum, soon fading to white, with moderate red (179A) blotches deep in the throat at the base of each lobe, and with heavy peripheral spotting of moderate red (179A) on the dorsal lobes (blotches and spots become paler with age); outside shaded plum, especially along the tube. Calyx lobes leafy, irregular, strongly reflexed, 45mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs variable, more-or-less oblanceolate, 100-125 × 35-45mm, with light, brownish indumentum on new growth. Shrub 0.5 × 0.4m in 5 years. Early May

(r) **'Silver Twist'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Britannia' × Loderi Group × *yakushimanum* H: Waterer (Bagshot) (1958), G: Waterer (Bagshot) (1965), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975) Fls 12-14/truss, 50 × 50mm, 5-lobed, creamy white. Calyx small. Lvs 100-110 × 30-40mm, with a brownish indumentum. May

(r) **'Silver Wedding'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *edgeworthii* × *veitchianum* Cubittii Group H: G.A. Hardy, G: G.A. Hardy, N: G.A. Hardy, I: G.A. Hardy (1978), REG: G.A. Hardy (1978) Fls c3/loose truss, open funnel-shaped, up to 65 × 100mm, 5-lobed, white, lightly flushed shades of strong red (53) and moderate purplish red (186), dorsal throat spotted and suffused yellow (160) and orange-yellow (162). Calyx irregular, lobes up to 8mm long, ciliate, flushed red. Lvs narrowly elliptic, up to 110 × 40mm, glossy green above, lightly scaly below. PC 1978

(r) **'Silverwells'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Jalisco Group × *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Kings of Shrubs' × 'Crest' H: G. Arblaster (1987), G: G. Arblaster (1991), N: Mrs J. Arblaster (1998), REG: Mrs J. Arblaster (1998) Fls 14/flattened dome truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 70 × 90mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, moderate orange (168C) in bud, opening inside brilliant greenish yellow (6B) shading to light greenish yellow (4C) at edges; outside light greenish yellow (4C); strong greenish yellow (153B) blotch, suffused with yellow spots. Colour hardly fades until corolla falls, leaving behind the then conspicuous calyx (5-10mm long, strong greenish yellow). Lvs oblong, 130 × 55mm, margins flat, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 3.0 × 2.0m or more in 11 years. Mid May-mid June

(a) **'Silver Wings'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × 'Sekidera' I: B.F. Lancaster (c 1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white

(a) **'Silverwood'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Silver Slipper' × unknown H: E.G. Millais (1976), G: E.G. Millais (1979), N: E.G. Millais, I: Millais Nurseries (1984), REG: Millais Nurseries (1990) Fls single, 10/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 60-70 × 80-90mm, 5-lobed, white, flushed pale purplish pink (62D) (fading to white after a few days), blotch vivid yellow (14A) fading to light yellow (14D). Lvs lanceolate to oblanceolate, 100-110 × 30mm, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 2.0m in 10 years. Late May-early June. AM 1990 (Originally listed as seedling TW1)

(r) **'Silvery Moon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Si Si' (s) × 'Serendipity' H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp (Listed as a parent of 'Go Green')

(r) **'Silvery Pink'** cv. Parentage unknown L: USA (1994)

(a) **'Silvester'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Aladdin' (s) × 'Amoenum' R: Boskoop (pre 1963), N: Boskoop, REG: Boskoop (1964) Fls erect, 40mm wide, solferino purple (26/2). Kurume (First published in *De Boomkwekerij* 18 (9), 1963)

(r) **'Silvetta'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Humboldt' × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: H. Hachmann (1968), G: H. Hachmann (1973), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1985), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 9-14/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, white (155D) throughout, dorsallobe slightly spotted with moderate red (184B). Calyx 2-4mm long, light green/whitish. Lvs narrowly oblong, 110-130 × 35-40mm, margins recurved, acute at apex, cuneate-oblique at base, mid green and glossy above, with a thin, light brown indumentum below. Shrub 0.8 × 1.3m in 10 years, of rather loose habit. Mid May-early June

(a) **'Silvia'** (Syn. of 'Blaschek')

(r) **'Silvia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *lanigerum* I: R.O. Hambro (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 40/tight, globular truss, tubular-campanulate, 45 × 50mm, with wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (52B), suffused white, with a narrow, dark crimson ring at the base of the throat. AM 1954

(r) **'Silvia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Van Weerden Poelmann' (s) × 'Goldsworth Orange' R: W. Bruns (1955), N: W. Bruns, I: W. Bruns (1973) Fls c10/truss, 5-lobed, rose at first, later creamy white, with slight rose tinges around the edges and yellow dorsal markings. Lvs elliptic, dark green. Shrub broader than high, to2.0 × 2.5m

(a) **'Silvia's Joy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Mother's Day' × unknown H: unknown, G: O. van der Velden, N: C. Hoogendorn, I: C. Hoogendorn (1988), REG: Royal Boskoop Hort. Soc. (1990) Fls single, 3-5/truss, funnel-shaped, 20 × 20mm, pure orange-red, with a red-purple blotch. Lvs 20-30mm long, hairless. April. (Published in *Dendroflora* 24 (1988))

(a) **'Silvie de Moor'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Caroline de Moor' I: J. Vervaene (1889), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, salmon rose with a dark red blotch which spreads over three dorsal lobes, edged white. Indian

(r) **'Silvio'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1881), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rich purple, with a yellow centre. (Listed apparently in error, as 'Silvis' in the 1958 Register)

(a) **'Sima'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Australia (1996) (Said to be of European origin)

(v) **'Simbu Goldstrike'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Simbu Sunset' × 'Simbu Sunset' H: A. Gray, G: A. Gray, N: G.F. Smith, REG: G.F. Smith (1990) Fls 4-6/truss, open funnel-shaped, 75 × 90mm, 5-lobed, vivid yellow (17C), slightly darker (17A) in the throat; anthers brown; stigma green. Calyx 1mm long, green. Pedicels 50mm long, red on upper side. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 50mm, with brown scales (soon lost on upper surface). Shrub 1.0 × 0.85m. Repeat-flowering

(v) **'Simbu Sunset'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* (s) × *zoelleri* H: T. Lelliott, G: E.B. Perrott, N: G.F. Smith, I: G.F. Smith, REG: G.F. Smith (1984) Fls 4-6/truss, funnel-shaped, 60 × 80mm, 5-lobed, strong reddish orange (31A), shading to brilliant orange-yellow (21B) in centre of lobes and in the throat, outside of tube brilliant orange. Lvs elliptic, 80-100 × 40-80mm, with sparse brown scales. Stems deep red in first year

(r) **'Simita'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × Jalisco Group seedling R: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, REG: E. de Rothschild (1966) Fls maize yellow, with a brown eye and slight brown spotting. (Fred Wynniatt Group)

(r) **'Simmon's Classic'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: contains 'Crest' and unknown yellows H: W.E. Whitney (pre 1973), N: Briggs Nurseries, I: Briggs Nurseries Fls in a lax truss, yellow, with scarlet spotting. Shrub of rounded habit, 0.9m in 10 years

(r) **'Simona'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Harvest Moon' (s) × Letty Edwards Group H: H. Hachmann (1964), G: H. Hachmann (1969), N: H. Hachmann, I: H Hachmann (1978), REG: G. Stück (1983) Fls 12/truss, 45-60 × 80-100mm, 5-lobed, pale purplish pink (56C), edges moderate purplish pink (62B); blotched dark red (to deep purplish red) (59A(-B)), shading inwards to deep red (60A) on pale yellow (18C). Calyx 4-5mm long, brilliant yellow-green (154C). Lvs ovate, 120-170 × 60-100mm, hairless. Conspicuous large buds in autumn

(a) **'Simone Deny'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Moser & Son (pre 1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose carmine, with a yellow blotch. Mollis

(a) **'Simon Mardner'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Rose (1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rose, without a blotch. Early. Indian

(r) **'Simon Stévin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a *catawbiense* selection or hybrid R: J. Byls (pre 1854), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark violet red, spotted black

(a) **'Simplet'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Madame Adolphe d'Haene' × 'Avenir' R: A. Truffaut, I: G.J. Bier & Sons (1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, star-shaped, deep purplish pink (55A). Calyx normal, green. Midseason. Indian

(a) **'Simplet Orange'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Simplet' I: A. Truffaut (1970) Fls red; otherwise similar to parent. Indian

(a) **'Simplicity'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' (s) × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 3-5/truss, 65-75mm wide, light purplish pink, washed light purple. Shrub to 2.2m tall. Mid April. Glenn Dale

(r) **Simplicity Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Loderi Group × Solon Group H: Lord Aberconway (1939), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls brilliant red

(a) **'Simplon'** cv. Semi-evergreen azalea: *yedoense* × unknown H: H. Frei (c 1970), G: H. Frei (1975), N: Firma C. Esveld, I: Firma C. Esveld (1980), REG: Royal Boskoop Hort. Soc. (1990) Fls single, 4-5/truss, funnel-shaped, 30mm long, 5-lobed, purple. Lvs narrowly ovate, 30-50 × 20-30mm, hairless. Shrub 2.5m in 15 years. May

(r) **'Simply Peach'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Apricot Fantasy' × 'Lemon Marmalade' R: S. Imrie (pre 1998), N: S. Imrie

(r) **Simsodour Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'G.A. Sims' (s) × 'Purple Splendour' R: G.H. Loder, N: G.H. Loder, I: G.H. Loder (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rich purple, with a black blotch

(r) **'Simson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goldrausch' × un-named, late-flowering *wardii* hybrid (s) × 'New Comet' H: H. Hachmann (1989), G: H. Hachmann (1995), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 12/conical, rounded truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50-55 × 80-85mm, with (6-)7 slightly wavy-edged, recurved lobes, light greenish yellow (1C) throughout; very inconspicuous spots of strong yellow-green (144C) on dorsal lobe; stamens 14, filaments light yellow-green (150D), anthers pale yellow (164D); style brilliant yellow-green (150C), stigma brilliant yellow-green (150A/B); ovary purplish pink hairy. Calyx 3-4mm long, light yellow-green (144D). Lvs ovate, 80-90 × 40-45mm, slightly wavy-edged, apiculate to mucronate at apex, rounded to cordate at base, matt mid green above with yellow-green midrib and extreme edges, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.5m in 10 years. Late May-early June. (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030666). First published in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(r) **'Sinbad'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish lake, with a light blotch

(r) **'Sinbad'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *concinnum* (s) × Lady Chamberlain Group R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1952), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Sincerity'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from *griffithianum* N: E.G.W.W. Harrison, REG: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1964) Fls 9/open, conical truss, 90 × 140mm, 5-7-lobed, deep pink at first, fading to near white. Habit very similar to *griffithianum*. (Probably a selection made by G.H. Johnstone c1946)

(a) **'Sinense Album Grandiflorum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1875), INC: ICRA (1958) (Probably the same as 'Album Grandiflorum')

(a) **'Sinense Roseum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale, shaded rose (E. S. Rand, 1871). (Probably a Ghent azalea)

(a) **'Sinense Rubrum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: R. Veitch & Son (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as a hardy azalea)

(a) **'Sinense Striatum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1849), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, striped with white. Ghent

(a) **'Sinense Superbum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: R. Veitch & Son (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as a hardy azalea)

(a) **'Sinense Versicolor'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: P.J. Buyck-van der Meersch (pre 1840), N: P.J. Buyck-van der Meersch, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, shaded pink, with a golden flare. Ghent

(r) **'Sinfonia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lem's Tangerine' (s) × 'Anita Dunstan' H: L.L. Newcomb (1985), G: L.L. & E.F. Newcomb (1996), N: L.L. Newcomb (2002), I: Hammond Nursery (2003), REG: E.F. Newcomb (2002) Fls 27-30/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, with 7 flat to slightly wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (58B) in bud, opening inside white (158D) with a conspicuous border of strong purplish red (58B-C) to deep purplish pink (58D), and with a streaked and speckled, brilliant yellow (13B), divided flare on the dorsal lobe and faint speckles of strong orange-yellow (22A) on all lobes; outside strong purplish red (58C) at first, the base of dorsal lobe changing to strong purplish pink (62A) and the remaining lobes to pale purplish pink (62D); stigma dark red (183A), style light yellow-green (145B); anthers greyish red (178A), filaments white (158D). Calyx variable, 6-lobed, 25-45mm long, outside randomly striped strong purplish pink (62A), pale yellowish pink (27D) and white (158D); inside light orange-yellow (22C) and white (158D). Lvs elliptic, 90-150 × 35-65mm, margins flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, shiny and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.5m in 12 years. Late May

(r) **'Singapore'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Fanfare' × 'Gertrud Schäle' H: D.G. Leach (1956), G: D.G. Leach (1961), N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1972), REG: D.G. Leach (1973) Fls 13/domed truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 55mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate to strong red (2.5R 4.5/12) with a pearly overlay. Calyx minute, light brown. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 95 × 40mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, mid green above, hairless. Shrub 0.4 × 0.7m in 16 years, with dark red, dormant buds. Early

(a) **'Singing Fountain'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (1930-1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 45mm wide, strong pink (49A). Coolidge

(a) **'Single Cherry'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, similar to 'Cherry Blossom'. Kurume

(r) **'Singleton Blue'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown, perhaps a *niveum* hybrid I: Clyne Castle (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac/lavender blue

(r) **'Singleton Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown, perhaps a *niveum* × subsect. *Falconera* hybrid I: Clyne Castle (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Lvs elliptic, 170 × 70mm, dull and dark green above, with a thick, mealy, pale buff indumentum below

(a) **'Sing, Sing, Sing'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, pale peach pink, with a large yellow flare. Compact and low-growing. Late June

(r) **'Singular Surprise'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pineapple Delight' × 'Purple Lace' H: J. Hobbs (1988), G: J.D. Winberg (1992), N: S. Imrie (1998), I: Lake Tapps Rhododendron Nursery (1998), REG: S. Imrie (1998) Fls 12/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish purple (72B) in bud, opening moderate purplish red (70A) inside, with a deep purple (79C), spotted flare in the dorsal throat; outside deep purplish red (71A). Calyx 20mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs oblong, 140 × 50mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (137B) above, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.2m in 10 years. Late May

(r) **'Sinius'** cv. Parentage unknown R: L.L. Liebig (pre 1878), N: L.L. Liebig, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Siouxon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *yakushimanum* S: H.L. Larson (mid 1960s), N: D. Balint, REG: D. Balint (1993) Fls 8-10/domed truss, open campanulate, 38 × 38mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, opening strong red (53B) and fading to white; stamens 10, straight, unequal. Pedicels 25mm long, strong orange (168B). Lvs narrowly obovate, 44 × 19mm, convex, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, deep yellowish green (141A) and glossy above, with a felted indumentum below: strong orange (168B) at first, brownish orange (171B) with age; petioles 13mm long, moderate orange-yellow (164B), hairy. Shrub of low, spreading habit, 0.2 × 0.4m in 8 years. Early May. (Known as "Larson's yak no. 6")

(a) **'Siphonanthum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Sir Arthur Conan Doyle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* × Jasper Group R: C.S. Seabrook, N: C.S. Seabrook, I: C.S. Seabrook (1964), REG: C.S. Seabrook (1966) Fls 8-10/flat truss, campanulate, 45 × 65mm, strong orange (26B), with a pink edge, non-fading. Lvs rounded, bluish green. Late

(r) **'Sir Arthur Guiness'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1881), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose

(v) **'Sir Beauchamp Seymour'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: J. Veitch & Sons, N: J. Veitch & Sons, I: J. Veitch & Sons (1882), INC: ICRA (1958) FCC 1882

(r) **'Sir Charles Butler'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown, perhaps a selection or hybrid of *fortunei* R: G. Paul (pre 1898), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c8/lax truss, opening rather flat, with a short tube, 7-lobed, opening delicate rose, fading to more-or-less white; sweetly scented. Syn: 'Mrs Butler', 'Mrs Charles Butler'

(r) **'Sir Charles Lemon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: derived from *arboreum*, perhaps a selection from subsp. *cinnamomeum* R: unknown (pre 1918), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. Lvs with a cinnamon brown indumentum, white when young. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. (Millais says raised from seed sent by Sir Joseph Hooker; perhaps raised at Carclew)

(a) **'Sir Charles Napier'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Knight (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon red. Indian (Some sources (eg J. Veitch cat., 1867) give Kinghorn as originator)

(r) **'Sir Charles Napier'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1867), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with a paler centre, spotted. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Sir Colin Campbell'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish rose, with dark spots of orange. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Siren'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Choremia Group (s) × *griersonianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1931), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls campanulate, 65mm wide, deep yellowish pink (43C), with faint, darker spots on each lobe. Calyx large, rich pink. Lvs with an *arboreum*-like indumentum below. AM 1942 (Siren Group)

(r) **Siren Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Choremia Group (s) × *griersonianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1931), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1942), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Sir Francis Head'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy lake, shaded white at centre

(r) **'Sir Frederick Moore'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × 'Saint Keverne' R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 11-15/compact, globular truss, 50-75 × 75-140mm, open funnel-shaped, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, strong

purplish pink (62A), with slightly dark veins, fading almost to white at margins, blotched and heavily spotted with red at the base of the throat. Lvs oblong to ovate, 140-200 × 40-90mm, dull and mid light green above. Shrub 2.0m. AM 1937, *FCC 1972 (Sir Frederick Moore Group)

(r) **Sir Frederick Moore Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × 'Saint Keverne' R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1937), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Sir Garnet Wolseley'** cv. Parentage unknown I: J. Veitch & Sons (1882), INC: ICRA (1958) FCC 1882

(v) **'Sir George Holford'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: derived from *javanicum* I: Earl of Morley (1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls broadly expanded, orange-yellow, shaded red on margin of corolla. AM 1930

(r) **'Sir George Sansom'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *lacteum* × Luscombei Group R: G. Gorer, N: G. Gorer, REG: G. Gorer (1965) Fls 15/tight, globular truss, campanulate, 65 × 75mm, pale yellow, prominently tinged pink; buds rosy pink. Lvs c110 × 50mm, auriculate at base. AM 1965

(r) **'Sir G.E. Simpson'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1988)

(r) **'Sir Harry Veitch'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls magenta, with a dark eye

(r) **'Sir Henry Havelock'** cv. Parentage unknown R: I. Davies, N: I. Davies, I: I. Davies (pre 1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c18/compact truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 50-60mm, rosy scarlet, edged blood red, shading to pale pink in centre, with an inconspicuous crimson ray. Calyx very small. Lvs elliptic, up to 140 × 50mm, deep, matt green above, hairless below

(r) **'Sir Henry Mildmay'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy crimson. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Sir Henry Wood'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: T.C. Thacker (1962) Fls vivid flame red

(a) **'Sir H. Havelock'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Frost (1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright salmon, dorsal part strongly spotted. Indian

(r) **'Sir Humphrey de Trafford'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1905), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c12/compact truss, flat, 50 × 90mm, dull rosy crimson at edges, shading to pale rose pink in centre, with a ray of brown to olive green markings mainly on the dorsal lobe, speckled crimson on the other lobes. Calyx lobes 1-6mm long. Lvs narrowly elliptic to oblong-oblanceolate, c90 × 30-35mm, matt green above

(a) **'Sirikit'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: U. Schumacher (pre 1987), N: U. Schumacher Fls 40-50mm wide, 1-3/truss, a mixture of pale purplish pink (65C and 62D) and very pale purple (69A)

(r) **'Sirins'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls bell-shaped, pendulous, bright orange; scented. Shrub 2.0m

(r) **'Sir Isaac Balfour'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* × a Hardy Hybrid R: O. Schulz (1892), I: J.H. van Nes (post 1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c9/truss, broadly campanulate, 60 × 80mm, rich pink, mottled white, spotted crimson; fading to white with pink flush on lobes; nectaries crimson. Calyx lobes 3-5mm long. Lvs ovate-lanceolate, up to 160 × 60mm, dark, matt green above, hairless below. Shrub up to at least 1.5m

(r) **'Sir Isaac Brock'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Direktor E. Hjelm' × 'Monique Behring' H: R. Behring (1981), G: R. Behring (1988), N: R. Behring, REG: R. Behring (1989) Fls 11/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 70 × 89mm, with 5-6 wavy to very wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (68D) with strong purplish pink (68B) margins, a moderate yellow (160A) and deep orange-yellow (163A) flare and spotting over the width of two lobes; slightly scented. Calyx very small, mid green. Lvs elliptic, 127 × 51mm, flat, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 8 years. Late May

(r) **'Sir Isaac Newton'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1867), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c15/conical truss, widely expanded, 70-80mm wide, light rosy violet, with a blotch of blackish brown markings. Calyx very small. Lvs elliptic 120 × 40mm, deep green above, with a very thin, brown indumentum below. Shrub up to c4.0m. (Probably the same plant listed by Standish & Noble, 1850; see also note under 'Blatteum')

(a) **'Sirius'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. van Geert (1877), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright carmine red, with an orange blotch (van Geert, 1877-1890); dark purple, streaked white (van Geert, 1899), perhaps another plant. Ghent

(r) **'Sirius'** (Syn. of 'Bruns Sirius')

(r) **'Sirius'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *maddenii* subsp. *crassum* (s) × *cinnabarinum* (Roylei Group) 'Magnificum' H: G. Reuthe Ltd, G: G. Reuthe Ltd, N: G. Reuthe Ltd, I: G. Reuthe Ltd (1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink. PC 1973

(r) **'Sir James'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* hybrid S: J.B. Gable (1936), I: J.B. Gable, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light pink. Lvs mid green. Shrub to over 2.0m. (Selected by J.B. Gable from Planting Fields Arboretum)

(r) **'Sir James Clark'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson , shaded purple. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Sir Jamie Darling'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *falconeri* (s) × *sinogrande* H: J.S. Basford (1961), G: National Trust for Scotland, Brodick (1981), I: National Trust for Scotland, Brodick (1983), REG: National Trust for Scotland, Brodick (1983) Fls 31/truss, 64 × 75mm, 8-lobed, cream. Calyx 3mm long, pale buff. Lvs obovate, 390 × 170mm, with a pale buff indumentum

(r) **'Sir Jasper Goldthorpe'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls mauve

(r) **'Sir John Broughton'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *ponticum* hybrid L: Trillon (1843), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light carmine red, with a strong blotch

(r) **'Sir John Franklin'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep claret

(r) **'Sir John Moore'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a compact truss, deep crimson, with purple spots and white stamens

(r) **'Sir John Ramsden'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Corona' (s) × *thomsonii* R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1926), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10/truss, campanulate, 65 × 65mm, with wavy-edged lobes, pale camellia rose (622/3) inside, outside carmine (21-21/1), changing to very pale pink at margins and midribs pencilled carmine (21). Lvs elliptic, dark green. *AM 1948, AM 1926, *FCC 1955 (Sir John Ramsden Group. Some sources say *thomsonii* was incorrectly recorded as a parent and that *campylocarpum* or *wardii* was involved)

(r) **Sir John Ramsden Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Corona' (s) × *thomsonii* R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1926), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Sir John Tremayne'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1988)

(r) **'Sir John Waterer'** cv. Parentage unknown L: L. de Cock (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep pink. Very early. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Sir Joseph Whitworth'** (Syn. of 'Joseph Whitworth')

(a) **'Sir J. Outram'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Frost (pre 1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet red and bright carmine red, with dark carmine red spots. Indian (Probably the plant listed as 'General Outram' in Floral World, 1859; see also *Proc. Hort. Soc. London*, 1860)

(r) **'Sir Lancelot'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *degronianum* subsp. *heptamerum* R: E. Amateis, N: W. Baldsiefen, I: W. Baldsiefen (pre 1974) Fls clear rose pink, 7-lobed. Lvs lanceolate, 100 × 25mm, with recurved margins, cinnamon red felted below. Habit similar to *yakushimanum*

(r) **'Sir Laurence Peel'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy crimson

(r) **'Sir Nigel'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* subsp. *xanthocodon* Concatenens Group (s) × Lady Chamberlain Group H: A.R. Cook (1970), G: A.R. Cook (c 1975), N: A.R. Cook, I: A.R. Cook (c 1980), REG: A.R. Cook (1995) Fls 6-9/lax truss, tubular-campanulate, 64 × 51mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, vivid yellow (15A) in throat; outside vivid yellow (15B), shading to light orange-yellow (16C) on margins; stamens 10, straight. Pedicels 19mm long, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 76 × 25mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, bluish green and hairless above, with brown scales below and on petioles. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in c12 years. Mid April-mid May

(r) **'Sir Philip'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* hybrid I: Lady Martineau (1938), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Sir Phillip Bennett'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'China Doll' × un-named hybrid H: H.R. Malone (1980), G: S. Hall, N: N. Sullivan, REG: N. Sullivan (1989) Fls 14/truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 90mm, 7-lobed, buds light orange (28C), opening pale yellow (11C), outside suffused and striped moderate purplish pink (62B); flowers age to strong purplish pink (68B) with a light orange-yellow (22B) centre. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 30mm. Shrub 0.5 × 0.8m in 7 years

(r) **'Sir Richard Carton'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid (s) × 'Rubescens' R: C.B. van Nes & Sons, N: C.B. van Nes & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c15/truss, campanulate, 40 × 55mm, rich blood red, with inconspicuous pattern of blackish brown markings; style and stamens cream-coloured. Calyx very small. Lvs elliptic

(r) **'Sir Richard Wallace'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with a yellow centre

(a) **'Sir Robert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Glacier' × 'Tamagiku' × 'Getsutoku' H: R.D. Gartrell (1967), G: R.D. Gartrell (1972), N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell, REG: R.D. Gartrell (1983) Fls single, usually 2/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, with 5-6 broad, wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (55B), throat light purplish pink (55C), rather variable, unmarked. Calyx 17mm long, pale green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 65 × 20mm, moderate olive green (137A) above. Shrub 0.4m tall in 12 years. Early June. (Robin Hill no. T15-8)

(r) **'Sir Robert Menzies'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* (s) × unknown H: K. Van de Ven (1971), G: K. Van de Ven, N: K. Van de Ven, I: Olinda Nurseries, REG: Olinda Nurseries (1995) Fls 16/truss, strong red (53B); style red; anthers black. Lvs lanceolate, 120 × 40mm, margins slightly decurved, with a silvery indumentum below. Shrub 1.2 × 2.0m in 10 years. August

(a) **'Sir Robert Napier'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Smith (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) FCC 1868 (Previously listed in error as a rhododendron)

(r) **'Sir Robert Peel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably an *arboreum* hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 18-20/truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 50mm, rosy scarlet, with ray of black markings. Calyx lobes 1-3mm long, dull red. Lvs elliptic to oblanceolate, c125 × 45mm, with thin brown indumentum below

(a) **'Sir Robert's Witches' Broom'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Sir Robert' R: unknown (pre 1987), N: J.E. Cross, I: J.E. Cross Fls smaller than parent, light purplish pink, with a lighter throat. Lvs smaller. Shrub low and compact

(r) **'Sir Russell Matthews'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* subsp. *delavayi* (s) × Kilimanjaro Group H: R.C. Gordon, G: Pukeiti Rhododendron Trust (1987), N: G.F. Smith, REG: G.F. Smith (1993) Fls 27-30/truss, ventricose-campanulate, 50 × 60mm, 5-lobed, vivid red (46B), heavily spotted dark brown in the tube; nectaries dark; stamens white; style pink. Calyx 1-2mm long, red. Lvs elliptic, 130 × 40mm, dull green above, with a silvery bronze indumentum below. Shrub of arboreal habit, 1.5 × 0.75m in 12 years. Late July-August (New Zealand)

(r) **'Sir Thomas Acland'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1863), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy crimson, with a black blotch (J. Verschaffelt, 1863). Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Sir Thomas Sebright'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple, with a bronze blotch

(r) **'Sir Thomas Wright'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Belgium (1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish

(a) **'Sir T. Spencer Wells'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte (pre 1884), N: L. van Houtte, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, with wavy-edged lobes, crimson. Indian

(v) **'Sirunke Orange'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: seedling from *macgregoriae* G: M. Black, S: M. Black, N: M. Black, I: M. Black (1969), REG: M. Black (1969) Fls 24/truss, tube c8mm long, lobes c20mm long, strongly recurved, inside moderate yellow (162B) shading to strong orange (169B) with faint traces of strong reddish orange (169A) on extremities; outside similarly coloured but orange less noticeable, tube traced by a deeper greyed yellow; slightly scented. Lvs narrowly elliptic, up to 125 × 45mm, lightly covered with small black scales above and below. PC 1969 (Collected as a seedling in New Guinea by M. Black; spelt here as submitted for registration; the village of Sirunki is near Wabag, Wapenemanda, New Guinea)

(v) **'Sirunki Lake'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: natural hybrid, possibly *macgregoriae* × *dielsianum*, obtained pre-1985 under collection number USDA 382-B N: L. Sorensen-Smith (1996), I: Bovees Nursery (1996), REG: L. Sorensen-Smith (1999) Fls 3-8/laxtruss, tubular funnel-shaped, 32 × 32mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate yellowish pink (38B) inside and out, the tube pale yellowish pink (27D) near the calyx. Calyx minute, green. Lvs elliptic, 65 × 30mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, scaly. Shrub 0.75 × 0.75m in 10 years. Flowering intermittently throughout the year. (First published in Bovees Nursery cat., 1996)

(r) **'Sir Walter Raleigh'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine red, with a dark blotch

(a) **'Sir Walter Scott'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Kersbergen (1918), INC: ICRA (1958). Mollis

(r) **'Sir Walter Scott'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac, shading to white, with black spots. Dwarf shrub

(r) **'Sir William Armstrong'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Sir William Lawrence'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* × *oldhamii* R: L. de Rothschild (c 1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, single, funnel-shaped, 45 × 45mm, solferino purple (26/1-26/2), with maroon dorsal spots. Shrub 1.2m. *AM 1958. Oldhamii

(r) **'Sir William Maxwell'** cv. Parentage unknown L: T. Methven & Son (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, beautifully spotted

(r) **'Si Si'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Gold Mohur' H: W.E. Delp (1973), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1995) Fls 12/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 57 × 57mm, 5-6-lobed, moderate and strong red (47A, 53B) in bud, opening light pink and light yellowish pink (50D, 38D), with a light greenish yellow and pale yellow-green (4C, D) throat and strong red (50A) dorsal spots; outside strong pink (48C); filaments yellowish white (155D); style pale yellow-green (155A); anthers pale orange-yellow (159C); stigma strong yellowish pink (32D). Lvs 76 × 29mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.5m tall in 10 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids* Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Siskii'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Siskin'** cv. Deciduous azalea: believed to be *luteum* × *molle* R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1962), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1962) Fls yellow (frost tender in bud). Has the appearance of a fine form of *luteum*. Knap Hill

(a) **'Sisley'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown G: E. de Rothschild (1970s), S: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: Exbury Enterprises (1997), REG: E.

de Rothschild (1997) Fls single, tubular funnel-shaped (opening more-or-less flat-faced), 70 × 100mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside deep pink (48B) paling to strong red (50D), dorsal flare vivid orange-yellow (23A), outside with a white tube and lobes flushed deep pink (48A); filaments and style whitish. Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs obovate, 80 × 40mm. May. (Solent Group)

(r) **'Sissy Pants'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (Exbury form) (s) × 'Rocket' (Shammarello) H: M.J. Whitman (1991), G: M.J. & B. Whitman (1998), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (1998), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (1998) Fls 21/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 30 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (54A) in bud, opening inside pale purplish pink (56B), with a narrow, deep purplish pink (55A) edging, fading to pale purplish pink (56D) at centre, with a brilliant yellow (11A) blotch in the throat and with light yellow (18A) and strong orange-yellow (22A) dorsal spotting; outside pale purplish pink (55D) with deep purplish pink (55A) midveins. Lvs oblong 165 × 55mm, margins decurved, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.5 × 0.5m in 7 years. Mid April

(a) **'Sister Alice'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Strawberry Ice' × 'Moonlight Rose' R: P.E. Girard (pre 1985), N: P.E. Girard Fls up to 30/truss, 50mm wide, with wavy margins, reflexed dorsal lobes white, yellow and orange at base, ventral lobes white, edged moderate purplish pink (62B)

(a) **'Sister Jo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: H. Manten (pre 1996), N: H. Manten

(r) **'Sitting Pretty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Westbury' (s) × 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague' H: M.J. Whitman (1993), G: M.J. & B. Whitman (1998), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (1998), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (1999) Fls single to semi-double, 14/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 100mm, with 5-7(-11) flat or wavy-edged lobes (including petaloid stamens), vivid red (57A) in bud, opening inside vivid purplish red (67B) at edges, shading to white in centre, with very faint, reddish dorsal spotting; outside strong and vivid purplish red (67A-B), with vivid purplish red (57B) midribs. Lvs oblong, 200 × 75mm, margins decurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and slightly darker than moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.7 × 0.6m in 5 years. Early May

(a) **'Siuslaw'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Hugh Wormald' × 'Marion Merriman' H: H.J. Slonecker (1958), G: H.J. Slonecker, N: H.J. Slonecker, REG: H.J. Slonecker (1963) Fls 9-12/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped to more-or-less flat, 5-6-lobed, brilliant yellow (13B-C), with a dorsal blotch of vivid orange-yellow (23A). Lvs light green, tinged bronze. Shrub 2.2 × 1.2m in 15 years. Midseason

(r) **'Siuslaw Pioneer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ilam Orange' (s) × *macabeanum* G: A. McCormack (pre 1960), S: A. McCormack, N: Siuslaw Chapter, Am.Rh.Soc. (2000), REG: Siuslaw Chapter, Am.Rh.Soc. (2000) Fls 16-18/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (39A) in bud, opening inside moderate yellowish pink (37C) blending to light yellow (10B) at the centre and fading to pale greenish yellow (1D), with a few dark red (187B) marks (c13mm long) in the dorsal throat; outside moderate yellowish pink (33D) blending to light yellow (14D) and fading to pale greenish yellow (1D). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 225 × 75mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, with wavy-edged margins, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 10 years. Mid May. (Raised from seed sent to C. Phetteplace from New Zealand)

(a) **'Sizzler'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *cumberlandense* G: Mrs J.W. Hill (c 1980), N: Mrs J.W. Hill, REG: Mrs J.W. Hill (1986) Fls 5-6/truss, narrowly tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, with 5(-6) wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish orange (40A) and strong reddish orange (42B), with an insignificant dorsal blotch. Calyx 7mm long, pale green, hairy. Lvs very dark green, elliptic to narrowly or broadly elliptic, 50 × 25mm, bullate, ciliate, hairy. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 16 years. Late June-early July. (Collected at Gregory Bald, North Carolina, USA, by O. Holmsombach, 1968)

(r) **'Sizzler'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Sizzler')

(r) **'S.J. Dosser'** (See note under 'Hay Lee')

(a) **'Skaidrīte'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *molle* subsp. *japonicum* H: R. Kondratovičs (1957), G: R. Kondratovičs (1967), N: R. Kondratovičs (2002), I: Rhododendron Nursery "Babīte" of University of Latvia (2001), REG: R. Kondratovičs (2002) Fls single, 8-9/strongly domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 75-100 × 75-100mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, inside deep yellowish pink (43C), with an inconspicuous, yellow, dorsal blotch; filaments light yellow, anthers cream; style yellow, stigma green. Calyx 3mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic-oblong, 160 × 50mm, margins wavy, broadly acute at apex, tapered at base, matt green above, with white hairs persistent above when mature. Shrub 2.3 × 2.2m in 15 years. Late May-early June. (Published in *Dārzs un Drava*: 23-24 (November, 2000))

(r) **'Skeeter Hill'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: (*brachycarpum* × 'Crest') no. 4 selection × 'Stokes Bronze Wings' H: W.E. Delp (1978), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 8/truss, open funnel-shaped, 41 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate red (47A) shading to light greenish yellow (4C) and pale yellow-green (4D) in bud, opening pale yellow-green (4D) with a light greenish yellow (4B) flare, light greenish yellow (4C) throat and moderate orange-yellow (164B) dorsal spots; filaments and style greenish white (157D); anthers brownish orange (166C); stigma greyish red (176A). Lvs 110 × 40mm, mucronate at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.3m in 14 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Skerryvore Monarch'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: hybrid of subsect. *Fotunea* H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: Shawme Farm, N: H.S. Young, I: Scott Arboretum (1950), REG: Scott Arboretum (1981) Fls 12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 75mm wide, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (5RP 6/10) with inconspicuous, strong greenish yellow (10Y 8/11) spotting on a near white ground on dorsal lobe; scented. Calyx c1.5mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 65mm, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, flat to slightly wavy at margins, moderate olive green (5GY 4/3) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 2.1m in 30 years. Mid May

(r) **'Skipper'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Fawn' × 'Indian Penny' H: D.W. James, G: D.W. James, N: C.D. Thompson, I: C.D. Thompson (c 1962), REG: C.D. Thompson (1972) Fls up to 14/compact, rounded truss, broadly campanulate, 125mm wide, cream, deepening in throat to pale yellow (11D). Lvs oblong, 150 × 50mm. Shrub under 2.0m. May

(r) **'Skipper Hal'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Evening Glow' × 'Redwax' H: M. Stockman (1980), G: M. & H. Stockman (1991), N: M. Stockman, I: M. & H. Stockman (1992), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1992) Fls 6/lax truss, open campanulate 65 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (46B) in bud, opening strong purplish red (60D); stamens 11, curved, unequal. Calyx up to 30mm long (lobes unequal), coloured as corolla. Pedicels 25mm long, reddish. Lvs narrowly obovate, 95 × 38mm, convex, mucronate at apex, oblique at base, bullate and matt, mid green above, with a felted, light tan indumentum below; petioles 17mm long, light green. Shrub 0.9 × 0.8m in 12 years. Late May

(r) **'Skokomish'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* (s) × 'Doctor H.C. Dresselhuys' R: W.W. Parker, I: R.W. Clark (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft red. Lvs light green

(r) **'Skookum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Mars' × 'America' H: H.L. Larson (1965-1970), N: F. Minch, REG: F. Minch (1986) Fls 15/domed truss, open campanulate, 38 × 57mm, 5-lobed, strong red (46A) throughout. Calyx vestigial. Lvs elliptic, 114 × 38mm, dull green above, hairy below. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 15-20 years. Early May

(r) **'Skookumchuck'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Mars' (s) × 'America' H: H.L. Larson (c 1965), G: F. Minch (c 1970), N: F. & J. Minch, I: Briggs Nursery (c 1993), REG: F. & J. Minch (1998) Fls 20/conical truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 40mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside vivid red (45A) to almost white deep in the throat, with sparse dark spots on the dorsal lobe; outside vivid red (45A). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 150 × 50mm, flat, acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and dark yellowish green (136B) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 10 years. Midseason. (Published in Briggs Nursery cat., 1993-94, p.55)

(a) **'Skyblue Diamond'** (Syn. of 'Diamant Himmelblau')

(r) **'Sky Duke'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Catfortcampy Group (selection no. 19), open pollinated (s) × *macabeanum* H: F. Furman (1978), G: F. Furman (1988), N: F. Furman (1989), REG: F. Furman (2000) Fls 14/lax truss, funnel-campanulate, 55-60 × 60-70mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (62D) inside and out, with several strong purplish red (63A) basal flares varying from c20 to 8mm long, and with several lines of strong purplish red (63A) dorsal spotting extending upwards another 20mm on a pale yellow (12D) ground; with age colour fades to pale cream, flushed pink externally. Calyx c1.5mm long, pale green, with a dark pink edge. Lvs narrowly obovate, 100-200 × 50-90mm, obtuse at apex with an apiculus, rounded at base, with flat to slightly wavy margins and with impressed veins, moderate yellow-green (137C) above, with a thin layer of light tan, floccose hairs below and on petioles. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 20 years. Mid-late April

(r) **'Skyglow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably derived from subsect. *Fortunea* R: R. Veitch & Son (pre 1925), N: W. Baldsiefen (c 1966), REG: Heritage Plantation (1977) Fls 10-12/flat to lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 75mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, pale peach pink, edges pale purplish pink (10P 8/5), and with a pale greenish yellow blotch at base of dorsal lobe; scented. Calyx 3mm long, green-yellow. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 65mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and green above, hairless. Shrub 2.9 × 1.9m in c20 years. ('Dexter's No. 9')

(r) **'Sky King'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Catfortcampy Group (selection no. 19), open pollinated (s) × *macabeanum* H: F. Furman (1978), G: F. Furman (1988), N: F. Furman (1989), REG: F. Furman (2000) Fls 15/lax truss, funnel-campanulate, 55-60 × 55-60mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (48C) in bud, opening inside pale orange-yellow (19D) with seven strong purplish red (63A) basal flares varying from 5-15mm long and very sparse strong purplish red (63A) spotting on the dorsal lobes; outside light purplish pink (62C); with age the ground colour becomes pale cream throughout, irregularly flushed yellow inside and pale pink outside. Calyx c3mm long, pale green, with a red edge. Lvs oblanceolate, 175-325 × 50-125mm, darker than moderate olive green (137A) above, with a thin layer of light tan, floccose hairs below and on petioles. Shrub 1.8 × 1.2m in 20 years. Mid-late April

(a) **'Skylark'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: H.W. Motzkau, N: Yoder Bros, I: Yoder Bros (1973) Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, lobes slightly wavy, pink. (Published in Yoder Bros cat., 1973)

(r) **'Skylark'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* × unknown H: J.B. Gable (pre 1974), G: J.B. Gable, N: W. Baldsiefen, I: W. Baldsiefen (1974), REG: Gable Study Group (1991) Fls 57mm wide, rose pink, paler towards centre. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 152 × 54mm, flat,

acute at apex, mucronate at tip, dull and moderate yellow-green (137C) and hairless above, moderate yellow-green (147C) below, with very short, sparse, reddish brown hairs below (mostly near midrib). Shrub 0.6 × 0.9m in 6 years. Mid June

(r) **'Skylar Rose Nelson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lem's Cameo' × (Fabia Group × Temple Belle Group) (s) × 'Jan-Di-Lyn' × 'Unimak' H: G.H. Kesterson (1985), G: G.H. Kesterson, N: B.V. & K. Nelson (2001), REG: Nelson's Nursery (2001) Fls 16/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53D) in bud, opening inside strong purplish red (54A) at margins, shading through deep purplish pink (54B), strong pink (54C) and moderate purplish pink (54D), to pale greenish yellow (10D) in the throat, with vivid red (45A) spotting at base, outside strong purplish red (54A). Calyx 40mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs oblong, 165 × 65mm, flat, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 12 years. Early May

(a) **'Skyliner'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Skylark' L: Yoder Bros (1973) Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, pink, frosted white. Midseason

(r) **'Sky Wings'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs T.H. Lowinsky' (s) × 'Stokes Bronze Wings' H: A.W. Smith (pre 1989), G: D. Irish-Hosler (1998), N: D. Irish-Hosler (2000), REG: D. Irish-Hosler (2000) Fls 12/domed truss, funnel-campanulate, 40 × 45mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, inside pale greenish yellow (2D) fading to pale yellow-green (155A), with basal spotting of reddish bronze; outside pale yellow-green (155A). Lvs elliptic, 115 × 40mm, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, margins downcurved, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in c12 years. Midseason

(v) **'Slain's Castle'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1993) Fls greenish yellow, with terracotta lobes

(r) **'Slam Dunk'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: unknown (no.58-2) (s) × 'Sefton' H: G.A.L. Mehlquist (1965), G: G.A.L. Mehlquist, N: M.H. Brand (1998), I: Dept. of Plant Science, University of Connecticut (1998), REG: M.H. Brand (1998) Fls 16-20/domed truss, open to broadly funnel-shaped, 40-50 × 70mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, dark red (187A-B & 183A) in bud, opening strong purplish red (72A) and deep and strong purplish red (71A-B), with a dark red (187A) dorsal flare (c30mm wide). Calyx 1mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 50mm, with wavy-edges, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 3.1m in 30 years. Early-mid June

(r) **'Sleea'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *martinianum* I: G. Reuthe Ltd, REG: Mrs K.L. Kenneth (1964) Fls pink. PC 1964

(r) **'Sleepy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: (*yakushimanum* × 'Doncaster'), selfed R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1970) Fls very light purple (75C), with dorsal lobe blotched brown. Compact shrub, 1.0m in 10 years

(a) **'Sleigh Bells'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Helen Close' × 'Madrigal' R: W.L. Guttormsen (c 1966), N: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1967) Fls single, 2-4/truss, to 65mm wide, white, with a chartreuse blotch. Lvs 40 × 20mm. Compact shrub to 45cm tall

(a) **'Sligo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Kyumiyagimo' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 1-4/truss, 40mm wide, pale rose (strong purplish red (63B)). Shrub to 2.2m. Early-mid April. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Slim Jim'** cv. Evergreen azalea: un-named selection (Fischer no. A3) × un-named selection (Bobbink & Atkins no. K-28) H: G.A. Reid (1959), G: G.A. Reid, N: G.A. Reid Fls double, 65mm wide, light pink. Shrub of open habit, c1.0m in 4 years. (Linwood azalea no. L-14)

(r) **'Slippery Rock'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: F4 selection from 'Newport' H: W.E. Delp (1952), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 12/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 53 × 57mm, 5-lobed, vivid purplish red (66A) in bud, opening moderate purplish pink (66D), edged vivid purplish red (66A, B), with a white flare and brilliant greenish yellow (1B) dorsal spots. Lvs 114 × 38mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 2.1m in 40 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Slocock's Late White'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* hybrid N: B. & M. Shapiro (1993), REG: B. & M. Shapiro (1993) Fls 14-16/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 64 × 76mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, white, with a 25mm long, chartreuse blotch in centre of dorsal lobe. Calyx 6mm long, chartreuse. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 127-178 × 51mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dark glossy green. Shrub 2.1 × 1.8m in 40 years. Early June. (Purchased in 1953 from Rhodo-Lakes Nursery as a Slocock hybrid (without name))

(r) **'Slow Waltz'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vicki Reine' (s) × 'Van Nes Sensation' H: M. Stockman (1989), G: M. & H. Stockman (1997), N: M. & H. Stockman (2001), REG: M. & H. Stockman (2001) Fls 11-13/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63A-B) to strong purplish pink (63C) in bud, opening inside light purplish pink (63D) at margins, becoming slightly paler at lobe centres in the throat; outside light purplish pink (63D), paling towards base. Calyx 6mm long, yellow. Lvs oblong, 125 × 40mm, margins downcurved, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, dull and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.4m in 11 years. Early May

(r) **'Small Fry'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Small Fry')

(r) **'Small Fry'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Carmen' × 'Moonstone' H: W. Hill (pre 1975), I: E. Fisher (pre 1988) Fls rose red. Lvs glossy, dark green, on red stems. Shrub 0.6m in 10 years. Early

(r) **'Small Gem'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *pemakoense* × *leucaspis* R: L.F. Frisbee (pre 1982), N: L.F. Frisbee Fls funnel-shaped, pink in bud, white touched light rose on opening; anthers dark brown. Shrub c0.45m. Early

(r) **'Small Wonder'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Fanfare' × 'Prometheus' × *forrestii* Repens Group R: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1972) Fls up to 7/globular truss, 50mm wide, open campanulate, 5-lobed, dark red (2.5R 3.5/10), with small, pale centres and five, conspicuous basal nectaries. Calyx c1.5mm long, reddish. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 75 × 30mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, margins slightly decurved, mid green. Shrub of dense habit, c0.9 × 2.1m in 15 years. Early

(r) **'Smarty Pants'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lem's Cameo' (s) × 'Coker's Pink' H: B. Sligh (1983), G: B. Sligh (1990), N: B. Sligh (1993), REG: B. Sligh (1994) Fls 15/open truss, opening wide, 40 × 85mm, with 6-7 very wavy-edged lobes, buds strong purplish red (63B), opening inside light purplish pink (62C), tipped strong purplish pink (62A); outside strong purplish pink (62A); blotch of deep red spots in throat extending on to dorsal lobes (on 50% of two upper laterals). Calyx 15mm long, yellowish white (155D), tinged pale purplish pink (62D). Lvs elliptic, 110 × 40mm, margins upcurved, acute at apex and base, glossy green; young growth bronze. Shrub 0.9 × 0.8m in 10 years. Mid October-early November

(a) **''S Marvelous'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, bright rose pink, with an orange dorsal flare. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Late June-July

(r) **'Smashing'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Weldy' × 'Serendipity' (s) × 'Dead Ringer' R: W.E. Delp (pre 1992), N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls vivid red (45A), strong red (46A) and deep red (53A) in bud, opening vivid purplish red (57B, C) and pale purplish pink (62D); anthers white. Lvs with an indumentum. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Smew'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Hawk Group × *souliei* R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners (1962), I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1961), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1962) Fls 6-8/truss, pink in bud, opening white, suffused with pink. PC 1961

(r) **'Smiley's Pinkadilly'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *oreodoxa* var. *fargesii* × Riplet Group H: H. Lem (1965), G: L.L. & E.F. Newcomb (1975), N: N. Shanti, I: L.L. & E.F. Newcomb (1992), REG: L.L. & E.F. Newcomb (1992) Fls 5-6/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 76 × 114mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (57A) in bud, opening strong purplish red (63B), fading to light purplish pink (62C), tinged and edged strong purplish pink (68B) and with 3 short, deep purplish red (59B) marks in the throat; outside vivid purplish red (57C); stamens 13, straight, unequal; style vivid purplish red (61C). Calyx 2mm long, moderate orange-yellow (165C). Pedicels 6-13mm long, light orange (26C). Lvs elliptic, 51-127 × 19-44mm, slightly convex, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, slightly bullate, glossy, hairless and moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (148B) below; petioles 10-19mm long, greyish brown (166A). Shrub 1.5 × 2.1m in 27 years. Mid March-early April. Syn: 'Pinkadilly'

(r) **'Smirboy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'China Boy' (s) × *smirnowii* R: H. Hachmann (1964), N: H. Hachmann Fls 9-13/tight, rounded truss, 40-60mm wide, bright rose red, with weak brownish markings

(r) **Smirhaem Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* × *haematodes* H: J.B. Gable (pre 1972) Fls red

(r) **Smirnauck Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* (s) × *griffithianum* R: E.J.P. Magor (1913), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1924), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white

(a) **'Smithianum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: derived from 'Amoenum' I: Smith (1873), INC: ICRA (1958) FCC 1873

(a) **'Smithianum Verum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: unknown (c 1834), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet red. Indian

(a) **'Smithii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown, but allied to 'Phoeniceum' N: R. Sweet (1830), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 65mm wide, purplish red. Shrub up to 1.9m

(a) **'Smithii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Henderson & Co. (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red. Indian (Perhaps the same as 'Smithianum Verum')

(r) **Smithii Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *ponticum* × *arboreum* R: W. Smith (1830-1840), INC: ICRA (1958) Cross repeated many times since and hence there are a variety of plants under this name. Most make very large plants (up to 12m) with large trusses of rosy crimson flowers with darker spots. The following description is of a plant at Lamellan, Cornwall, UK in 1988. Fls c16/tight truss, funnel-campanulate, 47-49xc50-55mm, 5-lobed (sometimes deeply so), vivid red (57A), with numerous spots mostly of dark red (59A) in dorsal throat only, a very small very dark blotch right at base. Calyx 2.0mm long, teeth deltate, acute, pink edged, otherwise white, shortly ciliate and with some short glandular hairs. Pedicels bright white (or slightly tinged pink). Lvs obovate, up to 160 × 42mm, acuminate at

tip, attenuate at base, dull and mid green above, green below but with a very thin, very pale brown indumentum below. Syn: Cornish Early Red Group, Cornish Red Group, Lamorran Red Group

(r) **'Smithii Album'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably *arboreum* × *ponticum* L: Trillon (1843), INC: ICRA (1958) Similar to 'Boddaertianum' but appears to have had fewer, larger fls/truss, white, spotted

(r) **'Smithii Argenteum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a selection or hybrid of *arboreum* L: France (1849), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose. Lvs silky below

(az) **'Smithii Aureum'** cv. Azaleodendron: *ponticum* × *maximum* (s) × *molle* subsp. *molle* H: W. Smith (1830), G: W. Smith, N: W. Smith (1842), I: W. Smith (1841), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a large, domed truss, funnel-shaped, 75mm wide, yellow, shaded pale brown towards dorsal lobes, the central dorsal lobe profusely spotted brown. Lvs evergreen, wrinkled, very glaucous below, purplish in winter. May-June. Syn: 'Norbitonense Aureum', 'Norbitonense', 'Aureum' (Norbiton Group. Published in *Paxton's Magazine of Botany* 9: 79 (1842))

(a) **'Smithii Coccineum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1842), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet (Waterer (Knap Hill) cat., 1867). Indian

(r) **'Smithii Coccineum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a selection or hybrid of *arboreum* L: Trillon (1843), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Smithii Coccineum Elegans'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1854), INC: ICRA (1958) (Cultivated by F. Delessert, 1854)

(r) **'Smithii Elegans'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown, perhaps a selection or hybrid of *arboreum* R: unknown (pre 1842), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet (A. Henderson cat., 1852); crimson (1958 Register). (Exhibited in Paris by M. Guérin, 1842)

(a) **'Smithii Pulchrum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1846), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Smithii Superbum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Trillon (1843), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Smith's Altissimum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Whitley & Osborn (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) (May have been an azaleodendron)

(r) **'Smith's Aureum Inflatum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Whitley & Osborn (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Syn: 'Aureum Inflatum' (May have been an azaleodendron; probably the plant listed by J.Baumann in 1856 as 'Aureum Inflatum', with yellow fls)

(r) **'Smith's Aureum Jenkinsonii'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Whitley & Osborn (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) (May have been an azaleodendron)

(r) **'Smith's Aureum Superbum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Whitley & Osborn (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) (May have been an azaleodendron; probably the same plant listed as 'Aureum Superbum')

(r) **'Smith's Carneum Superbum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Whitley & Osborn (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) (May have been an azaleodendron)

(r) **'Smith's Cumulatum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Whitley & Osborn (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) (May have been an azaleodendron)

(r) **'Smith's Cupreum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Whitley & Osborn (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) (May have been an azaleodendron; probably the plant also listed as 'Aureum Cupreum')

(r) **'Smith's Delicatissimum Elegans'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Whitley & Osborn (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow. Syn: 'Delicatissimum Elegans' (Probably an azaleodendron)

(r) **'Smith's Lindleyanum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Whitley & Osborn (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) (May have been an azaleodendron; probably the plant also listed as 'Aureum Lindleyanum')

(r) **'Smith's Luteum Splendens'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Whitley & Osborn (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) (May have been an azaleodendron; probably the plant also listed as 'Aureum Luteum Splendens')

(r) **'Smith's Macrophyllum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Whitley & Osborn (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) (May have been an azaleodendron)

(r) **'Smith's Ornatum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Whitley & Osborn (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) (May have been an azaleodendron)

(r) **'Smith's Perfection'** cv. Parentage unknown L: H. Laurentius (1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow. (May have been an azaleodendron)

(r) **'Smoked Salmon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lem's Cameo' (s) × 'Coker's Pink' H: B. Sligh (1983), G: B. Sligh (1990), N: B. Sligh (1991), REG: B. Sligh (1994) Fls 10-12/full truss, open funnel-shaped, 60 × 80-90mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, buds vivid red/deep pink (52A/B), opening inside with a light yellow (11B) throat, shading to pale yellowish pink (36D) and to strong pink (48C) at edges; outside pale yellowish pink (36D), ribbed strong pink (48C); strong red (46A) spots on 75% of 3 dorsal lobes; melon-like scent. Calyx 15mm long, pale yellowish pink (36D), flushed strong pink (48C). Lvs elliptic, 130 × 55mm, acute at apex, rounded at base; new foliage cinnamon. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 9 years

(r) **'Smokehouse Blues'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1985)

(r) **'Smokerings'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' (s) × 'Roslyn' H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 14/truss, open

funnel-shaped, 46 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate violet and moderate purple (86A, 82C) in bud, opening to a blend of strong, light and very light purple (83D, 76A-B) with moderate yellow-green and dark greenish yellow (146C, 152C) dorsal spots; filaments and style moderate purplish pink (65A); anthers pale yellow (161D); stigma dark reddish orange (173A). Lvs 92 × 44mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.7 × 1.2m in 18 years. Early June

(r) **'Smokey'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Burgundy' (s) × 'Moser's Maroon' H: H. Lem (pre 1966), N: Willamette Chapter Study Group (Am.Rh.Soc.), REG: Willamette Chapter Study Group (Am.Rh.Soc.) (1997) Fls 15/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish red (71A) in bud, opening inside vivid purple (81A) with a conspicuous black-spotted blotch on the dorsal lobe, some spots extending on to adjacent lobes; outside vivid purple (81A), shading to deep purplish red (71A) on mid lobes. Calyx 5mm long, brown. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 60mm, with decurved margins, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, bullate, semi-glossy and dark bluish green (133A) to dark green (135A, 136A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.2m in 5 years, with thick, reddish purple stems. Mid-late May. Syn: 'Smokey No.9' (Publlished in *Q. Bull.Am.Rh.Soc.* 31 (1):14 (1977))

(r) **'Smokey Joe'** cv. Parentage unknown H: M. Wildfong (pre 1980)

(r) **'Smokey No. 9'** (Syn. of 'Smokey')

(r) **'Smoky Mountain'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *vernicosum* × 'Hardy Giant' H: C.R. & V. Haag (1960s), G: C.R. & V. Haag, I: Cardinal Nursery (c 1991) Fls lavender, with a purple blotch. Vigorous shrub

(a) **'Smoky Mountaineer'** cv. Deciduous azalea: an open-pollinated, probably hybrid seedling of *calendulaceum* S: D. Wyman (c 1941), N: Arnold Arboretum, I: Arnold Arboretum, REG: Arnold Arboretum (1964) Fls similar to *calendulaceum* but strong reddish orange (40C), without a yellow blotch. Does not fade in sun

(r) **'Smoky Pink'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C.S. McKee (pre 1961), N: C.S. McKee

(a) **'Smoky Rose'** cv. Deciduous azalea: natural hybrid of *calendulaceum* and *periclymenoides*, collected in Oconee Co., South Carolina, USA S: L.C. Towe (pre 1987), N: L.C. Towe Fls 50mm wide, deep rose, with a reddish orange throat and dorsal lobe

(r) **'Smyrna'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' × 'Constant Nymph' R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1967) Fls large, lavender, without a blotch

(r) **'Snapper'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Madras' (s) × *maximum* × *griersonianum* H: A.W. Smith (pre 1992), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls strong red (53B) in bud, opening vivid red (57A) and vivid purplish red (57B, C), with strong purplish red (61B) dorsal spots. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Snappy'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Epoch' × 'Hi Tech' H: W.E. Delp (1985), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 8/truss (from multiple buds), open funnel-shaped, 41 × 54mm, 5-lobed, dark purplish pink (186C) in bud, opening to a blend of light, very light and very pale purple (75B, C, D), with a little strong purplish red (60D) in the throat; filaments and style strong purplish red (60D). Lvs 51 × 19mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, scaly. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 7 years. Mid May. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Snazzy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Wizard' (s) × 'Stokes Bronze Wings' H: J. Looye (1987), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 14/truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 60mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, light violet (88C, D) in bud, opening very pale purple (84D) edged strong purple (84A), with a pale yellow-green flare and moderate olive green and moderate yellow-green (146A, B) spotting on dorsal lobes; filaments and style greenish white (157D); anthers pale orange-yellow (159C); stigma strong purplish red (60B). Lvs 89 × 32mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.5m in 5 years. Early June

(a) **'Sneeuwvlokje'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens & Sons (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white. Indian

(r) **'Sneezy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Doncaster' R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1970) Fls 16/compact, domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 60mm, with wavy-edged margins, deeper and duller than strong purplish pink (55B), fading to white in the throat, basal half of dorsal lobe heavily spotted deep red (53A). Lvs 110 × 35mm, dull and dark green. Shrub to at least 1.0 × 1.6m. Late May. *AM 1986

(a) **'Sniegbaltīte'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Palestrina' × 'Concinnum' H: R. Kondratovičs (1962), G: R. Kondratovičs (1969), N: R. Kondratovičs, I: Botanical Garden, University of Latvia (1979), REG: R. Kondratovičs (1989) Fls single, 2-3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 70mm wide, 5-6-lobed, white. Calyx 7mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 55 × 18mm, light green at first, becoming dark green with sparse hairs. Shrub 0.45 × 0.36m. February-March (under cool glass)

(a) **'Sniegpārsla'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Paul Schäme' × 'Palestrina' H: R. Kondratovičs (1963), G: R. Kondratovičs (1968), N: R. Kondratovičs, I: Botanical Garden, University of Latvia (1984), REG: R. Kondratovičs (1989) Fls single, 2-4/truss, funnel-shaped, 47-60mm wide, 5-lobed, white. Calyx 4-8mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 25-65 × 11-24mm, light green, hairy. Shrub 0.45 × 0.3m. February-March (under cool glass)

(r) **'Snipe'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *pemakoense* × *davidsonianum* R: P.A. Cox, N: P.A. Cox, I: P.A. Cox (1975), REG: P.A. Cox (1975) Fls 3-5/loose terminal clusters, open funnel-shaped, up to 15 × 45mm, 5-lobed, white, variously suffused light purple (77D), peripheral shading strong reddish purple (72C), dorsal throat lightly spotted vivid purplish red (66B), outside flushed strong reddish purple (72C). Calyx scaly, ciliate. Lvs narrowly obovate to oblanceolate, to 30 × 15mm, light glossy green, scaly above and below. AM 1975

(a) **'Snow'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 45mm wide, white with a faint chartreuse blotch. Shrub 1.9-2.2m tall. Midseason. Kurume (Imported to USA from Japan, original name lost, renamed by H.A. Dreer)

(r) **'Snow'** (Syn. of 'Wynterset White')

(a) **'Snowball'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Snow' R: D.J. Cagle (pre 1987), N: D.J. Cagle Fls double, hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, white, the small brown remnant stamens give a spotted effect. Compact habit. Kurume

(a) **'Snowball'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Martin (pre 1987), N: J. Martin Fls hose-in-hose, white. Low, compact habit. Kurume

(r) **'Snowball'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Snowball')

(r) **'Snowball'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls a good white

(r) **'Snowball'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *sutchuenense* (s) × 'Loderi Pink Diamond' R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Snowbank'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Bobbink & Atkins (1920-1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, 70mm wide, white with a chartreuse throat. Midseason. Syn: 'Cherokee White'. Rutherford

(r) **'Snow Bells'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loder's White' × *williamsianum* R: B.F. Lancaster, N: B.F. Lancaster, REG: B.F. Lancaster (1967) Fls 5-7/truss, open campanulate, 65mm wide, 5-lobed, pure white. Lvs ovate, 50 × 40mm, cordate at base. Shrub 45 × 60cm in 12 years. Mid April

(r) **'Snow Bird'** (Syn. of 'White Bird')

(a) **'Snowbird'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (1920-1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, white. Coolidge

(a) **'Snowbird'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *atlanticum* × *canescens* N: Biltmore Gardens (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white; scented. (Arose as a natural hybrid at Biltmore Gardens)

(a) **'Snow Bunny'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Greenwood Gardens (pre 1985), N: Greenwood Gardens

(r) **'Snow Bunting'** (Syn. of 'Laurelwood Snow Bunting')

(r) **'Snow Bunting'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* (s) × *sutchuenense* I: J.C. Williams, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. (Perhaps raised at Exbury)

(r) **'Snow Candle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Fancy' × *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Exbury Calstocker' H: J. Barlup (1985), G: J. Barlup (1991), N: J. Barlup (1993), REG: J. Barlup (1996) Fls 23/domed truss, funnel-campanulate, 55 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (62C) in bud, opening yellowish white (155D) inside and out; with a moderate red (185B) blotch in the dorsal throat (c20mm long), edged by a small number of spots of the same colour. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 195 × 65mm, with upcurved, wavy margins, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.2m in 11 years. Early-mid April

(r) **'Snow Cap'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *souliei* × 'Loderi White Diamond' × *williamsianum* H: W.E. Whitney (c 1957), G: W.E. Whitney, N: W.E. Whitney, I: W.E. Whitney (1964), REG: G. & Mrs A. Sather (1976) Fls 7/ball to lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 80mm, with 7 flat-edged lobes, moderate yellowish pink (37C) in bud, opening yellowish white (155B), unmarked. Calyx very small. Lvs elliptic to broadly elliptic, 75 × 40-45mm, cordate at base, moderate olive green (146A), hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m in 10 years. Mid April

(a) **'Snowcap'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: D. Parmenter (pre 1969), N: D. Parmenter Fls small, single, white, of Kurume type

(r) **'Snow Chief'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Noyo Chief' (s) × 'Snow Cap' H: P. Smith (1976), G: P. Smith (1982), N: P. Smith (1988), REG: P. Smith (2002) Fls 10-12/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 75mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (55B) edged strong red (53C) in bud, opening inside white with deep purplish pink (54B) edges which quickly fade to pale purplish pink (56B); outside deep purplish pink (54B) fading to pale purplish pink (56B); unmarked; stamens white; pistil white. Calyx minute, green. Lvs oblong, 125 × 75mm, margins flat, obtuse at apex, cordate at base, semi-glossy and dark green above, yellow-green below with very light yellow-green veins, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 12 years. Mid April

(a) **'Snowclad'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 75-90mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, white, with a chartreuse blotch. Spreading shrub, to 1.5m tall. Mid-late May. Glenn Dale (Has been listed in error as 'Snow Cloud')

(a) **'Snow Cloud'** (An error for 'Snowclad')

(a) **'Snow Cloud'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Linda Jean' × 'Springtime' (Kurume) H: W.L. Guttormsen (1975), G: W.L. Guttormsen (1979), N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen (c 1983), REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1985) Fls 2-3/truss, semi-double and hose-in-hose, (5+5-lobed, plus petaloid stamens), funnel-shaped, 30 × 65mm, white, with a pale yellow throat. Calyx 25mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs more-or-less narrowly obovate, 30-35 × 20mm, with more-or-less strong yellow-green (144A), hairy. Shrub 0.3 × 0.4m in 6 years

(r) **'Snow Crest'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Fawn' × 'Crest' H: A.A. Childers (1959), G: A.A. & M. Childers (1964), N: A.A. & M. Childers, I: A.A. & M. Childers, REG: A.A. & M. Childers (1977) Fls 9-11/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 100mm wide, with 5-7, recurved, wavy-edged lobes, white, very lightly tinted light to pale pink (49C-D), with a tiny maroon spot on the dorsal lobe. Calyx lobes irregular, to 3mm long, green, with glandular hairs. Lvs oblong to elliptic, 105 × 45mm, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, moderate olive green (146A) above, hairless. Shrub 2.4 × 1.8m in 17 years. Mid May

(r) **'Snow Crown'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lindleyi* × 'Victorianum' (s) × *lindleyi* × 'Victorianum' H: S.E. Davies (1979), G: B. Sligh (1995), N: B. Sligh (1995), REG: B. Sligh (1996) Fls 5-8/truss, funnel-shaped, 110 × 110mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pure white, throat blotch 15mm long, brilliant greenish yellow (151D and 6C); strongly scented. Calyx 25mm long, strong yellow-green (144A) or paler. Lvs 140 × 45mm, matt greyed green above, pointed at base and apex, hairless, deeply veined. Shrub 1.5 tall in 10 years. Mid-late October (New Zealand)

(r) **'Snowden'** cv. Parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1877), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with black spots. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Snowden'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* × *yakushimanum* H: W.A. Reese (pre 1978)

(r) **Snowdon Group** gp Parentage unknown I: Lord Aberconway (1935), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Snowdrift'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white. Kurume

(a) **'Snowdrift'** cv. Deciduous azalea: described as a seedling from "Azalea mollis alba" R: G.H. White (pre 1936), N: G.H. White, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, opening cream, with deep yellow-green lines down each lobe and yellow-green spotting; fades to pure white, with orange spots. Mollis

(a) **'Snowdrift'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. Indian

(a) **'Snowdrift'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Gretel' × 'Silver Frills' R: G. Taylor (pre 1984), N: G. Taylor Fls double, white

(a) **'Snowdrop'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Maxwellii' × 'Snow' × *kaempferi* × 'Snow' R: USDA, Beltsville, N: USDA, Beltsville, I: USDA, Beltsville (1960), REG: USDA, Beltsville (1961) Fls hose-in-hose, 2-7/truss, 25-40mm wide, clear white. Lvs dark green. Very dwarf shrub, c3 times as wide as high

(r) **'Snowdrop'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid L: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1932), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 7/racemose truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 85 × 120-130mm, 5-7-lobed, pure white, with a small green 'flash'; scented. Calyx pale green, gland-fringed. Lvs oblong-elliptic, c170 × 65mm, soft green above. Shrub up to at least 3.0m

(r) **'Snow Fairy'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *moupinense* (s) × *mucronulatum* (?) I: Mrs R.M. Stevenson (1957), INC: ICRA (1958) PC 1957

(a) **'Snowfall'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Eri' × lavender sport of 'Indicum Roseum' R: Q.R. Westfall, I: C.R. Brandt (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white. Indian

(a) **'Snowflake'** (Syn. of 'Kure-no-yuki')

(r) **'Snowflake'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1862), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a conical truss, pure white, with a small blotch

(a) **'Snow Flurry'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hexe' × 'Snow' × *kaempferi* × 'Snow' R: USDA, Beltsville, N: USDA, Beltsville, I: USDA, Beltsville (1960), REG: USDA, Beltsville (1961) Fls hose-in-hose, 25-40mm wide, clear white. Lvs dark green. Very compact shrub, c2 times as wide as high

(a) **'Snow Fly'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1913), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, pure white. Indian

(a) **'Snow Girl'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Comtesse de Kerchove' × unknown R: I.C. Nichols (pre 1984), N: I.C. Nichols, I: Berna Park Nurseries Fls double, large, with wavy-edged lobes, white, with a yellow to lime green throat. Indian

(r) **'Snow Goose'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Day Dream Group (s) × 'Ice Cream' R: A.F. George, N: A.F. George, REG: A.F. George (1965) Fls 10/truss, open funnel-shaped, white in bud, opening to white with a large yellow blotch

(r) **'Snow Goose'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Whitney (pre 1973), N: W.E. Whitney Fls white, with a red eye. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years

(a) **'Snow Hill'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Wadae Group × *mucronatum* H: Crown Estate Commissioners (1957), G: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1974), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1974) Fls 4-5/compact truss, very open funnel-shaped, 45 × 70mm, white, with a pale greenish yellow blotch. Lvs 45 × 20mm, mid dull green. Shrub c0.6m. *HC 1974, *AM 1978

(r) **'Snow Job'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *aureum* (s) × *maximum* R: W.E. Delp (pre 1992), N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls pale greenish yellow (2D) in bud, opening pale yellow-green (155A) with a light greenish yellow (1C) throat and strong yellow-green (144C) dorsal spots; filaments and style pale yellow-green (155A); anthers pale orange-yellow (159C); stigma vivid red (45A). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992); seed parent from Jackson Center, Pennsylvania, USA)

(r) **'Snow King'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: F. Minch, G: R.W. Ward (1997), N: R.W. Ward (2001), REG: R.W. Ward (2001) Fls 16/flattened dome truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 7 very wavy-edged lobes, white (155B) in bud, opening white (155D) throughout, with a few moderate purplish red (186B) spots on the dorsal lobe. Lvs obovate, 105 × 45mm, margins upcurved, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m in c10 years. Late April

(r) **'Snow Lady'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *leucaspis* (s) × ? *ciliatum* R: ? Exbury (pre 1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 8/lax truss, 50 × 65mm, 5-lobed, pure white in bud and when open; anthers chocolate brown. Lvs elliptic, 40-75 × 20-40mm, margin and upper surface with long hairs, with scattered minute scales below; petioles with scales and hairs. Low, spreading shrub, 0.8 × 1.5m in 10 years. Mid April-early May. (In the collection of W.G. Tucker who had obtained it from L. de Rothschild as *leucaspis*)

(r) **'Snow Leopard'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Snow Man'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Greenwood Gardens (pre 1985), N: Greenwood Gardens Fls double, pure white

(r) **'Snow Mantle'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *dalhousiae* var. *dalhousiae* × 'Fragrantissimum' H: R.C. Gordon (1968), G: R.C. Gordon, N: R.C. Gordon, I: R.C. Gordon, REG: R.C. Gordon (1982) Fls white, with a gold throat fading outwards

(a) **'Snow Mound'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Linda Jean' × 'Hahn's Red' H: W.L. Guttormsen (1975), G: W.L. Guttormsen (1979), N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen (c 1983), REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1985) Fls 1-2/truss, hose-in-hose (5+5-lobed), open funnel-shaped, 40 × 55mm, white, with a green throat and spotting on the dorsal lobes. Calyx 40mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 20-25 × 10-13mm, more-or-less moderate olive green (146A), hairy. Shrub 0.35 × 0.65m in 6 years

(r) **'Snow Mountain'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from *yakushimanum* R: G. Reuthe Ltd (pre 1990), N: G. Reuthe Ltd

(a) **'Snow No. 125'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls hose-in-hose, white, similar to 'Snow' (Kurume), but flowering later. Kurume

(r) **'Snow Peak'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Morio' × 'Mrs E.C. Stirling' H: K. Van de Ven (1975), G: K. Van de Ven (1979), I: P. & C. Deen & Sons (1987), REG: P. & C. Deen & Sons (1988) Fls 18/truss, short funnel-shaped, 25 × 100mm, 5-lobed, white, with a strong purplish red (63B) blotch. Lvs elliptic, 130 × 30mm, hairless. Shrub 2.0m tall. Spring

(r) **'Snow Pixie'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Downwind' (s) × 'Epoch' H: W.E. Delp (1991), G: W.E. Delp (1995), N: Mrs V. Delp, I: Crystalaire Rhododendron Naturescapes, REG: J.D. Harris (1996) Fls 7/truss, open funnel-shaped, c30 × 45mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (56B) and brilliant yellow-green (150B) in bud, opening white and pale purplish pink (56D), with light yellow (18A) dorsal spots; filaments and style white; anthers very pale purple (73D); stigma pale greenish yellow (2D). Lvs 55 × 15mm, twisted, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base. Shrub 0.75 × 0.75m in 5 years. Mid-late May

(a) **'Snow Prince'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Rose Queen' R: Camellia Grove Nursery (pre 1978), N: Camellia Grove Nursery Fls semi-double to double, white; some flowers with a central pink flush. Shrub of dense habit, 1.0m. Early. Indian

(a) **'Snow Puff'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Linda Jean' × 'Springtime' (Kurume) H: W.L. Guttormsen (1975), G: W.L. Guttormsen (1979), N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen (c 1983), REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1985) Fls 1-2/truss, hose-in-hose (5+5-lobed), funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, white, with a pale yellow throat and dorsal lobe spotting. Calyx 30mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs more-or-less narrowly obovate to more-or-less elliptic, 28-45 × 17-22mm, more-or-less moderate olive green (147A), very glossy, hairy. Shrub 0.3 × 0.5m in 6 years. Early May

(a) **'Snow Queen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, white, with a chartreuse blotch. Indian

(r) **'Snow Queen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Halopeanum' (s) × Loderi Group R: Sir Edmund Loder, N: Sir Edmund Loder, I: Sir Edmund Loder (1926), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 9-15/rounded truss, funnel-shaped, 75 × 90mm, strong purplish pink (55B) in bud, opening pure white, with a slight, red, basal blotch. Lvs 200 × 65mm, dark and dull green. Shrub to over 2.5m. AM 1934, *AM 1946, *FCC 1970 (Snow Queen Group)

(r) **Snow Queen Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Halopeanum' (s) × Loderi Group R: Sir Edmund Loder, N: Sir Edmund Loder, I: Sir Edmund Loder (1926), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Snowscape'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Malvaticum' (s) × 'Yozakura' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3-5/truss, 50mm wide, greenish white, with no blotch. Shrub to 1.9m. Late May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Snow Shimmer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × 'Alumni Day' H: Scott Arboretum (1958), G: Scott Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister, I: Scott Arboretum (1974), REG: Scott Arboretum (1980) Fls c10/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 70 × 100mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, white, throat with a pale yellow glow (paler than 10Y 9/9), greener at base of the dorsal lobe, unmarked; outside with a pale yellow glow at base and a faint pinkish stripe down each lobe; strongly scented. Calyx 3mm long, whitish. Lvs narrowly elliptic to oblanceolate, 125-165 × 35-50mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (5GY 4/3) above, hairless. Shrub 2.4 × 2.7m in 22 years. Mid June

(r) **'Snow Sprite'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Snow Lady' × *moupinense* R: B.F. Lancaster, N: B.F. Lancaster, I: B.F. Lancaster & R. Whalley, REG: B.F. Lancaster (1968) Fls 3-5/truss, open campanulate, 25 × 50mm, 5-lobed, pure white, with chocolate-coloured anthers. Lvs ovate-elliptic, up to 40 × 22mm, glossy green above, with dense, minute scales below. Shrub 25 × 30cm in 6 years, more compact than either parent. Late April

(r) **'Snow's Red'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1985), I: Roslyn Nursery (1994) Fls scarlet red. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years

(a) **'Snow Storm'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (pre 1984) Fls single to semi-double, white. Spreading habit. Kurume

(r) **'Snowstorm'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Cary Ann' H: J.G. Lofthouse, G: J.G. Lofthouse, N: J.G. Lofthouse, I: J.G. Lofthouse, REG: J.G. Lofthouse (1973) Fls white, rose-spotted. Lvs dark green. Shrub 0.9m in 10 years. Midseason

(a) **'Snow White'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Carlson's Gardens (1977) Fls white, with a deep yellow blotch; scented. Knap Hill

(r) **'Snow White'** (Syn. of 'Argosy Snow White')

(r) **'Snow White'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* (s) × *fortunei* R: T.H. Lowinsky, N: T.H. Lowinsky, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, wide open, pure white. AM 1923 (Snow White Group)

(r) **Snow White Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* (s) × *fortunei* R: T.H. Lowinsky, N: T.H. Lowinsky, INC: ICRA (1958) (Seed parent has been listed as "*griffithianum roseum superbum*")

(a) **'Snowwhite'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C.J. Wille & Co. (c 1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, 80mm wide, white. Calyx normal, green. Early. Syn: 'Madame Papi'. Indian

(a) **'Snowwhite'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × 'Snow' R: USDA, N: USDA (1950), I: USDA (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, white, faintly tinged yellowish green in the throat. Shrub wider than tall, of spreading habit. (Derived from the work of G.E. Yerkes & R.L. Pryor)

(a) **'Snow Wreath'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × 'Kagetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 90mm wide, pure white, with a chartreuse blotch. Low, spreading shrub to 1.2m tall. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Snowy River'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *ririei* × *niveum* H: Lord Aberconway, G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway & The National Trust (1974), REG: Lord Aberconway & The National Trust (1974) Fls 13-15/rounded truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 45 × 45mm, 5-lobed, very light purple (76B) with deeper veining and a suffusion of deep reddish purple (77A). Calyx rudimentary, purplish red. Lvs narrowly obovate, 150 × 55mm, mid green, thinly plastered with pale fawn indumentum below. AM 1974

(r) **'Snugbug'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Sangreal Group (s) × *tsariense* H: M. Wildfong (1973), G: M. Wildfong, I: M. Wildfong (1980), REG: M. Wildfong (1983) Fls 5-6/truss, open funnel-shaped, 75 × 50mm, 5-lobed, scarlet in bud, opening vivid red (45B), fades within to strong pink (52D), dappled deeper pink at edges, dorsal spotting of strong red (47B), outside deep pink (47D). Calyx short. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 50 × 20mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dark yellowish green (136B), with an intense orange-brown indumentum below. New shoots silvery tomentose. Shrub c1.0m in 8 years. Mid May

(r) **'Snu-Pei'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' (s) × 'Morna Belle' H: M. Stockman (1989), G: M. & H. Stockman (1996), N: M. & H. Stockman (1997), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1998) Fls 8-16/lax truss, funnel-campanulate, 50 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, colour pattern variable: shades of light to pale yellow-green (2C-4D), mottled with deep to moderate yellowish pink (39B-C) and light pink (39D), and with spotted flares of strong red (39A) on dorsal lobes. Calyx cup-shaped at first, then separating into 4 lobes of variable length, some becoming reflexed (dorsal lobe c30mm long, wider than others, shortest lobe c10mm long), coloured more-or-less as the corolla. Lvs oblong, 100 × 40mm, flat, acuminate at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and dark green above, hairless; new growth reddish. Shrub 0.6 × 0.75m in 9 years. Mid May. (The epithet is the registered name for an individual Shar-Pei (a breed of dog))

(r) **'Sockeye'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ilam Cerise' × 'Ilam Yellow' × 'Ilam Orange' × 'Ilam Cerise' H: R.C. Gordon (1985), G: R.C. Gordon (1991), N: R.C. Gordon (1992), REG: R.C. Gordon (1992) Fls 7-8/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, with 7 smooth-edged lobes, soft pink in bud, opening both inside and

out to light purplish pink (62C) with strong purplish pink (62A) on lobes, unspotted; not scented. Calyx 20mm long, pink. Lvs oblanceolate, 80 × 32mm, flat, matt, pale green above, acute at apex, cordate at base, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 2.0m in 7 years. Late-flowering

(a) **'Socrates'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C. Schulz (pre 1863), N: C. Schulz, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Socrates'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose pink, with an orange blotch

(r) **Socrianum Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* (s) × *griffithianum* H: J.B. Stevenson (1937), G: J.B. Stevenson, N: J.B. Stevenson, I: J.B. Stevenson (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls apricot

(r) **'So Dainty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Yaku Sunrise' (s) × 'Kimberly', selfed H: M.J. Whitman (1994), G: M.J. & B. Whitman (1999), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (1999), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (2000) Fls 7/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 65mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (65A) in bud, opening inside very pale purplish pink (69D) edged light purple (75B), with a small, moderate purplish red (58A) mark in the throat; outside light purple (75B). Lvs oblong, 95 × 45mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, flat, semi-glossy and near moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.25 × 0.25m in 5 years. Early May

(a) **'Sode-kanoko'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, white, streaked and heavily dappled red; red and light red selfs also produced. Satsuki

(a) **'Sode-magaki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, white, streaked and dappled red, in many-flowered clusters. Satsuki

(r) **'Soedan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *forrestii* Repens Group hybrid R: D.G. Hobbie (pre 1969), N: D.G. Hobbie Fls red

(a) **'Soft Echo'** cv. Deciduous azalea: pink seedling × ('Gallipoli' × 'Cecile') × 'Pink Delight' H: I. & R. Arneson (1978), G: I. & R. Arneson (1984), N: I. & R. Arneson, I: I. & R. Arneson, REG: I. & R. Arneson (1989) Fls double (with 0-3 stamens), 8-17/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 57 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink (39B) in bud, opening light pink (39D), shading to deep pink (180D) at margins and on outside. Calyx 5mm long, light green. Lvs ellipic, 51-64 × 25-32mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, slightly hairy. Shrub 1.2 × 0.8m in 10 years. May

(r) **'Soft Harmony'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marquis of Waterford' (s) × un-named seedling (brownish red fls) H: B. & M. Shapiro (1968), G: B. & M. Shapiro, N: B. & M. Shapiro, REG: B. & M. Shapiro (1993) Fls 10-12/tall, domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 44 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (71C) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (72D) at margins and shading to nearly white at centre, with a large patch of vivid reddish orange (40A) and vivid orange-yellow (23A) spots on the dorsal lobe. Calyx c1mm long, very pale greenish tan. Lvs elliptic, 102 × 38mm, flat (wavy-edged when young), acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 25 years. Late May. Syn: 'Heirloom'

(r) **'Soft Ivory'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Wizard' (s) × 'Delp's Folly' R: W.E. Delp (pre 1995), N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls strong red (53D), deep purplish pink (54B) and strong pink (54C) in bud, opening yellowish white (158D) edged light and pale purplish pink (55C, D), with brilliant yellow-green (150A, B) dorsal spots; filaments and style light yellow-green (150D); anthers deep pink (185D); stigma moderate reddish brown (174A). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(a) **'Soft Lights'** cv. Parentage unknown H: D. Hughes, G: D. Hughes, N: D. Hughes, I: D. Hughes (c 1996) Fls in ball trusses, cream/peach/apricot blended pink (paler when grown in shade, vibrant pink in sun)

(a) **'Soft Lips'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Exbury, N: Exbury, I: Exbury (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls flushed yellow, with a blotch. Knap Hill

(r) **'Soft Satin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Seattle Gold' × *yakushimanum* H: L.E. Brandt (pre 1988), G: L.E. Brandt Fls cream. Lvs small and dark green. Shrub 0.9m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Soft Sensation'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Arthur Bedford' (s) × 'Ice Cube' H: J. Looye (pre 1992), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls strong reddish purple (70B) and deep and moderate purplish pink (70C, D) in bud, opening moderate purplish pink (70D) and very pale purple (73D), slowly fading to white with a dark red (59A) flare and deep red (60A) dorsal spots; filaments white. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Soft Shadows'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × *argyrophyllum* H: F.M. Jury, G: F.M. Jury, N: F.M. Jury, I: F.M. Jury, REG: F.M. Jury (1982) Fls 12-15/truss, 35 × 60mm, 5-lobed, carmine rose (621/3), fading to pure white, slightly spotted on dorsal lobe at first. Lvs 90 × 30mm, with a fawn suede-like indumentum

(r) **'Soft Touch'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vivacious' × 'Vinerouge' (s) × 'Vivacious' × 'Vinerouge' R: W.E. Delp (pre 1995), N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls strong purplish red (71B, C) and moderate purplish pink (70D) in bud, opening strong reddish purple (70B) and deep and moderate purplish pink (70C, D), with a small white flare and strong greenish yellow (153C) dorsal spots; filaments and style strong purplish

red (71B); anthers light yellowish pink (159A); stigma dark red (187). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Softview'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Si Si' (s) × 'Serendipity' H: W.E. Delp (1978), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 14/truss, open funnel-shaped, 59 × 75mm, 5-lobed, light greenish yellow and pale yellow-green (4C/D) in bud, opening pale yellow-green (4D) with brilliant greenish yellow and moderate red (2B, 180B) in the throat; filaments and style pale greenish yellow (1D); anthers moderate purplish pink (186D); stigma moderate red (181A). Lvs 89 × 29mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m in 14 years. Early June

(r) **'Softy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sefton' (s) × *yakushimanum* R: W.E. Delp (pre 1995), N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls deep red (60A) and strong purplish red in bud, opening white, lightly tinged deep and strong purplish pink (67C, D) and with strong purplish red (67A) dorsal spots; anthers pale orange-yellow (165D); stigma strong purplish red (67A). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Sofus Eckrem'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marinus Koster' × Pilgrim Group H: Mrs S. Laxdall (1963), G: Mrs S. Laxdall (1972), N: Mrs S. Laxdall, I: Mrs S. Laxdall, REG: Mrs S. Laxdall (1979) Fls 10-11/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 70 × 115mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, phlox pink (625) in bud, opening rose pink (427/3), with a 7mm wide border of deeper pink and with some deep pink dorsal spotting. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 200 × 70mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and dark green above, hairless. Shrub under 2.0m. Early June

(a) **'Sogon-nishiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Matsunami' R: Japan Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50-65mm wide, with rounded lobes, white, variably marked with stripes, sectors, speckles and selfs of strong to deep purplish pink. Compact shrub. Satsuki

(a) **'Soho'** (Syn. of 'Don Quixote')

(a) **'Soho'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1939), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 90-100mm wide, white, throat and margins with both large and small, red spots; sometimes vivid red, with white margins. Satsuki (Also seen as 'So-how')

(a) **'Soho'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1968) Fls pink. Low, spreading shrub. June

(a) **'Soir de Paris'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *viscosum* × 'Koster's Brilliant Red' H: B.B.C. Felix (1938), I: Felix & Dijkhuis, REG: Felix & Dijkhuis (1963) Fls single, 7-9/truss, narrowly tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, moderate purplish pink (66D), with darker median lines on lobes and an orange blotch; scented. Shrub up to 2.0m

(a) **'Soko'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, spotted and sanded red. Satsuki

(a) **'Sokojiro'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, with crimson margin and white centre; red selfs also produced. Young plants have red selfs only. Syn: 'Tsumabeni'

(r) **'Solana'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Estacada' (s) × 'Royston Red' H: D.W. Goheen (1982), G: D.W. Goheen (1991), N: D.W. Goheen, I: C. Hoffman, REG: D.W. Goheen (1994) Fls 8-10/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 64 × 76mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (46A) in bud, opening strong red (53B) and aging to deep pink (52B), with six strong red (46A) nectaries around base of corolla. Calyx minute, light green. Pedicels 19mmlong, moderate yellow-green (138C). Lvs elliptic, 51-89 × 25-38mm, flat or convex, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and dark yellowish green (139A) above, moderate yellow-green (138C) below, hairless; petioles 19mm long, moderate yellow-green (138C). Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 10 years. Late March

(r) **'Solandra'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* hybrid R: D.G. Hobbie (1965), I: W. Wustemeyer (1984) Fls pale yellow, outside tinged rose, with a dark red, basal blotch; sometimes slightly doubled

(r) **'Solar Eclipse'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Polly Clarke' (s) × 'Hydon Gold' H: A.F. George (1986), G: Hydon Nurseries (1996), N: A.F. George (1999), I: Hydon Nurseries, REG: Hydon Nurseries (2000) Fls 8-10/slightly lax truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, with wavy-edged lobes, brilliant greenish yellow (6A), with brilliant greenish yellow (6B-C) in the dorsal throat. Lvs hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 0.75m in 12 years. May-June

(v) **'Solar Flare'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lochiae* (s) × *konori* × 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' H: D. Brown (1986), G: D. & P. Brown (1993), N: D. & P. Brown (1996), I: Browns Nursery (1996), REG: D. & P. Brown (1996) Fls 7-12/flattened truss, funnel-shaped, 55 × 60mm, with 6-7 smooth-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (55A) at edges, shading to light purplish pink (55C) on tube, unspotted; carnation-scented. Calyx 1.5mm long, rich red. Lvs elliptic, 110 × 70mm, margins upcurved, acute at apex, cuneate at base; young foliage glossy copper above and below, dark green above when mature (paler below), scaly; petioles and midribs below dark red. Shrub 1.5 × 2.0m in 8 years. Early summer and late autumn. Relatively hardy for a vireya

(r) **'Solarium'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* subsp. *caloxanthum* (s) × Damaris Group R: Sunningdale Nurseries, N: Sunningdale Nurseries, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear yellow, spotted crimson

(r) **'Solar Power'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Twinkle Toes' (s) × 'Twinkle Toes' H: W.E. Delp (1989), G: W.E. Delp (1995), N: Mrs V. Delp, I: Crystalaire Rhododendron Naturescapes, REG: J.D. Harris (1996) Fls 10/truss, open funnel-shaped, c30 × 45mm, 5-lobed,

light yellow-green and pale greenish yellow (2C-D) in bud, opening pale yellow-green (4D) with brilliant yellow (12A) dorsal spots; filaments and style pale purplish pink (62D); anthers moderate purplish pink (186D); stigma pale greenish yellow (1D). Lvs 65 × 25mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base. Shrub 0.9 × 0.75m in 7 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Soldier Palmer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *facetum* hybrid × Fabia Group × *yakushimanum* × 'Britannia' H: Waterer (Bagshot) (1958), G: Waterer (Bagshot) (1968), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975) Fls 10-15/truss, strong red (47B), spotted deep red (53A). Lvs 100-110 × 20-30mm. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years. Early June

(r) **'Soldier Sam'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Dido Group × *dichroanthum* R: W.S. Reuthe, S: I. Stanger, N: G. Reuthe Ltd (1985), I: G. Reuthe Ltd (1977), REG: G. Reuthe Ltd (1985) Fls 12/truss, 50 × 60mm, 5-lobed, pale yellow (18C) inside, strong pink (49A) outside. Calyx 30mm long, strong pink (48D) and pale yellow (20D). Lvs elliptic, 115-120 × 45-50mm, hairless. PC 2003

(r) **'Soleil d'Austerlitz'** cv. Parentage unknown L: A. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose (Leroy); brilliant scarlet (Dauvesse, 1870). (Perhaps the same plant listed as 'Sun of Austerlitz')

(a) **'Soleil d'Or'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Moser & Son (1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale yellow, with a golden blotch. Ghent

(a) **'Soleil d'Orange'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (pre 1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange. Ghent

(a) **Solent Group** gp Deciduous azalea: derived from the Exbury-raised Knap Hill azaleas and others R: E. de Rothschild (pre 1996), N: E. de Rothschild Fls fading less in the sun, lasting longer and more wind-resistant. As young plants, flowers are bigger and plants stronger than other Exbury-raised Knap Hill cultivars

(r) **'Solent Queen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c10/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, up to 65 × 125mm, very pale rose fading to almost pure white, with green spotting. Calyx up to 13mm long, edged with pink. Lvs ovate, up to 225 × 75mm. AM 1939 (Angelo Group)

(r) **'Solent Snow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white with green markings. (Angelo Group)

(r) **'Solent Swan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* R: L. de Rothschild, N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. (Angelo Group)

(r) **'Soli'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *williamsianum* hybrid L: H. Hachmann (1983) Fls rose

(r) **'Solidarity'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague' H: H.A. Schannen (1969), G: H.A. Schannen (1974), N: H.A. Schannen, REG: H.A. Schannen (1990) Fls 12-13/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 54 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (57A) to vivid purplish red (57B) in bud, opening strong purplish red (58C) at margins, shading to light purplish pink (68D) in throat; ageing to pale pink (65D) with persistent, vivid purplish red (57B) spots on the dorsal lobe. Calyx very short. Lvs elliptic, 127 × 44mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, with a very light tan, felt-like indumentum. Shrub 2.0 × 1.5m in 20 years. Mid May

(r) **'Solid Impact'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'King Tut' (s) × 'Ken Janeck' H: A.W. Smith, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (66A, B) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (66C) with vivid yellow-green (154A) dorsal spots; filaments white. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Solion'** (Syn. of Fénelon')

(r) **'Solist'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kluis Triumph' (s) × *insigne* R: J. Bruns Nursery (1961), N: J. Bruns Nursery (1988) Fls a large, compact, rounded truss, very broad, 5-lobed, pure rose, centre slightly paler, with extensive dark red markings on the dorsal lobes. Shrub 1.5-2.0m tall

(a) **'Solitaire'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: H.W. Motzkau, N: Yoder Brothers, I: Yoder Brothers (c 1972) Fls single to semi-double, 65mm wide, deep purplish pink (66C). Calyx hose-in-hose, coloured as corolla. Early-midseason

(r) **'Solitude'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' (s) × Fusilier Group R: R. Henny (pre 1956), N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny (pre 1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls glowing red, with dark spotting in the throat

(a) **'Solon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet pink. Indian

(r) **'Solon Group'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Astarte' (s) × Sunrise Group H: Lord Aberconway, G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1944), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose

(a) **'Solopensis'** cv. Evergreen azalea: ? 'Puniceum' × 'Danielsianum' R: unknown (pre 1854) (Cultivated by Margottin, 1854 (*Revue Horticole* 3: 62 (1854)))

(a) **'Solstice'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Glory of Numazu' × *indicum* R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, REG: C. Ingram (1967) Fls usually solitary or in pairs, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 100mm, deep pink (52C), with traces of red along the central veins, dorsal throat strongly marked

with vivid red (57A). Calyx deeply divided into five, narrow, pointed lobes, green, up to 13mm long. Pedicels up to c2.5mm long. Lvs narrowly ovate, 50xc20mm, remotely toothed, ciliate, with scattered, appressed, red-brown hairs on both surfaces. PC 1969

(r) **'Solveig'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* (s) × *griersonianum* I: Royal Horticultural Society (c 1954), INC: ICRA (1958) (Fabia Group)

(a) **'Solvig'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Frits Sander' × 'Madame Peeters' I: C.J. Wille & Co. (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, light rose. Indian

(a) **'Solway'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Torridon' × 'Sugared Almond' R: Millais Nurseries, N: Millais Nurseries, REG: Millais Nurseries (1993) Fls 10/truss, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, 65mm wide, light purplish pink (62C), centre of flower pale purplish pink (62D). Shrub to c1.9m. Late June. AM 1999

(a) **'Somerset'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith Fls 70mm wide, deep purplish pink (68A), with a light green blotch. Lvs bronze in winter. Shrub 1.2m tall in 8 years

(r) **'Something Lovely'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lori Eichelser', open pollinated (s) H: H.A. Spady (c 1980), G: H.A. Spady, N: H.A. Spady, I: Westside Ornamentals, REG: H.A. Spady (2000) Fls 7/slightly flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (57A) in bud, opening inside moderate purplish pink (62B), unmarked; outside vivid purplish red (57D) tapering to moderate purplish pink (62B) on corolla edge. Calyx c1.5mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 50-65 × 25-40mm, broadly acute with a mucro at apex, rounded at base, margins downcurved, dull and moderate yellowish green (138A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.45 × 0.45m in 10 years. Mid April

(a) **'Sommerduft'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *viscosum* (s) × *arborescens* H: H. Hachmann (1984), G: H. Hachmann (1989), N: H. Hachmann (1991), I: H. Hachmann (1998), REG: G. Stück (1999) Fls single, 3-5 at shoot tips, narrowly tubular funnel-shaped, 35 × 25-30mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, buds white, with pink-tipped hairs on midveins, opening white inside and out, the outside glandular, with pink-tipped, white hairs on midveins and tube; stamens 5, filaments white, anthers light brown; strongly and sweetly scented. Lvs obovate, 25-50 × 12-20mm, mucronate at apex, flat, glossy green above, hairy. Shrub 1.0m tall in 15 years. Late June-early July

(r) **'Sommertraum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Thunderstorm' (s) × *yakushimanum* R: W. Nagel (1969), N: W. Nagel Fls rose at first, changing to white, with weak, red dotting

(r) **'Sonare'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Furnivall's Daughter' (s) × 'Simona' H: H. Hachmann (1973), G: H. Hachmann (1978), N: H. Hachmann (1991), I: H. Hachmann (1992), REG: G. Stück (1994) Fls 13-17/fairly compact truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50-55 × 65-80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (57B) inside and out, shading to strong purplish red (57A) at edges and to white in throat; large dorsal area of deep/strong greenish yellow (153A/B) markings on a paler ground, the markings almost warty; stamens 10; filaments white, tinged pale pink below the moderate purplish pink (186D) anthers; style whitish green, tinged strong purplish pink (73B) below the dark red (187A/B) style. Calyx 8-10mm long, light yellow-green (150D). Lvs broadly elliptic to ovate, 140-150 × 60-80mm, wavy-edged, slightly glossy and dark green above, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.6m in 10 years. Late May-early June. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1993/1994)

(a) **'Sonata'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × 'Kagetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 65mm wide, white, lightly sanded and with a few stripes from phlox purple (strong reddish purple (78B)) to true purple (vivid reddish purple (78A)). Broad, spreading shrub, to 1.5m tall. Early-mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Sonata'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' (s) × *dichroanthum* R: G. Reuthe Ltd (pre 1949), N: G. Reuthe Ltd, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 11-13/lax, domed truss, funnel-shaped, 45 × 50mm, chinese coral (614/2), changing to crimson (22/1) towards margins and with heavy brown, dorsal spotting. Lvs 65 × 27mm, dark green. Shrub to 1.1m. *HC 1959

(r) **'Sonatine'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: H. Hachmann (1968), G: H. Hachmann (1973), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1984), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 12-15/truss, funnel-campanulate, 35-40 × 45-55(-60)mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (57C-D), shading to white in the throat, with dorsal markings of strong yellow-green (144B-C), outside more strongly coloured with vivid purplish red (57B-C). Calyx 1-2mm long, light yellowish pink (159A). Lvs linear-elliptic, 115-130 × 38-45mm, convex, mucronate at apex, rounded-cuneate at base, dark green and slightly glossy above, with a thin, silvery grey indumentum below; young petioles with a white indumentum, later yellowish green. Shrub of dense habit, 0.7 × 1.2m in 10 years. Mid May-early June

(r) **'Song and Dance'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Stokes (pre 1969), N: W.E. Stokes

(r) **'Songbird'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *russatum* (s) × Blue Tit Group R: Sir James Horlick (c 1954), N: Sir James Horlick, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c20/compound truss, funnel-shaped to rotate-campanulate, 20 × 25mm, violet blue (36/2). Lvs glossy green. Shrub 0.5-0.6m. AM 1957

(r) **'Songster'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *russatum* (s) × Blue Tit Group R: Sir James Horlick, N: Sir James Horlick (c 1957), INC: ICRA (1958) Similar to 'Blue Diamond'

(a) **'Sonia'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Exbury, N: Exbury, I: E. de Rothschild (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, flushed pink. Knap Hill

(r) **'Sonia'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white

(r) **'Sonically Sound'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sefton' × 'Purple Splendour' × 'Blue Peter' × 'Powell Glass' H: W.E. Delp (1979), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 10/truss, open funnel-shaped, 52 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish red (71A) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (65D), heavily edged deep and strong purplish red (71A, B) and with brilliant yellow-green (154B) dorsal spots; filaments and style vivid red (57A); anthers dark yellowish pink (181D); stigma dark red (187A). Lvs 127 × 51mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.2m in 13 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer (1986))

(r) **'Sonic Ray'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan' × 'Sun Devil' H: L.W. Bulgin (1980), G: L.W. Bulgin (1985), I: EllanhurstGardens, REG: L.W. Bulgin (1988) Fls 12/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 44 × 89mm, with 7 smooth-edged lobes, vivid red (46C) in bud, opening deep pink (52C), with pale purplish pink (55D) veins, gradually shading to strong yellowish pink (31C) base on a background of pale yellow (20C), outside deep pink (52C). Calyx variable, up to 25mm long, with irregular striping from base of vivid red (46C) to deep pink (52C) and pale orange-yellow (159B). Lvs elliptic to lanceolate, 127 × 44mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.8m in 7 years. Mid May

(r) **'Sonic Waves'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Adele's Yellow' (s) × 'Opal' × 'Goldsworth Yellow' R: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls deep purplish pink (70C) in bud, opening very pale purple (73D) with strong greenish yellow (153B) dorsal spots. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Sonja Behrens'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Mrs P. den Ouden' R: A. Behrens (1977), N: A. Behrens, I: H. Bohlen (1988) Fls in compact trusses, with wavy-edged lobes, intense rose, with very few, pale yellowish spots

(r) **'Sonnenschein'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* hybrid × Fabia Group × *smirnowii* R: W. Nagel (1974), N: W. Nagel, I: W. Nagel (1996), REG: ICRA (2000) Fls a mixture of yellow, pink and orange

(v) **'Sonny Boy'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *zoelleri* (Lou Searle form, LS2) (s) × *laetum* × *aurigeranum* H: B. Clancy (1978), G: B. Clancy (1987), N: B. Clancy (1997), I: Vireya Valley Nursery (1997), REG: Vireya Valley Nursery (1997) Fls 9/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 33 × 90mm, with 6-7 flat-edged lobes, lobe edges moderate pink (49B) fusing to brilliant yellow (11A) at base in bud, opening inside deep pink (50B) at edges fusing to light yellow (11B) in the throat, outside deep pink (50B) at edges fusing to light yellow (11B); unspotted. Lvs ovate, 45 × 23mm, flat, acute to acuminate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, no scales apparent to the naked eye. Shrub 1.3 × 0.7m in 10 years. Winter-spring

(r) **'Sonny's Love'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown G: L.W. Reichart (1988), N: L.W. Reichart (1988), REG: L.W. Reichart (1996) Fls 12/ball truss, saucer-shaped, double and semi-double (with petaloid stamens), 25 × 40mm, outer corolla whorl with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light purple (84B) in bud, opening light purple (84C) throughout, unmarked. Calyx 6mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 55 × 25mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dark glossy green above, with tiny white scales. Shrub 1.2 × 0.75m in 5 years. Early April. (Grown from seed collected by Louis Reichart, in the wild, near Sitka, Alaska, USA)

(a) **'Sonny's Misty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: derived from 'Caprice' (Mossholder) S: L. Reichart (2002), N: L. Reichart (2002), REG: L. Reichart (2002) Fls hose-in-hose, 2/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 80mm, with 5+5 wavy to very wavy-edged lobes, in bud ventral lobes deep pink (52B), dorsal lobes white with a deep pink (51B) apex; dorsal lobes opening inside and out with margins c3-12mm wide of vivid red (52A) to deep pink (52B-C), changing abruptly to nearly white with sparse, pale yellow spots in the throat; ventral lobes opening inside and out with margins of vivid red (52A) to deep pink (52B-C) growing paler gradually to base. Pedicels with dense white hairs. Lvs obovate, 20-35 × 8-22mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, with sparse tan hairs on leaf surfaces, heavier on petioles. Shrub probably to c0.9m. Early May. (Derived by a process the registrant terms 'selective propagation', involving taking cuttings from a branch with slightly pinker fls, taking cuttings from the pinkest fld plant so produced, and repeating the process again to produce the plant now name 'Sonny's Misty')

(a) **'Son of a Gun'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Geisha' × 'Rose Greeley' × 'Cadenza' × 'Capella' R: D. Hager (pre 1983), N: D. Hager, I: Hager Nurseries (c 1983) Fls single, 65-75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, white, striped lavender. Lvs ovate, medium green. Shrub to 1.0m, of dense, spreading habit. Midseason

(a) **'Sonoma Dwarf Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: S. Barber, N: S. Barber, I: S. Barber (1974)

(a) **'Sonoma Dwarf Pink Plicata'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: S. Barber, N: S. Barber, I: S. Barber (1974)

(a) **'Sonoma Dwarf Red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: S. Barber, N: S. Barber, I: S. Barber (1974)

(a) **'Sonoma Dwarf Red Plicata'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: S. Barber, N: S. Barber, I: S. Barber (1974)

(a) **'Sonoma Dwarf Rose Bengal'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: S. Barber, N: S. Barber, I: S. Barber (1974)

(a) **'Sonoma Dwarf Rose Plicata'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: S. Barber, N: S. Barber, I: S. Barber (1974)

(a) **'Sonoma Dwarf Scarlet Plicata'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: S. Barber, N: S. Barber, I: S. Barber (1974)

(a) **'Sonoma Dwarf Vermilion'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: S. Barber, N: S. Barber, I: S. Barber (1974)

(a) **'Sonoma Dwarf White'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: S. Barber, N: S. Barber, I: S. Barber (1974)

(a) **'Sonoma Sunset'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: S. Barber (pre 1975), N: S. Barber Fls semi-double, large, dark red. Very compact shrub, 0.6-1.0m tall

(a) **'Sono-no-homare'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Taiho' × 'Seidai' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls with large, rounded, wavy-edged lobes, white, with reddish purple stripes. Satsuki

(r) **'Sophia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Tortoiseshell Wonder' R: W. Nagel (1970), N: W. Nagel, I: W. Nagel (1995), REG: ICRA (2000) Fls salmon pink. Compact, broad shrub

(r) **'Sophia Gray'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* hybrid R: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, spotted burnt amber, "fimbriated"

(r) **'Sophia Western'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale lavender blush, with a yellow eye. (Listed in error as 'Sophia' in 1958 Register)

(a) **'Sophie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Croux (pre 1984), N: Croux Fls single, 5-lobed, pure rose. Squat, low shrub

(r) **'Sophie'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Byls (pre 1854), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(a) **'Sophie Boutez'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1871), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft rose, veined with amaranth and spotted with cream. Ghent

(a) **'Sophie Hedges'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1985) Fls double, pale pinky cream; scented. Midseason

(r) **'Sophie Peste'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × Medusa Group H: F. Peste (1979), G: F. & L. Peste (1984), N: L. Peste, REG: S.P. Johnston (1986) Fls 15/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 44 × 73mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (60B) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (55D), with 9mm edging of deep purplish pink (54B) and dorsal spotting of moderate red (180B). Lvs elliptic, 108 × 40mm, moderate olive green (146A) above, with a woolly, moderate orange-yellow (164B) indumentum on young foliage. Shrub 0.38 × 0.46m in 6 years. Mid May

(a) **'Sophie Scholl'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Mother's Day' × 'Multiflorum' R: W. Nagel (1965), N: W. Nagel, I: W. Nagel (1980), REG: ICRA (1999) Fls intense, pure salmon pink. (First published in Schmalscheidt, *Rhododendron- und Azaleenzüchtung in Deutschland*, part II (1989))

(a) **'Sophie Vervaene'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1866), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Sophisticated Lady'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Davidson's Nurseries (1979) Fls single, pale pink with a hint of mauve. (Probably the plant listed by Galle (1987) as 'Sophisticated')

(a) **'Sophisticated Lady'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1987), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls light pink, with bluish white ribs and a hint of yellow in the pale yellow flare; delicately scented. Early-mid July

(r) **'Sophisticated Lady'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fire Bird Group × 'Autumn Gold' R: L.W. Bulgin (pre 1996), N: L.W. Bulgin Fls apricot in bud, opening to a blend of lilac, peach and lavender. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Midseason

(a) **'Soquee River'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *calendulaceum* R: Transplant Nursery (pre 1987), N: Transplant Nursery Fls of different colours (orange, red and yellow) in bloom at the same time. Large shrub

(a) **'Sorai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls 25mm wide, white, flushed and edged strong purplish pink (55B). Kurume

(a) **'Sorcerer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ivory' (s) × 'Kagetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 50mm wide, white, sanded and striped with rosolane purple (moderate purplish red (70A)). Broad spreading shrub, to 1.2m tall. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(v) **'Sorcerer's Apprentice'** (See 'The Sorcerer's Apprentice')

(a) **'Sorpe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Noordtianum' × *kaempferi* and other Kurume azaleas R: G. Arends (pre 1914), N: G. Arends (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac, with slight, dark red markings. Shrub 0.5-0.6m. Arendsii

(a) **'Sorrento'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Obtusum Group (s) × unknown H: T. Lelliott, G: T. Lelliott (1960), N: T.

Lelliott, REG: T. Lelliott (1966) Fls hose-in-hose, magenta (27/2-27/3), with a yellow flush in the throat. Shrub 0.6m

(a) **'Soshi-dan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, c30mm wide, red. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Soukupova'** (Listed as a parent of 'Hradecká')

(r) **Soularb Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *souliei* (s) × *arboreum* (blood red form) R: E.J.P. Magor (1920), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1926), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 17/truss, campanulate, c40 × 55mm, deep cerise, paler towards base which is much darker, unspotted

(r) **Soulbut Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *souliei* (s) × 'Sir Charles Butler' R: E.J.P. Magor (1916), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1926), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush white, tinged pink, with broad crimson spotting

(r) **Souldis Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *souliei* (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* R: E.J.P. Magor (1921), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1927), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls broadly funnel to bowl-shaped, with 7 notched lobes, blush pink fading to almost white with age or white with a crimson blotch

(r) **Soulkew Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *souliei* (s) × Kewense Group R: E.J.P. Magor (1918), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1926), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush white inside when open, pink outside

(r) **Soulking Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *souliei* (s) × Kingianum Group R: E.J.P. Magor (1917), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1926), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson pink

(r) **'Soumi'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *forrestii* Repens Group × 'Metternianum' R: D.G. Hobbie (pre 1972), N: D.G. Hobbie

(a) **'Soupir de Crépuscule'** (Syn. of 'Le Soupir de Crépuscule')

(r) **'Source Bank'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Delp's Cindy Lou' × 'Captain Jack' H: W.E. Delp (1976), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 22/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 63 × 75mm, 5-lobed, dark and vivid red (59A, 57A) in bud, opening strong purplish red (64C) to deep purplish pink (64D), with a white flare and pale orange-yellow (16D) dorsal spots. Lvs 114 × 58mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.3 × 1.45m in 16 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Southamptonia'** (Syn. of 'Russellianum Southamptonia')

(a) **'Southern Aurora'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Comtesse de Kerchove' R: Huntingdale Nursery (pre 1963), N: Huntingdale Nursery, I: Huntingdale Nursery (1972) Fls double, deep apricot, to salmon muted with white especially at the centre and at the bases of the lobes. Syn: 'Evonne'. Indian

(a) **'Southern Beauty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'White Jade' (s) × *oldhamii* 'Fourth of July' H: R.E. Lee (1985), G: R.E. Lee (1988), N: R. Jacobs (1996), I: Plant Development Services Inc. (1997), REG: R.E. Lee (1998) Fls single, 2-3/truss, open funnel-shaped, 45-55 × 50-65mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (73A) in bud, opening 73A throughout, with strong purplish red (64B) spotting on dorsal lobe and adjacent lobes. Calyx 9-13mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Lvs elliptic, 45-60 × 15-25mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairy above and below when young, less so with age, hairs white at first, ageing to moderate orange (167C). Shrub 1.5-1.8 × 1.5-1.8m in 6-8 years. March-April and intermittently July-August (until frosts)

(a) **'Southern Belle'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Pink Ruffles' R: L. Mitchell (pre 1982), N: L. Mitchell Fls hose-in-hose, 65mm wide, strong purplish pink, with a darker blotch. Lvs with a white margin

(r) **'Southern Belle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × *decorum* × Carita Group H: G.E. Barefield (1959), G: G.E. Barefield (1971), N: M.W. Barefield, I: M.W. Barefield (1976), REG: M.W. Barefield (1981) Fls 11/domed truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 65 × 75mm, with 7 very wavy-edged lobes, moderate yellowish pink (39C) in bud, opening pale yellow-green (4D) with a brilliant yellow (11A) fading to pale yellow (11C) dorsal blotch in the throat and with moderate orange-yellow (168D) spotting; moderately scented. Calyx 3mm long, pale yellow-green (4D). Lvs elliptic, 125 × 50mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, moderate yellow-green (137C) above, hairless. Shrub 2.4 × 1.8m in 19 years. Late May

(a) **'Southern Blush'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Carla' (s) × *oldhamii* 'Fourth of July' H: R.E. Lee (1985), G: R.E. Lee (1988), N: R. Jacobs (1996), I: Plant Development Services Inc. (1997), REG: R.E. Lee (1998) Fls single and semi-double, 2-3/truss, open funnel-shaped, with 5 (+ up to 5) wavy-edged lobes (the extra lobes being petaloid stamens), 45-55 × 65-75mm, vivid red (45B) in bud, opening vivid reddish orange (43A), with deep to strong red (53A-D) spotting on dorsal lobe and adjacent lobes. Calyx 9-13mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Lvs elliptic, 40-50 × 14-20mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairy above and below when young, less so with age, hairs white at first, ageing to moderate orange (167C). Shrub 0.9-1.2 × 1.2-1.5m in 6-8 years. March-April and intermittently July-August (until frosts)

(a) **'Southern Charm'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Formosum' R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, deep cherry pink (Davidson's cat., 1985 ex Milfield, USA); fls 65mm wide, light pink with a darker blotch

(Galle, 1987); similar to 'Elegans Superbum' (1958 Register). Indian

(a) **'Southern Charm Variegated'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Southern Charm' R: R.M. Milfield (pre 1987), N: R.M. Milfield Fls pink. Lvs with numerous, small, yellowish spots

(r) **'Southern Cloud'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lindleyi* (s) × *nuttallii* H: A.C. Bramley (1963), G: J.F. Wilson (1965), N: J.F. Wilson, REG: J.F. Wilson (1983) Fls 3-11/truss, campanulate, 110 × 110mm, outside strong purplish pink (55B), inside light yellowish pink (27B) with a vivid yellow (17C) base. Lvs elliptic, 190 × 70mm. Shrub 1.9m

(r) **'Southern Cross'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × 'Lodauric Iceberg' R: A.F. George, N: A.F. George, REG: A.F. George (1965) Fls 10/compact, globular truss, funnel-shaped, 90 × 115mm, with wavy-edged lobes, white, lightly flushed light purplish pink (65B) on ventral lobes and more heavily on three dorsal lobes, midribs deep purplish pink (55A), throat vivid red (45C); spotting deep red (53A) and soft yel-lowish brown, spreading outwards and becoming fainter. Lvs 200 × 55-65mm, dull and dark green above. *HC 1969, *AM 1988

(a) **'Southern Flame'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Red Slippers' (s) × *oldhamii* 'Fourth of July' H: R.E. Lee (1985), G: R.E. Lee (1988), N: A. Cobb (1996), I: Plant Development Services Inc. (1997), REG: R.E. Lee (1998) Fls single and semi-double, 3-4/truss, open funnel-shaped, 40-50 × 45-60mm, with 5 (+ up to 5) wavy-edged lobes (extra lobes are petaloid stamens), vivid red (46B) in bud, opening vivid reddish orange (42A), with flecks of strong red (53B) on dorsal lobe and adjacent lobes. Calyx 6-16mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Lvs elliptic, 45-65 × 16-22mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairy above and below when young (less so with age), hairs white at first, ageing to moderate orange-yellow (167D). Shrub 1.2-1.5 × 1.2-1.5m in 6-8 years. March-April and intermittently July-August (until frosts)

(a) **'Southern Glory'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Carror' (s) × *oldhamii* 'Fourth of July' H: R.E. Lee (1985), G: R.E. Lee (1988), N: A. Cobb (1996), I: Plant Development Services Inc. (1997), REG: R.E. Lee (1998) Fls single and semi-double, 3-4/truss, open funnel-shaped, 40-50 × 45-55mm, with 5 (+ up to 5) smooth-edged lobes (extra lobes are petaloid stamens), vivid purplish red (57D) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (67C) throughout, with strong red (53B) spotting on dorsal lobe and adjacent lobes. Calyx 6-10mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Lvs elliptic, 40-50 × 13-17mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairy above and below when young (less so with age), hairs white at first, ageing to moderate orange-yellow (167D). Shrub 0.6-0.9 × 1.2-1.5m in 6-8 years. March-April and intermittently July-August (until frosts)

(a) **'Southern Grace'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Carror' (s) × *oldhamii* 'Fourth of July' H: R.E. Lee (1985), G: R.E. Lee (1988), N: A. Cobb (1996), I: Plant Development Services Inc. (1997), REG: R.E. Lee (1998) Fls semi-double, 3-4/truss, open funnel-shaped, 45-55 × 55-70mm, with 5 (+ 4-7) wavy-edged lobes (extra lobes are petaloid stamens), strong purplish red (54A) in bud, opening inside deep purplish pink (54B) and with strong red (53B) spotting on dorsal and adjacent lobes; outside moderate purplish pink (54D). Calyx 6-10mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Lvs elliptic, 30-45 × 13-20mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairy above and below when young, less so with age, hair white at first, ageing to moderate orange (167C). Shrub 1.2-1.5 × 1.2-1.5m in 6-8 years. March-April and intermittently July-August (until frosts)

(a) **'Southern Lady'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: P.B. Cornell, N: P.B. Cornell, I: P.B. Cornell (c 1960) Fls light pink. Compact habit. Early

(a) **'Southern Maiden'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Pink Cascade' (s) × *oldhamii* 'Fourth of July' H: R.E. Lee (1985), G: R.E. Lee (1988), N: R. Jacobs (1996), I: Plant Development Services Inc (1997), REG: R.E. Lee (1998) Fls single, 2-3/truss, open funnel-shaped, 45-65 × 55-70mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, moderate red (47A) in bud, opening vivid reddish orange (44C) throughout, with strong red (53B) flecks on dorsal and adjacent lobes. Calyx 6-10mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Lvs elliptic, 30-40 × 13-19mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairy above and below when young (less so with age), hairs white at first, ageing to moderate orange-yellow (167D). Shrub 0.6-0.9 × 1.2-1.5m in 6-8 years. March-April and intermittently July-August (until frosts)

(a) **'Southern Nights'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, soft salmon pink, with yellow gold overtones and a golden flare covering most of the dorsal lobe; slightly scented. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Late June

(a) **'Southern Pride'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Sweet Briar' (s) × *oldhamii* 'Fourth of July' H: R.E. Lee (1985), G: R.E. Lee (1988), N: R. Jacobs (1996), I: Plant Development Services Inc. (1997), REG: R.E. Lee (1998) Fls single, 2-3/truss, open funnel-shaped, 30-40 × 40-50mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (57D) in bud, opening (57D) throughout, with strong red (53B) flecks on dorsal and adjacent lobes. Calyx 6-10mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Lvs elliptic, 40-50 × 13-19mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairy above and below when young (less so with age), hairs white at first ageing to moderate orange-yellow (167D). Shrub 1.5-1.8 × 1.2-1.5m in 6-8 years. March-April and intermittently July-August (until frosts)

(r) **'Southern Skies'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sunup-Sundown' × 'Lem's Cameo' H: J.G. Lofthouse (1979), G: J.G. Lofthouse (1988), N: J.G. Lofthouse, I: J.G. Lofthouse (1988), REG: J.G. Lofthouse (1990) Fls 16-17/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds red, opening pale yellowish pink (29D) with a heavy, deep yellowish pink (44D), solid flare on the dorsal lobes, thinning to spotting of same colour near margins; outside pale yellowish pink (29D) but with deep pink (47D) from base to centre of lobes and continuing up midribs to edges. Calyx 25mm long, coloured as corolla, with reflexed lobes. Lvs elliptic, 102-127 × 44-51mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and deep green above, hairless. Shrub 0.7 × 0.6m in 11 years. Late April-early May. (Published in Lofthouse cat., 1988)

(a) **'Southern Summer Rose'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ambrosianum' (s) × *oldhamii* H: W.L. Brown (1978), G: W.L. Brown (1979), N: W.L. Brown, REG: Hammond Research Station (1993) Fls 3-7/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 50-55 × 65-75mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes and sometimes with petaloid stamens, strong purplish red (54A) with a relatively inconspicuous, slightly darker blotch; stamens 10, straight, equal; style red; pistil straight. Pedicels 10mm long, mostly pink. Calyx 6mm long, green. Lvs obovate, 30-45 × 20-25mm, concave, broadly acute/obtuse and mucronate at apex, cuneate/rounded at base, with discrete greenish hairs above and below; petioles 7mm long, green, hairy. Shrub 1.4 × 2.1m in 10 years. Flowering almost continuously. April-November

(a) **'Southern Sunset'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Southern Aurora' H: Camellia Lodge Nursery, G: Camellia Lodge Nursery, N: Camellia Lodge Nursery, I: Camellia Lodge Nursery, REG: Camellia Lodge Nursery (1983) Fls double, vivid red (46B); no stamens. Indian

(a) **'Southgate Wonder'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: K. Wezelenburg & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, light reddish orange. Midseason. Mollis

(r) **'Southland'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* var. *chapmanii* (s) × prostrate form of *keiskei* H: A.E. Kehr (1971), G: A.E. Kehr (1976), N: A.E. Kehr, I: A.E. Kehr (1988), REG: A.E. Kehr (1994) Fls 10/ball truss, open campanulate, 30 × 32mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, apricot in bud, opening light yellowish pink (36B), with brown speckles in the throat; stamens 5, curved; slightly scented. Pedicels 13mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 44 × 19mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless; petioles 6mm long, green, scaly. Shrub 0.6 × 0.75m in 10 years. April

(a) **'South Seas'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Davidson's Nurseries (1979) Fls semi-double, pink mauve

(a) **'Souvenir'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum* (s) × 'Momozono' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls irregularly hose-in-hose, 2-4/truss, 30mm wide, eosine pink (strong pink (48C)) with a begonia rose (deep pink (50B)) blotch, which gives a deeper tone to the salmon pink effect. Shrub to 1.5m. Late April. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Souvenir Arthur Tollenaere'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Eclaireur' × 'Emile Eeckhaute' I: A. Tollenaere (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, brick red with red bronze sheen. Indian (Mis-spelt as 'Souvenir Arthur Follenaere' in 1958 Register)

(a) **'Souvenir d'Albert Truffaut'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Simplet' I: A. Truffaut (1971) Fls strong purplish pink (55B), edged white; otherwise similar to parent. Indian

(r) **'Souvenir d'Anthony Waterer'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon pink, with an orange blotch. June

(a) **'Souvenir d'Arnstadt'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: E. Pynaert-van Geert (1877), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Souvenir d'Arthur Veitch'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1883), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, very big, with wavy-edged lobes, satin salmon crimson, with dark blood red on three dorsal lobes. Indian

(r) **'Souvenir de Barillet-Deschamps'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Blandyanum' × 'John Waterer' R: Charozé (pre 1874), N: Charozé, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65-70mm wide, rose, shading to white at base of corolla and marked with dark brown spots on the dorsal lobe

(a) **'Souvenir de Brugge'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1879), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white, with wavy-edged lobes. Indian

(r) **'Souvenir de D.A. Koster'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Doncaster' (s) × 'Charlie Waterer' R: D.A. Koster, N: K. Wezelenburg & Son, I: K. Wezelenburg & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 13/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, crimson scarlet, with a narrow ray of black marks. Calyx crimson. Lvs oblong-elliptic. AM 1922 Syn: 'Barnet Glory'

(r) **'Souvenir de Delbaere'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Vuylsteke (1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls creamy white, with a green blotch (Vuylsteke); fls lilac, with a bronze blotch (The Netherlands, 1896)

(r) **'Souvenir de Deynze'** (Listed as a parent of 'Baronne de Snoy')

(r) **'Souvenir de Doctor S. Endtz'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pink Pearl' (s) × 'John Walter' R: L.J. Endtz & Co., I: L.J. Endtz & Co. (1924), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 15-17/dome-shaped truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 60 × 90-100mm, rich rose in bud, opening rich, mottled pink, paler in the centre and with a ray of crimson

and deep brown crimson. Calyx lobes 1-3mm long, gland-fringed. Lvs obovate, c120 × 50mm, dark, matt green above. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. AM 1924, *FCC 1970 Syn: 'Doctor S. Endtz'

(a) **'Souvenir de Dominique Vervaene'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. Vervaene (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft rose, with white edges. Indian

(r) **'Souvenir de Dominique Vervaene'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Firma C. Esveld (1984) Fls rose, with a blotch. Shrub 2.5-4.0m

(a) **'Souvenir de Duc de Brabant'** (Syn. of 'Souvenir du Duc de Brabant')

(a) **'Souvenir de Ferdinand Scarlatti'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: P. de Schrijver (1890), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Souvenir de François Vervaene'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Vervaene Jr (1880), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, white, sometimes with rose stripes, and with a greenish blotch. Indian

(r) **'Souvenir de George Koster'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Ottolander & Hooftman (pre 1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with a paler centre and a bronze blotch

(a) **'Souvenir de Gordon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1889), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, sombre vermilion, with a dark, blood red blotch. Indian

(r) **'Souvenir de Gustave Croux'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Croux (pre 1949), N: Croux, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine red-purple. Midseason

(a) **'Souvenir de Gust. Piens'** (Syn. of 'Souvenir de Theophile Piens')

(r) **'Souvenir de Hartweg'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Linden (pre 1878), N: J. Linden, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with dark spots

(r) **'Souvenir de Henri Backès'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Backès (1861), INC: ICRA (1958) (Exhibited at Metz by Backès in 1861)

(a) **'Souvenir de J.C. van Tol'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *mollesubsp. molle*× *mollesubsp. japonicum* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon orange. Late. Mollis

(a) **'Souvenir de Jean Bracke'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Bracke Bros (1911), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, lilac (like 'Violaceum'). Indian (Said to have been 'acquired by Hausmann from Stuttgart')

(r) **'Souvenir de Jean Byls'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Byls (pre 1862), N: J. Verschaffelt, I: J. Verschaffelt, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson tinged rose, bluish centre, with a yellow blotch. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Souvenir de Jean Nuytens-Verschaffelt'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. de Kneef (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, heavy orange rose, surrounded with a pure white edge and a purple crimson blotch on the dorsal lobes. Indian

(a) **'Souvenir de Jean Verschaffelt'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1885), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine red, with a black blotch. Indian

(v) **'Souvenir de J.H. Mangles'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Crown Princess of Germany' (s) × *javanicum* R: J. Veitch & Sons, N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 8-9/truss, broadly tubular funnel-shaped, 50mm wide, lobes chrome orange, suffused rose pink, centre light rose, tube pale yellow. Lvs elliptic. Shrub upright, to 2.0m. FCC 1888

(r) **'Souvenir de J.H. van Nes'** cv. Parentage unknown R: van Nes, N: van Nes, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark red. (Perhaps an error for 'Souvenir de Madame J.H. van Nes')

(a) **'Souvenir de Jules Triangle'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Soc.An.L. van Houtte, père (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, red. Indian

(a) **'Souvenir de J. Verschaffelt'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1868), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Souvenir de Leon Maenhout'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: E. van der Cruyssen, N: E. van der Cruyssen, I: E. van der Cruyssen (1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with dark carmine red. Indian

(a) **'Souvenir de Leopold I'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Vervaene (1865), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Souvenir de l'Exposition'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Verschaffelt (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon with white edges (1958 Register); pale lilac (J. Veitch & Son cat., 1867). Indian (L. van Houtte (1870) gives Maenhout as raiser, E. André (1864) gives Margottin. More than one plant may be involved)

(a) **'Souvenir de l'Exposition Universelle'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: E. van der Cruyssen (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with rose stripes and dots. Indian (The 'Souvenir de l'Exposition Universelle de Bruxelles' listed by Vervaene in their 1868 catalogue may have been this plant)

(r) **'Souvenir de Littleworth'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from Rose Mangles Group R: J.H. Mangles (pre 1884), N: J.H. Mangles, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Souvenir de Louise-Marie'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. de Cock (1872), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Souvenir de Louis van Houtte'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: C. Vuylsteke (pre 1890), N: C. Vuylsteke, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white and rose, and a yellow blotch. Mollis

(a) **'Souvenir de Louis Verschaffelt'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown N: P. Robichon (1853), L: L. Verschaffelt, INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Souvenir de Madame de Cleene'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: de Cleene Bros (1911), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Souvenir de Madame J.H. van Nes'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* × a Hardy Hybrid R: O. Schulz (1892), N: J.H. van Nes (post 1895), I: J.H. van Nes, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet, gloxinia-shaped

(a) **'Souvenir de Madame Rudolph Abel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Duc de Brabant' (van Loo) I: D. Vervaene (1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, salmon rose, with white edges, deep pink spots on dorsal and on lower quarter of most other lobes; anthers dark. Indian (The spelling Rudolf is used in *Rev.Hort.Belg.*, 1878, p.86 and may be correct)

(a) **'Souvenir de Madame van den Plas'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Edmond Vervaene' × 'Empereur du Brésil' I: de Cleene Bros (1911), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose (like 'Madame Petrick'). Indian

(a) **'Souvenir de Marie Roseel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rosy salmon (Veitch). FCC 1884. Indian (Perhaps the same plant listed as 'Mademoiselle Marie Rosseel; the spelling of the surname requires confirmation)

(a) **'Souvenir de Martus'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vermilion red, shaded yellow. Ghent (Perhaps an error for 'Souvenir de Mortier')

(a) **'Souvenir de Maximilien'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, flaked. Indian

(a) **'Souvenir de M. de Limon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1879), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Souvenir de Meyerbeer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Vervaene (1865), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Souvenir de Miellez'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Verschaffelt (1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls resemble 'Roi Leopold' but with a more orange colour. Indian

(a) **'Souvenir de Monsieur Low'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Hazlewood Bros (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, deep rose purple. Indian

(a) **'Souvenir de Mortier'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1849), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red, with greenish yellow spots. Ghent

(a) **'Souvenir de Mr van den Plas'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Edmond Vervaene' × 'Empereur du Brésil' I: de Cleene Bros (1905), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, lively rose. Indian

(r) **'Souvenir de Paul Kort'** cv. Parentage unknown I: R. de Belder, REG: R. de Belder (1968) Fls 14-18/truss, deep purple-red (030). Late

(a) **'Souvenir de Prince Albert'** (See 'Souvenir du Prince Albert')

(a) **'Souvenir de Prince Albert Albus'** (See 'Souvenir du Prince Albert Albus')

(a) **'Souvenir de Prince Napoleon'** (See 'Souvenir du Prince Napoleon')

(a) **'Souvenir de Pronay'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1861), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Souvenir de Royghem'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1871), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy, with a canaryyellow dorsal blotch. Ghent

(a) **'Souvenir de Rud. Seidel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: R. Vervaene (1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft rose, resembling 'Perle de Ledeberg'. Indian

(a) **'Souvenir de Smet-Duvivier'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1913), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rose. Indian

(a) **'Souvenir de S. Rucker'** (Syn. of 'Sigismond Rucker')

(a) **'Souvenir de Theophile Piens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Paul Schäme' I: T. Piens (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls a lively salmon tint with a pure white edge (no intrusion of pink into white). Syn: 'Souvenir de Gust. Piens', 'Theo Piens', 'Souvenir de Theo Piens', 'Th. Piens'. Indian

(a) **'Souvenir de Theo Piens'** (Syn. of 'Souvenir de Theophile Piens')

(a) **'Souvenir de T.J. Seidel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte, père (1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, scarlet. Indian

(a) **'Souvenir de Van Duyze'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Vervaene (pre 1876), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Souvenir de van Peene'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: D. Vervaene, N: D. Vervaene, I: D. Vervaene (1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, dorsal lobes marked dark purple. Indian

(a) **'Souvenir de William Edgard'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ernest Eeckhaute' × 'Madame van der Cruyssen' I: A. Haerens (1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls more double and larger than 'Madame van der Cruyssen', cherry red, close to the colour of 'Ernest Eeckhaute'. Indian

(a) **'Souvenir du Capitaine van de Velde'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. de Kneef (1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lively orange vermilion, double centre with white tints, and a pale purple blotch. Indian

(a) **'Souvenir du Comte de Flandre'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Soc.An. L. van Houtte (1906), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white, with red stripes and dots, blotch tinged green. Indian

(a) **'Souvenir du Comte de Gomer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Vervaene (1883), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red, with an amaranth red blotch which is dotted with black. Indian

(a) **'Souvenir du Doctor D'Hooghe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright purple red. Indian

(a) **'Souvenir du Duc d'Albany'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1882), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, white, with slight green blotch. FCC 1884. Indian

(a) **'Souvenir du Duc de Brabant'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Vervaene (1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red-orange, with a dark purple-red blotch; sometimes semi-double. Syn: 'Souvenir de Duc de Brabant'. Indian

(r) **'Souvenir d'un Ami'** cv. Parentage unknown L: T. Methven & Son (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, violet rose

(a) **'Souvenir du Président Carnot'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Moser & Son (pre 1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, 30mm wide, light orange-yellow (23C) and moderate reddish orange (35A). Late. Syn: 'Président Carnot'. Ghent

(a) **'Souvenir du Prince Albert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from an un-named seedling INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, double, deep rose, lightly edged white. Indian (The 1958 Register indicated G. van der Meulen (1863) as introducer; J. Verschaffelt cat. (1844), van Geert cat., (1867) and L. van Houttecat. (1870) gave J. Verschaffelt. Sometimes seen as 'Souvenir de Prince Albert')

(a) **'Souvenir du Prince Albert Albus'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Souvenir du Prince Albert' L: J. Veitch & Sons (1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with white margins. Indian (Listed by Veitch as 'Souvenir de Prince Albert Albus')

(a) **'Souvenir du Prince Baudouin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (pre 1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, rose, dorsal lobes bluish purple with a dark carmine blotch. Indian

(r) **'Souvenir du Prince d'Orange'** cv. Parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (pre 1880), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lavender rose, with a large blackish blotch

(a) **'Souvenir du Prince Henri'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (pre 1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, large, with wavy-edged lobes, bright carmine rose, darker at edges and with a dark carmine blotch. FCC 1884. Indian

(a) **'Souvenir du Prince Napoleon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Veitch & Sons (1882), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, white with a carmine red blotch. FCC 1883. Indian (Sometimes listed as 'Souvenir de Prince Napoleon')

(a) **'Souvenir du Recteur Kickx'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Princesse Louise' × 'Charmer' I: L. Eeckhaute (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, large, up to 100mm wide, purplish red, with a few darker, dorsal spots. Indian

(a) **'Souvenir Ferdinand Tollenaere'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Comtesse de Kerchove' I: T. Tollenaere (1963) Fls deep yellowish pink (43C); otherwise similar to parent. Indian

(a) **'Souvenir Kathleen van der Linden'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Haerens Saumoneus' I: C. van der Linden (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light to pale purplish pink (55C-D); otherwise similar to 'Avenir'. Syn: 'Kathleen van der Linden'. Indian

(r) **'Souvenir of Anthony Waterer'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark rosy red or salmon, with a yellow blotch

(r) **'Souvenir of W.C. Slocock'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* × a Hardy Hybrid R: W.C. Slocock Ltd (pre 1928), N: W.C. Slocock Ltd, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls open an apricot shade, and fade to pale yellow ochre. Shrub to more than 1.0m. *AM 1935

(a) **'Souverain du Congo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1892), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple rose, with metallic blue sheen. Indian

(r) **'So What!'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Wizard' (s) × 'Candescent' H: J. Looye, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls strong and deep purplish pink (54A, B) and strong pink (54C) in bud, opening white edged deep purplish pink (54B) with a pale greenish yellow (1D) throat and brilliant greenish yellow (1B) dorsal spots. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Soyokaze'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Chelsea Reach' (s) × 'Ilam Louie Williams' H: I. Kunio (1980), G: I. Kunio (1988), N: I. Kunio (1988), REG: I. Kunio (1996) Fls hose-in-hose, 10-15/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 55mm, with 5+5 wavy-edged lobes, pink in bud, opening pale pink inside and out, without spots. Calyx 5mm long, light yellow (160B). Lvs elliptic, 100 × 50mm, margins upcurved, becoming hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.3m in 15 years

(a) **'Spadiceum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1851), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Spae'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1852), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Spangles'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Bridal Veil' (s) × 'Azuma-no-hana' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, 75mm wide, white, with light scarlet (vivid reddish orange (33A)) flakes. Shrub to 1.2m tall. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Spanish Galleon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Belle' (s) × Margaret Dunn Group R: Sunningdale Nurseries (c 1955), N: Sunningdale Nurseries, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls butter yellow

(r) **'Spanish Glory'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *elliottii* × Fabia Group R: M.H. & Mrs F. Sumner (1956), N: M.H. & Mrs F. Sumner, I: M.H. & Mrs F. Sumner, REG: M.H. & Mrs F. Sumner (1971) Fls 7/truss, campanulate, 65 × 75mm, strong red (45D) with dark red speckling. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 50mm, dark green. Shrub of open habit, 1.2 × 1.0m in 10 years. Early May

(a) **'Spanish Gold'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: W.C. Slocock Ltd, N: W.C. Slocock Ltd, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls golden yellow

(r) **'Spanish Lady'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Evening Glow' × 'Lamplighter' H: M. Stockman (1972), G: M. & H. Stockman (1980), N: M. & H. Stockman, I: Greer Gardens (1988), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1992) Fls 8/lax, ball truss, open campanulate, 57 × 83mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (51C), shading to vivid reddish orange (34A) in centre; outside also vivid reddish orange (34A); stamens 10, slightly curved, unequal. Calyx 25mm long, vivid reddish orange (34A). Pedicels 29mm long, brown. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 124 × 38mm, convex, with slightly wavy margins, acute at apex, cuneate at base, matt and dark green above, hairless; petioles 19mm long, light green. Shrub 1.4 × 1.7m in 20 years. Early May. (Published in *Greer's Guidebook to Available Rhododendrons*, (1988))

(a) **'Sparke'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia, 1996

(a) **'Sparkle'** cv. Evergreen azalea: red *kaempferi* seedling × 'Gable's Flame' R: Shammarello Nursery (1951), G: A.M. Shammarello (1956), N: A.M. Shammarello, I: A.M. Shammarello (1960), REG: A.M. Shammarello (1975) Fls single, 2-3/truss, open funnel-shaped, 25 × 45mm, 5-lobed, strong red (2.5R 5/12). Calyx 5mm long, brilliant yellow-green (7.5GY 8/7). Lvs elliptic, 45 × 25mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (2.5GY 4/3), hairless; new growth and mature leaves reddish. Shrub 0.8 × 1.0m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Sparkle'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Sparkle')

(a) **'Sparkle Plenty'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *prinophyllum* hybrid H: F.L. Abbott, S: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls striped red in bud, opening creamy yellow with a darker yellow flare; conspicuous red stamens. Late May

(r) **'Sparkle Plenty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Pilgrim Group × Red Cap Group R: R. Henny, I: L. Henny, REG: L. Henny (1963) Fls in tall trusses, light yellow to white, with vermilion spots

(a) **'Sparkler'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Weston Nurseries (pre 1988), N: Weston Nurseries Fls dark pink, with wavy-edged lobes, and a spicy chocolate scent. Foliage blue-green above, silver below, turning dark wine purple in autumn. Early-mid July

(r) **'Sparkler'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *facetum* hybrid × Fabia Group × *yakushimanum* × 'Britannia' R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1970) Fls rose opal (022/1). Compact shrub

(r) **'Sparkler'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Essex Scarlet' × *fortunei* H: B. Shapiro (pre 1978)

(a) **'Sparkling Burgundy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: M.E. Greentree (pre 1987), N: M.E. Greentree Fls semi-double, large to very large, deep pink. Indian

(r) **'Sparkling Burgundy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' (s) × *macrophyllum* 'Seven Devils' H: F.D. Mossman (1973), G: J.C. Brotherton (1979), N: J.C. Brotherton, I: J.C. Brotherton (1980), REG: J.C. Brotherton (1983) Fls 17/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, lilac purple (031), throat with a touch of white, dorsal spotting of aster violet (38). Calyx up to 10mm long, violet (36/1). Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 115 × 45mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, ivy green, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in 8 years. Mid May

(r) **'Sparkling Jewel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × *fortunei* seedling H: Scott Arboretum (1958), G: Scott Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister, I: Scott Arboretum (1974), REG: Scott Arboretum (1980) Fls c11/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 180 × 100mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, very pale pink flushed yellow in bud, opening white with a small, dorsal area in the throat of indistinct pale green spotting over yellow; outside with a pale yellow glow at the base; strongly scented. Calyx c5mm long, tinged dull rose. Lvs elliptic, 165 × 55mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, moderate yellow-green (5GY 5/6) above, hairless. Shrub 2.4 × 1.5m in 22 years. Late May-early June

(a) **'Spartero'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Spätlese'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* hybrid R: G.D. Böhlje (1955), N: G.D. Böhlje, I: G.D. Böhlje (1977) Fls 10-13/rounded, compact truss, 60-90mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, clear rose, with a dark red basal blotch and red spots all around the throat. Shrub to 1.0m. Mid-late June

(r) **'Spatter Paint'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *irroratum*, raised from seed collected in China in 1948 by Joseph Rock, number unknown R: J. Henry & C. Smith, I: C. Smith (c 1961), REG: M. Kraxberger (1979) Fls up to 13/flat truss, campanulate, 50 × 50mm wide, with 5 flat-edged lobes, moderate pink (49B), with heavy, strong red (53B) spotting 3mm from lobe edges down to base; strongly scented. Calyx 3mm long, strong red (53B). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 140 × 45mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, midvein deeply impressed, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.5m in 12 years. Early-mid March.

(a) **'Special Occaision'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1994) Fls single, light pink, with a lemon yellow throat and prominent dark stamens and pistil. Shrub of dense habit, 1.0m. Late

(r) **'Special Sparkle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'King Tut' (s) × 'Ken Janeck' H: A.W. Smith, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls vivid purplish red (67B) and deep purplish pink (67C) in bud, opening white edged vivid purplish red (67B) and deep purplish pink (67C), with brilliant yellow-green (149A) dorsal spots; outside with strong purplish red veining. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Speciosissimum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: De Gazette van Gent (1825), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls brick orange, with a bright orange blotch (C. van Geert, 1877). Ghent

(a) **'Speciosissimum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Smith (pre 1844), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy purple, spotted. Indian

(a) **'Speciosum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: W. Smith (c 1830), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson red. Indian

(a) **'Speciosum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Whitley & Osborn (1850), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(r) **'Speciosum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1856), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow

(r) **'Speciosum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid L: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) (Perhaps the same plant listed earlier as 'Altaclerense Speciosum' and as 'Speciosum' by Trillon in 1843)

(a) **'Speciosum Atrosanguineum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep orange-red. Hardy deciduous azalea

(a) **'Speciosum Elegans'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Oudin (1844), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Speciosum Flore Pleno'** cv. Parentage unknown L: H. Laurentius (1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red, with a purple sheen

(a) **'Speciosum Grandiflorum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Maupoil (1853), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Speciosum Haemanthum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Henderson & Co. (c 1850-1860), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Speciosum Pulchellum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Henderson & Co. (c 1850-1860), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Speck's Brilliant'** (An error for 'Spek's Brilliant')

(a) **'Spectabile'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. van Geert (1843), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Listed under *A. pontica*)

(r) **'Spectabile'** cv. Parentage unknown R: L.L. Liebig (pre 1862), N: L.L. Liebig, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. (Perhaps the 'Spectabile' listed by Trillon, 1843)

(az) **'Spectabile Grandiflorum'** cv. Azaleodendron: parentage unknown R: W. Smith (pre 1845), N: W. Smith, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, yellowish white, with wavy margins, marked bright yellow (*Revue Horticole*, 1848, p.218); orange-yellow (E. André, 1864). (Norbiton Group)

(r) **'Spectacular'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: J.C. Cowles (1959-1967), G: Heritage Plantation, N: E.J. Beutler, REG: Sandwich Club (1992) Fls 11-12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 57 × 89mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, peach in bud, opening moderate yellowish pink (38B) with white ribs and a strong yellow (153D) flare on centres of three dorsal lobes; stamens 10, straight; pistil 51mm long, curved. Lvs elliptic, 184 × 76mm, flat, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and deep green above, light green below, hairless. Shrub 3.7 × 2.4m in 25-30 years. Late May-early June

(r) **'Spectra'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* hybrid R: E. Ostbo, N: C.P. Fawcett (1960), I: C.P. Fawcett, REG: C.P. Fawcett (1961) Fls large, flushed pink, fading to pure white. Lvs c160 × 50mm. Shrub of open habit, to at least 1.9m. Late

(r) **'Speculator'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (pre 1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rose, throat white

(r) **'Speculatum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light pink, with a pale centre. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Speculum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as a hardy azalea)

(r) **'Speden's White'** cv. Parentage unknown R: New Zealand (pre 1984), N: New Zealand

(a) **'Spek's Brilliant'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: J. Spek, N: J. Spek, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 9/compact, globular truss,

funnel-shaped, 50 × 50-55mm, vivid red (18/2), tinged reddish orange (17/1 & 18/1), with an orange-yellow blotch (7/1). Lvs 65 × 23mm. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Early May. *HC 1966. Mollis (Often listed incorrectly as 'Speck's Brilliant')

(a) **'Spek's Orange'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: J. Spek (pre 1948), N: J. Spek, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 8-12/globular truss, very open funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, vivid red (16/1), dorsal lobes slightly darker and with a greenish blotch; buds deep orange; sweetly scented. Shrub 1.1 × 1.2m. Late May. *AM 1948, *FCC 1953. Mollis

(a) **'Spek's Pink'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: T.C. Thacker (1960), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon pink

(r) **'Spellbinder'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Russell Harmon' (s) × *calophytum* × *sutchuenense* H: D.G. Leach (c 1955), G: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1974), REG: D.G. Leach (1975) Fls 16/ball-shaped truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 65 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (2.5RP 8.5/5) with deep purplish pink (10RP 3/10) dorsal spotting, outside suffused deep purplish pink (5RP 6/10). Calyx 3mm long, pink. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 240 × 75mm, glossy, bullate, medium green above. Shrub 1.6 × 2.5m in 19 years. Very early

(a) **'Spellbound'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Orchiphillum' L: Nuccio's Nurseries (1980) Fls deep purplish pink, edged white. Indian

(a) **'Speorie'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Jan Spek Rozen B.V. (pre 1997)

(r) **'Sperhook'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *sperabile* × *hookeri* R: E.F. Stead (pre 1979), N: E.F. Stead

(r) **'Sphinx'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C. Luenenschloss, N: C. Luenenschloss, REG: Mrs H. Luenenschloss (1964) Fls 12-16/tall truss, 100mm wide, 5-lobed, deep pink, with a large, dark red blotch on the dorsal lobe. Lvs large. Shrub to 1.9m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Spice'** (Syn. of 'Dexter's Spice')

(r) **'Spiced Honey'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *macabeanum* (s) × 'Unique' H: New Zealand Rhododendron Association, G: Pukeiti Rhododendron Trust (1980), N: G.F. Smith, I: New Zealand Rhododendron Association, REG: G.F. Smith (1984) Fls 16-18/truss, obliquely campanulate, 60 × 70mm, 7-lobed, apricot (609/2) in bud, flushed pink on the tube, opening barium yellow (503/2) with a deep maroon blotch at base. Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 60mm, with grey, woolly indumentum; petioles yellow

(r) **'Spiced Ice'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: probably a selection from *maddenii* subsp. *crassum* N: D.A. Stewart (1999), I: Rhodohill Nursery, REG: D.A. Stewart (1999) Fls 5/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 110 × 130mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, white throughout, with two brilliant yellow (7A) blotches on dorsal lobe which fade to white; outside scaly; stamens 22-23, hairy towards base; strongly scented. Calyx 12-15mm long, deep pink (180D). Lvs obovate to oblanceolate, 220 × 110mm, flat, obtuse to acute at apex, rounded at base, scaly (scales moderate yellow-green (146D) when young, light greyish olive (195A) with age); petioles grooved above. Bushy shrub, 2.0 × 1.5m in 10 years. December (New Zealand). (Found in the registrant's garden when property purchased)

(r) **'Spicer's Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × May Day Group I: M. Jury (pre 1998) Fls in full trusses, strawberry pink, fading to softer pink. Shrub to 1.0m. Early-midseason

(r) **'Spicil'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *scabrifolium* var. *spiciferum* × Cilpinense Group R: Dunedin Botanic Garden, I: H.G. Rutland (pre 1959), REG: Dunedin Rhododendron Group (1980) Fls moderate purplish pink (68C), fading through light purplish pink (73C) to moderate purplish pink (73D)

(a) **'Spicy Lights'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *prinophyllum* × unknown H: H. Pellett (1963), G: University of Minnesota Landscape Arboretum, N: H. Pellett & S. Moe, I: University of Minnesota Landscape Arboretum (1983), REG: H. Pellett (1984) Fls 11/truss, narrow tubular funnel-shaped, 32 × 54mm, 5-lobed, strong yellowish pink (37B), with moderate red (180B) veining, dorsal blotch light orange-yellow (22B), outside of tube moderate red (180B). Calyx 2mm long, moderate yellow-green (139C). Lvs between narrowly obovate and obovate, to between elliptic and broadly elliptic, 87 × 52mm, ciliate, midrib pubescent above, strigose below. Shrub 1.8 × 2.0m in 20 years. Late May

(r) **'Spicy Nutmeg'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* hybrid H: M.E. Hall (1970), G: E.J. Brown (1976), N: E.J. Brown, I: E.J. Brown (1980), REG: E.J. Brown (1984) Fls 8/truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 90mm, 5-7-lobed, very pale purple (69A), with dorsal rays and spotting of moderate purplish red (59C); stamens minute; strongly scented. Calyx very small. Lvs more-or-less narrowly elliptic, 125-150 × 50mm, glossy and moderate olive green (146A) above, hairless. Shrub 2.4 × 3.0m in 13 years. Early May

(r) **'Spider'** cv. Parentage unknown H: H. Lem (pre 1980)

(a) **'Spider Light'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Comtesse de Kerchove' (Indian) × 'Apollo' H: I.C. Nichols, G: I.C. Nichols (1977), N: I.C. Nichols, I: I.C. Nichols, REG: I.C. Nichols (1986) Fls double, 1-2/truss, funnel-shaped, 30 × 50mm, vivid red (46B). Lvs elliptic, 40 × 13mm. Shrub 1.0m. Indian

(a) **'Spiegelei'** cv. Deciduous azalea: large-flowered, creamy white hybrid (s) × 'Persil' H: H. Meltzer (1985), G: H. Meltzer (1991), N: H. Meltzer (1998), REG: H.

Meltzer (1998) Fls single, 10-12/flattened truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 70mm wide, with 5 lobes (each with a narrow, frilly margin), buds yellow and white, tipped and suffused pink, opening white, with a very large, strong orange dorsal blotch; stigma green. Lvs long elliptic, 80 × 25mm, margins upcurved, matt green, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.0m in 10 years. Late May-mid June

(a) **'Spigelius'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: L. Verschaffelt (1847), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light rose, with a pure yellow band and an orange dorsal blotch. Syn: 'Sully'. Ghent (In 1872 van Houtte described it as orange, shaded salmon, merging into lively orange: perhaps another plant)

(r) **'Spiked Punch'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Holden' (s) × 'Shaazam' H: M.J. Whitman (1996), G: M.J. & B. Whitman (2002), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (2002), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (2002) Fls 14/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 55mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63B) and strong purplish pink (63C) in bud, opening inside strong purplish red (63B) at margins paling to light purplish pink (62C) with a double flare of brilliant yellow-green (149A) spots on the dorsal lobe; outside strong purplish red (63B) at margins shading to light purplish pink (62C) at base. Lvs oblong, 150 × 55mm, margins upcurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.5 × 0.55m in 6 years. Early May

(r) **Spinbur Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *spinuliferum* (s) × *burmanicum* R: Lord Stair, N: Lord Stair, I: Lord Stair (1950), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Spindrift'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. Kurume

(a) **'Spink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: R.D. Gartrell (1960), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell (1971), REG: R.D. Gartrell (1977) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 2-3/bud, broadly funnel-shaped, 35 × 40mm, with 5+5 flat-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (62A), unmarked. Lvs elliptic, 25 × 16mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.7 × 0.7m in 15 years. Late April-early May. (Robin Hill no. K34-3)

(r) **Spinlut Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *spinuliferum* × *lutescens* R: J.C. Williams (pre 1926), N: J.C. Williams, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls more-or-less *spinuliferum* shape (with long, projecting style and stamens), pale lemon yellow, slightly suffused rose outside

(r) **'Spinnaker'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Whitney's Orange' × Fabia Group × *bureavii* H: K. Shea (1984), G: B.J. Ogdon (1992), N: B.J. Ogdon (1998), REG: B.J. Ogdon (1998) Fls to 9/lax truss, funnel-shaped, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (54B) in bud, opening strong pink (54C) at edges with a creamy yellow throat, the pink suffusing in with age; tan spots on all lobes, especially on dorsal lobes. Calyx 30mm long, yellow suffused pink from edges. Lvs oblanceolate, 92 × 35mm, flat, matt green above, with hairs below (cinnamon at first, ageing to light brown). Shrub 0.3 × 0.94m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Spinout'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Caltwins' no.2, selfed H: W.E. Delp (1975), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 16/truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 65mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, deep and strong purplish red (61A, B) in bud, opening strong and vivid purplish red (67A, B) with a light greenish yellow (5C) flare and moderate yellow-green (146B) dorsal spots; filaments and style strong purplish pink (63C); anthers light violet (88D); stigma dark red (59A). Lvs 86 × 30mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.4m in 17 years. Early June

(a) **'Spinoza'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: L.J. Endtz & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, light orange-yellow (21D), suffused strong yellowish pink (38A), blotch yellowish green. Midseason. Mollis

(r) **'Spinuginosum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *spinuliferum* × *rubiginosum* R: Turbat (pre 1927), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 6-8/truss, tubular-campanulate, 30 × 25-30mm, vivid rose, paling to almost white on dorsal lobe. Calyx very small. Lvs elliptic to oblanceolate, c90 × 30mm, dark, glossy green and bullate above, with small golden scales and also puberulous below

(r) **'Spinulosum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *spinuliferum* (s) × *racemosum* R: Kew, N: Kew, I: Kew (1926), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls apricot pink (527), paler at the base. AM 1954 (Spinulosum Group)

(r) **Spinulosum Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *spinuliferum* (s) × *racemosum* R: Kew, N: Kew, I: Kew (1926), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Spiraea'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: I.L. Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L. Amann Fls 30mm wide, white, with a brilliant yellow-green (149B) throat; anthers large, prominent and dark brown; filaments white. Shrub of spiraea-like appearance, to 1.2m

(r) **'Spirited'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tony's Gift' (s) × 'Mrs T.H. Lowinsky' H: W.E. Delp (1981), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 15/truss, open funnel-shaped, 53 × 80mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, very light and very pale purple (75C, D) and white in bud, opening white with moderate red (181C), light yellow-green (154D) and dark greenish yellow (152C) dorsal spots; filaments yellowish white (155D); style pale yellow-green (155A); anthers moderate purplish pink and pale orange-yellow (186D, 159C); stigma moderate reddish orange (171A). Lvs 102 × 51mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.6 × 1.5m in 11 years. Early June

(r) **'Spirit of Leonardo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nova Zembla' × *fortunei* H: R. Behring (1972), G: R.

Behring (1983), N: R. Behring, I: Clay's Nurseries (1987), REG: R. Behring (1986) Fls 11/domed truss, broadly funnel-campanulate and open campanulate, 50 × 70mm, with 5, 6 or 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (64B) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (65C) with strong purplish red (64C) edging and a deep purplish red (59B) flare. Shape of flare and colour of truss varies from year to year. Calyx 2mm long, strong greenish yellow (151A). Lvs elliptic, 110 × 50mm, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 0.4 × 0.3m in 14 years. Mid May

(a) **'Spital'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: M.C. Pratt (1986), G: Ness Botanic Gardens (1996), N: Ness Botanic Gardens, REG: Ness Botanic Gardens (1999) Fls single, 10-12/loose truss, broadly tubular funnel-shaped, 55 × 50mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, white suffused strong red (51A) in bud, opening white suffused pale purplish pink (56D) inside, white suffused moderate purplish pink (54D) outside; dorsal blotch light yellow (12C); stamens pale pink; scented. Calyx 3mm long, light yellow-green (145B). Lvs elliptic, 25-60 × 10-25mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, wavy-edged, slightly glossy green above (flushed bronze when young). Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 13 years. June-July. (Standard: colour slide provided by registrant (WSY 0015392))

(a) **'Spit Fire'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, vivid reddish orange (44C), with a black blotch on a darker ground. Calyx normal, green. Indian

(a) **'Spitfire'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red. Kaempferi

(r) **'Spitfire'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: A. Kluis (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark red (824/1), with a dark brown blotch. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Splash'** (Syn. of 'Red Splash')

(r) **'Splash'** cv. Parentage unknown H: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (pre 1980)

(r) **'Splashy Vision'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Keystone' (s) × 'Cecil' R: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls strong purplish red (63B) in bud, opening yellowish white edged strong and light purplish pink (63C, D), with a light greenish yellow (4C) throat and dark reddish orange (175C) and dark greenish yellow (152D) dorsal spots. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Splendens'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1826), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls copper yellow (Sweet, 1830); fls bright orange scarlet (Veitch, 1867); fls with a long narrow tube, soft salmon rose, with a golden flare (Sunningdale, 1961). Clearly more than one plant is involved. Ghent (Listed under *Azalea calendulacea* by Loddiges)

(a) **'Splendens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Smith (pre 1844), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-pink, dorsal lobes spotted (A. Henderson & Co. cat., 1852); perhaps the semi-double salmon pink (Indian) azalea grown under this name in Australia c1984

(a) **'Splendens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably derived from 'Amoenum' R: unknown (pre 1957), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-4/truss, funnel-shaped, 27 × 25mm, rose bengal (25/2), changing to rose bengal (25/1) in the throat. Lvs 27 × 25mm, dark and glossy green above. Shrub 1.0m. (AM description). *HC 1957, *AM 1967

(r) **'Splendens'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* or *arboreum* hybrid L: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rosy crimson (H. Laurentius, 1869); rose (Waterer, 1867). (Probably the same plant listed in 1845 by Oudin and in 1850 by Whitley & Osborn)

(r) **'Splendens'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed under *caucasicum* but no doubt a hybrid R: unknown (pre 1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark violet red, with some dorsal spotting. Lvs thick, leathery, undulate, yellowish green and shiny above, strongly ferruginous below; petioles yellow. Young bark yellow. (cf. *Revue Horticole*, 1868, p.312)

(r) **'Splendens'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Praecox' × mixed pollen of *mucronulatum* and *dauricum* R: G. Arends (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright lilac pink. Lvs and overall growth smaller than Praecox Group

(r) **'Splendens Superbum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Oudin (1845), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Splendentissimum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Trillon (1843), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Splendeur'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. de Cock (1870), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Splendidissimum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Williams (pre 1870), N: Williams, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, speckled with red, spotted dark carmine. Indian (Probably the same plant listed by J. Baumann, 1866)

(a) **'Splendidum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1842), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Splendidum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1851), INC: ICRA (1958) (Perhaps the same plant listed as 'Croceum Splendidum' by J. Waterer & Sons in 1865)

(a) **'Splendidum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Madame Petrick' × 'Apollo' (of Schulz) I: A. Haerens (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, dark red. Indian

(a) **'Splendidum Novum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Splendor'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Pericat, N: Perkins-deWilde Nurseries, I: Perkins-deWilde Nurseries (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, with some petaloid stamens, 28 × 53mm, phlox pink (625/1). Pericat

(a) **'Splendor'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L.L. Brooks (pre 1985), N: L.L. Brooks Fls semi-double, orchid

(r) **'Split Rock'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *racemosum* R: L. Frank (pre 1985), N: L. Frank Fls clear pink. Lvs turn brilliant red in autumn. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years

(a) **'Spoonbill'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 8-12/lax, domed truss, funnel-shaped, 55 × 70mm, with wavy-edged lobes, white, flushed carmine rose (621/2) at tips, and with yellow dorsal spotting. Lvs 90 × 40mm, mid green. Shrub 1.2m. *HC 1959

(a) **'Sport'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Madame Lucien de Cock' I: Fr. J. Collumbien (1960) Fls moderate purplish pink (66D), edged white; otherwise similar to parent. Indian

(r) **'Spotlight'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* × Cornubia Group R: R. Henny (c 1951), N: R. Henny, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Spotlighter'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group (Burns' yellow-flowered selection) (s) × *dauricum* × 'Vinestar' (=V-7703-1) H: W.E. Delp (1987), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 5/truss (from multiple buds), open funnel-shaped, 36 × 40mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish red, strong and light purplish pink and yellowish white (63B-D, 155D) in bud, opening white with strong and light purplish pink (63C, D) stripes and light yellow (163D) dorsal spots; style and filaments white; anthers light purple (75A); stigma pale greenish yellow (1D). Lvs 76 × 32mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, scaly. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 5 years. Mid May

(r) **'Spotmagic'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'La Bar's White' × (*fortunei* × *wardii*) (s) × 'La Bar's White' × (*fortunei* × *wardii*) H: A.W. Smith, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls strong purplish red (72A) and strong reddish purple (72B) in bud, opening very pale purple (76D), edged vivid and strong reddish purple (76A, 78A), with dark red (187A, B) dorsal spots. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Spreeperle'** cv. Parentage unknown R: H. Manten (pre 1996), N: H. Manten

(r) **'Sprīdītis'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *catawbiense* H: R. Kondratovičs (1957), G: R. Kondratovičs (1967), N: R. Kondratovičs (2000), I: Rhododendron Nursery "Babīte" of University of Latvia (2000), REG: R. Kondratovičs (2002) Fls 18-20/dense, strongly domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 65-80 × 65-80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds strong reddish purple (78B), opening inside light purple (84C), outside light purple (84B); dorsal lobe with moderate olive brown (199A) spots; filaments soft rose, anthers light brown; style rose violet, stigma cherry red. Calyx 2mm long, violet green. Lvs oblong-elliptic, 125 × 55mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate to truncate at base, glossy above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.9m in 20 years. Late May-early June. (Published in *Dārzs un Drava*: 26 (January, 2001))

(r) **'Spring Bank'** (Syn. of 'Moerheim's Pink')

(a) **'Spring Beauty'** (Syn. of 'Mrs Doorenbos')

(a) **'Spring Beauty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Pericat, I: Mayo Nurseries, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 55mm wide, salmon with a white throat and a rose blotch. Pericat

(r) **'Springbok'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × *ponticum* seedling R: A.F. George, N: A.F. George, REG: A.F. George (1963) Fls 18/truss, large, vivid carmine pink, spotted crimson. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years

(a) **'Spring Bonnet'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1965) Fls single, 2-3/truss, 50-70mm wide, with overlapping lobes, clear pale pink in garden effect, the centre of flower almost white deepening to pale amaranth pink near margin and almost amaranth pink on the margin; dots in blotch area distinct, darkening when on the deeper tones of the lobes to tyrian pink; stamens 5-8; pistil normal. Lvs semi-evergreen. Shrub 1.4-1.5m in 10 years. Early May. Back Acres

(a) **'Spring Charm'** (Syn. of 'Nuccio's Spring Charm')

(r) **'Spring Dance'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown, probably a *triflorum* hybrid R: J.A. Barto, N: R.M. Bovee, I: R.M. Bovee (1957), REG: R.M. Bovee (1961) Fls rotate, 40mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, very soft lavender. Shrub to 1.5m, similar to *triflorum* in habit. Late April

(a) **'Spring Dawn'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Pericat, I: Mayo Nurseries, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, white, faintly flushed pink. Pericat

(r) **'Spring Dawn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: pink *catawbiense* hybrid × 'Mrs Charles S. Sargent' R: A.M. Shammarello (c 1945), N: A.M. Shammarello, I: A.M. Shammarello (1961) Fls in globular trusses, funnel-shaped, 65mm wide, rosy pink, with a golden yellow blotch. Lvs 125 × 50mm, olive green. Shrub c1.5m tall. Late May

(a) **'Spring Day'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably a seedling from 'Dayspring' R: I.L. Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L. Amann Fls hose-in-hose, 50mm wide, strong purplish red (54A), with a darker blotch, outside lighter. Shrub 1.0m

(r) **'Springday'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1988)

(r) **'Spring Delight'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Laetevirens' × unknown H: A.M. Shammarello (1970), G: A.M. Shammarello (1974), N: A.M. Shammarello, I: A.M. Shammarello (1979), REG: A.M. Shammarello (1981) Fls 6-7/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 25 × 40mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (2.5RP 6/10) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (2.5RP 9/2) fading to white, with 13mm of light olive brown (2.5Y 5/5) spotting in the dorsal throat. Calyx c1.5mm long, strong yellow-green (2.5GY 6/8). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 55-70 × 20-25mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (7.5GY 4/4) above, with tiny, golden brown scales below. Shrub 0.45 × 0.6m in 7 years. Mid-late April. Syn: 'A.M.S.'

(r) **'Spring Dream'** (Syn. of 'Frühlingstraum')

(a) **'Spring Fever'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Triumph' × 'Rosebud' R: H. Kerrigan (pre 1987), N: H. Kerrigan Fls double, pink

(a) **'Springfield'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Robin Hill Frosty' × 'Easter Parade' H: R.C. Vines (pre 1990), G: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines Fls hose-in-hose, 2-3/truss, 90mm wide, pink, with a large, strong red blotch. Shrub 1.1 × 0.9m. Mid May

(r) **'Springfield'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Umpqua Chief' × 'Fawn' H: D.W. James (c 1954), G: H.E. Greer (1960), N: H.E. Greer, I: H.E. Greer (1968), REG: H.E. Greer (1979) Fls up to 11/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 100mm wide, with 5 flat-edged lobes, strong pink (2.5R 7/8) with slight, vivid red (5R 5/13) spotting and a ring of colour at the base of the throat. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 100 × 30mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dark green above, hairless. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. (James no. 200)

(r) **'Springfield'** cv. Parentage unknown H: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (pre 1980)

(a) **'Springfield Crimson'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1982)

(r) **'Spring Fiesta'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marion' × *griersonianum* × *fortunei* H: G. Langdon, G: G. Langdon (1974), N: G. Langdon, I: G. Langdon (1975), REG: G. Langdon (1976) Fls 12/truss, campanulate, with very wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (56A). Shrub 0.8m

(r) **'Spring Fire'** cv. Parentage unknown H: M. Wildfong (pre 1980)

(r) **'Spring Fling'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: member of subsect. *Lapponica* × *russatum* R: H.E. Greer (c 1982), N: H.E. Greer Fls dark electric blue. Lvs small, deep green (reddish bronze in winter). Shrub 0.8m in 10 years

(r) **'Spring Frolic'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (white-fld) × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: D.G. Leach (1952), G: D.G. Leach (1958), N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1963), REG: D.G. Leach (1972) Fls 13/domed truss, open campanulate, 55mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink in bud, opening inside white, with sparse ochre spotting on dorsal lobe, outside suffused with strong purplish pink (5RP 7/4). Lvs elliptic, 115 × 50mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins decurved, fugitively hairy and mid green above, with a fugitive, thin, brown indumentum below; new growth 'brownish farinose'. Shrub 1.4 × 1.6m in 18 years. Midseason

(r) **'Spring Girl'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs W.C. Slocock' (s) × Cowslip Group H: Mrs E.D. Boswell (1978), G: B. Sligh (1985), N: B. Sligh (1993), I: Taunton Gardens (1994), REG: B. Sligh (1994) Fls 9/rather lax truss, opening wide, 20 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds moderate to light yellowish pink (38B/C), opening inside pale yellow (158A); outside flushed pale purplish pink (62D); unspotted. Calyx 2mm long, red. Lvs ovate-rounded, 60 × 40mm, margins decurved, rounded at apex and base, matt green. Shrub 0.5 × 0.6m in 10-12 years. Early September-mid October (New Zealand)

(a) **'Spring Glory'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Pericat, N: Mayo Nurseries, I: Mayo Nurseries, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, with wavy-edged lobes, 65mm wide, pink. Pericat

(r) **'Spring Glory'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cunningham's White' × red *catawbiense* seedling R: A.M. Shammarello (pre 1955), N: A.M. Shammarello Fls in a conical truss, 65mm wide, light rosy crimson, with a large, crimson red blotch. Lvs 100 × 40mm, glossy dark green. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Early May

(r) **'Spring Glow'** cv. Elepidoterhododendron: 'Marion' × 'Mrs Charles S. Sargent' R: Felix & Dijkhuis (pre 1958), N: Felix & Dijkhuis, REG: Felix & Dijkhuis (1965) Fls 16/compact truss, 90mm wide, inside magenta (27/3), with brown spotting on dorsal lobe, outside magenta (27/2)

(r) **'Spring Heat'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ben Moseley' (s) × 'Ken Janeck' H: A.W. Smith (pre 1989), G: D. Irish-Hosler (1998), N: D. Irish-Hosler (2000), REG: D. Irish-Hosler (2000) Fls 11/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside strong, moderate and light purplish pink (68B-D), with a large area of dense red spotting at the base of the dorsal lobe; outside deep, strong, moderate and light purplish pink (68A-D). Calyx c3mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 150 × 50mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate to rounded at base, with wavy margins, moderate olive green (147A) above, with a light tan indumentum below. Shrub 0.6 × 0.9m in c12 years. Midseason

(r) **'Spring Jewel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *pseudochrysanthum* (s) × *yakushimanum* × 'Leo' H: M.J. Whitman (1993), G: M.J. & B. Whitman (1999), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (2000), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (2000) Fls 14/domed truss, funnel-campanulate, 45 ×

65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (57A) in bud, opening inside very light purple (75C) with some deep red (60A) dorsal spotting; outside strong purplish red (64C). Lvs oblong, 120 × 40mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins flat, dull and near dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.4 × 0.6m in 7 years. Late April

(a) **'Spring Magic'** cv. Evergreen azalea: hybrid of 'Doctor Curtis Alderfer' R: G. Taylor (pre 1982), N: G. Taylor Fls double, pink

(r) **'Spring Magic'** (Syn. of 'Frühlingszauber')

(a) **'Spring Melody'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Goldie' × un-named yellow Mollis seedling H: O.S. Pride, G: W. Baldsiefen (1965), N: W. Baldsiefen, I: W. Baldsiefen (1973), REG: W. Baldsiefen (1973) Fls 10-12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, 5-lobed, vivid yellow (15A), with a gold blotch; scented. Lvs broadly elliptic, 65 × 30mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, bullate, hairy. Shrub 1.2 × 0.8m in 10 years. Early June

(r) **'Spring Parade'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: red *catawbiense* hybrid (s) × 'Cunningham's White' R: A.M. Shammarello, N: A.M. Shammarello (1961), I: A.M. Shammarello, REG: A.M. Shammarello (1961) Fls in globular trusses, funnel-shaped, to 65mm wide, scarlet red. Lvs 75-100 × 25-40mm, dark green above. Shrub 1.2-1.5m tall in 10 years. Mid May

(a) **'Spring Party'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *vaseyi* N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1964) Fls 8-9/truss, flat and widely opening, 45mm wide, deep pink (9RP 6/14). Lvs lanceolate, 95 × 40mm. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 10 years. Early. (Originated with La Bar's Nursery)

(r) **'Spring Pearl'** (Syn. of 'Moerheim's Pink')

(a) **'Spring Rainbow'** cv. Deciduous azalea: wild-collected, natural hybrid between *calendulaceum* and *periclymenoides* G: L.C. Towe & N. Anastos (2001), S: L.C. Towe & N. Anastos (1995), I: E. Koone III (2001), REG: L.C. Towe & N. Anastos (2001) Fls single, 5-9/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 45 × 25mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, vivid red (45A) in bud, opening inside white, changing to strong purplish pink (62A) and then to moderate purplish red (58A), with a brilliant yellow (13C) blotch which ages to strong orange (25B), outside vivid red (45A); all colours present at the same time. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs obovate, 45 × 25mm, margins flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.5m in 10 years. Late April-early May. (Wild-collected from near Lake Keowee, Oconee County, South Carolina, USA)

(r) **'Spring Rose'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1991)

(a) **'Spring Salvo'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: J.S. Yeates, G: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1964) Fls 7/truss, 90mm wide, strong reddish orange (8.5R 6/13), with a strong orange (1.5YR 6/14) dorsal blotch. Lvs elliptic, 95 × 40mm, glaucous below. Shrub 1.1 × 0.8m in 13 years. Early

(r) **'Spring Snow'** (Syn. of 'September Snow')

(r) **'Spring Snow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *aureum* × *degronianum* subsp. *degronianum* H: University of Washington Arboretum & B.O. Mulligan (1952), G: B.O. Mulligan, N: B.O. Mulligan, I: B.O. Mulligan (1960), REG: B.O. Mulligan (1977) Fls up to 10/loose, rounded truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50mm wide, 5-lobed, white, with a lilac pink streak on midveins externally at first. Lvs elliptic to oblanceolate, 65 × 25mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and mid green above, with a thin, pale brown indumentum of branched hairs below, with longer and darker hairs on midvein. Shrub 0.9 × 1.7m in 24 years. Late March-early April

(r) **'Spring Song'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *keiskei* × *racemosum* (s) × *keiskei* H: D.L. Hardgrove, G: D.L. Hardgrove (1948), N: D.L. Hardgrove, I: D.L. Hardgrove (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale yellow, fading to apricot. Shrub 0.6-1.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Spring Sonnet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *vernicosum*, raised from Rock 11408 (USDA no. 59625) R: Lord Aberconway & The National Trust, N: Lord Aberconway & The National Trust, I: Lord Aberconway & The National Trust (1976), REG: Lord Aberconway & The National Trust (1976) Fls 6-11/loose truss, funnel-campanulate, 7-lobed, 40 × 73mm, white, outside flushed deep purplish pink (64D), with light spotting of moderate purplish red (64A) in dorsal throat. Calyx rudimentary, green, glandular. Lvs oblong-elliptic, 110 × 43mm. AM 1976

(a) **'Spring Spangle'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *vaseyi* × (*vaseyi* 'Spring Party')F2 H: D.G. Leach (1968), G: D.H. Leach (1972), N: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1985) Fls 6-8/truss, 23 × 45mm, 5-lobed, deep purplish pink (73A), spotted strong purplish red (61B) on the dorsal lobes. Calyx minute, dark green. Pedicels red. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 94 × 25mm, hairless

(r) **'Spring Spirit'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nancy Evans' (s) × *macabeanum* H: J. Barlup (1981), G: J. Barlup (1987), N: J. Barlup (1998), REG: J. Barlup (1998) Fls 17/flat truss, funnel-campanulate, 65 × 80mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, pale greenish yellow (10D) in bud, opening pale yellow-green (4D) at margins, shading darker inside to light yellow (10C) in the throat, with three dark red (59A) marks (c13 × 6mm) at the base of the dorsal lobe, shading lighter outside to pale yellow (11D) at the base. Calyx lobes irregular, up to 55mm long, light yellow (10C). Lvs elliptic, 150 × 75mm, margins upcurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and light olive (152B) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.8m in 17 years. Early April

(a) **'Spring Splendor'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt, I:

E.A. Merritt (c 1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rose pink. Kurume

(r) **'Spring Stripes'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *dalhousiae* var. *rhabdotum* (s) × *lindleyi* H: C.R.W. Waddington (1993), G: C.R.W. Waddington (2000), N: C.R.W. Waddington (2001), REG: C.R.W. Waddington (2001) Fls 6-7/flat truss, tubular-campanulate, 100 × 105mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, buds pale yellow (12D) with 5 stripes of strong red (53D), opening inside pale yellow (18D) at first, darkening to light yellow (18B) in the throat, ageing to white with a 30mm long basal area of vivid yellow (12A); outside white, with 5, 4-5mm wide, strong red (53D) stripes; scented. Calyx 18mm long, green. Lvs oblong, 135 × 55mm, margins decurved, obtuse at apex, obtuse and usually unequal at base, matt green above, with large, pale brown scales. Shrub 1.6 × 0.7m in 8 years. Late May. (Standard: colour slide provided by registrant (WSY 0029698))

(r) **'Spring Sun'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *williamsianum* × unknown R: D.G. Hobbie (pre 1988) Fls yellow. Lvs rounded. Shrub 0.9m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Spring Sunshine'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *adenogynum* × *wardii* H: E.G. Millais (1977), G: Millais Nurseries (1983), N: E.G. Millais (1994), I: Millais Nurseries, REG: E.G. Millais (1994) Fls 8-10/truss, funnel-shaped, up to 44 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light yellow (18A) fringed moderate yellowish pink (39C) in bud, opening to pale orange-yellow (16D) faintly flushed light yellowish pink (38C); stamens 10-11; filaments white, anthers cream. Calyx 5-6-lobed, up to 14mm long, cream. Lvs ovate, 110 × 55mm, dark matt green and hairless above, with a soft light brown indumentum below. Shrub 1.1 × 1.2m in 10 years. Early April. AM 1994

(a) **'Spring Sunspot'** cv. Deciduous azalea: wild-collected, natural hybrid of *calendulaceum* and *periclymenoides* S: L.C. Towe & N. Anastos (1998), N: L.C. Towe & N. Anastos (1998), I: E. Koone III (2001), REG: L.C. Towe & N. Anastos (2001) Fls single, 5-7/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, c45 × 45mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid yellow (12A) in bud, opening inside brilliant yellow (11A), with a vivid yellow (12A) dorsal blotch, outside light yellow (11B); moderately scented. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 50 × 25mm, margins flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (146A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.2m in 10 years. Late April-early May. (Wild-collected from near Lake Keowee, Oconee County, South Carolina, USA)

(a) **'Spring Time'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (pre 1984) Fls semi-double, deep yellowish pink. Indian

(a) **'Springtime'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* × *kaempferi* R: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 50mm wide, vivid purplish red (57C), with a darker blotch. Fls larger and lighter in colour than 'Miriam'. Shrub 2.5m tall in c19 years. Gable

(a) **'Springtime'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Roehrs, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, white, touched with appleblossom pink in the throat. Kurume

(r) **'Springtime'** (Syn. of 'Williams')

(r) **'Springtime'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *praevernum* (s) × *arboreum* subsp. *cinnamomeum* var. *album* R: R. Gill & Sons, N: R. Gill & Sons, I: R. Gill & Sons (1945), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a compact truss, campanulate, 65mm wide, white, shading to chartreuse green (663/3) in the throat, unmarked; some flowers with a pink blush externally. AM 1945

(a) **'Springtime Blush'** cv. Evergreen azalea: unknown (s) × 'Blushing Angel' H: S. McDonald (1984), G: S. McDonald (1987), N: S. McDonald (2001), REG: S. McDonald (2001) Fls hose-in-hose, 3/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 65mm, with 5+5 very wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (62B) in bud, opening inside with light purplish pink (62C) edges, a white centre and discrete spotting of moderate purplish pink (62B) on the dorsal lobe and half of adjacent lobes; outside edged light purplish pink (62C), with a white base. Calyx 40mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, up to 40 × 13mm, with wavy margins, acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairy (hairs white at first, tan with age). Shrub 0.9 × 1.0m in 16 years. Early. (Seed parent an evergreen rogue in deWilde greenhouses: fls single, 90mm wide, pink; late)

(a) **'Springwood'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: M.E. Greentree (pre 1977), N: M.E. Greentree Fls hose-in-hose, bright pink. Indian

(r) **'Springwood Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* × *sutchuenense* H: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (pre 1980)

(r) **'Springwood White'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* × *sutchuenense* H: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (pre 1980)

(a) **'Sprite'** (Syn. of 'Sui-yoki')

(a) **'Sprite'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' (s) × *indicum*, orange-flowered selection R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, starry, 65-75mm wide, mallow pink (moderate purplish pink (74D)), lightly sanded towards margins with light mallow purple (light reddish purple (74C)), the blotch made up of fine tyrian pink (strong purplish red (71D)) dots giving a bright tint to the flower. Lvs mid green, slightly hairy. Shrub to 1.5m tall. Mid April. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Spun Gold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Lammot Copeland' (s) × un-named, late, deep yellow

H: H.L. Larson (1969), G: W. Robertson (1976), N: W. Robertson, I: W. Robertson (1980), REG: W. Robertson (1983) Fls 12-14/truss, open campanulate, 65 × 75mm, 5-6-lobed, light yellow (18A), with two red rays into dorsal throat and small red spots on the dorsal lobes. Calyx 25-40mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 90 × 40mm, moderate olive green (137B). Shrub 0.9 × 0.75m in 10 years. Late May

(r) **'Spun Sugar'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group (Burns' yellow-flowered selection) (s) × *dauricum* × 'Vinestar' (=V-7703-1) H: W.E. Delp (1987), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 4/truss (from multiple buds), broadly funnel-campanulate, 25 × 30mm, 5-lobed, vivid and light reddish purple and moderate purplish pink (74B-D) in bud, opening strong, light and moderate purplish pink (73B, C, 74D), with moderate yellow-green (146D) dorsal spots; filaments light purplish pink (73C); style moderate purplish pink (74D); anthers and stigma vivid reddish purple (74B). Lvs 44 × 19mm, broadly acute, cuneate at base, scaly. Shrub 0.8 × 0.75m in 5 years. Mid May

(r) **'Sputnik'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* × 'C.S. Sargent' R: J. Scholz (c 1966), N: J. Scholz Fls 10-14/globose truss, 80mm wide, purple-pink in bud (32/-32/2), opening purple-pink (32/2-32/3+533/1), with a conspicuous blotch of yellow-green (763+0862/3) on a whitish ground. Lvs elongate elliptic, 125 × 43mm, dull green (0960/1) above. Shrub 1.0m in 9 years

(a) **'Squamatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1849), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Squeaky'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Epoch' (s) × 'Hi Tech' H: W.E. Delp (1985), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 6/truss, open funnel-shaped, 34 × 45mm, 5-lobed, light, very light and very pale purple (75B-D) in bud, opening light and very light purple (75A, 76A, B) with strong purplish red (71D) in the throat; style and filaments deep purplish pink (72D); anthers moderate red (181B, C); stigma light yellowish pink (159A). Lvs 76 × 25mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, scaly. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 7 years. Early June

(r) **'Squire'** (See 'The Squire')

(a) **'Squirrel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Galathea' × *nakaharae* 'Mariko' H: P.A. Cox (1970), G: P.A. Cox, N: P.A. Cox, I: P.A. Cox (c 1979), REG: P.A. Cox (1982) Fls 30mm wide, vivid reddish orange (42A). Shrub dwarf and compact. Late

(r) **'Squirrel Stump'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), N: Transplant Nursery (pre 1987) Fls a mixture of pink, cream and white

(r) **'Squirt'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan's Flame' (s) × 'Kimberly' H: M.J. Whitman (1990), G: M.J. & B. Whitman (1997), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (2001), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (2001) Fls 11/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 90mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (66D) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (66C) at margins, shading to very pale purple (69C) at lobe centres and base; outside with vivid purplish red (66B) margins and veining, shading to a light greyish tone between the lobes. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 50mm, margins flat, acute at apex, rounded at base, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 0.4 × 0.7m in 11 years. Late May

(v) **'Sri Chinmoy'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *loranthiflorum* G: J.L. Rouse (1973), S: J.L. Rouse, N: J.L. Rouse (1997), I: Vireya Valley Nursery, REG: J.L. Rouse (1997) Fls 4-8/open truss, tubular funnel-shaped (salverform), 40 × 25mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, white throughout when open and in bud, unmarked. Lvs obovate, 48-64 × 20-25mm, margins slightly decurved, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green, scaly. Shrub 2.0 × 1.0m in 20 years. Irregular flowering all year round. (Grown from wild-collected seed (Craven (Schodde) 158) from near Lake Loloru, Bouganville, 1964)

(r) **'Staatsdame von Massenbach'** (Syn. of Staatsrätin von Massenbach')

(r) **'Staatsrätin von Massenbach'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alstroemerioides' hybrid R: J.B. Müller (1860-1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, centre dark purple, spotted purple. Syn: 'Staatsdame von Massenbach'; also listed in error as 'Staatsrat von Massenbach' or 'Straatsrath von Massenbach' (Previously listed origin also an error)

(r) **'Staatsrat von Massenbach'** (An error for 'Staatsrätin von Massenbach')

(r) **'Staccato'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown I: Weston Nurseries (pre 1994) Fls semi-double, deep silvery pink. Lvs turn mahogany in winter. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. (Said to be a hybrid of one of the numbered 'Shrimp Pink' clones, but of which it is not clear)

(r) **'Stacia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × 'Everestianum' H: J.S. Druecker (1952), G: J.S. Druecker (1958), N: J.S. Druecker, I: J.S. Druecker (1962), REG: E.R. German (1976) Fls 12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 82mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, cobalt violet (634/3), fading towards the throat, with a uranium green (63/3) blotch; scented. Calyx 2mm long, pea green (61/2). Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 148 × 59mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, spinach green (0960/2), hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 10 years. Late May-early June

(a) **'Stacy Lynn'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'White Orchid' × 'Cinderella' (Glenn Dale) H: W.L. Clagett (1980), G: W.L. Clagett (1984), N: W.L. Clagett, I: White's Nursery (1989), REG: W.L. Clagett (1991) Fls mostly double (occasionally semi-double), 2-3/flat truss, broadly fun-

nel-shaped, 32 × 45mm, whorls with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (48C, D) with some inconspicuous strong red (51A) spotting on three dorsal lobes; pistil curved, exserted. No normal calyx present. Pedicels 12mm long, light green. Lvs obovate, 20 × 12mm, flat, cuspidate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, strong yellow-green (143A) below, hairy; petioles 6mm long, green, hairy. Shrub probably 0.3 × 0.38m high in 10 years (0.15 × 0.25m in 4 years). Late April-early May

(r) **'Stadt Delmenhorst'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Berryrose Group (s) × *wardii* Litiense Group R: W. Bruns (c 1955), I: W. Bruns (1975) Fls 12-15/truss, rose at first, later cream tinged rose especially at margins, with brown to brown-red markings and a dark red basal fleck. Lvs ovate, 60-100mm long, matt and dark green above. Shrub to 1.5 × 1.5m. Syn: 'Delmenhorst', 'Neptun'

(r) **'Stadt Essen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Louis Pasteur' × *williamsianum* R: D.G. Hobbie (c 1948), I: D.G. Hobbie (1978) Fls 5-8/truss, 60-85mm wide, buds strikingly brown to brown-red, opening outside rose, inside white in centre, dark rose on margins, with inconspicuous dark red markings on all lobes. Lvs rounded, dark green, bronzed when young. Shrub to 1.5-2.0m

(a) **'Stadt Frankfurt'** cv. Parentage unknown R: F. Wolf (pre 1989), N: F. Wolf

(a) **'Stadtgärtner H. Machtig'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: G. van Noordt, N: G. van Noordt, I: G. van Noordt (pre 1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear yellow, shaded orange. Mollis

(a) **'Stadtman'** cv. Deciduous azalea: derived from unknown Knap Hill azaleas H: H.E. Greer (1975), G: H.E. Greer (1978), N: H.E. Greer, I: Greer Gardens (1988), REG: H.E. Greer (1989) Fls semi-double to double (with 1-5 curved stamens), 12/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, with 5 outer wavy-edged lobes, pale yellow-green (4D), edged occasionally with deep pink (51C) when first open and with a vivid yellow (17C) speckled flare covering most of the dorsal lobe; edges of flower covered at first with minute, reddish glands; moderately scented. Calyx minute, greenish. Lvs elliptic, 89 × 51mm, concave, with wavy margins, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairy and wrinkled above. Shrub 1.8 × 1.2m in 12 years. Mid May. (Published in Greer Gardens cat. (1988))

(r) **'Stadt Munster'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Albert Schweitzer' (s) × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' R: J. Bruns Nursery (1968), N: J. Bruns Nursery, I: J. Bruns Nursery (1988) Fls in compact, rounded trusses, pure rose at first, paling with age, the margins strongly wavy-edged. Shrub to at least 1.0 × 1.4m

(r) **'Stadt Osterode'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Vulcan's Flame' (s) × 'Catharine van Tol' H: H.-J. Danneil (1978), G: H.-J. Danneil (1986), N: H.-J. Danneil, REG: H.-J. Danneil (2000) Fls 12-15/hemispherical truss, campanulate, c50xc60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pink in bud, opening inside lighter pink, with light brown, dorsal spots on an almost white ground, outside lighter pink than in buds. Lvs oblong, 100-120 × 45-50mm, obtuse and apiculate at apex, margins decurved, matt green, with a pale brown indumentum below when mature; young shoots and leaves with light yellow-brown hairs. Shrub 1.5 × 2.0m in 20 years. Mid-late May. (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0025511))

(r) **'Stadt Rastatt'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kluis Triumph' × *fortunei* R: W. Nagel (1966), N: H. Klingmann, I: H. Klingmann (1997), REG: ICRA (2000) Fls pink, scented. Shrub 1.8 × 1.3m in 20 years

(r) **'Stadt Westerstede'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Letty Edwards Group (s) × *wardii* hybrid H: J. Böhlje (1966), G: J. Böhlje (1972), N: J. Böhlje, I: G.D. Böhlje Nursery (1982), REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1984) Fls 10-13/truss, campanulate, 40-50 × 50-70mm, 5-lobed, light yellow with faint, greenish yellow markings and a divided, red, basal blotch. Lvs obovate, 70-115 × 30-52mm, hairless

(v) **'St Agatha'** (See 'Saint Agatha'; all "St" entries will be found under "Saint")

(a) **'Stagecoach Cream'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *occidentale* S: F.D. Mossman & B.M. Smith (pre 1978), N: F.D. Mossman & B.M. Smith Fls cream, with a deep orange blotch. (Sometimes listed in error as 'State Coach Cream')

(a) **'Stagecoach Frills'** cv. Deciduous azalea: wild selection from *occidentale* S: F.D. Mossman & B.M. Smith (pre 1972), N: F.D. Mossman & B.M. Smith Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, white, with a yellow-orange dorsal blotch, tinged pink externally

(a) **'Stagecoach Peppermint'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *occidentale* S: F.D. Mossman & B.M. Smith (pre 1978), N: F.D. Mossman & B.M. Smith Fls pink and white

(a) **'Stalwart'** (Syn. of 'Stampede')

(r) **'Stamfordianum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W. Rollisson & Sons (pre 1850), N: W. Rollisson & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls claret coloured, with a black, dorsal blotch, extending as small spots onto ventral lobes

(a) **'Stamineum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1811), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white (Sweet, 1830). (Listed under *Azalea nudiflora*)

(a) **'Stampede'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Bene-giri' (s) × 'Mrs Carmichael' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, 50-65mm wide, rose dorée (deep yellowish pink (43C)), with pomegranate purple (strong red (53B)) dots. Lvs small, dark green. Shrub to 1.5m. May. Syn: 'Stalwart'. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Standaard van Boskoop'** cv. Parentage unknown I: A. Koster Mz (1879), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark violet, with a red-purple blotch. (Raised in Boskoop, The Netherlands)

(a) **'Standaert's Idéal'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Paul Schäme' × 'Vuylstekeanum' I: L. Standaert (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, red. Indian

(r) **'Standard of Flanders'** (Syn. of 'Lady Dorothy Neville')

(a) **'Standard of Perfection'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Epps (1861), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose red. Indian

(a) **'Standishii'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Standish (pre1847), N: J. Standish, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 15-20/large, compact truss, lobes flat, reflexed, deep greenish yellow in bud, opening deep yellow, with an orange-yellow flare over the entire dorsal lobe; stamens prominent. Late. Ghent

(r) **'Standishii'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Altaclerense Group × *maximum* × *ponticum* R: Standish & Noble, N: Standish & Noble, I: Standish & Noble (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet crimson, with black spots

(r) **'Standishii'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* × a hardy white hybrid R: unknown (pre 1910), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c11/lax, conical truss, broadly campanulate, 75 × 70-100mm, pink in bud, opening pure white, with a crimson ray; scented. Calyx lobes 3-8mm long, dull pink, glandular. Lvs oblong-oblanceolate, up to 155 × 45mm, dark and glossy green above. Tree-like growth exceeding 3.0m. (Attributed to Veitch by some, but by others to Mangles)

(a) **'Standishii Flore Pleno'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1849), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Standish's Perfection'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale peach, with a large blotch of ochre spots

(r) **'Stanford'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fusilier Group × 'Jalisco Goshawk' H: G.A. Hardy, G: G.A. Hardy, N: G.A. Hardy, I: G.A. Hardy (1975), REG: G.A. Hardy (1975) AM 1975

(r) **'Stan Kubas'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: Kubas (pre 1980), N: Kubas Fls campanulate, red. Lvs narrow. Shrub of dense, rounded habit, 0.9m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Stanley'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *falconeri* × *sinogrande* R: unknown, I: E. de Rothschild, REG: E. de Rothschild (1982) Fls light yellow-green (150D), fading pale yellow-green (157C), with a basal blotch on dorsal lobes of strong purplish red (60B)

(a) **'Stanleyanum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Davies (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine, mixed with scarlet red. Indian

(r) **'Stanley Davies'** cv. Parentage unknown R: I. Davies (pre 1890), N: I. Davies, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c16/compact, hemispherical truss, broadly campanulate, 45 × 60mm, fiery crimson with a black dorsal ray. Calyx very small, crimson. Lvs lanceolate to oblong-obovate, 100-120 × 40-50mm, with vestiges of indumentum below

(r) **'Stanley Perry'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *glaucophyllum* × *trichostomum* Radinum Group H: T.C. Thacker, G: T.C. Thacker (1956), N: T.C. Thacker (1960), REG: T.C. Thacker (1961) Fls 10/compact truss, 13 × 20mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, old rose

(r) **'Stanley Rivlin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Royal Blood' R: A.F. George, N: A.F. George, I: Hydon Nurseries, REG: Hydon Nurseries (1972) Fls strong red (53D) in bud, opening paler with outside flushed deep purplish pink (54B), densely spotted crimson

(v) **'Stanton's Glory'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *christianae* (a form known as "grandiflora") × *aurigeranum* H: D.B. Stanton, G: D.B. Stanton (1972), I: G.L.S. Snell, REG: G.L.S. Snell (1982) Fls 8-10/truss, long tubular funnel-shaped, 60 × 40mm, vivid orange (28B) inside, outside light orange-yellow (24C). Lvs lanceolate, 110 × 50mm. Shrub 0.6m

(r) **'Stanway'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × Jalisco Group H: E. de Rothschild (1968), G: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1971), REG: E. de Rothschild (1973) Fls 8/loose truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 115mm, 7-lobed, pale yellow (8D), each lobe with a deeper bar of colour, deepening in throat to light greenish yellow (8B). Calyx lobes irregular, 4-20mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 140 × 50mm, hairless. AM 1971

(r) **Stanwellianum Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* (s) × *catawbiense* R: T. Methven & Son, N: T. Methven & Son, I: T. Methven & Son (1917), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson

(r) **'Stanwellianum Album'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T. Methven & Son, N: T. Methven & Son, I: T. Methven & Son (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls snowy white. (The epithet was listed in error without the word "Album" in the 1958 Register)

(r) **Stanwellii Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *campanulatum* (s) × *ponticum* I: T. Methven & Son (1917), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Stanwell Robustum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: derivative of *campanulatum* R: unknown (pre 1855), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls open white with a slight tinge of violet, becoming almost pure white, with darker spots. (Grown around Edinburgh in 1850s (cf. *Revue Horticole* (Sér. 4):190 (1855)))

(a) **'Stapletonianum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Rubrum' (as *Azalea nudiflora rubra*) × *calendulaceum* R: J.R. Gowen (pre 1830), N: J.R. Gowen, INC: ICRA (1958)

Fls single, c7/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 5-lobed (dorsal lobe wavy-edged), rich deep rose, the dorsal lobe flushed yellow. Ghent (Named for Lady Harriot Stapleton (daughter of the Earl of Caenarvon, for whom J.R. Gowen worked))

(a) **'Star'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Linda Jean' × 'Springtime' (Kurume) R: W.L. Guttormsen (pre 1982), N: W.L. Guttormsen Fls star-shaped, 65mm broad, pure white, each narrow lobe twisted. Shrub 0.6m in 10 years

(r) **'Star'** (See also 'The Star')

(r) **'Star'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with soft rose margins and a dark blotch

(r) **'Star'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Barbier & Co. (1913), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(a) **'Star Bright'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: I.C. Nichols, G: I.C. Nichols (1975), N: I.C. Nichols, I: I.C. Nichols, REG: I.C. Nichols (1986) Fls double (with 3 layers of star-like lobes), 2-3/truss, funnel-shaped, 33 × 70mm, white, with a green flush on one lobe; no stamens. Lvs elliptic, 50 × 20mm. Shrub 1.0m. Indian

(r) **'Starbright'** (Syn. of 'Scott's Starbright')

(r) **'Starbright'** (Syn. of 'Greer's Starbright')

(r) **'Starbright'** (Syn. of 'Shapiro Starbright')

(r) **'Starbright Champagne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Yaku Sunrise' × 'Hansel' (s) × 'Lem's Cameo' H: F. Fujioka (1983), G: F. Fujioka (1987), N: F. Fujioka, REG: F. Fujioka (1995) Fls 15/domed truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 65 × 75mm, with 6-7 deep, smooth-edged lobes having rather pointed tips, pale yellow (18C) with a deep red (53A) throat and prominent spotting and streaking of the same colour on the dorsal lobe (sometimes spreading onto adjacent lobes); stamens 14, straight, unequal. Calyx 25mm long, coloured as corolla. Pedicels 38mm long, strong reddish orange (34C). Lvs oblong, 152 × 57mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cordate at base, dull green above, hairless; petioles 25mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 12 years. Mid April. Syn: 'Burns'

(r) **'Starburst'** (Syn. of 'Weston's Starburst')

(r) **'Starburst'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Starburst')

(r) **'Starburst'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Moser's Maroon' × 'Purple Splendour' R: H.E. Greer (pre 1982), N: H.E. Greer Fls maroon purple, with a golden blotch on a white ground. Lvs deep green. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. Syn: 'Royal Star'

(r) **'Starcross'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × 'Lodauric Iceberg' R: A.F. George, N: A.F. George, I: Hydon Nurseries, REG: Hydon Nurseries (1967) Fls in a large, compact truss, pale purplish pink (56A) in bud, opening and fading from pale purplish pink (56B-C) to pale purplish pink (56D), tube pale yellowish pink (27C) on outside; scented

(r) **'Stardancer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' × 'Lem's Cameo' H: J.G. Lofthouse (? 1976), G: C. Wellmeier (1983), N: C. Wellmeier, I: C. Wellmeier (1987), REG: C. Wellmeier (1987) Fls 16/truss, campanulate, 50 × 75mm, 7-lobed, pale orange-yellow (159C), striped moderate red (181C); scented. Calyx 30mm long, moderate red (181A) and dark yellowish pink (181D). Lvs elliptic, 95 × 45mm, moderate olive green (147A), hairless. Low growing shrub, c1.2 × 1.4m in 10 years. Early May

(a) **'Star Dreams'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, flat-faced, creamy yellow, with a deeper yellow flare; scented. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Late June-July

(r) **'Star Drive'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kay Kay' (s) × 'Dead Ringer' H: W.E. Delp (1987), G: C. Trautmann (1991), N: C. Trautmann (1992), I: Mowbray Gardens (1993), REG: C. Trautmann (1996) Fls 12/flat domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (39A) to deep yellowish pink (39B) in bud, opening creamy yellow with small, reddish rays in the throat and with a reddish edge; only an occasional stamen present; scented. Calyx very small. Lvs elliptic, 90 × 30mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.75m in 9 years. Mid May

(r) **'Star Dust'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Unique' × 'Crest' H: C. Fossett (pre 1983) Fls creamy yellow. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Midseason. (Apart from flower colour, similar to 'Unique'; sometimes seen as 'Stardust')

(a) **'Stardust'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Amoenum' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, 50-55mm wide, white, with a very few purple flecks. Mid-late April. Shrub to 1.9m. Glenn Dale (In general garden effect like a white *kaempferi*)

(r) **'Stardust'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Stardust')

(a) **'Stardust Melody'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, clear light pink, striped with white down the centre of each lobe and with a light yellow flare that is picoteed with pink; strongly scented. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Mid-late June

(a) **'Starfire'** cv. Evergreen azalea: double pink florists' azalea × 'Argosy' H: USDA, Glenn Dale (1947), N: USDA, Glenn Dale (1958) Fls single, 95mm wide, white, flaked and striped solferino purple, with a distinct yellow blotch

(a) **'Starfire'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' × 'Waraigishi' × 'Pluto' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1965) Fls double (with

16-18 lobes), 40-45mm wide, geranium pink, dorsal lobes with tyrian rose spots; pistil usually lacking. Shrub c1.2m in 10 years. Evergreen to semi-evergreen. Early but with a strong tendency to flower again in autumn. Back Acres (Garden effect bright coral pink, but distinct from 'Malaguena')

(a) **'Starfire'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *prinophyllum* hybrid H: F.L. Abbott, S: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985) Fls tubular, yellowish pink with an orange-yellow blotch and deeper pink edging. Low shrub. Mid May

(r) **'Starfish'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1911), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c9/conical truss, widely expanded, 60 × 90-100mm, soft pink, paling to nearly white in centre of lobes, lightly marked with a narrow ray of crimson markings. Calyx small. Lvs oblanceolate, up to 155 × 45mm, dark and glossy green above

(r) **'Stargate'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Oh My!' (s) × unknown H: A.W. Smith (pre 1989), G: D. Irish-Hosler (1998), N: D. Irish-Hosler (2000), REG: D. Irish-Hosler (2000) Fls 18/domed truss, saucer-shaped, 30 × 55mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (67B) in bud, opening inside strong purplish pink (68B) at margins, shading to white in centre, with some pale pink spotting on all lobes and greenish yellow spots on the dorsal lobe; outside deep purplish pink (68A) paling towards base. Calyx c3mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 45mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, margins downcurved, dull and dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in c12 years. Midseason

(r) **'Star Gazer'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Flashy Blue' (s) × 'Carefree' H: W.E. Delp (1993), G: W.E. Delp (1995), N: Mrs V. Delp, I: Crystalaire Naturescapes (1998), REG: J.D. Harris (1999) Fls 10/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 25 × 40mm, 5-lobed, strong violet (86C) and vivid purple (82A) in bud, opening with a star-shaped, vivid purple (81B) centre and edged with strong and brilliant violet (86C-D). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 45 × 13mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (146A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.75m in 5 years. Late May

(r) **'Starglider'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tols' (s) × *hyperythrum* R: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls strong, moderate and light purplish pink (62A, B, C) in bud, opening white; filaments and style pale yellow-green (4D). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Stark White'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' (s) × *maximum* H: W.E. Delp (1980), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 16/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 60mm, 5-lobed, light and pale purplish pink (55C, D, 56D) in bud, opening white with brilliant yellow-green (154C) dorsal spots; filaments and style white; anthers pale yellow (165D); stigma moderate orange-yellow (168D). Lvs 114 × 39mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, with a woolly, cinnamon brown indumentum below on mature lvs. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 12 years. Early June

(r) **'Starlet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Diva Group × *williamsianum* H: H. Lem (pre 1959), G: C.P. Fawcett (1962), I: C.P. Fawcett, REG: C.P. Fawcett (1963) Fls 5-6/loose truss, funnel-rotate, up to 65 × 100mm, 5-6-lobed, rose madder (23/2) to crimson (22/1). Lvs elliptic-ovate, 75 × 40mm. Compact shrub under 1.0m tall. Early May

(a) **'Starlight'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Amoenum' × *indicum* L: W. Bull (1891), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, soft rose pink, faintly shaded pale magenta

(a) **'Starlight'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright orange-red, blotched. Mollis

(a) **'Starlight'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Perle de Saffelaere' × 'Ballerina' R: H. Kerrigan (pre 1971), N: H. Kerrigan Fls semi-double, 65mm wide, light yellowish pink

(a) **'Starlight'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *prinophyllum* hybrid H: F.L. Abbott, S: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985) Fls tubular, white, with a yellow throat and pink stripes. Low shrub. Late May

(r) **'Starlight'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group (s) × *leucaspis* R: D.L. Hardgrove, N: D.L. Hardgrove, I: D.L. Hardgrove (1953), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 4/truss, rotate, over 50mm wide, white, with a frosty sheen. Dwarf shrub

(r) **'Star of Ascot'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Standish (pre 1874), N: J. Standish, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white with pinkish edges and black spots (1958 Register); Nairn (1910 cat.) gave very brilliant scarlet. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Star of England'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pinkish white (Standish); white with chocolate spots (W. Rollisson & Sons cat., 1877)

(r) **'Star of Eve'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *tephropeplum* × *lindleyi* R: G.M. Adams-Acton (pre 1942), N: G.M. Adams-Acton, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Star of India'** cv. Parentage unknown I: J. Standish (pre 1874), INC: ICRA (1958)

(v) **'Star of India'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Crown Princess of Germany' × *javanicum* R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1891), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow to red-orange

(r) **'Star of Spring'** cv. Parentage unknown H: D.L. Hardgrove (c 1960), G: Mrs D. Royce (1965), N: Mrs D. Royce, I: Mrs D. Royce (1966), REG: Mrs D. Royce (1979) Fls up to 13/truss, open funnel-shaped, 100 ×

140mm, 6-lobed, strong purplish red (58B) in bud, opening soft pink and fading to white (155B) with strong purplish red (67A) spotting; outside edging strong to moderate purplish pink (63C-62D). Lvs elliptic, 125 × 50mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.8m in c17 years. Mid April

(a) **'Star Pillow'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1987), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls star-shaped, white, with a few yellow spots; scented

(v) **'Star Posy'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *jasminiflorum* × unknown H: T. Lelliott, G: E.B. Perrott, N: O.S. Blumhardt (1984), REG: O.S. Blumhardt (1984) Fls 10-15/truss, 50-60 × 50mm, salverform, light but vivid pink. Lvs oblanceolate, 70-100 × 20-30mm, with scattered, small, dark scales when young, glossy

(a) **'Star Ruby'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Addy Wery' × 'Salmon Elf' R: W.L. Guttormsen (1965), N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1970) Fls hose-in-hose, 2-3/truss, 40mm wide, dark red (5R 3/7). Lvs 40 × 13mm. Early May

(r) **'Starry Eyed'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (red fld) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × Azor Group I: D.L. Hardgrove (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, with a red blotch

(r) **'Starry Night'** (Syn. of 'Gletschernacht')

(r) **'Stars and Stripes'** cv. Parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney (pre 1970), I: Mrs A. Sather (c 1990) Fls rose, covered with deeper red spots within. Compact shrub, 0.9m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Star Sapphire'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group, white-flowered (s) × *augustinii* H: D.L. Hardgrove (c 1948), G: D.L. Hardgrove (pre 1960), N: D.L. Hardgrove (pre 1960), I: S.V. Burns (1982), REG: W. Brack (1999) Fls 4-7/ball truss, saucer-shaped, 30 × 50mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, strong purple (83D) in bud, opening inside vivid purple (87B), fading lighter towards centre and with green spotting; outside light purple (84B). Calyx c1.5mm long, strong yellow-green (144C). Lvs elliptic, 50 × 20mm, acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (137A) above. Shrub 2.1 × 1.8m in 19 years. Early May. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Star Scent'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* hybrid R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1987), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls pale purplish pink, strongly scented

(r) **'Star Shine'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Britannia' × Loderi Group × *yakushimanum* R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1969), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1970) Fls 12/domed, more-or-less crowded truss, campanulate, 50 × 55mm, very pale pink flushed light purplish pink (62C). Lvs 100 × 30mm, medium dull green. Shrub 0.4m. *AM 1977

(v) **'Star Shower'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* × *aurigeranum* × *retusum* H: J.L. Rouse, G: J.L. Rouse, N: A.B. Raper, I: Rhodo Glen Nursery (1990), REG: Rhodo Glen Nursery (1991) Fls 7-9/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 30 × 30mm, 5-lobed, strong reddish orange (40C). Lvs obovate, 80 × 50mm. Shrub 0.6m. Spring-autumn

(r) **'Star Struck'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nova Zembla' (s) × 'Jungle Star' H: M.J. Whitman (1998), G: M.J. & B. Whitman (2002), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (2002), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (2002) Fls 15/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45 × 75mm, with 5 wavy to very wavy-edged lobes, strong purple (80B) in bud, opening inside very light purple (76B) in the throat and centre of lobes, with light purple (78C) margins and a conspicuous, pale greenish yellow (1D) dorsal blotch densely spotted with deep greenish yellow (153A); outside very light purple (76B) with light purple (78C) edging and midribs; slightly scented. Lvs oblong, 140 × 65mm, margins flat to wavy, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.45 × 0.35m in 4 years. Early May

(r) **'Star Trek'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *davidsonianum* (Exbury pink form) × 'Ruth Lyons' H: A.A. Childers (1958), G: A.A. Childers (1963), N: A.A. Childers, I: A.A. Childers (1970), REG: A.A. Childers (1976) Fls 3-4 in each of 3-5 terminal and axillary trusses, making a ball-shaped inflorescence, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 55mm, 5-6-lobed, light purple (76A), with a large, dorsal blotch of vivid red (44A) spots. Calyx less than 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 55 × 22-25mm, glossy and dark green above (bronzed on exposure in winter), with small, golden scales below. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 18 years. Late April-early May

(a) **'Startrek'** (Syn. of 'Berna Startrek')

(a) **'State Coach Cream'** (An error for 'Stagecoach Cream')

(a) **'Stately Orange'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Bastedo Nursery (pre 1987), N: Bastedo Nursery Fls orange

(a) **'Statile Orange'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Vermeulen & Son (1981) Fls orange-red

(a) **'Statile Orchid'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Vermeulen & Son (1981) Fls lavender

(r) **'Station Square'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *brachycarpum* × 'Great Lakes' × 'Sham's Juliet' H: W.E. Delp (1973), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 17/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 52 × 65mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (63A, B) and strong to light purplish pink (63C, D) in bud, opening moderate purplish pink (62B), with moderate reddish orange (173B) dorsal spots; filaments and style pale purplish pink (62D); anthers pale orange-yellow (159C);

stigma deep red (60A). Lvs 114 × 51mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.5m in 19 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids* Salley & Greer (1986))

(r) **'Statuette'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Lauretta' (s) × 'Crater Lake' H: H. Hachmann (1984), G: H. Hachmann (1989), N: H. Hachmann (1989), I: H. Hachmann (1998), REG: G. Stück (1999) Fls c6 at end of each shoot, broadly funnel-shaped, 25 × 32-40mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, strong violet (86B) inside, outside vivid violet (89A/B) on midveins, inside and out tinged strong/brilliant violet (86C/D); unmarked; stamens 10, filaments light purple (87C), anthers moderate orange (166D). Calyx 0.5-1.0mm long (rarely 2-4mm long). Lvs elliptic, 33-40 × 10-22mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, flat, glossy green above, scaly. Shrub of strongly erect habit, 1.6 × 1.2m in 10 years. Early-late May. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1998-2000 (1998), plus colour photograph)

(r) **'Staving'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1945), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(a) **'S.T. Coleridge'** (Syn. of 'Samuel Taylor Coleridge')

(r) **'Stead's Best'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *nuttallii* × *lindleyi* R: E.F. Stead (pre 1950) Fls very large, white, with a yellow throat; scented. Shrub to 2.0m. Midseason

(r) **'Stead's Hardy Red'** cv. Parentage unknown R: New Zealand (pre 1979), N: New Zealand

(r) **'Stead's Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* hybrid R: unknown (pre 1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in flattish trusses, tumpet-shaped, rose pink. Shrub 1.5-2.0m. (Grown in Australia since c1940, perhaps originating in New Zealand)

(r) **'Steelblue'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Firma C. Esveld (1984) Fls funnel-shaped, lilac blue. Shrub 0.5-0.6m

(a) **'Stefan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport on an irradiated plant of 'Silvester' R: Boskoop (c 1977), G: Boskoop (c 1980), N: Boskoop, I: Boskoop (1986), REG: D.M. van Gelderen (1987) Fls single, 2-3/truss, funnel-shaped, 20-25 × 28mm, 5-lobed, deep yellowish pink (43C). Calyx green. Lvs ovate, 25 × 15mm, green, with greyish hairs below. Shrub c1.0 × 1.0m. Late April-mid May. Kurume (Published in *Dendroflora* no. 22:78 (1985))

(a) **'Stefanie'** (Syn. of 'Hachmann's Stefanie')

(a) **'Steffanie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Albert Bardt & Söhne, N: Albert Bardt & Söhne, I: Albert Bardt & Söhne (1991) Fls single, funnel-shaped, deep pink (52B/C - darkest at margins); 52C outside; with a few strong red (51A) spots; anthers violet. Calyx present, normal. Lvs elliptic to obovate, obtuse at apex, dark green above

(a) **'Stella'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Veitch & Sons, N: J. Veitch & Sons, I: J. Veitch & Sons (1864) Fls orange/scarlet red, dorsal lobes with a violet tint and spotted lake. FCC 1864. Indian

(a) **'Stella'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1925), N: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bronze, with purplespots. Mollis

(r) **'Stella'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale lilac rose, spotted with dark chocolate. FCC 1865 Syn: 'Stella Waterer'

(r) **'Stella'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Linden (1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very delicate rose, with yellow spots. (Said to be from Noble and listed in addition to Waterer's plant)

(a) **'Stella Hines'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Hines Nurseries (pre 1985), N: Hines Nurseries Fls single, with wavy-edged lobes, persian rose. Early-midseason

(a) **'Stella Maris'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Rosali' R: Van der Meer Brothers (1977), N: Van der Meer Brothers, I: Van der Meer Brothers (1981) Fls white, with a moderate purplish red (58A) blotch; otherwise similar to parent. Indian

(r) **'Stella Maris'** (Syn. of 'Naomi Stella Maris')

(v) **'Stella Maris'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* × *leucogigas* × *konori* var. *phaeopeplum* H: P. Sullivan (pre 1987)

(a) **'Stella Sue'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Hines Nurseries (pre 1985), N: Hines Nurseries Fls hose-in-hose, with wavy-edged lobes, blush rose. Midseason

(a) **'Stellatum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges (1826), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white (Sweet, 1830). (Listed under *Azalea nudiflora*)

(r) **'Stellatum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1856), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow

(r) **'Stellatum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy lilac, with an immense blotch of chocolate spots

(r) **'Stellatum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: J.H. Mangles, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Stella Waterer'** (Syn. of 'Stella')

(r) **'Stephanianum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Trillon (1843), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Stephanie'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Verschaffelt (1876), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with a white and yellow dorsal lobe, each lobe ending in a white point. Ghent

(r) **'Stephanie'** cv. Parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney (c 1965), G: W.E. Whitney, N: G. & Mrs A. Sather, I: G. & Mrs A. Sather (1974), REG: G. & Mrs A. Sather (1976) Fls 9/flat to lax truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 55 × 70mm, 6-lobed, strong red (53C). Calyx 1.5m long, red. Lvs elliptic, 65-75 × 30-40mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, bullate, moderate olive green (146A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 10 years. Early May

(a) **'Stephanie Marie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Miyuno-no-tsuki' × 'Hino-red' H: H.R. Schroeder (1976), G: S. Schroeder (1980), N: S. Schroeder, I: S. Schroeder (1987), REG: S. Schroeder (1987) Fls 22/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 41 × 38mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (55C) to pale purplish pink (55D). Calyx 6mm long, strong yellow-green (145A). Lvs obovate, 51 × 22mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dull and wrinkled above, hairy. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 11 years. Mid April-early May

(r) **'Stephanie Wilson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *williamsianum* × unknown R: unknown, I: E. de Rothschild (1979), REG: E. de Rothschild (1982) Fls pale yellow-green (157C), ageing to pale purplish pink (56D)

(r) **'Stephanotum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson. Hardy Hybrid

(v) **'Stephen'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *macgregoriae* × *aurigeranum* × *zoelleri* H: P. Sullivan (pre 1987), G: P. Sullivan & W.A. Moynier, N: P. Sullivan & W.A. Moynier Fls orange/yellow bicolor

(r) **'Stephen Clarke'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' (s) × 'Autumn Gold' H: Mrs E. Clarke (1960-1970), G: Clarke Nurseries (pre 1970), N: Mrs E. Clarke, I: Clarke Nurseries, REG: S. Clarke (1981) Fls 11/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 100mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (52B) in bud, opening light yellowish pink (38D), with a 10mm border of strong purplish pink (55B) and a vivid reddish orange (33A) blotch in the throat, with peripheral spotting of the same colour on dorsal lobe and two adjacent lobes (extending to edging); corolla fades to pale yellow (11D), the blotch and spotting to brilliant yellow (12B). Calyx 15mm long, deep pink (52B). Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 150 × 50mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, with undulate margins, moderate olive green (137A) above and hairless. Shrub 63 × 46cm in 3 years. Mid May

(r) **'Stephen Davies'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Davies (pre 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep crimson

(r) **'Sterchy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Evening Glow' (s) × 'Evening Glow' H: M. Stockman, G: M. & H. Stockman (1982), N: M. & H. Stockman, I: M. & H. Stockman (1982), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1992) Fls 12/flattened ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 83mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, white, with brilliant yellow (11A) throat and blotch, the blotch covering a large area of dorsal lobe and parts of adjacent lobes, shading to light yellow (11B); outside white, flushed pale yellow (11C) along midribs and at base; stamens 11, straight, unequal. Calyx 32mm long, moderate yellow (160A), persisting a week longer than corolla. Pedicels 22mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 114 × 38mm, convex, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, dark glossy green above and bullate, hairless; petioles 13mm long, light green. Shrub 0.8 × 0.6m in 18 years. Mid May

(a) **'Sterling'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum* (s) × 'Johga' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-2/truss, starry, 75mm wide, deep rose pink (deep purplish pink (64D)), the small blotch made up of fine dots of tyrian rose (vivid purplish red (57B)). Broadly spreading shrub to 0.6m tall. Late May-early June. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Sterling'** cv. Parentage unknown H: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (pre 1980)

(r) **'Sterling Knight'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × *catawbiense* 'Clark's White' (s) × *yakushimanum* H: R.L. Means (1983), G: R. Means (1988), N: R. Means (1998), I: Yadkin Valley Nursery Co., REG: R. Means (1998) Fls 17/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (63D) in bud, opening white, with two spotted flares of brownish orange (166C) on dorsal lobe, outside pale purplish pink (62D). Calyx very short. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 40mm, margins decurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, slightly hairy below (hairs dark greenish yellow (152D)). Shrub 1.1 × 1.5m in 15 years. Late April

(a) **'Sternianum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1864), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, bright orange. (Listed under *Azalea calendulacea*)

(r) **'Steven Foster'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: May Day Group × *haematodes* R: C.S. Seabrook, N: C.S. Seabrook, I: C.S. Seabrook (1964), REG: C.S. Seabrook (1966) Fls in a loose truss (slightly more erect than in May Day Group), campanulate, up to 50 × 70mm, blood red (820). Lvs dark green and glossy above, with some indumentum below. Roundish shrub, 0.6m tall in 10 years. Early

(r) **'Steven Roy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Evening Glow' × 'Tortoiseshell Wonder' H: M. Stockman (1980), G: H. & M. Stockman (1990), N: H. & M. Stockman, I: H. & M. Stockman (1992), REG: H. & M. Stockman (1992) Fls 9/lax truss, funnel-shaped, 51 × 51mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate red (179A) in bud, opening vivid purplish red (67B) to deep purplish pink (67C) on outside and on inner margins, shading lighter towards midribs and flushed yellow in centre; stamens 10, straight, unequal. Calyx less than 2mm long, red. Pedicels 16mm long, brown above, light green

below. Lvs elliptic, 70 × 25mm, convex, mucronate at apex, oblique at base, bullate and dark, matt green above, with a felted, tan indumentum below (less abundant on mature lvs); petioles 13mm long, brown. Shrub 0.5 × 0.5m in 12 years. Late May

(a) **'Steve Zalumas'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Sweetheart Supreme' R: D.J. Cole (pre 1987), N: D.J. Cole Fls 65mm wide, purplish pink, with a dark purple blotch. Early May

(r) **'Steve Zimmerman'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' (s) × 'Crest' H: S.. McCulloch (1983), G: P. McBride (1987), N: S. Steffler, I: S. Steffler (1994), REG: S. Steffler (1994) Fls 10-15/flattened dome truss, open funnel-shaped, 38-44 × 64-76mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, moderate red (180A) in bud, opening light greenish yellow (3D) at margins, shading to brilliant yellow (7B) in the throat; outside light greenish yellow (6D); stamens 13-15, straight, unequal; slightly scented. Calyx variable, 6-25mm long, brilliant greenish yellow (6C), edged moderate reddish orange (35B). Pedicels 25-32mm long, strong yellow-green (144C). Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 89-121 × 25-57mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (146A) above, light yellow-green (145B) below, hairless; petioles 19-25mm long, strong greenish yellow (151A). Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 11 years. Early May

(a) **'Stewart Armstrong'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: B.Y. Morrison (pre 1966) Fls semi-double, 65mm wide, reddish orange, with an occasional white blotch

(r) **'Stewart Manville'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: an advanced generation hybrid of *catawbeinse, maximum* and perhaps unknown hybrids H: W.D. Smith (1970), G: W.D. Smith, N: W.D. Smith, I: W.D. Smith, REG: W.D. Smith (1980) Fls up to 14/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edgedlobes, strong purplish red (7.5RP 4/11) in bud, opening moderate purplish red (5RP 4/10) with a deep greenish yellow (10Y 6/7) spotting. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 45mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (5GY 4/3) above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.5m in 7 years. Late May

(a) **'Stewartstonian'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2/compact truss, open funnel-shaped, 30 × 25mm, moderate red (47A), with a slight flush of strong reddish orange (42B) along lower midribs in the throat, faint spotting of strong red (53B) on ventral lobe. Lvs 20 × 15mm, glossy green, tinged red, becoming wine red in winter. Shrub up to 1.0m. *HC 1971, *AM 1975 (Mis-spelt in some early publications; the name is derived from Stewartstown (Pennsylvania, USA))

(a) **'Steyaertianum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: derived from an Indica azalea × Mollis azalea I: A. Steyaert (1921), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, dark red, with bright rose lobes. Calyx dark red. Indian

(a) **'Steyaertianum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, red. Very early. Indian

(r) **'Stinger'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Rocky Road' (s) × 'Rougemont' H: W.E. Delp (1989), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1995) Fls 22/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 51 × 64mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (60B-D) in bud, opening to a blend of strong purplish red (60D) and strong to light purplish pink (63C-D), with a white flare and brilliant yellow (7A) dorsal spots; filaments strong purplish pink (63C); style vivid purplish red (57B); anthers deep purplish red (59B); stigma dark red (187B). Lvs 89 × 44mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.75m in 4 years. Early June

(r) **'Stingray'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ronald Otto Delp' (s) × 'Dead Ringer' H: T.L. Ring (1983), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1995) Fls 10/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 51 × 64mm, 7-lobed, moderate and strong purplish red (64A-C) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (64D) with a strong purplish red (63A) throat, tinged deep yellowish pink (44D) on three dorsal lobes; anthers pale yellow (8D). Lvs 127 × 57mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Stoat'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kermesinum' × 'Lemur' H: P.A. Cox (1980), G: P.A. Cox, N: P.A. Cox, I: Glendoick Gardens (1993), REG: Glendoick Gardens (1993) Fls 1-2/truss, funnel-shaped, 20 × 30mm, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (67C) throughout, unmarked. Calyx minute, green. Lvs elliptic to oblanceolate, flat, hairy above and below. Shrub 0.6 × 0.9m in 12 years. Late May

(r) **'Stockholm'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: unknown × *williamsianum* R: D.G. Hobbie (pre 1945), S: J. Bruns Nursery, N: J. Bruns Nursery, I: J. Bruns Nursery (1972) Fls pale rose. Lvs ovate, 50-70mm long, red-brown when young. Shrub to 1.5m

(r) **'Stockholm'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' × *decorum* H: D.G. Leach (1954), G: D.G. Leach (1960), N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1972), REG: D.G. Leach (1974) Fls up to 14/ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 47 × 55mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, white, with two small, dorsal rays of strong greenish yellow (10Y 7.5/9) spotting. Calyx c1.5mm long, green, edged red. Lvs elliptic, 95 × 40mm, dark and glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.6m in 18 years. Syn: 'Iceland' (The *decorum* used derived from a Chinese collection made by Hu)

(r) **'Stockman's Drumbeat'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Dianta' (s) × 'Kubla Khan' H: M. & H. Stockman (1992), G: M. & H. Stockman (2001), N: M. & H. Stockman (2002), REG: M. & H. Stockman (2002) Fls 12-16/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, with

6 wavy-edged lobes, bright coral in bud, opening inside coral at margins, shading into a yellow centre, with a few red spots on the dorsal lobes, outside bright coral. Calyx variable, ventral lobes c35mm long, dorsal lobes 45-50mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 130 × 60mm, margins flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.75m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Stockman's Flare'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Dianta' (s) × 'Kubla Khan' H: M. Stockman (1992), G: M. & H. Stockman (1999), N: H. Stockman (2001), REG: M. & H. Stockman (2001) Fls 5-7/ball truss, funnel-campanulate, 65 × 95mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63A-B) to strong purplish pink (63C) in bud, opening inside deep purplish pink (54B) and strong pink (54C), with a solid black, basal blotch; outside a blend of strong purplish red (54A), deep purplish pink (54B) and strong pink (54C). Calyx with basal lobe 15mm long, separate from the rest, the remainder fused together, 35mm long, reflexed, coloured as corolla. Lvs oblong, 140 × 55mm, acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 9 years. Early May

(r) **'Stockman's Ruby'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lord Roberts' (s) × 'Skipper Hal' H: M. & H. Stockman (1992), G: M. & H. Stockman (1999), N: M. & H. Stockman (2002), REG: M. & H. Stockman (2002) Fls 17-19/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, ruby red in bud, opening ruby red inside and out, the centre inside tinged yellowish orange; some dark red spotting on dorsal lobe, extending onto adjacent lobes. Calyx variable, 3 lobes c5mm long, 2 lobes c12mm long, creamy pink. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 45mm, margins downcurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.75m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Stockman's Schiller'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kubla Khan' (s) × 'Dianta' H: M. & H. Stockman (1992), G: M. & H. Stockman (1999), N: M. & H. Stockman (2002), REG: M. & H. Stockman (2002) Fls 8-10/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, apricot pink in bud, opening inside pale yellow, with borders of creamy white, tinged pale pink; outside of dorsal lobes pale yellow, with creamy pinkish white borders; outside of ventral lobes creamy yellowish white, tinged pale pink; unmarked. Calyx c3mm long, light yellow. Lvs oblong, 100 × 40mm, margins downcurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 1.0m in 10 years. Late May

(r) **'Stokes Bronze Wings'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* × *catawbiense* H: W.E. Stokes (1943), G: W.E. Stokes, N: W.E. Stokes, REG: W.E. Delp (1990) Fls 30/truss, open funnel-shaped, 32 × 54mm, 5-lobed, strong purple (77B) in bud, opening to a blend of light purple (77C/D) and very pale purple (76C), with a light greenish yellow (3C) flare under moderate yellow-green (146B) spots on the three dorsal lobes; filaments very light purple (75C); style vivid reddish purple (74B); anthers pale orange-yellow (159C); stigma deep purplish red (61A). Lvs elliptic, 146 × 57mm, hairless. Mid-late June. Syn: 'Bronze Wings'

(r) **'Stokes Opal'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* × *catawbiense* R: unknown (pre 1978) (Listed as a parent of 'Tiger Paw')

(r) **'Stoneanum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958) (May have been an azalea)

(r) **'Stoneham Scarlet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably *arboreum* × *catawbiense* or *ponticum* R: W.H. Rogers & Son (pre 1950), N: W.H. Rogers & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 21/compact truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45-50 × 60mm, rosy crimson, with a broad ray of black markings, nectaries deep blood red. Lvs oblanceolate, c115 × 40mm, dark, dull green above, with a thin, rusty indumentum below

(r) **'Stonehurst'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: a seedling selection from *lanigerum* R: R. Strauss, N: R. Strauss (1961), I: R. Strauss, REG: R. Strauss (1961) Fls c35/tight, globular truss, campanulate, 50 × 65mm, cherry (722/3), with deep basal nectaries. Calyx rim-like. Pedicels 13mm long, mealy. Lvs 200 × 50mm, with persistent, thick, whitish brown indumentum below; petioles 25mm long, thick. AM 1961

(r) **'Stonei'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *campanulatum* L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Stonelaw'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *edgeworthii* × *burmanicum* R: Dunedin Botanic Garden, I: C.A. McLaughlin, REG: Dunedin Rhododendron Group (1990) Fls 2-6/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 80mm, 5-lobed, white (155D), outside flushed strong purplish pink (55B) darkening to deep purplish pink (55A), with greenish yellow spots in the throat and on the dorsal lobes. Calyx 5mm long, green to pink. Lvs ovate, 80 × 35mm, dark green and bullate above, with rusty brown scales below; petioles and young stems woolly. Shrub 2.0 × 2.5m in 20 years. Mid-October (New Zealand)

(a) **'Stonewall Jackson'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: W. Allan, N: W. Allan, I: W. Allan (pre 1953), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 45mm wide, salmon pink

(a) **'Stonewall Jackson'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Hotspur Yellow' × *austrinum* R: T. Dodd (pre 1998), N: T. Dodd, I: Dodd & Dodd Inc. (c 1998) Fls orange

(r) **'Stony Acres'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* R: C. Herbert (1941), I: C. Herbert (1966) Fls 8-10/rounded, compact truss, flat campanulate, to 125mm wide, with 7 very wavy-edged lobes, creamy white, with a yellow throat. Lvs 140 × 55mm, deeply veined, cordate at base, shiny above. Shrub 0.9m in 10 years. Late May

(r) **'Stony Acres Discolor'** cv. Parentage unknown H: C. Herbert (pre 1980) (Perhaps a synonym of 'Stony Acres')

(r) **'Stony Croft'** cv. Parentage unknown, perhaps a *grande* hybrid R: New Zealand (pre 1992) Young foliage lime green, ageing to rusty red and then to green

(a) **'Stopham Girl'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: M.C. Pratt (1988), G: J.W. Harrington (1993), N: J.W. Harrington (1994), I: W. de Jong, REG: J.W. Harrington (1996) Fls 15-40/compact, domed truss, funnel-shaped, with 6 wavy-edged lobes (dorsal lobe more so), cream flushed pink in bud, opening creamy white inside, outside pale green shading to white and pink; dorsal lobe predominantly solid apricot; some irregular pink streaking; style pale pinkish, topped green, prominently exserted; stamens palest green, anthers brown; faintly scented. Calyx 5mm long, pale green. Lvs oblanceolate, 90 × 30mm, margins slightly upcurved, acute at apex, attenuate at base, semi-glossy above, minutely ciliate, mid green. Shrub up to 2.0 × 1.5m in 5 years. Late June

(a) **'Stopham Lad'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: M.C. Pratt (1988), G: J.W. Harrington (1993), N: J.W. Harrington (1994), I: W. de Jong (1995), REG: J.W. Harrington (1996) Fls 11-30/tight, domed truss, narrowly funnel-shaped, streaked dull red in bud, opening cream white, dorsal lobe with a very large apricot blotch, other lobes streaked dull red inside and out; style pink/red, strongly curved and prominently exserted; scented. Calyx 3mm long, mainly red. Lvs narrowly oblanceolate, 90 × 40mm, acute at apex, attenuate at base, mid green. Shrub 2.5 × 1.5-2.0m in 5 years. Late June

(a) **'Stoplight'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Camellia Grove Nursery (1979) Fls double, deep red

(r) **'Stoplight'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × Cornubia Group H: R. Henny (1946), G: R. Henny, N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny (c 1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 14/truss, 75 × 90mm, geranium lake (20/1), lightly blotched. Lvs oblong-elliptic, 160 × 45mm, rounded at base. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years

(a) **'Stopplicht'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling of 'Vuyk's Scarlet' × seedling of 'Vuyk's Scarlet' × seedling of an Arendsii azalea × small-flowered rhododendron hybrid R: U. Schumacher (1966), N: U. Schumacher, I: U. Schumacher (1971) Fls single, strong red (53D), with brown markings. (Technically an azaleodendron if parentage is correct; influence of the rhododendron probably slight)

(a) **'Storeton'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: M.C. Pratt (1986), G: Ness Botanic Gardens (1996), N: Ness Botanic Gardens, REG: Ness Botanic Gardens (1999) Fls single, 10/loose truss, broadly tubular funnel-shaped, 45 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink (46D), opening inside strong pink (50C), outside strong pink (52D); dorsal blotch of vivid orange-yellow (23A); stamens pink; slightly scented. Calyx 2mm long, light yellow-green (145C). Lvs elliptic, 20-80 × 10-25mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, wavy-edged, glossy green. Shrub 0.75 × 1.0m in 13 years. June-July. (Standard: colour slide provided by registrant (WSY 0015391))

(a) **'Stormcloud'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Waraigishi' × 'Kagetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1965) Fls double (with a crest of small, irregular inner lobes, some with vestiges of anthers), 70mm wide, mallow purple, with an aster purple blotch towards base of dorsal lobes. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 10 years. Late. Back Acres

(a) **'Stormy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Shiryu-no-homare' (s) × un-named seedling (HS 81-17) R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls single, 2/truss, 90mm wide, star-shaped, deep reddish purple, with an insignificant blotch. Early May. (First published in Holly Springs cat., 1990)

(a) **'Stour'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: F.E.W. Hanger, G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society (1958), REG: Royal Horticultural Society (1961) Fls 13/domed truss, 55 × 70mm, funnel-shaped, with wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish orange (40C), with a strong orange blotch. Lvs 100 × 40mm, mid glossy green, slightly tinged bronze. *AM 1958

(r) **'Stowport'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *arboreum* subsp. *arboreum*, raised from seed collected in Sikkim G: N. Sullivan (1987), N: N. Sullivan, I: N. Sullivan (1990), REG: N. Sullivan (1991) Fls 37/truss, campanulate, 50 × 35mm, vivid red (52A), paling to near white at the base, nectaries black-red. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 170 × 30mm, with a plastered, silver indumentum below. Shrub 3.0m in 20 years

(r) **'Straatsrath von Massenbach'** (An error for 'Staatsrätin von Massenbach')

(a) **'Stramineum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very pale straw yellow. Ghent (Baumann credits it to Waterer)

(r) **'Stramineum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *caucasicum* N: W.J. Hooker (1835), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls between campanulate and funnel-shaped, with 5 slightly waved lobes, pale yellow or straw-coloured, with numerous, fulvous, dorsal spots. Lvs as in *caucasicum*. Shrub 1.5-2.0m. Syn: 'Caucasicum Stramineum' (Published in *Bot.Mag.* t.3422 (1835))

(a) **'Stranraer'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1988) Fls trumpet-shaped, glowing orange. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Strategist'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1911), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c15/pyramidal truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 50-60mm, rose pink,

paler in centre, dorsal lobe lightly speckled crimson to olive green. Calyx lobes 4-6mm long, pink. Lvs broadly oblong-elliptic, c120 × 45mm, dark and dull green above, hairless below

(r) **'Straver's Glory'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* hybrid R: Exbury (1980), N: Hanns Pannebakker Export B.V. (1992) Fls 14-18/truss, 60-70mm wide, strong purplish pink (62A) in bud, opening light purplish pink (65B), fading to pure white. Lvs lanceolate/elliptic, (80-)100-130(-150)x(30-)40-50(-55)mm, dark green above, with a light brown indumentum below. Shrub 1.0m tall in 10-12 years. May

(r) **'Strawberries and Cream'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goldsworth Yellow' × *brachycarpum* × 'Mrs P. den Ouden' H: E.A. Cary (1969), G: E.A. Cary (1976), N: E.A. Cary, REG: E.A. Cary (1980) Fls 12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 35 × 45mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (55A) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (55A) - colour showing through from outside - fading to pale yellow (11D), with moderate orange-yellow (165C) speckling on the dorsal lobe sector; outside light purplish pink (55C) at first. Calyx 2mm long, strong purplish pink (55B). Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 85-100 × 35-45mm, acute at apex, rounded to slightly cordate or oblique at base, with a very sparse, colourless indumentum. Shrub 0.75 × 0.65m in 9 years. Late May

(r) **'Strawberry'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J.J. Crosfield, N: J.J. Crosfield, I: J.J. Crosfield (1935), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Strawberry'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Whitney (pre 1980) (Perhaps named by G. & Mrs A. Sather)

(a) **'Strawberry Blonde'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: M.E. Greentree (pre 1984), N: M.E. Greentree Fls semi-double, blush pink, flecked deeper pink. Indian

(a) **'Strawberry Blonde'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *prinophyllum* hybrid H: F.L. Abbott, S: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls multicoloured, peach pink. Early June

(r) **'Strawberry Cream'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *flavidum* hybrid (s) × Lady Rosebery Group H: L.E. Brandt (pre 1961), G: L.E. Brandt, N: P.A. & K.N.E. Cox, I: Greer Gardens/Glendoick Gardens (c 1980), REG: P.A. & K.N.E. Cox (1993) Fls 5-6/truss, funnel-shaped, 22 × 25-27mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, buds pale yellow-green (4D), overlaid pale purplish pink (55D), opening inside paler than pale yellowish pink (27D) and suffused 55D; outside striped and suffused 55D; faintly blotched at base inside. Lvs ovate, margins decurved, glossy green above, slightly apiculate at apex, rounded at base, scaly. Shrub of almost fastigiate habit, 3.5 × 1.5m in 15 years. April. Syn: 'Flip'

(v) **'Strawberry Delight'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *zoelleri* 'Island Sunset' (s) × 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' × *javanicum* H: B. Clancy (1991), G: B. Clancy (1996), N: G. Roelink (2000), I: G. Roelink (2000), REG: G. Roelink (2000) Fls 5/open truss, tubular-campanulate, 32 × 85mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, light yellow (10C) in bud, opening inside and out brilliant yellow (10A) on tube, deep yellowish pink (41D) on lobes which fades to light yellow (10C); unspotted. Lvs elliptic, 98 × 41mm, apiculate at apex, attenuate at base, matt green above, scales not visible to the naked eye. Shrub 0.8 × 0.6m in 8 years. Flowering throughout the year and from an early age

(r) **'Strawberry Frills'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kluis Sensation' (s) × 'Caroline' (Gable) H: S. McDonald (1976), G: S. McDonald (c 1981), N: S. McDonald, I: Middle Atlantic Chapter, Am.Rh.Soc. (1988), REG: S. McDonald (1999) Fls 7-9/domed truss, saucer-shaped, 65 × 90mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (67A) in bud, with flushes of deep purplish pink (70C) at first, opening inside very pale purple (69A) with a prominent dorsal blotch composed of lines of small, strong purplish red (67A) spots; outside strong purplish pink (68B), shading to moderate purplish pink (70D) near edge. Calyx less than 1mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 50mm, acuminate at apex, oblique at base, dull and moderate olive green (137B) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 12 years. Early May

(a) **'Strawberry Ice'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 23/compact, globular truss, 50 × 70mm, funnel-shaped, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, chinese coral (614/3), overlaid porcelain rose (620/1), dorsal throat indian yellow (6). Lvs 108 × 40mm. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Late May. *HC 1962, *AM 1963. Knap Hill

(v) **'Strawberry Parfait'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1995) Fls 100mm wide, wavy-edged, strawberry-coloured with a cream throat; scented. Strong, erect, bushy shrub to c1.5m tall

(a) **'Strawberry Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: UK (1992)

(r) **'Strawberry Popcorn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Whitney's Orange' (s) × Fabia Group × *bureavii* H: K.T. Shea (1984), G: B.J. Ogdon (1992), N: B.J. Ogdon (1998), REG: B.J. Ogdon (1998) Fls 7/lax truss, open campanulate, 56 × 75mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, strong red (47B) in bud, opening strong pink (48D) at edges, shading to cream at base inside, outside strong red (47B), paling to base; faint yellow-brown spotting on dorsal lobes; anthers brown; stigma yellow-green. Calyx 30mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 130 × 41mm, margins flat, matt above, with a fawn indumentum below. Shrub 0.75 × 1.0m in 10 years. Mid May

(a) **'Strawberry Popsickle'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *flammeum* R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls strawberry pink. Mid May

(a) **'Strawberry Rose'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1985) (Listed as a parent of 'Arista')

(r) **'Strawberry Supreme'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pygmalion' × *yakushimanum* H: W.M. Fetterhoff (1964), G: W.M. Fetterhoff (1971), N: W.M. Fetterhoff, REG: W.M. Fetterhoff (1989) Fls 14/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 38 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds vivid red (52A), opening with deep pink (52B) at centre shading through deep pink (52C) to strong pink (52D) at margins, which finally fade to white; dark red spotting on dorsal lobe; outside similar to inside but with vivid red (52A) ribs. Calyx very small. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 50-110 × 20-50mm, slightly concave, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green and hairless above, young leaves with a dark tan, plastered indumentum below which becomes moderate yellow (161B) with age. Shrub 0.6 × 0.9m in 24 years. Late May

(a) **'Strawberry Swirl'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Glenn Dale azalea × Satsuki azalea H: H.A. Caldwell Jr (pre 1978)

(r) **'Strawberry Swirl'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Jacksonii No. 1', selfed H: J.B. Gable (1947), G: J.B. Gable, N: W. Baldsiefen, I: W. Baldsiefen, REG: Gable Study Group (1991) Fls 65mm wide, pale pink, with darker pink stripes and 5 very wavy-edged lobes. Lvs 102 × 38mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, with a sparse, tan indumentum. Shrub 0.7 × 0.9m in 10-12 years. Late April. Syn: 'Jacksonii No. 5' (Published in *Hybrids and Hybridizers*, Livingston & West (1978))

(r) **'Strawberry Wine'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Furnivall' (s) × 'Peggie Roberts' H: J. Barlup (1989), G: J. Barlup (1994), N: J. Barlup (1998), REG: J. Barlup (1998) Fls 15/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish red (59C) in bud, opening strong purplish pink (68B) at edges, shading to light purplish pink (68D) in centre with a flare of moderate red (185B) spots extending40mm from base along the dorsal lobe; outside strong purplish pink (68B), streaked deep purplish pink (68A) along midribs. Lvs elliptic, 130 × 45mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 1.1m in 9 years. Early May

(r) **'Straw Hat'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' × 'Mars' R: J.B. Gable & H.R. Yates (pre 1972) Fls glowing pink bicolor, with green and white markings

(r) **'Streaker'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: ('Achiever' × 'Gable's Pioneer') selfed H: W.E. Delp (1976), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 6/truss, open funnel-shaped, 29 × 44mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish red, deep and pale purplish pink (64C, D, 65D) in bud, opening to a blend of moderate, light and pale purplish pink (65A-D) with greyish reddish orange (174D) anthers. Lvs 57 × 29mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, scaly. Shrub 1.0 × 0.9m. Mid May

(r) **'Streatley'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *aberconwayi* × *yakushimanum* R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1964), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1964) Fls up to 9/lax truss, flat saucer-shaped, 45 × 65mm, magenta (27/2) in bud, opening white, lightly shaded in varying degrees with rosy pink and with some red spotting. Calyx rim-like, edged red. Pedicels 30mm long, glutinous. Lvs 90 × 30mm. AM 1964

(a) **'Striatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: de Marcq (pre 1869), N: de Marcq, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Striatum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: T. Methven & Son (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Striatum Calamistratum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte (c 1843), N: L. van Houtte, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white marbled. Indian

(a) **'Striatum Formosissimum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: van Geersdaele (pre 1847), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with amaranth stripes and an indistinct, green, dorsal blotch with a few red spots. Calyx irregularly lobed, silky hairy. Indian

(a) **'Striatum Formosissimum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Taylor (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white, with light purple dots and stripes. Indian

(a) **'Striatum Novum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Strice d'Hiver'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1913), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white, with red stripes. Indian

(a) **'Strictum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *viscosum* R: C. Briot (c 1872), N: C. Briot, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, numerous, 5-lobed, white, tinted rose, becoming pure white. Lvs ovate, acuminate at apex, bright green above, hairless, glaucous below. Very dwarf, erect, compact shrub. Early May. (Published by E.A. Carrière in *Revue Horticole*, 1872, p.299. Rehder & Wilson (1921) cast doubt on this being *viscosum* due to the early flowering)

(r) **'Strictum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a selection or hybrid of *arboreum* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) (Exhibited in Paris by Modeste Guérin in 1842)

(a) **'String of Pearls'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, soft cream in bud, opening white with an inconspicuous yellow stripe down centre of each lobe and a very bright golden yellow flare over most of dorsal lobe; scented. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Late June-July

(r) **'Striped Beauty'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1987)

(a) **'Striped Gumpo'** (Syn. of 'Gumpo Stripe')

(a) **'Stromboli'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1962), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1962) Fls red. Knap Hill

(r) **'Stromboli'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark red

(r) **'Stromy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: (*yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' × *wardii*) F2 H: L. Heft (1974), G: L. Heft, N: L. Heft (1992), REG: J. Westhoff (2001) Fls 10-12/loose, flat ball truss, campanulate, 40 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink (47C) in bud, opening inside pale yellow (11D) to light yellow-green (154D); outside pale yellow (11D) to light yellow-green (154D) with light apricot midribs; moderate red (47A) spots on basal part of the dorsal lobe. Calyx 5mm long, light green, with a light apricot margin, tomentose. Lvs oblanceolate, 56-76 × 20-30mm, margins flat, glossy green above, silvery white hairy when young (ageing to fawn). Shrub 0.5 × 0.6m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'S. Tsuda'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Firma Seidel (1880), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark scarlet red

(r) **'Stuart Holland'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* Roylei Group, open-pollinated G: H. Vaartnou, S: S. Holland (1988), N: H. Vaartnou, I: H. Vaartnou (1992), REG: H. Vaartnou (1992) Fls 6-7/lax truss, tubular-campanulate, 51 × 38mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, strong yellowish pink (33C) shading to brilliant orange (29A) and strong orange (24A); stamens 10, straight, unequal; slightly scented. Calyx minute, greenish. Pedicels 19mm long, orange. Lvs elliptic, 89 × 32mm, convex, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, glossy and hairless above, with silvery green scales below; petioles 13mm long, scaly, greenish. Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in 5 years. April-May

(a) **'Stuart's Red'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.S. Yeates (pre 1985), N: J.S. Yeates Fls red. (Listed in error as 'Stuert's Red' in Galle (1987))

(r) **'Study in Scarlet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs R.S. Holford' (s) × unknown H: B. & M. Shapiro (1968), G: B. & M. Shapiro, N: B. & M. Shapiro, REG: B. & M. Shapiro (1996) Fls 9/open ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, vivid red (45A) throughout, with sparse, darker red spotting at base of dorsal lobe. Calyx c9mm long (the 5 lobes 1-2mm wide), vivid red (45A). Lvs elliptic, 100 × 40mm, margins upcurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, with sparse, tan hairs on midrib below. Shrub 1.1 × 1.5m in 28 years. Mid May

(a) **'Stuert's Red'** (An error for 'Stuart's Red')

(r) **'Stump'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: possibly *smirnowii* × *fortunei* R: J.B. Gable, S: J.B. Gable (1951), N: J.B. Gable, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lavender blue, with dark red spots in the throat

(a) **'Stunner'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum* (s) × 'Tamasugata' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 1-2/truss, flat-faced, 75mm wide, rounded, deep rose pink (deep purplish pink (64D)), with faint yellow undertones (carries as salmon pink), blotch inconspicuous, sometimes with a white eye. Shrub to 1.0m. Late May-early June. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Stu's Winner'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lem's Cameo' × 'Odee Wright' R: S. Imrie (c 1998), N: S. Imrie

(r) **'Stuttgart'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: unknown × *williamsianum* R: D.G. Hobbie, S: J. Bruns Nursery, N: J. Bruns Nursery, I: J. Bruns Nursery (1969) Fls rose

(r) **'Suave'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *edgeworthii* × *edgeworthii* (as *bullatum*) R: L.L. Liebig (pre 1863), N: L.L. Liebig, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls campanulate, white, flushed pink, scented. Lvs rounded. Small, compact shrub to 1.0m. Similar to 'Countess of Sefton'

(r) **'Sub'** (See 'The Sub')

(a) **'Subcupreum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.R. Gowen (1829), N: J.R. Gowen, INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Published in *Botanical Register*, 1830, under t.1366 where two possible parental combinations are discussed)

(a) **'Sublanceolatum'** (Evergreen azalea: a later specific epithet (Miquel 1865/6) for *scabrum* which in some nurseries has become attached to a deep pink form, flowering a month later than the 'type' (cf.Lee, 1958), but in others the typical scarlet form is listed under this name)

(r) **'Sublime'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ben Moseley' (s) × 'Besse Howells' H: D.L. Hinerman (1975), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 15/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, shades of red and purplish red (59A-D) in bud, opening to a blend of purplish reds (59B-D, 71A, B); filaments and style strong purplish red (59D); anthers moderate purplish red (186B); stigma dark red (187A). Lvs 127 × 51mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.5m in 17 years. Early June

(a) **'Subrutilum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as a hardy azalea)

(a) **'Subtilissimum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. van Geert (1877), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright orange-red, with a nankeen yellow blotch. Ghent

(r) **'Sub Zero'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × *aberconwayi* H: K. Van de Ven (1981), G: K. Van de Ven (1987), N: K. Van de Ven (1996), REG: K. Van de Ven (1996) Fls 11/lax domed truss, saucer-shaped, 40 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pure white throughout; stamens 10, unequal; style brilliant yellow-green (154A), stigma white. Lvs elliptic, 96 × 40mm, margins decurved, obtuse at apex and base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.0m in 15 years. Late spring

(r) **'Success'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fusilier Group (s) × Albatross Group H: K. Van de Ven, G: K. Van de Ven (1963), N: K. Van de Ven, REG: K. Van de Ven (1964) Fls 15/truss, funnel-shaped, 100mm wide, rose bengal (25/2-25/3), crimson in the throat. Lvs 175mm long, margins recurved, deep green. Shrub 1.2m

(a) **'Such a Night'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls large, light pink, with a large golden yellow flare; stamens red. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Late June

(r) **'Sudan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (red fld) × Elizabeth Group (s) × 'Fanfare' H: D.G. Leach (1958), G: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1976), REG: D.G. Leach (1983) Fls 14/truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 55mmwith 5 wavy-edged lobes, more-or-less vivid red (45C) with a dorsal blotch of pale yellow (8D) and a few red spots. Calyx minute, yellowish green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 100 × 40mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (147A), hairless. Shrub c1.1m in 23 years. Mid May

(r) **'Sue'** (Syn. of 'Loderi Sue')

(r) **'Sue Ann'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lem's Cameo' (s) × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: E.C. Brockenbrough, G: J. North (1990), N: J. North, REG: J. North (1997) Fls 17/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 75mm, with 5-7 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (52A) in bud, opening inside pale purplish pink (56B) with a pale yellow (20D) flare, deep pink (52B) nectar pouches, flecks of deep yellowish pink (43C) and a strong purplish pink (55B) picotee effect from the outside colour. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 40mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, with a trace of cinnamon-coloured hairs below; new growth reddish bronze. Shrub 0.75 × 0.9m in 10 years. Early May

(a) **'Sue Bell'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Amagasa' × 'Grace Freeman No. 2' R: J.O. Harris (pre 1982), N: J.O. Harris Fls 75mm wide, pale purplish pink (56B), edged deep yellowish pink (47C). Shrub 0.8m in 10 years

(a) **'Sue Bittinger'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid, for details of parentage see *The Azalean* 4 (1):2-3 (1982) R: W.D. Smith (pre 1982), N: W.D. Smith Fls hose-in-hose, 65mm wide, very wavy-edged, with ribbed lobes, white

(r) **'Sue Conn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anna' (Lem) (s) × 'Lem's Cameo' H: Mrs E.M. Watson (1980), G: Mrs E.M. Watson (1986), N: Mrs E.M. Watson, REG: Mrs E.M. Watson (2001) Fls 14/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 80 × 80mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (50B) in bud, opening inside vivid red (45C), edged moderate pink (49B), with a light pink (49C) dorsal flare which is spotted greyish reddish orange (174), outside strong pink (48C). Calyx c1.5mm long, red. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 40mm, margins downcurved, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate green above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 2.1m in 13 years. Late May

(r) **'Sue Cutten'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Bambi' × *arboreum* H: R.L. Cutten, G: R.L. Cutten, N: R.L. Cutten, I: R.L. Cutten, REG: R.L. Cutten (1981) Fls 21/truss, red (near 43D)

(r) **'Suede'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *haematodes* × *bureavii* H: Judson, G: Judson, N: Judson, I: Judson, REG: Judson (1973) Fls red, fading to deep rose, with brown speckles in the throat

(r) **'Sue Gordon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from *fortunei* R: unknown, I: Lady Adam Gordon, REG: Lady Adam Gordon (1981) Fls fuchsia purple (28/3)

(r) **'Sue Gunn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nova Zembla' × *yakushimanum* × 'Catalgla' × Elizabeth Group H: D.L. Craig (1971), G: D.L. Craig (1975), N: D.L. Craig, REG: D.L. Craig (1992) Fls 11/domed truss, 38 × 51mm, open funnel-shaped, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (57B), with black spotting on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 1.5-3mm long, light yellow (162C). Lvs elliptic, 102 × 38mm, slightly convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, matt and moderate olive green (147A) above, light olive (152B) below, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 0.9m in 10 years. Late May

(r) **'Sue Lissenden'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Midnight' × 'Coronation Day' H: K. Van de Ven, G: K. Van de Ven, N: K. Van de Ven, I: K. Van de Ven, REG: K. Van de Ven (1981) Fls 19/truss, deep purplish pink (58D), with a small red eye

(r) **'Suellen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi Sue' × 'Fawn' H: A.A. Childers (c 1956), G: A.A. Childers (c 1963), N: A.A. Childers, I: Bovees Nursery, REG: A.A. Childers (1988) Fls 8-9/ball truss, saucer-shaped, 32 × 127mm, with 7 wavy-edged, recurved lobes, deep to moderate purplish pink (66C/D) in bud, opening light purplish pink (62C) shading to moderate purplish pink (62B); highly scented. Calyx negligible. Lvs narrowly oblong to narrowly elliptic, 165-190 × 38-57mm, acute at apex, oblique at base, moderate olive green (137A) above and moderate yellow-green (147C) below, hairless. Shrub 2.4 × 3.0m in 25 years. Mid May

(a) **'Sue Paterno'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: O.S. Pride (pre 1987), N: O.S. Pride Fls purplish pink

(r) **'Sue's Windmill'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *keiskei* 'Yaku Fairy' (s) × *edgeworthii* H: S. Mauritsen (1990), G: S. Mauritsen (1992), N: S. Mauritsen (1997), REG: S. Mauritsen (1997) Fls 4-12/lax truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 25mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pink and white in bud, opening with pink stripes on a cream-coloured ground which fades to white. Calyx c3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 40 × 15mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, with light brown scales below. Shrub 0.3 × 0.5m in 7 years. Early

(a) **'Suetsumu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1918), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 40mm wide, vivid red (45C), with a strong red (46A) blotch. Syn: 'Flame', 'Suetsumu-hana'; Wilson no. 34. Kurume

(a) **'Suetsumu-hana'** (Syn. of 'Suetsumu')

(a) **'Suez'** cv. Deciduous azalea: grown from imported Knap Hill Nursery seed, parentage unknown G: Bovees Nursery, N: Bovees Nursery, I: Bovees Nursery (c 1962), REG: Bovees Nursery (1972) Fls 65mm wide, a blend of vivid yellowish pink (28A) and strong orange (26A). Lvs 100-125mm long. Shrub 1.0m, spreading. May

(r) **'Sugah Lump'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lord Roberts' (s) × 'Skipper Hal' H: M. Stockman (1992), G: M. & H. Stockman (2000), N: M. & H. Stockman (2001), REG: M. & H. Stockman (2001) Fls 12-16/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, vivid purple, with a dull yellowish brown, spotted dorsal blotch. Calyx c1.5mm long, greenish tan. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 50mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.75m in 9 years. Mid June

(a) **'Suga-no-ito'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1918), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 3-4/truss, funnel-shaped, c25 × 40-45mm, pure pink, with a white throat and a fuchsine pink (627/2) eye. *AM 1952 Syn: 'Kumo-no-ito', 'Betty'; Wilson no. 31. Kurume

(r) **'Sugar and Spice'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ((('Peter Koster' × Loderi Group) × *wardii*) × 'Loderi King George') × 'Madame Masson' R: T. & E. Bowhan (pre 1983), N: T. & E. Bowhan Fls15/truss, cup-shaped, 65mm wide, creamy white shading to yellow in the throat, with a golden brown blotch. Lvs 125 × 45mm, deep waxy green. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(a) **'Sugar Candy'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, bright rose pink, with a golden orange flare. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Late June

(r) **'Sugar Daddy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1970) Fls in a rounded, compact truss, amaranth rose (530/3), fading to white, with a green blotch in the throat. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years with a stiff habit

(a) **'Sugared Almond'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Exbury, N: Exbury, I: E. de Rothschild (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink. Knap Hill

(r) **'Sugar Frosting'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' × *fortunei* × *decorum* ("McLaren form") H: G.W. Ring (1972), G: A.R. Brooks (1979), N: A.R. Brooks, REG: A.R. Brooks (1985) Fls 10-14/truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 60-70mm, with 7 very wavy-edged lobes, white; very strongly scented. Lvs oblong, 100-120 × 45-55mm, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 2.4m in 12 years. Mid May

(r) **'Sugar Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Trude Webster' × 'Fawn' × Queen o' the May Group H: H.E. Greer (c 1960), G: H.E. Greer, N: H.E. Greer, I: H.E. Greer (1972), REG: H.E. Greer (1979) Fls up to 12/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 125mm wide, with 5 flat-edged lobes, lighter than light purplish pink (2.5RP 8/5), with very light brown dorsal spotting. Lvs elliptic to lanceolate, 200 × 75mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.5m in 10 years. Early May

(a) **'Sugar Plum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown, seedling from a Glenn Dale azalea I: Monrovia Nursery (pre 1982) Fls vivid pink

(r) **'Sugar Plum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Moonstone Group × 'Carolyn Grace' R: A.O. Wright, N: A.O. Wright, I: A.O. Wright, REG: A.O. Wright (1963) Fls 5-8/lax truss, broadly funnel-shaped, to 75mm wide, deep pink. Shrub of dense habit, 1.0m in 10 years. Mid April

(a) **'Suifu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 100mm wide, with 6-7 overlapping lobes, white; occasional stripes and selfs of strong pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Suigetsu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 90-100mm wide, white, with a light green throat, blushed and sectored pale to vivid purplish pink; stamens and pistil pale pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Suikan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Gekkeikan' × 'Ungetsu' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 75mm wide, with 5-6 long, pointed, spaced lobes, white with a green blotch and with stripes and sectors of deep pink; to light pink with deep pink sectors. Satsuki

(a) **'Suio'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan (Listed as a parent of 'Koshi-no-nami')

(r) **'Suirinkan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: white-flowered *degronianum* subsp. *heptamerum* (as var. *okiense*) × white-flowered *degronianum* subsp. *heptamerum* (as var. *okiense*) H: S. Horie (1988), G: M. Hirokazu (1994), S: M. Hirokazu (1994), N: M. Hirokazu (2001), REG: M. Hirokazu (2001) Fls 8-

10/half ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 35 × 40mm, with 6-8 very wavy-edged lobes, white in bud, opening white inside and out, with a light yellow-green blotch. Calyx 2mm long, light green. Lvs ovate, 80-110 × 30-55mm, margins flat, obtuse at apex, wedge-shaped at base, glossy above, with white powdery hairs when young, but hairs lacking on mature leaf. Shrub 0.4 × 0.65m in 12 years. Some flowers with partially petaloid stamens. (Standard: colour slide provided by registrant (WSY 0030950))

(a) **'Suisen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Reiko' × 'Komei' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, with rounded lobes, white with a green blotch and yellowish pink stripes, dots and flecks; occasional selfs of vivid yellowish pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Suisho'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, with 6 rounded lobes, white, with flecks and occasional stripes of purplish pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Suishoho'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50mm wide, with rounded, spaced lobes, white with a green blotch. Satsuki

(a) **'Suishoren'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown, but closely related to *mucronatum* R: Japan (pre 1924), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 40mm wide, deep purplish pink

(a) **'Sui-yohi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1918), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 25mm wide, soft flesh pink, paler in the centre, with carmine spots and white anthers. Syn: 'Sprite'; Wilson no. 10. Kurume

(a) **'Sukata'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown Fls red. Kurume (No date recorded)

(r) **'Sulfmeg'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *sulfureum* (s) × *megeratum* R: E.J.P. Magor (1924), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, saucer-shaped, 45mm wide, light greenish yellow (6D), slightly darker on the outside. Lvs obovate, 40 × 20mm, pale green above, reddish below. AM 1940

(a) **'Su-Lin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Louise Gable' × 'Ward's Ruby' × 'James Gable' H: W.L. Guttormsen (1968), G: W.L. Guttormsen (1971), N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1979) Fls hose-in-hose, 3-5/truss, open funnel-shaped, 65mm wide, with 5+5 flat-edged lobes, strong red (53B). Lvs obovate, 30 × 20mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate yellow-green (137C) above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.5m in 8 years. Early May

(a) **'Sully'** (Syn. of 'Spigelius')

(a) **'Sulphureum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls sulphur yellow, with a deep yellow blotch. Ghent

(r) **'Sulphureum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *caucasicum* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls ivory yellow

(a) **'Sulphureum Elegans'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Sulphureum Grandiflorum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1867), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Sulphureum Grandiflorum Novum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1867), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Sulphureum Plenum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1851), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **Sulphur Yellow Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *souliei* (s) × *campylocarpum* R: J.C. Williams ?, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Sultan'** (Syn. of 'Hana-asobi')

(a) **'Sultan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Soc.An. L. van Houtte, père/E. de Cock (1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, chocolate brown. Indian

(r) **'Sultan'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy lake

(r) **'Sultana'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1860), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white or pale blush, with brown spots (1958 Register; a plant in the Arnold Arboretum (1970) is recorded as: fls pale purplish pink (7.5RP 9/14), marked 7.5YR 7.3/8, the fls in a dense, pyramidal truss)

(r) **'Sultan of Turkey'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine red

(a) **'Sultry'** cv. Evergreen azalea: double-flowered, pink florists' azalea × 'Afterglow' H: USDA, Glenn Dale (1947), G: USDA, Glenn Dale, N: USDA, Glenn Dale (1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double (with a rosette centre), 100mm wide, strong red (50A)

(a) **'Sultry'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kobold', selfed R: R.C. Vines (pre 1990), N: R.C. Vines Fls single, 4/truss, 65mm wide, with pointed lobes, medium purple, with a lighter throat and a purple bronze blotch. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Early May

(r) **'Sultry Peach'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *aureum* (s) × 'Dead Ringer' R: W.E. Delp (pre 1982), N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls strong pink (48C) in bud, opening strong to pale pink (49A-D). Low-growing shrub

(a) **'Suma'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *scabrum* × Kurume azalea I: K. Wada, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Sumatra'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'America' (s) × Gertrud Schäle Group H: D.G. Leach (1956), G:

D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1973), REG: D.G. Leach (1983) Fls 8-10/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 30 × 65mm, 5-lobed, deep red (53A) shading to vivid red (46B) in centre. Calyx minute, red. Lvs elliptic, 80 × 35mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless, moderate olive green (147A); petioles hairy. Shrub c0.8m in 26 years. Early May

(a) **'Sumida'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, white, striped purplish red. Satsuki

(a) **'Sumizome'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, with rounded, wavy-edged lobes, pale pink at centre, with darker pink margins; stamens and pistil pale pink. Low, spreading shrub. Satsuki

(a) **'Summa Venusta'** cv. Parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte, (1870), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Summer Affair'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, pale pink, with a faint yellow flare. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Early July

(a) **'Summer Bouquet'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, pink, with a yellow flare. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Early-mid July

(r) **'Summer Cloud'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × *fortunei* I: Riverwood Gardens (pre 1994) Fls pink in bud, opening white; scented. Compact, spreading shrub, 0.9m in 10 years

(r) **'Summer Coral'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Dragonfly Group (s) × 'Mouton Rothschild' H: D. Clulow (c 1990), G: M. Robinson (1999), N: M. Robinson, REG: M. Robinson (2002) Fls 20-22/flat-topped truss, broadly tubular funnel-shaped, 65 × 65mm, 5-lobed, buds nearest to vivid reddish orange (43B), opening inside deep pink (47D), to strong pink (48C) in the throat; spotted with v-shaped markings of strong reddish orange (42B); outside deep yellowish pink (47C) with slightly darker margins; 5 nectar pouches evident; style short, curved. Calyx 10mm long, deep yellowish pink (47C). Lvs lanceolate, 150 × 50mm, moderate olive green (147A) above, stellate hairywhen young (sparsely above, more densely below), hairless when mature. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years. Late June-mid July. (Standard: colour slide provided by registrant (WSY 0035295))

(a) **'Summer Day'** cv. Deciduous azalea: seedling of an Exbury (i.e. Knap Hill) azalea R: W. Kern (pre 1985), N: W. Kern Fls strong yellow, Midseason

(a) **'Summer Evening'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Sang de Gentbrugge' × *austrinum* R: G.A. Hardy, N: G.A. Hardy, REG: G.A. Hardy (1985) Fls flame red, with an orange eye

(a) **'Summer Fancy'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, strong pink, with a yellow flare. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Late July

(r) **'Summer Fire'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Indiana Group (s) × Azor Group H: D. Clulow (c 1990), G: M. Robinson (1998), N: M. Robinson, REG: M. Robinson (2002) Fls 12-14/flattened truss, broadly tubular funnel-shaped, 70mm wide, 6-lobed, inside with vivid reddish orange (40B) margins, ground colour strong yellowish pink (38A), throat shading to orange (overall impression is brilliant orange (29A)); darker spotting all round corolla; outside strong yellowish pink (38A) with deep yellowish pink (39B) veining; style curved, longer than corolla. Calyx with occasional petaloid extension (25 × 4mm), coloured as corolla. Pedicels densely glandular. Lvs oblong, 160 × 50mm, hairless above at maturity (but sparsely hairy when young), densely hairy below. Dense, low shrub, 1.0 × 1.5m in 10 years. Late June-mid July. (Standard: colour slide provided by registrant (WSY 0035296))

(r) **'Summer Flame'** cv. Parentage unknown H: Slieve Donard Nursery (pre 1970), G: Slieve Donard Nursery, N: Slieve Donard Nursery, I: Slieve Donard Nursery (c 1970), REG: E.C. Nelson (1987) Fls 10/truss, tube con-ical campanulate, lobes 5, broadly spreading, overlap-ping, broader than long; corolla pale pinky red, slightly flecked, with five, distinct nectar pouches at the base. Pedicels, calyx and base of corolla with dense, white, stel-late hairs. Lvs elliptic, up to 150 × 50mm, dull and mid green above, pale below. May-June

(a) **'Summer Fragrance'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *occidentale* × *luteum* H: M.C. Pratt (1963), G: M.C. Pratt (1968), N: M.C. Pratt, REG: M.C. Pratt (1981) Fls 10-12/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 60mm long, 5-lobed, pale greenish yellow (13D), with a vivid yellow (13A) blotch; heavily scented. Calyx 1-2mm long, pale green. Lvs 150 × 30-40mm, green

(r) **'Summer Glow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Summer Snow' × 'Scarlet Blast' H: D.G. Leach (1971), G: D.G. Leach (1977), N: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1985) Fls 13/truss, 60 × 75mm, 5-lobed, vivid purplish red (57C), shading to pale purplish pink (62D) in centre, with light orange-yellow (23C) dorsal spotting; outside vivid red (57A). Calyx 2mm long, pink; pedicels dark red. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 160 × 57mm

(r) **'Summer Ivory'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Southern Cross' seedling (s) × 'Biscuit Box' H: M. Robinson (1993), G: M. Robinson (2002), N: M. Robinson (2002), REG: M. Robinson (2002) Fls 12/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 60 × 85mm, with 7 lobes, inside of lobes creamy white (158D-159D), with strong rays of pale orange-yellow (159C) darkening to brilliant greenish yellow (2B) in the throat and with a few flecks of vivid greenish yellow (2A); outside of lobes creamy white (159D); scented. Calyx 35mm long, light

yellow-green (2C), with margins strong purplish red (54A), star-shaped. Pedicels dark red (59A), moderate purplish red (70A) at apex. Lvs oblanceolate, 155 × 50mm, slightly rugose, young growth deep purplish red (187D), ageing to moderate yellowish green (139B), hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 9 years. Late June-early July. (Standard: colour slide supplied by registrant (WSY 0033431))

(r) **'Summer Jewel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alandale' × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* H: Swarthmore College (1953), S: J.C. Wister (pre 1974), N: J.C. Wister Fls white. Late-flowering

(r) **'Summer Lightning'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Polar Bear Group (s) × Albatross Group, pink selection H: M. Robinson (1984), G: M. Robinson (1995), N: M. Robinson, REG: M. Robinson (2002) Fls 13-14/loose, open-topped truss, funnel-shaped, 65 × 110mm, 7-lobed, greenish white (157D) with flecks of light yellow (12C) in the throat (only on dorsal lobe); strongly scented. Calyx c2mm long, green. Lvs lanceolate, 180 × 60mm, moderate yellowish green (139A) above, hairless; petioles deep purplish red (71A). Shrub 3.0 × 4.0m in 20 years. Late June-early July. (Standard: colour slide provided by registrant (WSY 0033429))

(a) **'Summer Lyric'** (Syn. of 'Jeff')

(a) **'Summer Parasol'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *arborescens* R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1987), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls white, scented. Shrub of low, mounding habit, 1.2m tall in 15 years. Early July

(r) **'Summer Peach'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Whitney's Late Peach' (s) × 'Phyllis Korn' H: J. Barlup (1988), G: J. Barlup (1995), N: J. Barlup (1996), REG: J. Barlup (1997) Fls 15/ball truss, saucer-shaped, 65 × 100mm, with 8 wavy-edged lobes, strong yellowish pink (37B) in bud, opening inside pale yellow (18C) with the three dorsal lobes flushed light yellow (11B) and with flares of discrete, dark red (59A) spots; outside pale yellow (11C), with strong pink (49A) midribs. Calyx c15mm long, light yellow (11B). Lvs ovate, 155 × 65mm, wavy-edged, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 9 years. Early-mid June

(r) **'Summer Peppermint'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Summer Rose' hybrid (s) × unknown H: E.V. Mezitt (c 1982), G: Weston Nurseries (pre 1990), N: R.W. Mezitt (pre 1990), I: Weston Nurseries (1990s), REG: R.W. Mezitt (1998) Fls c15/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, c50 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, white, edged vivid purplish red (67B), with a small, coppery-coloured, double flare on dorsal lobe. Calyx c3mm long, green, edged red. Lvs narrowly oblong, 200 × 65mm, flat to decurved at margins, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and dark green above, with light brown hairs below. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 6 years. Late June

(a) **'Summer Perfume'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *arborescens* × *prunifolium* R: D. Jacobs (pre 1985), N: D. Jacobs Fls 50mm wide, strong orange; clove-scented. Shrub 2.2-2.5m. Late

(r) **'Summer Rose'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* × Romany Chai Group H: R.L. Ticknor (c 1955), G: Weston Nurseries, I: Weston Nurseries (1973), REG: Weston Nurseries (1980) Fls up to 12/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65mm wide, with 5 flat-edged lobes, strong purplish red (60D), with considerable dark red-purple spotting on the dorsal lobe. Calyx c6mm long, red-purple. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 125 × 45mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dark green and hairless above, with a thin, tan to golden indumentum below. Shrub 1.2 × 1.4m in 10 years. Early-mid June. (Grown initially by Ticknor (to 1959), then by Weston Nurseries)

(a) **'Summer Sachet'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, salmon pink, with a golden, dorsal lobe; scented. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Late June-early July

(r) **'Summer Scandal'** cv. Parentage unknown H: R.J. Kersey (c 1959), G: Mrs H.A. Frederick, Jr (1968), N: Mrs H.A. Frederick, Jr, I: Mrs H.A. Frederick, Jr, REG: Mrs H.A. Frederick, Jr (1977) Fls up to 12/ball truss, 100 wide, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, pink in bud, opening pale purplish pink (62D), shading darker at edges, with a greenish throat; strongly scented. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 80mm, apiculate at apex, slightly cordate at base, moderate olive green (147A) above. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 16 years. Late May

(r) **'Summer Scene'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Disca' (s) × 'Mars' H: B. & M. Shapiro (1964), G: B. & M. Shapiro, N: B. & M. Shapiro, REG: B. & M. Shapiro (1993) Fls 11-12/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 57 × 83mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (62A) shading to a white centre, with inconspicuous very light greenish tan speckling on all lobes; outside strong purplish red (63B), shading to white at base. Calyx 1mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 178 × 64mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.5m in 25 years. June

(r) **Summer's Dawn Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* (s) × garden hybrid R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, I: C. Ingram (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow

(r) **'Summer Sequel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *auriculatum* × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × 'Catalgla' H: D.G. Leach (1962), G: D.G. Leach (1970), N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1985), REG: D.G. Leach (1984) Fls 16-17/truss, 70 × 85mm, pale purplish pink (65D), edge of lobes and exterior pale purplish pink (65C), with a strong greenish yellow (151B) dorsal blotch and spotting. Calyx 5mm long, pale green. Lvs elliptic, 160 × 50mm, hairless. Shrub 2.1m in 22 years. Very late flowering

(r) **'Summer Skies'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *augustinii* S: R.M. Bovee (pre 1964), N: R.M. Bovee Fls light blue

(r) **'Summer Snow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* × *ungernii* × *auriculatum* R: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1969) Fls 11/domed, fairly loose truss, funnel-campanulate, 95mm wide, 6-lobed, white, with a small, rayed, strong greenish yellow (7.5Y 7.5/7) dorsal blotch. Lvs elliptic, variable, up to c240 × 70mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, coriaceous. Shrub 1.4 × 1.4m in 9 years. Late June (at a time when flowers not obscured by new growth). (The *ungernii* × *auriculatum* parent was an F2 derivation)

(r) **'Summer Solace'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Summer Snow' × 'Catalgla' H: D.G. Leach (1968), G: D.G. Leach (1976), N: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1985) Fls 16-20/truss, 75 × 75mm, 5-lobed, white, with bold, yellow-green, dorsal spotting. Calyx 2mm long, yellow. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 140-200 × 50mm, bright and glossy green above, hairless

(r) **'Summer Song'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ((*smirnowii* × *griersonianum*) × (*catwbiense* (white fld) × (*fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × 'Corona')) × *griersonianum*) × (*maximum* × 'Goldsworth Orange') × ('America' × Gertrud Schäle Group) H: D.G. Leach (1975), G: D.G. Leach (1981), S: D.G. Leach (1986), N: D.G. Leach (1986), REG: D.G. Leach (1986) Fls 20/truss, 40 × 60mm, 5-lobed, pale purplish pink (65C), with a deep greenish yellow (153A) dorsal blotch. Calyx 5mm long, ivory. Lvs oblanceolate, 170 × 50mm, hairless. Mid July

(a) **'Summer Spice'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *arborescens* R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls white, tinged pink; scented. July

(r) **'Summer Splendor'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Summer Snow' (s) × 'Party Pink' H: D.G. Leach (1968), G: D.G. Leach (1975), N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1985), REG: D.G. Leach (1984) Fls 13/truss, 65 × 82mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish pink (68B) in bud, opening light purplish pink (62C), lighter in the throat, with a bold, dorsal blotch of strong orange-yellow (22A). Calyx 2mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 145 × 65mm, hairless. Shrub 1.9m in 16 years. Very late flowering

(r) **'Summer Storm'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Summer Rose' hybrid × unknown H: E.V. Mezitt (c 1982), G: Weston Nurseries (pre 1985), N: R.W. Mezitt, I: Weston Nurseries (1998), REG: R.W. Mezitt (1999) Fls c15/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 40mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, very light purple (75C) with a prominent, deep purplish red (71A) dorsal blotch. Calyx c6mm long, pink. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 45mm, margins flat to decurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 7 years. Late June. Syn: 'Thunderhead'

(r) **'Summer Straw'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nancy Evans' (s) × 'Whitney's Late Frilled Yellow' H: J. Barlup (1981), G: J. Barlup (1986), N: J. Barlup (1992), REG: J. Barlup (1999) Fls 14/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 100mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (48A) in bud, opening inside pale yellow-green (4D) at margins, deepening to light greenish yellow (5C) in the throat and lobe centres, with strong red (53C) flares (c15mm long) on three dorsal lobes, and with faint, strong red (53C) spotting extending another 15mm; outside similar to inside, but with light yellowish pink (37D) midribs. Calyx irregular, to 30mm long, inside light greenish yellow (5C) with strong red (53C) flares on the dorsal lobes, outside light yellowish pink (37D). Lvs oblong, 120 × 55mm, flat, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 2.1m in 18 years. Late April

(r) **'Summer Summit'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* (s) × *auriculatum* × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* H: D.G. Leach (1958), G: D.G. Leach (1965), N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1985), REG: D.G. Leach (1984) Fls 14/truss, 48 × 65mm, 5-lobed, moderate purplish pink (62B) in bud, opening white flushed pale purplish pink (62D) at lobe bases, ageing to white with a pale purplish pink (62D) flush on exterior and with deep greenish yellow (153A) dorsal spotting. Calyx 5mm long, cream above, green at base. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 48mm, hairless. Shrub 3.4m in 26 years. Very late flowering

(a) **'Summer Sun'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, with pointed lobes, 50-65mm wide, deep reddish orange (43A). Indian

(r) **'Summer Sunray'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Southern Cross' seedling (s) × 'Biscuit Box' H: M. Robinson (1993), G: M. Robinson (2002), N: M. Robinson (2002), REG: M. Robinson (2002) Fls 12/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 105mm, 7-lobed, inside pale purplish pink (55D), with a yellow throat - the yellow suffusing out as rays (light yellow-green (2C) at tips, brilliant greenish yellow (2B) in the throat), with some faint vivid greenish yellow (2A) also in the throat; scented. Calyx 22mm long, light yellow-green (2C), flushed pink at tips, lobes becoming reflexed. Lvs oblanceolate, 175 × 55mm, moderate olive green (146A) at first, ageing to moderate olive green (137A), hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 9 years. Late June-early July. (Standard: colour slide provided by registrant (WSY 0033433))

(a) **'Summer Sunset'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *prunifolium* R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1962) Fls 9/flattish truss, saucer-shaped, 40mm wide, strong red (41B). AM 1950

(a) **'Summer Tan'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *prunifolium* × 'Foggy Dew' R: L.F. Frisbie (pre 1965), N: L.F. Frisbie Fls 50mm wide, light orange. Late

(a) **'Summer Time'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: K. Sawada, I: Nuccio's Nurseries (pre 1980) Fls semi-double to double, 50-65mm wide, deep yellowish pink (43C). Satsuki

(a) **'Summertime'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Weston Nurseries (pre 1988), N: Weston Nurseries Fls light pink, slightly scented. Foliage and stems blue-green. Early July

(r) **'Summertime'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *maximum* R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1974), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1974) Fls 22-24/compact, rounded truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, white, suffused towards edges with shades of purplish pink (68); dorsal throat heavily spotted yellow-green. Calyx greenish, glandular hairy. Lvs oblanceolate, up to 140×40-50mm, dark green above, with a slight, brown, plastered indumentum below. AM 1974

(r) **'Summit Gold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (Exbury form) × *aureum* H: B.C. Potter (1967), G: B.C. Potter, N: B.C. Potter, I: B.C. Potter, REG: B.C. Potter (1981) Fls 9/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 55mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, light greenish yellow (4B-C) in bud, opening light greenish yellow (4C) with inconspicuous, yellow-green, dorsal spotting. Lvs elliptic, 70 × 25mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, with a floccose indumentum below (brown at first, becoming grey with age). Shrub of dense habit, 0.25 × 0.75 in 12 years. Late April

(r) **'Sumner's Orange'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Evening Glow' (s) × 'Spanish Glory' H: M.H. & F. Sumner (c 1970), G: M.H. & F. Sumner (c 1974), N: P. Smith (1990), REG: P. Smith (2002) Fls 8-12/domed truss, funnel-campanulate, 65 × 65mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, moderate red (179A) in bud, opening inside brilliant orange (25C) with a strong pink (49A) margin approximately 6mm wide; outside light orange-yellow (25D), with a strong pink (49A) margin approximately 13mm wide; unmarked. Calyx 20mm long, light orange-yellow (25D), with a strong pink (49A) edge. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 30mm, margins flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and deep yellowish green (141A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 2.1m in 10 years. Mid-late April

(a) **'Sunbeam'** (Syn. of 'Beni-fude')

(a) **'Sunbeam'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Altaclerense' hybrid I: M. Koster & Sons (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 10-12/truss, funnel-shaped, 55 × 55-65mm, brilliant yellow (20B), flushed pale orange-yellow (24C), with a strong orange (24A) blotch. Lvs light green. *AM 1952 Syn: 'Altaclerense Sunbeam'. Mollis

(r) **'Sunbeam'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Crest' (s) × 'Champagne' H: W.C. Slocock Ltd (pre 1949), G: W.C. Slocock Ltd, N: O.C.A. Slocock (c 1970) Fls 12/truss, 63 × 76mm, 5-lobed, deep yellow, with greenish stamens. Lvs elliptic, 130 × 51mm, hairless. Late May-early June

(a) **'Sunburst'** (Syn. of 'Nuccio's Sunburst')

(a) **'Sunburst'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'George Reynolds' × 'Klondyke' H: Henny & Wennekamp Inc. (1962), G: Henny & Wennekamp Inc. (1965), N: Henny & Wennekamp Inc., I: Henny & Wennekamp Inc. (c 1972), REG: Henny & Wennekamp Inc. (1974) Fls 15-20/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, golden yellow, without blotch or spots; scented. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 50mm, hairy, yellow and red in autumn. Shrub 1.2 × 1.9m in 10 years. Late June. Knap Hill

(a) **'Sunburst'** cv. Deciduous azalea: described as an Exbury (ie Knap Hill) seedling R: W. Kern (pre 1985), N: W. Kern Fls brilliant yellow, scented. Very late. Knap Hill

(r) **'Sunburst'** (Syn. of 'Blazen Sun')

(r) **'Sunburst'** cv. Parentage unknown H: J.E. Eichelser (pre 1980)

(a) **'Sun Chariot'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Exbury (pre 1958), I: Waterer (Bagshot), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1963) Fls c11/globular, compact truss, flat to funnel-shaped, 65 × 80mm, vivid yellow (16C), with an orange-yellow (33A) blotch; margins frilled. Lvs 130 × 50mm. Shrub at least 1.9 × 2.2m. Late May. *AM 1963, *FCC 1967. Knap Hill

(r) **'Sun Chariot'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Solarium' (s) × *wardii* R: Sunningdale Nurseries, N: Sunningdale Nurseries, I: Sunningdale Nurseries (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow

(a) **'Sundance'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Helen Close' × 'Purple Splendor' R: W.L. Guttormsen (c 1966), N: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1967) Fls hose-in-hose, 2-3/truss, to 50mm wide, strong purplish red (7.5RP 5/12). Lvs 40 × 20mm. Compact shrub up to 45cm tall. Mid May

(r) **'Sundance'** (Syn. of 'Sun Devil')

(r) **'Sundance'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* hybrid N: J.E. Eichelser (pre 1980) Fls butter yellow. Lvs deep bluish green. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years

(a) **'Sundance Yellow'** cv. Deciduous azalea: wild-collected, natural hybrid believed to be *periclymenoides* × *calendulaceum* S: L.C. Towe (1980), N: L.C. Towe, I: The Cummins Garden (1988), REG: L.C. Towe (1990) Fls 5-7/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 32 × 35mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, vivid yellow (17C), with a strong orange-yellow (17A) blotch. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 51 × 25mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green and hairy above. Shrub 0.9 × 0.5m in 8 years. Early May. (Collected from Oconee County, South Carolina, USA at 300m. Published in The Cummins Garden cat., 1988)

(r) **'Sundari'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *augustinii* × *trichanthum* H: H.A. Short (1968), G: H.A. Short (1973), N: H.A. Short, I: H.A. Short, REG: H.A. Short (1976) Fls 3-5 in each of 1-5 trusses, forming a ball-

shaped inflorescence, broadly funnel-shaped, 25 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light purple (85A), diffusing to very pale purple (85D) at centre, throat with yellowish green spots. Calyx 2mm long, light yellow-green (145B) with moderate purplish red (184C) tips. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 85 × 30mm, moderate yellow-green (147B) above, scaly belowwith pubescent midribs; new foliage tipped moderate reddish orange (178C). Shrub 1.5 × 0.8m in 9 years. Mid April

(r) **'Sunday'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Metternianum' × *griersonianum* R: D.G. Hobbie (c 1949), I: Boer Bros (1970) Fls pure, bright rose, with very inconspicuous, dark red markings. Lvs white hairy below

(a) **'Sunday Best'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Eri' × lavender sport from 'Indicum Roseum' R: Q.R. Westfall, I: C.R. Brandt (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white

(r) **'Sunday Gloves'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Viennese Waltz' (s) × *yakushimanum* H: B. Sligh (1990), G: B. Sligh (1995), N: B. Sligh (1995), REG: B. Sligh (1996) Fls 15/full truss, open campanulate, 30 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, china rose (024/1-024/3) in bud, opening inside flushed china rose (024/1) but quickly fades to pure white; outside pure white; unspotted. Lvs 110 × 40mm, margins decurved, matt and strong dark green above, with a buff indumentum below on mature leaves. Compact shrub, 0.5 × 0.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Sun Devil'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney (pre 1955), G: O. Burris, N: L.W. Bulgin, I: Ellanhurst Gardens (c 1980), REG: L.W. Bulgin (1989) Fls 9-10/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 57 × 76mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (48A) in bud, opening light yellowish pink (38D) with moderate red (179B) midveins, moderate yellowish pink (39C) margins with a deep pink (48A) tip; large area in centre graduating from moderate red (179B) to greyish reddish orange (176C) at heart; outside moderate yellowish pink (39C), with deep pink (48B) along veins from the base. Calyx 13mm long, deep pink (48A). Lvs elliptic, 114 × 32mm, convex with indented midvein above, acute/apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, mature leaves with a pale orange-yellow (165D) indumentum below. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in c10 years. Mid May. Syn: 'Sundance' (Originally introduced as 'Sundance' or 'Sundance 1')

(r) **Sundor Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Dorinthia Group (s) × Sunrise Group H: Lord Aberconway (1933), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon scarlet

(r) **'Sundowner'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fred Wynniatt Group × 'Galactic' H: R.J.R.Drayson (1979), G: Harkwood Acres (1988), N: Mrs A.J.A. Drayson, REG: Harkwood Acres (1991) Fls 12-14/truss, open campanulate, 68 × 112mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, buds light orange-yellow (22C), opening with centre of lobes brilliant yellow (11A) and edges pale yellow-green (4D), basal flare of vivid red (45A), exterior light yellow (11B) suffused moderate red (179B). Calyx 20mm long, outside strong yellowish pink (35C), inside vivid reddish orange (43A). Lvs oblanceolate, 175 × 57mm, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.9m in 13 years. May-June

(r) **'Sun Flame'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'King of Jordan' × unknown hybrid H: Mrs B.I. Jordan (1962), G: Mrs B.I. Jordan (1973), N: Mrs B.I. Jordan, I: Mrs B.I. Jordan (1976), REG: Mrs B.I. Jordan (1977) Fls up to 13/open truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 90mm wide, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (39A) in bud, opening with a light greenish yellow (8B) throat shading to light yellowish pink (36B) at edges; outside moderate reddish orange (41C) shading to strong yellowish pink (32D) at edges, striped; scented. Calyx lobes 13mm long, light yellow (14D), shading to strong yellowish pink (32D) at tips. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 140 × 40mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (146A to 147A) above, hairless. Shrub under 0.75 × 1.25m in 12 years. Mid May

(a) **'Sun Frolic'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Golden Oriole' × 'Nancy Waterer' H: P.E. Girard (1969), G: P.E. Girard (1974), N: P.E. Girard, I: P.E. Girard, REG: P.E. Girard (1983) Fls 15-18/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid yellowish pink (30C) in bud, opening vivid yellow (17B), flushed strong orange (25B), tube brilliant orange (29A) on outside; scented. Calyx 3mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Lvs elliptic, 75 × 30mm, strong yellow-green (144A), hairy and setose; moderate orange-yellow (164C) in autumn. Shrub 0.8 × 0.4m in 4 years. Mid-late May

(a) **'Sun Girl'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt, I: E.A. Merritt (c 1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, salmon pink. Kurume

(r) **'Sun Gleam'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Parker's Pink' (s) × 'Clara Raustein' H: A.A. Raustein (1970), G: A.A. Raustein (1979), N: A.A. Raustein, REG: A.A. Raustein (1983) Fls 12/truss, 40 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53C) at margins, shading to white (155D) in throat, with slight dorsal spotting of deep red (53A); outside vivid purplish red (57B) becoming paler below. Calyx 3mm long, dark pink (182D). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 115 × 40mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub c0.6 × 0.6m in 11 years. Early May

(r) **'Sun Glow'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J.J. Crosfield, N: J.J. Crosfield, I: J.J. Crosfield (1935), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Sunglow'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Stewartstonian' × 'Ruffled Giant' R: F.D. Cochran & R.J. Stadtherr, N: F.D. Cochran & R.J. Stadtherr, I: North Carolina/Louisana State Univ. (1976) Fls single, 1-4/truss, 65-75mm wide, deep rose red, with incon-

spicuous, darker, dorsal spots. Lvs reddish burgundy in winter. Shrub 1.5m

(r) **Sunkist Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi Pink Diamond' (s) × *griffithianum* R: Sir Edmund Loder (pre 1920), I: Lady Loder (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, campanulate, white, suffused pink on the lobes and with a small, brownish blotch. Calyx saucer-shaped. Syn: Leonardslee Sunkist Group

(a) **'Sunlight'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection grown from wild-collected *cumberlandense* seed G: Mrs J.W. Hill (1968), N: Mrs J.W. Hill, I: Mrs J.W. Hill, REG: Mrs J.W. Hill (1983) Fls 5-6/truss (usually two trusses together at shoot tips), narrowly tubular funnel-shaped, 30 × 50mm, with 5 recurved and wavy-edged lobes, red in bud, opening vivid reddish orange (43B) to strong red (41B), edged strong red (45D), throat strong orange-yellow (24B), outside light yellowish pink (27B). Calyx 3-7mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly obovate to elliptic, 55 × 30mm, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, bullate, ciliate, hairy below. Shrub 1.9 × 1.9m in 14 years. Mid July. (Seed collected by O. Holmsomback from Gregory Bald, North Carolina, USA)

(r) **'Sunlit Snow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × *fortunei* seedling H: Scott Arboretum (1958), G: Scott Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister, I: Scott Arboretum (c 1970), REG: Scott Arboretum (1981) Fls 9/truss, open funnel-shaped, 100mm wide, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (7.5RP 7/10) in bud, opening light purplish pink (7.5RP 8/5) to pale purplish pink (7.5RP 9/2) and shading to brilliant yellow-green (2.5GY 9/8) in the throat, with two rays of brilliant yellow-green (2.5GY 8/9) in the throat at sinuses of three dorsal lobes, blending into the paler glow of the throat. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 125 × 40mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, moderate yellow-green (5GY 5/6) above, hairless. Shrub 2.4 × 2.7m in 20 years. Early June

(r) **'Sunningdale Apricot'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Golden Horn Group × Margaret Dunn Group I: N Hamilton-Smith (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls apricot

(v) **'Sunny'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *christianae* (s) × *macgregoriae* H: B. Clancy, G: B. Clancy (1968), I: G.L.S. Snell, REG: G.L.S. Snell (1985) Fls 8-15/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 20 × 20mm, vivid yellow (15B), lobes strong yellowish pink (33C). Lvs elliptic, 80 × 30mm. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m

(a) **'Sunny Boy'** (Syn. of 'Hachmann's Sunny Boy')

(r) **'Sunny Day'** cv. Parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney (c 1970), G: Mrs A Sather (1975), N: Mrs A. Sather, I: Mrs A. Sather, REG: Mrs A. Sather (1985) Fls 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50×75mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, vivid yellow-green (154A) in bud, opening light greenish yellow (4B), with short, moderate red (181A) rays deep in the dorsal throat. Calyx 3mm long, light yellow (160B). Lvs between elliptic and narrowly elliptic, 95-115 × 40-45mm, hairless. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years

(v) **'Sunny Glade'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *macgregoriae* × *christianae* R: unknown (pre 1993) Fls soft yellow

(v) **'Sunny's Brother'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *christianae* × *macgregoriae* N: P. Sullivan (pre 2000) Fls yellow

(a) **'Sunny-side-up'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls large, white, with a strong yellow dorsal lobe; scented. Late May

(v) **'Sunny Splendour'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *christianae* × *macgregoriae* R: unknown (pre 1993) Fls flared campanulate, golden (or soft) yellow, with deep red pedicels

(r) **'Sunnyview'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Candidissimum' × 'Slippery Rock' H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 16/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 50 × 65mm, 5-lobed, strong and light purple (77B, C, D) in bud, opening very pale purple (69D), edged with a blend of deep reddish purple (77A) and strong to light purple (77B, C, D), and with a pale greenish yellow (2D) flare and moderate yellow-green (146C) dorsal spots; filaments and style very pale purple (69B); anthers pale orange-yellow (159B); stigma dark red (59A). Lvs 114 × 44mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.4m in 18 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer (1986))

(r) **'Sun of Austerlitz'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* × ? *maximum* R: unknown (pre 1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 25-30/compact truss, broadly campanulate, 45 × 55mm, crimson shading to pale rose in tube, lightly spotted black crimson at base of dorsal lobe; nectaries blackish crimson. Calyx lobes 2-4mm long, glandular. Early. Syn: 'The Sun of Austerlitz' (See also under 'Soleil d'Austerlitz'; probably raised at Highclere (UK), pre 1844)

(a) **'Sunray'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange rose. Mollis

(a) **'Sunray'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: D. Hughes (pre 1998), N: D. Hughes Fls double, apricot. Shrub shorter than sister seedling 'Pavlova'

(r) **'Sunray'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1881), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet, with a light centre

(a) **'Sunrise'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Lippens (1927), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose. Similar to 'Pink Pearl'. Indian

(a) **'Sunrise'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: T.J. Seidel (1936) Fls soft pink, shaded lilac. Ghent (Has been listed as a synonym of 'Saphira')

(a) **'Sunrise'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: H.J. Hooftman, N: H.J. Hooftman, I: H.J.

Hooftman (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red. Kaempferi

(a) **'Sunrise'** cv. Deciduous azalea: an Ilam azalea seedling R: Wells Nursery (pre 1978), N: Wells Nursery Fls large, orange, lobes strongly wavy-edged

(a) **'Sunrise'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Docteur Bergmann' × unknown R: D. Lewis (pre 1987), N: D. Lewis Fls semi-double (with a tufted centre), 50mm wide, deep purplish pink

(r) **'Sunrise'** cv. Parentageunknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine lake

(r) **'Sunrise'** cv. Parentage unknown R: I. Davies (pre 1896), N: I. Davies, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Sunrise'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* (s) × *griersonianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1926), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 100mm wide, deep pink (52B) in bud, opening to palest pink except at base. FCC 1942 (Sunrise Group)

(r) **Sunrise Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* (s) × *griersonianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1926), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1933), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Sunrise over Harkwood'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Champagne' × 'Crest' H: R.J.R. Drayson (1976), G: Harkwood Acres (1986), N: Mrs A.J.A. Drayson, REG: R.J.R. & Mrs A.J.A. Drayson (1987) Fls 10-13/truss, open campanulate, 51 × 68mm, 5-lobed, buds vivid reddish orange (34B) and strong orange (26B), opening brilliant yellow (7A & B), throat and dorsal lobes shaded light orange (29B), ventral lobes and lobe sinuses light greenish yellow (8B & C), spotting on dorsal lobes deep to strong greenish yellow (153A & B). Calyx 14mm long, brilliant yellow (15C). Lvs lanceolate, 91 × 33mm, moderate olive green (146A & 147A), hairless. Compact shrub, 0.72 × 0.79m in 11 years. Early May-early June

(r) **'Sunrise Serenade'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' × 'Lem's Cameo' H: J.G. Lofthouse (1976), G: Mr & Mrs R.V. Mann (1982), N: Mr & Mrs R.V. Mann, REG: J.G. Lofthouse (1986) Fls 14-18/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 75mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, light yellowish pink (36A) in bud, opening pale yellowish pink (27C), with a 10mm edge flushed light yellowish pink (38D) - fades as flower ages - with light gold dorsal spotting; outside of lobes light yellowish pink (38D). Calyx irregular, 30-40mm long, light yellowish pink (27B) in bud, pale yellowish pink (27C) when mature. Lvs between elliptic and narrowly elliptic, 100-125 × 40-50mm, dark and more-or-less glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 1.6 × 1.3m in 9 years. Early-mid May

(r) **'Sunrise-Sunset'** (Syn. of 'Sunup-Sundown')

(a) **'Sunset'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: K. Wezelenburg & Son, N: K. Wezelenburg & Son, I: K. Wezelenburg & Son (1912), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink red. Mollis

(a) **'Sunset'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, coral. Coolidge

(a) **'Sunset'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, with wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink (47C), with a darker blotch. Indian

(a) **'Sunset'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Pericat, N: Perkins-de Wilde Nurseries, I: Perkins-de Wilde Nurseries (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, also with petaloid sepals, 45mm wide, deep yellowish pink (47C). Pericat

(a) **'Sunset'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange, flushed purplish pink. Knap Hill

(a) **'Sunset'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale orange. Kaempferi

(r) **'Sunset'** (Syn. of 'Leonardslee Sunset')

(r) **'Sunset'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet crimson. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Sunset'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Earl of Athlone' (s) × Fabia Group R: R. Henny (1944), N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. Calyx with a white stripe on each lobe. Very straggly shrub, decumbent

(r) **'Sunset'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *sutchuenense* × 'Britannia' R: J. Bruns Nursery (c 1950), N: J. Bruns Nursery Fls bright rose, with small, dark brown spots. Late April

(v) **'Sunset'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *christianae* R: unknown (pre 1979) (Listed as a parent of 'Auburn Sunset')

(r) **'Sunset Bay'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Odee Wright' × 'Malemute' H: J.A. Elliott (1978), G: J.A. Elliott (1983), N: J.A. Elliott, I: J.A. Elliott (1988), REG: J.A. Elliott (1990) Fls 10-11/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 64 × 114mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink (39B) in bud, opening light greenish yellow (4C) with a slight pink blush on edge of lobes and on outside; throat shades to brilliant greenish yellow (151D). Calyx minute, light green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 152 × 51mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.5m in 10 years. Mid-late April

(a) **'Sunset Boulevard'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Exbury, N: Exbury, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink. Knap Hill (Previously listed as 'Sunset

Boulevarde'; the spelling adopted here follows *The Rothschild Rhododendrons* (1979))

(v) **'Sunset Ecstasy'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *zoelleri* (Michael Black form) (s) × *aurigeranum* H: B. Clancy (1976), G: B. Clancy (1980), N: B. Clancy (1997), I: Vireya Valley Nursery (1997), REG: Vireya Valley Nursery (1997) Fls 8-10/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 30 × 70-75mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, strong yellowish pink (40D) shading to light yellow (21D) in bud, opening inside and out strong reddish orange (40C), shading to vivid orange-yellow (21A); unspotted. Lvs ovate to elliptic, 140 × 60mm, margins upcurved, acute to apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (146A) above, no scales apparent to the naked eye. Shrub 1.3 × 0.6m in 10 years. Flowering throughout the year

(v) **'Sunset Fantasy'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* × *zoelleri* 'Golden Gate' × *zoelleri* × *leucogigas* R: G.L.S. Snell (1986), N: G.L.S. Snell, I: Shrublands Nursery (1987), REG: Shrublands Nursery (1988) Fls 5-8/truss, long tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 80mm, 5-6-lobed, brilliant orange-yellow (21B) inside with lobes vivid orange (28B) edged vivid reddish orange (34B); outside brilliant orange-yellow (21B). Lvs elliptic, 100 × 50mm, hairless. Shrub 1.0m tall. Spring

(r) **'Sunset Glow'** cv. Parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney (pre 1980)

(v) **'Sunset Gold 50'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown I: Vireya Venue (1997) Fls in large trusses, a combination of orange, gold and bright yellow. Lvs long, slender-pointed. Open, upright shrub to 2.0m

(r) **'Sunset Lake'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* × *arboreum* × *decorum* H: O.S. Blumhardt, G: O.S. Blumhardt, N: O.S. Blumhardt, I: O.S. Blumhardt, REG: O.S. Blumhardt (1974) Fls light crimson to crimson lake, with a deep red flush in the throat

(r) **'Sunset over Harkwood'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Champagne' × 'Crest' H: R.J.R. Drayson (1976), G: Harkwood Acres (1984), N: Mrs A.J.A. Drayson, REG: R.J.R. & Mrs A.J.A. Drayson (1987) Fls 9-11/truss, open campanulate, 50 × 72mm, with 5-6 lobes, buds moderate reddish orange (171A) and strong greenish yellow (151B), opening brilliant yellow (11A), the dorsal lobes overlaid vivid yellow (14B), the base of the throat vivid red (46B), outside light yellow (10B) overlaid strong orange (26B) and strong reddish orange (34C); fades to light greenish yellow, overlaid brilliant yellow (12B). Calyx 9mm long, brilliant yellow (13C), overlaid moderate reddish orange (35B). Lvs lanceolate, 93 × 33mm, moderate olive green (146A-147A) above, hairless. Compact shrub, 0.91 × 1.22m in 11 years. Early May-early June

(a) **'Sunset Pink'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Exbury, N: Exbury, I: E. de Rothschild (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, pink, with an orange-yellow blotch. Knap Hill

(r) **'Sunset Queen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* × *arboreum* × *decorum* H: O.S. Blumhardt, G: O.S. Blumhardt, N: O.S. Blumhardt, I: O.S. Blumhardt, REG: O.S. Blumhardt (1974) Fls rich coral rose

(r) **'Sunset Serenade'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* hybrid × unknown H: F. Minch (1984), G: F. Minch, N: R.W. Ward (1996), I: Whitney Gardens, REG: R.W. Ward (1996) Fls 17/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish orange (44C) in bud, opening inside moderate purplish pink (65A) with vivid purplish red (66B) markings in the throat and sparse 66B spotting on the dorsal lobe; outside light pink (50D). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 90 × 30mm, margins decurved, acute at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (137B) above, with a plastered indumentum below (pale yellow-green (157A) when young, ageing to moderate orange-yellow (164B)). Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 10 years. Late April

(r) **'Sunset Tommy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tom Thumb' hybrid H: J.B. Gable (pre 1972)

(a) **'Sunset Trail'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *prunifolium* G: C. & C.J. Patterson, N: C. & C.J. Patterson, REG: C. Patterson (2000) Fls 4-6/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 45mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish orange (34A) in bud, opening vivid reddish orange (34A) except for the dorsal lobe which is moderate reddish orange (35A), unmarked; stamens 90mm long. Lvs elliptic, 90 × 30mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins flat, semi-glossy and strong yellow-green (143A) above. Shrub 2.1 × 1.8m in at least 15 years. Late September

(r) **'Sunset Yates'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pink Twins' × 'Leah Yates' H: H.R. Yates (1959), G: H.R. Yates (1966), I: Mrs M. Yates (1970), REG: Mrs M. Yates (1976) Fls up to 15/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 80mm wide, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (55B), shading to pale purplish pink (56D), with a large, dorsal flare and darker spotting of strong red (53C). Lvs 130 × 45mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (137B) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 2.0m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Sun Sheen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lady Eleanor Cathcart' × *decorum* × *maximum* H: Scott Arboretum (1958), G: Scott Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister

(r) **'Sunsheen'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Sunsheen')

(r) **'Sunshine'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1881), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright fiery crimson. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Sunshine'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *beanianum* (s) × *neriiflorum* (Euchaites Group) R: E.G.W.W. Harrison (pre 1955), N: E.G.W.W. Harrison, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright dark red

(r) **'Sunsplash'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown, I: Whitney Gardens (1991) Fls in domed trusses, laven-

der, with a golden eye. Lvs elliptic, variegated, dull green, with gold markings. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Late

(r) **'Sunspot'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Darigold' × 'Lackamas Spice' × *wardii* R: W. Thompson (pre 1985) Fls in large trusses, yellow. Lvs rounded, dark green. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years, with a compact, rounded habit

(r) **'Sunspray'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alice Franklin' × 'Crest' H: W.J. Swenson (1969), G: W.J. Swenson, I: H.E. Greer, REG: H.E. Greer (1979) Fls up to 10/flat truss, 125mm wide, 6-lobed, brilliant to light greenish yellow (4A/B) in centre, shading to light greenish yellow (4C) at outer edges. Lvs 150mm long. Shrub to over 2.0m. Midseason

(a) **'Sun Star'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 25mm wide, china rose (024) with a darker blotch. Kurume (Imported to USA, name lost, renamed by H.A. Dreer)

(r) **'Sunstone'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hills' Low Red' (s) × 'Fawcett's Fantasy' H: J. Barlup (1984), G: J. Barlup (1988), N: J. Barlup, REG: J. Barlup (1997) Fls 17/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 65mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (46A) in bud, opening inside light yellow (10C) with pale greenish yellow (10D) margins and a dark red (59A) blotch (c15 × 15mm) on dorsal lobe; outside light yellow (10C), with moderate yellowish pink (38B) streaks on the midveins. Calyx 15mm long, light yellow (10C) with two, dark red (59A) dorsal flares. Lvs oblong, 115 × 40mm, margins decurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in 12 years. Late April-early May

(r) **'Sunstruck'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Golden Star' (s) × 'Mary Belle' H: J. Shaw (c 1974), G: J. Leonard (1990), N: J. Shaw, I: Briarwood Gardens, REG: Briarwood Gardens (1993) Fls 12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 70 × 92mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (46A) to vivid reddish orange (42A) in bud, opening pale yellow (12D), overcast strong yellowish pink (37B) at edges (for 3-10mm width) and suffused with strong red (46A); vivid reddish orange (42A) spots; with age the yellow colour grows more dominant and spots fade and throat becomes light greenish yellow (3D); slightly scented. Calyx c1.5mm long, strong yellow-green (144A). Pedicels 38mm long, strong yellow-green (144A). Lvs elliptic, 95-178 × 38-76mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, moderate olive green (146A) above, moderate yellow-green (147C) below, hairless. Shrub c1.1-1.4m in 10 years (estimate). Mid June

(a) **'Sunte Nectarine'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild, REG: ICRA (1996) Fls 15/rounded truss, tubular funnel-shaped, up to 80mm wide, buds vivid reddish orange (34A), opening with tube vivid red (45A) externally, the lobes (some cut right to base) vivid red (45A) to vivid reddish orange (34A) and vivid orange-yellow (21A) outside; inside mostly vivid orange-yellow (23A); stamens 6, filaments orange-yellow, flushed red, anthers orange-brown; style yellowish green, stigma green. Calyx to 6mm long, with oblong, ciliate lobes. Pedicels up to 8mm long, green, slightly hairy. Lvs elliptic, 40 × 20mm (at flowering time), strong yellow-green (144A), slightly hairy. AM 1996. Knap Hill

(r) **'Sunte Rock'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *praestans* R: G. Gorer, N: G. Gorer, REG: G. Gorer (1969) Fls 18-20/compact truss, obliquely campanulate, 45 × 65mm, with 6-8 lobes, transparent white, strongly streaked, flushed and veined moderate to strong purplish red (58A-B), dorsal throat blotched with deep red (60A) overlaid with dark red (59A). Calyx rudimentary. Lvs oblanceolate, up to 300 × 95mm, with silvery brown, plastered indumentum below; petioles up to 13mm wide. PC 1969

(r) **'Sunte Rose'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *R.* × *geraldii* R: G. Gorer, N: G. Gorer, REG: G. Gorer (1971) Fls 20-22/flattened truss, open funnel-campanulate, 65 × 65mm, 5-lobed, deep purplish pink (66C) in bud, opening light purplish pink (68D) with a reddish purple blotch and spots. Calyx rudimentary. Lvs oblong, 275 × 75mm, dark green above, with a grey/white, woolly indumentum below on midrib. AM 1971

(r) **'Sunup-Sundown'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × Fabia Group (s) × (Fabia Group × *bureavii*) × 'Crest' H: J.G. Lofthouse (1975), G: J.G. Lofthouse, I: J.G. Lofthouse (1979), REG: J.G. Lofthouse (1981) Fls 8-10/truss, strong red (45D) in bud, opening strong pink (48C-D), fading to moderate yellowish pink (37D), heavily spotted moderate reddish orange (35B) on dorsal lobes. Syn: 'Sunrise-Sunset'

(a) **'Sun Valley'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: O.R. Bristow, I: Mossholder Nursery (1950-1960) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 50-65mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, white, with a green throat

(r) **Suomi Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Linswegeanum Group (s) × 'Metternianum' R: D.G. Hobbie (1944), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 8-12/truss, funnel-shaped, bright red to rose or flesh-coloured, deeper at edges. Shrub up to 1.0m

(a) **'Superbe'** (See 'La Superbe')

(a) **'Superbissimum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1840), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange. Ghent

(a) **'Superbissimum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1847), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Superbissimum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1839), N: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, white, scented. Dwarf growing. FCC 1897 (Perhaps the *arboreum* selection or hybrid exhibited in Paris by M. Guérin in 1842)

(r) **'Super Blend'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Achiever' (s) × 'Gable's Pioneer' H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 5/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 44 × 60mm, deep and moderate purplish pink (66C, D) in bud, opening to shades of moderate, light and pale purplish pink (65A-D, 66D). Lvs 54 × 22mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, scaly. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 19 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Super Bowl'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* × 'Zelia Plumecocq' H: B. Aunsbjorn (1979), G: T. Aunsbjorn (1986), N: T. Aunsbjorn, REG: T. Aunsbjorn (1988) Fls 9-12/flat truss, rotate-campanulate, 28 × 90mm, with 7 smooth-edged lobes, brilliant yellow (9C), with a deep pink (52B) throat. Calyx minute. Lvs ovate, 110 × 60mm, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.6m in 9 years. Late May-early June

(a) **'Superbum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1836), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed under *Azalea calendulacea*)

(a) **'Superbum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1840), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Listed under *Azalea pontica*)

(a) **'Superbum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1840), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Superbum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L.L. Liebig (1868), N: L.L. Liebig, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, bright red. Indian

(a) **'Superbum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: M. Koster & Sons (1901), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, pale pink, with an orange blotch. Tall shrub. Midseason-late. Occidentale (Previously listed as a Ghent)

(a) **'Superbum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, dark purple. Syn: 'Amoenum Superbum'. Amoena

(r) **'Superbum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1847), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy crimson, with black spots. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Superbum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: seedling from 'Praecox' (Davies) or a seedling from the cross that produced 'Praecox' R: I. Davies? (pre 1898), INC: ICRA (1958)

(az) **'Superbum'** (Syn. of 'Aureum Superbum')

(a) **'Superbum Duplex'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1841), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Superbum Giganteum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *arboreum* L: Caledonia Nursery (1905), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose pink. Lvs silvery below

(v) **'Superfleur'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown I: Vireya Venue (1997) Fls very large, deep pink/red, with ivory throats; scented. Large, upward-pointing leaves. Dense shrub to 2.0m

(r) **'Supergold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' (s) × Joanita Group H: J.G. Lofthouse (1974), G: J.G. Lofthouse (1981), N: J.G. Lofthouse, I: J.G. Lofthouse, REG: J.G. Lofthouse (1983) Fls 15/truss, open campanulate, 40 × 65mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, orange-yellow in bud, opening with light yellow (15D) edges, lobes light orange-yellow (16C), throat light orange-yellow (16B), with a dorsal red-orange blotch deep in the throat, outside vivid yellow (16A); markings of light orange-light yellowish pink (29B-C) on lobe edges or between lobes in 20% of flowers. Calyx minute. Lvs elliptic, 90 × 45mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, deep glossy green, with sparse, appressed, light tan hairs below. Shrub c1.1m in 7 years. Early-mid April

(r) **'Super Jay'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Else Frye' × *johnstoneanum* H: R.L. Anderson (1967), G: H.J. Braafladt (1971), N: H.J. Braafladt, I: H.J. Braafladt, REG: H.J. Braafladt (1979) Fls 2-5/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 90mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, blushed strong red (51A) in bud, opening white with a brilliant orange-yellow (21B) dorsal blotch, outside blushed strong red (53D); scented. Calyx 7mm long, light greenish yellow (4C). Lvs lanceolate to elliptic, 90 × 45mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate yellow-green (137C) above, with long, fine hairs at margins and on petioles and closely-spaced, small, tan scales below; new growth thickly covered with white hairs. Shrub 0.8 × 1.2m. Mid March-early April

(r) **'Superlative'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush white

(r) **'Super-makinoi'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'El Alamein' × *makinoi* R: H. Nosbüsch (1957), N: H. Nosbüsch Fls bright red

(r) **'Superman'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Metternianum' (s) × unknown H: Mrs E.D. Boswell (1968), G: Mrs E.D. Boswell (1978), N: Mrs E.D. Boswell (1980), I: Taunton Gardens (1992), REG: B. Sligh (1994) Fls 9-10/open truss, open funnel-shaped, 60 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds vivid purplish red (57C), opening inside pale purplish pink (62D), flushed strong purplish pink (62A) and edged vivid purplish red (57D); outside pale purplish pink (62D), flushed strong purplish pink (62A); strong purplish red (61B) spots covering a large part of dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, margins decurved, acute at apex, rounded at base, deep matt green above when mature, with almost white indumentum when young which ages to buff. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m in 10 years. November (New Zealand)

(r) **'Supernova'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nova Zembla' treated (1987) with colchicine G: Briggs Nursery (1993), N: Briggs Nursery (1996), I: Briggs Nursery, REG: Briggs Nursery (1996) Fls 10-12/flat

truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 80-90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside vivid purplish red (57B) at margins, shading to mottled vivid purplish red (57C) at centre, with dark red (187A) speckles on dorsal lobe; outside vivid purplish red (57B) at margins, shading to a mottled vivid purplish red (57C) base, with 57B veining throughout; stamens 10, curved, unequal. Pedicels 25-40mm long, strong yellow-green (145A). Lvs oblong, 100-115 × 50-55mm, with decurved, wavy margins, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (146D) below, hairless; petioles 25mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 3 years. Late May. Confirmed tetraploid

(a) **'Super Orange'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Spit Fire' × 'Paul Schäme' I: E. de Meyer (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, deep orange. Indian

(a) **'Super Red'** (See note under 'Kerrigan's Super Red')

(a) **'Super Star'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: I.C. Nichols (pre 1984), N: I.C. Nichols, I: Berna Park Nurseries Fls double, vermilion orange. Indian

(r) **'Super Star'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Doncaster' R: J. Bruns Nursery (1951), N: J. Bruns Nursery, REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1971) Fls rose, pale rose in the throat, with strong dark red markings

(r) **'Super Star'** cv. Parentage unknown H: H.E. Greer (pre 1980)

(a) **'Supersuds'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* hybrid S: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls star-shaped, white, with very inconspicuous, green/gold spotting in the blotch

(r) **'Super White No. 2'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' × unknown H: J.B. Gable (pre 1972), G: J.B. Gable Fls white. Midseason. (Said to be easier to root than 'Carol's Super White')

(a) **'Suppléant d'Hexe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1913), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rose. Indian

(r) **'Supra-syn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tracigo' × 'Trilby' (s) × ('Chlorops' × *decorum* subsp. *diaprepes*) × Bonito Group H: D.W. Goheen (1984), G: D.W. Goheen (1991), N: D.W. Goheen, I: A Sandy Rhododendron, REG: D.W. Goheen (1996) Fls 14-16/conical to domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (54A) in bud, opening strong purplish pink (55B), edged deep purplish pink (55A); dorsal lobe and throat spotted strong reddish orange (31A), with dense spotting in the throat; stamens 10, very small, unequal; not scented. Calyx minute, strong purplish pink (55B). Pedicels 25-40mm long, light green. Lvs obovate, 125-150 × 40-50mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull, moderate yellowish green (138A) above, moderate yellow-green (139D) below, hairless; petioles 15-20mm long, light green. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years. Early May

(a) **'Supreme'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 65mm wide, white, with a chartreuse throat. Indian

(a) **'Supreme'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown N: Wells Nursery (pre 1977), I: Wells Nursery Fls with strongly wavy-edged lobes, reddish orange. Late May

(r) **'Sure Thing'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mary Belle' (s) × unknown G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls pale yellow-green (4D), edged strong purplish red (58B, C) with brilliant greenish yellow (1A) dorsal spots. (Raised by Delp from a cutting obtained from George Ring; hardier than 'Mary Belle'. First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Surface Star'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* × aff. *vernicosum* (Rock 18139) (s) × *maximum* × aff. *vernicosum* (Rock 18139) R: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls strong purplish red (63A, B) and strong and light purplish pink (63C, D) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (65D) edged strong purplish red (63B), with a pale yellow-green (4D) throat; anthers white. (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(a) **'Surguri'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls campanulate, red. Kurume

(a) **'Surisumi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 25-30mm wide, strong reddish purple (78B). Similar to 'Kocho-no-mai'. Kurume

(a) **'Surprise'** (See 'La Surprise')

(a) **'Surprise'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (1930-1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, cerise. Coolidge

(a) **'Surprise'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: W.C. Hage & Co., I: W.C. Hage & Co. (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, salmon, veined pink, paler at edges, occasionally striped and always heavily spotted deep red. Kurume

(a) **'Surprise'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Bridal Veil' (s) × 'Azuma-no-hana' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single1-3/truss, 65-75mm wide, moderate red (180B), flushed vivid red (45A) with irregular white margins. Shrub to 1.0m tall. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Surprise'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Exbury, N: Exbury, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cream, flushed pink

(a) **'Surprise'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Violaceum' I: G.J. Bier & Sons (1961) Fls strong purplish red (60D); otherwise similar to parent. Indian

(r) **Surprise Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *falconeri* × *thomsonii* R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light rose, with dark spots and blotch

(r) **'Surprise Packet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *falconeri* × *thomsonii* I: Lord Digby (1953), INC: ICRA (1958) Syn: 'Packet' (Surprise Group)

(r) **'Surrey Heath'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *facetum* hybrid × Fabia Group × *yakushimanum* × 'Britannia' H: Waterer (Bagshot) (1958), G: Waterer (Bagshot) (1968), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975) Fls 12-16/globular truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 45mm, 5-lobed, light pink (49C), flushed strong pink (48D), becoming deeper at margins; speckled moderate orange-yellow on either side of midvein in the throat, deeper when young. Lvs 75-95 × 20-30mm, mid and dull green above. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years. Early June. *AM 1982

(a) **'Suruga-man'e'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double (anemone-centred), in dense clusters, c50mm wide, light purple. Lvs large. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Suruga-manyo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *stenopetalum* R: Japan (pre 1918), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, with very deeply divided corollas, purplish red. Perhaps the same as 'Suruga-man'e'

(a) **'Surusumi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: listed as an Obtusum Group cultivar R: Japan (pre 1918), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Survivor'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Charles S. Sargent' × *fortunei* H: W.E. Delp (1971), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 53 × 76mm, 5-lobed, deep and strong purplish red (71A-D) in bud, opening to a blend of strong purplish red (71D) and deep to moderate purplish pink (70C, D) and with light olive (152B) dorsal spots; filaments and style vivid purplish red (57D); anthers light purple (77D); stigma strong purplish red (67A). Lvs 127 × 76mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 1.5m in 21 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids* Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Susan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum* hybrid R: J.B. Gable, N: The Tingle Nursery, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, pink. Gable

(r) **'Susan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Messel' × *griffithianum* R: L.C.R. Messel (pre 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large, open trusses, broadly funnel-shaped, creamy yellow in bud, opening pure white; slightly scented. AM 1930

(r) **'Susan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campanulatum* × *fortunei* R: J.C. Williams (pre 1933), N: J.C. Williams, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c12-16/truss, open funnel-shaped, 75 × 90mm, 5-lobed, light purple (81D), dorsal lobes darker, heavily speckled maroon. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 65mm, dark green above, thinly felted below when young. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. *AM 1948, *FCC 1954

(a) **'Susana'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Eden Mummert' × 'Vervaeneanum' R: W.D. Smith (pre 1982), N: W.D. Smith Fls 75mm wide, white, shaded pink and with a strong red blotch

(a) **'Susanah'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (pre 1987) Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, dark red

(a) **'Susan Camille'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Elsie Lee' × 'Robin Hill Frosty' H: H.R. Schroeder (1973), G: S. Schroeder (1978), N: S. Schroeder, I: S. Schroeder (1986), REG: S. Schroeder (1986) Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, broadly funnel-shaped, 38 × 64mm, with 12 wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (56D), with yellow-green dorsal spotting; no normal stamens present. Calyx 6mm long, light green. Lvs oblanceolate, 41 × 17mm, glossy and dark green above, light green below, hairy. Shrub 0.46 × 0.61m in 10 years. Late April

(r) **'Susan Everett'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1988)

(r) **'Susan Hall'** cv. Parentage unknown H: M.E. Hall (pre 1980)

(v) **'Susan Jane'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Cameo Spice' (s) × *hellwigii* H: M.D. Cullinane (1989), G: M.D. Cullinane (1994), N: M.D. Cullinane (1999), REG: M.D. Cullinane (1999) Fls 5/flat truss, tubular-campanulate, 65 × 70mm, with 6 flat-edged lobes, dark brown in bud, opening deep pink (48B) darkening to vivid red (46C); outside deep pink (48B); unmarked. Calyx 2mm long, reddish brown. Lvs elliptic, 105 × 50mm, cuneate at apex, acute at base, flat, matt green above, scaly (scales warm brown when young, ageing to dark brown). Shrub 1.0 × 0.4m in 4 years. Repeat-flowering

(r) **'Susan Kay'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* × *wardii* H: W.M. Fetterhoff (1964), G: W.M. Fetterhoff (1972), N: W.M. Fetterhoff, I: W.M. Fetterhoff, REG: W.M. Fetterhoff (1981) Fls 14-16/slightly lax, domed truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 30 × 45mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, light greenish yellow (4C), with blotch and spotting deep in dorsal lobe sector of strong greenish yellow (151C) blending to moderate yellow-green (146C). Calyx 4-6mm long, greenish tan. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 50mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, with a very thin, plastered, colourless indumentum below. Compact shrub, 0.6 × 1.2m in 16 years. Early June

(a) **'Susan Land'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L.L. Brooks (pre 1965), N: L.L. Brooks Fls double, orange rose. Indian

(r) **'Susan Lonsdale'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loder's White' × 'Kew Pearl' H: H.D. Rose, G: H.D. Rose (1970), N: H.D. Rose, I: H.D. Rose, REG: H.D.

Rose (1973) Fls 13/truss, campanulate, 90mm wide, white, tinged light purplish pink (63D), heavily spotted on all lobes with deep purplish red (59B). Lvs lanceolate, 115 × 40mm. Shrub to at least 1.2m

(a) **'Susan Monyeen'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls light pink, with darker pink ribs. Mollis

(a) **'Susanna'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L.L. Liebig (pre 1852), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Susannah'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' × 'Willy' (s) × 'Mrs Carmichael' × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 65mm wide, white, with broad mallow purple (strong reddish purple (72C)) edges. Shrub to 1.5m tall. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Susannah Hill'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'W. Leith' (azalea) × *nakaharae* H: T. Rokujo (1961), G: Mrs J.W. Hill (1965), N: Mrs J.W. Hill, REG: Mrs J.W. Hill (1975) Fls semi-double, 1-2/truss, funnel-shaped, 30 × 40mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes and some doubling, strong red (2.5R 5/12), with inconspicuous spotting of moderate red (2.5R 4/10) on one lobe. Calyx 3mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic to broadly elliptic, 25 × 10mm, glossy, lightly hairy and moderate olive green (7.5GY 4/4) above, hairy below. Shrub 0.4 × 1.3m in 13 years. June

(a) **'Susanna Silcox'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid, see under Hinckley Group in *The Azalean* 4 (1): 1-5 (1982) for details of parentage R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith Fls hose-in-hose, 95mm wide, strong purplish red (63A), with a vivid purplish red (66A) blotch

(a) **'Susanne'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: M.E. Greentree (pre 1985), N: M.E. Greentree Fls deep rose pink. Kurume

(a) **'Susanne Moreux'** (An error for 'Suzanne Moreux')

(a) **'Susan Page'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: O.S. Pride (pre 1987), N: O.S. Pride Fls hose-in-hose, yellowish pink

(a) **'Susan Pool'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hino-red' × 'Cattleya' H: H.R. Schroeder (1976), G: S. Schroeder (1978), N: S. Schroeder, I: S. Schroeder (1987), REG: S. Schroeder (1987) Fls hose-in-hose, 7/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 5+5-lobed, vivid red (52A). Calyx coloured as corolla. Lvs obovate, 38 × 19mm, flat, mucronate at tip, cuneate at base, dull green above, hairy. Shrub 0.8 × 0.6m in 11 years. Late April-early May

(a) **'Susan Pride'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: O.S. Pride (pre 1987), N: O.S. Pride Fls hose-in-hose, yellowish pink

(r) **'Susan Wells'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: sport from 'White Perle' G: S. Wells (1997), S: S. Wells (1997), N: S. Wells (2002), REG: S. Wells (2002) Fls 12/rounded truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 110mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, moderate to light purplish pink (65A-B) in bud, opening inside white, outside flushed moderate to light purplish pink (65A-B); heavily spotted with deep red (53A) on dorsal lobe. Calyx 1mm long, green, flushed strong red (53B). Lvs oblanceolate, 130 × 43mm, wavy-edged, acute at apex, truncate at base, glossy above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 5 years. October/November (Tasmania)

(r) **'Susette'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campanulatum* hybrid N: V.J. Boulter & Sons (c 1970) Fls lavender blue. Compact shrub

(a) **'Susie'** (Syn. of 'Susie Cook')

(r) **Susie Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *souliei* (s) × *griersonianum* R: Sir John Stirling-Maxwell, N: Sir John Stirling-Maxwell, I: Sir John Stirling-Maxwell (1941), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Susie Cook'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Boudoir' × 'Rose Greeley' H: W.L. Guttormsen (1969), G: W.L. Guttormsen (1975), N: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1985) Fls single, 1-2/truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 75mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish pink (67D). Calyx 13mm long, green. Lvs more-or-less narrowly obovate, 30-50 × 14-22mm, more-or-less moderate olive green (147B), hairy. Shrub 0.6 × 1.0m in 10 years. Syn: 'Susie'

(a) **'Susono-murasaki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, c30mm wide, purple, with a faint scarlet tint. Tsutsuji

(r) **'Sussex Bonfire'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *haematodes* (s) × Cornish Cross Group R: Lady Loder, I: Lady Loder (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep blood red. AM 1934

(r) **'Sustin Layard'** (An error for 'Austin Layard')

(a) **'Susugonoito'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very close to 'Kirin'; perhaps a rather bluer pink. Kurume

(r) **'Susy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'America' × 'Blaze' × 'Red Brave' H: W.M. Fetterhoff, G: T.L. Ring (pre 1978), N: T.L. Ring

(r) **Sutchbarb Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *barbatum* × *sutchuenense* R: E.J.P. Magor, N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1936), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **Sutchcalo Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *sutchuenense* × *calophytum* R: E.J.P. Magor (pre 1929), N: E.J.P. Magor, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **Sutchrir Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *ririei* × *sutchuenense* R: E.J.P. Magor (1919), N: E.J.P. Magor, INC: ICRA (1958) ('Maya' is here treated as a cultivar of this Group)

(r) **'Sutter's Gold'** cv. Parentage unknown H: G.W. Clarke (pre 1980)

(a) **'Suva'** cv. Deciduous azalea: seedling from *vaseyi* R: Exbury, N: Exbury, I: E. de Rothschild (1969), REG: E. de Rothschild (1969) Fls 6-7/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, up to 50mm wide, strong purplish pink (62A) in bud, opening light purplish pink (62C), throat almost white with very sparse, dark red-purple spotting. Calyx green, glandular ciliate. AM 1969

(a) **'Suwanee'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Yozakura' (s) × 'Kagaribi' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 75mm wide, rose pink (light purplish pink (73C)), with distinct, inverted-u-shaped spots in blotch area of tyrian rose (vivid purplish red (57B)). Shrub to 1.5m tall. Late April. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Suwaroff'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy carmine, faintly spotted. SCC 1862

(a) **'Suzanne'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt, I: E.A. Merritt (c 1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls coppery red. Kurume

(r) **'Suzanne'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Byls (1869), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with a cherry red edge

(a) **'Suzanne Jean'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Apricot Blush' (s) × 'Harry Van de Ven' H: D.J. Dosser (1987), G: D.J. Dosser (1991), N: D.J. Dosser (1991), I: Lockington Nursery, REG: D.J. Dosser (1993) Fls 3/loose truss, funnel-shaped, 20 × 50mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (55C) throughout. Lvs oblanceolate, 50 × 20mm, margins decurved, acuminate at apex, cuneate at base, matt green above. Shrub 0.6m. Spring

(a) **'Suzanne Loef'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Fa. M. Koster (c 1962), REG: Fa. M. Koster (1963) Fls single, 8-9/truss, 75-80mm wide, vivid purplish red (23/2), with a vivid orange (11/1) blotch. Mollis

(a) **'Suzanne Moreux'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Madame Gau' I: G. van Gele & Son (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pale purplish pink (55D); otherwise similar to 'Madame Petrick'. Indian (Sometimes listed in error as 'Susanne Petrick')

(r) **'Suzi Que'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Lace' (s) × Whitney's dwarf *yakushimanum* H: S.K. Metcalfe (1980), G: J.L. Jones (1986), N: J.L. Jones, I: J.L. Jones, REG: J.L. Jones (1995) Fls 13-15/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 44 × 51mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep red (53A) in bud, opening inside strong purplish red (67A) and fading to white with strong purplish red (64C) margins and strong purplish red (63A) spotting on dorsal lobe; outside deep purplish pink (73A) at first, with strong purplish red (67A) midribs, fading to white with deep purplish pink (68A) midribs; stamens 10, curved, unequal; style white, stigma red. Calyx 3mm long, light green. Lvs obovate, 102-114 × 38-44mm, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) and hairless above, with a light tan, felted indumentum below; petioles 25mm long, light green. Shrub 0.9 × 1.5m in 14 years. Mid April. Syn: 'Suzy Q'

(a) **'Suzu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Tamaorihime' R: Japan (pre 1984), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, with broad, rounded lobes, white, variously marked with strong pink to purple pink speckles, stripes, sectors and selfs, some with white edges. Satsuki

(a) **'Suzuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Sander (c 1885), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet maroon. Sander

(r) **'Suzuki'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *dauricum* L: UK (1988)

(a) **'Suzumushi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls hose-in-hose, 50-65mm wide, centre deep pink, margins pale pink, dark pink stripes in centre of lobes, blotch vivid pink; occasional white with dark pink stripes and sectors; stamens and pistil white. Early. Satsuki

(r) **'Suzy Bell'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Camich' × Elizabeth Group H: J.B. Gable & H.R. Yates (1957), G: H.R. Yates, I: H.R. Yates & Gable Nursery, REG: Mrs M. Yates (1980) Fls 7-9/lax truss, open campanulate, 50 × 50mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (57A), unmarked. Calyx minute, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic to narrowly obovate, 75-90 × 25-40mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dark yellowish green (139A) and slightly hairy above at first, with a persistent, slight, brown indumentum below. Shrub 0.7 × 1.3m in 22 years. Early May. Syn: 'Tinker Bell'

(r) **'Suzy Q'** (Syn. of 'Suzi Que')

(a) **'Sverige'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Memoria Sander' I: Fr Seghers (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, deep yellowish pink (46D); otherwise similar to 'Madame Lucien de Cock'. Indian

(a) **'Swagger'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Bridal Veil' (s) × 'Azuma-no-hana' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, 65mm wide, white, sanded and striped jasper red (moderate red (180B)). Shrub 1.2m tall. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Swallow'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Exbury, N: E. de Rothschild (1958), REG: E. de Rothschild (1961) Fls strong orange-yellow. Knap Hill

(r) **'Swallowfield'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *souliei* (s) × *yakushimanum* H: Crown Estate Commissioners, G: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners, REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1981) Fls 6-7/compact, globular truss, open campanulate, 45 × 75mm, white, with a basal blotch of strong purplish red (60C) and dor-

sal throat spotting of strong purplish red (60C). Lvs 75 × 42mm, mid dull green above. Shrub c1.2m. *HC 1981

(r) **'Swamp Beauty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' (s) × 'Loderi Superlative' H: J.A. Elliott (1968), G: J.A. Elliott (1975), N: J.A. Elliott, I: J.A. Elliott (1976), REG: J.A. Elliott (1983) Fls 18/truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 100mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, more-or-less magnolia purple (030/1) in bud, opening roseine purple (629/1), shading to white in lower throat, dorsal spotting of maroon (1030/2) coalescing to form a blotch in dorsal throat to base, remainder of corolla base with blotch near ruby red (827/3). Calyx minute, light green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 140 × 45mm, spinach green (0960) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Mid June

(a) **'Swan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J.B. Gable (pre 1972) Fls small, hose-in-hose, white. (Not named by Gable)

(r) **'Swan Lake'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *auriculatum* × 'Godesberg' R: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. (Blanc-mange Group)

(r) **'Swansdown'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (white flowered) (s) × 'Belle Heller' R: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1965) Fls 20/full, pyramidal truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 75mm wide, white, occasionally very pale pink (2.5RP 10/2), with a bold, dorsal blotch spotted strong yellow (2.5Y 7/10). Lvs elliptic, 125 × 50mm, with faint, white stippling above. Shrub 1.2 × 1.6m in 11 years

(r) **'Swan Song'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Swan Song')

(a) **'Swansong'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' × 'Willy' (s) × 'Mrs Carmichael' × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2/compact truss, very widely expanded, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, 50 × 75-100mm, white, with a pale yellow blotch. Lvs 40-50 × 20mm, dull light green above. Dwarf shrub to 1.0m. Mid May. *AM 1972. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Swan White'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 45mm wide, white, with a faint chartreuse throat. Kaempferi

(a) **'Swashbuckler'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Malvaticum' (s) × *indicum* R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls2-3/truss, 50-70mm wide, rose dorée (deep yellowish pink (43C)), with a heavy spectrum red (vivid red (45B)) blotch and with red stamens and pistil. Shrub to 1.5m. Early May. Glenn Dale

(v) **'Sweet Amanda'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' × *herzogii* × *laetum* × *aurigeranum* H: unknown, G: G.L.S. Snell (1988), N: G.L.S. Snell (1988), I: G.L.S. Snell (1992), REG: G.L.S. Snell (1992) Fls 5-8/open truss, campanulate, 65 × 60mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, buds red, opening pale yellow (11C) inside and out, the dorsal lobes pale yellow (11D), the ventral lobes moderate yellowish pink (39C); unspotted; scented. Lvs oblong, 100 × 50mm, margins upcurved, matt green above, with a scaly indumentum - silver/brown when young, ageing to brown. Shrub 2.0 × 0.75m in 9 years. May flower at any time of year

(r) **'Sweet and Low'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *R.* × *nikomontanum* (s) × unknown H: B. & M. Shapiro (1966), G: B. & M. Shapiro, N: B. & M. Shapiro, REG: B. & M. Shapiro (1995) Fls 16/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (67A) in bud, opening inside strong purplish pink (67D) at margins, with a white centre and a light yellow-green (150D) blotch, spotted strong greenish yellow (151B); outside strong purplish pink (67D) paling to a white base. Calyx 1-2mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 89 × 38mm, convex, acute at apex, rounded at base, moderate olive green (147A) above (new foliage moderate yellow-green (146C)), with short hairs on young foliage (white above, tan below); petioles hairy. Shrub 1.1 × 1.4m in 29 years. Late May

(r) **'Sweet Bay'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: seedling from *trichostomum* Radinum Group R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners (1962), I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1960), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1962) Fls 25/globular truss, narrowly tubular, tube c5mm long, lobes c2.5mm long, tyrian rose (24/3), suffused with white to give an overall pink effect. Calyx 2.5mm long, deeply lobed, green. Lvs 30 × 7mm, margins recurved, densely scaly below. AM 1960

(v) **'Sweet Beatrice'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *rubineiflorum* × *macgregoriae* (yellow form) H: J.L. Rouse, G: G.L.S. Snell (1988), N: G.L.S. Snell, I: G.L.S. Snell, REG: G.L.S. Snell (1989) Fls 3-4/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 30 × 15mm, 5-lobed, vivid reddish orange (33B), fading. Lvs ovate, 20 × 10mm. Shrub 0.15m tall. Autumn

(a) **'Sweet Briar'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, white, flushed strong purplish pink (55B), with a darker blotch. Kurume

(a) **'Sweet Caroline'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: A.J. Knuttel (pre 1977), N: A.J. Knuttel Fls light pink, with deeper pink, wavy edges and a yellow flare; slightly scented. Knap Hill

(v) **'Sweet Cherubim'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *loranthiflorum* × *christianae* H: G.L.S. Snell, G: G.L.S. Snell (1984), N: G.L.S. Snell, I: Shrublands Nursery (1987), REG: Shrublands Nursery (1988) Fls 7-10/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 30 × 35mm, pale yellow (158B), with lobe edges pale purplish pink (56A). Lvs elliptic, 70 × 30mm, hairless. Shrub 0.5m tall. Spring

(a) **'Sweet Christy'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown G: R. DeWilde (1963), I: R. Magruder (1976), REG: R. Magruder (1976) Fls 11-14/ball to flat

truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50-55 × 65-75mm, with 5-6 very wavy-edged lobes, brilliant yellow, fading to paler yellow and then almost to white, with a yellow blotch either side of the centre of the dorsal lobe. Calyx 3-5mm long, green. Lvs broadly elliptic, 100-115 × 28-40mm, dark green, hairy; yellow, with some pink and russet along edges, in autumn. Shrubc1.1 × 0.9m in 13 years. Late April-early May. Knap Hill (Grown from seed obtained from England)

(r) **'Sweet Dreams'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nancy Evans' (s) × 'Pink Petticoats' H: J. Barlup (1988), G: J. Barlup (1991), N: J. Barlup, REG: J. Barlup (1995) Fls 25/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53C) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (55A) at edges, fading to pale purplish pink (56C) inside, dorsal lobe flushed pale yellow; nectar pouches strong red (53C); stamens 10, curved, unequal. Calyx 20mm long, moderate pink (49B), with two strong red (53C) spots on the front. Pedicels 25mm long, strong yellow-green (144C). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 114 × 38mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless; petioles 25mm long, moderate yellow-green (146C). Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 6 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Sweet Harmony'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Percy Wiseman' (s) × 'Mary Belle' H: R.H. Gustafson (1985), G: E.T. Connors (c 1991), N: R.H. Gustafson (1998), REG: R.H. Gustafson (1998) Fls 10/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, with 5(-6) wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (58B) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (58D) at edge, shading to moderate yellow (163) at centre. Calyx 5-lobed, c10mm long. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 45mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.1m in 13 years. Mid May

(a) **'Sweetheart'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Pericat, N: Perkins-deWilde Nurseries, I: Perkins-deWilde Nurseries (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 45-50mm wide, deep yellowish pink (47C), with a darker blotch. Spreading shrub. Pericat

(a) **'Sweetheart Supreme'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: A. Pericat, N: Robert Craig & Co., I: Robert Craig & Co. (1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, 25 × 45mm, with wavy-edged lobes, camellia rose (622/2), with a darker blotch. Spreading shrub of dense habit. Pericat

(r) **'Sweetie Pie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Cowslip Group × *forrestii* Repens Group R: D.W. James, N: D.W. James (1961), I: D.W. James, REG: D.W. James (1961) Fls c6/loose, nodding truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 65mm wide, pale cream, flushed pink. Lvs rounded, 25 × 20mm, dark green. Shrub c30cm. April

(r) **'Sweet Jenny'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ('Princess Elizabeth' × (*smirnowii* × *yakushimanum*)) no.3 (s) × (('America' × 'Blaze') × 'Red Brave') no.1 H: W.E. Delp (1979), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1995) Fls 14/truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 64mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, deep, strong and vivid red (53A, 46A-B) in bud, opening to a blend of deep, strong and vivid red (53A-C, 46A-B), with dark red (59A) dorsal spots and white anthers; stigma deep red (53A). Lvs 76 × 44mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer (1992))

(a) **'Sweet Kiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (pre 1984) Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, pink, variegated white. Indian

(a) **'Sweet Lavender'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Eri' × lavender sport from 'Indicum Roseum' R: Q.R. Westfall, I: C.R. Brandt (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lavender. Indian

(r) **'Sweet Leilani'** cv. Parentage unknown H: Brandt (pre 1980)

(a) **'Sweet Little Sixteen'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1987), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls multicoloured yellowish pink, scented

(a) **'Sweet Lucy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: Marshy Point Nursery (pre 1995), G: Marshy Point Nursery, N: Marshy Point Nursery, I: Marshy Point Nursery Fls double, large, white, with purple stripes, flakes, sectors and occasional purple selfs. Low to medium shrub

(r) **'Sweet Lulu'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Gosh Darn!' × 'Dead Ringer' H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 12/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 42 × 60mm, 5-lobed, deep pink (48A, B) and moderate red (47A) in bud, opening moderate yellowish pink (39C), with a pale yellow (20D) throat and strong orange (26B) dorsal spots. Lvs 51 × 25mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m in 18 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(v) **'Sweet Mac'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *inconspicuum* × *macgregoriae*, a natural hybrid raised from seed collected in the wild R: L. Serle, I: G.L.S. Snell, REG: G.L.S. Snell (1982) Fls 7-9/truss, moderate reddish orange (41C)

(a) **'Sweet Memories'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, large, very soft pink, with a light golden flare. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Late June-July

(r) **'Sweet Mystery'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × unknown R: Thompson (pre 1990) Fls rosy pink at margins, shading to light pink, the throat fading to white. Lvs elliptic, dark green. Shrub 0.9m in 10 years. Midseason

(a) **'Sweet Nellie'** (Syn. of 'Nellie')

(a) **Sweet Pea Group** gp Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Glenn Dale (pre 1987) Fls light to pastel shades. (Un-numbered, un-named seedlings from the Glenn Dale project, undergoing evaluation according to Galle (1987))

(a) **'Sweet Pink'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *atlanticum* × *calendulaceum* L: Transplant Nursery (1986) Fls creamy pink. Late

(v) **'Sweet Rosalea'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *konori* × *christianae* H: G.L.S. Snell (c 1980), G: G.L.S. Snell (1985), N: G.L.S. Snell, I: G.L.S. Snell (1986), REG: Shrublands Nursery (1987) Fls 3-5/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 70 × 70mm, 6-7-lobed, brilliant yellow (10A), lobes deep pink (52C) at edges, paler in centre. Lvs lanceolate, 130 × 70mm. Shrub 3.0m tall. (Sometimes seen as 'Sweet Rosalie' (Vireya Venue cat., 1997), but registered as 'Sweet Rosalea')

(a) **'Sweet Ruth'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Glenn Dale azalea × Satsuki azalea H: H.A. Caldwell Jr (pre 1978)

(v) **'Sweet Seraphim'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *loranthiflorum* × *christianae* H: G.L.S. Snell (c 1978), G: G.L.S. Snell (1983), N: G.L.S. Snell, I: G.L.S. Snell (1986), REG: Shrublands Nursery (1987) Fls 14/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 45mm, 5-lobed, light greenish yellow (5D), lobes strong pink (52D). Lvs elliptic, 80 × 45mm. Shrub 1.0m tall. June-July (Australia)

(v) **'Sweet Serenity'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lochiae* × *jasminiflorum* (s) × *multinervium* H: B. Clancy (1985), G: B. Clancy (1988), N: B. Clancy (1996), REG: B. Clancy (1996) Fls 6-9/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 45 × 35mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (55C) in bud, opening inside pale purplish pink (56C) shading to pale purplish pink (55D); outside light purplish pink (55C); unspotted; strongly scented. Lvs elliptic, 70 × 40mm, flat, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, glossy above. Shrub 0.6 × 0.5m in 6 years

(r) **'Sweet Simplicity'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *ponticum* hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1922), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c18/rounded truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 80mm, deep pink in bud, opening white, edged delicate pink, with a small pattern of olive green markings. Calyx lobes less than 2mm long. Lvs 160 × 65mm, dark shiny green. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. *AM 1970

(a) **'Sweet Sixteen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Leopold Astrid' R: Warner's Nurseries (pre 1977), N: Warner's Nurseries Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, soft pink

(r) **'Sweet Sixteen'** cv. Parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney (1955), G: W.E. Whitney, N: W.E. Whitney, I: G. & Mrs A. Sather (1973), REG: G. & Mrs A. Sather (1976) Fls up to 12/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 120mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (67A) in bud, opening light purplish pink (68D), centre of mature flower almost white, a few dorsal spots and with deep purplish pink (68A) edging. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 55mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, moderate yellow-green (146B) above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 10 years. Mid May. (Some sources indicate this is a 'Jan Dekens' hybrid)

(a) **'Sweet Sue'** cv. Deciduous azalea: grown from imported Knap Hill Nursery seed, parentage unknown G: Bovees Nursery, N: Bovees Nursery, I: Bovees Nursery (c 1962), REG: Bovees Nursery (1961) Fls 8-12/truss, 90-100mm wide, strong purplish pink (55B), with a deep yellow blotch and wavy margins. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years

(r) **'Sweet Sue'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *facetum* × Fabia Group × *yakushimanum* × 'Fabia Tangerine' R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1971) Fls 11/domed, compact truss, campanulate, 50 × 70mm, with wavy-edged lobes, very pale pink, almost white, heavily flushed between vivid red (52A) and deep pink (52B), paler towards margins, the dorsal lobes sparsely spotted vivid red (46B) towards the throat. Lvs 110 × 40mm, mid, dull green. Shrub to at least 0.7m. *HC 1982

(a) **'Sweet Surprise'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Whitethroat' × 'Klondyke' (s) × 'Klondyke' H: B. Sligh (1980), G: B. Sligh (1989), N: B. Sligh (1995), REG: B. Sligh (1996) Fls 12/truss (sometimes several together), open campanulate, 40 × 60mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, sulphur yellow flushed azalea pink (618-618/3) in bud, opening primrose yellow flushed azalea pink (618/3), fading to white flushed dawn pink (523), dorsal lobe with a barium yellow (503) blotch; outside white flushed azalea pink (618-618/3); scented. Lvs 80 × 30mm, margins decurved, pointed at apex and base, hairless. November (New Zealand)

(r) **'Sweet Treat'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Teardrop' (s) × 'Carl Shirey' H: W.E. Delp (1992), G: W.E. Delp (1995), N: Mrs V. Delp, I: Crystalaire Rhododendron Naturescapes, REG: J.D. Harris (1996) Fls 6/truss, open funnel-shaped, c30 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light and very pale purple (84C-D) in bud, opening light and very pale purple (84B-D); filaments and style strong purplish pink (67D); anthers brownish orange (166C); stigma moderate orange (171C). Lvs 40 × 20mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base. Shrub 0.75 × 0.75m in 4 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Sweet Violet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Davies Evans' (s) × 'Virginia Delp' H: A.W. Smith, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, moderate violet (86A) and vivid purple (81B) in bud, opening strong violet (86B, C), brilliant violet (86D), light purple (84C) and very pale purple (84D), with a white dorsal flare and moderate yellow-green (146C) dorsal spotting; filaments, style and anthers vivid reddish purple (78A) and strong reddish purple (78B). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Sweet Wendy'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Sweet Wendy')

(v) **'Sweet Wendy'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* × *konori* var. *phaeopeplum* H: R.M. Withers, G: R.M. Withers (c 1978), N: G.L.S. Snell, I: Vireya Venue (c 1980), REG: G.L.S. Snell (1990) Fls 3/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 60 × 60mm, 5-lobed, tube vivid yellow (15B), lobes deep pink (51C). Lvs elliptic, 80 × 40mm, hairless. Shrub 1.0m. Autumn-Spring

(r) **'Swen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Mars' H: W.J. Swenson (1970), G: A.A. & M. Childers (1974), I: A.A. & M. Childers, REG: A.A. & M. Childers (1977) Fls up to 15/truss, 70mm wide, open funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, vivid red to vivid purplish red (57A-B), with a white flare on the dorsal lobe, outside vivid purplish red (57D), fading with age inside to white at centre. Calyx rim-like, yellowish. Lvs oblong and elliptic, 115 × 50mm, broadly acute at apex, slightly oblique at base, moderate olive green (137A) above, with a scurfy indumentum below (reddish at first, ageing to tan); new growth white tomentose. Shrub 0.75 × 0.75m in 6 years. Early-mid May

(r) **'Swift'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *mekongense* Viridescens Group × *ludlowii* H: P.A. Cox, G: P.A. Cox (c 1976), N: P.A. Cox, I: Glendoick Gardens (1990), REG: Glendoick Gardens (1991) Fls 2-3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 20 × 30mm, 5-lobed, light greenish yellow (4C), with deep greenish yellow (153A) to strong orange (168A) spots. Calyx 3-4mm long, green to reddish. Lvs broadly oblanceolate, 20 × 10mm, scaly. Shrub very compact, 0.5 × 1.0m in 18 years. Mid May

(v) **'Swingin' Suzie'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1995), I: Vireya Venue (1996) Fls 25mm wide, deep apricot pink. Dense, spreading shrub to c1.0m tall

(r) **'Swinhoe'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from *floribundum* R: L. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1963), REG: E. de Rothschild (1963) Fls deeply campanulate, 75 × 65mm, with wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (68C), with a dark crimson blotch in the throat. Lvs 150 × 45mm, crinkled above, with a woolly tomentum below. AM 1963

(a) **''S Wonderful'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, bright rose with a subtle golden orange flare. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Late June-July

(a) **'Sword of State'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown G: E. de Rothschild (1970s), S: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: Exbury Enterprises (1997), REG: E. de Rothschild (1997) Fls semi-double, tubular funnel-shaped (opening more-or-less flat-faced), 5-lobed but lobes split, pale purplish pink (56C), flushed light purplish pink (55C), dorsal flare vivid orange-yellow (21A); stamens and style similarly coloured. Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs obovate, 90 × 42mm. May. (Solent Group)

(a) **'Sybil'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: W. Bull (1891), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, bright rosy magenta

(a) **'Sybil'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rich apricot. Mollis

(v) **'Sybil'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *javanicum* hybrid R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1894), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose pink of perfect form, suffused white, with a white tube and crimson anthers

(a) **'Sydney Firth'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, deep pink, with an orange blotch; scented. Knap Hill

(r) **'Sydney Herbert'** (See 'Sidney Herbert')

(r) **'Sydney Lock'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* hybrid R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, I: C. Ingram (1970), REG: C. Ingram (1971) AM 1970

(a) **'Sydney Olympic 2000'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Agnes Neale' (s) × 'Splendens' (Indian) H: E.W. Jordan (1993), G: E.W. Jordan (1996), N: E.W. Jordan (1997), REG: E.W. Jordan (1997) Fls hose-in-hose, 2/flattruss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 75mm, with 5+5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (78D) in bud, opening moderate purplish pink (78D) throughout; unspotted. Lvs elliptic, 96 × 25mm, flat, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.75m in 3 years. August-September (Australia)

(a) **'Sylph'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose pink. Kaempferi

(r) **'Sylph'** cv. Parentage unknown R: ? J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1867), N: ? J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with dark spots. Dwarf shrub

(r) **'Sylph'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1881), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy pink

(a) **'Sylphide'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (1883), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls circular in outline, large, porcelain blue, with no spots. Indian

(r) **'Sylphide'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C.J.H. Walther (pre 1860), N: C.J.H. Walther, INC: ICRA (1958). Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Sylphides'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c14/flattened dome-shaped, lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 65mm, white, suffused purplish pink, with a vivid yellow (15B) blotch. Lvs 120 × 45mm, glossy and mid green above, tinged bronze. Shrub at least 1.2m. Midseason. *HC 1956, *AM 1957. Knap Hill

(a) **'Sylva'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. van Geert (1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls poppy red, with a nankeen yellow blotch. Ghent

(r) **'Sylvania'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *edgeworthii* (s) × *formosum* var. *inequale* R: J.S. Basford, N: G.A. Hardy, I: G.A. Hardy (1984), REG: G.A. Hardy (1984) Fls 3-6/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 60 × 120mm, white, with a small, yellow-orange blotch in the throat; stongly scented. Calyx irregular, up to 15mm long, greenish white, ciliate. Lvs lanceolate, up to 120 × 40mm, dark and shiny green above, scaly below. FCC 1984

(r) **'Sylvetta'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1995)

(a) **'Sylvia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Leuchtfeuer' × 'Schnee' I: R. Mayer (1977) Fls semi-double, vivid red (57A). Calyx normal, green. Late. Indian

(r) **'Sylvia'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1911), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple

(a) **'Sylvia de Moor'** (Syn. of 'Sylvie de Moor')

(r) **'Sylvia V. Knight'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'J.H. van Nes' × Bow Bells Group H: B.T. Briggs (1963), G: E.L. Knight (1970), N: E.L. Knight, REG: E.L. Knight (1979) Fls up to 10/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 95mm wide, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (54A), with white flares extending from a white centre onto each lobe and with a small, streaked, deep red (53A) dorsal blotch. Calyx 1-2mm long, deep pink. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 120 × 50mm, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, moderate olive green (146A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.7 × 1.4m in 14 years. Late April

(a) **'Sylvie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Avenir' × 'Professeur Wolters' R: Z. Stiborek (c 1974), N: Z. Stiborek Fls double, sometimes single, 70-85mm wide, carmine pink, edged white, with a dark red blotch. Lvs elliptic, dark green

(a) **'Sylvie de Moor'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Caroline de Moor' R: J. Vervaene (pre 1890), N: J. Vervaene, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon rose, with a strong, dark red blotch and broad, white margins. Syn: 'Sylvia de Moore'

(a) **'Symmetry'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J. & C. Lee (pre 1845), N: J. & C. Lee, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon rose, with crimson dots. Indian (Other sources give Kinghorn as raiser)

(r) **'Symphonie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* × a Hardy Hybrid R: W.C. Slocock Ltd (c 1930), N: W.C. Slocock Ltd, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with a cream centre fading to white, and with deep almond pink edges

(a) **'Symphony'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Pericat, N: Le-Mac Nurseries, I: Le-Mac Nurseries (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 40 × 55-65mm, camellia rose (622). Pericat

(r) **Symphony Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Arthur Osborn' (s) × F.C. Puddle Group H: Lord Aberconway (1931), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(a) **'Syncopation'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1959), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1961) Fls yellow and moderate red. Midseason. Knap Hill

(r) **Syonense Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* ssp *cinnamomeum* var. *album* × *catawbiense* R: Iveson (pre 1849), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls delicate pink, spotted crimson

(a) **'Syowa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Surusumi' × 'Kokabenisibori' H: T. Kuwano (1918), I: T. Kuwano (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, white, variegated magenta. Early May

(a) **'Syringoides Pigmeum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Maupoil (1853), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Syunraku'** (Syn. of 'Shunraku')

(a) **'Tabasco'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: ? Canada (pre 1997). Knap Hill

(r) **'Tabasco'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Frango' × 'Estacada' H: D.W. Goheen (1979), G: D.W. Goheen (1990), N: D.W. Goheen, REG: D.W. Goheen (1990) Fls 22-24/domed truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 51 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (46C), with dark red spotting on the dorsal side of the corolla; style brown. Calyx 1mm long, vivid red (46C). Pedicels 25mm long, pink. Lvs elliptic, 152 × 51mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, wrinkled and dark glossy green above, with a silvery, felt-like indumentum below. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m in 10 years. April

(r) **'Tabasco's Sister'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Frango' (s) × 'Estacada' H: D.W. Goheen (1979), G: D.W. Goheen (1988), N: C. Hoffman (1995), I: C. Hoffman (1995), REG: D.W. Goheen (1999) Fls 12-14/domed truss, funnel-campanulate, 50 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (46A) in bud, opening inside moderate reddish orange (41C), veined strong red (46A), with a small, strongred (46A) blotch in the throat; outside strong red (41B). Calyx minute, strong red (41B), tinged green. Lvs elliptic, 65-115 × 25-40mm, margins wavy, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, bullate, glossy and dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairy below (hairs pale yellow-green (155A) at first, ageing to yellowish white (156D)). Shrub 1.1-1.4 × 1.1-1.4m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Tabata-yae'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × *brachycarpum* (as var. *nemotoanum*) H: Y. Tabata (1991), G: Y. Tabata (1997), S: Y. Tabata (1997), N: Y. Tabata (2001), REG: Y. Tabata (2001) Fls double, 18-21/ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 30 × 30mm, with 12 wavy-edged lobes, white in bud, opening white inside and out, with a spotted yellow-green, dorsal blotch. Calyx 20mm long, beige. Lvs long elliptic, 90 × 34mm, flat, obtuse at apex and base, glossy

above, with a powdery indumentum of white hairs on young leaves which is lost by maturity. Shrub 0.3 × 0.3m in 10 years. Long flowering period. (Standard: colour slide provided by registrant (WSY 0031890). Etymology: named for the originator and its doubled flowers ("yae" means double flowers in Japanese))

(r) **'Tabitha'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Unknown Warrior' × 'Ole Olson' (s) × *strigillosum* H: Mrs E.M. Watson (1975), G: Mrs E.M. Watson (1980), N: Mrs E.M. Watson, REG: Mrs E.M. Watson (1994) Fls 16/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 64mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53B) in bud, opening 53B, with a 10mm long, black nectar cup at the base of the tube; stamens 10, curved, unequal; style deep purplish pink (54B). Calyx 3mm long, moderate red (181A). Pedicels 16mm long, moderate red (181B). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 127 × 38mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate yellow-green (137C) above, moderate yellow-green (146C) below, with a light olive (152A), glandular indumentum below when young; petioles 19mm long, strong greenish yellow (151A), hairy. Shrub 1.5 × 2.1m in 18 years. Late February-early March

(a) **'Tachisene'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kaempferi* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double

(a) **'Tacitus'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple. Indian

(r) **'Tacoma'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1965) Fls in large trusses, cream-coloured. (Cultivated by Huthnance Nurseries, early 1960s, perhaps originated in Australia)

(r) **'Tacoma Maiden'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *ciliatum* × *ciliicalyx* H: L.E. Brandt (c 1950), G: C.P. Fawcett, N: C.P. Fawcett (1960), I: C.P. Fawcett (1960), REG: C.P. Fawcett (c 1961) Fls pure white, scented. Shrub of open habit, to 1.0m in 10 years. April

(a) **'Taenzer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Moonbeam' (s) × 'Beacon' H: G.W. Ring (1973), G: G.W. Ring (1980), N: G.W. Ring, REG: G.W. Ring (1998) Fls 2-4/truss, 40mm wide, 5-lobed, pale purplish pink (62D) at margins, shading to a paler centre, with vivid purplish red (61C) speckles on the three dorsal lobes. Spring lvs 25-45 × 13-19mm. Shrub with very slender stems, 1.5 × 1.4m in 17 years. Midseason. (Published in Galle, *Azaleas* (1985))

(a) **'Taffeta'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ivory' (s) × 'Kagetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 50-65mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, white, sanded and striped rosalane purple (moderate purplish red (70A)). Broad, spreading shrub to 1.2m. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Taffy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* hybrid G: Sir James Horlick (pre 1929), N: Sir James Horlick, I: Sir James Horlick, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 11/truss, geranium lake (20/1), fading to 20/2. Rounded shrub. Mid June. (Raised from seed from L. de Rothschild)

(r) **'Taffy'** cv. Parentage unknown H: M. Wildfong (pre 1980)

(a) **'Taggi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Paloma' (Harmsen) × 'Mevrouw Gerard Kint' R: Bernd Jackst GbR (1992), N: Bernd Jackst GbR, I: Bernd Jackst GbR, REG: Bernd Jackst GbR (1998) Fls single (or with an occasional petaloid), white, with a deep red edge

(a) **'Tago-no-ura'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1978), N: Japan Fls hose-in-hose, up to 45mm wide, nearly pure white, with a yellowish blotch (often inconspicuous) on the dorsal lobes. Kurume

(a) **'Tagoto-no-tsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, with broad, rounded lobes, white, with strong purplish red flecks, sectors and selfs; occasional pink with white margins. Satsuki

(a) **'Tagu'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *cumberlandense* × *viscosum* R: O. Holmsomback (pre 1985), N: O. Holmsomback Fls 40mm wide, with reflexed lobes, brilliant orange (29A), with a pink blush. Late

(a) **'Tahei'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Zuio' × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: unknown (pre 1967) A tetraploid. Satsuki

(r) **'Tahiti'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* × *catawbiense* × *dichroanthum* × (*fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × *campylocarpum*) H: D.G. Leach (1953), G: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach (1960), I: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1961) Fls ivory, edged salmon orange, with a russet dorsal blotch. Calyx conspicuous. Lvs 115 × 50mm. Shrub 1.0 × 1.1m. Midseason

(r) **'Tahitian Dawn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lem's Cameo' × 'Skipper' R: A.C. Korth, N: A.C. Korth, I: A.C. Korth (1991) Fls in rounded trusses, yellow, with peach and apricot markings. Lvs large, dark green. Erect shrub, 1.5m in 10 years. Midseason

(a) **'Tahoma'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Graciosum' (Occidentale) × a Ghent azalea hybrid R: B.F. Lancaster, N: B.F. Lancaster, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white

(r) **'Tahouzan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *degronianum* R: Japan (pre 1997), N: Japan Lvs variegated

(a) **'Tai-fuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 100-115mm wide, with rounded, wavy-edged lobes, white, blushed purplish pink, with a deep purplish pink blotch. Satsuki (Apparently the same plant seen as 'Taifuko')

(a) **'Taigoto-no-tsuki'** (Listed without data by Galle (1987), but probably an error for 'Tagoto-no-tsuki')

(a) **'Tai-hai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1963), N: Japan Fls c110mm wide, deep pink. (Raised on Hirado Island, Japan)

(a) **'Taihei'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, white, mottled dark purple, striped light purple (1958 Register); fls with often 6, broad, overlapping, wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink, with a small, white throat; occasional all white selfs (Galle, 1987). Satsuki

(a) **'Taiheikan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65mm wide, with rounded lobes, white in centre, with pale to darker purplish pink on edges, blotch dark pink. Early. Satsuki

(a) **'Taiho'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, with rounded, slightly overlapping lobes, light to deep pink, with stripes of strong red, occasionally with a white centre and deep pink margins. Very late. Satsuki

(a) **'Taikan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *scabrum* × Kurume azalea I: K. Wada (pre 1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, orange crimson (Wada cat.); fls white, with ragged, deep purple spots and light purple stripes (1958 Register). (Scabrume Group)

(a) **'Taikan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, with 5-7 lobes, white, with deep pink to strong red sectors and selfs, or white with red blotch, or deep pink with a white centre. Satsuki

(r) **'Taiping'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: seedling from subsect. *Triflora* G: Mrs R.M. Hansen, N: Mrs R.M. Hansen, REG: Mrs R.M. Hansen (1967) Fls 9-11/racemose truss, tubular-campanulate, 25 × 30mm, persian rose (638/2), shading lighter on inside, with yellow markings on three dorsal lobes. Lvs lanceolate, to 50 × 20mm, dark green, densely covered with scales below. Shrub to 2.0m. Early May. (Seedling obtained from J.A. Barto, 1948)

(a) **'Taisan-haku'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, with 5-8 lobes, white with pale greenish banding (1958 Register); fls 50mm wide, white, with rounded, wavy-edged lobes. Midseason (Galle, 1987). Satsuki

(a) **'Taisen-haku'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* R: Japan (pre 1976), N: Japan Shrub with thick stems. (Obtained by Creech & March (1976) from Miyami-en Nursery, Kyushu Island, Japan)

(a) **'Taisetsuzan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Taishuhai'** (Syn. of 'Daishuhai')

(r) **'Taiyo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *degronianum* subsp. *heptamerum* hybrid R: K. Wada (pre 1981) Shrub to at least 4.5m

(a) **'Taiyoh'** (Listed as a parent of 'Beni-gane' and other azaleodendron cultivars)

(a) **'Taizan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, white, with purple stripes, edged lighter. Satsuki

(r) **'Taj Mahal'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: A. Consolini (pre 1970), G: A. Consolini/H. & E. Pilkington, N: R.K. Peters, I: R. Carter (1993), REG: R.K. Peters (1992) Fls 18/conical truss, open funnel-campanulate, 57 × 89mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish purple (2.5RP 5/10) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (10P 8/5) with wide, wavy margins of strong reddish purple (2.5RP 5/10) fading to deep purplish pink (2.5RP 6/10), with spots and streaks of strong yellow-green (2.5GY 7/10) in the throat; outside deep purplish pink (2.5RP 6/10); stamens 10, straight, unequal. Calyx 29mm long, dark orange-yellow (10YR 6/8). Pedicels 38mm long, 2.5GY 6/8. Lvs elliptic, 152 × 70mm, margins undulate, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate yellow-green (5GY 5/6) above, dark greenish yellow (7.5Y 6/7) below, hairless; petioles 25mm long, 10Y 5/5. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 8 years. Late May

(a) **'Takachie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1984), N: Japan Fls semi-double, white, similar to 'Ominameshi'. Satsuki

(a) **'Takako'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from Aronense Group R: W. Arends (pre 1960) Fls strong purplish pink (62A), with reddish spotting. New growth very hairy. Syn: 'Geisha Lilarosa'

(a) **'Takamakie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a greenish eye. Kurume

(a) **'Takamatsu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, persimmon orange, marked with red stripes and spots; red selfs also produced. Satsuki

(a) **'Takamatsu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1984), N: Japan. Satsuki (There is a modern cultivar with this name, according to Creech in the Ito translation)

(a) **'Takane'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, light red, with darker red streaks, edged white; occasional red selfs. Satsuki

(a) **'Takane-koshimino'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light red, with darker red streaks, edged white; strap-like segments between calyx and corolla; occasional red selfs. Satsuki

(a) **'Taka-no-hana'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, with pointed, spaced lobes, white, with red spots, stripes, sectors and selfs. Low, spreading shrub. Satsuki

(a) **'Taka-no-tsukasa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50mm wide, with rounded, spaced lobes, pale purplish pink, white towards centre, with a slight, yellowish brown blotch; stamens white; pistil coloured. Satsuki

(a) **'Takara'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kaho' × 'Kin-kazan' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, with 5-6, broad, wavy-edged, rounded lobes, white, with occasional deep pink to strong red stripes, sectors and selfs, or pink with white edges. Low, compact shrub. Satsuki

(a) **'Takarabune'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kyokko-nishiki' × 'Madame Moreux' I: Chugai Nursery Co. (pre 1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65-75mm wide, with 5-7 overlapping, wavy-edged lobes, scarlet crimson stripes on white, throat greenish. Satsuki

(a) **'Takara-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 75mm wide, white, dorsal lobes washed with pink, ventral lobes striped red. Satsuki

(a) **'Takara-no-yama'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65mm wide, white, with vivid red stripes. Satsuki

(a) **'Takasa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1939), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as a parent of 'Koho')

(a) **'Takasago'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c60mm wide, light purple (Ito translation); fls 65-75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink, with a purplish pink blotch (Galle, 1987). Satsuki

(a) **'Takasago'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1918), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, cherryblossom pink, paler in the throat, with dark spots. Syn: 'Cherryblossom'; Wilson no.11. Kurume (Sometimes seen as 'Takasayo')

(a) **'Takasago'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* R: Japan (pre 1995), N: Japan

(a) **'Take the Time'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1987), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls white, tinged purplish pink; scented

(a) **'Takochiko'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* L: Miyami-en Nursery (1976) Fls 25mm wide, strong purplish red (59C-60D)

(a) **'Takoma Park'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Sheila' × 'Seattle White' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: S.M. Armstrong, REG: S.M. Armstrong (1968) Fls single, 80mm wide, white, with a chartreuse blotch, lobes crinkly. Mid May. Syn: 'City of Takoma Park'

(r) **'Taku'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Tally Ho Group × *yakushimanum* H: G.W. Clarke (pre 1982), G: G.W. Clarke, N: G.W. Clarke, I: George W. Clarke Nursery, REG: Mrs M. Clarke (1992) Fls 12/domed truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 70 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (51A) in bud, opening moderate pink (51D) with dark red freckles scattered on the three dorsal lobes, outside deep pink (51B); stamens 10, curved, unequal. Calyx 3mm long, red. Pedicels 20mm long, red. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 152 × 32mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, wrinkled, dull and moderate olive green (137B) above, moderate yellow (160A) below, with a felted, light tan indumentum ageing to dark tan; petioles 20mm long, red. Shrub 1.2-1.5 × 1.2m in 10 years. May

(r) **'Talavera'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *moupinense* (white form) × *sulfureum* R: C. Williams (pre 1947), I: C. Williams, REG: F.J. Williams (1964) Fls 2-4/truss, rather flat, 25-50mm wide, 5-lobed, light greenish yellow (5C); with prominent brown anthers. Lvs elliptic, 50 × 30mm, scaly below; petioles deep red. Bud scales crimson. AM 1947, FCC 1963 Syn: 'Golden Oriole Talavera', 'Golden Oriole' (Originally shown as 'Golden Oriole', and later known as 'Golden Oriole Talavera' and 'Talavera'. The contracted form, 'Talavera', is accepted here)

(a) **'Talbot'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Glacier' × 'Tama-giku' (s) × 'Getsutoku' H: R.D. Gartrell (1962), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell (1970), REG: R.D. Gartrell (1985) Fls single, 1/bud, 40 × 75mm, open funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, light tints of moderate pink (49B) to pale purplish pink (56A), occsionally margined white, throat greenish white, spotting strong red (53D). Calyx 4mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Spring lvs elliptic, 36 × 18mm. Shrub up to 1.0m. (Robin Hill no. T16-10)

(a) **'Talisman'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: H. Demay (1897), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, salmon rose, edged white and with a purple blotch. Early. Indian

(a) **'Talisman'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Bridal Veil' (s) × 'Azuma-no-hana' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, 65mm wide, pure white, with no blotch, but sanded and striped eugenia red (moderate red (180B)). Very dense shrub to 1.2m. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Talisman'** (Syn. of 'Margaret Dunn Talisman')

(r) **'Talisman'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R.T. Pince (pre 1868), N: R.T. Pince, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear rosy lilac, with large, thick, chocolate spots on the dorsal lobe. (Published in Lucombe, Pince & Co. cat., c1868)

(r) **'Talisman'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Chanticleer' (s) × Ramillies Group H: Lord Aberconway (1938), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blood red

(a) **'Talladega'** cv. Deciduous azalea: wild-collected selection of *alabamense* S: L.C. Towe & N. Anastos

(2000), N: L.C. Towe & N. Anastos (2001), I: E. Koone III (2001), REG: L.C. Towe & N. Anastos (2001) Fls single, 5-9/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped (with a very narrow tube), c50 × 50mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, white in bud, opening white inside and with a large, brilliant yellow (10A) dorsal blotch, outside white; strongly scented. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs obovate, 65 × 30mm, margins flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (146A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years. Late April. (Wild-collected from Talladega Mountains, eastern Alabama, USA; the registrants suggest that the heavy wood, thick leaves and large flowers may indicate a spontaneous tetraploid mutation)

(r) **'Talleyrand'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'G.A. Sims' (s) × Tally Ho Group I: G. Reuthe Ltd (1945), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blood red

(r) **Tally Ho Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *facetum* × *griersonianum* I: J.J. Crosfield & Lady Loder (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c14/compact, domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55-60 × 75mm, deep pink (43C), shading darker in the nectaries. Calyx densely glandular, shallowly lobed. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 90-130 × 30-35mm, dark, dull green above, with a thick, brown, felted indumentum below (patchy with age). Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. FCC 1933 (Crosfield and Lady Loder showed almost identical trusses on the same day, obtained from the reverse crosses of these two species. The FCC encompassed both. Another plant is reported from New Zealand under this name said to have been raised by E.F. Stead; there is no confirmation of this or details of parentage)

(r) **'Talvena'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Tally Ho Group (s) × *venator* I: A. Congreve (1946), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Tamabeni'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1978), N: Japan Fls single, up to 25mm wide, vivid red (5R 5/3 - 5R 4/12), with a darker blotch on the dorsal lobes. Kurume

(a) **'Tamabotan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls double (with 12-15 wavy-edged lobes), 75-90mm wide, white to light pink, occasional sectors or selfs of reddish orange: variable. Satsuki

(a) **'Tamadare-nishiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Camellia Lodge Nursery (1977) Fls single, salmon pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Tamafuyo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1918), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, striped peach (Wilson); fls 30mm wide, white, striped strong purplish red (63B) (Galle, 1987). Syn: 'Fancy'; Wilson no. 23. Kurume

(a) **'Tama-giku'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Chugai Nursery Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 70mm wide, white, flecked, spotted or striped deep yellowish pink (47C); some deep yellowish pink (47C) selfs. Low, spreading habit. Very late (1958 Register card); fls 75-90mm wide, with 5-12 narrow lobes, deep purplish pink, with darker dots in the blotch (Galle, 1987). Satsuki

(a) **'Tama-hime'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, white, with vivid pink flecks; stamens and pistil white. Early. Satsuki

(a) **'Tamahota'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50mm wide, 'somewhat tubular', white, with a few stripes of strong purplish pink and often blushed light pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Tama-kagami'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, with rounded lobes, white, with yellowish pink stripes and sectors, a slight green blotch and an occasional pink self with a reddish purple blotch. Early. Satsuki

(a) **'Tama-kazura'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light persimmon orange, streaked with red, with a petaloid cap-like structure between calyx and corolla (i. e. short hose-in-hose). Satsuki

(a) **'Tama-no-hada'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1982), N: Japan Fls 100-125mm wide, with broad, rounded lobes, white, with deep pink stripes, occasional strong to deep pink selfs and white margins. Satsuki

(a) **'Tama-no-hada Number Two'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Tama-no-hada' L: Nuccio's Nurseries (1987) Fls single, large, with broad, rounded lobes, pink, edged white, with light red spots in the throat; occasional solid coral fls. Satsuki

(a) **'Tama-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hitomaru' × 'Yata-no-kagami' R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan Fls 40-50mm wide, star-shaped, with narrow, spaced lobes, with some tips rolled back, light to strong pink, with red stripes. Satsuki

(a) **'Tama-no-ito'** cv. Evergreen azalea: possibly a selection from *indicum* R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light rosolane purple

(a) **'Tama-no-midori'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rose. Syn: 'Tama-no-yukari'. Kurume

(a) **'Tama-no-utena'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1918), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 20mm wide, moderate reddish orange (41C), with crimson spotting. Syn: 'Flamingo'; Wilson no. 45. Kurume (The spelling 'Tamo-no-utena', used in the 1958 Register, is considered to be an error)

(a) **'Tama-no-yukari'** (Syn. of 'Tama-no-midori')

(a) **'Tama-no-yuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 65mm wide, white, edged purple; stamens white. Satsuki

(a) **'Tamaori-hime'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls "slightly tubular", 50-65mm wide, with broad, overlapping lobes, white, flaked deep pink, with occasional spots and stripes, throat greenish. Satsuki

(a) **'Tamar'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: F.E.W. Hanger, G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, REG: Royal Horticultural Society (1963) Fls 10/compact, globular truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 65mm, with wavy-edged lobes, vivid yellow, with an orange-yellow blotch. Lvs 75 × 40mm, mid dull green above, tinged brown. Shrub c1.9m. *HC 1962. Knap Hill

(a) **'Tamara'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Violaceum' × 'Sundance' R: W.L. Guttormsen (pre 1982), N: W.L. Guttormsen Fls hose-in-hose, 55mm wide, strong purplish red (58B). Shrub 0.5m in 10 years

(a) **'Tamarind'** (Syn. of 'Cézanne')

(r) **'Tamarindos'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Bluebell' × 'Purple Splendour' H: H. Hachmann (1975), G: H. Hachmann (1980), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1987), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 9-13/truss, open funnel-shaped, 45-60 × 70-80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep reddish purple (77A), lobes more-or-less deep purple (79C), shading to very pale purple (69B-C(-D)) in throat, outside deep reddish purple (77A) to deep purple (79C), tinged vivid reddish purple (74A), dorsal lobe with a large, conspicuous blotch of greenish yellow (153A-C) on a very pale purple ground. Calyx 6-8mm long, greenish. Lvs elliptic to broadly elliptic, 120-145 × 40-55mm, flat to concave, acute at apex, cuneate to rounded at base, mid green above; petioles reddish brown above. Shrub of rather loose, erect habit, 1.1 × 1.5m in 10 years. Late May-mid June

(a) **'Tama-sugata'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Chugai Nursery Co. (pre 1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 55mm wide, with rounded lobes tending to be revolute, white, with a deep yellowish pink (47C) margin (or *vice versa*, or deep yellowish pink selfs), with a red blotch. Very late. Satsuki (Galle (1987) gives flower width as 75-90mm)

(a) **'Tamaya-murasaki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: reported to be a *stenopetalum* selection L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c60mm wide, deep purple. Tsutsuji

(r) **'Tambo Moon'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: chance seedling from *falconeri* H: I.A. Hayes (1976), G: I.A. Hayes (1987), N: I.A. Hayes, REG: I.A. Hayes (1987) Fls 20/truss, open campanulate, 50 × 65mm, 5-lobed, pale greenish yellow (2D), with a very small, strong red (53B) blotch. Lvs oblong-elliptic, 180 × 80mm. Shrub rigidly compact, 0.8 × 0.7m. April-May

(r) **'Tamerlane'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls maroon

(a) **'Tami'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Boudoir' × 'Rose Greeley' R: W.L. Guttormsen (pre 1982), N: W.L. Guttormsen Fls hose-in-hose, 45mm wide, strong purplish pink (55B); scented. Shrub 0.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Tami'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Snow Queen Group, open-pollinated H: N.E. Hess (1967), G: N.E. Hess, N: N.E. Hess, I: N.E. Hess (1982) Fls 9-10/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 60 × 100mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, pink in bud, opening white with vivid yellow-green (154A) dorsal spotting; moderately scented. Calyx 6mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 50mm, mucronate at apex, cuneate to rounded at base, flat, moderate olive green (146A) above, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 1.5m in 15 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Tamie Fraser'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ('C.I.S.' × 'Crest') seedling (s) × 'Lem's Cameo' G: P.C. Brothers (1990), N: P.C. Brothers (1993), REG: P.C. Brothers (1994) Fls 11/open truss, funnel-shaped, 55mm wide, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, buds pale orange-yellow (16D) overlaid pale yellowish pink (36D), opening inside and out similarly coloured, but with the lobe edges pale yellowish pink (36D) and the throat and two dorsal lobes moderate red (179A). Calyx 28mm long, pale orange-yellow (16D). Lvs oblong, 120 × 55mm, wavy, matt green above, apiculate at apex, auriculate at base; new foliage tinted bronze. Shrub 1.5 × 1.0m in 8 years. Late spring

(r) **'Tamina'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goldkrone' (s) × hybrid of *wardii* H: H. Hachmann (1977), G: H. Hachmann (1983), N: H. Hachmann (1992), I: H. Hachmann (1993), REG: G. Stück (1994) Fls 13-15/flattened ball truss, funnel-campanulate, 40-45 × 58-64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, coppery orange-yellow in bud, opening pale greenish yellow (2D) tinged pale yellowish pink (36D) at first both inside and out, fading with age; markings very inconspicuous or absent. Calyx 1.5mm long, pale greenish. Lvs elliptic, 90-110 × 55-60mm, slightly wavy-edged, slightly glossy and mid green above, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.7 × 1.5m in 10 years. Late May-mid June. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1993/1994)

(a) **'Tamino'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kaigetsu' (s) × 'Nancy of Robinhill' × 'Ledifolium Roseum' H: R.D. Gartrell (1967), G: R.D. Gartrell (1972), N: R.D. Gartrell, REG: R.D. Gartrell (1983) Fls 2/truss, 30 × 80mm, 5-lobed, white, suffused strong purplish red to strong purplish pink (63B-C) at margins, with faint, dorsal spotting of light yellow (160B); flowers with a silvery iridescence. Calyx 7mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Winter lvs narrowly obovate, 25 × 13mm; spring lvs elliptic, 50 × 25mm; sparsely hairy. Shrub c0.4m in 12 years

(a) **'Tamino-no-yuki'** (An error for 'Tanima-no-yuki')

(a) **'Tamira'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: K. Glaser (pre 1984), N: K. Glaser Fls semi-double, vivid purplish red (57D) inside and out, with deep red markings (60A). Indian

(r) **'Tammy Jean'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Apricot Nectar' (s) × 'Lem's Cameo' H: C. Weeks (1986), G: C. Weeks (1990), N: C. Weeks, I: Westgate Gardens Nursery (1990), REG: C. Weeks (1995) Fls 15/domed truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 50 × 75mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, inside light orange-yellow (16B), with vivid reddish orange (42A) edges and a 42A blotch in the centre which extends upwards in the dorsal throat, some speckling of the same colour on dorsal lobe; outside with some vivid reddish orange (42A) stripes; stamens 14, slightly curved, unequal; stigma strong yellow-green (144A). Calyx c1.5mm long, vivid red (45A). Pedicels 30mm long, moderate yellow-green (146B). Lvs elliptic, 108 × 44mm, convex, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (146C) below, hairless; petioles 30mm long, moderate yellow-green (146C). Shrub 0.9 × 0.5m in 9 years. Late March

(a) **'Tamo-no-utena'** (See note under 'Tama-no-utena')

(a) **'Tamoshanter'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown G: J.F. Caperci, N: Mrs B.M. McDonald, I: Mrs B.M. McDonald (c 1975), REG: Mrs B.M. McDonald (1983) Fls 16-17/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong orange (26B), shading to 26A, with a dorsal blotch of vivid orange-yellow (23A) and a light yellow (18A) throat. Calyx 3mm long, strong yellow-green (143B). Lvs elliptic, 75-100 × 35-40mm, strong yellow-green (144A); rosy red, shaded yellow, in autumn. Shrub 1.0 × 1.5m in 15 years. Knap Hill (Original plant raised from seed by J.F. Caperci, 1967)

(a) **'Tamsen Donner'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *cumberlandense* × 'Rogue River Belle' R: L.F. Frisbie (pre 1965), N: L.F. Frisbie Fls 65mm wide, red, orange and yellow. Late

(r) **'Tan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* hybrid R: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), INC: ICRA (1958) (The plant selected and named by H.F. DuPont (pre 1978) and introduced by Gladsgay Nursery may be the same: fls apricot)

(a) **'Tanabata'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single and double, c30mm wide, red. Spring (and again in August). Tsutsuji

(a) **'Tanager'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum*, deep salmon-flowered form (s) × 'Hazel Dawson' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, brilliant red, with a dark dorsal blotch; resembles 'Picador' but later flowering. Shrub to 1.5m. Early May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Tanager'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep brilliant orange. Knap Hill

(r) **'Tanana'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* × *yakushimanum* (Exbury form), selfed H: A.A. & M. Childers (c 1962), G: A.A. & M. Childers, N: A.A. & M. Childers, I: A.A. & M. Childers, REG: A.A. & M. Childers (1979) Fls up to 15/truss, 75mmwide, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, pale yellowish pink (36D) in bud, opening white, with yellowish green spotting in two dorsal lobe sectors. Lvs oblanceolate, 100 × 40mm, obtuse at apex, slightly oblique at base, moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub under 0.9 × 1.4m in 14 years. Early-mid May

(a) **'Tancho'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1918), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 25mm wide, deep rose in bud, opening very pale pink, darker at edges, with faint crimson spots. Syn: 'Seraphim'; Wilson no. 6. Kurume

(a) **'Tancho'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Ayanishiki' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls with spaced lobes, purplish pink. Lvs variegated, with a fine yellow margin. Satsuki

(a) **'Tancho-no-tsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(r) **'Tancrède'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as a selection or hybrid of *catawbiense* L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Tan Crossing'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Jalisco Eclipse' × 'Jalisco Goshawk' H: Crown Estate Commissioners (1950), G: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (c 1959), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1962) Fls 10-12/truss, 50 × 75mm, 7-lobed, pale greenish yellow (9D), deepening in the throat to brilliant yellow (7B), with a small blotch of moderate purplish red (184C) in upper throat; some flowers slightly flushed greyed red. Calyx lobes irregular, to 20mm long, reflexed, green. Lvs oblanceolate, to 210 × 45mm, dark green, hairless. PC 1965, AM 1976

(a) **'Tan Dilly'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lady Louise' (s) × 'Kaigetsu' × 'Carol' (Gable's) H: R.D. Gartrell (1967), G: R.D. Gartrell (1972), N: R.D. Gartrell, REG: R.D. Gartrell (1983) Fls an irregular double, 2/truss, 45 × 65mm, 5-lobed, light pink (49C), with often faint dorsal spotting of strong pink (54C), sometimes fading to dark yellowish pink (181D). Calyx 7mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 30 × 17mm. Shrub c0.3m in 12 years. (Robin Hill no. U2-9)

(a) **'Tang'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Scarlet Salute' × 'Red King' H: D.G. Leach (1952), G: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach (1961), I: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1961) Fls 9-11/truss, 60mm wide, strong orange, suffused strong reddish orange around edge, finally becoming brilliant scarlet, edged dark orange-red. Lvs oblanceolate, 78 × 35mm, glaucous below. Shrub 1.9 × 1.0m in 11 years. Midseason

(a) **'Tangerine'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls terracotta orange with an orange eye. Ghent

(a) **'Tangerine'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Stokes (pre 1969), N: W.E. Stokes

(a) **'Tangerine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Holly Heath Nursery (1978) Fls hose-in-hose, orange-red. Kurume (Probably a Domoto introduction from Japan)

(r) **'Tangerine'** (Syn. of 'Cinnandrum Tangerine')

(r) **'Tangerine'** (Syn. of 'Fabia Tangerine')

(a) **'Tangerine Glow'** cv. Deciduous azalea: primarily derived from *prunifolium* R: Weston Nurseries (pre 1988), N: Weston Nurseries Fls dark orange. Late July

(v) **'Tangerine Orange'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1993)

(a) **'Tangiers'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Exbury, N: Exbury, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls strong orange. Knap Hill

(a) **'Tan Glow'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1987)

(a) **'Tango'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Alice' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 2-3/truss, 75mm wide, ventral part of flower eosine pink (strong pink (48C)), shaded with salmon, three dorsal lobes between deep rose pink (deep purplish pink (64D)) and rose (strong purplish red (63B)), with a heavy blotch of inverted horseshoe-shaped spots of pomegranate purple (strong red (53B)). Erect shrub, with ascending branches, to 2.2m. Mid April. Glenn Dale

(v) **'Tango Time'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *macgregoriae* × *christianae* R: unknown (pre 1993) Fls with bright tangerine lobes and a yellow throat. Compact shrub

(r) **'Tangy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* × 'Brookville' × 'Mary Garrison' H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 14/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 50 × 60mm, 5-lobed, a blend of strong purplish red, deep purplish pink, strong pink and strong purplish pink (54A, B, C, 55B) in bud, opening yellowish white (158D), edged strong and light purplish pink (55B, C), with a light greenish yellow (3D) flare and dark greenish yellow (152C) dorsal spots; filaments and style pale greenish yellow (1D); anthers pale yellow (161D); stigma moderate reddish brown (174A). Lvs 89 × 38mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m in 18 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer (1986))

(a) **'Tanima-no-yuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *indicum* L: Yokohama Nursery (1932), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, salmon red, with a white base. Syn: 'Coral Ivory'. Indian (Sometimes seen in error as 'Tamino-no-yuki'; perhaps better listed as a Satsuki)

(a) **'Tanima-no-yuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1956), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, white. Indian (Raised on Hirado Island, Japan)

(a) **'Tanja'** cv. Evergreen azalea: from a witches' broom on 'Christina' R: M. Nosal (pre 1987), N: M. Nosal Fls hose-in-hose, moderate red. Low, compact shrub. Kaempferi

(a) **'Tannhaüser'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L.L. Liebig, N: L.L. Liebig, I: L.L. Liebig (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red, with a handsome blotch. Indian

(r) **'Tanniyak'** cv. Parentage unknown H: G.W. Clarke (pre 1980)

(r) **'Tantivy Tantivy'** cv. Elepidote/Lepidote cross: Fusilier Group (s) × *lindleyi* H: C.R.W. Waddington (1994), G: C.R.W. Waddington (2001), N: C.R.W. Waddington (2001), REG: C.R.W. Waddington (2001) Fls 7/flat truss, funnel-shaped, 90 × 70-80mm, with 5, narrowly but strongly wavy-edged lobes, strong red (50A), opening inside strong purplish red (54A) with strong red (50A) in the throat, outside strong purplish red (54A); a small amount of strong red (50A) speckling in dorsal throat. Calyx 5mm long, parchment-coloured, pink at base, more-or-less hyaline, lying more-or-less flat (the lobes in the seed parent are very short). Lvs lanceolate, 115-125 × 30-32mm, margins decurved, acute at apex, narrowed at base, slightly glossy green above, very sparely hairy above when young, with numerous, minute, dark, distant scales below, the scales colourless or reddish when young. Shrub 0.8 × 0.3m in 7 years. Late May-early June. (Standard: colour slide provided by registrant (WSY 0029675))

(r) **'Tantramar'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' × Treasure Group H: J.B. Brueckner (1870), G: J.B. Brueckner (1976), N: J.B. Brueckner, REG: J.B. Brueckner (1989) Fls 7/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 57 × 64-76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, and with strong purplish red margins (60B), centre strong purplish red (63B) and outside strong purplish red (60C). Lvs elliptic, 76 × 64mm, convex, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 0.86 × 0.97m in 19 years. Mid May

(a) **'Tanya'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (pre 1984) Fls single, vivid pink. Indian

(r) **'Tanyosho'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' × Vanessa Group H: R.M. Bovee (1950), G: R.M. Bovee, I: Bovees Nursery Fls in a loose truss, campanulate, pale pink fading to nearly white. Lvs indumented. Shrub 0.9m in 10 years, semi-dwarf, with a flat top and a compact and spreading habit. Midseason

(r) **'Taos'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *carneum* (s) × 'Harry Tagg' H: E.W. Moyles (1985), G: E.W. Moyles (1991), N: E.W. Moyles, REG: E.W. Moyles (1995) Fls 4-5/ball truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 75 × 100mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (49A) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (65C-D); outside flushed light purplish pink (65B); stamens 10, curved, unequal; spicily scented. Calyx 0.5mm long, light yellow-green (145B). Pedicels 6mm long, light yellow-green (145B). Lvs elliptic, 80 × 30mm, slightly convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull, moderate olive green (137A) and slightly bullate above, with a deeply impressed midrib, greyish yellow-green (194B) and with moderate reddish brown (174A) scales below; petioles at least 6mm long, light yellow-green (145B). Shrub under 1.0 × 1.3m in 10 years. February-March

(r) **'Tapestry'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purpureum Splendens' (s) × *catawbiense* hybrid H: E.V. Mezitt (1971), G: Weston Nurseries (pre 1980), N: R.W. Mezitt (pre 1990), I: Weston Nurseries (1995), REG: R.W. Mezitt (1999) Fls 18/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purple (80A), with a dark purple (79A) dorsal blotch. Calyx c1.5mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 75 × 30mm, margins decurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 8 years. Late May. (First published in Weston Nurseries cat., 1995)

(a) **'Tara'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Helen Close' × 'Glamour' R: W.L. Guttormsen (pre 1982), N: W.L. Guttormsen Fls single, 90mm wide, vivid purplish red (57C). Shrub 0.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Tara'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Tally Ho Group (s) × *griersonianum* × Kingianum Group R: E.G.W.W. Harrison, N: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1960), REG: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1961) Fls 17-19/tight, conical truss, funnel-campanulate, 40 × 55mm, turkey red (721/1), with some spotting on dorsal lobe. Calyx small, wavy-edged, red. Pedicels 20mm long, glutinous. Lvs 140 × 45mm. AM 1964

(r) **'Taragona'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Double Date' (s) × 'Erato' H: H. Hachmann (1984), G: H. Hachmann (1990), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 12-14/fairly compact truss, broadly open funnel-shaped, 50-55 × 70-85mm, (5-)6-7-lobed, the lobes slightly wavy-edged, darker than strong red (46A) inside and out, with black-red markings on all lobes; stamens 10-11, filaments deep pink (52C), anthers moderate orange-yellow (165C); style moderate purplish red (184C), stigma dark red (187A); ovary white-felted. Calyx c1mm long, dark red. Lvs lanceolate, 90-110 × 30-42mm, margins flat, acuminate at apex, rounded at base, matt mid green above, with discontinuous, rusty brown hairs below when mature. Shrub 1.1 × 1.4m in 10 years. Late May-mid June. (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030667). First published in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(r) **'Tara Lynn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *macabeanum*, open-pollinated G: H. Vaartnou (1971), N: H. Vaartnou, I: H. Vaartnou (1977), REG: H. Vaartnou (1992) Fls 15-20/ball truss, oblique-campanulate, 64 × 76mm, with 8 wavy-edged lobes, salmon pink in bud, opening pale yellow-green (4D); stamens 15-17, straight, unequal; style reddish; slightly scented. Calyx 3mm long, green. Pedicels 19mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 178 × 76mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless above, with a thin indumentum of whitish green hairs below when young; petioles 25mm long. Shrub 2.1 × 2.1m in 25 years. February-March. (Grown from seed collected by Vaartnou in 1963)

(r) **'Tarantella'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Oratorium' × 'Feuerschein' H: H. Hachmann (1976), G: H. Hachmann (1981), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1988), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 12-14(-16)/truss, funnel-shaped, 45-50 × 65-70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside deep red (53A) shading to strong red (53B), outside similarly coloured, dorsal lobe richly marked dark red (187A(-C)) on a light ground that is more-or-less white in throat; flower colour does not fade. Calyx 1-1.5mm long, reddish. Lvs elliptic-ovate, 120 × 48-52mm, acute at apex, rounded(-oblique) at base, mid green and slightly glossy above, edges and veins yellowish green; petioles reddish brown above. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 10 years. Late May-mid June

(r) **Taranto Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *falconeri* subsp. *falconeri* (s) × *falconeri* subsp. *eximium* R: A.W. Heneage-Vivian, N: A.W. Heneage-Vivian, I: A.W. Heneage-Vivian (1940), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Tarasa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958). Kurume

(a) **'Tardivum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. van Geert (1843), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as "Calendulacea Tardiva")

(a) **'Tardivum Multiflorum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent ?

(a) **'Target'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1964) Fls single, 65-70mm wide, begonia rose shading towards spectrum red, dots of blotch inconspicuous, giving the effect of nopal red. Shrub 1.4m tall in 10 years. Back Acres

(r) **'Target'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *auriculatum* × Azor Group R: M. Haworth-Booth (pre 1978), N: M. Haworth-Booth Fls scarlet. July

(r) **'Tarnish'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* (s) × 'Mary Garrison' H: unknown (c 1972), G: M. Byrkit, N: M. Byrkit (2002), REG: M. Byrkit (2002) Fls c12/somewhat lax ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 50 × 60mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, dull pinkish yellow in bud, opening to light orange-yellow (16C) inside, slightly darker in the throat, outside tinged

pinkish yellow. Calyx 5mm long, pinkish yellow. Lvs elliptic to lanceolate, 130 × 45mm, margins flat, acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 2.4 × 1.8m in 30 years. Late May

(r) **Taronense Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. taronense*

(a) **'Tartar'** cv. Evergreen azalea: un-named reddish salmon cultivar (s) × 'Ogi-kasane' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 2-4/truss, 50mm wide, light jasper red (moderate red (179B)), with an inconspicuous blotch of pomegranate purple (strong red (53B)) dots. Shrub to 1.5m tall. Early-mid April. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Tarun'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *arboreum* subsp. *nilagiricum*, found in 1995 by Tarun Chhabra at 2, 550m on Mount Kudiakadu, Nilgiri Mtns, southern India S: T. Chhabra (1998), N: M.S. Viraraghavan (1998), REG: M.S. Viraraghavan (1998) Fls 11/ball truss, tubular-campanulate, 30 × 25mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, white throughout except for pale greenish yellow (13D) throat and sparse, pale yellowish brown spotting on basal half of corolla. Calyx 1mm long, olive green. Lvs elliptic to oblong-elliptic, 60 × 35mm, acuminate at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and olive green above, indumentum below pale brownish cream, darkening to brownish cream. Shrub 1.5 × 2.0m (in the wild). Late October-early November (India)

(a) **'Taschkent'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Multiflorum' × unknown R: G. Arends (pre 1987), N: G. Arends Fls 2-4/truss, 25-35mm wide, 5-6-lobed, deep purplish pink (66C), unmarked. Low, broad, rounded shrub

(r) **'Tasco'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catacosmum* × *griersonianum* R: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1966) Fls c6/lax truss, broadly campanulate, deep scarlet throughout (including styles and filaments); anthers black. Lvs with a cinnamon indumentum below. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m. April-May. PC 1967 (Tasco Group)

(r) **Tasco Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *catacosmum* × *griersonianum* R: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1966)

(v) **'Tashbaan'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Sir George Holford' × *leucogigas* × *aurigeranum* H: P. Sullivan (1974), G: P. Sullivan, I: W.A. Moynier (1979), REG: W.A. Moynier (1981) Fls 9-10/truss, narrowly tubular funnel-shaped, 75mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light orange-yellow (22B). Lvs narrowly elliptic to oblanceolate, 125 × 45mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins revolute, semi-glossy and dark yellowish green (139A) above, with tiny, moderately spaced, dark brown scales below. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m in 7 years. February-March

(a) **'Tashiroi Hybrid Pink Pearl'** (Syn. of 'Tashiroi Numazu Beauty')

(a) **'Tashiroi Numazu Beauty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *tashiroi* × *weyrichii* R: K. Wada (pre 1958), N: K. Wada Fls the colour of 'Pink Pearl'. Shrub 2.2-2.5m tall. Syn: 'Tashiroi Hybrid Pink Pearl', 'Tashiroi Pink Pearl'

(a) **'Tashiroi Pink Pearl'** (Syn. of 'Tashiroi Numazu Beauty')

(a) **'Tasho-nishiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(r) **'Tasmanian Treasure'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Percy Wiseman' (s) × 'Tomeka' H: H.R. Malone (1979), G: N. Sullivan (1990), N: N. Sullivan (1998), REG: N. Sullivan (1998) Fls 10/flattened dome truss, campanulate, 40 × 75mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, strong red (51A) in bud, opening strong red (51A) and fading from centre outwards within a few days to pale yellow (19C) suffused deep pink (47D) - overall effect is soft orange; outside similarly coloured; unmarked; nectaries forming a red, basal, 5-pointed star. Calyx small, red. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 50mm, margins decurved, acute at apex, obtuse at base, matt and mid green above, paler below, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.0m in 18 years. November (Tasmania). (Fls a softer orange than 'Westbury Wonder')

(r) **'Tassie Gold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Crest' (s) × *yakushimanum* × *lacteum* H: C.C. Smith (1976), G: H.R. Malone (1985), N: H.R. Malone, I: H.R. Malone, REG: H. Ronken (2002) Fls 15/lax truss, funnel-campanulate, 65 × 85mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, light yellow-green (154D) in bud, opening light yellow-green (2C) inside and out, with light basal spotting of brilliant yellow-green (150B); filaments light yellow-green (2C), anthers moderate orange-yellow (164C); style light yellow-green (2C), stigma brilliant yellow-green (149B). Calyx brilliant yellow-green (150B). Pedicels greenish yellow. Lvs elliptic, 130 × 60mm, margins decurved, acute at apex, cordate at base, glossy green, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 2.0m in 25 years. (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0032317))

(a) **'Tat'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Helen Close' × 'Glamour' R: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1967) Fls double, 1-2/truss, up to 75mm wide, moderate purplish pink (2.5RP 7/8). Lvs 50 × 25mm. Shrub to 0.6m. Mid May

(r) **'Tatjana'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nova Zembla' × 'Mars' (s) × 'Mars' × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: H. Hachmann (1969), G: H. Hachmann (1974), N: H. Hachmann (1983), I: H. Hachmann (1983), REG: G. Stück (1984) Fls 14-16/truss, 40-45 × 70-75mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (63B), fading inwards to strong purplish pink (63C) and brighter towards throat, inconspicuously spotted greenish; margins wavy. Calyx 2-3mm long, strong to light yellow-green (144C-D). Lvs elliptic, 95-102 × 45-47mm, dark green above, woolly below. Shrub up to 2.0m

(r) **'Tatoosh'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' (s) × 'Loderi Venus' R: R. Henny (c 1956), N: R. Henny, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright pink. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(a) **'Tatsumi-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Banjo' R: Japan (pre 1953), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 90-100mm wide, with 5-6, rounded, wavy-edged lobes (usually notched at tip and crinkly), white, with speckles, stripes and selfs of strong purplish pink; occasionally strong pink, with white margins; blotch darker. Shrub to 0.6m. Satsuki

(a) **'Tatsunami'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 40-50mm wide, with deeply divided lobes with squared-off tips, white marked with red stripes and persimmon orange streaks or orange variously marked with red. Satsuki

(a) **'Tatsuta'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, red, somewhat resembling a maple leaf in shape. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Tatsuta'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* L: Miyami-en Nursery (1976) Fls 30mm wide, pale reddish orange

(a) **'Taunton Apricot'** cv. Deciduous azalea: un-named selection (no.25, an Eichelser double) (s) × 'Whitethroat' × 'Klondyke' H: B. Sligh (1980), G: B. Sligh (1990), N: B. Sligh (1993), REG: B. Sligh (1994) Fls double, 10-12/open truss, 40 × 60mm, with 10 wavy-edged lobes, buds light orange-yellow (23C), edged vivid reddish orange/deep yellowish pink (43A/C), opening inside light orange-yellow (23C/24C) with lobes edged deep yellowish pink (43C); outside light orange-yellow (23C) flushed strong yellowish pink (43D); unspotted. Lvs ovate, 60 × 30mm, margins slightly decurved, acute at both ends, glossy green; new foliage deep burgundy/bronze; autumn foliage colour brilliant red. Shrub 1.0 × 0.8m in 10 years. Early November-early December (New Zealand)

(a) **'Taunton Blush'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Corneille' (s) × un-named seedling ("Vikes Red no.2") H: B. Sligh (1980), G: B. Sligh (1989), N: B. Sligh (1990), REG: B. Sligh (1996) Fls double, 6-7/lax truss, 30 × 55mm, with 15-16 lobes, deep pink (52C) with a pale purplish pink (56D) base in bud, opening inside with lobes striped pale purplish pink (56D), edges flushed pale purplish pink (55D), the tips deep purplish pink (55A); outside pale purplish pink (56D), with deep to pale purplish pink (55A+D) tints; unspotted. Lvs ovate, margins decurved, glossy green, rounded to slightly pointed at apex, pointed at base, hairless; with good autumn colour. Compact, rounded shrub 0.5 × 0.5m in 10 years. Late October-mid November (New Zealand)

(a) **'Taunton Colour Glory'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Whitethroat' × 'Klondyke' (s) × un-named seedling (no.25) H: B. Sligh (1980), G: B. Sligh (1993), N: B. Sligh (1995), REG: B. Sligh (1996) Fls double, 13/full truss, open campanulate, 30 × 55mm, with 15-16 wavy-edged lobes, straw yellow (604/1) in bud, opening straw yellow (604-604/1-2), changing outside to be flushed begonia (619/2), inside flushed begonia (619 & 619/2); outside naples yellow (403/3), edged begonia (619/1); unspotted; scented. Lvs 110 × 50mm, margins decurved, glossy green above, pointed at base and apex, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 1.0m in 10 years. November (New Zealand)

(a) **'Taunton Glow'** cv. Deciduous azalea: un-named selection (no.25, an Eichelser double) (s) × 'Whitethroat' × 'Klondyke' H: B. Sligh (1980), G: B. Sligh (1989), N: B. Sligh (1991), REG: B. Sligh (1994) Fls hose-in-hose, double, 10/full truss, 40 × 65mm, with 12 wavy-edged lobes, brilliant yellow (13B) flushed strong yellowish pink (37B) in bud, opening brilliant yellow (13B) inside and fading to pale greenish yellow (13D); outside brilliant yellow (13B), midribs pale greenish yellow (13D), the three outer lobes flushed strong yellowish pink (37D); unspotted; scented. Lvs ovate, 110 × 55mm, acute at apex and base; new foliage deeply ribbed bronze, edged green. Shrub 0.5 × 0.5m in 10 years. Early November-early December (New Zealand)

(a) **'Taunton Ice'** cv. Deciduous azalea: un-named selection (no.25, an Eichelser double) (s) × 'Klondyke' H: B. Sligh (1980), G: B. Sligh (1990), N: B. Sligh (1993), REG: B. Sligh (1994) Fls hose-in-hose, double, 12-13/full truss, 35 × 45mm, with 10 wavy-edged lobes, buds pale purplish pink (56D) at base and on ribs, flushed light purplish pink (55C), tips deep purplish pink (55A), opening inside pale purplish pink (56D), flushed strong purplish pink (55B) at edges and with a throat flare of light orange-yellow (16C) which fades and disappears; outside pale purplish pink (56D) flushed strong to light purplish pink (55B-C) at edges; unspotted; scented. Lvs elliptic, flat, acute at apex and base, glossy green; new foliage ribbed bright green and bronze; good autumn colours. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 10 years. Mid October-early November (New Zealand)

(a) **'Taunton Lace'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Whitethroat' × 'Klondyke' (s) × 'Klondyke' H: B. Sligh (1980), G: B. Sligh (1988), N: B. Sligh (1990), REG: B. Sligh (1994) Fls hose-in-hose and double, 10/lax truss, 40 × 55mm, with 10 wavy-edged lobes, buds yellow, opening yellowish white (155D) inside and out; unspotted; strongly scented. Lvs ovate, 65 × 35mm, margins decurved, acute at both ends, matt and lime green above, with good autumn colour. Shrub 0.8 × 0.6m in 10 years. October (New Zealand)

(a) **'Taunton Pearl'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Homebush' × 'Sunset Pink' (s) × 'Whitethroat' × 'Klondyke' H: B. Sligh (1980), G: B. Sligh (1991), N: B. Sligh (1992), REG: B. Sligh (1994) Fls hose-in-hose and double, 17/full truss, 35 × 70mm, with 10-12 wavy-edged lobes, buds moderate yellow (160A) flushed moderate yellowish pink (38B) at tips, inside opening with a vivid yellow (13A) flare, pale pink (49D) base and edges flushed strong pink (49A), after one week the yellow disappears

and the base becomes pale purplish pink (56D), flushed pale purplish pink (56B); outside pale purplish pink (56D), flushed pale purplish pink (56A) at edges; flare also has a hint of vivid yellow-green (154A); scented. Lvs ovate, 110 × 55mm, acute at apex, rounded to cuneate at base; autumn colour red/orange. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 10 years. Late October-mid November (New Zealand)

(r) **'Taunton Ruffles'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'One Thousand Butterflies' (s) × pink form of *arboreum* H: B. Sligh (1985), G: B. Sligh (1992), N: B. Sligh (1995), REG: B. Sligh (1996) Fls 25-28/full truss, broadly campanulate, 60 × 90-100mm, with 7-9 wavy-edged lobes, tyrian rose (24/2) in bud, opening tyrian rose (24/3), edged dawn pink (523/3), three dorsal lobes with a solid patch of oxblood red (00823) and oxblood red (00823/3) spots over a further 40mm length (the blotch non-fading), lighter spotting on four ventral lobes; outside tyrian rose (24/2), flushed dawn pink (523/3); soft fragrance. Lvs 140 × 50mm, margins decurved, matt green, pointed at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 10 years. Late October-mid November (New Zealand)

(r) **'Taunton Sunrise'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lem's Cameo' (s) × 'Coker's Pink' H: B. Sligh (1983), G: B. Sligh (1989), N: B. Sligh (1993), REG: B. Sligh (1994) Fls 15/full truss, opening wide, 30 × 110mm, with 7 lobes, buds deep/strong pink (52B/D), opening inside pale yellowish pink (36D) and edged light purplish pink (55C), dorsal lobe flushed pale yellow (11D); outside pale yellowish pink (36D), striped light purplish pink (55C); double flare of moderate red (47A) on dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 170 × 70mm, margins upcurved, rounded and apiculate at apex, rounded at base, matt green; new foliage bronze. Shrub 1.8 × 1.2m in 10 years. October (New Zealand)

(r) **'Taurus'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague' (s) × *strigillosum* R: F.D. Mossman (1962), N: F.D. Mossman, I: F.D. Mossman (1970), REG: F.D. Mossman (1972) Fls 16/globular truss, campanulate, 90mm wide, turkey red (721) in throat to cherry red (722) and orient red (819) on lobes, with black speckling on dorsal lobe; stamens, pistil and calyx red. Lvs elliptic, pointed, up to 175 × 70mm, deep green. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 9 years, with deep red winter buds. April-May

(a) **'Tauten'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright pink. Kurume

(r) **'Tawny Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vinecrest' × 'Serendipity' (s) × 'Vinecrest' × 'Serendipity' R: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53C, D) and moderate purplish pink (54D) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (55D, 56B, C, D) with greyish red (182B) dorsal spots; filaments greenish white (157D); style pale yellow-green (157A); anthers pale yellow (164D); stigma strong yellow-green (145A). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(a) **'Tay'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: F.E.W. Hanger, G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, REG: Royal Horticultural Society (1961) Fls 10-14/compact, domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 70 × 90mm, lobes wavy, brilliant yellow (606-606/1), with an orange blotch in the throat. Lvs 115 × 40mm, glossy and mid green above, tinged bronze. Shrub at least c1.3 × 1.4m. *AM 1959. Knap Hill

(r) **'Tayler City'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Canada (pre 1998)

(r) **'Taylorii'** cv. Parentage unknown I: J. Byls (pre 1874), INC: ICRA (1958)

(v) **'Taylorii'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Princess Alexandra' (s) × *bookeanum* subsp. *gracile* R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1877), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 8-10/rounded truss, tubular funnel-shaped, light pink with a white tube. Lvs narrowly elliptic. Best flush of flowering in October-January. FCC 1877

(a) **'Taylor's Red'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1847), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. Ghent (Said to be very similar to 'Decorator'; often listed under "*nudiflora*")

(a) **'T.D. Llewelyn'** (Syn. of 'John T.D. Lewelyn')

(a) **'Teacher'** (See 'The Teacher')

(r) **'Teacher's Pet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Stokes Bronze Wings' (s) × 'Adele's Yellow' H: W.E. Delp (1977), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 14/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 39 × 50mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish red and pale yellowish pink (63A, B; 159D) in bud, opening pale yellowish pink (159D), with a brilliant greenish yellow (3B) flare and strong yellow-green (144A) dorsal spots; filaments and style pale yellowish pink (159D); anthers pale orange-yellow (159B); stigma light yellow-green (154D). Lvs 76 × 30mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.8m in 15 years. Early June

(r) **'Teal'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *brachyanthum* subsp. *hypolepidotum* × *fletcherianum* H: P.A. Cox, G: P.A. Cox, N: P.A. Cox, I: P.A. Cox (1977), REG: P.A. Cox (1977) Fls 5-8/truss, broadly campanulate, up to 28 × 35mm, 5-lobed, light greenish yellow (3D). Calyx green, with lobes up to 8mm long, ciliate. Lvs narrowly elliptic, up to 55 × 20mm. AM 1977

(r) **'Tea Party'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Noyo Chief' R: USA, N: Briggs Nursery, I: Briggs Nursery, REG: Briggs Nursery (1991) Fls 6-8/flat, lax truss, tubular-campanulate, 32 × 38mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53C) in bud, opening 53C and fading to deep pink (51B), with a light yellowish pink throat (19B) and strong red (53C) spots on the two dorsal lobes. Calyx vestigial. Pedicels 19mm long, brilliant yellow-green (150B), fuzzily hairy. Lvs elliptic, 83 × 41mm, convex, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, with a felted, moderate orange-

yellow (164B) indumentum below; petioles 12mm long, strong yellow-green (145A). Shrub 0.3 × 0.38m in 4 years. Early-mid May

(r) **'Teardrop'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group (tetraploid) × *fastigiatum* H: W.E. Delp (1975), G: W.E. Delp (1978), N: W.E. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1991) Fls 4-6/truss, open funnel-shaped, 25 × 30mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid violet or vivid purple (87A-B) in bud, opening vivid to light purple (87B-D); filaments light purple (84B-C); style very pale purple (84D); anthers and stigmas dark reddish orange (173A). Lvs ovate, 35 × 20mm. Shrub 0.36 × 0.48m in 10 years

(r) **'Teaticket'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), N: Swarthmore College/Heritage Plantation (pre 1978) Fls soft lavender pink, with a green throat

(r) **'Tea Time'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Chlorops' × 'C.I.S.' H: A.A. Childers (1964), G: A.A. Childers (1970), N: A.A. & M. Childers, I: Bovees Nursery, REG: A.A. & M. Childers (1988) Fls at least 13/lax, domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, with 7 wavy-edged, recurved lobes, 25 × 117mm, moderate purplish pink (62B) with a strong purplish red (61B), star-shaped, solid marking in the throat (each arm of the star c16mm long) and strong purplish red (61B) spotting on the dorsal and half of each of the adjacent lobes. Calyx 38mm long, coloured as corolla, flat saucer-shaped (i. e. flower is hose-in-hose). Lvs obovate, 89 × 38mm, slightly concave, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, dull moderate olive green (137B) above, moderate yellow-green (146D) below, hairless; new growth bronze. Shrub 0.8 × 0.9m in 21 years. Late May

(a) **'Tebotan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown, but allied to 'Phoeniceum' L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, up to 6/truss, c40mm wide, with c11 lobes, mallow purple (630), with limited crimson spotting and a tiny bunch of undeveloped green leaves in centre; no stamens. Calyx leafy. Lvs oblanceolate, 30 × 20mm, ciliate. AM 1962 Syn: 'Fushimi-murasaki', 'Violet Cloud'

(r) **'Tecumseh'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid I: S.B. Parsons, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Ted Drake'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'C.I.S.' × 'Crest' H: C.H. Phetteplace (1965), G: E.F. Drake, I: Mrs V.A. Lux Jr, REG: Mrs V.A. Lux Jr (1981) Fls 10-13/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 100mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, moderate red to moderate yellowish pink (179A-D) in bud, opening light yellow (10B) with moderate reddish orange (35A) rays in the throat (most prominent in the dorsal lobes sector); outside of lobes tinged and veined strong yellowish pink (43D). Calyx lobes 25-35mm long, with rounded tips, deeply cut, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 55mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, with tiny, sparse, colourless hairs below. Shrub 0.9 × 0.7m in 6 years. Mid May-early June

(r) **'Teddy Bear'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *bureavii* × *yakushimanum* R: USA, G: Briggs Nursery (1980), N: Briggs Nursery, I: Briggs Nursery, REG: Briggs Nursery (1991) Fls 8-10/domed truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 51 × 64mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (55A) in bud, opening light purplish pink (55C) and fading to white, with yellow-brown spots in the throat; 15 curved stamens of unequal length. Calyx 10mm long, light yellow green (150D). Pedicels 25mm long, light yellow-green (145C). Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 127 × 44-51mm, convex, mucronate at apex, rounded at base, glossy and bullate above, with a felted indumentum below - moderate orange (167A) when young, ageing to brownish orange (164A); petioles 25-38mm long, strong yellow-green, hairy. Shrub 0.3 × 0.45m in 3 years. Early-mid April

(v) **'Teddy's Best'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* × 'Gardenia Odyssey' H: G.L.S. Snell (1987), G: B. Clancy (1992), N: B. Clancy (1996), REG: B. Clancy (1996) Fls 14-16/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 45 × 88mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, vivid yellow (17C) in bud and when fully open (both inside and out); unspotted. Lvs oblanceolate, 120 × 60mm, margins slightly upcurved, glossy above, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, with prominent veins. Shrub 1.4 × 0.75 in 7 years

(r) **'Ted Greig'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* × *campylocarpum* × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* H: Royston Nursery, G: Royston Nursery (1964), N: Royston Nursery, REG: Royston Nursery (1964) Fls 9-10/truss, geranium lake (20/1) shaded to 20/2 in bud and on outside of corolla tube and on edges of lobes, later fading to clear cream

(a) **'Ted Jamieson'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Nadine' R: O.S. Pride, N: O.S. Pride, I: O.S. Pride (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls coral

(r) **'Ted Kamholtz'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' (s) × *R.x nikomontanum* H: B. & M. Shapiro (1966), G: B. & M. Shapiro, N: B. & M. Shapiro, REG: B. & M. Shapiro (1993) Fls 14/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, with 5 recurved lobes, light reddish purple (74C) in bud, opening white, flushed lighter than very pale purple (73D), with a dorsal flare of light brown to strong red (46A) spots; outside moderate purplish pink (74D) at base, shading to white at edges. Calyx 2mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 114-127 × 51mm, convex, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 25 years. Early June

(a) **'Ted Kottraba'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Nadine' R: O.S. Pride, N: O.S. Pride, I: O.S. Pride (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink. Late

(r) **'Ted Marchand'** cv. Parentage unknown I: C. Ingram (pre 1942), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Ted's Choice'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scandinavia' (s) × 'Purple Splendour' H: E. Anderson (1980), G: E. Anderson (1986), N: E. Anderson, REG: E. Anderson (1993) Fls 16/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 51-64 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, dark purple (79A) edges shading to deep purplish red (71A) in centre of bud, opening moderate purplish red (70A) at margins, shading to strong reddish purple (72B) at centre, with moderate purplish red (70) speckles and a deep greenish yellow (153A) streak on dorsal lobe (25 × 10-17mm); stamens 9, moderate purplish pink (74D); style brilliant yellow-green (158B), stigma light yellow-green (145B). Pedicels 32mm long, strong purplish red (71C). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 140-165 × 38-51mm, convex, acute at apex, oblique at base, moderate olive green (137B) above, moderate yellow-green (146D) below, hairless; petioles 25mm long, deep purplish red. Shrub 2.4 × 1.2m in 13 years. Mid May

(r) **'Ted's Orchid Sunset'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' × 'Mrs Donald Graham' R: T.B. Fawcett (pre 1988) Fls orchid, with a deep bronze centre. Lvs fairly long and slender, bronze green. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Ted's Yellow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1995) (Listed as a parent of 'Jackpot Winner')

(r) **'Ted's Yellow No. 2'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1991) (Listed as a parent of 'Barbara Haag')

(r) **'Ted Waterer'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1922), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c12/hemispherical truss, broadly funnel-shaped to more-or-less flat, 50 × 80mm, white, broadly edged rosy mauve, marked yellowish to brownish green. Calyx lobes 2-6mm long. AM 1925

(a) **'Teena Marie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: M.E. Greentree, G: Huntingdale Nursery, N: Huntingdale Nursery, I: Huntingdale Nursery (pre 1984) Fls hose-in-hose, also with partially petaloid stamens, salmon pink. Indian

(a) **'Tees'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: F.E.W. Hanger, G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, REG: Royal Horticultural Society (1963) Fls 9/compact, globular truss, funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, deep pink (620/2, overlaid 620), with a small, vivid yellow (5) blotch. Lvs 65 × 25mm, glossy and light green above. Shrub at least 1.4m. *HC 1963. Knap Hill

(a) **'Teika'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *molle* subsp. *japonicum* H: R. Kondratovičs (1965), G: R. Kondratovičs (1972), N: R. Kondratovičs, I: Rhododendron Nursery "Babīte" of University of Latvia (2001), REG: R. Kondratovičs (2002) Fls single, 6-10/strongly domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 60 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside camellia rose (622/1), with a yellow dorsal blotch; filaments pink, anthers yellow; style light pink, stigma light green. Calyx 3-4mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 85 × 30mm, wavy-edged, broadly acute at apex, tapered at base, matt green above, with white hairs persistent above when mature. Shrub 1.5 × 2.0m in 15 years. Late May-early June. (Published in *Dārzs un Drava*: 23-24 (November, 2000))

(a) **'Teikan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 75-90mm wide, with 6 overlapping lobes, white, with purplish pink flecks; pistil white, prominent. Satsuki

(a) **'Telemaque'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. van Geert (1877), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale blood red, with an orange blotch. Ghent (Perhaps originated at Sunningdale Nurseries)

(r) **'Tell Taylor'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague' × Carita Group R: C.S. Seabrook (pre 1965), N: C.S. Seabrook, REG: C.S. Seabrook (1967) Fls in fairly tight trusses, funnel-shaped, up to 90mm wide, crimson (21/1-21/3). Lvs very large and glossy. Large shrub of open habit. Late April-early May

(a) **'Telly'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: O. Stahnke & E. Dettmer (pre 1984), N: O. Stahnke & E. Dettmer Fls semi-double, bluish red

(r) **Telopeum Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. telopeum*

(r) **'Telstar'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pauline' × *yakushimanum* H: F.E.W. Hanger (1951), G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, I: Royal Horticultural Society (1962), REG: Royal Horticultural Society (1963) Fls 13/compact, globular truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, rose madder (23/2) becoming paler and almost white inside, dorsal throat oxblood red (00823/3). Lvs 125-150 × 50mm, dark glossy green. Shrub 1.1m. *HC 1962, *AM 1966

(a) **'Tempérance'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: E.de Cock (1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, light purple (77D). Calyx normal, green. Midseason. Indian (Sometimes listed as 'La Tempérance')

(a) **'Tempérance Rose'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Tempérance' I: A. Haerens (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, with a mauve sheen. Indian

(r) **'Tempest'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' (s) × Fabia Group R: A. Wright, N: A Wright (1961), REG: A. Wright (1962) Fls 8-10/loose truss, funnel-shaped, to 75mm wide, red. Upright shrub, c1.9m. Late

(a) **'Templar'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* (s) × 'Modèle' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 2-3/truss, 70-75mm wide, with overlapping lobes, almost white at base, otherwise light mallow purple (light reddish purple (74C)), with an inconspicuous rhodamine purple (vivid reddish purple (74A)) blotch. Shrub 1.9m. Mid April. Glenn Dale

(r) **Temple Belle Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *orbiculare* (s) × *williamsianum* R: Kew (1916), N: Kew, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3-5/racemose truss, broadly campanulate, 40 × 55mm, usually 6-lobed, persian rose (628/2), unmarked. Calyx very small, gland-fringed. Lvs rounded, c65 × 55mm, matt green above. Shrub c1.0m

(r) **'Temple Flutes'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *makinoi* R: Mrs J.W. Hill (pre 1975), N: Mrs J.W. Hill Lvs 175 × 22mm, glossy and deep green above, with a heavy indumentum. Shrub of dense habit, 1.8-2.4 × 3.1m. (Grown from wild-collected seed from near Ise Shrine, Japan (collected T. Takeuchi or K. Wada, c1967))

(r) **'Temple Gold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Jalisco Group × 'Crest' H: Mrs M. Temple (1978), G: Mrs M. Temple (1984), N: Mrs M. Temple, I: Mrs M. Temple (1984), REG: Mrs M. Temple (1985) Fls light greenish yellow (4B) to brilliant greenish yellow (6C) in the centre. Calyx also yellow. Lvs ovate, 70-80 × 28-35mm, hairless

(r) **'Temple Meads'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Janet Blair' (s) × 'Hindustan' H: R.H. Gustafson (1984), G: R.H. Gustafson (c 1989), N: R.H. Gustafson (c 1992), REG: R.H. Gustafson (1998) Fls 12/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 80mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, pale yellow (18C) to light yellowish pink (29C) in bud, opening inside pale yellow (158A) at edge, shading to pale yellow (11C) in the throat, with a brilliant yellow (11A) spotted blotch (c35mm long) on the dorsal lobe; outside pale yellow (158A); stigma dark brownish red. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 60mm, flat, obtuse at apex and mucronate, rounded at base, dull and moderate yellow-green (148A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.7 × 1.3m in 13 years. Mid May

(r) **'Temple of Venus'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Oudin (1845), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Temptation'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *simsii* (s) × *mucronatum* R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50-65mm wide, amaranth pink (deep purplish pink (72D)), darker at tips, with a few tyrian rose (vivid purplish red (57B)) spots mostly on the dorsal lobes. Shrub to 1.5m. Mid April. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Temptation'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Day Dream Group hybrid R: J.E. Eichelser (pre 1976), N: J.E. Eichelser Fls creamy peach, with a darker centre; red bud scales. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years

(a) **'Tenadores'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *arborescens* × *cumberlandense* H: Scott Foundation (1953), G: Scott Foundation, N: J.C. Wister

(a) **'Tender Heart'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: Exbury Gardens Ltd (pre 1965), G: Exbury Gardens Ltd (pre 1980), N: E. de Rothschild, REG: Exbury Gardens Ltd (1996) Fls 8-10/rounded truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (50A), opening inside vivid reddish orange (43B) lightening to strong yellowish pink (43D) and suffused brilliant yellow (15C) on upper lobes where there is a vivid yellow (15A) blotch; outside deep yellowish pink (44D), suffused brilliant yellow (15C); filaments and style yellow. Calyx 4mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 90 × 40mm, margins flat, matt green above, pointed at apex and base, hairless. Shrub 2.5 × 2.0m in 30 years. May. (Solent Group)

(a) **'Tenderly'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, creamy light yellow, with a deeper yellow flare. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Early June

(a) **'Tendresse'** (Syn. of 'Miss Elza Rölker' or 'Blushing Bride'. Perhaps the same plant listed as 'La Tendresse' *q.v.*)

(a) **'Tendresse'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Leopold-Astrid' I: G.J. Bier & Sons (1958) Fls pale pink (49D) to almost white; otherwise similar to parent. Syn: 'Regina'. Indian

(a) **'Tenellum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Tenellum'** (Syn. of 'Hammondii')

(a) **'Tengasa'** (Syn. of 'Amagasa')

(a) **'Teniers'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Vuylsteke (1900), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, soft flesh pink, tinged rose pink. Rustica (Has also been listed as a Ghent. Another plant with orange-yellow flowers was in cultivation under this name in The Netherlands by 1930s; this may be 'David Teniers')

(a) **'Tenino'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Helen Close' × 'Purple Splendor' R: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1969) Fls hose-in-hose, 2/truss, up to 75mm wide, strong reddish purple (78B). Lvs 40 × 22mm. Shrub to 0.6m. Late May-early June

(a) **'Tenjiku'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 90mm wide, with overlapping lobes, reddish orange, with a faint blotch. Satsuki

(a) **'Tenjin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1964), N: Japan Fls 65mm wide, deep purplish pink. (Raised on Hirado Island, Japan)

(a) **'Tenju'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan, N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple crimson on white. Indian

(a) **'Tenkei'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 90mm wide, white, striped and sanded purple. Satsuki

(a) **'Ten-meikai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Chugai Nursery Co. (pre 1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, 50-75mm wide, white, marked vivid red. Satsuki

(r) **'Tennessee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'La Bar's White' × 'Ole Olson' × Fabia Group H: D.G. Leach (1959), G: D.G. Leach (1967), N: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1986) Fls 16/truss, 55 × 80mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish pink (68B) in bud, opening light purplish pink (68D) and changing to pale yellowish pink (159D) with a bold, dorsal, strong red (46A) blotch. Calyx 2mm long, green, rimmed red. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 60mm, hairless

(a) **'Tennyo-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, with narrow, well-spaced lobes, deep reddish orange, with lighter centres. Satsuki

(a) **'Tennyo-no-mai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1978), N: Japan Fls single, up to 45mm wide, deep purplish pink (7.5RP 6/12 - 7.5RP 5/12), with a whitish throat and dark pink blotches on the dorsal lobes. Kurume

(a) **'Tennyo-no-sugata'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65mm wide, with wavy-edged, rounded lobes, white, with many flecks and dots of dark pink, throat green. Early. Satsuki

(a) **'Tenritsu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: USA (pre 1987). Satsuki

(a) **'Ten's Cameo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: T.J. Hallam (pre 1985), N: T.J. Hallam Syn: 'Cameo'

(a) **'Ten's Firefly'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: T.J. Hallam (pre 1984), N: T.J. Hallam Fls double, brilliant red. Syn: 'Firefly'. Indian

(a) **'Tenshi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, with crescent-shaped, wavy-edged lobes, white, striped purple. Satsuki (Galle (1987) records it as 'Gyoko' × 'Sanko-no-tsuki', and as having pale red stripes)

(a) **'Tenshi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* L: Kyoma Yokata Nursery (1976) Fls 25-27mm wide, deep purplish pink, with a lighter throat

(a) **'Tenshiho'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan. Satsuki (Listed as a parent of 'Godaishu')

(a) **'Tensho'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1956), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink. Indian (Raised on Hirado Island, Japan)

(a) **'Tenshoko'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls with rounded lobes, white, with deep pink stripes and sectors, or with coloured margins and a white throat. Satsuki

(a) **'Tensho-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1984), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, with broad, rounded lobes, white variably marked, or selfs of deep yellowish pink to deep reddish orange, some with white centres. Satsuki

(r) **'Tensing'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group × Romany Chal Group H: F.E.W. Hanger (1947), G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, I: Royal Horticultural Society (1953), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c13/loose, flat-topped truss, funnel-campanulate, 75-100mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, camellia rose (622), merging into an orange tint in the throat. Lvs hairy at first. AM 1953 (Previously listed incorrectly with Romany Chai Group as a parent)

(a) **'Ten's Rosina'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: T.J. Hallam (pre 1984), N: T.J. Hallam Fls double, candy pink. Syn: 'Rosina'. Indian

(r) **'Tenuifolium'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Trillon (1843), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Tequila Sunrise'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Borde Hill' H: F.E.W. Hanger (1951), G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, REG: Royal Horticultural Society (1985) Fls 13/compact, globular truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 60mm, nearest strong purplish pink (55B), flushed over very pale pink at base, base of dorsal lobes flushed and spotted deeper than strong red (46A). Lvs oblanceolate, 130 × 44mm, dark and glossy green. Shrub 2.3m. *AM 1985

(r) **'Tequila Sunrise'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Lammot Copeland' × 'Mary Drennen' R: J.A. Davis (pre 1992), N: J.A. Davis Fls in ball-shaped truss, deep yellow, with orange tones. Lvs dark and glossy green. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years

(r) **'Tercero'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Paprika Spiced' (s) × 'Fawn' H: D.W. Goheen (1989), G: D.W. Goheen (1996), N: D.W. Goheen, I: A Sandy Rhododendron, REG: D.W. Goheen (1996) Fls 16/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 75 × 100mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink (39B) in bud, opening inside pale yellowish pink (29D) with a light yellow (18B) throat spotted vivid reddish orange (41A); outside moderate yellowish pink (37C) fading to pale yellowish pink (29D) with moderate yellowish pink (37C) stripes from base to middle of each lobe; stamens 16, straight, unequal; scented. Calyx 1-2mmlong, peach tinged yellow. Pedicels 40mm long, light yellow-green (144D). Lvs elliptic, 125 × 45mm, margins flat to decurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (137B) above, moderate yellow-green (147D) below, hairless; petioles 15mm long, moderate yellowish pink (37C) above, light yellow-green (144D) below. Shrub 0.9 × 0.6m in 6 years. Early May. (The description published in *International Rhododendron Register, Thirty-seventh Supplement*: 43 (1998) was in error and should be deleted)

(v) **'Terebinthia'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' × 'Pink Delight' H: T. Lelliott (1971), G: P. Sullivan (1976), N: W.A. Moynier, I: W.A. Moynier

(1979), REG: W.A. Moynier (1981) Fls 6-10/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 45 × 45mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (52B), throat light purplish pink (55C); scented. Lvs elliptic, 95 × 45mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, flat, dull and dark yellowish green (139A) above, with tiny, tan to brown scales below. Shrub 1.1 × 0.6m in 9 years. September-November

(a) **'Teresa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* × 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Kagetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2/truss, 50-65mm wide, apicalhalf of 3 dorsal lobes amaranth pink, basal half and lower lobes pale amaranth pink, all lobes flaked and striped light rosolane purple with white stripes around the margins and a heavy blotch of pomegranate purple (strong red (73B)). Shrub to 1.2m. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Teresa Ann'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Ruby Hart' H: G.W. Clarke, G: G.W. Clarke, N: Mrs M. Clarke, I: G.W. Clarke, REG: Mrs M. Clarke (1991) Fls 10/lax truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 38 × 44mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, buds strong red (53D), opening vivid red (52A), without blotch or spots; slightly scented. Calyx 25mm long, deep pink (51B). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 89 × 25mm, convex, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, dull green and hairless above, with a felted tan-coloured indumentum below; petioles 19mm long, hairy. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 8 years. May

(r) **'Terpsichore'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* hybrid L: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with crimson spots

(r) **'Terracotta'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1988)

(a) **'Terra-cotta Beauty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: derived from 'Rose Glory' I: Hakoneya Nursery (pre 1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls terracotta pink

(a) **'Terra Nova'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Helmut Vogel' L: Australia (1994) Fls double, pale pink. Shrub 1.0m, dense habit

(a) **'Terre's Delight'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'George Reynolds' × *austrinum* H: G. & T. Elmer (1966), G: G. & T. Elmer (1977), N: G. & T. Elmer, I: G. & T. Elmer (1982), REG: G. & T. Elmer (1984) Fls 15-16/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55mm wide, 5-lobed, pale yellowish pink (27D), with a prominent dorsal blotch of vivid orange-yellow (23A); scented. Lvs narrowly obovate, 90-100 × 40-55mm, ciliate, slightly pubescent above and below. Shrub 1.8 × 1.5m in 15 years. Mid-late April

(a) **'Terre's Yellow'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'George Reynolds' × *austrinum* H: G. & T. Elmer (1966), G: G. & T. Elmer (1976), N: G. & T. Elmer, REG: G. & T. Elmer (1984) Fls 8-10/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 50mm, 6-lobed, vivid yellow (13A), shading to strong orange (24A) in throat, with a dorsal blotch of vivid orange-yellow (23A); scented. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 100 × 25mm, ciliate, pubescent below. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 15 years. Mid-late April

(r) **'Terrific'** cv. Parentage unknown R: D.G. Leach & O.S. Pride, N: D.G. Leach & O.S. Pride Fls deep pink, with a yellow centre. Lvs glossy green. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Mid May

(a) **'Terry'** cv. Semi-evergreen azalea: *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* (s) × 'Tahei' H: A.E. Kehr (1967), G: A.E. Kehr (1970), N: A.E. Kehr, I: A.E. Kehr (1988), REG: A.E. Kehr (1994) Fls solitary, broadly funnel-shaped, 89-100 × 89-100mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, near strong purple (77B), with dark purple (79A) spots on dorsal lobe and portions of adjacent lobes. Calyx 6mm long, green, covered with fine, white hairs. Pedicels 6mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 38 × 13mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, with white/golden hairs on young growth (discrete hairs above and below, most numerous on midvein below); petioles 13mm long, green, hairy. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 10 years. Early-mid May

(a) **'Terry Greer'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *alabamense* G: T. Greer (1960s), S: T. Greer (1960s), N: N. Anastos & L.C. Towe (1998), REG: N. Anastos & L.C. Towe (1999) Fls 7-10/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 45 × 45mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, white, with a light greenishyellow (8B) dorsal blotch; bud scales yellow to brown, with brown margins. Calyx very short, green. Lvs elliptic to obovate, 45-55 × 20-25mm, acute at apex and base, with a small, apical mucro, dark green (136A) with conspicuous veins above, very glaucous below. Shrub 3.7 × 1.8m in 15 years. Mid-late April

(r) **'Terry Herbert'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group × *augustinii* H: C. Herbert (1962), G: C. Herbert, I: C. Herbert (1966), REG: C. Herbert (1977) Fls 7-12 in each of up to 5 terminal buds, broadly funnel-shaped, 50mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (73A), unmarked. Calyx c6mm long, beige. Lvs elliptic, 70 × 30mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, mid green above, with numerous, small, tan scales below. Shrub under 1.4m. Late April

(a) **'Teruhime'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Nuccio's Nurseries (1986) Fls single, small, with narrow pointed, overlapping lobes, light salmon pink, deepening towards outer edges; occasional red-orange fls. Satsuki

(a) **'Terukimi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1920), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink. Kurume

(a) **'Tessa'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Exbury, N: Exbury, I: E. de Rothschild (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls brilliant orange in bud, openingstrong orange, flushed reddish orange at tips. Knap Hill

(r) **'Tessa'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Praecox' (s) × *moupinense* R: J.B. Stevenson, N: J.B. Stevenson, I: J.B. Stevenson (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3/truss, flat-

tish above from a funnel-shaped base, 30 × 50mm, purplish pink with a ray of crimson spots. Calyx small, shallowly lobed, scaly. Lvs elliptic, 30-45 × 15-25mm, dark green above, with discontiguous, golden brown scales below. Shrub up to at least 1.0m. AM 1935 (Tessa Group)

(r) **Tessa Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: 'Praecox' (s) × *moupinense* R: J.B. Stevenson, N: J.B. Stevenson, I: J.B. Stevenson (1935), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Tessa Bianca'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *moupinense* × 'Praecox' R: L.E. Brandt, N: L.E. Brandt, REG: L.E. Brandt (1964) Fls 3/truss, white, flushed pale pink on lobes and light yellow in the throat. Lvs 45 × 25mm. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 15 years

(r) **'Tessa Orange'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Mount Congreve (1992) Fls bronze

(r) **'Tessa Roza'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Praecox' (s) × *moupinense* R: J.B. Stevenson (1928), I: Mrs R.M. Stevenson (1953), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3-4/truss, 40 × 65mm, varying shades of deep rosy pink against a pale background, dorsal lobe spotted deep carmine; outside stained deep pink. Lvs glossy green above, slightly scaly below. Shrub to 1.0m. AM 1953 Syn: 'Roza' (Tessa Group)

(r) **'Testy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goody Goody' (s) × 'Goody Goody' H: W.E. Delp (1990), G: W.E. Delp (1993), N: Mrs V. Delp, I: Crystalaire Rhododendron Naturescapes, REG: J.D. Harris (1996) Fls 17/truss, open funnel-shaped, c50 × 70mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, deep, strong and vivid purplish red (61A-C) in bud, opening strong purplish red (60C-D) and strong purplish pink (63C), with a light yellow-green (154D) flare and light olive (152A) dorsal spots; filaments and style vivid red (57A); anthers yellowish white (158D); stigma dark red (187A). Lvs 115 × 45mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base. Shrub 1.2 × 1.1m in 6 years. Early June. (First published in *J.Am.Rh.Soc.* 49 (3): 123-125 (1995))

(r) **'Tetralynn'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *racemosum* (tetraploid form) × *minus* Carolinianum Group (tetraploid form) H: W.L. Tolstead (1987), G: W.L. Tolstead (1990), N: W.L. Tolstead, REG: W.L. Tolstead (1991) Fls 12-15/rounded truss, (4-5 buds/terminal shoot, 3 fls/bud), 50 × 60mm, 5-lobed, white, with a slight lavender flush. Calyx 2-3mm long, light green. Lvs broadly ovate, 50-80 × 40-50mm, scaly. Shrub 0.45 × 0.6m in 5 years. Mid May. (First published in *J. Am.Rh.Soc.* 45 (2): 83-84 (1991))

(v) **'Tetramum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lochiae* × *macgregoriae* H: O.S. Blumhardt (1976), G: O.S. Blumhardt (1982), N: O.S. Blumhardt, REG: O.S. Blumhardt (1990) Fls 8-10/truss, 20 × 45mm, 5-lobed, deep yellowish pink (39B); filaments brighter red, anthers dark brown; flowers of heavy, waxy texture. Calyx 1mm long, red. Lvs ovate to more-or-less orbicular, 90 × 65mm, scaly. Shrub to 1.5m. Flowering mostly during summer

(a) **'Teufel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: unknown (1892), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, fiery red. Indian

(r) **'Teuton'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Oudin (1845), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Teutonia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Gebr Mardner (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red with black spots on the 3 dorsal lobes. Indian

(a) **'Texas Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kiusianum* hybrid (s) × unknown H: E.V. Mezitt (c 1964), G: Weston Nurseries (pre 1970), N: E.V. Mezitt (pre 1980), I: Weston Nurseries (1986), REG: R.W. Mezitt (1998) Fls 5/flat truss, funnel-shaped, 25 × 25mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (67C). Calyx c1.5mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 20 × 10mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 0.3 × 0.45m in 6 years. Late May. (Published in Weston Nurseries cat., 1986)

(r) **'Textor'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.H. Seidel (c 1909), N: T.J.H. Seidel (1917), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine red, with yellow spots

(a) **'Thackeray'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Stevens (1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright red. Indian

(r) **'Thacker's Ruby'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.C. Thacker (pre 1962), N: T.C. Thacker Fls rich red

(r) **'Thacker's Sulphur'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* × 'Cunningham's Sulphur' H: T.C. Thacker (1940), G: T.C. Thacker (1950), N: T.C. Thacker (1960), REG: T.C. Thacker (1961) Fls 15/compact truss, 25 × 45mm, 5-7-lobed, sulphur yellow, with a reddish blotch

(a) **'Thais'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: P.M. Koster, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet red with a yellowish red throat; similar to 'Mary' but lower-growing. Kaempferi

(r) **Thais Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Euryalus Group (s) × Loderi Group H: Lord Aberconway (1935), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink

(r) **'Thalia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from 'Madame Linden' × 'Michael Waterer' × *maximum* L: Firma Seidel (1918), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with brown spots

(r) **'Thalia'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *ciliatum* (s) × *ciliicalyx* N: C.R. Brandt (c 1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, broadly tubular funnel-shaped, white; scented

(r) **Thalia Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ascot Brilliant' × *griffithianum* R: E.J.P. Magor, N: E.J.P. Magor, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls mauve rose, with a large crimson blotch and spots

(v) **'Thalia'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *javanicum* × 'Princess Royal' R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1891), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls ivory white, or yellowish white passing to creamy pink

(a) **'Thalie'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1908), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double. Ghent

(r) **'Thalie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably derived from *caucasicum* L: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed under *caucasicum grandiflorum*)

(a) **'Thames'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: F.E.W. Hanger, G: Royal Horticulltural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c12/compact, domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, with wavy-edged lobes and crepe textured surfaces, neyron rose (623/1), blotched apricot (609/1) in the throat. Lvs 125 × 50mm, mid glossy green. Shrub to 1.2m. *HC 1956, *AM 1958

(a) **'Thanksgiving'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1913), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rose. Indian

(a) **'Tharon Perkins'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1964) Fls single, 65-70mm wide, geranium pink darkening to rose dorée on margins, with a heavy blotch of carmine dots on the dorsal lobe. Shrub c1.0m tall in 10 years. Late. Back Acres

(a) **'That Certain Feeling'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, very large, light pink, with a soft yellow flare. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Late June-July

(r) **'Thatcher's Red'** cv. Parentage unknown N: Mrs V.F. Thatcher, REG: Mrs V.F. Thatcher (1986) Fls 50mm wide, tubular funnel-shaped, vivid red (45C), with darker spots; stamens white. Calyx prominent, red. Lvs oblong, 50 × 20mm, with a thick, brownish orange indumentum (164A). Compact shrub up to 0.75m. October-November (New Zealand)

(r) **'Theale'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Penjerrick Group × 'Hawk Crest' R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1966), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1966) Fls 10/open, but not loose truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 50 × 55mm, light greenish yellow (4C), with a slight flush of strong red (53B) in throat at base of three dorsal lobes. Calyx 5-lobed, irregular (upper lobes to 6mm long, lower lobes to 3mm long), greenish yellow. Lvs narrowly ovate, 115 × 55mm, without indumentum. AM 1966

(r) **'The Ameer'** cv. Parentage unknown R: I. Davies (pre 1896), N: I. Davies, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'The Autocrat'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple, with a dark eye

(r) **'The Birthday Boys'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anna' (s) × 'Fran's Song' H: F.E. Burns (1990), G: F.E. Burns (1998), N: F.E. Burns (1998), REG: F.E. Burns (1998) Fls 15/ball truss, funnel-campanulate, 70 × 105mm, with 5-6(-7) very wavy-edged lobes, deep red (53A) in bud, opening inside strong red (53B) at margins, flushed deep purplish pink (56A) down centre of lobes, with this area of dorsal lobes spotted moderate red (185B); throat marked with a dark red (187A) blotch on two dorsal lobes and a smaller, deep purplish red (59B) blotch on other lobes; outside moderate purplish red (58A) flushed vivid purplish red (57C) on midlobes, darkening to moderate purplish red (59C) at base. Calyx irregular, 6-13mm long, deep purplish red (59B), with dark red (187A-B) freckling inside. Lvs oblong, 155 × 55mm, with wavy, upcurved margins, broadly acute at apex, slightly oblique at base, dull and dark green (135A) above, hairless; new growth greyish red (184A) with deep yellowish green (141B) veins. Shrub 1.7 × 1.2m in 8 years. Late May

(r) **'The Boss'** (Syn. of 'Ignatius Sargent')

(r) **'The Bouncer'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (c 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson and scarlet, with a dark eye. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'The Bride'** cv. Evergreen azalea: possibly *indicum* × *simsii* I: Henderson (1858), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white. Indian (Parentage requires confirmation)

(r) **'The Bride'** (See also under 'Bride' (Standish & Noble))

(r) **'The Bridge'** cv. Parentage unknown H: Mr & Mrs A.G. Holmes, G: Mr & Mrs A.G. Holmes, N: Mr & Mrs A.G. Holmes, I: Mr & Mrs A.G. Holmes (1975), REG: Mr & Mrs A.G. Holmes (1979) Fls 14-15/truss, deep to strong red (54A-C)

(r) **'The Cardinal'** (Syn. of 'Kentucky Cardinal')

(r) **'The Cardinal'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1881), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright scarlet, spotted

(a) **'The Cat's Pajamas'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *calendulaceum* S: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1987), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls mixed yellow and orange

(r) **'The Chief'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Romany Chal Group × *elliottii* R: A.A. & M. Childers, N: A.A. & M. Childers, REG: A.A. & M. Childers (1971) Fls up to 16/domed truss, campanulate, 90-95mm wide, with recurved lobes, oxblood red (2.5R 3/7), with faint spotting of same colour. Lvs elliptic, 215 × 80mm. Shrub 2.0-2.2m tall in 10 years. Syn: 'Nez Perce Chief'

(r) **'The Cid'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1853), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy lilac, with a blotch of brown spots

(r) **'The Clown'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *glaucophyllum* hybrid I: R.N.S. Clarke (1982), REG: R.N.S. Clarke (1982) Fls 3-9/loose truss, campanulate, 22 × 30mm, 5-lobed, white, flushed dark purplish pink (186C) predominently on dorsal part of corolla, with darker spotting of moderate purplish red (186A) in dorsal throat. Calyx green, scaly, with reflexed lobes. Lvs oblong/ovate, dull green and sparsely scaly above, glaucous and with sparse greenish or dark brown scales below. AM 1982 (Stock obtained originally from G. Reuthe Ltd)

(r) **'The Colonel'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep blood crimson. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'The Corporal'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep crimson purple, with a dark blotch of spots

(r) **'The Countess'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Veitch & Sons, N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white

(r) **'The Czar'** cv. Parentage unknown L: France (1905), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark red

(r) **'The Czarina'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls delicate lavender blush

(r) **'The Don'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Doncaster' × *griffithianum* R: T.H. Lowinsky, N: T.H. Lowinsky, I: T.H. Lowinsky (1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls intense rosy scarlet. AM 1920 (The Don Group)

(r) **The Don Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Doncaster' × *griffithianum* R: T.H. Lowinsky, N: T.H. Lowinsky, I: T.H. Lowinsky (1920), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'The Dowager'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Muriel' × *arboreum* R: Lady Loder (pre 1968), N: Miss E. Godman, I: Miss E. Godman Fls 24-26/tight, rounded truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 50 × 50mm, 5-lobed, light purplish pink (62C), very pale to almost white at edges with darker suffusions on veins; dorsal throat blotched deep red (60A) at base, spotted above. Calyx very small. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 240 × 55mm, with a silvery grey, plastered indumentum below. AM 1968

(r) **'The Dream'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Loderi Group seedling H: Mrs R.J. Coker (1957), G: Mrs R.J. Coker, N: Mrs R.J. Coker, I: Mrs R.J. Coker, REG: Mrs R.J. Coker (1979) Fls strong to pale purplish pink (62A-D)

(r) **'The Ensign'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale blush, much marked. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'The Fair Carew'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1853), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'The Flame'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ascot Brilliant' × *thomsonii* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(r) **'The Flamer'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (c 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy red or scarlet. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'The Gael'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale blush yellow

(r) **'The Gem'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1853), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush, tipped with rose, and with buff spots

(r) **'The General'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: red *catawbiense* seedling × red *catawbiense* seedling R: A.M. Shammarello (pre 1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in conical trusses, funnel-shaped, 65mm wide, deep red, with a darker red blotch. Lvs 100 × 45mm, dark green. Shrub to c1.5m in 10 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'The Giraffe'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a fine eye

(r) **'The Grand Arab'** (Syn. of 'Vesuvius')

(r) **'The Grenadier'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1862), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, finely spotted with red. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: C.B. van Nes & Sons, N: C.B. van Nes & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 14/domed, fairly compact truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 55 × 80mm, strong red (between 53C & D), dorsal throat spotted dark red (187B). Lvs 125 × 50mm, mid to dark and dull green above. Shrub to at least 1.3 × 2.1m. *AM 1989 Syn: 'Jean Marie de Montague', 'Honourable Jean Marie de Montague', 'Miss Montague'

(r) **'The Honourable John Boscawen'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1922), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls described as deep cherry red or red, edged white, with a yellow blotch, or as crimson (various sources). Syn: 'Honourable J. Boscawen', 'Honourable John Boscawen'

(r) **'The Honourable Joyce Montague'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid × 'Thomas Agnew' R: C.B. van Nes & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet, after a few days showing white stripes

(a) **'The Hussy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Eri' × lavender sport from 'Indicum Roseum' R: Q.R. Westfall, I: C.R. Brandt (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rosy pink. Indian

(a) **'The Killer'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1987), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls strong pink, with an orange-yellow flare; strongly scented

(r) **'The King'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson

(a) **'The King of Red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: F. Versypt (1907), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, dark red (like the colour of 'Le Flambeau'). Indian

(a) **'Thekla'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Linden (1873), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'The Lizzard'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Moser's Maroon' × Carmen Group R: W.C. Slocock Ltd (pre 1950), N: W.C. Slocock Ltd, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark red. Lvs very dark green. Creeping habit. April-May

(r) **'Thelma'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × 'Armistice Day' R: H. Lem (pre 1958), N: H. Lem (1959), REG: H. Lem (1961) Fls in a well-filled truss, funnel-shaped, up to 100mm wide, 5-lobed, geranium lake (20/1), densely glandular. Pedicels 40-50mm long. Lvs 150-175 × 50-65mm. (Darlene Group)

(a) **'Thelma Andrews'** cv. Evergreen azalea: complex hybrid, see *The Azalean* 4 (1): 3 (1982) for notes on parentage R: W.D. Smith (pre 1982), N: W.D. Smith Fls 75mm wide, imperial purple

(a) **'Thelma Bray'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: M.E. Greentree (pre 1977), N: M.E. Greentree Fls semi-double, mauve, shaded white in the throat. Dense shrub, 1.0m. Midseason. Indian

(r) **'The Lynx'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush, with a good eye

(r) **'The Maid of Honour'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear white, with a pale orange blotch of spots

(r) **'The Marchioness of Downshire'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose, finely marked with red

(r) **'The Maroon'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish red, with a chocolate blotch. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'The Marquis of Downshire'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rich ruby, with chocolate spots

(r) **'The Master'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: China Group × Letty Edwards Group R: W.C. Slocock Ltd (1936), S: W.C. Slocock Ltd (1948), N: W.C. Slocock Ltd, I: W.C. Slocock Ltd (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 14/truss, funnel-shaped, c70 × 80mm, very pale pink, with a faint flush of tyrian rose (24/3) inside, heavily flushed tyrian rose (24/2 - 24/3) outside; purple madder (1028) spots in the throat. Lvs c210 × 70mm, dark and dull green above. Shrub to at least 1.6 × 2.2m. *HC 1964, *AM 1966

(r) **'The Master'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cunningham's White' × red *catawbiense* hybrid I: A.M. Shammarello (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in conical trusses, funnel-shaped, 65mm wide, deep rose pink. Lvs 115 × 55mm, dark green. Tall shrub. Mid May

(r) **'The Matron'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pinkish white, with greenish spots

(r) **'Theme Song'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1994)

(a) **'The Mikado'** (Syn. of 'Mikado')

(r) **'The Monitor'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vermilion. Syn: 'Monitor'

(r) **'The Moor'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1881), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush, changing to white. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **The Moor Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Arthur Osborn' (s) × *facetum* H: Lord Aberconway (1932), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(r) **'The Morning After'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: J.C. Cowles (pre 1967), G: Heritage Plantation, N: E.W. Collins, I: E.W. Collins Fls white, with a red eye

(a) **'Them There Eyes'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, light salmon pink, with a large golden orange flare. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m

(a) **'Theo'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *alabamense* × yellow *molle* subsp. *japonicum* H: C.J. Hiers (1978), G: C.J. Hiers (1982), N: C.J. Hiers, REG: C.J. Hiers (1986) Fls 10-14/slightly open ball truss, narrowly tubular funnel-shaped, 70mm wide, with 5, wavy-edged, slightly reflexed lobes, pale purplish pink (56B), throat deep purplish pink (59B) fading quickly to 56B, blotch brilliant greenish yellow (6A) flaring from throat up lobe midribs and covering half of the dorsal lobe; narrow rays of 59B along corolla lobe ribs slightly beyond tube. Calyx 3mm long, light yellow-green (145B). Lvs elliptic, 130 × 22mm, dull and moderate yellow-green (137C) above, moderate yellowish green (138A) below; hairy both sides. Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in 8 years. Mid April

(a) **'Theo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: H. Stahnke & E. Dettmer (pre 1994)

(a) **'Theo Captain'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Albert-Elisabeth' I: J. Haerens (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, orange. Indian

(a) **'Théodore Reimers'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, large, magenta lilac. Indian (A better variety than 'Nathaniel de Rothschild' which it replaced because of better growth and bloom)

(a) **'Theodore S. Stecki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nellie' (s) × 'Opal' H: G.A. Reid (1970), G: G.A. Reid (1974), N: G.A. Reid, I: G.A. Reid (1982), REG: G.A. Reid (1984) Fls hose-in-hose and doubled, 3-6/truss, open funnel-shaped, 25 × 45mm, 18-20-lobed, deep purplish pink (61D), unmarked and without stamens. Calyx 25mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs more-or-less nar-

rowly obovate, 75-90 × 30-40mm, ciliate, very sparsely setose. Shrub 1.0m in 12 years

(a) **'Theodor Findeisen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Madame Petrick' I: T.E.G. Findeisen (1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, deep purplish pink (61D); otherwise similar to parent. Syn: 'Findeisen'. Indian (Discovered by Findeisen in 1926)

(a) **'Theodor Körner'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C. Schulz (pre 1863), N: C. Schulz, INC: ICRA (1958) Like 'Duchesse Adelaide de Nassau' but lighter coloured. Indian (Listed by J. Veitch & Sons in 1867 as 'Theodore Körner')

(r) **'Theodor Körner'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C.J.H. Walther (pre 1869), N: C.J.H. Walther, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple violet, with a carmine red blotch. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Theodoros'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Verschaffelt (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vermilion bright red, with a bluish blotch. Indian

(a) **'Theodor Preusser'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C. Schulz (pre 1865), N: C. Schulz, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rose, shaded dark violet, richly spotted. Indian

(a) **'Theofine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: O. Stahnke & E. Dettmer (pre 1996)

(r) **'Theo Light'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Conemaugh' × *telmateium* R: H.L. Foster (pre 1955), N: H.L. Foster Fls in dense trusses, white, flushed pink. Shrub with red stems, 0.6m in 10 years

(a) **'Theo Piens'** (Syn. of 'Souvenir de Theophile Piens')

(r) **'The Painted Lady'** cv. Parentage unknown L: T. Methven (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls a good rose, blotched with chocolate

(r) **'The Pearl'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a yellow eye

(a) **'The Pearls'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *atlanticum* R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1987), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls very pale yellow, with a yellow blotch; scented

(r) **'The Pirate'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* × *thomsonii* L: Wallace (1930), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'The Porcupine'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *degronianum* (s) × *makinoi* H: M.J. Harvey (c 1986), G: C. Clarke, N: J.K. Weagle, I: Briggs Nursery, REG: J.K. Weagle (2001) Fls 12/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, with 5 flat to slightly wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (67C) in bud, opening inside light purplish pink (62C) edged moderate purplish pink (62B), with the midrib of the dorsal lobe white; outside edged light purplish pink (68D) on a white base, with midribs and lobe tips deep purplish pink (67C); flowering shoot buds 20 × 30mm, brownish orange (164A) at apex, paling to pale orange-yellow (165D) at base, with 12 scales (4 rows of 3, the bottom 2 with recurved tips - and hence the name). Calyx 2mm long, cream, with occasional extended vestigial tips. Lvs lanceolate, 170 × 35mm, margins decurved, acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairy (hairs white at first, ageing to pale orange-yellow (165D)); petioles hairy. Shrub 2.0 × 2.4m in c15 years. Midseason

(r) **'The Princess'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls a magnificent pure white, with a brown eye

(a) **'The Queen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Niobe' × 'Sakuntala' I: E. de Meyer (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white. Indian

(r) **'The Queen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: C. Noble (pre 1866), N: C. Noble, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10-12/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40-55 × 50-75mm, mauve in bud, opening pale mauve, shading to white in centre, with orange markings on the dorsal lobe. Calyx lobes 3-5mm long, glandular. Lvs elliptic to oblanceolate, dark and dull green above, with a very thin, brown indumentum below. Large shrub

(v) **'The Queen'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Amabile' × *javanicum* var. *teysmannii* R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1891), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white, with a cream white centre; anthers rose and yellow

(r) **'The Queen Mother'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Halcyone Group × *aberconwayi* R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1968) Fls 9-10/truss, open campanulate, 30 × 50mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (64B) in bud, paling on opening to close to light purplish pink (68D) on outside, the throat inside paling to greenish white (157D). Calyx 5-lobed, irregular (lobes up to 4mm long), covered and fringed with red, gland-tipped hairs. Lvs elliptic, 80 × 40mm, dark green above, hairless. AM 1968

(r) **'The Racer'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, tinged violet

(r) **'The Rebel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' × 'Blue Peter' R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls reddish purple, with white anthers. Lvs dark green. Dense shrub, less than 1.8m in 10 years

(a) **'Theresa'** (See note under 'Theresia' (Liebig))

(a) **'Theresa'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. van Geert (1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose, with a yellow blotch. Ghent

(r) **Theresa Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Romany Chal Group (s) × *griersonianum* R: Lord Stavordale, N: Lord Stavordale, I: Lord Stavordale (1950), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Theresa Elizabeth'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Apricot Nectar' (s) × 'Lem's Cameo' H: C. Weeks (pre 1992), G: C. Weeks (1992), N: C. Weeks, I: Westgate Gardens Nursery (1996), REG: C. Weeks (1996) Fls 17/ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 45 × 75mm, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes, strong red (39A) in bud, opening inside deep yellowish pink (39B), shading to light yellow (10B) at centre, with red markings in the throat, outside deep yellowish pink (39B); stamens 12, curved, unequal. Pedicels 25mm long, dark red (187A). Lvs oblong, 85 × 40mm, flat, acute at apex, oblique at base, moderate yellow-green (147B) above, hairless; petioles 15mm long, moderate yellow-green (147B). Shrub 0.7 × 0.5m. April-May

(a) **'Thérèse'** cv. Deciduous azalea: derived from *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: M. Koster & Sons (1872), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, pink, with darker pink stripes and orange spots. Midseason. Syn: 'Afterglow', 'Ebenezer Pycke', 'Pink Beauty'. Mollis (Sometimes listed as 'Ebenezer Picke', 'Ebenezer Pyeke' or 'E. Pycke'. In 1931, Koster were listing a red-flowered plant under this name)

(a) **'Thérèse Elmer'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Orangeade' × *austrinum* H: G. & T. Elmer (1966), G: G. & T. Elmer (1977), N: G. & T. Elmer, REG: G. & T. Elmer (1986) Fls 15/truss, broadly funnel-shaped (flat-faced), 65 × 65mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, light yellow (18A) and vivid reddish orange (30B), with a brilliant orange-yellow (23B) blotch covering most of the dorsal lobe; strongly scented. Calyx minute, greenish. Lvs oblanceolate, 75-90 × 25mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, moderate yellow-green (147B) above, turning red to brown in autumn, hairy. Mid-late April

(a) **'Theresia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L.L. Liebig, N: L.L. Liebig, I: L.L. Liebig (1858), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange, with a fine blotch. Indian (The 1958 Register (following van Houtte) implies this is the same as 'Perfectum Elegans'; perhaps the 'Theresa' listed by Falconer Horticultural Society, 1845)

(a) **'Theresia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1891), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure snow white. Indian

(r) **'The Saracen'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson lake. (See note under 'Saracen')

(r) **'The Saxon'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Standish (1861), N: J. Standish, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rich carmine

(r) **'The Showerer'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Fisher, Son & Sibray (1898), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light blush, with a deep chocolate blotch

(a) **'Thesla'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Sankt Valentin' (s) × 'Mevrouw Gerard Kint' H: D. Boone (1990), G: D. Boone, N: D. Boone, I: D. Boone, REG: D. Boone (1999) Fls double, few/truss, open funnel-shaped, not or very slightly wavy-edged, deep pink (48B) in bud, opening deep to strong pink (48B-C) inside, deep pink (48B) outside, with a blotch of deep red (53A), coalescing spots. Calyx more-or-less normal. Lvs ovate to elliptic, flat, glossy dark green above. Shrub 25 × 25cm in 2 years. (Published in *Der Gartenbau*, no. 12 & no. 53 (1998))

(v) **'The Sorcerer's Apprentice'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *konori* × *rhodoleucum* (s) × *konori* H: unknown, G: D. Moodie (1994), N: D. Moodie (1998), I: J. Prentice, REG: D. Moodie (1998) Fls 7-11/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 115 × 75mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, light yellowish pink (37D) in bud, opening yellowish white (155D) inside, outside yellowish white (155D), darkening at base of tube to moderate pink (36D); unmarked; style bright candy pink. Calyx 7mm long, dark yellowish green (189A). Lvs ovate, 125 × 55mm, flat, acute at apex, obtuse at base, matt green above, scaly (scales very pale green (192B) at first, ageing to dark yellowish green (139A)). Shrub 2.5 × 1.2m in 12 years. Summer-autumn

(r) **'The Squire'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep purple, with a green blotch of spots

(r) **'The Star'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls fine white, with a yellow eye

(v) **'The Star'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1995) Fls large, rose red, with a cream throat; scented. Shrub to 1.5m or more

(r) **'The Sub'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rose

(r) **'The Sun of Austerlitz'** (Syn. of 'Sun of Austerlitz')

(a) **'The Teacher'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Little Girl' R: G. Taylor, N: G. Taylor, I: G. Taylor (1979) Fls single to semi-double, with wavy-edged lobes, pale pink, shading to crimson at edges, fluted darker pink. Dense shrub, 1.0m. Midseason

(r) **'Thetis'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R.T. Pince (pre 1868), N: R.T. Pince, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls silvery white. (Published in Lucombe, Pince & Co. cat., c1868)

(v) **'Thetis'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *javanicum* × 'Princess Frederica' R: J. Veitch & Sons, N: J. Veitch & Sons, I: J. Veitch & Sons (1887), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls tawny yellow, faintly tinted rose. FCC 1887

(r) **'The Tocsin'** (Syn. of 'Charles Noble'; original listing as an azalea in 1958 Register was an error)

(r) **'The Vestal'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white

(r) **'The Village Maid'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (c 1864), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with a pale centre, pink edges and yellow spots. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'The Virgin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (white-flowered) (s) × *oreodoxa* var. *fargesii* hybrid I: F.L. Abbott, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. Syn: 'Virgin'

(r) **'The Warrior'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot) (c 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c17 in a rounded truss, funnel-shaped, 60 × 70mm, rosy crimson, spotted black on dorsal lobes, crimson on ventral lobes. Calyx lobes 1-7mm long. Lvs oblong-elliptic, 100 × 35mm, dark and dull green above, grey felted below when young, but becoming hairless. Syn: 'Warrior'

(r) **'Thicket'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *moupinense* × *seinghkuense* N: Crown Estate Commissioners (1960), I: Crown Estate Commissioners, REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1961) Fls 3-4/truss, 50mm wide, chartreuse green (663/3), the dorsal throat spotted spanish orange (010/1). PC 1960

(v) **'Thief of Hearts'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lochiae* × *solitarium* H: G.L.S. Snell (1984), G: R. Macdonald (1989), N: R. Macdonald (1991), I: Foothills Nursery (1991), REG: Foothills Nursery (1992) Fls 8-10/flat truss, long tubular funnel-shaped, 60 × 40mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (55A) inside and out. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 70mm, flat, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.5-2.0 × 1.5m. Spring to autumn

(r) **'Thimble'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *campylogynum* Cremastum Group R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, REG: C. Ingram (1966) Fls 1-3/truss, campanulate, salmon pink. Calyx 5-lobed, regular, green. Pedicels 40mm long. Lvs narrowly ovate, 25 × 13mm, glaucous and brown scaly below. AM 1966

(r) **'Think Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'La Bar's White' × 'Oh My!' × 'Adele's Yellow' H: A.W. Smith (1985), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 21/truss, open funnel-shaped, 46 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep and strong purplish red (61A, B) in bud, opening strong, light and moderate purplish pink (63C, D, 62B, C), with a white flare and sparse, dark red (59A) dorsal spots; filaments light purplish pink (159A); stigma dark red (187A). Lvs 108 × 51mm, broadly acute at apex; cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 7 years. Early June

(r) **'Third Millenium'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Furnivall's Daughter' × 'Crest' H: T. Aunsbjorn (1978), G: T. Aunsbjorn (1988), N: T. Aunsbjorn, REG: T. Aunsbjorn (1989) Fls 12/ball truss, saucer-shaped, 70 × 110mm, with 7 smooth-edged lobes, opening strong pink (49A), fading through various shades into pale yellowish pink (27D). Lvs oblong, 140 × 70mm, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.7m in 10 years. Mid-late May

(v) **'Thirtieth of June'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *leucogigas* × *konori* × *laetum* R: P. Sullivan (pre 1993), N: P. Sullivan

(a) **'Thisbe'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (c 1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright pink, with an orange blotch. Ghent

(a) **'Thisbe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum*, orange-flowered selection (s) × 'Momozono' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, 25-40mm wide, geranium pink (strong pink (48C)), with a begonia rose (deep pink (50B)) blotch. Shrub to 1.5m. Late April-early May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'T.H. Kekewich'** cv. Parentage unknown L: R. Veitch & Son (1927), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson. (Perhaps raised by Waterer (Bagshot))

(r) **Thomaden Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* (s) × *adenogynum* R: E.J.P. Magor (1917), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1927), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **Thomaleum Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* × *sanguineum* subsp. *sanguineum* var. *haemaleum* R: C. Ingram (pre 1948), N: C. Ingram, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blackish crimson

(r) **'Thomaleum Oporto'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Oporto' × *sanguineum* subsp. *sanguineum* var. *haemaleum* R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, I: C. Ingram (1953), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Thomas'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.H. Seidel (c 1909), N: T.J.H. Seidel (1917), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, carmine red, with olive green spots

(a) **'Thomas A. Edison'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Gebr Kersbergen, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, dark yellow. Midseason. Mollis

(r) **'Thomas Agnew'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown, N: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958)

(v) **'Thomas Becket'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: (*zoelleri* × *lochiae*) × *zoelleri* × *aurigeranum* × *zoelleri* H: P. Sullivan (1975), G: P. Sullivan (1979), I: W.A. Moynier (1979), REG: W.A. Moynier (1981) Fls 5/lax domed truss, narrowly tubular funnel-shaped, 65mm wide (tube 50mm long), with 5 flat-edged lobes, strong reddish orange (34C). Lvs elliptic, 90 × 45mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, with minute, golden brown scales below. Shrub 0.8 × 0.45m in 5? years. September-November

(r) **Thomas Bolas Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* (s) × *fortunei* R: Lady Londonderry, N: Lady Londonderry, I: Lady Londonderry (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pinkish lilac; strongly scented

(r) **'Thomas Carlisle'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, with a dark blotch

(r) **'Thomas Church'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *forrestii* Repens Group × Moonstone Group R: L.E. Brandt, N: L.E. Brandt, REG: L.E. Brandt (1967) Fls

5/truss, 50 × 50mm, orpiment orange (10/3), darker in bud and at lobe tips. Lvs 50 × 25mm. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m

(r) **'Thomas Davies'** cv. Parentage unknown R: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1896), N: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with red margins, centre paler

(a) **'Thomas Drummond'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte (pre 1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with rose and purple stripes. Indian

(a) **'Thomas Edison'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rose. Indian

(a) **'Thomas Edison'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1932), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright amaranth red; resembles 'Madame Petrick' but a little smaller. Indian

(r) **'Thomasine'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *souliei* (s) × *thomsonii* R: S.R. Clarke, N: S.R. Clarke, I: S.R. Clarke (1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a compact truss, pale pink, spotted red. Calyx red. Lvs ovate. AM 1931

(a) **'Thomas Jefferson'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Kathleen' × 'Firefly' R: Beneschoen Gardens, N: Beneschoen Gardens, I: Beneschoen Gardens, REG: Beneschoen Gardens (1967) Fls 10/ball truss, more-or-less flat-opening, up to 100mm wide, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, strong yellowish pink (32D); scented. Lvs 115 × 50mm. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m in 6 years. Midseason. Syn: 'President Jefferson'. Knap Hill

(r) **'Thomas Methven'** cv. Parentage unknown L: T. Methven (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy crimson, with orange spots

(a) **'Thomas Moore'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Gebr Kersbergen, N: Gebr Kersbergen, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon-coloured. Mollis

(a) **'Thomas Newcomber'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Gebr Kersbergen, N: Gebr Kersbergen, I: Gebr Kersbergen (1918), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy red. Mollis (Previously listed as 'Thomas Newcomer', but the original Register card index entry has 'Thomas Newcomber')

(a) **'Thomas Rose'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nellie' (s) × 'Opal' H: G.A. Reid (1970), G: G.A. Reid (1975), N: G.A. Reid, I: G.A. Reid (1982), REG: G.A. Reid (1984) Fls hose-in-hose and doubled, 2/truss, open funnel-shaped, 30 × 50mm, 5+5+5-lobed, deep yellowish pink (47C) with strong purplish red (60B) dorsal spotting; no stamens. Calyx 30mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic to more-or-less narrowly obovate, 65-75 × 30-40mm, sparsely setose. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 12 years. Early May

(r) **Thomdeton Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* (s) × *R.* × *detonsum* R: E.J.P. Magor (1921), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1941), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **Thomking Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* (s) × Mrs Randall Davidson Group R: E.J.P. Magor (c 1915), N: E.J.P. Magor, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Thompsonianum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: listed under *viscosum* L: A. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Thompsonianum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Trillon (1843), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Thompson Quarter Horse Cross'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Elizabeth Group × 'Loderi Superlative' R: W. & M. Thompson (pre 1997), N: W. & M. Thompson Fls rosy red. Lvs deep green. Shrub 1.2m tall in 10 years

(a) **'Thompson Roseum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ruffled Giant' × 'Rosebud' R: J.G. Thompson (pre 1987), N: J.G. Thompson Fls double, with 25 lobes, 65mm wide, strong purplish red. Late

(r) **'Thomsang'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* × *sanguineum* L: The Netherlands (1964) Fls campanulate, red. Shrub c1.0m

(r) **Thomwilliams Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* (s) × *williamsianum* R: E.J.P. Magor (1921), G: E.J.P. Magor, N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1927), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deepest shade of rose pink

(a) **'Thor'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Nadine' R: O.S. Pride (pre 1987), N: O.S. Pride Fls reddish purple

(r) **'Thor'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *haematodes* (s) × Felis Group R: L.E. Brandt, N: L.E. Brandt (1961), I: L.E. Brandt, REG: L.E. Brandt (1962) Fls 6-7/truss, broadly funnel-shaped (almost flat), 70 × 105mm, geranium lake (20-20/1), with a large calyx. Lvs 115 × 45mm, dark green above, thickly hairy below. Shrub 0.6 × 0.9m in c10 years. Mid May

(a) **'Thorbecke'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: H. Knepper & Sons (pre 1896), N: H. Knepper & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls nankeen orange, with a red-purple blotch. Mollis

(a) **'Thornton Hough'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: M.C. Pratt (c 1986), G: Ness Botanic Gardens (1996), N: Ness Botanic Gardens, REG: Ness Botanic Gardens (1998) Fls single, 10-17/loose truss, broadly tubular funnel-shaped, 57 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds moderate red (47A), opening strong purplish pink (55B), outside deep purplish pink (54B); vivid orange-yellow (23A) blotch on dorsal lobe. Calyx 3mm long, light yellow-green (142D). Lvs elliptic, 30-60 × 10-25mm, wavy-edged, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 0.75m in 12 years. June-July

(r) **'Thoron Hollard'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *macabeanum* × unknown R: B. Hollard, N: B. Hollard, I: B. Hollard, REG: B. Hollard (1979) Fls moderate purplish pink (62B)

(r) **'Thousand Butterflies'** (Syn. of 'One Thousand Butterflies')

(a) **'Thou Swell'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, bright pink, with deeper rose striping down centre of each lobe and a slight golden orange flare; scented. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Early-mid July

(a) **'Th. Piens'** (Syn. of 'Souvenir de Theophile Piens')

(a) **'Thredbo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: M.E. Greentree (pre 1980), N: M.E. Greentree Fls double, hose-in-hose, white, flecked and striped purple. Indian

(v) **'Three Bells'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *macgregoriae* × *stenophyllum* (s) × *bagobonum* H: M.D. Cullinane (1989), G: M.D. Cullinane (1991), N: M.D. Cullinane (1993), REG: M.D. Cullinane (1994) Fls 3-4/lax truss, tubular and slightly flared at apex, 20 × 16mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, buds vivid reddish orange (32A), opening vivid reddish orange (34B) inside; outside vivid reddish orange (34B) on tube, strong reddish orange (34C) on lobes; unspotted. Calyx 1.5mm long, green. Lvs ovate, 35 × 16mm, margins upcurved, glossy green, acute at apex, cuneate at base, scaly, the scales light fawn when young. Shrub 0.5 × 0.3m in 4 years, flowering almost continuously

(r) **'Three Star'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Essex Scarlet' × 'America' R: J.B. Gable (c 1949), N: J.B. Gable, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark red

(r) **'Thrills'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Freckle Pink' (s) × 'Apricot Gold' H: K. Van de Ven (1986), G: K. Van de Ven (1990), N: K. Van de Ven (1996), REG: K. Van de Ven (1996) Fls 12/flat, compact truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside strong red (51A) on lobe edges, shading quickly to pure white with yellowish white (155B) on three dorsal lobes near the throat; outside deep pink (50B) shading to light pink (49C) near the calyx; stigma bright green. Calyx 4mm long, strong pink (49A). Lvs elliptic, 85-100 × 32-36mm, margins decurved, apiculate at apex, obtuse at base, matt moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m in 10 years. Late spring

(r) **'Throstle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *oreodoxa* var. *fargesii* × *morii* R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, I: C. Ingram (1970) PC 1970

(a) **'Thumbelina'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Carlson's Gardens (1977) Fls double, pale pink, outer lobes striped. Knap Hill

(r) **'Thumbelina'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: May Day Group, selfed R: T. McMurry, N: T. McMurry, REG: T. McMurry (1964) Fls 8-9/truss, small, campanulate, deep rose. Calyx petaloid. Lvs 50 × 25mm. Shrub 0.6m in 8 years. May

(r) **'Thunder'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selected seedling from PJM Group, selfed H: E.V. Mezitt (1971), G: Weston Nurseries (1975), N: Weston Nurseries, I: Weston Nurseries, REG: Weston Nurseries (1987) Fls 3-5/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 19 × 38-44mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (72A). Calyx less than 1mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 32-38 × 16mm, flat/convex, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, scaly; foliage is dark mahogany-coloured from November to end of flowering time. Shrub 0.9 × 0.6m in 10 years. Early May

(a) **'Thunderball'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ward's Ruby' × 'Hahn's Red' H: R. Mauritsen (c 1975), G: Kent Nursery (1983), N: S. Mauritsen, I: Kent Nursery (1986), REG: S. Mauritsen (1986) Fls single, 1-6/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 25 × 38mm, 5-lobed, strong red (53C). Calyx 1.5mm long, light green. Lvs mostly broadly elliptic (to elliptic), 38 × 25mm, dark yellowish green (139A) above, light green below. Shrub 0.3 × 0.3m in 3 years. Mid April. Kurume

(r) **'Thunderbolt'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Lady Martineau (pre 1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep mauve, heavily spotted blackish maroon on dorsal lobes

(r) **'Thunderhead'** (Syn. of 'Summer Storm')

(r) **'Thunderhead'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R.W. Clark, N: R.W. Clark, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep purple (as deep as 'Purple Splendour' without the black blotch). Lvs matt green. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Thunderstorm'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Doncaster' hybrid R: W.C. Slocock Ltd (1930), N: W.C. Slocock Ltd, I: W.C. Slocock Ltd, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c18/compact, domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 70mm, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, deep rich red (near rose opal, 022); stamens conspicuous, white. Lvs 140 × 50mm, dark glossy green. Shrub 2.0m. *AM 1955

(r) **'Thuringia'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C.J.H. Walther (pre 1863), N: C.J.H. Walther, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet, spotted red. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Thurley's Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1984) Fls single, pink

(a) **'Thurnelde'** (An error for 'Thusnelde')

(a) **'Thusnelde'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Gebr Mardner, N: Gebr Mardner, I: Gebr Mardner (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, pendulous, dark red, with a metallic tint, dorsal lobes with a lilac tint and a fiery blotch. Indian (Sometimes seen in error as 'Thurnelde')

(r) **'T.H. van Nes'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C.B. van Nes & Sons (pre 1925), N: C.B. van Nes & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in compact trusses, large, wide open, bright carmine pink, with a paler centre. AM 1925

(r) **'Tiana'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sappho' × *yakushimanum* (Exbury form) H: R. Murcott (1975), G: W. Brack (1984), N: W. Brack, I: Roslyn Nursery (1986), REG: W. Brack (1989) Fls 16/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 64mm, with 5-7 very wavy-edged lobes, white, with a dark red (187C) butterfly-shaped blotch, surrounded by spots, on dorsal lobe. Calyx minute. Lvs oblong, 127 × 51mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 1.7 × 2.4m in 12 years. Mid May. (Published in Roslyn Nursery cat., 1986)

(r) **'Tiara'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Golden Jubilee' × 'Loderi King George' R: M.V. Love, N: M.V. Love, REG: M.V. Love (1964) Fls in a compact, erect truss, open-faced (approaching saucer-shaped), 75 × 115mm, with petaloid stamens (c15mm long) clustered around ovary, white, with a chartreuse green (663/3) throat; scented. Lvs 225 × 100mm. Shrub 1.2m tall in 10 years. Early

(r) **'Tibet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Bismarck' (s) × *williamsianum* R: D.G. Hobbie, I: Boer Bros (1966) Fls 4-8/truss, campanulate, 40-55mm wide, pinkish in bud, opening white. Lvs ovate, 40-80mm wide. Shrub c1.0m

(a) **'Tickled Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Purity' (Rutherford) I: Nuccio's Nurseries (c 1976) Fls hose-in-hose, 75mm wide, light pink, edged white. Rutherford

(r) **'Tickled Pink'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Tickled Pink')

(r) **'Tickled Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Unique' × 'Crest' I: C.P. Fawcett (1983) Fls in rounded trusses, creamy yellow with a deep yellow centre and peachy pink margins. Lvs twisted, with wavy margins. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Tickley'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Achiever' (s) × *polycladum* Scintillans Group H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1995) Fls 6/truss, open funnel-shaped, 25 × 32mm, 5-lobed, strong and light purple (77B-D) in bud, opening light purple (77C-D), with deep purplish pink (66C) stamens and pistil. Lvs 44 × 19mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base. Mid-late May. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer (1992))

(r) **'Tick-tock'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague' × *williamsianum* H: H.E. Greer (1957), G: H.E. Greer, N: H.E. Greer, I: H.E. Greer (1962), REG: H.E. Greer (1972) Fls 10/rounded truss, funnel-campanulate, 50 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, rose pink (8RP 6/12), with slight marking on dorsal lobes. Lvs elliptic, 70 × 30mm. Shrub 0.25m. Midseason

(a) **'Tico Tico'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Helen Close' × 'Purple Splendor' R: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1969) Fls hose-in-hose, 2-3/truss, up to 65mm wide, strong reddish purple (10P 5/10). Lvs 30 × 20mm. Shrub to 60cm tall. May

(r) **'Tidal Wave'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tony's Gift' (s) × Mrs T.H. Lowinsky' R: W.E. Delp (pre 1989), N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls strong and light purple (77B, C, D) in bud, opening very pale purple (76C, D) and light purple (77D) with a light greenish yellow (3D) flare and strong yellow-green (144A) dorsal spots; filaments and style white; stigma strong purplish red (60D); anthers moderate purplish pink (186D)

(r) **'Tidal Wave'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' × 'Bristol Cream' (s) × 'Mary Belle' H: G. Gray, G: W.E. Delp (pre 1995), N: Mrs V. Delp Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, white and pale purplish pink (56D) in bud, opening white with strong yellow (153D) dorsal spots; filaments white, anthers pale purplish pink (65D); style pale yellow-green (157A), stigma moderate reddish orange (178C). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Tidbit'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* (s) × *wardii* H: R. Henny, G: R. Henny, N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny (1957), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 6-9/domed, compact truss, campanulate, 50mm wide, light greenish yellow (8C), flushed with light greenish yellow (8B), younger flowers flushed deep yellowish pink (41D), with a red basal blotch. Calyx scarlet, prominent. Lvs 70-80 × 25-30mm, dark, glossy green. Shrub to 1.4m. Mid May

(r) **'Tiddlywinks'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tidbit' × Idealist Group I: Willard Thompson Nursery (1988) Fls deep lemon yellow, with a large, yellow calyx. Lvs glossy and dark green. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **Tiepolo Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *yunnanense* (s) × Clodion Group R: G.M. Adams-Acton, N: G.M. Adams-Acton, I: G.M. Adams-Acton (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls magenta

(a) **'Tiffany'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nancy of Robinhill' × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' H: R.C. Vines (pre 1990), G: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines Fls hose-in-hose and double, 2-3/truss, 65-90mm wide, with 15-20 lobes, pink, with a lighter throat and purplish red blotch. Shrub 0.6 × 0.9m. Early May

(r) **'Tiffany'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Anna Baldsiefen' × *keiskei* R: W. Baldsiefen (1960), N: W. Baldsiefen, I: W. Baldsiefen (1970), REG: W. Baldsiefen (1971) Fls 3-8/truss, 25 × 30mm, star-shaped, with reflexed lobes, intense pink to very faint shrimp (Baldsiefen cat., c1985); other accounts describe the throat being apricot and yellow. Lvs lanceolate, 50 × 25mm. Shrub 0.4 × 0.8m in 10 years. Early May

(v) **'Tiffany Rose'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Taylorii' (s) × *leptanthum* H: P. Sullivan, G: R.M. Withers (1980), I: G.L.S. Snell, REG: G.L.S. Snell (1984) Fls 4-6/truss, tubular-campanulate, 40 × 30mm, strong purplish pink (55B), shading to pale purplish pink (55D). Lvs elliptic, 60 × 25mm. Shrub 0.4 × 0.4m

(r) **'Tiger'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* × Cremorne Group R: G. Reuthe Ltd, N: G. Reuthe Ltd, REG: G. Reuthe Ltd (1970) Fls 4-6/lax, flattened dome truss, open funnel-shaped, c53 × 70mm, ventral lobes light greenish yellow (8B), lightly flushed deep yellowish pink (44D) around margins, three dorsal lobes brilliant yellow (10A) flushed deep yellowish pink (44D) around margins and lightly tinged moderate reddish orange (35B), with quite heavy dorsal lobe spotting of deep red (185A). Lvs 75 × 45mm, dark dull green. Shrub to at least c0.7 × 0.7m. *HC 1970

(a) **'Tiger Lil'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls moderate reddish orange. Late May

(r) **'Tiger Lily'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Whitney (pre 1980)

(r) **'Tiger Paw'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Stokes Opal' (s) × 'Goldsworth Yellow' H: W.E. Delp (1978), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 17/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 45 × 55mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish purple to moderate purplish pink (78B-D) in bud, opening very pale purple (76D) with a pale greenish yellow (1D) flare and moderate yellow-green (146B) spots on three dorsal lobes; filaments pale purplish pink (65D); style light purplish pink (63D); anthers dark purplish pink (186C); stigma vivid red (45B). Lvs 89 × 38mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Early June

(r) **'Tiger Splendour'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' × *yakushimanum* H: D.L. Hinerman (1975), G: H.E. Salley (1988), N: Mrs D.L. Hinerman, I: D.L. Hinerman (1989), REG: H.E. Salley (1988) Fls 12-15/truss, 45 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (72A) in bud, opening light purple (77D) with an unusually large dorsal blotch of deep to strong orange-yellow (163A-B), outside light purple (75A). Calyx 3mm long, light yellow-green. Lvs elliptic, 100-130 × 45mm, very tough, moderate olive green (146A), hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.3m. Early June

(r) **'Tight End'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ronald Otto Delp × 'Harvest Moon' × 'Ice Cube' H: W.E. Delp (1983), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 47 × 80mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (72A) and strong reddish purple (72B, C) in bud, opening to a blend of strong and light purple (77B, C, D), with deep purplish red (71A) dorsal spots. Lvs 95 × 38mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.1m in 9 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Tightwad'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tony's Gift' (s) × 'Maxhaem Salmon' H: W.E. Delp (1975), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 14/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 50 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink and strong purplish red (74D, 71B-D) in bud, opening to a blend of purple and purplish red (77B-D; 76D, 71D); filaments and style very pale purple (76D), anthers pale orange-yellow (159B); stigma moderate red (181B). Lvs 95 × 44mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.5m in 17 years. Early June

(r) **'Tigre des Indies'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Oudin (1845), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Tigrinum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Paul Schäme' × 'Tempérance' I: C.J. Wille & Co. (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white, with purple and purplish red flakes. Calyx normal, green. Indian

(r) **'Tigrinum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson. (Perhaps the plant listed as an *arboreum* hybrid in *Florists Journal*, 1841)

(r) **'Tigrinum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Holstein' (s) × 'Progrès' R: H. Hachmann (1968), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1988) Fls 12-14/compact truss, 65mm wide, lavender on opening, ageing to pale lilac white, with strong red markings and a basal blotch. Shrub 1.8 × 2.4m in 15 years

(r) **'Tigrinum Coccineum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Trillon (1843), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Tigrinum Roseum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection or hybrid of *arboreum* L: Trillon (1843), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls numerous, rose, tinted white, marked with many spots in an inverted "v" on each lobe

(r) **'Tiiu'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* G: H. Vaartnou (1971), S: H. Vaartnou, N: H. Vaartnou, REG: H. Vaartnou (1991) Fls 10/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 64 × 102mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, pink in bud, opening moderate purplish pink (54D); stamens 14-15, straight, unequal; style flesh-coloured; highly scented. Calyx 3mm long, greenish pink. Pedicels 44mm long, greenish. Lvs narrowly oblong, 152 × 51mm, flat, acute and mucronate at apex, rounded at base, hairless; petioles 25mm long, greenish. Shrub 3.0 × 1.8m in 25 years. June

(r) **'Tilehurst'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Dido Group × Sarita Loder Group R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1966) Fls 10-12/compact truss, 45 × 65mm, porcelain rose (620) at base, shading to carmine rose (621/1) at tips, colouring flushed and irregular, paler within; some spotting on three dorsal lobes. Calyx near porcelain rose (620), irregular, up to 12mm long. Lvs narrowly ovate, 125 × 55mm, hairless. PC 1966

(r) **'Tilford Seedling'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1988)

(r) **'Tilgates Peach'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1995) (Grown in UK)

(r) **'Tilgates Yellow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'C.I.S.' × 'New Comet' R: D. Clulow (pre 1989), N: D. Clulow

(a) **'Tillamook'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Hugh Wormald' × 'Marion Merriman' R: H.J. Slonecker, N: H.J. Slonecker, REG: H.J. Slonecker (1963) Fls 90mm wide, light yellow, fading to white, with an orange blotch. Midseason

(a) **'Till Then'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, pale pink, with a hint of a yellow flare. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Late June-July

(a) **'Tilly'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1900), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange, spotted red. Mollis

(a) **'Tilly'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Hino-crimson' R: L. Yavorsky (pre 1978), N: L. Yavorsky Fls reddish orange. Compact habit. Kurume

(r) **'Tilly Aston'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Apricot Gold' (s) × 'Lem's Cameo' H: K. Van de Ven (1986), G: K. Van de Ven (1992), N: Olinda Nurseries, I: Olinda Nurseries, REG: Olinda Nurseries (1996) Fls 22/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 60 × 90-97mm, with 6-7 very wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish orange (42A) in bud, opening inside with stripes of strong yellowish pink (32C) and moderate reddish orange (35A), shading to deep yellowish pink (39B) on lobe edges, throat vivid reddish orange (34A); outside strong reddish orange (42B); stamens 14, unequal; style and stigma green. Calyx uneven, 5-15mm long. Lvs ovate, 80-130 × 35-47mm, margins decurved, acute at apex, obtuse at base, matt and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 0.8m in 8 years. Late spring

(a) **'Tilney Red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls light red. Midseason. Indian

(a) **'Timberline'** cv. Deciduous azalea: wild-collected selection from *vaseyi* S: L.C. Towe & N. Anastos (1990), N: L.C. Towe & N. Anastos (2001), I: E. Koone III (2001), REG: L.C. Towe & N. Anastos (2001) Fls single, 5-9/flat truss, saucer-shaped to very broadly funnel-shaped (with a very short tube), c30-50 × 50mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, strong purplish red (64C) in bud and when open, with some burgundy spots at the base of the dorsal lobe. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 75 × 30mm, with wavy margins, acuminate at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and moderate yellow-green (147B) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 0.9m in 10 years. Early May. (Wild-collected from the Shining Rock Wilderness, western North Carolina, USA)

(r) **'Tim Craig'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'America' × *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Frank Moniz' R: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls deep and strong red (53A, B, 46A) in bud, opening strong red (53B, 46A) and vivid red (46B), with deep red (53A) dorsal spots and some white in the throat; anthers white. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Time After Time'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, salmon pink, with an orange flare covering the dorsal lobe. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Late June

(r) **'Timeless Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Gladsgay Gardens' (s) × 'Carolyn Grace' H: M.J. Whitman (1995), G: M.J. & B. Whitman (2000), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (2000), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (2000) Fls 14/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45 × 75mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (64C) and deep purplish pink (64D) in bud, opening inside very pale purple (69D), tinged very pale purple (69B) at lobes tips and with a brilliant yellow-green (150B) blotch and spotting at base of dorsal lobe; outside very pale purple (69D), with very pale purple (69B) midribs. Lvs oblong, 100 × 45mm, broadly acute at apex, slightly oblique at base, margins flat, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (137A) and moderate yellowish green (139B) above, hairless. Shrub 0.45 × 0.45m in 5 years. Mid May

(r) **'Tim Flint'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan' × Azor Group × C.P. Raffill Group H: G.E. Barefield (1961), I: M.W. Barefield (1977), REG: M.W. Barefield (1981) Fls 11/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 65mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (46C) to strong red (46A), with some strong red (46A) spotting; scented. Lvs lanceolate to narrowly elliptic, 125 × 45mm, acute at apex, dark green (135A) above, with a light, floccose, golden brown indumentum below. Shrub 1.8 × 1.5m in 17 years. Late May

(r) **'Timmy Foster'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *racemosum* × *keiskei* H: H.L. Foster (pre 1978)

(a) **'Timo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: O. Stahnke & E. Dettmer (pre 1984), N: O. Stahnke & E. Dettmer Fls single, white

(r) **'Timon'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy purple

(r) **'Timoshenko'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage uncertain H: C. Ingram (c 1928), G: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, I: C. Ingram (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10-12/truss, deep red, paling slightly with age, with some central spotting. Large shrub

(r) **'Timothy James'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Fabia Tangerine' R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1971) Fls red-purple, darkening to moderate purplish pink (62B) in centre, spotted with brown. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years

(a) **'Tina'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Rose Greeley' × 'Ward's Ruby' × 'Kirin' H: W.L. Guttormsen (1967), G: W.L.

Guttormsen (1970), N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen (1973), REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1979) Fls hose-in-hose, open funnel-shaped, 25 × 25mm, with 5+5 flat-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (58D). Calyx 25mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and hairless above. Shrub 0.3 × 0.4m in 7 years. Early April

(a) **'Tina'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Christina' L: Holly Heath Nursery (1978) Fls pink, shaded carmine. Foliage and stature smaller than parent. Vuykiana

(v) **'Tina'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown N: Vireya Venue, I: Vireya Venue (1996) Fls nodding, slightly flared campanulate, blush pink. Lvs small, glossy green. Shrub to 0.5m

(r) **'Tina Heinje'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' × 'Kluis Sensation' H: D. Heinje Baumschulen (1962), G: D. Heinje Baumschulen (1967), N: D. Heinje Baumschulen, I: D. Heinje Baumschulen (1981), REG: D. Heinje Baumschulen (1986) Fls 14-16/truss, 45-50 × 60-70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, intense red in bud, opening dark pink and red, with a dark red eye, paler inside (43A/B & D). Calyx 30mm long, green-brownish. Lvs lanceolate, 140 × 50mm, glossy dark green above, with a pale indumentum below when young. Compact habit. Late May-early June

(r) **'Tina Louise'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Wheatley' × *yakushimanum* H: R.L. Means (1982), G: R.L. Means (1989), N: R.L. Means, REG: R.L. Means (1989) Fls 12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 38 × 64mm, with 7 wavy to very wavy-edged lobes, white with central streaking of moderate purplish pink (54D); slightly scented. Calyx very small. Lvs elliptic, 102 × 44mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.7m in 7 years. Early May

(r) **'Tina Marie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* Litiense Group × 'Crest' H: W. Elliott (1974), G: A. Tracy (1979), N: A. & R. Tracy, REG: A. Tracy (1986) Fls 6-10/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 102mm, with 5-7 wavy-edged lobes, light yellow-green (154D), with a brilliant yellow-green (154C) throat. Calyx vestigial. Lvs elliptic, 108 × 57mm, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (147C) below, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.8m in 10 years. Early May

(a) **'Tina's Whorled'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Koromoshikibu' (s) × *indicum* hybrid H: W.L. Clagett (1984), G: W.L. Clagett (1988), N: W.L. Clagett, I: White's Nursery, REG: W.L. Clagett (1994) Fls 2-3/truss, 40 × 80mm, with 5 individual smooth-edged, strap-like petals (15mm wide near mid point, tapering to both ends), strong reddish purple (78B); stamens 5, curved, equal, with black anthers; style dark red. Calyx 20mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Pedicels 12mm long, green. Lvs ovate, 50 × 20mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (146B) and with discrete hairs below (white when young, ageing to brown); petioles 7mm long, light green. Shrub 0.56 × 0.56m in 10 years. Mid-late May

(a) **'Tincta Elegans'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Verschaffelt (1860), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Listed as from Smith)

(a) **'Tinctorium'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1852), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Tinicum'** cv. Un-named Dexter hybrid × unknown G: Scott Arboretum (c 1952), N: J.C. Wister, I: Scott Arboretum (c 1965), REG: Scott Arboretum (1983) Fls 9/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 120mm, 7-lobed, pale pink (2.5R 9/3) becoming brilliant yellow-green (2.5GY 9/8) in the throat and fading to apricot/yellow; strongly scented. Calyx 3mm long, light yellow-green. Lvs elliptic to narrowly obovate, 115-130 × 50-65mm, moderate olive green (2.5GY 4/3) above. Shrub c2.5 × 2.5m in 36 years. Mid May. (Grown from seed collected on the Everitt Estate by G. Gillies in 1945)

(r) **'Tinker Bell'** (Syn. of 'Suzy Bell')

(r) **'Tinkerbell'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: May Day Group, selfed H: T. McMurry (1955), G: T. McMurry, N: T. McMurry, REG: T. McMurry (1964) Fls hose-in-hose, 8-9/truss, broadly campanulate, rose pink. Calyx large, coloured as corolla. Lvs 65 × 40mm. Shrub 0.5 × 1.0m in 8 years. May

(v) **'Tinkerbells Flight'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *loranthiflorum* × *laetum* H: unknown, G: G.L.S. Snell (1989), N: R. Macdonald (1991), I: Foothills Nursery (1991), REG: Foothills Nursery (1992) Fls 7-11/flat truss, long tubular funnel-shaped, 45 × 45mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, inside pale yellow (11C) with light yellowish pink (38C) lobes, outside pale yellow (11C) with pale yellowish pink (36D) lobes. Lvs obovate, 70 × 30mm, flat, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.0m. Spring-autumn

(r) **'Tinkerbird'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *ciliatum* (from BLM 324) (s) × *edgeworthii* H: P.A. Cox (1985), G: P.A. Cox (1989), N: P.A. Cox (1989), I: P.A. Cox, REG: Glendoick Gardens (1998) Fls 2-3/loose truss, broadly funnel-shaped, up to 75 × 80mm, with 5 wavy or flat-edged lobes, strong purplish red (58C) in bud, opening inside white, outside faintly tinged strong purplish red (58C); style and filaments white; unmarked. Calyx 5-8mm long, light yellowish green (135D), tinged strong purplish red (58C); scented. Lvs elliptic to oblanceolate, 30-80 × 15-35mm, flat, acuminate at apex, cuneate at base, matt green above, scaly; margins of first year leaves and young shoots softly hairy. Shrub 0.9 × 1.0m in 13 years. Late April-early May

(r) **'Tinker Hill'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (red form) × 'Lavender Charm' H: unknown (1968), G: C. Herbert (1976), N: C. Herbert, I: C. Herbert (1976), REG: C. Herbert (1977) Fls up to

13/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 100mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (55B), with a dark red (59A) dorsal blotch and spotting on dorsal lobe; scented. Calyx very short, pea green. Lvs lanceolate to ovate, 108 × 45mm, acute at apex, oblique at base, hairless. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Early May. (M. Gordon grew it first, from seed, C. Herbert then grew it on to first flower)

(r) **'Tinkle Bells'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *williamsianum* hybrid R: unknown (pre 1994) Fls bright red in bud, opening pink. Lvs rounded, light green. Shrub 0.6m in 10 years, with a compact, rounded habit

(r) **'Tin Lizzie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Disca' (s) × 'Dorothy Amateis' R: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls strong and moderate purplish pink (68B, C) with a moderate orange (167C) throat. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Tinndecor'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from *decorum* R: D.G. Hobbie (pre 1974), S: W. Wüstemeyer, N: W. Wüstemeyer Fls white, with a dark pistil

(a) **'Tinsmith'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: Exbury Gardens Ltd (pre 1965), G: Exbury Gardens Ltd (pre 1980), N: E. de Rothschild (pre 1980), REG: Exbury Gardens Ltd (1996) Fls 10-12/rounded truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 80mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, buds light yellow (14D) at base, deepening to brilliant yellow (11A) towards apex and flushed strong reddish orange (40C), opening inside white, with a strong orange-yellow (17A) blotch flushed moderate reddish orange (41C); outside yellowish white (156D), flushed moderate yellowish pink (38B); filaments and style white; not scented. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 44mm, margins flat, matt green (tinged bronze) above, pointed at base and apex, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 2.0m in 30 years. May. (Solent Group)

(a) **'Tintoretto'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Tintoretto'** cv. Deciduous azalea: Ilam azalea seedling R: Wells Nursery (pre 1978), N: Wells Nursery Fls with wavy-edged lobes, reddish orange, with an orange blotch

(r) **'Tintoretto'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* hybrid R: C. Frets & Sons (pre 1896), N: C. Frets & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light pink, with a reddish blotch

(r) **'Tintoretto'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Annedore' seedling L: Firma Seidel (1918), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine red, with a few yellow spots on a lighter ground

(a) **'Tiny'** cv. Evergreen azalea: un-named seedling × 'Hexe' × 'Vervaeneanum' H: G.A. Reid (1959), G: G.A. Reid (1964), N: G.A. Reid, I: G.A. Reid (1973), REG: G.A. Reid (1976) Fls double and hose-in-hose, 2-4/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 20 × 30mm, with 5+5+5 wavy-edged lobes, solferino purple (26/2), with a few darker spots on dorsal lobes. Calyx 20mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 20 × 10mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 0.25 × 0.4m in 7 years. Late May. (Linwood azalea no. L-28)

(r) **'Tiny Bubbles'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* (s) × 'Purple Splendour' H: B.J. Ogdon (1989), G: B.J. Ogdon (1997), N: B.J. Ogdon (1999), REG: B.J. Ogdon (1999) Fls 15/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purple (80B) in bud, opening light purple (80C) inside and strong purple (80B) outside, with red spotting on the dorsal lobe; anthers white; stigma red. Calyx vestigial. Lvs elliptic, 170 × 55mm, matt green, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.0m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Tiny Troll'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tols' (s) × *hyperythrum* H: A.W. Smith (pre 1989), G: D. Irish-Hosler (1998), N: D. Irish-Hosler (2000), REG: D. Irish-Hosler (2000) Fls 10/domed truss, saucer-shaped, 40 × 55mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, very pale purple (69D) to white in bud, opening very pale purple (69D) inside and out, changing to yellowish white (155D) with sparse, yellow spotting on the three dorsal lobes; anthers very dark. Calyx very small, red. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 75 × 25mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins downcurved, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.3 × 0.45m in c12 years. Midseason

(r) **'Tioga'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Jalisco Elect' × 'Fawn' × Sarita Loder Group H: D.W. James (1961), G: W.V. Joslin (1967), N: W.V. Joslin, I: W.V. Joslin, REG: W.V. Joslin (1974) Fls c8/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 100mm, 7-lobed, light greenish yellow (4B) to pale yellow-green (4D), with a few light reddish brown spots. Calyx 25mm long, greenish yellow. Lvs narrowly oblong, 100 × 40mm, dark green, hairless; new growth light bronze green. Shrub 1.4 × 2.0m in 12 years. Midseason

(r) **'Tip Off'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Chionoides' (s) × *calophytum* H: G.A.L. Mehlquist (1965), G: G.A.L. Mehlquist, N: M.H. Brand (1998), I: Dept. of Plant Science, University of Connecticut (1998), REG: M.H. Brand (1998) Fls 12-15/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light purple (75B) and moderate purplish pink (78D & 70D) in bud, opening yellowish white (155D & 156D) inside and out, with pale purplish pink (56C-D) and pale pink (49D) highlights and a prominent dark red (187B) dorsal flare (c40mm wide). Calyx less than 1mm long, strong yellow-green (145A). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 150 × 35mm, margins decurved, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 2.4 × 3.1m in 30 years. (Late April-)early May

(r) **'Tipoo Sahib'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark chocolate. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Tipster'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ronald Otto Delp' (s) × 'Lanny Pride' R: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, strong and vivid purplish red (67A, B) and deep purplish pink (67D) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (65D) edged strong purplish red (67A), with strong yellow-green (145A) dorsal spots; anthers white. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Tipsy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: red-flowered *maximum* (s) × *aureum* × *maximum* H: W.E. Delp (1987), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 10/truss, open funnel-shaped, 36 × 51mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, moderate and strong purplish red (64A, 63A) in bud, opening very pale purple (69D), edged heavily with strong purplish red, strong purplish pink and deep red (63B, C, 60A), with a small, brilliant yellow-green (150A) flare and light olive (152B) dorsal spots; filaments and style very pale purple (69D), anthers moderate reddish brown (166B); stigma dark reddish orange (172B). Lvs 140 × 54mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m in 5 years. Mid June

(r) **'Tip-the-wink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* × Kewense Group R: Lady Loder (pre 1936), N: Lady Loder, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in loose trusses, broadly campanulate, up to 75 × 125mm, pure white. Lvs up to 225 × 90mm, dark green and glossy above, hairless. FCC 1936 (Parentage as given in 1958 Register; the Register card indicated *decorum* × Loderi Group)

(r) **'Tish'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Beckyann' × *fortunei* × 'Mount Siga' H: H.R. Yates (1966), G: H.R. Yates (1976), N: M. Yates, I: M. Yates (1976), REG: M. Yates (1976) Fls up to 10/truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 80mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, pale yellow (11C), slightly deeper in the throat, unmarked; scented. Lvs elliptic, 145 × 70mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (146A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 0.8m in 9 years. Late May

(a) **'Tissie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'White Jade' × *indicum* hybrid H: W.L. Clagett (1979), G: W.L. Clagett (1984), N: W.L. Clagett, I: White's Nursery (1993), REG: W.L. Clagett (1991) Fls hose-in-hose, 2-3/flat truss, saucer-shaped, 50 × 80mm, the two whorls each with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purple (77B) to light purple (77C), darker in bud, with conspicuous strong purplish red (71B) spotting on three dorsal lobes; stamens (7-)10, curved, uneven, anthers grey to black; style very pale lavender, curved; not or very slightly scented. Pedicels 10mm long, white. Lvs elliptic, 35 × 18mm, flat, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (147A) and glossy above, moderate yellow-green (146B) and hairy below; petioles 8mm long, light green. Shrub 0.6 × 0.8m in 10 years. Late May-early June

(v) **'Titan'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection or natural hybrid of *brookeanum* S: E.F. Allen, N: E.F. Allen, REG: E.F. Allen (1971) Fls strong orange (30D), fading to light pink (39D), with an indistinctly defined yellow throat. Very free-branching habit. Summer-flowering. (Collected on Mount Kinabalu, Sabah)

(a) **'Titania'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: uncertain (pre 1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls apple blossom colour. Indian (Perhaps raised by C. Schulz)

(r) **'Titania'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1853), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red, base of lobes white

(r) **'Titania'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R.T. Pince (pre 1868), N: R.T. Pince, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls delicate blush, shaded pink at edge and with conspicuous orange spots. (Published in Lucombe, Pince & Co. cat., c1868)

(r) **'Titian'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (pre 1851), N: Waterer, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy crimson, with brown spots. (Variously listed as of Bagshot or of Knap Hill origin)

(r) **'Titian Beauty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *facetum* × 'Fabia Tangerine' × *yakushimanum* × 'Fabia Tangerine' R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1970) Fls turkey red (721/3). Lvs small. Shrub of tight habit, to 2.0m

(r) **'Titian Bouquet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Bridal Bouquet' (s) × 'Titian Beauty' H: R.W. Ward (1990), G: R.W. Ward (1995), N: R.W. Ward, REG: R.W. Ward (2000) Fls 10/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 7 very wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (73C) throughout, with deep purplish pink (61D) spotting inside - 40mm from centre on dorsal lobe and c15mm from centre on others. Lvs oblong, 125 × 45mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (146A) above, with wavy margins, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 10 years. Early May

(a) **'Titien'** (See 'Le Titien')

(a) **'Titipu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kirishima' × 'Malvaticum' R: J.B. Stevenson, I: Hydon Nurseries, REG: Hydon Nurseries (1967) Fls 5-10/domed, compact truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 25 × 30mm, strong reddish purple (72C), very lightly flushed strong reddish purple (72B-C), upper half of throat spotted deep purplish red (61A). Lvs 25 × 10mm, mid green and more-or-less glossy above. Shrub 1.1 × 1.31m. Mid April. *AM 1989

(r) **'Titleist'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scintillation' (s) × *fortunei* H: W.L. Rhein (1981), G: W.L. Rhein (1986), N: W.L. Rhein, REG: Rhein Registration Committee (1996) Fls 12-14/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 100mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (68A) in bud, opening to a large, white, star-shaped centre, with moderate purplish pink (62B) edges, strong greenish yellow (151A) throat and 151A streaks and freckles on the dorsal lobe; stamens 14, curved, unequal; moderately scented. Calyx minute. Pedicels 35mm long, dark greenish yellow (152C). Lvs

oblong, 150-175 × 65-70mm, margins decurved, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, moderate olive green (147A) and glossy above, moderate yellow-green (148B) below; petioles 20mm long, moderate yellow-green (146D), flushed greyish red (176A) above, slightly hairy. Shrub 2.3 × 3.2m in 15 years. Early May

(r) **'Titness Aladdin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *auriculatum* × *griersonianum* R: Sir James Horlick, N: Sir James Horlick (1934), I: Sir James Horlick, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large trusses, rose. Young foliage attractive. Late June

(r) **'Titness Beauty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* × Loderi Group R: Sir James Horlick, N: Sir James Horlick, I: Sir James Horlick (1937), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **Titness Belle Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Countess of Derby (s) × Loderi Group R: Sir James Horlick (1930), N: Sir James Horlick, I: Sir James Horlick (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a very large, rather striking truss, "better" than the 'Countess of Derby'

(r) **'Titness Crimson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'J.G. Millais' × Loderi Group R: Sir James Horlick, N: Sir James Horlick (1959), I: Sir James Horlick, REG: Sir James Horlick (1961) Fls 11-12/truss, deep glowing red. Lvs resembling Loderi Group. Large shrub. Early April

(r) **'Titness Delight'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Loderi Group hybrid R: Sir James Horlick, N: Sir James Horlick (1960), I: Sir James Horlick, REG: Sir James Horlick (1961) Fls 11/truss, somewhat campanulate, very light pink, fading to white; slightly scented. Mid May

(r) **'Titness Park'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *barbatum* (s) × *calophytum* R: Sir James Horlick, N: Sir James Horlick, I: Sir James Horlick (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 18/tight, globular truss, funnel-campanulate, 55 × 80mm, with wavy-edged lobes, a pale variable shade of phlox pink (625), with a chocolate blotch in the throat and some chocolate spotting. AM 1954, FCC 1974

(r) **'Titness Perfection'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Shilsonii Group × *praevernum* R: Sir James Horlick, N: Sir James Horlick (1934), I: Sir James Horlick, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose pink, with a deeper throat. Lvs glossy. April

(r) **'Titness Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Shilsonii Group × *sutchuenense* R: Sir James Horlick, N: Sir James Horlick (1934), I: Sir James Horlick, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deepish rosy pink. April

(r) **'Titness Rose'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × Loderi Group R: Sir James Horlick, N: Sir James Horlick, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Titness Saucy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Loderi Group hybrid R: Sir James Horlick, N: Sir James Horlick (1960), I: Sir James Horlick, REG: Sir James Horlick (1961) Fls 12/upright truss, 75mm wide, apple blossom pink, ageing to white; very slightly scented. Mid May

(r) **'Titness Scarlet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group × *neriiflorum* R: Sir James Horlick, N: Sir James Horlick (1959), I: Sir James Horlick, REG: Sir James Horlick (1961) Fls shaped like *neriiflorum* in a loose truss, dark red/orange scarlet. Lvs darker green than Fabia Group. Early-mid May

(r) **'Titness Triumph'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *basilicum* × *monstroseanum* H: Sir James Horlick (1939), G: Sir James Horlick, N: Sir James Horlick, I: Sir James Horlick (1956), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink

(r) **'Titness Victory'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *basilicum* × *monstroseanum* R: Sir James Horlick, N: Sir James Horlick (1959), I: Sir James Horlick, REG: Sir James Horlick (1961) Fls in compact trusses, off white, tinged mauve. Lvs 225-300mm long, with a silvery indumentum below; like *monstroseanum*, but not so large. Large shrub. April

(r) **'Tito'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1954), INC: ICRA (1958) (Exhibited by E. de Rothschild in 1954)

(r) **'Titon'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (c 1869), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Tittenhurst'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wightii* (s) × (?) *barbatum* N: H. White, I: H. White (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in compact, hemispherical trusses, pale yellow. Lvs pale cinnamon below. AM 1933 (Raiser uncertain, variously attributed to H. White & T.H. Lowinsky)

(r) **'Tittenhurst Belle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Corona' (s) × *griffithianum* R: T.H. Lowinsky, N: T.H. Lowinsky, I: T.H. Lowinsky (1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 8/racemose truss, obliquely campanulate, 80 × 100mm, pale pink, deepest at edges and externally along midveins, with a narrow ray of bright crimson spots in the tube. Calyx lobes 5-10mm long, colourless. Lvs ovate, c125 × 70mm, deep green above, hairless below. AM 1925

(a) **'Tit-Willow'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kirishima' (s) × 'Malvaticum' H: J.B. Stevenson (1938), I: Hydon Nurseries, REG: Hydon Nurseries (1966) Fls 4/compact, domed truss, funnel-shaped, 20 × 30mm, light purple (75B), flushed pink, dorsal half of throat speckled strong purplish red (72A); long white stamens. Lvs 20 × 10mm, light to mid green, more-or-less glossy. Shrub 0.66 × 1.45m. *AM 1989

(r) **'Tivoli'** (Syn. of 'Gräfin Sonja')

(a) **'T.J. Seidel'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: M. Koster & Sons (1892), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 65mm wide, vivid yellowish pink (30C), with a reddish purple blotch. Midseason. Mollis

(r) **'Toandos Rose'** (Syn. of 'Double Date')

(r) **'Toastmaster'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown, presumed to be a subsect. *Fortunea* hybrid G: G. Gillies, N: J.C. Wister, REG: Scott Arboretum (1985) Fls 6-7/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 100mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (5RP 6/10) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (7.5RP 9/12), with four or more inconspicuous rays in the throat at the junction of three dorsal lobes, two top rays deep purplish pink (5RP 6/10), others (when present) brilliant yellow-green (2.5GY 9/8); strongly scented. Calyx 7mm long, light yellow-green. Lvs elliptic, 108-150 × 50-75mm, flat, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green above, hairless. Shrub 2.5 × 3.3m in 40 years. Early May. (Raised from seed collected by G. Gillies (c1945))

(r) **'To Bee'** (An error for 'Too Bee')

(a) **'Tobiiri'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c50mm wide, white, with red streaks. Syn: 'Sakiwake'. Satsuki

(a) **'Toby Elizabeth'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Sekidera' × 'Rosette' (Glenn Dale) H: R.R. Emmerich (1955), G: R.R. Emmerich (1958), N: E.T. Emmerich, I: Roslyn Nursery (1992), REG: R.R. Emmerich (1991) Fls fully double (no normal stamens), 3/bud, funnel-shaped, 38 × 64mm, white, with an occasional light purple (80C) stripe; moderately scented. Calyx 10mm long, strong yellow-green (144A). Lvs elliptic, 32 × 13mm, convex, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, dull and strong yellow-green (144A) above, sparsely hairy. Shrub 1.5 × 3.0m in 35 years. Mid May

(r) **'Toccata'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: J.C. Cowles (pre 1962), G: Heritage Plantation, N: R.H. Gustafson, REG: Sandwich Club (1999) Fls 10/domed or ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 70 × 125mm, with 7-8 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (65A, 68C) in bud, opening inside with a 10-15mm wide margin of moderate to light purplish pink (65A-B) shading to white in centre of lobes and at base, with a small, strong yellow-green (144C) dorsal flare; outside light purplish pink (65B), flushed moderate purplish pink (65A) on midribs. Lvs elliptic, 125-145 × 45mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in 12 years. Mid-late May

(a) **'Tochi Gumpo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987). Satsuki (Probably raised in Japan)

(a) **'Tochi-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Banko' R: Japan (pre 1958), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 100-115mm wide, with rounded, wavy-edged, overlapping lobes, white, with light purplish pink stripes and darker dots in the blotch. Satsuki

(a) **'Tochi-no-homare'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Banko' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls very large, pale purple, with deep purple stripes. Early. Satsuki

(r) **'Tocsin'** (See 'The Tocsin')

(r) **'Today and Tomorrow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* (s) × *yakushimanum* H: G.A.L. Mehlquist (1964), G: G.A.L. Mehlquist (1972), N: G.A.L. Mehlquist, REG: G.A.L. Mehlquist (1994) Fls 15-18/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 35-45 × 60-70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, dark pink in bud, opening moderate, light and pale purplish pink (65A-D) and maturing to pure white; stamens 10, curved, unequal; style white, becoming dark; slightly scented. Calyx very short, green. Pedicels 45mm long, green. Lvs lanceolate, 50-100 × 15-25mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy dark green and hairless above, with a thickly felted indumentum below (cream at first, ageing to rusty brown); petioles 10-15mm long, green, hairy. Shrub 2.4 × 3.0m in 28 years. Late May

(r) **'Tod B. Galloway'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fusilier Group × Jasper Group R: C.S. Seabrook (1960), N: C.S. Seabrook, I: C.S. Seabrook (1966), REG: C.S. Seabrook (1967) Fls 8-12/loose, flat truss, funnel-campanulate, 75 × 70mm, in varying shades of orpiment orange (10/3) to azalea pink (618/3). Calyx itself hose-in-hose, coloured as corolla, so together with corolla there are three, coloured layers to the flower. Shrub of open, flat habit. Early June

(a) **'Todmanii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Duchesse Adélaide de Nassau' × 'Stella' R: Todman, N: Todman, I: J. Veitch & Sons (1873), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange scarlet. Indian

(r) **'Todmorden'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: hybrid involving 'Pygmalion', *haematodes* and 'Wellfleet' H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: Mrs A.H. Scott, N: J.C. Wister, I: Scott Arboretum (c 1960), REG: Scott Arboretum (1983) Fls 8-15/truss, 50 × 90mm, broadly funnel-shaped, 5-7-lobed, strong purplish red (7.5RP 4/11) in bud, opening with edges deep purplish pink (7.5RP 6/12), shading to light purplish pink (7.5RP 8/5) in lobe centres and in throat (which fades to almost white), faint dorsal flecks of light yellow-green (2.5GY 8/9), few spots of deeper colour on lower lobes, outside 7.5RP 6/12. Calyx 3mm long, green, with deep purplish pink lobes. Lvs elliptic to more-or-less oblong, 125 × 65mm, obtuse and apiculate at apex, rounded to slightly cordate at base, dull moderate yellow-green (5GY 5/6), hairless. Shrub c3.5 × 3.5m in 21 years

(a) **'To'e-guruma'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purple, with many (10) narrow purple lobes - opening out flat and looking like a *Clematis*. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Toeho-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1965), N: Japan Fls pink. Shrub low, broader than tall. (Probably raised on Hirado Island, Japan)

(a) **'To'e-murasaki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, c40mm wide, purple. Tsutsuji

(v) **'Toff'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: Vireya Venue (pre 1995), N: Vireya Venue Fls 30mm wide, soft yellow, edged delicate salmon pink/orange. Bushy shrub to 1.5m, very floriferous

(r) **'Tofino'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lem's Cameo' (s) × Jalisco Group × ('Crest' × 'King of Shrubs') H: J.G. Lofthouse (1976), G: J.G. Lofthouse (1982), N: J.G. Lofthouse, REG: J.G. Lofthouse (1983) Fls 15-16/truss, open funnel-shaped, 75 × 100mm, with 5-7 wavy-edged lobes, longitudinally striped light greenish yellow (5D) down centre of lobes, with strong to light purplish pink (55B-C) stripes in between. Calyx 13-20mm long, yellow and ivory, flushed rose. Lvs elliptic, c125-150 × 75mm, apiculate at apex, rounded to slightly cordate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub c1.5 × 1.2m in 7 years. Late May

(r) **'Tohicon'** cv. Parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter, N: Swarthmore College (pre 1972)

(a) **'Tohri'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Chelsea Reach' (s) × 'Corringe' H: I. Kunio (1980), G: I. Kunio (1988), N: I. Kunio (1988), REG: I. Kunio (1996) Fls hose-in-hose, 10-15/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 55mm, with 5+5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (67B) in bud, opening strong purplish pink (68B) inside and out, unspotted. Calyx 5mm long, light yellow (160B). Lvs elliptic, 100 × 50mm, margins decurved, matt green above, hairy at first. Shrub 1.8 × 1.3m in 15 years

(a) **'Toilette de Flore'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Delmotte (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with dark rose red stripes on a white background. Indian (A 'Toilette des Flores' is listed by H. Lane & Son in their 1852 catalogue; it is probably the same plant; spelling requires confirmation)

(a) **'Toinette'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Delmotte (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac rose. Indian

(a) **'Tokai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65mm wide, with slightly pointed lobes, white, with purplish pink spots, flecks and sectors. Satsuki

(r) **'Tokatee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × *williamsianum* H: B.F. Lancaster, G: L. & Mrs M. Grothaus, N: L. & Mrs M. Grothaus, I: L. & Mrs M. Grothaus (1973), REG: L. & Mrs M. Grothaus (1975) Fls 7/lax truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 40 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53D) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (55A) at outer edge, shading to pale purplish pink (55D) at centre of lobes and in throat, lightly spotted strong purplish red (58B), outside strong purplish red (58B). Calyx minute, rose brown. Lvs elliptic, 55 × 40mm, moderate yellow-green (137C), hairless; new growth moderate reddish brown (174A). Shrub 0.6 × 1.2m in 15 years. Mid April

(a) **'Tokay'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Jeanette' (s) × *kaempferi* R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, 50-65mm wide, between rose pink (light purplish pink (73C)) and deep rose pink (deep purplish pink (64D)), with a rose (strong purplish red (63B)) blotch with brownish overtones. Shrub to 2.56m. Mid April. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Token'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' × 'Willy' (s) × 'Mrs Carmichael' × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, 75mm wide, eugenia red (moderate red (180B)), with a very heavy amaranth purple (deep purplish red (61A)) blotch (colour burns in the sun). Shrub 1.2m tall. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Tokenka'** (Syn. of 'Karin')

(r) **'Tokio'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Souvenir of Anthony Waterer' × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' (s) × 'Percy Wiseman' H: H.J.A. Guyens (1994), G: H.J.A. Guyens (1999), N: H.J.A. Guyens (2001), I: H.J.A. Guyens, REG: H.J.A. Guyens (2001) Fls 11-15/loose, rather drooping truss, trumpet-shaped to campanulate, 50 × 60mm, with 5, pointed, wavy-edged lobes, light green in bud, opening inside cream, with old rose margins, outside old rose/cream; fls becoming darker with age; 3 dorsal lobes with orange-brown spots. Calyx 22-45mm long, cream, with orange-brown spots. Lvs lanceolate, 90-125 × 30-45mm, margins flat, acute at apex, more-or-less rounded at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 0.55 × 0.55m in 7 years, with a very compact habit. Late April-mid May

(a) **'Tokiwa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, with 6, broad, rounded, overlapping lobes, vivid reddish orange, also white with stripes and sectors of reddish orange. Satsuki

(a) **'Tokiwa-murasaki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c60mm wide, deep purple. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Tokoharu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, up to 35mm wide, pure white with strong purplish red (7.5RP 4/11) striping. Kurume

(a) **'Tokonatsu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Yokohama Nursery (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, up to 35mm wide, white, with strong purple-red (7.5RP 4/11) stripes. Kurume

(a) **'Toko-nishiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, white with yellowish pink flecks and sectors, occasionally white suffused pink to white edge, with a reddish purple blotch. Satsuki

(r) **'Tolcarne'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown, but thought to be a *boothii* seedling R: unknown, I: H.G. Rutland (c 1968), REG: Dunedin Rhododendron Group (1981) Fls brilliant yellow-green (154C)

(r) **'Tolemac'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Gibraltar Group × 'Lockington Pride' H: F.R. Waghorn (1985), G: Mrs D. Hutchinson (1992), N: F.R. Waghorn (1992), REG: F.R. Waghorn (1993) Fls 20-22/conical truss, funnel-shaped, 70 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (51A), fading on the outside, with a dark red (59A) blotch at base of corolla. Lvs elliptic, 230 × 60mm, flat, matt green above, apiculate at apex, acuminate at base. Shrub 1.5 × 1.6m in 6 years

(r) **'Tolkien'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *facetum* × Fabia Group (s) × *yakushimanum* × 'Britannia' H: P. Wiseman (1958), G: D.E. Mayers, N: D.E. Mayers, I: J. Slocock, REG: D.E. Mayers (1985) Fls strong red (53C). Habit of *yakushimanum.* *AM 1988

(r) **'Tolo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Sarita Group (s) × *lacteum* × 'Mary Swaythling' R: D.W. James (1953), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear yellow. Low-growing shrub

(r) **'Tols'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × *catawbiense* H: W.L. Tolstead (1985), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 14/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 42 × 45mm, 5-lobed, vivid purplish red (66A) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (65D) and edged vivid purplish red (66B); filaments and style pale purplish pink (62D); anthers pale yellowish pink (159D); stigma vivid purplish red (61C). Lvs 106 × 42mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, with a light tan indumentum below. Shrub 0.8 × 1.2m in 7 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Tolstead's Ma Belle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tony' × 'Sappho' H: W.L. Tolstead (1960), G: W.L. Tolstead (1970), N: W.L. Tolstead, REG: W.L. Tolstead (1992) Fls 6-14/truss, 70 × 80mm, 5-lobed, strong reddish purple (10P 5/10) at edges, light purple (7.5P 6/8) at centre of lobes, with a black blotch mostly on central dorsal lobe, but with some spots on adjacent lobes. Calyx rudimentary. Lvs oblong to lanceolate, 170 × 200 × 70-80mm, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.8m when mature. Mid May

(r) **'Tolstead's Snowdrift'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × *catawbiense* H: W.L. Tolstead (1984), G: W.L. Tolstead (1991), N: W.L. Tolstead, REG: W.L. Tolstead (1992) Fls 15-21/truss, 40 × 50mm, 5-lobed, very light pink to white. Calyx very small. Lvs elliptic, 60-115 × 40-80mm, hairless. Compact shrub, 0.9 × 0.9m in 8 years. Mid May

(r) **'Toltue'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.A. Ragan (1969), G: W.A. Ragan (1980), N: W.A. & J.E. Ragan, REG: W.A. Ragan (1989) Fls 9/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 70 × 127mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, white, slightly flushed pale purplish pink (65D), throat greenish yellow with moderate purplish pink (65A) stripes on the reverse; slightly scented. Calyx 3mm long, red. Lvs elliptic, 184 × 57mm, convex, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 3.0 × 2.4m. Early June-early July

(a) **'Tomahawk'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Louise Gable' × 'Shinnyo-no-hikari R: R.D. Gartrell (pre 1981), N: Cripple Creek Nursery (c 1984) Fls 80mm wide, with petaloids and broad lobes, strong red (47B), with red stamens and a small, red blotch. Broad, spreading shrub, to 0.8m tall. Very late

(r) **Tomahawk Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Choremia Group (s) × *hookeri* H: Lord Aberconway (1938), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconwy (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blood red

(a) **'Tomari-hime'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan

(a) **'Tomaya'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c60mm wide, persimmon orange, streaked purple. Tsutsuji

(r) **'Tomba'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1997)

(a) **'Tombola'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1971)

(r) **'Tombola'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tortoiseshell Wonder' × Romany Chai Group R: Boskoop (pre 1978), N: Boskoop, I: Boskoop, REG: Boskoop (1979) Fls 12-16/truss, 80-90mm wide, rose madder (23), with an orange-brown blotch. Lvs elliptic, 100-140 × 40-60mm, dull green

(a) **'Tomboy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' × 'Willy' (s) × 'Mrs Carmichael' × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 50mm wide, white, with a yellow blotch, striped and heavily sanded eugenia red (moderate red (180B)). Very compact and dense shrub to 1.5m tall. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Tomboy'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Tomboy')

(r) **'Tom-Cath McNally'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lamplighter' (s) × 'Crest' H: M. Stockman (1990), G: M. & H. Stockman (1997), N: M. & H. Stockman (1998), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1999) Fls 10/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 100mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside near light purple (77C) with a white flare extending from base to tip of each lobe and discrete spots of strong purplish red (61B) in the dorsal throat; outside near strong purplish red (71C); moderately scented. Calyx c1.5mm long, deep pink. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 100-200 × 35-65mm, acute at apex (with a mucro), oblique at base, margins downcurved, dull and near moderate yellow-green (146B) above, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 0.9m in 9 years. Mid May

(r) **'Tom Clemitson'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Standish (pre 1870), N: J. Standish, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lake, delicately spotted

(a) **'Tomei-hishiki'** (Listed in the 1958 Register, but assumed to be an error for 'Tomei-nishiki')

(a) **'Tomei-nishiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA

(1958) Fls 50-65mm wide, with rounded, spaced lobes, white to light yellowish pink, with numerous, fine stripes, speckles and sectors of yellowish pink to strong reddish orange. Low, spreading shrub. Satsuki ('Tomeihishiki' in the 1958 Register is assumed to be an error for this)

(r) **'Tomeka'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* × *griersonianum* (s) × *decorum* H: F Rose (1939), G: D.W. & Mrs R. James, N: D.W. & Mrs R. James, I: D.W. & Mrs R. James, REG: H. Osborn (1978) Fls 5-9/lax truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 50 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vermilion (18/2), with a glow of orange and heavy but inconspicuous dorsal spotting and midveins (inside and out) of currant red (821/2). Calyx coloured as corolla, deeply cut, dorsal lobe up to c28mm long. Lvs lanceolate to narrowly elliptic, 95-150 × 30-45mm, acute and apiculate at apex, rounded at base, dark and glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 1.9 × 1.5m in 22 years. May. (May have circulated briefly as 'Tomichii'. Raised originally by Halfdan Lem, to whom Rose sent seed, then given to the Jameses.)

(a) **'Tomentosum Angustifolium'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1877), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Tomentosum Latifolium'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1877), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(r) **'Tom Etherington'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Virginia Scott' × 'Alice Franklin' × *yakushimanum* H: H.L. Larson (1964), G: H.L. Larson (c 1972), N: H.L. Larson, I: H.L. Larson, REG: H.L. Larson (1978) Fls up to 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 95mm wide, with 8 flat-edged lobes, buds light purplish pink (55C), opening pale yellow-green (4D) inside and out, without markings. Calyx c3mm long, maroon. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 50mm, moderate olive green (146A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in 13 years. Early April.

(r) **'Tom Everett'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown, presumed to be a subsect. *Fortunea* hybrid H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: New York Botanical Garden, N: L. Politi, I: James Wells Nursery (1961), REG: Scott Arboretum (1985) Fls 11/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 65 × 90mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (7.5RP 5/12) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (5RP 6/10) paling to more-or-less white in the throat, with vivid greenish yellow (7.5Y 8/12), faint spotting on dorsal lobes (almost solid at base), with two rays in the throat, on each side of the dorsal lobe mid line, of dulled, strong yellow-green (2.5GY 7/10); moderately scented. Calyx 3mm long, pale yellow-green. Lvs elliptic, 115-150 × 55-70mm, obtuse and apiculate at apex, rounded at base, moderate olive green (7.5GY 4/4) above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 2.1m in 22 years. Mid May

(a) **'Tom Garrett'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* × 'Yaeshojo' × 'Hinodegiri' R: J. & D. Garrett (pre 1987), N: J. & D. Garrett Fls hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, vivid reddish orange, with a small, dark blotch. Early

(r) **'Tom Koenig'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *racemosum* × *keiskei* × *keiskei* H: G.G. Nearing, G: G.G. Nearing, I: T.W. Koenig, REG: T.W. Koenig (1969) Fls densely clustered like *racemosum* but larger, pale pink. Lvs up to 50 × 20mm. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years. Late April

(v) **'Tom Lelliott'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* × *zoelleri* × *konori* H: T. Lelliott (1975), G: T. Lelliott (1990), N: Mrs H. Crouch, I: Mrs H. Crouch (1990), REG: Mrs H. Crouch (1990) Fls 7/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 90 × 95mm, 6-7-lobed, tube light yellow (10B), lobes deep purplish pink (55A). Lvs elliptic, 130 × 70mm. Shrub 0.5m. Spring-autumn

(a) **'Tomlinii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Tom Moore'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rosy lake, shaded white, with black spots

(r) **Tommy Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tom Thumb', selfed H: J.B. Gable (pre 1972) Fls red, pink or pinkish salmon

(r) **'Tommy No. 3'** (Syn. of 'Plain Pink')

(a) **'Tomoe-unzen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with 5, 7 or 8 'petals', light purple, tinted peach pink. Syn: 'Kohama-unzen'. Tsutsuji

(r) **'Tomo-o'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Metternianum' × Sarita Loder Group R: K. Wada (pre 1974), N: K. Wada Fls 12-15/truss, 90-100mm wide, brilliant red, unspotted. Lvs glossy green, with a thin, fawn indumentum below

(a) **'Tom Pouce'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1871), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, dark scarlet red. Indian

(r) **'Tom Ring, M.D.'** (Syn. of 'Doctor Tom Ring')

(r) **'Tom Shirey'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vinerouge' (s) × 'Dainty Ruffles' H: A.W. Smith (1985), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 16/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 51 × 80mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, dark and deep red (59A, 60A, 53A) in bud, opening deep and strong red (53A, B) with a dark red (59A) throat; filaments white, anthers pale orange-yellow (165D); style deep red (60A), stigma dark red (183A). Lvs 89 × 44mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 7 years. Early June

(a) **'Tom's Mauve'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Kelmscott Azalea Gardens (1984) Fls single, mauve. Indian

(r) **'Tom Spring-Smyth'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *dalhousiae* R: G.A. Hardy, N: G.A. Hardy, I: G.A. Hardy (1974), REG: G.A. Hardy (1975) AM 1974 (Raised from seed collected by T. Spring-Smyth, whose name is spelt thus with no terminal 'e')

(r) **'Tom Stieler'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Witch Doctor' × unknown H: P. Holden (1970), G: Mrs A.J. Holden (1979), N: P. Holden, I: P. Holden, REG: P. Holden (1986) Fls 10-12/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 44 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red in bud (53B), opening strong purplish pink (55B), with a pale greenish yellow (9D) throat and deep purplish pink (55A) outside; heavy dorsal spotting of moderate red (183B), with lighter spotting on other lobes varying from brownish orange (164A) to dark red (183B). Calyx 12-25mm long, light purplish pink (55C). Lvs elliptic to broadly elliptic, 114 × 44mm, dull and moderate yellow-green (147B) above, moderate yellow-green (147D) below, hairless; new shoots light reddish brown (177B). Shrub 1.2 × 0.8m in 15 years. Early May

(r) **'Tom Thumb'** (Syn. of 'Gable's Tom Thumb')

(r) **'Tom Thumb'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as a selection or hybrid of *catawbiense* L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Tom Thumb'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably *sanguineum* × *thomsonii* R: E.W.M. Magor, N: E.W.M. Magor (1962), I: E.W.M Magor, REG: E.W.M. Magor (1962) Fls c4/truss (borne below the leaves), tubular-campanulate, 40mm long, deep crimson. Lvs obovate, 60-70 × 30-35mm, rounded at apex and mucronate, cuneate at base, pale green and glaucous below with a prominent midrib. Shrub 1.0m tall in 25 years

(r) **'Tom Williams'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1988)

(r) **'Tom Willis Fleming'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from 'Doncaster' R: W.H. Rogers & Son (pre 1952), N: W.H. Rogers & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rich crimson. (An "improved 'Doncaster'" according to Rogers' 1952/53 cat., where it is said to have been raised at the Red Lodge Nursery and spelt as given above. Other sources have given it as 'Tom Willis Flemming')

(r) **'Tomyris'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Daphne Group × *thomsonii* R: E.W.M. Magor, N: E.W.M. Magor (1962), I: E.W.M. Magor, REG: E.W.M. Magor (1962) Fls 5-7/loose truss, campanulate, 100mm long, claret coloured. Calyx of 5 unequal lobes, coloured as corolla. Pedicels 30mm long, red on one side. Lvs ovate, 60-100mm long, rounded at apex, with a thin, fawn indumentum below; petioles 20mm long

(r) **'Tondelayo'** (Syn. of 'Multimaculatum')

(a) **'Tonga'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown G: W. Baldsiefen (1963), N: W. Baldsiefen, I: W. Baldsiefen (1974), REG: W. Baldsiefen (1974) Fls more-or-less hose-in-hose, 10/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 5-7 wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish orange (40A); highly scented. Lvs ovate, 65 × 25mm, acute at apex, cuneate to rounded at base. Shrub 1.0 × 0.8m in 10 years. Early June. Knap Hill (Grown by Baldsiefen from Ilam azalea seed from New Zealand)

(a) **'Tonia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: W.C. Hage & Co., N: W.C. Hage & Co., I: W.C. Hage & Co. (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rose, darker in middle. Kurume

(r) **'Toni James'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *williamsianum* G: Mrs M. Greig (1975), S: Mrs M. Greig (1970), N: H. Vaartnou, REG: H. Vaartnou (1995) Fls 2-4/lax truss, open campanulate, 57 × 76mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, reddish pink in bud, opening moderate pink (49B) to light yellowish pink (36A); stamens 12, straight, unequal. Calyx 1mm long, greenish. Pedicels 13mm long, greenish. Lvs ovate, 44 × 32mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless; petioles 25mm long, greenish; new foliage reddish maroon. Shrub 1.2 × 2.4m in 15 years. April

(r) **'Tonika'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lee's Best Purple' × 'Purple Splendour' H: H. Hachmann (1979), G: H. Hachmann (1984), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1991), REG: G. Stück (1991) Fls 14-16/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 35-40 × 60-68mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep reddish purple (77A), shading to strong (to light) purple (77B(-C)) in throat, dorsal lobe with light olive to dark greenish yellow (152B/C) markings on a yellowish white (155B) ground; stamens 10, filaments strong purple (77B), anthers pale yellow (161C); style very pale purple (69A), stigma dark red (187A/B). Calyx 2-5mm long, reddish green. Pedicels reddish green. Lvs elliptic, 70-105 × 25-45mm, acute at apex, cuneate/rounded at base, dark green above, main veins pale yellowish green, reddish brown hairs mainly on veins below; petioles reddish brown on upper side. Shrub of dense, rounded habit, 0.8 × 0.9m in 10 years. Early-late June

(a) **'Tonkonatsu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, pure white. Kurume

(r) **'Tonto Bob'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Orange Marmalade' (s) × 'Brigadoon' H: F. Minch (1989), G: F. Minch (1991), N: F. & J. Minch (1997), REG: F. & J. Minch (1998) Fls 12/domed truss, funnel-campanulate, 50 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (46B) in bud, opening vivid red (46C) throughout, with some spotting on the dorsal lobes. Calyx 40-50mm long, deep yellowish pink (46D). Lvs elliptic, 100 × 40mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in 8 years. Early

(r) **'Tony'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Messel' × *griffithianum* R: L.C.R. Messel, N: L.C.R. Messel, I: L.C.R. Messel (1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls trumpet-shaped, milk white, tinged green at base. AM 1930

(r) **'Tony'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Boule de Neige' (s) × red *catawbiense* seedling R: A.M. Shammarello (pre 1955), N: A.M. Shammarello, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a conical truss, 65mm wide, bright cherry red. Lvs 100 × 45mm, dark green. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years

(r) **'Tony Danvolgyi'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Dianta' (s) × 'Kubla Khan' H: H. & M. Stockman (1992), G: H. & M. Stockman (2000), N: H. & M. Stockman (2001), REG: H. & M. Stockman (2002) Fls 10/domed truss, funnel-campanulate, 50 × 75mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, pale pinkish cream in bud, opening inside pale pink tinged cream, with a bright yellow blotch in the centre (larger on dorsal and adjacent portions of lateral lobes, smaller on ventral lobes), and a small, dark green blotch with peripheral spotting at base of dorsal lobes; outside creamy yellow, tinged pale pink. Calyx variable, ventral lobes to c25mm long, dorsal lobes to c45mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs oblong, 105 × 40mm, margins downcurved, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, semi-glossy and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 1.0m in 10 years. Early May

(r) **'Tony Schilling'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *arboreum* subsp. *cinnamomeum* var. *roseum* R: Wakehurst, N: Wakehurst, I: Wakehurst (1974), REG: Wakehurst (1974) Fls mid rose pink, spotted and streaked crimson, dorsal nectar pouch blotched purple-red. FCC 1974

(r) **'Tony's Gift'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' × 'Belle Heller' H: A.M. Shammarello (pre 1974), G: W.E. Delp (1998), N: Mrs V. Delp

(r) **'Tony Wallner'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *decorum* G: Herman Vaartnou (c 1965), S: Herman Vaartnou (1995), N: Herman Vaartnou (1995), REG: Hella Vaartnou (1997) Fls 8-9/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, pale pink in bud, opening inside pale yellow-green (155A) to pale yellow-green (157C) on dorsal lobes, with a light yellow-green (154D) throat and reddish spotting on the dorsal lobe; outside also pale yellow-green (155A), but with redder tones at the base and light pink veins; moderately scented. Calyx 3mm long, green, with a rim of red glands. Lvs oblong, 150 × 55mm, flat, obtuse at apex, rounded to slightly oblique at base, dull and dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairless. Shrub 3.6 × 2.1m in c35 years. Early May

(r) **'Too Bee'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Patricia' (s) × *keiskei* 'Yaku Fairy' H: W.E. Berg (1972), G: W.E. Berg (1977), N: W.E. Berg, REG: W.E. Berg (1983) Fls 3-5/truss, c40-50 × 55-65mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (46A) in bud, opening moderate pink (49B), shading to light pink (49C) in the throat, with dorsal spotting of strong red (50A) in the throat; outside deep pink to strong pink (47D to 50C), mostly strong pink (48D)). Calyx 3mm long, deep pink (50B). Lvs elliptic, 30 × 13mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, with widely spaced, very small brown scales below. Shrub 0.25 × 0.5m in 10 years. (Originally published in error as 'To Bee')

(r) **'Toodeloo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1972) (Listed as a parent of 'Yellow Bells' (Gable); probably the plant Lem called 'Tudelo' (*q.v.* for further spellings))

(r) **'Toolangi Ruby'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *arboreum* (known under the illegitimate name 'Bennett's Arboreum' × Scarlet King Group H: H. Van de Ven, G: H. Van de Ven (1981), N: H. Van de Ven, I: Toolangi Nursery (1987), REG: Toolangi Nursery (1988) Fls 28-30/truss, tubular-campanulate, 50 × 70mm, strong red (53C), with darker spots on two lobes. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 45mm, with a thin, silvery indumentum on young foliage. Shrub 2.0m. Spring

(r) **'Too Lips'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hello Dolly' × ('Catalgla' × 'Pink Twins') no. 5 R: W.E. Delp (pre 1986)

(r) **'Tooneybird'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Joe Gable' (s) × 'Goldsworth Orange' H: unknown, G: Lou Seeds (c 1991), N: Lou Seeds (1998), I: Steven Kristoph Nursery and RareFind Nursery (c 1997), REG: Lou Seeds (1998) Fls 12/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 45mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pink with some yellow in bud, opening yellow at tips of lobes, shading lighter to chartreuse in the throat, with greenish spotting on the dorsal lobes; outside golden yellow. Calyx c1mm long, yellow. Lvs elliptic, 90 × 40mm, margins decurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in c12 years. Mid May. (Seed germinated originally by H.A. Schannen)

(v) **'Toored'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1993)

(r) **'Top Award'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Award' (s) × 'Ice Cream' H: N. Sullivan (1989), G: N. Sullivan (1996), N: N. Sullivan (1998), REG: N. Sullivan (1998) Fls 20/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 20 × 105mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes (which are folded and pleated), pink suffused with deep pink (51B) in bud, opening inside pale yellow-green (155A) suffused moderate pink (51D); throat deep purplish pink (61D), the colour spreading onto lobes; outside similarly coloured; no markings; no stamens. Calyx minute, green. Lvs lanceolate, 175 × 70mm, margins decurved, acute at apex, cordate at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 0.5m in 9 years. November (Tasmania)

(a) **'Topaz'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Carlson's Garden (1977) Fls soft yellow, veined and edged apricot; scented. Knap Hill

(r) **'Topaz'** (Syn. of 'Kimbolton Yellow')

(r) **'Topaz'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi King George' × 'Faggetter's Favourite' R: R. Henny, I: Mrs L. Henny (1962), REG: Mrs L. Henny (1972) Fls 7-10/racemose truss, 90mm wide, outside phlox pink (625/2), inside white. Lvs 175 × 65mm. Shrub to over 2.0m

(r) **'Topaz'** cv. Parentage unknown H: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (pre 1980)

(r) **'Top Banana'** cv. Parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney, G: Mrs A. Sather (1977), N: Mrs A. Sather, I: Mrs A. Sather (1984), REG: Mrs A. Sather (1986) Fls 17/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with 6 sometimes wavy-edged lobes, moderate reddish orange (35A) in bud, opening brilliant yellow (11A), without markings. Calyx up to 28mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 75-108xc50mm, apiculate at apex, rounded to somewhat cordate at base, margins flat to downcurved, glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 0.6m in 10 years. Late April

(r) **'Top Bonanza'** (An error for 'Top Banana')

(r) **'Topcoat'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mary Belle' (s) × 'Canary Islands' R: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls dark red (59A), deep purplish red (59B) and strong red (53C, D) in bud, opening strong pink (54C) and moderate, strong and light purplish pink (54D, 55B, C), with a light greenish yellow (3C) flare and sparse, vivid yellow-green (154A) spots in the dorsal throat; filaments pale yellow-green (157A); style strong and light yellow-green (144C, D); anthers moderate orange-yellow (164C); stigma strong yellow-green (144B). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Top Dog'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ronald Otto Delp' (s) × 'Dead Ringer' R: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls large, with very wavy-edged lobes, deep and strong purplish red (71A, B, C) and light purplish pink (73C) in bud, opening very pale purple (73D) with deep purplish red (71A) spotting on the three dorsal lobes; anthers pale yellow (8D). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Top Dollar'** cv. Parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney (pre 1980)

(r) **'Top Gun'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown G: EBY Nursery, S: EBY Nursery (1985), N: C.A. Labedz, I: Wright's Nursery, REG: Wright's Nursery (1990) Fls 18/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 48 × 51mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, peony purple (729/1), with medium black spotting on dorsal lobes. Lvs elliptic, 127 × 44mm, flat, acute at apex, rounded at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.9m in 4 years, flowering heavily when young. Late May

(r) **'Top Hat'** cv. Parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney, N: G. & Mrs A. Sather, I: G. & Mrs A. Sather (c 1985) Fls bright yellow in a lax truss. Lvs deep green, somewhat glossy. Low shrub, c1.0m. Late April. (Description ex Whitney Gardens & Nursery catalogue, 1985 where this plant is said not to be the same one sold by them under this name in 1975, but *is* the plant sold in error by other sources as 'High Gold')

(a) **'Top of the Mountain'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *cumberlandense* S: W.G. & Mrs M.S. Beasley (pre 1985), N: W.G. & Mrs M.S. Beasley Fls deep orange, with no distinct blotch

(r) **'Top of the Rockery'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1993)

(a) **'Topper'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1967) (Listed as a parent of 'Riponia')

(r) **'Topper'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Topper')

(r) **'Topps'** cv. Parentage unknown H: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (pre 1980)

(r) **'Topsi'** (Syn. of 'Hachmann's Topsi')

(v) **'Tops of Kew'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: (*konori* var. *phaeopeplum* × *lochiae*) × *leucogigas* × *zoelleri* H: unknown, G: R. Macdonald (1991), N: R. Macdonald (1992), I: Foothills Nursery, REG: Foothills Nursery (1992) Fls 11-15/flat truss, long tubular funnel-shaped, 90 × 65mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, inside pale yellow (158B) with white lobes, outside pale yellow (158A) fading to yellowish white (158D]; scented. Lvs ovate, 150 × 80mm, flat, matt green, hairless. Shrub 1.0m. Spring-autumn

(r) **'Topsvoort Pearl'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: sport of 'Pink Pearl' R: Topsvoort Nursery (pre 1935), I: J. Blaauw & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, light pink with darker edges; otherwise similar to parent

(r) **'Topsy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: J. May (c 1969), G: J. May, N: J. May, I: J. May (1988), REG: J. May (1988) Fls 11/truss, funnel-campanulate, 95mm wide, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (56D). Calyx up to 5mm long, pink. Lvs oblong, 135 × 45mm. Shrub 0.8 × 1.0m. May

(r) **'Topsy Turvy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scott David' (s) × 'Double Faced' H: W.E. Delp (1977), G: W.E. Delp (1979), N: Mrs V. Delp (1979), I: Crystalaire Naturescapes (1999), REG: J.D. Harris (1999) Fls 20/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45 × 65mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63A-B) in bud, opening strong reddish purple and deep purplish pink (70B-C), with the centre of each lobe very pale purple (69D) and the throat deep purplish red (59B); dorsal flare white and pale yellow-green (4D); filaments and style greenish white (157D), anthers yellowish white (156D); stigma dark red (183A). Lvs elliptic, 75 × 35mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 21 years. Mid June

(a) **'Torch'** cv. Evergreen azalea: possibly a form of *kaempferi* R: unknown, I: Domoto Bros, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 45mm wide, rose dorée to scarlet. (Domoto are said to have imported this, but its origin is unknown; perhaps an error, as "Torch Azalea" is a common name for *kaempferi*)

(r) **'Torch'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' × Sarita Loder Group G: O.C.A. Slocock (pre 1957), N: O.C.A. Slocock, I: O.C.A. Slocock, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10/truss, 76 × 102mm, 6-lobed, vivid purplish red (57B) inside and out, with a dark throat. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 51mm, hairless. Tall shrub. Late May

(r) **Torch Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Ascot Brilliant' × *thomsonii* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. April

(r) **'Torch'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* derivative L: UK (1994)

(a) **'Torchlight'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Helen Close' × 'Purple Splendor' R: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, REG: ICRA (1968) Fls hose-in-hose, 2-3/truss, up to 75mm wide, strong purplish red (7.5RP 5/12). Lvs 45 × 20mm. Compact shrub to 0.6m. Mid-late May

(r) **'Torchlight'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Boulters Olinda Nursery (pre 1997), N: Boulters Olinda Nursery

(a) **'Torcia'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Cecile', selfed H: A.A. & M. Childers (1955), G: A.A. & M. Childers (1959), N: A.A. & M. Childers, I: A.A. & M. Childers, REG: A.A. & M. Childers (1977) Fls 13/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (52D), lightly veined deep pink (52B), shading to moderate pink (35D) at lobe tips, entire dorsal lobe strong orange (25A) lightening on outer edges to vivid orange-yellow (23A); outside lighter, but same colours; scented. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic to oblanceolate, 100-108 × 40-45mm, bullate, glossy and medium green above, bluish green below, hairy; young leaves and autumn foliage bronze. Shrub 2.2 × 1.1m in 21 years. Mid May. Knap Hill

(a) **'Toreador'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: O.F. Wuyts, I: A. van Hecke ?, REG: A. van Hecke ? (1968) Fls single, 75mm, vivid purplish red (57C). Early. Syn: ? 'Leontientje'

(r) **'Toreador'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Arthur Osborn' (s) × *griersonianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1933), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 7-8/truss, 75mm wide, currant to turkey red (821-721); base of flowers and pedicels with fine, deep red hairs. Lvs narrow, with a thick tomentum below. AM 1942 (Toreador Group)

(r) **Toreador Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Arthur Osborn' (s) × *griersonianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1933), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Torero'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Oratorium' × 'Hachmann's Feuerschein' H: H. Hachmann (1976), G: H. Hachmann (1981), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1982), REG: G. Stück (1991) Fls 14-17/truss, open funnel-shaped, 45-55 × 55-62(-70)mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds dark red (59A), opening uniform deep red (53A) and not fading; three dorsal lobes with inconspicuous dark red (187B) markings; stamens 10, filaments dark reddish purple (54A) at apex, almost white at base, anthers moderate purplish red (186B); style 54A, stigma dark red (187A). Calyx 1-2mm long, reddish. Lvs elliptic, 100-120 × 40-50mm, slightly undulate, with slightly recurved margins, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, dark and shiny green above, with brown hairs mainly on veins below, midveins and petioles yellowish green. Shrub of broad, erect habit, 1.6 × 1.7m in 10 years. Early-mid June

(az) **'Torlonianum'** cv. Azaleodendron: parentage unknown R: M. Young (pre 1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 13/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 40-45mm, lilac rose, with a conspicuous orange blotch. Calyx lobes 6-9mm long, fringed with glands and silky hairs. Lvs evergreen, elliptic, up to 110 × 40mm, shiny green above, finely pubescent below

(r) **'Tornado'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Wilgen's Ruby' × May Day Group × 'Billy Budd' R: Boskoop (pre 1978), N: Boskoop, I: Boskoop, REG: Boskoop (1979) Fls 9-14/truss, 80-90mm wide, currant red (821/1), with a weak, dark brownish blotch; stamens absent or abnormal. Lvs elliptic, 60-130(-150)x35-55mm, dull and dark green above, slightly hairy below

(a) **'Tornella'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nordia' × 'Johanna' H: H. Hachmann (1976), G: H. Hachmann (1979), N: H. Hachmann, I: H, Hachmann (1987), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls double, 2-4/truss, funnel-shaped, 35 × 45-60mm, with 8-10 lobes (most stamens petaloid), deep purplish pink (55A), with darker spots; flower form is rose-like. Calyx 3-4mm long, strong yellow-green (144A-B), silvery hairy. Lvs obovate, 30-40 × 18-22mm, convex, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, dark green and glossy above, hairless; bronzed purple in winter. Shrub 0.4 × 0.8m in 10 years. Late May-mid June

(r) **'Toronto'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Janet Blair' (s) × *smirnowii* H: J.B. Brueckner (1978), G: J.B. Brueckner (1984), N: J.B. Brueckner, REG: J.B. Brueckner (1993) Fls 15/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 57 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light reddish purple (74C) in bud, opening light purple (75A) with a distinct, spotted, moderate yellow (160A) flare. Calyx less than 2mm long, green. Pedicels 57mm long, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 152 × 44mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (137B) above, moderate yellow-green (147C) below, hairless; petioles 83mm long, green. Shrub 1.7 × 1.3m in 15 years. Early June

(v) **'Torrid Affair'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *zoelleri* × *konori* × *brookeanum* H: J. Swisher, G: J.L. Rouse (1990), N: G.L.S. Snell, I: Vireya Venue (1990), REG: Vireya Venue (1991) Fls 12-14/truss, campanulate, 60 × 70mm, 5-lobed, tube brilliant yellow (20A), lobes vivid reddish orange (33A) outside, vivid red (44A) inside. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 60mm. Shrub 2.0m. Spring-autumn

(a) **'Torridon'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *viscosum* × 'Rosella' or 'Sylphides' R: Millais Nurseries, N: Millais Nurseries, REG: Millais Nurseries (1993) Fls 10/rather flat truss, light purplish pink (62C), with a faint light orange-yellow (25D) flare. Shrub to c1.5m. Early June

(r) **Torsun Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Sunrise Group × Toreador Group H: Lord Aberconway (1935), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose red

(r) **Tortoiseshell Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goldsworth Orange' (s) × *griersonianum* R: W.C. Slocock Ltd, S: W.C. Slocock Ltd (1945), N: W.C. Slocock Ltd, I: W.C. Slocock Ltd (1946), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Tortoiseshell Biscuit'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1988) (Presumably a selection from Tortoiseshell Group)

(r) **'Tortoiseshell Champagne'** (Syn. of 'Champagne')

(r) **'Tortoiseshell Orange'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goldsworth Orange' (s) × *griersonianum* R: W.C. Slocock Ltd, S: W.C. Slocock Ltd (1945), N: W.C. Slocock Ltd, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, orange-red. Syn: 'Orange' (Tortoiseshell Group)

(r) **'Tortoiseshell Pale Orange'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goldsworth Orange' (s) × *griersonianum* H: W.C. Slocock Ltd (1939), G: W.C. Slocock Ltd, N: O.C.A. Slocock (c 1960), I: O.C.A. Slocock (c 1968), REG: M.O. Slocock (1993) Fls 10/truss, 51 × 63mm, 5-lobed, lobes deep pink (48B) inside and out, shading to vivid reddish orange (33B), tube strong yellowish pink (33C) inside and out. Calyx 19mm long, strong yellowish pink (33C). Lvs elliptic, 89 × 38mm, hairless. Early June. (Tortoiseshell Group)

(r) **'Tortoiseshell Salome'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goldsworth Orange' (s) × *griersonianum* R: W.C. Slocock Ltd, N: W.C. Slocock Ltd, I: W.C. Slocock Ltd (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls biscuit-coloured and pink. Syn: 'Salome' (Tortoiseshell Group)

(r) **'Tortoiseshell Scarlet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goldsworth Orange' (s) × *griersonianum* R: W.C. Slocock Ltd (pre 1986) Fls orange scarlet. Shrub 1.2m. Midseason. (Tortoiseshell Group)

(r) **'Tortoiseshell Wonder'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goldsworth Orange' (s) × *griersonianum* R: W.C. Slocock Ltd, S: W.C. Slocock Ltd (1945), N: W.C. Slocock Ltd, I: W.C. Slocock Ltd (1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, salmon pink. Calyx 13mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs oblanceolate, 140 × 50mm, dark and dull green above. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. AM 1947 Syn: 'Wonder' (Tortoiseshell Group)

(r) **'Tortuaefolium'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Tosca'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Exbury Naomi' × *wardii* Litiense Group H: F.E.W. Hanger (1948), G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, I: Royal Horticultural Society (1959), REG: Royal Horticultural Society (1961) Fls c10/neat, rounded truss, shallowly campanulate, 95mm wide, tinged pale pink in bud, opening pale yellow-green (4D). AM 1959

(v) **'Tosca's Kiss'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *leucogigas* 'Hunstein's Secret' × (*konori* var. *phaeopeplum* × *lochiae*) × *zoelleri* H: J.L. Rouse (1978), G: R. Macdonald (1989), N: R. Macdonald (1992), I: Foothills Nursery, REG: FoothillsNursery (1992) Fls 6/flat, lax truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 80 × 110mm, with 5-7, smooth-edged lobes, inside moderate yellow (162B) with strong red (53C) lobes, outside moderate yellow (162B). Lvs elliptic, 110 × 55mm, flat, matt green, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 2.0m. Spring-autumn

(r) **'Tosh'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: probably J.C. Cowles (pre 1965), G: Heritage Plantation, N: D.S. Kellam Jr, REG: Sandwich Club (1991) Fls 16/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 76 × 114-127mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (186D) in bud, opening strong to vivid purplish red (61B, C). Calyx 6mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 222 × 64mm, flat, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 0.9m after c30 years. Midseason

(a) **'Tosho-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Nikko' R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 40-50mm wide, with narrow lobes, light yellowish pink, with occasional white and pink selfs. Satsuki

(a) **'Toska'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Gloria' × 'Mistral' R: Bernd Jackst GbR (1986), N: Bernd Jackst GbR, I: Bernd Jackst GbR Fls semi-double, salmon pink. ('Gloria' is the sport from 'Dorothy Gish')

(a) **'Tosso-murasaki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c50mm wide, purple. Satsuki

(a) **'Totally Awesome'** cv. Deciduous azalea: two unnamed seedlings H: J.O. Bunnell (1976), G: J.O. Bunnell (1979), N: J.O. Bunnell, REG: J.O. Bunnell (1986) Fls 7/truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 100mm, with 5-8 wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish orange (42A) in bud, opening yellow, strong reddish orange (40C) at edges, with a blotch of vivid yellow spots (15A) on dorsal lobe, outside strong red (41B), shaded near brilliant yellow (14C) and light yellow (15D); stamens 0-7, some extra, irregular petals often present. Calyx 7mm long, strong yellow-green (144A). Lvs very narrowly elliptic, 70-80 × 17-25mm, hairy, becoming gold and red in autumn. Shrub 1.1 × 1.2m in 7 years. Mid May

(r) **'Totenham'** (Syn. of 'Tottenham')

(a) **'Tothmannii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1885), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson. Indian

(r) **'Tottenham'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *ferrugineum* hybrid R: Tottenham Nursery (c 1950), I: Moerheim B.V., REG: A.R. Brooks (1997) Fls 8-9/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 25 × 40mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate and light purplish pink (65A-B) in bud, opening light purplish pink (65B) throughout, unmarked; outside shading to moderate purplish pink (65A) along midribs to base. Calyx very short. Lvs elliptic, 30-40xc15mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, with dense, moderate olive brown (199A) scales below. Shrub 0.75 × 0.9m in 14 years. Late May. (Sometimes seen incorrectly as 'Totenham'; has sometimes been claimed as an azaleodendron)

(a) **'Toucan'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 90mm wide, pale cream to lemon yellow, edges tinged pink, with a saffron blotch. Midseason-late. Knap Hill

(r) **'Toucan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *facetum* hybrid R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red

(r) **'Touch of Class'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Touch of Class')

(r) **'Touch of Class'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *R.* × *agastum* × Tally Ho Group R: Mrs R.J. Coker, N: Mrs R.J. Coker, I: Mrs R.J. Coker, REG: Mrs R.J. Coker (1980) Fls strong red (39A) in bud, opening to deep yellowish pink (39B)

(r) **'Touch of Gold'** cv. Un-named seedling × un-named seedling H: Mrs H.A. Frederick Jr (1966), G: Mrs H.A. Frederick Jr, N: Mrs H.A. Frederick Jr, I: Mrs H.A. Frederick Jr, REG: Mrs H.A. Frederick Jr (1977) Fls up to 7/ball truss, 100mm wide, pale yellowish pink (27C), with a golden chartreuse throat; scented. Lvs 200 × 70mm. Shrub under 2.0m

(a) **'Touchstone'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Mucronatum Roseum' (s) × *indicum*, deep salmon-flowered selection R: B.Y. Morrison (pre 1941), N: B.Y. Morrison, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 65-75mm wide, salmon rose. Shrub broader than tall, up to 1.9m. Late April. Glenn Dale (Probably never distributed)

(r) **'Touchstone'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* (s) × 'Roseum Superbum' H: J.J. Crosfield, G: J.J. Crosfield, N: J.J. Crosfield, I: J.J. Crosfield (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10-11/lax truss, broadly campanulate, 75 × 100mm, 5-lobed, mottled neyron rose (623), shading to 623/1 in the tube and to more-or-less white along centre of lobes which have a darker central line, especially outside. Calyx irregularly lobed, glandular, ciliate. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 45mm, mid green above, hairless below. AM 1937, FCC 1939

(a) **'Toun'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, white, faintly flushed with flesh colour and with chestnutbrown spotting. Resembles *yunnanense* in effect. Kurume

(a) **'Towa-no-kagami'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 40mm wide, with rounded, overlapping lobes, vivid purplish red, with a slight red blotch; stamens pink; pistil red. Early. Satsuki

(r) **'Towardii'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (s) × Altaclerense Group R: Standish & Noble, N: Standish & Noble, I: Standish & Noble (1849), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cup-shaped, purplish rose, with carmine spots. Lvs broadly elliptic, dark green. Large shrub

(r) **'Towe 1'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: unknown Fls light lavender, with a small yellow blotch

(r) **'Towe 11'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: unknown Fls with ruffled margins, light lavender, with a small yellow blotch

(a) **'Tower Beauty'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *atlanticum* (s) × unknown azalea H: J.B. Stevenson (1937), N: Mrs R.M. Stevenson (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very pale salmon; scented. (Cote Group)

(r) **'Tower Court'** (Syn. of 'Fabia Tower Court')

(r) **'Tower Court'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *augustinii* L: Australia (1984) Fls sky blue. Shrub c2.0m

(r) **'Tower Court'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *yunnanense* L: UK (1988)

(r) **'Tower Court'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *russatum* L: UK (1994)

(a) **'Tower Dainty'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *atlanticum* (s) × unknown azalea H: J.B. Stevenson (1937), N: Mrs R.M. Stevenson (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 11-12/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, up to 40 × 50mm, 5-lobed, white, irregularly overlaid shades of pale purplish pink (56); outside with paler margins and darker colouring of deep purplish pink (55A); blotch brilliant orange-yellow (23B) in throat. Calyx green, hairy. Lvs ovate, up to 60 × 22mm, ciliate. AM 1983 (Cote Group)

(a) **'Tower Daring'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *atlanticum* (s) × unknown H: J.B. Stevenson (1937), G: J.B. Stevenson, N: E.G.W.W. & Mrs R.M. Harrison (1960s), I: Hydon Nurseries (c 1965), REG: Hydon Nurseries (1999) Fls 30/dense truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 35mm, with 5 narrow lobes, deep pink (51B) in bud, opening strong to moderate purplish pink (62A/B) with strong purplish red (54A) midribs and veining; dorsal lobe with a brilliant orange-yellow (23B) flare (20 × 10mm); tube overlaid with deep pink (51B), shortly pubescent, with scattered longer hairs; stamens 5, c45mm long, filaments pink at base, fading to white at apex, hairy below; anthers mid brown; ovary densely hairy. Calyx with irregular lobes, 1-2mm long, green, with long white hairs. Pedicels 20mm long, flushed dark pink and with scattered, bristly

hairs. Lvs (at anthesis) obovate, c60 × 25mm, margins and midribs below ciliate. Stoloniferous shrub to 1.5 × 1.2min 30 years.May. FCC 1999. Ghent (Cote Group. Standard: herbarium specimen provided by registrant (WSY 0016871). "Daring" was one of General Harrison's gun dogs; "Tower" refers to Tower Court, Mrs Harrison's former home)

(a) **'Tower Dexter'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *atlanticum* (s) × unknown H: J.B. Stevenson (1937), G: J.B. Stevenson, N: E.G.W.W. & Mrs R.M. Harrison, I: Hydon Nurseries (1955), REG: Hydon Nurseries (2001) Fls tubular funnel-shaped, apricot, with a yellow eye. Lvs elliptic, 90 × 35mm, pale green. Stoloniferous shrub with strongly scented fls. Mid-late May. (Cote Group. "Dragon" was one of General Harrison's gun dogs; "Tower" refers to Tower Court, Mrs Harrison's former home)

(a) **'Tower Dragon'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *atlanticum* (s) × unknown H: J.B. Stevenson, G: J.B. Stevenson, N: E.G.W.W. & Mrs R.M. Harrison, I: Hydon Nurseries (c 1965), REG: Hydon Nurseries (2001) Fls tubular funnel-shaped, soft salmon from darker buds; prominent stamens; strongly scented. Lvs elliptic. Stoloniferous shrub to c1.9m. Mid-late May. (Cote Group. "Dragon" was one of General Harrison's gun dogs; "Tower" refers to Tower Court, Mrs Harrison's former home)

(a) **'Towering Inferno'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1983), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls deep reddish orange. Mid May

(r) **'Towerlane'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. de Cock (1875), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Tower of Power'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor H.C. Dresselhuys', selfed H: W.E. Delp (1947), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 18/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 61 × 70mm, 5-lobed, vivid reddish purple (74A) in bud, opening vivid reddish purple (74B) with a white flare and brilliant yellow-green (154B) dorsal spots. Lvs 102 × 44mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 2.4 × 2.4m in 45 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Tow Head'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group (white-flowered) × *ludlowii* R: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1968) Fls up to 5/truss, rotate-campanulate, 30mm wide, 5-lobed, brilliant greenish yellow (7.5Y 10/7), faintly spotted strong orange-yellow on the dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 45 × 20mm, v-shaped in cross section, glossy and more-or-less leathery, scaly above and below. Shrub c12 × 25cm in 3 years. Midseason

(r) **'Towhee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: C.P. Raffill Group (s) × Red Cap Group × Tally Ho Group H: D.W. James, G: D.W. James, I: D.W. James (1956), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 10/truss, 75mm wide, scarlet. Lvs 115 × 40mm. Shrub up to 1.4m in 10 years

(r) **'Towner Crest'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Van Nes Sensation' (s) × 'Mrs Horace Fogg' H: Mrs E. Weesjes (1963), G: Mrs E. Weesjes (1967), N: Mrs E. Weesjes, REG: Mrs E. Weesjes (1995) Fls 12-14/domed truss, open funnel-campanulate, 95 × 125mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, inside pale purplish pink (65D), suffused light purplish pink (65B) on dorsal lobes, throat deep purplish pink (66C) paling to light greenish yellow (8C); outside suffused light purplish pink (65B) on the lobes; stamens 12-14, straight. Calyx 6mm long, green. Pedicels 30mm long, reddish. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 152 × 38mm, with wavy-edged margins, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, dull mid green above, hairless; petioles 25mm long, red above, green below. Shrub 2.1 × 2.7m in 16 years. Late April

(r) **'Townhill Albatross'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi King George' (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* R: Lord Swaythling, N: Lord Swaythling, I: Lord Swaythling (1945), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls fuchsine pink (627/3) at first, centre fading to almost white, unspotted. AM 1945 (Albatross Group)

(r) **'Townhill Cremorne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Luscombei Group (s) × *campylocarpum* R: Lord Swaythling, N: Lord Swaythling, I: Lord Swaythling (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12/truss, campanulate, 50 × 70mm, soft pink in bud, opening to chinese yellow (606/3) flushed and margined rosy coral (614/2). AM 1947 (Cremorne Group)

(r) **'Townhill Damaris'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor Stocker' (s) × *campylocarpum* R: Lord Swaythling, N: Lord Swaythling, I: Lord Swaythling (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) (Damaris Group)

(r) **'Townhill Redcap'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *sanguineum* subsp. *didymum* (s) × *facetum* R: Lord Swaythling, N: Lord Swaythling, I: Lord Swaythling (1945), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls campanulate, 45mm wide, oxblood red (000823) which lights up to scarlet against the light. AM 1945 (Redcap Group)

(r) **'Townhill Sulphur Yellow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *souliei* (s) × *campylocarpum* R: Lord Swaythling, N: Lord Swaythling, I: Lord Swaythling (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) (Sulphur Yellow Group)

(r) **'Toxopholite'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Toyo-kirishima'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, red; similar in shape to 'Kirishima'. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Toyokuni'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Toyo-satsuma'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, c50mm wide, very deep crimson. Satsuki

(r) **'Tracigo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × *sperabile* H: D.W. Goheen (1963), G: D.W. Goheen (1971), N: D.W. Goheen, I: D.W. Goheen, REG: D.W. Goheen (1983) Fls 12-15/truss, 40 × 50mm, open campanulate, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53C) in bud, opening strong to light purplish pink (55B-C) externally, inside and throat almost white; few pale purplish pink (55D) dorsal spots inside and a ray of strong purplish pink (55B) down outside of each lobe. Calyx minute, neyron rose. Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 95 × 45mm, dark green, with a strong orange (169B) indumentum below. Shrub 1.5 × 1.8m in 17 years. Early May

(r) **'Tracigo's Sister'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × *sperabile* H: D.W. Goheen (1963), G: D.W. Goheen (1970), N: C. Hoffman (1994), I: C. Hoffman (1994), REG: D.W. Goheen (1999) Fls 8-10/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (55A) in bud, opening inside light to pale yellowish pink (36C-D) with a very small blotch of deep yellowish pink (39B) at base, outside deep yellowish pink (39B). Calyx minute, light green. Lvs elliptic, 50-100 × 25mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate yellowish green (138A) above, hairy below except on midrib (hairs brownish orange (165B)). Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Traci Suzanne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Blue Peter' × 'Loderi King George' H: E.L. Kaiser, G: E.L. Kaiser (1967), N: Mrs M.K. Granston, I: E.L. Kaiser (1969), REG: Mrs M.K. Granston (1976) Fls up to 12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, 90mm wide, light reddish purple (74C) in bud, opening very light to very pale purple (75C-D) with moderate yellow-green (139C) spotting from throat to edging of corolla and over most of the dorsal lobe, edging light reddish purple/moderate purplish pink (74C-D); outside very light purple (75C), edged vivid to light reddish purple (74B-C), and with bands of same colours down midrib; scented. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 150 × 45mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 9 years. Early-mid June

(a) **'Tracy T'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: R.C. Thompson (1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft pink. Kurume

(a) **'Tracy White'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown, probably a 'Rose Greeley' hybrid H: G. Harding, G: G. Harding (pre 1994), N: G. Harding Fls hose-in-hose, white, with orange pink stripes

(a) **'Trade Red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1910), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, red. Indian

(a) **'Tradition'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Holly Heath Nursery (1978) Fls light rosy pink. (Perhaps the plant correctly known as 'Roehr's Tradition')

(r) **'Traditional'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Abe Arnott' (s) × 'Calsap' R: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, light purple (84B, C) and very pale purple (84D) in bud, opening light purple (84C) and very pale purple (84D, 69D), with dark red (187A) dorsal spots; filaments and style light yellow-green (145D); anthers pale yellow (161D); stigma greyish red (176A). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **Trafalgar Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Eros Group (s) × Luscombei Group H: Lord Aberconway (1937), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose pink

(r) **'Trail Blazer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Furnivall' (s) × 'Sappho' H: A.A. Wright (c 1970), G: A.A. Wright (c 1973), N: A.A. Wright, I: A.A. Wright (c 1976), REG: A.A. Wright (1978) Fls 19/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 75mm, with 5 evenly rounded lobes, roseine purple (629/1) at margin, shading to roseine purple (629/3) in the throat, with a ruby red (827) dorsal blotch (40 × 20mm). Calyx very short. Lvs lanceolate, 115 × 45mm, acute at apex, rounded at base, dark green and glossy above, hairless. Shrub c0.6 × 1.2m in 6 years. Late April

(a) **'Trailing Queen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Triumph' × 'Gumpo' R: H. Kerrigan (pre 1987), N: H. Kerrigan Fls yellowish pink. Shrub with long, pendent branches to 1.5m

(a) **'Trailside'** cv. Deciduous azalea: wild-collected, natural hybrid believed to be *arborescens* × *calendulaceum* or *cumberlandense* S: L.C. Towe (1982), N: L.C. Towe, I: The Cummins Garden, REG: L.C. Towe (1990) Fls single, 5-7/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 38 × 44mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, strong purplish red (61B) with a large, deep purplish pink (61D) blotch; slightly scented. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 44 × 16mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green and hairless above. Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in 4 years (up to 2.1m tall in the wild). June. (Found on the Appalachian Trail, North Carolina, USA, at 1525m)

(r) **'Tranquility'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan' (s) × 'Corona' I: Wright, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Transit Gold'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: Royal Flush Group (cream form) × *cinnabarinum* subsp. *xanthocodon* (from LS & H 17521) H: S. Holland (1963), G: S. Holland (1971), N: S. Holland, REG: W.A. Dale (1989) Fls 4-7/lax truss, tubular-campanulate, 44 × 35mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, moderate yellow (161A). Calyx 1mm long, green. Lvs oblong, 64 × 25mm, flat, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, hairless above, scaly. Shrub 2.4 × 1.2m in 25 years. April. (Published in *J.Am.Rh.Soc.* 43 (1): 31 (1989))

(a) **'Translucens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Smith (pre 1849), N: Smith, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Translucidum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as a hardy azalea)

(a) **'Transparens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1851), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Transparens'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Listed as "Pontica Transparens")

(r) **'Träumerei'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' (s) × 'Kluis Sensation' R: D. Heinje (1965), N: D. Heinje (1988) Fls in a tightdomed truss, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale red, with dark red dorsal markings. Shrub 0.7 × 1.1m in 10 years

(r) **'Traumhochzeit'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Souvenir of Anthony Waterer' F2 × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' (s) × 'Rosenrot' H: H.J.A. Guyens (1993), G: H.J.A. Guyens (1998), N: H.J.A. Guyens (1999), I: H.J.A. Guyens, REG: H.J.A. Guyens (2000) Fls 16-22/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 60-70 × 80-90mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, light green in bud, opening bordeaux red to salmon red throughout; red-black spots on the dorsal lobes. Lvs elliptic, 120-165 × 40-55mm, acute at apex and base, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.9m in 5 years. Early-late May

(r) **'Travis L'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: unknown × Albatross Group H: C. Cannon (c 1962), G: C. Cannon (1968), N: C. Cannon, I: C. Cannon, REG: C. Cannon (1981) Fls 8-12/truss, open funnel-shaped, up to 115mm wide, with 7 slightly wavy-edged lobes, white (155B) with a pale yellow-green blotch at the base. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 40-50mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dark green (135A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 18 years. Mid April

(a) **'Treasure'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Fielder's White' (s) × *kaempferi* R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 2-3/truss, 90-115mm wide, buds tinted pale pink, but fading on opening to leave a tinge of pink at edges and in the blotch. Shrub to 1.5m. Late April. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Treasure'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1965) Fls double, rose pink (Lee, second edition, 1965). Kaempferi

(r) **Treasure Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *forrestii* Repens Group (s) × *williamsianum* R: J.J. Crosfield, N: J.J. Crosfield, I: J.J. Crosfield (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls campanulate, dark red in bud, opening dark pinkish red. Lvs rounded, very dark green. Shrub c1.0m

(r) **'Trebah Gem'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* (blood red form) × *griffithianum* R: R. Gill & Sons (pre 1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c11/lax truss, campanulate, 70 × 90mm, waxy white, flushed and veined rose pink (especially outside and on lobes), unmarked. Calyx fleshy, pale pink. Lvs lanceolate, up to 190 × 60mm, soft matt green above, very thinly felted below

(r) **'Trebianum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* × *griffithianum* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a pink flush

(r) **'Tree Plant'** cv. Parentage unknown R: O. Prycl (pre 1978), N: O. Prycl

(r) **'Treetops'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* × *griffithianum* H: Lord Aberconway, G: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway & The National Trust, REG: Lord Aberconway & The National Trust (1981) Fls 9-10/loose truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, up to 70 × 80mm, 5-lobed, buds strongly flushed strong purplish red (63B), opening white flushed and stained shades of purplish pink (62). Calyx lobes up to 2mm long, flushed red-purple. Lvs lanceolate to narrowly elliptic, up to 140 × 55mm, dull and medium green above, pale and hairless below. AM 1981

(r) **'Tregedna'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* (s) × *thomsonii* R: S. Smith (pre 1915), N: S. Smith, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy scarlet

(r) **'Tregrehanii'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Carlyon (1935), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Trelawny'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* (s) × *barbatum* R: R. Gill & Sons, N: R. Gill & Sons, I: R. Gill & Sons (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c20/pyramidal truss, 65 × 50mm, deep carmine, slightly paler and with darker spots in the throat. Lvs oblanceolate, up to 150 × 50mm, dull green above. AM 1936 (Duke of Cornwall Group)

(r) **'Trelean'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi Pink Diamond' × 'Aurora' H: G.T. Witherwick (1965-1969), G: G.T. Witherwick, N: G.T. Witherwick, REG: G.T. Witherwick (1989) Fls 12/truss, funnel-shaped, 8-lobed, deep red (54A) in bud, opening white flushed light purplish pink (63D) - especially on dorsal lobes externally, throat slightly yellowish white; very slight, inconspicuous brownish red markings in dorsal throat; scented. Calyx up to 4mm long, with shallow, rounded teeth with sparse pale glands, yellowish green tinged red. Lvs elliptic to oblong, 120-160 × 33-55mm, acute at apex, cuneate to narrowly truncate at base, dull and mid green above, hairless. Shrub c4.0m high. May

(r) **'Trelean Burdoola'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *bureavii* × 'Bandoola' H: G.T. Witherwick (c 1965), G: G.T. Witherwick, N: G.T. Witherwick, REG: G.T. Witherwick (1989) Fls c6/truss, 45mm long, 5-lobed, deep red (53A) at tip in bud, strong red (53D) at base, opening vivid red to deep pink (52A-B), with dark spotting in dorsal throat. Calyx up to 23mm long, lobes very unequal, coloured as corolla, with scattered, dendroid white hairs. Lvs 60-100 × 25-50mm, obtuse but apiculate at apex, cuneate to narrowly rounded at base; new growth with dense fawn indumentum, soon lost above, eventually very sparse below. Shrub at least 1.0m. May

(r) **'Trelean Lavender Girl'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Naomi Nautilus' × unknown H: G.T. Witherwick, G: G.T. Witherwick (1989), N: G.T. Witherwick (1990), REG: G.T. Witherwick (1990) Fls 6/truss, funnel-shaped, 58-62 × 65mm, 7-lobed, strong reddish purple (72C) in bud, opening very pale purple (69B) inside, with darker flushes externally; no blotch or spots; white filaments, cream anthers; conspicuous bright green stigma, pale green style; slightly scented. Calyx 1mm long, a mere rim, green. Pedicels minutely glandular. Lvs oblong or oblong-elliptic, 90-105 × 32-50mm, flat to concave, obtuse at apex, truncate at base, dull and pale green above, almost yellowish green below, hairless; petioles thick, 22-27mm long, deep red. Shrub at least 1.2 × 1.5m in c18 years. May

(r) **'Trelean Pink Blush'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: G.T. Witherwick (c 1965), G: G.T. Witherwick (1990), N: G.T. Witherwick, REG: G.T. Witherwick (1990) Fls c10/truss, funnel-shaped, 65-70 × 80-90mm, with 9-10 overlapping and wavy-edged lobes, white, flushed paler than deep purplish pink (64D) along the prominent midribs on exterior, the colour suffusing onto central part of lobes and giving the impression of infusing through to the interior; throat pale yellow, with a dorsal flare deep in throat of more-or-less moderate reddish orange (173B); filaments white; style very pale green, stigma bright green. Lvs elliptic, 97-120 × 35-48mm, acute at apex, narrowed to a very narrow cordate base, dark dull green above, slightly glaucous green below, hairless. Shrub 3.0m. Late June-early July

(r) **'Trelean Quite Something'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* subsp. *diaprepes* × unknown H: G.T. Witherwick (1960-1965), G: G.T. Witherwick (1985), N: G.T. Witherwick, REG: G.T. Witherwick (1989) Fls c12/truss, funnel-shaped, 76xc100mm, 6-7-lobed, tipped pink in bud, opening white, without blotch or spots; stigma large (5mm wide), green. Calyx up to 10mm long, irregular; largest lobe very broad, flat-topped, very sparsely glandular, white, edged pink. Lvs oblong lanceolate, 170-190 × 63-77mm, obtuse, but apiculate at apex, truncate to slightly rounded at base, mid dull green above, hairless. Shrub at least 2.1 × 4.5m. Late April-May

(r) **'Trelean Rufous'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *bureavii* (s) × *neriiflorum* Euchaites Group H: G.T. Witherwick (c 1966), G: G.T. Witherwick, N: G.T. Witherwick (1993), REG: G.T. Witherwick (1993) Fls c10/truss, funnel-shaped, 50-53mm long, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (55A) in bud, opening inside strong purplish pink (55B) and paling to pale purplish pink (55D) and then to almost white; outside strong purplish pink (55B) paling almost to white; darker spots on upper dorsal throat and with a continuous ring of strong red (53B) at base of throat; filaments deep pink at base, white above, anthers brown; style pinkish, stigma capitate, green. Calyx up to 5mm long, pink, with dense, pale, gland-tipped hairs. Lvs elliptic to oblanceolate, up to 125 × 50mm, margins decurved, abruptly mucronate at apex, truncate at base, matt dark green, becoming almost hairless above, with an open, light rusty indumentum below when mature. Early June

(r) **'Trelean Vision'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × *bureavii* H: G.T. Witherwick (c 1960), G: G.T. Witherwick (1990), N: G.T. Witherwick, REG: G.T. Witherwick (1990) Fls c8/truss, campanulate, 40-42xc50-55mm, white, suffused moderate purplish pink (62B) along ribs externally (which is just visible internally), numerous strong purplish red (60B) spots below the terminal lobe and into the throat; style and filaments white, stigma reddish; filaments hairy at base. Calyx 12mm long, white, tinged green and or very pale reddish at base, divided almost to base into broad, obtuse, glandular lobes. Pedicels with cobwebby hairs and stickily glandular. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 46mm, convex, almost acuminate at apex, cuneate at base, mid green and very glossy above, with an orange-brown indumentum below on mature growth. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in c25 years. May

(r) **'Trelean White Splash'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: G.T. Witherwick, N: G.T. Witherwick, REG: G.T. Witherwick (1994) Fls c8-10/truss, funnel-campanulate, 68xc110mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (50B) in bud, openingwhite inside, flushed strong to moderate purplish pink (62A-B) on dorsal lobes; outside white, flushed strong to moderate purplish pink (62A-B) mostly in bands on dorsal lobes; fine strong purplish pink (62A) spots in dorsal throat and at base of dorsal lobe; filaments tinged yellow-green; style yellow-green; stigma strong yellow-green; ovary and style glandular. Calyx 11mm long, pink, with a green base and a few short hairs around rim. Floral bracts deep pink (50B). Lvs oblanceolate, 105-150 × 46-62mm, wavy-edged, obtuse and apiculate at apex, narrowly rounded at base, matt green, hairless. Shrub 5 × 3m. April

(r) **'Tremeer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Arthur Osborn' × *facetum* R: E.G.W.W. Harrison (pre 1953), N: E.G.W.W. Harrison, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright red. (The Moor Group)

(r) **'Trendline'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Oh My!' × *aureum* (s) × 'Sweet Lulu' R: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, deep red (60A) and strong purplish red (60B, C, D) in bud, opening moderate to pale purplish pink (65A-D), with moderate reddish orange (35A) dorsal spots; filaments white. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Trendy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tols' (s) × 'Robert Weldon' R: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls deep red (60A), strong purplish red (63A, B), strong purplish pink (63C), light purplish pink (63D) and pale yellowish pink (159D) in bud, opening white, lightly tinged pale purplish pink (65C), with brilliant greenish yellow (1B) dorsal spots; filaments and style light yellow-green (154D); anthers greenish white (157D); stigma strong yellow-green (144B). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Trendy Wendy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'King Tut' (s) × 'Oh My!' H: W.E. Delp (1987), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 14/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep red (60A) and strong purplish red (60B) in bud, opening to a blend of deep, strong and light purplish pink and very pale purple (73A-D), with a white flare and sparse dark greenish yellow (152C) dorsal spots; filaments and style vivid purplish red (57D); anthers strong yellow (153D); stigma strong purplish red (60D). Lvs 102 × 44mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m in 5 years. Early June

(a) **'Trent'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: F.E.W. Hanger, G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, REG: Royal Horticultural Society (1961) Fls 10/domed truss, 65 × 75mm, funnel-shaped, with wavy-edged lobes, light yellow (605/1), edged orange (412), with orange-yellow dorsal spotting. Lvs 90 × 40mm, mid green, slightly tinged reddish bronze. Shrub at least 1.0m. *AM 1958. Knap Hill

(az) **'Tressa McMurry'** cv. Azaleodendron: *occidentale* × *ponticum* H: T. McMurry (1966), G: T. McMurry, N: T. McMurry, I: T. McMurry, REG: T. McMurry (1977) Fls 10-14(-18)/truss, funnel-shaped, c40 × 40mm, with 5 deeply cut, flat-edged lobes, fuchsine pink (627/1), with a blotch of small sienna spots. Calyx minute, mid green. Lvs narrowly oblanceolate, 65-75 × 10mm, acute and apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dark green above, hairless. Shrub 0.5 × 0.5m in 8 years. Mid May

(r) **'Tretawn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *calophytum* × *arboreum* subsp. *cinnamomeum* var. *album* R: E.J.P. Magor, N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1976), REG: E.J.P. Magor (1976) Fls 14/loose truss, tubular-campanulate, 50 × 50mm, 5-lobed, moderate purplish pink (62B) in throat, with a blotch of deep red (60A) in dorsal throat, outside suffused strong purplish pink (62A). Calyx rudimentary, yellow-green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 220 × 60mm, dark green above, with a light cinnamon indumentum below. AM 1976

(r) **'Treue'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: derived from *russatum* R: H.J. Drath (c 1960), N: H.J. Drath Fls violet. Shrub to 1.2m. (Originally said to be *russatum* × *impeditum*, but there is no apparent influence of *impeditum*)

(r) **'Trevarrack Crimson'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1913), INC: ICRA (1958) (Perhaps a selection from Trevarrick Group (ie Colonel Rogers Group); the correct spelling requires confirmation)

(r) **Trevarrick Group** (Syn. of Colonel Rogers Group)

(r) **'Trewithen Orange'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: Full House Group (s) × *cinnabarinum* subsp. *xanthocodon* Concatenans Group R: G.H. Johnstone, N: G.H. Johnstone, I: G.H. Johnstone (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 5/pendent truss, brilliant to light orange (29A-B), with a faint rose blush. FCC 1950 (Trewithen Orange Group)

(r) **Trewithen Orange Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: Full House Group (s) × *cinnabarinum* subsp. *xanthocodon* Concatenans Group R: G.H. Johnstone, N: G.H. Johnstone, I: G.H. Johnstone (1950), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Trewithen Purple'** cv. Parentage unknown L: UK (1988)

(r) **'Triangle'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *cinnabarinum* subsp. *tamaense* G: A.E. Hardy, N: A.E. Hardy, I: A.E. Hardy, REG: A.E. Hardy (1978) Fls terminal or axillary in upper leaves in a full, loose truss of 24-26 flowers, open campanulate, up to 24 × 38mm, 5-lobed, white deep in throat, flushed shades of light purple (75) with slight spotting of red (60) in dorsal throat. Calyx rudimentary, green, scaly. Lvs elliptic, up to 50 × 30mm, dark and dull green above, glaucous and lightly scaly below. PC 1978 (Raised from seed collected by F. Kingdon-Ward (KW 21003))

(r) **'Trianon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × Jalisco Group seedling R: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, REG: E. de Rothschild (1966) Fls funnel-shaped, up to 75 × 85mm, 7-lobed, base outside moderate yellow (160A), shading to moderate purplish pink (54D), lobes heavily overlaid 54C/B; inside predominantly greyed yellow, shading to strong pink/deep purplish pink (54C) towards lobes and with faint reddish mottling in dorsal throat; stamens 14-16, filaments creamy white, anthers pale brown; style greenish. Calyx irregular, to 8mm long, greyed yellow. Lvs elliptic, up to 195 × 80mm, light matt green above, paler below, hairless. AM 1992

(r) **Triaur Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *triflorum* × *xanthostephanum* R: E.J.P. Magor (1920), N: E.J.P. Magor, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow

(r) **'Tribute'** cv. Parentage unknown H: O.S. Pride (pre 1980)

(r) **'Tricentenaire'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Croux, N: Croux, I: Croux (1979) Fls in rounded trusses, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink, with an indistinct dorsal blotch of darker spots; filaments, style and stigma darker pink. June

(a) **'Tricolor'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: De Wulf (pre 1817), N: De Wulf, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls striped yellow, pink and white (1817); variegated buff, red and yellow (T. Rivers, 1835). Ghent (Sometimes seen as 'Tricolor Wolf', or 'Tricolor Wulf')

(a) **'Tricolor'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: T. Rivers (1835), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep orange and copper. Ghent (Attributed to Jacob; sometimes seen as 'Tricolor Jacob')

(a) **'Tricolor'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Verschaffelt (1839), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose red, with yellow shades and a crimson blotch. Syn: 'Nec Plus Ultra'. Indian

(a) **'Tricolor'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1839), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow, orange and red (Boskoop, 1938). Ghent (Attributed to van Cassel; sometimes seen as 'Tricolor Van Cassel')

(a) **'Tricolor'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. van Geert (1843), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, white, shaded pale lilac. Ghent (Attributed to van Acker/van Aken/van Ackeren; previously listed as 'Tricolor van Aken')

(a) **'Tricolor'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Ivery (1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, flaked and spotted red. Indian

(a) **'Tricolor'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Mr Jean Peeters' I: A. Haerens (1910), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, resembling those of 'Mr Jean Peeters'. Lvs marked with white. Indian

(a) **'Tricolor'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Boskoop (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls apricot orange, with a darker margin, the dorsal lobe saffron yellow; buds cherry red. Ghent (Attributed to Koster; sometimes listed as 'Tricolor Koster')

(r) **'Tricolor'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Tricolor Floribundum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1851), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Tricolor Jacob'** (See under 'Tricolor')

(a) **'Tricolor Koster'** (See under 'Tricolor')

(a) **'Tricolor Magnificum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent ?

(a) **'Tricolor van Aken'** (See under 'Tricolor')

(a) **Tricolor van Cassel** (See under 'Tricolor')

(a) **'Tricolor Wolf'** (See under 'Tricolor')

(a) **'Tricolor Wulf'** (See under 'Tricolor')

(r) **'Trident'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' (s) × *facetum* R: Sir Giles Loder, N: Sir Giles Loder, I: Sir Giles Loder (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark red. (Firetail Group)

(r) **'Trifle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Whitney's Orange' (s) × Fabia Group × *bureavii* H: K.T. Shea (1984), G: B.J. Ogdon (1992), N: B.J. Odgon (1998), REG: B.J. Ogdon (1998) Fls to 8/lax truss, open campanulate, 45 × 62mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (47B) in bud, opening pale yellow (11C) inside with strong pink (48C) margins, outside similarly coloured; brown yellow spots in throat of all lobes, heaviest on dorsal side; anthers black. Calyx 30mm long, recurved, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 50mm, margins flat, glossy above, with a fawn indumentum below. Shrub 0.6 × 1.1m in 10 years. Mid May

(a) **'Trilby'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' (s) × *indicum*, orange-flowered selection R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 65-75mm wide, amaranth pink (deep purplish pink (72D)), with an inconspicuous blotch of rose (strong purplish red (63B)) spots. Somewhat like 'Revery'. Shrub to 1.5m. Late April. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Trilby'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Queen Wilhelmina' (s) × 'Stanley Davies' R: C.B. van Nes & Sons (pre 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep crimson, with a dark blotch. Lvs matt green. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(a) **'Tri-Lights'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *atlanticum* selection or hybrid (s) × un-named, red "Exbury" azalea H: H. Pellett (1978), G: University of MinnesotaLandscape Arboretum, N: University of Minnesota Landscape Arboretum, I: University of Minnesota Landscape Arboretum (2000), REG: University of Minnesota Landscape Arboretum (2000) Fls 10-15/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 45 × 50mm, with 5 wavy to very wavy-edged lobes, a somewhat marbled effect of strong purplish pink (68B) and white, with the midribs and margins paler and with prominent, vivid yellow (17B) speckles on the dorsal lobe, extending from the throat to midlobe on each side of the midrib; moderately scented. Calyx 4.5mm long. Lvs obovate, 100-120 × 30-40mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, flat, moderate olive green (137A) above, hairy on midveins below. Shrub 1.5 × 2.0m in 10 years. Late May-early June. (Northern Lights Group)

(a) **'Trill'** cv. Evergreen azalea: derived from an open-pollinated Gumpo azalea G: Mrs J.W. Hill (c 1967), N: Mrs J.W. Hill, I: Mrs J.W. Hill (c 1967), REG: Mrs J.W. Hill (1976) Fls single, 2-4/truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 60mm, with 5 wavy to very wavy-edged lobes, strong red (41B) to moderate reddish orange (41C), with a moderate blotch and spotting of vivid red (45A) on three dorsal lobes. Calyx 4mm long, light green, silvery hairy. Lvs elliptic, 25 × 12mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate yellow-green (146B) and hairy above, silvery hairy below; red hairs on petioles. Dense shrub, 0.35 × 0.6-0.7m in 12 years. Early-mid June. (Raised from seed collected by T. Rokujo, 1963)

(r) **'Trinidad'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Calcutta' (s) × 'Tahiti' H: D.G. Leach (1960), G: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1983) Fls 14/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (63B) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (62D), edged deep purplish pink (66C), with sparse, dorsal spotting of moderate yellow (162B); outside strong purplish red (64C). Calyx lobes up to 45mm long, pale yellow-green (4D), striped light purplish pink (63D). Lvs elliptic, 130 × 55mm, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, moderate olive green (147A), with scattered to patchy golden brown hairs below. Shrub c1.2m in 21 years. Late May

(r) **'Trinity'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Powell Glass', selfed × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: O.S. Pride (1961), G: O.S. Pride, N: O.S. Pride, I: O.S. Pride (1976), REG: O.S. Pride (1979) Fls up to 14/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pink in bud, opening white, with faint green dorsal spotting and shaded pale purplish pink (62D) or lobe edges and reverse when newly opened. Lvs oblanceolate, 115 × 45mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (147A) above, with a thin, scurfy, moderate orange-yellow (164B) indumentum below. Shrub 1.1 × 0.9m in 16 years. Late May

(a) **'Trinket'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' × 'Willy' (s) × 'Mrs Carmichael' × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 65-75mm, white, with a few flakes of pale amaranth pink (light purple (75B)). Broad spreading shrub to 1.5m tall. Mid-late May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Triomphal'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1912), INC: ICRA (1958) Resembles 'Excellenta' but is slightly paler and less double. Indian

(a) **'Triomphale'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: T.J. Seidel (1846), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls straw yellow (H. White). Ghent

(a) **'Triomphant Violaceum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent ?

(a) **'Triomphe'** (Syn. of 'Triumph')

(r) **'Triomphe d'Ami'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls french white, with chocolate and green spots. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Triomphe d'Angers'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as a selection or hybrid of *arboreum* L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Triomphe d'Automme'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1913), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rose. Indian

(a) **'Triomphe de Bruges'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Sander & Sons (1903), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, bright rose. Indian

(a) **'Triomphe de Gand'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: D. Vervaene, N: D. Vervaene, I: D. Vervaene (1853), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange, with a dark red blotch. Indian

(a) **'Triomphe de Gand'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Verschaffelt (pre 1867), N: J. Verschaffelt, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose, with the dorsal lobe blotched crimson. Indian

(a) **'Triomphe de Gand'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red, with a yellow blotch (Dutch list); rose, lined and shaded white (H. Hesse cat., 1899). Ghent (Perhaps the same plant also listed as 'Triumphans Gandavense')

(a) **'Triomphe de Ledeberg'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably *simsii* × *indicum* I: D. Vervaene (1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 1-2/truss, 75mm wide, begonia rose, with a tryian rose blotch; 8-10 stamens. Late. Indian ('Moss Point Red' may be a synonym)

(a) **'Triomphe de l'Exposition'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1902), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pure white with satin sheen and a pale greenish blotch. Indian

(r) **'Triomphe de Liege'** cv. Parentage unknown L: R. Veitch & Son (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, spotted brown

(a) **'Triomphe de Mainz'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy scarlet. Indian (Listed in 1867 by A. Verschaffelt, but as 'Triumph von Mainz' and as from Schulz; J. Linden in 1874 lists it from Mardner and as 'Triomph von Maainz')

(a) **'Triomphe de Royghem'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: L. Verschaffelt (1846), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, rose, with a yellow dorsal blotch surrounded by red, midveins on other lobes straw yellow. Ghent

(a) **'Triomphe de Saint-Amand'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, large, pure soft rose with a pure white edge and carmine red spots, sometimes with carmine rose stripes. Indian (Resembles 'Souvenir du Prince Albert')

(a) **'Triomphe des Double Blancs'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Verschaffelt (1876), INC: ICRA (1958) Resembles 'Reine de Portugal', but flowers more double and of a brighter white; broad, rounded, wavy-edged lobes, the centre of the flower formed by a bundle of petaloids. Indian

(a) **'Triomphe de van der Cruyssen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1875), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Triomphe d'Evergem'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Verschaffelt (1860), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Triomphe de Wondelghem'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, orange scarlet. FCC 1873. Indian (Also seen incorrectly as 'Triomphe de Wandelghem')

(r) **'Triomphe d'Orléans'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a *ponticum* hybrid R: T. Grangé (pre 1845), N: T. Grangé, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, very open, rose lilac

(a) **'Triomphe Serotinum'** (See note under 'Triumphans Serotinum')

(a) **'Triomph von Maainz'** (See 'Triomphe de Mainz')

(r) **'Triple'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown G: B. Hollard, N: B. Hollard, REG: B. Hollard (1991) Fls 16-18/truss, funnel-shaped, 70 × 90mm, 5-lobed, strong red (53B) in bud, opening strong red (53D) and gradually fading in centre to moderate purplish pink (54D); small red spots inside whole of corolla; flowers of different ages give a triple colour effect. Calyx 10mm long, white. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 50mm, hairless. Shrub 3.5 × 2.5m. August (New Zealand). (Original plant obtained from Harrison's Nursery, New Zealand, c1950)

(a) **'Triplex'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, 'Hexe'-like in form, deep red. Late. Indian

(r) **'Tripoli'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943) Fls red. Lvs deep green. Compact, dense, low-growing shrub. Mid May. Syn: 'Ross EEE'

(r) **'Tripoli'** cv. Parentage unknown H: D.G. Leach (pre 1980)

(r) **'Tripsdrill'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tarantella' (s) × Elizabeth de Rothschild Group H: H. Hachmann (1986), G: H. Hachmann (1992), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 12-14/compact, rounded truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55-60 × 85-90mm, with 5(-6) strongly wavy-edged lobes, inside with centre of lobes pale purplish pink (62D), edges strong purplish red (63B) shaded strong purplish red (63A); outside strong purplish red (63A/B) throughout except for some small areas of pale purplish pink (62D); basal blotch and internal markings of dark red (187C); stamens 10-11, filaments white, anthers pale yellow (161D); style light yellow-green (150D), near ovary becoming brilliant yellow-green (150C), stigma strong yellow (153D); ovary white-felted. Calyx c1mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 100-120 × 35-46mm, margins flat, apiculate at apex, rounded to cuneate at base, matt to slightly glossy mid green above, hairless. Shrub 1.6 × 1.8m in 10 years. Early-late May. (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030668). First published in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(a) **'Trisha'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Dorothy Gish' × 'Purple Splendor' H: W.L. Guttormsen (1968), G: W.L. Guttormsen, N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen (1976), REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1979) Fls hose-in-hose, broadly funnel-shaped, 75mm wide, with 5+5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (67C), with a strong red (53B), spotted blotch. Lvs narrowly elliptic to oblanceolate, 65 × 15mm, glossy and strong yellow-green (144A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.5m in 8 years. Mid April

(a) **'Trisha Tilly'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: M.E. Greentree (pre 1977), N: M.E. Greentree Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, off white, with a spotted throat . Dense shrub, 0.75m. Midseason. Kurume

(a) **'Tristan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Alice' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-2/truss, 50-60mm wide, rose (strong purplish red (63B)), with a heavy blotch of tyrian rose (vivid purplish red (57B)). Erect shrub to 2.2m. Mid April. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Tristan Esposito'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Freckle Pink' (s) × 'Apricot Gold' H: K. Van de Ven (1984), G: K. Van de Ven (1989), N: K. Van de Ven (1995), REG: K. Van de Ven (1995) Fls 10-13/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 95mm, with 7 very wavy-edged lobes, light greenish yellow (5C), flushed pink, in bud, opening light greenish yellow (5D) inside and out, with green spots on all lobes. Calyx 15mm long, light greenish yellow (5C). Lvs oblanceolate, 85 × 33mm, wavy-edged, apiculate at apex, attenuate at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.85m in 11 years. Mid-spring

(r) **Tristan Thacker Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* (s) × 'G.A. Sims' R: T.C. Thacker, N: T.C. Thacker, I: T.C. Thacker (1944), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon orange

(r) **'Tristar'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × Choremia Group H: J.F. McQuire (1979), G: J.F. McQuire (1986), N: J.F. McQuire, REG: J.F. McQuire (1986) Fls 15/truss, 40 × 50mm, 5-lobed, deep yellowish pink (46D), with crimson nectar pouches and white splashes in the throat (colour does not fade). Calyx 2mm long, white. Lvs oblanceolate, 100 × 30mm, with a woolly indumentum at first white, fading to fawn. Shrub 0.4 × 0.4m in 10 years. Early May

(r) **'Tri-State'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pink Cameo' (s) × 'Pink Cameo' H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 16/truss, open funnel-shaped, 58 × 76mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, dark red (59A) in bud, opening strong and vivid purplish red (67A, B), with a white flare and dark red (187A) dorsal spots; filaments and style vivid red (57A); anthers yellowish white (158D); stigma dark red (187A). Lvs 114 × 66mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.75m in 18 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Tritérion'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Ménoreau (1858), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Perhaps an error for 'Criterion')

(v) **'Triton'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *javanicum* × *multicolor* R: J. Veitch & Sons, N: J. Veitch & Sons, I: J. Veitch & Sons (1900), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon rose, stained pale yellow in the throat. AM 1900

(a) **'Triumph'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Madame Auguste Haerens' × 'Easter Greetings' I: A. Haerens (1923), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (57C). Calyx normal, green. Late. Syn: 'Triomphe'. Indian

(r) **'Triumph'** cv. Parentage unknown L: A. Charlton (1957), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep terracotta, with a dark blotch and white anthers

(a) **'Triumphans'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *calendulaceum* I: J. & C. Lee (pre 1830), INC: ICRA (1958) (A name used subsequently by many growers but it is uncertain how many different plants are involved)

(a) **'Triumphans'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1840), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Listed as "Pontica Triumphans")

(a) **'Triumphans'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Smith (c 1843), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with crimson tips (1958 Register); scarlet, finely spotted (A. Henderson cat., 1852). Indian

(a) **'Triumphans'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Veitch & Sons (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, lilac rose, striped. Indian

(a) **'Triumphans'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange

(r) **'Triumphans'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Byls (pre 1869), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark cherry red. (Perhaps the plants listed (without description) by Knight & Perry (c1850) and in *Revue Horticole* 1: 508 (1847) - the last as an *arboreum* derivative)

(v) **'Triumphans'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Princess Royal' × *javanicum* R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1883), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet crimson. FCC 1883 ('Princess Royal' rather than 'Duchess of Edinburgh' is given as a parent in the Veitch breeding notes in the RHS Lindley Library)

(a) **'Triumphans Gandanense'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Triumphans Gandavense'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1839), INC: ICRA (1958). Hardy azalea (Perhaps also listed as 'Triomphe de Gand')

(a) **'Triumphans Incarnatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1850), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Triumphans Serotinum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Whitley & Osborn (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellowish sulphur, shaded red (J. Veitch & Son cat., 1867, as 'Triomphe Serotina'). Ghent (The earliest form of this epithet may be 'Triomphale Serotinum' (as 'Triomphalis Serotina' in C. van Geert cat., 1843))

(a) **'Triumphans Superbum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Smith (pre 1846), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rich damson, said to differ in habit and flower from 'Triumphans'

(a) **'Triumph von Hanau'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Gebr Mardner (pre 1863), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Triumph von Mainz'** (See note under 'Triomphe de Mainz')

(a) **'Trixi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nordlicht' × 'Kinja' R: Bernd Jackst GbR (1993), N: Bernd Jackst GbR, I: Bernd Jackst GbR, REG: Bernd Jackst GbR (1998) Fls double, dark red

(r) **Troas Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* (s) × Cornish Cross Group R: Sir John Ramsden, N: Sir John Ramsden, I: Sir John Ramsden (1942), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Trocadero'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Torero' (s) × 'Erato' H: H. Hachmann (1984), G: H. Hachmann (1989), N: H. Hachmann (1992), I: H. Hachmann (1998), REG: G. Stück (1999) Fls 10-12/rounded truss, funnel-shaped, 40-50 × 65-70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds deep red (60A), opening strong red (53B) inside and out, with deep red (53A) on lobes; dorsal lobe with dark red (187A/B) markings; stamens 10, filaments deep purplish pink (61D), anthers moderate purplish red (186A/B); style deep/strong pink (53C/D), stigma dark red (187B). Calyx 1mm long, reddish green. Lvs elliptic, 110 × 44mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, slightly convex, glossy and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.3m in 10 years. Early-mid June. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1998-2000 (1998), plus colour photograph)

(r) **'Troika'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* × *fortunei* × *yakushimanum* H: W.L. Tolstead (1979), G: W.L. Tolstead (1989), N: W.L. Tolstead, REG: W.L. Tolstead (1992) Fls 16-17/truss, 80 × 100mm, 5-lobed, light purple (76A). Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 170-190 × 50-80mm, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in 12 years. Mid May

(r) **Trojan Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: F.C. Puddle Group (s) × Shilsonii Group H: Lord Aberconway (1938), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark red

(r) **'Trojan Warrior'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: unnamed *catawbiense* hybrid (s) × unknown H: E.V. Mezitt (c 1960), G: Weston Nurseries (1970s), N: R.W. Mezitt (pre 1990), I: Weston Nurseries (1995), REG: R.W. Mezitt (1999) Fls 14/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (60B). Calyx c1.5mm long, reddish brown. Lvs elliptic, 90 × 40mm, margins decurved and twisted, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 7 years. Late May. (First published in Weston Nurseries cat., 1995)

(a) **'Troll'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown G: W.S. Reuthe (c 1959), S: W.S. Reuthe (c 1963), N: W.S. Reuthe (c 1964), I: G. Reuthe Ltd (1970), REG: E.W.

Reuthe (1994) Fls 3-4/flat truss, funnel-shaped, 15 × 24mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, buds strong purple (80B), opening strong reddish purple (78B) with a small whitish centre; outside strong reddish purple (78B) with a white base; stamens and style whitish; stigma pale green; anthers dark. Calyx 3mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Lvs elliptic, 10-12 × 5-6mm, glossy green above, with sparse, whitish hairs. Shrub 30-40 × 30-40cm in 12 years. May. Kurume (Published in G. Reuthe Ltd, Rhododendron & Azalea cat., Spring 1970)

(r) **'Tromba'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Gartendirektor Glocker' (s) × 'Buketta' H: H. Hachmann (1975), G: H. Hachmann (1980), N: H. Hachmann (1990), I: H. Hachmann (1991), REG: G. Stück (1994) Fls 6-8/domed truss, open funnel-campanulate, 40 × 55(-75)mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep red (53A) in bud, opening strong red (53B) with deep red (53A) edges; outside strong red (53B), colour not fading; dorsal lobe with sparse markings; stamens 10; filaments strong red (53C/D), anthers white; style strong red (53C/D), stigma dark red (187A). Calyx 2-3mm long, red. Lvs ovate, 60-70 × 30-45mm, flat, apiculate at apex, rounded/cordate at base, slightly glossy above, bronzed when young, later mid green above, yellowish green below, hairless; petioles deep to moderate purplish red (59B/C). Shrub 0.8 × 1.10m in 10 years. Early-late May. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1991/1992)

(r) **'Trompenburg'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* seedling × *wardii* seedling H: D.G. Hobbie (1980), G: D.G. Hobbie (1985), N: J.R.P. van Hoey Smith, I: Firma C. Esveld (1992), REG: Royal Boskoop Hort. Soc. (1990) Fls 10-12/truss, campanulate, 50 × 40-50mm, 5-lobed, creamy yellow with a prominent red blotch. Calyx green. Lvs almost orbicular to broadly ovate, 60-80 × 40-60mm, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 2.5m. May

(a) **'T. Roosevelt'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls 65-75mm wide, strong red. (Perhaps the same plant listed as 'President Roosevelt' (van Houtte))

(a) **'Trophy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ivory' (s) × 'Keisetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 75-90mm wide, light mallow purple (light purplish red (74C)), with a showy blotch of tyrian pink (strong purplish red (71D)) dots. Spreading shrub to 1.2m tall. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Tropical Paradise'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Apricot Fantasy (s) × 'Viennese Waltz' H: J. Winberg & C. Smith (1987), G: J. Winberg (1993), N: H. Entsminger, I: H. Entsminger, REG: H. Entsminger (1994) Fls 20/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 57mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red in bud (46A), opening brilliant yellow (20A), streaked and freckled reddish orange, edged with strong red (53C) margins (6mm deep) and with a small, deep red (60A) eye in the throat; outside strong red (53B); the garden effect is deep orange with a red edge; stamens 12, curved, unequal. Calyx 32 × 64mm, coloured as corolla. Pedicels 19mm long, bright mid green. Lvs obovate, 79 × 38mm, convex, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, hairless, dark green (132A) above, moderate yellow-green (147C) below; petioles 17mm long, light green. Shrub 1.0x.1.3m in 6 years. Early April

(v) **'Tropic Alpine Brilliant'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lochiae* × *pseudonitens* × *commonae* H: J.W. Gerdemann (1986), G: J.W. Gerdemann (1989), N: J.W. Gerdemann, REG: J.W. Gerdemann (1995) Fls 6/lax, flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 38 × 32mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, vivid red (45B); stamens 10, curved, unequal; style red. Calyx very short. Pedicels 19mm long, red. Lvs obovate, 51 × 25mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base; upper surface moderate olive green (147A), glossy and hairless; lower surface moderate yellow-green (147C), scaly; petioles 3mm long. Shrub 0.38 × 0.31m in 8 years. Flowering June-August, October-November, February-March. (Selected for hardiness and adaptability to cultivation outdoors on central Oregon coast)

(v) **'Tropic Alpine Gold'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Belisar' (s) × cream-coloured selection of *commonae* H: J.W. Gerdemann (1997), G: J.W. Gerdemann (2001), N: J.W. Gerdemann, REG: J.W. Gerdemann (2002) Fls 11/lax truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 55 × 50mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, brilliant yellow (13B), with age the edges are tinged with pink; 7-9 stamens. Calyx minute. Lvs obovate, 75 × 25-40mm, margins upcurved, acute to broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and strong yellow-green (143B) above, with inconspicuous scales below. Upright shrub, 0.8 × 0.3m in 4 years; very floriferous. November

(v) **'Tropic Alpine Medley'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Belisar' × ((*lochiae* × *pseudonitens*) × *commonae*, Dolo Pass form) (s) × *commonae*, cream-coloured selection H: J.W. Gerdemann (1997), G: J.W. Gerdemann (2002), N: J.W. Gerdemann (2002), REG: J.W. Gerdemann (2002) Fls 12/nearly flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 40mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, inside deep pink (52C) in tube and lobe edges, shading to pale orange-yellow (16D) at tips of lobes; outside of tube light orange-yellow (22B-D). Calyx minute. Lvs elliptic, 75 × 25-40mm, margins upcurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate yellow-green (137C) above, with tiny scales below. Shrub 0.9 × 0.23m in 5 years. April (and probably at other periods intermittently)

(v) **'Tropic Alpine Nymph'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *gracilentum* (s) × *commonae*, Dolo Pass form H: J.W. Gerdemann (1989), G: J.W. Gerdemann, N: J.W. Gerdemann (2002), REG: J.W. Gerdemann (2002) Fls 2-5/lax truss, pendulous, elongated tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 22mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, strong red (46A) in bud, opening vivid red (46B) throughout; unmarked. Calyx minute. Lvs elliptic, 15 × 10mm, margins flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (137B) above, with small, widely scattered scales. Shrub 0.6 × 0.75m in 13 years. Flowering almost continuously

(v) **'Tropic Alpine Ruby'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *wrightianum* var. *cyclopense* (s) × *commonae* H: J.W. Gerdemann (1986), G: J.W. Gerdemann (1990), N: J.W. Gerdemann, REG: J.W. Gerdemann (1995) Fls up to 7/pendent truss, tubular, with 5 smooth-edged, flat, saucer-shaped lobes, 38 × 25mm, strong red (46A); stamens 10, straight; pistil straight; heavy, waxy flower substance. Calyx very short. Pedicels 25mm long, red. Lvs elliptic, 33 × 19mm, concave, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base; upper surface moderate olive green (137A) above, glossy, hairless; lower surface moderate yellow-green (146D), scaly; petioles 5mm long. Shrub 0.4 × 0.25m in 4 years. August, September, March. (Selected for hardiness and adaptability to cultivation outdoors on central Oregon coast)

(v) **'Tropic Alpine Violette'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *commonae*, Laiagam form (s) × *leptanthum* H: J.W. Gerdemann (1995), G: J.W. Gerdemann (2001), N: J.W. Gerdemann (2002), REG: J.W. Gerdemann (2002) Fls 8/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 45 × 30mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, strong purplish red (58B) throughout. Calyx minute. Lvs elliptic, 50 × 25mm, margins flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate yellow-green (137C) above, with brown scales below. Shrub 0.8 × 0.45m in 6 years. May-June (and probably at other periods intermittently)

(r) **'Tropicana'** (Syn. of 'Brandt's Tropicana')

(r) **'Tropicana'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Lady Alice Fitzwilliam' × *maddenii* subsp. *crassum* R: M. Haworth-Booth (pre 1963), N: M. Haworth-Booth, REG: M. Haworth-Booth (1968) Fls larger and opening more widely than *maddenii* subsp. *crassum*, waxy, white

(r) **'Tropicana'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Whitney (pre 1980)

(a) **'Tropicanna'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Getsutoku' × unknown H: R.C. Vines (pre 1990), G: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines Fls 90-115mm wide, flat-faced, with very wavy-edged margins, salmon red, with a prominent, dark red blotch. Shrub 0.75 × 0.9m. Mid May

(v) **'Tropic Coral'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Tropic Glow' × *lochiae* H: O.S. Blumhardt (pre 1996), G: Johnsons Plants, N: Johnsons Plants Fls trumpet-shaped, salmon red

(v) **'Tropic Fanfare'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *javanicum* × *lochiae* H: D.B. Stanton, G: D.B. Stanton, I: G.L.S. Snell, REG: G.L.S. Snell 1982 Fls 8-10/truss, 50mm wide, moderate reddish orange (41C). Bushy shrub to 1.0m

(v) **'Tropic Glow'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* × *zoelleri* H: T. Lelliott, G: E.B. Perrott, N: O.S. Blumhardt (1984), REG: O.S. Blumhardt (1984) Fls 4-6/truss, 70-80 × 80-90mm, funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, golden yellow, shaded orange-red on lobes. Lvs elliptic, 80-100 × 30-50mm, with minute, scattered brown scales on young leaves. Shrub to 2.5m

(v) **'Tropic Splendour'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Simbu Sunset' × *zoelleri* 'Island Sunset' H: G.L.S. Snell (1986), G: R. Macdonald (1991), N: R. Macdonald (1992), I: Foothills Nursery (1992), REG: Foothills Nursery (1992) Fls 9-10/flat, lax truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 70 × 100mm, with 4-7 smooth-edged lobes (some stamens petaloid), inside vivid orange-yellow (21A) with strong reddish orange (32B) lobes, outside brilliant orange-yellow (21B). Lvs elliptic, 150 × 75mm, flat, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.5m. Spring-autumn

(v) **'Tropic Summer'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *aurigeranum* × *macgregoriae* H: D.B. Stanton, G: D.B. Stanton (1972), I: G.L.S. Snell, REG: G.L.S. Snell (1982) Fls 10-12/truss, short tubular funnel-shaped, 30 × 50mm, brilliant yellow (21C), lobes vivid yellowish orange (30C). Lvs lanceolate, 100 × 40mm. Upright, bushy shrub to 1.5m

(a) **'Tropic Sun'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Hinocrimson' R: C.M. Akehurst (1955), N: C.M. Akehurst, I: Akehurst Nurseries (1971), REG: C.M. Akehurst (1974) Fls 8/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 20 × 30mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, strong pink (48D), some with a deep yellowish pink (47C) blotch; buds deep red (53A). Calyx 7mm long, strong pink. Lvs lanceolate to obovate, 20 × 13mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and dark green above, hairless, reddish in winter. Shrub with the habit of parent

(v) **'Tropic Tango'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Princess Alexandra' (s) × *laetum* H: J.L. Rouse, G: J.L. Rouse (1978), I: G.L.S. Snell, REG: G.L.S. Snell (1985) Fls 5-8/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, strong orange-yellow (17A), lobes strong reddish orange (32B). Lvs elliptic, 100 × 40mm. Shrub 1.5-2.0m

(a) **'Trotterianum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet rose, spotted. Indian (Perhaps raised by J. Knight; sometimes seen, presumably incorrectly, as 'Trotherianum')

(a) **'Troubadour'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3/truss, 50mm wide, almost pure rose dorée (deep yellowish pink (43C)), with a few tyrian rose (vivid purplish red (57B)) dots in a small blotch: flower appears salmon pink. Shrub 2.56m. Mid April. Glenn Dale

(r) **Troubadour Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* × Toreador Group H: Lord Aberconway (1938), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blood red

(r) **'Trouffaut'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Trouper'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kagaribi' (s) × 'Hinodegiri' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I:

USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, 30-40mm wide, nopal red (vivid red (45A)), with a few inconspicuous spots of tyrian rose (vivid purplish red (57B)) in the blotch area. Shrub to 1.5m. Early-mid April. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Troupial'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls reddish orange (31A), outside of tube strong red (47A). Late. Knap Hill

(a) **'Trousseau'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* × 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Kagetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, white, with a chartreuse blotch and a very few stripes of spinel pink (strong purplish red (59D)). Spreading shrub to 1.2m tall. Mid May. Glenn Dale (Parentage follows West & Miller, 1996)

(r) **'Trout Run'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* × *griersonianum* × 'America' H: J.B. Gable, G: C. Herbert (1960), N: C. Herbert Fls 8-10/open truss, campanulate, 75mm wide, 5-lobed, coral pink, heavily spotted, with a darker pink throat. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 165 × 50mm, mid green above. Spreading shrub, 0.75m tall in 8 years. Early May

(r) **'Truce'** cv. Parentage unknown H: H.L. Larson (pre 1980)

(a) **'Truda'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: H.J. Hooftman, N: H.J. Hooftman, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange rose. Early. Kaempferi

(r) **'Trude Webster'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Countess of Derby', selfed H: H.E. Greer, G: H.E. Greer, N: H.E. Greer, I: H.E. Greer (1960), REG: H.E. Greer (1961) Fls 14/upright truss, open funnel-shaped, 125mm wide, 5-lobed, red-purple (3.5RP 8.5) with darker (5RP 3/9) dorsal spotting. Lvs elliptic, 175 × 75mm. Shrub to 1.5m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Trudie Styler'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tidbit' × *caucasicum* × 'Crest' × (*yakushimanum* × *wardii* (L&S collection)) H: P.A. Cox (1976), G: P.A. Cox (c 1981), N: K.J. Moore, I: Glendoick Gardens (1992), REG: Glendoick Gardens (1992) Fls 20-24/truss, funnel-campanulate, 40 × 60mm, 5-lobed, pale yellow (11C), tinged light yellowish pink (27A). Calyx 10mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs oblanceolate, 90 × 35mm, deep green. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 16 years. Early-mid May

(a) **'Trudy Alcott'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Eden Frank Preston' × 'Eden Marguerite' R: W.D. Smith (pre 1982), N: W.D. Smith Fls double, with a rosette centre, 70mm wide, deep purplish pink (67C). Shrub 0.9m in 7 years

(r) **'Trudy Sullivan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Holden' × 'Unique' H: W.F. Sullivan (1968), G: W.F. Sullivan (1976), N: W.F. Sullivan, I: W.F. Sullivan (1992), REG: W.F. Sullivan (1992) Fls 10/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 44 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds pink and yellow, opening pale purplish pink (62D) with light purplish pink (62C) margins and the outside strong purplish pink (62A): producing a pink-light yellow bicolor effect, ageing to yellowish white (158D); slightly scented. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 89 × 38mm, flat, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.4m in 24 years. Late April-early May

(r) **'True Blue'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × *campanulatum* (s) × 'Black Eye' H: D. Bones (1994), G: James Smith (1999), N: James Smith, I: Roadside Rhododendrons, REG: James Smith (2001) Fls 21-25/conical truss, funnel-campanulate, 45 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purple (81A) in bud, opening inside light purple (81C), with dark purple (83C) dorsal spotting and white stamens; outside vivid purple (81B). Lvs ovate, 150 × 65mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 6 years. April-May

(r) **'True Love'** (Syn. of 'Dexter's Honeydew')

(r) **'True Treasure'** cv. Parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), N: Swarthmore College Fls pink

(a) **'Truffaut'** (Syn. of 'Marie-Claude Truffaut')

(r) **'Trula'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Belvedere' × Jasper Group H: H.L. Larson (1959), G: H.L. Larson (1968), N: H.L. Larson, I: H.L. Larson, REG: H.L. Larson (1979) Fls up to 10/ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 65 × 75mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, moderate red (179A) in bud, opening light orange-yellow (19A), with green spotting on the dorsal lobes; edging and outside deep yellowish pink (39B). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 115 × 40mm, dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 18 years. Late May

(r) **'Truly Fair'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'White Wedding' × *elliottii* 'War Paint' H: J.G. Lofthouse (1969), G: J.G. Lofthouse, N: J.G. Lofthouse, I: J.G. Lofthouse (1970-1975), REG: J.G. Lofthouse (1981) Fls 18-21/flattened ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 45mm wide, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (55B) in bud, opening pink and fading to white, with a heavy brownish flare and dorsal spotting. Lvs very narrowly elliptic, 100-120 × 20-30mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (146A) above and hairy at first, below with a heavy, felted, moderate orange (166D) indumentum. Shrub 0.75 × 1.2m in 12 years. May

(a) **'Trumpeter'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: E.V. Mezitt (pre 1985), N: E.V. Mezitt Fls yellowish pink

(r) **'Trumpeter'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: red *catawbiense* hybrid × (*griersonianum* × Romany Chal Group) × 'Mars' × red-flowered *catawbiense* H: D.G. Leach (1957), G: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1973) Fls 10-15/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 45-65mm wide, 5-lobed, strong red (5R

3.5/14), dorsal lobe with darker (5R 3/7) dorsal spotting. Calyx minute, red. Lvs elliptic, 108 × 45mm, dull and light green above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.9m in 15 years

(r) **'Truth'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs W.C. Slocock' (s) × *decorum* × *griffithianum* R: E.G.W.W. Harrison, N: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1961), REG: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1961) Fls 12/truss, 65 × 108mm, pale pink in bud, opening near white

(a) **'Truus'** cv. Evergreen azalea: derived from *mucronatum* R: Felix & Dijkhuis, N: Felix & Dijkhuis, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white

(a) **'Tsikamagi'** cv. Deciduous azalea: un-named seedling × *cumberlandense* R: O. Holmsomback (pre 1985), N: O. Holmsomback Fls 45mm wide, strong orange-yellow (24B), flushed pink, with an orange blotch

(a) **'Tsubaki-hime'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1991), N: Japan. Satsuki (Grown in the National Arboretum, USA)

(a) **'Tsugo-no-haru'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1991), N: Japan. Satsuki (Grown in the National Arboretum, USA)

(a) **'Tsukasa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *scabrum* × Kurume azalea L: K. Wada (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose. (Scabrume Group)

(a) **'Tsukasa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Gekkeikan' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls75-90mm wide, with 6 rounded lobes, white, with sectors of deep pink, to flowers with pale pink centres and broad, deep pink margins. Satsuki

(a) **'Tsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Heiwa' × 'Seiko-no-tsuki' R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, often 6-lobed, pale pink to white with occasional darker margins. Satsuki

(a) **'Tsukihime'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 90-100mm wide, with rounded, wavy-edged lobes, white with variable flecks and sectors of yellowish pink; some with broad, dark yellowish pink margins and paler centres; green blotch. Satsuki

(a) **'Tsuki-minoen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1978), N: Japan Fls single, up to 40mm wide, somewhat ruffled, deep purplish pink (7.5RP 5/12) at edge, white in throat. Kurume

(a) **'Tsuki-no-hitomaru'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hototogisu' × 'Hitomaru' R: Japan (pre 1984), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, with slightly spaced lobes, light yellowish pink with occasional white stripes or blotches; some white, tipped pink or bordered pink, or solid white. Satsuki

(a) **'Tsuki-no-katsuri'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum* × Kurume azalea I: K. Wada, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale wisteria purple, with a white base. Kurume

(a) **'Tsuki-no-shimo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1982), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, with rounded, irregularly overlapping lobes, white to light pink, occasionally white tipped or bordered light pink, blotch purplish pink. Lvs curved inward. Compact habit. Satsuki

(a) **'Tsuki-no-shizuku'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Tsuki-no-tsukasa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling of 'Kagetsu' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 75mm wide, white with irregular, reddish purple dots and flakes; yellowish green dots in the blotch. Satsuki

(a) **'Tsuki-no-umi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light lilac, with a white throat. Indian

(a) **'Tsuki-shama'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Tsukiumi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Kurume azalea × *scabrum* I: K. Wada (pre 1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale salmon, with a white base. (Scabrume Group)

(a) **'Tsukuba-no-akebono'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Chiyo-no-nishiki' × 'Issho-no-haru' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 40mm wide, with rounded, spaced lobes, white, with a faint green blotch and occasional flecks of vivid yellowish pink. Early. Satsuki

(a) **'Tsukushi-komachi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* L: Miyami-en Nursery (1976) Fls deep pink

(r) **'Tsukushi-nishiki'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *degronianum* subsp. *heptamerum* R: Japan (pre 1997), N: Japan Lvs variegated

(a) **'Tsukushi-shibori'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1984), N: Japan Fls white, with indigo purple spots

(a) **'Tsumabeni'** (Syn. of 'Sokojiro')

(a) **'Tsuneshige Rokujo'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *viscosum* Serrulatum Group × *prunifolium* H: H.T. Skinner, G: H.T. Skinner (pre 1972), N: Mrs J.W. Hill, REG: Mrs J.W. Hill (1986) Fls in a terminal cluster of 1-4, 6-flowered trusses, narrowly tubular funnel-shaped, 37 × 37mm, 5-lobed, buds deep purplish pink (55A) with glandular hairy, pale purplish pink (55D) ribs, opening strong purplish pink (55B) - some light to pale purplish pink (55C & D) - throat pale purplish pink (55D); stripes (55D to white) down centre of each lobe. Calyx 2mm long, pale green. Lvs near elliptic to narrowly obovate, 45-65 × 22-30mm, moderate olive green (147B), somewhat bullate, ciliate, but otherwise hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 13 years. Late August. Syn: 'Shigi'

(-)**Tsurigane** (The plant listed under this name in Ito (1692) is *Menziesia ciliicalyx*)

(a) **'Tsuruga-shibori'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c60mm wide, white, with red and lighter red streaks; red and lighter red selfs also produced. Satsuki

(a) **'Tsurumi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* L: Miyami-en Nursery (1976) Fls 20-25mm wide, strong reddish purple, with a red style

(a) **'Tsuta-momiji'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1918), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, clear rose pink, with a darker eye and rose red anthers. Syn: 'Cardinal', 'Orange Beauty'; Wilson no. 33. Kurume

(a) **'Tsuyu-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1984), N: Japan Fls 40-50mm wide, with spaced, pointed lobes, white to light yellowish pink, heavily speckled and striped deep red; many variations including deep red selfs. Satsuki

(a) **'Tsuyu-no-tama'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan. Satsuki

(r) **'T-Time'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Tea Time')

(a) **'Tualatin'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Hugh Wormald' × 'Marion Merriman' R: H.J. Slonecker, N: H.J. Slonecker, REG: H.J. Slonecker (1963) Fls 90mm wide, with occasional petaloids, pale yellow (11D), heavily tinged moderate pink (49B), with a brilliant orange-yellow (23B) blotch. Midseason

(r) **'Tuaq'** cv. Parentage unknown H: M. Wildfong (pre 1980)

(r) **'Tubania'** (An error for 'Tubantia')

(a) **'Tubantia'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Koster & Co. (pre 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, light orange-red, with deeper spots. Midseason. Mollis

(r) **'Tubantia'** cv. Parentage unknown R: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1928), N: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac pink, with a white and yellow centre. (Sometimes seen in error as 'Tubania')

(a) **'Tubiflorum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Maupoil (1853), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (J. Verschaffelt (1866) lists it as from Schulz)

(r) **'Tudelo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: H. Lem (pre 1972), N: H. Lem (Also seen as 'Tudelu' or 'Tudulu' and probably the plant listed as 'Toodeloo'. Apparently Lem used "tudulu" to mean calyx, but this and the other variants listed appeared in parentages on his registration forms)

(r) **'Tudelu'** (See note under 'Tudelo')

(r) **'Tudor Girl'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: un-named seedling no. 104 × 'Shilsonii' × *hookeri* I: Winkfield Manor Nurseries (1952), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Tudor Minstrel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum*, pink-flowered (s) × Carex Group R: E.G.W.W. Harrison, N: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1961), I: E.G.W.W. Harrison, REG: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1961) Fls 14/truss, 55 × 75mm, pink, lightly spotted. (Original and only plant died without being propagated (1965))

(r) **'Tudor Ruffles'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Naomi Hope' × 'Mollie Coker' R: unknown, I: Riverwood Gardens (1995) Fls in full, upright trusses, with very wavy-edged lobes, white, with a crimson eye. Lvs long, leathery. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Tuesday's Child'** cv. Parentage unknown G: A.A. Childers (pre 1972), N: M. Kraxberger, REG: M. Kraxberger (1985) Fls 8-10/truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 75mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (55B) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (56C), un-marked, outside pale purplish pink (56A). Calyx 7mm long, deep pink (47D). Lvs elliptic to more-or-less narrowly obovate, 100 × 45-50mm, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 1.2m in 12 years. Early April. (Probably hybridized by Childers in 1960s)

(r) **'Tui'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *edgeworthii* hybrid × unknown H: Pukeiti Rhododendron Trust, G: Pukeiti Rhododendron Trust, N: Pukeiti Rhododendron Trust, I: G.F. Smith, REG: G.F. Smith (1979) Fls 3-5/truss, brilliant greenish yellow (1B) in bud, flushed red on lobes, opening white with a yellow dorsal flare. Calyx prominent, pink. Pedicels red on upper side. Stems, petioles and lower leaf surfaces densely hairy. Dwarf rounded habit. Early-mid October (New Zealand)

(r) **'Tuitti Fruiti'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Dexter's Appleblossom' H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp (1976), N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 75mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63A, B) and strong purplish pink (63C) in bud, opening to a blend of purplish pinks (63C, D; 65C, D) with moderate yellow-green (146D) and moderate purplish red (184C) dorsal spots; outside strong purplish red (63B); filaments and style deep and pale purplish pink (58D, 62D); anthers deep purple (79C); stigma vivid red (52A). Lvs 152 × 89mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 18 years. Early June

(a) **'Tukasa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Kurume azalea × *scabrum* I: K. Wada, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose. Kurume (Scabrume Group)

(a) **'Tuki Gumpo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Gumpo' R: unknown (pre 1987), N: unknown Fls yellowish pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Tukishiro'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan. Satsuki

(r) **'Tukuma Perle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Sport from 'Kate Greenaway' R: K. Bauers & D. Getliņa (c 1968), N: K. Bauers & D. Getliņa

(r) **'Tulare'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Furnivall' (s) × 'Lem's Cameo' H: J. Barlup (1989), G:

J. Barlup (1994), N: J. Barlup (1996), I: Whitney Gardens & Nursery (2001), REG: J. Barlup (2001) Fls 14/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 75mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, strong red (53C) in bud, opening inside white (155D) shading to pale purplish pink (65D) edged light purplish pink (65B), with strong purplish red (60C) nectar pouches, two flares (13mm long) and spotting of the same colour extending 30mm upwards on the dorsal lobe; outside white (155D) shading to pale purplish pink (65D), with moderate purplish pink (65A) midribs. Lvs oblong, 110 × 45mm, margins decurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 4 years. Early May

(r) **'Tulla'** cv. Parentage unknown R: F. Boulter (pre 1997), N: F. Boulter

(r) **'Tulpehocken'** cv. Parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter, N: Swarthmore College (pre 1972) Fls pink

(r) **'Tulyar'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red, with a black blotch. Large shrub

(r) **'Tumalo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* (s) × 'Loderi King George' I: D.W. James (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10/loose truss, 125mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, white, suffused green at base; buds pale chartreuse green; scented. Lvs 160 × 65mm. May

(r) **'Tumbling Angels'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cisa' (s) × (*smirnowii* × *yakushimanum*) × *aureum* R: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls deep red (53A) and strong red (53B) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (56C, D) and vivid purplish red (57D), the throat with a blend of pale yellow-green (4D) and deep red (60A); outside with vivid purplish red (57D) veining. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Tumwater Park'** cv. Parentage unknown L: USA (1964)

(a) **'Tunis'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1926), N: W.C. Slocock Ltd, I: W.C. Slocock Ltd, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark red (53C), with a reddish orange (31B) blotch. Late. Knap Hill

(r) **'Tunnel Vision'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *brachycarpum* × 'Crest' (s) × *aureum* R: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls brilliant yellow-green (154C), opening light yellow-green (150D) with brilliant yellow-green (150A) dorsal spots. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Tupare'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *nuttallii* × *lindleyi* H: E.F. Stead (pre 1950), G: Sir Russell Matthews, N: Sir Russell Matthews (pre 1976), REG: G.F. Smith (1986) Fls 4-6/truss, tubular-campanulate (with deep indentations at base of corolla tube), 100 × 120mm, 5-lobed, buds creamy pink, opening white, with a deep yellow basal blotch and small brown scales on outside of dorsal lobe; strongly and sweetly scented. Calyx 30mm long, green, edged pink. Lvs elliptic, 180-200 × 70-80mm, with small, brown scales over a grey-green surface. Shrub up to 3.0m, with purple-green new growth and peeling mahogany bark. Late October-November (New Zealand)

(r) **'Turandot'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Mars' H: Boskoop (1968), G: Boskoop (1980-1985), N: Boskoop, I: Boskoop (1991), REG: Royal Boskoop Hort. Soc. (1990) Fl 7-10/truss, funnel-shaped, 40-50mm wide, 5-lobed, rosy red, fading to pink. Calyx green. Lvs ovate, 50-70mm long, dark green. Shrub 0.8 × 1.0m. May. (Published in *De Boomkwekerij* 13 (1990))

(r) **'Turbulence'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lanny Pride' (s) × 'Stokes Bronze Wings' × 'Adele's Yellow' R: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls deep and strong purplish red (61A, B) in bud, opening white, edged vivid purplish red (66A, B). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Türk'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.H. Seidel (1909), N: T.J.H. Seidel (1917), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine red

(r) **'Turkana'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lee's Dark Purple' × 'Purple Splendour' H: H. Hachmann (1964), G: H. Hachmann (1970), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1979), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls 11-14(-16)/truss, 40-50 × 45-55(-60)mm, 5-lobed, moderate purplish red (70A), lobes deep purplish red (71A), strong purplish red (71B-C) on midveins externally, dorsal lobe marked dark red (187A). Calyx 3-5mm long, reddish green. Lvs elliptic, 100-125 × 42-55mm, somewhat twisted, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dark green. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in 10 years. Late May-early June

(r) **'Turkish Delight'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: USA (pre 1980) Fls large, pink. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Midseason

(a) **'Turk's Cap'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: R.D. Gartrell (1963), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, REG: D.H. Voss (1991) Fls single (1-)2/bud, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 85mm, with 5 non-overlapping lobes which often recurve at the tip, vivid reddish orange (44C), strong red (45D) at margins, spotted deep red (185A). Calyx 5mm long, strong yellow-green (143B). Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 54 × 22mm. Loose, upright shrub. Mid May. (Robin Hill no. T60-6)

(a) **'Turncoat'** cv. Deciduous azalea: described as an "Embley Hybrid" G: A.C. Bramley (1970), N: F.R. Waghorn, I: F.R. Waghorn (1987), REG: F.R. Waghorn (1988) Fls single, 25-30/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 50mm, 5-lobed, strong reddish orange (40C), flushed red, with an orange flare on the dorsal lobe, fading to strong yellowish pink (43D). Lvs oblanceolate, 70 × 30mm. Shrub 2.0-3.0m tall. Spring

(r) **'Turneri'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed under *campanulatum* N: L. Jacob-Makoy, I: L. Jacob-Makoy (pre 1851), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Tuscany'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Furnivall' × *catawbiense* (white form) H: D.G. Leach (1953), G: D.G. Leach (1961), N: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1991) Fls 15/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 79mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (56D), with a large, bold, strong red (46A) blotch and exterior stripes of strong purplish pink (55B); anthers lavender. Calyx minute, green. Lvs elliptic to obovate, 130 × 55mm, flat, mucronate at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 2.6 × 3.1m in 37 years. Late May

(r) **'Tuscarora'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'America' (s) × *maximum* H: J. Finkelstein (pre 1968), G: C.G. Heller (1971), N: J. Finkelstein & C.G. Heller, REG: C.G. Heller (1984) Fls 10/truss, open funnel-campanulate, 50 × 70mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, moderate red (47A), with spots of strong red (46A) on the dorsal lobes. Calyx very small. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 130-200 × 45-60mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (147A) above, with a slight, patchy, light ochre indumentum below. Shrub 2.1 × 2.4m in 15 years. Mid-late June

(r) **'Tutu'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Lindsay Smith × 'C.I.S.' R: E.K. Parker, N: E.K. Parker, I: E.K. Parker (1970), REG: E.K. Parker (1971) Fls hose-in-hose, 7-9/loose, globular truss, broadly funnel-shaped, c50 × 100mm, pale orange-yellow (19D), shading to pale yellow (603/3). Lvs elliptic, 150-175 × 50-75mm, light green. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 10 years. Late May-early June

(a) **'Tweed'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: F.E.W. Hanger, G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, REG: Royal Horticultural Society (1963) Fls vivid red (20/2), overlaid on dorsal lobes strong red (022/1). *HC 1962. Knap Hill

(r) **'Tweedy Bird'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Darigold' × 'Lackamas Spice' × 'Golden Anniversary No. 2' R: Thompson (c 1985) Fls in a large truss, with very wavy-edged lobes, yellow, with a maroon throat and maroon dorsal spotting. Shrub 0.9m in 10 years. Midseason

(a) **'Twenty Four'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon. Kurume

(a) **'Twenty Grand'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Pericat, N: Leach Nurseries, I: Leach Nurseries (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, 50mm wide, violet red/bright rose pink. Pericat

(r) **'Twice Nice'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* (s) × 'Ponticum Roseum' H: H.R. Schroeder (1978), G: S. Schroeder (1986), N: S. Schroeder, I: Holly Hills, Inc. (1995), REG: S. Schroeder (1995) Fls 21/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 65mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (55A) in bud, opening light purplish pink (55C) with a yellow-green blotch; stamens 10, curved, unequal. Calyx 3mm long, yellow-green. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 50mm, convex, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate yellowish green (138A) above, light yellow-green (145C) below; with discrete hairs (yellowish green ageing to brown); petioles 25mm long, yellow-green. Shrub 2.1 × 1.8m in 17 years. Early-mid June

(a) **'Twiggy'** cv. Deciduous azalea: seedling from Choptank River Hybrids S: W.G. & Mrs M.S. Beasley (pre 1985), N: W.G. & Mrs M.S. Beasley Fls white, with a pink blush and a pink tube; scented. Lvs small

(a) **'Twilight'** (Syn. of 'Kiritsubo')

(a) **'Twilight'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (1930s), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, rose mauve. Coolidge

(a) **'Twilight'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Peach Blow' R: K. Sawada (1950s), N: K. Sawada, I: Overlook Nurseries (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 30mm wide, white flushed pink. Kurume

(a) **'Twilight'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hexe' × Obtusum Group R: USDA, N: USDA (1952), I: USDA (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 65mm wide, shell pink, throat spotted with dark pink. Kurume (Derived from the work of G.E. Yerkes & R.L. Pryor)

(r) **'Twilighter'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Whitney's Orange' (s) × 'Catalgla' R: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (57A) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (56D) edged vivid purplish red (57B), with a pale yellow (11D) flare and pale yellow (11D) dorsal spots; filaments and style pale purplish pink (62D); anthers dark red (183A); stigma dark reddish orange (173A). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Twilight Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: (*fortunei* × 'Alice'), selfed × 'Comstock' R: H.E. Greer (pre 1983), N: H.E. Greer Fls pink, with apricot/yellow tints. Calyx large, coloured as corolla. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years

(a) **'Twilight Sky'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Brazil' (s) × pink seedling I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a large, globular truss, 55 × 75mm, white, with a dark yellow dorsal blotch (AM description); carmine rose, with an orange-yellow dorsal blotch (1958 Register & Waterer (Bagshot) cat., 1961). AM 1958. Knap Hill

(a) **'Twilight Snow'** (Syn. of 'Kure-no-yuki')

(r) **'Twilight Sun'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nancy Evans' × ('Whopper' × 'Brandt's Tropicana') (s) × 'Whitney's Pumpkin' H: J. Barlup (1987), G: J. Barlup (1992), N: J. Barlup (1997), REG: J. Barlup

(1998) Fls 17/ball truss, funnel-campanulate, 50 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53B) in bud, opening inside light orange-yellow (16C), tinged randomly with deep yellowish pink (41D) on the three dorsal lobes; outside deep yellowish pink 41D) with deep pink (48B) stripes on dorsal lobes; nectaries deep red (53A), 6mm deep. Calyx up to 30mm long, light orange-yellow (16C), edged deep yellowish pink (41D) with two deep red (53A) spots at the base. Lvs elliptic, 105 × 50mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.2m in 11 years. Late April

(r) **'Twilight Time'** cv. Parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney, N: G. & Mrs A. Sather (pre 1975), I: G. & Mrs A. Sather Fls red in bud, opening deep rose with an apricot centre, fading to soft yellow. Low shrub

(a) **'Twinkie'** cv. Deciduous azalea: yellow Knap Hill seedling of unknown origin × 'Klondyke' H: I. & R. Arneson (1975), G: I. & R. Arneson (1982), N: I. & R. Arneson, I: I. & R. Arneson, REG: I. & R. Arneson (1989) Fls single, 10-14/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 70 × 102mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, light orange-yellow (19A) to vivid reddish orange (33B); slightly scented. Calyx 6mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 64-89 × 32-44mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, slightly hairy. Shrub 1.4 × 1.2m in 12 years. Mid-late May

(a) **'Twinkles'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Phoeniceum' (s) × *kaempferi* R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50mm wide, rose (strong purplish red (63B) - or a little lighter), with a yellow suffusion at base of tube and a small, inconspicuous blotch of tyrian rose (vivid purplish red (57B)) dots. Spreading shrub to 1.5m tall. Late April. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Twinkles'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *racemosum* (s) × *scabrifolium* var. *spiciferum* R: A. & A.O. Wright, N: A. & A.O. Wright, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, light pink, profusely borne along the stem. Lvs small, dark green. Shrub under 1.2m

(a) **'Twinkle Toes'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Koromo-shikibu' × 'Garden State Salmon' H: R.C. Vines (pre 1990), G: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines Fls single, 2-3/truss, 50mm wide, with pointed lobes, purplish pink, with a purplish red blotch. Mid April. Syn: 'Lauren'

(r) **'Twinkle Toes'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Achiever' (s) × *valentinianum* H: W.E. Delp (1976), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 6/truss, open funnel-shaped, 36 × 51mm, 5-lobed, light greenish yellow (1C) and pale purplish pink (65C) in bud, opening white with pale purplish pink (65C) anthers. Lvs 76 × 38mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, scaly. Shrub 2.4 × 2.4m in 16 years. Mid May

(r) **'Twins Candy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pink Twins' × 'Cotton Candy' H: C. Herbert (1968), G: C. Herbert (1976), N: C. Herbert, I: C. Herbert (1977), REG: C. Herbert (1977) Fls up to 18/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 100mm wide, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (54A), with strong red spotting on the two dorsal lobes, throat lighter coloured. Calyx c3mm long, green. Lvs 125 × 65mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.4m in 7 years. Early May

(r) **'Twister'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group (s) × *dauricum* H: G.D. Lewis (1970), G: G.D. Lewis (1974), N: G.D. Lewis, I: G.D. Lewis (1978), REG: G.D. Lewis (1995) Fls up to 15/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, light purple (75B), with dorsal lobe lightly spotted moderate purplish red (58A); stamens 10, straight, equal. Pedicels 16mm long, green, tinged vivid reddish purple (78A). Lvs elliptic, 70 × 29mm, convex, slightly twisted, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and dark yellowish green (139A) above, moderate yellow green (139C) and with brownish scales below; petioles 13mm long, moderate yellow-green (139D); leaves become dark red in winter. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years. Mid April

(a) **'T.W. Llewelyn'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls copper pink. Indian (Perhaps originated in USA)

(r) **'Two Kings'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi King George' × 'King George' H: Hon. H.E. Boscawen (1930), G: Hon. H.E. Boscawen, N: Hon. H.E. Boscawen, I: Hon. H.E. Boscawen (1982), REG: Hon. H.E. Boscawen (1982) Fls 12-13/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, up to 65 × 75mm, 7-lobed, white in throat, lobes flushed shades of purplish pink (62). Calyx up to 11mm long, reddish, fringed. Lvs elliptic, up to 170 × 80mm, dark green above, hairless. AM 1982

(r) **'Two Tone Pink'** cv. Parentage unknown H: J.B. Gable (pre 1972) Fls pink

(r) **'Tyee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Esquire' × Idealist Group R: D.W. James (1949), N: D.W. James (1960), I: D.W. James (1960), REG: D.W. James (1961) Fls up to 11/lax truss, to 100mm wide, primrose yellow (601/2) with a uranium green (63/2) throat. Lvs 100 × 40mm. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. May

(r) **'Tyermanii'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *nuttallii* (s) × *formosum* R: J.S. Tyerman (pre 1889), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white/cream, "lily-like". FCC 1925

(r) **'Tygo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ruby Bowman' (s) × *elliottii* 'War Paint' H: D.W. Goheen (1975), G: D.W. Goheen (1985), N: D.W. Goheen, I: A Sandy Rhododendron, REG: D.W. Goheen (1996) Fls 18-20/flattened dome truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 75-90mm, with 5 flat to slightly wavy-edged lobes, deep red (53A) in bud, opening vivid red (45A) with dorsal half of corolla heavily spotted deep red (53A); stamens 10, curved, unequal; not

scented. Calyx minute, deep red (53A). Pedicels 15-25mm long, vivid red (45A). Lvs elliptic, 150 × 65mm, with decurved margins, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull, somewhat bullate and moderate olive green (137A) above, moderate yellow-green (138C) below, with very sparse, discrete, tan hairs below, mainly on the midrib; petioles 25mm long, moderate yellow-green (138C). Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years. Early May

(a) **'Tyler's Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Carter's (1976) Fls single, mid pink. Shrub up to 2.0m. Indian

(a) **'Tyne'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: F.E.W. Hanger, G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society (1960), REG: Royal Horticultural Society (1961) Fls 11/compact, globular truss, funnel-shaped, 65 × 80mm, between deep pink (52C) and light pink (50D), with an orange dorsal blotch. Lvs 100 × 45mm, light to medium, glossy green. Shrub at least 1.9 × 1.5m. Mid May. *HC 1960, *AM 1962. Knap Hill

(r) **'Tyrian Queen'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Rogers, N: Rogers, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy carmine

(a) **'Tyrol'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1959), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1961) Fls large, cream, fading to white. Late. Knap Hill

(r) **'Tzigane'** cv. Elepidoterhododendron: KarkovGroup × Gipsy King Group R: E. de Rothschild (c 1966), N: E. de Rothschild Fls up to 15/truss, funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, scarlet crimson, with faint dorsal spotting. Calyx enlarged, coloured as corolla. Lvs 175-200mm long, with a faint fawn indumentum. (Tzigane Group)

(r) **Tzigane Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Karkov Group × Gipsy King Group R: E. de Rothschild (c 1966), N: E. de Rothschild

(a) **'Ubald Croux'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Croux (pre 1938), N: Croux, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow

(r) **'Ubald Croux'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Croux (pre 1984), N: Croux Fls in domed trusses, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep red; stamens and style similarly coloured. Early

(a) **'Uchiwa-gasane'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: K. Wada (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink

(a) **'Uchu-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, with pointed, spaced lobes, white, with speckles and stripes of light to vivid reddish orange, blotch heavily dotted red. Satsuki

(a) **'Uchu-no-tsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Nuccio's Nurseries (pre 1984) Fls single, with broad, rounded lobes, white, speckled and striped coral and orange-red; occasional solid colours, or with white centre bordered orange-red. May. Satsuki

(a) **'Uelfe'** (See 'Ülfe')

(a) **'Ugigumo-no-tsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, with broad, overlapping, rounded lobes, white, with pale to vivid yellowish pink dots. Early. Satsuki

(a) **'Ugo Fisch'** cv. Evergreen azalea: derivative of *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* G: E. & H. Frei-Glaus (1974), S: E. & H. Frei-Glaus (1974), N: R. Stieve-Frei (1997), I: E. & H. Frei-Glaus (1999), REG: Frei Weinland-Stauden (1999) Fls single, 2/truss, funnel-shaped, 28 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, white throughout, unspotted; filaments, style and stigma white; anthers light brown. Calyx 7mm long, light green. Lvs lanceolate, 60 × 25mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, matt green, hairy. Shrub 0.95 × 1.2m in 25 years. April-May. (In the Swiss climate the plant is essentially leafless in winter)

(a) **'Uguns'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Exbury (ie Knap Hill) azalea hybrids H: R. Kondratovičs (1971), G: R. Kondratovičs (1976), N: R. Kondratovičs, I: Rhododendron Nursery "Babīte" of University of Latvia (2000), REG: R. Kondratovičs (2002) Fls single, 8-9/flat truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 70 × 70mm, with 5 strongly wavy-edged lobes, buds strong red (47B), opening inside vivid reddish orange (33B), outside vivid reddish orange (44C), with an orange dorsal blotch; filaments orange, anthers yellow; style pink, stigma green. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 50mm, wavy-edged, tapered at apex and base, glossy green above, with white hairs persistent above when mature. Shrub 2.5 × 2.7m in 25 years. Late May-early June. (Published in *Dārzs un Drava*: 26 (January, 2001))

(a) **'Uiver'** (Syn. of 'Kees Bier')

(a) **'Ukamuse'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1918), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 2/truss, very open funnel-shaped, 30-40 × 45-50mm, porcelain rose (620), almost white in centre and with deeper spotting. *AM 1952 Syn: 'Princess Delight', 'Prince Delight'; Wilson no. 47. Kurume

(a) **'Uki-funei'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: H.E. Greer (pre 1987) Fls 65mm wide, white, with red stripes. Lvs variegated with spots and blotches of yellow. Satsuki

(a) **'Ukigumo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c50mm wide, light red, dappled in the throat. Satsuki

(a) **'Ukigumo-no-tsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1984), N: Japan Fls 75mm wide, white, to reddish orange with a slight white edge and white sectors, blotch purplish red. Satsuki

(a) **'Uki-nishiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Matsunami' R: Japan (pre 1982), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, with rounded, wavy-edged lobes, white, with many variations of speckles, stripes, sectors and selfs of strong purplish pink. Lvs with yellow blotches and stripes. Satsuki

(a) **'Ukishima'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum* × Kurume azalea I: K. Wada, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright purple, with a white base

(a) **'Ukon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep lilac on white. Indian

(a) **'Ukon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* L: Miyami-en Nursery (1976) Fls 20-25mm wide, strong to deep purplish pink, with a red style

(r) **'Uldis'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *catawbiense* H: R. Kondratovičs (1957), G: R. Kondratovičs (1967), N: R. Kondratovičs, I: Rhododendron Nursery "Babīte" of University of Latvia (2000), REG: R. Kondratovičs (2002) Fls 15/dense, slightly domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 90 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds deep reddish purple (77A), opening inside light purple (77C), outside vivid reddish purple (78A); conspicuous dorsal markings of dark greenish yellow (152C); filaments purple, anthers grey violet; style purple, stigma black. Calyx 2mm long, light green. Lvs oblong-ovate, 130 × 60mm, flat, glossy above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 2.5m in 25 years. Late May-early June. (Published in *Latvijas selekcionaru Ziedi* (1999))

(a) **'Ülfe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Noordtianum' × *kaempferi* and various Kurume azaleas R: G. Arends (pre 1914), N: G. Arends (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fl purple. Shrub 0.6-0.8m. (Sometimes seen as 'Uelfe')

(r) **'Ulrike'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goldsworth Orange' × May Day Group R: J. Bruns Nursery (1952), N: J. Bruns Nursery, REG: J. Bruns Nursery (1971) Fls strong red (50A), with darker markings

(r) **'Ulrike Jost'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Bellefontaine' (s) × 'Lumina' × 'Perlina' H: H. Hachmann (1987), G: H. Hachmann (1993), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 12-15/compact rounded truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 60 × 75-90mm, with 5 wavy-edged, recurved lobes, inside pale purplish pink (65D), the colour extending into throat and shading to white, edges 10-12mm wide of deep to strong purplish pink (68A/B); outside deep to strong purplish pink (68A/B) shading to vivid purplish red (66B) on midveins; dorsal lobe with fountain-like markings of dark to moderate red (183B/C); stamens 10, filaments pale purplish pink (56D), anthers moderate orange-yellow (165C); style light yellow-green (154D), stigma dark red (187C); ovary sparsely hairy. Calyx 3-12mm long, light yellow-green (144D). Lvs elliptic, 110-130 × 40-50mm, margins flat, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, matt mid green above, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.6m in 10 years. Mid May-early June. (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030669). First published in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(r) **'Ultrasleek'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' × 'Pink Twins' (s) × 'Delp's Dream' R: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, moderate to pale pink (49B-D) in bud, opening white with pale yellow-green (4D) and vivid red (45A) in the throat; anthers pale purplish pink (56C). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Umatilla'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Hugh Wormald' × 'Marion Merriman' R: H.J. Slonecker, N: H.J. Slonecker, REG: H.J. Slonecker (1963) Fls 95mm wide, 5(-6)-lobed, brilliant yellow (21C), tinged red, with a strong orange (24A) blotch. Midseason

(a) **'Umbellatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: F. Schneider (1863), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Umbellatum Album'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1861), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Ume-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'UMinn's Candy Lights'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *atlanticum* (s) × un-named, red-orange, Exbury seedling H: H. Pellett (1989), G: University of Minnesota, N: H. Pellett (2002), REG: N. Rose (2002) Fls single, 8-10/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 60-70 × 50-60mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (57C) in bud, opening inside light purplish pink (62C), outside vivid purplish red (57D); strongly scented. Calyx 2-3mm long. Lvs elliptic, 60-70 × 20mm, margins flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, moderate yellow-green (148B) below, scattered hairs above and on veins below (hairs white). Shrub 1.75 × 1.0m in 10 years. Mid May

(a) **'UMinn's Lilac Lights'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *canadense* (s) × Mollis hybrid × *prinophyllum* H: H. Pellett (1979), G: University of Minnesota, N: H. Pellett (2002), REG: N. Rose (2002) Fls single, 8-10/lax truss, very broadly funnel-shaped, 25-30 × 40-50mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (66C) throughout, with strong purplish red (67A) spotting on dorsal lobe. Calyx 1mm long or less. Lvs elliptic, 60-70 × 20-25mm, with wavy margins, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, dark yellowish green (189A) below, with scattered hairs above, more densely so below (hairs white). Shrub 1.75 × 1.5m in 10 years. Early May

(a) **'Ummu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1920), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, pink. Kurume

(a) **'Umpqua'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Hugh Wormald' × 'Klondyke' R: H.J. Slonecker, N: H.J. Slonecker, REG: H.J. Slonecker (1963) Fls 90mm wide, (5-)6(-7)-lobed, brilliant yellow (21C), tinged red, with a vivid orange-yellow (23A) blotch. Young leaves bronzed. Midseason

(r) **'Umpqua Chief'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group (s) × Azor Group I: D.W. James, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 4-7/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 90-115mm wide, geranium lake. Shrub 0.9m. Late

(r) **'Umpqua Princess'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Faggetter's Favourite' (s) × 'Peach Surprise' H: M. Sanders (1984), G: Sanders Nursery (1989), N: M. Sanders, I: Sanders Nursery, REG: M. Sanders (1998) Fls 16/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 75 × 105mm, with 8 flat-edged lobes, greenish white (155C), with a dorsal flare c40mm long, composed of narrow stripes of dark red (187A) spots; moderately scented. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 65mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, glossy and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 2.4m in 13 years. Early April

(a) **'Umpqua Queen'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown G: R. Schoneman (1968), I: Theiss Azalea Garden (1974), REG: J. Theiss (1974) Fls 12/ball truss, 65 × 100mm, with an outer whorl of 7 lobes and a shorter, inner whorl of 4, cup-shaped lobes, brilliant yellow (11A), with a vivid yellow (14A) dorsal blotch. Calyx 13mm long, yellow-green. Lvs lanceolate, 125 × 45mm, more-or-less bullate, strong yellow-green (144A); yellow bronze in autumn. Shrub c1.2 × 1.1m in 8 years. Mid May. Knap Hill

(r) **'Una'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush, with a fine eye (1958 Register); fls crimson, with a paler centre (J. Standish cat., 1870)

(r) **'Una Mary'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' × 'Van Nes Sensation' H: M. Stockman (1983), G: M. & H. Stockman (1990), N: M. & H. Stockman, I: M. & H. Stockman (1992), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1992) Fls 15/tall, ball-shaped truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 44 × 70mm, with 5 smooth-edged, deeply cut lobes (rather star-like), strong reddish purple (70B) to deep purplish pink (70C) in bud, opening light purple (75A) throughout, with a very large part of dorsal lobe densely spotted dark red (59A) to almost black; stamens 11, slightly curved, unequal; pistil shorter than stamens; moderately scented. Calyx 6mm long, light green. Pedicels 14mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 102 × 32mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, bullate and glossy dark green above, hairless; petioles 14mm long, light green. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in 9 years. Early May

(a) **'Uncas'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Sander (c 1885), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark scarlet. Sander

(r) **'Uncle Arch'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Petra's Debut' (s) × 'Mrs E.C. Stirling' H: D.J. Dosser (1990), G: D.J. Dosser, N: D.J. Dosser (2002), REG: D.J. Dosser (2002) Fls 15/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 75mm, with 5 narrowly wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (74D) in bud, opening inside moderate purplish pink (74D) and turning to white, outside moderate purplish pink (74D); spotted on dorsal lobe. Lvs ovate, 155 × 45mm, wavy-edged, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 1.5m in 10 years. November (Tasmania). (Standard: colour print provided by the registrant (WSY0038785))

(a) **'Uncle Salmon'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, pale salmon pink, with a large golden yellow flare. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Mid June

(a) **'Uncle Sam'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Madame van der Cruyssen' × 'Duc Adolphe de Nassau' I: A. Haerens (1907), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, dark rose with a dark blotch. Indian

(a) **'Undine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ilusion' (s) × 'Osakazuki' × 'Flame' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, 50-65mm wide, white, with small green dots on the three dorsal lobes. Lvs small, dark green. Shrub to 1.5m. Mid May. Glenn Dale (Identity of pollen parent requires confirmation)

(a) **'Undulatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Carter's (1976) Fls double, cerise pink. Indian

(r) **'Undulatum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection or hybrid of *ponticum* L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **Ungerio Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *ungernii* (s) × *facetum* R: E.J.P. Magor (1923), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1933), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Ungetsu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 75mm wide, with elliptic, spaced lobes, white, with a green blotch and occasional sectors of reddish orange; stamens and pistil white, prominent. Satsuki

(a) **'Ungetsu-no-hana'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 40mm wide, with rounded lobes, vivid reddish purple, with a dark red blotch and occasional light pink flecks. Early. Satsuki

(a) **'Ungetsu-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, with long, spaced lobes, light yellowish pink, with narrow margins and sectors of vivid yellowish pink, blotch heavily dotted with red. Satsuki

(a) **'Unica'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Vervaene (1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark carmine red, with black spots on dorsal lobes. Indian

(a) **'Unica'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, large, rose lilac, with pure white scallop (edge) and purple dots. Indian

(a) **'Unicolore'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Vervaene (1892), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cherry red. Indian

(a) **'Unicolorum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Henderson & Co. (c 1850s), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Uniguttatum'** cv. Parentage unknown R: A. Verschaffelt (pre 1867), N: A. Verschaffelt, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Unimak'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *lacteum* × 'Mary Swaythling' × 'Loderi King George' H: H. Lem (pre 1962)

(a) **'Unique'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. Verschaffelt (1853), N: P. Robichon, I: P. Robichon (1855), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, up to 50/compact truss, 50mm wide, open tubular funnel-shaped, dorsal lobes strong orange-yellow (24B), ventral lobes strong orange-yellow shaded strong reddish orange (32B). Lvs glossy green. Tall shrub, leggy when young. *AM 1952. Ghent (J. Veitch & Sons (*e.g.* 1867) listed a deep scarlet azalea under this name for many years, but later changed its description: the earlier listing is assumed to have been an error)

(r) **'Unique'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* hybrid R: W.C. Slocock Ltd (pre 1934), N: W.C. Slocock Ltd, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c14/dome-shaped truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, creamy white, with a faint blush, inconspicuously spotted crimson. Calyx lobes pale green, edged crimson, glandular ciliate. Lvs oblong-ovate, 70-80 × 35-45mm, deep green above. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. *AM 1934, FCC 1935 (Raiser requires confirmation: sometimes attributed to Wallace)

(r) **'Unique Marmalade'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Orange Marmalade' × 'Unique' H: J.A. Davis (1980), G: J.A. Davis (1985), N: J.A. Davis, REG: J.A. Davis (1990) Fls 12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 57 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (52A) in bud, opening deep pink (55B) at outer edge, shading to light orange (28D) in centre, darker specks from centre to outer edge of dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 102-140 × 44-57mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.8m in 10 years. Early May

(r) **'University Place'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: F. Minch (c 1970), G: F. Minch (c 1975), N: F. Minch (1996), REG: F. Minch (1996) Fls 14/domed to ball truss, funnel-campanulate, 40 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (46B) in bud, opening vivid red (46B) inside and strong red (46A) outside, unmarked. Calyx 25-40mm long, red, with silvery stripes. Lvs elliptic, 165 × 65mm, flat to decurved at margins, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and mid to dark green above, with sparse hairs (light tan, ageing to mid tan). Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 3 years. Midseason

(a) **'Unjo-no-ame'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(r) **'Unknown Warrior'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Queen Wilhelmina' (s) × 'Stanley Davies' R: C.B. van Nes & Sons (pre 1922), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls up to 18/compacttruss, broadly campanulate, 55 × 70-80mm, crimson scarlet in bud, opening deep rose with few dark brown markings. Calyx lobes 4-7mm long. Lvs elliptic, c100 × 35mm, dark and matt green above, sparsely brown felted below. Early

(a) **'Unma'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1939), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Unpo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan apan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, with 5-9 lobes, white, spotted purple. Satsuki

(a) **'Unrin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c30mm wide, deep purple. Tsutsuji

(a) **'U.N.R.R.A.'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Felix & Dijkhuis (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, deep reddish orange, with a vivid reddish orange blotch. Mollis

(a) **'Unryu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1984), N: Japan Fls 40-50mm wide, lobes 'funnel-shaped', very light purple with white centres and light to strong purple margins. Lvs narrow, twisted. Compact shrub. Satsuki

(a) **'Unsurpassable'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: P.E. Girard (pre 1985), N: P.E. Girard Fls single, 65-75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (52B). Syn: 'Girard Unsurpassable'

(a) **'Unzen-tsutsuji'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Nuccio's Nurseries (1985) Fls single, small, light lavender. Small lvs

(a) **'Unzen-zakura'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* L: Kyoma Yokata Nursery (1976) Fls 20mm wide, strong purplish pink

(r) **'Upbeat'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Midsummer' (s) × 'Delp's Red Max' H: W.E. Delp (1977), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 16/truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 65mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (63A) in bud, opening strong purplish red (63B) and strong purplish pink (63C, D) with strong yellow-green (144A) dorsal spots; filaments and style pale yellow-green (157C); anthers brownish orange (166C); stigma greyish red (178A). Lvs 114 × 51mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 15 years. Early June

(r) **'Up Front'** cv. Parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), N: John J. Tyler Arboretum (pre 1978) Fls pink

(a) **'Upright Red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: (*yedoense* var. *poukhanense* × *kaempferi*) F2 R: E.N. Stanton (pre 1987), N: E.N. Stanton Fls reddish orange. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 10 years. Early

(a) **'Upton'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: M.C. Pratt (1986), G: Ness Botanic Gardens (1996), N: Ness Botanic Gardens, REG: Ness Botanic Gardens (1999) Fls single, 15-20/loose truss, broadly tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 50mm, with 5 narrowly but strongly wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (45C) in bud, opening moderate yellowish pink (39C) inside, moderate reddish orange (41C) outside; a dorsal blotch of vivid orange-yellow (23A); stamens pink; scented. Calyx 2mm long, light yellow-green (142C). Lvs elliptic, 30-70 × 15-35mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, wavy-edged, glossy green above (sometimes bronzed when young). Shrub 2.0 × 1.5m in 13 years. June-July. (Standard: colour slide provided by registrant (WSY 0015394))

(r) **'Uptown Girl'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: aff. *vernicosum*, Rock no. 18139 (s) × 'One Thousand Butterflies' H: M.J. Whitman (1997), G: M.J. & B. Whitman (2001), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (2002), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (2002) Fls 17/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, with 6-7 very wavy-edged lobes, inside close to pale purplish pink (62D) with a brilliant yellow-green (150C) throat and narrow edging of strong purplish pink (63B); outside lighter than pale purplish pink (62D) with strong purplish pink (63B) midribs; anthers dark red. Lvs elliptic, 155 × 50mm, margins flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.45 × 0.3m in 4 years. Early May

(a) **'Uranami'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, red, marked with white; irregular strap-shaped segments present between calyx and corolla; both red and white selfs also produced. Satsuki

(r) **'Urania'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark mauve

(r) **'Uranie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed under "*caucasicum grandiflorum*" L: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Uranus'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Schulz (pre 1866), N: Schulz, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Uranus'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ('Ole Olson' × Azor Group) × Idealist Group × *wardii* × *dichroanthum* H: M.W. Lyons (pre 1971)

(a) **'Ursii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Ursine'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hachmann's Feuerschein' × *auriculatum* (s) × 'Junifreude' H: H. Hachmann (1988), G: H. Hachmann (1994), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 10-12/compact truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65-70 × 75-90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (61C) throughout inside and out; marking almost absent, just a few inconspicuous dark to moderate reddish orange (173A/B) spots near nectar pouches; stamens 10, filaments deep purplish pink (61D), anthers dark pink (182D); style deep purplish pink (55A), stigma dark red (187A). Calyx c1mm long, greenish. Lvs ovate, 110-150 × 55-60mm, slightly convex, apiculate at apex, slightly cordate to rounded or oblique at base, glossy dark green above, hairless. Shrub 1.3 × 1.6m in 10 years. June. (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030670). First published in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(a) **'Ursula'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Illusion' (s) × 'Gaiety' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, 50-65mm wide, la france pink (moderate purplish pink (54D)), darker on the margins, with a heavy blotch of tyrian rose (vivid purplish red (57B)) dots on the three dorsal lobes. Lvs small, dark green. Shrub to 1.5m. Early-mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Ursula Seidel'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.H. Seidel (c 1917), N: T.J.H. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose, paler inside, dorsal lobe yellow on a white ground

(r) **'Ursula Siems'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Earl of Athlone' (s) × *forrestii* Repens Group R: D.G. Hobbie (1951), N: D.G. Hobbie, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 8-10/truss, intense scarlet carmine. (Ursula Siems Group)

(r) **Ursula Siems Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Earl of Athlone' (s) × *forrestii* Repens Group R: D.G. Hobbie (1951), N: D.G. Hobbie, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'US'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling of unknown parentage R: K. Glaser (pre 1992), N: K. Glaser (Never introduced, but used in breeding)

(r) **'Ushiwaka-maru'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *yakushimanum* G: S. Tanabe (1993), S: S. Tanabe (1980), N: S. Tanabe (1993), REG: S. Tanabe (1995) Fls 12-14/flattened dome truss, tubular-campanulate, 25 × 20mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, light purplish pink (55C) in bud, opening inside and out light purplish pink (55C), changing to pale purplish pink (56D); without blotch or spots. Lvs matt green, indumentum below pale yellow (19C) when young, light yellow (19B) when mature. Shrub 18 × 25cm in 15 years. (Derived from a cross between 'Koichiro Wada' and the "Tanabe form" of the species)

(a) **'Usshu-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Usugesho'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50-75mm wide, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, pale to light pink with speckles and flakes of deep pink, variable. Satsuki

(a) **'Usuginu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Hitomaru' R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan Fls 50mm

wide, with rounded, notched lobes, very pale yellowish pink, with deep pink flecks and a deep pink blotch; some small sectors of white. Lvs small. Satsuki

(a) **'Usugukari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1939), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, pale rose lilac, unevenly flushed a deeper shade; anthers white. Kurume

(a) **'Usu-iro'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c50mm wide, light purple. Syn: 'Usu-yo'. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Usu-kaki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c50mm wide, light persimmon orange. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Usu-kasane'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, light red. Satsuki

(a) **'Usu-kumo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c50mm wide, light coloured, dappled. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Usu-unzen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c30mm wide, pale purple. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Usu-yo'** (Syn. of 'Usu-iro')

(a) **'Usu-yo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: possibly a selection from *stenopetalum* R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 65mm wide, orchid purple (31/2), with a reddish blotch. Kurume

(a) **'Usuyukari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1978), N: Japan Fls single, up to 35mm wide, strong purple (7.5RP 5/10) edges changing to white, throat white. Kurume

(a) **'Usu-yuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c60mm wide, white. Satsuki

(a) **'Utage-no-hana'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 75mm wide, with rounded lobes, yellowish pink, with a slight white centre, a slight green throat and a dark pink blotch. Early. Satsuki

(a) **'Uta-maru'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Nuccio's Nurseries (1984). Satsuki

(r) **'Ute'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (c 1910), N: T.J.R. Seidel (1918), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine red, tinged white, with olive green spots

(a) **'Utsu-murasaki'** (Syn. of 'Matsu-no-tomo')

(a) **'Utsusemi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c50mm wide, persimmon orange, marked with various combinations of red and white. Satsuki

(a) **'Uyo-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, spotted and mottled red. Satsuki

(a) **'Uyo-no-tsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Banzai' × 'Yata-no-kagami' R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls trumpet-like, 75-90mm wide, with overlapping lobes, white, with a green blotch and reddish purple sectors, flecks and dots. Early. Satsuki

(r) **'Vacciniifolium'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *ponticum* R: Morel (1858), N: Morel, INC: ICRA (1958) Lvs 10-20mm long, narrow. Shrub of rounded habit, 0.15m tall, with short branches

(r) **'Vada Belle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Boule de Neige' × 'Yellow Creek' H: W.M. Fetterhoff (1960), G: W.M. Fetterhoff (1967), N: W.M. Fetterhoff, I: W.M. Fetterhoff, REG: W.M. Fetterhoff (1981) Fls 9-12/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 35 × 55mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, greenish yellow in bud, opening light greenish yellow (4C) fading to pale yellow-green (4D), with a blotch and peripheral spotting in the throat of the dorsal lobe of strong yellow-green (145A). Calyx 3mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 80-120 × 25-65mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, margins flat, glossy and moderate olive green (146A) above, with sparse, colourless hairs below. Shrub 0.45 × 0.75m in 9 years. Mid May

(a) **'Vainquur'** (See 'Le Vainquur')

(a) **'Vainquur'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1926), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, 1-2/truss, red. Late. Indian

(r) **'Valarie Jane'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Unknown Warrior' (s) × 'Whitney Purple' H: W.A. Stipe (1986), G: W.A. Stipe (1991), N: W.A. Stipe, REG: W.A. Stipe (1993) Fls 18/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 57 × 89mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (67A) with a small, dark red (59A) flare and spots of the same colour, on the dorsal lobe; stamens 10, curved, equal; style red. Pedicels 32mm long, greenish red. Lvs elliptic, 178 × 76mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate yellowish green (138A) above, moderate yellow-green (139C) below, hairless; petioles 25mm long, green. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 6 years. Early May

(r) **'Valaspis'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *valentinianum* (s) × *leucaspis* H: Lord Aberconway (1928), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls open campanulate, bright yellow. Lvs ovate, dark green, edged with brown hairs. Shrub 0.5 × 0.6m. AM 1935 (Valaspis Group)

(r) **Valaspis Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *valentinianum* (s) × *leucaspis* H: Lord Aberconway (1928), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1935), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **Valda Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Latona Group (s) × *haematodes* H: Lord Aberconway (1934), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy red

(r) **'Val d'Aulnay'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Croux (pre 1984), N: Croux Fls in large, domed trusses, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, luminous purplish pink, with slight, dark spotting on the dorsal lobe

(r) **'Valedictorian'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Masterblend' (s) × 'Jennypoo' H: W.E. Delp (1986), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 16/truss, open funnel-shaped, 44 × 65mm, with 5-6 very wavy-edged lobes, deep and strong red (53A, B) in bud, opening to a blend of strong and pale purplish pink (67C, 65C, D), with deep red (53A) and pale yellow-green (4D) in the throat; sparse, deep red (60A) spots on the three dorsal lobes; filaments pale purplish pink (65D); style pale yellow (161D); anthers pale yellowish pink (159D); stigma deep red (60A). Lvs 140 × 64mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m in 6 years. Early June

(a) **'Valencia'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1926), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vivid orange scarlet. AM 1926

(r) **'Valentina'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush, with a yellow eye

(a) **'Valentine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Ivory' (s) × 'Kagetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lavender pink, with a dark blotch and white margins. Shrub to 1.2m. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Valentine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: H.W. Motzkau (pre 1973), N: Yoder Bros, I: Yoder Bros. Fls single, hose-in-hose, 65mm wide, vibrant scarlet red. (Published in Yoder Bros. cat., 1973)

(v) **'Valentine'** (Syn. of 'Saint Valentine')

(r) **'Valentine's Day'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vinecrest' (s) × 'Kettledrum' H: A.W. Smith (pre 1989), G: D. Irish-Hosler (1998), N: D. Irish-Hosler (2000), REG: D. Irish-Hosler (2000) Fls 16/domed truss, funnel-campanulate, 45 × 50mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (66A) in bud, opening inside light purplish pink (68D), veined with deep purplish pink (68A) on the dorsal lobe and with deep and strong purplish pink (68A-B) on the other lobes, paling to slightly yellowish white near the base, with a dense red blotch and peripheral spotting at base of dorsal lobes; outside vivid purplish red (57B) and strong purplish pink (68B). Lvs elliptic, 130 × 50mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, margins flat, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 0.6m in c12 years. Midseason

(a) **'Valentine Surprise'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: W.G.T. Hyde (late 1960s), G: W.G.T. Hyde (late 1970s), N: Mrs R. Legrand (1998), I: Mrs R. Legrand (1998), REG: Mrs R. Legrand (1998) Fls open funnel-shaped, 53 × 27mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish orange (42A) in bud, opening inside with a bright white centre and a 5mm deep red edge, outside similarly coloured; anthers black. Calyx 5mm long, strong yellow-green (144A). Lvs elliptic, 30-40 × 13mm, margins decurved, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above; good winter colour. Shrub 66 × 81cm in 6 years. Mid May

(r) **'Valentinianum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Trillon (1843), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Valerianum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Firma S. Rinz (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright brick red. Indian

(a) **'Valerie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Etabl. Linden (1871), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, orange-red with rose spots; shape and colour resemble 'Antoinette Thelemann'. Indian

(v) **'Valerie June'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *konori* × 'Gardenia Odyssey' (s) × un-named hybrid (pink lobes, yellow throat) H: G. Price (1992), G: L. Marshall (1999), N: L. Marshall (2000), REG: L. Marshall (2001) Fls 4-9/lax, open truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 64 × 57mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, vivid yellow (14B) in bud and throughout when open; unspotted; stamens 10, unequal, anthers brownish orange (164A), filaments 54mm long, moderate yellow (162A); style strong yellow-green (144B), stigma strong yellow-green (143C), pistil 32mm long, shorter than stamens. Lvs obovate, 80 × 36mm, margins upcurved, obtuse at apex, attenuate at base, glossy, scaly. Shrub 0.8 × 0.4m in 8 years. March and October/November (Australia). (Standard: herbarium specimen provided by registrant (WSY 0027977), colour prints from registrant also in standard portfolio)

(r) **'Valewood Pink'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J.H. Mangles (pre 1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c10/loose, open-topped truss, open campanulate, 65 × 80-90mm, 5-lobed, vivid red (52A) in bud, opening with a white throat and white lobe centres inside, shading to margins via light purplish pink (55C) to deep purplish pink (55A); outside 55A, paler at base. Calyx up to 12mm long, often irregular, pale green, very slightly suffused pink. Lvs elliptic, up to 170 × 70mm, mid green and more-or-less glossy above, hairless below. *AM 1934

(a) **'Valiant'** (Syn. of 'Monet')

(r) **Valiant Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Astarte' (s) × *haematodes* subsp. *chaetomallum* H: Lord Aberconway (1937), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(a) **'Valkyrie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' (s) × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, 75mm wide, almost a mallow purple (strong reddish purple (72C)) self, but margins slightly deeper. Shrub to 1.5m. Late April. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Vallerie Kay'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × Leo Group H: Mrs LeV. Freimann (1960), G: Mrs LeV. Freimann, N: Mrs LeV. Freimann, I: Mrs LeV. Freimann (1971), REG: Mrs LeV. Freimann (1973) Fls up to 20/ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 65 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, carmine (21/1) fading to carmine (21/3). Calyx very short. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 50mm, cuspidate at apex, rounded at base, mid green above, with a fawn indumentum below; new growth mouse-coloured, changing to fawn. Shrub 1.0 × 0.7m in 12 years. Mid May

(r) **'Valley Creek'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Essex Scarlet' × *fortunei* H: J.B. Gable (pre 1952), G: C. Herbert (1964), N: C. Herbert, I: C. Herbert (1967), REG: C. Herbert (1975) Fls 10-13/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 70mm, with 6-7 flat-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63B), with a deep brownish purple blotch, outside slighter darker; slightly scented. Calyx 3mm long, pink. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 170 × 65mm, acute at apex, rounded at base, moderate olive green (146A), glaucous, hairy below. Shrub 4.8 × 3.0m in 23 years. Mid May

(r) **'Valley Forge'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Atrosanguineum' × *fortunei* × *williamsianum* H: C. Herbert, G: C. Herbert, N: C. Herbert, I: C. Herbert (1970), REG: C. Herbert (1976) Fls 12-14/truss, open funnel-shaped, 65mm wide, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (54B), all lobes and the throat spotted with deep red (53A), the dorsal lobe especially so. Calyx c3mm long, reddish brown. Lvs lanceolate, 125 × 50mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (147A) and glossy above, hairy below. Shrub c2.4 × 1.5m in 15 years. Mid May

(az) **'Valley Sunrise'** cv. Azaleodendron: *occidentale* × 'Purple Splendour' R: R.L. Ticknor (pre 1983), N: R.L. Ticknor Fls orchid, with an orange blotch. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years

(r) **'Vallya'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: white-flowered *minus* Carolinianum Group (s) × *mucronulatum* 'Cornell Pink' H: E.V. Mezitt (1958), G: Weston Nurseries (c 1962), N: E.V. Mezitt, I: Weston Nurseries (1974), REG: R.W. Mezitt (1998) Fls c4/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, c30 × 40mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (65B). Lvs elliptic, 75 × 30mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, scaly below; fragrant when crushed; some turn orange-red and yellow in autumn before dropping, some dark green leaves retained throughout the winter. Shrub 0.9 × 0.75m in 7 years. Mid May. Syn: 'Wally', 'Shrimp Pink No. 2' (Published in Weston Nurseries cat., 1974)

(a) **'Valo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls silvery lavender (1958 Register); fls 50-65mm wide, with strap-shaped lobes, deep purplish pink (Galle, 1987). Indian

(r) **'Valpinense'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *moupinense* (s) × *valentinianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1932), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: LordAberconway (1943), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls broadly campanulate, light greenish yellow (4C), deep in bud, with crimson bracts. AM 1943 (Valpinense Group)

(r) **Valpinense Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *moupinense* (s) × *valentinianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1932), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1943), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Val's Choice'** cv. Deciduous azalea: seedling from open-pollinated *occidentale* G: H. Vaartnou (1969), S: H. Vaartnou (1965), N: H. Vaartnou, REG: H. Vaartnou (1989) Fls single, 10/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 32 × 57mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid yellow (16A), with a darker orange dorsal lobe; highly scented. Calyx 6mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 76 × 25mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green and hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in 24 years. May

(r) **'Vampire'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' (s) × Fabia Group H: A.O. Wright (pre 1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 9-11/truss, funnel-campanulate, c90mm wide, 5-lobed, red. Calyx c3mm long. Lvs narrowly elliptic, up to 175 × 50mm, with a brownish indumentum below

(r) **'Van'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* × 'Countess of Derby' H: W.E. Whitney (c 1930), G: T. Van Veen (pre 1950), N: P.E. Griebnow, I: P.E. Griebnow (1965), REG: H.E. Greer (1979) Fls 13-15/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 115mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, slightly lighter than deep purplish pink (7.5RP 6/12) with moderately heavy, deep purplish red (7.5RP 3/9) spotting on middle of dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 45mm, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5min 10 years. Late May

(a) **'Van Akeri'** cv. Deciduous azalea: listed under *luteum* L: A. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Vancouver USA'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' × 'Crest' × 'Roman Pottery' H: J.G. Lofthouse (1977), G: R.W. Cavender (1981), N: Vancouver Parks, I: R.W. Cavender (1987), REG: R.W. Cavender (1987) Fls 18-20/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 76mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (50C), with a pale orange-yellow (19D) throat and strong purplish red (54A) spotting on all lobes; outside strong pink (50C). Calyx 19-32mm long, strong pink (50C). Lvs elliptic, concave, 110 × 50mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, upper surface glossy, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.5m in 10 years. Early May

(a) **'Van Damme'** (Syn. of 'Madame Auguste van Damme')

(r) **'Vandec'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Van Nes Sensation' × *decorum* R: unknown (pre 1982) Fls pale pink; scented. Lvs leathery. Spreading shrub, 1.8m in 10 years. (Probably raised in New Zealand)

(a) **'Van de Cruyssen'** (See 'Madame van der Cruyssen')

(r) **'Van den Broecke'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Charles Dickens' (s) × 'Lord Roberts' R: H. den Ouden & Sons (1912), I: H. den Ouden & Sons (1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine, with dark spots. (Previously listed as 'Van den Brocke')

(a) **'Vandercrimson'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987), N: unknown Fls semi-double, pink, with a purplish blotch. Indian (Perhaps raised in Australia)

(r) **'Van der Hoop'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Atrosanguineum' (s) × 'Doncaster' R: H. den Ouden & Sons (1912), I: H. den Ouden & Sons (1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark crimson rose, with dark red-brown spots. Shrub to 4.0m or more

(r) **'Vandermané'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as a form or hybrid of *arboreum* L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Van der Vosteyne'** cv. Parentage unknown L: M. Geraud (1878), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large trusses, clear satiny lilac, with black blotches. (Has been listed as 'Van de Woastyn' (van Houtte, père, 1898))

(r) **'Van der Werf'** (See 'Wiero')

(a) **'Vandesianum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1833), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Van de Woastyn'** (See note under 'Van der Vosteyne')

(a) **'Van Dijck'** (Syn. of 'Van Dyck')

(a) **'Van Dijk'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Vervaene (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink. Indian

(a) **'Van Dyck'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Son (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blood red. Syn: 'Van Dyke', 'Van Dijck'. Ghent (L. van Houtte (1849, 1850) listed a bright purple-flowered plant under this name and this is probably the one raised by L. Verschaffelt and introduced by him in 1846. Later van Houtte listings describe a plant with single, blood red flowers as described by Veitch)

(a) **'Van Dyck'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Vuylsteke (1900), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very double, straw yellow, shaded light pink in the centre. Rustica

(r) **'Van Dyck'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1851), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy crimson, finely blotched

(a) **'Van Dyke'** (Syn. of 'Van Dyck')

(a) **'Vanessa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, pansy purple

(r) **'Vanessa'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Soulbut Group (s) × *griersonianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1924), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1929), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in loose trusses, soft pink, with carmine spots at the base. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. FCC 1929 (Vanessa Group)

(r) **Vanessa Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Soulbut Group (s) × *griersonianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1924), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1929), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Vanessa Pastel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Soulbut Group × *griersonianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1930), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c8/truss, funnel-shaped, 70 × 90mm, cream, flushed shell pink (516/2-3), the tube stained scarlet (19/2) at base outside, tube zoned scarlet at base inside. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 115mm long, matt green. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. AM 1946, FCC 1971 Syn: 'Pastel'. (Vanessa Group)

(a) **'Van Geertianum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. van Geert (pre 1849), N: A. van Geert, I: A. van Geert. Indian (Also seen as 'Van Geertii', but 'Van Geertianum' is used in A.van Geert cat., 1849)

(a) **'Vanguard'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Bridal Veil' (s) × 'Azuma-no-hana' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, 75mm wide, white, with a yellow blotch and with stripes and sanding of old rose (moderate red (180C)). Shrub to 1.5m. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Vanguard'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1847), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **Vanguard Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *venator* (s) × *griersonianum* R: Lord Headfort, N: Lord Headfort, I: Lord Headfort (1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson or orange-red

(r) **'Van Herzeele's Lila'** cv. Parentage unknown R: van Herzeele Nurseries (pre 1984) Fls lilac

(a) **'Van Houtte'** (Syn. of 'Van Houttei Flore Pleno')

(a) **'Van Houttei Flore Pleno'** cv. Deciduous azalea: derived from seed on one of Mortier's original plants R: L. van Houtte, N: L. van Houtte, I: L. van Houtte (1858), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very double, pinkish red, with an orange-yellow blotch on three dorsal lobes. Syn: 'Van Houtte'. Ghent

(r) **'Van Houttei Plenum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Trillon (1843), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Van Houtte's Pink Pearl'** (Syn. of 'Johannes Schmall')

(r) **'Van Houtte's Victoria'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid L: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls claret. (This is probably Pince's 'Victoria' which was listed by L. van Houtte, 1870)

(a) **'Van Houtte's White'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L. van Houtte (c 1843), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. Indian

(r) **Van Huysum Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Chanticleer' (s) × 'Purple Splendour' R: G.M. Adams-Acton, N: G.M. Adams-Acton, I: G.M. Adams-Acton (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red

(r) **'Vanilla'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Dido Group (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* R: Slocock Nurseries (pre 1983), N: Slocock Nurseries

(v) **'Vanilla Cream'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *konori* × *aurigeranum* H: J.L. Rouse (1981), G: G.L.S. Snell (1988), N: R. Macdonald, I: Foothills Nursery (1990), REG: Foothills Nursery (1991) Fls 15/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 60 × 80mm, 5-lobed, tube vivid yellow (12A), lobelight yellow (11B). Lvs elliptic, 120 × 60mm. Shrub 2.0m. Spring-autumn

(r) **'Vanilla Ripple'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Elizabeth Group × 'Rothenburg' H: Mrs A.J.A. Drayson (1981), G: Harkwood Acres (1988), N: Mrs A.J.A. Drayson, REG: R.J.R. & Mrs A.J.A. Drayson (1990) Fls 6-8/truss, tubular-campanulate, 54 × 72mm, 6-lobed, light yellow (18B) overlaid moderate reddish orange (35B) in bud, opening pale greenish yellow (10D) with tinges of deep to strong pink (48A & C) around lobe sinuses; does not fade. Calyx 5mm long, strong greenish yellow (151A). Lvs lanceolate, 85 × 30mm. Shrub 0.42 × 0.62m in 7 years. May

(r) **'Vanilla Spice'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Silk Ribbon' (s) × 'White Cinnamon' H: J. Barlup (1991), G: J. Barlup (1996), N: J. Barlup (1998), REG: J. Barlup (1999) Fls 16/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish red (59C) in bud, opening pale yellowish pink (159D), with pale yellow-green (4D) on interior midribs and exterior ridges; nectaries strong red (53C) and a large, dark red (59A), densely spotted dorsal blotch. Calyx 40mm long, pale yellowish pink (159D), tinged pale yellow-green (4D) and with two strong red (53C) basal spots. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 45mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, margins decurved, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 0.75m in 8 years. Mid May

(a) **'Vanity'** (Syn. of 'Gosho-zakura')

(a) **'Vanity'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum*, orange-flowered form (s) × 'Momozono' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-2/truss, 40-45mm wide, deep rose pink (deep purplish pink (64D)), with an inconspicuous rose (strong purplish red (63B)) blotch. Shrub to 1.5m. Late April-early May. Glenn Dale

(r) **Vanity Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Vanessa Group (s) × Dante Group H: Lord Aberconway (1934), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet

(r) **'Vanity'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* × a Hardy Hybrid R: W.C. Slocock Ltd, N: W.C. Slocock Ltd, I: W.C. Slocock Ltd, REG: W.C. Slocock Ltd (1963) Fls 11/large truss, funnel-shaped, 70 × 100mm, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, white, slightly edged rose madder (23/2), apical part of throat very pale yellow, with slight green spotting; fades to white. Lvs 150-175 × 70mm, dark and glossy green above. Shrub to 2.2m. *HC 1962

(r) **'Vanity Fair'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Vanity Fair')

(r) **Vanity Fair Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Vanessa Group (s) × *facetum* H: Lord Aberconway (1932), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red

(a) **'Vanlosser'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent ?

(r) **'Van Nes Glory'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Queen Wilhelmina' (s) × 'Stanley Davies' R: C.B. van Nes & Sons (pre 1928), N: C.B. van Nes & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(r) **'Van Nes Sensation'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sir Charles Butler' (s) × 'Halopeanum' R: C.B. van Nes & Sons (pre 1928), N: C.B. van Nes & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 7-lobed, pale lilac, with a white centre; scented. Lvs dark green. Shrub c1.5m in 10 years

(a) **'Van Oost'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Byland Bros (1962) Fls red. Indian

(r) **'Vantom Group'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* (s) × a van Nes hybrid I: A.E. Hardy (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink

(r) **'Van Veen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* × 'Pygmalion' H: T. Van Veen Sr (1952), G: T. Van Veen Sr, N: T. Van Veen Sr, I: T. Van Veen Sr (1956) Fls 17/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 75mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (10RP 4/12), with dark red (2.5R 3/7) spots on 3 dorsal lobes. Calyx 7mm long, reddish brown. Lvs elliptic, c125 × 108mm, with a slight, very light tan indumentum. Shrub 1.9m in 10 years. Late May

(r) **Vanven Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Vanessa Group (s) × *venator* H: Lord Aberconway (1934), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red

(r) **'Van Weerden Poelman'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Charles Dickens' (s) × 'Lord Roberts' R: H. den Ouden & Sons (1912), I: H. den Ouden & Sons (1925), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson, with dark brown spots. Lvs elliptic, 100-150mm long, dark green

(a) **'Variabile'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1826), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 'red, white'. Ghent (Listed under *Azalea nudiflora*)

(r) **'Variabile'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Variegated'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *simsii* I: US National Arboretum (pre 1987) Fls 40-50mm wide, red, with a purple blotch. Lvs variegated, with yellowish white margins. (Grown from seed collected in Canton, China)

(a) **'Variegated Dogwood'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Coral Dogwood' I: G.J. Ball (pre 1987) Fls deep yellowish pink, with white blotches. (? Originated at California Camellia Gardens)

(a) **'Variegated Flamingo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Flamingo' R: unknown (pre 1987), N: unknown Fls double, pink and white. Shrub of low, compact habit

(a) **'Variegated Heart's Desire'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Heart's Desire' R: unknown (pre 1987), N: unknown Fls double, variegated red and white. Late

(a) **'Variegated Kow-koku'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Kow-koku' R: H. Kerrigan (pre 1965), N: H. Kerrigan Fls pink, with white tips to the lobes

(a) **'Variegated Ruffled Giant'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Ruffled Giant' R: E. Boling (pre 1987), N: E. Boling Fls 65-75mm wide, deep pink. Lvs distorted, with a pale yellow margin

(a) **'Variegatum'** Indian (Syn. of 'Matsushima')

(a) **'Variegatum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Sunningdale Nurseries (1898), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rose pink, with a slight orange flare. Ghent (C. Loddiges & Sons (1804) listed two with this name, one under *A. viscosa*, the other under *A. nudiflora*. The latter was listed as 'striped' by Sweet (1830))

(r) **'Variegatum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection or hybrid of *ponticum* L: Lefevre (1837), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orchid pink. Lvs long, narrow, variegated with silvery margins and irregular tips. Shrub 1.4m in 10 years. Midseason. (Modern description). (Sometimes seen as 'Ponticum Variegatum' and probably the same plant described as 'Silver Edge')

(r) **'Variegatum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *ferrugineum* L: Whitley & Osborn (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Shrub 0.6m

(r) **'Variegatum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *hirsutum* L: Europe (1984) Lvs variegated with white

(a) **'Variegatum Superbum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Ivery (1861), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon pink, edged white. Indian

(r) **'Variety Pak'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Delp's Cindy Lou' (s) × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' × 'Henrietta Sargent' R: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, deep red (60A) and strong purplish red (60B) in bud, opening strong purplish red (64C), deep purplish pink (64D), moderate and light purplish pink (68C, D) and pale purplish pink (65D); outside with deep purplish pink (68A) veining; filaments and style yellowish white (155D); anthers moderate yellow (163C); stigma vivid red (46). Lvs with an indumentum. (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Varium'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush to deep rose. (Perhaps the same plant listed, without description, by Knight & Perry, c1850)

(r) **Varna Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Caman Group (s) × *williamsianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1935), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow, flushed rose

(a) **'Varnadoe's Apricot'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *austrinum* hybrid R: A.C. Varnadoe (pre 1987), N: A.C. Varnadoe Fls 40mm wide, deep yellow, with a pink tube and pink stripes on the lobes

(a) **'Varnadoe's Lilac'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from a *flammeum* hybrid R: A.C. Varnadoe (pre 1987), N: A.C. Varnadoe Fls 40mm wide, pale reddish purple, without a blotch. Midseason

(a) **'Varnadoe's Moonbeam'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *austrinum* R: A.C. Varnadoe (pre 1987), N: A.C. Varnadoe Fls 40mm wide, yellow; scented. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(a) **'Varnadoe's Phlox Pink'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *canescens* R: A.C. Varnadoe (pre 1996), N: A.C. Varnadoe Fls bright pink

(a) **'Varnadoe's Salmon'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *canescens* × *flammeum* R: A.C. Varnadoe (pre 1987), N: A.C. Varnadoe Fls 40mm wide, strong yellowish pink, with no blotch. Midseason

(r) **'Vasari'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson, intensely spotted. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **Vasco Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *aperantum* (s) × *stewartianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1934), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(a) **'Vason'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *nakaharae* 'Mariko' (s) × un-named, pink *kiusianum* hybrid H: V. Søndergaard (c 1978), G: V. Søndergaard (c 1981), N: S.A. Askjaer (1996), I: O. Søndergaard (1990), REG: S.A. Askjaer (1996) Fls 3-4/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 25 × 35-40mm, with 5(-6) smooth-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (57C) in bud, opening vivid purplish red (57D) inside and 57C outside, un-marked. Calyx 2-3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 15-20 × 6-9mm, margins flat, cuneate at base, acuminate at apex, dull, dark green above, slightly hairy, especially on margins. Shrub 30 × 60cm in 10 years. June. Syn: 'Mari-kiu'

(a) **'Vasony'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown G: E. de Rothschild (1970s), S: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: Exbury Enterprises (1997), REG: E. de Rothschild (1997) Fls semi-double, 6-7/truss, tubular funnel-shaped (opening flat-faced), 60 × 90mm, with more than 5 lobes, light pink (49C), strongly flushed strong pink (49A) and deep pink (47D), dorsal flare of vivid orange-yellow (23A) extending onto adjacent lobes; outside flushed moderate red (47A) on the tube. Calyx 4mm long, green. Lvs obovate/elliptic, 80 × 40mm. May. (Solent Group)

(r) **'Vater Böhlje'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (compact form) × *williamsianum* R: D.G. Hobbie, N: D.G. Hobbie (1970) Fls 3-8/loose truss, campanulate, 45-55mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, pale lilac rose. Lvs rounded. Shrub 1.0-1.5(-2.0)m

(a) **'Vater Drewitz'** (Syn. of 'Andenken an Vater Drewitz')

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(r) **'Vauban'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1874), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls mauve, with a bronze yellow blotch. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Vaucheri'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid L: Oudin (1845), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Veesprite'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *impeditum* × *racemosum* R: R.R. Forster, N: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario, I: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario, REG: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario (1967) Fls 3-5/terminal cluster, funnel-shaped, 20mm wide, persian rose (628/2). Lvs oblong-elliptic, 20 × 13mm. Shrub 25 × 45cm. Mid May

(r) **'Vee Vee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Moon Mist' × 'Tahiti' × *maximum* × Fabia Group H: D.G. Leach (1972), G: D.G. Leach (1978), N: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1985) Fls 20-24/truss, 40 × 60mm, 5-lobed, pale yellow-green (4D), with a broad perimeter band of light purplish pink (62C) and a bold dorsal blotch of brilliant yellow (7A); outside moderate purplish pink (62B). Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 140 × 50mm, surfaces rough. Vegetative and floral buds awned

(r) **Vega Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group (s) × *haematodes* H: Lord Aberconway (1934), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet

(a) **'Velasquez'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Smet, I: C. Vuylsteke (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pale yellowish white, tinged pink, fading to white, lobes edged yellowish pink, dorsal lobes slightly tinged flesh pink. Shrub up to c2.0 × 1.5m. Midseason. Rustica

(r) **'Velasquez'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cherry rose. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Veldtstar'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × 'Lodauric Iceberg' R: A.F. George, N: A.F. George, REG: A.F. George (1967) Fls in large, compact trusses, funnel-shaped, strong purplish red (58B) in bud, opening paler, with markings of strong purplish red (58C), fading with age from moderate purplish pink to pale purplish pink (62B-D); slight red throat and spotting. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Velleda'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Croux, N: Croux, I: Croux (1984) Fls red and purple. Very early

(r) **Vellereum Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. vellereum*

(r) **'Vellum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Prelude Group × *wardii* H: E. de Rothschild, G: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1979), REG: E. de Rothschild (1980) Fls light yellow-green (154D)

(r) **'Velma Rozetta'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pink Beauty' (s) × Azor Group × *griersonianum* H: W.E. Whitney, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Velvet'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Osakazuki' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, bell-shaped, begonia rose (deep pink (50B)), with a conspicuous, rose red (vivid red (52A)) blotch; anthers almost black. Very erect shrub to 1.9m. Late April. Syn: 'Vivid'. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Velvet Gown'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Pink Perfection' × mauve Kurume seedling R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1966) Fls 1-2/compact truss, funnel-shaped, 30 × 45mm, lobes slightly wavy-edged, between cyclamen purple (30/1) and orchid purple (31), with spotting in base of throat of oxblood red (00823/3). Lvs c20 × 13mm, dark and dull green above. Shrub 0.3 × 1.0m. Early May. *HC 1966, *AM 1982

(a) **'Velvet Red'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *cumberlandense* × *arborescens* H: W.G. & Mrs M.S. Beasley (pre 1985), G: W.G. & Mrs M.S. Beasley, N: W.G. & Mrs M.S. Beasley Fls 65mm wide, crinkly, vivid reddish orange (43A), of velvety texture. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 10 years. Late June

(r) **Venapens Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *venator* (s) × *forrestii* Repens Group R: Sir John Ramsden, N: Sir John Ramsden, I: Sir John Ramsden 1940, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson

(r) **Venco Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *venator* (s) × CoretaGroup H: LordAberconway(1938), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson scarlet

(a) **'Venetia'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1962), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1962) Fls intense mauve salmon. Late May-early June. Knap Hill

(r) **'Venetian Chimes'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *facetum* hybrid × Fabia Group × *yakushimanum* × 'Britannia' R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1970) Fls 11/globular, compact truss, campanulate, 50 × 60mm, strong red (47B), becoming flushed with vivid red (46C) towards base, with dorsal spotting of very dark red (almost black). Lvs 100 × 30mm, mid and dull green above. Shrub c0.6m. *AM 1979

(r) **'Venezia'** (Syn. of 'Heinje's Venezia')

(a) **'Vengeur'** (See 'Le Vengeur')

(r) **'Venice'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Party Pink' (s) × *yakushimanum* × 'Mars' H: D.G. Leach (1965), G: D.G. Leach (1971), N: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1983) Fls 22/truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 80mm, 5-lobed, pale purplish pink (62D) flushed deep purplish pink (73A), with faint spotting of light orange-yellow (16B), outside deep purplish pink (73A) along centre of lobes. Calyx minute, red. Lvs elliptic, c135 × 50mm, moderate olive green (137A), hairless. Shrub 1.5m in 18 years

(r) **'Veni Ici'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.L. Tolstead (1980), G: W.L. Tolstead, N: W.L. Tolstead, REG: W.L. Tolstead (1995) Fls 5-7/ball truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 30 × 25mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, medium pink, with a medium red blotch. Lvs elliptic, 30-40 × 20mm, hairless. Shrub 3.0 × 3.0m in 15 years. Early May. (Derived from *catawbiense*/*fortunei* crosses, perhaps with admixture of other species)

(r) **'Venosum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Ventricosum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Smith (pre 1846), N: Smith, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Venus'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Smith (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violetrose. Indian

(a) **'Venus'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Sander (c 1885), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cerise. Sander

(a) **'Venus'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, striped pink. Dwarf shrub. Late. Indian (Galle (1987) indicates a pre 1870 origin for this cultivar; perhaps the plant listed, without description, by A. Verschaffelt, 1866, as from Schulz)

(a) **'Venus'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Yoder Bros (1973) Fls semi-double, c100mm wide, light pastel pink, with a creamy white dorsal blotch. Lvs dark green. Late. (Probably raised by Henson, 1971)

(a) **'Venus'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: Bovees Nursery (pre 1978) Fls bright pink and white. Knap Hill

(a) **'Venus'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Kosmos' R: K. Glaser (pre 1993), N: K. Glaser, I: K. Glaser Fls double, few/truss, c102mm wide, broadly funnel-shaped, margins somewhat undulate, with a narrow white (155C) margin, irregularly interrupted by the strong purplish pink (67D) colouration of the rest of the flower; throat markings weak, with touching spots. Lvs narrowly obovate, c57mm long, mucronate, dark green above, mid green below. Broad, bushy shrub. Very early

(r) **'Venus'** cv. Parentage unknown L: A. Henderson & Co. (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls silvery blush, or white when forced

(r) **Venus Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Amaura Group (s) × *facetum* H: Lord Aberconway (1928), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright red or salmon red

(r) **'Venus'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Berryrose Group (s) × *wardii* Litiense Group R: J. Bruns Nursery (1955), N: J. Bruns Nursery, I: J. Bruns Nursery (1978) Fls pure white, with a dark red basal blotch and brownish black markings on a yellow ground. Shrub of broad, rather lax habit

(a) **'Venus' Baby'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Venus' × 'Girard's Hot Shot' H: S. McDonald (1976), G: S. McDonald (1978), N: S. McDonald, I: S. McDonald (1992), REG: S. McDonald (1992) Fls 2/truss, open funnel-shaped, with occasional petaloid stamens, 60 × 107mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light to pale purplish pink (65B, C) with a white blotch and light green spotting in dorsal throat; stamens 5, curved, unequal; slightly scented. Pedicels 12mm long, light green. Calyx 7mm long, light green. Spring lvs elliptic, 62 × 32mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy above, moderate yellow-green (147B above, 147C below), hairy above and below; hairs white, becoming pale gold to white; petioles 6mm long, hairy, light green. Shrub 1.2 × 1.1m in 16 years. Mid May

(a) **'Venustissimum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1825), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls brick red, with a dark orange blotch (C. van Geert, 1843). Ghent

(a) **'Venustum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1825), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white and rose (C. van Geert, 1846). Syn: 'Venustum Striatum'. Ghent (A deep orange-flowered plant was listed under this name in UK (C. Noble, H.White))

(a) **'Venustum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Smith (pre 1849), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rich salmon. Indian

(r) **'Venustum'** (Syn. of 'Nobleanum Venustum')

(r) **'Venustum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* (s) × *arboreum* R: W. Smith (1829), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 15/compact truss, campanulate, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, rich pink, marked with red spots on all lobes, lobes

almost white at margins; stamens 10. Calyx 5-lobed, the lobes short and rounded, fringed with silky hairs. Pedicels 25mm long, pale red. Lvs oblong-elliptic, 100-125 × 50mm, margins recurved, acute at apex, dull green above, with a rusty brown indumentum and a red midrib below; petioles c13mm long, dark red. Dwarf, bushy shrub. (Published by Sweet in *British Flower Garden*: 285 (1835), together with a colour illustration. Some accounts equate this with 'Jacksonii' q.v)

(a) **'Venustum Roseum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: H. Lane & Sons (1851), INC: ICRA (1958) (Probably the deciduous azalea listed as 'Venustum')

(a) **'Venustum Striatum'** (Syn. of 'Venustum')

(a) **'Venustum Superbum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Vera'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: K. Glaser (pre 1985), N: K. Glaser Fls double, violet. Midseason to late

(a) **'Vera Cook'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Linda Jean' × 'Springtime' (Kurume) H: W.L. Guttormsen (1975), G: W.L. Guttormsen (1979), N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen (c 1983), REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1985) Fls 1-2/truss, double (13-lobed, with mostly petaloid stamens), tubular funnel-shaped, 30 × 45mm, deep purplish pink (54B), with red dorsal spotting. Lvs more-or-less broadly elliptic, 30-40 × 22-25mm, more-or-less moderate olive green (146A), glossy and slightly bullate above, hairy. Shrub 0.4 × 0.5m in 6 years

(r) **'Vera Elliott'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Virginia Richards' × *fortunei* H: W. Elliott (1966), G: W. Elliott (1970), N: W. Elliott, I: W. Elliott, REG: W. Elliott (1977) Fls up to 10/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 115mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish red (58A), with slight orange-red spotting on three dorsal lobes. Calyx 45mm long, strong purplish red (58B). Lvs narrowly oblong, 150 × 65mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless; new growth coppery. Shrub 1.5 × 1.9m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Vera Hawkins'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Albatross Group × Fabia Group R: H.L. Larson, N: H.L. Larson, I: H.L. Larson, REG: H.L. Larson (1964) Fls 12/truss, campanulate, to 65 × 100mm, currant red (821/1) in bud, opening to porcelain rose (620/3), veined and netted a deeper colour, dorsal lobe spotted deep orange, with a thin overlay of pale yellow to deep red in the throat. Lvs to 150 × 50mm. Shrub 1.9m in 10 years, broader than tall. Midseason

(r) **'Verbesserte Adriaan Koster'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1989) (Used as a parent by H. Nosbüsch)

(a) **'Vercauterianum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Vercauteren (1924), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, strong rose. Indian

(a) **'Verdi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, very deep red. Indian

(a) **'Verdi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Malvaticum' (s) × *kaempferi* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright pink, with a red blotch

(a) **'Verena'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Oakland' (s) × 'Louise Gable' × 'Tama-giku' H: R.D. Gartrell (1962), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell (1969), REG: R.D. Gartrell (1985) Fls single, 2(-3)/bud, open funnel-shaped, 42 × 72mm, 5-6-lobed, lobes slightly wavy-edged, light purplish pink (68D-73C) to very pale purple (73D), throat slightly greenish white, spotting deep purplish pink (64D). Calyx 6mm long, strong yellow-green (143B). Spring lvs elliptic, 66 × 32mm. Shrub up to 1.5m. (Robin Hill no. T49-4)

(r) **'Vergissmeinnicht'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C.J.H. Walther (pre 1860s probably), INC: ICRA (1958). Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Veridissimum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent ?

(a) **'Vermilion'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls large, reddish orange. Late. (Said to be grown in California (Galle, 1987))

(r) **'Vermilion'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy pink. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Vermont Gold'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *prinophyllum* hybrid H: F.L. Abbott, S: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls light golden yellow. Early June

(a) **'Vermont Nugget'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown S: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1987), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls orange-yellow

(a) **'Vermont Picotee'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown S: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1987), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls white, with vivid pink edges and a yellow blotch

(a) **'Verna Berger'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *arborescens* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, flushed pink. Ghent (Previously listed as 'Verna Bergen', which appears to be a misreading of the Register index card)

(r) **'Verna Carter'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × Leo Group H: Mrs LeV. Freimann (1960), G: Mrs LeV. Freimann, N: Mrs LeV. Freimann, I: Mrs LeV. Freimann, REG: Mrs LeV. Freimann (1973) Fls up to 12/ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 50 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light pink in bud, opening white; scented. Calyx a rim. Lvs lanceolate to ovate, 100 × 40mm, with a fawn indumentum below; new growth mouse-coloured. Shrub 1.0 × 0.8m in 12 years

(r) **'Verna Phetteplace'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Lady Bessborough Group × *yakushimanum* (Exbury clone) H: C.H. Phetteplace (1966), G: C.H. Phetteplace (1971), N: C.H. Phetteplace, I: C.H. Phetteplace (1975), REG: C.H. Phetteplace (1975) Fls 13-15/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 90mm, with 5-6 wavy-edgedlobes, deep pink (3.5R6/11) in bud, opening ivory with pink shading; outside moderate pink (2.5R 8/5), colour diffusing through to give a yellowish pink effect; vivid red (5R 5/13) blotch deep in throat. Calyx 1mm long. Lvs elliptic to narrowly elliptic, 130 × 50mm, moderate olive green (5GY 4/3), hairless above. with sparse brown hairs along midrib and lateral veins below. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 9 years. Mid May

(a) **'Verne's Red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'James Gable' × unknown R: V.L. Wood, N: V.L. Wood, I: V.K. Wood (1963), REG: V.K. Wood (1977) Fls hose-in-hose, glowing, vivid red with no blue. Shrub 1.5 × 1.9m in 16 years

(r) **'Vernon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Orrie Dille' × 'Lamplighter' H: M. Stockman (1980), G: M. & H. Stockman (1991), N: M. & H. Stockman, I: M. & H. Stockman (1992), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1992) Fls 8/flattened ball truss, 41 × 64mm, open funnel-shaped, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (54C) shading slightly lighter at midribs, with the centre flushed moderate yellow (162B) and with sparse spotting of dark red on the dorsal lobe; outside deep purplish pink (54B) to strong pink (54C); stamens 14, straight, unequal; style 13mm long (shorter than stamens); moderately scented. Calyx 3mm long, light green. Pedicels 13mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 102 × 35mm, flat, mucronate at apex, rounded at base, matt and mid green above, hairless; petioles 11mm long, brown above, light green below. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 12 years. Mid May

(r) **'Vernum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: red-flowered *catawbiense* hybrid (s) × 'Cunningham's White' R: A.M.A. Shammarello & D.G. Leach, S: D.G. Leach (1957), N: D.G. Leach (1960), I: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1961) Fls 50mm wide, light pink. Lvs 125 × 45mm. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m. Very early (shortly after *mucronulatum*). (Better known as 'Vernus' but such a latin form epithet has to agree with the gender of genus *Rhododendron* (neuter))

(r) **'Vernus'** (See note under 'Vernum')

(r) **'Verona'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.G.T Hyde (1960s), G: W.G.T. Hyde (1970s), N: Mrs R. Legrand (1998), I: Mrs R. Legrand (1998), REG: Mrs R. Legrand (1998) Fls 10-14/large, compact, conical truss, flat-open funnel-shaped, 60 × 36mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, buds strong purplish red (60C), opening very pale purple (76D) shaded to very light purple (76B) towards edge on inside, and very pale purple (76C) shaded to light purple (76A) on outside; dark red (59A) central blotch, with delicate speckling on three dorsal lobes; scented. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 130 × 52mm, margins decurved, acute at apex, oblique at base, glossy green above. Shrub 1.93 × 1.55m in 25 years. May

(a) **'Veronica'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Schulz (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, double, dark cherry red. Indian

(a) **'Veronica Concordia'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1905), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft yellow, with an orange blotch. Mollis

(r) **'Veronica Dora'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Belle Heller' H: D. Barber (c 1976), G: D. Barber (c 1985), N: A. Reisch, REG: A. Reisch (1998) Fls 20-22/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, white in bud, opening white throughout with a spotted, light yellow (160B) flare in the dorsal throat. Calyx 3mm long, light yellow-green (145C). Lvs elliptic, 95-125 × 45-55mm, with wavy margins, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 3.4m in c23 years. Mid May. Exceptionally hardy

(v) **'Veronica Maureen'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *christianae* × *lochiae* × *zoelleri* (Irian Jaya form) H: B. Clancy (1980), G: B. Clancy (1985), N: B. Clancy (1991), REG: B. Clancy (1992) Fls 7/flat truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 65mm, 5-lobed, inside yellowish white (155D) shading to pale yellow (8D) in throat and to vivid reddish orange (40A) at lobe edges, outside pale yellow-green (4D). Lvs obovate, 70 × 35mm, flat, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.5m in 10 years. February-May (Australia)

(r) **'Veronica Milner'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* × 'Little Ben' N: E.J. & Mrs M. Greig (1958), I: E.J. & Mrs M. Greig, REG: E.J. & Mrs M. Greig (1961) Fls 4-5/truss, rose madder (23/1). Compact shrub, c0.6m tall

(r) **'Veronika Peiffer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nova Zembla' × 'Catalgla' × Lady Bessborough Group H: R. Behring (1974), G: R. Behring (1981), N: R. Behring, REG: R. Behring (1986) Fls 15/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (74D), with light reddish purple (74C) ribs on the outside. Calyx 1mm long, strong yellow-green (145A). Lvs elliptic, 90 × 40mm, glossy and moderate olive green (137A), hairless. Shrub 0.3 × 0.3m in 10 years. Late May

(r) **Verrocchio Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* (s) × *neriiflorum* I: G.M. Adams-Acton (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls amber

(a) **'Verschaffeltii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Verschaffelt (pre 1844), N: A. Verschaffelt, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright brick red. Indian

(r) **'Verschaffeltii'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Queen Victoria' (s) × 'Pardoloton' R: A. Verschaffelt (pre 1863), N: A. Verschaffelt, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very pale rosy lilac, spotted dark purplish red

(a) **'Versicolor'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Son (1826), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed under *A. nudiflora*)

(a) **'Versicolor'** cv. Deciduous azalea: "*Azalea coccinea*" variant (s) × *luteum* R: J.R. Gowen (1829), N: J.R. Gowen, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls suffused with pink on a ground a shade between orange and cream; strongly scented. Syn: 'Ponticum Versicolor'. Ghent (Either of two variants of *A. coccinea*, 'Major' and 'Minor', may have been the seed parent. First published in *Botanical Register* (1830) , under t.1366)

(a) **'Versicolor'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Speciosum' × 'Variegatum' (i.e.'Matsushima') R: van Geersdaele (pre 1846), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, grained rose red. Indian

(a) **'Versicolor'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Schulz (1876), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, with wavy-edged lobes, white, striped and sprayed carmine red and rose, and with a yellow blotch. Indian (Perhaps van Geersdaele's plant)

(r) **'Versicolor'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: hybrid or selection from *ponticum* L: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1867), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Versicolor Flore Pleno'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Moens, N: Moens Fls semi-double, rosy lilac. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Versicolor Grandiflorum'** (See 'Grandiflorum' (Loddiges))

(a) **'Versicolor Novum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large trusses, salmon, shaded with cream yellow and spotted golden yellow (van Houtte, 1872). Syn: 'Versicolor'. Ghent (Perhaps the plant listed by A. Verschaffelt, 1852, as 'Versicolor Novum')

(a) **'Versyptianum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: F. Versypt (1907), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, salmon. Indian

(a) **'Verulam'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1985) Fls pale yellow, with a yellow blotch. Knap Hill

(a) **'Verum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: presumably a selection from *calendulaceum* L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Vervaeneanum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Pharailde Mathilde' R: J. Vervaene, N: J. Vervaene, I: J. Vervaene (1886), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, 55mm wide, deep purplish pink (58D), with a broad white margin and a broad red-purple blotch. Calyx normal, green. FCC 1888. Indian (Sometimes mis-spelt 'Vervaenianum')

(r) **'Vervaeneanum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, 11-19/compact truss, 45-70mm wide, purplish lilac, paler in centre, with yellowish to brownish yellow spots. Late May-early June. Syn: 'Vervaeneanum Flore Pleno', 'Fastuosum Vervaeneanum' (The earliest name may be 'Vervaeneanum Flore Pleno', but this requires confirmation)

(a) **'Vervaeneanum Album'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Pharailde Mathilde' R: J. Vervaene, N: J. Vervaene, I: J. Vervaene (1903), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white, unmarked. Early. Syn: 'Princesse Elisabeth', 'Iceberg'. Indian

(a) **'Vervaeneanum Album Perfectum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Vervaeneanum Album' I: A. Haerens (1911), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white. Indian

(a) **'Vervaeneanum Coral'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, deep coral. Indian

(r) **'Vervaeneanum Flore Pleno'** (Syn. of 'Vervaeneanum')

(a) **'Vervaeneanum Orange'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Vervaeneanum' R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red; fls rose dorée, with marginal flakes of hermosa pink and a tyrian rose blotch; (both given in 1958 Register). Indian

(a) **'Vervaeneanum Roseum'** (Syn. of 'Vervaeneanum Roseum Saumoneum')

(a) **'Vervaeneanum Roseum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Vervaeneanum' I: Haerens & Wille (1910), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon pink, with a pale edge; more intense pink than its parent. Indian

(a) **'Vervaeneanum Roseum Saumoneum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure salmon, with a dark blotch. Syn: 'Vervaeneanum Roseum'. Indian

(a) **'Vervaeneanum Rubrum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Vervaeneanum' I: J. Vervaene (1900), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep pink (47D); otherwise similar to parent (Galle, 1987); fls orange-red (1958 Register). Indian

(a) **'Vervaeneanum Salmon'** (Syn. of 'Vervaeneanum Saumoneum')

(a) **'Vervaeneanum Salmonea'** (Syn. of 'Vervaeneanum Saumoneum')

(a) **'Vervaeneanum Saumoneum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Vervaeneanum' R: Truffaut, I: G. Wibier (1926), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep pink (52C), fading to pale purplish pink (55D) at edges, with a darker blotch; otherwise similar to parent. Syn: 'Vervaeneanum Salmon', 'Vervaeneanum Salmonea'. Indian (A deeper tone than 'Vervaeneanum Roseum')

(a) **'Vervaeneanum Striatum'** (Syn. of 'White Crane')

(a) **'Vervaeneanum Superbum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Vervaeneanum' I: A. Haerens (1913), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very double, with wavy-edged lobes, similar in colour to parent but with a broader, pure white edge. Indian

(r) **'Veryan Bay'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *pseudochrysanthum* × *williamsianum* H: J.C. Williams (1929), G: C. Williams, N: F.J. Williams (c 1964), REG: F.J. Williams (1993) Fls c4/lax truss, campanulate, more-or-less down-facing, 6-lobed, pale pink inside and out. Calyx very short, red. Pedicels red. Lvs broadly elliptic, flat, obtuse at apex, narrowly rounded at base

(r) **'Very Berry'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Trude Webster' × 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague' R: H.E. Greer (c 1988), N: H.E. Greer Fls in a large, conical truss, rosy red. Lvs to 250mm long, fir green. Shrub 1.8m in 10 years. Midseason. (First published in *Greer's Guidebook to Available Rhododendrons*, (1988) as 'Very Berry'. The incorrect spelling 'Verry Berry' is sometimes seen)

(v) **'Very Vermillion'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown I: Vireya Venue (1996) Fls vermilion with yellow deep in the centre. Bushy shrub to 2.0m tall

(a) **'Vesna'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Matouš (c 1964), N: J. Matouš Fls hose-in-hose, 40-50mm wide, light salmon pink (621/1-621/2). Lvs ovate, fresh to dark green (00962/1-00962/2). Syn: 'Flora'

(r) **'Vesper'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1848), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy pink, with a white throat. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Vesper Bells'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *williamsianum* × *albertsenianum* R: B.F. Lancaster, N: B.F. Lancaster, I: B.F. Lancaster, REG: B.F. Lancaster (1966) Fls 6-8/truss, campanulate, 45 × 75mm, 6-7-lobed, rose bengal (25/2) in bud, opening rose bengal (25/3). Lvs ovate, to 65 × 40mm, cordate at base. Shrub 0.3 × 0.50m in 8 years. Mid April

(a) **'Vespers'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × 'Kaisetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 75mm wide, white, with a chartreuse throat; an occasional flower with mallow purple (strong reddish purple (72C)) stripes. Spreading shrub to 1.5m tall. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Vesta'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Knight (c 1843), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, crimson striped. Indian

(a) **'Vesta'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1929), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls sulphur yellow, flushed pink. Ghent

(r) **'Vesta'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1860), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with black spots

(r) **Vesta Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Prometheus' (s) × *williamsianum* R: D.G. Hobbie (1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 6-12/truss, deep rose

(v) **'Vesta'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: J. Veitch & Sons (pre 1891), N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Vesta de Nieuport'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1866), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Vestal'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* × 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Kagetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 50-65mm wide, white, with a chartreuse blotch. Spreading shrub to 1.2m tall. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Vestal'** (See 'The Vestal')

(r) **'Vestal'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1881), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose, much spotted. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Vestale'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Moser & Son (pre 1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright coppery orange, blotched yellow-orange. Ghent

(r) **'Vestale'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: hybrid of white-flowered *catawbiense* I: D.G. Leach (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white

(a) **'Vestalin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (1887), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white, with a yellow tint, dotted and striped with purple. Indian

(r) **'Vestalinum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: a selection or hybrid of *ponticum* L: S. Pagliari (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose. (Perhaps the Waterer 'Vestal')

(a) **'Vestitum'** L: A. Verschaffelt (1847), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Vestitum Coccineum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as an *arboreum* hybrid L: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson. (Perhaps another plantlisted in 1852 (A. Henderson cat.): fls light carmine, with paler centre and spotted all over)

(r) **Vestris Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* (s) × *orbiculare* H: Lord Aberconway (1929), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rose

(a) **'Vesuv'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C. Schulz (pre 1863), N: C. Schulz, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Vesuve'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. van Geert (1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls flame red, with an orange blotch. Ghent

(a) **'Vesuvius'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Veitch & Sons, N: J. Veitch & Sons, I: J. Veitch & Sons (1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange scarlet red, dorsal lobes tinted purple. Indian

(a) **'Vesuvius'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 30mm wide, brilliant salmon red, with a darker centre. Kurume (Original name lost, re-named by H.A. Dreer)

(a) **'Vesuvius'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, deep orange/fiery red. Indian

(r) **'Vesuvius'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* × *catawbiense* R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1850), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright orange scarlet, dorsal lobe shaded violet. Syn: 'Grand Arab', 'The Grand Arab' (Ivens described the plant Hilliers grew as 'Grand Arab' as having magenta crimson fls with a few black, dorsal spots. This may have been an error, or 'Vesuvius' and 'Grand Arab'/'The Grand Arab' may not be synonymous. The 1958 Register also listed a plant cultivated by Standish & Noble, pre 1870, with fls blood red or scarlet; it is not clear whether this was a different plant)

(r) **'Vesuvius'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* × Romany Chai Group R: unknown, I: Sunningdale Nurseries (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vermilion red, without spotting

(r) **Veta Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Etna' (s) × *venator* H: Lord Aberconway (1932), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose

(a) **'Veteran'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Waraigishi' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 65-75mm wide, light rosolane purple (deep purplish pink (72D)), with a mallow purple (strong reddish purple (72C)) blotch. Spreading shrub to 1.2-1.5m tall. May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Vibertii'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as a form or hybrid of *arboreum* L: S. Pagliari (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(r) **'Vibes'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Oh My!' (s) × 'Oh My!' R: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls strong purplish red (71B, C) in bud, opening deep, strong and light purplish pink (73A-C), with moderate orange (167B) dorsal spots. Lvs with an indumentum. (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(a) **'Vibrant'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Grace Freeman No. 2' × 'Amagasa' R: J.O. Harris, N: J.O. Harris, I: J.O. Harris (pre 1981) Fls 100mm wide, white, edged pink. Shrub 0.6m in 9 years. Early May

(a) **'Vibrant'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *cumberlandense* R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls vibrant orange-red. Late June

(r) **'Vibrant'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* subsp. *diaprepes* (s) × *wardii* R: E.G.W.W. Harrison, N: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1960), REG: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1961) Fls 14/truss, saucer-shaped, 55 × 100mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, greenish white, unmarked. Young foliage bronze

(r) **'Vibrant Violet'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *impeditum* × *augustinii* H: F. Fujioka (1966), G: F. Fujioka (1972), N: F. Fujioka, REG: F. Fujioka (1986) Fls 5-6/bud, in terminal clusters of 4-5 buds, broadly funnel-shaped, 25 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid violet (88A). Calyx c1.5mm long, strong yellow-green (144C). Lvs more-or-less elliptic or broader than lanceolate, 30-45 × 17-20mm, dark yellowish green (139A), with moderately spaced, small, golden brown to yellow scales above and below. Shrub 1.9 × 1.9m in 19 years. Late March

(a) **'Vic'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) (Listed as a parent of 'Kerrigan's Super Red')

(r) **'Vice-roi d'Egypte'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Oudin (1845), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Viceroy'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark purple

(r) **'Vicki Dianne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scintillation' (s) × Jalisco Group × *yakushimanum* H: C.C. Smith (1983), G: M. Sanders (1988), N: M. Sanders, I: Sanders Nursery (1991), REG: M. Sanders (1993) Fls 19/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (62B), with moderate purplish red (58A) spotting on the dorsal lobe; fades slightly with age; stamens few, curved, equal; slightly scented. Pedicels 35mm long, pink and green. Lvs elliptic, 121 × 51mm, flat, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, dull fir green above, light green below, hairless; petioles 16mm long, green. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years. Late April-early May

(a) **'Vickie'** (Syn. of 'Vicky')

(r) **'Vicki Harris'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Crest' × 'Ilam Orange' R: New Zealand Rhododendron Association, N: New Zealand Rhododendron Association, I: A. Harris, REG: A. Harris (1979)

(r) **'Vicki Lee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Furnivall' × 'Corona' H: W. Elliott (1973), G: A. & R. Tracy (1979), N: A. & R. Tracy, REG: A. & R. Tracy (1988) Fls 20/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (64B), lighter (64C) towards centre, with heavy, moderate purplish red (64A) spotting on the dorsal lobe with slight extensions onto adjacent lobes. Lvs elliptic, 114 × 44mm, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.8m in 10 years. Mid May-mid June

(r) **'Vicki Reine'** cv. Parentage unknown H: R.W. Clark, G: R.W. Clark (1961), N: R.W. Clark, I: R.W. Clark (1962), REG: R.W. Clark (1972) Fls to 12 or more/truss, 115mm wide, deep rose red at edges, paling to white in centre. Lvs 190 × 50mm, deep green, deeply veined. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years. Mid May. Syn: 'Olympic Vicki Reine'

(a) **'Vicky'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* × *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* R: J.B. Gable, N: O.S. Pride (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright coral. Syn: 'Vickie'. Gable

(a) **'Vicomte de Blois'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Verschaffelt (1876), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose and orange. Ghent

(a) **'Vicomte de Forceville'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Pathe (pre 1862), I: J. Verschaffelt, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, rich purplish crimson, the two lateral dorsal lobes blotched deep crimson, deeper than the large dorsal lobe. Indian

(a) **'Vicomte de Nieuport'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Verschaffelt (pre 1860), N: J. Verschaffelt, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 2-3/truss, 50mm wide, between mallow purple and rhodamine purple, with a few, inconspicuous dark spots; 8-10 stamens. Indian

(r) **'Vicomte Forceville'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark crimson. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Vicomte Vigier'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Linden (1873), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Linden lists it as from A. Verschaffelt)

(a) **'Victoire'** (See 'La Victoire')

(a) **'Victoire'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: W.C. Hage & Co., N: W.C. Hage & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange pink. Very early. Kurume

(a) **'Victoire Modeste'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, shaded reddish pink. Ghent (Listed under *A. pontica*; presumably the 'Victoria Modestum' listed by Whitley & Osborn, 1850 and 'Victoria Modeste' listed by Fraser, 1875. The correct spelling requires confirmation)

(a) **'Victor'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Sunningdale Nurseries (1898), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson. Ghent

(r) **'Victor'** (See 'PJM Victor')

(r) **'Victor Boulter'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Coronation Day' (s) × unknown H: V.J. Boulter, G: F. Boulter (1981), I: F. Boulter, REG: F. Boulter (1983) Fls 12-14/truss, funnel-shaped, 90 × 60mm, moderate purplish pink (66D) inside, vivid purplish red (66B) outside, with a strong purplish red (60B) dorsal blotch. Lvs elliptic, 90 × 25mm. Shrub c1.2 × 1.3m

(a) **'Victor Cuvelier'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1887), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, large, well-shaped, purple with a blue-purple sheen, and a broad, deep red-brown blotch. Indian

(r) **'Victor Emmanuel'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep rosy purple, shaded and spotted

(r) **'Victor Fredrick'** cv. Parentage unknown H: H. Lem, G: Mr & Mrs J.E. Sinclair, N: Mr & Mrs J.E. Sinclair, I: Mr & Mrs J.E. Sinclair (1973), REG: Mr & Mrs J.E. Sinclair (1973) Fls up to 17/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 100-130 × 100-125mm, with 5-7 wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish orange (44B), with a velvety strong red (46A), dorsal blotch and a dark ring around the base of the throat; outside vivid red (44A), with a strong red (46A) stripe down centre of each lobe. Calyx 13mm long, green. Lvs elliptic to lanceolate, 200 × 100mm, dark green, hairless. Shrub 1.7 × 2.5m in 9 years, somewhat decumbent

(r) **'Victor Herbert'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Horace Fogg' × *strigillosum* G: C.S. Seabrook (1961), N: C.S. Seabrook, REG: C.S. Seabrook (1964) Fls 12-15/flat truss, campanulate, 50 × 75mm, crimson (22/1). Lvs like *strigillosum* but wider. Shrub 1.1 × 1.2m in 9 years. April

(r) **'Victor Hugo'** cv. Parentage unknown R: uncertain, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish crimson. (Introduced by J. Standish or Waterer (Bagshot))

(a) **'Victoria'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1840), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Perhaps the same plant listed by J. van Geert (1835 and probably earlier) as 'Victorii', from 1839 onwards as 'Victoria'. From 1899-1966 H.Hesse listed a plant with salmon red flowers, tinted rose, with a dark yellow blotch)

(a) **'Victoria'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: F. Schneider (1863), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Perhaps the same plant listed by T. Jackson & Son, 1851)

(a) **'Victoria'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1869), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, orange pink. Early. Mollis (Perhaps an error for the Ghent azalea of this name)

(a) **'Victoria'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* × *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* R: J.B. Gable, N: O.S. Pride (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon red. Gable

(a) **'Victoria'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose pink, with red spots. Kaempferi

(r) **'Victoria'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* × ? *arboreum* R: R.T. Pince (pre 1848), N: R.T. Pince, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet red, marked with conspicuous brown spots. (Listed in *Revue Horticole*, (3rd series) 2: 218 (1848))

(r) **'Victoria'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Lee (pre 1877), N: Lee, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rosy carmine, with reddish brown spots. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Victoria de Rothschild'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Moonstone Group × *campylocarpum* H: E. de Rothschild, G: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, I: E. de Rothschild (1979), REG: E. de Rothschild (1980) Fls light yellow-green (150D)

(a) **'Victoria Elizabeth'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: P.E. Girard (c 1965), G: R.K. Peters (1968), I: R. Carter, REG: R.K. Peters (1983) Fls 5/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 65 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish orange (7.5R 6/12) in bud, opening pale orange-yellow (7.5YR 9/4), in part washed strong reddish orange (10R 6/12) and with a dorsal blotch of moderate orange-yellow (10Y 8/10), outside moderate orange-yellow (7.5YR 8/8); scented. Calyx 5mm long, strong yellow-green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 75-100 × 25-40mm, strong yellow-green (5GY 6/8), hairy. Shrub 1.9 × 1.9m in 17 years. Late May. Knap Hill

(r) **'Victoria Hallett'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *strigillosum* × *arboreum* H: G.H. Loder (1945-1950), G: G.H. Loder (1967), N: High Beeches Garden Conservation Trust, REG: High Beeches Garden Conservation Trust (1989) Fls 12-13/loose, open truss, campanulate, up to 60 × 45mm, 5-lobed, strong red (53B), with slight dark spotting in the throat; filaments flushed red, anthers dark brown. Calyx up to 5mm long, red. Lvs elliptic, up to 150 × 50mm, dull and green above, paler below with traces of brown woolly indumentum. February-March. AM 1989

(a) **'Victoria Hohman'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: G.A. Reid (1966), G: G.A. Reid (1971), N: G.A. Reid, I: G.A. Reid (1976), REG: G.A. Reid (1977) Fls hose-in-hose and semi-double to double, 2-4/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65mm wide, with 14-15 wavy-edged lobes and 0-2 stamens, solferino purple (26/1), with light spotting on the dorsal lobe. Calyx lobes 40mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 40 × 20mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 0.35 × 0.4m in 4 years. Late May. (Linwood azalea no. 0-3)

(a) **'Victoria Kronprinzessin von Preussen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Schulz (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, rose. Syn: 'Victoria von Preussen'. Indian

(a) **'Victoria Modeste'** (See note under 'Victoire Modeste')

(a) **'Victoria Modestum'** (See note under 'Victoire Modeste')

(r) **'Victorian Ruffles'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Viennese Waltz' (s) × 'Kubla Khan' H: B. Sligh (1991), G: B. Sligh (1995), N: B. Sligh (1995), REG: B. Sligh (1996) Fls 16/full, rounded truss, open campanulate, 55 × 110mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, buds rose pink (427/3), opening inside rose pink (427/3), flushed rhodamine pink (527/2 & 527/3) at edges, the throat with a 15mm long blotch of purple madder (1028) fading to indian lake (826/1); outside rhodamine pink (527/2+3); scented. Calyx 20mm long, rose pink (427/3), with an indian lake (826/1) flare. Lvs 140 × 60mm, flat, matt dark green above, rounded at base, pointed at apex, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 10 years. Mid-late October (New Zealand)

(r) **'Victorianum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *dalhousiae* (s) × *nuttallii* H: V. Cuvelier, G: V. Cuvelier (1877), N: L. van Houtte, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 5-6/truss, trumpet-shaped, 150 × 100mm, rich creamy yellow on opening, ageing to white with a yellow throat; strongly scented. Lvs long and broad, veins on young leaves yellowish, glaucous green below. (Described and illustrated in *Flore des Serres* 23: 277-278 (1880): named for Victor Cuvelier)

(r) **'Victoria Pince'** (Also seen as 'Victoria Prince'; probably an error for the 'Victoria' raised by R.T. Pince)

(az) **'Victoria Regina'** (Syn. of 'Aureum Victoria Regina')

(r) **'Victoria's Consort'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: un-named, low, white hybrid × un-named, low, white hybrid with a yellow centre H: E.V. Mezitt (1971), G: Weston Nurseries (1975), N: Weston Nurseries, I: Weston Nurseries, REG: Weston Nurseries (1987) Fls 11-14/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 64 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (70C) in bud, opening yellowish white (158C), with a light greenish yellow (3C) eye. Calyx 1.6mm long, reddish green. Lvs oblong, 102-127 × 38-51mm, flat/convex, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.9m in 7 years. Mid-late May

(a) **'Victoria Tardiva'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. van Geert (1877), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls brick red, with an orange blotch. Ghent (Perhaps the same plant as 'Victoria' (Ghent))

(a) **'Victoria von Preussen'** (Syn. of 'Victoria Kronprinzessin von Preussen')

(r) **'Victorieux de Bollwiller'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Oudin (1845), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Victorine'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Byls (pre 1867), N: J. Byls, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark rose

(a) **'Victorine Hefting'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling of a 'Hinomayo' hybrid R: A. van Nes, N: A. van Nes (1960), I: A. van Nes, REG: A. van Nes (1961) Fls 2-3/truss, 65-75mm wide, uniform rose madder (23/1). (Previously listed as 'Victorine Hefling', apparently in error)

(a) **'Victor Jacquemont'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1847), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet orange. Indian

(r) **'Victor Sharron'** (Syn. of 'Goldsworth Crimson')

(r) **'Victor Trouillard'** cv. Parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons (1877), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls delicate pink, with maroon spots. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Victory'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Amoena azalea × Indian azalea L: W. Bull (1889), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls soft magenta pink, dorsal lobes faintly marked and speckled with carmine. Amoena

(r) **'Victory'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Dorothea' (s) × Loderi Group R: Sir Giles Loder, N: Sir Giles Loder, I: Sir Giles Loder (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) 'A large flower of a beautiful colour' (Comber in *JRHS* 71: 186 (1946))

(r) **Victory Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' (s) × Tally Ho Group I: Lord Digby (1947), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Victory Variety'** cv. Parentage unknown R: J. Standish (pre 1870), N: J. Standish, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine, with deep, almost black edges and a large blotch. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Victurum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose, with dark spots. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Vida'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: possibly a *decorum* hybrid R: J. Steinmetz, I: A.A. Childers (1963), REG: A.A. Childers (1964) Fls 10/loose truss, broadly funnel-shaped, up to 120mm wide, 6-lobed, orange-yellow in bud, opening to a clear deep yellow, unmarked. Lvs elliptic, up to 150 × 65mm. Shrub to 1.2 × 1.2m in 8 years. Midseason

(a) **'Vida Brown'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C.E. Brown, N: C.E. Brown (1950), I: D. Stewart & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls solitary, hose-in-hose, c25 × 40mm, with wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (54B). Shrub dwarf and compact, to 40 × 80cm. *HC 1956, *AM 1960. Kurume

(r) **'Vida Ray'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Davidson's Nurseries (1979) Fls with slightly wavy-edged lobes, mauve

(r) **'Vienna'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Naomi Group × *wardii* R: Exbury, I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1962), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1963) Fls pale yellow. PC 1962

(r) **'Vienna Woods'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Robert Allison' × 'Sir Charles Butler' H: E.E. Walbrecht (1972), G: A.R. Brooks (1981), N: A.R. Brooks, I: A.R. Brooks (1985), REG: A.R. Brooks (1986) Fls 10-12/flat truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 51 × 89mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (70C) in bud, opening very pale purple (69B); moderately scented. Calyx 3mm long, moderate yellow-green (146D). Lvs oblong to obovate, 114-184 × 32-57mm, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 13 years. Late May

(r) **'Viennese Waltz'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lem's Cameo' × 'Pink Petticoats' H: J.G. Lofthouse (1976), G: J.G. Lofthouse (1980), N: J.G. Lofthouse, REG: J.G. Lofthouse (1986) Fls up to 34/truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 50-75mm, 6-7-lobed, strong red (51A) in bud, opening moderate pink (51D) at lobe edges, shading to pale purplish pink (55D) in throat, with orange brown spotting on the dorsal lobe on a ground of light yellowish pink (27B); outside deep pink (51B). Calyx very small. Lvs elliptic, 108-140 × 50-70mm, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.0m in 8 years. Early May

(a) **'Vierge'** (See 'La Vierge')

(r) **'Viet Vet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'America' × 'Britannia' × 'America' × 'Mars' R: W.E. Delp (pre 1989), N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (1999) Fls deep red (53A) in bud, opening strong red (53B), with deep red (53A) dorsal spotting and some white in the throat. Medium-sized shrub. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Vigil'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* (s) × *decorum* subsp. *diaprepes* R: E.G.W.W. Harrison, N: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1960), REG: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1961) Fls 15/compact, conical truss, saucer-shaped, 50 × 95mm, 7-lobed, buds shrimp-coloured, opening cream, with basal spots. Young foliage green

(r) **'Vigorous Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'America' × *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Frank Moniz' R: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls in very full trusses, deep red (53A, 60A) in bud, opening vivid purplish red (57C, D) and pale purplish pink (62D), with dark red (59A) dorsal spots. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Vike's Red'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1980) (Listed as a parent of 'Rise and Shine')

(a) **'Viking'** cv. Semi-evergreen azalea: *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* (s) × 'Modèle' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, 65-70mm wide, with broad, overlapping lobes, light mallow purple (light reddish purple (74C)), with a small blotch of conspicuous, rhodamine purple (vivid reddish purple (74A)) spots. Semi-deciduous, spreading shrub to 1.2m tall. Mid April. Glenn Dale

(r) **Viking Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Solon Group (s) × Chanticleer Group H: Lord Aberconway (1937), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy red

(r) **'Viking Lady'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C. Loeb (1964), N: C. Loeb, I: C. Loeb (1970), REG: C. Loeb (1970) Fls 13-15/truss, funnel-shaped, 100 × 100mm, light yellow (12C), fading to pale yellow (8D), with a deep blotch of vivid orange-yellow (23A) to brilliant yellow (15C). Lvs 90 × 30mm. Shrub 1.1 × 0.8m

(r) **'Viking Prince'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × Fabia Group H: Ostbo ?, N: Bovees Nursery, I: Bovees Nursery (pre 1974) Fls apricot yellow, banded deeper apricot rose around the margins. Lvs light green

(a) **'Viktoria'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Adventglöckchen' × 'Schnee' R: Z. Stiborek (c 1967), N: Z. Stiborek Fls semi-double to double, 68-72mm wide, carmine pink, with a dark red blotch. Lvs elliptic, dark green

(r) **'Viktor von Martin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* hybrid H: V. von Martin (1944), G: Botanischer Garten und Rhododendronpark, Bremen, N: Deutsche Rhododendron-Gesellschaft (1990), REG: J. Westhoff (2001) Fls 10-15/conical, domed truss, saucer-shaped, 60 × 100mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (59D) in bud, opening inside greenish white (157D) with midribs pale yellow-green (157B), outside greenish white (157D); dark red (187B) spots on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 2-3mm long, greyed orange, with a light green margin. Lvs oblong-lanceolate, 80-160 × 30-60mm, margins upcurved, acute and mucronate at apex, tapered to base, matt green, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.0m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Vilém Heckel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Don Juan' × 'Doctor H.C. Dresselhuys' R: J. Dvořák (c 1978), N: J. Dvořák Fls 10-16/globose truss, 70mm wide, chrysanthemum crimson (824-824/2) in bud, opening chrysanthemum crimson (824/3-824/2), with a more-or-less conspicuous blotch of pansy purple (928-928/1). Lvs elongate elliptic, 135 × 52mm, slightly glossy spinach green (0960/1-0960) above. Shrub 1.5m in 9 years

(a) **'Villa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* × 'Kathleen' R: Girard Nurseries, N: Girard Nurseries, I: Girard Nurseries (c 1962), REG: Girard Nurseries (1972) Fls single, to 65mm wide, margins lightly waved, light purple, with a violet cast and a deeper violet blotch. Lvs 40 × 25mm. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m

(r) **'Village Maid'** (See 'The Village Maid')

(r) **'Villager'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1847), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Ville de Versailles'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Desfossé-Thuillier Fils (1892), INC: ICRA (1958). Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Villosum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. van Geert (1839), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(r) **'Villosum Carmosinum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Vincent Debernard'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Reinhold Ambrosius' × 'Rubis de Meirelbeke' I: M. de Meulemeester (1970) Fls semi-double, purplish red. Calyx normal, green. Late. Indian

(r) **'Vincent van Gogh'** cv. Parentage unknown R: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1939), N: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, edged bright cerise red. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Vinebelle'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Robert Allison' × *yakushimanum* H: R.R. Forster (1962), G: R.R. Forster (1968), N: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario, I: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario (1978), REG: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario (1986) Fls 12-14/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 50 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (68C), opening white, with olive green spotting in dorsal throat. Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 130 × 40mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, margins flat, glossy and dark green above, with a very light, plastered tan indumentum below. Shrub 2.0 × 2.0m in 22 years. Mid May

(r) **'Vineblanc'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scandinavia' × 'La Bar's White' × 'Scandinavia' × 'La Bar's White' H: R.R. Forster (1965), G: R.R. Forster (1971), N: A.W. Smith, REG: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario (1989) Fls 14/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, yellowish white (155D). Calyx 1mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 110 × 55mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 1.5m in 22 years. Early June

(r) **'Vineblush'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'America' × *yakushimanum* H: R.R. Forster (1962), G: R.R. Forster (1966), N: A.W. Smith, I: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario, REG: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario (1986) Fls 11 or more/flattened ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 25 × 30mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink in bud, opening deep purplish pink to strong pink (54B-C), fading to lighter pink, then white. Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 90 × 40mm, glossy green above, hairless, but with hairy petioles. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 24 years. Late May

(r) **'Vinebrook'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* × Lady Bessborough Group H: R.R. Forster (1961), G: R.R. Forster (1966), N: A.W. Smith, I: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario, REG: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario (1986) Fls 15/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, white, with strong purplish red (64B) flares in the throat of dorsal lobes and light 64B spotting extending half way up lobes. Calyx 2mm long, mid green. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 50mm, with a slight felted indumentum below. Shrub 2.0 × 1.0m in 25 years. Late May

(a) **'Vinecourt Duchess'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Chelsea Reach' × 'Watermelon Ice' H: A.W. Smith (1982), G: A.W. Smith (1984), N: A.W. Smith, I: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario, REG: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario (1986) Fls double, 10/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 65mm, with 10 wavy-edged lobes (and no stamens), buds peach yellow, opening vivid yellow (14B) to brilliant yellow (14C). Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 50mm, hairy above and below. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m in 3 years. Late May

(a) **'Vinecourt Duke'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Homebush' × un-named brick red seedling H: A.W. Smith (1982), G: A.W. Smith (1984), N: A.W. Smith, I: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario, REG: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario (1988) Fls double (with no stamens), up to 55/ball truss (consisting of a terminal bud and 4-8 laterals), open funnel-shaped, 35 × 55mm, with 9 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink; moderately scented. Calyx 3mm long, pale green.

Lvs elliptic, 110 × 35mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairy above, hairless below. Shrub 1.1 × 0.8m in 5 years. Mid-late May

(a) **'Vinecourt Jester'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Chelsea Reach' × 'Cecile' H: A.W. Smith (1979), G: A.W. Smith (1984), N: A.W. Smith, I: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario, REG: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario (1986) Fls double (with no stamens), 9/flattened domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 60mm, with 10 wavy-edged lobes, light orange-yellow (16B-C) in bud, opening creamy yellow fading to white. Calyx 1mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 105 × 40mm, hairy above and below. Shrub 0.8 × 0.6m in 5 years, very floriferous. Late May-early June

(a) **'Vinecourt Moonlight'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Chelsea Reach' × 'Vivienne Waterer' H: A.W. Smith (1984), G: A.W. Smith (1986), N: A.W. Smith, I: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario, REG: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario (1988) Fls double (with no stamens), 12/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 35 × 60mm, with 10 wavy-edged lobes, brilliant yellow (8A) in bud, fading to light greenish yellow (8C) at maturity; moderately scented. Calyx 2mm long, pale green. Lvs elliptic, 95 × 37mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairy above, hairless below. Shrub 0.6 × 0.5m in 3 years. Mid-late May

(a) **'Vinecourt Queen'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Chelsea Reach' × un-named red seedling H: A.W. Smith (1982), G: A.W. Smith (1984), N: A.W. Smith, I: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario, REG: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario (1988) Fls double (with no stamens), 20/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 65mm, with 9 wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink (39B), with a yellow dorsal flare; moderately scented. Calyx 2mm long, pale green. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 35mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairy above, hairless below. Shrub 0.9 × 0.7m in 5 years. Mid-late May

(a) **'Vinecourt Troubadour'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Chelsea Reach' × un-named red seedling H: A.W. Smith (1982), G: A.W. Smith (1984), N: A.W. Smith, I: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario, REG: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario (1988) Fls double (with no stamens), up to 65/domed truss (consisting of 1-3 terminal buds), open funnel-shaped, 35 × 55mm, with 9 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (41B); slightly to moderately scented. Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 78 × 25mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairy above, hairless below. Shrub 1.0 × 0.7m in 5 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Vinecrest'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ('La Bar's White' × *fortunei*) × *wardii* × *wardii* Litiense Group H: K. Begg (1972), G: K. Begg (1977), N: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario, I: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario (1980), REG: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario (1986) Fls 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 60mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, peach coloured in bud, opening light greenish yellow (1C), with small red-brown rays deep in the dorsal throat; stigma prominently red-brown; slightly scented. Calyx 1mm long, green. Lvs near narrowly elliptic, 140 × 50mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (146A), hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 13 years. Mid May

(r) **'Vinedale'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scandinavia' × 'Catalgla' × *fortunei* H: R.R. Forster (1960), G: R.R. Forster (1966), N: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario, I: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario (1980), REG: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario (1986) Fls 13/lax, ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 30 × 85mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (73C), with light yellow (162C) dorsal spotting; scented. Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs between narrowly elliptic and elliptic, 135 × 55mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dark green, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 1.3m in 25 years. Mid May

(a) **'Vineland Carousel'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Chelsea Reach' × 'Cecile' H: A.W. Smith (1979), G: A.W. Smith (1983), N: A.W. Smith, I: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario, REG: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario (1986) Fls 13/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds peach coloured, opening to a basic apricot colour consisting of blended orange and pink shades, light pink (50D) at maturity with an orange-yellow eye. Calyx 1mm long, pale green. Lvs elliptic, 120 × 40mm, hairy above and below. Shrub 0.6 × 0.5m in 4 years, very floriferous. Late May

(a) **'Vineland Delight'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Homebush' × red seedling of Knap Hill type H: A.W. Smith (1982), G: A.W. Smith (1984), N: A.W. Smith, REG: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario (1989) Fls single, 15/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 65mm, with 5-6 wavy to very wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (52B), with a strong orange (24A) dorsal blotch. Calyx 4mm long, pale green. Lvs elliptic, 56 × 25mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.0m in 5 years. Late May

(a) **'Vineland Dream'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Chelsea Reach' × un-named red Knap Hill seedling H: A.W. Smith (1982), G: A.W. Smith (1985), N: A.W. Smith, I: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario, REG: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario (1988) Fls single, 22/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 50mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (52D), with a strong orange (25A) dorsal blotch. Calyx 5mm long, pale green. Lvs elliptic, 95 × 40mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairy above, hairless below. Shrub 1.0 × 0.8m in 5 years. Late May

(a) **'Vineland Flame'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Gibraltar' × 'Favor Major' H: Henny & Wennekemp Inc. (1960), G: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario (1965), N: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario, I: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario, REG: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario (1977) Fls

10-12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red to vivid reddish orange (44A-B); scented. Calyx 5mm long, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 120 × 40mm, bullate, moderate olive green to moderate yellow-green (147A-B) above, hairy. Shrub 1.3 × 1.6m in 16 years. Midseason

(a) **'Vineland Flare'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Klondyke' × 'George Reynolds' H: Henny & Wennekemp Inc. (1960), G: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario (1964), N: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario, I: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario, REG: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario (1977) Fls 10-12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid yellow (15B); scented. Calyx 5mm long, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 120 × 40mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green to moderate yellow-green (147A-B) above, hairy. Shrub 2.0 × 1.2m in 16 years. Midseason

(r) **'Vineland Fragrance'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scandinavia' × 'Catalgla' × *fortunei* H: R.R. Forster (1960), G: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario (1966), N: R. Behring, I: R. Behring (1978), REG: R. Behring (1986) Fls 12/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 80mm, (5-)6(-7)-lobed, light purplish pink (73C), throat strong purplish pink (73B), with a 20mm edge of very pale purple (73D); 4 rays of moderate reddish orange (178D) in dorsal throat and strong greenish yellow (151A) spotting on the dorsal lobe; outside with deep purplish pink (73A) ribs and lines; outside of lobes lighter pink than inside; strongly scented. Calyx 2mm long, strong yellow-green (145A). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 120 × 40mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, moderate olive green (147A), glossy, hairless. Shrub 1.6 × 1.2m in 10 years. Mid May

(a) **'Vineland Glow'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Gibraltar' × 'Favor Major' H: Henny & Wennekamp, Inc (1960), G: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario (1965), N: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario, I: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario, REG: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario (1977) Fls 10-12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish orange (33A); scented. Calyx 5mm long, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 120 × 40mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green to moderate yellow-green (147A-B), hairy. Shrub 1.6 × 1.1m in 16 years. Midseason

(a) **'Vineland Gold'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Chelsea Reach' × 'Gold Dust' H: A.W. Smith (1982), G: A.W. Smith (1984), N: A.W. Smith, I: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario, REG: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario (1988) Fls single, 13/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 60 × 85mm, 5-lobed, brilliant orange-yellow (23B), with brilliant yellow (13B, 13C) markings on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 110 × 35mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairy above, hairless below. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m in 5 years. Late May

(a) **'Vineland Orange'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: A.W. Smith (1982), G: A.W. Smith (1985), N: A.W. Smith, REG: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario (1989) Fls 14-15/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes (some stamens petaloid at tips), moderate reddish orange (35B) with yellow mid area on dorsal lobe; slightly scented. Calyx 2mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 75 × 31mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairy above and below. Shrub 1.4 × 1.9m in 6 years. Late May

(a) **'Vineland Peach'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Chelsea Reach' × red seedling H: A.W. Smith (1982), G: A.W. Smith (1985), N: J.E. Lounsbery, REG: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario (1989) Fls single, 10/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 77mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, brilliant yellow (11A) with a vivid yellow (15A) dorsal blotch and strong red (39A) to deep yellowish pink (39B) markings on other lobes extending inwards c20mm from margins; slightly scented. Calyx 5mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 80 × 41mm, slightly concave, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, slightly hairy above. Shrub 1.1 × 1.0m in 7 years. Late May

(a) **'Vineland Pimpernel'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Chelsea Reach' × red seedling H: A.W. Smith (1982), G: A.W. Smith (1985), N: A.W. Smith, REG: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario (1989) Fls single, 12/conical truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 55 × 70mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (45A) with a strong orange (25B) blotch. Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs ovate, 62 × 26mm, slightly convex, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless above and below or slightly hairy above. Shrub 1.0 × 0.5m in 6 years. Late May

(a) **'Vineland Sensation'** cv. Deciduous azalea: an Exbury azalea seedling I: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario (pre 1998) Fls mid pink, with a pale orange blotch. Shrub 0.9 × 1.0m. (Hardy in Toronto area)

(r) **'Vinemark'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'America' × *yakushimanum* × unknown H: R.R. Forster (1967), G: R.R. Forster (1973), N: A.W. Smith, I: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario, REG: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario (1986) Fls 20/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 35 × 45mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, light purple (84B) in bud, opening light purple (84C), with a deeper flare in throat. Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 145 × 60mm, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 1.0-2.0 × 1.0m in 19 years. Late May

(r) **'Vinemax'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: R.R. Forster (1960), G: A.W. Smith (1970), N: A.W. Smith, REG: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario (1989) Fls 18/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 46 × 48mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, buds moderate purplish red (58A), opening deep purplish pink (68A) with strong greenish yellow (153C) spotting on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 4mm long, reddish white. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 47mm, flat to slightly concave, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 2.4 × 1.5m in 28 years. Mid-late June

(r) **'Vinemount'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ('Hassan' × (*dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* × *kyawii*)) × 'Catalgla' × 'La Bar's White' H: R.R. Forster (1966), G: R.R. Forster (1972), N: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario, I: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario (1980), REG: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario (1986) Fls 14/truss, open funnel-shaped, 35 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish purple (74B), with a pale yellow (161C) dorsal blotch. Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs between elliptic and narrowly elliptic, 130 × 50mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, mid green, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.0m in 18 years. Late May

(r) **'Vinerouge'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × 'America' H: R.R. Forster (1962), G: R.R. Forster (1967), N: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario, I: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario (1975), REG: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario (1986) Fls 20/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep red (53A). Calyx 2mm long, pink. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 135 × 40mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, mid green, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.0m in 22 years. Late May

(r) **'Vinestar'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *keiskei* × *racemosum* H: R.R. Forster (1961), G: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario (1965), N: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario, I: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario, REG: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario (1977) Fls up to 4 in each of 2 buds in a terminal inflorescence, broadly funnel-shaped, 25 × 42mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale greenish yellow (9D), with brownish orange flecking in the throat. Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 55 × 22mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (147A) above, with tan scales (widely spaced above, moderately spaced below). Shrub 0.9 × 0.6m in 13 years. Mid-late May. *AM 1989

(r) **'Vinewood'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sham's Ruby' × *williamsianum* H: R.R. Forster (1964), G: R.R. Forster (1969), N: A.W. Smith, I: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario, REG: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario (1988) Fls 6/lax, ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 25 × 50-60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (68C) inside, outside deep purplish pink (68A). Calyx 1mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 56 × 42mm, flat, cordate at base, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 0.75m in 23 years. Mid May

(a) **'Vinivi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Flamenco' R: J. Heursel, I: IOPG, Belgium (1981) Fls vivid purplish red (66B). Indian

(r) **'Vin Rosé'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *cinnabarinum* Roylei Group R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1953), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1962) Fls 7/lax, drooping truss, tubular, 50 × 40mm, waxy (lobes 25 × 13mm), outside currant red (821/1), deepening towards base and lightening towards lobes, inside blood red (820/2), with a waxy bloom. Lvs oblanceolate, 75 × 40mm. AM 1953

(a) **'Vintage'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Malvaticum' × 'Yozakura' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls2-3/truss, 50mm wide, with imbricated lobes, pale rosolane purple (deep purplish pink (70C)), with no blotch. Shrub to 1.2m tall. Late April. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Vintage Rosé'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Jalisco Eclipse' × Fusilier Group H: Waterer (Bagshot) (1958), G: Waterer (Bagshot) (1968), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975) Fls 9-13/domed, compact truss, 57 × 60mm, 5-lobed, white, lightly flushed vivid purplish red (57D), deepening towards base, slight dorsal spotting of strong reddish orange (42B). Calyx minute. Lvs 100-110 × 30-40mm, dark dull green, hairy. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Mid May. *HC 1979, *AM 1989

(a) **'Viola'** cv. Evergreen azalea: ? derived from 'Sekidera' R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet mauve

(a) **'Viola'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* (s) × *mucronatum* R: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 70mm wide, petunia purple (32/2), with a dark red blotch. Shrub 2.5m tall in 25 years. Gable

(r) **'Viola'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* hybrid R: T.J. Seidel, N: T.J. Seidel, I: T.J. Seidel (1872), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls porcelain white, from lilac buds

(r) **'Viola'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Madame Nauen' × *catawbiense* × *ponticum* R: L.L. Liebig (pre 1872), N: L.L. Liebig, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white

(a) **'Violaceum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown There is a widely grown plant under this name with 2-3 double fls/truss, which are strong reddish purple (72C). Calyx normal, green. Midseason. Heursel (in Galle, 1985) suggests this is Schulz's 'Violaceum Multiflorum' (1884), although the 1958 Register cites an 1833 reference to a 'Violaceum' introduced by "de Schvynmacker de Dormael". Indian

(a) **'Violaceum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges (1826), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Listed under *Azalea nudiflora*)

(r) **'Violaceum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid R: J. Booth (pre 1838), N: J. Booth, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac violet. (Probably the plant shown by Heindrikx in 1843 as 'Arboreum Violaceum')

(r) **'Violaceum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as a form or hybrid of *ponticum* L: S. Pagliari (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet

(r) **'Violaceum Compactum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: G. Morlet (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) (Published in *Horticulture Français*, 1854, p.107-111)

(a) **'Violaceum Elegans'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Gebr Mardner (1854), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Violaceum Flore Pleno'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as a form or hybrid of *ponticum* L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Violaceum Grandiflorum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: G. Morlet (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) (Published in *Horticulture Français*, 1854: p.107-111)

(a) **'Violaceum Lila'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Violaceum' I: A. Lippens (1957), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish red; redder than 'Surprise'. Indian

(a) **'Violaceum Multiflorum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Schulz (1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, purple. Indian (See note under 'Violaceum')

(a) **'Violaceum Rubrum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably a 'Phoeniceum' hybrid R: unknown (pre 1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 65mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, violet red. Indian

(a) **'Violaceum Superbum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright violet. Indian (An A. Henderson cat. for 1852 attributes it to Smith)

(a) **'Violae-odora'** (See note under 'Viola Odorata')

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(a) **'Viola Odorata'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: M. Burdin (1828), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange and salmon; very sweetly scented (Waterer (Bagshot) cat., 1865). Ghent (Shown at a Ghent Flower Show in 1829. Also seen as 'Viola Odora', 'Violae-odora'; treated as a synonym of 'Buckinghamii' by Jacob-Makoy, 1851)

(a) **'Viola Rubescens'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Waterer (Bagshot) (1865), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Violet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *ponticum* L: V.J. Boulter & Sons (1970) Fls dark mauve

(r) **'Violet Adair'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: J.H. Mangles, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Violetā Zvaigznīte'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Palestrina' × 'Esmeralda' H: R. Kondratovičs (1972), G: R. Kondratovičs (1976), N: R. Kondratovičs, I: Botanical Garden, University of Latvia (1986), REG: R. Kondratovičs (1989) Fls single, 1-3/truss, funnel-shaped, 30-45mm wide, 5-lobed, vivid reddish purple (74B). Calyx 2-3mm long, light green, silvery hairy. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 30-40 × 15-20mm, hairy. Shrub 0.39 × 0.35m. February-March (under cool glass)

(a) **'Violet Cloud'** (Syn. of 'Tebotan')

(a) **'Violet Diamond'** (Syn. of 'Diamant Violett')

(a) **'Violet Gordon'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, vivid orange, with a yellowish blotch. Lvs reddish. Knap Hill

(r) **'Violet Gose'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *ponticum* × *R* × *geraldii* R: M.V. Love, N: M.V. Love, I: M.V. Love (1963), REG: M.V. Love (1964) Fls c17/upright truss, open funnel-shaped, 65-75mm wide, imperial purple (33/2) to mauve (633/2). Lvs 215 × 65mm, dark green, leathery. Compact shrub, 1.2m in 10 years. Midseason

(a) **'Violet Longhurst'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* × 'Princess Ida' H: A.F. George (1963), G: A.F. George, N: A.F. George, I: Hydon Nurseries (1978), REG: Hydon Nurseries (1978) Fls bright rosy purple

(r) **'Violet Paget'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: J.H. Mangles (pre 1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c11/domed, but open-topped truss, funnel-shaped, 50-60 × 70-80mm, 5-lobed, white, with dorsal spotting of pale yellowish green. Calyx up to 9mm long (lobes unequal), pale yellow-green. Lvs oblanceolate, up to 160 × 55mm, very dark and shiny green above, with a few minute hairs below. (Some earlier descriptions give the flowers as pink; the description above is of plants now so labelled in, and distributed from, Mangles' old garden)

(r) **'Violet Parsons'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon pink

(a) **'Violet Perfection'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Violaceum' × 'Agnes Neale' H: E.W. Jordan (1990), G: E.W. Jordan (1993), N: E.W. Jordan (1998), REG: E.W. Jordan (1998) Fls hose-in-hose, 2/lax, flat truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with two whorls of 5, very wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish purple (78A) in bud and opening the same colour inside and out, unspotted. Lvs broadly elliptic, 50 × 20mm, flat, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, matt green above, ciliate. Shrub 0.9 × 2.0m in 6 years. Spring

(a) **'Violet Ray'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Kelmscott Azalea Gardens (1984) Fls single, violet. Indian

(r) **'Violet Streatfeild'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: J.H. Mangles (pre 1884), REG: Lady Adam Gordon (1984) Fls c14/compact, domed truss, 50-60 × 55-65mm, campanulate, 5(-6)-lobed, deep purplish red to deep purplish pink (66B-C) in bud, paling on opening to almost white between the veins inside (colour remaining in veins), numerous dorsal spots of deep purplish red (61A) to vivid purplish red (61C); nectaries tinged vivid purplish red (61C). Calyx 2(-4)mm long, red. Lvs oblong-elliptic, up to 150 × 63mm, dull and mid green above, with sparse, minute, pale brown hairs below

(a) **'Violetta'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Verschaffelt (1876), INC: ICRA (1958)

Fls crimson rose, with a white line down the middle of each lobe. Ghent

(a) **'Violetta'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L.L. Liebig (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, richly and densely striped with dark violet. Indian

(a) **'Violetta'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (1930-1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, violet. Coolidge

(a) **'Violetta'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Malvaticum' (s) × Satsuki azalea (PI-77087) R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, 50-55mm wide, light mallow purple (light reddish purple (74C)), with a rhodamine purple (vivid reddish purple (74A)) blotch. Shrub to 1.2m. Mid April. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Violetta'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Camellia Grove Nursery (1964) Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, pale violet to lilac. Kurume

(a) **'Violetta'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Multiflorum' × unknown R: Betrieb Kerkhoff, N: Betrieb Kerkhoff, I: Betrieb Kerkhoff (1970) Fls small, purple violet

(r) **'Violetta'** (Syn. of 'Hachmann's Violetta')

(r) **'Violetta'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* × 'Caractacus' R: B. Kavka (pre 1977), N: B. Kavka Fls 12-19/globose to sunken globose truss, 80mm wide, light purple-pink (632 + 31/1-31/2) in bud, opening purple-pink (632/2), with a more-or-less conspicuous blotch of dark yellow-green (763-763/1); scented. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 43mm, dull green (0960/2-0960/3). Shrub 1.1m in 9 years

(r) **'Violetta's Song'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Davies Evans' (s) × 'Purple Splendour' H: Mrs E.M. Watson (1985), G: Mrs E.M. Watson (1990), N: Mrs E.M. Watson, REG: Mrs E.M. Watson (1998) Fls 18/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 65mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, inside vivid purple (81B) fading to light purple (81D) in centre; with a large (c30 × 20mm), white blotch, lightly spotted strong yellow-green (144B) on dorsal lobe; outside vivid purple (81A) fading to vivid purple (81B). Calyx c1.5mmlong, strong yellow-green (144B). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 150 × 50mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, with fine, more-or-less colourless hairs below when young. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 12 years. Mid May

(a) **'Violette'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1929), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, deep purple. Indian

(r) **'Violette Funken'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' (s) × 'Spätlese' H: H. Meltzer (1984), G: H. Meltzer, N: H. Meltzer, I: H. Meltzer (1997), REG: H. Meltzer (1999) Fls 10-12/compact, rounded truss, flat saucer-shaped to open funnel-shaped, 50 × 100mm, with 5-7 wavy-edged lobes, strong to light purple (84A-B) inside, outside light purple (80C) with strong reddish purple (72B) ribs; conspicuous blackish red spotting, mostly on the dorsal lobes but extending all around the flower (leaving broad, unspotted margins). Lvs oblanceolate, up to 180 × 60mm, flat, acute at apex, glossy green, hairless. Shrub 1.8m tall in 14 years. Late May-early June

(r) **'Violet Vamp'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vossberg No. 2' (s) × 'Vossberg No. 2' H: M.J. Whitman (1990), G: M.J. & B. Whitman (1998), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (1999), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (1999) Fls 11/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 75mm, with 7 wavy to very wavy-edged lobes, vivid purple (80A) in bud, opening inside very pale purple (76C) edged vivid purple (80A), with a pale yellow flare extending from base to about midpoint of dorsal lobe; outside light purple (75A) edged vivid purple (80A). Lvs oblong, 115 × 75mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cordate at base, semi-glossy and dark yellowish green (139A) above; new growth strong yellow-green (143A), hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 0.7m in 9 years. Early May

(a) **'Violme'** (An error for 'Volme')

(v) **'Virgil'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Duchess of Edinburgh' × 'Princess Alexandra' R: J. Veitch & Sons, N: J. Veitch & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rich creamy yellow, tinted rose in the centre. AM 1889

(a) **'Virgile'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: L. de Smet, I: C. Vuylsteke (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pale yellow, with pure yellow stripes and a nankeen yellow sheen. Midseason. Rustica

(r) **'Virgin'** (Syn. of 'The Virgin')

(a) **'Virginale'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Veitch & Sons (1861), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white. Indian

(a) **'Virginale'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. van Geert (1877), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls snow white, with a slight yellow blotch. Ghent

(a) **'Virginale'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1909), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a few stripes. Indian

(r) **'Virginale'** (Syn. of 'Kotuku')

(r) **'Virginale'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Taylor & Sangster (1901), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, funnel-shaped, pure white. Lvs dark green, leathery. (Listed as a greenhouse rhododendron)

(a) **'Virginale Flore Pleno'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Linden (1875), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Virginia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: D. Stewart & Son, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep cream, shaded pale green

(a) **'Virginia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: G.W. Ring, N: D. Hager, I: Hager Nurseries (pre 1982) Fls incomplete hose-in-hose, 75-90mm wide, rounded, pale yellowish white, shading to pale green in the centre. Shrub to 1.2m. Midseason

(r) **'Virginia Anderson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' × Bowbells Group H: R.M. Bovee (pre 1955), G: R.M. Bovee, N: R.M. Bovee, I: Bovees Nursery (1972), REG: Bovees Nursery (1975) Fls 17-22/truss, open funnel-shaped, 30 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (7.5RP 9/2) fading irregularly within to white, reverse with strong purplish red (7.5RP 5/12) striping. Lvs elliptic, c90 × 40mm, acute at apex, rounded at base, dark green, with slight brownish indumentum below. Shrub 1.1 × 1.3m in c20 years. Mid-late May

(a) **'Virginia Baroness'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: G.W. Ring, N: D. Hager, I: Hager Nurseries (1982) Fls hose-in-hose, 75mm wide, white, with a small green blotch and fine pink stripes and flecks. Spreading shrub to 1.2m. Midseason

(r) **'Virginia Bosley'** cv. Parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1930), G: P.R. Bosley, N: R. Bosley, I: P.R. Bosley (pre 1960) Fls pink. (Originally introduced under Bosley no. 1005)

(a) **'Virginia Callaway'** cv. Deciduous azalea: natural hybrid between *alabamense* and *austrinum* S: S.D. Coleman (c 1960), N: S.D. Coleman Fls 30mm wide, white, tinged pink at edges, with fragrance of *alabamense* and wood and foliage of *austrinum*

(r) **'Virginia Carlyon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *neriiflorum* × *thomsonii* R: E.T.R. Carlyon (1935-1940), G: E.T.R. Carlyon, N: E.T.R. Carlyon, REG: Miss G. Carlyon (1985) Fls 12/dense, hemispherical truss, campanulate to tubular-campanulate, 35-45 × 45mm, 5-lobed, strong red (51A-46A), unspotted. Calyx 5-7mm long, more-or-less unlobed or with broad, shallow lobes, white, tinged red. Lvs broadly elliptic to oblong-elliptic, 55-90 × 30-45mm, dark, more-or-less dull green above, with very sparse white hairs below

(r) **'Virginia Delito'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *mucronulatum* × *racemosum* × *minus* Carolinianum Group H: L. Yavorsky (c 1960), G: L. Yavorsky (c 1963), N: Bastedo Nursery, I: L. Yavorsky, REG: L. Yavorsky (1987) Fls 2-3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 32 × 76mm, 5-lobed, strong to moderate purplish pink (68B-C), with slight dorsal spotting of vivid purplish red (66B). Calyx 1mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 51-73 × 22-35mm, scaly. Shrub 1.8 × 1.2m in 15 years. Mid-late April

(r) **'Virginia Delp'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kristin' × 'Calsap' H: A.W. Smith (1983), G: A.W. Smith (1985), N: A.W. Smith, REG: A.W. Smith (1989) Fls 15/tall conical truss, open funnel-campanulate, 25 × 95mm, with 5 wavy- to very wavy-edged lobes, light purple (85B) at margins, shading to very pale purple (85D) in centre, with a large, speckled, dorsal blotch of moderate yellow (163C). Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 111 × 44mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.8m in 5 years. Late May

(a) **'Virginia Duchess'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Moonbeam' × 'Beacon' R: G.W. Ring, N: D. Hager, I: Hager Nurseries (1982) Fls semi-double, 90mm wide, white, washed deep yellowish pink at tips. Shrub to 1.2m. Midseason

(a) **'Virginia Duke'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vervaeneanum' × 'James Gable' R: G.W. Ring, N: D. Hager, I: Hager Nurseries (1982) Fls funnel-shaped, 65-75mm wide, reddish orange, with a dark blotch. Shrub to 1.0-1.1m. Midseason

(r) **'Virginia Hall'** cv. Parentage unknown H: D.L. Hardgrove, G: D.L. Hardgrove (c 1946) Fls red. Similar to 'Beatrice Pierce'

(a) **'Virginia King'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: G.W. Ring, N: D. Hager, I: Hager Nurseries (1982) Fls funnel-shaped, 75mm wide, dark reddish orange, with a darker blotch. Shrub to 1.2m. Midseason

(a) **'Virginia Knight'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: G.W. Ring, N: D. Hager, I: Hager Nurseries (1982) Fls hose-in-hose, deep funnel-shaped, 75mm wide, moderate pink, with a light red blotch. Shrub to 1.2m. Midseason

(a) **'Virginia Lady'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: G.W. Ring, N: D. Hager, I: Hager Nurseries (1982) Fls "semi-tubular", 75-90mm wide, moderate pink. Shrub to 1.2m. Midseason

(r) **'Virginia Leach'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: (*maximum* × *catawbiense*) × (*dichroanthum* × (*fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × *campylocarpum*)) × *catawbiense* (white) × (*dichroanthum* × *griersonianum*) R: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, REG: D.G. Leach (1972) Fls up to 18/pyramidal truss, open funnel-shaped, 75mm wide, brilliant yellowish green, with a 7mm wide rim of strong purplish pink (7.5RP 7/10) deepening at edge, dorsally deeper yellow (7.5Y 9/8) with a blotch of faint brownish orange spots. Calyx partially hose-in-hose, up to 40mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs oblanceolate, 115 × 45mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base. Shrub 1.0 × 1.5m in 13 years. Midseason

(a) **'Virginia Merritt'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt, I: E.A. Merritt (c 1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep pink. Kurume

(a) **'Virginia Prince'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Dream' × 'Polar Bear' R: G.W. Ring, N: D. Hager, I: Hager Nurseries (1982) Fls incompletely hose-in-hose, "tubular", 75mm wide, deep pink, with a light red blotch. Shrub to 1.5m. Midseason

(a) **'Virginia Princess'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: G.W. Ring, N: D. Hager, I: Hager Nurseries (1982) Fls 100mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, pale pink, with a reddish pink blotch. Shrub to 1.5m. Midseason

(a) **'Virginia Queen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: G.W. Ring, N: D. Hager, I: Hager Nurseries (1982) Fls single, 100mm wide, light pink, with a deep pink blotch. Shrub to 1.5m. Midseason

(r) **'Virginia Richards'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* × F.C. Puddle Group × 'Mrs Betty Robertson' H: W.E. Whitney, G: W.E. Whitney, N: W.E. Whitney, I: W.E. Whitney, REG: G. & Mrs A. Sather (1975) Fls up to 12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 115mm wide, with 5 lobes, strong red (53C) in bud, opening strong pink (54C), throat strong purplish red (54A), with dorsal spotting of strong purplish red (54A); colour changes with age to chinese yellow to give a garden effect of apricot. Lvs elliptic, 108-115 × 55-65mm, moderate olive green above (146A), hairless. Shrub to at least 1.2m. *AM 1985 (At least one other plant is in the trade under this name, with fls more pink than apricot)

(r) **'Virginia Scott'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *souliei* hybrid R: H.L. Larson, N: H.L. Larson, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow

(r) **'Virginia Stewart'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Countess of Haddington' × *nuttallii* H: H. Kerrigan, G: C. Stewart, N: C. Stewart, I: C. Stewart (1974), REG: C. Stewart (1975) Fls 3-7/flat truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 75 × 80-90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, between yellowish and greenish white (155D to 157D), lower 25mm of throat shading from brilliant yellow (12B) to white (fades to white within a week); no yellow on outside; strongly scented. Calyx 13mm long, moderate olive green - moderate yellow-green (146A-B). Lvs elliptic to narrowly or broadly elliptic, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and slightly bullate, darker than moderate olive green (147A) above, scaly below. Shrub 1.5 × 1.9m in 10 years. Late April

(a) **'Virginia Vines'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nancy of Robinhill' (s) × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls double, 2/truss, 65-75mm wide, light pink, with light rusty red to reddish pink margins; occasional rosy red markings on lobe tips. Late May. (First published in Holly Springs cat., 1990)

(r) **'Virginie Bréon'** cv. Parentage unknown L: G. Morlet (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) (Published in *Horticulture Français*, 1854: 107-111)

(a) **'Virginité'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: H. Demay (1895), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. Indian

(a) **'Virginity'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1905), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, porcelain white. Similar to 'Deutsche Perle'. Indian

(a) **'Virgin Queen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Fratelli Rovelli (1874), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Virgo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: a hybrid involving 'Antoon van Welie', 'Professor J.H. Zaaijer' and 'Annie E. Endtz' R: P. van Nes (pre 1959), N: P. van Nes, I: P. van Nes Fls 17-18/pyramidal truss, 90mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, white, buds and newly opened flowers tinged rhodamine pink (527), with a large, red-brown spotted blotch. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years

(a) **'Viride'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow. Ghent

(r) **Viridescens Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: plants formerly treated as *R. viridescens*

(r) **'Virtue'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *oreotrephes* (s) × Lady Chamberlain Group R: E.G.W.W. Harrison, N: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1961), I: E.G.W.W. Harrison, REG: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1961) Fls 6/truss, 50 × 55mm, mauve

(a) **'Viscocephalum'** (See note under 'Viscosepalum')

(a) **'Viscosepalum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *viscosum* R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1842), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale cream, fading to white. Ghent (Plants listed as 'Viscocephala' in some 19th century catalogues probably belong here)

(a) **Viscosepalum Group** gp Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *viscosum* INC: ICRA (1958) (A collective name occasionally used to cover a group of early Ghent hybrids ('Altaclerense', 'Daviesii', 'Viscosepalum' etc.))

(a) **'Viscosiferum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: Whitley & Osborn (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Shrub 1.0-1.5m

(r) **'Viscountess Elveden'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.C. Slocock, N: W.C. Slocock, I: W.C. Slocock (1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink. Shrub 2.56-3.0m

(r) **'Viscount Linley'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *racemosum* (s) × *ciliatum* H: A.C. Bramley, G: A.C. Bramley (1961), N: A.C. Bramley (1961), REG: A.C. Bramley (1962) Fls funnel-shaped, pale mauve; similar to 'Racil' in flower colour and the shape of the truss. Shrub 0.45m

(r) **'Viscount Powerscourt'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1888), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c14/compact truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, deep rose with a conspicuous ray of black markings. Calyx small. Lvs elliptic to oblanceolate, c90 × 30mm, dark and dull green above, hairless below. AM 1906 Syn: 'Lord Beaconsfield'

(r) **'Viscy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Diane' × *viscidifolium* H: D.G. Hobbie (c 1950), N: H. Robenek (1980), I: H. Robenek (1980) Fls 5-9/loose truss, campanulate, 5-lobed, 70-95mm wide, orange at first ageing to coppery yellow, with strong dark red dorsal spotting, outside tinted rose along midribs. Lvs dark green. Shrub c1.0m

(a) **'Vision'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × *simsii* R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-3/truss, 75mm wide, brilliant tyrian pink (strong purplish red (71D)), slightly pale in the centre, with a few spots in the blotch. Shrub to 2.56m. Mid April. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Vision Quest'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Finders Keepers' (s) × 'Midsummer' × (*maximum* × *wardii*) R: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls strong and moderate purplish red (67A, 64A) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (65D), edged strong and vivid purplish red (67A, 67B), with a white flare. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Vistoso'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × *decorum* subsp. *diaprepes* × Avalanche Group H: D.W. Goheen (1962), G: D.W. Goheen, N: D.W. Goheen, I: L.W. Bulgin, REG: D.W. Goheen (1986) Fls 12-14/domed truss, open funnel-campanulate, 65 × 140mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes (the dorsal ones reflexed), light pink (50D), 13mm tip of lobes flushed strong pink (50C) and strong red (50A) spotting in the dorsal throat; scented. Calyx minute, green, edged red. Lvs narrowly elliptic to oblanceolate, 150-190 × 55-65mm, dull and moderate olive green (137B) above, hairless. Shrub 3.0 × 1.5m in 20 years. Mid May

(r) **'Vitalio'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catharine van Tol' (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* R: D.G. Hobbie (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, in large, tall trusses, with wavy-edged lobes, deep to bright rose; small red spots in a streaked marking; slightly scented. (Previous listing as a Group was incorrect)

(r) **'Vitamax'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* × aff. *vernicosum* (Rock 18139) (s) × 'Dead Ringer' R: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls deep purplish red (61A) in bud, opening strong purplish red (63A, B) and strong purplish pink (63C) with deep and strong purplish red (61A, 61B) in the throat. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Vittatum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Loddiges & Sons (1826), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls whitish red (A. Leroy cat., 1868). Ghent (Listed under *Azalea viscosa*)

(a) **'Vittatum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *simsii* R: China (pre 1850), N: R. Fortune (1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 50mm wide, white, flaked or striped vivid purplish red (66A); sometimes all white or all purplish red. Calyx lobes large. Syn: 'Vittatum Fortunei', 'Vittatum Punctatum'. Indian

(a) **'Vittatum Album'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Vittatum Roseum' R: unknown (pre 1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white. (Published in *Revue Horticole*, 1868 p.292)

(a) **'Vittatum Bealii'** (Syn. of 'Bealii')

(a) **'Vittatum Crispiflorum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C. Schulz (pre 1863), N: C. Schulz, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, irregularly ribboned rose, and with a green blotch. Indian (Also seen as 'Vittatum Roseum Crispiflorum')

(a) **'Vittatum Elegans'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very pale yellow, almost white, with wide red edgings. Indian

(a) **'Vittatum Fortunei'** (Syn. of 'Vittatum')

(a) **'Vittatum Fortunei Purpureum'** (Syn. of 'Vittatum Purple')

(a) **'Vittatum Grandiflorum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C. Schulz (pre 1863), N: C. Schulz, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Also seen as 'Vittatum Roseum Grandiflorum')

(a) **'Vittatum Punctatum'** (Syn. of 'Vittatum')

(a) **'Vittatum Purple'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *simsii* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 70mm wide, purplish red (like the occasional selfs on 'Vittatum'). Syn: 'Vittatum Fortunei Purpureum'. Indian

(a) **'Vittatum Roseum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (pre 1852), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, striped rose

(a) **'Vittatum Roseum Crispiflorum'** (See note under 'Vittatum Crispiflorum')

(a) **'Vittatum Roseum Flore Pleno'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1867), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Listed as from Schulz)

(a) **'Vittatum Roseum Grandiflorum'** (See note under 'Vittatum Grandiflorum')

(r) **'Vivacious'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'America' × 'Doctor Ross' R: R.R. Forster (1961), G: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario (1964), N: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario, I: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario (1968), REG: Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario (1975) Fls 10 or more/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53C-D). Calyx minute, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 145 × 45mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, mid green, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.5m in 14 years. Late May

(r) **'Vivandière'** (See 'La Vivandière')

(r) **'Vivian Grey'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1881), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose pink, spotted. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'Vivian Moss'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Sweetheart Supreme' × unknown R: D.J. Cole (pre 1987), N: D.J. Cole Fls 40mm wide, medium pink. Mid May

(r) **'Vivia Ward'** cv. Parentage unknown, a chance seedling from USA seed R: A.G. Holmes, N: A.G. Holmes, I: A.G. Holmes, REG: A.G. Holmes (1982) Fls light purplish pink (65B), with a deeper flare in the throat

(a) **'Vivicans'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Knight & Perry (pre 1846), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rose red. Indian

(a) **'Vivid'** (Syn. of 'Velvet')

(a) **'Vivid'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: UK (1866), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls brilliant magenta. Indian

(a) **'Vivid'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: W. Bull (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls richest scarlet, with thick waxy lobes. Indian

(a) **'Vivid'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Sander (c 1885), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 45mm wide, deep pink (50B). Sander

(a) **'Vivid'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: H. White (pre 1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright orange-red. Ghent

(r) **'Vivid'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* × *ponticum* (s) × Altaclerense Group R: Standish & Noble, N: Standish & Noble, I: Standish & Noble (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright purple rose

(r) **'Vivid'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Humming Bird Group × F.C. Puddle Group R: Lord Aberconway (c 1941), N: Lord Aberconway, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Vivid-O'** (Syn. of 'Estacada')

(a) **'Vividum'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1852), INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(a) **'Vivienne'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: M.E. Greentree (pre 1985), N: M.E. Greentree Fls hose-in-hose, rose pink

(a) **'Vivienne Waterer'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: F.P. Knight (c 1938), S: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1946), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1974) Fls strong yellow. Late May. Knap Hill

(a) **'Vivitone'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Holmes Nurseries (pre 1960) Fls 75mm wide, yellowish pink

(a) **'Vlaamsche Perel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hermann Seidel' × 'Haerensianum' I: A. Haerens (1914), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, white, with some red and rose stripes. Indian

(v) **'Vladimir Bukovsky'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* (s) × 'Souvenir de J.H. Mangles' H: T. Lelliott (1968), G: P. Sullivan (1972), N: P. Sullivan, I: P. Sullivan (1974), REG: W.A. Moynier (1984) Fls 7-12/truss, long tubular funnel-shaped, 45 × 55mm, 5-lobed, vivid reddish orange (30A), inside of tube vivid yellow (16A), unmarked, outside 16A. Calyx very small. Lvs elliptic to narrowly obovate, 90-115 × 45-50mm, with small, moderately spaced, tan scales below. Shrub 0.7-0.8m in 8 years

(a) **'Vlasta'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Gloria Mundi' × 'Anthony Koster' R: B. Kavka (c 1939), N: B. Kavka, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 5-9/flat to flat globose truss, 57mm wide, buds buttercup yellow above (5-5/1), fern green below (0862/3), opening butter yellow (5/1-5/2) with a cadmium orange eye (8/1-8/2); scented. Lvs elongate ovate, 73 × 28mm, dull and dark spinach green (0960/1-0960) above. Shrub 1.7m

(a) **'Vltava'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Amoenum' × *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* R: J. Jelínek (1962), N: J. Jelínek Fls 2-4/flat globose truss, 26mm wide, solferino purple (26/2-26/1) in bud, opening bright solferino purple (26/2), unblotched. Lvs 24 × 11mm, dull ivy green (0001060/3-0001060/2) above. Shrub c0.6 × 1.0m

(r) **'Voda Brim'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Dexter's Champagne' (s) × 'Unique' H: J.D. Brim (1991), G: J.D. Brim (1995), N: J.D. Brim (2001), REG: J.D. Brim (2001) Fls 12/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 100mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, light pink in bud, opening inside yellowish white (155B), the throat pale yellow-green (4D), with several short, strong red (46A) flares; outside yellowish white (155B), edged pale purplish pink (56D); anthers black. Lvs oblong, 140 × 50mm, margins flat, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 0.9m in 9 years. Mid-late April

(r) **'Vodka'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *smirnowii* R: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild, REG: Exbury Gardens Ltd (1991) Fls 16-18/rounded truss, funnel-campanulate, up to 50 × 75mm, shading from white deep in the throat to deep purplish pink (73A) on the lip and strongly suffused the same colour down mid part of each lobe, upper throat heavily marked deep greenish yellow (153A). Lvs oblong-oblanceolate, up to 125 × 35mm, matt green and hairless above, with a thick, woolly, pale brown indumentum below. Shrub 1.9 × 1.9m in 10 years. Late May. AM 1991

(a) **'Vogah'** (Syn. of 'Joga')

(a) **'Vogel Luntera'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Hellmut Vogel' S: W.C. Oosterom (1986), N: Azaleakwekerij Oosterom B.V., I: Azaleakwekerij Oosterom B.V. (1990), REG: Azaleakwekerij Oosterom B.V. (1991) Fls double, to 90mm wide, deep pink (58B) with white margins and wavy-edged lobes; otherwise similar to parent. September-January (under glass)

(a) **'Volata'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Cecile' × 'Klondyke' × 'Klondyke' H: H. Hachmann (1969), G: H. Hachmann (1974), N: H. Hachmann, I: H. Hachmann (1987), REG: G. Stück (1988) Fls double, 7-11/truss, 40-45 × 55-68mm, 11-12-lobed (most stamens petaloid, but very irregular in size), brilliant to

vivid orange-yellow (23B(-A)), shaded and veined vivid to strong reddish orange (33A, 34A, 42A-B), outside shaded strong to vivid red (46A-B), dorsal lobe shaded strong orange (25A-B), unmarked. Calyx 4-5mm long, strong yellow-green (144C). Lvs elliptic, 65-80 × 25-35mm, acute-apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, bronzy brown above at first becoming light green, moderate yellow-green (137C) below. Shrub 1.6 × 1.3m in 15 years. Late May-mid June

(a) **'Volcan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Hinodegiri' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3-4/truss, 40-50mm wide, between liseran purple (light purple (78C)) and magenta (strong purplish red (72A)), but brighter than both, with an inconspicuous blotch of definite dots (a little brighter than aster purple (deep purplish red (71A)), not as bright an rhodamine purple (vivid reddish purple (74A))). Shrub to 1.5m. Midseason. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Volcano'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Standish & Noble (pre 1860?), N: Standish & Noble, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls strong reddish orange, paling at base, with a deep orange-yellow blotch. Ghent

(r) **'Volcano'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Taylor & Sangster (1901), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red. Early

(r) **Volker Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* (LS&T 5679) × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' R: D.G. Hobbie (1953), N: D.G. Hobbie Fls 6-14/truss, 40-60mm wide, yellow, with or without a red, basal blotch. Lvs broadly elliptic, glossy. Shrub to 1.5m. *HC 1987 Syn: Flavum Group (Originally named as Flavum Group (an unacceptable name) by Hobbie in 1979; sometimes seen as Flava Group)

(a) **'Volme'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Noordtianum' × *kaempferi* and different Kurume azaleas R: G. Arends (pre 1914), N: G. Arends (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, lilac pink, with slight reddish spotting. Shrub 0.8-1.0m. Late. Arendsii

(r) **'Voltaire'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red

(r) **Voltaire Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Eros Group (s) × Loderi Group H: Lord Aberconway (1936), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red or pink

(r) **'Volunteer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown G: R.W. Ward (1999), N: R.W. Ward, REG: R.W. Ward (2000) Fls 10/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 100mm, with 7 very wavy-edged lobes, inside strong purplish pink (73B) with a pale purplish pink (65D) edging approximately 10mm wide, and with strong purplish red (59D), dorsal speckles 40mm from the centre; outside strong purplish pink (73B). Lvs elliptic, 125 × 50mm, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, margins upcurved, dull and moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.2m in c9 years. Early May. (Found as a natural seedling in the registrant's garden, c1992)

(r) **'Voluptuous'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scintillation' × 'Mary Belle' H: W. Brack (1976), G: W. Brack (1984), N: W. Brack, I: Roslyn Nursery, REG: W. Brack (1989) Fls 18/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 102mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish red (70D) at margins, with a moderate yellow (162B), star-shaped centre and strong red (53C) throat; prominent deep red (185A) spotting on dorsal lobe; slightly scented. Calyx minute. Lvs oblong, 140 × 64mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 11 years. Late May

(a) **'Vondel'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Koster & Co. (pre 1896), N: Koster & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls nankeen rose, with a bronze blotch. Mollis

(r) **'Vondel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Lindsay Smith' (s) × *campylocarpum* I: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lemon yellow

(r) **'Von Dermaelen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: listed as an *arboreum* hybrid L: A. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Von Gneisenau'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1867), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Listed as from Schulz)

(a) **'Von Gneist'** (Syn. of 'Wirklicher Legationsrat Gneist')

(a) **'Vonnie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Purple Splendor' × 'Vuyk's Scarlet' H: H.R. Schroeder (1973), G: S. Schroeder (1978), N: S. Schroeder, I: S. Schroeder (1986), REG: S. Schroeder (1986) Fls single, broadly funnel-shaped, 38 × 51mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (55B), with dark red dorsal spotting. Calyx 6mm long, light green. Lvs oblanceolate, 32 × 11mm, glossy, dark green above, light green below, hairy. Shrub 0.61 × 0.61m in 10 years. Mid April

(r) **'Vonnie Stockman'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' × 'Cynthia' H: M. Stockman (1983), G: M. & H. Stockman (1991), N: M. & H. Stockman, I: M. & H. Stockman (1992), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1992) Fls 15/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 41 × 70mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish purple (72C) at margins, shading to deep purplish pink (72D), with a large greenish white (155C) dorsal blotch; stamens 10, filaments dark pink, curved, unequal, anthers creamy white; style light pink, stigma bright green. Calyx 3mm long, light green. Pedicels 25mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 89 × 29mm, flat, cuspidate at apex, cuneate at base, matt and dark green above, hairless; petioles 13mm long, light green. Shrub 0.4 × 0.4m in 9 years. Mid May

(r) **'Von Oheimb-Woislowitz'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Everestianum' × 'Carl Mette' R: T.J.R. Seidel (c 1896), N: T.J.R. Seidel (1906), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish rose. Syn: 'Oheimb-Woislowitz', 'Von Woislowitz'

(r) **'Von Siebold'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light rose

(a) **'Von's Surprise'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Violaceum' (s) × 'Teena Marie' H: D.J. Dosser, G: D.J. Dosser (1982), I: D.J. Dosser, REG: D.J. Dosser (1984) Fls vivid purplish red (57C)

(r) **'Von Woislowitz'** (Syn. of 'Von Oheimb-Woislowitz')

(r) **'Voodoo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' (s) × May Day Group H: R. Henny (1945), G: R. Henny, N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny (1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10-14/short truss, funnel-campanulate, 50 × 65mm, rose red (724) shaded to cardinal red (822) in the throat. Calyx 4-lobed, lobes strongly recurved. Lvs 115 × 40mm, margins recurved, dark green above, with a loose, tan indumentum below. Shrub under 2.0m

(a) **'Vorst Albert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1910), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Vorstin Elisabeth'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1910), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Vorwerk Abendsonne'** (Syn. of 'Abendsonne')

(r) **'Vossberg No. 2'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: P.D. Vossberg or D.L. Hardgrove (c 1963), G: E.T. Connors (c 1968), N: E.T. Connors (c 1968), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (2002) Fls 13/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 5 wavy to very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (64C) at apex in bud, greying towards base, opening inside white, edged moderate purplish pink (74D) with faint dorsal spotting of brilliant yellow-green (150B); outside white, with vivid reddish purple (74B) midribs and light reddish purple (74C) margins. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 65mm, margins flat and upcurved, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (146A) above, hairless. Shrub 2.4 × 1.5m in 15 years. Mid May

(r) **'Vossberg's Buff'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: D.L. Hardgrove or P. Vossberg (c 1963), G: E.T. Conners (c 1968), N: E.T. Connors (1988), REG: E.T. Connors (1988) Fls 12-14/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 51 × 83mm, with 7 flat- or very slightly wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (45C) in bud with pale orange-yellow (19D) streaks down centre of lobes, opening light yellow-green (2C) deep in throat, shading rapidly to pale orange-yellow (19D); with sparse strong red (45D) spotting on dorsal lobe (or two upper lobes), fading to strong orange-yellow (22A); outside pale orange-yellow (19D) with some light yellowish pink (19B) vertical markings; pistil dark red; moderately scented. Calyx c1mm long, bright green. Lvs elliptic, 105-121 × 51-64mm, flat, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.6m in 25 years. Mid-late May. (Grown initially by P. Vossberg)

(r) **'Vossberg's Whitestone'** (Syn. of 'Whitestone')

(a) **'Vulcain'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Baron de Pronay (pre 1849), N: Baron de Pronay, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Vulcan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: C. Sander (c 1885), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon red. Sander

(a) **'Vulcan'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1929), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls vivid reddish orange (44B), with a reddish orange (32A) blotch. Ghent

(r) **'Vulcan'** (Syn. of 'Vulkan')

(r) **'Vulcan'** cv. Parentage unknown R: R.T. Pince (pre 1868), N: R.T. Pince, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, in compact, globose trusses, rich light purple, shaded crimson. Very late. (Published in Lucombe, Pince & Co. cat., c1868)

(r) **'Vulcan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' (s) × *griersonianum* R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1938), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c10/open, domed truss, open funnel-shaped, with wavy-edged lobes, blood red (820/3). Lvs 120 × 45mm, very dark and dull green above. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. *AM 1957

(a) **'Vulcano'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Haerens (1913), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, dark red. Indian

(r) **'Vulcan's Bells'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan's Flame × *williamsianum* R: B.F. Lancaster, N: B.F. Lancaster, I: B.F. Lancaster (1965), REG: B.F. Lancaster (1966) Fls 6-8/truss, open campanulate, 50 × 65mm, clear rose red (724). Lvs ovate, 65 × 40mm, slightly cordate at base, dark green. Shrub 0.6 × 0.8m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Vulcan's Flame'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griersonianum* × 'Mars' G: B.F. Lancaster, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12-15/domed truss, 75mm wide, bright red. Lvs 125-200 × 45-50mm, dark green. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Vulcan's Shadow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × *griersonianum* H: C.R. & V. Haag, G: C.R. & V. Haag, I: Cardinal Nursery (c 1991) Fls bright red

(r) **'Vulkan'** cv. Parentage unknown R: L.L. Liebig (pre 1867), N: L.L. Liebig, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls fiery red, rather small. Syn: 'Vulcan'

(a) **'Vurida'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. Vuylsteke (1875), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, bright orange-red, with a greenish yellow blotch. Syn: 'Lurida'. Ghent

(a) **'Vuurwerk'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1871), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright orange-red, with a crimson violet blotch. Indian

(a) **'Vuyk's Rosyred'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Vuyk van Nes, N: Vuyk van Nes, I: Vuyk van Nes (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2/truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 70mm, deep purplish pink (55A), with dorsal spotting of deep red (53A). Shrub 0.6m. *AM 1962, *FCC 1988. Vuykiana

(a) **'Vuyk's Scarlet'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Vuyk van Nes, N: Vuyk van Nes, I: Vuyk van Nes (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-2/truss, funnel-shaped, 45 × 55mm, with wavy-edged lobes, crimson (22-22/1), with darker spots towards base of throat. Lvs 27 × 15mm, dark and glossy green above. Dwarf shrub. *AM 1959, *FCC 1966. Vuykiana

(a) **'Vuylstekeanum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hexe' (s) × 'General Postmeister Stephan' I: C. Vuylsteke (1908), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, scarlet red. Indian

(a) **'Vyking'** (Syn. of 'Weston's Vyking')

(a) **Wadae Group** gp Evergreen azalea: *eriocarpum* × *kaempferi* R: K. Wada, N: K. Wada, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls smaller than *eriocarpum* but still large. Low, dense shrub. Usually flowers before the Kurumes

(r) **'Wada's Miniature Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1996) Fls campanulate, pink. Lvs rounded, dark green. Small shrub

(a) **'Wada's Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *eriocarpum* I: K. Wada (pre 1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls shell pink, unmarked

(r) **'W.A. Dunstan'** cv. Parentage unknown I: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls creamish white

(a) **'Wageningen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: developed from 'Hexe' I: A. Steyaert (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, with wavy-edged lobes, red, with black stamens. Indian

(r) **'Waghorn's Burgundy Sensation'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Van Nes Sensation ' (s) × 'Burgundy' H: F.R. Waghorn, G: R. Moodycliffe (1992), N: R. Moodycliffe (1996), REG: R. Moodycliffe (1996) Fls 15-27/large, conical truss, funnel-shaped, 80 × 120mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (71B) in bud, opening inside light purple (75A) shading to very light purple (75C); outside light purple (75A), with three thin, strong purplish red (71C) stripes down centre of lobes; a dark purple (79A) blotch in the throat and dark red (59A) spots on the dorsal lobe; stamens 14, unequal, white. Calyx 4mm long, strong purplish red (59D). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 150-180 × 45-54mm, margins upcurved, acute and slightly apiculate at apex, obtuse at base, matt moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 1.6m. Mid spring

(r) **'Wagtail'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *lowndesii* × *keiskei* 'Yaku Fairy' H: P.A. Cox (1971), G: Glendoick Gardens (c 1974), N: Glendoick Gardens, I: Glendoick Gardens (c 1980), REG: Glendoick Gardens (1990) Fls 1-3/truss, pale yellow. Calyx 1mm long, green. Lvs oblanceolate, 20 × 7mm, scaly. Low, compact shrub 0.38 × 1.0m; much easier to grow than *lowndesii*. Late May

(r) **'Waipuna'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *simiarum* (s) × *yakushimanum* H: A.E. Kehr, G: A.E. Kehr, N: O.S. Blumhardt (1995), I: Koromiko Nurseries (1995), REG: O.S. Blumhardt (1999) Fls 12/rounded, open truss, funnel-campanulate, 35-40 × 40-50mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, light pink in bud, opening white with a blotch of purple spots on basal part of dorsal lobe, outside white; stamens and style cream; anthers brown; scented. Calyx 1mm long, green. Lvs oblong or narrowly elliptic, 70-80 × 20mm, convex with margins decurved, obtuse at apex and base, matt and deep green above, hairy (hairs white at first, ageing to fawn). Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 10 years. (First published in Koromiko Nurseries cat., 1995)

(r) **'Waireka'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Lovelock' × *ciliatum* H: B.W. Campbell, G: B.W. Campbell, N: B.W. Campbell, I: B.W. Campbell (c 1983), REG: Dunedin Rhododendron Group (1990) Fls 5/truss, 40 × 80mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, pale yellow-green (4D) with a blotch of brilliant yellow (12B); stigma orange-tipped; slightly scented. Calyx 2-3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 50mm, pale olive green above, with minute scales. Lax shrub up to 2.0m, with peeling bark leaving a smooth, cinnamon-coloured trunk. Late August (New Zealand)

(a) **'Wakaebisu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan, N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50-65mm wide, hose-in-hose, with rounded lobes, deep yellowish pink, with deep pink spots in the blotch. Satsuki (Perhaps the plant listed by Overlook Nurseries, 1951, though listed there as a "Macrantha" azalea: fls large, hose-in-hose, bright salmon pink)

(a) **'Wakaebisu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1978), N: Japan Fls single, small, white, to deep pink with a white throat; scattered dark pink dorsal spots. Kurume

(a) **'Waka-kayede'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1918), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 20-25mm wide, red. Syn: 'Red Robin'; Wilson no.38

(a) **'Wakakoma'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Gumpo' × 'Gyokushin' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, with rounded, very wavy-edged lobes, white with blushes of pale reddish orange, or heavily blushed with a prominent reddish orange blotch and stripes. Satsuki

(a) **'Wakalia'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1939), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, salmon orange; anthers pale. Kurume

(a) **'Waka-matsu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, with rounded, wavy-edged lobes, pale white to

light pink, with deep pink spots in the blotch. Satsuki (Perhaps the plant listed by Overlook Nurseries, 1951, though listed there as a "Macrantha" azalea: fls single, large, delicate purple)

(a) **'Waka-murasaki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c60mm wide, purple. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Wakasagi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably a selection from *mucronatum* R: Japan, N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, lily-shaped, cherryblossom pink

(a) **'Waka-zakura'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Miyo-no-sakae' × 'Bungo-beni' R: Japan (pre 1986), N: Japan Fls 3-4/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 70-80mm wide, clear deep pink, with scarlet spots on dorsal lobes. Lvs elliptic-lanceolate, up to 70 × 25mm. Shrub up to 1.5m. Mid-late April

(r) **'Wakehurst'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown N: Sir Henry Price (1960), I: Sir Henry Price (1960), REG: Sir Henry Price (1962) Fls c25/truss, campanulate, 40 × 50mm, mallow purple (630/2), with prominent, crimson, dorsal spots. Pedicels red-stained, scaly. AM 1960

(a) **'Wako'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, 90-100mm wide, with 5-9 lobes, white, spotted and sanded purple; very variable. Shrub 0.9m. Satsuki

(r) **'Waldemar'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid R: J. Rinz (pre 1864), N: J. Rinz, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy white, darker at margins and finely spotted

(r) **'Walküre'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'August' (s) × 'Lem's Monarch' H: H. Hachmann (1985), G: H. Hachmann (1991), N: H. Hachmann (1993), I: H. Hachmann (1997), REG: G. Stück (1999) Fls 11-15/fairly compact, ball truss, broadly open funnel-shaped, 60-65 × 95-110mm, with 5 strongly wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (66D) in the centre, edged vivid purplish red/deep purplish pink (66B/C), outside vivid purplish red/deep purplish pink (66B/C); dorsal lobe with deep purplish red (61A) markings; stamens 10, filaments deep/strong purplish pink (68A/B), anthers brownish orange/(moderate brown) (165B/(A)); style moderate purplish pink (68C), stigma greyish red (178A). Calyx 4mm long, rosy red. Lvs elliptic, 210 × 75mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, flat, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 1.6 × 1.8m in 10 years. Mid May-early June. (First published in Hachmann cat., 1998-2000 (1998), plus colour photograph)

(r) **Walloper Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anna' × 'Marinus Koster' H: H. Lem (pre 1976) Fls usually deep pink. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. Syn: 'Lem's Walloper'

(r) **'Walloper No. 6'** (Syn. of 'Gwen Bell')

(r) **'Walloper No. 10'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Anna' × 'Marinus Koster' H: H. Lem (pre 1971), G: H. Lem Fls 14/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 90mm wide, very wavy-edged, light red, with two short, deep maroon rays and red flecking on the dorsal lobe. Lvs 165 × 65mm, leathery, wavy-edged, deep green; new growth bronze. Shrub to at least 1.8 × 1.8m. Mid-late April

(a) **'Wallowa'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Graciosum' (Occidentale) × a Ghent hybrid R: B.F. Lancaster, N: B.F. Lancaster, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale yellowish white

(a) **'Wallowa Red'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: J.S. Yeates (1961), G: A.O. Wright (1965-1966), N: H.J. Slonecker, I: A.O. Wright (c 1968), REG: H.J. Slonecker (1977) Fls 10-12/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 75mm, with 5(-6) wavy-edged lobes, strong red (46A), without a blotch or spots; slightly scented. Calyx 7mm long, pale green. Lvs elliptic (to narrowly obovate), 65 × 30mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, moderate yellow-green (146D), flushed bronze, ciliate. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 6 years. Mid May. Syn: 'Red Hot'

(r) **'Walluski Chief'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *macrophyllum* (s) × *griersonianum* H: G.L. Baker (1955), G: G.L. Baker, N: G.L. Baker, I: G.L. Baker, REG: G.L. Baker (1965) Fls 15/upright truss, broadly campanulate, up to 65 × 75mm, 5-lobed, soft rose red, dorsal lobe with darker spots. Lvs oblong-elliptic, 175 × 50mm. Shrub 1.9m in 10 years

(r) **'Wally'** (Syn. of 'Vallya')

(r) **'Wally Miller'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown L: UK (1988) Fls deep pink. Lvs dark green, with pale indumentum below. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years

(r) **'Wally Zeglat'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* 'Lu-Shan' × unknown R: W. Zeglat, REG: J.G. Lofthouse (1973) Fls 14/compact, upright truss, open campanulate, strong purplish pink (68B), fading to light purplish pink (68D) with a brown speckled blotch. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 10 years

(r) **Waltdis Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'John Walter' (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* R: D.G. Hobbie (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, in large, tight trusses, clear deep rose; slightly scented

(r) **'Walt Elliott'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lemon Custard' (s) × 'Crest' H: W. Elliott (1969), G: F. Peste (1978), N: F. Peste, I: F. Peste, REG: F. Peste (1983) Fls 7-10/truss, open funnel-shaped, 95 × 125mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, light yellow (11B), throat moderate yellow (160A), 25mm wide edge of light pink (49C); outside brilliant yellow (7A); slightly scented. Calyx 7mm long, moderate purplish red (59C). Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 175 × 55mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate yellow-green (147B), hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 2.1m in 10 years. Mid July

(r) **'Walt Elliott Number 2'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vera Elliott' (s) × 'White Swan' H: W. Elliott (1984), G: B.F. Heuston (1994), N: B.F. Heuston (1996), REG: B.F. Heuston (1996) Fls 11-12/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 75 × 115mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (50C) in bud, opening pale yellow (18D) inside, with a slight pink tinge, unmarked; outside light purplish pink (65B). Calyx 25mm long, pale yellow, tinged pink and tipped strong pink (50C). Lvs elliptic, 115 × 50mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.8m in 12 years. Late May. ('Walt Elliott No.2' is an acceptable alternative form of this name)

(r) **'Walter'** cv. Parentage unknown R: T.J.R. Seidel (pre 1918), N: T.J.R. Seidel, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac rose, rather darker margined, with a few red-brown spots

(a) **'Walter Crane'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Gebr Kersbergen (pre 1918), N: Gebr Kersbergen, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls fiery orange. Mollis

(r) **'Walter Curtis'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage includes *catawbiense*, *maximum* and possibly unknown hybrids H: W.D. Smith (1969), G: W.D. Smith, N: W.D. Smith, I: W.D. Smith, REG: W.D. Smith (1979) Fls up to 18/ball truss, 75mm wide, open funnel-shaped, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light reddish purple (10P 6/9) in bud, opening moderate purplish pink (10P 7/7) with brilliant yellow-green (2.5GY 8/9) spotting. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 65mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate to rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (2.5GY 4/3) and slightly hairy above, with a thin, brownish, appressed indumentum below. Shrub 1.8 × 1.5m in 8 years. Midseason

(a) **'Walter David'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Eden Jennifer' × 'George Lindley Taber' R: W.D. Smith (pre 1987), N: W.D. Smith Fls 100mm wide, deep purplish pink (68A), slightly spotted deep purplish pink (67C). Shrub 1.2m in 8 years

(r) **'Walter Hunnewell'** cv. Parentage unknown N: W. Hunnewell, I: Weston Nurseries (1976), REG: Weston Nurseries (1983) Fls 14-16/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds moderate purplish red (58A), centre white, margin strong purplish red (60B), outside mostly moderate purplish red (58A) paling towards base. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 100-125 × 50-65mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dark green, with a prominent, pale yellowish green midrib and veins, hairless. Young stems red. Shrub c1.0m in 12 years. Early June. Syn: 'Hunnewell No. 1' (Brought from Hunnewell Estate to Weston Nurseries by W. Hunnewell, 1950s)

(a) **'Walteri'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Baumann (1866), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Walter Kern'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nellie' (s) × 'Opal' H: G.A. Reid (1970), G: G.A. Reid (1975), N: G.A. Reid, I: G.A. Reid (1982), REG: G.A. Reid (1984) Fls hose-in-hose and doubled, 2-3/truss, open funnel-shaped, 30 × 30mm, 16-18-lobed, deep purplish pink (68A), without markings or stamens. Calyx 25mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic to more-or-less narrowly obovate, 35-45 × 17-22mm, ciliate and sparsely setose. Shrub 0.45m in 12 years

(r) **'Walter Maynard'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *ciliicalyx* R: G. Gorer, N: G. Gorer, I: G. Gorer (1975), REG: G. Gorer (1975) Fls 3-4/truss, open funnel-campanulate, 75 × 85mm, 5-lobed, white (155D), outside yellowish green towards base, with a bar of soft red-purple extending from base of each segment, fading towards rim; dorsal throat strongly flushed shades of greenish yellow (151). Calyx rudimentary, scaly, ciliate. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 90 × 30mm, dark glossy green above, slightly scaly below. AM 1975

(r) **'Walter Schmalscheidt'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* × *wardii* (form previously known as *astrocalyx*) × 'Linsweger Gold' H: H. Robenek (c 1977-1978), G: H. Robenek (1982), N: H. Robenek, REG: W. Schmalscheidt (1992) Fls 6-12/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 38-42 × 50-70mm, 5-lobed, clear pure yellow, with a small, dark red, basal blotch; holds its colour well. Calyx 3mm long, reddish green to yellowish green. Lvs ovate, 50-92 × 26-48mm, dark shiny green above, mucronate at apex. Shrub 1.0 × 0.7m in c14 years. Mid-late May. (Published by Schmalscheidt in *Rhododendron- und Azaleenzüchtung in Deutschland*, part II (1930-1988), 1989)

(r) **'Walter S. Reuthe'** (Syn. of 'W.S. Reuthe')

(r) **'Waltham'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Laetevirens' (s) × *minus* Carolinianum Group H: R.L. Ticknor (pre 1960), G: Weston Nurseries, N: E.V. Mezitt, I: Weston Nurseries (1977), REG: R.W. Mezitt (1998) Fls 8/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, c20 × 20mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (74D). Calyx 1.5mm long, pink. Lvs elliptic, 50 × 20mm, with flat margins, decurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dark green above, scaly above and below. Shrub 0.3 × 0.9m in 10 years. Mid May. (Published in Weston Nurseries cat., 1977; illustrated in 1989 cat)

(r) **'Waltham No. 10'** (Syn. of 'Desmit')

(a) **'Walther Behrends'** cv. Evergreen azalea: un-named red seedling × 'Multiflorum' R: U. Schumacher (1962), N: U. Schumacher, I: U. Schumacher (1968) Fls pale red, with extensive, inconspicuous red markings

(r) **'Walther S. Reuthe'** (Syn. of 'W.S. Reuthe')

(a) **'Walton's Queen of the North'** (Syn. of 'Queen of the North')

(r) **'Waltraud'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Doncaster' R: A. Behrens (1979), N: A. Behrens, I: H. Bohlen (1989) Fls intense, bright rose, with strong dark red markings

(r) **'Walt's Legacy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *aureum* (s) × 'Blewbury' H: W.B. Wilkes (1984), G: W.B. Wilkes

(1987), N: C. Smith (1997), REG: C. Smith (2001) Fls 12/dome to ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 40mm, with flat-edged lobes, reddish brown in bud, opening creamy white throughout, with some light yellow spotting on the dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 65 × 20-25mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 10 years. Early April

(r) **'Waltz Time'** cv. Parentage unknown H: G.W. Clarke (pre 1980)

(a) **'Waltztime'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Waraigishi' × 'Kagetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1965) Fls double, 70-75mm wide, lobes 16-20 (narrow, rather irregular), old rose (verging towards venetian pink), the centre of the flower white (but this slow to appear and usually not until the plant is mature). Shrub broader than tall, slow-growing. Back Acres

(a) **'Wanderer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Illusion' (s) × 'Osakazuki' × 'Flame' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls of starry form, 2-3/truss, 65mm wide, deep rose pink (deep purplish pink (64D)), with a heavy blotch of amaranth purple (deep purplish red (61A)) dots. Shrub to 1.5m. Early-mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Wanna Bee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Jiminy Cricket' H: W.E. Berg (1964), G: W.E. Berg and L.L. & E.F. Newcomb (1972), S: L.L. & E.F. Newcomb, N: L.L. & E.F. Newcomb, I: L.L. & E.F. Newcomb (1987), REG: E.F. Newcomb (1990) Fls 10-12/domed truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 51 × 57mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (58C) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (55D) tinged pale purplish pink (56D) with a small flare and speckles of vivid reddish orange (42A) on the dorsal lobe, outside deep purplish pink (55A) at base shading to light purplish pink (55C) at the margins. Calyx 32mm long, coloured as corolla, with very wavy-edged lobes. Lvs elliptic, 89-159 × 32-67mm, slightly convex, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless and glossy green (darker than dark yellowish green (139A)) above, with a felt-like indumentum below, yellowish white (158C) when young, moderate orange-yellow (164B) at maturity; petioles hairy. Shrub 0.6 × 0.9m in 8 years. Mid April-early May

(a) **'Wansbeck'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: F.E.W. Hanger, G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, REG: Royal Horticultural Society (1971) Fls 9-13/dense, globular truss, open funnel-shaped, 70 × 95mm, more-or-light light purplish pink (55C) with veins and margins deep purplish pink (55A); dorsl blotch of more-or-less vivid yellowish orange (30C), fading on upper edge to near vivid/brilliant yellow (15A/C). Lvs 70 × 35mm, light green, tinged dark reddish brown. Shrub c1.5m. *HC 1971

(r) **'Wantage'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group × Dido Group R: Crown Estate Commissioners (1955), N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners, REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1970) Fls 6-8/loose truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 45 × 50mm, 5-lobed, vivid reddish orange (42A) with some darkening of the veins. Lvs narrowly elliptic, up to 115 × 30mm, acute at apex, slightly reflexed at margins. Shrub 0.6 × 1.9m in c15 years. PC 1970

(a) **'Wapato'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Graciosum' (Occidentale) × a Ghent hybrid R: B.F. Lancaster, N: B.F. Lancaster, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink

(a) **'Warai-gao'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, deep rose pink. Kurume

(a) **'Warai-gishi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single or semi-double, 65-75mm wide, deep rose, with a darker blotch. Syn: 'Warai-shishi'; 'Waraijishi' (Perhaps the same as 'Ko-tsubaki')

(a) **'Warai-jishi'** (Syn. of 'Warai-gishi')

(a) **'Warai-shishi'** (Syn. of 'Waraigishi')

(a) **'Warbler'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: H.W. Motzkau, N: Yoder Bros, I: Yoder Bros Fls double, hose-in-hose, cherryblossom pink. Early-midseason. (Published in Yoder Bros cat., 1973)

(r) **Warbler Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* (s) × *neriiflorum* I: Lord Headfort (1938), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Warburton'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loder's White' × 'Kew Pearl' H: H.D. Rose, G: H.D. Rose (1970), N: H.D. Rose, I: H.D. Rose, REG: H.D. Rose (1973) Fls 13/truss, campanulate, white, tinged light purplish pink (63D), lightly spotted on dorsal lobes with deep purplish red (59B). Lvs lanceolate, 115 × 40mm. Shrub 1.2m tall

(r) **'Warchant'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Old Copper', selfed R: L.W. Bulgin (pre 1996) Fls orange, with a darker throat. Lvs dark green. Spreading shrub, 1.2m tall in 10 years

(r) **'War Dance'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × 'Pygmalion' H: M.E. Hall (1970), G: E.J. Brown (1975), N: E.J. Brown, REG: E.J. Brown (1979) Fls 17-21/ball truss, open funnel-campanulate, 50 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (46A), with a moderate, black, dorsal blotch and black dorsal spotting. Calyx minute. Lvs elliptic, 130 × 50mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dark green (136A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 1.5m in 7 years. Mid May

(r) **'Wardanthum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* (s) × *wardii* I: J.B. Stevenson (1953), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Warden Wink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tip-the-wink' (s) × *wardii* R: A.W. Mansfield, N: A.W. Mansfield, I: A.W. Mansfield (1939), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Wardian Cream'** cv. Parentage unknown H: B. Nelson (pre 1971)

(r) **'Wardi Wink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tip-the-wink' (s) × *wardii* I: Sir Giles Loder (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) (Perhaps the same clone as 'Warden Wink')

(a) **'Ward's Ruby'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1920), N: USA, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 2-3/lax truss, campanulate, 5-lobed, up to 25 × 30-35mm, dark ruby red, lower half of dorsal lobe finely spotted a deeper colour. Calyx green, hairy. Lvs elliptic, up to 30 × 17mm, dark and glossy green above, midrib hairy. Shrub to at least 0.6 × 0.9m. Late May. PC 1977, *AM 1986. Kurume

(r) **'Wardzel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* × 'Zelia Plumecocq' H: B. Aunsbjorn (1979), G: T. Aunsbjorn (1985), N: T. Aunsbjorn, REG: T. Aunsbjorn (1988) Fls 9-14/flat truss, open campanulate, 26 × 80mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, brilliant greenish yellow (6A). Lvs ovate, 120 × 60mm, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.6m in 9 years. Late May-early June

(a) **'Wareanum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (In the 1847 and later Verschaffelt catalogues spelt as 'Warreanum')

(r) **'Wareham'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: reputedly a hybrid of the subsect. *Fortunea* H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: C.O. Dexter & R. Willard, N: J.C. Wister, I: J.S. Wells (c 1959), REG: John J. Tyler Arboretum (1980) Fls 12/ball truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 90mm wide, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, strong to light purplish pink (5RP 7/9-8/5), with faint, strong greenish yellow (10Y 8/11) spotting on three dorsal lobes; moderately scented. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 65mm, flat, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 2.1m in 21 years. Mid May. Syn: 'Willard No. 1'

(r) **'Warfield'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Jalisco Group × 'Crest' R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1970) Fls 10-12/rounded truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, up to 50 × 95mm, 7-lobed, pale yellow-green (4D), deepening to light greenish yellow (4C) at centre of lobes (especially on dorsal lobes); throat deeper yellow, heavily marked strong red (46A). Lvs elliptic, 140 × 65mm, apiculate at apex, subcordate at base. AM 1970

(r) **'Warleyense'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Miss E.A. Wilmott (1914), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Warlock'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Romany Chal Group × 'Purple Splendour' H: C.W. Bledsoe (1957), G: C.W. Bledsoe (1963), I: D.L. Bledsoe (1973), REG: D.L. Bledsoe (1975) Fls 14/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, very dark reddish purple with a heavily embossed, dorsal, black blotch and spotting. Calyx 2.5mm long, lavender. Lvs elliptic to oblong, 140 × 60mm, acute at apex, rounded at base, dark green, hairless; petioles dark red; new growth maroon. Shrub 2.5 × 3.0m in 15 years. Early June

(r) **'War Lord'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Tally Ho Group × 'Britannia' R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in well-formed trusses, deep and brilliant red. Mid May

(r) **'Warm Embrace'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ronald Otto Delp' (s) × 'Gosh Darn!' R: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls with wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63B) and strong to light purplish pink (63C-D) in bud, opening light and pale purplish pink (65B-D), with a pale greenish yellow (2D) throat and deep red (60A) dorsal spots; outside with strong purplish red (63B) veining; filaments and style pale greenish yellow (2D); anthers pale yellow (11C); stigma moderate reddish orange (173B). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Warm Glow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* hybrid × 'Vida' H: H.E. Greer (1960), G: H.E. Greer (1964), N: H.E. Greer, I: H.E. Greer (1976), REG: H.E. Greer (1979) Fls 10-12/lax truss, tubular-campanulate, 50 × 65mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, outside strong reddish orange (7.5R 6/12), inside with an orange (7YR 7/11) tube and lighter lobes, dorsal lobe spotting of dark red (2.5R 3/7). Calyx 6-13mm long, orange. Lvs 105 × 40mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, mid green above, hairless. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Warm Spring'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Fawn' (s) × Dido Group R: D.W. James, N: D.W. James (1959), I: D.W. James, REG: D.W. James (1961) Fls 8-10/rounded truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 100mm wide, light yellow (17D), flushed pink. Lvs 200 × 75mm. Late

(r) **'Warm Welcome'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Essex Scarlet' × *fortunei* H: B. & M. Shapiro (1959), G: B. & M. Shapiro, N: B. & M. Shapiro, REG: B. & M. Shapiro (1995) Fls 13/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, with 7 smooth-edged lobes, inside strong purplish pink (62A) paling to nearly white at centre and with strong purplish red (71B) spotting in the throat; outside strong purplish pink (62A); stamens 12, vestigial. Calyx c3mm long, light green. Lvs narrowly obovate, 178 × 76mm, flat, cuspidate at apex, rounded/slightly oblique at base, moderate olive green (137A-B) and semi-glossy above, with sparse white hairs when young (and on petioles). Shrub 2.2 × 2.0m in 36 years. Late May-early June

(r) **'War Paint'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *elliottii* G: D.W. James, N: D.W. James, I: D.W.

James (c 1956), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 30-40/full rounded, truss, campanulate, 75 × 75mm, crimson scarlet. (Raised from seed sent by C.P. Raffill, 1949, originating at Clyne Castle (Wales))

(a) **'Warpaint'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Malvaticum' × 'Dainty' × 'Miyuno-no-tsuki' R: R.D. Gartrell (pre 1981), N: Cripple Creek Nursery, I: Cripple Creek Nursery (c 1984) Fls saucer-shaped, 75mm wide, with broad lobes, strong purplish pink (63C); variable, some with darker margins, some purplish red, variable splashes. Shrub to 1.0m tall. Very late

(a) **'Warreanum'** (See note under 'Wareanum')

(r) **'Warren'** cv. Parentage unknown H: Cribbs (pre 1980)

(r) **'Warren Stokes'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* × unknown H: W.E. Stokes (c 1960), G: W.E. Stokes (1968), N: O. Prycl, REG: O. Prycl (1992) Fls 15-17/truss, open funnel-shaped, 52 × 77mm, vivid purple (87B), with a vivid yellow (15A) spotted blotch on the dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 110 × 75mm, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 15 years. Late May

(a) **'Warrior'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Mrs Carmichael' (s) × 'Alice' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3-5/truss, 50mm wide, mallow purple (strong reddish purple (72C)), with a rose red (vivid red (52A)) blotch covering dorsal lobe and part of adjoining lobes. Shrub to 2.2m. Late April. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Warrior'** (Syn. of 'The Warrior')

(r) **'Warriors' Child'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' (s) × 'War Dance' H: J. Leonard (1983), G: J. Leonard (1989), N: J. Leonard, I: Briarwood Gardens, REG: Briarwood Gardens (1993) Fls 19/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 57 × 89mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, strong red (46A) with some deep red (53A) speckling on dorsal lobe and white anthers; stamens 10-11, curved, unequal. Calyx less than 2mm long, light yellow-green (145B). Pedicels 38mm long, dark reddish orange (172B) above, light yellow-green (145B) below. Lvs elliptic, 89-165 × 38-70mm, convex, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, bullate, hairless; petioles 16-25mm long, strong yellow-green (145A) above, dark reddish orange (172B) below. Shrub c1.2-1.5m tall and somewhat broader in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Wartburg'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Dietrich' (s) × 'Madame Ida Rubenstein' R: E. Herrmann (1964), N: E. Herrmann Fls in a compact truss, pale rose, with strong dark red markings

(r) **'Warwick'** cv. Parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), N: W. Baldsiefen, I: W. Baldsiefen (c 1963) Fls 75mm wide, rose pink; scented. Large shrub

(a) **'Wasegiri'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls strawberry pink. Kurume

(a) **'Washington'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C. Schulz (pre 1863), N: C. Schulz, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Washington'** cv. Parentage unknown N: B.F. Lancaster, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Washington Centennial'** (Syn. of 'Washington State Centennial')

(a) **'Washington State Centennial'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *occidentale* × *cumberlandense* × 'Santiam' H: F.D. Mossman, G: F.D. Mossman, N: Washington State Centennial Committee, I: Bruce Briggs (1989), REG: F.D. Mossman (1986) Fls single, 10-11/ball truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 38 × 89mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, buds red on tube, orange-yellow, red and green on lobe backs, opening light orange-yellow (16C), paling to white, entire upper lobe strong orange-yellow (17A), occasional 17A extensions onto adjacent lobes, edging (0-6mm wide) of strong pink (50C); irregular veins of 50C; highly scented. Calyx up to 6mm long, strong yellow-green (143B). Lvs elliptic to narrowly obovate, 98 × 46mm, very glossy and dark green (132A) above, moderate yellow-green (138B) below, hairy; bronze, red and yellow in autumn. Shrub 1.5 × 0.9m in 10 years. May. Syn: 'Centennial', 'Washington Centennial'

(r) **'Wassail'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *ciliatum* (s) × *lindleyi* H: C.R.W. Waddington (1990), G: C.R.W. Waddington (1995), N: C.R.W. Waddington (1998), REG: C.R.W. Waddington (1998) Fls 5-6/flat truss, funnel-shaped, 75 × 90mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, white, tipped deep purplish pink (70C) in bud, opening inside white with three dorsal lobes tipped deep purplish pink (70C), outside also white with three dorsal lobes tipped deep purplish pink (70C); strong purplish red (60C) speckling on apical part of throat (35 × 25mm); scented. Calyx 5mm long, green. Lvs oblong-elliptic, 110 × 40mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy above. Shrub 0.7 × 0.5m in 8 years. Mid-late April

(a) **'Wastera'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: H.A. Hesse (1899), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blood red, marked with yellow. Ghent

(a) **'Watchet'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Amagasa' × 'Louise Gable' × 'Tama-giku' H: R.D. Gartrell (1960), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell (1972), REG: R.D. Gartrell (1977) Fls single, 1-3/bud, broadly funnel-shaped, 58 × 75-90mm, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, moderate pink (49B), with faint strong pink (49A) spotting. Calyx 2mm long, light green. Dwarf, dense shrub. Late May. (Robin Hill no. T28-10)

(r) **'Watchung'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: sport from 'Ramapo' R: USA (pre 1984) Fls purple. Shrub 0.3-0.6m

(r) **'Water Cricket'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: (*griersonianum* × Siren Group) × Fabia Group × Grosclaude Group H: Waterer (Bagshot) (1958), G: Waterer (Bagshot) (1965), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer

(Bagshot) (1975), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975) Fls 12-14/truss, 40 × 40mm, 5-lobed, white, flushed rose in lobe sinuses. Calyx small. Lvs 90-100 × 20-30mm, with brownish indumentum. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. May

(a) **'Watereri'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: W. Rollisson & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent (Probably the 'Watereii' (sic) listed by A. Henderson cat., 1850s)

(r) **'Watereri'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a *maximum* hybrid L: USA (1910), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light pink, with darker pink margins and ochre yellow markings. Mid-late June. (Grown at the Arnold Arboretum (USA) since 1910)

(r) **'Waterer's Caucasicum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *caucasicum* hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 9-12/compact truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 60mm, deep rose, shading to white in throat, lightly spotted crimson on a white ground at base of dorsal lobe; nectaries crimson. Calyx small. Lvs elliptic, 85 × 35mm, with very thin, brown indumentum below. Shrub up to 0.6m in 10 years

(r) **'Waterer's Hybridum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *ferrugineum* hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose pink. (Perhaps a synonym of 'Arbutifolium')

(a) **'Waterer's Red'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: H. White (pre 1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink. Ghent

(r) **'Waterer's Victoria'** cv. Parentage unknown L: T. Methven & Son (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep claret (1958 Register); fls violet, spotted black (V. J. Boulter cat., pre-1970)

(r) **'Waterfall'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* × *maddenii* subsp. *crassum* (Cooper's form) R: Lord Aberconway & The National Trust, N: Lord Aberconway & The National Trust, REG: Lord Aberconway & The National Trust (1971) Fls 8/loose truss, tubular funnel-shaped, pale purplish pink (62D) at edges, darkening to strong purplish pink (62A) at base, with orange-red dorsal spotting; outside pale purplish pink (62D) at tips, darkening through shades of moderate purplish pink (62B) to deep pink (52B), suffused orange-red at base. Calyx rudimentary, with lobes up to 4mm long, green. Lvs elliptic to broadly elliptic, up to 65 × 30mm, dark and glossy green above, densely scaly below. AM 1971

(a) **'Watermelon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* × *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* R: J.B. Gable, N: O.S. Pride (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink. Gable

(v) **'Watermelon Dream'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 2000) Fls in large trusses, rich pink; scented. Large lvs

(a) **'Watermelon Ice'** (Listed as a parent of 'Vinecourt Duchess'; perhaps an error for 'Strawberry Ice')

(a) **'Watermelon Pink'** (Syn. of 'Elegans Superbum')

(a) **'Watermelon Red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls deep pink. Early

(r) **'Watermelon Wine'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Whitney's Orange' (s) × *bureavii* × Fabia Group H: K.T. Shea (1984), G: B.J. Ogdon (1996), N: B.J. Ogdon (1999), REG: B.J. Ogdon (1999) Fls 6/lax truss, open campanulate, 60 × 80mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (47B) in bud and on opening inside and out, with faint spotting on all lobes; anthers brown; stigma red; maroon nectar pouches. Calyx 40mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 96 × 48mm, margins decurved, matt green, hairless. Shrub 0.55 × 1.0m in 10 years. Early May

(a) **'Watsonii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: ? 'Puniceum' × 'Danielsianum' L: Margottin (1854), INC: ICRA (1958) (Perhaps the plant listed by A. van Geert, 1852)

(r) **'Watsonii'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Burdin (1845), INC: ICRA (1958)

(v) **'Wattle Bird'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* (s) × *aurigeranum* H: J.L. Rouse, G: J.L. Rouse (1979), N: J.L. Rouse, I: J.L. Rouse, REG: J.L. Rouse (1984) Fls 7-9/truss, tubular-campanulate, 80 × 60mm, strong orange-yellow (17A). Lvs ovate, 120 × 30mm. Shrub c2m high

(a) **'Watt Tyler'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Gebr Kersbergen, N: Gebr Kersbergen, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange rose. Mollis

(a) **'Wavelet'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 65mm wide, white, with a yellow blotch. Shrub to 1.5m. Mid-late May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Waveney'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: F.E.W. Hanger, G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society (1960), REG: Royal Horticultural Society (1961) Fls 12-18/globular truss, funnel-shaped, c70 × 75mm, with wavy-edged lobes, light orange-yellow (16C), with a vivid orange-yellow (21A) blotch. Lvs 100-125 × 25-40mm, glossy and mid green above, tinged brown. Shrub 1.4 × 0.8m. Mid May. *HC 1960. Knap Hill

(r) **'Wavertree'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown, chance seedling R: F. Waley, N: F. Waley, I: D. Sampson, REG: D. Sampson (1991) Fls 3-5/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 30-35 × 40mm, 5-lobed, white, with a pale pink flush. Calyx very small, green. Lvs oblong, 45 × 25mm, blue-green, hairless. Shrub 1.3 × 0.9m in 6 years. May-June

(r) **'Waxbill'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *keiskei* 'Yaku Fairy' (s) × *spinuliferum* H: P.A. Cox (1988), G: P.A.

& K.N.E. Cox, N: P.A. & K.N.E. Cox, I: Glendoick Gardens, REG: Glendoick Gardens (1998) Fls 3-6/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 25 × 20mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (52C) in bud, opening inside light yellowish pink (36A) lightly flushed strong pink (49A), outside similar but striped and flushed deep pink (52C); unmarked. Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs lanceolate, 25-50 × 12-20mm, margins decurved, bluntly acute at apex, rounded to cuneate at base, matt green above. Flat-topped shrub, 0.5 × 1.0m in 10 years. March-April

(r) **'Waxen Bell'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *campanulatum* R: R.B.G., Edinburgh, N: R.B.G., Edinburgh, I: R.B.G., Edinburgh (1965), REG: R.B.G., Edinburgh (1965) Fls 13/fairly loose truss, funnel-campanulate, 30 × 50mm, 5-lobed (the lobes spreading, waxy textured), phlox purple (632/3), spotted pansy purple (928). Lvs oblong-elliptic, 75 × 40mm, with a cinnamon brown, felted indumentum. AM 1965

(r) **'Waxeye'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Loderi Group seedling H: Mr & Mrs A.G. Holmes, G: Mr & Mrs A.G. Holmes, N: Mr & Mrs A.G. Holmes, I: Mr & Mrs A.G. Holmes, REG: Mr & Mrs A.G. Holmes (1979) Fls white (155D), with a strong yellow-green (144B) eye

(r) **'Wax Lyrical'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.G.T. Hyde (1970s), G: W.G.T. Hyde (1980s), N: Mrs R. Legrand (1998), I: Mrs R. Legrand (1998), REG: Mrs R. Legrand (1998) Fls 7-8/slightly loose truss, open funnel-shaped (with a star-shaped face), 60 × 28mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, moderate red (47A) in bud, opening strong pink (48C) inside, deep pink (47D) outside; speckled with moderate red (47A) in dorsal throat; of stiff, waxy texture. Calyx 10mm long, light yellow-green (154D) tinged deep pink (47D). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 100 × 48mm, margins decurved, obtuse at apex, narrowly obtuse at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 1.55 × 1.35m in 20 years. May. Flower form resembles an azaleodendron

(r) **'Wax Red'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably *maximum* (s) × possibly 'America' H: E.A. Skonieczny (pre 1972), G: E.A. Skonieczny (c 1976), N: E.A. Skonieczny, REG: A.E. Kehr (1995) Fls 14-18/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 76mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, strong red (46A); stamens 10, curved, unequal. Pedicels 25mm long, currant red. Lvs elliptic, 127-152 × 44-57mm, concave, acute at apex, rounded at base, dull deep green and bullate above, hairless; petioles 19mm long, reddish. Shrub 1.5 × 1.1m in 15 years. Early May

(a) **'Waxwing'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink, with an orange blotch. Knap Hill

(r) **'Waxwing'** cv. Parentage unknown H: H. Lem (pre 1980)

(a) **'Waxwork'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: unknown (1863), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, with thick, wax-like corollas, pure white, striped and flaked with purple (Lucombe, Pince & Co. cat., 1868). Indian

(a) **'Wayah Crest'** cv. Deciduous azalea: wild-collected, natural hybrid, believed to be *arborescens* × *calendulaceum* or *cumberlandense* S: L.C. Towe (1985), N: L.C. Towe, I: The Cummins Garden (1988), REG: L.C. Towe (1990) Fls single, 5-7/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 25 × 44mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (55A) with an inconspicuous orange blotch; highly scented. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 57 × 25mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless and glossy above. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 6 year (to 1.8m tall in wild). June. (Wild origin: Appalachian Trail, North Carolina, USA, at 1525m. Published in The Cummins Garden cat., 1988)

(r) **'Way Ahead'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cary Ann' × 'Mars' H: A.A. Wright (pre 1982), G: A.A. Wright (1985), N: A.A. Wright, I: Wright's Nursery, REG: Wright's Nursery (1990) Fls 14/conical truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 41 × 64mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, china rose (024) at margins, shading to white at centre. Lvs lanceolate, 114 × 44mm, acute at apex, rounded at base, dark green above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.8m in 4 years. Late April

(r) **Wayfarer Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Chanticleer' × Phidias Group H: Lord Aberconway (1937), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(r) **'Wayford'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *calophytum* (s) × 'Gill's Triumph' H: E.J.P. Magor, N: H.L.P. Baker, I: H.L.P. Baker (1957), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c24/flat-topped truss, open campanulate, 50 × 75mm, white, with a dark crimson basal blotch. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 350 × 115mm, sparsely grey tomentose below. AM 1957, FCC 1976 (Nausicaa Group)

(r) **'Wayne Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Dexter hybrid (s) × unknown G: J.F. Knippenberg (1953), N: J.F. Knippenberg, I: J.F. Knippenberg, REG: J.F. Knippenberg (1966) Fls 19-22/domed truss, campanulate, up to 90mm wide, spiraea red. Lvs up to 175 × 65mm. Shrub 1.9 × 1.9m in 12 years. Late May

(r) **'W. Barron'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a dark purple blotch

(a) **'W.C. Bryant'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: S.B. Parsons, INC: ICRA (1958). Ghent

(r) **'W. Cowper'** (Syn. of 'William Cowper')

(r) **'W. Downing'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls brownish purple or dark puce

(r) **'Wearii'** (Syn. of 'Werei')

(r) **'Weatherproof'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Webbstein'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown Fls crimson. (? date)

(r) **'Weber's Pride'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lady Clementine Mitford' × 'Kate Waterer' H: E.O. Weber (1957), G: E.O. Weber (1996), N: E.O. Weber, I: E.O. Weber (1973), REG: E.O. Weber (1974) Fls up to 17/conical truss, flat saucer-shaped, 50 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside rhodamine purple (29/3), with a mars orange (013/1) blotch on three dorsal lobes, outside cyclamen purple (30/3). Calyx 3mm long, cyclamen purple (30/3). Lvs oblanceolate, 125-200 × 40-55mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, bright green, hairless. Shrub 2.0 × 1.0m in 15 years. Late May

(r) **'Web's Special'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *keiskei* (as var. *cordifolium*) × *keiskei* (dwarf form) H: W.E. Berg (1972), G: B.M. Smith, N: B.M. Smith, I: B.M. Smith, REG: B.M. Smith (1989) Fls 3-5/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 32 × 44-57mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale greenish yellow (1D) with deep greenish yellow (153A) spotting on the dorsal lobe. Calyx c2mm long, mid green. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 48 × 16mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, with tiny, widely spaced, amber scales. Creeping shrub, 0.2 × 0.6m in 12 years. Mid April

(r) **'Wed'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Harrisville' (s) × 'Goldsworth Yellow' H: W.E. Delp (1979), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1993) Fls 12/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 55 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish purple (74A, B) and very pale purple (73D) in bud, opening white, tinged 74B at first but fading to white, with strong yellow-green (145A) spots on 3 dorsal lobes; filaments yellowish white (155D); style light purplish pink (63D); anthers pale orange-yellow (159B); stigma greyish red (184A). Lvs 127 × 57mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 13 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Wedding Bells'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Roehrs, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, campanulate, white, with ruffled margins. Indian

(a) **'Wedding Bouquet'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Homebush' × 'White Swan' × 'Persil' H: P.E. Girard (1970), G: P.E. Girard, N: P.E. Girard, I: P.E. Girard, REG: P.E. Girard (1983) Fls 28-36/ball to domed truss, open funnel-campanulate, 25 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong yellowish pink (37B) in bud, opening white, flushed moderate pink (49B) especially at margins, brilliant yellow (8A) dorsal blotch; throat and outside white; stamens absent, represented by a short tuft of petaloids up to three quarters as long and coloured as corolla; strongly scented. Calyx 3mm long, strong yellow-green (141D). Lvs elliptic, 65 × 30mm, moderate yellowish green (138A), setose and hairy; moderate yellow (162A) in autumn. Shrub 0.8 × 0.6m in 4 years. Mid May

(r) **'Wedding Bouquet'** (Syn. of 'Amy Jane')

(r) **'Wedding Cake'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Splendour' × *fortunei* × 'Purple Splendour' H: B. & M. Shapiro (1966), G: B. & M. Shapiro, N: B. & M. Shapiro, REG: B. & M. Shapiro (1989) Fls 12-13/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 57 × 89mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, white with light purplish pink (73C) margins and a brilliant greenish yellow (3A) flare on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 1mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 152 × 51mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.7m in 22 years. Late May

(a) **'Wedding Day'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: T.J. Hallam (pre 1985), N: T.J. Hallam

(a) **'Wedding Day'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: H.C. Weiskittel (c 1990), G: H.C. Weiskittel, N: H.C. Weiskittel (1995), I: Marshy Point Nursery (1995) Fls up to 10/multibud, ball truss, double (with no normal stamens), broadly funnel-shaped, 35-40 × 50-65mm, with 17-19 flat-edged lobes, light yellow-green (145B-D) in bud, opening white (155C), the inside of centre and base of tube outside flushed with brilliant and light yellow-green (150C-D). Calyx c4mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic to obovate, 40-50 × 18-22mm, margins slightly upcurved, acute to broadly acute at apex, with a small mucro, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, with discrete, appressed pale yellow hairs on both surfaces and on petiole. Shrub c0.75m in 5 years. Midseason. (Published in Marshy Point Nursery cat., 1995-96)

(r) **'Wedding Gown'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *veitchianum* × *burmanicum* H: K. Van de Ven, G: K. Van de Ven (1982), N: K. Van de Ven, I: K. Van de Ven, REG: K. Van de Ven (1986) Fls 5-7/truss, funnel-shaped, 70 × 100mm, yellowish white (155D), slightly yellow in throat and on dorsal lobe. Lvs obovate, 60 × 25mm. Shrub 1.5m

(v) **'Wee Annie'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown N: Vireya Venue (pre 1997), I: Vireya Venue Fls small, campanulate, soft pink. Lvs very small. Small but strong-growing shrub to 30cm

(r) **'Wee Bee'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Patricia' × *keiskei* 'Yaku Fairy' H: W.E. Berg (1972), G: W.E. Berg (c 1976), N: W.E. Berg, REG: W.E. Berg (1987) Fls 3-5/lax cluster, open funnel-shaped, 32 × 38mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep yellowish pink (46D) in bud, opening vivid red (52A), shading to strong pink (52C) in throat, with vivid red (45B) spotting on the dorsal lobe; outside 52A with strong red (51A) rays down each lobe. Calyx 3mm long, light yellow-green (144D). Lvs elliptic, 30 × 14mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (137A) above, moderate yellow-green (146C) below, with tiny, closely spaced scales. Shrub 0.5 × 0.8m in 13 years. Mid-April. Syn: 'Not Too Bee'

(r) **'Wee Flirt'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* hybrid L: USA (1985) (Possibly raised in England)

(r) **'Wee Lad'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group, tetraploid × 'Blue Diamond' (s) × *minus* Carolinianum Group, tetraploid × *fastigiatum* H: J. Looye (1984), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls strong purple (84A) in bud, opening strong to very pale purple (84A-D)

(r) **'Wee Love'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group (compact, white form) × *minus* Carolinianum Group (compact, white form) × *keiskei* H: W.M. Fetterhoff (1974), G: W.M. Fetterhoff (1979), N: W.M. Fetterhoff, I: W.M. Fetterhoff, REG: W.M. Fetterhoff (1988) Fls 4-16/domed truss (consisting of 1-2 buds each with 4-10 fls), broadly funnel-shaped, 20 × 30mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, the dorsal lobe slightly reflexed, greenish yellow in bud, opening creamy white. Calyx very small. Lvs elliptic, 30-60 × 10-30mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate yellow-green above, with closely spaced brown scales below. Shrub 0.25 × 1.0m in 13 years. Early May

(a) **'Wee Willie'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' × 'Louise Gable' × 'Tama-giku' H: R.D. Gartrell (1962), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, REG: D.H. Voss (1991) Fls single, 2/bud, broadly funnel-shaped, with 5 wavy-edged, broadly overlapping lobes, a light tint of strong pink (52D) to moderate purplish pink (54D), sometimes with very slight reddish orange haze, throat slightly greenish white; faintly spotted strong purplish pink (55B). Calyx 3mm long, light yellow-green (145C). Lvs elliptic to narrowly obovate, 26 × 12mm. Dwarf, dense, mounding shrub. Early June. (Robin Hill no. V2-10. Published in *Q.Bull. Am.Rh.Soc.* 34 (2): 80 (1980))

(r) **'Wee Willie Winkie'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Winsome' R: unknown (pre 1994) Fls pink. Lvs typical of *yakushimanum.* Shrub of compact, rounded habit, 0.9m in 10 years. Midseason. (Listed by Riverwood Nursery (NZ), 1994)

(v) **'Wee Willie Winkie'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *macgregoriae* × *stenophyllum* H: G.L.S. Snell, G: G.L.S. Snell (1988), N: R. Macdonald, I: Foothills Nursery (1990), REG: Foothills Nursery (1991) Fls 2/truss, funnel-shaped, 20 × 25mm, 5-lobed, vivid reddish orange (33B). Lvs linear, 45 × 5mm. Shrub 0.5m. Spring-autumn

(r) **'Weezie'** cv. Parentage unknown H: W.F. Winkler (pre 1978)

(r) **Wega Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sir Charles Butler' (s) × *williamsianum* R: D.G Hobbie (pre 1945) Fls pale pink, slightly scented. Syn: Psyche Group

(a) **'W.E. Gladstone'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: M. Koster & Sons, N: M. Koster & Sons, I: M Koster & Sons (1902), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-yellow. Mollis

(r) **'W.E. Gladstone'** (Syn. of 'William Ewart Gladstone')

(a) **'W.E. Gumbleton'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 55mm wide, light yellow, with a faint greenish blotch. Midseason. Mollis

(a) **'Weihnacht(en)'** (Syn. of 'Weinachtsblüme')

(a) **'Weinachtsblüme'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Madame Petrick' I: M.C. Dierickx-Nuytens (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, deep rose (darker than parent). Lvs more rounded than parent. Syn: 'Weihnacht (en)'

(a) **'Weinachtsprinzessin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Königin Cleopatra' I: "C.U." (1892), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls alabaster white, sometimes striped and dotted with carmine red. Indian

(r) **'Weinlese'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fabia Group × *smirnowii* × *smirnowii* R: W. Nagel (1973), N: W. Nagel, I: W. Nagel (1995), REG: ICRA (2000) Fls bright dark pink

(a) **'Weisse Schäme'** (Syn. of 'Schäme Albus')

(r) **'Weiss Hickon'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Clarendon Gardens (1964)

(a) **'Welcome'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' × *mucronatum* (s) × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y> Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 65-75mm wide, mallow pink (moderate purplish pink (78D)), shading to amaranth pink (deep purplish pink (72D)) in centre of lobes, throat white except below dorsal lobe, blotch with tyrian rose (vivid purplish red (57B)) dots; some sports with all white throat. Shrub to 1.5m. Mid-late May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Welcome Stranger'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *lacteum* (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* R: L. de Rothschild, I: A.E. Hardy, REG: A.E. Hardy (1977) Fls in large, open, flat-topped truss, campanulate, up to 100 × 70mm, 7-lobed, pale yellow-green (4D) deepening in throat to pale yellow (8D) with greenish red markings on the dorsal lobes. Calyx rudimentary, green, glandular. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, up to 180 × 65mm. AM 1977 (Repose Group)

(r) **'Weldy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Pygmalion' × *haematodes* × *yakushimanum* Exbury form H: A.E. Kehr (1973), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 24/truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 70mm, with 7 very wavy-edged lobes, deep and strong red (53A, B, C) in bud, opening to a blend of light and pale purplish pink (55C, D, 56A-D), fading to lighter than pale purplish pink (56D) and yellowish white (158D); filaments pale yellow-green (157C); style light yellow-green (2C); anthers greyish reddish orange (176C); stigma

strong reddish orange (42C). Lvs 70 × 25mm, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, with a slightly woolly, white indumentum. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 19 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids* Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Welkin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Eros Group (s) × *haematodes* H: Lord Aberconway (1934), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3-4/truss, 75 × 90mm, geranium lake (20/1) to delft rose (020). Calyx up to 50mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 75-100mm long, sparsely tomentose below. AM 1946, FCC 1951 (Welkin Group)

(r) **Welkin Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Eros Group (s) × *haematodes* H: Lord Aberconway (1934), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Wellesleyanum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* (s) × *catawbiense* I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1880), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, tinged light rose at first. Syn: 'Maximum Wellesleyanum' (Some sources indicate *arboreum* × *caucasicum* as a more likely parentage)

(r) **'Wellfleet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a *fortunei* hybrid R: UK (pre 1920), N: USA (pre 1980) (Imported by Farquhar Nursery to USA in 1920s from Veitch (Exeter). Grown by Dexter as his no. 8)

(a) **'Wellington'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1849), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark red. (Perhaps the same plant listed as 'Duke of Wellington'. Exhibited by Paillet (France), 1849)

(r) **'Wellingtonii'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Wells'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1990)

(r) **'Wellscheimer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: Germany (pre 1997) Fls appleblossom pink. Shrub similar to 'Yaku Angel'

(r) **'Wellsianum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid ? L: J. Veitch & Sons (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright scarlet

(r) **'Well Suited'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ronald Otto Delp' × aff. *vernicosum* (Rock 18139) (s) × Nereid Group × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* H: W.E. Delp (1983), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1996) Fls 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, 5-lobed, the lobes very wavy-edged, a blend of moderate purplish red to deep purplish pink (70A-C) in bud, opening very pale purple (69D) edged strong reddish purple (70B) and deep purplish pink (70C), spotted brilliant greenish yellow (1A) and strong yellow-green (144A) on three dorsal lobes; anthers light purple (77C). Lvs 90 × 40mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base. Early June. (First published in *J. Am.Rh.Soc.* 43 (1): 2-5 & 58 (1989))

(a) **'Welmet'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Oakland' (s) × 'Heiwa' H: R.D. Gartrell (1962), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell (1970), REG: R.D. Gartrell (1985) Fls single, 2/bud, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 92mm, (5-)6-lobed, deep purplish pink (61D) to strong purplish pink (62A), throat slightly greenish white, spotting deep red (60A), lobes slightly wavy-edged. Calyx 7mm long, strong yellow-green (143C). Spring lvs narrowly elliptic to oblanceolate, 51 × 17mm. Shrub up to 1.5m. (Robin Hill no. T24-5)

(r) **'Welshpool'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: W.A. Reese (1962), G: W.A. Reese (1966), N: W.A. Reese, I: W.A. Reese, REG: W.A. Reese (1977) Fls up to 10/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50mm wide, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, white, with a very faint splash of yellow and c12 yellow dots in the throat; moderately scented. Lvs elliptic to narrowly obovate, 80 × 65mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (137A) above, with a slight tan indumentum below. Shrub 1.0 × 0.5m in 13 years. Mid May

(r) **'Welsianum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Caledonia Nursery (1905), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 'a lovely pink'. Very dense-growing shrub. (Perhaps the same plant listed c1850 by Knight & Perry, without description)

(r) **'Wemrock'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Janet Blair' × white seedling of unknown parentage H: L. Yavorsky (c 1976), G: L. Yavorsky (1985), N: A.M. Gray, I: L. Yavorsky, REG: L. Yavorsky (1986) Fls 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 76mm, 5-lobed, pale yellow to pale orange-yellow (19C-D), edged strong pink (48C), with a spotted dorsal flare of strong orange-yellow (22A); outside with deep yellowish pink (44D) ribbing. Calyx 3mm long, bright green, edged red. Lvs obovate and elliptic, 117-121 × 54-57m, hairless. Shrub 0.7 × 1.1m in 10 years. Early May

(a) **'Wendy'** (Syn. of 'Robin Hill Wendy')

(a) **'Wendy'** cv. Parentage unknown I: J. Vermeulen & Son (1955), INC: ICRA (1958) (Galle (1987) lists a white-flowered Kurume of this name, which may be the same plant)

(r) **'Wendy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Cornish Cross Group × *williamsianum* H: L.E. Brandt, G: L.E. Brandt (1957), N: L.E. Brandt (1960), REG: L.E. Brandt (1961) Fls 9/fairly compact truss, 50 × 70mm, cherry (722/1) on outside, cherry (722/2) inside. Lvs 75 × 45mm. Shrub to at least 1.0 × 1.2m. Late April-early May

(v) **'Wendy'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *zoelleri* 'Island Sunset' × *lochiae* R: unknown (pre 1983)

(r) **'Wendy Dennis'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage uncertain, grown from Chadwell 90/141 G: J. Dennis (1994), N: J. Dennis (1996), REG: J. Dennis (1996) Fls 8-14/truss, narrowly tubular with 5 spreading lobes, 5-6mm wide, creamy white, unmarked. Calyx

5-6mm long, cream. Lvs oblong, 15-20 × 6-10mm, margins decurved, glossy green above. Shrub 8-10 × 17cm in 5 years. Foliage aromatic. PC 1996

(r) **'Wendy Lonsdale'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Elizabeth Group × *neriiflorum* Euchaites Group H: H.D. Rose, G: H.D. Rose (1970), N: H.D. Rose, I: H.D. Rose, REG: H.D. Rose (1973) Fls 9/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 60mm wide, vivid red (45C). Calyx coloured as corolla. Lvs lanceolate, 100 × 25mm, dull green. Shrub 1.2m tall

(r) **'Wendy Lyn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Princess Elizabeth' × *smirnowii* × *yakushimanum* H: R. Moyers (1975), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 14/truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 54mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong to vivid red (46A, B) in bud, opening to a white central star, heavily edged vivid red (46B); filaments white. Lvs 102 × 44mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 0.9m in 17 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(v) **'Wentworth'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *konori* × *lochiae* H: J.P. Evans (1969), G: J.P. Evans, N: Mrs J.P. Evans, REG: Mrs J.P. Evans (1988) Fls 8/flat, lax truss, long tubular funnel-shaped, 70-76 × 70-76mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, strong red to deep pink (50A, B); highly scented. Calyx tiny, dark pink. Lvs elliptic to broadly elliptic, 203 × 127mm, with wavy margins, apiculate to cuspidate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and hairless above, mature leaves with tiny, brown scales below. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years. March

(r) **'Werei'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: white-flowered *arboreum* (s) × *barbatum* R: S. Smith (pre 1921), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12-14/compound truss, rose pink. Lvs long and narrow. AM 1921 Syn: 'Wearii'

(a) **'Werner Muckel'** cv. Evergreen azalea: derived from 'Paul Schäme' following colchicine treatment R: Gartnerische Producktionsgenossenschaft Azalee (pre 1974) Fls light purplish pink (55C); otherwise similar to parent. Midseason. Syn: 'Flamingo', 'Pink Lady', 'Werner Proehl'

(a) **'Werner Proehl'** (Syn. of 'Werner Muckel')

(a) **'Werrington'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown, but reported to be a selection or hybrid of *occidentale* R: unknown (pre 1988) Fls shades of pink, scented

(r) **'Werrington'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Humming Bird Group (s) × *forrestii* Repens Group I: A.W. Williams (1953), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Weser'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor V.H. Rütgers' (s) × *williamsianum* R: D.G. Hobbie (pre 1945) Fls rose

(r) **'Wesley Hayes'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Mrs W.J. Hayes, N: Mrs W.J. Hayes, REG: Mrs W.J. Hayes (1971) Fls white (155B)

(r) **'Wessex Wonder'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Reginald Farrer' × 'Crest' H: J. May (1968), G: J. May, N: J. May, I: J. May (1988), REG: J. May (1988) Fls 7/truss, funnel-shaped, 55 × 95mm, 7-lobed, pale yellow-green (4D), with stripes of strong red (51A) between the lobes. Lvs ovate to obovate, 150 × 65mm, hairless. Shrub 1.3 × 1.0m. Late May

(r) **'Westbury'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a subsect. *Fortunea* hybrid H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1940), G: H. Phipps, N: P.D. Vossberg, I: Westbury Rose Co. (1958), REG: The Tyler Arboretum (1983) Fls 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, 5-7-lobed, strong purplish pink (7.5RP 7/10), fading to near white, brilliant greenish yellow (10Y 9/9) dorsal spotting that coalesces to form two rays in the throat. Calyx 3mm long, light yellowish green. Leaves elliptic, 115-125 × 50mm, moderate olive green (7.5GY 4/4). Shrub c1.9m in 25 years. Syn: 'H. Phipps No. 3'

(r) **'Westbury Wonder'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Percy Wiseman' (s) × 'Tomeka' H: H.R. Malone (1979), G: N. Sullivan (1988), N: N. Sullivan (1998), REG: N. Sullivan (1998) Fls 15/flattened dome truss, campanulate, 45 × 70mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, moderate red (47A) in bud, opening inside moderate red (47A) and soon changing from centre outwards to light orange-yellow (22B), outside similarly coloured; overall effect is fiery orange; stamens and pistil yellow; unmarked. Calyx small, red. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 40mm, margins decurved, acute at apex, obtuse at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.6m in 18 years. Early October (Tasmania)

(a) **'Westcroft Hybrid'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Holly Heath Nursery (1978) Fls semi-double, bright pink

(r) **'Westdale'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* H: Scott Arboretum (1953), G: Scott Arboretum, N: J.C. Wister, I: Scott Arboretum (1975), REG: Scott Arboretum (1980) Fls 20/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 70mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (7.5RP 6/12) in bud, opening pale to light purplish pink (7.5RP 9/12-8/5) with small, twin, slightly diffused, moderate reddish brown (7.5R 3/6) flares on a faint yellow area on the dorsal lobe; striped light purplish pink on midveins of lobes outside. Lvs elliptic, 180 × 50-55mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (5GY 4/3) above, hairless; new growth moderate reddish brown (7.5R 3/6). Shrub 2.7 × 2.7m in 27 years. Mid-late June. Syn: 'Frontier' (Wister named this 'Frontier' in 1972 but that name was unacceptable for registration)

(a) **'Western Lights'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Orchid Lights', treated in vitro with colchicine G: Briggs Nursery (1997), N: Briggs Nursery (1998), I: Briggs Nursery (1999), REG: L. Caton (1998) Fls 7-9 in each of 7-8 buds in a dense, ball truss, narrowly tubular funnel-shaped, 40-45 × 50-65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (73A) in bud, opening inside

strong reddish purple (78B), spotted strong purplish red (71C) on three dorsal lobes; outside moderate purplish pink (78D); slightly scented. Calyx c1.5mm long, strong yellow-green (141D). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 65 × 20mm, downcurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and strong yellow-green (144A) above, with discrete hairs below. Shrub 0.6 × 0.45m in 4 years. Early April. Polyploid. (Colchicine treatment by L. Caton, 1993)

(r) **'Western Pearl'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Crest' × Fred Wynniatt Group R: Harkwood Acres (1990), N: P. Western (1994), REG: P. Western (1994) Fls 11/truss, 50 × 65mm, 5-lobed, brilliant greenish yellow (1A), with a vivid red (46B) flare on the dorsal lobe. Lvs ovate, 115 × 40mm, hairless. Shrub 0.83 × 1.1m in 10 years. May

(r) **'Westerstede'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Adriaan Koster' × *williamsianum* R: V. von Martin (pre 1958?) Fls cream, tinged rose

(r) **'Westfallenpark'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *oreodoxa* × 'Doncaster' and other red hybrids H: G. Arends (1915), S: G.D. Böhlje Nursery, N: G.D. Böhlje Nursery, I: G.D. Böhlje Nursery, REG: G.D. Böhlje Nursery (1968) Fls 12-15/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, c40 × 40mm, 5-6-lobed, dark pink, with brown markings in the throat. Lvs lanceolate, 110 × 40mm, dark green. Late March-early April. (Ronsdorfer Frühblühende Group)

(r) **'Westhaven'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *aberconwayi* R: T.J. McGuire (1963), N: T.J. McGuire, I: T.J. McGuire (1971), REG: T.J. McGuire (1972) Fls up to 15/conical truss, flat saucer-shaped, 80mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, white, with a few maroon red spots in the throat. Lvs oblong-elliptic, 75 × 25mm, very stiff, dark green above, with impressed veins, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m in 8 years. Early May

(a) **'Westminster'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls delicate pink, sweetly scented. Tall shrub. Late. Occidentale

(r) **'Weston'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: Weston Nurseries, N: Weston Nurseries, I: Weston Nurseries (1958), REG: Weston Nurseries (1979) Fls up to 10/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 50mm wide, with 5 flat-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (55B), with golden dorsal lobe spotting; outside deep purplish pink (64D). Lvs elliptic, 115 × 50mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, moderate yellow-green (146B) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.8m in 10 years. Late May-early June

(v) **'Weston Glow'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *javanicum* × *lochiae* (s) × *laetum* H: P. Sutton (1977), G: P. Sutton (1979), N: P. Sutton, REG: P. Sutton (1983) Fls 7-12/truss, 60mm long, 5-lobed, vivid to strong reddish orange (30A/32B). Calyx minute, pale green. Lvs elliptic, 110-140 × 60mm, hairless. Shrub to 1.0m

(r) **'Weston's Aglo'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus*, compact form (s) × pink-flowered *dauricum* hybrid H: E.V. Mezitt (1964), G: Weston Nurseries (c 1968), N: E.V. & R.W. Mexitt, I: Weston Nurseries (1986), REG: R.W. Mezitt (1998) Fls c8/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, c35 × 40mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (66D) with coppery reddish spotting in the dorsal throat. Calyx c1.5mm long, pink/green. Lvs elliptic, 55 × 25mm, margins flat, blade decurved, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, with scales above and below and on petioles. Shrub 0.9 × 0.75m in 8 years. Early May. Syn: 'Aglo' (Published in Weston Nurseries cat., 1987, as 'Aglo'; illustrated inside front cover in 1989 cat.)

(r) **'Weston's Crescendo'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: (double-flowered seedling from PJM Group × pale *minus* Carolinianum Group), open pollinated H: E.V. Mezitt (1975), G: Weston Nurseries (1979), N: Weston Nurseries, I: Weston Nurseries, REG: Weston Nurseries (1988) Fls 15-20/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 19 × 44mm, 5-lobed, buds deep pink (185D), opening moderate purplish red (186B), maturing to pale orange-yellow (159B). Calyx 6mm long, light green. Lvs very broadly elliptic to elliptic, 38-89 × 25-51mm, convex, acute/obtuse at apex, rounded at base, upper surface dull green and bullate, scales light green at first, becoming rusty brown. Shrub 0.8 × 1.1m in 10 years. Early-mid May

(a) **'Weston's Garden Party'** cv. Deciduous azalea: unnamed hybrid derived from *cumberlandense*, *prunifolium* and *viscosum* (s) × unknown H: E.V. Mezitt (pre 1980), G: Weston Nurseries (pre 1980), N: R.W. Mezitt, I: Weston Nurseries (1991), REG: R.W. Mezitt (1999) Fls 15/domed truss, funnel-shaped, with a narrow tube and 5 wavy-edged, broadly flaring lobes, 50 × 45mm, inside deep pink (47D), very lightly tinged orange on the dorsal lobe; outside deep pink (47D) at margins, shading lighter towards base, with a distinct, broad, whitish stripe on the midribs; scented. Calyx c3mm long, light green. Lvs ovate, 65 × 25mm, margins upcurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and dark green above; mildew resistant. Shrub 0.9 × 0.75m in 7 years. Early-mid July. Syn: 'Garden Party' (Published in Weston Nurseries cat., 1991)

(a) **'Weston's Innocence'** cv. Deciduous azalea: probably *arborescens* × *viscosum* H: E.V. Mezitt (c 1963), G: Weston Nurseries (pre 1970), I: Weston Nurseries (1986), REG: R.W. Mezitt (1998) Fls 8/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged, pointed lobes, white, with a very pale yellow dorsal flare; scented. Calyx c3mm long, green. Lvs obovate, 65 × 25mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairless; mildew resistant. Shrub 0.9 × 0.75m in 7 years. Mid June. Syn: 'Innocence' (Published in Weston Nurseries cat., 1986)

(a) **'Weston's Lemon Drop'** cv. Deciduous azalea: unnamed *viscosum* hybrid (s) × unknown H: E.V. Mezitt (c 1963), G: Weston Nurseries (pre 1980), N: R.W.

Mezitt, I: Weston Nurseries (1986), REG: R.W. Mezitt (1998) Fls 9/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 45mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, pale yellow (12D) in bud at base shading to strong yellowish pink (32C) and still darker at apex, opening pale yellow (12D) throughout, the inside paling with age; scented. Calyx 6mm long, star-shaped, green. Lvs obovate, 50 × 22mm, margins flat to wavy upcurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and dark green above, glaucous below; mildew resistant. Shrub 0.9 × 0.6m in 7 years. Early-mid July. Syn: 'Lemon Drop' (Published as 'Lemon Drop' in Weston Nurseries cat., 1986)

(r) **'Weston's Mayflower'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Laetevirens' × *minus* Carolinianum Group (s) × *minus* Carolinianum Group × *myrtifolium* H: E.V. Mezitt (1971), G: Weston Nurseries (c 1975), N: E.V. & R.W. Mezitt, I: Weston Nurseries (1991), REG: R.W. Mezitt (1998) Fls c7/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, c30 × 40mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (66C). Calyx c1mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 50 × 15-20mm, decurved, acute at apex, cuneate at base, scaly above and below and on petioles. Shrub 0.3 × 0.6m in 7 years. Mid May. (Published in Weston Nurseries cat., 1991)

(r) **'Weston's Pink Diamond'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: PJM Group (s) × *mucronulatum* 'Cornell Pink' H: E.V. Mezitt (1964), G: Weston Nurseries, N: Weston Nurseries, I: Weston Nurseries (1977), REG: Weston Nurseries (1983) Fls 8-12/truss, flat saucer-shaped, 40 × 30mm, 5-lobed, vivid purplish red (57B) in bud, opening strong purplish pink (67D), with brown, orange-tinted spots in dorsal throat; stamens absent but represented by a 20mm long pom-pom centre of petaloids. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs lanceolate, 40 × 13mm, moderate olive green (147A) above, bronze scaly below. Shrub 1.1 × 0.6m in 7 years. Late April

(r) **'Weston's Starburst'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Laurie' (s) × white-flowered *dauricum* H: E.V. Mezitt (1977), G: Weston Nurseries (c 1981), N: E.V. Mezitt, I: Weston Nurseries (1993), REG: R.W. Mezitt (1998) Fls fully double (with no normal stamens), c6/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, c30 × 45mm, with very wavy-edged lobes, very pale purple (69B) at lobe edges, with a yellowish white (155B) centre; the petaloid stamens are pale yellow at first, fading to yellowish white (155B). Calyx c1mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 45 × 20mm, decurved, acute at apex, cuneate at base, scales below and on petioles. Shrub 0.9 × 0.75m in 7 years. Late April. Syn: 'Starburst' (Published as 'Starburst' in Weston Nurseries cat., 1993)

(a) **'Weston's Vyking'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from Arnold Group (s) × 'Vuyks' Scarlet' H: E.V. Mezitt (1958), G: Weston Nurseries (pre 1965), N: R.W. Mezitt, I: Weston Nurseries (1975), REG: R.W. Mezitt (1999) Fls 5-7/flat domed truss, narrow funnel-shaped, 40 × 40mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, strong purplish red (64C). Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 25 × 13mm, margins flat to decurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.75m in 7 years. Late May. Syn: 'Vyking' (Published in Weston Nurseries cat., 1975)

(r) **'Westport'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *keiskei* 'Yaku Fairy' (s) × *racemosum* H: unknown (pre 1985), G: unknown, N: J.P. Huie (1999), REG: I.E.M. Donovan (2000) Fls 3-6/bud (with (1-)2-3 buds/terminal shoot) gathered in a dome-shaped truss, open funnel-shaped, with 5 wavy-edged, deeply cut lobes, pale greenish yellow (2D) in bud, striped vivid purplish red (67B), opening inside greenish white (157D), with pale yellow spotting on the dorsal lobe; outside greenish white (157D), striped strong purplish red (67A). Lvs elliptic, c40 × 20mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded-oblique at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, without indumentum. Shrub 0.6 × 1.1m in 15 years. April-May

(r) **'Westport Point'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* × *racemosum* (s) × *ciliatum* H: B.W. von Wettberg (pre 1975), G: B.W. von Wettberg, N: J.P. Huie (1995), REG: I.E.M. Donovan (1999) Fls 3-7/ball truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 35 × 40mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, light purplish pink (73C) in bud, opening inside very pale purple (74C) to moderate purplish pink (74D), changing with age to light purplish pink (65B), very light purple (75C) and finally pale purplish pink (65D). Calyx c5mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 75 × 30mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above. Shrub 1.2 × 1.4m in 10 years. Midseason

(a) **'West's Superbum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: un-named, double, red greenhouse selection × 'Dragon' R: F. West (pre 1987), N: F. West Fls 55mm wide, light pink, with a slight blotch and darker pink on outside. Shrub 0.6 × 0.4m in 10 years

(r) **'Westward Ho'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × a Hardy Hybrid R: W.C. Slocock, S: W.C. Slocock (1932), N: W.C. Slocock, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep pink, with a crimson throat

(r) **'Wettsteinii'** cv. Parentage unknown L: The Netherlands (1896), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose violet

(r) **'Weybridge'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Sir Frederick Moore Group × *yakushimanum* H: F.E.W. Hanger (1949), G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, REG: Royal Horticultural Society (1964) Fls 12/compact, globular to slightly domed truss, funnel-shaped, 35 × 55mm, a very pale shade of pink, almost white around the margins, outside a slightly deeper shade of tyrian rose (24/3). Lvs 105 × 40mm, dark glossy green. Shrub 0.8m. *HC 1964

(r) **W.F.H. Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *haematodes* (s) × Tally Ho Group R: W.I. Whitaker, N: W.I. Whitaker, I: W.I. Whitaker (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls funnel-shaped, brilliant scarlet. Small, spreading shrub

(a) **'W.F. Raiffeisen'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: T. Vuyk & Son, I: P.L. Binken (c 1940), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, light reddish orange. Midseason. Mollis

(a) **'Whakanui'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown N: Mrs R. Pinney, I: Mrs R. Pinney (1975), REG: Mrs R. Pinney (1975) Fls semi-double, up to 120mm wide, moderate to pale pink (49B-D), with a stripe of deep pink (50B) down each lobe, blotch strong orange (24A). Lvs elliptic, 100-115 × 47-50mm, moderate olive green (137A), with pink hairs on new leaves and shoots. (Obtained as a seedling from the New Zealand Rhododendron Association)

(r) **'Whammy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Abe Arnott' (s) × 'White Blue Peter' H: W.E. Delp (1991), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, vivid to moderate purple (82A-C) in bud, opening very pale purple (76D) edged moderate and light purple (82C, D) with a strong yellow (153D) flare and dark greenish yellow (152C) dorsal spots; filaments greenish white (157D); style strong pink (54C); anthers deep pink (185D); stigma dark reddish orange (178B). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Wharton No. 1'** (Listed as a parent of 'Narragansett')

(a) **'What a Softy'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from Carlson's Postscript Group R: Carlson's Gardens, N: Carlson's Gardens, REG: Carlson's Gardens (1992) Fls single, soft pale orange, shaded peach, and with a soft golden flare covering the dorsal lobe (which turns peach pink with age). Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m. Mid June-July

(r) **'Wheatear'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *keiskei* 'Yaku Fairy' (s) × *spinuliferum* H: P.A. & K.N.E. Cox (1988), G: P.A. & K.N.E. Cox, N: P.A. & K.N.E. Cox, I: Glendoick Gardens, REG: Glendoick Gardens (1998) Fls 3-6/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 25 × 20mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (50B) and brilliant yellow (9C) in bud, opening outside with strong to light pink (50C-D) flushing on lobes down the whole length of the corolla combined with pale greenish yellow (9D), fading to white, inside pale greenish yellow (9D), fading to white, with a tinge of colour towards base, unmarked; anthers vivid reddish orange (33A). Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs lanceolate, 25-50 × 12-20mm, decurved, bluntly acute at apex, rounded to cuneate at base, matt green above. Flat-topped shrub, 0.5 × 1.0m in 10 years. March-April

(r) **'Wheatley'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Westbury' × 'Meadowbrook' H: H. Phipps, G: H. Phipps, N: P.D. Vossberg, I: Westbury Rose Co. (1958), REG: New York Chapter, Am.Rh.Soc. (1973) Fls up to 16/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 80mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (55A) in bud, opening vivid purplish red (57D), shaded deep purplish pink (61D) towards outer edge, outside deep purplish pink (61D); strong yellow-green (144) rays in the throat; scented. Calyx 3mm long, brilliant yellow-green (149C). Lvs elliptic, 175 × 75mm, acute at apex, rounded at base, moderate olive green (137B), hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 10 years. Syn: 'H. Phipps No. 2'

(r) **'Wheeler Dealer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' (s) × 'Sappho' H: M.W. Michener, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls light purple (77C, D) and very pale purple (76D) in bud, opening very pale purple (75D) and white, with deep purplish red (71A) and dark red (187A) dorsal spots; filaments and style white; anthers moderate purplish pink (186D); stigma light yellow-green (145B). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Wheeler Lord'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Nadine' G: O.S. Pride, N: O.S. Pride, I: O.S. Pride (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon red. Gable

(r) **'W.H. Forster'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid L: C. Vuylsteke (1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright red

(r) **'Whid Bee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Rubicon' (s) × 'Rosevallon' H: W.E. Berg (1995), G: F. Fujioka (2001), N: W.E. Berg (2002), REG: W.E. Berg (2002) Fls 12/flat truss, funnel-campanulate, 50 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (45A) in bud, opening inside vivid red (46B) with rather inconspicuous, evenly distributed, deep red (185A) spots, outside vivid red (45A); nectaries dark red (187A). Calyx 20-40mm long, vivid red (45A), with deep red (185A) spotting. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 50mm, margins downcurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and dark bluish green (133A) above, dark red (183A) below - the colour persistent - hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.45m in 7 years. Mid April

(r) **'Whidbey Island'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *niveum* × *rex* subsp. *rex* H: A. Meerkerk (pre 1977), G: Meerkerk Rhododendron Gardens, N: W.A. Stipe, I: Meerkerk Rhododendron Gardens, REG: Meerkerk Rhododendron Gardens (1990) Fls 22-24/ball truss, ventricose-campanulate, 38 × 38mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish red (58A) in bud, opening very light purple (75C) with narrow edging of vivid violet (87A); dark purple (83A) spot at base of throat and slight spotting at base of dorsal lobe. Lvs oblanceolate, 203 × 51mm, convex, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dull and dark green above, with a felted indumentum below ageing from silver to light tan; petioles green, 25mm long, hairy. Shrub 3.7 × 3.0m in 13 years. Mid April

(r) **'Whimsee'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Whimsee')

(r) **'Whimsey'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *souliei* (s) × Bow Bells Group H: R. Henny, G: R. Henny, N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny (1956), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a lax truss, 55mm wide, camellia rose (622/3) in the throat, shaded to egyptian buff (407/3). Lvs 65 × 50mm. Shrub under 1.0m

(a) **'Whimsical'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* (s) × 'Fukuju' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 65mm wide, white, with a little chartreuse in blotch and a few phlox purple (strong reddish purple (78B)) flakes. Shrub to 1.2m. Mid-late May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Whimsical'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Whimsical')

(a) **'Whipped Cream'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nancy of Robinhill' × 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' H: R.C. Vines (pre 1990), G: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines Fls hose-in-hose, double, 2/truss, 65-90mm wide, with 15 very wavy-edged lobes, white, flushed green; stamens c3mm long. Lvs dark green. Compact shrub, 0.4 × 0.6m in 8 years

(r) **'Whipped Cream'** (Syn. of 'Pride's Whipped Cream')

(r) **'Whipped Cream'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Mrs R.J. Coker, N: Mrs R.J. Coker, I: Mrs R.J. Coker, REG: Mrs R.J. Coker (1980) Fls pale yellow-green (157C)

(r) **'Whirleybird'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Arthur Bedford' × 'Ice Cube' H: J. Looye (1983), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 12/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 53 × 57mm, 5-lobed, strong reddish purple (78B) in bud, opening very pale purple (76C, D), edged light purple (76A) and with strong greenish yellow (153B) and moderate purplish red (70A) dorsal spots. Lvs 102 × 44mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.8m in 9 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Whirligig'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Whirligig')

(r) **'Whirligig'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* (Gable's curly-leaf form) × *maximum* (Gable's curly-leaf form) H: G.D. Lewis (1970), G: G.D. Lewis (1978), N: G.D. Lewis, REG: G.D. Lewis (1989) Fls 16-24/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 22 × 41mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (55A) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (56B) fading to white in centre, with brilliant yellow-green (149A) spotting over a brilliant yellow-green (150C) blotch. Calyx 3mm long, light yellow-green (145D). Lvs elliptic, 127 × 60mm, with very wavy margins and most with a twisted and hooked tip, acute at apex, cordate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (137A) above, light yellow-green (145D) below, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 17 years. Early July

(a) **'Whirlwind'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Willy' (s) × 'Momozono' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 2-4/truss, 40mm wide, pale rose pink (light purplish pink (73C)). Shrub to 1.5m. Late April. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Whirlwind'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Whirlwind')

(r) **'Whisperingrose'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *williamsianum* (s) × Elizabeth Group H: H.E. Greer, I: Greer Gardens (1982), REG: ARS Willamette Chapter Study Group (1998) Fls 6/flat truss, campanulate, 50 × 70mm, with 5-7 flat-edged lobes, dark red (183A) in bud, opening strong purplish red (58B) throughout, unmarked. Lvs oblong-orbicular, 40-45 × 30mm, margins slightly downcurved, obtuse and mucronate at apex, slightly cordate at base, semi-glossy and dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairless; petioles dark red (183A). Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in 10 years. Midseason. (Published in *Greer's Guidebook to Available Rhododendrons* (1982))

(r) **'Whisper Soft'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' (s) × 'Cadis' H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 21/truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 75mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, strong and light purple (84A, B) in bud, opening very pale purple (84D) edged light purple (84B, C), with a light yellow-green (154D) flare and moderate yellow-green (146C) dorsal spots; filaments and style very pale purple (84D); anthers pale orange-yellow (159B); stigma light violet (88D). Lvs 146 × 67mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.8m in 18 years. Early June

(r) **'Whistle Punk'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × Gipsy King Group H: H.L. Larson, I: C.C. Smith (pre 1988) Fls in tight rounded trusses, dark rose fading to pastel pink. Shrub of dense, rounded habit, 0.9m tall in 10 years

(a) **'Whistler'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: H.W. Motzkau, N: Yoder Bros, I: Yoder Bros (1987) Fls double, purplish pink

(r) **'Whistle Stop'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Delp's Fireking' (s) × 'Redwing Chip' R: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, dark red (59A) and deep red (53A) in bud, opening deep red (53A) and strong red (53B-D); filaments and style vivid purplish red (57D); anthers white. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'White'** (Syn. of 'Fielder's White')

(r) **'White Angel'** cv. Parentage unknown H: E.V. Mezitt (pre 1980)

(a) **'White April'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (1930s), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, white. Coolidge

(r) **'Whitebait'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *sargentianum* R: E.H.M. & P.A. Cox (pre 1966), N: E.H.M. & P.A. Cox Fls 7/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 13 × 10mm, more-or-less light greenish yellow (4C) in bud, opening pale yellow-green (4D). Calyx 4mm long, green, covered in yellow scales, ciliate. Lvs broadly elliptic, c17 × 10mm, glossy green above, with a thick, brown, scaly indumentum below. AM 1966

(a) **'White Banner'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* hybrid × 'Snow' R: USDA, N: USDA, I: USDA (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 25-30mm

wide, white, with a faint yellowish tinge in the throat. Shrub twice as wide as tall. (Derived from the work of G.E. Yerkes & R.L. Pryor)

(r) **'White Beam'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.L. Tolstead (1970), G: W.L. Tolstead (1985), N: W.L. Tolstead, REG: W.L. Tolstead (1996) Fls 12-15/conical truss, open funnel-campanulate, 40 × 40mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink; stamens 10, curved. Lvs elliptic, 110 × 40mm, flat, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 0.8m in 25 years. Early June

(r) **'White Beauty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Albino Group (s) × 'Loderi Pink Diamond' I: W.J. Whitaker (1945), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12/truss, pure white, pink in bud. AM 1945

(r) **'White Bird'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'King Tut' × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: O.S. Pride (1961), G: O.S. Pride (1970), N: O.S. Pride, I: O.S. Pride (1975), REG: O.S. Pride (1979) Fls 14/ball truss, broadly campanulate, 55mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pink in bud, opening white (155C), with faint green spots. Calyx 3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 95 × 45mm, somewhat convex, dark green above, with a felted, orange indumentum below; new growth tomentose. Shrub 0.9 × 0.8m in 16 years. Late May-early June. Syn: 'Snow Bird'

(r) **'White Blue Peter'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' × 'Blue Peter' R: G. Krempasky (pre 1991), N: G. Krempasky

(a) **'White Bouquet'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1994) Fls large, double to semi-double, white with a green throat. Dense shrub to 1.0m. Early. Indian

(r) **'White Cameo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Apricot Gold' (s) × 'Lem's Cameo' H: K. Van de Ven (1979), G: K. Van de Ven (1985), N: K. Van de Ven (1992), I: Olinda Nursery (1993), REG: Olinda Nursery (1993) Fls 10/rounded truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, light yellowish pink (37D) in bud, opening white inside and out. Calyx 5mm long, reddish. Lvs oblong, 110 × 40mm, margins decurved, matt green above, apiculate at apex, cordate at base. Shrub 3.0m. Spring

(r) **'White Campanula'** (Said to have been a Hillier hybrid of *campanulatum* but they have no record it it. Perhaps an error for a white *campanulatum*)

(a) **'White Cap'** cv. Deciduous azalea: Ilam azalea seedling R: Wells Nursery (pre 1978), N: Wells Nursery Fls 65mm wide, white, with a yellow throat/blotch

(r) **'White Cap'** cv. Parentage unknown H: H. Lem (pre 1961)

(a) **'Whitecap'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* × 'Snow' R: USDA, N: USDA, I: USDA (1960), REG: USDA (1961) Fls single, 2-3/truss, c65mm wide, white. Shrub about as broad as tall. (Derived from the work of G.E. Yerkes & R.L. Pryor)

(a) **'White Challenge'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lambertus C. Bobbink' × 'Rosebud' × un-named seedling no. 60F21 × 'Baby Jill' R: H. Kerrigan (pre 1987), N: H. Kerrigan Fls formal double, white

(a) **'White Champagne'** (Syn. of 'Nuccio's White Champagne')

(a) **'White Christmas'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: H.W. Motzkau (pre 1975), N: Yoder Bros, I: Yoder Bros Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, star-shaped, white, with a greenish throat. Early. (Published in Yoder Bros cat., 1975)

(a) **'White Christmas'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1984) Fls single, white. (Grown in Australia; Galle (1987) equates this with 'Madame Petrick Alba')

(r) **'White Cinnamon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (Exbury form) (s) × 'Mrs J.G. Millais' H: J. Barlup (1981), G: J. Barlup (1986), N: J. Barlup (1998), REG: J. Barlup (1998) Fls 19/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 80mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (62C) in bud, opening white (155C) with a tinge of light purplish pink (62C) on inside edges, which fades rapidly to white (155C); large, spotted, brownish orange (172C) dorsal blotch, with a touch of dark greenish yellow (152D) in its centre. Calyx 10mm long, pale yellow (158B). Lvs oblong, 140 × 55mm, margins decurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 1.1m in 7 years. Late May

(r) **'White Cliff'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* × 'Loder's White' I: Lord Digby (1953), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'White Cloud'** (Syn. of 'Doris Ritter')

(a) **'White Cloud'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* hybrid × 'Snow' R: USDA, N: USDA, I: USDA (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, clear pink, tinted lavender, throat slightly spotted with darker dots. Erect shrub. (Derived from the work of G.E. Yerkes & R.L. Pryor)

(a) **'White Cloud'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Camellia Lodge Nursery (1964) Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, pure white. Indian

(a) **'White Cloud'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'White Swan' × 'Persil' R: P.E. Girard (pre 1985), N: P.E. Girard Fls 20-40/truss, 50mm wide, white, with a faint touch of light greenish yellow (8C). Lvs light yellow-green in autumn

(r) **'White Cloud'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid R: W.C. Slocock, S: W.C. Slocock (1934), N: W.C. Slocock, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white. May

(a) **'White Cluster'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hexe' × 'Snow' R: USDA, N: USDA, I: USDA (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, in trusses (like a rhododendron), c30mm wide, with slightly wavy-edged lobes, white, unmarked. Erect shrub. (Derived from the work of G.E. Yerkes & R.L. Pryor)

(a) **'White Coelestine'** (Syn. of 'Coelestine White')

(r) **'White Colossus'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Scintillation' × 'Mars' × 'America' H: A.W. Smith (1978), G: A.W. Smith (1984), N: A.W. Smith, REG: A.W. Smith (1989) Fls 16/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 89mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, white with moderate orange-yellow (164B) dorsal markings; buds pink. Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 159 × 70mm, flat, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, with wavy margins, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years. Late May

(a) **'White Crane'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Camellia Lodge Nursery (pre 1964), N: Camellia Lodge Nursery Fls semi-double to double, white, striped and flecked carmine, with a green throat. Syn: 'Vervaeneanum Striatum' (Galle (1987) attributes it to Ormond Plant Farm as a sport from 'Vervaeneanum Album')

(r) **'White Crest'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Crest' × *hyperythrum* R: Exbury, N: Exbury, REG: Exbury (1969) Fls in a loose truss, pink in bud, opening white

(a) **'White Crystal'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'George Lindley Taber' (syn. 'Alphonse Anderson') (s) × 'Firedance' H: E.W. Jordan (1993), G: E.W. Jordan (1996), N: E.W. Jordan (1997), REG: E.W. Jordan (1997) Fls hose-in-hose, 3/open, lax truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, with 5+5 wavy-edged lobes, pure white in bud, opening pure white throughout, unspotted. Lvs elliptic, 60 × 20mm, flat, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, matt green above, ciliate. Shrub 0.3 × 0.3m. Spring

(a) **'White Diamond'** (Syn. of 'Diamant Weiss')

(r) **'White Dimples'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: un-named, low-growing white hybrid × un-named low-growing shrub, the flowers with a yellow centre H: E.V. Mezitt (1971), G: Weston Nurseries (1975), N: Weston Nurseries, I: Weston Nurseries, REG: Weston Nurseries (1987) Fls 20/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 38 × 64-76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (63C) in bud, opening white (155D). Calyx 1.6mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 89-102 × 51mm, convex, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.6m in 7 years. Mid-late May

(a) **'White Doll'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown, but involving 'Maxwellii', Kurume and Indian azaleas R: USDA, N: USDA (1957), I: USDA (1960), REG: USDA (1961) Fls single, 2-3/truss, 40-50mm wide, white. Very dwarf and compact (twice as broad as high)

(r) **'White Dormouse'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'White Dorothy Gish'** (Syn. of 'White Gish')

(a) **'White Dove'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Nancy of Robinhill' × 'Robin Hill Palmyra' R: R.D. Gartrell, N: Cripple Creek Nursery, I: Cripple Creek Nursery (c 1984) Fls 90mm wide, with very broad, rounded lobes, white. Shrub of mounding habit to 1.0m tall. Late. (Gartrell no. X75-8)

(r) **'White Dove'** (Syn. of 'Delp's White Dove')

(r) **'White Doves'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *scopulorum* (s) × *formosum* var. *inaequale* H: F.M. Jury, G: F.M. Jury, N: F.M. Jury, I: F.M. Jury, REG: F.M. Jury (1982) Fls 4/truss, 50mm wide, white with a yellow-green mark in the throat

(a) **'White Duc'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Duc de Rohan' R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls 65mm wide, white. Indian

(a) **'White Elf'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown, but involving 'Maxwellii', Kurume and Indian azaleas R: USDA, N: USDA (1957), I: USDA (1960), REG: USDA (1961) Fls single, 25-40mm wide, white. Lvs very dark green, glossy. Very dwarf, dense shrub, c3 times as wide as high

(r) **White Ensign Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* × Loderi Group I: A.W. Heneage-Vivian (1937), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'White Ermine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Linda Jean' × 'Satanta' H: W.L. Guttormsen (1975), G: W.L. Guttormsen (1979), N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen (c 1983), REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1985) Fls 1-2/truss, single, broadly funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, 30 × 45mm, white, with a yellow-green throat and spotting on the dorsal lobes. Calyx 7mm wide, green. Lvs more-or-less narrowly obovate, 30 × 13mm, glossy, hairy. Shrub 0.3 × 0.3m in 6 years. Early May

(a) **'White Eureka'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Eureka' L: Australia (pre 1984) Fls semi-double, white

(a) **'White Falls'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Monrovia Nursery (pre 1987) Fls white

(r) **'White Felicity'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group × *dauricum* 'Arctic Pearl' × *dauricum* 'Arctic Pearl' H: D.W. Paden (1976), G: D.W. Paden (1979), N: D.W. Paden, REG: D.W. Paden (1987) Fls 9/truss (composed of several 2-3-flowered clusters), broadly funnel-campanulate, 38 × 44mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pure white; anthers yellow. Lvs elliptic, 38 × 19mm, scaly below. Shrub 1.1 × 0.6m in 9 years. April-mid May

(a) **'White Find'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *vaseyi* N: La Bar's Nursery (1956), I: La Bar's Nursery, REG: La Bar's Nursery (1961) Fls 40mm wide, buds white to greenish white at base, opening clear white, with

dorsal lobes mottled greenish yellow; scented. Lvs light green. Shrub 1.5m in 8 years. (Found wild in the mountains of North Carolina (USA) by R. Harmon, pre 1954; more free-flowering than usual)

(r) **'White Find'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Stokes (pre 1969), N: W.E. Stokes

(a) **'White Flakes'** cv. Deciduous azalea: wild origin selection from *canescens* S: F.C. Galle (1969), N: F.C. Galle, REG: F.C. Galle (1986) Fls double, 3-5/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 25 × 35mm, c30-lobed, light pink in bud, opening white, with a pale to light pink tip to each lobe; no stamens or pistil. Calyx 3mm long, light green. Lvs between oblanceolate and narrowly obovate to narrower than oblanceolate, 50-90 × 20-26mm, acute at apex with an apiculus, narrowly cuneate at base, moderate yellowish green (138A), ciliate, hairy. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 10 years. Early April. (Collected in the wild by Galle, Haralson County, Georgia, USA)

(r) **'White Flare'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Purple Splendour' H: K. Van de Ven (1971), G: K. Van de Ven (1982), N: K. Van de Ven, I: K. Van de Ven (1986), REG: Olinda Nursery (1987) Fls 20-22/truss, funnel-shaped, 30 × 100mm, 5-lobed, white (155B), with a light yellow (11B) flare on the dorsal lobe. Lvs oblanceolate, 150 × 50mm. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 15 years

(a) **'White Frilled'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) (Perhaps originating at Exbury)

(a) **'White Frills'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably a seedling from 'Dayspring' R: I.L. Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L. Amann Fls hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, white, with a light yellow-green (145C) blotch; outer whorl deeply divided. Shrub to 1.5m tall. Early

(r) **'White Gem'** cv. Parentage unknown L: R. Veitch & Son (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white with dark spots. Lvs dark green. Dwarf shrub

(r) **'White Gem'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Clarendon Gardens (1964)

(v) **'White Giant'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *konori* G: L.A. Craven (1986), S: L.A. Craven (1992), N: L.A. Craven (1992), I: L.A. Craven (1993-1994), REG: L.A. Craven (1992) Fls 2-6/flat truss, salverform to tubular-campanulate, 170-175 × 155-165mm, with (5-)7 smooth-edged to slightly undulate lobes, inside with lobes and throat white (155D), the lobe sinuses with a small patch of strong red (51A); outside white (155D), the sinus with a small patch of strong red (51A), the tube pale orange-yellow/pale yellowish pink (159C/D) and flushed deep pink (51C) at base; moderately scented. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 170-205 × 55-80mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate to obtuse at base, slightly glossy above, scaly. Shrub 1.3 × 0.8m in 18 years. Autumn. (This cultivar can be raised from selfed seed and is not clonal)

(r) **'White Gift'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: probably derived from *ciliipes* N: G.F. Smith (1998), REG: G.F. Smith (1999) Fls 4-6/flat-topped, open truss, open funnel-shaped, 60 × 100mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale yellow-green in bud, opening inside white, outside white with a yellow-green tube; translucent scales well-spaced over the whole flower; style upcurved, stigma bright green; delicately scented. Calyx 4mm long, green, ciliate, with translucent scales all over. Lvs elliptic, 70-80 × 30-45mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy above, ciliate when young, scaly (scales translucent at first, ageing to brown). Shrub of dense, bushy habit, 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years. September (New Zealand)

(a) **'White Gish'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Dorothy Gish' R: USA (pre 1975) Fls semi-double, white (Davidson's Nursery, 1985). Galle, 1987, gives it as hose-in-hose, with very pale pink buds. Syn: 'White Dorothy Gish'

(r) **'White Glory'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *irroratum* (s) × Loderi Group R: Lady Loder, N: Lady Loder, I: Lady Loder (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 15-18/loose, globular truss, broadly funnel-shaped, pure white, with crimson dorsal spots. Lvs narrowly ovate, up to 108 × 40mm, dark green above, hairless below. AM 1937 (White Glory Group)

(r) **White Glory Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *irroratum* (s) × Loderi Group R: Lady Loder, N: Lady Loder, I: Lady Loder (1937), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'White Glow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (white-flowered) (s) × *aberconwayi* H: W.L. Tolstead (1975), G: W.L. Tolstead (c 1985), N: W.L. Tolstead, I: W.L. Tolstead (1994), REG: W.L. Tolstead (1994) Fls 12-13/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, white, with a yellow-green blotch at base of dorsal lobe; stamens 10, curved. Calyx vestigial. Pedicels 15mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 120-140 × 70mm, flat, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, hairless; petioles 15mm long, green. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 19 years. Mid May

(r) **'White Gold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs J.G. Millais' × unknown H: H.E. Greer (1960), G: H.E. Greer (1965), N: H.E. Greer, I: H.E. Greer (1970), REG: H.E. Greer (1979) Fls up to 10/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 90mm wide, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, white, with a large, brilliant yellow (2.5Y 9/9) flare from the base. Lvs ovate, 90 × 40mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, mid green above, hairless. Shrub 1.2-1.5 × 1.2-1.5m in 10 years. Early May. (Parentage given as registered; Greer catalogues give second parent as 'Cheyenne')

(a) **'White Grandeur'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L.L. Brooks (pre 1965), N: L.L. Brooks Fls semi-double, snow white. Lvs dark green

(r) **'White Gull'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum*, open-pollinated G: C. Herbert (1976), N: C. Herbert, I: C. Herbert (1977), REG: C. Herbert (1979) Fls 20/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 70mm wide, with

5 very wavy-edged lobes, light pink in bud, opening white (155D), with a faint touch of pink at lobe edges and with chartreuse green spotting on the dorsal lobe. Lvs oblanceolate to narrowly obovate, 125 × 50mm, convex, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, with a thin, plastered, tan indumentum below; new growth silvery tomentose. Shrub 0.6 × 0.8m in 8 years. Mid May. (Raised from seed collected by C. Herbert in 1970)

(a) **'White Gumpo'** (See note under 'Gumpo White')

(a) **'White Habit'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* hybrid × 'Snow' R: USDA, N: USDA, I: USDA (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 45mm wide, white, unmarked. Opens before onset of foliage growth. Erect shrub. (Derived from the work of G.E. Yerkes & R.L. Pryor)

(a) **'White Hart'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Gumpo' × 'Glacier' × 'Snowclad' H: R.D. Gartrell (c 1955), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, REG: D.H. Voss (1991) Fls single, 2(-3)/bud, broadly funnel-shaped, with 5 broad, wavy-edged lobes, white, throat tinted pale greenish yellow, with distinct spotting of light to brilliant yellow-green (145B-150C) and occasional flecks of moderate purplish pink (74D). Calyx 6(-7)mm long, strong yellow-green (143C-144B). Lvs broadly elliptic, 30 × 20mm. Mid May. (Robin Hill no. J12-1)

(a) **'Whitehead'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Glacier' (s) × 'Getsutoku' H: R.D. Gartrell (1962), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell (1970), REG: R.D. Gartrell (1985) Fls single, 1/bud, broadly funnel-shaped, 30 × 80mm, 5-6-lobed, white, frequently with a flush of light purplish pink (55C) spreading from axis of each lobe, or variously flecked, striped or sectored, or selfed, deep pink (50B); prominent spotting of strong purplish red (60B). Calyx 5mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Spring lvs elliptic, 40 × 20mm. Shrub up to 1.0m. (Robin Hill no. T2-4)

(r) **'White Heat'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'King Tut' (s) × 'Oh My!' H: W.E. Delp (1987), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 14/truss, open funnel-shaped, 46 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, shades of purplish pink (67D, 65A-D) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (65D) fading to white, with sparse, brilliant yellow-green (154B) dorsal spots; filaments white; style pale purplish pink (65D); anthers moderate purplish pink (186D); stigma moderate reddish orange (35B). Lvs 108 × 57mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, with a woolly, light tan indumentum below. Shrub 0.7 × 0.6m in 5 years. Early June

(a) **'White Hexe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Hexe' I: G. van der Swaelmen (1922), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. Calyx hose-in-hose, white. Indian (Heursel (in Galle, 1985) suggests this is hose-in-hose and double)

(a) **'Whitehouse'** cv. Evergreen azalea: un-named, double pink, "Belgian" forcing azalea × 'Treasure' H: USDA, Glenn Dale (1947), G: USDA, Glenn Dale, N: USDA, Glenn Dale (1958), I: USDA, Glenn Dale (1962), REG: USDA, Glenn Dale (1962) Fls single, 95mm wide, white, with roundish, somewhat wavy-edged, overlapping lobes. Lvs large, more-or-less obovate, dull green, slightly hairy. Broad, spreading shrub

(r) **'White Ice'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Wheatley' (s) × 'Kimberly' H: M.J. Whitman (1989), G: M.J. & B. Whitman (1996), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (2001), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (2001) Fls 13/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 70mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (57D) in bud, opening inside very pale purple (69D) at margins, fading to white at lobe centres and base, with 2 dark red, spotted brush-strokes (c13mm long) at the base; outside white, flushed very pale purple (69B) at margins and with similarly coloured veins. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 65mm, margins flat, obtuse at apex, cordate to oblique at base, semi-glossy and dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.1m in 12 years. Early May

(a) **'White Jade'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Helen Gunning' × 'Rei Ro' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, REG: B.Y. Morrison (1964) Fls single, 65-75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, white, with a pale green flush on the dorsal lobe. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Midseason. Back Acres

(r) **'White Knight'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* × Loderi Group I: A.W. Heneage-Vivian (1940), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'White Lace'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Pink Lace' R: R.M. Milfeld (pre 1970), N: R.M. Milfeld Fls 55-65mm wide, white, with a pale green throat

(r) **'White Lace'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *racemosum* G: Glendoick Gardens, N: Glendoick Gardens, I: Glendoick Gardens (1974), REG: Glendoick Gardens (1974) Fls in axillary clusters of 3-4, making up terminal inflorescences, up to 13 × 12mm, 5-lobed, pure white. Calyx very short, green. Lvs elliptic, up to 35 × 17mm, dark green, glaucous and scaly below. AM 1974

(a) **'White Lady'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: L.J. Endtz & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 6-7/compact truss, funnel-shaped, c27 × 53mm, white, dorsal lobes and throat speckled brilliant yellow-green (150B). Lvs 40 × 20mm, light glossy green. Shrub 1.0m. *HC 1971. Kaempferi

(a) **'White Lady'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Memoria Karl Glaser' I: W. Streck (1977) Fls white; otherwise similar to 'Gustav Hacker'. Indian

(r) **White Lady Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Halopeanum' (s) × 'Loderi Pink Diamond' R: Sir Edmund Loder (pre 1920), I: Lady Loder (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, 5-lobed, pure white. Resembles 'Leonardslee Giles' but with a smaller calyx and larger, darker leaves. Syn: Leonardslee White Lady Group

(r) **'Whiteland'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *racemosum* × *keiskei* H: C. Herbert (pre 1975)

(a) **'Whitelegg'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1965) Fls rich deep pink. Kaempferi

(a) **'White Lightning'** cv. Deciduous azalea: wild-collected, natural hybrid believed to be *arborescens* × *calendulaceum* or *cumberlandense* S: L.C. Towe (1982), N: L.C. Towe, I: The Cummins Garden (1988), REG: L.C. Towe (1990) Fls single, 5-7/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 51 × 64mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, white with a vivid yellow (13A) blotch; strongly scented. Lvs elliptic, 64 × 25mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless and glossy blue-green above, with a heavy, grey, waxy bloom below. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 6 years (up to 1.8m tall in wild). June. (Wild origin: at 1525m, Appalachian Trail, North Carolina (USA). Published in The Cummins Garden cat., 1988)

(a) **'White Lights'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: H. Pellett (1969), G: H. Pellett (1974), N: H. Pellett, I: H. Pellett, REG: H. Pellett (1983) Fls 5/domed truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 16 × 18mm, 5-lobed, light purplish pink (55C) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (56C), fading to nearly white (155D), blotch light orange-yellow (19A). Calyx 2mm long, moderate yellow-green (138C). Lvs oblanceolate to elliptic, 60 × 25mm, moderate olive green (147A) above, hairy. Shrub 1.2 × 1.1m in 12 years. Late May

(r) **'White Lily'** (Syn. of 'Lily')

(r) **'White Lily'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Madonna ' (Gable) × *fortunei* H: J.B. Gable (pre 1972) Fls white

(r) **'White Limo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Abe Arnott' (s) × 'White Blue Peter' H: W.E. Delp (1991), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish red (186B) and dark and moderate purplish pink (186C, D) in bud, opening white and very pale purple (69D) with dark red (187A, B) dorsal spots; filaments and style greenish white (157D); anthers pale yellow (161D); stigma moderate brown (165A). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'White Linen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Unique' (s) × 'Lemon Lodge' H: B. Sligh (1984), G: B. Sligh (1990), N: B. Sligh (1993), REG: B. Sligh (1994) Fls 16/full truss, 40 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds strong to light purplish pink (55B/C), opening white inside and out; unspotted; scented. Lvs ovate, 125 × 60mm, flat, rounded at apex and base, matt and deep green. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m in 9 years. October

(r) **'White Magic'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: (*lacteum* × 'Robert Weldon') selfed H: W.E. Delp (1982), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 48 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale yellow-green (4D) in bud, opening yellowish white (155D) with brilliant yellow-green (154C) and deep yellowish pink (47C) in the throat; filaments pale yellow-green (157A); style deep pink (47D); anthers brownish orange (165B); stigma moderate orange (171D). Lvs 102 × 44mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, with a light brown, plastered indumentum. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 10 years. Early June

(r) **'White Mice'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *callimorphum* hybrid R: unknown, I: Riverwood Gardens (1995) Fls in small clusters, white. Lvs small, rounded. Mounding shrub, 0.6m in 10 years. Late

(r) **'White Mist'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* × 'Golden Jubilee' (s) × *fortunei*, open-pollinated H: R.L. Means (1986), G: Rob Means (1991), N: Rob Means (1998), I: Yadkin Valley Nursery Co., REG: Rob Means (1998) Fls 8/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 100mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (62D) in bud, opening yellowish white (155B), with a small, strong greenish yellow (151A) blotch in the base. Calyx very short, brilliant yellow-green (149A). Lvs oblong, 125 × 50mm, margins upcurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, dull and moderate yellow-green (146B) above, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.4m in 12 years. Late April

(a) **'White Moon'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Glacier' × 'Tama-giku' × 'Getsutoku' H: R.D. Gartrell (1960), G: R.D. Gartrell, N: R.D. Gartrell, I: R.D. Gartrell (1969), REG: R.D. Gartrell (1977) Fls single, 90-100mm wide, white, with pale yellow-green (149D) spotting and occasional deep yellowish pink (43C) sectoring. Lvs glossy green. Shrub 0.3m in 5 years. (Robin Hill no. T17-7)

(a) **'White Mountain'** (Syn. of 'Pink Banner')

(r) **'White Multimaculatum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *ponticum* hybrid I: M. Guérin (1842), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'White Mustang'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *calophytum* × 'Goldsworth Yellow' R: R. Henny, I: L. Henny, REG: L. Henny (1964) Fls up to 90mm wide, white, with a bright dawn pink blotch. Lvs up to 250 × 90mm, with a golden sheen when young. Shrub to 2.2m. February-March

(a) **'White Nymph'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hexe' × 'Snow' × *kaempferi* × 'Snow' R: USDA, Beltsville, N: USDA, Beltsville, I: USDA, Beltsville (1960), REG: USDA, Beltsville (1961) Fls single, 25-40mm wide, white. Lvs light green. Very dwarf shrub, c1.5 times as broad as high

(r) **'White Olympic Lady'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loderi King George' (s) × *williamsianum* H: E. Ostbo, G: R.W. Clark (pre 1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 14/loosely conical, lax truss, campanulate, 50 × 65mm, white; young flowers flushed pale pink. Lvs 50 × 45mm, dark dull green. Shrub 1.2m. *AM 1977 (Olympic Lady Group)

(a) **'White Orchid'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: O.R. Bristow, I: Mossholder Nursery (1950s) Fls semi-double, 75mm wide, with 5-7 wavy-edged lobes, white, dorsal half of lobes spotted red. Shrub 1.2-1.8m tall. (The spelling 'White Orchids' is sometimes seen)

(a) **'White Peacock'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Glacier' (Glenn Dale) (s) × 'Mother of Pearl' (Glenn Dale) R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls hose-in-hose, 65mm wide, with long-tapered lobes, white, flushed light green. Autumn foliage colour yellow. Early May. (First published in Holly Springs cat., 1990)

(a) **'White Pearl'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably a hybrid between *scabrum* and *mucronatum* L: K. Wada (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white

(r) **'White Pearl'** (Syn. of 'Halopeanum')

(a) **'White Perfection'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1844), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'White Perfection'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* × 'Snow' R: USDA, N: USDA (1950), I: USDA (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 65mm wide, white, the throat partly tinged greenish yellow. (Derived from the work of G.E. Yerkes & R.L. Pryor)

(r) **'White Perle'** (Probably the same as 'White Pearl' and therefore a synonym of 'Halopeanum')

(r) **'White Peter'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Blue Peter' × 'Blue Peter' H: G.A.L. Mehlquist (1962), G: G.A.L. Mehlquist & M.H. Brand (1967), N: G.A.L. Mehlquist, I: University of Connecticut (1990), REG: M.H. Brand (1990) Fls in a conical truss, 51-57 × 64-76mm, open funnel-shaped, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, very pale purple (69B) in bud, opening yellowish white (155D), with a prominent, heavily speckled, dark red (187A-187C) flare on the dorsal lobe; slight tinge of light pink on main veins externally. Calyx less than 2mm long, yellowish white (155D). Lvs elliptic, 140-184 × 44-57mm, flat, acute at apex, rounded at base, glossy dark green and hairless above. Shrub 2.6 × 4.3m in 28 years, often with multiple trusses

(r) **'White Petticoats'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lem's Cameo' (s) × 'Whipped Cream' H: B. Sligh (1979), G: B. Sligh (1989), N: B. Sligh (1993), REG: B. Sligh (1994) Fls 18/full truss, 40 × 70mm, with 6, very wavy-edged lobes, buds deep purplish pink (58D) changing to pale yellow (19C) before opening to pale yellowish pink (159D) inside and pale orange-yellow outside; small throat flare of strong red (46A) and small, pale greenish yellow (160C) spots on dorsal lobe. Calyx 3mm long, strong red (46A). Lvs elliptic, 135 × 50mm, margins wavy and decurved, acute at apex, rounded at base; young growth dark red (59A). October

(r) **'White Pippin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *williamsianum* (s) × Olympic Lady Group H: H.L. Larson (1954), G: H.L. Larson (1963), N: H.L. Larson, I: H.L. Larson (1983), REG: H.L. Larson (1983) Fls 7/truss, 50 × 65mm, 5-lobed, greenish white (157D). Calyx minute, moderate yellow-green (146C). Lvs rounded-elliptic, 50 × 30mm, hairless

(r) **'White PJM'** (Syn. of 'April Dawn')

(r) **'White Plains'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *alutaceum* var. *iodes* R: S.R. Clarke, I: R.N. Stephenson Clarke, REG: R.N. Stephenson Clarke (1978) Fls 17-18/rounded truss, funnel-campanulate, up to 40 × 50mm, 5-lobed, white, outside shading to light yellow-green (150D) at base, dorsal throat heavily spotted vivid purplish red (57B). Calyx lobes up to 30mm long, green. Lvs narrowly elliptic to lanceolate, up to 90 × 30mm, dark dull green above, with a heavy, felted, rust-coloured indumentum below. AM 1978

(a) **'White Prince'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Rose Queen' R: Camellia Grove Nursery (pre 1974), N: Camellia Grove Nursery Fls hose-in-hose, white, with red spots in the throat; some flowers flushed pink. Rutherford

(a) **'White Princess'** cv. Evergreen azalea: white-flowered Kurume seedling × *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* × 'Orchid Lace' H: P.E. Girard, G: P.E. Girard, N: P.E. Girard, I: Girard Nurseries, REG: P.E. Girard (1977) Fls flat-open, lobes slightly wavy-edged, pure white. Lvs up to 25 × 13mm. Shrub 0.6 × 1.0m

(r) **'White Queen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × *campylocarpum* R: C. Herbert (1948), N: C. Herbert, I: C. Herbert (1967) Fls 8-10/open, floppy truss, flat trumpet-shaped, 100mm wide, 7-lobed, white, dorsal lobes spotted deep choco-late. Lvs oblanceolate, 160 × 75mm, glossy and mid green above. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years. Late May

(v) **'White Rajah'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown I: Vireya Venue (1996) Fls very large, white; strongly scented. Lvs large, matt green above, with red/brown indumentum below. Upright shrub to c2.0m or more

(r) **'White Robe'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor Stocker' × Fabia Group R: R. Henny, I: L. Henny, REG: L. Henny (1964) Fls open campanulate, 75mm wide, pale yellow in bud, opening white. Lvs to 175 × 65mm. Shrub 1.0 × 1.2m. Early May

(r) **'White Rose'** (Listed in Kraxberger (1980): an error for 'White Robe')

(a) **'White Rosebud'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vervaeneanum Album' × 'Rosebud' H: A.E. Kehr (1962), G: A.E. Kehr, N: A.E. Kehr, I: A.E. Kehr (1967), REG: A.E. Kehr (1971) Fls double and hose-in-hose, 1-4/lax truss, 45-50mm wide, with up to c40 lobes, white with a green throat. No normal calyx. Lvs elliptic, 25 × 13mm, bullate, mid and glossy green. Low, dense shrub, 0.6 × 0.6m in 6 years. Mid May. Syn: 'Kehr's White Rosebud'

(r) **'White Ruby'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (1994) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, white, with a prominent red blotch; scented. Lvs light green. Shrub 1.8m in 10 years. Midseason. (Sold by Kellygreen Rhododendron Nursery, 1994)

(a) **'White Ruffles'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Glenorie Nursery (1985) Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, white

(a) **'White Rug'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably a seedling from 'Dayspring' R: I.L. Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L. Amann Fls 45mm wide, white, with a faint yellowish green blotch. Wide-spreading shrub to 1.0m tall

(v) **'White Rum'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' × *konori* H: unknown, G: G.L.S. Snell (1986), N: G.L.S. Snell, I: Vireya Venue (1990), REG: Vireya Venue (1991) Fls 5-8/truss campanulate, 70 × 80mm, 5-lobed, tube pale yellow-green (155A), lobes greenish white (155C); scented. Lvs oblong, 110 × 60mm. Shrub 1.5m. Spring-autumn

(r) **'White Sails'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Mrs R.J. Coker, N: Mrs R.J. Coker, I: Mrs R.J. Coker, REG: Mrs R.J. Coker (1980) Fls white (155D)

(r) **'White Samite'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Corry Koster' (s) × Loderi Group I: R. Wallace & Co. (1932), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white. AM 1932

(a) **'White Schäme'** (Syn. of 'Schäme Albus' and 'Madame Marcel de Paepe')

(r) **'White's Cunningham's Sulphur'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from 'Cunningham's Sulphur' R: unknown (pre 1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow. AM 1934

(r) **'White's Favourite'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *dichroanthum* raised from Forrest 6761 G: G.H. White, S: G.H. White (pre 1930), N: J.P.C. Russell (1983), I: Sunningdale Nurseries (c 1930), REG: J.P.C. Russell (1983) Fls 4-5/truss, 45 × 31mm, 5-lobed, near vivid reddish orange (34B) on tube, but yellower, edges of lobes vivid reddish orange (34A). Calyx 5mm long, vivid reddish orange (34A). Lvs lanceolate, 90 × 30mm, with silky grey indumentum when young. Shrub 1.2-1.5m tall. (Original introduction (c1930) made without cultivar name)

(r) **'White Shadows'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Abe Arnott' (s) × 'White Blue Peter' H: W.E. Delp (1991), G: W.E. Delp (1993), N: Mrs V. Delp, I: Crystalaire Rhododendron Naturescapes, REG: J.D. Harris (1996) Fls 16/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, c45 × 75mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, light to very pale purple (71A-D) in bud, opening white with brilliant yellow-green (154B) and light olive (152A) spots on the three dorsal lobes; filaments pale yellow-green (157B); style light pink (49C); anthers moderate purplish red (186A); stigma dark red (187A). Lvs 115 × 50mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base. Shrub 1.0 × 0.9m in 5 years. Early June. (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(a) **'White Splendor'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Linda Jean' × 'Springtime' R: Greenwood Gardens (pre 1985), N: Greenwood Gardens Fls double, 65mm wide, white

(a) **'White Spring'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably a seedling from 'Dayspring' R: I.L. Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L. Amann Fls 45mm wide, white, with a bright yellow-green blotch. Shrub to 1.9m. Early

(a) **'White Squall'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* hybrid × 'Snow' R: USDA, N: USDA (1952), I: USDA (1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 40-45mm wide, white, throat faintly spotted; anthers light brown. Compact shrub. (Derived from the work of G.E. Yerkes & R.L. Pryor)

(a) **'White Squatter'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: G.A. Reid (1966), G: G.A. Reid (1971), N: G.A. Reid, I: G.A. Reid (1978), REG: G.A. Reid (1980) Fls hose-in-hose, 2-3/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65mm wide, with 5+5 wavy-edged lobes, white (155D), with a 25 × 25mm dorsal blotch of brilliant yellow-green (149C) containing brilliant yellow-green (149A) spotting; buds brilliant yellow-green (149C). Calyx 20-30mm long, white (155D). Lvs narrowly obovate, 45 × 20mm, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy and moderate olive green (146A) above, with minute hairs. Shrub 0.25 × 0.45m in 4 years. Late May

(a) **'White Star'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* × *kaempferi* × 'Snow' R: J.B. Gable, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, white. Gable

(a) **'White Star'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *prinophyllum* hybrid H: F.L. Abbott, S: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls tubular below, with a star-shaped limb, white. Mid June

(a) **'White Star'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Vittatum' × *mucronatum* × 'Kagetsu' R: USDA (pre 1994), N: USDA (Apparently raised as part of the Glenn Dale project, not included in the Monograph 20, and not distributed officially)

(r) **'Whitestone'** cv. Parentage unknown H: P.D. Vossberg (c 1960), G: P.D. Vossberg, N: P.D. Vossberg, REG: H. Steinbaum (1991) Fls double, 9-16 (usually 13)/domed or ball truss, open funnel-shaped to open funnel-campanulate, 51 × 83mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, and with 7-10 petaloid stamens (76 × 51mm, the 2-5 innermost sometimes folded, projecting outwards), white in bud (sometimes tinged faint pink at tip), opening white, with brushstroke markings in throat: two upper marks 19 × 10mm, lower 10 × 5mm; initially dull raspberry bronze on a pale cream yellow ground at the base, markings ageing to green-yellow; stigma red; slightly to moderately scented. Calyx less than 2mm long, green ageing to yellow-green. Lvs elliptic to oblong, 127-191 × 57-70mm, flat, mucronate at apex, cuneate (or sometimes oblique or rounded) at base, semi-glossy and pale green above, very pale green below, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.8m in 13 years. Early-mid May. Syn: 'Vossberg's Whitestone', 'Paul Vossberg's Whitestone'

(r) **'White Supreme'** (Syn. of 'Cape White')

(a) **'White Surprise'** (Syn. of 'Sandra's White Surprise')

(r) **'White Surprise'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *dauricum* (white form) × *mucronulatum* (white form) H: G.A.L. Mehlquist (c 1973), G: J. Shaw (c 1976), N: J. Leonard, I: Briarwood Gardens (1988), REG: Briarwood Gardens (1988) Fls 3-5/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 17 × 38mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, greenish white (155C) with strong greenish yellow (151C) spotting. Calyx less than 5mm long, brilliant yellow-green (150B). Lvs elliptic, 29-38 × 13-17mm, convex, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, scaly; semi-deciduous, about half the leaves turning brilliant yellow in autumn. Shrub 1.1 × 0.8m in 6 years. Mid-late April. (Published in Briarwood Gardens cat., 1988)

(a) **'White Swan'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1970) Fls white, with a yellow blotch. Knap Hill

(a) **'White Swan'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls 65mm wide, white, with a greenish throat. Early. Indian

(r) **'White Swan'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* × 'Pink Pearl' R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 16-19/conical truss, open campanulate, 75 × 100-125mm, 5-lobed, pale pink, fading to white with green eye at base of dorsal lobe. Calyx lobes up to c5mm long. Lvs oblong to oblong-elliptic, 150-175 × 65-75mm, dark green above. Shrub c2.0m in 10 years. *AM 1937, *FCC 1957

(a) **'Whitethroat'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, c8/compact, rather one-sided truss, funnel-shaped, c35 × 40-50mm, pure white. Lvs 55 × 30mm, mid glossy green. Shrub at least 1.2m. Midseason-late. *HC 1957, *AM 1962. Knap Hill

(a) **'White Top'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown G: A.J. Teese, N: A.J. Teese, I: A.J. Teese, REG: A.J. Teese (1981) Fls 7/truss, white, with a yellow blotch. Early. Knap Hill

(r) **'White Velvet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a selection from *yakushimanum* R: C.H. Ward, N: C.H. Ward, I: C.H. Ward (1970), REG: C.H. Ward (1974) Fls up to 16/ball truss, open campanulate, 40 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pink in bud, opening light pink fading to white, with tan, pepper spotting on dorsal lobe. Calyx minute, cream. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 75 × 25-40mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, more-or-less glossy and dark green above, hairless, with a brownish tan indumentum below; new shoots with a frosty greenish white tomentum; petioles indumented. Shrub 0.6 × 1.0m in 10 years. (Raised from seed sent from Japan in 1964)

(a) **'White Vittati'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls white. Indian

(r) **'Whitewash'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *aureum* (s) × 'Catalgla' H: W.E. Delp (1984), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 18/truss, open funnel-shaped, 34 × 55mm, 5-lobed, yellowish white, pale yellow-green and greenish white (158C, 157C, D) in bud, opening white, with a pale greenish yellow (2D) dorsal flare which is spotted with strong yellow-green (144A); filaments and style light yellow-green (150D); anthers moderate purplish pink (186D); stigma moderate yellow-green (146D). Lvs 95 × 38mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 8 years. Early June

(r) **'White Water'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' × *wardii* H: R.M. Bovee, G: R.M. Bovee (pre 1989), I: Bovees Nursery Fls large, broadly funnel-shaped, with very wavy-edged margins, white. Lvs oblanceolate, glossy and dark green above; petioles dark red. Shrub semi-dwarf, with a spreading mound habit. Midseason

(a) **'Whitewater'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: H.W. Motzkau (c 1965), N: Yoder Bros, I: Yoder Bros Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose (with an average of 4 stamens/flower), white. Calyx coloured as corolla

(r) **'Whitewater North Carolina'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' × *fortunei* × 'Madonna' H: C.R. & V. Haag (1963), G: C.R. & V. Haag, N: C.R. & V. Haag, I: Cardinal Nursery, REG: C.R. & V. Haag (1988) Fls 13/tall truss, open funnel-shaped, 57 × 83mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, white, with a sap green (62) dorsal blotch extending one third of way up from throat and with same colour spotting extending half way up dorsal lobe. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 152 × 51mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub of broad, rounded outline, 3.0 × 3.7m in 25 years. Mid May

(r) **'White Waves'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *nuttallii* (s) × *lindleyi* × *dalhousiae* H: H.J. Braafladt, N: G.F. Smith (1997), REG: G.F. Smith (1999) Fls 3-5/flat-topped, open truss, tubular funnel-shaped (strongly indented at base), 90 × 110mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, rose red and covered with lighter scales in bud, opening inside creamy white; outside creamy white with a slight pink flush, ageing to white; anthers dark brown; style upcurved, stigma green; strongly scented. Calyx 22mm long, light green, with small red spots. Lvs elliptic, 160 × 55mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, grey-green below, with reddish brown scales. Shrub 2.0 × 1.8m in 15 years. Late October-mid November (New Zealand)

(r) **'Whiteway'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Loder's White' × 'Mrs Lindsay Smith' R: Lord Digby, N: Lord Digby, I: Lord Digby (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a lax, flat-topped truss, 65 × 100mm, with wavy-edged lobes, white background with a faint, pale yellow blush. Lvs oblong-lanceolate, 150 × 65mm. AM 1952

(r) **'White Wedding'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × *makinoi* H: J.G. Lofthouse, G: J.G. Lofthouse (1969), N: J.G. Lofthouse, REG: J.G. Lofthouse (1970) Fls to 15/compact truss (3 trusses to each shoot), open funnel-shaped, 40 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, opening pink and fading to white, dorsal lobe speckled. Lvs narrowly elliptic, with a heavy fawn indumentum. Shrub 0.6m in 10 years

(r) **'White Wings'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *edgeworthii* (s) × *ciliicalyx* R: C.R. Scrase-Dickins, N: C.R. Scrase-Dickins, I: C.R. Scrase-Dickins (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 3-4/loose truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 115-125mm, pure white, with a small greenish yellow dorsal blotch. Lvs ovate-lanceolate, dark green above, ciliate, thickly scaly below. AM 1939

(a) **'White Yellow Eye'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Exbury (pre 1965), N: Exbury Fls white, with a yellow blotch, scented. Knap Hill

(r) **'Whitmoor'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Grenadine Group × 'Royal Blood' R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1971), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1971) Fls 24-26/full rounded truss, funnel-shaped, up to 65 × 65mm, 5-lobed, strong red (53C) with considerable spotting in the dorsal throat. Calyx lobes up to 10mm long. Lvs lanceolate, up to 150 × 50mm, dark green, with traces of brown woolly indumentum below. AM 1971

(a) **'Whitney'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* hybrid × 'Snow' R: USDA, N: USDA (1954), I: USDA (1954), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 2-3/truss, 40-50mm wide, white, throat slightly flushed yellowish green. Shrub of low, branching habit, twice as wide as high. (Derived from the work of G.E. Yerkes & R.L. Pryor)

(r) **'Whitney Appleblossom'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney (pre 1973), I: Mrs A. Sather (pre 1990) Fls pink, with red and gold spotting on dorsal lobes. Lvs deep green. Shrub of mounding habit, 1.2m in 10 years. Early May

(r) **'Whitney Bashful'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Whitney (pre 1987)

(r) **'Whitney Buff'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney (pre 1973), I: Whitney Gardens (c 1985), REG: E.J. Beutler (1997) Fls 10/lax, domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 60 × 85mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong yellowish pink (37B) in bud, opening inside pale yellow (19C) with sparse, brilliant greenish yellow (5A) dorsal spotting; outside light yellowish pink (27A), with streaks of light yellowish pink (36B) on midveins; slightly scented. Lvs oblong, 125 × 50mm, with wavy margins, obtuse at apex, oblique at base, dull and moderate olive green (146A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 2.4m in 10 years. Mid May. (Published in Whitney Gardens & Nursery cat. (1985))

(r) **'Whitney Dwarf Orange'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney (pre 1973), I: Mrs A. Sather (pre 1990) Fls shades of salmon pink to orange. Compact shrub, 0.6m in 10 years

(r) **'Whitney Late Orange'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown, probably involving *dichroanthum* and a late flowering member of sect. *Fortunea* H: W.E. Whitney (pre 1973), N: G. & Mrs A. Sather, I: G. & Mrs A. Sather (pre 1985) Fls orange (darker than 'Whitney's Orange'). Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Late. (Also seen as 'Whitney's Late Orange')

(r) **'Whitney Late Red'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Leo Group × 'Britannia' H: W.E. Whitney (pre 1973) (Listed as a parent of 'Party Girl')

(r) **'Whitney Peach Blossom'** cv. Parentage unknown H: H.E. Whitney (pre 1973), I: G. & Mrs A. Sather (pre 1991) Fls in domed trusses, with very wavy-edged lobes, peach. Lvs dull green. Compact shrub 0.9m in 10 years

(r) **'Whitney Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney (pre 1973), I: G. & Mrs A. Sather (pre 1991) Fls funnel-shaped, pink, ageing to cream. Lvs dark green above, with a light indumentum below. Shrub 0.9m in 10 years, of mounding habit. Midseason

(r) **'Whitney Purple'** cv. Parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney, G: W.E. Whitney (1965-1969), N: Mrs A. Sather, I: Mrs A. Sather (1975), REG: Mrs A. Sather (1986) Fls 21/ball to domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 75 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, dark red (59A) in bud, opening strong purplish red (72A), with a prominent dorsal blotch of dark greyish purple (202A). Calyx very small. Lvs between elliptic and narrowly elliptic to between oblanceolate and narrowly obovate, 100-145xc50mm, glossy and moderate olive green (137A), hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 10 years. Early May

(r) **'Whitney's Best Yellow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney (pre 1973), I: G. & Mrs A. Sather (pre 1993) Fls rich yellow. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. June. Syn: 'Whitney's Yellow No. 1', 'Whitney's Late Yellow'

(r) **'Whitney's Double Pink'** (Syn. of 'Double Date')

(r) **'Whitney's Dwarf Red'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.E. Whitney (pre 1973) Fls red. Lvs shiny green. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Whitney's Georgeanne'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney (pre 1973), I: G. & Mrs A. Sather (pre 1985) Fls in a slightly lax truss, salmon orange. Lvs small and narrow. Shrub 0.9m in 10 years. Late

(r) **'Whitney's Late Frilled Yellow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: W.E. Whitney (pre 1973)

(r) **'Whitney's Late Orange'** (See note under 'Whitney Late Orange')

(r) **'Whitney's Late Peach'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: W.E. Whitney (pre 1973)

(r) **'Whitney's Late Yellow'** (Syn. of 'Whitney's Best Yellow')

(r) **'Whitney's Orange'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney (pre 1960), G: W.E. Whitney, N: W.E. Whitney, I: W.E. Whitney (1962), REG: G. & Mrs A. Sather (1976) Fls 14-15/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 75 × 75mm, 5-lobed, buds light greenish yellow (4B), edged moderate reddish orange (41C), opening strong yellowish pink (37B), blotched vivid reddish orange (32A), with vivid orange (28A) spots on the dorsal lobes, edged strong red (51A). Calyx 25mm long, vivid reddish orange-strong red (32A-50A). Lvs narrowly elliptic to oblanceolate, 125 × 40mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (137A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Whitney's Pumpkin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: W.E. Whitney (pre 1987) (Listed as a parent of 'Twilight Sun')

(r) **'Whitney's Snow Goose'** cv. Parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney (pre 1973)

(r) **'Whitney's Yak No. 7'** (Syn. of 'George Munro's Favorite')

(r) **'Whitney's Yellow No. 1'** (Syn. of 'Whitney's Best Yellow')

(r) **'Whitney Tiger Lily'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney (pre 1973), I: G. & Mrs A. Sather (c 1990) Fls pink, with red spotting. Calyx 'split, resembling a lily'. Spreading shrub, 0.9m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Whittenton'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: reputedly a hybrid of the subsect. *Fortunea* H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: C.O. Dexter & R. Willard, N: J.C. Wister, I: J.S. Wells (c 1959), REG: John J. Tyler Arboretum (1980) Fls 10/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 90mm wide, with 5-7 flat-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (7.5RP 9/2), with two areas of greenish yellow glow in the throat of the dorsal lobe; unmarked. Calyx minute, light green. Lvs elliptic to narrowly obovate, mucronate at apex, rounded to slightly cordate at base, moderate olive green (2.5YG 4/3) above, hairless. Shrub 2.4 × 3.0m in 19 years. Mid May. Syn: 'Willard No. 5'

(r) **'Whizette'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Princess Elizabeth' (s) × *maximum* R: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls deep and strong pink (52B-D), with a deep pink (52B) calyx. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992); the *maximum* parent is a wild-collected plant from from Jackson Center, Pennsylvania, USA)

(a) **'W.H. Nolens'** (Syn. of 'Koningin Emma')

(a) **'Whooleri'** L: (See note under 'Wooleri')

(r) **'Whoopie!'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Carolyn Dana Lewis' (s) × 'Dexter's Brick Red Orange' R: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (63A, B) and strong purplish pink (63C) in bud, opening deep, moderate and pale purplish pink (66C, D, 65D) with a white throat, a deep purplish red (59B) flare and deep purplish red (59B) dorsal spots; anthers white. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Whoopie Ding!'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Carolyn Dana Lewis' (s) × 'Lanny Pride' H: W.E. Delp (1982), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1995) Fls 14/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 66 × 83mm, with 6-7 very wavy-edged lobes, deep and strong red (53A, 46A) in bud, opening deep and strong red (53A, 46A) with a white throat and dark red (187A) dorsal spots; anthers pale greenish yellow (10D). Lvs 95 × 48mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Whopper'** (Syn. of 'Delp's Whopper')

(r) **'Whopper'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lem's Goal' (s) × 'Loderi King George' H: H. Lem, G: H. Lem (pre 1960), N: H. Lem (pre 1960), REG: J. Barlup (1999) Fls 12/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 70 × 105mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (60B) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (62D) at inside edges and fading to pale orange-yellow (159B), with streaks of strong purplish red (63B) radiating from nectaries; two dark reddish orange (178B) rays (c20mm long) on the dorsal lobe; outside edges pale purplish pink (62D), deepening to strong purplish red (63B) along midribs and at base. Lvs narrowly oblong, 200 × 65mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, flat, dull and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 1.4m in 10 years. Mid May. (First published in *Q.Bull.Am.Rh.Soc.* 31 (1):11 (1977))

(r) **'W. Hozier'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink

(r) **'W.H. Punchard'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1890), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls plum colour, with a yellow centre. (Perhaps the same plant as 'Baron Schröder')

(r) **'W. Iambor'** (See note under 'W. Jambor')

(r) **'Wianno'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: reputedly a hybrid of the subsect. *Fortunea* H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: C.O. Dexter & R. Willard, I: J.S. Wells (c 1959), REG: The Tyler Arboretum (1980) Fls 8-10/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong reddish purple (10P 5/10) in bud, opening moderate purplish pink (10P 7/7) to light reddish purple (10P 6/9) with inconspicuous pale yellow-

green (5GY 8/8) spotting on the dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic to narrowly obovate, 100-125 × 45-65mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate to rounded at base, moderate olive green (5GY 4/3) above, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 2.7m in 19 years. Mid May. Syn: 'Willard No. 7'

(r) **'Wickatunk'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group (dark pink form) (s) × *mucronulatum* 'Pink Panther' H: G.D. Lewis (1975), G: G.D. Lewis (1979), N: G.D. Lewis, I: The Cummins Garden (1985), REG: G.D. Lewis (1994) Fls 4-12/domed truss (formed of several 4-5 fld buds), broadly funnel-shaped, 38 × 44mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, very pale purple (73D), flushed with deep purplish pink (73A); stamens 10, straight, unequal; style opens white, turns red. Pedicels 13-19mm long, greyish red (182B). Lvs elliptic, 64 × 29mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dark yellowish green (139A) above, brown scaly above and below, semi-deciduous; petioles 6mm long, strong yellow-green (144B), scaly. Shrub 1.5 × 1.2m in 10 years. Mid April. (Published in The Cummins Garden cat., 1985)

(r) **'Wickham's Fancy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* hybrid H: Waterer (Bagshot) (1964), G: Waterer (Bagshot) (1968), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975) Fl 15-16/truss, 50 × 40mm, 5-lobed, white (155D), slightly tinged pale purplish pink (56D). Calyx small. Lvs 100-110 × 30-40mm, with light brown indumentum. May

(r) **'Wickiup'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'C.I.S.' × *fortunei* hybrid R: J.A. Elliott (pre 1983), N: J.A. Elliott Fls a blend of peach, pink, orange and yellow, with a red blotch. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Wickiup Sister'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'C.I.S.' × *fortunei* subsp. *fortunei* R: J.A. Elliott (pre 1985) Fls a blend of yellow, peach and orange, with small red marks in the throat. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Midseason. (More upright than 'Wickiup'; the incorrect spelling 'Wickiup's Sister' is sometimes seen)

(r) **'Wide Receiver'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Oh Joyce' (s) × 'Wizard' R: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls deep purplish red (59B) in bud, opening white, edged strong purplish red (63A, B) and strong purplish pink (63C); stigma vivid red (46B). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Widge'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: D. Whibley (1920s), G: D. Whibley, N: D. Whibley, REG: Australian Rhododendron Society, South Australian Branch (2002) Fls 20/compact, domed truss, funnel-shaped, 50mm wide, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (62C) in bud, opening inside pale purplish pink (62D), outside light purplish pink (62C); copious greenish yellow spotting on lower mid part of dorsal lobe. Calyx 20mm long, white. Lvs lanceolate, 130 × 40mm, margins flat, sharply pointed at apex, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 8 years. Early-mid November (Tasmania). (Standard: colour slide provided by registrant (WSY 0035244))

(r) **'Wiekhoff'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Madame de Bruin' (s) × *williamsianum* R: D.G. Hobbie (pre 1945) Fls 6-12/truss, deep rose

(r) **'Wiener Weltausstellung'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alstroemerioides' hybrid R: J.B. Müller (1860s), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine, spotted brown

(r) **'Wiero'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × unknown H: unknown (The Netherlands), G: J. van der Werf (c 1975), N: J. van der Werf, I: Firma C. Esveld (1980), REG: Royal Boskoop Hort. Soc. (1990) Fls 20/truss, funnel-shaped, c50 × 40-50mm, 5-lobed, deep purplish pink (67C) fading to almost white. Calyx green. Lvs ovate, 150-180 × 30-50mm, indumentum on young leaves pale brown. Shrub 1.25 × 1.5m in 15 years. Late April-May. (Originally introduced (1980) as 'Van der Werf')

(r) **'Wigeon'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group × *calostrotum* 'Gigha' H: P.A. Cox (1971), G: P.A. Cox, N: P.A. Cox, I: P.A. Cox (1980), REG: P.A. Cox (1982) Fls 5/lax domed truss, open funnel-shaped, with wavy-edged lobes, light purple (between 75A & B), slightly tinged rose, lower half of dorsal lobe heavily dotted deep red (60A). Lvs 45 × 20mm, dull, fairly dark green above. Shrub at least to 0.3 × 0.5m. Early May. *PC 1982, *AM 1987

(r) **Wilbar Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Barclayi Group × *williamsianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1938), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rosy pink. Lvs ovate, dark green. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years

(r) **'Wilburn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' (s) × 'Purple Splendour' H: E.T. Anderson (1970), G: E.T. Anderson (1976), N: E.T. Anderson, REG: E.T. Anderson (1993) Fls 14-16/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 44-51 × 64-76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, dark purple (79A) in bud, opening deep purplish red (71A) at margins, shading to strong reddish purple (72B) at centre and with a dark purple (79A) spotted blotch on the dorsal lobe; outside strong purplish red (71B); stamens 10-11, curved. Pedicels 44mm long, red above, light yellow-green (145C) below. Lvs elliptic, 114-140 × 44-51mm, convex, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, moderate olive green (137A) above, moderate yellow-green (147C) below, hairless; petioles 25mm long, light yellow-green (145C). Shrub 2.1 × 1.2m in 23 years. Mid May

(r) **'Wild Affair'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'The Honourable Jean Marie de Montague' × 'Moser's Maroon' R: H.E. Greer (pre 1982), N: H.E. Greer Fls bright red, with a golden yellow blotch. Lvs deep green. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Wild Card'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Princess Elizabeth' (s) × *maximum* R: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V.

Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls strong red (53C, D) in bud, opening pale pink (49D) edged strong purplish red (54A). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992); the *maximum* parent is a wild-collected plant from Jackson Center, Pennsylvania, USA)

(r) **'Wildenloh'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: A.W. Backhus (pre 1972), N: A.W. Backhus Fls 13-21/compact, broadly rounded truss, 40-65mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, rose, inside with dark red spotting on the dorsal lobe, the other lobes all with red spotting. Lvs noticeably twisted. Early-late May

(a) **'Wildenstein'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kiusianum* hybrid R: VEG Saatzucht Zierpflanzen (pre 1980), N: VEG Saatzucht Zierpflanzen Fls brick red

(a) **'Wildfire'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi*, red flowered form (s) × 'Keisetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 50-65mm wide, between rose dorée (deep yellowish pink (43C)) and scarlet red (vivid reddish orange (42A)), base of tube almost white, with a few tyrian rose (vivid purplish red (57B)) spots in the blotch area. Shrub to 1.0m. Late April-mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Wild Force'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'China Boy' (s) × 'Charles Dickens' × 'Mars' H: J. Looye, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, deep and strong red (53A, B) in bud, opening strong red (53B-D), deep purplish pink (54B) and strong pink (54C), with a light yellow-green (154D) flare and moderate yellow-green (146C) dorsal spots; filaments and style strong pink (54C); anthers light yellow (163D); stigma moderate red (179A). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Wild Honey'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × *vernicosum* aff. (Rock 18139) (s) × 'Golden Star' H: W.L. Rhein (1980), G: W.L. Rhein (1985), N: W.L. Rhein, REG: Rhein Registration Committee (1996) Fls 11-13/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 65-75mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (51B) in bud at first, changing to deep yellowish pink (41D), opening inside pale yellow (8D), with two brilliant yellow-green (150B) markings on dorsal lobe, outside pale greenish yellow (10D); stamens 17, straight, equal; moderately scented. Calyx minute. Pedicels 35mm long, brilliant yellow-green (150C). Lvs elliptic, 115 × 50mm, flat, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, moderate olive green (146A) and dull above, moderate yellow-green (147C) below, hairless; petioles 20-25mm long, deep greenish yellow (153A). Shrub 2.1 × 2.0m in 15 years. Early May

(v) **'Wild Redhead'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *retusum* × *javanicum* H: J.L. Rouse, G: G.L.S. Snell (1988), N: G.L.S. Snell, I: Vireya Venue (1990), REG: Vireya Venue (1991) Fls 10-12/truss, campanulate, 35 × 40mm, 5-lobed, vivid red (44A). Lvs oblong, 100 × 50mm. Shrub 1.5m. Spring-autumn

(r) **'Wild Wealth'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *yakushimanum* G: Mrs J.W. Hill, S: Mrs J.W. Hill, N: Mrs J.W. Hill, I: Mrs J.W. Hill (1986), REG: Mrs J.W. Hill (1987) Fls 12/domed truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 44 × 38mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (56A) in bud, opening white with a pale yellow blotch, flushed green. Lvs oblong, 76 × 32mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above; new growth covered with a bright white indumentum. Shrub 0.9 × 1.5m in 25 years. Mid May. (Raised from wild-collected seed (ex T. Rokujo, 1961))

(a) **'Wildwood Pixie Petticoat'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown N: Wildwood Gardens, I: Wildwood Gardens (pre 2000) Fls hose-in-hose, purple pink. Lvs rounded, dark green. Shrub 25 × 60cm

(r) **Wilfred Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Phidias Group (s) × *williamsianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1935), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink, cream, yellow, orange or red

(r) **'Wilgen's Ruby'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' × 'John Walter' I: A.C. van Wilgen (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls inside rose red (724/1), with a dark brown blotch; outside turkish red (721) shading to rose red (724) at edges. Shrub c1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Wilgen's Surprise'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Wilgen's Ruby' × *williamsianum* R: Van Wilgen's Nurseries, N: Van Wilgen's Nurseries, I: Van Wilgen's Nurseries (1967), REG: Van Wilgen's Nurseries (1974) Fls 7-8/compact, globular truss, 45 × 52-70mm, open funnel-shaped, between strong purplish red (58C) and deep purplish pink (58D), slightly deeper in the throat, with slight dark red or chocolate brown spotting on dorsal lobe. Lvs 55-75 × 40-45mm, dull light green above. Shrub to at least 0.9m. *HC 1974

(a) **'Wilhelm III'** (See note under 'Willem III')

(r) **'Wilhelma'** (An error for 'Queen Wilhelmina')

(a) **'Wilhelm-Gustave'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: J. Baumann (1866), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Wilhelmina'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Vuyk van Nes, N: Vuyk van Nes, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose. Early. Kaempferi

(r) **'Wilhelmina'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid L: Oudin (1845), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Wilhelmina Vuyk'** (Syn. of 'Palestrina')

(a) **'Wilhelmine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: L. van Houtte (1871), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with a grass green blotch or carmine red. Indian

(a) **'Wilhelmine'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. van Houtte (1871), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, salmon rose, shaded orange, dorsal lobes golden yellow. Ghent

(a) **'Wilhelm Keim'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Coelestine' hybrid I: K. Glaser (1963) Fls single, small, moderate red (47A). Calyx normal, green. Late

(r) **'Wilhelm Pfitzer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alstroemerioides' hybrid R: J.B. Müller (1860s), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson red, strongly spotted, with a dark throat

(a) **'Wilhelm Röntgen'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Gibraltar' × 'Cecile' R: C. Fleischmann, N: C. Fleischmann, I: C. Fleischmann (1970) Fls in compact, rounded trusses, 75mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, intense pale salmon pink, with an orange blotch; with an occasional petaloid stamen. Late

(r) **'Wilhelm Schacht'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *for-tunei* subsp. *discolor* × 'Professor Hugo de Vries' R: D.G. Hobbie (pre 1946), I: D.G. Hobbie (1973) Fls very large, rose to white, with red marking. Syn: 'Doctor Wilhelm Schacht'

(a) **'Wilhelm Scheurer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (1886), INC: ICRA (1958) Flssemi-double, with wavy-edged lobes, dark cinnabar red. Indian

(a) **'Wilhelm Sester'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J. Rinz (pre 1866), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, striped and spotted lake. Indian

(a) **'Wilhelm Tell'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C. Schulz (pre 1865), N: C. Schulz, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine, shaded with copper, striped. Indian

(r) **'Wilhelm Weisse'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Firma Seidel (1889), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls very large, china white, lilac rose at first. (Previously listed incorrectly as 'Wilhelm Weise')

(r) **'Willamette'** cv. Parentage unknown H: D.W. James (pre 1960)

(a) **'Willa Owens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably a seedling from 'Merlin' R: I.L. Amann (pre 1987), N: I.L. Amann Fls 50mm wide, strong purplish red (54A), with a deeper blotch. Shrub to 1.5m tall

(r) **'Willard'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: reputedly a hybrid of subsect. *Fortunea* H: C.O. Dexter (1943), G: C.O. Dexter & R. Willard, N: The Tyler Arboretum (c 1959), I: J.S. Wells (c 1959), REG: The Tyler Arboretum (1980) Fls12/ball truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 90mm wide, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (7.5RP 5/12), paling in the throat, with faint dorsal lobe spotting of deep purplish pink (7.5RP 6/12); scented. Lvs elliptic, 115-140 × 50-55mm, flat, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, moderate yellow-green (5GY 5/6) above, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 3.0m in 19 years. Mid May. Syn: 'Willard No. 2'

(r) **'Willard No. 1'** (Syn. of 'Wareham')

(r) **'Willard No. 2'** (Syn. of 'Willard')

(r) **'Willard No. 5'** (Syn. of 'Whittenton')

(r) **'Willard No. 7'** (Syn. of 'Wianno')

(r) **'Willard No. 8'** (Syn. of 'Winneconnet')

(r) **'Willbrit'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' (s) × *williamsianum* R: D.G. Hobbie, N: Le Feber & Co., I: Le Feber & Co. (1960), REG: Le Feber & Co. (1964) Fls 5-8/truss, open campanulate, 75mm long, fleshy, inside china rose (024/1), with some darker spots on the dorsal lobes, outside china rose (024), paling to margins. Lvs broadly elliptic, cuspidate at apex, slightly cordate at base. Shrub to at least 1.0m

(a) **'Willem II'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown I: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, reddish orange. Early. Mollis

(a) **'Willem III'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: T.J. Seidel (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 65mm wide, strong yellowish pink (32C), with a yellowish orange blotch. Ghent (Sometimes listed in the translated form: 'William III'; perhaps also the 'Guillaume III' listed by J. Baumann, 1860 and 'Wilhelm III' listed by Koster, 1931)

(r) **'Willem Barendtz'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* hybrid I: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac red

(a) **'Willem Hardijzer'** cv. Deciduous azalea: seedling from 'Hugo Hardijzer' R: W. Hardijzer & Co., N: W. Hardijzer & Co., I: W. Hardijzer & Co. (1944), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 14/compact, globular truss, 50 × 65mm, funnel-shaped, peach (512) along midrib and in throat, remainder porcelain rose (620) flushed scarlet (19/1), with an orpiment orange (10) blotch. Lvs 70 × 25mm, light glossy green. Shrub c1.4 × 1.5m. Mid May. *HC 1966, *AM 1969. Mollis (Sometimes seen in the translated form 'William Hardijzer'. The original Register description was signal red (719/3), that given above is of the 1966 award plant)

(a) **'Willem van Oranje'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Madame Petrick' × 'Apollo' I: A. Haerens (1932), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single to semi-double (with an average of 0.18 stamens/flower), deep yellowish pink (44D). Calyx normal, green. Midseason. Indian (Probably the 'William van Orange' listed by Nuccio's Nurseries, 1986)

(r) **'Willem Vogt'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* hybrid I: C.B. van Nes & Sons (pre 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red. Syn: 'William Vogt'

(r) **'Willi'** cv. Parentage unknown L: T.J.R. Seidel (1918), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale lilac, flamed darker

(a) **'William III'** (See 'Willem III')

(r) **'William Austin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* hybrid R: Waterer (Bagshot) (c 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark crimson, spotted. (Waterer (Knap Hill), 1881 also claimed it as theirs!)

(r) **'William Avery'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* subsp. *diaprepes* 'Gargantua' (s) × Walloper Group H: W. Avery (1978), G: J.F. Wilson (1984), N: J.F. Wilson (1994), REG: J.F. Wilson (1994) Fls 9/compact, domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 125mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, buds deep pink (51C), opening deep pink (51C) but soon fading to white both inside and out; dorsal blotch of vivid reddish orange (44B) which fades to vivid yellow (9B); stamens 14; style 55mm long, white turning to pale green. Calyx 6mm long, green, edged red-brown. Lvs obovate, 270 × 95mm, margins decurved, matt green above, rounded at apex. Shrub 2.0 × 1.8m in 15 years. Mid November-mid December (Australia)

(r) **'William Bean'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Caractacus' × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* (s) × *yakushimanum* R: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls white, with a red throat. Lvs pubescent. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'William Bovill'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1870), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale carmine. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'William Bull'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: A. Verschaffelt, N: A. Verschaffelt, I: A. Verschaffelt (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, deep rose, dorsal lobes deep violet rose-carmine (Verschaffelt, 1862); fls double, crimson and violet (W. Bull, 1867); clear red, tinged lilac (L. van Houtte cat., 1870). Indian (The 1958 Register description does not match contemporary accounts)

(a) **'William Carmichael'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Carmichael (1879), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls carmine red, with a magenta tint. Indian

(r) **'William Cowper'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1865), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c15/rounded truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 55 × 70-80mm, bright rosy crimson, freely marked blackish brown on dorsal lobes, crimson on ventral lobes. Calyx lobes up to 10mm long. Lvs elliptic to oblanceolate, 100 × 35mm, dark, matt green above, with vestiges of juvenile indumentum below. Syn: 'W. Cowper'. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'William Dallimore'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *thomsonii* × *griffithianum* R: Kew (c 1920), N: Kew, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'William Davies'** cv. Parentage unknown R: I. Davies (pre 1896), N: I. Davies, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c14/compact truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, vivid rose pink, with a ray of dark brown to more-or-less black markings. Calyx lobes rosy red. Lvs broadly elliptic to obovate, 75-110 × 35-50mm, dark green above. Very late flowering. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'William Downing'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1862), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in an hemispherical truss, 5-lobed, rich puce, with an intense black dorsal blotch. Lvs oblong-elliptic. Hardy Hybrid

(a) **'William Edgard'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1937), INC: ICRA (1958) (Listed as a parent of 'Mr Roger Haerens')

(r) **'William Ewart Gladstone'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Bagshot) (pre 1881), N: Waterer (Bagshot), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a fine truss, deep rose. Late. Syn: 'W.E. Gladstone'

(r) **'William Fetterhoff'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'English Roseum' × *yakushimanum* H: W.M. Fetterhoff (pre 1970), G: O.S. Pride, N: O.S. Pride (pre 1980) Fls clear light pink, non-fading. Compact shrub

(r) **'William Fortescue'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* × *campylocarpum* Elatum Group H: L.S. Fortescue (1958), G: L.S. Fortescue, I: Fortescue Garden Trust, REG: Fortescue Garden Trust (1981) Fls strongly suffused deep purplish pink (58D) in bud, opening pale yellow-green (157C); style flushed red

(r) **'William Godfrey'** cv. Parentage unknown I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (pre 1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush white, with a yellow blotch

(a) **'William Hardijzer'** (See 'Willem Hardijzer')

(r) **'William Hozier'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Vuylsteke (1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet red

(r) **'William Hurley'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *nuttallii* × *megacalyx* H: G.A. Hardy, G: G.A. Hardy, N: G.A. Hardy (1988), REG: G.A. Hardy (1988) Fls 3-5/truss, tubular-campanulate, up to 85 × 125mm, 5-lobed, white, suffused yellow deep in the throat and very slightly tinged pink on the outside; strongly scented. Calyx up to 25mm long, green, scaly. Lvs oblong-elliptic, up to 160 × 60mm, mid green and with scattered scales above, densely scaly below. Shrub 2.9 × 1.1m. Early May. FCC 1988

(a) **'William Hyatt'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Purple Splendor' × 'Vuyk's Scarlet' H: H.R. Schroeder (1973), G: S. Schroeder (1978), N: S. Schroeder, I: S. Schroeder (1986), REG: S. Schroeder (1986) Fls single, broadly funnel-shaped, 38 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (66C), with dark red dorsal spotting. Calyx 13mm long, striped rose/green. Lvs oblanceolate, 32 × 13mm, glossy and dark green above, light green below, hairy. Shrub 0.46 × 0.46m in 10 years. Mid April

(r) **'William King'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Gladys Group (s) × 'Ilam Canary' H: Mrs L.M. King (1958), G: S.M. King, N: S.M. King, I: H.W. King & Co., REG: H.W. King & Co. (1985) Fls primrose yellow. Shrub up to 2.0m

(a) **'William McElvain'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Nadine' R: O.S. Pride, N: O.S. Pride, I: O.S. Pride (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, white

(r) **'William Milton'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Veitch & Sons (1881), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark crimson, with a black blotch. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'William Montgomery'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Atrosanguineum' (s) × *griersonianum* R: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear scarlet. Gable (Atrier Group)

(r) **'William Moss'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Roman Pottery' × 'Golden Fleece' H: W. Moss, G: W. Moss, N: W. Moss, I: W. Moss (1974), REG: W. Moss (1974) Fls moderate reddish orange (41C) to strong yellowish pink (33C)

(r) **'William Pattman'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Belvedere' × Fabia Group R: T.C. Thacker, N: T.C. Thacker (1960), REG: T.C. Thacker (1961) Fls 10/loose truss, erect, bell-shaped, 5-lobed, salmon orange

(r) **'William P. Cary'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goldsworth Yellow' × *brachycarpum* × 'Mrs P. den Ouden' H: E.A. Cary (1969), G: E.A. Cary, N: E.A. Cary, I: E.A. Cary, REG: E.A. Cary (1980) Fls16/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50mm wide, with 5 flat-edged lobes, pink in bud, opening pale yellow (11D), with considerable vivid to brilliant yellow (154A-C) dorsal lobe spotting; some pink shading, especially outside. Lvs elliptic, 80-100 × 35-40mm, acute at apex, cuneate to somewhat rounded at base, moderate olive green (146A) above, very sparsely hairy below. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 9 years. Mid May

(r) **'William R. Coe'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: may be a hybrid of subsect. *Fortunea* R: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), N: Planting Fields Arboretum, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10-12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, 5-lobed, fuchsine pink (627/1) with a small, deep crimson blotch and freckles on dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, hairless. Shrub broad, rounded, 1.2 × 2.4m in 20 years. Flowers one week before 'William Rogers Coe', two weeks before 'Mrs W. R. Coe'. Syn: 'W.R. Coe', 'Mr W.R. Coe' (Named for William Robertson Coe)

(r) **'William Rogers'** cv. Parentage unknown R: W.H. Rogers (pre 1932), N: W.H. Rogers, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c15/compact truss, funnel-shaped, 40 × 35mm, tyrian rose, with a dorsal ray of blackish spots. Calyx lobes whitish. Lvs narrowly elliptic to oblanceolate, 110 × 30mm, matt green above, finally hairless below. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'William Rogers Coe'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Probably a hybrid from subsect. *Fortunea* R: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943) Fls 12-16/ball truss, 50 × 75mm, 5-6-lobed, fuchsine pink (627/2) at edges, fuchsine pink (627/3) in centre of lobes, with a deep golden yellow blotch and freckles on the dorsal lobe; scented. Lvs elliptic, 75 × 45mm, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 2.4m in 20 years

(r) **'Williams'** cv. Parentage unknown, but may have *maximum* or *ponticum* ancestry L: Greer Gardens (1976) Fls16/tight, rounded truss, 65mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, pink, with a prominent blotch. Lvs 140 × 50mm, pointed, wavy-edged, forest green. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Syn: 'Springtime' (Probably of English origin. Grown in NW USA for over 30 years (Greer, 1985))

(a) **'Williamsburg'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Gumpo' × 'Wakaebisu' H: S. McDonald (1975), G: S. McDonald (1976), N: S. McDonald, I: S. McDonald, REG: S. McDonald (1987) Fl hose-in-hose, 1-2/truss, more-or-less flat-faced open funnel-shaped, 25 × 64-76mm, with 5+5 wavy-edged lobes, white, with a greenish throat and occasional sectors, stripes and flecks of vivid reddish orange (43B); ovary prominent, hairy/glandular. Calyx as corolla. Lvs obovate, flat, 40 × 15mm, mucronate at apex, cuneate at base, upper surface glossy and hairy. Low spreading shrub, 0.6 × 1.0m in 12 years. Early-mid June

(a) **'Williamsburg Rose Bouquet'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Ripples' (s) × 'Evening Glow' H: S. McDonald (1976), G: S. McDonald (1979), N: S. McDonald, I: Le-Mac Azaleas (1988), REG: S. McDonald (1999) Fls double, hose-in-hose, 2-3/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, c40 × 50mm, with very wavy-edged lobes (with an occasional anther sac attached), deep purplish pink (73A) in bud, opening strong purplish pink (73B) inside and out, with a few, tiny, strong purplish red (71C) spots. Calyx c40mm long, strong purplish pink (73B). Lvs obovate, 40-45 × 15mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, flat, semi-glossy and dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairy above and below (hairs white at first, ageing to tan). Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 15 years. Early April. (Published in *Azaleas*, Galle (1987), under the then unacceptable epithet 'Williamsburg Rose'

(a) **'William Selkirk'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Hazlewood Bros (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, pink, edged white. Indian

(r) **'William Shilson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *arboreum* hybrid L: R. Veitch & Son (1913), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a large truss, pink. (Probably the plant listed by Caledonia Nursery (1905) as 'Mr W. Shilson')

(az) **'Williamsii'** cv. Azaleodendron: *arboreum* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: B.S. Williams & Son, N: B.S. Williams & Son, I: B.S. Williams & Son (1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 10-12/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 32 × 50mm, shade of mauve, more-or-less unmarked. Calyx inconspicuous. Lvs evergreen, oblanceolate, up to 130 × 40mm, glossy green above, hairless below. Shrub up to at least 3.0m (Ivens description); nearly white, tinted lilac (1958 Register). AM 1890

(r) **'Williams' Seedling A'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Broughtonii' × *griffithianum* R: P.D. or J.C. Williams (pre 1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white

(r) **'Williams' Seedling B'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Broughtonii' × *griffithianum* R: P.D. or J.C. Williams (pre 1928), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with red spots

(a) **'William Tritt'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* × *kaempferi* H: L. Hancock (pre 1972), G: J.K. Weagle, N: J.K. Weagle, I: Rhodoland Nurseries, REG: J.K. Weagle (2002) Fls 3/truss, funnel-shaped, 36 × 47mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (48B) in bud, opening deep pink (48B) throughout, with a flare between vivid purple (81B) and light purple (81C) on apical portions of dorsal lobe and half of each adjacent lobe. Calyx 5mm long. Lvs dimorphic: summer leaves obovate, 12 × 6mm, margins smooth, more-or-less obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, in mid April dark red (187A) above, moderate olive green (146A) with a reddish midrib below, with long, silvery hairs on margins, upper surface and on midrib below; petioles leaflike, flattened, 6mm long. Typical tiered *kaempferi* habit; shrub 2.3 × 2.0m in c30 years. Early June. (May have been derived from wild-collected seed)

(a) **'William van Orange'** (See note under 'Willem van Oranje')

(r) **'William Vogt'** (Syn. of 'Willem Vogt')

(r) **'William Watson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: R. Gill & Sons (pre 1925), N: R. Gill & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls shell pink, with stripes of deep pink externally. AM 1925

(r) **'William Watson'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ascot Brilliant' (s) × *griffithianum* R: uncertain (pre 1929), N: uncertain, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 12/conical truss, campanulate, 55 × 70-80mm, with wavy-edged, rounded, overlapping lobes, satiny purplish crimson, with a black blotch in the throat; filaments white, with crimson, downy bases, anthers pale brown; style pale green, stigma green; slightly scented. Calyx lobes 2-3mm long, ciliate, green. (Described from a plant cultivated by Hilliers, 1929, ex Clyne Castle)

(r) **'William W. Drysdale'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* (s) × Azor Group hybrid I: T.C. Thacker (1944), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange

(r) **'William Wright Smith'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *nuttallii* × *veitchianum* N: Royal Botanic Garden, Edinburgh (1960), I: Royal Botanic Garden, Edinburgh, REG: Royal Botanic Garden, Edinburgh (1961) Fls 4/truss, campanulate, 125 × 140mm, lobes strongly wavy-edged and recurved, white, tinged orange around the base inside, outside tinged shades of pink; slightly scented. Lvs lanceolate, pale green above and below, with some scales; new growth lightly hairy, but this is soon lost. FCC 1960

(a) **'William Wylam'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: E. Kirk, I: Hazlewood Bros (pre 1958), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, purple rose. Indian

(a) **'Willie Belle Mayo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: A. Pericat, N: R.P. Mayo Nurseries, I: R.P. Mayo Nurseries, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, 65mm wide, lobes wavy-edged, fuchsine pink (627/1). Pericat (Sometimes seen as 'Willie B. Mayo')

(r) **'Willis Diekma'** cv. Parentage unknown H: C.S. Seabrook (pre 1980)

(r) **'Will-o'-the-Wisp'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* × *formosum* R: unknown (pre 1994) Fls white, with a yellow throat. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Early April

(v) **'Will o' Wisp'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown N: Vireya Venue, I: Vireya Venue (1996) Fls small, flared, white, sometimes blushed pink. Fine 'feathery' foliage. Shrub to c0.5m

(r) **'Willow Run'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* var. *chapmanii* × *formosum* Iteaphyllum Group R: unknown (pre 1994) Fls pink. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years, with attractive peeling bark. Early April

(r) **'Will's Willi'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Catfortcampy Group (s) × 'Golden Star' H: W.L. Rhein (1979), G: W.L. Rhein (1984), N: W.L. Rhein, REG: Am.Rh.Soc., Susquehanna Valley Chapter (1995) Fls 9/lax, ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 44 × 64mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, inside strong purplish red (54A) at margins, shading to pale purplish pink (56C), with a light greenish yellow (1C) throat sparsely speckled vivid yellow-green (154A); outside margins strong purplish red (54A) shading to moderate purplish pink (62B); stamens 14, straight, unequal; stigma vivid yellowish green (140A). Calyx minute. Pedicels 38mm long, strong yellow-green (145A). Lvs elliptic, slightly concave, 83-95 × 38-44mm, flat at edges, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (137A) above, moderate yellow-green (138B) below; petioles 16mm long, strong yellow-green (144A). Shrub 1.5 × 2.0m in 13 years. Early-mid May. (Published (as 'Wills-Willi') in *J. Am.Rh.Soc.*, 44 (3):135 (1990))

(r) **'Will's Wisp'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* (s) × 'Vulcan' H: W.L. Rhein (1978), G: W.L. Rhein (1982), N: W.L. Rhein, REG: Rhein Registration Committee (1996) Fls 14/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 90mm, with 6 smooth-edged lobes, deep pink (52B) in bud, opening pale orange-yellow (159B) edged strong purplish pink (73B), spotted and streaked vivid yellow-green (154A) on dorsal lobe, outside with midveins streaked deep pink (52C); stamens 13, straight, unequal; slightly scented. Calyx minute. Pedicels 45mm long, brilliant yellow-green (149B). Lvs oblong, 100-125 × 40-50mm, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, moderate olive green (137B) and dull above, moderate yellow-green (147C) below, hairless; petioles 20-25mm long, light yellow-green (145C). Shrub 3.0 × 2.6m in 17 years. Mid May

(a) **'Willy'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: C.B. van Nes & Sons (pre 1939), N: C.B. van Nes & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls clear rose pink. Very early. Kaempferi

(r) **'Willy'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* × *williamsianum* L: USA (1985)

(a) **'Willy Haerens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1923), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose with pure white edges. Indian

(r) **'Willy-nilly'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Harold Heal' × *williamsianum* R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, REG: C. Ingram (1972) Fls creamy white

(r) **'Wilsonii'** (Syn. of 'Laetevirens')

(r) **Wilsonii Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *ciliatum* × *glaucophyllum* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale rose

(a) **'Wilson Saunders'** (Syn. of 'Mrs Wilson Saunders')

(r) **'Winchester'** cv. Parentage unknown L: W.C. Slocock (1929), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(a) **'Winchuk'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Hugh Wormald' × 'Marion Merriman' R: H.J. Slonecker, N: H.J. Slonecker, REG: H.J. Slonecker (1963) Fls deep yellow, with an orange blotch. Midseason

(r) **'Windbeam'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Conestoga' seedling H: G.G. Nearing (mid 1930s), G: G.G. Nearing, I: D.L. Hardgrove (1952), REG: New York Chapter, Am.Rh.Soc. (1973) Fls 8/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 20 × 25-30mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, opening white, tinged pale apricot, ageing to white; after 3-4 days fls become light purplish pink (63D); inconspicuous dorsal spots of moderate reddish orange (35A) and strong red (39A). Calyx c1.5mm long, green. Lvs elliptic to lanceolate, 50-70 × 25mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (137A) above, with tiny yellow to brown scales below; petioles hairy and scaly. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 10 years. Early May

(r) **'Windflower'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *maximum* × *yakushimanum* (s) × *maximum* (wild collection, Jackson Center, Pennsylvania) H: W.E. Delp (1985), G: W.E. Delp (1987), N: Mrs V. Delp (1987), I: Crystalaire Naturescapes (1999), REG: J.D. Harris (1999) Fls 12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, yellowish white (158D) in bud, opening white with brilliant yellow-green (154C) dorsal spots. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 50mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and moderate yellow-green (137C) above, brown hairy below. Shrub 1.1 × 0.9m in 5 years. Early June

(r) **'Windjammer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sonata' × 'Lamplighter' R: unknown, I: L.W. Bulgin (pre 1990) Fls coral orange, with dark spotting on dorsal lobes. Dense shrub, 0.9m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Windle Brook'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group (white flowered) × Cilpinense Group R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1971) Fls white (155B), with pale green spotting. PC 1971

(r) **'Windles'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Dido Group × Jalisco Group × *yakushimanum* H: Crown Estate Commissioners, G: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1974), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1974) Fls yellow-orange

(r) **'Windlesham Scarlet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Britannia' × 'Doncaster' R: W. Fromow & Sons, N: W. Fromow & Sons, REG: W. Fromow & Sons (1968) Fls 12-16/compact, domed truss, campanulate with a widely expanded mouth, 55 × 75mm, strong red (53B), the two lower lobes near strong red (53C), with black spotting on dorsal lobe. Lvs 150-175 × 50-65mm, dark dull green. Late May. *AM 1968, *FCC 1971

(a) **'Windmill'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Violaceum' (s) × 'Teena Marie' H: D.J. Dosser, G: D.J. Dosser (1981), I: D.J. Dosser, REG: D.J. Dosser (1984) Fls light reddish purple (74C)

(r) **'Wind River'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mindy's Love' (s) × (('Lem's Goal' × Loderi Group') × 'Lem's Cameo') × (('Lem's Goal' × Loderi Group) × 'Brandt's Tropicana') H: J. Barlup (1988), G: J. Barlup (1993), N: J. Barlup (1994), REG: J. Barlup (1996) Fls 20/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 60 × 90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (51A) in bud, opening pale greenish yellow (10D) deepening to light yellow (10C) in the throat, the light purplish pink (55C) edges fading with age; a strong red (53D) ring at the base and strong red (53D) spotting on three dorsal lobes; outside light purplish pink (55C), fading to pale greenish yellow (10D). Calyx irregular, to 30mm long, light purplish pink (55C) at edges, light yellow (10C) in centre, with strong red (53D) spots at base. Lvs obovate, 155 × 65mm, margins decurved, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, moderate yellow-green (146B) below, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in 8 years. Early May

(a) **'Windrush'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: F.E.W. Hanger (1951), G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, REG: Royal Horticultural Society (1970) Fls 10/compact, globular truss, open funnel-shaped, 65-70 × 75-80mm, buds deep pink (52B), flushed vivid red (52A), opening deep purplish pink (55A) flushed and veined on a white ground, tinges of deep purplish pink (61D), flushed deep pink (52B) at base of throat, some dorsal spotting of strong orange-yellow (17A), Lvs 100-125 × 40mm, light glossy green, heavily flushed and overlaid brownish red. Shrub 1.1 × 0.9m. May. *AM 1970. Knap Hill

(r) **'Windsong'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Nancy Evans' (s) × 'Mrs Betty Robertson' × 'Fred Rose' H: J. Barlup (1982), G: J. Barlup (1986), N: J. Barlup, REG: J. Barlup (1995) Fls 17/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes, light greenish yellow (1C) throughout, with a dark red (187C) nectar pouch; stamens 14, curved, unequal; style strong yel-

low-green (145A). Calyx irregular, 20-30mm long, light greenish yellow (1C), with a dark red (187C) base. Pedicels 38mm long, strong yellow-green (144B), with red mottling above. Lvs elliptic, 108 × 44mm, flat, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless; petioles 22mm long, strong yellow-green (144A). Shrub 1.1 × 1.8m in 12 years. Mid April-early May

(a) **'Windsor Appleblossom'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Savill Gardens, S: J.S. Wells (1971), N: J.S. Wells, I: Wells Nursery, REG: Wells Nursery (1985) Fls two-toned, appleblossom pink and white, with a conspicuous orange blotch. Lvs with red autumn colour

(a) **'Windsor Buttercup'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Savill Gardens, S: J.S. Wells (1971), N: J.S. Wells, I: Wells Nursery, REG: Wells Nursery (1985) Fls clear light yellow

(a) **'Windsor Daybreak'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Savill Gardens, S: J.S. Wells (1971), N: J.S. Wells, I: Wells Nursery, REG: Wells Nursery (1985) Fls creamy yellow, flushed pink, with a pale orange blotch

(r) **'Windsor Hawk'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* (s) × Lady Bessborough Group R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Windsorii'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection or hybrid of *arboreum* L: S. Pagliari (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) (Perhaps the same plant listed by G. Reuthe Ltd, 1951)

(r) **'Windsor Lad'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *ponticum* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush lilac, with bold gold blotch. Shrub 1.2-1.5m

(a) **'Windsor Peach Glo'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Savill Gardens, S: J.S. Wells (1971), N: J.S. Wells, I: Wells Nursery, REG: Wells Nursery (1985) Fls multi-coloured peach pink

(a) **'Windsor Pink Soufflé'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Savill Gardens, S: J.S. Wells (1971), N: J.S. Wells Fls pink

(a) **'Windsor Ruby'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Savill Gardens, S: J.S. Wells (1971), N: J.S. Wells Fls deep red

(a) **'Windsor Sunbeam'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Savill Gardens, S: J.S. Wells (pre 1984), N: J.S. Wells Fls dark golden yellow

(a) **'Wine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, wine red. Indian

(a) **'Winedrop'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' × 'Willy' (s) × 'Mrs Carmichael' × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 70-75mmwide, white, sanded and striped phlox purple (strong reddish purple (78B)). Shrub under 1.5m. Mid-late May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Wine Fuschia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × 'Princess Elizabeth' R: Stephens (pre 1990) Fls in a ball truss, burgundy red, with a prominent dark bluish eye. Lvs olive green. Shrub of spreading, rounded habit, 1.5m in 10 years. Late

(a) **'Winfried Haerens'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Professeur Wolters' × 'Souvenir du Recteur Kickx' I: A. Haerens (1911), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, red with a purple tinge. Indian (Sometimes listed in error as 'Winifred Haerens')

(a) **'Winfried Rölker'** (Syn. of 'Président Alexis Callier')

(r) **'Wingdinger'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ('Boule de Neige' × 'Crest') no.2 (s) × 'Matthew Weldon' H: W.E. Delp (1985), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 16/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 51 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53D), strong purplish red (54A) and deep purplish pink (54B) in bud, opening to a blend of strong, light and pale purplish pink (55B-D), fading to pale purplish pink (56D) with deep red (53A) spotting on three dorsal lobes; outside strong purplish pink (55B); filaments and style pale purplish pink (56D); anthers moderate orange-yellow (164C); stigma vivid reddish orange (33A). Lvs 89 × 38mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 0.8 × 0.8m in 7 years. Early June

(r) **'Wing-tipped'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' × *maximum* (s) × 'Princess Elizabeth' R: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls strong and vivid purplish red (58B, 57B, C) in bud, opening white, edged strong and vivid purplish red (61B, C) and deep purplish pink (61D); with strong greenish yellow (153C) dorsal spots; outside vivid purplish red (61C); filaments and style pale purplish pink (65D); anthers pale yellowish pink (159D); stigma vivid purplish red (57D). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Winifred'** cv. Parentage unknown I: G.H. Loder (1934), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Winifred Drake'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: E.F. Drake (c 1972), G: E.F. Drake & R. Zimmerman, I: Mrs V.A. Lux, REG: Mrs V.A. Lux (1981) Fls 10-12/flattened ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 70mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (52B) in bud, opening deep pink (52B) at edges, brilliant yellow (14C) in the throat, with a very faint dorsal blotch of vivid reddish orange (30B) spotting; outside mostly deep pink (52B) with some yellow streaking. Calyx 25-30mm long, deep pink (50B), streaked brilliant yellow (14C) and tipped vivid red (45B). Lvs elliptic, 110-120 × 40-50mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate to rounded at base, dull and moderate olive green (137B) above, with very sparse, colourless hairs below. Shrub 0.6 × 0.3m in 4 years. Mid May

(a) **'Winifred Greer'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Nadine' I: O.S. Pride (1956), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright red

(a) **'Winifred Haerens'** (An error for 'Winifried Haerens')

(r) **'Winifred Kenna'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: derived from a pink Dexter hybrid R: C. Loeb (1959), N: C. Loeb, I: C. Loeb (1964), REG: C. Loeb (1965) Fls in a conical truss, to 100mm wide, orchid, with a purple blotch. Lvs to 150mm long. Mid May. Shrub c0.6m

(r) **'Winifred Merson'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *formosum* (s) × *burmanicum* H: T. Lelliott, G: T. Lelliott (1962), N: T. Lelliott, REG: T. Lelliott (1966) Fls 4-6/truss, funnel-shaped, 75mm wide, 5-lobed, uranium green (63/2) in bud, opening to white with a chrome yellow (605/1) blush. Lvs 60mm long, deep green, densely scaly. Shrub 1.0-1.2m

(r) **'Winifred Murray'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *cephalanthum* R: Mrs K.N. Dryden, N: Mrs K.N. Dryden, I: Mrs K.N. Dryden, REG: Mrs K.N. Dryden (1979) Fls c8/loose, rounded head, tubular, up to 8 × 10mm, strong purplish pink (55B) on tube fading to white on limb. Calyx lobes irregular, to 4mm long, green, ciliate, scaly. Lvs oblong-elliptic to broadly oblong, up to 12 × 9mm, impressed reticulate above, densely brown scaly below. AM 1979

(r) **'Winifred White'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *griffithianum* × *catawbiense* hybrid R: W.C. Slocock, N: W.C. Slocock, I: W.C. Slocock (1920), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson in bud, opening pale pink, with a crimson edge

(r) **'Wink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Loderi Group × 'Mrs Mary Ashley' R: R. Henny (pre 1960), N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny, REG: R. Henny (1961) Fls 10-13/tight truss, funnel-campanulate, 90mm wide, fuchsine pink (627/2) on outer lobes, centre white. Lvs oblong-elliptic, 150-175 × 50mm. Shrub 1.2m tall, with rounded, spreading habit

(r) **'Winkfield'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Fusilier Group × 'Jalisco Elect' N: Crown Estate Commissioners (1958), I: Crown Estate Commissioners, REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1961) Fls in a lax, flat-topped truss, campanulate, 65 × 75mm, pinkish yellow, freely suffused with pink, three dorsal lobes stained vivid reddish orange (40B) on outside, throat tinged and spotted crimson. Calyx petaloid. AM 1958

(r) **'Winkler'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1985)

(r) **'Wink of Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Westbury' (s) × *pseudochrysanthum* (Ben Nelson form) H: M.J. Whitman (1997), G: M.J. & B. Whitman (2002), N: M.J. & B. Whitman (2002), REG: M.J. & B. Whitman (2002) Fls 16/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (66C) in bud, opening inside very pale purple (69D), lightly tinged moderate purplish pink (66D) at margins, with sparse spotting of deep purplish red (61A) on dorsal lobe; outside very pale purple (69D), with moderate purplish pink (66D) midribs. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 50mm, margins flat, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, semi-glossy and dark green (136A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.55 × 0.5m in 5 years. Early May

(r) **'Winneconnet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: a hybrid of subsect. *Fortunea* H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: C.O. Dexter & R. Willard, N: J.C. Wister & H.A. Howard, I: J.S. Wells (c 1959), REG: John J. Tyler Arboretum (1980) Fls 10/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 65mm wide, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (7.5RP 9/2), deepening to light purplish pink (7.5RP 8/5) at lobe edges and with a faint yellow-green glow in the throat (paler than 2.5GY 9/8); strongly scented. Calyx minute, light green. Lvs elliptic to oblanceolate, 115-130 × 50-55mm, flat, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 3.0m in 19 years. Mid May. Syn: 'Willard No. 8'

(a) **'Winner'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum*, orange-flowered form (s) × 'Momozono' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 1-3/truss, 45-50mm wide, rose (strong purplish red (63B)), with amaranth purple (deep purplish red (61A)) dots in the blotch. Shrub to 1.5m. Late April. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Winnie Cranstoun'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: unknown (c 1985), G: D. Cranstoun (c 1990), N: D. Cranstoun, REG: D. Cranstoun (1995) Fls c12/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, 7-lobed, inside pale purplish pink (56C) at margins, shading lighter to a star-shaped, pale yellow-green (4D) flushed centre, with a flare of strong red (46A) and brilliant greenish yellow spots on dorsal lobe and edges of two adjacent lobes, extending from throat to within 15mm of margins; outside pale purplish pink (56D), with narrow bands of strong to light purplish pink (55B-C) on midribs. Lvs elliptic, 145 × 60mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in c10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Winnie Hayes'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lem's Cameo' (s) × Azor Group × Francis Hanger Group H: T.A. Garbutt (1985), G: T.A. Garbutt (1991), N: T.A. Garbutt (2000), REG: T.A. Garbutt (2000) Fls 18/conical truss, open campanulate, 60 × 100mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, pink and cream in bud, opening creamy yellow flushed pink inside and out; spotted red on 3 dorsal lobes and with bright red basal nectaries. Calyx 55mm long, yellow flushed pink, composed of three strongly reflexed lobes. Lvs oblong, 140 × 80mm, flat, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, glossy above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.25m in 15 years. Late October (New Zealand). (Standard: colour slide provided by registrant (WSY 0026822))

(r) **'Winning Colors'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Purple Lace' × *yakushimanum* H: S.K. Metcalfe (1980),

G: S.K. Metcalfe (1986), N: S.K. Metcalfe, REG: S.K. Metcalfe (1991) Fls 16-17/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (57C) in bud, opening shell pink and fading to fluorescent white centre with light purplish pink (73C) margins inside and out, moderate purplish pink midribs on the outside and a few tan spots on the dorsal lobe. Calyx 3mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 44mm, glossy and glaucous above (moderate olive green, 137A), with a tan, felted indumentum below. Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m. Mid April

(r) **'Winning Edge'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Stokes Opal' (s) × 'Goldsworth Yellow' H: W.E. Delp (1974), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 18/truss, open funnel-shaped, 44 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong and light purple (77B-D) in bud, opening very pale purple (76D), edged with a blend of strong and light purple (77B-D) and with a light yellow-green (154D) flare; light olive (152A) spotting on three dorsal lobes; filaments and style very pale purple (76D); anthers light purple (82D); stigma deep pink (52B). Lvs 137 × 55mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 1.75m in 18 years. Early June

(r) **'Winning One'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lodestar' × 'Mary Belle' H: D.L. Hinerman (1975), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1992) Fls 12/truss, open funnel-shaped, 53 × 76mm, 5-lobed, moderate purplish red (186B) and dark purplish pink (186C) in bud, opening pale yellowish pink (36D) with a light greenish yellow (4C) throat; outside a blend of the bud colours; filaments and style yellowish white (158D); anthers dark yellowish pink (181D); stigma light greenish yellow (1C). Lvs 114 × 51mm, obtuse at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 17 years. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Winning Post'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marion' × 'Coronation Day' H: V.J. Boulter & Sons, G: V.J. Boulter & Sons (1967), N: V.J. Boulter & Sons, I: V.J. Boulter & Sons, REG: V.J. Boulter & Sons (1978) Fls 12/truss, open campanulate, 125mm wide, vivid purplish red (57C), lighter at centre, spotted red. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 38mm. Shrub c1.0m

(r) **'Winning Ways'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: probably a subsect. *Fortunea* hybrid H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: C.O. Dexter, N: J.C. Wister, I: W. Efinger (1959), REG: The Tyler Arboretum (1983) Fls 10/truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 75mm, 5-6-lobed, strong purplish red (7.5RP 4/11), with deep purplish red (7.5RP 3/9) rays in the throat and dorsal spots of the same colour on lobes becoming faint flecks on remainder of inner corolla. Calyx 3mm long, light yellow-green. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 55mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dull and moderate olive green (2.5GY 4/3) above, hairless. Shrub c1.9m in 22 years. Early May

(a) **'Winny'** cv. Evergreen azalea: seedling from 'Nadine' R: O.S. Pride (pre 1987), N: O.S. Pride Fls red

(a) **'Winona'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Graciosum' (Occidentale) × a Ghent hybrid R: B.F. Lancaster (c 1950), N: B.F. Lancaster, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Win Paul'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *souliei* × Diva Group R: H.L. Larson, N: H.L. Larson, I: H.L. Larson (1962), REG: H.L. Larson (1971) Fls in a ball truss, campanulate, 90mm wide, deep purplish pink (73A), paling centrally to light purplish pink (73C), with moderate reddish orange (35A) spotting. Lvs 125 × 50mm. Shrub 1.2 × 1.2m in 12 years. Early May

(a) **'Winsome'** (Syn. of 'Osaraku Seedling')

(r) **'Winsome'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Humming Bird Group (s) × *griersonianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1930), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a loose, pendent truss, with wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (55A). Lvs with a loose brown tomentum below. Shrub 1.0m in 10 years. AM 1950 (Winsome Group)

(r) **Winsome Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Humming Bird Group (s) × *griersonianum* H: Lord Aberconway (1930), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1939), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Winston'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt, I: E.A. Merritt (c 1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, pink, with lavender overtones. Kurume

(a) **'Winston Churchill'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cerise red

(a) **'Winston Churchill'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Koster's Brilliant Red' × dark red Mollis azalea seedling I: Felix & Dijkhuis (1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, mandarin red (17) changing to chinese coral (614), with a conspicuous vivid red blotch. Midseason. Mollis

(r) **'Winston Churchill'** cv. Parentage unknown I: A. Kluis, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls scarlet

(r) **'Winter Beauty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marion' × 'Lilac Time' H: V.J. Boulter & Sons, G: V.J. Boulter & Sons (1960), N: V.J. Boulter & Sons, I: V.J. Boulter & Sons (1971), REG: V.J. Boulter & Sons (1972) Fls 17-18/truss, funnel-campanulate, with wavy-edged lobes, light purple (75A) in bud, opening light purple (75B), with prominent, yellow brown, dorsal spotting. Lvs 140 × 50mm. Shrub to c1.7m

(a) **'Winter Blossom'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1913), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, soft rose. Indian

(r) **'Winter Brightness'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *mucronulatum* R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1962) Fls c40mm wide, rich purplish rose. Lvs c75 × 40mm. FCC 1957

(r) **'Winter Cheer'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1980)

(r) **'Winter Favourite'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *formosum* × *ciliatum* L: V.J. Boulter & Sons (1970) Fls pink, with deeper markings

(a) **'Winter Green'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hino-crimson' × *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* × 'Desirée' R: A.M. Shammarello (pre 1978), N: A.M. Shammarello Fls single, ivory white. Lvs dark green. Shrub 0.6m

(a) **'Wintergreen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *nakaharae* open-pollinated R: Mrs J.W. Hill, N: Mrs J.W. Hill, I: Mrs J.W. Hill, REG: Mrs J.W. Hill (1974) Fls single, 2/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong to deep pink (2.5R 7/8-6/11), spotted strong red (2.5R 5/12) on dorsal lobes. Calyx 3mm long, white hairy. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 35 × 12mm, moderate olive green (5GY 4/3), with light red hairs above, white hairy below. Low, spreading shrub, 0.4 × 1.1m in 12 years. (Raised from seed collected by T. Rokujo (1961))

(a) **'Winter Hawk'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Linda Jean' × 'Hahn's Red' H: W.L. Guttormsen (1975), G: W.L. Guttormsen (1979), N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen (c 1983), REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1985) Fls hose-in-hose (5+5-lobed), 1-2/truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 50mm, white, with a pale yellow throat; lobes crinkled. Calyx 30mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic to broadly elliptic, 22-40 × 17-25mm, more-or-less moderate olive green (146A), glossy above, hairy. Shrub 0.4 × 0.5m in 6 years

(r) **'Winter Lights'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: Bric-à-brac Group × *scopulorum* H: E.W. Moyles (1971), G: E.W. Moyles (1975), N: E.W. Moyles, I: E.W. Moyles (c 1980), REG: E.W. Moyles (1986) Fls 3-4/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, with 5 more-or-less wavy-edged lobes, white, with a vivid yellow (14B) dorsal blotch. Calyx 10mm long. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 50 × 20mm, glossy and deep green above, with medium-sized, dark red scales below. Shrub 1.5 × 1.0m in 11 years. Mid-late February

(a) **'Wintermärchen'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Paul Schäme' × 'Frits Sander' I: R. Ambrosius (1926), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure bright rose. Indian

(r) **'Winter Morn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs J.C. Williams' (s) × *yakushimanum* (Exbury form) H: J. Barlup (1985), G: J. Barlup (1990), N: J. Barlup, REG: J. Barlup (1997) Fls 15/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 45 × 75mm, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (62B) in bud, becoming yellowish white (155D) throughout after opening, with sparse spotting of strong greenish yellow (151A) in dorsal throat. Lvs oblong, 160 × 50mm, margins decurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, with a slight tomentum on new growth and on lower side of mature leaves (hairs yellowish white (158D) at first, ageing to moderate orange-yellow (164C)). Shrub 0.9 × 1.2m in 12 years. Mid May

(r) **'Winter Peach'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: open-pollinated *chrysodoron* hybrid (s) × probably *ciliicalyx* H: P. Smith (1976), G: P. Smith (1981), N: P. Smith (1986), I: Enjoy Rhododendrons (1995), REG: P. Smith (2002) Fls 4-6/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (47B) in bud, opening inside pale greenish yellow (10D), with a 25mm long, strong orange (26B), v-shaped flare on dorsal lobe; outside pale greenish yellow (10D), the margins and midribs occasionally tinged deep, strong and light purplish pink (55A-C). Calyx 3mm long, green, tipped pink. Lvs elliptic, 75 × 40mm, margins flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and dark green above, with closely spaced, evenly distributed brown scales below. Shrub 1.8 × 2.4m in 15 years. (Late December-)January-March

(r) **'Winter Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marion' (Cheal) (s) × *grande* H: V.J. Boulter, G: V.J. Boulter, N: F. Boulter (2001), I: Boulter's Olinda Nursery (2002), REG: Boulter's Olinda Nursery (2002) Fls 14/tight domed truss, campanulate, 50 × 60mm, with 7 very wavy-edged lobes, light reddish purple (74C) in bud, opening inside very pale purple (69A); outside very pale purple (69A), with light purplish pink (68D) along midveins; a dark red (187A) blotch deep in the throat and slight, dark red (187A) spotting on all lobes; stamens 15, uneven, anthers dark reddish orange (175B), filaments white (155D); pistil curved, style white (155D), stigma dark red (187C). Calyx 2mm long. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 185-210 × 48-50mm, margins slightly decurved, acute at apex, attenuate at base, matt green above, with light greyish olive (195A) hairs when mature. Shrub 2.0 × 1.5m. July-August (Australia). (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0031930))

(r) **'Winterpurpur'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mardi Gras' (s) × *oreodoxa* var. *fargesii* H: H. Hachmann (1985), G: H. Hachmann (1991), N: H. Hachmann (2000), I: H. Hachmann (2001), REG: G. Stück (2001) Fls 13-15/rather loose truss, open campanulate, 35-40 × 40-45mm, with 5 slightly wavy-edged lobes, light purplish pink (65B), throat pale purplish pink (65C/D); outside light purplish pink (65B), fading to very pale purple (69A); stamens 10, filaments pale purplish pink (65D), anthers greyish reddish orange (174B(-C)); style pale yellow-green (149D); ovary white hairy. Calyx 1-2mm long, greenish. Lvs ovate, 75-80 × 40mm, margins flat, slightly convex, rounded to acute at apex, cuneate at base, matt dark green above, apparently hairless; foliage reddish bronze in winter. Shrub 1.3 × 1.4m in 10 years. Early-late April. (Standard: colour illustration provided by registrant (WSY 0030671). First published in Hachmann cat., 2001)

(a) **'Winterrood'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: J. Haerens (1929), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, red. Indian

(a) **'Winterroze'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentge unknown I: Haerens & Wille (1923), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon rose, with white edges. Indian

(r) **'Winterset'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *mucronulatum*, open-pollinated G: E.C. Brockenbrough (1969), N: E.C. Brockenbrough, I: E.C. Brockenbrough (1971), REG: E.C. Brockenbrough (1975) Fls 3-5/truss (with several trusses together), broadly funnel-shaped, 50mm wide, pale purplish pink (55D), with a brilliant greenish yellow (1B) dorsal blotch. Lvs elliptic, semi-deciduous, mid green, with tiny brownish scales below. Shrub 1.8 × 0.8m in 9 years. Late February. (Raised from seed collected by L. Grothaus)

(r) **'Winter Snow'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Kimberly' × *aberconwayi* I: Greer Gardens (1988) Fls in a fairly tight, upright truss, white, with a small red marking in the centre. Lvs rounded, slightly longer than wide, dull deep green. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years. Midseason

(a) **'Winterstein'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: VEG Saatzucht Zierpflanzen, N: VEG Saatzucht Zierpflanzen, I: VEG Saatzucht Zierpflanzen (1986) Fls white. (Also seen as 'PAC-Winterstein')

(r) **'Winter Sun'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'My Lady' (s) × *burmanicum* × *chrysodoron* H: E.W. Moyles (1981), G: J.W. Gerdemann (1987), N: J.W. Gerdemann, REG: J.W. Gerdemann (1995) Fls up to 9/flattruss, open funnel-shaped, 64 × 76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pale yellow (8D), with a pale greenish yellow (9D) throat and pale purplish pink (55D) tips to the lobes; outside striped pale purplish pink (55D); stamens 10, straight, unequal; slightly scented. Calyx very short. Pedicels 19mm long. Lvs elliptic, up to 114 × 38mm, concave, with wavy margins, acute at apex, cuneate at base; upper surface moderate olive green (137A), glossy, hairless; lower surface moderate yellow-green (148B), scaly; petioles 13mm long, light green. Shrub 0.71 × 0.61m in 4 years. Late December-early February

(a) **'Winterthur'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Magnificum' (the *mucronatum* derivative) R: Winterthur Museum & Garden (pre 1962), N: Winterthur Museum & Garden Fls 65mm wide, light purple; scented

(r) **'Winterthur 18'** (Syn. of 'Hal Bruce')

(r) **'Winterthur 22'** (Syn. of 'Frances Shannon Racoff')

(r) **'Winterthur 30'** (Syn. of 'Zoë Graves')

(r) **'Winterthur 62'** (Syn. of 'Frances Shannon Racoff')

(a) **'Wintertime'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Aladdin' (s) × 'Amoenum' R: Boskoop (pre 1963), N: Boskoop, REG: Boskoop (1965) Fls erect, 40mm wide, geranium lake (20/1). Syn: 'Midwinter' (First published by F. Schneider in *De Boomkwekerij* 18 (9), 1963)

(a) **'Winter Wine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Dancing Butterfly' (s) × 'Girard's Hot Shot' R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls hose-in-hose, 2-3/truss, 65-70mm wide, purplish red to fuchsia. Late April. (First published in Holly Springs cat., 1990)

(r) **'Winter Wonderland'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vinecrest' (s) × (*smirnowii* × *yakushimanum*) × 'Adele's Yellow' H: A.W. Smith, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (60C, D) in bud, opening whitewith a strong purplish red (60C) throat; filaments white. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Wintonbury'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × *fortunei* H: A.F. Serbin (pre 1985), I: Roslyn Nursery (1994) Fls in a conical truss, funnel-shaped, light pink, with darker pink margins. Lvs rounded; new growth bronze-red. Compact shrub, 0.9m in 10 years. Midseason

(a) **'Wipper'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Noordtianum' × *kaempferi* and other Kurume azaleas R: G. Arends, N: G. Arends, I: G. Arends, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 55-70mm wide, lilac, with a lighter throat and reddish markings

(a) **'Wirklicher Legationsrat Gneist'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* R: P. van Noordt & Sons (pre 1896), N: P. van Noordt & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, strong reddish orange, with a light orange glow. Midseason. Syn: 'Edward Henry', 'Von Gneist', 'Geheimrat Gneist'. Mollis

(a) **'Wisdom'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* × 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Kagetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 50mm wide, of heavy substance, pure white, with a chartreuse blotch; anthers brown. Shrub 1.2m. Mid-late May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Wise Guy'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Robby' (s) × 'Arctic Pearl' H: W.E. Delp (1987), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 3/truss (from multiple buds), open funnel-shaped, 30 × 50mm, 5-lobed, deep and strong purplish pink (68A, B) in bud, opening to a blend of strong purplish pink (73B) and light, very light and very pale purple (75B-D), with light yellowish pink (26D) dorsal spots; filaments and style white; anthers moderate purplish pink (186D); stigma moderate purplish red (186A). Lvs 31 × 25mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, scaly. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 5 years. Mid May

(r) **'Wishmoor'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × *wardii* Litiense Group R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners, REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1972) Fls 12-14/tight, rounded truss, campanulate, c50 × 85mm, 7-lobed, orange-red in bud, opening pale yellow-green (4D), dorsal throat deepen-

ing to light greenish yellow (4C). Calyx rudimentary, red. Lvs narrowly obovate, up to 100 × 45mm, with a light indumentum below. AM 1972, FCC 1987 (Previously published with incorrect parentage)

(r) **'Wisley Blush'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: seedling from *yakushimanum* N: J.M. Gardiner (2002), REG: Director of Horticulture, RHS Garden, Wisley (2002) Fls 13-15/broadly domed truss, campanulate, 30-40 × 40-50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (55A) in bud, opening inside white; outside opening light purplish pink (55C) with strong purplish pink (55B) ribs, eventually paling to white with light purplish pink midribs; numerous, small, yellow-green spots in the dorsal throat; anthers, filaments and style white, stigma yellow. Calyx 2mm long, densely white hairy. Lvs obovate (though appearing oblong owing to strongly recurved margins), to 75 × 30mm, matt green above, with a pale brown indumentum below (the hairs short and dense), darkening slightly with age. Shrub compact, 1.0 × 1.5m in 20 or more years. May. (Standard: herbarium specimen provided by registrant (WSY 0029719). Grown at Wisley in a row of seedling *yakushimanum* for at least 35 years, perhaps raised by F.E.W. Hanger)

(r) **'Wisp'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *williamsianum* × *irroratum* 'Spatter Paint' H: R.J. Landregan (1971), G: B. Sheedy & T. Skei, N: T. Skei, I: T. Skei (1984), REG: T. Skei (1986) Fls 5-7/truss, open campanulate, 70 × 75mm, 6-7-lobed, strong purplish red (71D) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (65D), lighter towards centre, with strong purplish red (71B) spotting on all lobes. Calyx very small, reddish. Lvs more-or-less ovate, 75 × 40mm, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, somewhat glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.9m in 11 years. Mid February-late April

(r) **'Wisp of Glory'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: G.W. Clarke, G: G.W. Clarke, N: G.W. Clarke, I: George W. Clarke Nursery, REG: Mrs M. Clarke (1990) Fls 14/tall, domed truss, funnel-shaped, 48 × 44mm, with 5 smooth-edged lobes, vivid red (46B) in bud, opening strong purplish pink (55B), edged strong purplish red (54A); slightly scented. Lvs oblong, 140 × 32mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull and wrinkled above, with a felt-like brown indumentum on young leaves which is light brown, ageing to brown; petioles hairy. Shrub 1.1 × 0.9m in 5 years. May

(r) **'Wissahickon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), N: Morris Arboretum (pre 1961), I: Wells Nursery (1961), REG: Willamette Chapter Study Group (1996) Fls 16/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 80mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (61B) in bud, opening vivid purplish red (57B) with a deep pink (52B) throat and faint brownish green spotting on dorsal lobe and edges of adjacent lobes. Calyx 1mm long, vivid purplish red (57B). Lvs elliptic, 90-120 × 35-50mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, semi-glossy and dark yellowish green (139A) above, hairless. Shrub to 1.8m tall, of leggy habit and, in some conditions, sprawling to 3.6m wide. Midseason. Syn: 'Morris No. 3' (First published in Wells Nursery cat. (1961))

(r) **'Wisteria'** cv. Parentage unknown H: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (pre 1980)

(r) **'Wistful'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × Gipsy King Group H: R.J.R. Drayson (1979), G: Harkwood Acres (1984), N: Mrs A.J.A. Drayson, REG: R.J.R. & Mrs A.J.A. Drayson (1987) Fls 12-16/truss, campanulate, 54 × 62mm, deep purplish pink (55A) in bud, opening 55A in lobe sinuses and at edges, centre of lobes pale purplish pink (56A & B); matures to white, overlaid strong to light purplish pink (55B & C). Lvs lanceolate, 140 × 58mm, strong yellow-green (144B) above, with moderate yellow (161C) indumentum below when young, which matures to pale orange-yellow (159C) with age. Compact shrub, 0.56 × 0.80m in 8 years. Late April-mid May

(a) **'Witch Doctor'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Louise Gable' × 'Tama-sugata' R: J.D. Gartrell (pre 1981), N: Cripple Creek Nursery Fls 90mm wide, with broad, flat-edged lobes, variable: deep yellowish pink (47C), with a blotch and red stamens. Shrub of low, mounding habit. Late

(r) **'Witch Doctor'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Doncaster' × Nereid Group × 'Vulcan' H: H. Lem, G: H. Lem, N: H. Lem, I: H. Lem, REG: J.A. Elliott (1974) Fls up to 6/flat truss, open campanulate, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, 30-40 × 75mm, strong red (53C), the lobes, throat and calyx heavily spotted dark red. Calyx 20-25mm long, strong red (53C) with reflexed lobes. Lvs elliptic, 125 × 50mm, hairless. Shrub 1.0 × 1.1m in 10 years

(a) **'Witchery'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *simsii* (s) × *mucronatum* R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1949), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-2/truss, 50-70mm wide, clear pink. Lvs hairy. Shrub to at least 1.5m. Mid April. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Witchery'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × *facetum* R: R. Henny (pre 1976), N: R. Henny Fls fiery red. New foliage with silvery tomentum. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years

(r) **'Witches Butter'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Dexter's Champagne' (s) × *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* × Fabia Group H: W.L. Rhein (1980), G: W.L. Rhein (1985), N: W.L. Rhein, REG: Rhein Registration Committee (1996) Fls 8-11/slightly lax, ball truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 55 × 75mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, light yellowish pink (38C) in bud, opening light greenish yellow (8B) shading to light greenish yellow (8C) towards edges; lobe edges vary from pale yellow (19C) to light yellowish pink (38C); stamens 12-14, straight, equal. Dorsal lobe of calyx 20mm long, light greenish yellow (8B). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 140 × 45mm, margins upcurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (137A) and glossy above, greyish yellow-green (148C) below; petioles 25mm long, strong

yellow-green (144A). Shrub 2.0 × 2.4m in 15 years. Early May. (First published in *J. Am.Rh.Soc.*, 44 (3):137 (1990) - with incorrect parentage)

(r) **'Withe Gem'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white

(r) **'Withe Pearl'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush pink, fading to white

(r) **'Wittenheim'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × unknown white hybrid R: A. Behrens (1979), N: A. Behrens, I: H. Bohlen (1988) Fls pure snow white, with a slight yellow tinge in the throat. Lvs remarkably small

(r) **'Witzonii'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1851), INC: ICRA (1958) (Jacob-Makoy lists "*ferrugineum maximum*" as a synonym)

(r) **'Wizard'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catawbiense Album' × Fabia Group R: H. Lem, N: H. Lem (1959), I: H. Lem, REG: H. Lem (1961) Fls 14-20/rounded, conical truss, 5-lobed, apricot buff, old rose at margin. Calyx enlarged, apricot. Lvs 140 × 40mm. Shrub to at least 1.1m

(r) **'W. Jambor'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Linden (1873), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lilac rose, with a black blotch. (Later seen listed as 'W. Iambor' (The Netherlands, 1896: fls red))

(a) **'W. Leith'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls red. Low, compact habit. (See also 'Leith')

(r) **'W. Leith'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Loderi Group (s) × *decorum* R: A.W. Heneage-Vivian, N: A.W. Heneage-Vivian, I: A.W. Heneage-Vivian (1934), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-pendulous, lobes recurved, pale greenish cream. AM 1935

(r) **'W. Milton'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Young, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark crimson

(r) **'W. Neubert'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C.J.H. Walther (pre 1863), N: C.J.H. Walther, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls reddish, spotted. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Woden's Horse'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Michael's Pride' × 'Else Frye' H: C.R.W. Waddington (1994), G: C.R.W. Waddington (2000), N: C.R.W. Waddington (2001), REG: C.R.W. Waddington (2001) Fls 6-9/flat to domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 115mm, with 5 more-or-less smooth-edged lobes, buds light yellow (11B) at base, shading to deep pink (52B-C) at apex, opening inside brilliant yellow (10A) in the throat, shading to pale greenish yellow (10D) on the lobes; with age throat colour pales at apical end to leave two darker rays, eventually darker colour only remains at base; lobes flushed deep pink (52C) near edges, all paling with age; outside similar but paler; scented. Calyx 10mm long, variable: green flushed pink or green flushed yellow. Lvs elliptic, 150 × 70mm, margins decurved, acute at apex, acute to wedge-shaped at base, matt green above. Shrub 1.6 × 0.6m in 7 years; young stems with long hairs at first. Late April-early May. (Standard: colour slide provided by registrant (WSY 0029676))

(r) **'Woislowitz'** (Syn. of 'Von Oheimb-Woislowitz')

(r) **'Wojnar's Purple'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: J. Wojnar (pre 1960), G: J. Wojnar, G.A.L. Mehlquist & M.H. Brand, N: G.A.L. Mehlquist, I: University of Connecticut (1990), REG: M.H. Brand (1990) Fls 15-20/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 44-51 × 57-76mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep reddish purple (77A) in bud, opening vivid purple (80A) at margin, shading through to vivid reddish purple (78A & 74B) at centre, with a prominent, densely spotted, dark purple flare on dorsal lobe. Calyx less than 2mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 114-178 × 44-76mm, flat, apiculate at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 2.3 × 3.2m in 30 years. Early June

(a) **'Wolfpack Red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Sherwood Red' × 'Ruby Red' R: F.D. Cochran & R.J. Stadtherr, N: F.D. Cochran & R.J. Stadtherr, I: North Carolina State University (1981) Fls single, 40mm wide, vivid red (46B)

(r) **'Wolga'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* (s) × 'Catawbiense Grandiflorum' R: W. Nagel (1967), N: W. Nagel (1985) Fls rose lilac

(a) **'Woman's Day'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: M.E. Greentree (pre 1978), N: M.E. Greentree Fls double, with wavy-edged lobes, watermelon pink. Indian

(a) **'Wombat'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *nakaharae* 'Mariko' × 'Gaiety' H: P.A. Cox (1970), G: P.A. Cox, N: P.A. Cox, I: P.A. Cox (1979), REG: P.A. Cox (1982) Fls 50mm wide, deep purplish pink (55A). Dwarf, prostrate shrub

(r) **'Wonder'** (Syn. of 'Tortoiseshell Wonder')

(r) **'Wonderful One'** cv. Parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney, N: G. & Mrs A. Sather, I: G. & Mrs A. Sather (pre 1975) Fls soft yellow

(a) **'Wonder Girl'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Gretel' × unnamed Beltsville hybrid R: G. Taylor (pre 1974), N: G. Taylor, I: G. Taylor Fls hose-in-hose, pale pink, with a paler throat. Shrub to 1.5m. PC 1974

(r) **'Wonderland'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Alice' × *auriculatum* R: W.C. Slocock Ltd, N: W.C. Slocock Ltd (1958), REG: W.C. Slocock Ltd (1961) Fls 12/compact, flattened dome truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 70 × 90mm, with very wavy-edged lobes, creamy pink in bud, opening white, with light spotting of mustard colour in throat. Lvs 175 × 65mm, dark green. Shrub to 3.8 × 4.5m. Mid June. *AM 1958

(a) **'Wonderperel'** (Syn. of 'La Merveilleuse')

(r) **'Woodchat'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *brachyanthum* subsp. *hypolepidotum* × *ludlowii* H: P.A. Cox (1968), G: P.A. Cox, N: P.A. Cox, I: P.A. Cox (c 1978), REG: P.A. Cox (1982) Fls 3/truss, campanulate, 25 × 25mm, light yellow-green (154D), dorsal lobes dotted more-or-less strong greenish yellow (151B) in throat. Lvs 27 × 15mm, medium, more-or-less glossy green. Shrub 0.2m. *HC 1982

(r) **'Woodcock'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Elizabeth Group × *hyperythrum* H: F.E.W. Hanger (1952), G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, I: Royal Horticultural Society (1971), REG: Royal Horticultural Society (1971) Fls 8/fairly lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 60mm, with wavy-edged lobes, pale purplish pink (62D), very slightly flushed strong purplish pink (55B), extreme base of throat tinged red. Lvs 70 × 30mm, slightly glossy and fairly dark green above. Shrub at least 2.3 × 3.5m. May. PC 1971, *AM 1986

(a) **'Wood Dove'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, N: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens, I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (1930s), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, lavender. Coolidge

(a) **'Woodfordii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Jacob-Makoy (1841), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Woodland Pink'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *mucronulatum* L: Woodland Nurseries (1982)

(r) **'Woodlawn'** cv. Parentage unknown H: E.V. Mezitt (pre 1980)

(r) **'Woodpecker'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × 'Britannia' × *griersonianum* × 'Jalisco Elect' R: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1970) Fls brilliant greenish yellow (4A), fading to light greenish yellow (4B) towards tips, with a brown blotch in the dorsal throat

(r) **'Woods Colt'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *aberconwayi* × unknown G: P. Newberry (1963), S: P. Newberry (1965), N: P. Newberry, I: E. Philp, REG: E. Philp (1990) Fls 15/ball truss, saucer-shaped, 38 × 51mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, very pale purple (69A), edged with moderate purplish pink (68C), dorsal lobe pale purplish pink (56D) with deep purplish red (71A) spots. Calyx very small, brilliant yellow-green (142B). Lvs elliptic, 92 × 32mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dull, moderate olive green (147A) and hairless above. Shrub 2.7 × 2.4m in 22 years. Mid April-mid May

(r) **'Woodside'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Halcyone Group × *aberconwayi* R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1967), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1968) Fls pink and white. PC 1967

(r) **'Woodside'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marion' × *neriiflorum* R: V.J. Boulter (pre 1971), N: V.J. Boulter Fls in tight trusses, bright red, with prominent calyces

(a) **'Woodsii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: H. Lane & Son (1852), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Woods Red Macrantha'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Camellia Forest Nursery (1988) Fls salmon red

(a) **'Wood's White'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Hershey's Azalea Farm (pre 1987), N: Hershey's Azalea Farm Fls white to light pink, with a pink flare

(a) **'Wood's White Gumpo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Wood (pre 1987) Fls with narrow lobes, white; heavy texture. Low growing shrub

(r) **'Woody Peach'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: unnamed peach-coloured hybrid × 'Lem's Cameo' H: W. Robertson (1975), G: J.A. Davis (1982), N: J.A. Davis, REG: J.A. Davis (1987) Fls 12-15/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 64 × 89mm, with 5-6, wavy-edged lobes, strong pink (49A) in bud, opening light orange-yellow (19A) to light yellowish pink (19B), with dorsal lobes flushed moderate pink (49B) on top edges; throat vivid red (45C), with some 45C spotting extending a short distance onto dorsal lobes; outside with lobes tipped moderate pink (49B) and with 49B stripes on ribs. Lvs elliptic, 100-115 × 40-50mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.8m in 8 years. Late April-early May

(r) **'Woody's Friggin Riggin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Bern' × *yakushimanum* R: USA (Seattle area) (pre 1990) Fls in a large truss, pink, with a dark red eye. Lvs with traces of typical *yakushimanum* indumentum. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years, compact. Midseason

(r) **'Woody's Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Siouxon' × 'Mrs Horace Fogg' H: H.L. Larson (pre 1985) Fls deep pink in bud, opening pale pink inside, darker pink outside: shaded like appleblossom. Shrub 0.9m in 10 years

(a) **'Wooleri'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Smith (pre 1848), N: , INC: ICRA (1958). Indian (Also seen listed as 'Whooleri')

(a) **'Woolff'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: L. Leroy (1868), INC: ICRA (1958) ? Ghent

(r) **'Wordsworth'** cv. Parentage unknown R: I. Davies (pre 1896), N: I. Davies, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c18/compact truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 70mm, deep rose, with a v-shaped ray of dark brown markings. Calyx whitish. Lvs elliptic to oblong-obovate, 100 × 35mm. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'World Peace'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: ('Catalgla' × 'Graf Zeppelin') no.1 H: T.L. Ring (pre 1992), I: Mowbray Gardens

(r) **'Wouiltonium'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Trillon (1843), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Wow'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Waraigishi' × 'Gunrei' × 'Macranthum Pink' R: D. Hager (pre 1983), N: D. Hager Fls double (of rosette type), 65mm wide, clear mid pink. Lvs narrow, dark and glossy green. Shrub to 0.8-1.0m

(a) **'Wow'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *calendulaceum* R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1985), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls large, bright orange. Mid June

(r) **'W.R. Coe'** (Syn. of 'William R. Coe')

(r) **'Wren'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *ludlowii* (s) × *keiskei* 'Yaku Fairy' H: P.A. Cox (1971), G: P.A. Cox (1973), I: P.A. Cox (1979), REG: P.A. Cox (1983) Fls 5-lobed, clear yellow. Lvs elliptic, 15-20 × 10mm, deep shiny green above, scaly below. Prostrate, but mound-forming shrub

(a) **'W. Rölker'** (Syn. of 'Président Alexis Callier')

(a) **'Wryneck'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellow, edged pink. Midseason. Knap Hill

(r) **'W. Schmalscheidt'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* subsp. *discolor* hybrid × *dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* R: D.G. Hobbie (pre 1984), N: D.G. Hobbie Fls coppery red

(r) **'W.S. Reuthe'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Staving' (s) × *williamsianum* R: D.G. Hobbie (pre 1945), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 8-12/flat truss, delicate rose, of 'porcelain-like consistency'. Syn: 'Walther S. Reuthe', 'Walter S. Reuthe'

(a) **'Wu Bao Lu Zu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls double, late-flowering. (An old chinese cultivar)

(a) **'Wuchiwa-kasane'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1920), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink. Kurume

(r) **'Wuji'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vicki Reine' (s) × 'Crest' H: M. Stockman (1989), G: M. & H. Stockman (1995), N: H. Stockman (1996), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1996) Fls 8-10/lax ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 70 × 100mm, with 5-8 wavy-edged lobes, deep to strong yellowish pink (43C-D) in bud, opening white, flushed pale purplish pink (56D), with a moderate yellow (161A) centre shading to strong orange-yellow (163B) deep in the throat, with sparse red markings in the dorsal throat. Pedicels 25mm long, yellowish green. Calyx 6mm long, yellowish green. Lvs narrowly obovate, 100 × 35mm, with decurved margins, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, glossy and dark green above, bullate, with some glands on lower surface; petioles 13mm long, light green. Shrub 0.75 × 0.75m in 7 years. Late May

(r) **'Wuurn Cornubia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Dutch Cornubia' (s) × unknown H: S. Begg (1978), G: L. Begg (1983), N: L. Begg (1998), REG: L. Begg (1998) Fls 11/domed truss, campanulate, 50 × 65mm, with 6 very wavy-edged lobes, deep red (53A) in bud, opening inside deep red (53B) along lobe edges, shading evenly to deep pink (51C), base of throat deep red (53A); outside strong red (53B) at lobe edges, shading to deep pink (51C); strongly spotted strong red (53B) either side of midveins both inside and out; stamens 12, uneven, anthers dark red (59A), filaments white; ovary moderate yellow-green (143D), style light yellow-green (145D), stigma dark red (59A). Calyx 5mm long, strong pink (54C). Lvs broadly elliptic, 140 × 50mm, flat, apiculate at apex, obtuse at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 3.0 × 3.0m in 20 years. Early spring. (Originally published as 'Wwrn Cornubia', but this spelling had been supplied in error. Wuurn is the name of a property once owned by the registrant)

(a) **'Wuyts's Carmine'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: O.F. Wuyts (pre 1969), N: O.F. Wuyts Fls with wavy-edged lobes, carmine red

(r) **'W.W. Drysdale'** cv. Parentage unknown L: T.C. Thacker (1960) Fls salmon apricot

(a) **'W. Wilson Saunders'** (Syn. of 'Mrs Wilson Saunders')

(a) **'W.W. McCartney'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Maxwellii' hybrid H: E.K. Egan (pre 1978)

(r) **'Wwrn Cornubia'** (See note under 'Wuurn Cornubia')

(a) **'W.W. Vines'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: R.C. Vines (pre 1997), N: R.C. Vines

(r) **'Wyandanch Pink'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), N: Wyandanch Nursery, I: Wyandanch Nursery (pre 1973), REG: Briarwood Gardens (1994) Fls 10-14/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 64 × 89mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (68B), with darker speckles on the dorsal lobe; dorsal lobe fades to white and speckles age to strong greenish yellow (153B); stamens 10-11, curved, unequal. Calyx minute, strong yellow-green (144B). Pedicels 38mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Lvs elliptic, 178 × 70mm, convex, broadly acute at apex, cuneate to oblique at base, bullate and dull, moderate olive green (137A) above, moderate yellow-green (147C) below, hairless; petioles 22-25mm long, moderate yellow-green (146D). Shrub 1.8 × 2.1m in 10 years. Late May. (Published in *Q.Bull.Am.Rh.Soc.*, 27 (2): 94-99 (1973))

(a) **'Wyandot'** cv. Evergreen azalea: derived from *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* × *kaempferi* R: E.N. Stanton (pre 1987), N: E.N. Stanton Fls large, deep pink. Shrub 1.0 × 1.1m in 10 years. Early

(r) **'Wyanokie'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Conestoga' seedling G: G.G. Nearing (1944), N: G.G. Nearing, I: G.G. Nearing (1952), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in a ball truss, 50mm wide, white. Lvs lanceolate-ovate, 65-75 × 20mm. Shrub c1.2m in 20 years. Early May. (Similar to 'Windbeam' except for colour)

(a) **'Wye'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: F.E.W. Hanger, G: Royal Horticultural Society, N: Royal Horticultural Society, REG: Royal Horticultural Society (1961) Fls 10-14/compact, globular truss, open funnel-shaped, 65 × 80mm, with wavy-edged lobes, brilliant to light yellow (15C-D), slightly flushed strong pink (52D) at edges and with heavy, orange, dorsal spotting. Lvs 100 × 40mm, light to mid green. Shrub 1.4 × 1.4m. *HC 1959. Knap Hill

(a) **'Wylam's Surprise'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'William Wylam' L: Camellia Lodge Nursery (1977) Fls single, pale lavender mauve

(r) **'Wynterset Pink'** cv. Parentage unknown L: USA (1994)

(r) **'Wynterset White'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1968), N: J.W. Murray, REG: Wynterset Nurseries (1990) Fls 20/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 45 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (186D) in bud, opening very pale purple (69B/C), with sparse bronze specks on the dorsal lobe; corolla ages (after 3 days) to greenish white (155C). Calyx very small. Lvs elliptic, 127-152 × 51-57mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 2.1 × 1.5m in 18 years. Early May. Syn: 'Snow', 'Obal's Snow', 'Leach's White', 'Kordus White'

(a) **'Wyths'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Holly Heath Nursery (1978) Fls vivid red (52A). Kurume (Believed to be of European origin)

(r) **'Xanadu'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Apricot Lady Chamberlain' × *cinnabarinum* subsp. *xanthocodon* Concatenans Group H: E. de Rothschild, G: E. de Rothschild (pre 1970), N: E. de Rothschild (1992), REG: E. de Rothschild (1992) Fls 6-7/loose truss, campanulate/tubular-campanulate, up to 43 × 40mm, 5-lobed, light orange (28C-D); outside suffused vivid orange (28B) and tinged strong purplish red (54A); stamens 10, unequal; filaments flushed light orange; anthers dark brown. Calyx rudimentary, green, scaly. Lvs elliptic, up to 90 × 40mm, mid green and glossy above, with a light covering of brown scales below. Shrub 2.5 × 1.5m in 20-30 years. Late April-May. AM 1992

(r) **Xanchart Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *concinnum* (s) × *yunnanense* R: C. Ingram (1935), N: C. Ingram, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **Xanroy Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* Roylei Group (s) × *cinnabarinum* subsp. *xanthocodon* H: Lord Aberconway (1937), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange-red

(a) **'Xavier de Cock'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Daphne' R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(r) **'Xavier Delacroix'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Stelzner (pre 1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose

(r) **Xenarb Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *R.* × *detonsum* (s) × *arboreum* (blood red) R: E.J.P. Magor (1920), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1926), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 11/truss, campanulate, 50 × 65mm, deep cerise, usually faintly spotted

(r) **Xenia Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Helene Schiffner' × 'Sir Charles Butler' R: T.H. Lowinsky, N: T.H. Lowinsky, I: T.H. Lowinsky (1919), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white, with crimson lines at the base. AM 1919

(r) **'Xenophile'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* (s) × Tally Ho Group H: R. Strauss (1950), G: R. Strauss (1956), N: R. Strauss (1958), REG: R. Strauss (1961) Fls 10-14/erect, compact truss, funnel-campanulate, 60-70 × 80-100mm, magenta (27/2), with some darker staining, heavily spotted with deep crimson. Calyx small, green, glutinous. Lvs c160 × 65mm. AM 1964

(r) **'Xerox'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), S: Mrs H. Ross Fls very large, pink at margins, cream at centre. Shrub 1.5m in 10 years. Midseason. Syn: 'Ross XX'

(a) **'Xmas Rose'** (Syn. of 'Christmas Rose')

(a) **'Xmas Rose Pink'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens (c 1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink. Kurume (Perhaps the same as 'Christmas Rose')

(r) **'Xtra Fair'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' (s) × 'Morna Belle' H: M. Stockman (1989), G: H. & M. Stockman (1997), N: H. & M. Stockman (1999), REG: H. & M. Stockman (2000) Fls 12-16/lax truss, funnel-campanulate, 65 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid purplish red (57B) in bud, opening close to strong purplish pink (63C) inside and out. Calyx 20mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 50mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins flat, semi-glossy and dark green above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 11 years. Early May

(a) **'Yachats'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Hugh Wormald' × 'Marion Merriman' H: H.J. Slonecker (1958), N: H.J. Slonecker, REG: H.J. Slonecker (1963) Fls 100mm wide, vivid yellow (13A), with a vivid orange-yellow (23A) blotch. Midseason

(a) **'Yachiyo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *eriocarpum* × *kaempferi* I: K. Wada (pre 1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, lavender. Compact, dwarf shrub. Wada

(a) **'Yachiyo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, with slightly spaced, pointed lobes, white to light pink, variably striped, sectored or selfs of strong red, often with white centres. Satsuki

(a) **'Yachiyo Red'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1983), I: H.E. Greer (pre 1987) Fls 40-50mm wide, with rounded lobes, white, variably blotched, striped and sectored pink, or pink selfs, some with white centres. Syn: 'Yochiyo Red'. Satsuki

(a) **'Yae-asagao'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double and hose-in-hose, rarely single, very deep purple, with darker purple streaking. Late. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Yae-giri'** (Syn. of 'Yaye-hiryu')

(a) **'Yaehime'** (Syn. of 'Yayehime')

(a) **'Yae-kirishima'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, deep red. Described by Ito as a Tsutsuji type, flowering at Satsuki time

(a) **'Yae-koshimino'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, red, with strap-like segments between calyx and corolla

(a) **'Yae-kurenai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, c30mm wide, crimson. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Yae-mae'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, c40mm wide, deep crimson. Late. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Yae-no-tsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Narihira' × 'Kikoshi' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls irregular hose-in-hose, 50-65mm wide, with rounded lobes, very pale pink, with margins tipped deep purplish pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Yae-shide'** (Syn. of 'Itokurenai')

(a) **'Yae-shojo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 30mm wide, vivid reddish orange (44B). Kurume

(a) **'Yae-yama'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1984), N: Japan Similar to 'Gosho-murasaki'

(a) **'Yaffle'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *prunifolium* hybrid R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls reddish orange, with a small blotch. Late. Knap Hill

(r) **'Yahoo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × Dido Group × Medusa Group R: New Zealand (pre 1975), N: New Zealand

(a) **'Yaita-shiro'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, white, with wavy margins. Satsuki

(a) **'Yakae'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* L: Miyami-en-Nursery (1976) Fls strong purplish red (63B)

(a) **'Yakata-no-tsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kohan' × 'Kohan-no-tsuki' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65mm wide, with 6 well-spaced, star-like lobes, pale yellowish pink, with a slight white flush at edge; veins in lobes slightly darker reddish orange, prominent; occasional reddish orange selfs; stamens and pistil white. Satsuki

(r) **'Yakday'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × May Day Group H: New Zealand Rhododendron Association (c 1972), G: Mrs R. Pinney, I: Mrs R. Pinney, REG: Mrs R. Pinney (1982) Fls deep cherry red, fading to pale pink. Leaf indumentum tan-coloured

(r) **'Yak-ity-yak'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *yakushimanum* N: G. Swenson (pre 1983), I: Greer Gardens Fls satiny white

(r) **'Yako'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × *facetum* H: K. Van de Ven (1982), G: K. Van de Ven (1987), N: K. Van de Ven (1996), REG: K. Van de Ven (1996) Fls 13-15/domed truss, campanulate, 55 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside strong purplish red (58C) shading to light purplish pink (62C) in the throat, fading with age; outside strong purplish red (58B) shading to deep purplish pink (58D) at base, fading with age; lightly spotted orange on dorsal lobe; stamens 10, unequal; style white, stigma red. Calyx minute. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 110-132 × 35mm, margins decurved, acute at apex, obtuse at base, matt and moderate olive green (147A) above, with brownish orange (165B) hairs below. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m in 14 years. Late spring

(r) **'Yaku Angel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *yakushimanum* G: H.E. Greer, N: H.E. Greer, I: H.E. Greer (1967), REG: H.E. Greer (1976) Fls 15-17/ball truss, campanulate, 40 × 50-65mm wide, light purplish pink (7.5RP 8/5) in bud, opening white, with very faint, light brownish spotting. Calyx less than 1.5mm long, tan. Lvs narrowly lanceolate, 100 × 20mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dark green above, with a heavy tan indumentum below; new growth white tomentose. Shrub 0.9 × 1.5m in 15 years. Early May. (Seedling obtained from E.V. Allen)

(r) **'Yaku Coronet'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan' × *yakushimanum* (Exbury form) H: L.W. Bulgin (1980), G: L.W. Bulgin (1985), N: L.W. Bulgin, I: Ellanhurst Gardens, REG: L.W. Bulgin (1988) Fls 14/domed truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 25 × 48mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53B) in bud, opening white with a strong purplish red (54A) picotee (which persists as flower matures), outside pale purplish pink (56A) with strong purplish red (54A) veins and margins. Lvs elliptic, 114 × 41mm, slightly convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green and hairless above, indumentum below moderate yellow (160A) on young leaves, moderate orange-yellow (164B) when mature. Shrub 0.6 × 0.7m in 7 years. Mid May

(r) **'Yaku Cream'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Lackamas Cream' × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' R: B.F. Lancaster, N: B.F. Lancaster, I: B.F. Lancaster (1966), REG: B.F. Lancaster (1967) Fls 12/truss, campanulate, up to 40 × 50mm, 5-6-lobed, mimosa yellow changing to primrose yellow. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 30mm, dark green above. Shrub 0.45 × 0.6m in 8 years. Mid May

(r) **'Yaku Dawn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × *pseudochrysanthum* × 'Peter Faulk' R: unknown (1994) Fls pink, with a darker margin. Lvs indumented. Compact shrub, 0.9m in 10 years. Midseason

(r) **'Yakudedi'** cv. Parentage unknown H: G.W. Clarke (pre 1980)

(r) **'Yaku Duchess'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'King Tut' × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: A.M. Shammarello (1960), G: A.M. Shammarello (1966), N: A.M. Shammarello, I: A.M. Shammarello (1976), REG: A.M. Shammarello (1977) Fls up to 15/ball truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 45 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds brilliant red, blending to a lighter red (2.5R 5/12), opening deep pink (2.5R 6/11), with a light pink blotch, outside deep purplish pink (7.5RP 6/12); colour pales with age. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 50mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (5GY 4/3) above, with a moderate amount of light olive brown indumentum below; new growth silvery hairy. Shrub 0.5 × 0.9m in 10 years. Late May

(r) **'Yaku Duke'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'King Tut' × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: A.M. Shammarello (1960), G: A.M. Shammarello (1966), N: A.M. Shammarello, I: A.M. Shammarello (1976), REG: A.M. Shammarello (1977) Fls up to 14/ball truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, buds purplish red (10RP 6/12) in bud, opening deep purplish pink (7.5RP 6/12) inside and out, with a light pink throat; ageing to white. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 125 × 40mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (5GY 4/3) above, with a moderate amount of light olive brown indumentum below; new growth silvery hairy. Shrub 0.45 × 0.75m in 10 years. Late May

(r) **'Yaku Fairy'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *keiskei* var. *ozawae* R: B.N. Starling, N: B.N. Starling, I: B.N. Starling (1970), REG: B.N. Starling (1970) Fls 2-5/truss, held clear of foliage, broadly funnel-shaped, 20 × 44mm, pale greenish yellow (2D). Lvs up to 40 × 8mm. Prostrate shrub. April. AM 1970 (Selection made on Kuromi Peak, Yakushima Island, Japan)

(r) **'Yaku Fantasia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan' × *yakushimanum* (Exbury form) H: L.W. Bulgin (1980), G: L.W. Bulgin (1984), N: L.W. Bulgin, I: Ellanhurst Gardens, REG: L.W. Bulgin (1988) Fls 14-16/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 32 × 38mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (54A) in bud, opening strong purplish pink (55B). Lvs elliptic, 102-114 × 38-44mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green and hairless above, indumentum on young leaves greyish yellow-green (195B), moderate orange (166D) when mature. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 7 years. Early May

(r) **'Yaku Frills'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' R: B.F. Lancaster, N: B.F. Lancaster, I: B.F. Lancaster (1967), REG: B.F. Lancaster (1968) Fls 12-14/rounded truss, 40 × 65mm, with wavy-edged lobes, pink in bud, opening clear white. Lvs 115 × 30mm, margins revolute, dark green above, with a heavy tan indumentum below. Shrub 0.25 × 0.3m in 5 years. Mid May

(r) **'Yaku Incense'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × 'Lackamas Spice' H: B.F. Lancaster (c 1960), G: B.F. Lancaster (pre 1967), N: B.F. Lancaster, REG: J. Barlup (1997) Fls 14/domed truss, funnel-campanulate, 50 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink (51C) in bud, quickly turning yellowish white (155B) throughout when fully open, with some brilliant yellow-green (154C) spotting in the throat; spicily scented. Lvs oblong, 145 × 45mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, sparsely hairy below (hairs pale yellow (161D) at first, ageing to moderate orange-yellow (164C)). Shrub 0.9 × 1.5m in 15 years. Mid-late April

(r) **'Yaku King'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'King Tut' × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: A.M. Shammarello (1960), G: A.M. Shammarello (1966), N: A.M. Shammarello (1976), I: A.M. Shammarello, REG: A.M. Shammarello (1977) Fls up to 18/ball truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 45 × 55mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (2.5R 5/12) in bud, opening inside deep pink (2.5R 6/11), with a light pink blotch; outside deep purplish pink (7.5RP 6/12); colour pales with age. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 115 × 50mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (5GY 4/3) above, with a moderate amount of light olive brown indumentum below; new growth silvery hairy. Shrub 0.4 × 0.9m in 10 years. Mid May

(a) **'Yakumo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1920), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, with roundish lobes, 30mm wide, dark red, with darker spots. Kurume

(r) **'Yakunowii'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* (s) × *smirnowii* R: W. Nagel (1975), N: W. Nagel (1989), I: W. Nagel (1990) Fls 9-14/broadly rounded, loose truss, 45-65mm wide, opening pale purple pink, ageing to white with inconspicuous, greenish yellow markings. Shrub 1.0 × 0.8m in 15 years

(r) **'Yaku Picotee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Moser's Maroon' (s) × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' R: B.F. Lancaster, N: B.F. Lancaster, REG: B.F. Lancaster (1968) Fls up to 15/rounded truss, rotate-campanulate, 40 × 70mm, inside rose bengal (25/1) shading to white in

centre; outside rose bengal (25/1). Lvs elliptic, 125 × 45mm, margins recurved, dark green above, with a matted indumentum below. Shrub 0.4 × 0.4m in 5 years. Mid May

(r) **'Yaku Prince'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'King Tut' × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: A.M. Shammarello (1960), G: A.M. Shammarello (1966), N: A.M. Shammarello, I: A.M. Shammarello (1976), REG: A.M. Shammarello (1977) Fls up to 14/ball truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (5R 4/12) in bud, opening strong purplish pink (7.5RP 7/10) with a blotch of pale purplish pink (7.5RP 9/2) and spotting of dark reddish orange (7.5R 4/11); outside strong purplish red (7.5RP 5/12); flower colour fades with age. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 125 × 50mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (5GY 4/3) above, with a moderate amount of dark orange-yellow indumentum below; new growth silvery hairy. Shrub 0.45 × 0.9m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Yaku Princess'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'King Tut' × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: A.M. Shammarello (1960), G: A.M. Shammarello (1966), N: A.M. Shammarello, I: A.M. Shammarello (1976), REG: A.M. Shammarello (1977) Fls up to 15/ball truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (7.5RP 7/10) in bud, opening appleblossom pink, ageing to white, with a pinkish white blotch and green spots; outside with pale pink (2.5R 9/3) midveins; colour pales with age. Lvs elliptic, 95 × 40mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (5GY 4/3) above, with a moderate amount of dark orange-yellow indumentum below; new growth silvery hairy. Shrub 0.4 × 0.9m in 10 years. Mid May

(r) **'Yaku Queen'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'King Tut' × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: A.M. Shammarello (1960), G: A.M. Shammarello (1966), N: A.M. Shammarello, I: A.M. Shammarello (1976), REG: A.M. Shammarello (1977) Fls up to 16/ball truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 65mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (7.5RP 6/12) in bud, dark at first but fading pale pink (2.5R 9/3) after opening, ageing to white; no spots, but a faint yellow blotch; outside with strong pink (2.5R 7/8) midribs and paling with age. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 115 × 40mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, moderate olive green (5GY 4/3) above, with a moderate amount of dark orange-yellow indumentum below; new growth silvery hairy. Shrub 0.4 × 1.1m in 10 years. Mid May

(a) **'Yakura-yama'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan. Satsuki

(r) **'Yaku Royale'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan' (s) × *yakushimanum* (Exbury form) H: L.W. Bulgin (1980), G: L.W. Bulgin (1985), N: L.W. Bulgin, REG: L.W. Bulgin (1994) Fls 10/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 51 × 70mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, inside greenish white (155C) with a narrow, marginal band of strong purplish red (54A); outside pale purplish pink (56A), with strong purplish red (54A) margins and veins; buds strong red (53B); stamens 10, straight, unequal. Pedicels 38mm long, hairy. Lvs elliptic, 114 × 44mm, convex, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull moderate olive green (137A) and hairless above, with a felted indumentum below (pale greenish yellow (160C) when young, ageing to moderate orange-yellow (164B)); petioles 19mm long, moderate yellow-green (138B), hairy. Shrub 0.5 × 0.9m in 6 years. Late April-early May

(r) **'Yaku Sensation'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan' × *yakushimanum* (Exbury form) H: L.W. Bulgin (1980), G: L.W. Bulgin (1985), N: L.W. Bulgin, I: Ellanhurst Gardens, REG: L.W. Bulgin (1988) Fls 14-16/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 38 × 51mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (54A) in bud, opening strong purplish pink (55B), the colour persisting, not fading. Lvs elliptic, 95 × 35mm, convex, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green and hairless above, indumentum on young leaves light yellow (162C), light yellowish brown (199C) when mature. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 7 years. Early May

(a) **'Yakushima'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(r) **'Yakushi Maiden'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × Gipsy King Group H: R.J.R. Drayson (1979), G: Harkwood Acres (1987), N: Mrs A.J.A. Drayson, REG: R.J.R. & Mrs A.J.A. Drayson (1987) Fls 11-15/truss, tubular-campanulate, 50 × 53mm, 5-lobed, strong red (53B) in bud, opening strong red (53D) with dorsal spotting of strong to light purplish pink (55B & C); fades to strong purplish red (54A). Lvs lanceolate, 66 × 22-29mm, with recurved margins, moderate olive green (147A) above, with a moderate orange-yellow (164B/C) indumentum below when young. Shrub 0.31 × 0.51m in 8 years. Early May-late May

(r) **'Yakushima-nishiki'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *yakushimanum* R: Japan (pre 1997), N: Japan

(r) **'Yakushima Tabata Shiro'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *yakushimanum* G: S. Iwayama (1979), S: S. Iwayama, N: Y. Tabata (1980), REG: Y. Tabata (1994) Fls 12-20/domed truss, campanulate, 40 × 50mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, pure white in bud, opening pure white with a pale yellow blotch. Lvs 65 × 28mm, margins decurved, glossy above, rounded at apex, with a white felted indumentum when young (which ages to brown). Shrub 0.45 × 0.6m in 13 years

(a) **'Yakushin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 75mm wide, with rounded, "dimpled" lobes, white to blushed purplish pink to light purple at tips. Early. Satsuki

(r) **'Yaku Splendor'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Rose Splendour' × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' R: B.F. Lancaster, N: B.F. Lancaster, I: B.F. Lancaster (1966), REG: B.F. Lancaster (1967) Fls up to 18/truss, campanulate, to 50 × 70mm, 5-lobed, phlox pink (631/1)

on outside, paler inside. Lvs slightly obovate, up to 125 × 40mm, margins recurved, with a tan indumentum below. Globe-shaped shrub, 0.45 × 0.45m wide in 8 years. Mid May

(r) **'Yaku Sunrise'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Vulcan's Flame' × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' R: B.F. Lancaster, N: B.F. Lancaster, I: B.F. Lancaster (1965), REG: B.F. Lancaster (1966) Fls 10/compact truss, open campanulate, 40 × 70mm, 5-lobed, rose madder (23/2), deeper at margins and on outside of lobes. Lvs 75 × 40mm, slightly recurved, dark green above, with a tan indumentum below. Shrub 0.30 × 0.45m in 5 years. Early May. (There may be two near identical seedlings circulating under this name, differing only in the foliage: glossy in one, dull in the other)

(r) **'Yaku Warrior'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mars' × *yakushimanum* R: B.F. Lancaster, N: B.F. Lancaster, I: B.F. Lancaster (1967), REG: B.F. Lancaster (1968) Fls 18/truss, campanulate, 40 × 50mm, tyrian rose (24/2), fading to tyrian rose (24/3) at centre. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 45mm, with a thin indumentum below, dark green above. Shrub 0.45 × 0.50m in 8 years. Mid May

(r) **'Yaku-yama-sakura'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × *degronianum* subsp. *heptamerum* var. *hondoense* f. *micranthum* H: Y. Yamamoto (1992), G: Y. Yamamoto (2000), S: Y. Yamamoto (2001), N: Y. Yamamoto (2002), REG: Y. Yamamoto (2002) Fls 8-10/open-topped truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 50 × 60mm, with 6-7 wavy-edged lobes, deep pink in bud, opening inside white to light pink, outside light pink; no blotch. Calyx 10mm long, brown. Lvs linear-oblong, 80 × 15mm, convex, obtuse at apex and base, glossy above, powdery indumentum white at first, later absent. Shrub 0.4 × 0.3m in 10 years (pot grown). (Standard: colour print provided by registrant (WSY 0033303))

(r) **'Yak Van Zile'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1995) (Listed as a parent of 'High Voltage')

(a) **'Yallaroo'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: D.J. Dosser, G: D.J. Dosser (1974), N: D.J. Dosser, I: D.J. Dosser, REG: D.J. Dosser (1984) Fls 13-15/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, strong purplish pink (55B), dorsal lobe blotched vivid yellow (12A). Lvs as in *molle*. Shrub c1.0 × 0.8m

(r) **Yama Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: Yunncinn Group (s) × Lady Chamberlain Group H: Lord Aberconway (1934), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls yellowish plum

(a) **'Yama-biko'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Yamaji-no-tomoshiba'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 75mm wide, with rounded, wavy-edged lobes, white suffused vivid purplish pink, with white edges and a reddish purple blotch; stamens pink, pistil white. Early. Satsuki

(a) **'Yamakawa-no-tsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Gyoko' × 'Kohan-no-tsuki' R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, often 6-lobed, white, with stripes and sectors of deep reddish orange, also some deep pink with white marked edges and some deep orange selfs, occasionally with paler centres. Satsuki

(a) **'Yama-man'e'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double (anemone-centred), c50mm wide, red. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Yama-no-akebono'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 75-90mm wide, with broad, rounded lobes, white, with a pale yellowish green blotch; many variations of dark pink stripes, dots and sectors or selfs. Early. Satsuki

(a) **'Yama-no-haru'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, with broad, rounded lobes, pale purplish pink, with white towards centre, blotch light yellowish brown, occasional stripe of darker purplish pink; stamens and pistil white. Midseason. Satsuki (See also note under 'Yomo-no-haru')

(a) **'Yama-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Kazan' R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 65mm wide, with rounded lobes, white to light and deep pink; variable, with stripes, sectors and selfs of deep pink (Galle, 1987); fls large, light coloured, with red spots and sanding (1958 Register). Satsuki

(a) **'Yama-no-hikari No. 2'** cv. Evergreen azalea: a sport from 'Yama-no-hikari' L: Nuccio's Nurseries (1992) Fls pink, edged white, with light red spots in the throat; occasional solid coral flowers. Satsuki

(a) **'Yama-no-takara'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65mm wide, with rounded, overlapping lobes, pink to pale pink, margins very light yellowish pink, blotch dark pink. Early. Satsuki

(a) **'Yama-sen'e'** (Syn. of 'Bijo')

(a) **'Yama-shiro'** (Syn. of 'Edo-shiro')

(a) **'Yamato'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 90-100mm wide, with broad, rounded, overlapping lobes, white, with a pale yellow-green blotch and some flecks, stripes or selfs of deep pink. Late. Satsuki

(a) **'Yamato-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hozan' × 'Eiten' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 75-100mm wide, with wavy-edged, overlapping lobes, white, with a green blotch, variously speckled and striped with deep purplish pink, some pink selfs. Satsuki

(a) **'Yamayuri'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Yama-no-hikari' L: Nuccio's Nurseries (1989) Fls white and

salmon; white fls have rounded lobes, salmon flowers have narrow, pointed lobes. Satsuki

(r) **'Yamina'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Letty Edwards Group × *fortunei* H: A.J. Teese, G: A.J. Teese (1961), N: A.J. Teese, I: A.J. Teese, REG: A.J. Teese (1963) Fls 10/truss, 85mm wide, 7-lobed, uranium green (63/3), feathered red on dorsal lobe. Lvs 125 × 38mm. Shrub 1.0-1.2m. October (Australia)

(r) **'Yanchart'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, I: C. Ingram (1935), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Yangtze Bend'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *uvariifolium*, grown from Forrest 10639 R: Royal Botanic Garden, Edinburgh, N: Royal Botanic Garden, Edinburgh, REG: Royal Botanic Garden, Edinburgh (1965) Fls up to 26/large, compact truss, funnel-campanulate, 50 × 65mm, 5-lobed, rose pink (427/3), spotted and blotched indian lake (826/3). Lvs oblanceolate, 225 × 65mm, with a plastered, whitish indumentum below. AM 1965

(r) **'Yankee Clipper'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: F6 selection from 'Newport' H: W.E. Delp (1951), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 14/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 56 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep and strong purplish red (71A-D) in bud, opening strong purplish red (71B-D), lightly edged very pale purple (75D), with a 75D flare and throat and with dark red (187A) spots on the three dorsal lobes; filaments very pale purple; style moderate purplish pink (70D); anthers moderate orange (166D); stigma moderate red (181A). Lvs 114 × 51mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 2.4 × 2.1m in 40 years. Early June

(r) **'Yankee Clover'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Tony's Gift' (s) × 'Maxhaem Salmon' H: W.E. Delp (1976), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1994) Fls 16/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 54 × 60mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, moderate and strong purplish red and deep purplish pink (64A-D) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (65D), edged light reddish purple and moderate purplish pink (74C, D) and with deep purplish red (61A) dorsal spots; filaments and style pale yellow-green (155A); anthers moderate yellowish pink (173D); stigma moderate yellow-green (148A). Lvs 102 × 38mm, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 1.3m in 16 years. Early June

(a) **'Yankee Doodle'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *kaempferi* hybrid H: F.L. Abbott, N: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls lavender pink

(a) **'Yaquina'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Hugh Wormald' × 'Marion Merriman' H: H.J. Slonecker (1958), N: H.J. Slonecker, I: A.O. Wright, REG: H.J. Slonecker (1963) Fls 9-12/spherical truss, flat-faced with an almost closed tube, 90-100mm wide (tube 20mm long), brilliant yellow (12B), with blotch vivid orange-yellow (23A). Lvs light green. Shrub 2.5 × 1.9m in 15 years. Midseason. Knap Hill

(a) **'Yaquina'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Graciosum' (Occidentale) × a Ghent hybrid R: B.F. Lancaster, N: B.F. Lancaster, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pink

(a) **'Yashiro'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c50mm wide, white. Satsuki

(r) **'Yashiro Homare'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *degronianum* subsp. *heptamerum* G: M. Yashiro (1985), S: M. Yashiro (1997), N: M. Yashiro (1997), REG: M. Yashiro (1998) Fls 14/hemispherical truss, open funnel-shaped, 70 × 50mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish pink (66D) in bud, opening moderate purplish red (65A) inside, paling towards the base, moderate purplish pink (66D) outside; unspotted. Lvs 100 × 30mm, flat, glossy green above, indumentum below strong orange (26A) when young, ageing to strong orange (26B). Shrub 2.0 × 1.5m in 20 years. (Originally published in Japan Rhododendron Society Bulletin, 1997 as 'Hoh-shi' (an unacceptable re-use of an earlier epithet))

(r) **'Yashmak'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × *campylocarpum* R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, REG: C. Ingram (1971) Fls moderate purplish pink (68C), with blotching and spotting of strong red (46A)

(a) **'Yasmina'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Limona' × 'Marion Merriman' R: H. Hachmann (1971), N: H. Hachmann Fls with wavy-edged lobes, pure yellow

(a) **'Yata-no-kagami'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, deep vermilion, throat white, and with prominent white spotting (1958 Register); fls 50-65mm wide, light yellowish pink with a white centre, to nearly all off white, with a red blotch; well-spaced lobes. Shrub of low, spreading habit (Galle, 1987). Satsuki

(a) **'Yata-no-sai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Yata-no-kagami' R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, star-shaped, pale pink shading to deep pink on margins; the long, rounded, spaced lobes are rolled inwards. Satsuki

(r) **'Yates' Albino'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *catawbiense* (red-flowered) × 'Mars' H: H.R. Yates (1959), G: H.R. Yates (1964), I: Mrs M. Yates (1968), REG: Mrs M. Yates (1976) Fls up to 11/lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 70mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, white (155D), with a strong yellow-green (144C) blotch and sparse, moderate red (47A) spotting; no pink even at bud stage. Lvs elliptic, 130 × 55mm, strong yellow-green (144A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 15 years. Late May

(r) **'Yates' Best'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs H.R. Yates' × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: H.R. Yates (1962), G: H.R. Yates, I: Mrs M. Yates (1968), REG: Mrs M. Yates (1976) Fls up to 13/ball truss, open campanulate, 45 × 40mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, rose in bud, opening pink, soon ageing to white (155D), with

sparse, vivid yellow (9A) spotting. Lvs elliptic, 100 × 45mm, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, flat, glossy and moderate olive green (137B) above, with a plastered, brownish orange (165B) indumentum below; new growth orange-brown tomentose. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 12 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Yates' Hazel'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Charles S. Sargent' × 'Mount Siga' H: H.R. Yates (1963), G: H.R. Yates, I: Mrs M. Yates (1971), REG: Mrs M. Yates (1977) Fls up to 12/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 75mm wide, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (62A), with a moderate yellow (160A) blotch containing strong yellow-green (144C) spotting. Calyx 20mm long, light yellow-green (144D). Lvs elliptic, 140 × 70mm, moderate yellow-green (146D) above, hairless. Shrub 1.5 × 1.5m in 12 years. Late May

(r) **'Yates' Irene'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: (*catawbiense* (as "f.rubrum") × 'Mars') × 'Princess Elizabeth' × 'Big Savage' H: Mrs M. Yates (1977), G: Mrs M. Yates (1982), N: Mrs M. Yates, REG: C. Yates (1988) Fls 18-20/conical truss, 38 × 32mm, funnel-shaped, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish red (60D), with a 3mm wide margin of strong purplish red (60C) which ages to 60D, outside 60C. Calyx 3mm long, light yellow-green (154D). Lvs elliptic, 76 × 44mm, convex, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 1.3 × 0.6m in 11 years. Late May-early June

(r) **'Yates' Monica'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Joe Kruson' × 'Red Pond' H: H.R. Yates (1970), G: Mrs M. Yates (c 1980), N: Mrs M. Yates, REG: Mrs M. Yates (1988) Fls up to 16/ball truss, funnel-shaped, 67 × 64mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53B). Calyx minute. Lvs elliptic, 127 × 48mm, concave, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 0.7 × 1.1m in 17 years. Late May

(r) **'Yates No. 1'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *ungernii* × *auriculatum* H: H.R. Yates (pre 1972) Fls pink. (May be an F2 derivative of this parentage. Grown to first flower either by Yates or J.B. Gable)

(r) **'Yates No. 2'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *ungernii* × *auriculatum* H: H.R. Yates (pre 1972) Fls pink. (May be an F2 derivation of this parentage. Grown to first flower either by Yates or J.B. Gable)

(r) **'Yates' Purple'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catawbiense Grandiflorum' × 'Purple Splendour' H: H.R. Yates (1965), G: H.R. Yates (1973), I: Mrs M. Yates (1974), REG: Mrs M. Yates (1979) Fls 10-13/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 65mm wide, with 5 flat-edged lobes, vivid reddish purple (78A), with a large, dorsal, dark purple (79A) blotch and similarly coloured spotting out to tip of lobe. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 145 × 45mm, acute at apex, cuneate to slightly oblique at base, moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.6m in 10 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Yates' Red'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Leah Yates' × 'Pink Twins' H: H.R. Yates (1959), G: H.R. Yates (1965), N: H.R. Yates (1965), I: Mrs M. Yates (1965), REG: Mrs M. Yates (1976) Fls 13-15/conical truss, open funnel-shaped, up to 75mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep to strong red (53A, B, C), shading to vivid purplish red (66A) in the throat, with a large blotch in the throat and spotting of dark red (187A). Lvs narrowly elliptic, 125 × 40mm, apiculate at apex, slightly rounded at base, moderate yellow-green (146B) above, hairless. Shrub 1.4 × 2.0m in 15 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Yates' Second Best'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs H.R. Yates × *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' H: H.R. Yates (1962), G: H.R. Yates (1968), I: Mrs M. Yates (1968), REG: Mrs M. Yates (1976) Fls up to 10/ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 65mm wide, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, pink in bud, once open turning to white (155D) with brilliant greenish yellow (4A) spotting. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 120 × 45mm, margins downcurved, cuneate at base, glossy and dark bluish green (133A) above, with a plastered, moderate orange-yellow (165C) indumentum below; new growth tomentose (moderate orange-yellow 164B). Shrub 0.75 × 0.9m in 12 years. Mid May

(r) **'Yates' Treena'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' × *wardii* seedling (s) × *wardii* × *yakushimanum* H: H.R. Yates (1968), G: Mrs M. Yates (1978), N: Mrs M. Yates, I: Mrs M. Yates (1980), REG: Mrs M. Yates (1984) Fls 12-14/truss, open funnel-shaped, 55 × 75mm, 5-lobed, brilliant yellow (9C), with two small dorsal rays of burgundy spots in the throat. Calyx up to 20mm long, green to yellow. Lvs elliptic to narrowly obovate, 75-100 × 40-50mm, hairless. Shrub c1.2m in 15 years

(r) **'Yates' Velvet Charm'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sunset Yates' (s) × 'Pink Punch' H: H.R. Yates (1968), G: Mrs M. Yates (1977), N: Mrs M. Yates, I: Mrs M. Yates (1981), REG: Mrs M. Yates (1984) Fls up to 22/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 45 × 70mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (58B), with a minor dorsal blotch of moderate red (184B) in throat which fades to small circles and spots; edges slightly darker. Calyx minute, light yellow-green (144D). Lvs narrowly obovate to narrowly elliptic, 80-120 × 30-55mm, variable in size, with a light golden brown indumentum below. Shrub c1.0m in 15 years

(r) **'Yates' Yellow Ribbons'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' × *wardii* × 'Yates' Best' H: Mrs M. Yates (1977), G: Mrs M. Yates (1987), N: Mrs M. Yates, REG: C. Yates (1988) Fls 16/lax ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 38 × 25mm, 5-lobed, deep pink (51B) in bud, opening light greenish yellow (4C) in the throat, shading to pale greenish yellow (2D) at margins. Calyx 6mm long, tips strong red (45D), centre strong greenish yellow (151B). Pedicels 35mm long, strong red (46A). Lvs elliptic, 152 × 44mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 0.8m in 11 years. Early-mid June

(a) **'Yatsubusa-no-ushi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Yatsubusa-seirin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls trumpet-shaped, 40-45mm wide, with long, spaced lobes, deep pink, with a darker pink blotch; stamens and pistil dark pink. Early. Satsuki

(a) **'Yatsubusa-ukigami'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Yatsu-hashi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c60mm wide, pale purple. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Yatsu-hashi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rose pink to rose. Kurume

(r) **'Yatton'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goldsworth Yellow' × *yakushimanum* H: W.A. Reese (pre 1978)

(a) **'Yaye'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown, derived from Gumpo azaleas R: Japan, N: Mrs J.W. Hill, I: Mrs J.W. Hill, REG: Mrs J.W. Hill (1966) Fls single, 1-2/truss, up to 115mm wide, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, white, with chartreuse in the throat and salmon stripes; sometimes pink selfs or white with salmon margins. Calyx lobes flared, c9mm long, covered with long, white, silky hairs. Lvs elliptic, 37 × 18mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, margins crenate, glossy and greyish olive green (5GY 3/2) above, red hairy above and on petioles, hairy on veins below. Spreading shrub, 0.5 × 1.5m in 16 years. Early June

(a) **'Yayegiri'** (Syn. of 'Yaye-hiryu')

(a) **'Yayehime'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1920), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, pink. Syn: 'Yaehime'. Kurume

(a) **'Yaye-hiryu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1918), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls hose-in-hose, 40mm wide, deep yellowish pink (46D). Syn: 'Scarlet Prince', 'Yae-giri', 'Yayegiri'; Wilson no. 39. Kurume

(r) **'Yayoi-nishiki'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *degronianum* R: Japan (pre 1997), N: Japan Lvs variegated

(a) **'Yayoi-no-hikari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 50-65mm wide, with rounded lobes, centre white, margins vivid purplish pink; some pale pink with a green centre and occasional pink stripes; stamens and pistil white. Early. Satsuki

(a) **'Yayoi-no-tsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Reigetsu' R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 65mm wide, with rounded, overlapping lobes, white to pale pink, variably striped and sectored deep purplish pink, some with a white star centre and broad, dark pink margins. Satsuki

(r) **'Years of Peace'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Charles S. Sargent', selfed H: E.V. Mezitt (1954), G: Weston Nurseries (1959), N: Weston Nurseries, I: Weston Nurseries (1962), REG: Weston Nurseries (1980) Fls 6-10/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 25 × 75mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, strong purplish pink (68B), with slight, darker, dorsal spotting. Calyx c3mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 115 × 90mm, acute at apex and with apiculus, rounded at base, hairless, dark glossy green above. Shrub 1.6 × 1.1m in 10 years. Late May

(a) **'Yea-shojo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan, N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, hose-in-hose, deep yellowish pink (46D). Kurume

(r) **'Yellow Baby'** cv. Parentage unknown H: H. Fuller (pre 1985)

(a) **'Yellow Ball'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: J.S. Yeates (pre 1985), N: J.S. Yeates Fls in large trusses

(a) **'Yellow Beauty'** (Syn. of 'Ilam Yellow Beauty')

(a) **'Yellow Beauty'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1980) Fls golden yellow. Mollis

(r) **'Yellow Bells'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Cunningham's Sulphur' × Moonstone Group H: D. Newkirk, G: B.F. Lancaster, N: B.F. Lancaster, I: B.F. Lancaster, REG: B.F. Lancaster (1966) Fls 10-12/truss, campanulate, 40 × 40mm, chrome yellow (605-605/3), with wavy-edged lobes. Lvs to 65 × 40mm, glossy, waxy. Shrub 0.6 × 0.6m in 10 years. Mid April

(r) **'Yellow Bells'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mary Belle' × 'Toodeloo' H: J.B. Gable (pre 1972), N: C.R. & V. Haag Fls light yellow

(r) **'Yellow Belly'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ostbo's Yellow' (s) × 'Bristol Cream' R: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, strong red (53B) in bud, opening yellowish white (158D), with a light greenish yellow (3D) flare and strong yellow-green (144A, B) dorsal spots; anthers greyish reddish orange (176D). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Yellow Bird'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: O.S. Pride (pre 1985), N: O.S. Pride Fls yellow

(a) **'Yellow Bouquet'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: A.M. Shammarello (c 1945), N: A.M. Shammarello, I: A.M. Shammarello (1956), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep yellow. Mollis (Listed in error in 1958 Register as 'Yellow Boquet')

(r) **'Yellow Bud'** cv. Parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney (pre 1980)

(v) **'Yellow Bunny'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Golden Prolific' (s) × yellow form of *commonae* H: O.S. Blumhardt (1988), G: O.S. Blumhardt (1994), N: O.S. Blumhardt (1997), I: Koromiko Nurseries (1998), REG: O.S. Blumhardt (1999) Fls 5-7/flat truss, tubular-campanulate, 35 × 40mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, greenish yellow in bud, opening bright yellow throughout, unmarked; stigma green. Calyx 1-2mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 50 × 20-25mm, margins upcurved, obtuse at apex, tapered to base, bright and glossy green above, no scales visible. Shrub of bushy habit, 0.5 × 0.4m in 5 years. Flowering continuously

(r) **'Yellow Bunting'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *fletcherianum* S: E.H.M. & P.A. Cox, N: E.H.M. & P.A. Cox, I: E.H.M. & P.A. Cox (1964), REG: E.H.M. & P.A. Cox (1964) Fls up to 4/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 40 × 45mm, pale yellow-green (4D). Calyx 10mm long, leafy, ciliate. Pedicels 13mm long, hairy. Lvs 53 × 25mm, ciliate. Shrub 0.5-0.6m. AM 1964 (Derived from a plant raised at Royal Botanic Garden, Edinburgh)

(r) **'Yellow by the Trailer'** (Syn. of 'Yellow Pages')

(a) **'Yellow Cloud'** cv. Deciduous azalea: seed from an open-pollinated Knap Hill azalea G: D.W. Hyatt (1973), I: D.W. Hyatt (1980), REG: D.W. Hyatt (1983) Fls 12/ball truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 40 × 95mm, with 5(-6) wavy-edged lobes, strong yellow-green (144B) in bud, opening brilliant yellow (10A), deepening to brilliant yellow (12B) on dorsal lobe and with more-or-less vivid yellow (14A), narrow blotches each side of dorsal midline; highly scented. Calyx 7mm long, moderate yellowish green (138A). Lvs elliptic to more-or-less narrowly obovate, 125 × 60mm, glossy and moderate olive green (137A) to dark yellowish green (139A) above. Shrub 1.5 × 1.1m in c10 years. Late May. Knap Hill

(r) **'Yellow Creek'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Sarita Loder Group (s) × Idealist Group R: D.W. James (pre 1958), N: D.W. James, REG: D.W. James (1962) Fls up to 10/lax, domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 5-lobed, 50 × 100-115mm, light greenish yellow (4C). Lvs elliptic, 100-150 × 45-50mm, light green. Shrub under 2.0m in 10 years

(r) **'Yellow Date'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1999) (Listed as a parent of 'Delp's Potpourri')

(a) **'Yellow Delight'** cv. Deciduous azalea: seedling from open-pollinated *atlanticum* R: Transplant Nursery (pre 1986), N: Transplant Nursery Fls soft yellow; strongly scented

(r) **'Yellow Discolor'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* × 'Golden Belle' H: L.C. Case (pre 1978)

(r) **'Yellow Dream'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *campylocarpum* × *wardii* H: G. Langdon, G: G. Langdon, N: G. Langdon, I: G. Langdon, REG: G. Langdon (1982) Fls 14/truss, light greenish yellow (5D) with a deeper centre and red spots

(r) **Yellow Dwarf Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goldsworth Yellow' (s) × *dichroanthum* R: Sir John Ramsden (pre 1930), N: Sir John Ramsden, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bronzy yellow shading to copper at edges

(r) **'Yellow Eye'** (Syn. of 'Yellow Eyes')

(r) **'Yellow Eyes'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Wyanokie', open-pollinated G: A.R. Fitzburgh (1979), N: A.R. Fitzburgh (1981), I: Roslyn Nursery (1988), REG: A.R. Fitzburgh (1996) Fls 8-9/compound, domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 20 × 30mm, with 6 smooth-edged lobes, pink in bud, opening inside white, with prominent spotting of greenish yellow, turning to vivid yellow (16A) on dorsal and two adjacent lobes; outside very pale pink to white. Calyx less than 2mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 45 × 15mm, downcurved, acuminate at apex, cuneate at base, dull green, scaly; lvs turn bronze in winter. Shrub 0.9 × 0.6m in 10 years. Early May. Syn: 'Yellow Eye' (Grown from seed collected by G.G. Nearing in 1977. First published in Roslyn Nursery cat., 1988)

(r) **'Yellow Fellow'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *mekongense*, grown from Kingdon Ward 406 R: S.R. Clarke, I: R.N. Stephenson Clarke, REG: R.N. Stephenson Clarke (1979) Fls 3-5/truss, open campanulate, up to 16 × 36mm, brilliant to light greenish yellow (5B-C), with yellow-green spotting in the throat on dorsal lobes. Calyx lobes irregular, to 2mm long, greenish yellow, sparsely scaly and with long, white cilia. Lvs ciliate, and densely scaly below when young. Deciduous. AM 1979

(r) **'Yellow Fever'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Mary Fleming' × 'Banana Boat' H: G.D. Lewis (1976), G: G.D. Lewis (1981), N: G.D. Lewis, REG: G.D. Lewis (1988) Fls 4-5/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 22 × 41mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, light greenish yellow (1C) slightly tinged light pink (49C), gradually changing to light greenish yellow (1C) heavily tinged with moderate purplish pink (62B). Lvs elliptic, 64 × 19mm, flat, acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, scaly. Shrub 0.8 × 0.9m in 10 years. Mid April. (Published in *J.Am.Rh.Soc.*, 37 (2):70 (1983))

(v) **'Yellow Fire'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *laetum* × *zoelleri* (s) × (*konori* × *zoelleri*) × *zoelleri* H: J.L. Rouse (1989), G: H. Holmwood (1995), N: H. Holmwood (1996), REG: H. Holmwood (1996) Fls 5-7/rounded, lax truss, open funnel-shaped, 95mm wide, with 5-7 smooth-edged lobes, brilliant greenish yellow (1B) at base in bud, shading to deep yellowish pink (39B) and to a blushed brilliant greenish blue (113B), opening inside vivid yellow (15B) and graduating to strong orange (24B); outside vivid reddish orange (42A); unmarked; slightly scented. Lvs elliptic, 110 × 50mm, acute at apex, cuneate at base, glossy above, scaly. Shrub 1.0m tall in 7 years. October-May (Australia)

(r) **'Yellow Garland'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: selection from *xanthostephanum*, grown from Forrest

21707 R: Crown Estate Commissioners, N: Crown Estate Commissioners, I: Crown Estate Commissioners (1961), REG: Crown Estate Commissioners (1961) Fls 4-8/truss, campanulate, 20 × 25mm, brilliant yellow (12B). Lvs 40 × 13mm, silvery below. AM 1961

(r) **'Yellow Gate'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: J.C. Cowles (1960-1965), G: Heritage Plantation, N: J. Leonard, I: Briarwood Gardens (1987), REG: Heritage Plantation (1988) Fls 12/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 38 × 64mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (61D) in bud, opening light yellow-green (150D). Calyx under 2mm long, brilliant yellow-green (150C). Lvs elliptic, 102 × 32mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 1.7 × 2.4m in c25 years. Mid-late May. (Published in Briarwood Gardens cat., 1987)

(r) **'Yellow Gay'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Inca Gold' × *yakushimanum* × *wardii* R: J. Rosenthal (pre 1988), N: J. Rosenthal Fls cream coloured

(v) **'Yellow Gem'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown R: J. Veitch & Sons, N: J. Veitch & Sons, I: J. Veitch & Sons (1893), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls rich yellow. AM 1893

(a) **'Yellow Giant'** (Syn. of 'Ilam Yellow Giant')

(a) **'Yellow Giant'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: O.S. Pride (pre 1985), N: O.S. Pride Fls 90mm wide, in large trusses, brilliant yellow

(r) **'Yellow Gold'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Apricot Gold' × 'Lem's Cameo' H: K. Van de Ven (1979), G: K. Van de Ven (1982), N: K. Van de Ven, I: K. Van de Ven (1986), REG: Olinda Nursery (1987) Fls 13-15/truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 90mm, 5-lobed, light yellowish pink (19B). Calyx 10mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs oblanceolate, 110 × 40mm. Shrub 1.0 × 1.0m

(a) **'Yellow Hammer'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls chinese yellow

(r) **Yellow Hammer Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *sulfureum* (s) × *flavidum* R: J.C. Williams (pre 1931), N: J.C. Williams, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in pairs from terminal and axillary buds, tubular-campanulate, 18 × 14mm, empire yellow (603-603/1). Calyx lobes short, tipped with silky hairs, sparsely scaly. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 20-35 × 8-11mm, dark and more-or-less glossy green above, scaly above, with golden brown scales below. Shrub up to 2.0m. Very early spring, often again in autumn. (The description is of one of the most commonly cultivated clones)

(r) **'Yellowish'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Trillon (1843), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Yellow Jack'** cv. Parentage unknown H: Mrs J.F. Knippenberg (pre 1980)

(r) **'Yellow Jacket'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* (s) × Fabia Group H: R. Henny (1946), G: R. Henny, N: R. Henny, I: R. Henny, INC: ICRA (1958) Dwarf shrub

(r) **'Yellow Pages'** cv. Parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney (1973), G: Briggs Nursery (1977), N: Briggs Nursery, I: Briggs Nursery, REG: Briggs Nursery (1989) Fls 13-15/domed truss, open funnel-shaped, 57-90mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, brilliant greenish yellow (4A) fading to light greenish yellow (4B). Lvs elliptic, 191 × 76-83mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cordate at base, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 1.2 × 1.8m in 15 years. Early May. Syn: 'Yellow by the Trailor' (Has many characteristics of *lacteum*)

(v) **'Yellow Perfection'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Lord Wolseley' × *javanicum* var. *teysmannii* R: J. Veitch & Sons, N: J. Veitch & Sons, I: J. Veitch & Sons (1888), INC: ICRA (1958) FCC 1888

(r) **'Yellow Petticoats'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' (s) × ('Pink Petticoats' × *wardii*), selfed H: J.G. Lofthouse (1974), G: J.G. Lofthouse, N: J.G. Lofthouse, I: J.G. Lofthouse (1982), REG: J.G. Lofthouse (1983) Fls 15/truss, open funnel-shaped, 50 × 75mm, with (5-)6(-7) wavy-edged lobes, brilliant yellow (7B) shading to light greenish yellow (7D) at edges, unmarked. Calyx up to 13-25mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 100 × 40mm, margins upcurved, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dark green, hairless. Shrub 1.1 × 1.1m in 8 years. Mid May

(r) **'Yellow Pippin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Lammot Copeland' (s) × *yakushimanum* H: H.L. Larson (1966), G: H.L. Larson (1975), I: H.L. Larson, REG: H.L. Larson (1983) Fls 12/truss, 65 × 90mm, 6-lobed, opening deep pink (52B) fading to light yellow (12C), centre of corolla brilliant greenish yellow (6B), spotted vivid yellow-green (154A). Calyx 7mm long, light yellowish brown (199C). Lvs 140 × 50mm, hairless

(a) **'Yellow Pom Pom'** (Syn. of 'Girard Yellow Pom Pom')

(a) **'Yellow Prince'** cv. Deciduous azalea: *molle* subsp. *molle* × *molle* subsp. *japonicum* I: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1939), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, deep golden yellow. Midseason. Mollis

(r) **'Yellow Ribbon'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C. Cannon (c 1990), G: C. Cannon (1996), N: C. Cannon (1998), REG: L. Caton (1998) Fls 9-12/lax truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 100 × 150mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, strong yellowish pink (32C) in bud, opening brilliant yellow (10A) throughout, with brownish orange (172C) dorsal spotting. Calyx 40mm long, strong red (39A). Lvs oblong, 190 × 65mm, downcurved, with wavy margins, broadly acute at apex, oblique at base, semi-glossy and moderate olive green (147A) above, hairless. Shrub 1.7 × 0.9m in 8 years. Late May

(a) **'Yellow River'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from a natural hybrid swarm of *austrinum* × *canescens*, from Okaloosa Co., Florida, USA S: H.T. Skinner (1951), N: H.T. Skinner, I: United States National Arboretum (1971), REG: H.T. Skinner (1979) Fls 10-12/flat truss, narrow tubular-campanulate, 40 × 27mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, lobes and upper half of tube brilliant yellow (11A), lower half of tube light orange-yellow (24C); inconspicuous vivid yellow blotch. Calyx c1.5mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic to oblong-obovate, 90 × 27mm, moderate yellowish green, hairy; green until frosts. Shrub c3.5 × 2.9m in 20 years. Early May. (Closely resembles *austrinum*)

(r) **'Yellow Rolls Royce'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Crest' × 'Odee Wright' H: G.W. Clarke (1960), G: G.W. Clarke, N: G.W. Clarke, I: G.W. Clarke, REG: H.A. Spady (1990) Fls in a ball truss, open funnel-shaped, 64 × 102mm, with 6 wavy-edged lobes, dorsal three lobes brilliant greenish yellow (1B), shading to pale greenish yellow (1D) on ventral lobes. Calyx 6mm long, strong greenish yellow (151B). Lvs elliptic, 114 × 63mm, flat, cuspidate at apex, glossy green above, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.6m in 5 years. Mid April

(r) **'Yellow Sally'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: (Idealist Group × Hawk Group) × Phryne Group × Jalisco Orange H: Waterer (Bagshot) (1964), G: Waterer (Bagshot), N: Waterer (Bagshot), I: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975), REG: Waterer (Bagshot) (1975) Fls 15-18/truss, 60 × 60mm, 6-lobed, pale greenish yellow (2D), slightly tinged pale purplish pink (55D) and speckled greyish reddish orange (174C). Lvs 90-100 × 30-40mm, dark green

(a) **'Yellow Sand'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'George Reynolds' × *austrinum* H: G. & T. Elmer (1966), G: G. & T. Elmer (1976), N: G. & T. Elmer, I: G. & T. Elmer (1982), REG: G. & T. Elmer (1984) Fls 10-14/truss, flat saucer-shaped, 70mm wide, 5-lobed, light yellow (11B), with a prominent strong orange-yellow (17A) dorsal blotch; scented. Lvs narrowly elliptic, 75-95 × 25-30mm. Shrub c2.2m in 15 years

(r) **'Yellow Saucer'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: (*aberconwayi* × (*yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' × Fabia Group)) F2 H: C.C. Smith (1972), G: C.C. Smith, N: C.C. Smith, I: C.C. Smith, REG: C.C. Smith (1983) Fls up to 8/truss, open funnel-shaped, but quite flat with a short tube, 75mm wide, 5-lobed, buds shaded orange-red, opening light yellow (12C) at lobe edges, shading to brilliant yellow (13B) in throat; newly opened flowers mottled vivid reddish orange (33B) especially on outside; dorsal spotting of vivid red (45B) and a small, red rim around the ovary inside. Calyx 3mm long, edged yellow. Lvs narrowly elliptic to elliptic, 70 × 17-27mm, glossy and dark yellowish green (136B). Shrub 1.2 × 0.9m in 10 years. Early May

(r) **'Yellow Spring'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *keiskei* × *racemosum* H: C. Herbert (1967), G: C. Herbert (1971), N: C. Herbert, I: C. Herbert, REG: C. Herbert (1975) Fls 3-5/truss (8-10 trusses together), broadly funnel-shaped, 28 × 25mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, deep purplish pink (55A) at edges, shading to pale yellow (158B) towards the yellowish white throat; slight brilliant yellow-green (154C) spotting. Calyx 7mm long, greenish brown. Lvs lanceolate to ovate, 50 × 25mm, moderate olive green (147A), scaly below. Shrub 0.9 × 0.5m in 7 years. Mid April

(a) **'Yellow Stars'** cv. Deciduous azalea: 'Narcissiflorum' (Ghent) × 'Nancy Waterer' H: P.E. Girard (1968), G: P.E. Girard, N: P.E. Girard, I: P.E. Girard, REG: P.E. Girard (1983) Fls double, 22-28/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 25 × 50mm, with 5+5 wavy-edged lobes, strong yellow-green (144C) in bud, opening brilliant greenish yellow (5A), flushed light orange-yellow (24C), outside similarly coloured; stamens absent; highly scented. Calyx 3-5mm long, strong yellow-green (144B). Lvs elliptic, 80 × 45mm, strong yellow-green (144A), sparsely hairy and setose; brilliant yellow (14C) in autumn. Shrub 1.1 × 0.4m in 5 years. Mid-late May

(r) **'Yellow Streaker'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Masterblend' (s) × 'Marypat' H: W.E. Delp (1986), G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: W.E. Delp (1995) Fls 14/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 56 × 64mm, 5-lobed, light greenish yellow and pale yellow-green (4B-D) in bud, opening pale yellow-green (4D) with a light greenish yellow (4B) and moderate red (181A) throat; style brilliant greenish yellow (4A); stigma vivid yellow (13A); filaments pale yellow-green (4D); anthers pale orange-yellow (159B). Lvs 89 × 38mm, broadly acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Early June. (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Yellow Sunbeam'** cv. Parentage unknown H: H.R. Yates (pre 1980)

(a) **'Yellow Surprise'** cv. Deciduous azalea: open-pollinated *atlanticum* seedling R: Transplant Nursery (pre 1986), N: Transplant Nursery Fls clear yellow; scented

(r) **'Yellow Tassels'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* × *wardii* × 'Crest' H: J. Becales (pre 1985) Fls in a lax truss, yellow

(r) **'Yellowthroat'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catalgla' hybrid H: J.B. Gable (pre 1972) Fls white, with a yellow centre

(a) **'Yellow Van Tol'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light yellow. Mollis (Previously listed in error as a Group)

(r) **'Yellow Wing'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: (*wardii* × Medusa Group) × Letty Edwards Group × 'Mrs Betty Robertson' × *wardii* R: W.E. Whitney (c 1961), N: W.E. Whitney Fls yellow. Shrub 1.2m in 10 years

(r) **'Yellow Wolf'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* seedling × *aureum* × (Rubina Group × Fabia Group) H: J.A. Witt (pre 1966), G: University of Washington Arboretum, N: University

of Washington Arboretum, I: University of Washington Arboretum, REG: University of Washington Arboretum (1977) Fls 5-7/flat-topped truss, c50mm wide, fire red (15/2) in bud, opening orange buff (507/2), outside of tube and lobe edges stained peach (512). Lvs oblong to oblong-elliptic, up to 75 × 40mm, dark green above. Shrub under 0.6m in 9 years

(r) **'Yellstar'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *brachycarpum* (as subsp. *tigerstedtii*) × 'Donna Hardgrove' (s) × *aureum* × *maximum* R: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls pale yellow-green (4D), with brilliant yellow-green (154B) dorsal spots. (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Yelton's Choice'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Madonna' (Gable) × *fortunei* H: J.B. Gable (post 1953), G: J.B. Gable, N: J.B. Gable, I: J.B. Gable, REG: Gable Study Group, USA Fls very large, white; scented. Shrub 3.6m when mature. Mid May. Syn: 'Doctor Yelton' (Madfort Group. Published in *Hybrids and Hybridizers*, Livingston & West, 1978)

(a) **'Yeoman'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Bridal Veil' (s) × 'Azuma-no-hana' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, 65mm wide, white, with a broad chartreuse blotch and stripes of almost eugenia red (moderate red (180B)). Shrub to 1.2m. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Yeoman'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *forrestii* Repens Group (s) × Choremia Group H: Lord Aberconway (1936), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 7-11/truss, campanulate, 45 × 50mm, 5-lobed, turkey red (721/1). Lvs elliptic, small, deep green. Shrub 0.4m tall in 10 years. AM 1947 (Yeoman Group)

(r) **Yeoman Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *forrestii* Repens Group (s) × Choremia Group H: Lord Aberconway (1936), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Yes, Indeed'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *prinophyllum* R: Carlson's Gardens (pre 1987), N: Carlson's Gardens Fls pale pink, tinged yellow; scented

(r) **'Yesterday's Dream'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' (s) × 'Morna Belle' H: M. Stockman (1989), G: M. & H. Stockman (1998), N: M. & H. Stockman (2000), REG: M. & H. Stockman (2000) Fls 13/domed truss, funnel-campanulate, 50 × 70mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, strong to pale yellowish pink (32D-29D) in bud, opening yellowish white tinged pale pink (49D), flushed yellow in the throat. Calyx irregular, 13-20mm long, two lobes yellow, others cream tinged yellow or pink. Lvs oblong, 100 × 40mm, acuminate at apex, rounded at base, margins wavy and downcurved, dull mid green above, hairless. Shrub 0.75 × 1.1m in 11 years. Late April

(a) **'Yeung Shaan Hung'** (Miller & West in *The Bell Book* (1994) give this as a parent of some Glenn Dale azaleas (eg. 'Chloe'). It may be a chinese cultivar)

(a) **'Yezo-nishiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1939), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls creamy white, back of corolla cream; anthers white (1958 Register); Galle (1987) says fls 25mm wide and may be striped or as selfs of vivid purplish red (57C). Kurume

(r) **'Yippie!'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Weldy' × *maximum* (s) × *aureum* R: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls 7-lobed, light yellowish pink (159A), pale orange-yellow (159B, C) and pale greenish yellow (9D, 10D) in bud, opening yellowish white (155B), the throat light yellow-green (2C) and pale greenish yellow (2D); anthers moderate purplish red (184D). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992); the *maximum* parent is a wild-collected plant from Jackson Center, Pennsylvania, USA)

(a) **'Yochelle'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Australia (1996) (Probably of European origin)

(a) **'Yochiyo Red'** (Syn. of 'Yachiyo Red')

(a) **'Yodogawa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selections from *yedoense* L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls double, in large trusses, 50-60mm wide, cyclamen purple (30/2); scented. Shrub 1.2-1.9m tall. AM 1961 Syn: 'Botan-tsutsuji'

(a) **'Yoga'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: G.D. Waterer (1946), S: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1953), N: Waterer (Knap Hill), I: Waterer (Knap Hill), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1974) Fls reddish orange. Late May-early June. Knap Hill

(a) **'Yoichi'** (Syn. of 'Minagara')

(a) **'Yoiyoki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: K. Wada (1937), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls flesh pink. Kurume

(a) **'Yo-kihi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c40mm wide, flushed cherry blossom pink. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Yo-kihi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep bluish red, throat white. Satsuki

(a) **'Yokora'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1939), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958). Kurume

(r) **Yolande Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* subsp. *scyphocalyx* (s) × Eudora Group H: Lord Aberconway (1932), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dawn rose

(a) **'Yomei'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: K. Wada (pre 1955), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, white, striped and sanded red. Satsuki

(a) **'Yomei'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *indicum* × a Kurume azalea I: K. Wada, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls cinnabar red Kurume

(a) **'Yomei-nishiki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1978), N: Japan Fls single, up to 35mm wide, white, with purplish pink (5RP 5/10-5RP 4/10) stripes, throat more-or-less white; dark blotch on the dorsal lobes. Kurume

(a) **'Yomo-no-haru'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Nuccio's Nurseries (1992) Fls mid orchid pink, occasionally solid purple. Satsuki (Perhaps the same as 'Yama-no-haru')

(a) **'Yonah Mountain'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *cumberlandense* S: W.G. & M.S. Beasley (pre 1985), N: W.G. & M.S. Beasley Fls 50mm wide, vivid reddish orange (43A); filaments red, anthers yellow. Shrub 0.6 × 1.0m in 10 years. Late June

(r) **'Yoo Hoo!'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Matthew Weldon' (s) × 'Matthew Weldon' R: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, dark red (59A), deep purplish red (59B), deep red (60A) and strong purplish red (60B) in bud, opening moderate and strong purplish red (64A, B, C) and deep and pale purplish pink (64D, 62D) with dark red (59A) dorsal spots; filaments white. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Yori-kurenai'** (Syn. of 'O-guruma')

(a) **'Yorktown'** cv. Evergreen azalea: (*yedoense* var. *poukhanense* × 'Hexe') F2 H: J.B. Gable (pre 1972), I: Dauber's Nursery (pre 1978) Fls hose-in-hose, red. Compact shrub, becoming very hardy with age

(a) **'Yoro'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1939), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, up to 35mm wide, more-or-less pure white, unspotted. Kurume

(a) **'Yorokobi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 40mm wide, with pointed, spaced lobes, white, with occasional dark reddish sectors and a red blotch; some reddish orange selfs. Early. Satsuki

(a) **'Yorozo-no-kagami'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 75mm wide, with overlapping lobes, pale pink, with a faint green blotch and a narrow, deep pink margin. Satsuki

(a) **'Yoro-zuyo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1918), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 30mm wide, with a long tube, white, with a greenish base; anthers pure white. Syn: 'Purity'; Wilson no. 4. Kurume

(a) **'Yoshimi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki' R: Mrs T. Ogawa (pre 1987), N: Mrs T. Ogawa Fls 90mm wide, with rounded, overlapping lobes, white, with a deep yellowish pink border. Satsuki

(a) **'Yoshimi-gatake'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls small, bright rose madder, with a large, ragged calyx (1958 Register); Galle (1987) lists a later importation to USA from Kurume with fls c33mm wide, deep purplish pink at edges, white in throat, without a blotch; this may be a different plant. Kurume

(a) **'Yoshimitsu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, with overlapping lobes, white, with a green blotch. Satsuki

(a) **'Yoshino'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown H: J.J. Chisolm (1934), N: E.A. Merritt, I: E.A. Merritt (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark coppery red. Kurume

(a) **'Yoshinogawa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c50mm wide, cherry blossom pink, with a few red and light red streaks. Satsuki

(a) **'Yoshino-murasaki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c60mm wide, purple. Satsuki

(a) **'Yoshino-no-haru'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Yoshinoyama'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c60mm wide, pink, with white margins. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Yosoi'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 50-75mm wide, with rounded lobes, white, with deep pink margins; variable, some only blotched pink. Satsuki

(r) **'You Beaut'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Marion' × 'Van Nes Sensation' H: V.J. Boulter, G: V.J. Boulter (1962), N: V.J. Boulter, I: V.J. Boulter (1971), REG: V.J. Boulter (1971) Fls 14-15/truss, strong purplish pink (62A) in bud, opening to light purplish pink (62C). Lvs 138 × 50mm, deep green. Shrub to 1.2m

(r) **'You Betcha!'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ronald Otto Delp' (s) × (*brachycarpum* × 'Crest') × 'Delp's Cindy Lou' R: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls moderate red (179A, B), moderate reddish orange (179C) and pale greenish yellow (1D) in bud, opening pale greenish yellow (1D) with a light greenish yellow (1C) throat and strong yellow-green (144A) dorsal spots. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Young Chamberlain'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: Lady Chamberlain Group (s) × *yunnanense* H: D.B. Fox (1964), G: D.B. Fox (1970), I: D.B. Fox (1983), REG: D.B. Fox (1983) Fls 7-9/pendent truss, 68 × 74mm, 5-lobed, white, lightly suffused deep and moderate purplish pink (66C & D), with slight brown spotting; stigma green; anthers brown. Lvs elliptic, 85 × 26mm, hairless

(a) **'Youngii'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *mucronatum* R: Young (pre 1841), N: Young, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Youngii Darck'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Trillon (1843), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Young Seidal'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale purple, with black spots

(r) **'Your Majesty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Disca' (s) × 'Lee's Dark Purple' H: B. & M. Shapiro (1965), G: B. & M. Shapiro, N: B. & M. Shapiro, REG: B. & M. Shapiro (1993) Fls 9-11/lax, domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 70 × 102mm, 7-lobed, strong purplish red (63B) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (65C) with a red dorsal throat and freckled flare; moderately scented. Calyx c1mm long, light green. Lvs oblong, 127 × 51mm, flat, broadly acute at apex, cordate at base, hairless. Shrub 1.8 × 2.4 after 25 years. Early June. Syn: 'Her Majesty'

(r) **'Yours Truly'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* × Lady Bessborough Group (s) × 'Ken Janeck' H: A.W. Smith, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, strong and vivid purplish red (67A, B) and deep and strong purplish pink (67C, D) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (65D) with strong greenish yellow (151A) dorsal spots; filaments and style strong purplish pink (67D). Lvs with an indumentum. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer (1986))

(a) **'Youth'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *mucronatum* × 'Vittatum' (s) × 'Kagetsu' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 50mm wide, liseran purple (light purple (78C)), with a very little spotting in blotch area. Shrub to 1.5m. Late May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Youthful Sin'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* × *yunnanense* R: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway (1960), I: Lord Aberconway & The National Trust (1960), REG: Lord Aberconway & The National Trust (1961) Fls up to 6/truss, campanulate, rhodamine purple (29/2); stamens similarly coloured, hairy at base. Calyx rim-like. Pedicels scaly. AM 1960

(r) **'Yoyance'** (See note under Joyance Group)

(r) **'Yo-yo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: W.E. Whitney (1967), G: W.E. Whitney, N: G. & Mrs A. Sather, I: G. & Mrs A. Sather, REG: G. & Mrs A. Sather (1976) Fls up to 8/flat truss, oblique campanulate, 40 × 30mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, dark red (187B) in bud, opening strong red (53B), with dark red (187A) spotting on about upper two thirds of corolla. Lvs narrowly obovate, 65 × 30mm, obtuse at apex, cuneate at base, moderate yellow-green (137C) above, hairless. Shrub 0.25 × 0.4m in c7 years. Mid April

(a) **'Yozakura'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1929), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50mm wide, rose purple. Kurume (This may be an error for the Satsuki azalea)

(a) **'Yozakura'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan Fls 75mm wide, with rounded, spaced lobes, reddish purple, with a darker blotch. Satsuki

(a) **'Yubae'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* R: Japan (pre 1976), N: Japan Fls small, pink

(r) **Yucaba Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *cinnabarinum* (s) × Yunncinn Group H: Lord Aberconway (1936), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1946), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls plum

(r) **'Yucondus'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *R.* × *erythrocalyx*, raised from seed of Forrest 21741 R: S.R. Clarke, I: R.N. Stephenson Clarke, REG: R.N. Stephenson Clarke (1979) Fls 1-3/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, up to 38 × 55mm, 5-lobed, more-or-less deep purplish pink (55A) in bud, fading on opening to more-or-less white, variably stained and suffused pale purplish pink (55D); base of each lobe blushed strong red (53B). Calyx lobes up to 30mm long, red, fringed with red, glandular hairs. Lvs elliptic, dark green above, glaucous below. AM 1979

(a) **'Yufu-zakura'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* L: Miyami-en Nursery (1976) Fls 20mm wide, strong to moderate purplish red, with a red style

(a) **'Yuge's Geisha'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Miss Cottage Garden' × un-named, double azalea ("Kaho type") R: Yuge Bros, N: Yuge Bros, REG: Yuge Bros (1964) Fls double, 2-5/truss, 50 × 90-100mm, with 6 outer lobes and 9-10 inner lobes, wavy-edged, crimson; stamens 0-few; ovary normal. Lvs elliptic, 45-50 × 13-17mm, slightly mucronate

(a) **'Yugetsu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Aikoku' R: Japan (pre 1984), N: Japan Fls 65-75mm wide, with rounded lobes, white, usually with deep purplish pink margins but variable: from white, to stripes and blotches of pink. Satsuki

(a) **'Yugi Chimes'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1987) Fls double, dark red. Indian

(a) **'Yugiri'** (Syn. of 'Koshoku')

(a) **'Yugiri'** (Syn. of 'Gumpo Pink')

(a) **'Yugure'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1939), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, lilac pink. Late. Kurume

(a) **'Yuho'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Gumpo' R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, mottled tea-coloured white, edged purple, spotted white, lined reddish purple (1958 Register); fls 65-75mm wide, with overlapping, wavy-edged lobes, deep pink to slight white margin, with a heavily spotted deep pink blotch; occasional white sectors (Galle, 1987). Satsuki

(a) **'Yuka'** cv. Evergreen azalea: Gumpo selection derived from *indicum*, *kaempferi* and *eriocarpum* R: Japan, N: Mrs J.W. Hill, REG: Mrs J.W. Hill (1967) Fls single, 1-2/truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 75 × 90mm, with 5-6 wavy-edged lobes, mostly white, occasionally flushed strong pink (52D), blotched or streaked strong red, or all red, with a faint chartreuse blotch. Calyx 7mm long, light green, white hairy. Lvs elliptic, 35 × 18mm, deep green, glossy, slightly white or reddish hairy. Shrub 0.4 × 0.8m in 10 years. Late June

(a) **'Yukata-yama'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Yuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Mitsuki' G: Higashi Nursery, S: Higashi Nursery (c 1990), N: Higashi Nursery, I: Higashi Nursery, REG: Higashi Nursery (1996) Fls 2-3/flat truss, open funnel-shaped, 40 × 65mm, with 5 flat-edged lobes, white, with greenish yellow dorsal spotting. Calyx 6mm long, light green. Lvs elliptic, 30 × 15mm, margins upcurved, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, dull green, hairy (hairs light green, ageing to darker green). Shrub 0.35 × 0.35m in 5 years. Mid April

(a) **'Yukiguruma'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Hana-guruma' R: Japan (pre 1997), N: Japan Fls white, with very deep, narrow lobes

(r) **'Yukihigyoku'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1986), N: Japan

(a) **'Yukihira'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c30mm wide, white. Satsuki

(a) **'Yuki-kurenai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, crimson, with flag-like appendages to the stamens, resembling snowflakes. Foliage dense, red in autumn. Satsuki

(a) **'Yuki-no-akebono'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, white, striped and sanded deep purple. Satsuki

(a) **'Yuki-no-myojo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1984), N: Japan Fls 40-50mm wide, with pointed lobes, pale yellowish white, with flakes of light to strong purple. Satsuki

(a) **'Yukishiro'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Yukon'** (Syn. of 'Greenwood Yukon')

(r) **'Yukon'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *minus* Carolinianum Group (white-fld) (s) × *dauricum* (white-fld) H: D.G. Leach (1968), G: D.G. Leach, N: D.G. Leach, I: D.G. Leach (1978), REG: D.G. Leach (1983) Fls 3/truss (usually several trusses together), open funnel-shaped, more-or-less 40 × 40mm, 5-lobed, white, edges faintly flushed pale purplish pink (65D), ageing to white. Calyx minute, yellowish green. Leaves elliptic, 45 × 22mm, near moderate olive green (146A), with dense, tan-coloured scales below. Shrub c1.9m in 13 years

(a) **'Yukumo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown (pre 1965) Fls double, old rose. Low habit. Kurume

(a) **'Yulda Schipp'** (See note under 'Julda Schipp')

(a) **'Yuletide'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Bobbink & Atkins (c 1930), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single or semi-double, hose-in-hose, strong purplish red (64A). Indian

(a) **'Yuletide'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Madame Charles Vuylsteke' × 'Miss Cottage Garden' R: H. Kerrigan (pre 1987), N: H. Kerrigan Fls vivid red. Early

(a) **'Yume'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Matsunami' × 'Tamaori-hime' R: Japan (pre 1938), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 50-65mm wide, with rounded lobes, white, variably striped, sectored and with selfs of deep yellowish pink and vivid reddish orange; some with white margins

(a) **'Yume-dona'** cv. Evergreen azalea: derived from *R.* × *transiens* (syn. *R. tectum*) R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan (Listed as a parent of 'Jeff Garrett'. Raised on Hirado Island, Japan)

(a) **'Yum Yum'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Brillanta Belgica' × 'Madame Pericat' R: D. Lewis (pre 1987), N: D. Lewis Fls semi-double, hose-in-hose, 65-90mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, vivid pink, shading to white centre, with pink dots and a narrow, red margin

(r) **'Yum Yum'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: selection from *tsariense*, grown from seed of Ludlow & Sherriff 2858 R: Mrs R.M. Harrison, N: Mrs R.M. Harrison, REG: Mrs R.M. Harrison (1964) Fls 3-4/truss, 30 × 45mm, white, flushed phlox pink (625/1), with carmine (21/1) buds. Calyx small. Pedicels 7mm long, stained red. Lvs 40 × 20mm, with persistent, cinnamon brown indumentum below. AM 1964

(a) **'Yung Gui Fei'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: China (pre 1987), N: China Fls single, edged rose red

(r) **Yunncinn Group** gp Lepidote rhododendron: *yunnanense* (s) × *cinnabarinum* R: E.J.P. Magor (1916), N: E.J.P. Magor, I: E.J.P. Magor (1924), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls violet rose, darker on outside, reddish brown inside

(r) **'Yuppie Power'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Weldy' (s) × 'Robert Weldon' R: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls light greenish yellow (4B, C) and pale yellow-green (4D) in bud, opening pale yellow-green (4D) with a light greenish yellow (4B) throat and strong yellow-green (144B) dorsal spots; filaments light yellow-green (145D); style strong yellow-green (144C); anthers greyish red (182B); stigma strong yellow-green

(144A). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(v) **'Yuri Orlov'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *zoelleri* × *macgregoriae* × *zoelleri* R: P. Sullivan (pre 1983), N: P. Sullivan Fls yellow, edged pink

(a) **'Yusei'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1975), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Yushigure'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan (Listed as a parent of 'Chikyuho')

(a) **'Yuso'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c50mm wide, deep purple. Satsuki

(a) **'Yuta'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1987), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Yuugiri'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* L: Miyami-en Nursery (1976) Fls strong reddish purple, with a lighter centre; style red

(a) **'Yuwai-no-tsuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan. Satsuki

(a) **'Yuzuki'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* L: Miyami-en Nursery (1976) Fls 20mm wide, deep purplish pink

(a) **'Yvonne'** (Syn. of 'De Coninck's Favorite')

(a) **'Yvonne'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Luci' R: R. Mulder (1987), N: R. Mulder Fls strong pink (48C)

(r) **Yvonne Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Aurora Group × *griffithianum* R: L. de Rothschild (pre 1925), N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls range from white to rose pink

(r) **'Yvonne'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Croux (pre 1949), N: Croux, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls in large trusses, corolla wide open, purplish rose. Late

(a) **'Yvonne Blommaert'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: J. de Kneef (pre 1914), N: J. de Kneef, INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Yvonne Davies'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Midnight' × 'Coronation Day' H: K. van der Ven, G: K. van der Ven, N: K. van der Ven, I: K. van der Ven, REG: K. van der Ven (1980) Fls 17/truss, white, striped light purplish pink (55C) on outside, with a dark red centre. (Originally attributed in error to Mrs M. Davies)

(r) **'Yvonne Dawn'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Aurora Group × *griffithianum* R: L. de Rothschild (pre 1925), N: E. de Rothschild (pre 1979) Fls very large, fleshy, flesh pink, fading almost to white with age. April-May. (Yvonne Group)

(r) **'Yvonne Delehelle'** cv. Parentage unknown R: Croux & Fils (pre 1928), N: Croux & Fils, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pure white, edged lilac, with a yellow blotch

(r) **'Yvonne Opaline'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Aurora Group × *griffithianum* R: L. de Rothschild (pre 1925), N: L. de Rothschild, I: L. de Rothschild (pre 1931), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 11/truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 100mm wide, deep pink in bud, opening ivory white with a pink flush inside and out. Calyx green, shallowly lobed. Lvs 150 × 75mm. Shrub 2.0m in 10 years. AM 1931 Syn: 'Opaline' (Yvonne Group)

(r) **'Yvonne Pearl'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Aurora Group × *griffithianum* R: L. de Rothschild (pre 1925), N: L. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pale pink. Syn: 'Pearl' (Yvonne Group)

(r) **'Yvonne Pride'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Aurora Group × *griffithianum* R: L. de Rothschild (pre 1925), I: E. de Rothschild, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls c16/dome-shaped truss, funnel-shaped, 80 × 125mm, pale pink ageing to almost white. Lvs elliptic, c175mm long, dark green above. AM 1948 Syn: 'Pride' (Yvonne Group)

(r) **'Yvonne Scott'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *dalhousiae* × *nuttallii* × *lindleyi*? L: M. Jury (1998) Fls very large, white, with a green throat; strongly scented. Lvs bullate. Shrub to 2.0m, with peeling bark. Midseason

(r) **'Zahradnik'** (Syn. of 'Oekonomierat Stoll')

(a) **'Zai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, red, with narrow, twisted lobes. Satsuki

(a) **'Zai'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red, with numerous, more-or-less reflexed, strap-like 'petals'. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Zaigyo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, wisteria purple, with long, narrow, recurved lobes. Lvs large. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Zaira'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: K. Müssig (pre 1996), N: K. Müssig, REG: ICRA (1996) Fls 2-5/truss, double, with a central mass of shorter lobes, all lobes very wavy-edged, bright purplish pink. Lvs very dark green

(r) **'Zaleutinii'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: *augustinii* (s) × *zaleucum* I: G.H. Johnstone (1952), INC: ICRA (1958)

(a) **'Zampa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: Schulz (1884), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, double, aniline violet. Indian (The 1958 Register gives a further description: fls single, 65mm wide, violet red (moderate purplish pink (62B), similar to 'Carmen' but lower growing and more open. This has also been attributed to the Kaempferi Hybrid 'Zampa'; perhaps a third azalea is involved)

(a) **'Zampa'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Vuyk van Nes, I: C.B. van Nes & Sons (1922), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls light orange. Kaempferi (See note under 'Zampa' (Indian))

(r) **'Zampa'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C. Noble (pre 1860), N: C. Noble, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep lake, with a violet tinge, a fiery centre and brown blotches. Hardy Hybrid

(r) **'Zampa Group'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: Daphne Group (s) × F.C. Puddle Group H: Lord Aberconway (1931), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(a) **'Zangetsu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pinkish crimson, with a white throat. Indian

(r) **'Zanna'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *dichroanthum* (s) × *catawbiense* (as "var. *compactum*") H: M. Haworth-Booth, G: M. Haworth-Booth (1958), N: M. Haworth-Booth, REG: M. Haworth-Booth (1961) Fls vermilion (18/2). Lvs intermediate between parents. Shrub of low, dense, compact habit. (The *catawbiense* parent is probably that also listed as 'Catawbiense Compactum')

(r) **'Zanonii'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1867), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls crimson lake, with darker midveins, spotted

(a) **'Zanshu-un'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: Japan (pre 1976), N: Japan (Raised on Hirado Island, Japan)

(a) **'Zanzibar'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Waterer (Knap Hill), N: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1959), REG: Waterer (Knap Hill) (1962) Fls vivid yellow, splashed yellow-pink. Midseason-late. Knap Hill

(r) **'Zanzibar'** (Syn. of 'Dexter's Zanzibar')

(r) **Zarie Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *catacosmum* (s) × *meddianum* H: J.B. Stevenson (1939), G: J.B. Stevenson, N: J.B. Stevenson, I: J.B. Stevenson (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls red

(r) **'Zauberflöte'** (Syn. of 'Heinje's Zauberflöte')

(a) **'Zdena'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: B. Kavka (c 1939), N: B. Kavka, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 4-8/flat to flat globose truss, 55mm wide, buds reddish above (018-018/1), green (061) below, opening light vermilion (18/2-18/3), centre of lobes almost whitish; conspicuous blotch of ochre yellow (07-07/1). Lvs more-or-less ovate, 57 × 24mm, dull green (0960/2-0960/1). Shrub c1.4m

(r) **'Zealander'** cv. Parentage unknown L: J. Standish (1870), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush, with reddish brown spots

(a) **'Zealot'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' × 'Willy' (s) × 'Mrs Carmichael' × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, 50mm wide, tyrian pink (strong purplish red (71D)), with a heavy tyrian rose (vivid purplish red (57B)) blotch. Shrub to 1.2m. Mid May. Glenn Dale

(a) **'Zebra'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Paul Schäme' × 'Tempérance' I: C.J. Wille & Co. (1933), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls semi-double, orange, with white stripes. Very early. Indian

(a) **'Zeelandia'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown R: Koster & Co. (pre 1939), N: Koster & Co., INC: ICRA (1958) Fls salmon orange. Mollis

(r) **'Zeelandia'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *fortunei* hybrid R: M. Koster & Sons (pre 1928), N: M. Koster & Sons, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls flesh pink

(a) **'Zeke'** cv. Deciduous azalea: selection from *sanctum*, raised from seed of BIF 67-009 G: Mrs J.W. Hill (1980), N: Mrs J.W. Hill, REG: Mrs J.W. Hill (1991) Fls single, 3/truss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 45mm, 5-lobed, strong purplish red (54A) with a deep red (53A) dorsal blotch; filaments red, anthers yellowish; slightly scented. Calyx 1mm long, white. Pedicels 10mm long, rose red, covered with thick, short hairs. Lvs broadly ovate, 65 × 50mm, cuspidate at apex, rounded at base, with wavy edges, moderate olive green (146A) and glossy above, with scattered, thin, tan hairs and moderate yellow-green (147B) below, with hairs at base of midrib; petioles 6mm long, reddish, hairy. Shrub 1.2 × 1.5m in 23 years. Mid June-early July. (Collected in the wild by D.G. Leach & S. Hirao)

(a) **'Zeke's Pride'** cv. Evergreen azalea: probably *simsii* × *indicum* R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 2-3/truss (often grouped together), 70mm wide, geranium pink, shaded rose dorée, with a showy tyrian rose blotch; stamens 10. Indian

(r) **'Zelanicum Hybridum'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Knight & Perry (c 1850), INC: ICRA (1958)

(r) **'Zelanka'** (See note under 'Zelenka')

(r) **'Zelenka'** cv. Parentage unknown L: W.H. Rogers & Son (1942), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls shell pink, tipped a darker shade. ('Zelanka' is given as an alternative spelling in the 1958 Register, and 'Zeleuka' is also recorded)

(r) **'Zeleuka'** (See note under 'Zelenka')

(a) **'Zelia'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown L: C. van Geert (1890), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls pinkish straw-coloured, with a golden yellow blotch. Ghent

(r) **'Zelia Plumecocq'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Rosy Morn' × 'Crest' H: E. de Rothschild, G: E. de Rothschild (1962), N: E. de Rothschild (1962), I: E. de Rothschild (1962), REG: E. de Rothschild (1967) Fls 10/truss, open saucer-shaped, 50 × 70mm, 7-lobed, pale greenish yellow (2D), tinged deep pink (48B) in bud. Lvs elliptic, 140 × 50mm, hairless. May. (Zelia Plumecocq Group)

(r) **Zelia Plumecocq Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Rosy Morn' × 'Crest' R: E. de Rothschild, N: E. de Rothschild (1962), I: E. de Rothschild (1962)

(r) **'Zella'** cv. Parentage unknown R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, I: C. Ingram (1964), REG: C. Ingram (1964) Fls in a compact truss, large, pale shell pink at first, fading with age. PC 1964 (Possibly a Loderi Group hybrid)

(r) **'Zellindo'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Lindsay Smith' × 'Muy Lindo' R: C. Ingram, N: C. Ingram, REG: C. Ingram (1971)

(a) **'Zeneta'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: E. de Rothschild, G: E. de Rothschild (1970s), N: E. de Rothschild (1989), I: Exbury Enterprises (1989), REG: E. de Rothschild (1989) Fls tubular funnel-shaped, 45 × 65mm, 5-lobed, strong reddish orange (31B) with a vivid orange-yellow (23A) flush on the dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 70 × 30mm. Shrub 1.5-1.9 × 1.2-1.5m

(a) **'Zenkyo'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: Ito (1692), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, c20mm wide, very deep purple. Tsutsuji

(a) **'Zenobia'** cv. Parentage unknown L: A. van Geert (1855), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls orange and crimson. Indian

(r) **'Zenobia'** cv. Parentage unknown L: C. Noble (1862), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls purplish lake, with brown spots

(r) **Zenobia Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: Eros Group (s) × 'Arthur Osborn' H: Lord Aberconway (1930), G: Lord Aberconway, N: Lord Aberconway, I: Lord Aberconway (1941), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls deep red

(a) **'Zephyr'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown I: A. Steyaert (1935), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 100mm wide, light orange. Indian

(a) **'Zephyr'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' × 'Willy' (s) × 'Mrs Carmichael' × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 1-3/truss, 70-75mm wide, white, with variable flaking of light mallow purple (light reddish purple (74C)) and with some sanding. Shrub to 1.5m. Mid-late May. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Zephyr'** cv. Parentage unknown R: unknown, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls bright rosy red

(a) **'Zerline'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: F. Schneider (1863), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Zero'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Hinodegiri' × *mucronatum* H: Deerfield Nurseries (pre 1941), G: Deerfield Nurseries, N: Deerfield Nurseries, I: Deerfield Nurseries (1950), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 40mm wide, white. Kurume

(r) **'Zest'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter (pre 1943), G: Mrs H. Ross Fls star-shaped, pale lavender, with a dark greenish blotch in the throat. Syn: 'Ross ZZ'

(r) **'Zesty'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Besse Howells' (s) × 'China Boy' R: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, deep, strong and vivid purplish red (61A-C) in bud, opening strong and vivid purplish red (67A, B), deep and pale purplish pink (67C, 65D), with dark red (59A) dorsal spots; anthers moderate orange-yellow (167D). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Zetsurin'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kyokko-nishiki' × 'Madame Moreux' R: Japan (pre 1939), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958). Satsuki (Listed as a parent of 'Shinnyo-no-tsuki')

(a) **'Ziegelrot'** (Syn. of 'Frau Ursula Herrmann')

(r) **'Zigeunerin'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Louis Pasteur' (s) × 'Goldsworth Orange' R: H. Robenek (c 1975), N: H. Robenek Fls in a dense, rounded truss, large, white with yellow markings inside and red margins, outside red. Shrub 1.2 × 1.4m

(a) **'Zigty'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown L: A. Verschaffelt (1847), INC: ICRA (1958). Indian

(a) **'Zig Zag'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Addy Wery' × 'Salmon Elf' H: W.L. Guttormsen (1964), G: W.L. Guttormsen (1967), N: W.L. Guttormsen, I: W.L. Guttormsen (1970), REG: W.L. Guttormsen (1979) Fls hose-in-hose, broadly funnel-shaped, 40mm wide, with 5+5 flat-edged lobes, deep pink (52B). Calyx 35mm long, coloured as corolla. Lvs elliptic to narrowly obovate, 25 × 15mm, glossy and moderate yellow-green (137C) above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.5m in 13 years. Late April-early May

(r) **'Zig Zag'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *decorum* × *griffithianum* × un-named hardy red seedling H: J.B. Gable (pre 1972) Fls pale lavender

(a) **'Zingari'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Lilacinum' (s) × 'Willy' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1947), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 2-4/truss, 50mm wide, paler than rose dorée (deep yellowish pink (43C)) with a small, but definite blotch of rose red (vivid red (52A)). Lvs tending to be semi-deciduous. Shrub to 1.9m. Late April. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Zippety'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Sefton' (s) × 'Sefton' R: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls with very wavy-edged lobes, dark red (59A), deep purplish red (59B) and vivid purplish red (57C) in bud, opening strong purplish red (60B-D) with a white flare and dark red (187A) spots on three dorsal lobes; filaments and style vivid purplish red (57D); anthers pale yellow (158B); stigma dark red (187A). (Published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **'Zip Tip'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *smirnowii* × *bureavii* (s) × 'Bob As' H: A.W. Smith, G: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls dark red (187A) and strong purplish red (63A) in bud,

opening very pale purple (69D), edged strong purplish red (72A) and strong reddish purple (72B), with strong greenish yellow (151A) dorsal spots. (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(a) **'Zitha'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: O. Stahnke & E. Dettmer (pre 1984), N: O. Stahnke & E. Dettmer Fls semi-double, red

(r) **'Zitronenfalter'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Catawbiense Grandiflorum' × *wardii* hybrid (s) × 'Crest' R: W. Nagel (1971), N: W. Nagel (1985) Fls pure yellow, with reddish brown markings

(a) **'Zodiac'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Shiryu-no-homare' (s) × un-named seedling (HS 81-17) R: R.C. Vines, N: R.C. Vines, REG: R.C. Vines (1997) Fls single, 100-115mm wide, with wavy-edged lobes, white, flushed green, with moderate red to coral pink sanding; occasional white selfs. Late May. (First published in Holly Springs cat., 1990)

(a) **'Zoe'** cv. Evergreen azalea: parentage unknown R: K. Glaser (pre 1997), N: K. Glaser

(v) **'Zoe Elloise'** cv. Lepidote rhododendron: 'Doctor Herman Sleumer' × *zoelleri* (Michael Black's form) H: B. Clancy (1980), G: B. Clancy (1986), N: B. Clancy (1991), REG: B. Clancy (1992) Fls 6-13/flattruss, tubular funnel-shaped, 50 × 100mm, 5-6-lobed, inside moderate reddish orange (41C) merging into the star-shaped throat of light greenish yellow (4B), outside light greenish yellow (5D). Lvs lanceolate, 110 × 50mm, flat, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 0.6 × 0.3m in 3 years. February-May (Australia)

(r) **'Zoë Graves'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: parentage unknown H: C.O. Dexter, G: Winterthur Museum and Gardens, N: Winterthur Museum and Gardens, I: Winterthur Museum and Gardens, REG: Winterthur Museum and Gardens (1987) Fls 10/domed truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 50 × 80mm, with 7 wavy-edged lobes, light purple (75B), suffused deep purplish pink (67C) at edges, outside deep purplish pink (67C); blotch dark red (187A). Calyx 2mm long, green. Lvs elliptic, 110 × 55mm, convex, mucronate at apex, rounded at base, dull green above, hairless. Shrub 3.0 × 1.8m in 25 years. Early-mid May. Syn: 'Winterthur 30'

(r) **'Zoom Bloom'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Goody Goody' × 'Si Si' (s) × 'Harvest Moon' × 'Ice Cube' R: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls large, with very wavy-edged lobes, moderate purplish red (186A) and moderate purplish pink (186D) in bud, opening pale purplish pink (65D) and white, fading to white, with a light greenish yellow (3C) flare and strong yellow-green (144A) dorsal spots; filaments very pale purple (69D); style deep pink (47D); anthers deep pink (185D); stigma moderate red (47A). (First published in *Delp Hybrids Now Located*, Salley (1995))

(r) **'Zoot Suit'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Ostbo's Yellow' (s) × 'Bristol Cream' R: W.E. Delp, N: Mrs V. Delp, REG: ICRA (2000) Fls strong red (51A), deep and moderate pink (51B-D) and brilliant, light and pale greenish yellow (1A, C, D) in bud, opening with a star-shaped centre of pale yellow-green (4D), edged deep and moderate pink (51B-D), with a brilliant greenish yellow (1A, B) throat and greyish reddish orange (176C) spots on the three dorsal lobes; filaments pale greenish yellow (1D); style strong yellow-green (145A); anthers greyish reddish orange (174B); stigma moderate red (179B). (First published in *Rhododendron Hybrids*, Salley & Greer, second edn (1992))

(r) **Zora Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: *souliei* (s) × *wardii* var. *puralbum* H: J.B. Stevenson (1934), G: J.B. Stevenson, N: J.B. Stevenson, I: J.B. Stevenson (1951), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls white

(r) **'Zorba'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Frango' × 'Tracigo' H: D.W. Goheen (1973), G: D.W. Goheen (1982), N: D.W. Goheen, I: D.W. Goheen & L.W. Bulgin (1984), REG: D.W. Goheen (1989) Fls 10-12/lax truss, broadly funnel-campanulate, 51 × 64mm, with 5 wavy to very wavy-edged lobes, vivid red (52A) in bud, opening deep pink (52B) outside and pale purplish pink (56A) with crimson dorsal spots inside. Calyx minute, deep pink (52B). Lvs obovate, 64-76 × 25-32mm, flat, apiculate at apex, cuneate at base, dull green above, with sparse tan hairs on veins below. Shrub 0.9 × 1.5m in 15 years. Mid April

(r) **'Zugspitze'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *wardii* var. *puralbum* × *yakushimanum* 'Hanano-ego' R: H. Robenek (c 1975), N: H. Robenek Fls campanulate, pure white, with slight rose spotting. New growth brownish red. Shrub 0.5 × 0.8m

(r) **'Zuidersee'** (Syn. of 'Zuiderzee')

(r) **'Zuiderzee'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Lindsay Smith' (s) × *campylocarpum* R: M. Koster & Sons, N: M. Koster & Sons, I: M. Koster & Sons (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls 14-16/compact truss, open campanulate, 80-90mm wide, creamy yellow, with reddish spots (fading to green) on dorsal lobes. Calyx lobes 3.0 × 3.5mm long, edged red. Lvs 100-120 × 50-60mm, reddish brown below. Shrub to 2.0m. *AM 1936 Syn: 'Zuyder Zee', 'Zuidersee' (Zuiderzee Group)

(r) **Zuiderzee Group** gp Elepidote rhododendron: 'Mrs Lindsay Smith' (s) × *campylocarpum* hybrid R: M. Koster & Sons, N: M. Koster & Sons, I: M. Koster & Sons (1936), INC: ICRA (1958) Syn: Zuyder Zee Group

(a) **'Zuigetsu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kagetsu' × 'Kasei' R: Japan (pre 1979), N: Japan Fls 65mm wide, with rounded lobes, white, with long and short, vivid red stripes. Satsuki

(a) **'Zuiko'** cv. Evergreen azalea: selection from *kiusianum* L: Kyoma Yokata Nursery (1976) Fls 25mm wide, vivid red (52A)

(a) **'Zuio'** cv. Evergreen azalea: sport from 'Shyozuki' R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, white, with thin, wavy, reddish purple stripes (1958 Register); fls 50-65mm wide, with rounded, wavy, overlapping lobes, white, with occasional deep purplish pink stripes and light yellowish green dots in the blotch (Galle, 1987). Satsuki

(a) **'Zuisetsu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: 'Kyokko-nishiki' (s) × 'Chitose-nishiki' R: Japan (pre 1955), N: Japan, INC: ICRA (1958) Fls large, with wavy-edged lobes, whitish gold, spotted and sanded purple. Satsuki

(r) **'Zuleika'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Standish & Noble (1850), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls blush or delicate rose. Syn: 'Zuleka'

(r) **'Zuleka'** (Syn. of 'Zuleika')

(a) **'Zulu'** cv. Evergreen azalea: *yedoense* var. *poukhanense* (s) × 'Modèle' R: B.Y. Morrison, N: B.Y. Morrison, I: USDA (1948), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls single, 2-3/truss, 75-90mm wide, mallow purple (strong reddish purple (72C)), with a showy blotch of distinct, purple dots - between aster purple (deep purplish red (71A)) and amaranth purple (deep purplish red (61A)). Shrub to 1.5m, partially deciduous. Late April. Glenn Dale

(r) **'Zuyder Zee'** (Syn. of 'Zuiderzee')

(r) **Zuyder Zee Group** (Syn. of Zuiderzee Group)

(r) **'Zu-Zu'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Hotei' (s) × 'Morna Belle' H: M. Stockman (1989), G: M. & H. Stockman (1996), N: H. Stockman (1996), REG: M. & H. Stockman (1997) Fls 13-16/ball truss, broadly funnel-shaped, 65 × 90mm, with 5 very wavy-edged lobes, close to pale orange-yellow (165D) in bud, opening white with a light yellow (162C) dorsal blotch. Calyx c3mm long, yellow. Lvs elliptic to ovate, 130 × 50mm, slightly wavy-edged, acute at apex, rounded at base, hairless. Shrub 0.9 × 0.9m in 7 years. Early May

(r) **'Zwerg'** cv. Parentage unknown L: Firma Seidel (1894), INC: ICRA (1958) Fls dark scarlet red

(a) **'Zyrnisa'** cv. Deciduous azalea: parentage unknown H: C. de la Sablière (1972), G: C. de la Sablière, N: Nicoland (1996), I: Nicoland (1997), REG: Société Bretonne du Rhododendron (1997) Fls 7-9/domed truss, funnel-shaped, 50 × 50mm, with 5 wavy-edged lobes, vivid reddish orange (33B) in bud, opening vivid reddish orange (33B) inside, strong yellowish pink (33C) outside; orange spots on dorsal lobe. Lvs elliptic, 80-90 × 30-35mm, margins wavy-edged, broadly acute at apex, cuneate at base, matt green above, hairless. Shrub 3.0 × 3.0m in 25 years. September-October. (Flowering at the same time as the autumn colour in its foliage)

(r) **'Zyuni-hitoe'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: *yakushimanum* 'Koichiro Wada' (s) × *hyperythrum* H: S. Saito (1987), G: S. Saito (1993), N: S. Saito (1999), REG: S. Saito (1999) Fls hose-in-hose, 10-15/low domed truss, open campanulate, 40 × 70-75mm, with 5+5 smooth-edged lobes, light purplish pink (65B) in bud, fading on opening towards edges and eventually all white (155C), unspotted. Calyx shorter than but coloured as the corolla. Lvs oblanceolate, 75 × 45mm, flat, glossy above, with a strong orange-yellow (164B) indumentum below which ages to dark reddish orange (172B). Shrub 20 × 15cm in 7 years. Syn: 'Ho-o' (Published under the unacceptable name 'Ho-o' in *Bull.Jap.Rhodo.Soc.*, 1995)

(a) **'Zyuroku'** (Listed as a parent of 'Fuku-rokuja')

(r) **'Zyxya'** cv. Elepidote rhododendron: 'Barclayi Robert Fox' (s) × Elizabeth Group R: E.G.W.W. Harrison, N: E.G.W.W. Harrison, I: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1966), REG: E.G.W.W. Harrison (1966) Fls 5-7/truss, 50-65 × 75-100mm, blood red (820). Calyx 5mm long, 5-lobed. Lvs narrowly ovate, 100 × 45mm, hairless. April

NAMES & ADDRESSES

This list comprises the names and abbreviated addresses of all individuals, nurseries and estates mentioned in the Register & Checklist as playing a role in the development and registration of individual cultivars and Groups.

As in the main part of the Register & Checklist entries are in strict alphabetical order, based upon the spelling of the surname. Where more than one entry has the same surname the order is determined by the alphabetical order of any initials. Most names that incorporate de/De, van/Van or von/Von as separate elements within a name will be found listed under the alphabetical position of the word immediately following the de/De, van/Van or von/Von.

Names in parenthesis within an individual entry may refer either to the individual(s) running a nursery or may be drawing attention to where two individuals (usually husband and wife) are usually given in the main text together but are here given individual entries.

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Bellows Falls, Vermont, USA
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Bodnant, Colwyn Bay, Conwy, Wales
(Includes the second Lord Aberconway, 1879-1953 and the third Lord Aberconway,1913-2003; Gardeners: F.C. Puddle, C. Puddle)
Aberconway & The National Trust, Lord
Bodnant, Colwyn Bay, Conwy, Wales
(Gardener: M. Puddle)
***Acker, L. van**
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***Acker, P.B. van**
Lochristi, Belgium
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***Acker, P. van**
Lochristi, Belgium
(With L. van Acker as van Acker Bros)
***Acker, R. van**
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Fromont à Ris, Corbeil, Seine et Oise, France
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Kilmacurragh, Co. Wicklow, Ireland
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Butler, Pennsylvania, USA
Adams, K.
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Adams, N.
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Adams, S.
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Brewster, New York, USA
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Dresden, Germany
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Marietta, South Carolina, USA
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Anderson, R.L.
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Ansell, H.
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Camas, Washington, USA
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Store Milde, Norway
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Wuppertal-Ronsdorf, Germany
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Randers, Denmark
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Victoria, Australia
Australian Rhododendron Society,
Victorian Branch, Olinda, Victoria, Australia
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Tacoma, Washington, USA
Ayers, J.
Oakton, Virginia, USA
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Lunteren, The Netherlands
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***Backhus, A.W.**
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Issum, Germany
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Issum, Germany
Bagoly, L.
Strafford, Pennsylvania, USA

Bahnson, E.R.
Winston-Salem, North Carolina, USA
Bailey, H.L.
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Bailey, Mrs I.M.
Brinnon, Washington, USA
Bailey, J.
Bellevue, Washington, USA
***Bailey, J.E.**
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Baker, H.L.P.
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Baker, H.S.
Longview, Washington, USA
Baker, L.S.
Roseland, New Jersey, USA
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Rochelle Park, New Jersey, USA
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Baumschule Lorenz von Ehren,
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Beekman, J.
Sassafras, Victoria, Australia
Beese, G.
Shelton, Washington, USA
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Begg, L.
Gembrook, Victoria, Australia
Begg, S.
Glen Waverley, Victoria, Australia
Behrens, A.
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Behring, R.
St. Catharines, Ontario, Canada
***Beinecke, E.J.**
Greenwich, Connecticut, USA
***Bekaert, P.**
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Kalmthout, Belgium
Bell, A.
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Seattle, Washington, USA
Beneschoen Gardens,
Myrtle Creek, Oregon, USA
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Benjamins Nursery, Sumner, Washington, USA
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Loxley, Alabama, USA
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Rochester, Washington, USA
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Blackwell Nurseries,
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Blake, F.S.
Kallista, Victoria, Australia
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Blaney, L.T.
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Cherry Valley, New York, USA
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Boer Bros,
Export Nurseries, Boskoop, The Netherlands
Boese Fa. Klattenberg-Kulturen, G.
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Bohle, J.
Olympia, Washington, USA
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Böhlje Nursery, G.D.
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Pearl River, New York, USA
Boike, A.J.
Decatur, Alabama, USA
Bok Tower Gardens,
Lake Wales, Florida, USA
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Penzance, Cornwall, England
Boltman, R.
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Scotch Plains, New Jersey, USA
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Borchers & Sohn, Gerhard
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Bowhan Nursery, T.E.
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Fort Bragg, California, USA
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***Bracke Bros,**
Lochristi, Belgium
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Brand & Zonen B.V.,
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Arlington, Virginia, USA
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Braukmann Baumschulen, Rastede, Germany
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Lakeville, Massachusetts, USA
Brown, F.
USA
Brown, P.
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Brown, P.
Brown's Nursery, Tauranga, New Zealand
Brown, R.
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Bad Zwischenahn, nr Oldenburg, Germany
Brunton, D.
Napier, New Zealand
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Bruyne, R. de
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Buery, J.
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Bulgin, L.W.
Sherwood, Oregon, USA
Bulkyard Plants,
Boskoop, The Netherlands
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Bump, F.
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Vida, Oregon, USA
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Long Island, New York, USA
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Buyle, P.
Lochristi, Belgium
Byland Bros,
Boskoop, The Netherlands
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Ghent, Belgium
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Greenthumb Nursery, Seagrove, North Carolina, USA
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California Camellia Gardens,
San Fernando, California, USA
Cambridge Botanic Garden,
Cambridge, England
Camellia Forest Nursery,
Address unknown
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Carlson's Gardens,
(Bob & Janice Carlson), South Salem, New York, USA
Carlsson, C.
Ferny Creek, Australia
***Carlyon,**
Tregrehan, Cornwall, England
(Capt. Carlyon)
***Carlyon, E.T.R.**
Tregrehan, Cornwall, England
***Carlyon, Miss G.**
Tregrehan, Cornwall, England
***Carmichael,**
Sandringham, Norfolk, England
(Gardener to Prince of Wales (later Edward VII))
Carolina Floral Nursery,
(C.F./F.J. & J. Aichele), Mount Holly, South Carolina, USA
***Carrière, E.A.**
Paris, France
Carter, R.
Bull Valley Nursery, Aspers, Pennsylvania, USA
Carter's,
Pietermaritzburg, South Africa
***Carton, J.**
Highclere, Newbury, Berkshire, England
(Gardener to the Earl of Carnarvon)
***Cary, E.A.**
Cary Bros Nursery, Shrewsbury, Massachusetts, USA
Cary Bros Nursery,
Shrewsbury, Massachusetts, USA
Casadaban's Nurseries,
California, USA
Case, L.C.
Winchester, Massachusetts, USA
Cathie, K.
Kalorama, Victoria, Australia
Caton, L.
Briggs Nursery, Olympia, Washington, USA
Cattaneo Vivai,
Cermenate, Como, Italy
Cavalier Nursery,
Port Republic, Maryland, USA
Cavender, R.W.
Red's Rhodies, Sherwood, Oregon, USA
***Cavendish,**
England
Cecil & Molly Smith Garden,
St. Paul, Oregon, USA
Cecil Smith Committee,
Lake Oswego, Oregon, USA
***Cels, Messieurs**
Paris, France
Chaikin, R.W.
Palm Beach Gardens, Florida, USA
(Formerly of Falmouth, Massachusetts, USA)
Champernowne, E.B.
Yelverton, Devon, England
Champney's & Sons, W.T.
Address unknown
***Chandler, E.E.**
Portland, Oregon, USA
Chandler & Son, B.
Como Nurseries, The Basin, Victoria, Australia
***Chandler & Sons,**
Vauxhall, London, England
Chantry, M.
Seattle, Washington, USA
***Chappell, J.H.**
Durham, North Carolina, USA
Chappell, L.
Lebanon, Connecticut, USA
***Chappell Nursery,**
(L. Chappell), Lebanon, Connecticut, USA
Charlton, A.
Arthur Charlton & Sons, Summervale Nurseries, Tunbridge Wells, Kent, England
***Charozé,**
Angers, Maine-et-Loire, France
Cheal & Son, J.
Lowfield Nursery, Crawley, Sussex, England
Cherry, R.J.
Paradise Plants, Kulnurra, New South Wales, Australia
Cheyne, D.K.
Sherwood, Oregon, USA
Cheyne, J.
Sherwood, Oregon, USA
Chhabra, T.
Ootacamund, South India
***Chiari, G.**
Italy
(Gardener to Marquis Carlo Torrigiani)
***Childers, A.A.**
Rhodoland Nursery, Vida, Oregon, USA
***Childers, M.**
Rhodoland Nursery, Vida, Oregon, USA
***Chisolm, J.J.**
Garrett Park, Maryland, USA
Christensen, P.
Kirkland, Washington, USA
***Christie, S.F.**
Blackhills House, Morayshire, Scotland
Chugai Nursery Co.,
nr Kobe-city, Hyogo-prefecture, Japan
Church, G.
Woodleigh Nursery, New Plymouth, New Zealand

Cisney, M.E.
Camas, Washington, USA
City of Port Coquitlam,
British Columbia, Canada
Clagett, W.L.
Derwood, Maryland, USA
Clancy, B.
Bentleigh, Victoria, Australia
Clarendon Gardens,
North Carolina, USA
Clark, A.
Lower Beeding, West Sussex, England
Clark, A.J.
Wall Cottage Nursery, St. Austell, Cornwall, England
Clark, B.
USA
Clark, G.O.
Address unknown
Clark, J.W.
Whittlesford, Cambridge, England
Clark, L.M.
West Caldwell, New Jersey, USA
Clark, O.E.
Avery County, North Carolina, USA
Clark, R.W.
Olympia, Washington, USA
Clarke, A.S.
(See A. Stephenson Clarke)
Clarke, C.
Liverpool, Nova Scotia, Canada
Clarke, Mrs E.
Clarke Nurseries, Long Beach, Washington, USA
***Clarke, G.W.**
George W. Clarke Nursery, Portland, Oregon, USA
Clarke, J.
Frittenden, Kent, England
***Clarke, Mrs M.**
George W. Clarke Nursery, Portland, Oregon, USA
***Clarke, R.N.S.**
(See R.N. Stephenson Clarke)
Clarke, S.
Clarke Nurseries, Long Beach, Washington, USA
***Clarke, S.R.**
Borde Hill, West Sussex, England
(Gardener: W. Fleming)
Clarke Nurseries,
Long Beach, Washington, USA
Clausen,
Oregon, USA
Clay's Nurseries,
Langley, British Columbia, Canada
Clay & Son, Les
Langley, British Columbia, Canada
(? = Clay's Nurseries)
***Cleene Bros, De**
Address unknown
Clement, F.
Puyallup, Washington, USA
***Clerck d'Olsene,**
Address unknown
Clercq, L. de
Destelbergen, Belgium
Clercq-van Gyseghem,
Address unknown
***Clibrans Nursery,**
Altrincham, Cheshire, England
***Close, A.**
Beltsville, Maryland, USA
Clulow, D.
Formerly of Tilgates, West Sussex, England
Clyde Smith, J.
Keiraville, New South Wales, Australia
Clyne, Mrs J.S.
Highfield, Timaru, New Zealand
Clyne Castle,
nr Swansea, Wales
***Cnydt, C. de**
Afsnee, nr Ghent, Belgium
***Coates, A.**
England
Cobb, A.
Flowerwood Nursery, Loxley, Alabama, USA
Coblands Nursery,
Ightham, Sevenoaks, Kent, England
Cochran, F.D.
North Carolina State University, Raleigh, North Carolina, USA
***Cock, E. de**
Belgium
***Cock, L. de**
Merelbeke, nr Ghent, Belgium
Cocker, Mrs A.G.
James Cocker & Sons, Aberdeen, Scotland
Cockeram, E.
Florence, Oregon, USA
***Cock & Soeur, J. de**
Merelbeke, Ghent, Belgium
***Coe, C.**
Planting Fields, Oyster Bay, New York, USA
Coe, F.W.
Bethesda, Maryland, USA
***Coe, W.R.**
Planting Fields, Oyster Bay, New York, USA
(There were father and son with the same name)
Coen, T.
USA
***Coene,**
Address unknown
***Coker, Mrs A.M.**
Christchurch, New Zealand
***Coker, R.J.**
Christchurch, New Zealand
***Colbert, F.**
New South Wales, Australia
***Cole, D.J.**
Marlbank Farms, Yorktown, Virginia, USA
Coleman, E.
Cripple Creek Nursery, Hawkinsville, Georgia, USA
***Coleman, S.D.**
S.D. Coleman Nurseries, Fort Gaines, Georgia, USA

Coleman Andrews, T.
Richmond, Virginia, USA
Collier, G.
Taihape, New Zealand
Collins, E.W.
Hendersonville, North Carolina, USA
***Collumbien, Fr. J.**
Merelbeke, Ghent, Belgium
***Collyer, R.**
Address unknown
Colombel, M.
Menez-Rohou, Fouesnant, France
Colville, J.
Launceston, Cornwall, England
***Colville, N.R.**
Launceston, Cornwall, England
Colville, Mrs N.R.
Launceston, Cornwall, England
Comerford's Nursery,
Marion, Oregon, USA
Conard Pyle Nursery,
West Grove, Pennsylvania, USA
(Also seen as The Conard-Pyle Co.)
Coners, G.
Westerstede, Germany
Congreve, A.
Mount Congreve, Waterford, Ireland
***Coninck, F. de**
Flandria, Bruges, Belgium
Coninck, R. de
Flandria, Bruges, Belgium
***Coninck-Dervaes, C. de**
Maldegem, nr Bruges, Belgium
***Connelly, E.E.**
Oakland, California, USA
Connors, E.T.
Whiting, New Jersey, USA
(Formerly of Jackson, New Jersey, USA)
***Consolini, A.**
Sandwich, Massachusetts, USA
(Head gardener to C.O. Dexter)
***Conway,**
Earls Court, London, England
Cook, A.R.
Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada
Coolidge Rare Plant Gardens,
Pasadena, California, USA
Copeland, V.
Bronwood, Georgia, USA
***Coplen, M.G.**
Rock Green Nurseries, Rockville, Maryland, USA
***Coppenolle, E. van**
Merelbeke, Ghent, Belgium
Corbin, W.L.
Portland, Oregon, USA
Corcoran, J.
Monbulk, Victoria, Australia
Core, W.W.
Silvercreek, Washington, USA
***Cornelis, R.**
The Netherlands ?
***Cornell, P.B.**
Fort Bragg, California, USA
Cornelsen, B.
Clinton, Washington, USA
Cornelsen, L
Clinton, Washington, USA
***Costantini, C.**
Giardino de San Remigio, Pallanza, Lago Maggiore, Italy
Cotta, S.
Tiverton, Rhode Island, USA
***Cottage Gardens,**
Cottage Gardens, Eureka, California, USA
Cottage Gardens,
Perry, Ohio, USA
***Cowan, J.M.**
Royal Botanic Garden, Edinburgh, Scotland
Cowles, E.
Stow, Massachusetts, USA
(Wife of J.C. Cowles)
Cowles, J.C.
Stow, Massachusetts, USA
(Formely superintendent (1959-1967) of Dexter Estate, Sandwich, Massachusetts)
***Cox, E.H.M.**
Glendoick Gardens, Glencarse, Perthshire, Scotland
Cox, K.N.E.
Glendoick Gardens, Glencarse, Perthshire, Scotland
Cox, P.A.
Glendoick Gardens, Glencarse, Perthshire, Scotland
Craig, D.L.
Kentville, Nova Scotia, Canada
(Formerly head of Canada Dept. of Agriculture Research Station, Kentville)
Craig & Co., Robert
USA
Cranstoun, D.
Lawrenceville, New Jersey, USA
Craven, L.A.
Melba, ACT, Australia
***Creech, J.L.**
Hendersonville, North Carolina, USA
(Formely in charge of the USDA's Glenn Dale Station)
Cribbs,
USA
Cripple Creek Nursery,
Hawkinsville, Georgia, USA
Crober, L.G.
Niagara-on-the-Lake, Ontario, Canada
***Crosfield, J.J.**
Embley Park, Hampshire, England
***Cross, J.E.**
Environmentals Nursery, Cutchogue, New York, USA
Crouch, Mrs H.
Mt. Helen, Victoria, Australia
***Croux, G.**
Val d'Aulnay, nr. Sceaux, Seine, France

Croux Fils,
Châtenay-Malabry, Seine, France
(Also listed just as Croux)
Crown Estate Commissioners,
Windsor Great Park, Windsor, Berkshire, England
***Cruttwell, N.E.G.**
Formerly of the Lipizauga Botanical Sanctuary, Goroka, Papua New Guinea
(Latterly retired to England)
***Cruyssen, E. van der**
Gentbrugge, nr Ghent, Belgium
***Cruyssen, O. van der**
Gentbrugge, nr Ghent, Belgium
Crystalaire Naturescapes,
(J.D. Harris), Harrisville, Pennsylvania, USA
Crystal Springs Garden,
USA
(Also listed as Crystal Springs Garden Committee)
Cullinane, Mrs M.-L.
Red Beach, Orewa, New Zealand
Cullinane, M.D.
Red Beach, Orewa, New Zealand
Cummins, E.
Manchester, New Jersey, USA
(Formerly of Marlboro, New Jersey, USA)
***Cummins Garden, The**
Marlboro, New Jersey, USA
Cunic, J.M.
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, USA
***Cunningham, G.**
Liverpool, Lancashire, England
(Father and son, both G. Cunningham)
***Cunningham, J.**
Comely Bank Nursery, Edinburgh, Scotland
Currie, R.
Lynfield, Auckland, New Zealand
Curtis, Mrs W.
Sherwood, Oregon, USA
***Curtis, W.**
Sherwood, Oregon, USA
***Cutbush, H.J.**
Highgate, London, England
***Cuthbert, Messrs**
Southgate, London, England
Cuthill,
Camberwell, Victoria, Australia
Cutten, R.L.
Ferny Creek, Victoria, Australia
***Cuvelier, V.**
Address unknown
Cypress Gardens,
Winterhaven, Florida, USA
Dale, W.A.
Sidney, British Columbia, Canada
***Dalibon,**
France
***Dallière, A.**
Ledeberg, Ghent, Belgium
(Formerly at Melle,Belgium)
Dallieri, A.
Address unknown
D'Amato, Mrs J.E.
Richmond, British Columbia, Canada
***Damme, A. van**
Lochristi, Belgium
***Damme, F. van**
Belgium ?
***Damme, S. van**
Lochristi, Belgium
***Dancer,**
Address unknown
***Daniels,**
England
Danik, R.
USA
Danneil, H.-J.
Osterode am Harz, Germany
Darts, F.
Surrey, British Columbia, Canada
Dauber's Nursery,
USA
***Daubuz, J.C.**
Truro, Cornwall, England
***Dauvesse, D.**
Orléans, France
David, Frau D.
Pillnitz, Germany
***David, Mrs L.**
Narberth, Perthshire, Scotland
***Davidian, H.H.**
Royal Botanic Garden, Edinburgh, Scotland
Davidson, B.
Gatehouse-of-Fleet, Castle Douglas, Scotland
Davidson, B.
Claremont, Tasmania, Australia
Davidson's Nurseries,
Galston, New South Wales, Australia
***Davies, I.**
Brook Lane Nursery, Ormskirk, Lancashire, England
Davies, S.E.
Palmerston North, New Zealand
***Davis, J.A.**
Sumner, Washington, USA
Davis, Mrs T.
Sassafras, Victoria, Australia
Davis Jr, R.B.
Wayne, Pennsylvania, USA
***Dawson, H.S.**
Eastern Nurseries, Holleston, Massachusetts, USA
***Dawson, J.T.**
Arnold Arboretum, Boston, Massachusetts, USA
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Dean, R
Sun Ray Nursery, Agricola, Mississippi, USA
Deans, D.
Christchurch, New Zealand

***Deans, J.**
Darfield, Canterbury, New Zealand
Deans, R.G.
Darfield, Canterbury, New Zealand
Deckert, E.
Hampstead, Maryland, USA
Deen, J.
Kallista, Victoria, Australia
Deen & Sons, P. & C.
Kallista, Victoria, Australia
***Deerfield Nurseries,**
New Jersey, USA
***Deer Run Nursery,**
(R.R. & H. Huber) Salford, Pennsylvania, USA
Delaware Valley Nursery,
USA
***Delessert, F.**
Address unknown
***Delmotte, J.**
Ghent, Belgium
Delp, Mrs V.
Harrisville, Pennsylvania, USA
***Delp, W.E.**
Harrisville, Pennsylvania, USA
Delp Preservation Committee,
Great Lakes Chapter, American Rhododendron Society, Kentucky, USA
Del's Lane County Nursery,
Eugene, Oregon, USA
***Demay, H.**
Belgium ?
Dennis, J.
Doncaster, South Yorkshire, England
***Denyer,**
Uckfield, East Sussex, England
Department of Plant Science, University of Connecticut,
Storrs, Connecticut, USA
Deppiesse, M.
Montesano, Washington, USA
***Desbois, F.**
Belgium?
***Desfossé-Thuillier Fils,**
Orléans, Loiret, France
Dettmer, Frau E.
Sassenburg, Germany
***Deus,**
(J.W. Deus & Sohn), Rastede, Germany
Deutsche Rhododendron-Gesellschaft,
Bremen, Germany
***deWilde, R.**
Rhodo-Lake Nurseries, Bridgeton, New Jersey, USA
***Dexter, C.O.**
Sandwich, Massachusetts, USA
Dexter Study Group,
S.E. Chapter American Rhododendron Society, South Carolina, USA
***D'Haene, A.**
Gentbrugge, nr Ghent, Belgium
D'Haerens, M.
Belgium
***D'Hooghe, G.**
Lochristi, Ghent, Belgium
***Dicksons,**
Edinburgh, Scotland
***Dierickx-Nuytens, M.C.**
Heusden, nr Ghent, Belgium
***Digby, Lord**
Cerne Abbas, Dorchester, Dorset, England
(Gardener: Mr G. Smith)
Disney, J.
Tacoma, Washington, USA
Dixon, G.
Brooklands Nurseries, Axminster, Devon, England
Dobbs, O.O.
Eugene, Oregon, USA
***Dobson,**
Address unknown
Dodd, T.
(See Tom Dodd Nursery)
Dodd, W.
Mobile, Alabama, USA
Dodd & Dodd Inc.,
USA
***Dogwood Hills Azalea Nursery,**
(J. Rochester), USA
Domoto, T.
Haywood, California, USA
***Domoto Bros,**
Oakland, California, USA
Domschke, O.
Cölln bei Bautzen, Germany
***Don, G.**
Kensington, London, England
Donovan, I.E.M.
Pembroke, Massachusetts, USA
Dosser, D.J.
Lower Wilmot, Tasmania, Australia
(Formerly of Lockington Nursery, Warburton East, Victoria, Australia)
***Dosser, Miss L.**
Centralia, Washington, USA
***Dougall, A.M.**
Woking, Surrey, England
***Downie,**
Address unknown
Dowsna, P.
Australia
***Dowty, G.H.**
Haslemere, Surrey, England
Drake, E.F.
Olympic Peninsula, Washington, USA
Drake, Messrs Jack
Inshriach Alpine Plant Nursery, Aviemore, Inverness-shire, Scotland
Drath, H.J.
Barmstedt, Germany

Drayson, Mrs A.J.A.
Harkwood Acres Azaleas, Wimborne, Dorset, England
Drayson, R.J.R.
Harkwood Acres Azaleas, Wimborne, Dorset, England
Dreer, H.A.
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, USA
Dresden Botanic Garden,
Dresden, Germany
Drew, G.
USA
***Drewry, J.H.**
Fort Bragg, California, USA
***Driessche, P. van**
Ledeberg, Belgium
Dring, H.
British Columbia, Canada
***Druecker, J.S.**
Fort Bragg, California, USA
Dryden, Mrs K.N.
Sawbridgeworth, Hertfordshire, England
Duck, P.
Loxley, Alabama, USA
***Duizy-Fillion,**
Versailles, France
***Dumper, H.**
Roslyn Estates, New York, USA
Duncan, A.
Woodleigh Nursery, Oakura, Taranaki, New Zealand
Duncan & Davies,
New Plymouth, Taranaki, New Zealand
Duncan & Davies (UK),
Chichester, West Sussex, England
Dunedin Botanic Garden,
Dunedin, New Zealand
Dunedin Rhododendron Group,
Dunedin, New Zealand
***Dunleath, Lord**
Ballywalter Park, County Down, Northern Ireland
Dupar, E.L.
USA
***Du Pont, H.F.**
Winterthur, Delaware, USA
***Dupuy-Jamain,**
France
Dürre, F.W.
Westerstede, Linswege, Germany
Dvořák, J.
Czech Republic
***Dzurick, E.**
Bellevue, Washington, USA
Early, S.C.
Atlanta, Georgia, USA
***Eastover Nursery,**
East Northport, New York, USA
Eaton, G..
Mount Dandenong, Victoria, Australia
Eaton, Mrs L.
Mt Dandenong, Victoria, Australia
Ebbinghaus, R.
Federal Research Centre for Horticultural Plant Breeding, Ahrensburg, Germany
EBY Nursery,
Wilsonville, Oregon, USA
Edebohls, L.
Hardwick, Vermont, USA
Edwards, A.J.B.
Barnstaple, Devon, England
Edwards, C.
Edwards Nursery, Watsonville, California, USA
***Edwards, R.**
Victoria, Australia
***Eeckhaute, L.**
Ledeberg-les-Gand, Belgium
(In some sources as L. van Eeckhaute)
Efinger, W.
Brewster, New York, USA
Egan, E.K.
Woodbridge, New Haven, Connecticut, USA
***Eggebrecht, F.**
Berlin, Germany
Ehren, L. von
Baumschule Lorenz von Ehren, Hamburg, Germany
***Eichelser, J.E.**
Olympia, Washington, USA
Eisoldt, F.
Babenhausen, Germany
Eisoldt, R.
Babenhausen, Germany
Elizabeth II, Her Majesty, Queen
Buckingham Palace, London, England
***Ellanhurst Gardens,**
(L.W. Bulgin), Sherwood, Oregon, USA
Ellerbrook, N.C.
Morley Nurseries Ltd, Wymondham, Norfolk, England
***Elliott, Messrs**
Hurstpierpoint, West Sussex, England
***Elliott, C.**
Six Hills Nursery, Stevenage, Hertfordshire, England
Elliott, J.
Christchurch, New Zealand
***Elliott, J.A.**
Astoria, Oregon, USA
***Elliott, W.**
Shelton, Washington, USA
Elliott Nursery,
(J.A. Elliott), Astoria, Oregon, USA
Elliott's Wholesale Nursery Ltd,
Amberley, Canterbury, New Zealand
Ellis, D.
USA
***Elmer, G.**
Pass Christian, Mississippi, USA
Elmer, T.
Pass Christian, Mississippi, USA
***Elphinstone, Honourable A.**
Worplesdon, Surrey, England

Embley Park,
(J.J. Crosfield), Hampshire, England
Emerson, G.G.
Rock Creek, Ohio, USA
Emmerich, E.T.
Huntingdon, New York, USA
Emmerich, R.R. .
Huntingdon, New York, USA
Endsleigh Estate,
Devon, England
Endtz & Co., L. J.
Boskoop, The Netherlands
English, C.
Seattle, Washington, USA
Enjoy Rhododendrons,
Occidental, California, USA
Entsminger, H.
Sumner, Washington, USA
Entsminger, L.E.
Snohomish, Washington, USA
***Epps,**
Address unknown
***Erfelinck,**
Ghent, Belgium
Erfurt,
VEG Saatzucht Zierpflanzen, Erfurt, Germany
Esch, B.
Portland, Oregon, USA
Eschrich, G.
Baumschule, Recklinghausen, Germany
Esveld, Firma C.
Boskoop, The Netherlands
Ets Horticole, Belgium,
Belgium
***Evans,**
Edinburgh Experimental Gardens, Scotland
Evans, Mrs F.
Oakland, California, USA
***Evans, J.B.**
Budock, Falmouth, Cornwall, England
(Formerly gardener to R.B. Fox, Penjerrick)
***Evans, J.M.J.**
Churt, Surrey, England
***Evans, J.P.**
Oakland, California, USA
***Everitt, S. A.**
Huntington, Long Island, New York, USA
Exbury,
The Rothschild Estate at Exbury, nr Southampton, Hampshire, England
(Exbury Enterprises Ltd and Exbury Gardens Ltd refer to commercial enterprises base on Exbury Gardens)
Fairweather Gardens,
Greenwich, New Jersey, USA
***Falconer,**
Address unknown
***Falla, W.**
Gateshead, Northumberland, England
Fantz, P.R.
Dept. Horticultural Science, North Carolina State University, Raleigh, North Carolina, USA
Faragher, C.
Australia
Faragher, J.
Upwey, Victoria, Australia
Faragher, N.
Cheltenham, Victoria, Australia
***Farquhar Nursery,**
(R.J. Farquhar), Barstable, Massachusetts, USA
***Farwell, E.E.**
Woodside, California, USA
***Faulk, P.**
Tacoma, Washington, USA
Faull, J.
Olinda, Victoria, Australia
Fawcett, C.P.
Tacoma, Washington, USA
Fawcett, T.B.
Address unknown
***Feber & Co., Le**
Boskoop, The Netherlands
Federal Research Centre for Horticultural Plant Breeding,
Ahrensburg, Germany
Fee, W.H.
Fort Bragg, California, USA
***Felix, B.B.C.**
Felix & Dijkhuis, Boskoop, The Netherlands
Felix & Dijkhuis,
Boskoop, The Netherlands
Fenicchia, R.A.
Rochester, New York, USA
Fessler Nursery,
Woodburn, Oregon, USA
***Fetterhoff, W.M.**
Gibsonia, Pennsylvania, USA
***Fielder,**
England ?
***Findeisen, T.E.G.**
Dresden-Dobritz, Germany
***Findlay, T.H.**
Windsor, Berkshire, England
(Formerly Keeper of the Gardens, The Great Park, Windsor, Berkshire)
Finkelstein, J.
USA
Finley, G.R.
Surrey, British Columbia, Canada
Finley, Mrs G.R.
Surrey, British Columbia, Canada
***Firma Seidel,**
Dresden, Germany
***Fischer, C.W.**
Fischer Greenhouses, Linwood, New Jersey, USA
Fischer Greenhouses,
(C.W. Fischer) Linwood, New Jersey, USA
***Fisher, E.**
Seattle, Washington, USA

***Fisher, J.R.**
Cust, New Zealand
***Fisher, Son & Sibray,**
Handsworth Nurseries, Sheffield, South Yorkshire, England
Fitzburgh, A.R.
Caldwell, New Jersey, USA
Flanagan, M.
Royal Botanic Gardens, Wakehurst Place, West Sussex, England
Flandria,
Bruges, Belgium
Fleet, W. van
New Jersey, USA
***Fleischmann, C.**
Wiesmoor, Ostfriesland, Germany
***Fleury,**
Versailles, France
Flora Markeeta Nursery,
(H.P. Beck), Edmonds, Washington, USA
Flore,
Belgium
(Probably correctly Floré (of Lochristi, Belgium))
Fogg, Mrs H.
Tacoma, Washington, USA
***Folding, J.**
Woodcliff Lake, New Jersey, USA
Foothills Nursery,
Montrose, Victoria, Australia
Forbes, H.M.
Weston, Massachusetts, USA
***Ford, J.E.**
Secrest Arboretum, Ohio State University, USA
Forrest, Miss M.
(Head Gardener), Glenveagh National Park, Co. Donegal, Ireland
***Forster,**
nr Glasgow, Scotland
***Forster, O.**
Lehenhof, Austria
(Also of Augsburg, Germany)
Forster, R.R.
Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario, Ontario, Canada
***Fortescue, L.S.**
Buckland Monachorum, Yelverton, South Devon, England
Fortescue Garden Trust,
Buckland Monachorum, Yelverton, South Devon, England
***Fortie, B.**
Ghent, Belgium
***Fortune, R.**
London, England
Fossett, C.
(An error for C.P. Fawcett)
***Foster, H.L.**
Falls Village, Connecticut, USA
Foster, M.C.
Ivy Hatch, Sevenoaks, Kent, England
***Fowle, H.W.**
Fowle Nursery, Newburyport, Massachusetts, USA
Fowle Nursery,
Newburyport, Massachusetts, USA
Fowler, R.J.
Waynesville, North Carolina, USA
Fox, D.B.
Bullwood Nursery, Hockley, Essex, England
Fox, J.A.
Crowborough, East Sussex, England
***Fox, R.B.**
Penjerrick, Cornwall, England
(Gardeners: S. Smith, J.B. Evans)
Fox, R.P.
Hingham, Massachusetts, USA
***Franck & Son, O.**
Belgium
***Francoisi Bros,**
Melle, Ghent, Belgium
(Some entries may be listed as François Bros; sources differ over the correct spelling)
Frank, L.
Split Rock Nursery, USA
Fraser, E. Layton
Address unknown
(Listed as J. & E.Layton Fraser.Perhaps an error for J.Fraser of Leyton, Essex)
***Fraser, G.**
Vancouver Island, British Columbia, Canada
***Fraser, H.**
Address unknown
***Fraser, J.**
Address unknown
(Perhaps the John Fraser of Leyton, Essex,England, sometimes seen in error(?) as J. & E.Layton Fraser.)
Frederick Jr, Mrs H.A.
Bryn Mawr, Pennsylvania, USA
Freeland, K.
S. Charles, Illinois, USA
Frei, H.
Wildensbuch, Switzerland
Frei-Glaus, E.
Wildensbuch, Switzerland
Frei-Glaus, H.
Wildensbuch, Switzerland
***Freimann, Mr LeV.**
Bellingham, Washington, USA
***Freimann, Mrs LeV.**
Bellingham, Washington, USA
Frei Weinland-Stauden,
Wildensbuch, Switzerland
Freshwater Bay Nursery,
Port Angeles, Washington, USA
***Frets & Sons, C.**
Boskoop, The Netherlands
***Fretz, L.**
Vineland, Ontario, Canada

***Frisbie, L.F.**
Tacoma, Washington, USA
(Earlier of Puyallop, Washington)
***Fritz, N.H.**
Address unknown
(Former employee (1950s) of J.G. White Engineering Corporation, Taipeh, Taiwan)
***Froebel, K.O.**
Zurich, Switzerland
***Fromow & Son,**
(also as W. Fromow & Sons), Windlesham Nurseries, Surrey, England
***Frost,**
Address unknown
***Fruitland Nursery,**
Augusta, Georgia, USA
***Frye, Mrs E.**
Seattle, Washington, USA
Fujioka, F.
Freeland, Washington, USA
***Fuller, H.**
Easton, Connecticut, USA
Fuller, S.
Easton, Connecticut, USA
Funder, Mrs R.
Kew, Victoria, Australia
Furman, F.
Bridgewater, New Jersey, USA
Furman, R.A.
Brewster, Massachusetts, USA
***Furniss, R.L.**
Portland, Oregon, USA
***Gable, C.**
Stewartstown, Pennsylvania, USA
***Gable, J.B.**
Stewartstown, Pennsylvania, USA
***Gable Nursery,**
USA
***Gable Study Group,**
USA
***Gaines, F.**
Battersea, London, England
Galbraith, R.
Burnie, Tasmania, Australia
Gallacci, C.
Sequim, Washington, USA
***Galle, F.C.**
Hamilton, Georgia, USA
Gambrill,
USA
Game, E.A.
Lower Wilmot, Tasmania, Australia
Garbutt, T.A.
Oamaru, North Otago, New Zealand
Garrett,
USA
Garrett, D.
Anderson, South Carolina, USA
Garrett, J.
Anderson, South Carolina, USA
Gartnerische Producktions - Genossenschaft Azalee,
Germany
***Gartrell, R.D.**
Highland Farms, Black Mountain, North Carolina, USA
***Gatke, R.M.**
Salem, Oregon, USA
***Gauntlett & Co., V.N.**
Chiddingfold, Surrey, England
(Formerly at Redruth, Cornwall)
***Geersdaele, van**
Ghent, Belgium
***Geert, A. van**
Ghent, Belgium
***Geert, C. van**
Antwerp and Kalmthout, Ghent, Belgium
(Sometimes seen as C.H. van Geert, an error for Ch. (ie. Charles) van Geert; there were three generations of Charles van Geerts. The first started the nursery at Antwerp, the second the nursery at Kalmthout)
***Geert, E.P. van**
Ghent, Belgium
(Probably an abbreviated form of E. Pynaert-van Geert)
***Geert, J. van**
Ghent, Belgium
Gehnrich, H.C.
Huntington, New York, USA
Gelderen, D.M. van
Boskoop, The Netherlands
(Also seen as Fa. J. van Gelderen (Boskoop))
Gelderen & de Wilde, van
Boskoop, The Netherlands
Gele & Son, G. van
Belgium
***Gélineau,**
Angers, France
Genzel, U.
Westerstede, Germany
George, A.F.
Hydon Nurseries, Hydon Heath, Godalming, Surrey, England
George, Mrs A.M.
Hydon Nurseries, Hydon Heath, Godalming, Surrey, England
George, E.W.
The Hillier Gardens and Arboretum, Ampfield, Hampshire, England
George, R.E.
Issaquah, Washington, USA
George W. Clarke Nursery,
Portland, Oregon, USA
***Geraud, M.**
Address unknown
Gerdemann, J.W.
Yachats, Oregon, USA
***German, E.R.**
Fort Bragg, California, USA
German, G.
Fort Bragg, California, USA

Getliņa, D.
Latvia
***Gheldolf, C.**
Ghent, Belgium
***Giauque, M.**
Berkeley, California, USA
Gibson, Mrs A.C.
Glenarn, Rhu, Dunbartonshire, Scotland
***Gibson, J.F.A.**
Glenarn, Rhu, Dunbartonshire, Scotland
Gibson, K.
Tofino, British Columbia, Canada
***Gick, R.**
Eugene, Oregon, USA
Gideon, D.
Cottage Gardens, Perry, Ohio, USA
***Gijselinck, A.**
Belgium
Giles, F.A.
University of Illinois, Urbana, Illinois, USA
***Gillies, G.**
(Head Gardener) Marshall Field Estate, Oyster Bay, New York, USA
***Gillin, J.**
Ambler Nurseries, Ambler, Pennsylvania, USA
***Gillis, O.**
Melle, Belgium
***Gill & Sons, R.**
(R.E. Gill), Kernick, Cornwall, England
(Formerly head gardener for H.D. Shilson at Tremough, Cornwall; also listed as from the Himalayan Nursery, Penrhyn, Cornwall)
Giordano, J.
Eight Mile, Alabama, USA
Girard Nurseries,
Geneva, Ohio, USA
***Girard Sr, P.E.**
Geneva, Ohio, USA
***Gladsgay Nursery,**
(T. Wheeldon), Richmond, Virginia, USA
***Glaser, K.**
Babenhausen, Germany
Glasnevin,
National Botanic Garden, Glasnevin, Dublin, Ireland
***Glass, Mrs P.**
USA
Glein, R.
Marysville, Washington, USA
Glendoick Gardens,
Glencarse, Perthshire, Scotland
Glenn Dale,
United States Department of Agriculture Plant Introduction Station, Glenn Dale, Maryland, USA
Glennie, W.E.
Blenheim, New Zealand
Glenorie Nursery,
Glenorie, New South Wales, Australia
Glynneden Gardens,
Greenbank, Washington, USA
***Godman, Dame Alice**
Horsham, West Sussex, England
Godman, Miss E. (Edith)
Horsham, West Sussex, England
***Godman, Miss E. (Eva)**
Horsham, West Sussex, England
***Godman, F.D.**
Horsham, West Sussex, England
***Godwin, F.**
Sheffield, England
Goheen, D.W.
Camas, Washington, USA
Golden, A.
San Francisco, California, USA
Goodrich, Mrs J.M.
Vienna, Virginia, USA
***Goodrich, R.H.**
Vienna, Virginia, USA
Gordner, D.
Puyallop, Washington, USA
Gordon, Mrs D.
(See Lady Adam Gordon)
Gordon, I.F.
Utiku, Taihape, New Zealand
Gordon, M.
Chester Springs, Pennsylvania, USA
Gordon, Mrs P.
Puketitiri, Napier, New Zealand
***Gordon, R.C.**
Rongoiti, Taihape, New Zealand
Gordon, Mrs V.I.
(See Lady Adam Gordon)
***Gorer, G.**
Haywards Heath, West Sussex, England
Gorn, A.M.
Kirkland, Washington, USA
Gortener, D.
USA
Göteborg Botanic Garden,
Göteborg, Sweden
***Goude, H.**
Knap Hill Nursery, Woking, Surrey, England
***Gowen, J.R.**
Highclere, Newbury, Berkshire, England
***Grace, G.D.**
Portland, Oregon, USA
Grall, R.
Le Bourg, Plougar, France
Grangé, T.
France
Granston, Mrs M.K.
Redmondo, Washington, USA
Granston, Mrs R.
Seattle, Washington, USA
Grant, E.
Scotland
Grant, Mrs G.E.
Orton, Temuka, New Zealand

Grant, L.A.
Geraldine, New Zealand
(Sometimes listed as C.A. Grant)
Grant, Mrs O.
Geraldine, New Zealand
Graves, W.
Tacoma, Washington, USA
Gray, A.
New Plymouth, New Zealand
Gray, A. M.
Freehold, New Jersey, USA
Gray, G.
Williams Bay, Wisconsin, USA
***Green,**
Cheam, Surrey, England
(Gardener to Sir E. Antrobus)
Green, M.S.
Scott Arboretum, Swarthmore College, Pennsylvania, USA
Greentree, M.E. (Jack)
Kingsgrove, New South Wales, Australia
***Greenwood Gardens,**
(W.L. Guttormsen), Canby, Oregon, USA
***Greer, E.**
Greer Gardens, Eugene, Oregon, USA
***Greer, Mrs E.**
Greer Gardens, Eugene, Oregon, USA
Greer, H.E.
Greer Gardens, Eugene, Oregon, USA
Greer, Mrs T.
Travelers Rest, South Carolina, USA
Greer Gardens,
Eugene, Oregon, USA
***Greg, R.H.**
Styal, Cheshire, England
Gregg McKinnon Garden,
Washington, USA
***Gregory, R.M.**
(Head Gardener) Werrington Park, Launceston, Cornwall, England
***Greig, E.J.**
Royston Nursery, Vancouver Island, British Columbia, Canada
Greig, Mrs M.
Royston Nursery, Vancouver Island, British Columbia, Canada
***Griebnow, P.E.**
Santa Ana, California, USA
Grier, D.
Portland, Oregon, USA
Grigg, Miss G.E.
Halswell, Christchurch, New Zealand
Grigg, Mrs J.H.
New Zealand
***Griswold, D.A.**
Kirkland, Washington, USA
Griswold, G.
Griswold Nursery, Kirkland, Washington, USA
Griswold, Mrs W.L.
Griswold Nursery, Kirkland, Washington, USA
Griswold, W.L.
Griswold Nursery, Kirkland, Washington, USA
Griswold Nursery,
Kirkland, Washington, USA
***Grootendorst, H.J.**
Boskoop, The Netherlands
Grosmith, G.
Victoria, British Columbia, Canada
Grothaus, L.
Lake Oswego, Oregon, USA
***Grothaus, Mrs M.**
Lake Oswego, Oregon, USA
***Groves, W.**
Tacoma, Washington, USA
***Guérin, M.**
France
***Guilmot, G.**
Ghent, Belgium
Guitteau, Mrs R.G.
Eugene, Oregon, USA
Guitteau, R.G.
Eugene, Oregon, USA
***Guldemond,**
Boskoop, The Netherlands
***Gunkel,**
Address unknown
Gustafson, R.H.
West Windsor, New Jersey, USA
(Formerly of Lawrenceville, New Jersey, USA)
Guttormsen, W.L.
Greenwood Gardens, Canby, Oregon, USA
Guyens, H.J.A.
Kamp-Lintfort, Germany
***Haag, C.R.**
Brevard, North Carolina, USA
Haag, Mrs V.
Brevard, North Carolina, USA
***Haas, H.**
Address unknown
Hacanson, R.
Puyallup, Washington, USA
***Hachmann, H.**
(Hans Hachmann), Barmstedt, Germany
Hachmann, Holger
Barmstedt, Germany
(Entries for H. Hachmann all refer to Hans, not Holger, Hachmann)
Haegen, J. van der
Kruishoutem, Belgium
***Haentjens,**
Address unknown
***Haentjens, J.**
Address unknown
***Haerens, Gebr**
(August & Jan Haerens), Somergem, Belgium
***Haerens, A.**
St Amandsberg, Belgium
(Presumably of A. Haerens & Sons (1930s))
***Haerens, R.**
Belgium

***Haerens, W.**
Belgium
***Haerens & Sons, J.B.**
Belgium
(Often listed just as J. Haerens)
***Haerens & Wille,**
J.B. Haerens & H. Wille, Somergem, Belgium
Hage & Co., W.C.
Boskoop, The Netherlands
Hagen, J.C.
Boskoop, The Netherlands
Hager, B.
Hager Nurseries, Spotsylvania, Virginia, USA
***Hager, D.**
Hager Nurseries, Spotsylvania, Virginia, USA
Hager Nurseries,
Spotsylvania, Virginia, USA
Hahn, L.
Louis Hahn & Sons, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, USA
Haigh, G.H.C.
Penrhyndeudraeth, Merionethshire, Wales
Hakoneya Nursery,
(K. Wada), Numazu-city, Shizuoka-prefecture, Japan
Hall, E.G.
Eugene, Oregon, USA
(Formerly of Florence, Oregon, USA)
Hall, G.
Harewood, Leeds, West Yorkshire, England
Hall, H.
Snohomish, Washington, USA
***Hall, Mrs L**
Address unknown
***Hall, M.E.**
Bridgewater, Massachusetts, USA
Hall, S.
Burnie, Tasmania, Australia
Hall, Stanley
Junction City, Oregon, USA
Hallam, T.J.
C.W. Kelly Nurseries, Moorabbin, Victoria, Australia
Halligan, P.
Langley, Washington, USA
Hall Jr, G.
Alwoodley, Leeds, West Yorkshire, England
***Hally,**
United Kingdom
Halopé, F.
Cherbourg, France
Hambro, R.O.
Stranraer, Wigtownshire, Scotland
Hamilton, I.
Virginia Water, Surrey, England
***Hamilton, W.F.**
(Head Gardener) Pylewell Park, Lymington, Hampshire, England
***Hamilton-Smith, N.**
England
Hamlin, D.
Vida, Oregon, USA
Hammond, D.
Arlington, Washington, USA
Hammond Nursery,
Hammond's Acres of Rhodys Nursery and Display Garden, Arlington, Washington, USA
Hammond Research Station,
Louisiana Agriculture Experimental Station, Hammond, Louisiana, USA
***Hancock, L.**
Woodland Nurseries, Cooksville, Ontario, Canada
***Hancock, Miss L.M.**
Mississauga, Ontario, Canada
Handcock, B.
Social Circle, Georgia, USA
***Hanger, F.E.W.**
(Curator) RHS Garden, Wisley, Surrey, England
***Hanke, W.**
Corvallis, Oregon, USA
Hanke's Rhododendron Nursery,
Corvallis, Oregon, USA
Hansen, J.
Waikanae, New Zealand
Hansen, Mrs R.M.
Portland, Oregon, USA
***Hanson, A.**
USA
***Hardgrove, D.L.**
Long Island, New York, USA
Hardijzer, P.W.
Boskoop, The Netherlands
Hardijzer, W.H.
Boskoop, The Netherlands
Hardijzer & Co., W.
Boskoop, The Netherlands
***Harding, G.**
Germantown, Maryland, USA
***Hardy, A.E.**
Sandling Park, Hythe, Kent, England
***Hardy, G.A.**
Sandling Park, Hythe, Kent, England
Harewood, Lord
Harewood House, Leeds, West Yorkshire, England
Härig, H.
Helmut Härig GmbH, Baumschule, Grossenkneten, Germany
***Harkwood Acres,**
(R.J.R. & Mrs A.J.A. Drayson), Wimborne, Dorset, England
Harmon, R.
USA
Harmsen, G.
Bremen, Germany
Harrington, H.M.
Wilbraham, Massachusetts, USA
Harrington, J.W.
Stopham, Pulborough, West Sussex, England
Harrington, R.
Address unknown
Harris, A.
Stratford, New Zealand

***Harris, A.K.**
Camas, Washington, USA
Harris, Mrs I.
Stratford, New Zealand
***Harris, J.**
Edinburgh, Scotland
Harris, J.D.
Harrisville, Pennsylvania, USA
Harris, J.G.E.
Address unknown
Harris, J.O.
Lawrenceville, Georgia, USA
***Harrison, E.G.W.W.**
Bodmin, Cornwall, England
***Harrison, Mrs R.A.**
Hawkhurst, Kent, England
***Harrison, Mrs R.M.**
Bodmin, Cornwall, England
Harrison's Nursery,
(R.E. Harrison & Co. Ltd), Palmerston North, New Zealand
***Harrow, G.**
(J. Veitch & Sons), Chelsea, London, England
Harstine Island Nursery,
Shelton, Washington, USA
***Hartl, O.**
Dresden, Germany
Hartley, J.N.J.
Pencuick, Midlothian, Scotland
Hartree, Mrs P.
Napier, New Zealand
Harvey, F.W.
Portland, Oregon, USA
Harvey, Mrs F.W.
Portland, Oregon, USA
Harvey, M.J.
Victoria, British Columbia, Canada
***Hatfield, T.D.**
Supt. of W. Hunnewell Estate, Massachusetts, USA
Hatori, M.
Fujioka-city, Gumma-prefecture, Japan
***Hausmann,**
Stuttgart ?, Germany
Haverfield, J.
Warburton, Victoria, Australia
Hawden, H.E.
England
(Probably an error for H.E. Bawden)
***Haworth-Booth, M.**
Farall Nurseries, nr Haslemere, Surrey, England
***Haye, W.**
Hellermoor, nr Bad Zwischenahn, Germany
Hayes, Mrs B.
Harborne, Birmingham, England
Hayes, I.A.
Harborne, Birmingham, England
Hayes, Mrs W.J.
Waimate, South Canterbury, New Zealand
***Hazlewood Bros,**
Epping, Sydney, New South Wales, Australia
(Latterly became Hazlewood Nurseries Pty)
***Headfort, Lord**
Headfort, Kells, Co. Meath, Ireland
***Headlam, A.W.**
Bentleigh, Melbourne, Australia
***Heal, H.**
Battle, East Sussex, England
***Heath, C.E.**
Holmwood, Surrey, England
Hechenbleikner, H.
Charlotte Botanical Gardens, University of North Carolina, Charlotte, North Carolina, USA
***Hecke, A. van**
Zaffelare, Belgium
Heft, Dr L.
Bremen, Germany
Heineman, A.R.
Milton, Washington, USA
Heinje, D.
Jeddeloh, Germany
***Heinje, D.**
D. Heinje Baumschulen, Edewecht, Germany
Heinje Baumschulen, D.
Edewecht, Germany
Heinze, J.F.
Toledo, Ohio, USA
***Hellebuyck, L.**
Gentbrugge, nr Ghent, Belgium
***Heller, C.G.**
Bodega Rhododendron Nursery, Poulsbo, Washington, USA
***Henderson & Co., A.**
(A.J. Henderson), Pineapple Nursery, London, England
(Henderson & Sons, as given in a few entries, may refer to E.G. Henderson & Son. E.G. Henderson was the brother of A.J. Henderson and at one time had a separate nursery, but the businesses later united.)
Hendricksen, D.J.
Boskoop, The Netherlands
Hendricks Park,
Eugene, Oregon, USA
***Heneage-Vivian, A.W.**
Clyne Castle, Swansea, Wales
(Gardener: H. Leith)
Henny, Mrs A.
Brooks, Oregon, USA
***Henny, J.**
Brooks, Oregon, USA
Henny, Mrs L.
Corvallis, Oregon, USA
(Formerly of Brooks, Oregon, USA)
***Henny, R.**
Brooks, Oregon, USA
Henny & Wennekamp Inc,
Salem, Oregon, USA
Henry, Mrs I.
Stratford, New Zealand

***Henry, I.A.**
Edinburgh, Scotland
Henson,
USA
***Herbert, C.**
Phoenixville, Pennsylvania, USA
***Herbert, Honourable & Reverend W.**
Wetherby, Yorkshire, England
Herbst, B.
Port Coquitlam, British Columbia, Canada
(Parks foreman, City of Port Coquitlam)
Heritage Plantation,
Sandwich, Massachusetts, USA
(Formely listed as the Dexter Estate)
Herrmann, E.
Doberlug-Kirchhain, Germany
(Son of Erich Herrmann)
***Herrmann, E.**
Doberlug-Kirchhain, Germany
(Father of Erich Herrmann)
Hershey, E.
Hershey's Azalea Farm, Gap, Pennsylvania, USA
***Hershey, R.**
Hershey's Azalea Farm, Gap, Pennsylvania, USA
Hershey's Azalea Farm,
Gap, Pennsylvania, USA
***Herzeele, K. van**
Kamiel van Herzeele & Zonen, Sleidinge, Belgium
Herzeele Nurseries, van
Sleidinge, Belgium
***Hess, N.E.**
Long Island, New York, USA
Hesse, H.
Hamersen, Germany
***Hesse, H.A.**
Baumschulen, Weener/Ems, Germany
Heursel, J.
Dept. Fytotechnie en Ecophysiologie, Merelbeke, Belgium
(Formerly (before 1998) Research Station for Ornamental Plant Growing, Melle, Belgium)
Heuston, B.F.
Shelton, Washington, USA
***Heyderhoff, H.**
Bloomingdale, New Jersey, USA
Hiatt, B.
Newcastle, Washington, USA
Hicklin, C.
Stone Mountain, Georgia, USA
Hicks, W.
Cottage Gardens, Perry, Ohio, USA
Hickson, M.
The Knightshayes Garden Trust, Tiverton, Devon, England
Hiers, C.J.
Auburn, Alabama, USA
Higashi Nursery,
Sumner, Washington, USA
Higginbothom, J.R.
Swarthmore College, Pennsylvania, USA
High Beeches Gardens Conservation Trust,
Handcross, West Sussex, England
Highclere,
Newbury, Berkshire, England
(Seat of the Earl of Carnarvon. J.R. Gowen was associated with this garden in the 1840s and was responsible for several of the plants raised there)
***Hill, Mrs F.**
Pavo, Georgia, USA
Hill, H.
Hill Nursery, Arlington, Virginia, USA
Hill, Mrs J.W.
Vineyard Haven, Massachusetts, USA
('Polly' Hill)
***Hill, W.**
Poulsbo, Washington, USA
Hillberg, F.J.
North Yate, Avon, England
Hillier Gardens and Arboretum, The Sir Harold
Ampfield,Romsey, Hampshire, England
Hilliers,
Hillier Nurseries Ltd, Ampfield, Romsey, Hampshire, England
***Hillside Rhododendron Gardens,**
Manasquan, New Jersey, USA
Hilscher, S.
Bellevue, Washington, USA
***Hindla, L.A.**
Bohemia, New York, USA
***Hinerman, D.L.**
Ann Arbor, Michigan, USA
Hines Nurseries,
Irvine, California, USA
Hinton, D.N.
Orono, Ontario, Canada
***Hitchcock, A.A.**
Surrey, British Columbia, Canada
***Hobbie, D.G.**
Westerstede/Linswege, Germany
Hobbs, J.
Bothell, Washington, USA
Hodgson, Mrs L.
Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada
***Hoenyena, M.**
Ghent, Belgium
Hoey Smith, J.R.P. van
Rotterdam, The Netherlands
Hoffman, C.
A Sandy Rhododendron, Sandy, Oregon, USA
Hoffman, M.H.A.
Research Station for Nursery Stock, Boskoop, The Netherlands
***Hohman, H.J.**
Kingsville Nurseries, Maryland, USA
Holden, A.J.
Shelton, Washington, USA
Holden, Mrs A.J
Harstine Island Nursery, Shelton, Washington, USA
Holden, P.
Harstine Island Nursery, Shelton, Washington, USA

Holden Arboretum,
Mentor, Ohio, USA
***Holford, Sir George**
Westonbirt, Gloucestershire, England
***Holland, N.S.**
Cowden, Kent, England
***Holland, S.**
Victoria, British Columbia, Canada
Hollard, B.
Kaponga, Taranaki, New Zealand
***Hollowell, E.A.**
Port Republic, Maryland, USA
Holly, V.B.
Rubicon, Victoria, Australia
Holly Heath Nursery,
Wading River, New York, USA
Holly Hills Inc.,
Evansville, Indiana, USA
Holm, O.
Griswold Nursery, Kirkland, Washington, USA
Holman, N.T.
Truro, Cornwall, England
Holmeide, A.
Aberdeen, Washington, USA
***Holmes, Mrs A.G.**
Rakaia, Canterbury, New Zealand
Holmes, A.G.
Rakaia, Canterbury, New Zealand
***Holmes, J.A.**
Address unknown
Holmes Nurseries,
Tampa, Florida, USA
Holmsomback, O.
Chickamauga, Georgia, USA
Holmwood, H.
Figtree, New South Wales, Australia
Holz, H.-P.
Weeze, Germany
Homstead Nurseries,
(S.E. Sorenson), Clayburn, British Columbia, Canada
***Honsuchachac Rhododendron Garden,**
Salem, Oregon, USA
Hooftman, H.J.
Boskoop, The Netherlands
(Has been listed in error as H.T. Hooftman)
Hoogendoorn, C.
Boskoop, The Netherlands
Hoogendoorn Nurseries,
Newport, Rhode Island, USA
***Hooker, W.J.**
Royal Botanic Gardens, Kew, Surrey, England
Hopwood, Mrs C.G.
Tremeer Gardens, Bodmin, Cornwall, England
***Horie, S.**
Nita-district, Shimane-prefecture, Japan
***Horlick, Sir James**
Isle of Gigha, Argyllshire, Scotland
Horlick, Sir John
Poolewe, Ross and Cromarty, Scotland
Horner, W.L.
Bremerton, Washington, USA
Horsborough, L.
Upwey, Victoria, Australia
***Horsfall, R.E.**
Farnham, Surrey, England
Horsley, D.A.
Bremerton, Washington, USA
Horstmann, G.
Schneverdingen, Germany
Hortibreed N.V.,
Lochristi, Belgium
Horticultural Crops Research Division,
USDA, Beltsville, Maryland, USA
Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario,
Vineland Station, Ontario, Canada
***Houtte, L. van**
Gendbrugge, nr Ghent, Belgium
***Hovey, C.M.**
Cambridge, Massachusetts, USA
Hovey & Co.,
USA
Howard, H.A.
Heritage Plantation, Sandwich, Massachusetts, USA
Howden & Moncrieff,
Dunedin, New Zealand
Howells, A.
Olinda, Victoria, Australia
Huber, H.
Deer Run Nursery, Salford, Pennsylvania, USA
Huber, R.R.
Deer Run Nursery, Salford, Pennsylvania, USA
***Hudson, E.D.**
Hemet, California, USA
Hudson, J.M.
Tikokino, Hawkes Bay, New Zealand
Hughes, D.
Blue Mountain Nurseries, Tapanui, West Otago, New Zealand
Hughes, J.H.
Warrior, Alabama, USA
Hughes, M.
Blue Mountain Nurseries, Tapanui, West Otago, New Zealand
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Westport, Massachusetts, USA
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Nijensleek, The Netherlands
***Hume, H.H.**
Gainesville, Florida, USA
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Wellesley, Massachusetts, USA
Hunt, E.C.
Portland, Oregon, USA
Huntingdale Nursery,
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Hurley, V.
Box Hill North, Victoria, Australia
Hutchinson, Mrs D.
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Finchampstead, Berkshire, England
Hutchison, L.A.
Mosgiel, Otago, New Zealand
Huthnance, G.
New Plymouth, New Zealand
Huthnance Nurseries,
New Plymouth, New Zealand
Huxley, E.
Longley, Tasmania, Australia
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McLean, Virginia, USA
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Kent Nursery, Kent, Washington, USA
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Woodlands Nursery Gardens, Ferndown, Dorset, England
Hydon Nurseries,
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Seattle, Washington, USA
Imrie, S.
Bonney Lake, Washington, USA
***Indian Run Nursery,**
Robbinsville, New Jersey, USA
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Benenden, Kent, England
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North End, Pennsylvania, USA
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Iwayama Nursery, Fukushima-city, Fukushima-prefecture, Japan
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University of British Columbia, Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada
Jack, R.H.L.
Lanark, Lanarkshire, Scotland
Jackson & Co., W.
Bedale, Yorkshire, England
***Jackson & Son, T.**
Kingston, Surrey and Royal Gardens, Hampton Court, Middlesex, England
Jackst GbR, Bernd
Bockhorn, Germany
***Jacob-Makoy, L.**
Liége, Belgium
(Sometimes seen as J.Macoy or J. Mackoy)
Jacobs, D.
Decatur, Georgia, USA
Jacobs, R.
Flowerwood Nursery, Bushnell, Florida, USA
Jacobson, C.
Greenbank, Washington, USA
***James, D.W.**
Eugene, Oregon, USA
***James, Mrs R.**
Eugene, Oregon, USA
***Jamin, F.**
Bourg-la-Reine, Seine, France
***Jamin & Durand,**
Bourg-la-Reine, Seine, France
Janeck, K.
Tacoma, Washington, USA
Janeck, Mrs K.
Tacoma, Washington, USA
Jane's Garden Nursery,
Pembroke, Massachusetts, USA
Janouch, B.
Czech Republic/Slovakia
Jan Spek Rosen BV,
(Helle Spek), Boskoop, The Netherlands
Jarvis, B.R.
Graham, Washington, USA
Jasionowski, E.
Parlin, New Jersey, USA
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Media, Pennsylvania, USA
Jēkabsons, I.
Latvia
Jelínek, J.
Czech Republic/Slovakia
***Jensen, A.**
Waldport, Oregon, USA
Johnson, A.P.
Port Orchard, Washington, USA
Johnson, A.R.
Shelton, Washington, USA
Johnson, Mrs B.
Clover, South Carolina, USA
Johnson, D.B.
Mountain Rest, South Carolina, USA
Johnson, Mrs E.E.
Tacoma, Washington, USA
Johnson, H.W.
Erie, Pennsylvania, USA

Johnson, M.
Madison, Connecticut, USA
Johnsons Plants,
Kaikohe, New Zealand
***Johnston, J.**
England
Johnston, S.P.
Shelton, Washington, USA
Johnstone, Miss E.G.
Maori Hill, Dunedin, New Zealand
***Johnstone, G.H.**
Trewithin, Cornwall, England
Jones, G.
Longwood, Florida, USA
Jones, G.E.
(Director) Planting Fields Arboretum, Oyster Bay, New York, USA
Jones, J.L.
Beaverton, Oregon, USA
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Export Nurseries, Boskoop, The Netherlands
Jong, W. de
Export Nurseries, Boskoop, The Netherlands
***Joost, Fr.**
Tetschen, Bohemia, Czech Republic
Jordan, Mrs B.I.
Tumwater, Washington, USA
Jordan, E.W.
Oakville, New South Wales, Australia
Jørgensen, C.
Rhododendron-Haven, Tørring, Denmark
Joslin, W.V.
Coos Bay, Oregon, USA
Joyce, J.
Waimate, New Zealand
Judson,
England
***Jura,**
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***Jury, F.**
Waitara, Taranaki, New Zealand
Jury, F.M.
Waitara, Taranaki, New Zealand
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New Plymouth, New Zealand
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Jury, M.
Urenui, New Zealand
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Kammer's Nursery,
Puyallup, Washington, USA
Karčevskis, N.
Latvia
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Kasch, D.
Mukilteo, Washington, USA
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Pruhonice, Czech Republic
Kawazu, Mrs N.
Hida-district, Oita-prefecture, Japan
Keeley, Mrs J.E.
Timaru, New Zealand
Keessen Jr & Sons, W.
The Netherlands
***Kehr, A.E.**
Hendersonville, North Carolina, USA
Keith, R.
University of Illinois, Urbana, Illinois, USA
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Charlotte, North Carolina, USA
Kellam, M.D.
Charlotte, North Carolina, USA
Kelly, W.
Formerly of Renton, Washington, USA
Kellygreen Rhododendron Nursery,
USA ?
Kelmscott Azalea Gardens,
Kelmscott, nr Perth, Australia
Kemira Agro Oy,
Helsinki, Finland
***Kenneth, A.G.**
Ardrishaig, Argyllshire, Scotland
Kenneth, Mrs K.L.
Ardrishaig, Argyllshire, Scotland
Kent Nursery,
Kent, Washington, USA
Kentville Research Station,
Kentville, Nova Scotia, Canada
Keppert, A.
Ringwood East, Victoria, Australia
***Kerckvoorde, A.**
The Netherlands ?
Kerisnel,
St-Pol-de-Léon, France
Kerkhoff, Betrieb
(Betrieb Wilhelm Kerkhoff), Emmerich, Germany
***Kerkhoff, W.**
Betrieb Wilhelm Kerkhoff, Emmerich, Germany
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Woodlyn, Pennsylvania, USA
Kerr, Mrs J.M.
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Kerrigan, H.
Hayward, California, USA
Kerrigan, R.
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Kersbergen, Gebr
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***Kersbergen, J.**
Address unknown
Kersey, R.J.
Devon, Pennsylvania, USA
Keshishian, J.M.
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Kesterson, G.H.
Freeland, Washington, USA
***Keteleer, J.B.**
Sceaux, France
Kew,
Royal Botanic Gardens, Kew, Richmond, Surrey, England
Kiel, J.
West Olive, Michigan, USA
***King, E.**
Alexandria, Virginia, USA
***King, E.H.**
Embley Park School, Romsey, Hampshire, England
***King, H.W.**
(H.W. King & Co.), Wanganui, New Zealand
King, Mrs L.M.
Wanganui, New Zealand
King, R.
Wellesley, Massachusetts, USA
King, S.M.
Wanganui, New Zealand
King & Co., H.W.
Wanganui, New Zealand
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London, England
(Gardener at Orleans House, Twickenham, London c.1837 & nurseryman, Sheen Nurseries, Richmond, London, England 1855 onwards)
Kinsey Gardens,
Knoxville, Tennesee, USA
Kint Brothers, M. & J.
Lochristi, Belgium
***Kirchner, H.**
Hundsmühlen, nr Oldenburg, Germany
***Kirk, E.**
Epping, New South Wales, Australia
***Klein,**
Address unknown
Klein, P.
USA
Klimavicz, J.F.
Vienna, Virginia, USA
Klingmann, H.
Rastatter Pflanzencenter, Rastatt, Germany
Kluis, A.
USA
(Formerly of Boskoop, The Netherlands. Perhaps an error for J. & R. Kluis who formerly had a nursery in Marlboro, New Jersey, USA)
***Klupenger, J.H.**
Wilsonville, Oregon, USA
Knap Hill,
Knap Hill Nursery Ltd, Woking, Surrey, England
***Kneef, J. de**
Ledeberg, Belgium
***Knepper & Sons, H.**
Boskoop, The Netherlands
***Knight, E.L.**
Shelton, Washington, USA
***Knight, F.P.**
Address unknown
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Knight & Perry, Exotic Nursery, Chelsea, London, England
Knight Hollow Nursery,
Madison, Wisconsin, USA
***Knight & Perry,**
(J. Knight & T.A. Perry), Exotic Nursery, Chelsea, London, England
Knights, C.
Yanco, New South Wales, Australia
***Knippenberg, J.F.**
(Laurelwood Nursery),Wayne, New Jersey, USA
Knippenberg, Mrs J.F.
(Laurelwood Nursery), Wayne, New Jersey, USA
***Knockaert, G.**
St Amandsberg, nr Ghent, Belgium
***Knockaert, M.**
St Amandsberg, nr Ghent, Belgium
Knoll Gardens,
Wimborne, Dorset, England
Knuttel, A.
East Windor, Connecticut, USA
Knuttel, A.J.
East Windor, Connecticut, USA
Knuttel Nursery,
USA ?
***Koenig, T.W.**
Interlaken, New Jersey, USA
Kondratovičs, R.K.
Riga, Latvia
Koone III, E.
Lazy K Nursery, Pine Mountain, Georgia, USA
***Koppeschaar, W.F.**
Boskoop, The Netherlands
***Kordus, T.**
Jamesburg, New Jersey, USA
Korn, R.
Renton, Washington, USA
Koromiko Nurseries,
Whangarei, New Zealand
Korth, A.C.
Soquel, California, USA
Koster, D.A.
Boskoop, The Netherlands
***Koster, P.M.**
Bridgeton, New Jersey, USA
(Formerly of Boskoop, The Netherlands, pre-1921)
***Koster & Co.,**
Originally of Boskoop, The Netherlands
(Owned by P.M. Koster - moved to USA, 1921)
***Koster Mz, A.**
Boskoop, The Netherlands
Koster & Sons, M.
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Kowalsky, G.
Bremerton, Washington, USA

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Krempasky, G.
USA
Kromhout & Co.,
Boskoop, The Netherlands
Krug, H.
Portland, Oregon, USA
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Kruschke Nursery, Clackamas, Oregon, USA
Kruse, R.
Newport, Long Island, New York, USA
Kubas,
USA
***Kuhn, H.**
Muttontown, New York, USA
Kunio, I.
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Kunishige et al.,
Japan
(M. Kunishige, T. Tamura, M. Morishita & S. Yamaguchi)
Kuo, C.S.
Taiwan ?
Kurabayashi, Y.
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Kurčevskis, N.
Latvia
(Perhaps an error for Karčevskis or vice versa)
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Kurume-city, Fukuoka-prefecture, Japan
(Some cultivars are attributed to T. Kuwana who may be the same individual)
***Kuyk, K.J.**
St Amandsberg, nr Ghent, Belgium
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Kyndl, J.
Czech Republic/Slovakia
Kyoma Yokata Nursery,
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Boskoop, The Netherlands
***La Bar's Nursery,**
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Labedz, C.A.
Wrights' Nursery, Canby, Oregon, USA
Laiche, A.J.
South Mississippi Branch Experiment Station, Poplarville, Mississippi, USA
Laing & Co., J.
Forest Hill, London, England
***Laird & Sons, R.B.**
Edinburgh, Scotland
Lake, J.D.
Burghfield Common, Reading, Berkshire, England
Lake Tapps Rhododendron Nursery,
(S. Imrie), Bonney Lake, Washington, USA
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Giesselhorst, nr Westerstede, Germany
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Lackamas Gardens, Camas, Washington, USA
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Landauer, H.
Forest Grove, Oregon, USA
Landauer, Mrs H.
Forest Grove, Oregon, USA
Landon School,
Bethesda, Maryland, USA
Landregan, R.J.
Portland, Oregon, USA
Lane, M.J.
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***Lane & Son, H.**
Great Berkhamsted, Hertfordshire, England
Lang, A.
Epping, New South Wales, Australia
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Lang & Co., T.
Ballarat, Victoria, Australia
Langdon, G.
The Basin, Victoria, Australia
Langer, F.
Bayswater, Victoria, Australia
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Canada
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Tacoma, Washington, USA
Laurel Lake,
North Carolina, USA
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***Laurentius, H.**
Leipzig, Germany
Laver, M.
Fort Bragg, California, USA
Lawson, F.B.
Duxbury, Massachusetts, USA

Lawson, Mrs F.B.
Duxbury, Massachusetts, USA
Lawson, J.G.
Inshriach Alpine Plant Nursery, Aviemore, Inverness-shire Scotland
Lawton, L.H.
Tiverton, Rhode Island, USA
***Laxdall, D.L.**
Bellingham, Washington, USA
***Laxdall, Mrs S.**
Bellingham, Washington, USA
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Victoria, British Columbia, Canada
Lazy S's Farm Nursery,
Barboursville, Virginia, USA
LBG,
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***Leach, D.G.**
North Madison, Ohio, USA
***Leach Nurseries,**
New Jersey, USA
***Ledien, F.**
Dresden, Germany
***Lee, C.**
(Nurseryman), Hammersmith, London, England
Lee, G.
Connecticut, USA
***Lee, J.**
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Lee, R.E.
Independence, Louisiana, USA
Lee, V.
Loxley, Alabama, USA
Leendertz, B.
Baumschule "Heilmannshof", Krefeld-Traar, Germany
Lee's Nursery,
Address unknown
LeFever, G.W.
Kernersville, North Carolina, USA
***Lefevre,**
France ?
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Gulf Stream Nursery
Legrand, Mrs R.
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Leitrim, Earl of
Mulroy, Carrigart, Co. Donegal, Ireland
LeJeune, J.
Lakewood, Washington, USA
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Boronia, Victoria, Australia
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Seattle, Washington, USA
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USA
Leonard, J.A.
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***Leonard, T.R.**
Raynham, Massachusetts, USA
Leonardslee,
Leonardslee Gardens, Lower Beeding, Horsham, West Sussex, England
Leonardslee Gardens Nurseries,
Lower Beeding, Horsham, West Sussex, England
Leopold, S.
Salem, Oregon, USA
***Leroy, A.**
Angers, France
***Leroy, L.**
Angers, France
***Lesèble,**
France
***Leslie, T.**
Edinburgh, Scotland
Levavasseur, L.
Angers, France
***Lewis, D.**
Lewis Gardens, Whittier, California, USA
Lewis, G.D.
Montpelier, Vermont, USA
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***Liebig, L.L.**
Dresden, Germany
***Lievin,**
Bruges, Belgium
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Lincoln Hill Nursery,
Hinesburg, Vermont, USA
***Linden, Établ.**
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Linden, C. van der
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***Linden, J.J.**
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Link, J.F.
California, USA
***Linwood Plants,**
(Mrs R. Legrand), Linwood, Hampshire, England
***Lippens, A.**
Oostakker, Belgium
(Sometimes seen as A. Lyppens)
Lissenden, C.
Mt Macedon, Victoria, Australia
Lissenden, S.
Mt Macedon, Victoria, Australia
Little, P.L.
(Piping Tree Gardens), Beaverdam, Virginia, USA
***Llewelyn, Sir John T.D.**
Swansea, Glamorgan, Wales
Lock, J.A.N.
Kingsbridge, Devon, England
***Lockhart, R.D.**
Aberdeen, Scotland
Lockhart, T.
Burnie, Tasmania, Australia
Lockhart, Mrs T.
Burnie, Tasmania, Australia
Lockington Nursery,
(D.J. Dosser), Warburton, Victoria, Australia
***Loddiges & Sons, C.**
Hackney, London, England
***Loder, Lady**
Leonardslee,Horsham, West Sussex, England
(Gardener: H. Whitner)
***Loder, Sir Edmund**
Leonardslee,Horsham, West Sussex, England
***Loder, G.H.**
High Beeches, Handcross, West Sussex, England
(Gardener: A.W. Mansfield)
***Loder, Sir Giles**
Ockendon House, Cuckfield, West Sussex, England
***Loder, G.W.E.**
Wakehurst Place, Ardingly, West Sussex, England
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Loder Plants,
Lower Beeding, Horsham, West Sussex, England
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Longchamp, R. de
USA
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Longview Community Church,
Longview, Washington, USA
Longwood Gardens,
Kennett Square, Pennsylvania, USA
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Loon, R. van
Brasschaat, Belgium
***Loose, de**
Ghent, Belgium
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***Lossy, J.**
Destelbergen, Belgium
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USA
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Baton Rouge, Louisiana, USA
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Lou Seeds,
Bethleham, Pennsylvania, USA
Love, C
Fort Bragg, California, USA
Love, M.V.
Bellevue, Washington, USA
Love Ericaceae,
(M. Laver) Fort Bragg, California, USA
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Sydney, New South Wales, Australia
Lovett, C.
Eureka, California, USA
***Lovett Nursery,**
Little Silver, New Jersey, USA
***Lowinsky, T.H.**
Sunninghill, Berkshire, England
Lucadou-Wells, A.
Burnie, Tasmania, Australia
Lucadou-Wells, T.
Burnie, Tasmania, Australia
***Lucas,**
Belgium ?
Lucas Gardens,
Ohio, USA
***Lucas Phillips, C.E.**
Oxshott, Surrey, England
***Lucombe, Pince & Co.,**
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Germany ?
Lüdicke, W.
Germany
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Germany
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Kingsbridge, Devon, England
***Lüttge, G.**
Hamburg, Germany
Lux,
VEG Zierpflanzen, Erfurt, Germany
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Whenuapai, Auckland, New Zealand
Lyon, E.
New Plymouth, New Zealand
***Lyons, M.W.**
Eugene, Oregon, USA
***Lyons, R.**
Oregon, USA
***Lyppens, A.**
(See under A. Lippens)
***Lythgoe, Ernie**
Victoria, British Columbia, Canada
Maarse, Fr. A.
The Netherlands
MacArthur, R.
Vancouver, Washington, USA
MacDonald, B.
Sandwich, Massachusetts, USA
Macdonald, R.
Foothills Nursery, Montrose, Victoria, Australia
***MacEwen, D.**
Castle Douglas, Kirkcudbrightshire, Scotland
Mackay, M.
Macksville, New South Wales, Australia
Mackenzie, Mrs E.
Diss, Norfolk, England
***Macoy, J.**
(See L. Jacob-Makoy)
Maefara, H.
Japan
(Probably correctly Maehara, see below)
Maehara, H.
Higashi-Osaka-city, Osaka-prefecture, Japan
Maele, van de
Belgium
***Maenhout, J.**
St Amandsberg, Belgium
***Maenhout, L.**
Belgium?
***Maenhout, M.**
Destelbergen, Belgium
***Maenhout-Ghyssens, Madame**
St Amandsberg, Belgium
***Maes, A.**
Belgium ?
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Brandon, Oregon, USA
Magnolia Gardens,
Charleston, South Carolina, USA
***Magnolia Nursery,**
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***Magor, E.J.P.**
Lamellan, St Tudy, Cornwall, England
***Magor, Mrs E.J.P.**
Lamellan, St Tudy, Cornwall, England
***Magor, E.W.M.**
Lamellan, St Tudy, Cornwall, England
Magruder, R.
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Japan
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***Malone, H.R.**
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Maloney, F.
Seattle, Washington, USA
Manenica, Mrs A.
Aberdeen, Washington, USA
***Mangles, Miss C.**
Littleworth, Farnham, Surrey, England
***Mangles, H.A.**
Valewood, Haslemere, Surrey, England
***Mangles, J.H.**
Valewood, Haslemere, Surrey, England
***Mangles, Mrs J.H.**
Valewood, Haslemere, Surrey, England
Mann, R.V.
Surrey, British Columbia, Canada
Mann, Mrs R.V.
Surrey, British Columbia, Canada
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Head Gardener to G.H. Loder, High Beeches, Handcross, West Sussex, England
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Maranville,, L.F.
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Marcellus, J.A.
Mission, British Columbia, Canada
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Stratford, New Zealand
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***Marcq, de**
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Mainz, Germany
(Simon Mardner was responsible for the azaleas produced by this firm)
***Margottin,**
France

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Glen Waverley, Victoria, Australia
Marshall, L.
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Martin, A.S.
Blue Hill, Maine, USA
***Martin, J.**
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***Martin, V. von**
Rothenburg/Oberlausitz, Germany
***Martin, W.**
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***Martin & Giraud,**
Granada, Spain
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Reich, W.
Alfeld/Leine, Germany
Reichart, L.W.
Glen Arm, Maryland, USA
***Reid, C.**
Osterville, Massachusetts, USA
***Reid, G.A.**
Linwood, New Jersey, USA
Reiley, H.E.
Woodsboro, Maryland, USA
Reisch, A.
Carlisle, Massachusetts, USA
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St Austell, Cornwall, England
***Rendle,**
Address unknown
Renken, H.
H. Renken Baumschule,Wiesmoor, Ostfriesland, Germany
Renshaw, C.
Diamond Creek, Victoria, Australia
***Rentz, de**
Belgium
Research Station for Nursery Stock,
Boskoop, The Netherlands
Research Station for Ornamental Plant Growing, Belgium,
Melle, Belgium

***Reuse, A. de**
Lochristi, Belgium
***Reuse, E. de**
Address unknown
***Reuse, Madame E. de**
Address unknown
Reuse Bros, De
Lochristi, Belgium
Reuthe, E.W.
Crowborough, East Sussex, England
(Formerly of G. Reuthe Ltd)
***Reuthe, W.S.**
Keston, Kent, England
(Formerly of G. Reuthe Ltd)
Reuthe Ltd, G.
Crown Point Nursery, Ightham, nr Sevenoaks, Kent, England
***Rhein, W.L.**
Mechanicsburg, Pennsylvania, USA
Rhein Registration Committee,
Susquehanna Valley Chapter, American Rhododendron Society, Pennsylvania, USA
Rhode Island Agricultural Experiment Station,
Rhode Island, USA
Rhodes, R.C.
Gabriola Island, British Columbia, Canada
Rhododendron-Haven,
(C. Jørgensen), Tørring, Denmark
Rhododendron Nursery "Babīte" of University of Latvia,
Riga, Latvia
Rhododendron-Park,
Bremen, Germany
Rhododendron Plus,
Florence, Oregon, USA
Rhododendron Species Foundation,
Federal Way, Washington, USA
Rhodo Glen Nursery,
(A.B. Raper), The Patch, Victoria, Australia
Rhodohill Nursery,
(D.A. Stewart), Rotorua, New Zealand
***Rhodo-Lake Nurseries,**
(R. deWilde), Bridgeton, New Jersey, USA
Rhodoland Nurseries,
(Jack Looye), Niagara-on-the-Lake, Ontario, Canada
***Rhody Run Nursery,**
USA
Richards, A.J.
Hexham, Northumberland, England
Richards, C.W.
Fort Bragg, California, USA
Richards, E.
Fort Bragg, California, USA
Richards, P.
Royal Botanic Gardens, Wakehurst Place, Ardingly, West Sussex, England
Richardson, E.
USA
***Richter, A.**
Dresden, Germany
***Richter, B.**
Address unknown
***Richter, L.R.**
Dresden, Germany
***Ring, G.W.**
Rocky Mount, Virginia, USA
(Formerly of Fairfax, Virginia, USA)
Ring, T.L.
Bellaire, Ohio, USA
***Rinz, Firma S.**
Frankfurt on the Main, Germany
***Rinz, J.**
Firma S. Rinz, Frankfurt on the Main, Germany
***Rinz, S.**
Firma S. Rinz, Frankfurt on the Main, Germany
Riverview Gardens,
New Zealand
Riverwood Gardens,
New Zealand
Roadside Rhododendrons,
Mapleton, Oregon, USA
***Robbins, E.**
Connecticut, USA
Robbins, F.M.
Puyallup, Washington, USA
Robenek, H.
Westerstede, Germany
Roberts, A.N.
Corvallis, Oregon, USA
***Robertson,**
England
Robertson, Mrs O.
Chipley, Florida, USA
Robertson, R.H.
Victoria, British Columbia, Canada
***Robertson, W.**
Auburn, Washington, USA
***Robichon, P.**
Ghent, Belgium
(Took over the Louis Verschaffelt nursery in1953)
Robinson, B.
New Zealand ?
Robinson, M.
Forest Row, East Sussex, England
Robinson, N.W.
Alfred, New York, USA
Rodrigue, M.
Zwijnaarde, Belgium
***Roehrs, J.**
(Presumably of Julius Roehrs Co./Roehrs Company)
Roehrs Company,
Rutherford, New Jersey, USA
(Presumably the same as Julius Roehrs Co.)
Roelink, G.
Vireya Valley Nursery, Cockatoo, Victoria, Australia
***Rogers,**
Sevenoaks, Kent, England
Rogers, C.S.
Weston Nurseries, Hopkinton, Massachusetts, USA

Rogers, H.
USA
***Rogers & Son, W.H.**
Red Lodge Nursery, Southampton, Hampshire, England
(Also listed as W.H. Rogers)
Rokujo, T.
Tokyo, Japan
***Rollisson & Sons, W.**
Springfield Nursery, Upper Tooting, London, England
(Also listed as Tooting Nursery)
Ronken, H.
Evandale, Tasmania, Australia
***Rose, F.J.**
Southampton, Hampshire, England
(Formerly gardener to Lord Swaythling at Townhill Park, Hampshire)
Rose, H.D.
Seville, Australia
***Rose, J.**
Mainz, Germany
Rose, N.
University of Minnesota, Horticultural Research Centre, Excelsior, USA
***Roseel,**
Address unknown
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Rosenthal, J.
Jamaica, New York, USA
Roslyn Nursery,
Dix Hills, New York, USA
***Ross, Mrs H.**
Brewster, New York, USA
***Rosse, and National Trust (Nymans), Anne, Countess of**
Nymans Garden, Handcross, West Sussex, England
***Roth, L.**
Stuttgart, Germany
Rothschild, E. de
Exbury Gardens, Hampshire, England
***Rothschild, L. de**
Exbury Gardens, Hampshire, England
(Lionel Nathan de Rothschild (1882-1942))
Rothschild, Leopold de
Exbury Gardens, Hampshire, England
(Always given in the Register with the christian name in full)
Rothschild, Lionel de
Exbury Gardens, Hampshire, England
(Not to be confused with the earlier Lionel (1882-1942) who is always listed in the Register as L. de Rothschild)
Rothschild, N. de
Exbury Gardens, Hampshire, England
Rouse, J.L.
Toorak, Victoria, Australia
***Rovelli, Fratelli**
Pallanza, Lake Maggiore, Italy
Rowallane,
(National Trust Garden), Ballynahinch, County Down, Northern Ireland
Rowarth, R.L.
Upwey, Victoria, Australia
Rowe, E.R.
Huthnance Nurseries, New Plymouth, New Zealand
Rowe, S.J.
Huthnance Nurseries, New Plymouth, New Zealand
Royal Boskoop Horticultural Society,
c/o D.M. van Gelderen, Boskoop, The Netherlands
Royal Botanic Garden, Edinburgh,
Edinburgh, Scotland
Royal Botanic Gardens, Kew,
Richmond, Surrey, England
Royal Botanic Gardens, Wakehurst,
Wakehurst Place, Ardingly, West Sussex, England
(Leased to Kew by the National Trust in 1965; formerly the estate of G.W.E Loder (latterly Lord Wakehurst))
Royal Horticultural Society,
RHS Garden, Wisley, Surrey, England
***Royce, Mrs D.**
Basket Neck Nursery,Remsenburg, New York, USA
***Roye, L. van**
Belgium
***Royer, G.**
Address unknown
Royston Nursery,
Royston, British Columbia, Canada
Rudko, A.
Somerville, New Jersey, USA
(Formerly of Drea Hook Azalea Farm, Branchburg, New Jersey)
***Russell,**
Battersea, London, England
Russell, C.
(An error for C. R. Haag)
***Russell, J.P.C.**
Fife, Scotland
(Formerly of Sunningdale Nursery, then of The Dairies, Castle Howard, Yorkshire, England)
***Russell & Co., L.R.**
Richmond Nurseries, Windlesham, Surrey, England
Rutherford, F.
Port Orchard, Washington, USA
Rutherford, Mrs J.
Kelso, Washington, USA
Rutland, H.G.
Dunedin, New Zealand
***Ruys, J.D.**
Moerheim Nursery, Dedemsvaart, The Netherlands
Ruyter, J.W. de
The Netherlands
***Ryder,**
(Ryder & Sons), St Albans, Hertfordshire, England
Sablière, C. de la
Gouesnach, Benodet, France

***Saegher, J.-B. de**
Ghent, Begium
Sagemüller, W.
Edewecht, Germany
(Former owner of D. Heinje Nursery, Edewecht, Germany)
Saito, S.
Nanyo-city, Yamagata-prefecture, Japan
Saitou, T.
Morioka-city, Iwate-prefecture, Japan
***Salley, H.E.**
Grand Rapids, Ohio, USA
Salley, Mrs S.M.
Winter Springs, Florida 32708, USA
(Formerly of Grand Rapids,Ohio, USA)
Sampson, D.
Oakdene Alpine Nursery, Heathfield, East Sussex, England
Sand, E.
Washington, USA
Sand, J.A.
Washington, USA
***Sander, C.**
Brookline, Massachusetts, USA
Sanders, D.
(Sanders Nursery), Roseburg, Oregon, USA
Sanders, M.
(Sanders Nursery), Roseburg, Oregon, USA
Sanders Nursery,
(Merle & Dennis Sanders), Roseburg, Oregon, USA
***Sander & Sons,**
St Albans, Hertfordshire, England
(Also of St. Andries, Bruges, Belgium)
Sandleford Park,
nr Oxford, Oxfordshire, England
Sand Point Greenhouses,
Fort Wayne, Indiana, USA
Sandwich Club,
American Rhododendron Society Committee, USA
Sano, Y.
Fujinomiya-city, Shizuoka-prefecture, Japan
Saperstein, J.
Mullumbimby, New South Wales, Australia
Saperstein, Mrs S.
Mullumbimby, New South Wales, Australia
Sather, Mrs A.
Whitney Nursery, Brinnon, Washington, USA
***Sather, G.**
Whitney Nursery, Brinnon, Washington, USA
Sato, S.
Japan
***Saunders, P.F.**
Eugene, Oregon, USA
***Sauvage, C.**
France
Savage, G.
USA
Savella, A.
Bald Hill Nurseries, USA
Savill Gardens,
The Great Park, Windsor, Berkshire, England
***Sawada, K.**
Overlook Nurseries, Mobile, Alabama, USA
Scarbeck, J.
Oakdale, New York, USA
***Schäfer,**
Address unknown
***Schamanek, J.**
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, USA
***Schäme, J.**
Dresden, Germany
***Schäme, M.**
Germany
Schannen, H.A.
Princeton, New Jersey, USA
Schaufler, M.
Bühl, Germany
***Scheidecker, J.P.**
Munich, Germany
Scheltwort, W.
Rastede-Neusüdende, nr Oldenburg, Germany
***Schepans, Mrs M.G.**
Clinton, Connecticut, USA
***Schepens, M.G.**
Clinton, Connecticut, USA
***Schepens, P.**
Zaffelare, Belgium
***Schepens-de Baets,**
Zaffelare, Belgium
Scherf, E. & W.
Germany
***Scheuermann,**
Address unknown
Schick, P.
Fort Bragg, California, USA
Schilling, A.D.
Formerly of Royal Botanic Gardens, Wakehurst Place, Ardingly, West Sussex, England
(Now of Ullapool, Wester Ross, Scotland)
***Schlaikjer, Mrs H.C.**
Halesite, Long Island, New York, USA
***Schmall, J.**
Address unknown
Schmalscheidt, W.
Oldenburg, Germany
Schmick, H.
Glinde, Germany
Schmidt, C.
USA
Schneider,
Address unknown
***Schneider, F.**
Oranienbaum, Dessau, Germany
Schoemann, H.
Germany
Scholz, J.
Czech Republic ?
Schoneman, R.
Oregon, USA

Schram, B.
Fenwick, Ontario, Canada
Schrijver, A. de
Oostakker, Belgium
***Schrijver, P. de**
Ghent, Belgium
(The firm of this name still exists and is now based in Lochristi, Belgium)
Schroeder, D.
Holly Hills Inc., Evansville, Indiana, USA
***Schroeder, H.R.**
Evansville, Indiana, USA
Schroeder, S.
Holly Hills Inc., Evansville, Indiana, USA
Schröter,
Address unknown
Schrynmakers de Dormael, de
Leuven, Belgium
***Schulz, C.**
Hanau, Germany
***Schulz, M.**
Address unknown
(Perhaps and error for C. Schulz)
***Schulz, O.**
Head gardener, Royal Porcelain Factory, Berlin, Germany
***Schumacher, F.W.**
Sandwich, Massachusetts, USA
Schumacher, P.
Thompston, Georgia, USA
Schumacher, U.
Winnekendonk/Kevelaer, Niederrhein, Germany
Schumacher Seed Co.,
Sandwich, Massachusetts, USA
Schwarz, G.
Congers, New York, USA
Schwoebel, R.
Richard Schwoebel Nursery, Ardmore, Pennsylvania, USA
***Schwoebel Nursery,**
Ardmore, Pennsylvania, USA
***Scirovi,**
Address unknown
Scoborio, R.
Ferny Creek, Australia
Scott, Mrs A.H.
Address unknown
Scott, L.
University of Maryland, Maryland, USA
***Scott, R.W.**
Kensington, California, USA
Scott Arboretum,
Swarthmore College, Swarthmore, Pennsylvania, USA
***Scrase-Dickins, C.R.**
nr Horsham, West Sussex, England
(Gardener: Mr Bremner)
Seabrook, C.S.
Puyallup, Washington, USA
Seabrook, Mrs C.S.
Puyallup, Washington, USA
Searle, L.C.
USA ?
***Sebag-Montefiore, Hon. Mrs**
Wembury, Plymouth, Devon, England
Seeds, L.F.
Bethlehem, Pennsylvania, USA
Segawa, M.
USA
***Seghers, Fr**
Belgium
Seidel, T.J.
Dresden/Grüngräbchen, Germany
***Seidel, T.J H.**
Dresden/Grüngräbchen, Germany
***Seidel, T.J.R.**
Dresden/Grüngräbchen, Germany
Seiferle, Mrs N.K.
Atlanta, Georgia, USA
Sekine, S.
Japan
Seleger, R.
Adliswil, Switzerland
***Sénéclause, L.**
France
Senko, J.
Cornelius, Oregon, USA
***Senn, H.**
Victoria, British Columbia, Canada
***Serbin, A.F.**
Bloomfield, Connecticut, USA
Serle, L.
Moretan Creek, New South Wales, Australia
Šesták, J.
Czech Republic ?
Settle, P.T.
Northfield, Birmingham, England
Seyschab,
Germany
***Shammarello, A.M.**
Shammarello & Son, South Euclid, Ohio, USA
Shanklin, R.G.
Pensacola, Florida, USA
Shanks, J.
University of Maryland, Maryland, USA
Shanti, N.
Snohomish, Washington, USA
***Shapiro, B.**
East Brunswick, New Jersey, USA
***Shapiro, M.**
East Brunswick, New Jersey, USA
Shaw, J.A.
Lake Wales, Florida, USA
(Formerly of Sandwich, Massachusetts, USA)
Shea, K.T.
Federal Way, Washington, USA
Sheedy, B.
Portland, Oregon, USA
Sheffield Park,
nr Uckfield, East Sussex, England

***Shepherd, H.**
Avonsleigh, Victoria, Australia
Sherringham's Nursery,
New South Wales, Australia
Sherwood Nursery Co.,
Corbett, Oregon, USA
***Sheuchenko, P.**
Lazy S's Farm, Barboursville, Virginia, USA
***Sheuchenko, T.**
Lazy S's Farm, Barboursville, Virginia, USA
***Shilson, H.D.**
Tremough, Penryn, Cornwall, England
Short, H.A.
Bainbridge Island, Washington, USA
Shrauger, W.J.
Hoquiam, Washington, USA
***Shrublands Nursery,**
(G.L.S. Snell), Boronia, Victoria, Australia
***Siebold, P.F. von**
Leiden, The Netherlands
***Siebold & Co., Von**
Leiden, The Netherlands
Siems, Frau U.
Apen, Germany
Sifferman, K.I.
Seattle, Washington, USA
Simmons, Mrs M.
Burghclere, Berkshire, England
Simons, C.E.
Seattle, Washington, USA
Simpson, W.
Frankston, Victoria, Australia
***Sinclair, J.E.**
Port Ludlow, Washington, USA
Sinclair, Mrs J.E.
Port Ludlow, Washington, USA
Singing Trees Nursery,
McKinleyville, California, USA
Siskiyou Rare Plant Nursery,
Medford, Oregon, USA
Siuslaw Chapter, American Rhododendron Society,
Florence, Oregon, USA
***Skei, T.**
Florence, Oregon, USA
***Skinner, H.T.**
Hendersonville, North Carolina, USA
(Formerly Director of the United States National Arboretum, Washington DC)
***Skipworth, M.**
Superintendent of Parks and Gardens, Dunedin, New Zealand
***Skonieczny, E.A.**
Kensington, Connecticut, USA
Skott, Mrs R.
Australia
Skrentry, J.
Address unknown
***Sleumer, H.O.**
Rijksherbarium, Leiden,
The Netherlands
***Slieve Donard Nursery,**
Newcastle, County Down, Northern Ireland
Sligh, B.
Lyttelton, New Zealand
***Slocock, J.**
Charles Hill Nursery, Tilford, Surrey, England
Slocock, M.O.
Knap Hill Nursery Ltd & Slocock Nurseries, Knaphill, Surrey, England
***Slocock, O.C.A.**
Goldsworth Nursery, Woking, Surrey, England
***Slocock, W.C.**
Goldsworth Nursery, Woking, Surrey, England
(Also listed as W.C. Slocock Ltd)
Slocock Nurseries,
Knaphill, Surrey, England
Slonecker, H.J.
Milwaukie, Oregon, USA
Slootjes, G.H.
Boskoop, The Netherlands
Slykerman, T.
Upwey, Victoria, Australia
Small, R.
Parks Superintendent, Whangarei, New Zealand
Smet, G. de
Belgium
Smet-Duvivier, L. de
St Amandsberg, nr Ghent, Belgium
(Also listed as L. de Smet)
***Smith,**
England
***Smith,**
Stranraer, Wigtownshire, Scotland
***Smith, A.**
Dulwich, London, England
***Smith, A.P.**
Kingston, Washington, USA
***Smith, A.W.**
Niagara Falls, Ontario, Canada
(Formerly at the Horticultural Research Institute of Ontario, Vineland Station, Ontario, Canada)
Smith, B.
Dromana, Victoria, Australia
Smith, B.M.
Brittenhill Nursery, Kent, Washington, USA
Smith, C.
Sumner, Washington, USA
***Smith, C.C.**
Newberg, Oregon, USA
Smith, D.
UK
Smith, E.E.
Epsom, Surrey, England
***Smith, F.**
Dulwich, London, England
Smith, G.
Loxley, Alabama, USA
Smith, G.F.
Pukeiti Rhododendron Trust Inc., Taranaki, New Zealand

Smith, James
Roadside Rhododendrons, Mapleton, Oregon, USA
Smith, J. Clyde
Keiranville, New South Wales, Australia
***Smith, John**
Chunchula, Alabama, USA
Smith, J.P.
Woodinville, Washington, USA
Smith, P.
Sebastopol, California, USA
***Smith, S.**
Penjerrick, Cornwall, England
(Gardener to R.B. Fox)
Smith, S.R.
Post Gardens Inc., California, USA
***Smith, T.**
Address unknown
***Smith, W.**
Nurseryman of Norbiton Common, Surrey, England
(Formerly gardener to Earl of Liverpool, Coombe Wood House, Kingston-upon-Thames, Surrey, England)
***Smith, W.D.**
Spring Grove, Pennsylvania, USA
***Smith & Son, C.**
Caledonia Nursery, Guernsey, Channel Islands
***Smith & Sons, James**
Darley Dale Nurseries, Matlock, Derbyshire, England
Snell, G.L.S.
Vireya Venue, Maleny, Queensland, Australia
(Formerly of Shrublands Nursery, Boronia, Victoria, Australia)
***Soames, A.G.**
Sheffield Park, Uckfield, East Sussex, England
Soc. An. Hort. Gantoise,
Ghent, Belgium
***Soc. An. L. van Houtte, père,**
Gentbrugge, Belgium
(Also listed as Soc. An. L. van Houtte)
Soc. Ann. Hort. de Mont-Saint-Amand,
St Amandsberg, nr Ghent, Belgium
Soc. Ann. Hort. des Flandres,
Belgium
Società Ortofloricola Comense,
Como, Italy
Société Bretonne du Rhododendron,
Menez-Rohou, Fouesnant, France
Société de Flore, Bruxelles,
Brussels, Belgium
Søndergaard, O.
Gl. Sunds Planteskole, Sunds, Denmark
***Søndergaard, V.**
Herning, Denmark
***Sonneville, J.**
Destelbergen, Belgium
Sonneville, L.
Destelbergen, Belgium
Sonoma Horticultural Nursery,
USA
Sorensen, K.
The Bovees Nursery, Portland, Oregon, USA
Sorensen, L.
The Bovees Nursery, Portland, Oregon, USA
(Also seen as L. Sorensen-Smith)
Sorensen-Smith, L.
(See note under L. Sorensen)
Sorenson, S.E.
Homestead Nurseries, Clayburn, British Columbia, Canada
Sorenson & Watson,
The Bovees Nursery, Portland, Oregon, USA
Soulange-Bodin, E.
Fromont, France
Spaargaren & Sons, W.J.
Boskoop, The Netherlands
Spady, H.A.
Honsuchachac Rhododendron Garden, Salem, Oregon, USA
***Spae, F.**
Ghent, Belgium
(Flourished mid 1800s)
***Spae, F.**
Melle-Vogelhoek, Belgium
(Flourished mid 1930s)
Sparks, R.C.
Shelton, Washington, USA
Spartanburg Nursery,
Spartanburg, South Carolina, USA
Spek, H.A.M.
Boskoop, The Netherlands
Spek, J.
Boskoop, The Netherlands
(See also Jan Spek Rosen BV)
Spek Rosen BV, Jan
Boskoop, The Netherlands
Spicer, C.
New Zealand ?
Spingarn, J.
USA
***Spini, D.**
Fort Bragg, California, USA
Spring-Smyth, T. LeM.
Lyndhurst, Hampshire, England
Spry, W.M.
The Basin, Victoria, Australia
Srpková, M.
Czech Republic
Staal, H.
Hazerswoude, The Netherlands
Stabler, D.
Cypress Gardens, Winterhaven, Florida, USA
Stadtherr, R.J.
Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, USA
***Stahnke, H.**
Germany

Stahnke, O.
Sassenburg, Germany
***Stair, Lord**
Lochinch Castle, Stranraer, Wigtownshire, Scotland
***Standaert, L.**
Lochristi, Belgium
***Standish, J.**
Standish & Noble, Bagshot, Surrey, England
(Latterly of Royal Nurseries, nr Ascot, Berkshire, England)
Stanger, I.
Boscombe, Dorset, England
***Stanley,**
UK
***Stanton, D.B.**
Wollongong, New South Wales, Australia
***Stanton, E.N.**
Westcroft Gardens, Grosse Ile, Michigan, USA
Starks, M.
Port Angeles, Washington, USA
Starling, B.N.
Drewsteignton, Exeter, Devon, England
Starrett, M.C.
University of Vermont, Burlington, Vermont, USA
***Stavordale, Lord**
Abbotsbury, Dorset, England
***Stead, E.F.**
Ilam, Christchurch, New Zealand
Stead, L.R.
Amberley, North Canterbury, New Zealand
***Stead, W.T.**
Ilam, Christchurch, New Zealand
Steele, R.M.
Bayport Plant Farm,Lunenburg County, Nova Scotia, Canada
(Formerly at Cornwallis, Nova Scotia)
Steele's Nurseries,
West Chester, Pennsylvania, USA
***Steenis, C.G.G.J. van**
Rijksherbarium, Leiden, The Netherlands
***Steffen, A.**
Pillnitz & Erfurt, Germany
Steffler, S.
Lacey, Washington, USA
Steinbaum, H.
Old Westbury, New York, USA
Steinmetz, J.
Springfield, Oregon, USA
***Stelzner, A.**
Stelzner & Meyer, Ghent, Belgium
Stephens, Mrs J.F.
Freeman Stephens Nursery, Bellingham, Washington, USA
Stephens, J.F.
Freeman Stephens Nursery, Bellingham, Washington, USA
Stephenson Clarke, A.
Borde Hill, West Sussex, England
***Stephenson Clarke, R.N.**
Borde Hill, West Sussex, England
***Stephenson Clarke, S.R.**
(See S.R. Clarke)
Stervinov, A.
Guinpronvel, St Renan, France
Steven Kristoph Nursery,
Englishtown, New Jersey, USA
***Stevens,**
Trentham, Staffordshire, England
***Stevenson, J.B.**
Tower Court, Ascot, Berkshire, England
***Stevenson, Mrs R.M.**
Tower Court, Ascot, Berkshire, England
***Stewart, C.**
San Anselmo, California, USA
Stewart, D.A.
Rotorua, New Zealand
***Stewart, M.**
Dover Nursery, Sandy, Oregon, USA
***Stewart, R.**
Dover Nursery, Sandy, Oregon, USA
Stewart, Robert
Springfield, Virginia, USA
Stewart, V.
San Anselmo, California, USA
***Stewart & Son, D.**
Ferndown Nurseries, Wimborne, Dorset, England
***Steyaert, A.**
Evergem, nr Ghent, Belgium
Stiborek, Z.
Czech Republic ?
Stieve-Frei, R.
Neuhausen am Rheinfall, Switzerland
Stilwell, M.
Thomasville, North Carolina, USA
Stilwell, M.
Dugspur, Virginia, USA
Stipe, W.A.
Formerly of Meerkerk Rhododendron Gardens, Greenbank, Washington, USA
***Stirling-Maxwell, Sir John**
Pollok House, Glasgow, Scotland
(Gardener: D. McTavish)
***Stocker,**
Avery Hill, Eltham, London, England
(Gardener: G. Abbey)
Stockman, H.
Port Angeles, Washington, USA
Stockman, J.
Port Angeles, Washington, USA
Stockman, M.
Port Angeles, Washington, USA
Stöckmann, E.A.
Baumschule, Bad Zwischenahn-Rostrup, Germany
Stöckmann, K.
Baumschule Ernst Stöckmann, Bad Zwischenahn-Rostrup, Germany
***Stokes, W.E.**
Butler, Pennsylvania, USA
Stolwijk & Zn, G.C.
Boskoop, The Netherlands

Stolwijk & Zn, J.
Boskoop, The Netherlands
***Storms, W.**
Cardinal Nursery, State Road, North Carolina, USA
Strauss, R.
Stonehurst, Ardingly, West Sussex, England
***Straver, J.M.**
Boskoop, The Netherlands
Streck, H.
Hainburg, Germany
Streck, W.
Hainburg, Germany
***Street, F.J.**
Heathermead Nursery, nr Woking, Surrey, England
Street, V.
Loxley, Alabama, USA
Streng, Fa. J.
Boskoop, The Netherlands
Strybing Arboretum,
San Francisco, California, USA
Strycker, J. de
Kasterlee, Belgium
Stubbings, J.D.
Tauranga, New Zealand
Stück, G.
Kronshagen/Kiel, Germany
Stührenberg,
Wiesmoor, Germany
***Sullivan, N.**
Burnie, Tasmania, Australia
Sullivan, P.
San Francisco, California, USA
***Sullivan, W.F.**
Roseland, New Jersey, USA
***Sumner, Mrs F.**
San Francisco, California, USA
***Sumner, M.H.**
San Francisco, California, USA
Sumner, V.
San Anselmo, California, USA
Sumpter, D.
Milton, South Otago, New Zealand
Sunningdale Nurseries,
Windlesham, Surrey, England
Susquehanna Valley Chapter,
(American Rhododendron Society), Rhein Registration Committee, Mechanicsburg, Pennsylvania, USA
Sutton, P.
Queanbeyan, New South Wales, Australia
Suzuki, H.
Address unknown
Švec, J.
Czech Republic ?
***Swaelmen, G. van der**
Gentbrugge, Belgium
Swain, G.S.
Research Station, Kentville, Nova Scotia, Canada
Swan, I.G.
Tawa-Glen Nursery, Lepperton, New Plymouth, New Zealand
Swan, S.N.
Tawa-Glen Nursery,Lepperton, New Plymouth, New Zealand
***Swanson, H.**
USA
Swarthmore College,
Swarthmore, Pennsylvania, USA
***Swaythling, Lord**
Townhill Park Gardens, Southampton, Hampshire, England
(Gardener: F.J. Rose)
***Sweet, R.**
Chelsea, London, England
Sweetbriar Nursery,
USA
Swell, N.
Swell Azaleas, Richmond, Virginia, USA
***Swenson, G.**
Eugene, Oregon, USA
Swenson, W.J.
Eugene, Oregon, USA
Swift, D.G.
Saunderstown, Rhode Island, USA
Swisher, J.
USA
Switzer, S.J.
Port Republic, Maryland, USA
Tabata, Y.
Fukushima-city, Fukushima-prefecture, Japan
Tacoma Metropolitan Park Department,
Point Defiance Rhododendron Garden, Tacoma, Washington, USA
Takahashi, I.
Japan
Takashima, T.
Imaichi-city, Tochigi-prefecture, Japan
Tanabe, S.
Narashino-city, Chiba-prefecture, Japan
Tanggard, M.
Seattle, Washington, USA
Tasker, H.R.
Ruapuna, Ashburton, New Zealand
Taunton Gardens,
Lyttelton, New Zealand
Tawa-Glen Nursery,
(I.G. & S.N. Swan), Lepperton, New Plymouth, New Zealand
***Taylor,**
Address unknown
Taylor, B.
Belgrave South, Victoria, Australia
Taylor, G.
Burbank Seed Farms, Wyong, New South Wales, Australia
***Taylor, G.**
Springfield, Virginia, USA

Taylor, G.H.
Pant-yr-Holiad Garden, Llandysul, Dyfed, Wales
***Taylor & Sangster,**
Melbourne, Victoria, Australia
Teese, A.J.
Monbulk, Victoria, Australia
Temple, Mrs M.
Geraldine, South Canterbury, New Zealand
***Ten Oaks Nursery,**
(A.N. Adams), Clarksville, Maryland, USA
***Thacker, T.C.**
Knowle Nurseries, Knowle, Warwickshire, England
Thatcher, Mrs V.F.
Geraldine, South Canterbury, New Zealand
Theiss, J.
Theiss Azalea Garden, Canyonville, Oregon, USA
Theiss Azalea Garden,
Canyonville, Oregon, USA
***Thelemann,**
Address unknown
***Thibaut & Keteleer,**
France
***Thieme, W.**
Jeddeloh I, nr Oldenburg, Germany
***Thomas, G.S.**
Woking, Surrey, England
Thomas, M.
Address unknown
Thompson, C.D.
Eugene, Oregon, USA
Thompson, E.
Waldport, Oregon, USA
***Thompson, J.G.**
Orchard Nursery, Mobile, Alabama, USA
***Thompson, M.**
(Willard Thompson Nursery), Waldport, Oregon, USA
Thompson, R.
Heathfield, East Sussex, England
Thompson, R.
Waldport, Oregon, USA
***Thompson, R.C.**
Salinas, California, USA
(Earlier of Rock Creek Hills, Maryland - when employed by the United States Department of Agriculture)
Thompson, W.
(Willard Thompson Nursery), Waldport, Oregon, USA
Thompson Nursery,
Waldport, Oregon, USA
(Formerly Willard Thompson Nursery)
***Thompson Nursery,**
London, England
Thomsen, G.
Baltimore, Maryland, USA
Thornton, J.T.
Franklinton, Louisiana, USA
(Formerly of C&T Nursery, Franklinton, Louisiana)
Thornton, R.E.
Dibden, Southampton, England
Thorpe, Mrs M.R.
Brighton, East Sussex, England
Thuem, E.
USA
Ticknor, R.L.
Canby, Oregon, USA
(Formerly at North Willamette Experiment Station, Oregon State University)
Tietjen, W.D.
Guilford, Connecticut, USA
***Tietjens, M.**
Blue Bell, Pennsylvania, USA
***Tingle Nursery, The**
Pittsville, Maryland, USA
Todd, J.
(also listed as J.R. Todd Jr), Lenoir, North Carolina, USA
***Todman,**
Gardener to R. Hudson, Clapham Common, London, England
***Tol, J.C. van**
Boskoop, The Netherlands
***Tollenaere, A.**
St Amandsberg, nr Ghent, Belgium
***Tollenaere, F.**
St Amandsberg, nr Ghent, Belgium
***Tollenaere, T.**
Zaffelare, Belgium
***Tolstead, W.L.**
Davis and Elkins College, Elkins, West Virginia, USA
Tom Dodd Nursery,
Semmes, Alabama, USA
Tonkin, G.W.
Stoodley, Tasmania, Australia
Tonkin, R.
Moorillah Gardens,Pomonal, Victoria, Australia
Toolangi Nursery,
(H. Van de Ven), Toolangi, Victoria, Australia
Topsvoort Nursery,,
Aalsmeer, The Netherlands
***Tottenham Nursery,**
The Netherlands
Towe, L.C.
Walhalla, South Carolina, USA
Townhill Park Gardens,
Southampton, Hampshire, England
Tracy, A.
Shelton, Washington, USA
Tracy, R.
Shelton, Washington, USA
Trainor, K.
Seattle, Washington, USA
Transplant Nursery,
Lavonia, Georgia, USA
Trautmann, C.
Mowbray Gardens, Amelia, Ohio, USA

***Trayling, E.J.**
Surrey, British Columbia, Canada
Treadwell, A.
Formerly of The Conard-Pyle Co.,West Grove, Pennsylvania, USA
***Tremayne, J.**
Heligan, Cornwall, England
Trembath, M.L.
Aldergrove, British Columbia, Canada
***Trillium Lane Nursery,**
Fort Bragg, California, USA
***Trillon,**
Le Mans, France
Troch, E.
Lochristi, Belgium
***Trotter, R.D.**
Leith Vale, Surrey, England
(Later of Brin House, Inverness-shire, Scotland)
***Truffaut, A.**
France
Truglio, P.L.
Roosevelt, New York, USA
***Trumpy, J.R.**
Kissena Nurseries, Long Island, New York, USA
Tucker, W.G.
USA
Tuomala, C.
Fort Bragg, California, USA
***Turbat, Mons.**
(Nurseryman), address unknown
Turkington, K.
Brookline, New Hampshire, USA
***Turner, C.**
Royal Nurseries, Slough, Berkshire, England
***Tyerman, J.S.**
Penlee, Tregony, Cornwall, England
(Previously at Liverpool Botanic Garden)
Tyler,
USA
Tyler Arboretum, John J.
Lima, Pennsylvania, USA
(Also listed as The Tyler Arboretum)
United States Bureau of Plant Introduction (USPI),
United States Department of Agriculture, Plant Introduction Station, Glenn Dale, Maryland, USA
United States Department of Agriculture,
Plant Introduction Station, Glenn Dale, Maryland, USA
(Usually listed as USDA, Glenn Dale)
United States Department of Agriculture,
Beltsville, Maryland, USA
(Usually listed as USDA, Beltsville)
United States National Arboretum,
Washington, DC, USA
University of Canterbury,
Christchurch, New Zealand
University of Connecticut,
Storrs, Connecticut, USA
University of Maryland,
College Park, Maryland, USA
University of Minnesota Landscape Arboretum,
Excelsior, Minnesota, USA
(Formerly of Chanhassen, Minnesota, USA)
University of Washington Arboretum,
Seattle, Washington, USA
Uosukainen, M.
Agricultural Research Centre of Finland, Laukaa, Finland
***Urlwin-Smith, P.J.**
Ascot, Berkshire, England
Uytterhaegen, R.
Research Station for Ornamental Plant Growing, Melle, Belgium
Vaartnou, H.
Victoria, British Columbia, Canada
***Vaartnou, H.**
Victoria, British Columbia, Canada
Vaerlen, B.
Camp Meeker, California, USA
Valder, P.G.
Darling Point, New South Wales, Australia
***Valley Evergreen Nursery,**
Hagerstown, Maryland, USA
van,
(The entries for names incorporating 'van' as a separate element are indexed under the final element of the name.)
Vancouver Parks,
City of Vancouver Parks and Recreation Department, Washington, USA
Vancouver Parks Board,
Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada
***Vandevere, E.G.**
San Francisco, California, USA
Varnadoe, A.C.
Colquitt, Georgia, USA
Vea, J.G.
Portland, Oregon, USA
***Veen, A. Van**
Van Veen Nursery, Portland, Oregon, USA
***Veen, T. Van**
Van Veen Nursery, Portland, Oregon, USA
(Includes T. Van Veen Sr (deceased) & Jr)
Veen Nursery, Van
Portland, Oregon, USA
VEG Saatzucht Zierpflanzen,
Erfurt, Germany
***Veitch & Son, R.**
Exeter, Devon, England
***Veitch & Sons, J.**
Royal Exotic Nurseries, Chelsea, London, England
Velden, O. van der
Boskoop, The Netherlands
***Velten,**
Address unknown
Velvin, Miss J.
Lyndale Nurseries, Whenuapai, Auckland, New Zealand
Ven, H. Van de
Toolangi Creek Nursery,Toolangi, Victoria, Australia

Ven, K. Van de
Nursery at Monbulk Road, Olinda, Victoria, Australia
(Later of Avonsleigh, Australia)
Verboom, K.W.
Boskoop, The Netherlands
***Vercauteren, C.**
Belgium
***Vercauteren, E.**
Melle, Belgium
***Vercauteren, J.**
Wetteren ten Ede, Belgium
***Vergesteke,**
Address unknown
Verhaege & Sons, R.
Merendree, Belgium
***Verleeuwen, J.**
Belgium
***Vermeersch & Baerdemaeker,**
Address unknown
***Vermeulen & Son, J.**
Neshanic Station, New Jersey, USA
Verney, F.
New Plymouth, New Zealand
Verney, T.W.
New Plymouth, New Zealand
Vernimb, B.
Howell, New Jersey, USA
***Verschaffelt, A.**
(Alexander Verschaffelt), Ghent, Belgium
(Succeeded by his son Ambroise)
***Verschaffelt, J.**
Ghent, Belgium
***Verschaffelt, L.**
Royghem, nr Ghent, Belgium
Verschueren, A.
Lochristi, Belgium
***Versypt, F.**
Address unknown
***Vervaene, A.**
Address unknown
***Vervaene, D.**
Ghent, Belgium
***Vervaene, F.**
Ghent, Belgium
***Vervaene, J.**
Ledeberg, nr Ghent, Belgium
***Vervaene, L.**
Merelbeke, Belgium
***Vervaene, R.**
Merelbeke, Belgium
***Vervaene & Schrijver,**
(J. Vervaene (q.v.) & P. de Schrijver (q.v.))
***Vervaene-Vervaert & Co.,**
Address unknown
Verwey, H.W.
Boskoop, The Netherlands
***Vincke,**
(Perhaps A. & L. Vincke Frères, Bruges, Belgium)
Vines, P.
(An error for R. C. Vines)
Vines, R.C.
Amelia Island, Florida, USA
***Vinson, B.**
Sumner, Washington, USA
Viraraghavan, M.S.
Kodaikanal, Tamilnadu, India
Vireya Valley Nursery,
Cuckatoo, Victoria, Australia
Vireya Venue,
(G.L.S. Snell), Maleny, Queensland, Australia
***Vleck, H.A. Van**
Montclair, New Jersey, USA
Vleck House and Gardens, The Van
Montclair, New Jersey, USA
Vliet, A. van
Hazerswoude, The Netherlands
***Voigt, A.**
Dresden, Germany
von,
(The entries for names incorporating 'von' as a separate element are indexed under the final element of the name.)
Vorwerk-Baumschulen, Rastede
Rastede, Germany
Voss, D.H.
Vienna, Virginia, USA
***Vossberg, P.D.**
Westbury Rose Co., Long Island, New York, USA
Vosters Nurseries,
Secane, Pennsylvania, USA
***Vuyk, A.**
Vuyk van Nes Nursery, Boskoop, The Netherlands
Vuyk, P.
The Netherlands
***Vuyk & Son, T.**
The Netherlands
Vuyk van Nes,
Boskoop, The Netherlands
(Later seen as K. Rosbergen & Zn BV/Vuyk van Nes Export BV)
***Vuylsteke, C.**
Lochristi, Belgium
(Includes father and son, both Charles Vuylsteke)
***Wada, K.**
Hakoneya Nursery, Numazu-city, Shizuoka-prefecture, Japan
Waddington, C.R.W.
Dartmouth, Devon, England
Wade, Mrs H.
England
***Waelbrouck,**
Ghent, Belgium
Waele, F. de
Belgium
***Waghorn, F.R.**
Box Hill North, Victoria, Australia
***Waghorn, Mrs L.A.**
Box Hill North, Victoria, Australia

***Wagner, C.**
Address unknown
(Perhaps from Riga, Latvia)
Wagner, D.
Burtonsville, Maryland, USA
Wakehurst,
Royal Botanic Gardens, Wakehurst Place, Ardingly, West Sussex, England
(Leased to Kew in 1965 by the National Trust; formerly the estate of G.W.E. Loder (latterly Lord Wakehurst))
***Walbrecht, E.E.**
New Harbor, Maine, USA
Waldman, P.M.
Roslyn Nursery, Dix Hills, New York, USA
***Waley, F.**
Sevenoaks, Kent, England
***Walker, M.V.**
Eugene, Oregon, USA
Walker, R.
Fernhill, Sandyford, County Dublin, Ireland
Walker, Mrs S.
Fernhill, Sandyford, County Dublin, Ireland
Walker's Nursery,
Mitcham, Australia
(Also seen as D.W. & V.A. Walker Nursery)
***Wallace,**
Address unknown
***Wallace, R.**
Robert Wallace & Co., Tunbridge Wells, Kent, England
(Latterly Wallace & Barr)
***Walther, C.J.H.**
Rastede bei Oldenburg, Germany
***Walther, E.**
San Francisco, California, USA
Walton, Mrs P.
Mahwah, New Jersey, USA
(Formerly of Upper Saddle River, New Jersey, USA)
***Walton's Nurseries,**
Burnley, Lancashire, England
Wapler, M.
Portland, Oregon, USA
***Ward, C.H.**
Vancouver, Washington, USA
Ward, R.W.
Puyallup, Washington, USA
Ward's Garden,
Vancouver, Washington, USA
Warner's Nurseries,
Australia
Warren, D.
Melbourne, Victoria, Australia
Warren, Mrs P.J.
Dunedin, New Zealand
Washington State Centennial Committee,
Washington, USA
***Waterer, A.**
Knap Hill Nursery,Woking, Surrey, England
(Succeeded at nursery by *A. Waterer Jr)
***Waterer, F.G.**
Bagshot, Surrey, England
(Formerly at Knap Hill Nursery)
Waterer, G.D.
Bridgewater, Somerset, England
***Waterer, H.**
Knap Hill Nursery, Woking, Surrey, England
Waterer (Bagshot),
(Used to refer to the Waterer establishment at Bagshot, Surrey, England (cf. J. Waterer Sons & Crisp))
Waterer (Knap Hill),
(Used to refer to the Waterer establishment at Knap Hill, Surrey, England (cf. A. Waterer, H. Waterer, etc.))
***Waterer Sons & Crisp, J.**
The Nurseries, Bagshot, Surrey, England
Waterer & Godfrey
(See Waterer (Knap Hill))
Watson, Mrs E.M.
Kirkland, Washington, USA
Watson, G.
The Bovees Nursery, Portland, Oregon, USA
Watson, M.
The Bovees Nursery, Portland, Oregon, USA
Watson, R.
Forrest Hill, Auckland, New Zealand
***Watson, W.**
Royal Botanic Gardens Kew, Richmond, Surrey, England
***Watt, G.**
India
Watters, F.
Shelton, Washington, USA
Watters, L.
Shelton, Washington, USA
***Watts, J.A.**
Taroona, Tasmania, Australia
Watts, L.
Bellevue, Washington, USA
***Waugh, T.**
Hutt Valley Nurseries, Lower Hutt, New Zealand
Wayside Gardens,
Mentor, Ohio, USA
Weagle, J.K.
Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada
***Weaver,**
North Carolina, USA
***Weber, E.O.**
Seattle, Washington, USA
Weeks, A.
Ridgly, Tasmania, Australia
Weeks, C.
Westgate Gardens Nursery, Eureka, California, USA
Weeks, E.
Ridgly, Tasmania, Australia
Weesjes, Mrs E.
Sidney, British Columbia, Canada
Weesjes, K.N.
Sidney, British Columbia, Canada

Wegen, B.A. Vander
Union, Washington, USA
***Weigt,**
Address unknown
Weiskittel, H.C.
(Marshy Point Nursery), Chase, Maryland, USA
Weiss, M.
Brush Prairie, Washington, USA
***Weissbach, R.**
Dresden, Germany
Wellmeier, C.
C. & T. Azalea Nursery, Surrey, British Columbia, Canada
Wells, J.S.
Wells Nursery, Penrose, North Carolina, USA
Wells, S.
Howden, Tasmania, Australia
Wells Nursery,
(James S. Wells), Penrose, North Carolina, USA
Welvaert, M.
Evergem, Belgium
Wemken, A.
Rastede, Germany
***Wennekamp,**
Brooks, Oregon, USA
Werf, J. van der
Boskoop, The Netherlands
West, F.H.
Cape May, New Jersey, USA
(Formerly of Penn Valley, Pennsylvania, USA)
West, M.
Bainbridge Island, Washington, USA
Westbury Rose Co.,
(P. Vossberg),Westbury, New York, USA
Western, P.
Ringwood, Hampshire, England
***Westfall, Q.R.**
California, USA
Westgate Gardens Nursery,
(C. Weeks), Eureka, California, USA
Westhoff, J.
Botanischer Garten und Rhododendron-Park, Berlin, Germany
***Weston,**
England
Weston Nurseries,
Hopkinton, Massachusetts, USA
Westside Ornamentals,
Salem, Oregon, USA
***Wettberg, B. W. von**
Oxford, Connecticut, USA
Wezelenburg, J.W.
Hazerswoude, The Netherlands
Wezelenburg & Son, K.
Hazerswoude, The Netherlands
Whalley, R.
USA
***Wheeldon, T.F.**
Gladsgay Nursery, Richmond, Virginia, USA
***Whibley, D.**
Crafers, South Australia, Australia
Whipple, M.S.
Long Island, New York, USA
***Whitaker, W.J.**
Pylewell Park, Lymington, Hampshire, England (Gardener: Mr Hamilton)
***White,**
Gardener (1940s) at Embley Park, Hamphire, England
***White, G.H.**
Manager at Sunningdale Nurseries, Windlesham, Surrey, England
White, T.H.N.
Barnsdale Park,Takapau, Hawkes Bay, New Zealand
White Flower Farm,
New York, USA
White Smith, E.
The Bovees Nursery, Portland, Oregon, USA
White's Nursery,
Germantown, Maryland, USA
***Whitley & Osborn,**
(R. Whitley & R. Osborn), Fulham, Middlesex, England
Whitman, B.
Wall, New Jersey, USA
Whitman, M.J.
Wall, New Jersey, USA
***Whitner, H.**
Gardener to Lady Loder at Leonardslee, Horsham, West Sussex, England
***Whitney, W.E.**
Camas, Washington, USA
Whitney Gardens,
Brinnon, Washington, USA
***Whitton, J.**
Glasgow, Scotland
***Wibier, G.**
St Amandsberg, Belgium
Wick, Mrs R.H.
Olympia, Washington, USA
***Wick, R.H.**
Olympia, Washington, USA
Wieczoreck, P.
Hinesburg, Vermont, USA
***Wieting, J.**
Baumschulen, Giesselhorst, Westerstede, Germany
Wilde, R. de
(See R. deWilde)
***Wildfong, M.**
Silver Creek Gardens, Mission, British Columbia, Canada
***Wilding, E.H.**
Wexham Place, Stoke Poges, Buckinghamshire, England
Wildwood Garden,
Chardon, Ohio, USA
Wiley, K.
The Garden House, Buckland Monachorum, South Devon, England

***Wilgen, A.C. van**
Boskoop, The Netherlands
Wilgen's Nurseries, Van
Boskoop, The Netherlands
***Wilkes, W.B.**
Seattle, Washington, USA
Willamette Chapter Study Group,
(American Rhododendron Society), Salem, Oregon, USA
Willard, R.
North Scituate, Rhode Island, USA
Willard Thompson Nursery,
Waldport, Oregon, USA
(Now trades as Thompson Nursery)
***Wille, J.**
Belgium
(Probably an error for C.J. Wille & Co.)
Wille & Co., C.J.
Belgium
***Williams, A.M.**
Werrington Park, Cornwall, England
***Williams, C.**
Caerhays Castle, Gorran, Cornwall, England
Williams, D.J.
Eugene, Oregon, USA
Williams, F.J.
Caerhays Castle, Gorran, Cornwall, England
***Williams, G.**
Scorrier, Cornwall, England
***Williams, J.C.**
Caerhays Castle, Gorran, Cornwall, England
***Williams, P.D.**
Lanarth, St Keverne, Cornwall, England
Williams, V.
Toolangi, Victoria, Australia
***Williams & Son, B.S.**
Holloway, London, England
***Wilmott, Miss E.A.**
Warley Place, Essex, England
***Wilson, E.**
Crosshills, Kimbolton, New Zealand
***Wilson, E.H.**
Arnold Arboretum, Boston, Massachusetts, USA
Wilson, J.F.
Blackburn, Victoria, Australia
***Wilson, Mrs M.**
New Zealand
Winberg, J.D.
Fall City, Washington, USA
Wingate, T.
Cripple Creek Nursery, Hawkinsville, Georgia, USA
***Winkfield Manor Nurseries,**
Ascot, Berkshire, England
***Winkler, W.F.**
Brunswick, Maine, USA
Winter, F.S.
Pottstown, Pennsylvania, USA
Winterthur Museum and Gardens,
Winterthur, Delaware, USA
(Also listed as Winterthur Museum, Garden and Library)
***Wiseman, P.**
Waterers Nurseries, Bagshot, Surrey, England
***Wister, G.S.**
Swarthmore, Pennsylvania, USA
***Wister, J.C.**
Swarthmore, Pennsylvania, USA
Withers, R.M.
Melbourne, Victoria, Australia
Witherwick, G.T.
Truro, Cornwall, England
***Witt, J.A.**
Seattle, Washington, USA
***Witte, de**
Address unknown
***Wojnar, J.**
Thompsonville, Connecticut, USA
***Wolf,**
Address unknown
Wolf, F.
Rodgau-zur-Ddhf, Germany
Wood, D.
USA
Wood, E.
Canby, Oregon, USA
Wood, V.K.
Tacoma, Washington, USA
Wood, V.L.
Tacoma, Washington, USA
Woodard, G.
Westbury, New York, USA
Woodland Nurseries,
Canada
***Woodlands Nursery Gardens,**
(W.G. Hyde), Lytchett Matravers, Dorset, England
Woodlands Nursery Gardens,
Ferndown, Dorset, England
Woodleigh Nursery,
New Plymouth, New Zealand
Workman, Y.
Cape Coral, Florida, USA
(Formerly of Everett, Washington, USA)
***Wormald, H.**
Dereham, ? UK
***Wright,**
(Nurseryman), Clyne, nr Swansea, Wales
Wright, A.A.
(A. Wright, Jr), Canby, Oregon, USA
***Wright, A.O.**
(A. Wright, Sr), Canby, Oregon, USA
***Wright, H.**
Highlands, North Carolina, USA
Wright, H.R.
Courtenay, British Columbia, Canada
Wrightington, H.
Hanson, Massachusetts, USA

Wright's Nursery,
Canby, Oregon, USA
Wrzesinski, C.J.
Middleton, Wisconsin, USA
***Wulf, De**
Address unknown
Wüstemeyer, W.
Baumschule, Schermbek-Bricht, Germany
Wuyts, O.F.
Belgium
***Wyandanch Nursery,**
Wyandanch, New York, USA
***Wyatt, V.**
Union, Washington, USA
***Wyman, D.**
Arnold Arboretum ?, USA
Wyman, R.M.
Framingham, Massachusetts, USA
***Wynniatt, F.**
Formerly Head Gardener, Exbury Gardens, nr Southampton, Hampshire, England
***Wynterset Nurseries,**
Perkiomenville, Pennsylvania, USA
Wyrens, R.G.
Everett, Washington, USA
Wytovich, E.T.
Port Carbon, Pennsylvania, USA
Yadkin Valley Nursery Co.,
Yadkinville, North Carolina, USA
Yamamoto, K.
Abu-district, Yamaguchi-prefecture, Japan
Yamamoto, Y.
Samou-district, Shiga-prefecture, Japan
Yamina Rare Plants,
(A.J. Teese), Monbulk, Victoria, Australia
Yargus, B.
Gaston, Oregon, USA
Yashiro, M.
Sayoh-cho, Sayoh-district, Hiyogo-prefecture, Japan
Yates, C.
Frostburg, Maryland, USA
***Yates, H.R.**
Frostburg, Maryland, USA
***Yates, Mrs M.**
Frostburg, Maryland, USA
***Yavorsky, L.**
Freehold, New Jersey, USA
***Yeates, J.S.**
Palmerston North, New Zealand
***Yelton, E.H.**
Rutherfordton, North Carolina, USA
***Yerkes, G.E.**
USDA, Beltsville, Maryland, USA
Yoder, E.
USA
Yoder Bros,
Barberton, Ohio, USA
Yokohama Nurseries,
Yokohama-city, Kanagawa-prefecture, Japan
Yosimura, R.
Japan
***Youell, W.**
Royal Nurseries, Great Yarmouth, Norfolk, England
***Young, Messrs**
Epsom, Surrey, England
(Nineteenth century partnership of Charles (fl.1820s-1840s), Peter and James (fl.1820s-1836))
Young, H.S.
Chadd's Ford, Pennsylvania, USA
***Young, M.**
(Messrs M. Young), Milford Nurseries, Godalming, Surrey, England
Younger Botanic Garden,
Ben More, Argyllshire, Scotland
Yuge Bros,
Altadena, California, USA
Zabel, A.
Olympia, Washington, USA
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